Epigram of the Week

Plan your work—and then work your plan. If you stay on top of your job, you won't have it on top of you.
— W. W. Bauer, M.D.,
"Health for Today"

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The officers of the Official Liberal Association of Argenteuil, photographed following the recent meeting in the Lachute Legion Hall, when the above officers were elected. Antoine Paré, St. Andrews East and Montreal lawyer was elected president of the organization, replacing Bernard Gosselin, who held the position on a temporary basis. Left to right are Messrs. Noël Lemay, Rosario Lemay, Stanley Rodger, Rolf Nelson, Antoine Paré, Léon Tessier, Emile Gratton, Paul Frappier and Dave Morrison. Back row, in the same order, Messrs. Georges Proulx, Réal Rochon, Rodrigue Durocher, Dr. Roger Lavigne, Bernard Gosselin, Gaëtan Paquette, Fernand Legault, Maurice Pagé, Roger Lagarde, Wilfrid Morrissette and Jean Marie Bisson. Absent from the group is Adelard Castonguay, Carillon Mayor.

Photo Syd Drew

Argenteuil Liberals seek new candidate with B. Gosselin out of the running

Bernard Gosselin, standard-bearer for the Liberal Party in Argenteuil for a number of years, on Monday of last week announced he would not allow his name to be presented at the Liberal convention planned for Saturday, April 9, at which time a candidate will be elected to contest the next provincial election.

"It is with regret, he declared, that I have to make this decision due to a promotion I received at C-I-L last October. My new position requires a considerable amount of time, as the work is entirely new to me. I am actually in the middle of an adaption period and I have to devote all my time and energy to my job."

"This is the only reason behind my decision not to seek the support of the population of Argenteuil, and I can assure you all you can count on my complete collaboration and sincere devotion to the Liberal Party in the County, just as I have given it in the past. Looking at things from the practical side, I feel I have to stay loyal to my family and my employer."

Mr. Gosselin addressed a group of some hundred County residents, gathered at the Lachute Legion Hall to elect an executive for the Official Liberal Association for Argenteuil County. A veteran of several political campaigns and an ardent defender of the Liberal Party, Mr. Gosselin was requested to reconsider, but he replied that his decision was final.

Five County Mayors were in attendance at the meeting which elected Antoine Paré, St. Andrews East and Montreal lawyer, president of the County Association. They were Messrs. Gaëtan Paquette, of Ayersville; Emile Gratton, of St. Adolphe de Howard; Antoine Paré, of St. Andrews East; Adélard Castonguay, of Carillon and Rosario Lemay, of St. André d'Argenteuil parish.

Other officers elected were 1st. vice-president Stanley Rodgers, of St. Andrews East; 2nd vice-president Léon Tessier, of Brownsburg; 3rd vice-president Emile Gratton, of St. Adolphe de Howard and Secretary Rolph Nelson, of Brownsburg.

The directors elected are: Bernard Gosselin, exofficial; Gaëtan Paquette, Ayersville; Maurice Pagé, St. Adolphe; Rodrigue Durocher, St. Andrews East; Roger Lagarde, Dr. Roger Lavigne and Fernand Legault, all of Lachute; Réal Rochon, St. Philippe; Paul Frappier, Laurel; Jean-Marie Bisson, Lachute; Dave Morrison, Harrington; Georges Proulx, Ayersville; Noël Lemay, St. Philippe; Wilfrid Morrissette, Lachute, Rosario Lemay, St. Andrews East and Adélard Castonguay, Carillon.

In his address, Mr. Paré thanked those in attendance for the confidence placed in him and promised to do his best to promote the Liberal cause in the County. "We are", he said, "at the point of victory, and we will work with our candidate, who without doubt will be the next deputy for Argenteuil in the Legislative Assembly."

Dr. Aimé Fauteux, Provincial Liberal Party Organizer, was in attendance and informed the gathering that "the Union National was scared, and according to our Chief, Mr. Lesage, there will be an election towards the end of May or the beginning of June. We will be ready to enter the battle with 95 candidates, all of whom will be chosen by the middle of April. The Liberal party is better organized than ever and we are ready for the fight at any time. Mr. Jean Lesage sends his best wishes to all and extends to the Liberals here, a message of confidence as to the outcome of the anticipated election."

Dr. Fauteux was accompanied by Hector-A. Caron, of the Liberal Federation of Montreal.

Premier Barrette, Mines Minister at Education meeting

Quebec (CP) — Premier Antonio Barrette said recently that he is bent on having his children learn English.

He was speaking at a luncheon celebrating the centenary of the foundation of the Quebec Public Education Council.

He said being able to speak French and English helps the members of Canada's two large ethnic groups to better understand and appreciate each other.

The people of Quebec province enjoy a privileged situation in education, he said. Parents could give their children, with all possible aid from the state, an education in tune with their faith, their language and their traditions.

Separate Committees

Religious and lay educational authorities in two committees, Catolic and Protestant, make up the council.

Provincial Secretary Yves Prevost said at a meeting of the organization that the council combined the tradition of the past with present methods.

He said the council still meets the problems of today and he saw no reason why its makeup should be changed.

Mines Minister William Cottingham, representing Protestant and English-speaking Quebecers, said:

"We in Quebec, even before Confederation, have been able to establish a joint organization of Catholics and Protestants in a field that could not fail to be full of delicate problems and questions.

"But this organization was based on such good will, such a realistic way of facing these problems, that it has been functioning since then so smoothly as to make it unnecessary to appeal to the summit."

By the summit he meant a plenary session of the council such as was held recently. The council had not met for 52 years. This year marks the centenary of the council's foundation.

Omer Jules Desaulniers, superintendent of education, presided at the luncheon. Guests included Paul-Emile Cardinal Leger, Roman Catholic Archbishop of Montreal, and Very Rev. John Dixon, Anglican Bishop of Montreal.

Montreal Member

John P. Rowat, of Montreal, a Protestant member of the council, expressed the opinion school taxation has not risen at the same rate as taxes in other fields. He said

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District resident displays flag in Newfoundland

St. John's, Nfld. (CP) — Florian Legrace, 34-year-old railway employee from Grenville, Que., arrived here to sell his "distinctive Canadian flag" to Newfoundlanders. Florian spends his vacation travelling about the country showing the flag. It consists of a white cross on a red and blue field with a green maple leaf in the centre.



Resident reaches 100th milestone

Congratulations are extended to Mrs. Alfred Deslauriers, a long-time resident, who on Tuesday, March 8, celebrates her 100th birthday. Mrs. Deslauriers enjoyed excellent health until several month ago, when she fractured her hip. She is in good spirits, however, and while no elaborate celebrations are planned for the event, it is expected she will be the recipient of an unusual number of congratulatory messages.

Photo, Syd Drew

Two men arrested on theft charges

Antoine Guay, 23 year-old Montrealer, was recently arrested and charged with theft with violence following a $15 robbery in Carillon, in which Raymond Gaudin, of that village, was struck over the head. The accused is scheduled to appear in St. Jerome court on Friday of next week.

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Gerard Cadieux, 27 year-old Ste. Therese resident, was arrested last week, following a robbery at the Bazar d'Argenteuil, a Main Street clothing establishment. A charge of "theft while pretending to be armed" has been laid in the case. Another charge of theft with violence was dropped when it was discovered that a local taxi driver had given false evidence concerning a robbery some hours after the Lachute theft. The accused will appear March 11.

114 Donors support appeal for blood

A total of 114 donors responded to the Red Cross appeal for blood at a clinic held in the Brownsburg Legion Hall on Monday of this week. This was the second clinic held in Brownsburg within six months.

A number of residents from outside the community were among the donors and Campaign Committee Chairman, L. Carignan would like to take this opportunity of thanking all who assisted in this worthy cause.

Fire destroys small lodging

A Saturday evening fire gutted the contents of a three-room apartment occupied by Arthur Deneault, Main Street West, intense smoke causing firemen considerable difficulty in locating and extinguishing the blaze.

The actual building was severely damaged, with smoke playing havoc in the other section of the one-storey building.

Firemen were at the scene for two hours.

Plastic bag causes suffocation of local six-month-old infant

Sgt-Det. Ralph Allen reported a total of three deaths over the past week-end, Argenteuil County having it's first fatality due to a plastic bag suffocation. In commenting on this death, District Coroner Dr. Jules Lafleur stated "criminal action would be taken in any similar cases if there was any possibility of negligence". He ruled the death of Lise-Anne Lemay, six month-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gilles Lemay, of Brownsburg Road, as "accidental".

According to Sgt.-Det. Allen who was called to the scene by Dr. Roger Lavigne, the family physician, the child was left on a bed with a large "teddy-bear" toy. The polythene bag covering the toy had apparently fallen on the bed and the child's face came in contact with the bag. The child had been left alone on the bed for less than 15 minutes, according to the parents. The incident occurred Saturday evening.

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Jeanne-Ida Girard, 17 year-old Montreal girl, died in the Hotel Dieu Hospital, St. Jerome, following injuries she received when struck by a car near St. Adolphe de Howard. The girl was with a group of friends from Montreal, three of whom were being pulled on a toboggan behind a car driven by George Dusseault, 19, of Montreal. The toboggan apparently slid into the path of an on-coming car driven by Geo. L. Skenc, also of Montreal. The accident occurred about 10.30 a.m. Sunday and the girl died several hours later from injuries received. No date has been set for the inquest.

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Edward Chenier, 40 year-old hotel-keeper in Whisseltown, dropped dead at 1.30 a.m. Monday, while working in his establishment. Death was declared natural, due to a heart attack. He was married and the father of three children.

Hawkesb'y rejects Ontario Hydro plan

Hawkesbury council has voted to reject the Ontario Hydro's proposals for a 2,500-foot dyke to save town properties from flooding when the Hydro Quebec Carillon power project is built.

Under a reciprocal hydro agreement between Quebec and Ontario written in 1954 Ontario Hydro is acquiring land that will be affected by a head pond formed when the Quebec power project is constructed 12 miles downstream on the Ottawa River.

Original estimates were that 207 lots in the town — 30 commercial and 177 residential — would be affected.

Ontario Hydro proposed construction of a 50,000 cubic yard dyke along the waterfront just north of Main Street which would cut land flooding by some 65 percent. But after studying the petitions Council turned this proposal down.

Part of the total flooding is to be on Snye Island. The council decided last night to ask Ontario Hydro to raise the island level 140 feet and relocate homes and buildings. Mayor Rosaire Gascon had previously suggested a dyke be built around the low area of the island.

The situation is back to its original plan pending studies by Ontario Hydro of the Snye Island raising proposal.

Rotary Club holds nominations for coming season

Past president Sid Patterson presented the results of the deliberations of the past presidents' committee at the regular weekly dinner-meeting of the Brownsburg-Lachute Rotary Club on Thursday of last week, the nominations for incoming officers as follows:

Bob Wyse, president; Art Lapp, vice-president; Bert Moore, secretary; Maurice Grondin, treasurer and Barry Bourne, immediate past-president.

The Bingo, scheduled for February 19, was cancelled at the last minute due to a snow storm and plans were discussed relative to the final event planned for March 18.

Perfect attendance pins were awarded to Larry Presseault seven years and Andrew Hardie, eight years. It was pointed out that Rotarian Hardie is also the holder of a five-year perfect attendance pin, having missed only three meetings in 13 years.

Three new officers on Prov'l force

Sgt.-Det. Ralph Allen reports the engagement of three additional traffic officers, all of whom have completed their training course and are presently on duty.

The new men are Samuel Kille, of Lost River; Jean Guy Foucault, of Whisseltown; and Gilles Lavigne, of Lachute, which brings the local force to eight traffic officers, a sergeant and the officer-in- charge. An additional car is also on the road.

Brownsburg looking for Physical Education teacher, H. & S. told

By M. E. Cowley

The February meeting of the Brownsburg Home and School Association was arranged as an open meeting to enable parents to meet the teachers and was reported as being an overwhelming success. Some 120 parents and teachers filled the school cafeteria to overflowing as the meeting was opened with an enthusiastic rendering of "O Canada".

For the third straight month, Mrs. Dixon's class won the attendance pennant, with a figure of 91.6% of the class parents present. The pennant is a symbol of the highest parental attendance at each Home and School meeting during the year and while recognized as a symbol only, it is surprising to see the pride with which it is accepted. Is it this bit of colored felt which brings out the parents of the children in this class? Some of the other classes are not far behind but it is significant when one class wins the pennant three times. Attendance of the other classes were as follows:

Grade 1, 88.7%; Grade 2, 37.3%; Grade 3, 51.2%; Grade 4A, 60.04%; Grade 4B, 85.6%; Grade 5A, 91.6%; Grade 5B, 45.4%; Grade 6, 46.3%; Grade 7, 64.9%; Grade 8, 43.3%; Grade 9, 62.1 %; Grade 10, 55.6% and Grade 11, 42.1%.

During the short business session, Vice-president Ward Moncrief noted that the Home and School sponsored military whist had provided approximately $60 which would be donated to the school library. "It is projects such as this which have made the Brownsburg Home and School Association such a successful and worthwhile organization," it was pointed out.

President Dudley Boal introduced the speaker of the evening in the person of Jack Golpin, who, as chairman of the local School Board, presented a short summary of the budget for the 1959-1960 school year.

Mr. Golphin stated that expected expenses for the year had been set at $84,376. This total is made up of five separate budget divisions as follows:

(1) Instructional — salaries, books, prizes, etc., $66,878.;

(2) Operational and Maintenance — Caretaker's wages, fuel, light and power, etc., $8,370.;

(3) Administrative salary of secretary-treasurer, office supplies, audit fees, etc., $2,107;

(4) Landscaping and improvements, $1,635.;

(5) Conveyance, $5,386.

Mr. Golphin indicated that the board was now in a position to secure the services of a Physical Education Instructor for the coming school term. "Aquisition of such a specialist will depend on availability and cost, however, 'w'p or lose' this particular subject can be looked upon as another successful project of the Home and School as a result of close co-operation with the school staff", it was pointed out, following the meeting.

The original suggestion came from a teacher, Mrs. George Connelly, in conversation with a local Home and School official. The Home and School executive approved of the idea and since the school principal, Mr. King Amos, was serving on the executive as an adviser, the project gained momentum. A Poll of Home and School members indicated an overwhelming majority in favor of having a "Phys Ed." instructor, so the request was formaly submitted to the School Board. A year has elapsed since the project began and it appears that the idea is now bearing fruit.

Mr. Golphin ended his talk on an optimistic note, but left some food for thought when he mentioned that there would be at least 41 pupils in Grade 1 next year. This would require two Grade 1 classes again.

President Dudley Boal thanked Mr. Golphin on behalf of the group and proposed that the parents visit the various classrooms and return to the cafeteria for refreshments. In closing, Mr. Boal emphasized the fact that co-operation between the Home and School and school officials was excellent and that credit should be given to the staff for the time involved in preparing an open house.

Minor fire calls

Several chimney fires have been reported to the local fire department, all calls having been answered by a crew of men. No damage has resulted from these minor outbreaks.



New St. Andrews exchange building

This is the home of St. Andrews East's new dial telephone exchange. Located on Prince Edward Street, the new exchange building houses the complex dial equipment and power apparatus needed to give the community dial service. The one-storey building measures 26 feet by 37 feet wide and has a reinforced concrete foundation and frame, exterior walls of brick and a sloping roof covered with asphalt shingles.

Photo Syd Drew

Dial cutover in St. Andrews takes place early Sunday

Shortly after two o'clock Sunday morning, dial telephone service will be inaugurated in St. Andrews East, and all calls between that community and Lachute will become free of long distance charges.

Coincident with these service improvements, all telephones in St. Andrews East will get completely new numbers consisting of the exchange name LEcture 7, followed by four figures. The new numbers are listed in a directory supplement recently distributed to customers in St. Andrews East and Lachute.

Local calling between St. Andrews East and Lachute will go into effect at the time of the changeover and telephone users in both communities will then be able to dial direct to each other without paying long distance charges.

Although the conversion of St. Andrews East's telephone system from manual to dial operation took over a year to prepare, the actual changeover Sunday morning will take less than two minutes to complete, with virtually no interruption in service. Early Sunday morning was chosen as an appropriate time as there are few conversations in progress at that time.

At a signal given when calling has reached a low ebb, a gang of men wearing goggles will go into action in the old manual exchange to disconnect all the lines to the old switchboard.

The goggles are necessary because of the method of disconnection. Tapes are strung behind the heat coils — little fuses that protect subscribers' lines from high voltage — so that the fuses can be ripped out by the thousands. This operation will require about 30 seconds.

As soon as the old exchange is "dead", the signal will be given over a special telephone line to the new dial exchange, where another gang of men will stand in readiness to remove the "blocking tools" from the dial switching equipment. These tools, which are used to prevent the dial switches from working while the manual exchange is still in operation, also are attached to cords so that they can be yanked out in a few seconds. Once the blocking tools are out, the dial system will be in operation.

Focal point of the St. Andrews East dial system is the new one-storey exchange building on Prince Edward Street. The building measures 26 feet by 37 feet and has a reinforced concrete frame and foundation exterior made of brick, and a sloping roof covered with asphalt shingles.

Introduction of dial service in St. Andrews East necessitated the overhauling and altering of the entire wire and cable network serving that town, including the installation of many thousand feet of underground and aerial cable.

Because telephone rates are governed by the number of telephones in the local calling area, the inclusion of Lachute telephones in St. Andrews East's local calling area will bring an increase in the rates paid by St. Andrews East customers.

The new rates which have been approved by The Board of Transport Commissionars for Canada, are as follows:

Residence Service	New Rate Group No. 4
Individual Line	$3.90
2-Patry Line	3.05
Multi-Party Line	2.90
Business Service	
Individual Line	$7.05
2-Party Line	5.05
Multi-Party Line	4.25

Argenteuil Outdoors

A column for the sportsman

— By BOB ATCHISON —



On a visit to the U.S. recently, we were very surprised by the number of roadside signs, "no littering", etc., that had been put up, especially in the state of New York. I was talking to one of the officers of the Sheriff's Department, and they have given orders to pick up everyone found throwing trash out of a car. The number of violators picked up already sure must have a great deterent effect on the rest. One of the biggest highlights of the trip was going over the 1000 Island bridge at Gananoque, Ont. The lake and river are not totally frozen over and the number of ducks resting and wintering in these open spots runs into the thousands. In some places it was impossible to see the water for ducks; stopping to watch them, they could even be heard. Another interesting sidelight was the number of Pheasants seen. What with the lack of snow (at that time) and the feeding stations, they sure seemed to be doing alright.

We met some of the guides who hang out around the ducks during the bass season and were told the Musky fishing this past fall had been poor, especially in Alexandria Bay. It is from around this one spot that there are more record muskies taken than any other place in the North American Continent. Then the snows came. Starting Saturday afternoon until Sunday evening any chance we had of seeing anything was at an end; 19 inches fell at this time. We had been invited to go down to a Pheasant Breeding ranch, owned by a Mr. Hershey, and operated for his enjoyment and that of anyone else who wished to visit it. It was unfortunate we were not able to get there, but maybe later on. One gent we did meet was a modern gun collector with 17 guns. . .

I would have given my last clean shirt for one of those rifles, a 220 Swift-varmint, with a 10-power scope of the Bushnell type. Naturally he reloads all his cartridges and looking over some of them you sure do wonder at these reloaders. I thought fishermen were just a shade nuts, but we are pure compared to these pranks.

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Now, some more news about the Lynx that are around the district. Probably not the ones talked about a few weeks ago but they have been seen on the Bird Sanctuary towards Morin Heights. It could be there are a number of them around that we don't know anything about. As for the Panthers they still seem to be around the Eastern Townships. Of course there are still going to be denials all over the place that these rare animals are not Panthers. I'm going to go along with Issak Hunter, of the Montreal Gazette that they are Panthers. With his knowledge of the outdoors and his capacity for finding things out, that's it as far as I'm concerned. Also, for what it's worth, I reported them around this County four years ago. There are of course the experts who say "nothing doing", just like the ones we had come over to the Island and tell us there wouldn't be any Rattle Snakes. We sure proved them wrong.

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The fishing seems to have dropped off a little; at least for the Perch. Pike are still giving a lot of fun at the time and I should imagine they will continue to do so for a little longer yet. What has caused the slow down in the Perch is one of those things we don't know anything about, and I imagine never will. It may have been caused in the water-level rise, giving them lots of feed from the overflow.

The number of stores in and around the district that are featuring fishing tackle now sure makes you think Spring is not far away. Now is the time for the big decision on what to buy this Spring and then start saving for it. It sure is a lot easier on the pocket book to pick up a couple of baits every week or so, than to go in at the opening of the season and slap down a pile of the green stuff. The selection is tops right now so there will be no disappointment come opening day. Then again this is a good time for dreaming about the one that got away last year. Maybe some of the stores around town could help the boys out a little. It's nice to look at the outfits we are going to get (we can dream aanyway) or at least the next best.

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The birds are having a great time around just now. Sure there has been lots of snow, but the weather is mild and that helps them a lot. I know everyone has stories on them, but here's one that certainly makes you wonder about the human race. The way all breeds can squat in a "feeding station" with only the odd squabble that doesn't seem to mean too much, should be an example to us. By some of the 'phone calls I have had in the last couple of days, there must be all kinds of species about. Even the crows that have been about all winter, are welcome just now. Of course these don't feed in the stations, but they can be seen flying around and heard cawing. Surprising how that even sounds good. There certainly are a number of Jays around and along with the Chicks, manage to keep us entertained.

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This is one for the book. A considerable amount of agitation has been going on in the State of New York for the abolition of any pointed knife in a public place carried by a person under 21 years of age. How this is going to affect the Boy Scouts, etc., is sure going to be worth watching. Of course this law has not been brought up by any responsible group of citizens, rather they are the usual group that wish to see every form of outdoor sport sent to the bone yard. Why they should want to ban a knife to anyone under 21 is hard to figure. True there are a few of the youngsters who like their zipp-knives and use them in robberies, etc., but these are the minority. Another point is just because a person is over 21 doesn't mean he will not use it for unlawful purposes. Boy, can you imagine the fun they are going to have trying to get everyone to turn in their pocket knives? Seems a little bit stupid doesn't it. I would imagine the opposition to this will stir up a storm.

KEN WATSON'S CURLING ON PAGE 8

Inter-Church Bowling League

STANDING

	GP.	Won	Lost	Dwn.	For	Agst.	Pts.
ANGLICAN	16	12	4	0	149	95	24
UNITED	16	7	8	1	131	138	15
PRESBYTERIAN	16	4	11	1	101	145	9

United Church Bowling League

STANDING

Team	Skip	P	W	L	D	For	Agst.	Pts.
All Stars	(Mrs. M. McFaul)	12	9	3	0	108	81	18
Redwings	(Miss Grace Rosser)	12	8	2	2	124	92	18
St. George's	(Owen Todd)	12	7	3	2	113	95	16
St. Pat's	(Gladys Davis)	12	8	4	0	100	77	16
East Settlement	(Les Gordon)	14	7	4	1	113	96	15
Beavers	(Miss M. Gordon)	12	6	5	1	97	116	13
St. Andrews	(Mrs. W. Bridge)	12	5	6	1	104	113	11
Teenagers	(Reg Stansfield)	12	4	7	1	114	102	9
Thistles	(Foster Campbell)	12	3	7	1	86	120	8
Maple Leafs	(Mrs. D. Smith)	12	4	8	0	91	92	8
St. David's	(Willie Wilson)	12	3	8	1	95	114	7
Bluebirds	(Mrs. H. Riddell)	12	3	8	1	93	118	7

Presbyterian Church Bowling

STANDING TO DATE

Team	Skip	P	W	L	D	For	Agst.	Pts.
Pilgrims	(M. Cairns)	22	13	7	2	147	128	28
Shamrocks	(J. Armour)	22	13	7	2	140	130	28
Hit-or-Miss	(J. Simons)	22	10	9	3	149	137	23
Vipers	(F. Underhill)	22	10	10	2	138	137	22
Rockets	(K. Noble)	22	5	12	5	126	155	15
Spitfires	(E. Gordon)	22	7	13	2	150	159	16

Lachute Lions' Skating Rink



Activities and Highlights of the Week

With the Lions' Carnival, activities were at their highest last weekend. Spectators enjoyed a variety program which was well worth their effort of getting to the rink. Here are the results of the different activities:

Pee-Wee Hockey League:

Lions' Carnival Championship only, the regular league activities to be carried on for another couple of weeks.

Semi-finals:

Lowe's Shamrocks 8 vs
Canadian Legion 2

Ayers Limited 11 vs
Boyd's Express 0

Finals:

Ayers Limited 4 vs
Lowe's Shamrocks 3

Ayers Ltd. therefore are Pee-Wee champions of the Lions' Carnival.

Juvenile Hockey League:

League Championship — Trophy awarded by United Auto Parts (Lachute) Ltd.

Semi-finals:

Lachute High School 3 vs
Loisirs St. Julien 2

Ste. Anastasie 8 vs
Immaculate Conception 0

Finals:

Lachute High School 5 vs
Ste. Anastasie 4

L.H.S. have therefore won the League's Championship and the trophy.

Racing on skates:

Girls 10 years and under — 1st Miss Denise Mongeon, 2nd Miss Nicole Coulcombe.

Girls 11 and 12 years — 1st Miss Nancy Hay, 2nd Miss Mary Painter.

Girls 13 to 15 years — 1st Miss Lynda Jones.

Girls 16 to 20 — 1st Miss Irene Van Wieren.

Boys 8 and under — 1st Michel Desjardins, 2nd Pierre Giroux.

Boys 9 and 10 years — 1st Michael Lowe, 2nd Robert Landry.

Boys 11 and 12 years — 1st Mike Poirier, 2nd André Boucher and Robert Poulin.

Boys 13 to 15 years — 1st J. P. Belanger, 2nd J. R. Pilon.

Boys 16 to 20 years — 1st Arthur Lafontaine, 2nd Guy Denault.

Racing backwards:

Girls — 1st Miss Nancy Hay, 2nd Miss Mary Painter.

Boys 8 to 10 — 1st Michael Lowe, 2nd Ronald Lowe.

Boys 11 to 12 — 1st Gilles Morin, 2nd Robert Poulin.

Boys 13 to 15 — 1st J. P. Pilon, 2nd Yves Sauvé.

Boys 16 to 20 — 1st Robert Guilbert, 2nd Guy Denault.

Pee-Wee League Players, "Racing with puck" — 1st Richard Maiden (Legion) 30 seconds; 2nd Pierre Pagé (Lowe's Sham) 37 seconds; 3rd Robert Poulin (Ayers) 40 seconds.

Juvenile League Players "Racing with puck" — 1st J. P. Pilon (St. Julien) 22 seconds; 2nd Art Lafontaine (Ste. Anastasie) and Doug MacKenzie (L.H.S.) both 25 seconds.

Pee-Wee League Players "Slalom skating with puck — Carmen Lowe 28.5 seconds; A. Boucher, 29 seconds; D. Duncan 32 seconds; Richard de Bellefeuille 35 seconds.

Juvenile League Players — 1st Robert Guilbert 25.5 seconds; Yves Sauvé 31 seconds; G. Brown 37 seconds.

Relay Race:

Winners, Loisirs Ste. Anastasie—Arthur Lafontaine, Robert Guilbert, Guy Denault and Pierre Aacine.

Runners-up, Lachute High School — Gary Cruise, Ian Cairns, Don Neil and Bates Campbell.

Thurso assured of league championship as only one game to be played Friday remains

BROWNSBURG BOMBERS HOCKEY NEWS
By Mander Gardiner

With only one game left in the season, the Quebec-Ontario Hockey League standings are as follows:

	Pl.	W.	L.	Pts.
Thurso	35	25	10	50
Brownsburg	35	23	12	46
Hawkesbury	36	17	19	34
Lachute	36	6	30	12

The game remaining is the Thurso-Brownsburg match which was cancelled on Feb. 16; it is now scheduled for Friday, March 4.

In the scoring race, the up-to-date standings are as follows:

	G.	A.	Pts.
Racine (B)	44	48	92
Leduc (T)	40	45	85
Ron Gionet (L)	32	42	74
J. P. Meloche (T)	27	46	73
Legresley (T)	30	40	70
Ouellette (B)	25	43	68
St. James (H)	26	27	53

Brownsburg at Hawkesbury

Tuesday, February 24

The Bombers assured themselves of ending the season in no worse than second place, as they beat the Hawkesbury Royals 5-2 in Hawkesbury.

Ouellette led the Bombers into action by scoring two goals in the first period, both assisted by Lamoureux and Racine. Charlebois got what proved to be the winning goal after taking a pass from Racine and Menard at his own blueline and neatly cutting through the Hawkesbury squad to beat Paul. Proulx made it 3-1 when he scored at 15:23. The second period was scoreless.

Menard got a picture goal early in the third period when he took the puck in his own zone, raced through a maze of Hawkesbury players and beat Paul with a hard drive from 10 feet out. At 14:08 Prevost picked up the Royals' second goal on a hard drive from the blue-line. Keatley tallied the last goal of the game to end the scoring at 5-2.

This was a typical Hawkesbury-Brownsburg encounter, the play getting rougher as the time progressed. Only one penalty was dished out in the first period, five in the second and nine in the third.

Buddy Racine played a sparkling game and made two terrific saves in the first period when the Royals got breakaways. Bevillard showed that he was much more effective on defence than as a forward and he played a fine game. On the whole, the team played one of its best games of thea season. Dale MacAdam sat out the third period with a bruised shoulder.

Lachute at Brownsburg

Tuesday, February 25

A small crowd saw the Lachute squad give one of their worst performances of the season with some of the players showing no desire to play hockey.

Stewart got things going early in the game with a nice backhand shot after taking a pass from Bill Robitaille. Minutes later Cruise took a pass from Charlebois, went through the Lachute team and set up Robitaille, who made no mistake as he beat Carl Rodger. At 11.31, Ken Underhill was sent in by the Gionet brothers and he made it 2-1. Racine, Charlebois, Ron Gionet and Keatley also scored in this stanza to end the scoring at 5-2 after 20 minutes of play.

In the second stanza, Stewart, Provost, Keatley and Ron Gionet tallied. Keatley's goal was scored after he had shifted Tremblay out of position. Keatley picked up his third goal midway in the third period and Racine picked up the last goal to give the Bombers a 9-4 victory.

The game was well summed up on the referees' report. "The Lachute team must be warned of their conduct on and off the ice and should this happen again, the referees should award the game to the other team". This was written after the Lachute squad had played one of the roughest games seen lately in Brownsburg.

Bob Dumais did not play since he was serving a three game suspension for threatening the referees in their dressing room after Tuesday's game.

Brownsburg at Lachute

Sunday, February 28

The Bombers overcame a 6-2 lead by the Spitfires to beat the Lachute squad 10-6 in a thrilling game at Brownsburg. The game was extremely clean as compared to the previous encounter and only three penalties were handed out.

The Spitfires were ahead 2-1 after the first period, after goals by Payer, Ouellette and Provost. In the second period they picked up two more by Underhill and Lalande.

With eight minutes left in the game it was 6-2 for Lachute and seeming sure of the victory, they let down a bit. The Bombers were ready! Goals by Robitaille, Stewart, Racine and Ouellette tied the score. The last goal was netted at 19.03. In the 10 minute overtime period it was again the Burg all the way and Stewart and MacAdam each picked up a goal and Racine got two.

Before the game got underway, the Ayersville Queen, Miss Louise Brisebois, put the puck in play and pictures were taken of her and the Lachute team.

Jacques Racine and André Ouellette each played a fine game picking up seven and five points respectively. On defence it was Cruise and MacAdam who stood out.

For Lachute Ron Gionet and Lalande each picked up three points, while Payer, who has been out of action since December, gathered four points and seemed to give the Spitfires a boost.

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If Lachute can retain Church in goals and if they can assemble a full team, the semi-finals with the 'Burg should show a lot of thrilling action. Players like Vaillermet, the Gionets, Bougie, Lalande, Dumais, St. André and Tremblay have a lot of hockey experience and ability.

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Q.O.H.L. Semi-Final Schedule

Sunday, March 6
Lachute at Brownsburg
Hawkesbury at Thurso

Tuesday, March 8
Brownsburg at Lachute
Thurso at Hawkesbury

Thursday, March 10
Lachute at Brownsburg
Hawkesbury at Thurso

Sunday, March 13
Brownsburg at Lachute
Thurso at Hawkesbury

Tuesday, March 15
Lachute at Brownsburg
Hawkesbury at Thurso

Thursday, March 17
Thurso at Hawkesbury
Brownsburg at Lachute

Sunday, March 20
Lachute at Brownsburg
Hawkesbury at Thurso

Men's curling notes

The finals in the Senior and Junior Mackie Bonspiels were played on Friday with the following results:

Senior Mackie: Won by Syd Drew, (Skip), D. MacKimmie, R. Gravel and Bob Wyse. The runner-up rink was Don Bradley (skip), Don McFaul, Dee Graham and Dick MacLean.

Junior Mackie: Won by Art Lobel (skip), Bill Hamilton, Sam Rose and Ken MacTavish. The runner-up rink was Bob Dixon (skip), Garth Boyd, Al Comba and Bill Morrow.

The final Bonspiel for this season was started this week. It is an A.B.C. covering the Stackhouse and Pot Lid Trophies and a special prize. Shortly after this has been completed, the Spring Invitation Bonspiel will start about March 2[illegible] lasting for two weeks.

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Morin Heights

Branch 171, Canadian Legion, Morin Heights, has lost a good friend and Comrade in Henry Elias, who passed away Sunday, February 20, at the Queen Mary Veterans' Hospital. F/Sgt. Peter Dyson, who was a great friend of Henry's and had been looking after his affairs during his illness, made arrangements with George Payne, president, for last rights. On Tuesday, February 23, at the request of the deceased, a military funeral was held from the Legion Hall, to Trinity Church, then to the grave, where the final Legion commital was held. Com. E. Kneeland took charge of the pall-bearers.

A representative body from the RCAF Station, Lac St. Denis, attended with the Legion, as Com. Elias was an honorary member of their Mess.

The Rev. H. G. Baugh conducted the funeral service. Comrades of Branch 171 turned out in large numbers to pay final respects to the deceased. Beautiful flowers bore silent tribute to the high esteem in which he was held.

Friends of Mr. Lloyd Kirkpatrick take this opportunity to wish him a speedy recovery. Mr. Kirkpatrick was rushed to the Hotel Dieu Hospital, St. Jerome, last week for an acute appendicitis operation. He is making favorable progress.

Friends of Mrs. Pea Gransow, who is at present in the Hotel Dieu Hospital, St. Jerome, trust she will soon be on the road to good health again.

Mr. Charles Moore, a recent patient in the Royal Victoria Hospital, is now recuperating at his home here. Best wishes are extended for a speedy recovery.

S/Sgt. Wm. and Mrs. Edwards and son, Spike, of Mississippi, have been recent guests of the latter's mother, Mrs. Wm J. Seale, prior to their departure for England, where they will make their home for a few years.

Morin Heights United Church Young Adult Group held their February meeting in the church hall on Thursday last. This meeting was well attended and plans were made for a Rummage Sale. Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess, Mrs. C. Lafleur.

Week-end guests of Mrs. E. C. Fayet were Mrs. George Manthorp and Miss J. Fayet, both of Montreal.

Mrs. Pat Seale spent last week in Montreal, the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Moore.

Congratulations of the community are extended to Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Krusto on the birth of a daughter. Mrs. Krusto, the former Shirley Millard, is well-known in this area.

Friends of Basil Green welcome him back to their midst from Baffinland, where he has been for the past several months. He is now enjoying a well-earned rest with his parents, Col. and Mrs. J. W. Green.

St. Andrews East

Miss Pearl Dorman was in Montreal this week to attend the Woman's Missionary Society of the United Church of Canada, held in the Erskine-American Church.

Mrs. J. E. Armstrong, of East Settlement, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Alex McPhee.

Service for the World's Day of Prayer for Women will be held in the Presbyterian Church on Friday, March 4th, at 2.30 p.m.

Mrs. J. H. Patrick and Miss Linda Patrick, of Westmount, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Jeffrey.

Bell Employees transferred

Owing to the introduction of the dial system, personnel of the St. Andrews exchange have been transferred to other points.

Miss Phyllis McLeod, who has been supervisor of this area, has received a staff appointment in Montreal. She and her mother will make their home in Ste. Anne de Bellevue.

Miss Patricia Liddell, of Montreal, spent the week-end with Miss Audrey Eaton.

County native dies following illness

The Late Mrs. Richard Evans

A native of Argenteuil and former teacher at Lachute High School, Hannah Margaret Evans passed away February 19, following a long illness. She was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Scott.

Born in Lakefield, she was educated at Lachute Academy, and later taught there, as well as in Hull, Farnham and Stanstead College. She then trained at the Royal Victoria Hospital and nursed for several years.

She was married to Richard Evans in 1917 and moved to Winnipeg. They resided there until his retirement, when they came to Lachute.

Three sisters survive, Mrs. Fred Lusk, of Luskville, Que.; Mrs. Thos. Hurdman, Breckenridge, Que., and Miss Ida Scott, of Lachute.

The funeral service was held on Sunday, February 21, conducted by the Rev. Wilson Bridge. Pall bearers were Major Jack Davis, Harold Smith, Roland Tucker, Roy Lusk, Gordon Lusk and Russell Hurdman. Interment was in the Lachute Protestant Cemetery.

Cushing

Mr. and Mrs. F. Pitt, of Montreal, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Elliott.

This community wishes to express sympathy to Mr. France Lafleur and family, in the death of a dear wife and mother, which occurred Friday last, after a lingering illness. The funeral was held Monday morning in the St. Philippe Parish Church. Mrs. Lafleur was much respected in this vicinity.

Week-end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. Holmes were Mr. and Mrs. Ivor Patterson, of Montreal,

The Misses Florence Holmes and Elaine Rhind, of Montreal, were week-end guests of Mrs. H. Barley.

Miss Jean Genest, of Montreal, spent the week-end at her Cushing cottage.

The Cushing Senior Badminton team was the guest of the Kilmar team on Tuesday night, when a pleasant evening was spent.

Although the snowplow cleared the road Friday night, three cars were stuck at Lavigne's corner on Saturday morning, these carrying men on their way to work in connection with the Hydro. Getting in touch with the company, a bulldozer was sent to get them out.

Mrs. K. Felthem was the delegate to Montreal W.M.S. Presbyterial on Thursday and Friday, representing Cushing Auxiliary.

The Woman's Missionary Society of St. Mungo's will meet at the home of Mrs. A. Graham on Tuesday March 8, at the usual hour.

Mr. and Mrs. David Fuller, Mrs. I. H. Fuller and Mrs. W. Villeneuve motored to Montreal Sunday, to visit Mrs. E. Poole, of St. Laurent, who is in hospital. We wish Mrs. Poole a speedy recovery.

Avoca

We are glad to report that Mr. Irwin Arthurs, who is in the Montreal Neurological Institute, having undergone a serious operation, is making steady progress towards recovery.

Mr. Evan Bates is recovering slowly in the Convalescent Home in Hawkesbury, Ont.

Mr. and Mrs. Elden Bates and family of Eganville, spent the week-end with the former's mother.

Mrs. Wm. H. Kelly and two daughters, of Aylmer, visited her parents on Saturday afternoon.

COURSES IN PROSPECTING

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Cushing district mourns passing of city resident

The Late Miss Alberta Cleland

Cushing as a community is mourning the death of Miss Alberta Cleland, a faithful promoter of everything that was good, assisting in church work and that of many organizations in the district. She was also a member of the Women's Institute.

One might use the Bible phrase in speaking of her: "Faithful in many things, serving the Lord."

Quiet and unobtrusive in her ways and movements and with no desire for publicity, she had been the art instructor of the Canadian lady, who some years ago, painted the different portraits of our Queen; she asked at that time that there be no mention of it.

Her lovely paintings of well-known scenery in the district, hanging in many homes, are mute evidence that she was a master of the art, and it did not need the words of a Montreal lady, who once was a judge of a display of articles by the Women's Institute at the Lachute County Fair, to convince people of that. To be included in this exhibit was a painted picture by a member. Upon request of the other members, Miss Cleland furnished a small painting. The judge, when he saw it, said "I cannot accept that as an amateur painting as that lady is a celebrated artist."

As well as being that, Miss Cleland was intensely human, and beloved by all, and her name will be remembered with reverence in this community for many years to come.

She passed away in Montreal, where the funeral was held, with interment in the family plot in that city. Although the Cleland family have lived in Montreal for some years, they had roots in this community, Mrs. Cleland being a member of the well-known Davidson family, who have for many years resided in Cushing.

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Brownsburg

Mrs. M. E. Cowley and little son, Bruce, spent part of last week with relatives in Pointe aux Trembles.

Rev. H. W. Kettyle, of Pine Grove, Ont., and Mrs. C. Powell, of Streetsville, Ont., were the recent guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Kettyle; Mrs. Kettyle accompanied them home, where she will spend the next few weeks and will also visit Rev. and Mrs. Charlton, in Toronto.

Mr. Wayne Petley spent Monday in Montreal.

Mrs. T. G. Pasco is at present visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. Muller and Mr. Muller, in Renfrew.

C.W.L. Meeting held

The February meeting of the C.W.L., St-Louis de France Parish Council, was held February 22 with 13 members present. General business was discussed and plans were made for a St. Patrick's Military Whist to be held in the Brownsburg Legion Hall. The meeting adjourned at 9.30 and refreshments were served by Mrs. Ghislaine Bremer's group.

Day of Prayer

The women of the community are invited to attend the World Day of Prayer Service which will be held in the United Church, on Friday, March 4, at 2 p.m.

School closed

Another severe snow storm necessitated the closing of Brownsburg High School for the second Friday in succession, when roads were blocked in many of the surrounding communities.

Military Whist

The Senior Girls Basketball team held a most successful "Military Whist" on Tuesday, February 23 in the High School. The turnout of enough players to fill 38 tables was most encouraging. While refreshments were being served, prizes were distributed to the following winners:

1st Prize, Mr. J. L. Marchand (Capt.) Mr. and Mrs. F. Gervais, and Mrs. J. L. Marchand.

2nd Prize, Mrs. D. Carrière (Capt.), Mrs. F. Potvin, Mrs. A. Morrow, and Mrs. J. Moore.

The Door prize was won by Mr. Geo. Castle.

The organizers take this opportunity to thank all those who donated prizes and also the Home and School Association for their help with the refreshments.

Mrs. Geo. Andison, the former Christina Guthrie, from Mayo, Yukon, is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. J. Fletcher, after an absence of 49 years.

Morin Heights

Mrs. Helmur Granson and Mrs. Raoul Pagé returned home recently after spending some time in the St. Jerome Hospital. Best wishes are extended for their speedy recovery.

Miss Sandra Seale, and Misses Jaunita Eddge and Sandra Stock, of St. Helen's School, Dunham, spent the week-end here with their parents.

Mr. George Wood, of Rosemount, spent several days here last week visiting his sister, Mrs. Nixon Carruthers.

Mr. Lloyd Kirkpatrick is at present a patient in the St. Jerome Hospital, having last week undergone an appendectomy. Friends wish him a speedy return to good health.

Sympathy of this community is extended to friends of the late Henry Elias.

Mr. Carl Carruthers, of Montreal, spent Wednesday visiting friends.

Mr. Ernest Gallagher, of Montreal, spent the week-end here as guest of Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Kirkpatrick.

Congratulations are expressed to Ernie Dey, of St. Eustache-sur-le-Lac, who celebrated his 80th birthday on Saturday last.

Friends of Mrs. Amedee Vaillancourt will be sorry to hear that she is critically ill in hospital at Ottawa.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Goodman, of St. Genevieve, spent the week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herb Lacken.

Messrs. P. Poirier and R. Dey left last week for a vacation in the Southern States and Mexico.

After a snowfall of more than 20 inches on Friday, this district is truly a Winter Wonderland for photographers and skiers. But, for the many motorists who had to shovel themselves out of snow drifts or had minor accidents, it was a different story.

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BIRTH

McCONE — To Mr. and Mrs. James McCone, at St. Mary's Hospital, Montreal, on Feb. 15, 1960, a son, brother to Irene and John.

DEATH

FENNES — Suddenly at his late residence in Rosemount on February 19, 1960, Steve Fennes, beloved husband of Christie Bethune and dear father of Linda, Marlene and Stefan. Funeral from the chapel of M. A. Blythe Bernier, 3682 Park Avenue, on February 23 at 11 a.m., to Montreal Memorial Park.

IN MEMORIAM

CLELAND — In loving memory of our dear mother and grandmother, Mrs. Henry Cleland, who passed away Feb. 29, 1956. Always remembered by Ross, Christie and grandchildren.

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MacADAM — In memory of a dear wife and mother, who passed away March 7, 1956 — Ever remembered by her husband Richard, and family.

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TASSE — In loving memory of a dear mother, who passed away Feb. 25, 1951. — Always remembered by Catherine and Ruby.

"Today recalls a memory
Of a loved one gone to rest;
And those who think of her today
Are those who loved her best.
The flowers we lay upon her grave,
May wither and decay,
But the love for her who lies beneath,
Will never fade away."

TASSE —In loving memory of a dear mother and grandmother, who passed away Feb. 25, 1951. Always remembered by Margaret, Israël and children.

"Like falling leaves, the years slip by
But memories of you will never die."

TOMALTY — In loving memory of our dear mother, Mrs. Robert Tomalty, who passed away March 3, 1956. — Ever remembered by the family.

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Boy Scout News

By Sandy Welburn

Recently, Gary Helmer and Ralf Atkins received their Queen's Scout badges. The latter also received his First Class badge. One scout received Public Healthman's badge and another Interpreter's The examiners were Messrs. T. Dwyer and L. Brewer.

The Brownsburg Troop has ordered and received 18 hockey sweaters, which are yellow with green markings. Part of the sweater-money was attained by the sale of Scout calendars, and the balance was supplied by the Scout Committee.

The scouts used their new sweaters in a game with the Lachute Legion. "Bantams" team in the Brownsburg Arena on Saturday, February 27. The final score was 3-3. Brownsburg goals were scored by Douglas Connelly, Stephen Millar, and Wayne Seary. Lachute goals were scored by Allen Bates, Richard Evans, and Joey Berniquer.

Cushing West

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Gillies, of Beaurepaire, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Pinkerton on Sunday. Saturday guests included Messrs. R. D. and Lawrence Hartley, of Montreal.

Capt. and Mrs. T. W. Weir spent several days in Montreal this week, as guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. Stalker.

Dr. and Mrs. Ainslie Dowd and sons, Geoffrey and Stephen, of McMasterville, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Watson on Sunday.

Mrs. J. Pearson and daughter, Dorothy, of Montreal, spent the week-end as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Turner.

Miss H. Lambert, of Montreal, spent the week-end at her country home.

Bell Falls

Mr. and Mrs. Ken MacLean, Janey and Roy, of Almonte, spent the week-end at their cottage.

Week-end visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Page were, Gerald, of Montreal, Elsie, of Rosemere and Glen, of Masson. Recent visitors were Mr. and Mrs. S. Cruthers, of Montreal, and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Page, of Ottawa.

Recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Neil MacCallum were Miss Susan Fullerton, of Gatineau, Miss Koreen Murray, of Ottawa, and the Misses Edith and Isabel MacCallum, of Gatineau.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Bruce, of Montreal, spent the week-end at their cottage.

Northern Grenville

Sunday visitors at Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gills' were Mr. and Mrs. James Bates, and sons, Burton and Neil, of Lachute, also Mr. and Mrs. Dick Young.

Mrs. Heather Stone, Nurse-in-training at Montreal, spent the week-end at her home.

Mr. Wallace MacLean, of Vankleek Hill, spent the week-end with Mr. Jimmy Stone.

Miss Jean McMicheal, from McGill, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. McMicheal.

Mrs. Violet Bennett, of Ottawa, spent the week-end at her home.

Friends in this district extend sincere sympathy to Mr. William Hamilton, of New Glasgow, in the loss of his wife, who passed away in a Montreal hospital on Saturday.

APPRECIATION

Mr. and Mrs. Matt Carruthers wish to thank their many relations and friends for help, kindness and cards received while Mr. Carruthers was a patient in the Montreal General Hospital.

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TURNIPS Washed and Waxed lb. 7¢

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CHOICE QUALITY — Reg. 2 tins 31c—Save 3c
A&P PEAS - - - - - 4 20-oz. tins 59¢
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KRAFT ORANGE — Reg. jar 19c—Save 2c
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POPPING CORN - - - 2 lb. pkg. 21¢

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HADDOCK FILLETS - 1-lb. pkg. 39¢

COOKED, READY TO EAT
SALMON PIECES - - lb. 79¢

CHOICE, SLICED
COOKED HAM - - 1-lb. pkg. 89¢

SMOKED, SLICED, ALLGOOD
RINDLESS BACON - - 1-lb. pkg. 49¢

COOKED, BREADED
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Another Free Piece Next Week!

The Bible today

Mr. John H. Twentyman, Secretary of the North Andean Agency in South America recently related how he was flying to Ecuador over Auca territory. Here Rachel Saint is living in th emidst of her brother's murderers. They were able to converse over the plane radio. Translation of the Scriptures is being worked on in this area.

When Mr. Twentyman visited Jivaro territory he met there a chief who had travelled six days on foot and by canoe from the borders of Peru in order to "hear more about the word of God".

At Ayacucho, when the Quechua New Testaments, just received were put on sale, a small boy came running to the front of the church, stretching up his little fist, full of the right change to buy the first copy for his parents. After the service the garden was lined with readers, oblivious to all around them.

NEED PRINCIPALS

Kelowna, B.C. (CP) — School principals are scarce, school superintendent Percy Pullinger told the board of education. He suggested the appointment of more vice-principals in order to build up a reserve.



GO TO CHURCH ON SUNDAY

Anglican Church
REV. C. R. LANG, L.Th., R.D., RECTOR

ST. SIMEON'S, LACHUTE
10.00 a.m. Church School
11.00 a.m. Holy Communion

ST. GEORGE'S BROWNSBURG
9.30 a.m. Morning Prayer.
10.30 a.m. Church School
Thurs., March 3
Evening Prayer, 7.30 p.m.

CHRIST CHURCH, ST. ANDREWS EAST
10.30 a.m. Church School
4.00 p.m. Evening Prayer

People's Church, Lachute
(Associated Gospel Church)
REV. C. W. SORLEY, PASTOR

9.45 a.m. Bible School.
11.00 a.m. "JEREMIAH"
The Visions of the Man of God
7.30 p.m.
"CAN WE KNOW OURSELVES?
Is it possible for the Individual to Understand Himself?
Wed., 8 p.m. Prayer Meeting
Thursday, 8.00 p.m. Y.P. Meeting.

Christ Church, Mille Isles
Rev. Horace G. Baugh, Rector.

9.30 a.m. St. Sauveur
11.00 a.m. Morin Heights
7.00 p.m. Mille Isles

Lakefield Services
REV. CANON C. W. P. BAUGH, Rector
9.30 a.m. Louisa
11.00 a.m. Dunany
7.00 p.m. Lakefield

Margaret Rodger Memorial Presbyterian Church
REV. JAMES ARMOUR, B.A.
9.50 a.m. Church School and Bible Class.
11.00 a.m. Morning Service.
3.00 p.m. Brownsburg.

Brownsburg Pentecostal Assembly
Minister — REV. JOHN C. SHRIER
10.00 a.m. Sunday School
Classes for all ages.
11.00 a.m. Morning worship
7.30 p.m. Evangelistic Service.
Wed., 7.30 p.m. Bible Study and Prayer.

Brownsburg United
REV. GARFIELD W. BRUCE, B.A., Minister
10.00 a.m. Church School.
11.00 a.m. Morning Service.
Wed., 8.00 p.m., Prayer.

Lachute Baptist Church
REV. W. L. HISEY, Pastor

Set for the defence of the Gospel
9.30 a.m. Our Bible School —
Classes for all ages. Come, bring your bible; all adults are invited to the Pastor's Bible Class.
7.30 p.m. Evening Gospel Service
Wednesday, 8 p.m. —
The Hour of Praise and Prayer.
Everybody heartily invited to these Services.

Brownsburg Regular Baptist Church
REV. GEO. HICKS, B.Th., PASTOR
10.00 a.m. Bible School.
11.00 a.m. Church Service.
Mon. 6.30 p.m. Happy Hour
Mon. 8.00 p.m. Young People
Prayer, Thursday 8 p.m. at the home of Mr. Roy Jackson.

Maple Avenue Baptist Church, Brownsburg
REV. R. L. McPHEE
9.45 a.m. Church School.
11.00 a.m. Morning Worship.
Subject
"HE THAT IS FAITHFUL"
7.00 p.m. Monthly Guest Service
All are cordially invited.
Wed. 7.30 p.m.
The Fellowship of Prayer

Dalesville Baptist Church
REV. W. LORNE HISEY, Pastor

"Holding Forth the Word of Life"
10.00 a.m. Our Bible School, with classes for all ages. Adults urged to come to the adult bible class. Mr. K. Tomalty, teacher. Bring your bible and all the family.
11.00 a.m. Morning Worship
Thurs., 8 p.m. — Hour of Praise and Prayer.
All are heartily invited.

Parish of Grenville
REV. P. R. STOTE, L.Th., RECTOR
Lenten Services
9.30 a.m. M.P. Holy Trinity
11.00 a.m. H.C. St. Matthew's
7.00 p.m. H.C. Kilmar
Wed., 8 p.m. St. Matthew's
Thurs., March 3 at Edw. Noble's home, 8 p.m.
Thurs., March 10, at Owen Fannell's home, 8 p.m.
Fri., 8 p.m. Holy Trinity Church

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11 a.m. Divine Worship

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County native and lifelong resident laid to rest

Late Miss Margaret Murray

The funeral of the late Miss Margaret Murray, one of the oldest residents of this community, took place Sunday, February 28, from the home of her niece, Mrs. Wm F. Boa. The Rev. Wilson Bridge conducted the service.

Miss Murray, daughter of the late Alexander Murray and his wife, Elizabeth Drew, was born in Hill Foot on March 23, 1862, and lived all her life in this district. To the end of her life she took a keen interest in the doings of her many friends and relatives and will be greatly missed by them all, from the oldest to the youngest.

She leaves to mourn her loss, two nephews, Dr. Alex Murray, of Montreal, and Mrs. Alex Smith, of Thomas' Gore, and two nieces, Mrs. James Kerr, Indian Head, Sask., and Mrs. Wm. F. Boa, of Lachute, besides several grand-nephews and nieces.

The pall-bearers were her three grand nephews Murray Lyster, James Murray and Guy Smith, and the Messrs James, Donald and Gordon Hay.

Ladies' curling

In the Laurentian Trophy games played here last week, a rink skipped by Mrs. G. Mitchell won over Rosemère, while Mrs. E. Pollock's rink was defeated by Chanteclerc.

Mrs. A. Giles (skip), Mrs. E. Pollock, Mrs. Vessie and Mrs. L. Duncan visited Pointe Claire on February 25 for a friendly and defeated English River.

Vankleek Hill had a visitor's day last week at which Mrs. F. Stein (skip), Mrs. McIndoe, Mrs. Rutherford and Mrs. S. Patterson won over Montebello.

The regular meeting will be held on March 7.

All playing and social members are invited to tea on Visitors' Day, March 8.

Choral Society elects officers

The newly-formed Argenteuil Choral Society has now appointed the official list of officers for the year. A tentative committee was formed last spring to do initial work in the formation of the group, and on Sunday afternoon, the nominations were presented and unanimously adopted by the 60-voice choir. The officers are: President, Lundy Pearson; vice-president, Mrs. Mason Crosby; secretary-treasurer, Bernard Hewitt; librarian, Mrs. E. Callicott; assistant librarian, Mrs. Cedric Wheeler. Committees will be appointed by this executive. Lowell B. Hopkins is the choir director.

Gaul's "Holy City" is the major work now in preparation by the Society, and the date of presentation will be announced in about a week.

United Church bowling league

With only four weeks of the regular schedule left, the championship race is now closer than it has been all season. The All Stars lost three games in a row, and the four next teams all have a chance to win the first prize. The Thistles team of F. Campbell, who have been nursing the basement of the standing all season, have won three in a row, and are in ninth position.

The games next week are as follows:

7.15 p.m.:
Redwings - St. Georges
St. Andrews - Thistles
Teenagers - Bluebirds

8.15 p.m.:
All Stars - Beavers
St. Pats - East Settlement
Maple Leafs - St. Davids

Social and Personal

Vacationing

Mrs. A. A. Hills and Mrs. J. R. McOuat left via the "Canadian", on Monday, for an extended trip to Vancouver and other western points of interest. They will be visiting the former's sister, Mrs. A. Hunter, and return from San Francisco via the Southern Pacific "Sunset Route" to New Orleans, on to Chicago, Detroit and home, making numerous stops en route.

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Watchman Publisher on sick list

J. S. Giles, veteran publisher of The Watchman, is presently recovering from a slight case of pneumonia brought on by a recent fall in which he fractured a rib.

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Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Titman are presently en route to Clearwater Beach, Fla., having left for Fredericton, N.B. on Wednesday last. They are motoring to the United States with friends from the Maritimes.

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Mrs. Geo. Andison, the former Christina Guthrie, from Mayo, Yukon, is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. J. Fletcher, Brownsburg, after an absence of 49 years.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald McFadden, of Detroit, Mich., spent the past week skiing in the Laurentians and visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sharman Doig, of Upper Lachute. They returned to Detroit via Ogdensburg, N.Y., on Saturday.

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Local Family Bereaved

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. R. Cairns will sympathize with them in the loss of the latter's father, Mr. S. W. Gardiner, who passed away on Saturday, February 27, at the Royal Victoria Hospital, Montreal, following a brief illness. He was 74 years of age.

A frequent visitor at the Cairns' home, Mr. Gardiner had made many friends here and during the winter months was frequently seen at the Curling Club.

The funeral was held from Trinity Church, Beauharnois, Que., on Tuesday afternoon.

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Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Todd, of East Settlement, wish to announce the engagement of their daughter, Anna Helen, to Mr. Bruce Mason, son of Mrs. Wesley Mason and the late Mr. Wesley Mason, of Brownsburg.

Entertain Legion Presidents

Mr. and Mrs. D. Campbell were recent hosts at a reception, on the occasion of the visit to Legion Branches of Lachute and Brownsburg, of Dominion president David L. Burgess, and E. Struthers, the Provincial president. Local presidents and executive members were also present as were Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Duncan, the former having that evening been presented with the Legion's Meritorious Service Medal.

Among the distinguished guests were Lt. Col. Arthur T. Field and Mrs. Field, of Ottawa, who spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Campbell.

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Stranded Minister visits hospital

During the height of the storm Thursday evening, the Rev. Horace G. Baugh became stranded near St. Philippe, and decided to spend the night at the J. W. Power Hospital in that village. Mr. and Mrs. Power and Mr. Baugh have been friends for many years.

On Friday he spent the day visiting the patients and inspecting the facilities of the hospital, at which there are now a large number of children as well as elderly people.

High School sports

By Bryant Graves

On Saturday, February 27, the Junior and Senior boys basketball teams played host to Rosemère. The Juniors were successful in winning their game 35 to 27. Scorers for Lachute were Lloyd Elder 9, R. Clark 9, R. MacKay 8, H. Underhill 5, and K. Rogers 4.

The Seniors were not as successful, being defeated 47-30. The scorers for Lachute were R. Underhill 13, R. Cairns 9, R. Stansfield 4, G. MacKay 2, L. Green 1, and I. Cairns 1.

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On Sunday night, the Senior Boys' Hockey team captured the United Auto Parts Trophy defeating the St. Anastasie team 5-4. Kenny Underhill scored 3 of Lachute's goals and Ronnie Cairns and Donny Neil scored 1 each.

By Ann FitzGerald

On Saturday, February 27, the Junior and Senior girl's basketball teams played host to Rosemère. The senior game was close and although the local girls were trailing going into the last quarter, they managed to pull ahead to win 16-14.

The Lachute scorers were Pat Mitchell 10, Dianne Davis 2, Linda Jones 2, and Ann FitzGerald 2.

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The Junior girls were less successful in their game, losing 22-12. The local scorers were Nancy Hay 6, Donna Holt 4, and Linda Bradford 2.

1st Lachute Pack cubs pass tests

This week the 1st Lachute Pack had an active meeting. Following the inspection, the boys played an exciting game called, "In the pond on the Bank".

Star work occupied a considerable part of the evening. Listed below are the tests, and the names of those boys who passed them:

FLAGS — Jeffery Gordon and Svend Paulsen.

KNOTS 2nd STAR — Arthur McElroy.

BALL — Jeffery Gordon, Billie Beattie, Bobby Davis, Eric Robertson, Svend Paulsen and Randy Jones.

15-WORD MESSAGE — Ernest Paulsen and Darrell Bates.

FIRST AID — Darrell Bates.

TELEPHONE — Gerald McCrae.

LAW — David Gorman and Bobby Edgerton.

PROMISE, SALUTE GRAND HOWL — Bobby Edgerton.

The above results show achievement on the part of many boys.

United Church W.M.S. completes year raising $67,650. for welfare work

Mrs. E. D. Errey was re-elected President of the Montreal Presbyterial of the Woman's Missionary Society at the two-day Annual Meeting which opened Thursday, February 25, at Erskine and American United Church, Montreal.

Montreal Presbyterial has a membership of 4,413 women in 99 auxiliaries and 13 affiliated societies. An additional 4,870 young people in three Mission Circles, 39 Mission Bands, 33 Baby Bands, 19 Explorer and 61 affiliated C.G.I.T. groups bring the total membership to 9,283 members.

The Treasurer's report showed $67,650. raised for all purposes. Total sale of literature for the year amounted to $1,600. Of this more than $300. represented literature which was purchased by mothers of very young children.

Continued co-operation with the Women's Association throughout the work of the Church was reported. This co-operation has been largely responsible for the increased volume of work carried out in community friendship, social welfare and visiting. Greatest advances were made in visiting nursing and convalescent homes. A total of 36 Nursing Homes are now being visited regularly by 32 churches, with a total of 8,844 patients in these homes receiving visits during the year. In addition visits are made to hospitals and the Montreal City Mission. Hospitality was extended to Senior Citizens and Overseas Students.

A total of 12,913 pounds of clothing, 215 quilts and 87 layettes were forwarded to the central Supply depot in Toronto for Canadian and Overseas mission centres, 4,600 pounds of clothing were sent to Canadian Indian Missions and $778. was also sent to defray shipping costs. At Christmas, gifts were distributed by the Port Worker and Hospital Visitor to the Verdun Protestant Hospital, Welcome Hall Mission, Montreal Jail, Fullum Street Jail, Montreal, City Mission, Lachine Children's Home and to newcomers to Canada.

This year's study was "North American Neighbors — Alaska, the Carribean, and the U.S.A." Interesting skits, film strips, movies, book reviews, and talks by people from these countries made this a most interesting study.

During the year ten missionaries —nurses, teachers, doctors, ministers — who sailed from Montreal for services in India, Trinidad, and Angola, Africa, were entertained by the members of the Hospitality Committee and Executive.

Tribute was paid to Missionaries working in the Montreal area. These include Miss Louiza Mayova, Port Worker; Miss Gladys Watson, Hospital Visitor; Miss Helen Mack at St. Columba House; Miss Gladys Thornber, home presently from India and working at Montreal City Mission; Miss Gertu Staples and Mrs. Cook at the Lachine Children's Home, Mrs. Cook replacing Mrs. R. A. Phillips, recently retired; Miss Maria Pia Ferrari at the Italian Church of the Redeemer and Mrs. W. Chodat, a Lay Worker at l'Eglise St. Jean.

Officers for the coming year include: Mrs. J. Lovell Baker, Past President; Mrs. Errey, President; Mrs. L. A. VanDuzer, Mrs. G. E. Cross, Mrs. Jacques Beaudoin, Mrs. Wm Stirling, Mrs. E. C. Knowles, Mrs. T. M. Turner, Mrs. John Fanning, Mrs. R. B. Tolhurst, Mrs. Wilson Bridge, Mrs. J. R. Jackson and Mrs. John Pool, Vice-Presidents; Mrs. A. B. Goodfellow, Recording-Secretary; Mrs. R. F. Lawton, Corresponding Secretary; Mrs. P. D. Rossiter, Assistant Corresponding Secretary and Mrs. G. R. Mark, Treasurer.

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Premier Barrette, Mines Minister attend meeting

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there is a tendancy among some school boards to keep school taxes as low as possible and demand financial help from the provincial government.

Under the basic school-tax structure in Quebec province Protestant property owners contribute to the cost of education in their schools while Catholic property owners contribute to Catholic schools.

But today taxes for education are also levied at large, through sales taxes, and in large cities the contributions of industries are shared.

The provincial government has expressed concern in recent weeks about a growing practice of registering large properties in the name of individuals, thus avoiding corporation taxes.

If this trend should continue, particularly with apartment houses and large domiciliary projects, the balance in tax revenue which had been practical for years might be upset.

Mr. Prevost had said Protestant and Catholic members of the council might find it opportune now to hold plenary sessions to sort this question out.

One thing all officials stressed during the day's ceremonies was the equal facilities accorded in Quebec to Catholics and Protestants alike.

APPRECIATION

Mr. and Mrs. John Heatlie wish to thank all those who remembered them with letters, telegrams, cards and gifts, on the occasion of their 50th wedding anniversary, Feb 22, 1960. 1c

Postponement of Lachute High Beginners' Day

Lachute High School will have a Beginners' Day March 9, at 2.30 p.m. Parents who have children ready to start school in September are urgently requested to be present with their children, and to enroll them on this date.

Children must be six years of age before Oct. 1, 1960.

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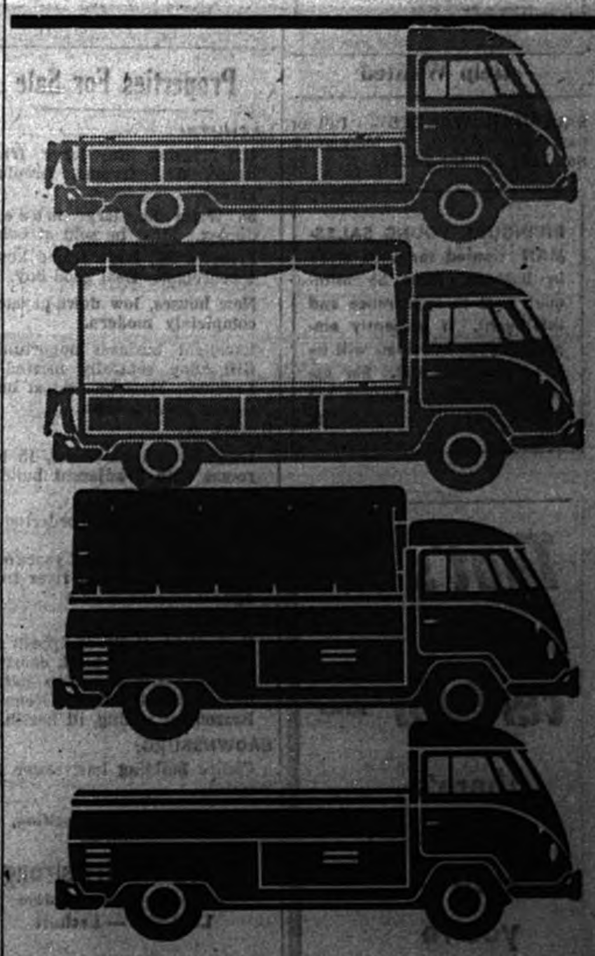
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-vs-
WILLIAM PRESTON, Defendant.

The Defendant, Mr. William Preston, is ordered to appear within a month.

St. Jerome, February 23, 1960.

— J. A. Daly,
Dpt. Prothonotary of the Superior Court

Me Roger Lagarde,
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Mar. 9-2c

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FREE BINGO

— Another bingo in aid of the Lions' Skating Rink will be held on Friday, March 4, at 8.00 p.m., at the Lachute Auditorium. You may obtain your free ticket from any Lions Club member. First five games free. Your opportunity to aid the Rink and enjoy a pleasant evening among friends. 1x

HOME NURSING COURSES

On Monday, March 7, at 8 p.m. the Canadian Red Cross will hold a course in home nursing, in the Lachute High School. A welcome will be extended to all those interested. 1c

HAT SHOW

— A Hat Show in aid of CNIB will be held in Lachute Legion Hall on Thursday, March 10, at 3 p.m. and 8 p.m. Door prizes, refreshments. Admission .75c 1x

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GUIDES and BROWNIES MEETING

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WINTER RALLY

— The Lachute Auto Club Winter Rally will be held March 13, starting at 10 a.m. at Boyd's Express yard. Entry fee $1.00 for members, non-members $2.00. For further information call Don Parker, LO 2-4861. M9-2c

SPEAKER IN BROWNSBURG PARISH HALL

— On Monday, March 14, Father M. Murphy, of the Mary Knoll Fathers, will give a talk for our boys and girls, in the St-Louis de France Parish Hall at 4.15 p.m. and at 8 p.m. for adults. All are welcome. 1c

BALLET DEMONSTRATION

— Lachute School of Ballet public demonstration will be held in the Auditorium, Wed., May 18, at 7.30 p.m. sharp. Adm. 50c. Tickets obtainable from Mrs. E. F. Gow, Tel. LO 2-6102. 1c

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— A meeting of the Dressing Service, Canadian Cancer Society, Lachute Branch, will be held on Tuesday, March 8, at 3 p.m., in the Court House headquarters. 1x

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Points out need for understanding of labor laws

Quebec's labor laws should be clearly understood by all levels of management and should not be the sole responsibility of industrial relations, personnel and legal departments, Roger Regimbal, personnel manager of Ayers Ltd. said in an address in Montreal on Friday last.

Heading a panel discussion on the various phases of provincial labor legislation, before a meeting of the Textile Society of Canada (Eastern Division), Mr. Regimbal said that although the existing set of labor rules had been in the making for several decades, it was only in recent years that employers had dared voice opinions, or make concrete suggestions to Quebec's legislators.

"On the other hand, labor organizations have been bringing all their strength and influence to bear from the very start," he said.

"They have brought about new legislation, and by-laws, while we have been content to complain about restrictions as the laws were passed."

Under these circumstances, he said, employers could consider themselves very fortunate that provincial labor laws today are as fair as they are.

"Our actual salvation has been that our government throughout these years has stuck steadfastly to the principle of private enterprise, and in so doing, has done our thinking for us.

"We know that the legislators welcome our suggestions and support and will do anything which is needed to ensure peace, fairness and justice for all," said Mr. Regimbal.

"Labor legislation is your business. It isn't sufficient to leave this problem entirely up to the labor relations sections of your associations, your personnel men, your lawyers and much less, the provincial government, to do your thinking for you.

You must find out for yourselves — because only you can ensure the passing of the type of legislation which you need to carry out your work in industry," Mr. Regimbal said.

Other members of the panel were R. T. Watson, industrial relations manager, Du Pont of Canada Ltd., and M. Massicatte, assistant director of industrial relations for the Primary Textiles Institute.

Large attendance at Hawkesbury winter carnival

Hawkesbury — Stormy weather didn't stop 3,500 residents here from attending the opening of Hawkesbury's new Arena and the start of its first Winter carnival Friday night.

Close to 1,000 even braved the elements to follow the parade of floats from the floodlit ice palace at the cenotaph to the new $300,000 building.

At the arena, Mayor Rosaire Gascon crowned Miss Lise Belley, student at Hawkesbury High School, as carnival queen.

The two princesses were Odette Poirier and Judy Blanchard.

A figure skating display was given by 26 performers from the Ottawa Minto Club and the high school band provided musical entertainment.

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EDITORIAL NOTES...

"In this Parliament are three Estates, the Lords Spiritual, the Lords Temporal and the Commons, but in the Reporters' Gallery yonder sits a Fourth Estate more important far than all."
— Edmund Burke

News through all the ages

It is probably unnecessary to mention the age of Princess Margaret as 29, each time she appears in the news, yet the fact that she has reached this age without marriage is of continuing interest and each year that rolls around gives the story that much more poignancy.

This age will cease to be of any particular interest after this summer, when the engagement announced last week results in the expected June wedding.

But from the roll top desk of a weekly editor it is suggested that objections to references to a person's age reflect the distance travelled from a copy desk where names are news.

"We have a population of 4,600 people," says one editor. "Listed in that telephone book are fathers, sons and grandsons all with the same surname and, occasionally, with the same two Christian names. For example:

"If A. Bozo, 68, is in an automobile accident accompanied by Mrs. June Blather,, 67, at two o'clock in the morning, we need not (perhaps regretfully) worry whether they were sparking, but are quite satisfied there was some perfectly good reason for them to be about at that hour, such as returning from a federation of agriculture meeting in some distant point.

"But on the other hand, if A. Bozow, 32, is in an accident with Mrs. Jane Blather, 29, at two o'clock in the morning, the ages provide the story without any further comment."

The editor of another publication, The Printed Word argues that the thesis could be carried to the extreme of leaving out names altogether. After all, those who are not involved do not care whether the victim of a murder was Bill Jones or Joe Doakes if they don't know either of them. Then, Bill Jones, 28, provides a further means of identification, which is useless to those who don't know him, but means something to a person who could know several Bill Jonses. Continues the fluent weekly editor:

"The reason holy writ saw no need for age numerals in front of the names of Bildad the Shuhite or Abner the son of Ner, was because the scribes probably could not easily check their ages and so were forced to use such other means of identification as could be readily set down. In today's society, such ready means of identification are usually uncomplimentary or distasteful to the principal involved. I have no objection to being known as Algernon, son of David, because David is a fine man, of good standing in the community and, I feel sure, in the eyes of God.

"Yet, were he not so, I should hate to be known as Algy, son of Dave the Drunk," reports The Winchester Press.

Selection of a farm tractor

DURING THE winter months, many farmers think about the purchase of a new tractor, and attend farm equipment shows where the latest models are displayed. What are some of these factors that should be considered in buying a farm tractor?

There are two main considerations: first, the type of tractor; and second, the make and model. There are three main types of tractor: three-point tricycle, suitable primarily for row-crop cultivation, but sometimes less stable across rolling land than other types; four-wheel type, generally more stable on rolling land than the three-point tricycle type but generally not as adaptable to row-crop cultivation; and finally the track-type or crawler type, useful on steep slopes, and on loose and wet soil, but probably not as versatile as the other two types.

All types can be obtained in a large range of sizes. Only a few companies make all three types of tractors, many make the tricycle and four-wheel types and a few companies make only the track type.

The local dealer is an important factor in the selection of any tractor. The farmer who intends to buy a tractor should consider the local dealer's reliability, his reputation for prompt and adequate service, and his facilities for undertaking major repairs.

There is some advantage in buying a type and make of tractor that is common in the area, since normally spare parts will be easier to get, service work should not be unduly difficult, and the trade-in value of the tractor may be higher. It may also make possible the exchange between neighbors of equipment which is developed to be used with the particular make of tractor.

All tractors made today are good machines, but a farmer should weigh carefully his requirements and the features of any tractor he considers buying, in order to make sure he secures the tractor best suited to his particular operation.

Summer in the Yukon

FOR TAKING the chill off the wintry winds and snow there are perhaps few things better than thoughts of the next summer's vacation.

Right now the mercury is low and the snow is deep in most parts of Canada, including the Yukon Territory, which has the dubious distinction of having established Canada's record low temperature of 81 degrees below zero, at Snag Harbor on Feb. 3, 1947.

But there's a swift change to summer in that rugged territory, an area of 205,000 square miles with a population at the last census, in 1956, of 12,190. And the summers, though short, are pleasantly warm. Temperatures of a record 95 degrees have been listed at both Dawson and Mayo.

The long hours of daylight promote rapid growth of crops where suitable soil is available, and there is no pronounced wet or dry season.

Summer in the Yukon is about as great a contrast from winter as you can find anywhere in this world. From Mayo, a drive to the top of Keno Hill puts the visitor on a carpet of gorgeously-colored wild flowers, and provides a panoramic view in every direction of the McQueston Valley.

That's a point mentioned in a recent newsletter of the Yukon travel bureau at Whitehorse. It has other points that were never dreamed of by the hardy bands of gold-seekers who travelled the Yukon Trail 60 years ago and more.

New tourist accommodation for the 1960 season in the Yukon includes another modern motel in the centre of Whitehorse itself, a new Motel at Mayo to help accommodate the ever-increasing number of visitors travelling north on the Mayo-Dawson highway, and a trailer park at Teslin Lake equipped with electrical plug-ins, washrooms and showers, and ice.

Ice? You need ice when the summer sun beats warmly on the Yukon.

Wonder what those old sourdoughs would have thought if they'd lived to see the new laundromat at Whitehorse.

Unfriendly acts

NOW IT IS announced that the Russians, having succeeded in hitting the moon, are going to take a shot at Mars, thus bringing the science-fiction dreams of interplanetary travel a step nearer to reality. At the risk of being thought old-fashioned by others besides one's own children, one feels inclined to utter a mild protest.

It is unlikely that any protest will dissuade the Russians from doing anything they may have made up their minds to do, but they might reflect a little before they embark on this particular experiment. While they confined their space flights to the moon they did little harm except to the national pride of the United States, for it is generally agreed that the moon is dead. Astronomers are not yet in agreement about the possibility of life on Mars. There is a chance, maybe a slim one, that a rocket landing on the planet might destroy a large number of Martians, who, if they are the beings who have been plaguing the earth with alarms of flying saucers, may be of higher average intelligence than most human beings.

The result might be that the flying saucers would be converted into warships and that the Martians would decide to wipe out the Earthlings with speed and ruthlessness. They could not be expected to make any distinctions between good and bad earthly nations In their view the Earth would have committed an unfriendly act and would deserve its punishment. There is as yet no United Planets where the aggression might be discussed.

Of course, if the Martians are at the same level of development as the Earthlings, their planet may be divided into nations. Whichever nation receives the Russian missile will then blame one of the others for any damage done and the resulting war may be confined to that planet.

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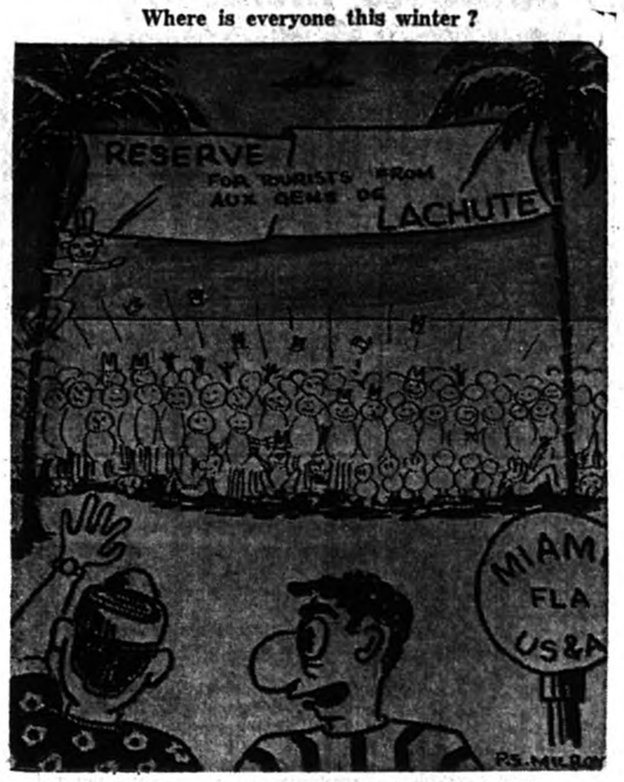
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Where is everyone this winter ?



"I thought we left Lachute for a change !"

Governments in business

By C. J. Harris

It is one of the facts of life, denied only by dedicated leftists, that private enterprise operates more efficiently than public enterprise. True, many essential services are best provided by the state, yet it remains sound principle that government should stay out of business. So it may surprise many to find, from the leading Canadian industrialist J. S. Vanderploeg, how far we have departed from that principle.

"There are now more than 30 Crown Corporations," Mr. Manderploeg points out in a speech made to a purchasing agents' association at Oakville, Ontario, "and each Crown Corporation or agency is doing something which a generation ago was done by private, competitive enterprise. A Crown Corporation, for instance, manufactures synthetic rubber. Another Crown Corporation has a monopoly of overseas telecommunication. Another has a monopoly of the marketing of wheat. Apart from the C.N.R., another is in the transportation business in northern Canada. One is concerned with the purchase and use of uranium. Another is in the mortgage business. Another is in the radio broadcasting and TV business. There is another one known as the Northwest Territories Power commission . . . The Queen's Printer also is in business in a big way . . .

"It may be a surprise, even to some retail merchants, that the Crown is in the electric appliance business, the clothing business and even the grocery business. The armed services, I am told, sell goods to service people, and sometimes to others — including civilian employees of the department of Defence, and civilian employees of contractors in army camps — at prices well below the ordinary retail level in the nearby towns. This is something that the Government is not supposed to do.

"The broad distinction, I would make between what is ligitimate Government activity and private business is whether or not Government business is a seller of goods and services. I suggest that the Government should stay out of any competitive business. But I'm afraid it will get more and more competitive with printers, publishers, and many other occupations unless all people in private business are aware of what's going on and are not afraid to speak out.

"I have mentioned Crown Corporations in the federal field. But nearly every Province is in fields of its own. Not only is the Federal Government deprived of corporation taxes on these enterprises, some of them among the greatest of their kind in the entire world, but provincial and municipal governments likewise are deprived of revenues to a degree. And in the long run, taxes not paid by one business have to be made up by taxes on other businesses."

Business is a profit and loss proposition. But when government gets into it, it's pretty certain to be all loss.

SWISS CATTLE

Birch Bay, Man. CP — Brown Swiss cattle introduced in the Interlake area by W. W. Hickman and Son have adapted well to Manitoba conditions, they reported. The dairy cattle brought from North Dakota, appeared to withstand flies better than other breeds.

Of Many Things

— By Ambrose Hills —

SPRING SONG

Manitoba enjoyed an early mild spell this week and there were puddles in the streets. Our youngsters were out with shovels and hoes to build their drains and to watch the water gurgle along the curbs. It was like a day in Spring, and men who hadn't cracked a smile all winter went whistling down the streets with a jaunty stride.

Weather hereabouts is an uncertain and often grim affair. Certainly it deters building and stockpiling, and it gives our competitors in more moderate climes a jump or two on us materially. Spiritually, an the other hand, we win by a mile because you have to know bad weather to really appreciate good. It's a bit like the man who kept hitting himself on the head with a hammer because it felt so good when he stopped.

Spring is my favorite season, in Spring. Fall is my favorite season, when Fall comes. Those other seasons in between aren't too bad either here in Manitoba, which can look charming at all times. I love to get in my car on a stormy winter day, when everyone is warned off the highways, and go driving. I know it is crazy, but I love it just the same, and I often get stuck on the sideroads and must dig myself out. I have a husky son who enjoys going out with me on these excursions and he does more than his share of the pushing and shovelling.

I suppose each of us has some foolish fancies or unusual hobbies connected with the weather. A neighbor of mine is a barometer bug and he can forecast the weather to his satisfaction, although he sometimes has to wait a month or two for his predictions to materialize.

Another friend has a stormy-day hobby; he saves all the newspapers and magazines he receives, and during the bad weather puts in his evenings clipping and filing — a file for jokes and anecdotes, another on controversial issues at which he is becoming an authority, and another — to his wifes horror — of recipes which he attempts when the kitchen is free.

"Everyone talks about the weather," said Mark Twain, and he was right. "Nobody does anything about it," he added, and he was wrong. The wise ones adapt themselves to it!

Drive slower, and live longer

Highways are not the place for the speed demon who wants to show off his dangerous skills, says the Provincial Highway Safety Committee, (Prudentia). There are many motorists who try to win speed championships and end up winning accident verdicts. They find themselves in hospital with often serious injury. And there are those who do not live to know if they won their dubious victory. Drive slower and live longer.



All Aboard

with G. E. MORTIMORE

One day soon I'm going to take my two little sons to meet an old seaman.

Before we get to his house, I'll tell them: "Listen carefully to what he says, boys. He's one of the men who worked in the sailing ships. He pulled on wet ropes, and climbed up in the rigging to furl the sails, and he had dirty old biscuits and salt pork for his dinner."

"In a sailing ship, they'd be away for a long time — maybe three years. Look at this man, and remember him. When you grow up, there won't be any men like him left in the world."

I also want the boys to meet a cowboy who drove longhorn cattle in the rough frontier days of the American southwest; and a pioneer farmer of Canada, who cleared bush with his own hands, built his cabin, shot his own meat in the wilderness, ploughed virgin grass, and sat down in a rough-hewn chair to read a book by the light of a candle.

I would like them to see some of the Indian dances that still mean something, (and in the more recently-settled parts of Canada) hear the old people tell the stories that they got from their grandfathers and uncles, about the sort of country it was before the white men came.

I want the boys to talk with the pilot of a stern-wheel Yukon riverboat, and an engineer who drove a steam locomotive.

As for me, I never saw a harbor full of sails, or buffalo bones on the prairie. But there are men alive who did. Children should talk to them, and learn that yesterday was a real, exciting time, full of real people.

Boys and girls need the old-timers to show them that history is not merely words in a book or pictures on a screen, but a stream of events that runs right through the house where they live.

RARE ARRIVALS

Vancouver CP — Noted here for the first time by the Vancouver Natural History Society were a turkey vulture, shot on the Musqueam Indian reserve, and a Hutton's viero, a small, insect-eating bird.

Ladies play major part in recent CNR hearings

St. Andrews East,
Feb. 23, 1960

The Editor,
The Watchman,
Lachute, Que.

Dear Sir:

In connection with the CNR hearing held at Hawkesbury on November 9 and 10, I feel that a public expresseion of thanks should be extended to the Board of Transport Commissioners for their fair and humane decision in our favour, that the CNR maintain rail service for our district.

A group of ten women from St. Andrews East attended the hearing and were given an opportunity to express their reasons why the train service should stay. At this point, for the benefit of those women who did not receive a copy of the final summation, I should like to quote part of it:— "Particularly strong opposition was raised at the hearing by a group of women of the area, who, while agreeing with their male counterparts that the service was not of the very best type due to slow and inconvenient schedules, were mainly concerned that the service be maintained in some form or another, so that their last railway passenger link with Montreal would not be cut off entirely."

May I say that the Government's decision has given us confidence and pride that we are in good hands and proof that even a small voice can be heard in a democratic society.

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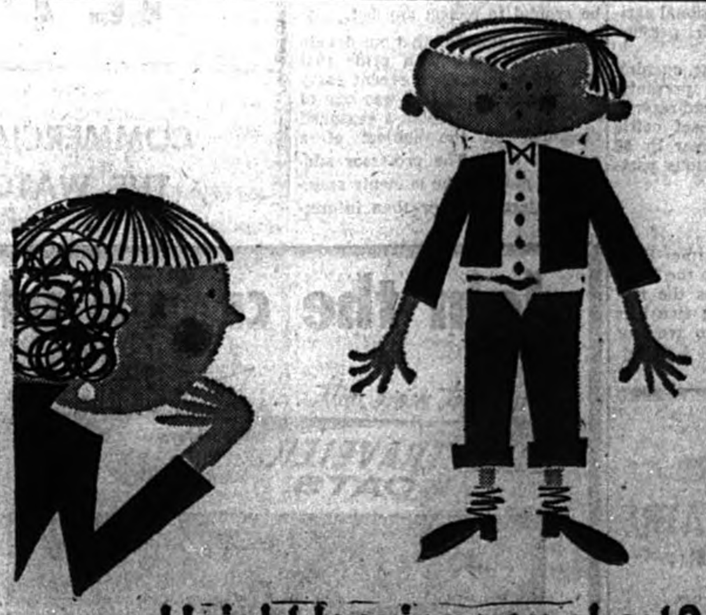
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Ken Watson's CURLING

(Canada's "Mr. Curling", Ken Watson of Winnipeg, is covering the Canadian curling scene for The Lachute Watchman.

A skip's dilemma in Bonnie Scotland

After enjoying thirty-odd years wearing the mantle of authority that is vested in a skip in Canada it was indeed a revelation to be cast in the role of his counterpart in Scotland. Being a guest in one of the most hospitable countries in the world, it behooved me to act circumspectly. So when I found myself on the ice skipping a rink composed of three Scots against a team of their clansmen, I decided to take my cues from the opposing skipper.

This decision was one of my many mistakes. First, I hadn't the foggiest notion of what a Scotch skip's signals meant. He would throw down that bit of flannel they called the "duster", then he would hold his brush handle up in front of him in his left hand and with the stretched-out fingers of his right hand, palm down, he would signal by rapping it against the shaft of the brush. Secondly, my mates were completely befuddled by my Canadianized signals but with magnificent forebearance they tried to interpret my agitated gestures even though they found themselves playing shots that must have made them question my sanity.

Halfway through the first end I was hoping my psychiatrist would suddenly appear. On one shot I signalled for a raise and what did I get — a guard! On another I tried to communicate my hopes with everything but smoke signals and instead of the guard I was fervently praying for (our opponents lay four seconds) an overweight shot came rollicking down the ice and . . . you take it from there.

Up to this point there wasn't even a muttered protest on the part of my cohorts. They were disciplined and subordinate gentlemen all the way, true to their strict Scottish upbringing that taught respect to their skips. Just as this consoling thought was calming my disturbed mind, the opposing skip left the premises and ran down to the hack at the other end without as much passing the time of day with his third man who, incidentally, had played his last shot and was on his way up to the tee. I knew they must be on good speaking terms for they were lying four shots. But there was still quite a conglomeration of stuff in and out in front of the rings so why hurry?

In Canada when there are more than three stones in play the skip and third, like two chess masters, dignify their positions by taking at least five minutes to decide whether they should play an in-turn or an out-turn. But in the Scottish ice rinks even the skips abide by the rulebook which states, "Each player must be ready to play when his turn comes." Evidently in Canada we do not consider the skip as a player. He is some sort of demi-god with an etheral status.

In Bonnie Scotland the rule is strictly adhered to and his lordship must revert to a mortal being and be in the hack pronto. At such times the third man takes over the exalted position, calls the shots and gives the ice whether Mr. Almighty is in accord with the stategy or not.

This is what I was about to learn when I obediently trotted down the ice, in defence to the age-old Scottish practice, to view the house from the long and unfamiliar distance without benefit of a confab with my vice-skip. Once in the hack I felt a feeling of loneliness coming over me. Then when my third man signalled me to play a shot that seemed somewhat unrealistic the truth dawned. Here was a timely lesson in humility for any skip who inclines occasionally to develop an over-exaggerated sense of his own importance.

Perhaps we in Canada have taken a little license with the "auld game" after all in blatantly ignoring the rule.

Assortment of subjects including cats, spirits and imported cars

"Exile from Sunnyacres"

By Margaret Cook

Evie, the junior cat, squats glumly on the shelf before the window and stares at the pyramid of snow made by the blower around the big tree. He is a quiet, timid feline, and one of the things that rouses his fearful wonder is the big out-doors, especially out-doors with snow. Now, he has abandoned the window, and, facing the other way, is looking at ghosts. This gazing into the empty atmosphere at some fixed point is one of the factors that contribute to the theory that the whole feline tribe is queer, not to say evil. It is true a cat will watch a non-apparent object as it moves around the room. I like to ponder on what it is they see, but some people find this extremely nerve wracking. One of my meaner delights is to see Peter stare fixedly at a point two feet above and one to the side of a seated guest. Occasionally, his eye follows what seems to be a moving point, then returns to look thoughtfully at the now squirming visitor. One theory is that there are tiny insects about. This I doubt. But I cannot offer any other solution, unless it is that we are surrounded by a great "cloud of spirits", which, for some reason, the cat is privileged to see, and we are not.

Speaking of spirits, which I did not mean to (the typewriter kind of leads me on), did you ever stop to think of the triviality of the messages purported to be received from the spirit world? They talk in absurd dialects, and give momentous pronouncements, such as, "It is all color here, and "Your Uncle Harry says do you remember the old hat your father had?" Surely, in the Other World there must be better subjects to discuss. The content of the messages makes them suspect. But perhaps we had better leave spiritualism to the spiritualists.

I had really meant to bring you same choice bits on automobiles. A neighbor of ours recently drove me home in his brand new car. One could feel his pride, so, obligingly I asked him if the car were a Morris. "No,", he replied, "it's a ———— " unintelligible word. Then he spelled it. It was Pugeot. This was both a new word to me and news, for his gleaming pride and joy looked like a small English car. The Pugeot company of France were the first ever to make a car for sale. In 1895, they manufactured 500; this was a good five years before other cars were on the market. The company still manfactures automobiles, but their greatest output is in bicycles. Now they are beginning to invade the American market and may well make some impression, as they run 40 miles to the gallon of gasoline. In shape and equipment, this small car resembles a Morris. We wonder if these toys will ever oust the big cars from our market. The economy is wonderful, but how is the comfort on a long journey? Not being an enthusiastic motorist even in the biggest and best cars, I doubt if I would be happy going to Florida in a small car. We mention Florida, because sooner or later, everybody goes there. Our cynical neighbor made the remark straight-faced that a man had been arrested lately for importing Christians into Florida.

We stop now to consult the radio as to whether the Royal baby has yet arrived. No. We pause fleetingly to think of all the people all over the world who are keeping vigil on this event. In each member of the Commonwealth, some thousands will be thinking of Her Majesty. Brown faces, white faces, coffee-colored faces, pink faces, all turned toward the radio to hear if there is a new Royal baby. This anomalous thing called the Crown is the visible symbol of all the ties that bind us. In South Africa, where the world's explosion awaits a careless match, stubborn, pious Africaners, apprehensive British and the awakened blacks will all alike for one moment rejoice with the Queen. The Crown, we feel, especially the present representative, is a great force for good in the world. By the time you read this, the royal house of Windsor will have a new member, and the succession will be assured. We know that there are some who will whisper knowingly that Kings and Queens belong to the past, that Prince Charles had better attend to his lessons, for he will never sit on the throne of England. We disagree, although if the Queen lives out her normal span, we shall never be around to collect any bet.

We are reminded that our daughter writes home with pride that she had a note on a recent essay to the effect that this was one of the few that presented a reasoned discourse on the subject of a national flag. The professor added that most of the students seemed beligerent rather than informed. We suspect that daughter was able to write calmly, because, like Mamma, she was not greatly involved emotionally. We have had, from time to time some ribald suggestions flit through our alleged mind, as to the design of a flag. For instance, how about a blizzard rampant with a beaver couchant, the whole with a frieze of crosses and fleurs de lis? Or maple leaves here and there? Absurd? Well, no more so than some others we have seen suggested in earnest. The red ensign has served us well for generations. Why not make it legal? At least it is not ludicrous, and other nations think of Canada when they see it. What else do we require? After all, we have the Queen for our symbol.

Time off was taken to view the TV offering of Eugenics. Not bad. That ought to bring a flood of protests to the Board of Governors. We were not shocked, but we did feel that the reduction of human reproduction to terms of chemistry was an over-simplification. Science and plain common sense, not to speak of moral sense, seem to have become divorced. To our amused eyes it seemed as if the learned Father of the Church was as a teacher to two rather bright and brash boys. He even had that slightly weary appearance that a teacher acquires after prolonged contact with the youthful mind. Methinks it will be a long time before a young couple sits down and draws up a blueprint of the offspring they desire. Anyway, one learns to live and love one's crosses. Which reminds one of a last frivolous thought — the child who sang lustily of 'Gladly, the cross-eyed bear', doubtlessly identifying it in her mind with her toy bear. She probably wondered why it had been given such a peculiar name. Once more to the radio. I begin to feel like Walter Winchell, always snooping in private affairs.

Plans and model of Oka Institute unveiled recently

Detailed plans and a model of the proposed new Oka Agricultural Institute were unveiled by Premier Antonio Barrette at the official opening of the 8th National Calon of Agriculture in the Show Mart, 1650 Berri St., Friday evening, February 19.

The opening was attended by Mayor Sarto Fournier, of Montreal; Hon. D. S. Harkness, federal Minister of Agriculture; Hon. Laurent Barré, Quebec, Minister of agriculture; Hon. J. D. Bégin, Quebec Minister of colonization, and Hon. Maurice Custeau, Montreal's new member of the provincial cabinet. The occasion marked Premier Barrette's first official visit to Montreal since becoming Prime Minister.

The trappist monks, who have conducted the Oka Agricultural Institute as a service to the community since 1893, have decided to abandon the work of education in favor of the silent, contemplative life of the monastery and its farm. As a result of this decision the Provincial Government has undertaken to establish a new agricultural school under the old name and in the same vicinity.

The new Institute will be between the monastery at La Trappe and the village of Oka. Designed for the education of young women as well as men, it will contain a school of household science similar to the one at Macdonald college. In the field of agriculture it will continue and expand the program now followed at the old Institute. It will be affiliated with the University of Montrel.

The Trappists are closing the present Institute in September, 1961, and the new school is expected to be ready for use by that time.

Meanwhile teachers serving on the faculty of the present school will be on hand at the Salon to explain the program that has been followed and give professional agricultural information to persons visiting the Salon.

Another feature of the opening ceremonies will be the presentation of grand champion and reserve champion awards for beef cattle raised during the last year by 58 young settlers from various parts of the province.

FIVE LEGGED PIG

Chatham, Ont. (CP) — Farmer-Fred Bushey has an odd pig in the litter as healthy and smart as the rest of them" despite having five legs — three normal and two growing from one hip.



End of "Number please" era

The St. Andrews East operating staff gathers for the last time before the switchboards in the manual telephone exchange there. Standing from left to right are: Miss Phyllis McLeod, the chief operator; Miss Louise Pariseau, Miss Leonie Ladouceur, the night operator, and Miss Marguerite Desjardins. Seated at the switchboard are Miss Pierrette Forest (front) and Miss Rose Marie Berniquer. All permanent operators have been offered transfers to St. Jerome or other nearby centres.

Photo Syd Drew

Operators offered transfers as Sunday, the "Voice with smile is exchanged for dial"

After the St. Andrews East telephone exchange is converted to dial operation Sunday morning, there will no longer be any operators located there.

All local calls will then be handled mechanically by the intricate dial equipment in the new exchange building and long distance calls originated in St. Andrews East will be looked after by operators located in St. Jerome.

Though the "voice with a smile" will therefore pass from the scene very shortly in St. Andrews East, no permanent operators wishing to continue to work for the Bell company will be released as a result of the changeover, according to H. W. Flanigan, Bell manager for this region.

"From the moment that it was decided to make the changeover careful plans were made for the welfare of the operators", Mr. Flanigan said. "A number of steps were taken to make sure that no permanent employees would be out of work, as result of the change."

From that time forward, the manager explained, any additional operators needed were hired on the understanding that their employment might be temporary, operators contemplating leaving were invited to stay on until the time of the changeover, and former operators were asked to return to the switchboards temporarily until the conversion. Then, the manager continued, as the date of the conversion came near, all permanent St. Andrews East operators were offered transfers to St. Jerome or other nearby centres where they will assume operating or clerical positions.

"Our company as a matter of policy always does all that is reasonably possible to assist operators to re-establish themselves at the time of dial conversion," Mr. Flanigan stated.

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Welcome little Prince!

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— By NANCY CLEAVER —

Welcome little prince! All the Commonwealth countries rejoice in your birth. We Canadians are particularly happy about your safe arrival because we have a very special interest in you. We deeply appreciate that although your mother and father suspected that you were "on the way" when they were on the Royal Tour in our land, they did not cancel or shorten this trip.

If they had done so, tens of thousands of Canadians would have been very disappointed, although no one would have blamed the Queen if this had been her decision. Our prime minister, in whom she confided, considered this a reasonable suggestion. But your mother fulfilled, what she was convinced, was her royal duty.

Your parents have many, many Canadian memories because they have crossed our vast country in the Autumn of 1951 and then again last summer. On the first visit your mother was a princess; last year she was our reigning sovereign. But whether as princess or queen, she has demonstrated the old phrase, "noblesse oblige", (noble birth imposes the obligation of high-minded principles and of noble actions).

We are a bilingual country, over one quarter of our people need no translation of these words. We are a people of many racial origins, besides English, Scottish, Irish and Welsh. During the past two years, more immigrants have come to our shores from Italy than from Britain.

We, in Winnipeg, were pleased when the Ryerson Press published an illustrated book, "The Royal Tour, 1959". This showed a full-page picture of a display of ethnic groups, dressed in costume, near our beautiful legislative building, gathered to welcome the Queen and Prince Philip last July 24th. We are proud of the blending of many races in Canada, and we know that as you grow to manhood, you too will glory in your noble ancestry, English, Scottish and Greek.

Perhaps some day, with Prince Charles and Princess Ann and your parents, you will vacation somewhere in our beautiful land, a land of lakes and woods, of valleys and hills, of prairies and mountains. This is what an increasing number of Canadian families do, motoring and camping in our provincial and federal parks and visiting places of interest.

Here in our land we still have many isolated little lakes, which can only be reached by plane. If you camped on the shores of one of these, you could have a **real** vacation. Your mother and father would escape from all "official" functions . . . no presenting prizes, shaking hands, long speeches, longer dinner parties. What could be nicer for a Royal Family?

A camping holiday adds greatly to health as well as happiness, and we know Prince Philip is a physical fitness enthusiast. He and the Queen, in their regard for good health, and in their evident enjoyment of each other's company and in their pride in their children, set an example for all the Commonwealth.

Never doubt that you will be a child and grow into a man who will give them reason for pride! Likely you will love (and sometimes even think you hate) your sister, but you will not envy her. Boys never seem to long to be girls.

But do not let it bother you that you are not Prince Charles, heir apparent. You are yourself — and that is a very special person with the most precious gift any child can receive, the love of his parents. You have been born with your own talents, quite different from any other infant. There is some task in the world you can do, which no one else can.

You also have the love of relatives and countless people in numerous parts of the world in our far-flung Commonwealth family. Many little hand-knitted garments have been sent to the palace as presents for you. I am no knitter, (although one of my daughters knits well and my son wears a sweater she has made). My gift to you is this little piece, written from my heart, "Welcome Little Prince!"

The proof is in the eating

Ice cream, light custards or berries and cream make topping desserts during the warmer months of the year, but icy-mid-winter blasts bring demands for heartier fare. Puddings are usually a good solution because they can be varied so easily and quickly prepared from ingredients at hand.

Marmalade 'N' Apple Pudding makes good use of Canadian cooking apples which are of excellent quality, and in plentiful supply, at this time of year. The apples bake under a rich, marmalade flavored batter which is topped by a sweet, cinnamon and sugar crust. The pudding keeps well for several days and it can be successfully reheated or served cold. Many people prefer to serve it with cream, but the pudding is equally delicious eaten as is.

Marmalade 'N' Apple Pudding

Yield — 8 servings

5 or 6 medium-sized cooking apples, ¾ cup lightly-packed brown sugar, 1¾ cups once-sifted all-purpose flour, or 2 cups once-sifted pastry flour, 3 teaspoons of baking powder, ½ teaspoon salt, ½ cup fine granulated sugar, ¼ cup of chilled shortening, 1 egg, ½ cup orange marmalade, ½ cup milk, 1 teaspoon ground cinnamon and 2 tablespoons granulated sugar.

Generously grease a broad rather shallow baking dish (about 10-cup size) with soft butter or margarine. Preheat oven to 400° F. (hot).

Peel and thinly slice apples, discarding cores; spread in prepared baking dish. Sprinkle with brown sugar. Place the dish in preheated oven while making the topping.

Sift together into a bowl, the all-purpose or pastry flour, baking powder, salt and the ¼ cup granulated sugar. Cut in shortening finely. Beat egg well; stir in marmalade and milk. Make a well in dry ingredients; add liquids all at once; mix until combined. Spread batter over partially cooked apples. Combine cinnamon and the 2 tablespoons granulated sugar; sprinkle over batter. Bake in preheated oven 20 to 25 minutes. Serve warm with pouring cream.



TWISTY ORANGE LOAVES

A touch of orange

The English word breakfast comes from two Anglo-Saxon words "brecan" and "faestan" meaning to break a fast . . . which in most cases has lasted at least ten hours. Nutritionists claim that many Canadians are short-changing themselves and either skimp on, or skip breakfast entirely. There are many reasons to explain why breakfast has become such a slapdash affair in most households. Often it is the urge to sleep in fifteen extra minutes that prevents a person from eating adequately. The answer might be fifteen minutes earlier to bed the night before. Another group of people claim that they have no appetite in the morning; but it is a habit that can be cultivated quite easily.

A third main reason for the lack of enthusiasm about breakfast is the monotonous repetition of the same foods served the same way every day. The solution is relatively simple. From time to time, try serving broiled grapefruit, a baked apple or fruit salad in place of orange juice. Omelettes, scrambled eggs or pancakes can replace boiled eggs and bacon on occasion. The traditional plain toast and marmalade can be glamorized by substituting different types of bread and rolls.

Today's recipe for Twisty-Orange Loaves is a tasty example of how simple it is to perk up the early morning meal. Grated orange rind adds a special flavor to these attractive loaves with the rope-like twist on top. This recipe makes two loaves which keep well for a number of days (one can also be (frozen). Try making sandwiches from the bread too.

Twisty Orange Loaves

Yield — 2 loaves

1 Cup milk, 2 teaspoons salt, ¼ cup granulated sugar, ¼ cup of shortening, ½ cup lukewarm water, 1 teaspoon granulated sugar, 1 envelope active dry yeast, 1 well-beaten egg, 1 tablespoon grated orange rind, 4½ cups (about) once-sifted all-purpose flour.

Scald milk; stir in salt, the ¼ cup sugar and shortening. Cool to lukewarm.

Meantime, measure lukewarm water into a large bowl; stir in the 1 teaspoon sugar. Sprinkle with yeast. Let stand 10 minutes, then stir well. Stir in luke-warm milk mixture, well-beaten egg, grated orange rind and 2½ cups of the sifted flour; beat until smooth and elastic. Work in sufficient additional flour to make a soft dough — about 2 cups more. Turn out onto floured board or canvas and knead until smooth and elastic. Place in greased bowl. Grease top. Cover. Let rise in a warm place free from draft, until doubled in bulk — about 1½ hours.

Punch down dough. Turn out onto lightly-floured board or canvas and knead until smooth. Divide dough into 4 equal portions. Cover with tea towel and allow to rest 10 minutes. Form each portion of dough into a roll about 12 inches long. Loosely twist 2 rolls together rope fashion; tuck ends under and place in a greased loaf pan (4½ x 8½ inches, top inside measure). Repeat with remaining dough. Grease tops. Cover. Let rise in warm place, free from draft, until doubled in bulk — about 1 hour. Bake in a moderately hot oven (375 deg. F.) 30 to 35 minutes.

SLIGHT GAIN

Sherbrooke, Que. (CP) — Louis Philippe Demers, director of the Sherbrooke municipal tourist bureau, reports 25,550 U.S. tourists visited Sherbrooke in 1959, compared with 25,300 the previous year.

Spread or Dip

To make a delicious sandwich spread or dip, mix finely chopped hard cooked egg and crisp bacon with a sharp cheese.

What Is the Difference between an Indian Reserve and Reservation?

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There are a "baker's dozen" ways to use this new canned product. Here's a good and quick menu suggestion . . . chicken croquettes, served with canned chicken gravy, a crisp green salad, parsley glazed carrots, and hot rolls accompanied with a variety of preserves. Complete the menu with a pear atop a dip of raspberry ice; garnish with frosted grapes. This menu could tie in easily with your year 'round resolution, just as canned, chicken gravy will be a year 'round favorite on your pantry shelf.

SPRINGTIME MENU

Chicken Croquettes
Canned Chicken Gravy
Parsley Glazed Carrots
Mixed Green Salad
Rolls Assorted Preserves
Pear with Raspberry Ice,
Frosted Grape Garnish
Coffee

Remember canned chicken gravy, it enhances:

- Chicken Parts
- Left over chicken or turkey
- Rice
- Casserole dishes
- Potatoes
- Noodles
- Eggs
- Ham
- Biscuits
- Dumplings
- Dressing
- Skillet dishes
- Sandwiches

Teatime Topics



Written Specially for The Lachute Watchman By Edna Blakely, Canadian Press Staff Writer

If you bought one pair of nylon stockings each month during 1959, you purchased less than the national average. The Canadian Association of Ladies' Hosiery Manufacturers reports that Canadian women bought 12.7 pair of nylons last year.

Canadian women seem to prefer what manufacturers call the nude look. Seam-free hosiery overtook shipments of full-fashioned stockings.

Domestic mills shipped 5,605,000 dozen pair during 1959 and imports accounted for 560,000 dozen pair.

Makes one wonder how many are still being worn and how many have runs.

Handy Housewives

Hardware stores may appear to be a man's domain, but acually women buy approximately 70 percent of the hardware and housewares marketed today.

"The do-it-yourself trend, not just as a hobby but to meet household needs today, has influenced women as well as men," says Angus T. Firth, general manager of the Canadian retail hardware association.

Hardware stores not only have to stock, but must be able to advise women' shoppers, on such things as paints, aluminum cookware, bathtub enclosures and electrical fuses, says Mr. Firth.

Feminized versions of many power tools were shown at a recent Canadian hardware show in Toronto. For the woman gardener there was a baby blue and white tiller and cultivator. Most of the tools had extra safety features for women.

Women and Tradition

The traditional role of women is one of the main reasons that women don't have the same opportunity as men to become leaders. That was one of the findings of a panel discussion during a week-end conference of the Ontario Federation of Women Teachers' Associations.

The Toronto barrister, Janet Scott said women aren't the status seekers that men are. She questioned whether women wanted to be leaders.

Federation past president Florence Irvine, of Ancaster, said women are not applying for leadership positions and don't support each other strongly enough.

Although 72 per cent of Canada's teachers are women, 88 per cent of the administrative posts are held by men, she said.

Marion Royce of Ottawa, director of the women's bureau of the federal labor department, also questioned the desire of women to become leaders.

Responsibility, she said, "is a kind of lonely thing."

The women of the panel are recognized leaders in their field.

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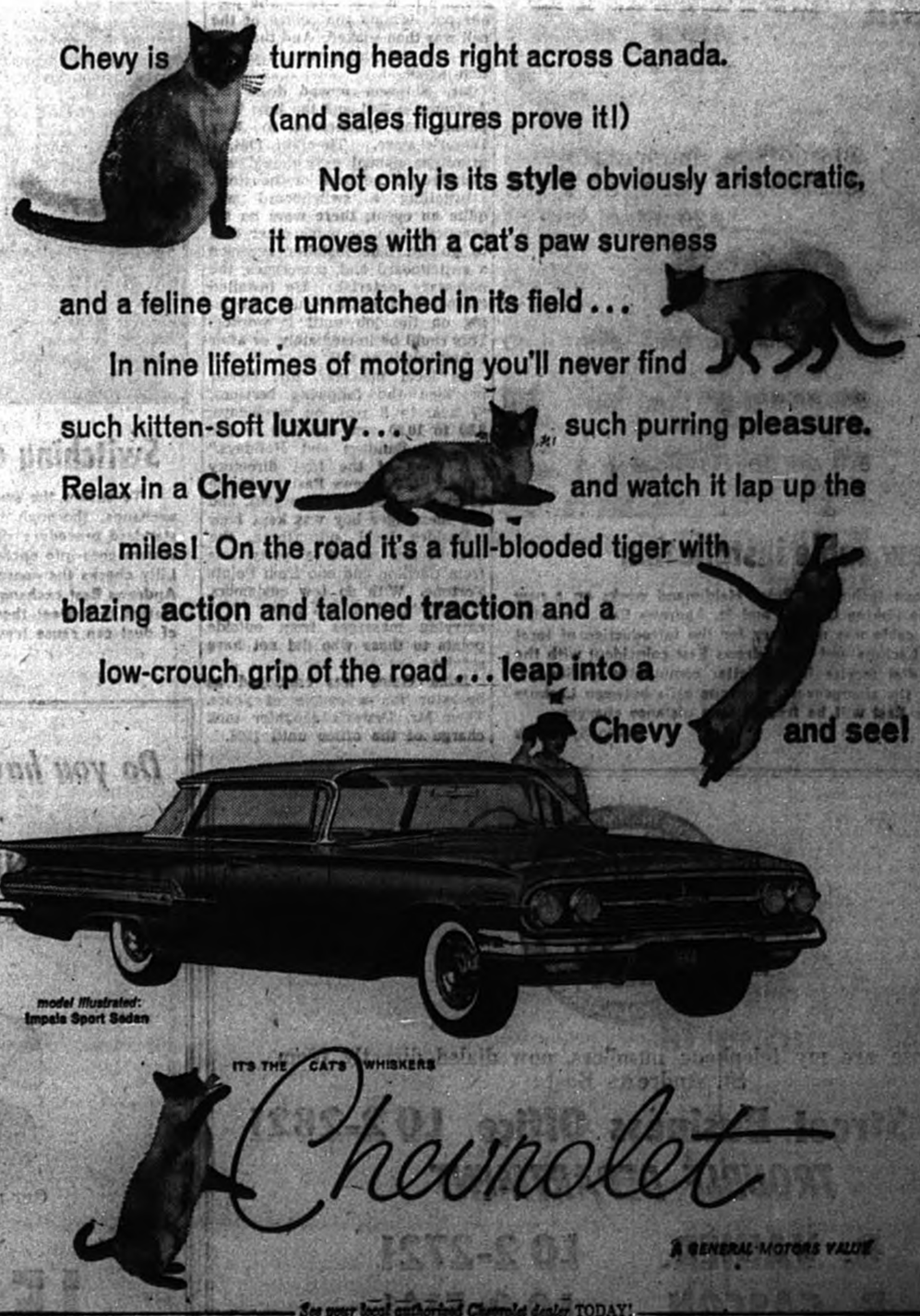
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Bell Telephone's manual exchange in St. Andrews East has been housed in A. E. Ladouceur's store since 1917. At left is an early photograph of the store, while the photo at right shows the store as it appears today. For many years the exchange was housed in the rear of the store, but in 1950 it was moved to a room of its own at the far right of the building. Ladouceur's store will continue as the Bell company's collection agency in St. Andrews East after dial service goes into operation there Sunday, March 6.

History of 'phone service in St. Andrews East district

On March 6, St. Andrews East will come close to sharing the 84th anniversary date of the first sentence ever to be transmitted by telephone.

It was on March 10, 1876 that the now famous words, "Mr. Watson, come here I want you," were heard over a wire 60 feet long.

Thus, when dial service is introduced in St. Andrews East on Sunday, March 6, residents of that community will be caught up in the adventure of telephone progress — an adventure that includes that eventful day in 1876 when Mr. Watson rushed headlong to inform the inventor that his message had been heard "distinctly" in another room some 60 feet away.

However, dial service was part of the future when St. Andrews East entered the telephone era in 1894. In that year, the first long distance line was built from Lachute to St. Andrews East, requiring 34 miles of iron wire for its construction.

It was not until two years later, however, that the first telephone was installed in St. Andrews East.

A party line ran from Lachute along the Carillon-Grenville Canal, and the canal's superintendent, Herbert Simpson, who lived in St. Andrews East, had a telephone connected to this line.

In the early days the standard telephone consisted of a board attached to the wall, on which were mounted three boxes, one above the other. The topmost box contained the magneto generator for ringing "Central" or another person on the same line. The centre box held the transmitter. The wet battery was stored in the lowest box and provided the "talking current."

Mr. Simpson's sister, Jennie Simpson was named local manager and "accommodated the people and gave a convenient service" over the only telephone in town. This service was publicly noted by a listing in the minute Northern Quebec directory of 1899: "Toll Ofc — Miss J. K. Simpson, Local Manager."

Shortly before the first telephone was installed in Mr. Simpson's home, William D. V. Earle had been appointed local manager and district inspector for Lachute. Mr. Earle's duties combined inspection and repairs for agencies and long distance lines. St. Andrew East was one of 30 towns in Mr. Earle's territory.

This meant days, and sometimes nights, of travelling in an open sleigh or carriage to reach outlying subscribers. The total toolkit consisted of a screw driver, a pair of pliers and a quantity of salamoniac.

The usual cause of trouble in those early days was the failure of battery cells, known as "Leclanche" cells. These were associated with each telephone. The repair job consisted of pouring a handful of salamoniac into a glass jar, adding water and stirring the mixture with a zinc rod. The porous pot forming the centre of the cell was then soaked. And that was it — the telephone was in operation again.

Mr. Simpson moved from St. Andrews in 1901 and the lone telephone was transferred to Alex Dewar's store. Then, in 1904, a primitive manual switchboard was installed in the back of the store.

Installing a switchboard was quite an event; there were no set practices then, or much other data to go by. The installer received a switchboard and, sometimes, the necessary material. He installed the board as best he could, remaining on the job until it worked. This could be immediately, or after a long night of toil.

As local manager, Mr. Dewar provided the following services: "7 a.m. to 8 p.m. on week-days; 9.30 to 10.30 a.m. and 1.30 to 2.30 p.m. on Sundays and Holidays."

A copy of the first directory listing St. Andrews East telephone users was distributed in 1905, and the messenger boy was kept busy

Besides local subscribers, the switchboard served a party line from Carillon and one from Pointe Fortune. With so few customers, carrying messages from outside points to those who did not have service.

Edna Gates was employed as operator for a couple of years. Then Mr. Dewar's daughter took charge of the office until 1908.

The operator knew everyone in town, and rendered many services not at all concerned with telephone business.

The doctor would ask the operator to order his horse, and the horse would be delivered to the doctor. Another incident recorded by the district inspector, told of one couple who actually called up to say they were going out to dinner and intended leaving the baby under the telephone. If the operator heard it crying too loudly, would she please notify them.

To reach the vet was one of the strongest arguments the first salesman used as they went up and down country roads in search of new business. The dire calamities that might befall the stock, for want of telephones, were recited in great length.

When Mr. Dewar sold his store to S. W. Cheeseman in 1908, there were 22 telephones in service. In that year, a long distance line was built from St. Andrews to Montreal. Mrs. Cheeseman operated the switchboard and handled an average of 24 local exchange calls and 12 long distance connections daily.

After the death of Mr. Cheeseman in 1917, the office was moved to A. E. Ladouceur's store. Mrs. Leone Ladouceur and her sisters operated the board. The number of telephones reached the 100 mark. By 1927, continuous day and night service was in effect.

St. Andrews East exchange was placed under the jurisdiction of the Bell company's St. Jerome office in 1947.

The telephone equipment was moved to a private office in 1950, but still in Mr. Ladouceur's store.

There were then three direct lines to Montreal and three to Lachute, with five operators in attendance to serve 300 subscribers.

Today, there are more than 450 customers, averaging 1,215 local calls and 215 distance calls daily.

First directory in St. Andrews

ST. ANDREWS EAST, A. DEWAR, Local Manager.

13 Aylen, E. D. & W. W....Physicians
11a—Boileau, J. E.....Sovereign Hotel (B. T. Co. Pub. Stn.), Carillon
12f—Brown, Galt E.....General Merchant...Pt. Fortune
12a—Brown, Wm. & Sons, Gen. Mchts. (B. T. Co. Pub. Stn.), Pt. Fortune
12b—Canadian Pacific Ry..Station .....Pt. Fortune
1 Couvent des Soeurs de la Providence
2 de la Ronde, R. P.....Advocate
11b—Kelly, T. P.....Hotel.....Carillon
3 Ladouceur, A. E.....General Merchant
9 Ladouceur, Chas. E. & Co., General Merchants
8 Legault, H.....Physician
7 Lessard, F.....Hotel
4 Mackay, J. A. N.....Advocate
10 McCoy, E. H.....Supt. Grenville & Carillon Canal, Carillon
12k—St. Denis, Alex. (Mrs.), Residence.....Pt Fortune
5 Shaw, G. F.....Physician
14 Simpson, T. C.....Veterinary Surgeon
12h—Tisseur, F. X. (Rev.)..Curé.....Pt. Fortune
15 Walsh, Hugh.....Flour Mills



A maze of wires

Skilled Bell Telephone technician Steve Lilly works on the distributing frame in the new St. Andrews East dial exchange. The frame provides a link between the cables serving the town and the dial switching equipment. Each pair of wires among the hundreds leading from the cables must be matched with a corresponding pair leading to the dial switches and then soldered together — a complex and painstaking task only undertaken by experts.

Photo, Syd Drew



New cable installation

Bell Telephone technician Peter Haldimand works on a new extra heavy cable linking Lachute and St. Andrews East. Installation of the new cable was necessary for the introduction of local calling between Lachute and St. Andrews East coincident with the introduction of dial service in the latter community on Sunday, March 6. After the changeover, telephone calls between Lachute and St. Andrews East will be free of long distance charges.

Photo, Syd Drew



Switching equipment well checked

To ensure the smooth and efficient functioning of a new dial exchange, thorough testing of the dial switching equipment is standard procedure right up until and immediately after the new system goes into operation. Here Bell Telephone technician Steve Lilly checks the operation of some of the switches in the new St. Andrews East exchange. The switches are covered with metal canisters to protect them from dust and dirt, for the tiniest speck of dust can cause trouble in the intricate electrical contacts.

Photo, Syd Drew



and these are my telephone numbers, now dialed directly from St. Andrews East:

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R. GASCON LO 2-5141

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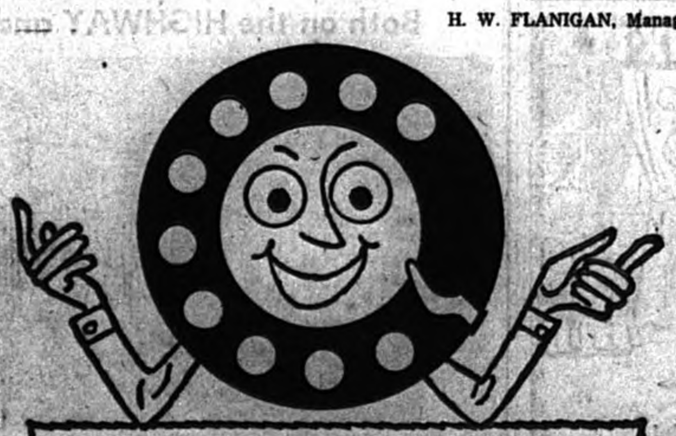
HERE'S GOOD NEWS FOR OUR ST. ANDREWS EAST TELEPHONE CUSTOMERS !
DIAL SERVICE and NEW "LEcture 7" NUMBERS FOR ST. ANDREWS EAST on MARCH 6th !

On Sunday, March 6th, modern DIAL SERVICE starts in St. Andrews East, and new "two-letter five-figure" telephone numbers become effective. The new numbers are included in the St. Andrews East Supplementary Directory which you received. They consist of "LEcture 7" and four figures. Please DO NOT USE these numbers until MARCH 6th.

Starting March 6th, too, there will be no Long Distance charges on calls between St. Andrews East and Lachute.

On local calls, only 5 figures need be dialed. Please dial the full number, two letters and five figures, on your calls to Lachute. And on Long Distance calls, please give the Operator the full two letters and five figures of your new LEcture 7 number.

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The inauguration of dial service in St. Andrews East took place Friday evening when the first call was made by St. Andrews East Mayor Antoine Paré to Lachute Mayor James W. McGibbon. Above, Mr. Paré is seen making the call, the members of the St. Andrews council in the background. Left to right are Councillors Remi Roquebrune, Hermidas Legault, Lawrence T. Porter, Jr., Jean Raoul Ladouceur, Leon Rossignol, Lucien Gerard and Secretary-treasurer Laurenzo Pilon. To the right, Mayor McGibbon is seen on the receiving end of the line. Photos, Syd Drew



First call placed Friday by St. Andrews East mayor

Telephone calls between Lachute and St. Andrews East are now free of long distance charges following the inauguration of dial telephone service in St. Andrews East on Sunday.

It took less than two minutes early Sunday morning for Bell Telephone technicians to take the St. Andrews East manual system out of operation and put the 450 telephones there on dial service. But these moments climaxed more than a year's work.

Simultaneously with the changeover to dial, facilities enabling calls between St. Andrews East and Lachute to be dialed directly by telephone users went into operation.

At the same time, all St. Andrews East customers got completely new telephone numbers, consisting of the exchange name LEcture 7 and four figures. The new numbers are listed in a special directory supplement distributed recently to telephone users in Lachute and St. Andrews East.

While the new system went into operation Sunday, it was officially inaugurated on Friday night in a ceremony attended by Mayor Antoine Paré, of St. Andrews East, and the town council.

Mayor Paré inaugurated the new system by making the first call using the dial equipment and the facilities for local calling between Lachute and St. Andrews East. On the receiving end of the inaugural call was Mayor James W. McGibbon, of Lachute.

The first call was dialed from Mayor Paré's office in the Town Hall. With him were other town officials, including Councillors L. Rosignol, Lucien Girard, Hormidas Legault, Remi Roquebrune, Jean Raoul Ladouceur and L. Tupper Porter, and Secretary-Treasurer G. Louis Pilon. Afterwards, the civic officials were taken on a tour of the dial exchange by H. W. Flanigan, Bell Telephone manager for this region.

The actual changeover on Sunday morning was accomplished without a hitch. Shortly after two a.m., when telephone calling had fallen to a low ebb, the signal was given for the changeover to begin.

At the words, "Pull coils", a group of men wearing safety goggles and standing behind the main frame of the manual exchange pulled on the strings they held in their hands. Almost immediately the air was filled with tiny fuses — two for every telephone served by the exchange. Within seconds, hundreds of fuses littered the floor, and the old switchboard went dead.

As the last fuse fell to the floor, a signal was given over a special line to the new dial exchange building for the dial equipment to be placed in operation.

In the new building, another group of men were stationed in front of the rows of switching equipment. They were also holding cords, attached this time to hundreds of blocking tools — little plastic insulators that keep the dial equipment from functioning prior to the changeover. At the signal, the men yanked on the cords; the blocking tools fell to the floor, and the St. Andrews East dial exchange whirled into service.

Although the work of connecting local calls has been taken over by the intricate dial equipment, telephone operators in St. Jerome will be on duty handling long distance calls and assisting St. Andrews East residents needing help in obtaining or dialing a number

Provincial figure attends meeting of district C. of C.

The Chamber of Commerce of St. Andrews East had the good fortune to have Dr. Alfred M. Landsberger, of the Department of Industry and Commerce of the Province of Quebec, as their guest at the monthly meeting on February 29. He was most helpful to the Chamber, who are trying to get new industries located in the village.

Local musician to appear with choir in Community Concerts final event

George Little, founder of the Bach choir which will appear in the Lachute High School Auditorium March 23, as the final Community Concert attraction this season, is no stranger to many people of Lachute. During his student years he gave an organ recital in the Lachute United Church after returning from his studies in France. A few years later he returned to Lachute soon after forming his Bach Choir, and gave a performance in the Ecole Secondaire. At this time, Maureen Forrester was a member of the group. Last summer, many of his local friends journeyed to Arundel to hear the choir in a more relaxed atmosphere, and were agreeably impressed with a fine performance.

A well-know local musician in the person of Wayne Riddell will be singing with the choir during their coming performance.

George Little studied conducting and organ in France and is now the organist and choir master of Erskine and American Church in Montreal as well as being on the staff of the McGill Conservatorium of Music.

There are thirty singers in the Bach Choir both French and English speaking. About one third of the members make their living as singers or music teachers, while the remainder are homemakers or are in business.

The society, which became incorporated in 1958, gives three concert series annually in Montreal. Included in the programs are works by Bach, Byrd, Janequin, Lassus, etc., as well as Canadian Contemporary works by Kelsey Jones, Violet Arther, Papineau-Couture and others. One of the aims of the society is to provide Canadian composers with an opportunity of hearing their compositions performed in public.

The choir has performed many times on radio and T.V. for the C.B.C., including "The Bell Cantata", by Violet Archer, "the St. John Passion", by Bach, "The Unicorn", by Menotti and "Le roi David", by Honneger.

In 1958 the choir went on its first tour where it was invited to sing at the Edinburgh Festival, at the Brussell's Fair, at Basle for the Swiss radio and in Paris for the French radio.

The reviews are as follows:

The Scottish Daily Express. "The quality of the individual voices is remarkably high and the balance of the four sections near perfection."

The Scotsman. "The singers are obviously hand picked, not only for their ability to sing but for their special qualities as contributors to the ensemble."

The London Times. "The Montreal Bach Choir, a highly accomplished body of thirty singers with a beguiling command of choral effects; . . ."

The Edinburgh Daily Telegraph. "These thirty Canadians form a well balanced ensemble that has been thoroughly and intelligently trained by the director, George Little."

La Cité (Belgium). "Magnificent."

In August of 1959 the choir's second tour took place. This time concerts were given in western Canada; in Saskatoon for the Golden Jubilee Music Festival, at The Banff School of Fine Arts and in Vancouver for the Vancouver Festivals.

The Saskatoon Star-Phoenix reported. "Much of the time the choir sounded as one voice as they were so thoroughly knit and polished under conductor Little."

From the Vanacouver Sun. "The singing had a finish and artistry comparable to that of a first class orchestra."

On April 8, the choir will perform Bach's B. Minor Mass as the final concert in the current Montreal series.

Council proposes $400,000 loan to improve snow removal, street lighting, water supply

Notice of motion for the preparation of a loan by-law not to exceed $400,000 was presented by Ald. Laureat Laurin, following a suggestion by Mayor Jas. W. McGibbon, during the regular monthly session of the Lachute Town Council, held on Thursday evening last in the Council Chambers. The proposed loan, which will have to be approved by the tax-payers of the municipality, will be for:

1 — The purchase of heavy snow removal equipment;

2 — The construction of a water aqueduct;

3 — The improvement of the lighting system on certain streets in the town.

A referendum seeking permission to borrow the sum of money will be held upon the completion of the by-law and its acceptance by Council. Before the referendum is held, a break-down of the amounts for each of the specific items will be approved. It was pointed out the above stated figure was only an approximate estimate and could vary a certain amount.

It was Mayor McGibbon who suggested the improvements and cleared the way for the notice of motion. Speaking on the condition of streets and sidewalks following the recent heavy snow storms, he declared the equipment owned by the corporation was not sufficient to meet the problem. "It is true", he said, "that every winter is not like this one and the one we had last year, but I feel the Town of Lachute and its tax-payers merit better service than we are now giving. I have no complaint with our municipal employees who are doing everything possible with the equipment they have. Unfortunately this machinery cannot handle the job and gives considerable trouble".

He added that numerous citizens and tax-payers had called him, complaining of the condition of streets and sidewalks.

"The modernization of the street lighting system is another project which concerns a large portion of our population", said the Mayor. "I feel their concern is well-founded and that the time has now come to proceed with this work. Ald. H. S. Church, Chairman of the Street Lighting Committee, and his committee members have done an excellent job in preparing a plan which has been submitted to Council. It remains now for all members of Council to study it, make suggestions and turn them over to Ald. Church, who wants to please the largest number of persons possible".

The third major undertaking included in the proposed loan by-law and that which will be the most expensive, is the modernization of our aqueduct system. Elaborating on this subject, Mayor McGibbon stated he is convinced the citizens are ready to pay more taxes providing the water will be of a better quality, with better distribution and increased pressure. The filtration question is again being raised; in the past the water has been the object of many complaints and studies. "The time has come", said the Mayor, "to seriously study and solve this problem. I feel that the total population is in favor of improvement in this domain and that is why we have included it in our project".

The by-law is to be prepared for presentation at the next meeting and it was stipulated that a loan not exceeding $400,000 would be requested. Tax-payers will vote for or against the by-law, en bloc, with no break-down in the projects.

Contributions to Heart Fund; appeal to continue

Contributions received to Monday of last week by Gilbert E. Ayers, local chairman of the Heart Fund, are as follows, appearing in alphabetical order:

Thomas H. Ayers $20; Boyd's Lachute Express $25; Mme Isabelle Deslauriers $25; Deslauriers & Marcil $50; Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Jones $15; Fernand Lagarde $10; Roger Lamarche $10; Gérard Lefebvre $5; Robt. Marcil $25; Pollock & Graves $10; Roger E. Regimbal $15; Geo. Tattersfield $15; W. E. Welden $10.

Additional contributions received up until Monday, in the same order, are as follows:

Jacques Beaudoin $5; Bédard Limitée $10; Desrosiers Automobiles $10; L.-J. Dumais Limitée $5; Hôtel Hébert $10;Horace Lamarche $5; U. Tomalty $1.

Council approves fire alarm system and sets "Book Week" for Lachute

The Bell Telephone Company was authorized to go ahead with the personal alarm system for Lachute volunteer firemen at the regular meeting of Council. The decision followed a motion by Police and Fire Committee Chairman Horace Lamarche, seconded by Ald. Stanley Holt, and it was agreed that a five-year contract for the system, to be rented on a monthly basis, would be signed.

A letter from the firm of J. P. MacKimmie & Sons requesting a reduction in taxes following the demolition of a house on Main Street during the month of November was tabled for study.

The resignation of Miss Nicole Filion, office clerk, was accepted effective May 31. Mayor McGibbon suggested that a month's salary be paid Miss Filion as a wedding gift.

Ald. Laureat Laurin proposed, seconded by Ald. Alphonse Thibodeau, that Roger Lagarde be authorized to take the necessary legal procedure against those proprietors with tax arrears.

Following the request of the "Carrefour du Livre de Lachute", the local library, it was decided to declare the week of March 24 to April 3 as "Book Week in Lachute". This is in conjunction with both the Canadian and Quebec Library Associations.

Accounts for the month totalling $15,245.26 were adopted for payment.

District resident to be heard on "School System" radio broadcast

Fewer and larger schools — do they provide better education?; do they increase taxes?; is transportation to such schools too strenuous for young children? These and a host of other questions will be looked at on a special bpadcast on the system of Protestant Education in Quebec which will be heard Monday next, March 14, at 8.30 p.m. over radio stations CBO and CBM.

The role of the Central School Board and the local School Board are reviewed as well as the advantages of a qualified supervisor for Central School Boards. The broadcast deals with many problems brought about by a burgeoning population of school children under the present system of education and looks at the pros and cons of the small school.

Taking part are Dr. K. R. Willis, of Sherbrooks High School, formerly a supervisor for a Central Board and principal of Huntingdon High School; Mrs. D. J. Rodgers, of Lachute, a mother who had children attending school when the first attempts were made toward centralization and Mr. Arthur Dagg, of Shawville, formerly a member of a local school board and now chairman of a central school board. Panel chairman is Leslie Young, secretary of Quebec Farm Radio Forum, Macdonald College.

Lachute Women's Institute elects officers for years activities

The annual meeting of the Lachute Branch of the Women's Institute was held Tuesday, March 1, at the Legion Hall. In the absence of the president, Mrs. A. Gordon, the meeting was chaired by the honorary president, Mrs. George McGibbon. After the presentation of the annual reports, the following slate was accepted for 1960-61.

Hon. president, Mrs. J. A. Gordon; president, Mrs. Linton Armstrong; 1st vice-president, Mrs. W. F. FitzGerald; 2nd vice-president, Mrs. W. E. Butterfield; secretary, Mrs. Rod Carreau; treasurer, Mrs. Geo. Tattersfield.

Conveners:

Agriculture, Mrs. Geo. Leggett; Citizenship, Mrs. Angus Taylor; Education, Mrs. Geo. Muir; Home Economics, Mrs. R. R. Davidson; Publicity, Miss C. McGibbon, Health and Welfare, Mrs. E. J. Rogers.

Special Committees:

Library Convener — Mrs. Roy Fraser, with Mrs. S. Milnes, Mrs. F. A. Brennian, Mrs. Angus Taylor and Miss M. Hibbard.

Finance Convener — Mrs. Geo. McGibbon, with Mrs. Gordon McOuat, Mrs. J. A. Gordon, Mrs. T. Milnes, Mrs. Gordon Davidson, and Mrs. David Schwartz.

Nominating Convener — Mrs. W. E. Butterfield, with Mrs. L. Bedard, Mrs. H. Booth and Mrs. E. Snadden.

Social Conveners — Mrs. Geo, Paul and Mrs. L. Bedard.

Auditor — Mr. Willard Steeves.

It was agreed by the meeting that the sum of $9,027.60, bequeathed by the late Miss Mary Miller, of Lachute, towards the building of a home for senior citizens, be placed in a special bank account. After thanking the retiring officers, Mrs. McGibbon welcomed the new president, Mrs. Linton Armstrong, who thanked the meeting for the honor bestowed upon her, and asked for continued co-operation. A social time followed.

Four instantly killed Sunday as car rams side of speeding train

Four Montreal residents were instantly killed Sunday evening when the car in which they were driving ran into the side of the Ottawa-bound C.P.R. Dayliner at a level crossing several miles west of Pte.-au-Chene. The four occupants of the front seat of the 1955 model sedan were, Francois Caya, 27, owner and driver of the car; Louis Charbonneau, 22; Mrs. Albertine Caya, 28; and Mrs. André Monette.

The accident occurred at 7.50 p.m., the victims having left the home of Thurso relatives, headed for Montreal, some 30 minutes previously. According to Wilfrid Charbonneau, 18, one of the survivors, they didn't see the train until they were immediately at the crossing. Police officers who investigated stated the snow banks were not of sufficient height to have blocked the view of the approaching train.

Sated in the back seat of the vehicle were the four survivors, Wilfrid Charbonneau, 18; Mrs. Lea Caya, 27; Rejean Savignac, 22 and four-year-old Ghislain Caya, son of Mrs. Albertine Caya. The three adults were treated at the Smith Clinic, Hawkesbury, while the Caya child was taken to hospital in Buckingham by Dr. Louis Biron, a passing motorist. The adults were released immediately following treatment for minor injuries, while the child was reported as being "out-of-danger".

Sgt.-Det. Ralph Allen reported the first officers called to the scene were from Papineau County, the accident having occurred close to the county line. Investigating officers were Sgt. Roger Massie and Traffic Officer Lawrence Cruise, along with the officer-in-charge.

The bodies were brought to the local morgue. Tentative date for the inquest has been set for Wednesday, March 16.

Sgt.-Det. Allen reported the car hit the train near the middle of the front of the self-propelled diesel car. The steps at the rear of this car and the engine-covering were slightly damaged. Engineer of the Dayliner was K. Cope and the conductor was J. A. Racicot, both of Montreal.

March meeting of Brownsb'g H. & S.

The program planning committee of the Brownsburg Home and School Association has announced that the March meeting of the association will take place on Wednesday next, March 16. Arrangements have been made for George Sherman, English Department teacher, Rosemount High School, to speak on the subject "What parents should expect of schoolboards and what schools and schoolboards should expect of parents." With his vast background in education, Mr. Sherman is well qualified to speak on this topic. A B.A. graduate from Queens University and an M.A. graduate from McGill University, his profession as a teacher and his service as School Commissioner, Director of the Provincial Association of Protestant Teachers and a member of the Canadian College of Teachers leave no doubt that he is an expert on such matters.

The invitation to attend the lecture is extended to all those who are interested in education in the province, as well as to those members of both the Brownsburg and Lachute Home and School Associations.

The members of the Brownsburg Association are particularly requested to attend the business session as well as the lecture since the nominating committee will be presenting a proposed slate of officers for the 1960-61 season.

Local scout appeal over-the-top

The Lachute Group Committee of the Boy Scouts and Wolf Cub Association is pleased to report this year's campaign went over the top. A total of $1322.80 has already been received with a few small amounts yet to come in.

Ernest Gordon, Financial Campaign Chairman would like to thank the canvassers and organizers who so willingly assisted, — The Lachute Watchman, which gave splendid publicity; — Farmer's Supply, for radio coverage; and all who so kindly contributed.

Police Department report indicates effective re-organization

Horace Lamarche, Chairman of the Police and Fire Committee and Police Chief A. J. Whiteway presented their first monthly reports to Council at the March meeting.

The police report indicated a total of 299 calls had been answered along with 35 accidents. Two arrests were made and 144 traffic tickets issued, resulting in a revenue of $821.50. Five animals were destroyed and a total of nine thefts investigated.

ED. NOTE: We would like to point out that the total tickets issued works out to about five per day; on this basis, we see no reason for complaints or comments as have been heard in some circles.

The fire department held one meeting and answered ten calls.

Mr. Lamarche's report suggested that the notice of motion to amend the traffic by-law be held until such time as the new provincial amendments are approved and enforced. It was also suggested that a fidelity bond be taken out on the clerks and policemen and that Ald Gérard Lefebvre be informed of any shortage in cash or tickets; also that a matron be engaged as a special constable with remuneration, only when called on duty.

In thanking Alderman Lamarche, Mayor McGibbon declared he was entirely satisfied with the work accomplished to date and congratulated Ald. Lamarche, Chief Whiteway and the police department for the work they had done.

St. Jerusalem increases taxes for present year

At the regular monthly meeting, Monday, March 7, the council of the Parish of St. Jerusalem approved the financial statements for 1959. These showed a deficit for the year of $8,240.82, made up as follows:

Revenue fund	deficit	$2,239.53
Roads fund debentures	surplus	691.21
	deficit	1,548.32
Water and sewer debentures	deficit	6,692.50
Net deficit		$8,240.82

Tax rates for 1960 have already been established as follows:

Revenue fund	.65	.85
Roads fund	.45	.55
	1.10	1.40
Water and sewer	1.30	.70
	2.40	2.10

An increase in the provincial grant for Winter Roads and in the total valuation, permits a reduction in the general tax rate.The reduction in the rate for roads fund debentures is possible due to the increase in valuations.

It was thought necessary this year, to increase the tax for water and sewer debentures, and the decrease in the general and roads taxes results in only a moderate overall increase.

Total revenues for 1960 are estimated at $66,363, to meet expected expenditures of $66,419.



Construction scene at Carillon power project

A birds-eye view of the site of the proposed Hydro Quebec power dam at Carillon is seen above, taken from the Quebec side of the Ottawa River. To the left of the photograph can be seen a temporary bridge crossing the river. A portion of the actual dam, now under construction, can be seen in the centre while the coffer dam is up-river, at the right of the picture. Perine-Dufresne are the engineers in charge of the construction.

Photo, Syd Drew

Argenteuil Outdoors

A column for the sportsman

— By BOB ATCHISON —



In keeping with the excellent work now being carried on, the Department of Fish and Game of the Province has started putting out a new booklet on "Wildlife Restoration". Looking it over, you can't help but see how big a business conservation is becoming in our Province. Sure there are still untold hazards in their work, but this is the big point, they are trying to iron everything out, and this can't be done in a hurry. I think the most noticeable item to me was the Hunting and Fishing fines that were assessed during 1958-59. Believe me, it sure is a considerable sum to collect from lawbreakers. I have no comparison on the figures, but they seem to be well up from former years; a very good sign indeed for our wildlife.

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In the County of Argenteuil, the legal registered kill of deer for the '59 season was a shade below '58 I don't think there is any reason for concern. After the severe winter of '58 it is remarkable that the game was able to survive to any extent, let alone provide any sport. If you remember, last winter was supposed to have killed upwards of 75,000 deer. This all points to the smount of work done by the wildlife authorities when they could have a '59 season at all.

Another item that hit me, and I'm sure it will do the same to our sportsmen, as most of us know how the Argenteuil Fish and Game Protective Association members were always wanting re-stocking to be carried on, and then belly-acheing about not getting it. Also you may remember that on numerous occasions, they were told a working outfit was needed to get any help. Well read this and weep for our Association, or lack of one. The The Dept. of Fish and Game spent over two hundred thousand on the improvement of fishing and hunting. Everyone benefits from this with the EXCEPTION of Lachute. At least other communities have the foresight to do something about the help the Government will pass on free of charge.

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From all reports, the fishing is not too good. In the first place the rain on top of the ice has caused it to be slushy at least for the time being. A few of the boys who did go last week spent a good day; outside of that — nothing. It seems in about four hours they got seven perch that were just overgrown minnows. Not a pike showed so they called it off. After this high water gets away, the fishing should be good, at least for a feed of them. What is happening to pike is hard to understand; could be they are after the bigger perch and with them moving out, the pike go with them.

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The wild bird seed doesn't seem to be showing up around town, at least not from enquiries I have had. Right now I am sorry to say, the only place that has it is Hawkesbury; evidently there is more call for it over there than in Lachute.

Anyway, maybe we'll have some in town before too long. One excellent idea I heard of is for suet. It's pretty hard to hang up piece by piece, so this gent got a very small mesh bag and hangs it out this way. Another idea like this is to use a heavy hair net, packing the suet into the bag and allowing some of it to hang out of the mesh. Sounds like a good idea. You can also put some bird seed into the suet and in this way give them a diat of fat and feed. Ever try raisins? Most of the birds like them so maybe a little treat would give them a lift. It sure will be worth any trouble it may cause us.

A few of our sportsmen around seem to be taking a look at their fishing tackle; a few phone calls on what to do to this and that gives me the idea that maybe a lot of this tackle has just been put away year after year without any looking after, with the result a major job is now in the offing. The most asked was how to get all the ferrule-cement out of the old ferrule, or glass whatever it happens to have been. If you have a bunsen burner, just heat the ferrule over the flame and let the liquid run out. A candle will do this just as well, but not as cleanly. However when you think you have everything out, use a very fine piece of emery cloth inside the ferrule to make sure. Another thing, when you put the ferrule back on, be sure to keep it warm, otherwise the cement will crack and the rod won't hold in the socket. Don't try your rod out right away either. Give it a chance to cool off itself, and not by dipping it in water.

If you have trouble with loose handles and don't want to replace the handle with new corks, try wetting the old ones and letting them swell. Sometimes this will work, but not too often. Putting the corks back is an easy job if you just follow this. First of all clean the butt of all old cement, cork, dirt or what have you. If you are making your corks out of some you have bought, make the hole in them just a shade smaller than the butt. In this way you will have a tight fit even without any adhesive. The best glues I know of for this is the Weldwood glue; a powder that has to be mixed with water, and left for at least 24 hours. It makes solid and almost unbreakable bond. As a matter of fact your handle will break before the glue.

Don't try to shape the handle until the glue is set, and I do mean set. You'll have it all to do over again if you do. Use rough sandpaper to shape the handle, then the fine to smooth it out. The beauty of this is the handle can be shaped to your own particular taste, something you don't get when buying a completed one.

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Nothing has been heard of the Wolf Hunt around Buckingham a few weeks ago. The weather at the time was pretty terrible and a few went out after them. I did hear of a wolf near Lakefield; it seems to be a loner from the gab on it. At least for the time being we don't have to try and get shoots going to get rid of them. We seem to be lucky this year. As a fact all the Argenteuil district seems to be free of nearly all types of predators in quantity. I have noticed a few more Hawks than usual this past week or so; naturally these are predators, but of the harmless kind. I have also seen a number of dogs around that could be taken for killers. They evidently have been thrown out for the winter and left to go it themselves. One in particular is just a young dog and I'm sure would make a good pet. So far nothing seems to bring him close, but maybe before too long he will go to someone. It's strange that people who love dogs, or are presumed to, can't be bothered to look after them for the winter.

Lachute Lions' Skating Rink



Activities and Highlights of the Week

Activities were again at their normal height last week-end on the Lions' rink, in spite of a small letdown in the machinery. Ice had been allowed to thaw underneath the surface in certain spots and with the surface breaking off and exposing the refrigeration pipes some skating enthusiasts thought with dismay that the season was already over. Fortunately the rink attendants promptly remedied the trouble and resurfaced the ice overnight so that no trace of the trouble could be found the next day. We should have good skating for several weeks yet.

Here are the scores for the games played last week:

PEE-WEE LEAGUE:

Ayers Ltd. 1 vs
Lowes Shamrocks 0

Boyd's Express 3 vs
Legion's Bantams 0

BANTAM LEAGUE FINALS:

Imm. Conception 7 vs
Loisirs St. Julien 6

OTHER GAMES:

St. Andrews All-Stars 3 vs
Ayersville 1

St. Andrews All-Stars 3 vs
Lachute All-Stars 3

We take pleasure in announcing that Fancy Skating Lessons will be available every Sunday morning at 10 o'clock from now on, at the following rate: 50c for 1 hour; ten pupils at a time; Monitor, Mrs. Murray.

Those interested are requested to contact J. Bourgoing, rink manager, daytime tel. LO 2-5261 or evenings LO 2-9038 as soon as possible, so as to form the first group of ten to start next Sunday.

The Pee-Wee has now completed its regular schedule. The Lowe's Shamrocks are first with Ayers Ltd., Legion and Boyd's Express following in order. The League playoffs will start next Saturday, March 12, at 9.00 a.m. with Ayers Ltd playing Boyd's Express and at 11.00 a.m., the Shamrocks will meet the Legion. The winners of these two games are scheduled to meet in a final game Sunday afternoon, March 13, at 4.00 p.m., and the winner will be declared champion of the 1960 Pee-Wee League and presented with a trophy donated by the sponsors of the four teams.

We are also informed that each coach will select the most valuable player on his team and these four players will be presented with a trophy in appreciation of their efforts during the season. We hope a good crowd will be on hand, particularly on Sunday afternoon, to witness a good hockey game and players selected.

HARBOR ASSET

North Vancouver CP — A new harbor bulk-loading terminal here will be completed in time to start operations next July.

Bombers win final series game; lose exhibition contest 7-2

A section of the boards fell under pressure in last night's game, spilling spectators on the ice. No one was injured. The Bombers defeated the Spitfires 4-3.

The Bombers ended the regular Quebec-Ontario Hockey League schedule by winning their first game in Thurso. Playing one of their better games of the season, the Bombers overcame a 5-3 Thurso lead to beat the Lumber Kings 9-5, scoring six goals in the final period. Marksmen for the Bombers were Racine (2), Charlebois (2), Lamoureux (2), Cruise, Ouellette and Keatley.

The final standing of the League is as follows:

	Pl.	W.	L.	Pts.
Thurso	36	25	11	50
Bombers	36	24	12	48
Hawkesbury	36	17	19	34
Lachute	36	6	30	12

A recount of the scoring showed that Leduc, of Thurso, was ahead of Jacques Racine; the top scorers are as follows:

	G.	A.	Pts.
Leduc (T)	46	51	97
Racine (B)	46	49	95
Ron Gionet (L)	32	43	75
J. P. Meloche (T)	27	48	75
Legresley (T)	31	40	71
Ouellette (B)	26	44	70

St. Eustache at Brownsburg —
Tuesday, March 1

More than 900 people crowded into the local Arena to see one of the Bombers worst performances of the season. Maurice Rocket Richard was on hand and, after giving away several pictures, got the game underway at 8.30.

Gratton picked up the first St. Eustache goal at 5.28 of the first period, assisted by Bougeois. Five minutes later, with Latour in the penalty box, they broke through again, Sarazin scoring from Vaillermet.

Early in the second stanza Jacques Racine set up Lamoureux and he made no mistake. With the Bombers a man short, Gratton gave the puck to Senecal, who stickhandled his way through the defence and tallied on a nice backhand shot.

In the final period it was St. Eustache all the way on goals by Latour, Sarazin, Charbonneau, and Bourgeois. Jacques Racine scored the last goal of the game just as the buzzer sounded, making the final score 7-2.

Buddy Racine had his worst night in a long time as a few apparently easy shots got by him. Menard, usually a ball of fire on the ice, could not control the puck and was used only sparingly. Red Charlebois also played a poor game, while Racine, Ouellette and Lamoureux made the best showing. It could be that many of the poor performances could be blamed on stage-fright; such large crowds are rarely seen in Brownsburg.

The visiting team showed great speed throughout the game and deserved the victory. The St. Eustache squad was reinforced by four players from St Therese and had the 'Burg known this before, they could have obtained one forward line from Thurso.

All in all, the night was a success financially as far as the hockey team was concerned, and a word of thanks is extended to Mr. René Laurin who arranged to have the Rocket in attendance. Another individual who certainly deserves a lot of credit is Paul Emile Hebert, who has worked relentlessly trying to help his team get back on its feet. He was the principal organizer of this game as well as of other fund-raising ideas.

Lead semi-final series 2-0 as Lachute loses 2nd game

By Mander Gardiner

SERIES "B" — SEMI-FINALS

Lachute at Brownsburg —
Sunday, March 6

The Lachute Spitfires made one of their best showings of the year, but lost the game to the 'Burg by a score of 6-5.

Racine started the scoring at 8.45 of the first period, assisted by Stewart and Ouellette. Ten minutes later Bougie tied it up. Early in the second stanza, Stewart beat Marcel Paul to make it 2-1. Payer soon evened the score, assisted by Provost and Ron Gionet. At the midway mark Cruise passed to Racine, who went into the corner, then cut in front of the net to beat the Lachute goaler with a nice backhand shot. Pilon made it 4-2 at 12.03, after taking a pass from Robitaille and Charlebois. Lalande picked up the last goal of the period.

The Bombers made it 5-3 at 6.46 of the last period on a goal by Ouellette. Then two quick goals by Provost and Lalande evened the score again. At 17.13 with the Spitfires two men short, Red Charlebois tallied the final and winning goal.

Mel Stewart played well on the line with Ouellette and Racine. On the whole everyone played well and the result was an extremely interesting game.

With Paul back in goals and with their complete team, the Spitfires are expected to be a hard team to beat and a thrilling play-off series is anticipated.

Thurso defeated Hawkesbury 5-3 in the first game of the Series "A" —Semi-Finals.

This week's schedule for the play-offs is:

Thursday, March 10 —
Lachute at Brownsburg
Hawkesbury at Thurso

Sunday, March 13 —
Brownsburg at Lachute
Thurso at Hawkesbury

Tuesday, March 15 —
Lachute at Brownsburg
Hawkesbury at Thurso

Thursday, March 17 —
Brownsburg at Lachute
Thurso at Hawkesbury

Ladies' curling

Playing in the finals for the President's Prize last week, Mrs. D. MacTavish (skip), Mrs. W. Freeland, Mrs. K. McGibbon and Mrs. B. Bradford won out from Mrs. L. York (skip), Mrs. F. Jeffrey, Mrs. E. Rice and Mrs. R. MacLean. The consolation prizes for this event went to Mrs. G. Mitchell (skip), Mrs. A. Giles, Mrs. S. Milnes and Mrs. M. McFaul, who beat Mrs. J. Barbour (skip), Mrs. S. Jones, Mrs. Mac Walker and Mrs. R. Davidson. Following the games, the president, Mrs. A. Giles, served tea.

Many members enjoyed a "Gala Day" last Thursday, with Mrs. Geo. McGibbon in charge of entertainment. Each member was requested to wear a hat representing a song and the prize for this was won by Mrs. S. Drew, whose hat was "Old MacDonald had a Farm". Fifteen rinks played during the day, the main event being won by Mrs. F. A. Brennian's rink, with Mrs. E. K. Wilson's rink the runner-up. In the consolation, Mrs. D. MacTavish's rink lost to Mrs. E. Pollock's rink. Luncheon was served under the convenership of Mrs. Dave Campbell and Mrs. Eric Hibbard, while the tea conveners were Mrs. Donald MacRae and Mrs. Gordon McOuat.

In the Wilson Challenge, Mrs. G. Muir (skip), Mrs. D. MacTavish, Mrs. Jas. McOuat and Mrs. D. Bradley lost to the holders, Mrs. G. Mitchell (skip), Mrs. E. K. Wilson, Mrs. D. MacKimmie and Mrs. W. Freeland.

The Broomstick holders, Mrs. E. Pollock (skip), Mrs. J. McIndoe, Mrs. H. Graves and Mrs. Don McFaul, in a very close game defeated their challengers, Mrs. A. Vessie (skip), Mrs. E. McFaul, Mrs. Don Heggie and Mrs. R. MacLean.

L.H.S. sports

By Bryant Graves

On Saturday morning the schoolboys curled against the Catholic school. Four teams were entered, skipped by Doug MacKenzie, Bryant Graves, Rodger Titman, and Robin Fraser. Our boys were successful in winning three games out of four. Four more games are scheduled in two weeks to distinguish the winning school.

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By Ann FitzGerald

On Wednesday, March 2, the Senior Girls' Basketball team played their final league game of the season against Brownsburg, defeating them 22-18. Lachute's scorers were Pat Mitchell 10; Marilyn Underhill 6; Linda Jones 4; Dianne Davis 2.

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On Saturday, the Junior team played an exhibition game against Longueuil. The teams were evenly matched and the game was close, but as the final whistle blew, the Lachute squad was victorious 19-18.

Points for Lachute were scored by Donna Holt 8; Nancy Hay 6; Barbara Underhill 3; and Linda Bradford 2.

NO LIQUOR

West Vancouver CP — The school board withdrew its permission to a service club to serve liquor in a school at its annual convention, due to public protest.

Cub Pack news

By Baloo

This week, the Pack lost three valuable members to the Scout Troop, namely; Arthur McElroy, Darrell Bates, and Gerald McRae.

While the sixes show keen competition, the Blue Six is the leader in points.

The following boys passed Star Work;

TIME — Wayne McArthur, Billy Beattie and Eric Robertson.
CLOVE HITCH — Raymond Conney.
BADEN POWELL — Bobby Edgerton.
MODEL — John Lyster.
EXERCISES — Jeffery Gordon, Svend Paulsen, John Lyster, Rodney Brown, and Bobby Davis.

United Ch. bowlers in close contest

The race for the league championship of the Lachute United Church Bowling League has tightened up in the last three weeks. For quite a while it was a one-team show, but now no less than four teams are tied in points, with only three more games to be played in the schedule. If any of the teams finish with the same number of points, then games won or drawn will play an important part in the standing, also number of ends scored on or against. Even the teams now in 5th and 6th place could win the championship, though percentages are against this.

Anglican Bowling League

STANDING

Team	Skip	P	W	L	D	For	Agst.	Pts.
Rangers	(H. Maslin)	24	18	6	0	244	179	36
Woodpeckers	(W. Shearsmith)	24	15	9	1	218	195	31
Rockets	(R. Dempster)	24	12	10	0	209	198	24
Beavers	(J. Sewell)	24	11	10	1	212	207	23
Victorias	(G. Leggett)	24	10	12	2	202	213	22
Teenagers	(M. Silverson)	24	10	13	1	200	210	21
Stars	(G. Silverson)	24	10	14	0	192	224	20
Flyers	(Mrs. Dougall	24	7	14	1	172	240	15

United Church Bowling League

STANDING

Team	Skip	P	W	L	D	For	Agst.	Pts.
All Stars	(Mrs. M. McFaul)	13	9	4	0	113	87	18
St. Pat's	(Gladys Davis)	13	9	4	0	111	84	18
Redwings	(Miss Grace Rosser)	13	8	3	2	131	100	18
St. George's	(Owen Todd)	13	8	3	2	121	102	18
East Settlement	(Les Gordon)	13	7	5	1	120	107	15
Beavers	(Miss M. Gordon)	13	7	5	1	103	121	15
St. Andrews	(Mrs. W. Bridge)	13	6	6	1	115	118	13
Teenagers	(Reg Stansfield)	13	5	7	1	130	108	11
Maple Leafs	(Mrs. D. Smith)	13	5	8	0	103	100	10
Juniors	(Foster Campbell)	13	3	8	2	91	131	8
St. David's	(Willie Wilson)	13	3	9	1	103	126	7
Flyers	(Mrs. H. Riddell)	13	3	9	1	99	134	7

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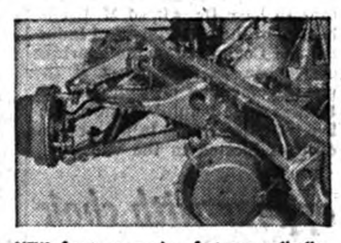
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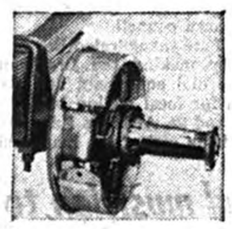
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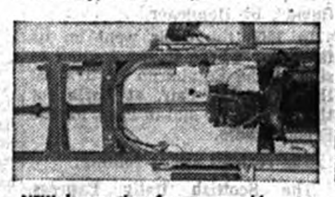
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EDITORIAL NOTES...

"In this Parliament are three Estates, the Lords Spiritual, the Lords Temporal and the Commons, but in the Reporters' Gallery yonder sits a Fourth Estate more important far than all."
— Edmund Burke

Proposal to borrow for needed improvements

THE REGULAR MEETING of the Lachute Town Council was held on Thursday evening last at which time it was proposed to borrow close to one-half million dollars for heavy snow-removal equipment, improved water, sewer and lighting facilities. Our only comment is "HURRAH".

For many years Lachute has been thought of as being backward by many travelers and summer residents. In some ways this may be, compared to big-city standards, and in this aspect, we hope it never changes. If Lachute is to attract new industries to the surroundings, we need to have good water, and an inexhaustible supply of it. Several industires have located elsewhere partially due to this serious lack. Bright, attractive streets improve the appearance of a town to no end; this is also true of snow and ice-free streets in the winter time.

We have no complaints as to the conditions of Lachute's roads and sidewalks this winter, taking into consideration the equipment the Town's employees have had to use. They are doing an excellent job. This work could, and we hope, will be made easier for them with the proper equipment, which will result in better conditions for all concerned.

The water supply and lighting system speak for themselves and need no further comment as to the need for improvements in each case.

Lachute has one of the smallest debts of any town in the Province. We can afford to borrow this money to improve our facilities. We are sure it will pay dividends.

Education is "Everybody's Business"

IN THIS DAY much stress is given to all our school children to obtain a good education, to progress beyond the elementary and high school stages to the more advanced learning centres of University. There should be an aim, an objective, and not all will enter into the professions. However, the better the education, the greater are the opportunities for a successful career.

The age in which we find ourselves today is that of electronics. Almost everything wherever we look has an electronic background and right from the damming of rivers to make electrical power to the numerous uses to which this power is put, requires brain power which can only come from education. Several types of engineering go into the age of electronics, the whole is highly mathematical, requiring an alert brain to master the fine details. Automation which has come about as a result of this electronic age, requires a greater knowledge of all things because machines do most of the work and the operator needs to be the master of his machine. Work which was done by hand is to a great extent a thing of the past. Machines are automatic and almost think for the operator, but the operator must know what the machine is thinking in order to be its master. All of this has been brought about by the brains of man devising precision instruments to time and activate the various parts of the machine.

One may say that if machines can do all this, why the need for more education. The reason is that unless people are educated they cannot understand the machines and are unable to operate them successfully. Someone must devise the machines and be constantly on the look-out for improvement and for newer and better machines. Even the weapons of war are gradually becoming involved in the electronic age and a greater amount of knowledge, skill and mechanical know-how are required of the personnel of the armed forces. Thus, the armed forces are demanding a higher education on the part of recruits than was formerly the case. Science in all its forms should be the aim of most students, for it is this field which is so demanding at present. It is a wide field, covers a number of professions and trades and can be put to use in almost anything one may be asked to do.

Why all this stress on education? This week from March 6 to 12 has been designated "Education Week". Its purpose is to call attention to the importance of education to everyone. It is classed "Everybody's Business". It is everybody's business because it concerns every one of us. There is an old slogan — Never too old to learn, and it is very true. If we are alert and observant, we can learn something new all the time, despite our age. In order to become alert, we need the grounding of education, we need to go to school in our early years and to obtain as much as possible of this ground work. We must support our schools — see that they have the facilities to impart the knowledge to our children. It means we must be much more interested in education generally in order that our future citizens may go forth prepared to handle world affairs and to make a success of their lives. Their future success means the success of our country and the world.

A second career

IN A MAGNIFICENT address before the Canadian Club of Toronto on the subject "Time for a second Career", Dr. Wilder Penfield coined a new phrase of great significance — pseudosenility". This new disease, often described but never named, is very common. It is created by Man's obstinate refusal to depart from a traditional understanding of facts which has been outdated. "The days of our years are three score years and ten; and if by reason of strength they be fourscore years, yet is there strength, labor and sorrow; for it is soon cut off and we fly away". This has been accepted by humanity as unchangeable as the laws of the Medes and the Persians.

And so at the age of 65, as a rule the trusted employee is dined and wined and presented with a gold watch because he has reached the age of senescence and 'ipso facto' is no longer useful. The psychological shock of such a decision on the average human may well be compared to that of a man condemned to be hanged and because press and public refer to the poor devil as the aging Mr. X. After a while Mr. X accepts fiction for fact and proceeds to become mentally and physically aged as well as chronologically old.

But are we to follow one part of the Bible in our decision as to whether man becomes old or to wonder whether there might be, after all, something in the story of Methuselah, who is described as having lived to an age something like nine hundred years.

In the early days of the century, Alexis Carrell kept a chicken's heart alive in sterile seilers solution for twenty-five years; perhaps indeed had Carrell not gone off to fight the Spanish war, the heart might have been living still. As a result of this experiment, he made the statement that "if infection could be kept from the human cell man might well be immortal". The lesson from Dr. Penfield's address might well be: "Why use the discoveries in chemistry, bacteriology, and immunity to bring man closer to immortality and then kill him off with a gold watch and a farewell address because he happens to have reached his 65th birthday"?

Dr. Penfield's address deserves careful reading. It carries lessons which contradict most of the current popular demand that man should prepare for retirement when he is young. Rather prepare to avoid retirement and develop all of our faculties when we are young, so that 65 or 75 or 85 years of age may mean a prolonged career or a new career. For the years of maturity should mean the years of wisdom and greater achievement.

A case in point

THE LADY WORKS as a cleaner in a hospital where her husband is undergoing treatment. At night they study together at his bedside to learn the language of their new country where they hope to establish a home for themselves and their four-year-old-daughter.

By Canadian standards, Mrs. Maria Filipovich, 31, hasn't much.

Yet, here is what she says:

"I wake up every morning feeling as if I had the winning ticket in the Irish sweepstakes. . . . I still can't believe my luck.

"In the short time here, we've shed filth and futility. Now we have a nice furnished apartment, I'm working, and my husband will be released from the sanatorium within two months . . . cured."

The comely Yugoslav housewife and her husband Ivan, 31, arrived in Canada in December and were sent to a Hamilton sanatorium.

They were one of the 100 families rescued from Europe's displaced persons camps by the federal government as Canada's contribution to the World Refugee Year.

Her only complaint is that the family is getting too fat because they drink milk every day and use butter.

The living she boasts of in her short stay in this country may not seem much compared with what most Canadians possess.

Just being here with the simplest of living conditions, suffices for this family. Its story is one to make many Canadians pause, reflect and give thanks for what they have.

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That fantastic Missile

— By Lewis Milligan —

Premier Khrushchev never misses an opportunity for reminding the world at large, and the Western nations in particular, of the superiority of the Soviet Union in military power. In a recent speech on disarmament he prefaced his remarks with an announcement that Soviet scientists had produced a new secret missile of such fantastic range and power of destruction that he hated even to think of it.

The effect of this announcement was intended to be sensational and frightening. It should have swept aside all argument against Mr. Khrushchev's proposals for universal pacifism and brought all non-communist nations to their knees appealing for mercy. But it didn't. All it did was to provide the newspapers with big headlines, and everybody went on with their business or pleasure and forgot about it.

Mr. Khrushchev must wonder what is the explanation of this popular indifference to his repeated uodtents of impending doom. It must be discouraging after amassing a mighty military force of millions of highly-trained soldiers, armed with the latest mechanical equipment on land, in the air and under the sea. Just to think of it; the Soviet has maintained and augmented that matchless fighting force since the last World War, yet no one, outside of the Iron Curtain, has been really scared of it.

Even when Soviet rocketeers succeeded in bombarding and circling the moon, it was merely a nine-day wonder. The Capitalist world goes on about its sordid high-standard -of-living business, as if nothing had happened.

It has now occurred to the Soviet leader that, with the possession of this new secret missile of fantastic power, he could safely dispense with all that obsolete military equipment, demobilie a million or so soldiers and put them to work for a living. Since his visit last year to the United States, his ideal of living for the communist Utopia has been enhanced considerably.

He expressed delight at the quality of a hot-dog as he devoured that American delicacy and asked for a second serving. But there were many other things in that benighted domain of Capitalism which he has since declared can and will be achieved under the Communists system — if the Capitalist countries will only assist by opening their markets to competition with the products of Soviet forced labor.

That would go far to solve the problem of changing over Russian munitions industries into the production of domestic commodities, and at the same time provide jobs for the millions of demobilized soldiers who might start a counter-revolution if they were long out of employment. They might start one anyway, for being transferred from the well-fed security of military life in forced labor.

With reflecting on the sincerity of Mr. Khrushchev's peace proposals, we may assume that they were not intended solely for the benefit of the free nations. He must have had some long-range benefit in view for the Soviet Union.

His emphasis on the fantastic power of his secret missile was merely to emphasize that further opposition could be disastrous to the Western World if he were forced to use it. The possession of such an unrivaled missile by Russia he thinks, should be sufficient in itself to disarm the rest of the world and clear the way for a peaceful achievement of th Marxian "world revolution".

KNOW YOUR Canada

Prepared by the Research Staff of Encyclopedia Canadiana

Who are our only living Ex-Prime Ministers?

Arthur Meighen and Louis St. Laurent. Mr. Meighen was Conservative prime minister of Canada on two occasions, in 1920-21 and again in 1926. Both times he was succeeded by his liberal opponent, W. L. Mackenzie King. Mr. St. Laurent became prime minister in 1948 when Mr. King retired; he retained that position until the election of 1957 placed the Diefenbaker government in power. Mr. Meighen was born on a farm near Anderson in Perth County, Ontario, on June 16, 1874. Mr. St. Laurent was born on Feb. 1, 1882, at Compton, Que.

Which Medical School has a North American Record?

The medical faculty of McGill University, at first known as the Montreal Medical Institution, has the longest uninterrupted record of bedside teaching in North Ameica. It was this feature that attracted the great Sir William Osler to McGill. Four members of the staff of the Montreal General Hospital, which had been founded in 1819, established a medical school to provide clinical teaching in 1823. This was the Montreal Medical Institution and it was at once successful. Its charter, however, did not include the right to grant degrees and in 1929 the school became the medical faculty of the university.

Where is Sugar Loaf Mountain?

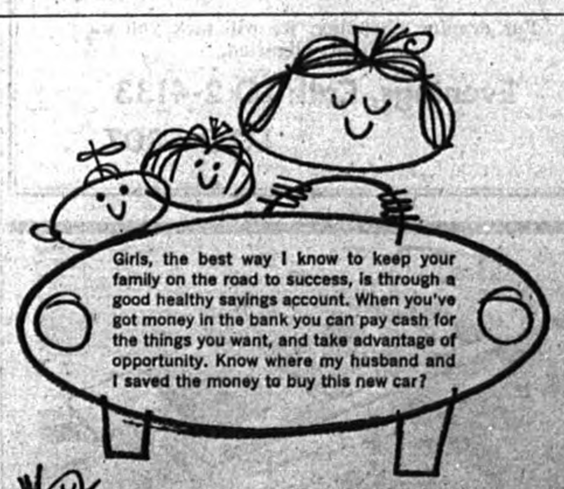
It is a volcanic neck, nearly 1000 feet high and about three miles in circumference at its base, that over looks the city of Campbellton in New Brunswick. Campbellton lies on the estuary of the Restigouche River, some 15 miles west of Dalhousie and the mouth of the river. The last naval battle of the Seven Years' War in North American waters — the Battle of the Restigouche — was fought on the river three miles above the site of the present city in 1760. The settlement of Campbellton began about 1773.

Where did Canso get it's name?

A number of suggestions have been made as to the origin of the name of this Nova Scotia seaport town. According to Thomas Chandler Haliburton, it derives its name from the Spanish ganso, a goose. Rand derives it from an Indian word campsook, meaning "opposite high hills." It is also possible that it may come from the French word campseau, "a common resort for ships." Canso, with its immediate environs, is much referred to in old records. Basque and Breton fishermen operated in its vicinity as early as 1506 and it was well known to French explorers in 1518. Today Canso, incorporated at a town in 1901, is the headquarters of the Commercial and Western Union cable companies and 18 ocean cables land there.

What is a grain elevator?

The grain elevator, a familiar sight in the Canadian west is a warehouse or granary in which grain is elevated into storage bins from which it can discharged as required. Elevators of this type, which first began to replace horizontal warehouses after 1860, have effected considerable economies by making use of the property of grain and thus eliminating the need for sacking. Elevators may be operated by independent owners, by dealers controlling a large system of local terminal elevators, or by co-operatives.



THE BANK OF NOVA SCOTIA, naturally

Of Many Things

— By Ambrose Hills —

JOIN THE BATTLE

There are three attitudes a man may take about controversy; he may simply paddle his own canoe and avoid argument; or he may join wholeheartedly in the battle on the side he believes has the greater merit. Then there is the third attitude: to mollycoddle both sides and try to be all things to all people, but it is an attitude with little to recommend it, for it leaves a bad taste in the mouth of the person who practices it.

To avoid argument entirely has attractions for many men. They are entitled to make that choice and they may do so and still retain self respect. If they are writers, however, they limit themselves to writing on non-debatable things only, condemning sin and praising virtue in very general terms. They are completely barred from specifics, for there is little agreement on specific questions and to take a stand would bring them into the fray.

If you join wholeheartedly in the battle and speak from your convictions, you will often find yourself in conflict with your neighbor, or a friend, and sometimes with the majority of people in your community. Yet it has its satisfactions. Friend and foe alike know where you stand. The mean and petty may impugn your motives, but in doing so they acknowledge you as an important adversary.

I have often noticed that life in a small town forces a person to make up his mind fairly quickly as to which type he is going to be. Mollycoddling both sides may be easy in a big city, but in a small town everybody clicks to it right away and your reputation reaches the same low level as your self-respect. People who say what they think and stand by it sometimes make enemies, but they are respected. Those who keep silent are thought wise by some, but considered dumb by most; and sometimes they, themselves, aren't too sure which label should be pinned on them.

My advice, for what it is worth, is to join the fray. Say what you think. Your life will not be quite so comfortable, but it will be a darn sight more interesting!

Death awaits you at level crossings

There is every reason in the world to use extra precaution approaching a level crossing, says the Provincial Highway Prudentia recalls the fact that every year, even every month, Canadians are killed at level crossings. The fight between an ordinary car or truck and the fast rushing train is so unequal that motorists should stop at level crossings and make sure both ways are clear before venturing across.



All Aboard

with G. E. MORTIMORE

The thinkers are knocking themselves out to invent new labor-saving devices.

Shuffling a pack of cards is not exactly a fatiguing chore. You don't see poker players fling the cards aside and lie down for a rest, panting and sweating from the effort.

Yet some creative genius has devised a machine to relieve mankind of the job. I saw an automatic card-shuffler the other day in a stationery store window.

Some future generation of poker players may look back with incredulity to the rough pioneer time when men had to shuffle their own cards, hand-slogging it all the way. They may sympathize with the underprivileged gamblers of the 20th century, who had to do all their cheating by the old-fashioned manual method.

"Grandpa", some moppet of the year 2,000 may say, "tell us about how hard you worked as a boy, when people had to press the buttons of the labor-saving machines by hand, instead of just breathing on them".

Things haven't yet reached that pass, but I see in the Atlantic Monthly that two companies are manufacturing a power nailer. One of the automatic hammers, feeding itself nails through a tube as a stapling machine feeds staples, can ram home 60 nails a minute.

A carpenter wielding one of these machine-gun nail pushers will no longer be able to mash his own thumb, but with one slip of the hand he might sew himself to the wall like a patch on a pair of jeans.

Carpenters earn fair money. As soon as there employers can lay hands on power nailers, they'll be figuring out some gentle, humane way to axe three-quarters of the labor force.

There is only one deterrent — and it is the big reason why the human will never be entirely replaced by the machine. Machines cost too much.

All kinds of labor saving gadgets, ranging from automatic grape-peelers to power tooth brushes, for all I know, are on the market. I can't afford a nailer to patch up that loose board on the porch, because the new machine will retail at $1,000 a copy.

Bell Telephone reports increase in local customers

Net income of The Bell Telephone Company of Canada for the year ended December 31, 1959 was $50,283,578, equivalent to $2.48 per share or a return of just under six per cent on invested capital, according to the company's 8th annual report issued today.

The report, signed by Thomas W. Eadie, president, compares the 1959 results with earnings of $38,899,289, or $2.15 per share in 1958.

Last year's telephone construction program of $196 million was the largest in the company's history, the report states, and 190,528 telephones were added to those in service.

This expansion was reflected in Lachute area by the addition of 300 telephones, H. W. Flanigan, Bell manager for this region said, bringing the total in service here as of December 31 to 4,250.

Daily Timetable

(Eastern STANDARD Time)

LACHUTE

Westbound to Ottawa

Daily	11.09 a.m.
Daily	7.06 p.m.
Saturday	2.10 p.m.

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DISTRICT NEWS FROM OUR COUNTY CORRESPONDENTS

Lake Keatley

Dr. Owen MacDonald and friend, of Montreal, spent the week-end at his cottage.

Col. and Mrs. Harry White returned home after a pleasant trip to Florida.

Richard Jones has returned to Thurso, after two weeks holiday with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. D. MacVicar.

Miss Enid Stewart, of Montreal, was the week-end guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Stewart.

Mr. Chas. Watson, of Montreal, spent several days the guest of Mr. S. Smith.

Lifelong resident laid to rest

The late John W. Scott

John Walker Scott, who passed away Monday March 7, was born in the Seigniory on Feb. 6, 1871. The last of seven children of the late John Scott and Elizabeth Armstrong, he spent his lifetime farming in this community.

He was married to Clara Gordon in 1901; she predeceased him 28 years later. In 1934, he re-married Mrs. Margaret Bain, who passed away in 1955.

The funeral is being held today, March 9, from the MacKimmie Funeral Home. Pall-bearers are Walter Gordon, Ernest Gordon, Keith Pollock, Sharman Doig, Leonard Scott and Arnold Scott. Interment will be in the Lachute cemetery.

Births, Marriages, Deaths, etc.

Births, Marriages, Deaths, and in Memoriam, etc., $1.00; 5 cents per type line extra for verses, with In Memoriam (estimate 8 words per type line).

DEATH

CHAMBERS — In Montreal, on March 7, 1960, Mabel Davidson, wife of the late James Boyd Chambers, in her 76th year. Funeral service will be held from Brownsburg United Church, Thursday at 2 p.m. Interment at Lachute Cemetary.

IN MEMORIAM

BATES — In loving memory of a beloved wife, mother, grandmother and great-grandmother, Sarah, Ann Bates, who passed away March 14, 1959. — Lovingly remembered by John Henry and family.

"To some you may be forgotten,
To others a part of the past,
But to us who loved you and lost you,
Your memory will always last."

NEILL — In loving memory of a dear husband and Dad, Henry, who passed away March 16, 1958.

"The golden gates stood open,
Two years ago today;
With farewells left unspoken,
You sadly slipped away.
God knew that you were weary,
The hill too steep to climb;
He gently took your hand in His,
And whispered, "Peace be Thine"."

McKAY — In loving memory of a dear husband and father, Dougald Hart, who passed away March 12, 1959. — Inserted by his wife and family.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

ELIAS — F/Sgt. and Mrs. Peter Dyson wish, on behalf of the late Henry Elias, to thank all those who assisted at his funeral and sent floral tributes; the doctors and nurses of the Queen Mary Military Hospital; those who sent cards and flowers during his illness; and the members of Branch 171, Canadian Legion, Morin Heights.

ELIAS — Mr. and Mrs. J. Boyer and family, of Montreal, wish to thank the Rev. H. G. Baugh; the organist, Mrs. George Watchorn; the Morin Heights Legion; Sergeants' Mess, RCAF Station, Lac St. Denis, and all friends of the late Henry Elias who visited him while in hospital and attended his funeral service.

Brownsburg

Mr. and Mrs. Omer Legault spent part of last week in Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Brosseau and children, Mark and Susan, of Granby, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. Smillie.

Mrs. A. G. Talbot spent Wednesday in Montreal.

Congratulations to Mrs. Omer Legault, who has won the "Badge of Service" for her faithfulness to the Canadian Red Cross Society.

The many friends of Mr. Leslie Tomalty will be pleased to know that he has returned from Montreal where he was a patient at St. Mary's Hospital.

Mr. J. D. Lepine, Mr. L Carrignan and Mrs. N. E. Smillie attended the 50th annual meeting of the Canadian Red Cross Society's Quebec Provincial Division which was held in Montreal last week; Major General Georges Vanier, D.S.O., M.C., C.D., Governor General of Canada, was the guest speaker at the Annual luncheon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ken Murdoch and family were recent guests of Mrs. Murdoch's mother, Mrs. C. Caldecoat.

Rev. J. C. Shrier has returned home from Sault Ste. Marie, where he spent two weeks holding Evangelistic meetings.

Mr. Preston Roberts, of Montreal, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Roberts.

Cushing

Capt. and Mrs. T. Weir left last week for Toronto, where they will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Casement and family.

Miss Agnes White, accompanied by the Misses Kathleen and Maureen Villeneuve spent the week-end in Ottawa, where they visited Mr. J. Villeneuve Sr.

Mrs. A. Loane and Mr. Grant Harcourt, of Montreal, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Pinkerton on Saturday. Sunday guests included Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Harvey, of Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Peel and daughters, Miss Debbie Peel, of Montreal, spent the week-end at their country home.

Harrington

Harrington Farm Forum was held last Monday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Bennett. This Monday evening, it will be at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. McLean.

Visitors over the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Bennett were Miss J. Swackhammer, of Montreal, and Mr. Geo. Bennett, of Kingston.

Mrs. T. Bennett and little son, Jeffery, of Nain, Labrador, have been spending the past week with Mr. and Mrs. Bennett. They return to the North this week.

Mrs. A. Bothwell and Messrs. Hugh and Bruce Dobbie, of Lachute, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Dobbie on Sunday. Miss A. Perrigo and Miss M. F. Dobbie, of Montreal, also spent the week-end at the Dobbie home.

World Day of Prayer was held on Friday of last week at the home of Mrs. E. McLean.

Harrington Ladies' Aid was held on Tuesday of this week at the home of Mrs. H. Bennett.

Mr. and Mrs. P. McLeod, of Calumet, also Messrs. Dougall Trineer and Gordon McVicar, of Grenville, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. V. McVicar during the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Swall and daughter Dawna, Diana Pilon and Mrs. L. M. Marshall, of Lachute, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bennett on Sunday.



Mayor inspects private line

Steve Lilly, one of the Bell's local skilled technicians, is shown here indicating the exact wire which carried the inaugural call to Lachute's Mayor James W. McGibbon. The one line from Mayor Paré's office was put into operation Friday evening; the St. Andrews East Mayor is seen here, examining the wire.

Photo, Syd Drew

Weir

Mr. and Mrs. Wenville MacMillan with their daughter Bonnie, of Verdun, spent the week-end as guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Williams.

Mrs. Wm. Owen, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Sherman Beaven, returned home on Wednesday after spending a few days visiting with friends in Toronto. She also attended the wedding of Mr. Bruce Beaven and Miss Jean Garret, at Hamilton, on Saturday, February 27.

Miss Donna Fallu, of Montreal, spent the week-end as guest of Mr. and Mrs. V. Courte; the Messrs. Claude and Denis Courte were also home to spend the week-end with their parents.

Miss Madeleine Willet, of Montreal, was the week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Schippel.

We are pleased to report that Mrs. W. D. Morrison, who underwent an operation in the Montreal General Hospital recently is now released and convalescing nicely at the home of her daughter, Mrs. D. MacKimmie, at Lachute.

Mrs. A. H. Moore left on Tuesday to spend a few days in Montreal, then go on to Kingston, where she will spend a few weeks at the home of her daughter, Mrs. G. H. Booth and Mr. Booth, before returning to her home in New Liskeard, Ont. Mrs. Moore has spent the winter with Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Craig was and accompanied to Montreal by Mrs. Craig.

Mr. and Mrs. Foster Ewart spent the week-end visiting friends in Rouses Point and Plattsburg, N.Y., where they were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Nyle Gregory. Their sons, Rodney and Billy, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. Schippel, at St. Sauveur.

Northern Grenville

Little Miss Nancy Nixon celebrated her 5th birthday on Monday and entertained about 40 of her little friends.

Sunday visitors at Mr. and Mrs. C. Cook's were Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Urquhart and children with Billie, Karen and Donna, and Miss Margaret Carmichael, all of Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Cousens and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Roy and Mr. and Mrs. Morris Roy at Silver Creek on Sunday.

Week-end visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McMichael were Mis Laura McMichael and Miss Sandy MacVicar of the Royal Victoria Hospital, and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Flood, of Buckingham.

Mr. Irving Crawford, of Avoca, spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Hoare Jr.

Friends in this community extend sympathy to the family and friends of the late Mr. Edward Goldsmith, of Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Jackson, of Brownsburg, visited the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Hoare, Jr. on Sunday.

Friends here extend congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Roderick (the former Miss Ethel Shaw), of Presque Isle, Maine, whose marriage took place recently; also to Mr. and Mrs. Keith Duncan (the former Miss Barbar Andrews), of Ottawa, whose marriage also took place in February.

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Gospels for new readers have to be printed in a special format with larger than usual type for those just beginning to read.

Butterfly reported in Brownsburg

Last Sunday, Harold Ross, of Brownsburg, found a butterfly on the outside of his house. Although quite stiff from the cold, it took only a short time until it was able to fly about in the house.

Retreat planned for English R.C.'s

His Excellency Bishop Emilien Frenette has consented to have a closed retreat for English speaking Catholic laymen of the diocese of St-Jerome. This retreat will take place at Manoir d'Esterel, Ste-Marguerite, commencing Friday evening, March 25 and ending Sunday, March 27.

This is the first such period organized for Catholic laymen of the English language of the Diocese.

Instruction will be given by Rev. Fr. Rushman S.J., of St-Ignatius of Loyola College and organization of the retreat is under the direction of Rev. Fr. O. Sullivan, pastor of Holy Family Parish, St-Eustache-sur-le-Lac.

It is a known fact that some men who would like to participate in this occasion cannot absent themselves from their employment on Saturday morning, but arrangements have been made whereby persons who cannot attend the exercises of the first day may join the others on Saturday evening for the remainder of the instruction.

This is an occasion for the Catholic laymen of the Lachute-Brownsburg and adjacent district to show interest in the opportunity made available for their benefit by Ecclesiastical authorities.

Persons interested in further details or wishing to make reservation are requested to contact G. A. Downing, LO 2-2481 daytime, or LO 2-4259 evenings, previous to March 20.

Transportation may be arranged.



Tour of St. Andrews dial plant

Members of the St. Andrews East council were guests of the Bell Telephone for a conducted tour of the new dial exchange, following the inaugural call on Friday evening. Above, Lachute Plant Foreman Bob Bell explains the operation of the equipment to Mayor Antoine Paré. Standing left to right are Councillors Lucien Gerard, Secretary Laurenzo Pilon, Hormidas Legault, L. T. Porter, Jr., Remi Roquebrune, Mr. Bell and Mayor Paré.

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Local witnesses attend meeting

Delegates from the Lachute Congregation of Jehovah's Witnesses who attended the three day convention at Valleyfield March 4-6, are pleased to report a successful event. It was a French-language assembly and was attended by members from Lachute, Hull, Buckingham, St. Jerome and Valleyfield. The assembly was held in the new Valleyfield Kingdom Hall of Jehovah's Witnesses, 8 Papineau Street.

Friday evening's program featured a field of activity meeting at which practical suggestions were given and demonstrated on improved ways of extending the ministry. This was followed by a model Ministry School with short sermons being delivered by student speakers and counsel was offered by Laurier Saumur, the district supervisor for Jehovah's Witnesses in eastern Canada. On Saturday, special attention was given to conduct of bible studies in order that students might come to an accurate knowledge of Bible teachings.

A baptismal service was conducted on Saturday afternoon and six persons symbolized the dedication of their life to God's service by water immersion. Of these, two were from Lachute, three from Valleyfield and one from St. Jerome.

C.W.L. welcomes new members

The monthly meeting of the Catholic Women's League, St. Anastasie Parish Council, was held on Monday, March 6 at the Ecole Secondaire.

In the absence of the president Mrs. F. Hanlon presided, and two new members were welcomed.

Under the convenership of Mrs. F. Berniquer, final plans were made for the St. Patrick's Dinner to be held in the Legion Hall.

Guest speaker was Georges Beaulieu, who clearly outlined the great need for Recreational Organization in our community.

Refreshments were served at the close of the meeting.

DISTRICT NEWS

Morin Heights

Mrs. Robert H. Cunningham, of Montreal, spent the week-end at the rectory, the guests of Rev. and Mrs. H. G. Baugh.

Sunday School Teachers

A series of eight Monday evening lectures on Sunday School teaching are being given at Anglican House, Montreal, under the direction of the Rev. Barry Valentine. Registered for this course, which leads to the Bishop's Diploma for Sunday School Teachers, are the following from Trinity Anglican Sunday School: Mrs. Leonard McCambly, Mrs. Allan Kirkpatrick, Mrs. Wray Raaflaub, Mrs. P. DeVulder, Mrs. E. Weekes, and Miss Jackie Reiter.

Grenville School sports activities

On Wednesday, March 2, our Senior Basketball teams journeyed to St. Eustache and managed to win in both games; the Senior Boys 32 to 31 and the Senior Girls 36 to 24.

On Friday, Rosemere Seniors provided our teams with tough competition. The results showed our boys victorious once more by a three point margin, 46 to 43.

This resulted in the St. Eustache and Grenville Senior Boys being tied for first place following the last game of the schedule.

On Saturday, March 5, a tired Grenville Senior Boys' team comprising James Stone, Bryan Thomas, Westover Stote, Drummond Hall, Robin Robinson, Douglas Dubord proved incapable of winning the play-off game against St. Eustache. The score was 66 to 48.

Donald Robertson was absent due to an injury.

Our school extends to our four Basketball teams, and more especially to the Senior Boys and their coach, Lyman Paige, our hearty congratulations and our continued firm support.

Military Whist

The St. Simeon's Anglican Bowling Club held a Military Whist in the Church basement on Monday of last week and the following were the prize winners.

1st Prize: Mrs. Gladys Dougall, (Capt.), Mrs. Geo. Brown, Mrs. F. Maidens, Mrs. Fred Pring.

Consolation Prize: Mrs. G. Noble, Mrs. H. Noble, Mrs. S. Noble and Mrs. E. Harland.

Door Prize: Mr. D. J. Bates.

The Club president, W. Shearsmith, thanked those present for their support.

The Whist was followed by the serving of refreshments by the ladies.

St. Eustache man holds position with National Ballet

The National Ballet News, the official publication of the National Ballet Company of Toronto, states in its recent issue that one of the most responsible positions in the company is that of wardrobe master. The paper states: "Some 700 costumes are required for the complete repertoire of the Company. The making of the costumes, their maintenance, storage, transportation, and the overall responsibility of the wardrobe department belongs to James Ronaldson, the 30-year-old wardrobe master, whose headquarters are in the comfortable rooms in the basement of the National Ballet School, Toronto.

Mr. Ronaldson is particularly well qualified to be head of this department. A native of St. Eustache, he was studying fashion designing when at the age of 19 he decided to take up ballet. After three years of study in Montreal and London, he joined the National Ballet Company as a dancer. His interest in costume designing led him to spend more and more time in the wardrobe department, and four years ago he decided to devote all his time to this phase of production. Mr. Ronaldson feels that his experience as a dancer enables him to introduce comfortable and practical features in the costumes.

APPRECIATION

Mrs. William MacLean wishes to express her thanks to her many friends and relatives for their lovely cards and kindnesses received during her recent illness.

APPRECIATION

Mrs. Lionel Plouffe and family wish to extend their sincere thanks to friends and neighbors, for the sympathy shown them during their recent sad bereavement.



Diary of a Vagabond

BY DOROTHY BARKER

There is one thing my eldest son is famous for, it is procrastination. Because he failed to make early reservations, our anticipated holiday trip to the Laurentians had to be exchanged for one to Collingwood, Ont.

Perhaps this was a good thing, for our little group of six grew to ten before we entrained at Toronto for the blue mountain country. When neighbors learned plans had been altered, they decided to join the trek north and try out their gift skis as well.

Back in his bachelor days, No. 1 son spent almost every winter week-end with a farmer and his family in this vicinity. After a long distance 'phone call, it was all arranged for five hooting youngsters and five enthusiastic adults to bed down and board in the big frame house for three days and two nights.

There is absolutely nothing quite as exhilarating as a trainload of skiers. With equipment stacked in the baggage car, they haul out from knapsack and week-end kit every type of musical instrument from kazoo to bongo drums. If their voices are a bit off key, who cares? This is one time they really mean it as they bellow "Merrily we roll along". We found the hundred odd miles sped by much too fast, garnished with such gaiety.

When we arrived at our destination I thought the kids would flip with joy. There was the farmer to greet us. He stood beside a flat sleigh piled high with straw and drawn by two bay horses, whose breath made soft little clouds as they tossed their heads and jingled the bells on their harness. We all scrambled aboard after fathers had retrieved skis from the check room, and bounced along between icy ruts for several miles. This was once I was glad that holiday gorging had added to my padding, for even the straw didn't soften the ride too much.

It was the next day that I was to learn what sweet torture it is to be a good sport. There was a great scarcity of snow and skiing was confined mostly to the gorges where the wind had blown a fair covering of the much needed cold stuff. For the advanced skier this was torture, but for the youngsters it proved not too much of a challenge for their early courage. I went along to the hills to search for cones and weeds I intended to paint for winter decorative arrangements, and was sitting on a little hummock watching the fun when the eldest demon grabbed me. Before I knew it a pair of those deadly slats were being buckled over my snow boots and what seemed like fiendish laughter greeted my ears as No. 1 son lifted me to an upright position.

The object was apparently to give me as much pleasure as the rest of the family was enjoying. I recalled that I survived being young with my own youngsters without so much as a cracked rib, even though I was put through the agony of trying to learn to ride a bicycle swim, dive, skate, golf and play badminton, none of which I had learned to do as a child, or even in my teens. Looking back for a brief moment, not one of these stints seemed half as tortuous as that awful moment, when I looked down from my precarious position, try to balance on steel edged pieces of wood eight feet long and keep two ski poles from getting between my legs. What had appeared as a gentle slope, where the rest of the family, even the children, came to a graceful stop at the bottom, now seemed like the iciest glacier on Mount Everest.

I didn't have time to wonder if I was carrying this business of being a good sport too far, not to consider that my grandmother bones might not be as supple as they were during the trials of my motherhood. After final instructions I was given a gentle push and what seemed like a slide to doom commenced. As I watched the snow-covered hill whizz past me at what I estimated must be 100 m.p.h., I could hear someone screaming "Bend your knees! — Atta girl, you're a natural." The chorus echoed "Don't sit down, keep going." But I had only one desire, that was to end this agony as quickly as possible. I am sure every snowflake in that gorge settled either in my slacks or down the back of my neck. I gingerly rolled over, speculating on how many bones were broken; but aside from pulled muscles on my insteps, where the harness lived up to the guaranteed purpose of uniting skis and boots, I survived with only my dignity suffering any great damage.

Should I correct these three little imps when they call me "Sport" or be flattered?

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11.00 a.m. Morin Heights
2.00 p.m. Mille Isles.

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7.30 p.m. Evening Gospel Service
"THE DEATH OF THE CROSS"
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REV. GEO. HICKS, B.Th., PASTOR
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Mon. 8.00 p.m. Young People
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Thurs., March 10 at Owen Fannell's home, 8 p.m.
Thurs., March 17 at the home of John Purcell, 8 p.m.
Friday, 7.30 p.m. Holy Trinity Ch.

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WILLIAM PRESTON, Defendant.

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ST. PATRICK'S CARD PARTY

A Military Whist, sponsored by the C.W.L., will be held in the Brownsburg Legion Hall, Saturday, March 19, at 8 p.m. Refreshments and prizes. Adm. 75c. Everyone welcome. M17-2c

ROTARY BINGO

— Be sure to attend the Rotary Bingo in the Lachute Auditorium Friday, March 18. This is the last of a series. Cash Prizes. 2x

ST. PATRICK'S DAY DANCE

— at the Grenville High School on Friday, March 18. Dress optional, Adm. $1.00 per couple or 60 c. single; dancing from 9 to 12.30 a.m. to the music of Spanky Gray's Orchestra. M16.2c

ANNIVERSARY TEA

— Under auspices of the Ladies' Auxiliary, Branch 70, of the Canadian Legion, to be held in the Lachute Legion Hall, on Friday, April 22. Please keep the date open. 1c

SQUARE DANCE

— In aid of the Orange Hall Building fund, to be held in the Legion Hall, Lachute, Saturday, March 12. Music by Edgar Jackson. Admission 60c. F24-M9-2p

AFTERNOON TEA

— There will be an afternoon tea with a novelty table at the Lachute United Church on Friday, April 1, at 3 p.m., sponsored by the W.A. Evening Group. Everyone welcome. M9-30-2c

SQUARE DANCE

— A square dance will be held in the Community Hall, Mille Isles, on Saturday, March 12, at 8 p.m. Music by Al and The Ramblers. Admission 75c. 1c

COMING EVENTS

Notices of Entertainment, Concerts, or Meetings, etc., 15 cents per line each insertion. Minimum 75 cents. If billed $1.00.
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WINTER RALLY

— The Lachute Auto Club Winter Rally will be held March 13, starting at 10 a.m. at Boyd's Express yard. Entry fee $1.00 for members, non-members $2.00. For further information call Don Parker, LO 2-4861. M9-2c

RUMMAGE SALE

— to be held in the Legion Hall, Friday, March 25, under auspices of the Ladies' Auxiliary, Branch 70, of the Canadian Legion. Persons wishing to donate articles kindly telephone LO 2-6098 or LO 2-5729. M9.23.2c

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A Weekly Feature of Helpful Hints on Child Training.

Baby's chewing machine

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— By NANCY CLEAVER —

"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 dont 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 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 include 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 a fretful time for baby, but the healthy child should get through this period without too much trouble. Rubbing baby's gums is sometimes soothing. Don't be afraid of spoiling him my 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.

Old recipe for tasty cookies

Many homemakers cherish old recipe books which belonged to grandmothers or great aunts. While some of the recipes may need an expert to figure them out, many others are still family favorites. Such is the tested recipe below from the Poultry Products Institute for School's Out Cookies. It is from a family cook book but there is no explanation of the name of the cookie. One can only surmise that the youngsters head for the cookie jar the minute they got home. Whatever the origin of the name, the cookie is deliciously crispy with a butterscotch flavor faintly overcast with cinnamon. They remain crisp if stored in a tightly covered container. The recipe may be varied by adding different fruit or nuts.

School's Out Cookies — 1 cup of shortening, 1 cup brown sugar, 2 eggs, well beaten, ¼ cup hot water, 1 teaspoon soda, 2 cups of sifted pastry flour, 1 teaspoon cinnamon, ½ teaspoon salt and 1 cup raisins, chopped dates, peel or nuts or combination of fruit and nuts.

Cream shortening and sugar well together either by hand or with electric or rotary beater. Add eggs. Sift flour, salt and cinnamon together. Stir soda into hot water. Add dry ingredients and water a third at a time blending well with spoon after each addition. Stir in fruit and/or or nuts. Drop by small spoonful well apart on greased cookie sheet. Cookies will spread a bit as they cook. Bake in moderately hot oven 375° F., 15 to 18 minutes or until golden and top does not retain finger imprint when lightly pressed. Yields about 5 dozen cookies. Store in tightly covered container to retain crispness.

Hot off the griddle



Old-Fashioned Potato Scones

The potato is the principal vegetable of Ireland. Indeed it was the potato famine of the 1840's that drove so many Irish people to America; and now there are far more Irish and their descendants living in New York than there are in Dublin. Although potatoes are grown in great quantity and served in many ways, potato breads and scones seem to be the favorite recipes of the tourist visiting Ireland.

Tea-time is just as much a tradition with the Irish as it is with the English. The tea is made in pottery pots and usually served with Irish soda bread and scones, such as the ones in this recipe for Old-Fashioned Potato Scones. The quickbread is leavened with baking powder and can be prepared in a deliciously handy way of using up left-over potatoes.

There's no need to use an oven when making the scones; they are traditionally baked on a heated griddle or can be cooked in a frying pan until they're golden brown on each side. Any scones that are not eaten immediately can be split and toasted. Irish people generally serve them with lots of butter, although some people prefer a bit of jam or marmalade on them as well.

Old Fashioned Potato Scones

Yield — about 1 dozen scones

1½ cups once-sifted all-purpose flour, or 1½ cups once-sifted pastry flour, 4 teaspoons baking powder, ½ teaspoon salt, ¼ teaspoon grated nutmeg, 1 tablespoon of granulated sugar, 2 tablespoons chilled shortening, ½ cup cold mashed potato and ¼ cup (about) milk.

Sift together into a bowl the all-purpose or pastry flour, baking powder, salt, nutmeg and sugar. Cut shortening in finely. Measure cold mashed potato and mash with a fork until smooth; stir into flour mixture. Make a well in dry ingredients; add milk and mix lightly, adding a little more milk if necessary to make a soft dough. Turn out on lightly-floured board or canvas and knead until smooth. Pat or roll out dough to a scant ½-inch thickness; cut into rounds using a 2½-inch floured cutter.

Sprinkle griddle or frypan lightly with flour; heat until flour becomes slightly golden. Bake scones on heated griddle until golden on both sides and cooked in the middle — 12 to 15 minutes.

EASILY GROWN

Edmonton (CP) — Tests at the University of Alberta have revealed that wild blueberries will grow in almost any kind of soil, though production decreases as the acid in the soil decreases.



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Teatime Topics



Written Specially for The Lachute Watchman By Edna Blakely, Canadian Press Staff Writer

When women set out to support a worthy project it's often done in an offbeat manner.

The Shakespeare, Ont., Women's Institute is a group which used imagination for a tea. The group raised more than $50 by mailing teabags to women at their homes.

The tea bags were stapled to delightful invitations which read: "Just sit down on Monday next and have this cup of tea. Stay snug warm, no dressing up, then kindly think of me. We thought we'd send your tea and then whatever weather chances, your tea please take and then donate a coin for our finances."

Many of the 200 "guests" returned coins in special envelopes provided for those who wanted to make a donation to the W.I.

DDF Staff

The Dominion Drama Festival is becoming truly bilingual. Last spring the festival elected its first French-speaking president, Yves Bourassa of Montreal. The festival now has added French-speaking Laurier Melanson to its staff. He will aid national director Richard MacDonald at the Ottawa headquarters.

Mr. Melanson, 28, was born in Moncton, N.B.

Food Costs

Canada's department of agriculture recently put out a pamphlet on food costs which shows that prices have more than doubled in the past 20 years. In the 1935-39 period an urban family of four purchased $10 worth of groceries compared with $25 in 1958.

Take-home-pay has more than tripled, and almost 25 cents of every dollar added to income went for food. Housewives will be happy to know that although part of the increase was due to higher prices, better food and more food services were also contributing factors.

Our changing diet has been partially responsible for increased food costs too. Canadians are eating more fruits, vegetables and meats than they were in the 1935-39 period.

Aid Symphony

In Toronto the symphony women's committee aids the Toronto Symphony Orchestra with money raised at the Symphony Bandbox, a store selling slightly-used clothing.

The price of dresses may start around $15 and run to $45 or $50, though the gown may be a once-worn Dior or Balenciaga. The committee raised $2,000 between October 1958 and April 1959. Since then, they have moved to larger quarters at 4 Roxborough Street West.

Sixty percent of the sale price is returned to the seller and 40 per cent goes to the orchestra.

When the new quarters were opened recently for a press reception, women reporters eagerly looked over the goods. Members of the committee admitted they often purchased goods from the stock. Volunteers and one paid worker staff the store.

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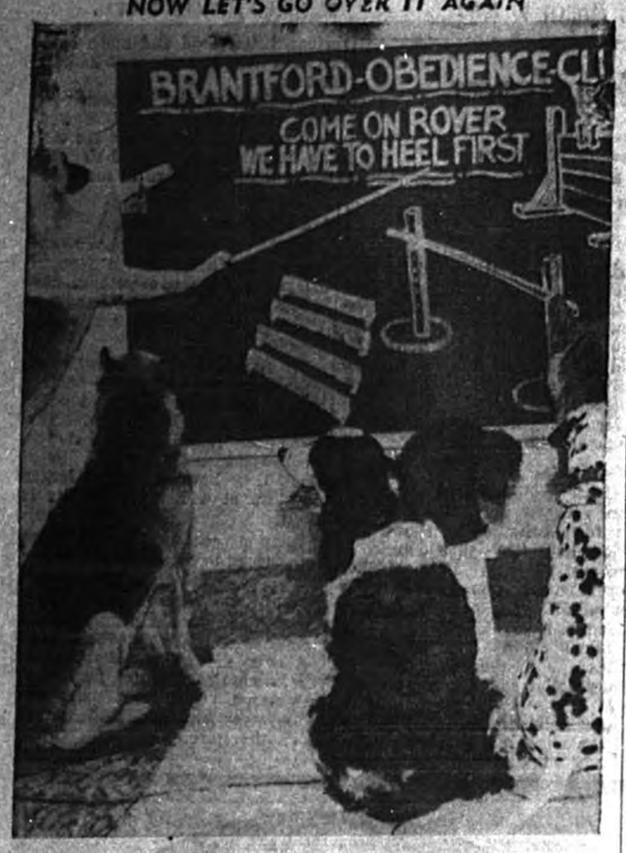
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Everyone was paying attention when Terry, a German shepherd, gave instructions at a meeting at the Brantford Obedience club held at the home of his owner, Arthur Surret. None of the members was dogging it when it came to learning his lessons.

Science grows food on arid island

Aruba, a barren, windswept little island off the coast of Venezuela that recently supported only aloes and cactus, now grows melons, tomatoes, cucumbers, strawberries, lettuce, cantaloupes, celery and squash. These and other vegetables and fruits are being produced on Aruba's hydroponic farm, according to the latest issue of "Foreign Trade" magazine.

As of August 31, 1959, output totalled the equivalent of nearly 500,000 pounds. Most of the foods are sold on the island, and though production costs are relatively high, they are able to compete with high-cost imports.

Plants are grown in 60 concrete beds (each 3 x 60 feet) containing blown vermiculite mixed with gravel. Vermiculite, an inert material imported from South Africa and blown in the island's own furnaces, slows an otherwise excessive evaporation of water from the sea-water distillation plant. Chemical plant foods bought from the United States are mixed with the water and fed to each of the plant beds. This solution is later repumped to a central tank for redistribution. Strong prevailing winds are offset by vertical lattice fences 12 feet high erected to windward. Gravel is also used to counteract the wind by holding the plants firmly in place.

Aruba's hydroponic farm is owned by the island government and operated by a scientific farmer from the United States. So far, fruits and vegetables have been exported to the United States and Curacao, and Trinidad may soon be importing Aruban cantaloupes for the U.S. personnel base there.

CHANGES NAME

Truro, N.S. (CP) — The name "Guysboro County Advocate" used since 1922 for the weekly newspaper published here has been changed to "The Canso Breeze", with the old name in small type below. "The paper is still more popularly referred to as 'The Canso Breeze', or simply 'The Breeze', said a note to readers.

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Morin Heights

World Day of Prayer was observed in the Morin Heights United Church on Friday, March 4. This service was conducted by ladies of the Morin Heights Women's Association and Trinity Guild; guest speaker was Mrs. Consiglio, of Piedmont. A duet, "Saviour Lead Me All The Way", was rendered by Mrs. Simms and Mrs. Munger. As in past years this service was attended and enjoyed by many.

On Friday afternoon the children of Morin Heights United Church Sunday School enjoyed a sleigh-drive which was followed by the usual bean feed in the Church Hall. Over sixty children enjoyed this event which proved to be most enjoyable. Credit goes to the Sunday School teachers who organized this event.

On Friday evening March 4, at the Morin Heights Intermediate School a Variety Show was held. This event was sponsored by the Morin Heights Home and School Association and was well attended. The students of the School who formed the cast and participated, gave an enjoyable performance.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cook and children, of Montreal West, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Watchorn.

The annual meeting of the Morin Heights Branch of the Women's Institute was held last Tuesday in the Intermediate School. The evening commenced with a Pot-Luck Supper which was enjoyed by some 24 members. This was followed by the installation of officers for the coming year: President, Mrs. Isabel Watchorn; 1st vice-pres., Mrs. Ruby Campbell; 2nd vice-pres., Mrs. C. Moore; secretary, Mrs. W. Seale; treasurer, Mrs. E. Kneeland.

Mr. and Mrs. Whiteway, of Montreal, were week-end guests of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Art Whiteway.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gillingham and daughter, Bonnie, were in Montreal last Saturday attending the wedding of their nephew, Mr. Ross Marsden.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Seale and Mr. and Mrs. Keith Seale and children spent last Thursday in Montreal visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Crawford.

Cushing

Miss Jean Genest, of Montreal, spent the week-end at her Cushing cottage.

Mr. Roy Dobbie was in Montreal on Friday.

Miss Elsie M. Graham, of Verdun, was a week-end guest of her mother and brother at Bayside Farm.

Mrs. James McAllister, of Hawkesbury, is spending this week with Mrs. L. M. Gaston.

The Senior and Junior Badminton Clubs of Cushing held a friendly game in St. Mungo's Church Hall Saturday night, the Seniors being the winning team.

Cushing members of the Frontier Branch, Women's Institute, had to go to Grenville and down the highway to attend their annual meeting held Tuesday of last week, at the home of Mrs. Alvin Heatlie.

The side roads were not fully opened following the week-end storm.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Dewar also Mr. and Mrs. Norman Dewar, of Chatboro, motored to Cornwall on Sunday.

Calumet

Jacques Gignac, of Ste. Anne de Bellevue, visited friends in Calumet on the week-end.

Deanna Hall returned to Ottawa after spending three weeks holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Silas Hall.

Visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Fox were Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Madden and family, of Kilmar.

The sympathy of the community is extended to Mrs. Edward Goldsmith, of Montreal, in the death of her husband. Burial took place in the Avoca Cemetery.

Mrs. Billie Fox has returned to Montreal for a check-up after spending a week with her husband and little daughter. Her many friends hope she will soon be home to stay.

A birthday party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Laurent Racine, for their daughter, Genette. About fifty people attended and all reported having a nice time.



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Mrs. A. McPhee, Mrs. Thos. J. Young and Mrs. Howard Smith visited Mr. Alex McPhee and Mrs. Steele, of Grenville, on Thursday last.

We are pleased to report that Mr. Irwin Arthurs, who underwent a serious operation at the Montreal Neurological Institute, is home and making splendid progress towards recovery.

Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Nixon were, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Whorry and Bobby Young; Mr. and Mrs. George Young and Wayne, also Mr. Dennis Young.

Sincere sympathy is expressed to Mrs. Edward Goldsmith, daughter Betty (Mrs. Kennedy), of Montreal, and son Teddy, of Quebec City, in the loss of husband and father.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Young wish to thank their many friends who gathered at their home on the occasion of their forty-fifth wedding anniversary, and presented them with so many lovely gifts.

We are glad to report that Miss Catherine Nixon is satisfactorily convalescing at her home.

Kilmar

Miss Jean MacTavish, of Ottawa, spent the week-end with her parents

Week-end visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Purcell included Mr. and Mrs. Owen Ellis, Mr. Clarence Ellis, Mr. Kenneth Bates and Miss Rita Purcell.

A number of ladies met at Kilmar Lodge last Wednesday evening to sew bed pads for home cancer patients. This group meets every two weeks and anyone willing to give time to this worthy cause will be welcomed.

A social evening was held at the home of Mrs. John Purcell recently. Everyone present reported an enjoyable time; proceeds from the event went to the Kilmar W.A.

Lenten Service was conducted by Rev. P. R. Stote at the home of Edward Noble.

Arundel

(Intented for last issue)

Mrs. S. Baugh and family, of Montreal, visited with Mr. and Mrs. P. Staniforth over the week-end. Mr. Charles Baugh is remaining for a few days.

Mrs. Wilfred Morrison, who underwent an operation and is still confined to hospital, is expected to return home soon.

Mrs. Bert Champagne is a present confined to hospital in St. Jovite, where she is under observation. We all wish her a speedy recovery.

Darryl Rathwell and Barry Barth spent the week-end at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Rathwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Havelock and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Gray were guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. Gray, of Gray Valley, over the week-end.

PAPER EXHIBIT

Montreal (CP) — An exhibition depicting the early history of papermaking with rare speciments from many parts of the world was seen at the annual convention of the Canadian Pulp and Paper Association. The collection was provided by Ted Abrams of Montreal.

Watchman Want Ads bring results.

UNICEF receives $200,000 from Canadian children

In 1959 a gift of $200,000. was raised for the United Nations Children's Fund by youngsters across Canada who participated in "Hallowe'en for UNICEF", a substantial increase over the 1958 total of $135,000. In addition, purchases of UNICEF cards increased some 50% over the 1958 figure of $79,000. These totals were announced recently by Mrs. Jean Tory, National Chairman of the United Nations Association in Canada, Committee for UNICEF. "As a result of the success of these two programs", commented Mrs. Tory, "thousands of additional youngsters in underdeveloped countries will benefit from the milk and medicine which UNICEF provides".

Communities ranging from the small villages of Newfoundland and the western provinces, to the thriving cities of Ontario and Quebec all participated in UNICEF's Hallowe'en program. In most cases, the groups of children were sponsored by schools or churches, scout and guide groups, or by civic clubs. Educational programs prior to Hallowe'en stressed the conditions of disease and malnutrition which two-thirds of the world's children live with constantly. Films, stories, maps and posters helped to complete the idea of how UNICEF aid meant better and more productive lives for millions of youngsters each year. Facts such as these inspired former UNICEF supporters to surpass last year's goal, and encouraged thousands of new UNICEF contributors to participate. Children saw the Hallowe'en some of their benefits with others program as an opportunity to share as well as to have fun in a group project. Through the interest of these youngsters, the majority of Canadian citizens were able to help children all over the world on October 31st.

In March, a child will travel to the United Nations Building in New York to present a cheque for Canada's Hallowe'en gift to a UNICEF official. The child who will be chosen from among the UNICEF participants in Newfoundland, will be representing all the children of our country who shared their Hallowe'en benefits with others. In previous years, youngsters from the central and western provinces have been selected as Canada's delegates in this venture.

UNICEF is the organization which specializes in the improvement of the welfare of children and mothers in under-developed countries. It is supported entirely by voluntary contributions of governments and individuals. UNICEF helps mainly by supplying medicine, food and equipment for maternal and child welfare services. Last year over 55,000,000 children and mothers in 104 countries were aided, and allocations totalling $28,000,000. were approved by the thirty-nation Executive Board which governs UNICEF's financial assistance programs. The countries which received help, matched UNICEF's contributions by an equal amount or more thus proving their eagerness to attain a better standard of living.

Through the increased sale of UNICEF Greeting Cards and the substantial participation in the Hallowe'en program, the Canadian Committee for UNICEF was again able to report in 1959 that millions of our citizens had contributed to the health and happiness of "all the world's children".

St. Andrews East

Service for the World's Day of Prayer, held in the Presbyterian Church on Friday afternoon, with Mrs. W. H. Reid presiding, was well attended by the ladies of the three Protestant Churches.

The mothers of the community arranged a sleigh drive for the junior children (9 and under), on Saturday afternoon. Mr. J. Proulx provided the horses and sleigh. After the drive, which was thoroughly enjoyed by all, the children were served refreshments in the basement hall of the United Church.

Miss Rosemary Gagnon, R.N., of the Montreal General Hospital, spent the week-end with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Rodger.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Parker, of St. Martin, spent Sunday with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Parker.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Lafontaine Jr., of Pointe Claire, spent Sunday with Miss Bea Hadrill. Mrs. Lafontaine, Sr., who had been visiting Miss Hadrill, returned home with them.

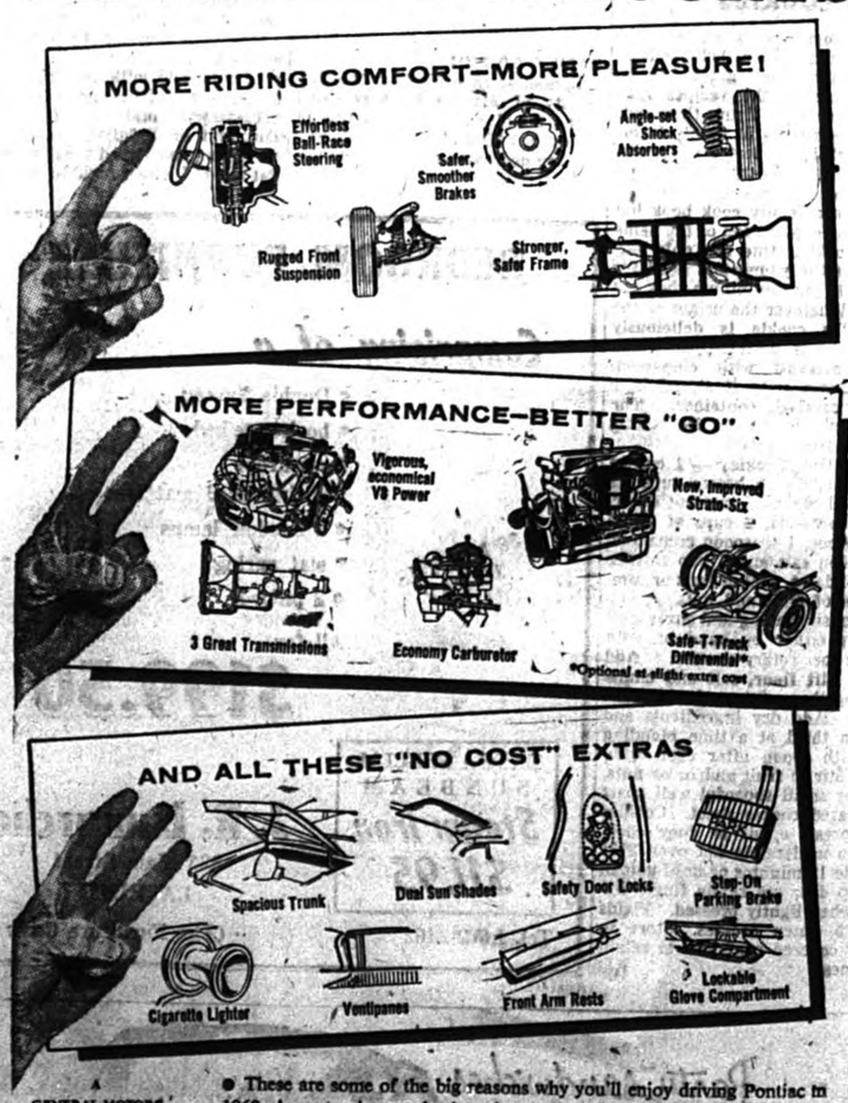
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Duster and the 'Dolly' key to Scot curling

My first curling game in Scotland was played with in the friendly confines of the Ayre Ice Rink which all true Scots know is only a skip's roar from the home of Scotland's immortal bard, Robbie Burns. John Watson, of Ayre, who disclaims any relationship to my genealogical tree was my host and opposing skip. After the preliminary introductions to the players over a wee dram in the club rooms I was ushered out onto the ice surface where a brush and a "duster" were shoved into my unexpecting hands. Presumably they represented the official insignia of a skip's authority so I tried not to look alarmed.

To tell the truth I was familiar with the traditional brush or "coo" which had been used by the touring Scots in Canada, but the "duster" had me cornered. It was a piece of light yellow flannel around fourteen inches square. Just when I wondered if I should mop my perspiring brow with it I looked about at the games on either side and saw dusters to the left of me and dusters to the right of me. Some were lying crumpled on the handle of a stone in the rings, some were tucked under the front rim of a rock and other lay sprawled on the ice many feet in front of the rings. Obviously they weren't being used by the skips for blowing their noses.

By this time my lead player was crouched and waiting impatiently at the hack. John Watson, sensing my consternation and abysmal ignorance, then took pity and explained to me that the position of the duster on the ice simply indicated to the player the ultimate destination of his stone. Henceforth, with an air of bravado that belied my inner feeling of foolishness, I deposited the duster in the manner of a flirtatious mademoiselle dispensing her favors by daintily dropping her perfumed hankerchief.

A few days later I hade the exhilarating experience of curling outdoors on Todd's Mill Pond at Lasswade just outside of the beautiful city of Edinburgh. This time, as skip, an oversized broom and a solid wooden object shaped like a five pin bowling ball were thrust into my hands. They told me the wooden bottle was called a "dolly" and it took the place of a duster in outdoor curling. This provided some reassurance as I felt I could handle a bottle more expertly than a duster so the game was on. But this was only the beginning of the story. After the match, while we gathered before the warmth of an open fireplace in Leonard Todd's home and the Scotch mist had somehow reappeared indoors, our host revealed the story of the evolution of the dolly.

A half century ago, Todd recounted, the Scots curlers on the lochs had actually used a hollow, wooden bottle to mark the spot on which to place a draw or a guard. This bottle contained an elixir to toast the victors after the game or console the pangs of the vanquished. And woe betide any curler who dared throw enough weight to shatter the thin frame that housed its rewarding contents.

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½ doz. Plain Tea Biscuits
Chocolate Cake, square and iced
Chocolate Fudge Candy, 6 pces.
Maple Cream Candy, 6 pces.
½ Doz. Squares Dream Cake
½ doz. Cupcakes, fancy iced
½ doz. Plain Bran Muffins
One Pint Salad Dressing, boiled with recipe attached

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Provincial Mines Department opens pilot plant for research and study

"Quebec is the only province having a plant equipped with the machinery capable of handling tons of ore for sampling and treatment purposes," it was stated recently by the Hon. W. M. Cottingham, Minister of Mines. The plant, one of the most important of its type in all America, containing sampling and treatment mills for metallic and non-metallic substances, as well as an asbestos mill, is located in Quebec city.

Mr. Cottingham stressed in his speech the importance of the pilot plant, established because of the extraordinary expansion of the mineral industry in the province of Quebec. He said:

"At the beginning of the century, the annual value of the mineral production in the province of Quebec stood at the $2,500,000 level. Twenty-five years later, it was less than $24,000,000. In 1950, half a century later, it had reached a little more than $200,000,000.



The Hon. W. M. Cottingham, Minister of Mines, photographed during a radio address at the opening of the new plant.

But in 1959, in the span of only nine years, it had more than doubled and totalled $460,000,000.

This rapid and almost incredible expansion in the exploitation of the mineral resources of our province — and economists anticipate it will continue at the same accelerated pace — made imperative the renovation and centralization of a research and treatment center in keeping with the needs of the mineral industry of the province.

On the other hand, since economic conditions demand more exacting technique in the extraction of metals, it is essential that the operator, the prospector, the geologist and the engineer have access to up-to-date scientific data to ensure the survival of their industries and the development of new projects.

We began planning in 1958 for the construction of this pilot plant.

Why has this huge scientific laboratory been built?

To use a very simple comparison, the aim is to assess our underground crops, for the benefit of mine operators, just as the farmer can obtain from experts information which makes it possible for him to assess the worth of his crops and suggestions to improve them.

The establishment of the pilot plant of the Quebec Department of Mines is more than a dream at last come true for those responsible for the management of our mining industry.

Above all, it represents the importance of that industry, now ranking third in the Province for the gross value of its production. And it underlines once more the role played by the Department of Mines and its growth.

It is a multiple role. First of all, a regulating one. Thanks to the legislation under which it operates, and also the legislation it sponsors, the department enforces laws setting rules under which the industry operates.

But it can probably be said that the most important aspect of that role is one of encouragement and assistance for those who, under our system of private enterprise, are responsible for the exploitation of our immense underground resources.

Throughout the years, as our mining industry was developing, the department has increased the number of technical services, aimed at providing this needed assistance to operators: laboratories of all types as well as various services which make it possible to discover, assess and evaluate the mineral substances which are a large part of our tremendous natural resources.

The pilot plant is the greatest achievement in the setting up of this network of technical services. And it will play a dual role of tremendous importance.

It will become a study and research center second to none for those who, in ever increasing numbers, enter a scientific career in one or other of the allied branches of the industry.

It will also be in a position to assist the industry itself to a degree impossible up to now, thanks to its modern equipment, with an efficiency greater than ever before in spite of the importance of the co-operation already available."

Sun and stars navigate bird migration

Recent experiments have indicated fairly conclusively that birds were using the sun and stars as navigation devices in their annual migrations long before man discovered these methods.

Dr. Gustav Kramer of Germany proved through elaborate cage experiments that starlings, which fly by day, use the sun as a compass and adjust their course to the sun's changes in position as the day goes on. Homing experiments also showed that other day fliers used rivers and mountains as guides.

What about those that fly by night? German scientist Dr. Franz Sauer discovered from studying the Old World warbler that they use the stars. At their first sight of the sky they automatically know the direction in which to migrate. And they have a sort of built-in time clock to adjust their course as the night goes on.

Another researcher proved that if fog, clouds or rain obscure the stars, the birds become confused and their migration comes to a temporary halt.

The fall flight is triggered by changes in weather — the north-body. What is still a mystery is where within the bird's body, the orientation systems are located and how they evolved.

Warden opposes wolf hunts

Buckingham, Que., —CP— Osias Lepine, Buckingham district game warden, says organized wolf hunts are "dangerous and ineffective".

He said he was not in favor of the three organized hunts held since Jan. 24 in the Blanche lake district 18 miles northeast of here. Another hunt scheduled recently was cancelled because of stormy weather.

Mr. Lepine said only two wolves were killed in the first three hunts while his department destroys some 30 wolves each year without risk to hunters.

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Prospector Ernest Root, 57, is now a student at McMaster university in Hamilton, Ontario. Ernest is in his first year Arts and General Science. He has been searching for gold and minerals in the Rockies and Northern Ontario for 20 years and is also a lay minister of the United Church near Simcoe, Ontario. Ernest shown with classmate Johan Watts, 19, hopes to become an ordained minister after completing the four-year course.

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FIGHT MOTHS

Huntingdon, Que. (CP) — The federal government has set out catchers in southern Quebec to fight Canada's third infestation of gypsy moths in 36 years. The first outbreak of the tree-destroying moths was south of Montreal in 1924, followed by an outbreak in New Brunswick in 1937.

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 us your question. We will obtain an answer and publish it in this column.

Following are some questions with answers which may be of interest to you:

Q. — In October, I worked for my brother cutting corded wood and logs and my brother sold the lumber on the market. I would like to know whether he had the right to buy me stamps for this period of employment. To what denomination was I entitled?

A. — You have not given enough information for us to determine if you are entitled to unemployment insurance stamps. We would advise you to get in touch with your local National Employment Office and give full particulars so that a proper ruling can be given.

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Q. — I do housework and I am paid by the week. Would I be entitled to insurance benefits?

A. — Housework in a private home is not insurable employment. You cannot pay unemployment insurance contributions for such work and therefore you could not qualify for benefit by reason of having worked in this kind of employment.

* * *

Q. — Will you tell me if a man can make contributions for employees working to build a house for another person. He hires the men and pays them on a daily basis.

A. — If a man contracts to build a house for another party, he becomes an independent contractor and must pay unemployment insurance on behalf of his employees. Before paying unemployment insurance, however, the contractor should consult his local National Employment Office to determine if he is actually responsible as an employer.

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Q. — Can a man who is receiving fishing benefits cut wood to build a house?

A. — A person who is cutting wood to build a house for himself while receiving benefits would not necessarily be disqualified for this reason, providing he could prove that his activities did not interfere with his availability for employment.

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Q. — If I started a little restaurant, would it affect my husband's unemployment insurance benefits?

A. — If your husband is claiming you as a dependent, it is quite possible his rate of benefit would be affected, particularly if your earnings from the business exceed $14 per week. Your husband should supply full particulars to his local office in order to obtain a decision.

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Playroom piano in black and white

An antique white piano for the playroom may sound like film star luxury for a woman, but it's a practical possibility if there's a do-it-yourself fan in the house.

Mrs. Rene Lamarre, of nearby Pierrefonds, has this luxury in her basement playroom. Her recipe calls for a handy husband, an old-fashioned 40-year old piano, a few yards of antique white "Fabrilite" wall covering and about 20 hours work.

First of all renovator Rene removed the old curved legs and gave the piano a more modern appearance by enclosing the top of the sound-board with a cupboard door, and by placing a false top further down. Above the door there are shelves which hold souvenirs and books and reach to the ceiling.

When the piano had acquired a new-fashioned look Rene proceeded to give it a new finish.

He sandpapered the varnished surface and took off nine removable parts. The front panel usually slides out of place and the lid, front edges and blocks beside the keys are fastened by screws. When these parts are removed only the sides and curved arms supporting the keyboard remain.

Cutting the material to fit the different parts of the piano is a tricky job, and Rene managed it with care and patience. The modern legs were inserted after the supporting blocks had been covered and holes cut in the "Fabrilite" to fit them.

The adhesive Rene has found most successful for use with "Fabrilite" is Lepage's Stickfast No. 1855.

"I am delighted with my new piano," said Mrs. Lamarre. "The children practice on it, but because it's easy to wipe clean, it always looks smart."

Tips on Touring

By Carol Lane

Women's Travel Authority



Buying a new car this spring? If so, give the thought the investment demands. A car is the most expensive thing most of us buy — except a house.

Here are some tips to consider when making that exciting purchase:

Buy from an established, reputable dealer. If you know him personally, so much the better.

Read the sales contract — all the way through. Be sure the exact price of the car is noted in the contract. Have the contract signed by the sales manager or other executive of the dealership.

Be sure all specifications — color, upholstry, and extras — are listed in the contract.

If you trade in an old car, make certain the contract states that the trade-in price remains firm between time of purchase and delivery time of new car.

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Four local residents to receive Papal medals from Bishop

His Excellency, Msgr. Emilien Frenette, Roman Catholic Bishop of the St. Jerome diocese will diverge from his pastoral visits in the three local parishes of Greater Lachute, to award four Papal decorations and 12 diocesan decorations.

This Sunday, March 20, at the Ste. Anastasie morning mass, Dr. Marc Papineau will be the recipient of the Auguste Cross **Pro Ecclesia et Pontifice,** for duties



Dr. Marc Papineau

performed while acting as Chairman of the Diocesan Charities Committee; and the Papal Medal **Bene Merenti** will be presented to Fernahd Berthiaume, Chairman of the editorial committee of "Action", the diocesan publication. Recipi-



Fernand Berthiaume

ents of the Diocesan Gold Medal of Merit will be Miss Annonciade Leger, Gaetan Cousineau, Roger Lagarde and Fernand Legault, Q.C.

The following Sunday, March 27, Mrs. Richard Ayers, diocesan president of the Independent Catholic Women's League will be the recipi-



Mrs. Richard Ayers

ent of the Papal Auguste Cross **Pro Ecclesia et Pontifice.** Diocesan Gold Medal of Merit recipients will be Miss Laurette Leduc and Roger Depratto. Mrs. Roger Gravel will receive the Diocesan Silver Medal of Merit.

At the Immaculate Conception Parish Church, the ceremonies will take place Sunday, April 3, at which time the Papal Medal **Bene Merenti** will be presented to Paul Emile Barbeau, former diocesan



Paul Emile Barbeau

president of the local Société St. Jean Baptiste. Diocesan Gold Medal of Merit recipients will be Germain Poulin and Arthur Villemaire, while Silver Medal recipients will be Miss Andree Dubé and Conrad H. Legault.

4-H Calf Club starts new season

The Lachute 4-H Calf Club was re-organized for another season at a meeting held last Wednesday, March 2, in the Science Lecture Room of Lachute High School. Election of new officers was held, the results of which were: Ronald Bain, president and Judy Hadley, vice-president. Secretary-treasurer is Kenneth Rodger.

Ross Oswald is again Club Leader with Donald Parker and Davis MacVicar as Assistant Leaders.

Donald Robertson, the Federal Livestock Fieldman, spoke on the farm marketing situation and the change in Agriculture that is taking place. The members found his talk interesting and educational.

Mr. Donat Martin, the new local Agronome, was introduced to the club members by Ross Oswald, who said he is looking forward to working with Mr. Martin in every way possible to help make the Club a success, and hoped the members would do the same.

The next meeting is tentatively planned for April 13, however, further information would be in the Coming Events of The Watchman at a later date.

Ross Oswald thanked the members for their co-operation in making the club a success during the past year; Donald Robertson for his talk to the members; and Mr. Paré, the former agronome, for his past assistance.

Contributions to Heart Fund appeal

Additional contributions to the Heart Fund reported by Chairman Gilbert E. Ayers are as follows:

Leonard Ayers $50; Beaton Pharmacy $50; Giles Publishing $10; Gaëtan Leclair $10; Fernand Legault $10; Robert Legault $5; R. McArthur & Son $20; Andrew A. Nicoll $10; Jacques Paquette $5; H. M. Stephens $25; and Clément Tremblay $10.

Murderer of former resident is hanged

Montreal, (C) — Ernest Côté was hanged early last Friday in Bordeaux Jail.

The 37 years of his life, many of them spent in jail, ended behind bars at 12.08 a.m. E.S.T.

Côté was convicted last Nov. 14 at Hull, of the shooting murder of Alexandre Heron, manager of a bank at Temiskaming, Que., and former bank manager at Arundel. The jury did not recommend mercy and Côté did not appeal the death sentence.

"I'm sorry that it has to be that way", said Côté when Bordeau Governor Lt.-Col. Charles E. Gernaey brought the news that the Cabinet had decided not to interfere with the death sentence.

"He was expecting that decision," said Col. Gernaey.

Sheriff Ulric Laurencell said Côté had been calm during the day but grew violent as the hour of hanging approached. During the evening he hurled himself against the wall of his cell and injured himself slightly.

He refused the last mass Roman Catholic convicts are entitled to and was hanged 30 minutes earlier than had been expected. The mass had been scheduled for midnight.

B'burg Council gets fire report and sets snow equipment rates

By M. E. Cowley

The top item in the agenda of the Brownsburg Council on Monday evening was the fire department report given by Fire Chief Arthur Robbins. This department was called upon to answer five alarms during the month, three of which were confined to chimneys, one concerned what could have developed into a catastrophe and the other turned out to be a false alarm. Chief Robbins indicated that while he believed everyone should turn in an alarm when a fire does occur, it would be advantageous to definitely say whether or not a fire does actually exist.

The 1959 fire department report as presented by Chief Robbins pointed out the following facts:

	1958	1959
Fires		
In Brownsburg	15	14
Outside Brownsb'g	6	5
Fire losses		
In Brownsburg,	$ 480.	$2,870.
Outside B'burg,	$174,000.	$8,900.

Types of fires encoutered during the year were broken down as follows:

Chimneys 9; Space Heaters 1; Bush Fires 1; Grass and Leaves 2; Truck 1; Stove Pipes 1; and Buildings 4, for a total of 19.

No injury or loss of life was involved in the fires, but with the frequency of chimney fires, it is possible that one of these could develop into a dangerous blaze very quickly, thereby bringing about loss of life, the Chief said.

Correction

In a report of the Lachute Women's Institute annual meeting, carried in last week's Watchman, the sum of a bequeathment by the late Miss Mary Miller was erroneously reported. This sum which was turned over towards the building of a home for senior citizens, should have read $9,627.60.

Council approved payment of monthly vouchers amounting to $4,521.73 and then spent some time in discussing the rental rates for town snow-clearing equipment.

Equipment may be rented as follows:

Snow-blower — $15 per hour ($10 minimum) in Brownsburg; $20. per hour outside of town.

Tractor loader — $6 per hour in Brownsburg; $10 per hour outside of town.

Snow plow — same as blower.

Truck — $3 per hour.

Council received a request to consider installation of sewerage facilities on College Ave. The request could not be complied with last year, but conditions are apparently in a sorry state and will not improve until town services are put in.

Carillon resident succumbs to burns received recently

Omer Lefebvre, a former resident of Carillon reported to be in his 70's, died on Tuesday of last week, following burns received the previous Friday. He was being treated in Hotel Dieu Hospital, St. Jerome, at the time of his death.

According to Dr. Andre L'Allier, St. Andrews physician who treated the victim, an invalid, it appears as if Mr. Lefebvre set fire to his beard and clothing while lighting his pipe. He was living with his wife and sister-in-law, but was alone at the time of the incident. He apparently attempted to extinguish the flames, and while so doing was seriously burned about his head, back, chest, arms and abdomen.

The accident occurred in St. Andrews East, where he had been living since the expropriation of his Carillon property.



Local farmers hear talk on milk cooling method

A number of local Milk Producers and Shippers to Lowe Bros. Dairy Ltd., attended a meeting at the dairy on March 3, at which Dr. J. P. Dorion, local veterinarian, delivered an address on animal health, disease prevention, detection and treatment, and emphasized the relationship of a cow's health to dairy products. Bob Carrière, of National Dairies Ltd., Ottawa, spoke to the gathering concerning the importance of cooling milk to retard bacterial growth and subsequent multiplication, and explained various techniques and operational procedures of the "Bulk Cooling System". The above photo shows Mr. Carrière displaying an album containing pictures of different phases of the system in action. He stated that National Dairies has had this system in operation for three years, and as evidenced by documents he produced, has achieved good results.

Photo, Syd Drew

Rotary hears talk on history and British West Indies trade

Sam Stephens, a native of the West Indies, was guest speaker at the regular meeting of the Brownsburg-Lachute Rotary Club last Thursday evening. Presently employed by the Bank of Montreal, in their head office, Montreal, a part of Mr. Stephen's talk is reproduced here:

"My first contact with the Rotarians was some years ago, when I first came to Canada as a student. It was at a reception for foreign students attending Montreal universities, given by the Rotary Club in Montreal. I can say that the warmth of our hosts — reminiscent of West Indian sunshine — certainly left a lasting impression on those of us who had the good fortune to be your guests. At these functions we not only had a chance to meet people from other countries, but we also experienced early in our stay here, a touch of true Canadian hospitality."

But what intrigued me most was your genuine interest in people from all parts of the world, an interest, I may add, that is a prerequisite for better understanding among nations and people in the world today. We in the West Indies are very much aware of this. In fact the people of the West Indies are the most heterogeneous in the world. As one Jamaican poet expressed himself:

"Dark people singing in my veins —
Fair people singing in sweet strains
And when I lift my hands to pray,
I bow with blue eyes, dark hands, red hair."

If you place developments in these islands, now comprising The West Indian Federation, in their historical perspective, you will readily grasp the inevitability of their multiracial character. When the islands were first discovered in the fifteenth century, the native population was the Carib Indians. They were not adaptable to the heavy labor burdens imposed upon them in the wake of Columbus' voyages, and a slow dissolution of their race began. Today a few may be found on reserves in Dominica but they play no significant part in the life of the Caribbean islands, where they live in unmolested tranquility."

"In the early days, entire families emigrated from Europe to the islands to settle and transform them into sugar plantations. But these Europeans found it difficult to withstand the region of the tropics, with the reslt that the west coast of Africa was raided for slaves to work on the plantations. The settlers transplanted the customs and habits of their mother country so that each island took the way of life of the country to which it was attached.

"When you visit Barbados, for instance, and I notice in the Montreal papers that residents from this area often go south to escape freezing temperatures, you will notice that Barbados is reminiscent of England. In fact it is often referred to as "Little England". Barbados actually is unique in that it has always been British. Jamaica, after a short period of Spanish rule, has had uninterrupted British tutelage for more than 300 years. But the other islands, including Trinidad and Tobago, have been exposed to the Latin influence of Spain and France as well as England. Tobago, for example, changed hands as many as eight times."

"In all these islands you will notice that the customs and habits introduced by the Europeans, have been greatly modified by influence of slaves and indentured immigrant workers; initially by the African negroes who have preserved many of their native traits and later, after emancipation by the Hindus, Moslem and Chinese brought out to work on the sugar estates."

You may wonder why I give you a brief history of the West Indians! I think you, in fact all Canadians, should be very much aware of this grouping of peoples. For not only will the West Indies be an independent member of the Commonwealth in the near future, but the area with its three million people is now Canada's 3rd trading partner in order of rank. This latter is becoming even more significant as Canada tries to expand its markets. In fact this is not new. Canada has had long and strong trading ties with the West Indies. In early times Canadian trade with the West Indies was confined within narrow limits, being essentially with the Maritime Provinces, and consisting mainly of the exchange of sugar, molasses and rum, for fish, forestry and vegetable products. The idea of deliberately encouraging two-way trade gained momentum after Canadian Confederation, and came into sharp focus at the turn of the century."

The guest speaker gave additional trade information on Canada and the West Indies, pointing out that Ayers Limited, a local textile concern, has an office in Barbados. He concluded his informative address by stating "Developments in the tourist industry are no less significant as the charms of the West Indies climate, countryside, beaches and happy people attract growing numbers of tourists. What is technically termed by economists an "invisible" export, is becoming a major contributor to the growth and prosperity of these islands."

Local youth injured in hit and run accident Saturday

Clifford McRae, 21-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward McRae, of R.R. 1, Lachute, was the victim of a hit and run accident near his home on Route 8, in the Parish of St. Jerusalem.

The accident occurred early on Saturday evening and the injured youth was taken to the Providence Hospital, where he was treated for two fractured legs by Dr. André Sauvé. He was then transferred to the Montreal General Hospital.

Traffic Officers Ronald Massie and Samuel Kielle investigated.

Plans underway for re-building of Recreation Centre

Several meetings relative to the reconstruction of the Lachute Recreation Centre have been held. The building, located on Lachute Road, was destroyed by fire early in December of last year. According to J. Henri Legault, owner of the burnt-out enterprise, work on a new building is expected to get underway shortly, and the opening is hoped for in June. The plans are now being prepared and a committee of three trustees have been named.

At present, a subscription campaign is underway among local and professional businessmen; an appeal to the general public will be made before long. This subscription will be in the form of tickets which will allow 20 admissions to the new centre. A sympathetic feeling towards Mr. Legault in his loss, has been in evidence throughout the town, since the fire, and according to reports, the subscription drive should be a real success.

Home and School hears speakers; amends sections of constitution

Parents and teachers attending the meeting of the Lachute and Distric Home and School Association March 9, heard two interesting speakers in the persons of J. Elliott, an agricultural fieldman from Macdonald College, and J. M. Jackman, from the Personnel Department of TCA, Montreal. It was disappointing that none of the Grade XI students were present at the meeting, as both speakers had expected them, and spoke on their topics accordingly.

At the business meeting held prior to the talks, and which was presided over by Mrs. John Thorpe, in the absence of Garnet Pride, several amendments to the Constitution that had previously been discussed by the executive were read out. The amendments were voted on and seconded by the Association and will now be written into the Constitution with a view to clarifying the dates of some of the executive officers, and the positions of various committees. The members of the Association also voted to give $25 to the "Lampada", the school year-book.

Next month's meeting, being the annual one, the nominating committee, consisting of George Rodger, A. Vessie, Mrs. J. D. McOuat, and Mrs. S. Patterson, will present the proposed slate of officers for 1960-61, and there will be reports from the rest of the committees on this year's work.

Mr. Elliott, of Macdonald College, in his talk, mentioned that since this was Education Week, we should all be made more aware of education and its importance in our lives. As he stated, "the maximum school age should change from 16 to 75 years to encourage people to continue learning". Speaking of his own specialty, which is agriculture, he said "that my field offers a great challenge, because its opportunities are so many and varied, particularly in this country where agriculture is of prime importance. It is a fact that Canada could supply the whole world with food," he added.

"Agriculture and its many branches touches all walks of life, from the farmer whose work makes all other branches possible, through to the consumer who uses agricultural products in every conceivable form. Various branches of agriculture include general agriculture, which is a working knowledge of all fields of agriculture, and offers the most job-opportunity, and agricultural economics, agricultural engineering, animal science (and its branches), agronomy, bacteriology, entemology, horticulture (from, spraying to landscaping) and many other related fields. Agriculture is a four-year course at Macdonald College, leading to a degree. The first two years are a general course, and the last two study in any chosen specialty".

The second speaker, Mr. Jackman, was a strong enthusiast for the airline business, which he said is progressive, satisfying, and exciting. It also offers opportunities for jobs in many different positions for engineers, architects, draftsmen, technicians, clerical workers, passenger agents, plumbers, truck drivers, not to mention pilots and stewardesses. TCA will train its employees in most lines, but a preliminary training in the chosen line is a big asset when seeking employment with the company. Junior matriculation is the minimum educational requirement for most positions, plus good health, appearance, and a sense of responsibility." Mr. Jackman stressed that the opportunity for advancement in TCA is good and well worth working for.

Ernest Gow introduced the two speakers, and thanked them, on behalf of the Association, for having made the trip from Montreal, and for their interesting talks. The meeting adjourned for coffee in the Household Science Room.

General business discussed by Ayersville Council members

Routine business filled the agenda of the regular meeting of the Ayersville Council presided over by Mayor Gaetan Paquette on Monday of last week. The majority of the meeting was occupied with the reading of correspondence. Councillors Wilfrid Durocher and Napoleon Corbeil were absent.

Following a request from the "Carrefour de Livre de Lachute", the week of March 27 to April 3 was decreed "Library Week in Ayersville". A donation of $50 was voted to the Red Cross and the Bell Telephone Company was authorized to move a pole facing the Quenneville and Morrissette garage.

It was reported that the Town of Lachute had consented to answer fire calls from all citizens of Ayersville, on the receipt of a signed resolution agreeing to pay the charges levied by this service. On their side, Ayersville requested the Town of Lachute to set a tariff that could be sent to the Department of Municipal Affairs for approval. Accounts for the month, totalling $5,220.81, were approved for payment.

Ovila Desbiens, in a letter addressed to Council, claimed the sum of $48.75 for damages to his stairway by the municipal tractor; the incident is alleged to have taken place in mid-February at 43 Chatham Street.

Reception was also acknowledged of a claim of damage to the biblical board in front of the French Baptist Church, reported to have been caused by the Municipal snow plow. These claims were turned over to the insurance company for investigation.

The mayor then read a letter from Hebert Adjustment Bureau Ltd., asking for a covering resolution and a $50 cheque for the deductible clause, in a claim, following a recent accident in which the municipal truck was involved.

Seventeen building permits were approved in favor of Riverview Construction; an additional permit in favor of Rheo Lavergne, was held for further information.

Mayor Paquette then read a letter from Tony's Service Station replying to a request on the part of the Council for a clarification of bills totalling $240.75.

A vote of thanks was then extended the Ayersville Carnival organizers who, according to Mayor Paquette, "did an excellent job bringing good publicity to our municipality".

It was decided to install five mercury street lights at a cost of $55 each, on Hamford Street between Tessier and Ayers Streets. Permission was granted the Bell Telephone Company and the Gatineau Power Company to install the necessary lines behind Richelieu Blvd. properties. There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned until March 16.



Final Community Concert program next Wednesday

The Montreal Bach Choir, which will conclude the local Community Concerts season on Wednesday evening next, March 23, in a performance at the Lachute High School Auditorium. The choir founder and musical director, George Little, is seen in the front row of the above photograph. Wayne Riddell, a well-known local musician, will be singing with the choir in next week's performance, which will get underway at 8.30 p.m.

Argenteuil Outdoors

A column for the sportsman

— By BOB ATCHISON —



The latest reports from Ducks Unlimited (Canada) certainly bears out last year's poor hatchings due to drought, predators, etc. An interesting study of the action of predators on the Duck nests has been going on in Alberta during the past three years. The nests observed showed a 42 per cent destruction by crows, magpies, ground squirrels and the like. In the Prairie area it was up to 56 per cent due to skunks, badgers, weasels, etc. You begin to wonder how any young would ever hatch out against these odds. Nature sure has wonderful ways of making up up the balance. Of course, we humans can help a lot in this too. I don't remember just where I got this "dope" from, but for every duck shot, seven are lost. Even with the high destruction by nature, you can see we sportsmen sure do a lot more.

On Peelee Island, in the Georgian Bay district, they have both pheasants and deer. They open a season for pheasant-shooting every year. It's been poor for the hunters in that line and they decided to get rid of some of the killers. These were cats that had been taken out by cottagers and just left behind when the owners departed. There were an estimated 600 taken off the island, all wild and very much killers. Traps were supplied by the Humane Society for capturing them. Some of them will be put up for adoption, the others not suitable will be destroyed. It sure makes me think of the cats left in the summer cottages around our own district. The ways of man are wonderful — leave everything just where it is, if a little work happens to enter into the return home of a pet.

The racoon is also getting into the act of destruction in a sizeable way, out west. Not many were seen there until recently; they are now spreading out rapidly and establishing a good foothold. Some of them have been caught as far north as Cold Lake in the Athabasca district. Get a bunch of them in a duck breeding area and no ducks. One thing they haven't got too much trouble with is the gulls. Thank goodness there's some place where they don't have to be watched.

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A news item in March 2 issue of The Watchman gives us something to think about. The Northwestern Ontario Associated Chambers of Commerce have asked the Ontario Government to enact laws that will make a person guilty of criminal negligence in any shooting accident. They claim any person carrying a firearm has a responsibility to the public I think most sane hunters will more than agree with this. We all have seen characters who shouldn't be trusted with a cap pistol, let alone a dangerous weapon. Let's hope this rubs off in Quebec.

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The fishing has not been too good for the past week or so, and from all indications, the winter fishing is through. Last winter seemed to be much better than this, at least in the quality and quantity of the catches. So all we have to wait for now is the opening of the trout season. Not too far away, so it won't be too bad. For those who haven't taken a look at their fishing tackle, not used since the fall, better get at it right now.

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There have been a lot of enquiries for wild bird seed in Lachute, and I'm very sorry to say not a seed can be had around our district. I do think a lot of it would be sold for our feathered friends, so how about it, some of you store-keepers?. Now for the birds — we have a great number of Chicadees around the past few days, more than at any time this winter. The jays have shoved off for a time, but they'll be back. A number of starlings have been hanging out in the cedars, along with a couple of woodpeckers. We spotted three crows recently and they sure looked to be scrawny birds. They probably aren't, but they sure looked as though a bath wouldn't have done them any harm. Along with a few sparrows that are mooching, things look good. They sure do manage to pick up your spirits when you see them. At least you begin to think spring isn't too far away. True, we have seen most of them all winter, but they do look and sound a little better with the coming of spring. The partridge are not showing themselves very well just now. We did see some on the North River Road the other day. They seem to be in good condition and not suffering too much from the heavy snow.

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Just wondering how the North River is going to make out this year. From what I've seen of it, there is very little garbage strewn on the ice; this in itself is a pretty good sign. Of course some of it will probably be thrown in at the break-up, but it is good to see it clear, for a change. By the looks of things, the river is being deserted as a scrap heap, and the roads are being used instead — you must admit, they look awful. Even on the way to Brownsburg, you can see all kinds of junk in the ditches. What it is going to be like when all the snow is gone, remains to be seen. Not very pretty I'll bet. The sooner this practice is stopped, the better it will be for everyone concerned. Maybe someone will come up with a solution. Even having paper bags in cars doesn't seem to help. As soon as they are full, they are thrown out on the road. It seems so useless to try and tidy up our countryside, when the litterbugs just spoil it.

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Close contest now in offing for United Ch. bowlers

After leading the 12-team league of the United Church Bowling Association for 13 weeks, the All Stars have now dropped to second place, giving way to the Red Wing team of Grace Rosser. With only two more weeks to go, the finality for the championship is still unsettled, as no less than six teams can win the prize. Playoff games start in two weeks, with the top four teams, and the last eight being divided into sections, and the winner of each section enters into the finals.

Lachute Lions' Skating Rink



Activities and Highlights of the Week

Numerous attractions were in the spotlight at the Lions Rink last week. Between hockey, broomball, fancy skating, etc. onlookers and participants were kept busy. An event of particular interest for the teen-agers was the visit of a group of 40 girl students and ten nuns from the St. Raphael's Convent in Ontario. These ladies were guests of the Loisirs Ste. Anastasie joined the group and after skating and dancing, sandwiches and refreshments were served to the group by their hosts.

Pee-Wee League Playoffs:

The Lowe Bros. Shamrocks won the League Championship Trophy in a hectic game against Ayers Ltd., Sunday afternoon, in front of a large group of enthusiastic supporters. They defeated Ayers by a score of 1 to 0 but were sure of victory only after the final whistle had been blown.

The previous day, in the semi-final games, Ayers Ltd. defeated Boyd's Express, and Lowe's Shamrocks won over the Legion.

The Championship Trophy was awarded to the winners immediately after the final game on Sunday and the following players were awarded the "Most Valuable Player On Each Team Award": Lowe's Shamrock's, Carmen Lowe; Ayers Ltd., J. Boucher; Legion, Richard Maidens, and Boyd's, Billy Silverson.

Other Hockey Games:

Ayersville 8 vs.
St. Andrews East 6

St. Andrews East 7 vs.
St. Benoit 5

Broom-Ball Games:

Dow (Lachute) 2 vs. Pont Viau 0

Boyd's (Night shift) 2 vs.
Boyd's (Day shift) 1

Fancy Skating:

A number of pupils responded to our announcement last week and a first lesson was given last Sunday morning. The monitor, Mrs. Murray, better known under her maiden name of Miss Barbara Bryson, requests that all telephone arrangements are made direct with her in future at LO 2-6674.

Bombers oust Spitfires in four games of semi-final series

By Mander Gardiner

The Bombers made a clean sweep of the semi-finals by knocking out the Spitfires in four games. High scorers for the Bombers were Ouellette, Stewart and Racine. The series, although rough on occasions, produced some excellent hockey that was really appreciated by the fans. Although some of the referees did not seem to be too well versed in hockey rules, the pair in charge of the last game did an excellent job.

In the second series, Thuso has taken a 3-1 lead in games over Hawkesbury.

Brownsburg at Lachute

Tuesday, March 8

The Bombers took a two game lead in the semi-finals by defeating the Spitfires in an exciting game at Brownsburg. A crowd of well over 300 fans attended.

The Spitfires roared into the 'Burg zone at 1.07 of the first period and Vaillermet beat Buddy Racine with a neat shot. Ten minutes later, Cruise let go a blistering shot from the blue-line that Church stopped but Lamoureux was right there to knock in the rebound. With two minutes to go in the period and with Rodgers in the penalty box, Cruise attempted another slap shot; this time he barely touched the puck and it rolled under the startled Lachute netminder. Lalande and Ron Gionet put the Lachute squad out in front in the middle stanza as they both scored unassisted goals.

Ouellette tied the game early in the third stanza when he scored on a beautiful backhand shot while holding off St. André. Red Charlebois tallied what proved to be the winning goal a minute later, after taking a nice pass from Robitaille. Red also got the winning goal in last Sunday's game.

The 'Burg squad showed one of the finest team efforts to be seen in the local Arena this season, and everyone played well.

Standouts for the Lachute squad were Villermet and St. André.

Midway through the third period a fight broke out between Lamoureux and Dumais in the north end of the rink and spectators in the south end, naturally wanting to see the spectacle, crowded over the boards. Suddenly there was a crash and many fans hit the ice as about 50 feet of the boards collapsed. Miraculously, no one was injured, and after a short intermission the game was completed.

Lachute at Brownsburg

Thursday, March 10

Another crowd of 300 fans saw the Bombers take a 3-0 lead in the semi-finals as they beat the Lachute Spitfires 7-4 in an exciting game in the Brownsburg Arena.

Mel Stewart sank a pass from Ouellette to get things rolling for the Bombers. Ray Gionet tied the score at the 14 minute mark, but within a minute, Keatley scored twice to give the 'Burg a 3-1 lead. Charlebois got the last goal of the initial period assisted by MacAdam. Stewart made it 5-1 early in the middle stanza. Lalande and Ray Gionet also tallied for Lachute.

At 12.45 of the final period Ouellette picked up his first goal of the game and minutes later he made it 7-3. With less than a minute left in the game, Provost intercepted Cruise's clearing pass and went in to beat Buddy Racine.

Keatley, Charlebois, Ouellette and Stewart played hard aggresive games and were rewarded with the seven goals. On defence, MacAdam and Cruise played well while Buddy Racine again sparkled in nets.

Brownsburg at Lachute

Sunday, March 13

The Bombers ended the Spitfire's season by defeating them 7-5 in Brownsburg, to take the series in four straight games. The season's largest crowd (over 400) saw the Lachute squad give their utmost in this game and had it not been for Buddy Racine's excellent goaltending and a little hard luck, they could have been victorious.

Ouellette pushed the puck past Paul at the 12 second mark of the first period to start the scoring. Five minutes later, Legault picked up his first goal of the series, but within 10 minutes it was 2-1; Lalande beat Cruise to the puck and scored unassisted. Jacques Racine, back in the line-up after a two-game absence, tallied at 19.10 to end the scoring of the first period. In the second stanza, Lalande picked up his second goal making it 3-2, but Red Charlebois then dented the twine to keep the Bombers two goals ahead.

Early in the third stanza, Ron Gionet picked up a nice goal, but Racine tallied for the 'Burg minutes later. Then Lalande completed his "hat-trick" but Racine scored again, making it 6-4. At the 15 minute mark, Payer scored but Racine was still around and he picked up his fourth goal, the final goal in the game, making it 7-5.

The Bombers were short of defencemen and with Criuse playing a weak game, MacAdam and Legault had to carry most of the load. Stewart, Racine and Ouellette played well together and gathered 12 points amongst them. Buddy Racine made some fine catches and played his regular steady game. Charlebois, Lamoureux and Robitaille worked hard but could not produce more than one goal. Pilon and MacGibbon were used sparingly.

Anglican Bowling League

STANDING

Team	Skip	P	W	L	D	For	Agst.	Pts.
Rangers	(H. Maslin)	26	20	6	0	262	190	40
Woodpeckers	(W. Shearsmith)	26	16	9	1	229	212	33
Rockets	(R. Dempster)	26	13	13	0	227	216	26
Victorias	(G. Leggett)	26	11	13	2	217	226	24
Stars	(G. Silverson)	26	12	14	0	214	234	24
Beavers	(J. Sewell)	26	11	14	1	223	228	23
Teenagers	(M. Silverson)	26	11	14	1	217	225	23
Flyers	(Mrs. Dougall)	26	7	18	1	185	260	15

United Church Bowling League

STANDING

Team	Skip	P	W	L	D	For	Agst.	Pts.
Redwings	(Miss Grace Rosser)	14	9	3	2	141	106	20
All Stars	(Mrs. M. McFaul)	14	9	5	0	119	98	18
St. Pat's	(Gladys Davis)	14	9	5	0	117	94	18
St. George's	(Owen Todd)	14	8	4	2	128	110	18
East Settlement	(Les Gordon)	14	8	5	1	131	113	17
Beavers	(Miss M. Gordon)	14	8	5	1	111	128	17
St. Andrews	(Mrs. W. Bridge)	14	7	6	1	124	125	14
Teenagers	(Reg Stansfield)	14	6	7	1	139	114	13
Maple Leafs	(Mrs. D. Smith)	14	5	9	0	109	109	10
St. David's	(Willie Wilson)	14	4	9	1	113	133	9
Thistles	(Foster Campbell)	14	3	9	2	98	141	8
Bluebirds	(Mrs. H. Riddell)	14	3	10	1	106	141	7

Ladies' curling

The Ladies' Curling Club entertained out-of-town curlers at a luncheon and tea on March 8. Town of Mount Royal, Pte. Claire, Outremont and Royal Montreal played in the morning, with Royal Montreal the winner. In the afternoon, Hudson, Montreal West, Rosemère and St. George's played and Hudson won out. Conveners of the luncheon were Mrs. R. Fraser and Mrs. Bruce Bradford, while Mrs. Don McFaul and Mrs. H. Graves convened the tea.

Mrs. E. Pollock (skip), Mrs. J. McIndoe, Mrs. H. Graves and Mrs. F. Royal visited Thurso for a friendly game recently, while Mrs. Jas. McOuat (skip), Mrs. E. McFaul, Mrs. Mac Walker and Mrs. I. Gordon played in a friendly game at Heather last week, defeating Baie d'Urfé.

The last challenges of the season were played on March 9. Mrs. G. Mitchell's rink are holders of the Wilson Cup, defeating Mrs. F. Stein's rink, while Mrs. S. Jones rink beat the holders of the broomsticks, Mrs. E. Pollock's rink. On that day Mrs. MacTavish substituted for Mrs. Pollock.

The closing supper and presentation of prizes will be held on March 23. On account of the Community Concert that night, it is requested that all members be ready for supper at 5.15 sharp.

Final Q.O.H.L. Play-off Schedule

Should Thurso beat Hawkesbury on Tuesday night, thus ending that series, the final play-offs will probably go as follows:

Thursday, March 18 —
Brownsburg at Thurso

Sunday, March 21 —
Thurso at Brownsburg

Tuesday, March 23 —
Brownsburg at Thurso

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L.H.S. sports

By Ann FitzGerald

On Saturday, March 12, the Senior Girls Basketball team travelled to Hull for the O.V.S.A.A. Championship Tournament. In the first game, Lachute was defeated by Hull, 62-21.

The scorers for Lachute were Marilyn Underhill 10; Ann FitzGerald 4; Linda Jones 3; Pat Mitchell 2; and Dianne Davis 2.

In the final game Hull defeated Brownsburg to win the tournament.

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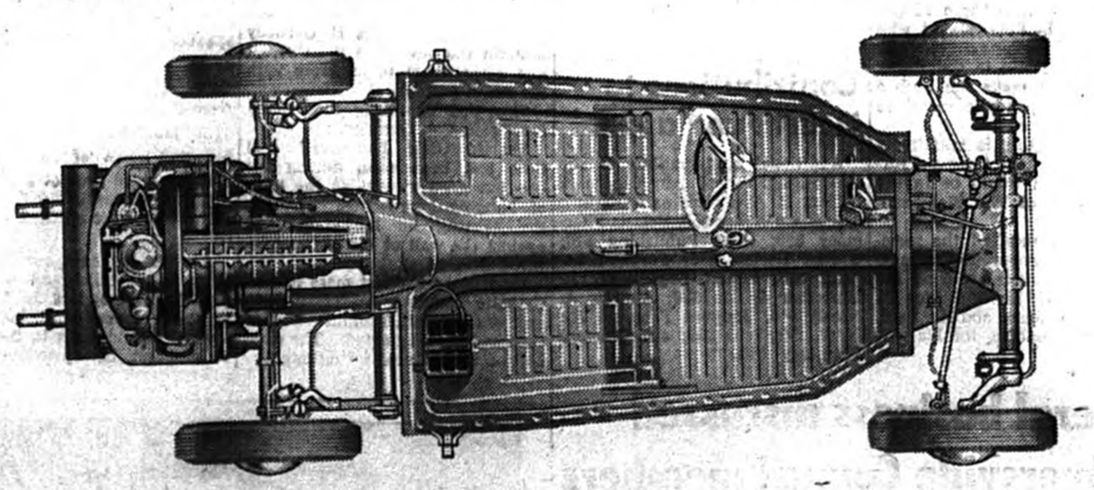
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EDITORIAL NOTES...

"In this Parliament are three Estates, the Lords Spiritual, the Lords Temporal and the Commons, but in the Reporters' Gallery yonder sits a Fourth Estate more important far than all."
— Edmund Burke

Headlights necessary when visibility is bad

BESIDES BEING DANGEROUS, it is illegal in most of Canada to drive a car on the highway with only parking lights on when visibility is restricted. The Canadian Highway Safety Council warns that provincial traffic regulations prohibit the operation of a vehicle which cannot be clearly seen at least 500 feet away. The Council urges all motorists to use headlights when driving after dusk or in blizzards, fog, sleet storms and heavy downpours of rain.

"Anyone who drove the streets and roads during some of the winter storms," said the Council, "can recall the difficulty in seeing other vehicles. The ones showing only parking lights loomed up, most times as dark shapes before the lights could be seen, but the cars with the headlights blazing could be identified long before the vehicles themselves became visible. Impaired visibility caused by insufficient light or unfavorable atmospheric conditions, added to windows and windshields obscured by snow, sleet, fog or rain, produce a deadly combination in moving traffic. The more identification a car can have at such times, the better chance the driver has of avoiding a crash."

Ira G. Needles of Kitchener, chairman of the Council, stated "Many of us who have driven cars for years remember when batteries could be run down easily and we formed the habit of not using bright lights lest we drain the battery. In modern cars, generator and battery capacities are so far ahead of the demands made on them by the vehicle's electrical system there is no economy in using parking lights for driving. In fact, doing so could result in the driver being charged with infraction of the law. The old economy should be discarded in the interest of visibility and increased protection."

Review the taxation situation

TAX CUTS ARE NEWS nowadays. That is why a report from Jackson, Mississippi, about tax changes has aroused so much interest far beyond the borders of the state. Legislature, it seems, has passed a bill cutting state income tax by as much as 50 per cent in the higher brackets, and boosting personal exemptions to $1,000.

In Canada, too, tax reform is becoming a lively issue nowadays. Evidence that this is so is found in a brief of the Canadian Chamber of Commerce to the Finance Minister urging a thorough overhall of the tax structure. Present tax structure is pretty much something which has been added to in bits and pieces as the need arose. Chamber rightly notes that "no one can say what is its real incidence, what are its effects on savings and incentives, what are the anomilies it perpetuates in security markets, or how it contributes to careless and wasteful practices."

Government should give prompt consideration to the proposal of Canadian Chamber of Commerce, that this country's tax structure, at all levels of government, should undergo thorough review. Matter is one of special urgency in view of fact that Canada in the sixties will face increasingly competitive market conditions at home as well as abroad. Incidence of taxation on production costs, on establishment of new industries, and on capital formation, calls for close scrutiny. Effect of taxation on personal incentives also requires review. No country, and no industry, can be expected to achieve peak productive efficiency when taxes are so onerous that risk-taking becomes no longer worth the candle.

Eskimos and art

NO ESKIMOS were visible at the gala white-tie opening of the new National Art Gallery in Ottawa recently.

For all that, the Eskimo has just added to his reputation as an artist whose talents are recognized far beyond Canadian boundaries.

He has always carved well — in bone, antler, ivory, and more recently in soft soapstone. Now his flair has been transferred, with the help of Japanese techniques, to paper.

The results are prints taken from flat stone blocks or sealskin stencils, colored with his own black or rust drawn from soot or iron ore. Imported colors add variety.

The northern affairs department, acting as sales agent for this new venture by Eskimos at Baffin Island's Cape Dorset community, expects from advance indications that demand will be strong.

New York dealers were enthusiastic. Canadian airlines are anxious to set up the prints as international advertisements of Canadian charms. The American Museum of Modern Art hastened to acquire some of the prints for its permanent collection.

Some are better than others and may become collector's items in their themes of Eskimo legend-hunting polar bear, caribou, fish and seal, or in simply depicting the Eskimos themselves as people.

Like the stone carvings praised so highly abroad, the prints will add needed income to the hunter-artists and their families.

Eskimos are not devotees of social hankypanky and perhaps they would not have enjoyed the National Gallery opening in any event. But from the standpoint of their contribution to Canadian art, they were missed.

A late complaint

THE STATE GOVERNMENT of Ohio is in serious trouble with Uncle Sam. Difficulty, it seems, is that mental and penal institutions run by the State have exceeded their quotas in the growing of wheat. Washington has imposed a fine of $28,000 on Ohio and plans to go to court if necessary to collect.

The situation could be ludicrous were it not so tragic. Quota restrictions on wheat production were imposed in order to reduce the unmanageable price-support-accumulated surplus. State institutions in Ohio have not helped Washington reduce surplus by growing wheat, even if it was intended to use the wheat to feed livestock and to make flour for the inmates.

Neither Ohio nor any other state government raised any protest when price-support system and, subsequently, acreage controls were introduced. Now according to Ohio Governor DiSalle, with a heavy fine confronting his state, a "constitutional question of great import" has been raised. That constitutional question is the right of the state of Ohio to run its own affairs as it sees fit without interference from Washington. Yet no state government troubled to lift a finger when Uncle Sam began to tell US farmers how to run their business.

Spring Fever is catching

IT'S BEEN A tough winter, all right, but spring has to come sometime. The astronomical calendar says spring this year arrives at 9.43 a.m., E.S.T., on Sunday, March 20.

Of course, that doesn't mean the sun will shine warmly on green grass and birds will burst into song as the official moment arrives. Echoing many earlier poets, the English philosopher Samuel Taylor Coleridge, who died in 1834, noted that "spring comes slowly up this way".

Only a couple of weeks before the vernal equinox, which marks the arrival of spring, most of Canada and large parts of the United States were still shivering in the longest cold snap of the winter.

A great storm dumped more snow in the Maritimes in the second week of March, on top of February storm which left 30 inches of snow in some areas. Ontario, unusually deep in snow during the winter, was further plagued by freezing rainstorms which twice tied up highways with a treacherous coating.

A continuous layer of snow in fact covered the ground as far south as the Carolinas and Kentucky late in March.

It's curious to think that about 50 years from now, today's young people will probably recall the "old-fashioned winter" of 1959-60.

Nowadays' of course, winter's attacks have different effects than in older times. Snow and freezing rain that cripple today's immense highway motor traffic, didn't hurt the old horse and buggy too much.

Farm-houses and even town homes were perhaps better equipped to withstand a siege in the old time winters, with their stocks of coal or wood for the heating and cooking stoves and oil for the lamps.

In the modern winter, an icing storm that topples power lines can instantly cut off the heating, cooking and lighting facilities of thousands of homes dependent on electricity.

Perhaps by the time 1960 has become an "old-fashioned" winter they will have worked out some new means of protection. But it is hardly likely that they will have worked out means to stop the temperature diving below zero, or to prevent the snow coming down.

Only Mother Nature can do that. And this year, she can't do it too soon.

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Springtime on the open road



"One more Spring and we'll have a subway".

The golden eggs

By C. J. Harris

Canadians take a justifiable national pride in the remarkable growth of industry, which has, in the past two decades, ranked this country sixth in the world industrially. Too, anyone who thinks about it acknowledges that our greater prosperity flows directly from this expansion of industry. But, paradoxically, we turn a blind eye to the possibility that we can lower our living standards by placing handicaps and penalties on big industry or big companies within industry. The situation has been likened to the story of the goose and the golden eggs by V. W. Scully, president of the Steel Company of Canada, talking to a convention of weekly newspaper editors.

"I sometimes wonder," said Mr. Scully, "why people (and there are many of them) are so suspicious of large companies, so ready to criticize, so eager to rejoice in their misfortunes. Even our governments often do the strangest things to strangle or hogtie or embarrass the very goose that lays the golden eggs.

"You may be surprised to know that in Western Canada today Canare being displaced by products of Japanese plants operated by workers at wages about one-sixth of ours. This sounds bad enough, but it is not all. Our Government is subsidizing the export to Japan of Canadian coal to make the steel to make the products to be sold in British Columbia and Alberta to pay for the coal. Perhaps the economists among you can figure that one out? And don't forget that as a result of these curious convolutions, some Canadian workers have lost their jobs.

"The advantages that North American manufacturers used to have by way of better tools, know-how, and capital have largely gone. In Europe and Asia — certainly in steel — many of the plants are every bit as good as ours. Technological data have been most freely given away in the interests of international pacification, and capital has been donated or loaned in stupendous amounts.

"In other words we must compete in our home margets when our output per man hour costs substantially more than that of our overseas competitors. How long this ridiculous state of affairs will be allowed to continue is anyone's guess. Actually we are driving ourselves into a position from which we shall find it very hard to escape — a position that could conceivably see the ruin of the great accomplishments of the past."

It is a strange situation. Because of the growth of industry that has taken place since 1939 Canadians are far more prosperous, and governments this year can spend ten times the money they spent that year. Yet the public generally registers almost no criticism of taxation and trade policies that could handicap industry to the extent of lowering living standards.

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Prepared by the Research Staff of Encyclopedia Canadiana

What Contract included a Grant of 25 Million Acres?

The contract entered into between the federal government and the Canadian Pacific Railway for the construction of the transcontinental line in 1880 contained several generous provisions, including a grant of 25,000,000 acres of land to be given in alternate sections of 640 acres in a belt 24 miles deep on each side of the railway. Other provisions included a subsidy of $25,000,000, the handing over of completed sections of government railway lines, repayment of the cost of surveys, exemptions from customs and taxes on materials and land for 20 years, and a 20-year monopoly over transportation south to the United States. The railway company was able to secure such generous terms from the government because of the widespread demand for early completion of the line, the tremendous difficulties of construction, and the easy availability of land resources. The transcontinental line was completed with the driving of the last spike on November 7, 1885. The first train left Montreal for Vancouver on June 28, 1886.

What was Chautauqua?

Younger readers will not remember the big tent, the wooden benches and the varied types of entertainment that characterized the Chautauqua program during the summer months in hundreds of Canadian communities after the First World War. The competition of movies and radio and then the advent of the Great Depression brought Canadian Chautauqua to an end. It was through Chautauqua (the name was borrowed from the Chautauqua Institution in New York State, which still operates) that thousands of Canadians saw their first play, listened to prominent speakers or heard chamber music or the famous Swiss Bell Ringers. In those days, when entertainments and cultural opportunities were few, people were eager to support a program that could bring them the most famous orators of the day, a varied program of musical entertainment and plays that the whole family could enjoy. The program was so organized that almost every community could afford it. At its height, Chautauqua blanketed the Prairie Provinces, much of Ontario and the Maritimes.

Ultra-modern art

By Lewis Milligan

Rudyard Kipling, in reply to his critics, wrote a poem in which he depicted Adam sitting under a tree scratching with a stick a rude sketch on the mould; and the Devil behind him whispering: "It's pretty, but is it art?"

If the Devil were overlooking the ultra-modern painter at his work, he could hardly call it pretty. It isn't even clever, except that it has successfully fooled some otherwise sane people into paying high prices for a hotchpotch of pigments that any idiot could produce in the dark with his eyes shut.

The Scripture tells us that, "In the beginning, the world was without form and void, and darkness was on the face of the deep." In one word — Chaos. And now all the fine arts are reverting to that primal condition. Ultra-modern painting is void of form and beauty; music is a bedlam of discords, and poetry is without rhyme or reason. The only art that has not returned entirely to chaos is architecture; but it has ceased to be artistic. It has become scientific, mechanical and utilitarian. The modern architect is obliged to observe the law of gravitation; he builds on deep and solid foundations, and his structures are foursquare against the elements. The plan of a modern city is as bare as a chess board, minus the various pieces which bring it to organic life as a centre of human activity.

I was prompted to the above critique of modern art by a letter from a reader who wrote, in part, as follows: "I know a man who is opposed to unintelligible modern art on the ground that it is probably one of the devices of communism, and that it is contrary to basic truth. His argument is that when you look at an ultra-modernistic painting and confess that you don't understand it, you will be confronted with the argument that, of course, it would take a lot of study to understand it. After a while, the individual is worn down to the point where he professes to understand something he really does not. Once that point is reached, the man is denying truth and he is, from then on, an easy victim of communist ideas . . . "

It is well known, of course, that the first procedure of communism is to wash the brains of its pupils of old ideas and convictions that conflict with the teaching of Karl Marx. This process has been developed into a method of mingled persuasion and coersion, which evidently breaks down all opposition on the part of the victims. As for the suggestion that ultra-modern painters are deliberately seeking to undermine the basic principles of the fine arts for the promotion of communism, I don't think they know or care enough about art, or politics for that matter. They are not artists in the first place.

But these freakish abortions of ultra-modern painters, musicians and poets are certainly in line with the purpose of communist propaganda. Karl Marx contended that all other social systems must be demolished to their foundations before his cast-iron system of society could be established.

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Standing in line has a special effect on people. It seems to make them light-hearted and talkative.

The last lineup I stood in was for motor vehicle license plates. As usual, I had waited until a few hours before the deadline for that year.

In the lineup, I found myself in a cheerful conversation with a lady who had a springer spaniel on a leash. She was in front of me.

Within a few minutes I had learned a lot about the dog; that he didn't like to be left in the car; that his mother had just died, age 13. I had given the lady my opinion of springer spaniels (favorable) and offered comments on the tendency of some spaniels to run to fat; and the lady had confided that she and her husband, being childless, lavished affection on their dogs.

We had traded views on cars and boats. Then she got her license plates, gave a friendly wave and disappeared out the door with her dog.

Those few minutes in the lineup — or queue, to employ the English usage — had told me more about that lady than I had learned about some of my neighbors in several years.

There is something to be said for public lineups. They throw together people who have never met before, and probably will not meet again. Lineups generate a feeling of "we're-all-in-this-together," which may be good for the spirit, in reasonable amounts.

Lining up is a mild ordeal, and it produces in a weak form the comradeship of people who share difficulties. Many of us on this soft, lucky continent miss that feeling.

When we find ourselves in a lineup, it goes to our heads like wine, and we chatter and laugh as we had suddenly become 10 years younger.

Of Many Things

— By Ambrose Hills —

ARE THINGS SO BAD?

A woman wrote to Victor Murray of the Winnipeg Tribune the other day with a comment I think worth repeating.

"I was sounding off," she wrote, "with a long face over some minor misdemeanor on the part of my small son. In the midst of my tirade he pointed out the window and said: 'Look, mummy, see how nice the stars look!' "

She went on to suggest that there ought to be more gaiety in life, particularly family life.

I was most impressed by her letter. I turned each page of the news that day looking for the bright and amusing and gay and heartwarming things — and there were many. A Calgary millionaire wrist-wrestled brawny Peter Carson — with $30,000 at stake, to be donated to World Refugee Year. Winnipeg started a $10 million slum-clearance program. The Kitchener community was worrying because they'd have to go without a dog-catcher because "we can't find a man mean enough to take the job". A Russian writer paid tribute to the sportsmanship shown by Americans at the Winter Olympics in Squaw Valley. A survey of hunters showed that the vast majority of them wanted the law that calls for confiscation of equipment for violation of game laws kept on the book.

The world is by no means perfect. If you want to be a gloomy-gus you can find plenty of cause to complain; but taken all-in-all, are things really so bad?

I know a man — a rather solid business man — who makes a point of collecting quick little jokes. When he calls you on the phone he starts the conversation with one of his gems. It brightens the day and I think it probably makes it easier for him to wrangle donations for his favorite charity too.

Family fun, of course, is the richest of all blessings. We have a number of family jokes at our home, and we never tire of them. One of them is a really ancient one I inherited from my Dad, and it seems to me to improve with age. When one of the kids comes late to the table, I can be counted on to say, while the rest of the family groans, that "We're waiting for you, as fast as we can!"

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DISTRICT NEWS FROM OUR COUNTY CORRESPONDENTS

Brownsburg

Mr. George Warwick, of Ottawa, spent part of the week with friends and relatives here.

Mr. Bryant Prosser, of Baie Comeau, was a recent guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Prosser.

Mrs. Mason Crosby and Mrs. N. E. Smillie attended the W.I. Board meeting which was held in Lachute on Friday last. Plans were made to hold the Annual County Convention in Brownsburg, May 7.

Sympathy is extended to the many relatives and friends of the late Mrs. Norval Blair (nee Gladys Tomalty) who passed away in Saskatoon on Saturday night. Mrs. W. H. Tomalty and Miss Edith Brown left Sunday to attend the funeral of their sister.

The Maple Avenue Baptist Mission Circle meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Robert Creswell last Tuesday evening, when Mrs. Creswell and Mrs. Hector Mason were joint hostesses. Mrs. Wyman MacAdam was in charge of the Devotional Period and Mrs. Mason Crosby played a tape recording made by Dr. Walter Johnston, describing his work in Angola.

Mrs. J. A. Campbell visited with friends in Ottawa this week.

Mrs. Fred Mullen and two little sons, Kent and Kirk, of Pointe aux Trembles, visited Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Cowley and other relatives here last week.

Weir

Mrs. Frank Thompson returned home on the week-end, after spending the past two weeks at the home of Mr. and Mrs. I. Warrington, in Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. Harland Schnauffer, of Carleton Place, Ont., spent Wednesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. Schnauffer.

Miss Joan Williams was home from Montreal, to spend the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Thompson, of Montreal, were the guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bennett over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Laurin and family, of Montreal, paid a short visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Williams on the week-end.

Week-end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Basil Kerr included Mr. and Mrs. Earl Booth and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Booth, of Montreal.

Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Owen for the week-end were the Misses Myra Johannson and Diane Owen and the Messrs. Thos. Jones and Victor Staniforth, all of Montreal.

We are pleased to welcome home Mrs. W. D. Morrison, who has recently undergone an operation in the Montreal General Hospital.

The monthly meeting of the Women's Auxiliary was held on Thursday of last week at the home of Miss Alice Purcell and at that time the date for our Annual Lawn Social was set.

Lenten Meditation

A short Lenten Meditation, followed by a lecture with slides, will be held in the Weir Church Hall each Friday during Lent, at 7.45 p.m.

The speakers and their topics for this month are:

March 18, the Rev. Bussell — "Symbolism."

March 25, Miss G. Phillips — "Indian School Work in Canada".

All members of the Parish of Arundel are invited to participate in these devotionals.

Local resident passes in Montreal

Late Mrs. J. B. Chambers

On Monday, March 7, Mrs. James B. Chambers, a former resident of this community, passed away at the Glenelg Convalescent Home, Ville La Salle. The former Mabel Davidson, she was born on October 4, 1884 at Cote St. Paul, and came with her parents to St. Philippe d'Argenteuil at the age of two. She was married to James B. Chambers who predeceased her in 1943, at which time she moved to Montreal.

Mrs. Chambers was a faithful and highly respected member of Brownsburg United Church. She took an active part in the various organizations of this church, and later at Livingstone United, Montreal. She was also a firm supporter of many organized charities.

She leaves to mourn her passing many relatives and friends from this district.

On Wednesday evening, March 9, a short service was held at the Armstrong Funeral Chapel, followed by service March 10 at the Brownsburg United Church, conducted by Rev. G. W. Bruce. Interment was in Lachute Cemetery.

Pall bearers were Ray Alder, Nelson Blore, Percy and Wendell O'Brien, Albert Oswald and Sidney Wilson.

Calumet

Miss Hazel Robinson visited her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Grant Robinson, in Montreal, on the week-end.

Gail Boyd, who is attending Macdonald College, visited her parents on the week-end.

Garry Kelly, of Ottawa, was a week-end guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Kelly.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Nixon and family, on Sunday visited Mrs. Nixon's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Bessner, in Fournier, Ont.

Milton Dumoulin is spending a few days visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Aldege Dumoulin.

Calumet Badminton Club played a tournament with the Rockcliffe Air Base on Saturday, in which Mrs. Mervin Kelly and Deanna Hall won a trophy.

Harrington

Mrs. Scott McLean spent the week-end in Montreal.

Mrs. L. M. Marshall, of Lachute, spent the past week with relatives and friends in Harrington.

Mrs. V. McVicar and Miss Elsie McVicar visited relatives in Montreal over the week-end.

Miss Bonnie Trineer and Miss Diana McLean attended a Young People's meeting in Dorval last Friday evening and were entertained at a skating party on Saturday.

We are pleased to report that Miss Marjorie Campbell received her cap at exercises held at the Montreal General Hospital last Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Campbell attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Bennett, of Arundel, called on relatives in these parts on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Meyer and daughter, also Mrs. J. McMahon, of Lachute, spent Sunday here.

Harrington Farm Forum will be held this Monday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bennett.



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MARRIAGE

Laviolette - Berry — On Saturday, March 12, in the Rawdon United Church, the Rev. W. P. Wornell officiated at the marriage of Miss Marjorie Berry, of Rawdon, daughter of Mrs. A. Berry and the late Mr. A. Berry, to Norman H. Laviolette, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Laviolette, of Grenville.

IN MEMORIAM

CARRUTHERS — In loving memory of my dear mother, Mrs. Robert Carruthers, who passed away on March 17, 1959. Ever remembered by her daughter, Mary, son-in-law John, and grandchildren Bobbie and Joan.

"Not gone from memory,
Not gone from love,
But gone to her heavenly home above."

CLEARY — In loving memory of a dear wife and mother, who passed away March 18, 1955. Sadly missed by her husband and sons, Angus, Ross and John.

"Our hearts still ache with sadness
And secret tears still flow,
What it meant to lose you, mother,
no one will ever know."

CLEARY — In loving memory of a dear sister and aunt Gladys, who passed away March 18, 1955. Always remembered by Ross, Christie and family.

"Today recalls the memory
Of a loved one gone to rest,
And those who think of her today,
Are those who loved her best."

LOGAN — In fond and loving memory of our beloved parents, Mr. and Mrs. James A. Logan, who passed to their eternal rest on March 26, 1958, and March 18, 1953, respectively. — Always remembered by Jessie, Dolly, Jim and Stephanie.

LOGAN — In loving memory of a dear mother and grandmother, who passed away March 18, 1953, also dear dad and grandfather who passed away March 26, 1958. — Always remembered by Grace, Fred, and family.

"To some they may be forgotten,
To others a part of the past;
To us who loved and lost them,
Their memory will always last."

LOGAN — In loving memory of our dear mother who passed away March 18, 1953, also dear dad, who passed away March 26, 1958. — Always remembered by daughters Jessie and Dorothy.

"Deep in our hearts you will always stay,
Loved and remembered every day."

MOONEY — In loving memory of a beloved wife, mother and sister-in-law, Mrs. M. Mooney, who passed away March 17, 1956. — Always remembered by her husband Michael, son Jimmy and sister-in-law Agnes.

"Every day in some small way
Memories of you come our way,
Though absent, you are ever near,
Still missed, still loved, and ever dear."

MOONEY — In loving memory of our dear mother and grandmother, Helen Mooney, who passed away March 17, 1956. Always remembered by daughter Eileen, son-in-law Jim and grandchildren Sharon, Lynn and Gail.

"We have only your memory, dear mother
To remember our whole lives through,
But the sweetness will linger forever
As we treasure the image of you."

MORROW — In loving memory of our dear mother, who passed away March 17, 1957. — Always remembered by Bertha, Myrtle, John, Lloyd and Martha.

"Just as you were, you will always be
Treasured forever in our memory;
The tears in our eyes will wipe away,
But the ache in our hearts will always stay;
To someone you may be forgotten,
To others, part of the past,
To us who loved and lost you,
Your memory will always last."

TODD — In loving memory of a dear mother, who passed away March 14, 1937, and dear father, who passed away May 2, 1944; also dear sisters — Lizzie (March 27, 1923) and Jessie (May 31, 1937). — Always remembered by Stuart Alice and Emma.

Fond memories of them will ever be with us.

WILLIAMS — In loving memory of a dear wife and mother, Doris, who passed away March 19, 1959. Sadly missed and lovingly remembered by husband, Roger and sons, Tom and Wayne.

"The golden gate stood open
One year ago today
With farewells left unspoken
You softly slipped away
God knew that you were weary
It's hard for us to climb
So He gently took your hand in His
And whispered, 'Peace be thine'."

YOUNG — In loving memory of a dear husband and father, Edward C. Young, who passed away March 18, 1942. Always remembered by wife, Mabel and family.

"There's an open gate at the end of the road,
Through which each one must go alone;
And there in a light we cannot see,
Our Father claims his own.
Beyond the gate our loved one
Finds happiness and rest;
And there is comfort in the thought
That a loving God knows best."

YOUNG — In loving memory of Edward Cecil Young, who passed away March 18, 1942. — Lovingly remembered by Greta, John, and family.

"Today recalls a memory
Of a loved one gone to rest;
And those who think of him today,
Are those who loved him best.
The flowers we lay upon his grave,
May wither and decay,
But the love for him that lies beneath,
Will never fade away."

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Lachute Wolf Cubs attend outing

On Saturday March 5, the sixers of both local Packs attended a 'Sixers Outing' at the C.I.P. Forest Farm, Harrington. The day consisted of a hike, tree cutting, tree identification, slides on animals and plants, and target shooting with 22's. The boys woud like to extend their thanks to all those, who made this wonderful day possible.

This week, Allan Rice passed his Model Test; Eric Robertson his Exercises; Bobby Davis his Flags; while Grant Boa and Ernest Paulsen practised their semaphore.

All the cubs made colorful "Lair Curtains for their respective corners.

The meeting ended with a thoughtful prayer for those killed in the African earthquake.

DRIVING LESSONS

Saskatoon CP — A questionnaire survey of nine provinces by the Canadian Education Association shows Saskatoon collegiate board is well in front of other urban centres in high school student driver training achievements.

CIVIC BONDS

Regina CP Saskatchewan government purchases of municipal bonds in 1959 totalled $3,140,000.

New Scoutmasters for B'burg troop

By Sandy Welburn

(Intended for last issue)

Once more, Brownsburg played hockey with the Lachute Legion Bantam team in the Brownsburg Arena. The score ended 6-4 in favor of the Brownsburg Scouts. Scorers for the Bantams were Allen Bates and Joey Berniquer. The Brownsburg goals wre scored by Jimmy Devine, Falf Atkins, Wayne Seary and Norman Forbes.

Ralph Atkins received his Red Cords, awarded for the attainment of 12 proficiency badges.

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A second game, played March 12, finished 3-2 for the Bantams. The Legion scorers were Keith Rogers, Robert Moulette and Herbert Underhill. Brownsburg's goals were made by Norman Forbes.

Messrs. James and Robert Tomalty have become Assistant Scout Masters in the 1st Brownsburg Troop and Arthur Hickey was admitted as a Boy Scout on March 8.

Dalesville W.I. holds election of new officers

Following recent elections, the Dalesville Women's Institute officers for the 1960-61 season are as follows:

Hon. president, Mrs. Chas. Hall; president, Mrs. P. Merryweather; 1st vice-president, Mrs. K. Morrison; 2nd vice-president, Mrs. E. Morrow; Secretary, Mrs. George Seale; and treasurer, Mrs. Russell Seale.

Committee conveners are as follows:

Education, Mrs. H. Dixon; Agriculture, Mrs. O. Gordon; Citizenship, Mrs. Ken Watchorn; Home Economics, Mrs. Albert Watchorn; Publicity, Mrs. Wesley Seale and Health and Welfare, Mrs. E. Wilson.

Leap Year birthday celebrations held

Mrs. Basil Jackson held an "At Home" Monday afternoon and evening, February 29, in honor of her mother, Mrs. James Curren, on the occasion of her 19th Leap Year Birthday.

Many neighbors, friends and relatives called to extend best wishes and congratulations to Mrs. Curren.

A birthday cake centred the table, flanked by pink candles and a lovely bouquet of pink carnations and white mums.

The grandchildren gave Mrs. Curren a corsage of pink carnations.

Mrs. Tomalty and Mrs. Mason poured tea. Refreshments were served by the hostess.

Guests from a distance were Mrs. V. C. Barfoot, of Toronto, Mr. Calvin Curren, of Montreal, Mr. H. O. Byers, of Valois, Mr. and Mrs. J. Sutton, Mrs. H. Tasse and Mrs. M. Smith, all of Montebello.

Many at service in Skiers' Church

Hundreds of skiers came to the Skiers' Service at the Church of St. Francis, and many stood outdoors listening to the service on Sunday morning, when the Rector preached on the subject: "Man's Evasion of the Cross".

The Laurentian resort area of Saint Sauveur has experienced a record year with plentiful snow and the new autoroute aiding motorists.

Married Saturday at St. Sauveur

Kyle - Stewart

A wedding of wide interest in this community took place Saturday afternoon at the Church of St. Francis, St. Sauveur des Monts, when Miss Marie Anna Stewart became the bride of Mr. Herbert Austin Kyle, the Rev. Horace G. Baugh officiating.

Miss Stewart, daughter of Mr. Herbert J. Stewart, of Montreal, and the late Mrs. Stewart, was attended by Ruth E. Bowden. The groom is the son of Mr. Austin F. Kyle, of Lakefield, and the late Mrs. Kyle, and had Mr. Leslie Strong as his best man.

The wedding music was played by Mr. Louis S. Hooper.

Mr. and Mrs. Kyle will reside in Lakefield.

Prospecting course well attended at Morin Heights

Branch 171, Canadian Legion, was host to the representatives of the Department of Mines for the "Courses in Prospecting" held March 10 and 11. Dr. André Deland was the lecturer, and J. P. Brosseau handled the movie machine, showing interesting films. One outstanding film was the building of Kitimat, B.C., an achievement of the Aluminum Company of Canada. More than 30 persons attended the first two lectures on March 10, including visitors from Lachine, Montreal, Pont Viau, Farnham, Montfort, St. Sauveur, and other municipalities; on Friday, the course continued and the attendance was even greater.

Comrade Geo. Payne, president of the Branch, extended thanks to Dr. Deland, Mr. Brosseau and to the Hon. W. M. Cottingham, Minister of Mines, and his Department for this interesting visit.

Social and Personal

Miss Mae Parker, of Montreal, was the recent guest of Mr. and Mrs. Walker Scott, and other friends in this community.

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Mrs. G. Lacey, of Winnipeg, was the recent guest of her niece, Mrs. Graham Silverson and Mr. Silverson.

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L.O.B.A. Whist Party

A Military Whist was held in the Legion Hall on Wednesday last, sponsored by the L.O.B.A. Ladies.

First Prize Winners were: Mrs. John Cruise (Capt.) Mrs. Sidney Stewart, Mrs. Gordon Silverson and Mrs. Fred McGill.

Second Prize went to Mr. Henry Stewart (Capt.) Mrs. J. Russell Owens, Mrs. Roy Nixon and Mrs. Henry Stewart.

The Novelty Prize was won by Mr. Malcolm McDonald.

Prizes were distributed to the winners while refreshments were being served.

Mr. and Mrs. George Paul and Mr. and Mrs. John Giles were the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Emile Lacasse, in Kingston, Ont.

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Miss Jane Catterson, Ph.D., of Macdonald College, was the week-end guest of Miss Elizabeth Stanton.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jack Pearson and family, of Shawinigan Falls, were week-end guests of Mrs. Joseph McMahon.

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Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Scott and Mr. and Mrs. Gerry Newton, all of Ogdensburg, N.Y., visited Montreal and Lachute for the week-end and were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walker Scott.

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Mrs. H. Goodenough, of Potsdam, N.Y., who has been spending the past two weeks with her brother, Mr. G. I. Hume and friends, returned home Sunday with her husband.

Military Whist held recently

A military whist was held at the Legion Hall, Lachute, on Wednesday, March 3, under auspices of the School Fair Committee. The first prize winners were: Mrs. G. Higginson (Capt.), Mrs. A. Camba, Mrs. K. Boa and Mrs. C. Cunningham. Second prize winners were: Mr. D. Swail (Capt.), Mrs. D. Swail, Mrs. W. Swail and Mrs. R. Swail.

A food hamper was drawn for and won by Mrs. Cliff Cunningham.

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Donations to Retarded Children

Additional donations to the Lachute Association for Retarded Children have been reported by Douglas Bradford, secretary-treasurer of the organization, as follows:

Parents $37.50; Mr. James W. Welden $35; Mrs. Archie Graham, in memory of Miss Alberta Cleland $5; Mrs. Doris Campbell, in memory of Mr. Sydney Gardiner $10.

Persons wishing to make donations to this cause are requested to send them to the secretary-treasurer, Douglas Bradford.

Missionary Council of Pentecostal Ch. holds meeting

The regular monthly meeting of the Woman's Missionary Council of the Brownsburg Pentecostal Assembly was held in the home of Mrs. Wm. Stansfield, Lachute.

Devotions were taken from Timothy I, 2nd Chapter, verses 1 to 15. Then using verse 9 as a guide, a discussion was opened on "Modesty in our Youth Today". Parents can do a lot to help our young people get back to the old-time thinking on this subject, was the concluding thought of the debate.

Letters of thanks were received and read for cheques sent to missionaries in Liberia and Africa. The British West Indies also sent thanks for Sunday School literature sent them.

The members are now getting ready for a Missionary Convention to be held in Granby, on April 28, to which a display of handwork will be sent. The displays are used and sent to different missionaries in the field.

Miss Blanche Pardo, of Hong Kong, will be a guest speaker at the Church on Thursday evening, March 17. All members are urged to attend and bring a friend to hear this interesting missionary speaker.

Sunday, March 20 is Missionary Sunday. The morning speaker will be Rev. Arnold Bowler, of Kenya, Africa, and Rev. R. Eames, of Trinidad, British West Indies, will speak at the evening service.

Mrs. Stansfield served refreshments at the close of the meeting.

Argenteuil W.I. branches hold annual meetings

All branches of the Argenteuil County Women's Institutes held their annual meetings during the month at which time the officers and conveners gave their reports. Payment of fees was used as this month's roll call. In some branches the installation of officers was conducted.

Arundel Branch is planning its annual Bazaar.

A supper was thoroughly enjoyed by the Brownsburg branch. Dalesville W.I. catered for this supper.

Frontier was given a report on the progress of "Here Comes Charlie" which will be presented on April 22 at Lachute High School. There will be door prizes and a candy sale.

Jerusalem-Bethany are planning a card party for April.

Mille Isles enjoyed their first meeting of the New Year. Previous meetings were cancelled due to sickness and inclement weather.

A "Pot Luck Supper" was held by Morin Heights. The Education Convener read an article on the "Necessity of an Education". A donation was sent to the Senior Citizens Home Fund.

A contribution was sent to Lachute High School by the Pioneer branch, to help produce the "Lampada".

Upper Lachute-East End are planning a quilting-bee this month.

Lenten Sacrifice for all

By The Rev. Horace G. Baugh

We are frequently hearing the cry: "Why doesn't the Church do this, or that?" But who is the Church? It is you. The Church is helpless until each member fulfils his part. The believer in the Old Testament was taught to give one-tenth of his income to God, as well as one-seventh of all his time. Even this is only a token of what we owe Him, but it is a fair proportion of what we can in fact give Him.

We know there are some groups of Christians who do many good works. How can they do it? Because someone, somewhere, has given. Those who do the most are the ones whose ordinary members regard their possessions as belonging to God, and which they use, not as they please, but as stewards who must give an account.

If we are to be truly Christian we must learn to give the best of what we are and what we have to God. We must determine what proportion of our income we can give to God, and how much of our time we can devote to God's work. Then if we set aside that money and that time first, before we consider our other needs and wishes, it will be securely given to God. But we may be sure that if we leave God's share to the last, there will never be enough.

"He that soweth sparingly shall reap sparingly." We shall be judged by God according as we have treated God and others. We should give ourselves and our belongings out of thanks, but even if we don't, we have God's warning. If we are not generous with God the time will come when God will not be generous with us.

"It is more blessed to give than to receive", is God's teaching.

If you are already practising these things, well and good. But there may even be room for improvement. If you are still keeping everything for yourself, now is the time to do your share in the Christian family. Your Church needs you, your prayers and your help.

Let us make this Lenten Season one of real Christian Sacrifice.

Harrington holds supper, program in Education Week

(Our District Correspondent)

The Harrington Intermediate School held a special program on Wednesday evening March 9, observing Education Week.

A gratifying number of parents and friends of the school came to the supper, which was served from 5 to 7 o'clock. Students of Grades 8 and 9 assisted as waitresses and waiters.

Classrooms were then visited and parents were given the opportunity of discussing their children's problems with the teachers.

At 8 p.m., all gathered in the Auditorium, where Mrs. Grace McCabe thanked those who had helped make the evening a success and then introduced the special guest, Richard Reppert, of the Canadian International Paper Co.

Mr. Reppert gave a short talk on Education and then showed an interesting and instructive film, "The Changing Forest".

Mr. George Bennett, chairman of the School Board, thanked the speaker. All present reported an enjoyable evening.

Proceeds of the supper amounted to $71.50 and will be used to benefit the school.

Recent events at Brownsburg United

During the month of February, the christening ceremony of the baby daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Crooks took place, the Rev. G. Bruce officiating. The names given to the baby girl were Coreen Ann.

Flowers at the altar were in memory of the late Alexander Walker, placed there by his wife Dolly.

The Wold's Day of Prayer Service was held at the United Church with Mrs. J. Shrier as speaker, assisted by various other ladies.

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by Bill Flanigan
your telephone manager

Three or four weeks and it will be Easter? — It hardly seems possible. Easter time is one of the nicest times of the year to our way of thinking: it normally heralds a new wave of greenery and blossoms, and holds promise of long, mild days. As usual, many folk around town will be packing up and heading off somewhere for the Easter holiday. You too? . . . If so, you'll probably need to let someone know the expected date, or time, of your arrival, and you may even need to make advance reservations. Well, there's one sure-fire way of doing this. Yes — By telephone. Telephone ahead and you'll get quick, accurate results. It'll be a load off your mind. And if you're not going away, then perhaps there's someone in a distant centre who deserves a 'Happy Easter!' greeting. Let them hear your voice. Greet them over the telephone. It's effective, and inexpensive — specially after 6 p.m., or on Sunday.

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The 'spirit of service' so often found in telephone employees frequently takes them beyond the line of telephone duty and into worthwhile community projects. Evenings and week-ends find them contributing their time and talents to neighborhood, civic, service or youth activities. Bill Poley, of Lachute, is one of the many telephone folk who are active in community affairs. On the job, Bill is a Construction Foreman. Off the job, he serves as a director of the Brownsburg-Lachute Rotary Club. We salute Bill and all other public spirited citizens of this area. Their interest and efforts contribute greatly to the future of our community.

Bill Flanigan



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REV. C. R. LANG, L.Th., R.D., RECTOR
ST. SIMEON'S, LACHUTE
8.00 a.m. Holy Communion.
9.30 a.m. Family Service
Wednesdays in Lent — Service at 7.30 p.m.
ST. GEORGE'S BROWNSBURG
10.30 a.m. Church School
11.00 a.m. Morning Prayer
Thursdays in Lent — Service at 7.30 p.m.
CHRIST CHURCH, ST. ANDREWS EAST
10.30 a.m. Church School
4.00 p.m. Evening Prayer

People's Church, Lachute
(Associated Gospel Church)
REV. C. W. SORLEY, PASTOR
9.45 a.m. Bible School.
11.00 a.m. "EZEKIEL". "The hand of the Lord was upon me."
7.30 p.m. "DO YOU POSSESS A SOUL?" Can you call your soul your own?
Wed., 8.00 p.m., Prayer.

Christ Church, Mille Isles
Rev. Horace G. Baugh, Rector.
9.30 a.m. St. Sauveur
11.00 a.m. Morin Heights
8.00 p.m. Mille Isles.

Lakefield Services
REV. CANON C. W. P. BAUGH Rector
9.30 a.m. Louisa
11.00 a.m. Dunany
3.00 p.m. Lakefield

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Wed., 7.30 p.m. Bible Study and Prayer.
Thurs. 8.00 p.m. Grenville Service
Sat. 7.30 p.m. Youth Service

Lachute United Church
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10.00 a.m. Sunday School and Minister's Bible Class.
11.00 a.m. Divine Worship.
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Brownsburg Regular Baptist Church
REV. GEO. HICKS, B.Th., PASTOR
10.00 a.m. Bible School.
11.00 a.m. Church Service.
Mon. 6.30 p.m. Happy Hour
Mon. 8.00 p.m. Young People Prayer, Thursday 8 p.m. at the Pastor's home.

Maple Avenue Baptist Church, Brownsburg
REV. R. L. McPHEE
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11.00 a.m. Worship Service.
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11.00 a.m. Morning Worship
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Thurs., 8 p.m. — Hour of Praise and Prayer.
All are heartily invited.

Parish of Grenville
REV. P. R. STOTE, L.Th., RECTOR
9.30 a.m. M.P. Holy Trinity
11.00 a.m. H.C. St. Matthew's
Lenten Services
Wed., 8 p.m. St. Matthew's
Thurs., March 17 at the home of John Purcell, 8 p.m.
Thurs., Mar. 24 at Wm. Bray's.
Friday, 7.30 p.m. Holy Trinity Ch. "James Says"

Margaret Rodger Memorial Presbyterian Church
REV. JAMES ARMOUR, B.A.
9.50 a.m. Church School and Bible Class.
11.00 a.m. Morning Service.
3.00 p.m. Brownsburg.

Brownsburg United
REV. GARFIELD W. BRUCE, B.A., Minister
10.00 a.m. Church School.
11.00 a.m. Morning Service.
Baby fold at 11 a.m.
Church Membership Class at 1.30

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DISTRICT NEWS FROM OUR COUNTY CORRESPONDENTS

Cushing

Miss Florence Holmes spent the week-end at the home of her sister, Mrs. H. Bailey.

Miss Elsie M. Graham, of Verdun, was a week-end guest at Bayside Farm.

Mrs. I. H. Fuller was a guest at her father's home in Carillon, Saturday and Sunday nights.

The sincere sympathy of this community is extended to the relatives of the late Mrs. James Boyd Chambers, the former Mabel Davidson) of Chatboro, who passed away in Montreal on Monday, March 7. The funeral was held in Brownsburg United Church on Thursday, with interment in the Lachute cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dunmore and family, of Montreal East, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Coney, of Stonehaven.

Annual Church Meeting

St. Mungo's United Church held their annual Congregational meeting in the church hall on Friday night, with the Rev. K. Felthem in charge. The financial statement showed a favorable balance. Other reports were of the different activities in connection with the Sunday School and other organizations.

A hearty vote of thanks was given Mrs. H. Bailey for her work in connection with carrying on the work of the treasurer in her husband's absence, and in getting out the yearly reports which include those of Grenville and Calumet.

Mr. Oliver Wilson, of Brownsburg, was the guest of his brother, Mr. L. Wilson, for the earlier part of the week.

Mr. Arthur Bryerton and children, of Rosemère, were Sunday guests of Mr. Wm. Bryerton and sister, Mrs. Villeneuve, of Carillon.

Mr. and Mrs. Stefen Trochoski, of St. Eustache, and Mrs. E. Poole, of St. Laurent, were guests on Sunday of Mr. Wm. Bryerton, of Carillon.

Mrs. Laura Morrow and son Ernest were Friday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Steere, of Brownsburg.

Morin Heights

(Intended for last issue)

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Doherty had Mr. Leslie Davis, of Montreal, as a guest for the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Hollingworth with Bryan and Margaret, of Dixie, spent Saturday here visiting with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Bennett and children spent the week-end at the Lake Echo cottage of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Binns.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Thompson and daughter, Lynda, of St. Laurent,, spent Saturday visiting Mr. and Mrs. S. Captain and other friends in Mille Isles.

Miss Joan Elder, of Montreal, spent the week-end here as guest of Mr. and Mrs. Stanford Riddell.

Avoca

Mrs. Allan McPhee and Mrs. Catherine Young accompanied Mrs Wm. H. Kelly, of Aylmer, to Montreal on Saturday, visiting friends there.

Mr. Clifford Arthurs, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Arthurs of Saskatoon, Sask., who has just completed his course in the R.C.A.F., is visiting his grandmother, Mrs. James Arthurs, and friends in this locality.

Mrs. Elmer McCallum left Friday to visit friends in Montreal and other points.

Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Kelly and infant daughter, of Montreal, were guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Kelly, over the week-end.

Mr. Tom Kelly, of Montreal, spent the week-end with his family.

We are glad to report Mr. Evan Bates is now convalescing at his home.

Visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. MacLeod over the week-end were Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Ball and daughter Maureen, Mr. and Mrs. Don Currie and sons, and Miss Dorothy MacLeod, all of Verdun, also Mr. and Mrs. Earl MacLeod and family, of St. Philippe.

St. Andrews East

Misses Marguerite and Antoinette Dorion spent the week-end with their mother, Mrs. Aimé Dorion.

Miss Enid Robertson, of Montreal, accompanied by her brother-in-law, Mr. A. Lemieux, of Winnipeg, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Robertson.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Coulman, of Ottawa, spent Sunday with the latter's mother, Mrs. W. E. Brown.

Mrs. Lloyd Bradley arranged for an evening sleigh drive for the young people, ages 9-14 on Friday March 11. The sleigh, driven by Mr. Jas. Proulx, left the Presbyterian Church at 8 p.m.. On their return from the drive, refreshments were served in the Sunday School Hall by a group of the mothers.

Last week the Rev. Dr. Harold Reid was in Toronto, representing the Presbyterian College of Montreal, for the meeting of the Audio Visual Committee of the Presbyterian Church in Canada.

Morin Heights

Miss Jennie Fayet, of Montreal, was the week-end guest of her mother, Mrs. E. C. Fayet.

Mr. and Mrs. Hector Lonie spent a few days last week in Valleyfield visiting with their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lonie.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Longley and family, of Montreal, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lawson Kennedy.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Seale and Mr and Mrs. T. E. Seale visited friends in Montreal last week.

Mrs. Ethel Johnson and Mrs. Ruby Campbell spent last Saturday in Montreal, visiting friends.

On Friday evening, members of the family gathered at the home of Mrs. Archie Hamilton to honor her on the occasion of her birthday. She received a number of beautiful gifts and best wishes for health and happiness in the future. An enjoyable evening came to a close with the serving of refreshments

Week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs Willis Seale were Mr. and Mrs. Geo Lawson and daughter, of Brownsburg, Mr. and Mrs. E. Meredith and Miss Heather Masterson, of Montreal.

Mrs. W. R. Robinson, of St. Laurent, spent last week-end here visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Lacken.

On Tuesday last the Women's Association of Morin Heights United Church held their March meeting in the Church Hall. This meeting was well attended and a most successful business session was reported. Plans were made for a tea to be held in the Church hall Delicious refreshments were served by the hostesses.

Kilmar

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Moncrieff and family, of Lachute, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Dean Moncrieff.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Dodd and family, of Ottawa, spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Dodd.

Mrs. Edward Boyd, of Grenville, visited friends here recently.

Visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Owen Ellis on Sunday included Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Ellis, of Harrington; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Ellis and daughter, of Toronto, also Mr. and Mrs. T. Savage and sons.

The United Ladies' Aid was held last Wednesday at the home of Mrs. T. Fox.

Lenten Service, conducted by Rev. P. R. Stote, was held Thursday, at the home of Mr. and Mrs Owen Funnel.

Mrs. James Trineer, of Rivington, visited friends here on Thursday.

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LEGION NOTES

— by —

Branch 70 Correspondent

"ACTIVE SERVICE YESTERDAY COMMUNITY SERVICE TODAY"



Greetings from Branch 70 to all those who are Irish or wish that they were on the 17th of March.

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The Dominion Curling Championships (Legion Version) are taking place this week in Summerside P.E.I. The Quebec representatives are Hudson, who won the right by winning a knock-out bonspiel held in Huntingdon. Lachute lost their first game 10 to 9 to Drummondville and were defeated in the consolation event by Lacolle. The whole affair was well organized, and as Com. O. Thompson pointed out, is getting bigger and better each year. Com. E. Struthers, President of the Quebec Command, was in to watch the finals which saw Hudson defeat St. Hubert in an excellent game.

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Locally the old-timers are still supplying the opposition to the Legion Bantam Team. The boys are getting better all the time, while the vets are having trouble maintaining their present condition.

The Legion Pee Wee's were out on Sunday afternoon to cheer on their favorites in the game for the Lachute Championship between Lowe's and Ayers. It was a well-played game with Lowe's Dairy winning 1 to 0. Congratulations from Branch 70 to both winners and runners-up. We would have liked to see the Legion team in there, but as they used to say in Brooklyn about their beloved bums, 'Wait 'til next year'.

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Where is your child?

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— By NANCY CLEAVER —

"Where are you going? Whom will you be with? About what time will you be home?" Are you in the habit of asking you son or daughter questions like these when they tell you they are going out? Perhaps you think these inquiries unnecessary. Quite likely your child often considers them a nuisance! But the knowledge where a child is can be of great value.

Not long ago a small pre-school boy in a Canadian city was lost for most of a day and his mother was quite unaware of this! She thought that he was visiting his grandmother. After a brief call on her he started for his home. The grandmother never doubted that he had returned safely to his house, because it was only a short distance. The mother was very busy with various tasks. She knew her son always had a good time at Granny's —and concluded that today he was staying there longer than usual.

Not until the radio reported that there was a small lost boy at the police station, waiting for his folks, did the mother suddenly wonder, "Is this my little boy? She phoned, discovered that he was not at his grandmother's and then hastened to find her son at the police station.

When there are relatives living in the same centre, in whose homes a child is welcome, just such a misunderstanding as to where a small child is, can easily arise.

Unfortunately a little child is not always safe from the undesirable attention of people. From time to time public opinion is aroused over the disappearance of a youngster. Sometimes the boy or girl has just wandered off and become lost, but occasionally unsuspecting children have been lured away by someone who may harm them or hold them for ransom.

The problem facing parents is how to protect their children from having an unfortunate and frightening experience. One of the most sensible things a mother can do is from the time a child is small, insist on knowing where the child is and in whose company he is. The child who knows he must follow this rule is not liable to come to grief. This is true of older youngsters, too. In a recent outstanding biography, "John Christie Holland," by Jessie L. Beattie (Ryerson) (which would be a splendid addition to any bookshelf) the main character, a colored man, who later became Hamilton's "Man of the Year," made this comment about the discipline in the home in which he grew up.

"We never went out, after supper, without telling our parents where we were going. We may not have been truthful on all occasions, but the regulation kept us out of trouble most of the time."

The old idea of the best way to protect children was to warn them against "strangers". This is not advised by modern psychiatrists. Sadly enough, in research into the character of those molesting children in one large area, three quarters of the offenders were known by the boy or girl. Some were even neighbors; others were relatives.

Certainly a little child must be told never to get into a strange car and never accept candy or the offer of a bribe made by someone who wants them to accompany them to an unknown destination. Many a tragic mishap to a girl or boy would never have befallen if the child had been drilled in these precautions and had obeyed them.

Older children are often annoyed when parents insist on knowing their whereabouts. But the law holds father and mother responsible for the actions of a minor — even an adolescent minor. Thus it is reasonable for teen agers to clear with parents as to their plans on an evening they are away from home.

Many parents have found children more willing to be co-operative about this if they themselves always leave a record as to their own whereabouts. A mother of a baby usually leaves the phone number where she may be reached with the sitter. This is a sound practice to continue. Children as well as parents, in a family, like to know the answer to, "Where Are You?"

Bishop's School scholarships are announced

Three $1,000 scholarships and one bursary valued at $850 will be available to students entering Bishop's College School next fall, the school announced yesterday. They are tenable for a maximum of five years.

The Col. George R. Hooper Memorial Bursary ($850) is open to candidates entering at any level of high school including senior matriculation.

The others, from the Roderick A. C. Kane estate, are available to "deserving boys" at the school, or those entering at any level in the high school.

Examinations will be held at Bishop's College, April 8 and 9 and applications can be obtained from the headmaster. All applications must be returned by April 6.

Lenten luncheon to please all

This is the season of the year when preparing recipes for Lent is uppermost in the thoughts of many homemakers. It is interesting to note that in the early days of Christianity, the housewife had no such problems. The fast before Easter was as severe as it was short, and many people ate nothing for forty hours between the afternoon of Good Friday and the morning of Easter. Gradually, however, the fast becomes more rigorously defined, and by the early 7th century it was observed for forty days. In the Middle Ages, eggs and milk as well as meat, were all forbidden during Lent by state as well as ecclesiastical law. Fortunately the modern homemaker is allowed much more leeway in cooking

Anyone searching for a different way of serving fish during the Lenton season will be charmed with this recipe for Fillets of Sole au Gratin. The dish is not only unique, but delightfully easy to prepare. The fish is used to line muffin cups and the filling is made from a delicious mélange of canned soup, bread crumbs and capers. A crown of crisp, buttered bread crumbs tops each individual serving. Serve this dish with baked potatoes and a green vegetable or salad. By varying the type of fish and soup used the recipe can be served frequently. Most people will agree it's much too delicious to be saved for traditional "fast" days.

Fillets of Sole au Gratin

Yield — 3 servings

1 pound fresh or frozen fillets of sole, ½ cup canned condensed cream of celery soup, 1 teaspoon well-drained capers, ¾ cup of soft white bread crumbs and 1 tablespoon butter or margarine, melted.

Grease 6 average-sized muffin or custard cups with soft butter or margarine.

Preheat oven to 400 deg. F. (hot).

Thaw fillets of sole if they have been frozen. Separate the fillets and check for bones. Cut and fit pieces of fish into sides of prepared pans. Combine condensed cream of celery soup, capers and ¼ cup of bread crumbs; spoon into the centre of each fish-lined muffin cup. Bake in preheated oven 15 minutes. Meantime, combine remaining ¼ cup of bread crumbs and melted butter or margarine. Sprinkle crumbs over partially baked fish. Return to the oven and cook the fish until it will flake easily with a fork and bread crumb topping is golden — about 15 minutes longer. Carefully lift the individual portions into a heated platter for serving.

Busy-day Lenten luncheon



Fish Sticks and Scrambled Eggs

Luncheons and suppers that will pacify eager appetites can be a problem during Lent when special dietary rules are in order in so many homes. Fish sticks are a happy solution . . . right now . . . and later on, too. These versatile crispy-coated fish portions, tucked in the freezer, come to the cook's rescue on many occasions. They can be heated in very little time and with the deft addition of seasonings, spicy sauces or any number of interesting garnishes and trimmings, they become the mainstay of impromptu snacks or satisfying luncheon features. Flaky mild-tasting fish sticks are teamed with creamy scrambled eggs in the following Busy-Day Lenten Luncheon — a meal that's sure to score high for both appearance and appetite appeal.

Busy-day Lenten luncheon

Hearty Cream Soup
Fish Sticks
Creamy Scrambled Eggs
Toast, Muffins or Cinnamon Buns
Chilled Mixed Fruit Bowl
Coffee

You might serve one of the new frozen cream of shrimp or oyster soups, or a favorite canned or homemade variety. For three persons, allow one package of frozen fish sticks. While fish sticks are heating in oven according to package directions, scramble six eggs following your own favorite method. Dessert is quick and easy too — just a mixture of fresh, frozen and/or canned fruits, which should be allowed to chill for an hour or so if time permits.

Teach your child

As soon as your child is old enough to be allowed to play in front of your home, then the Provincial Highway Safety Committee, (Prudentia), states that it is time to teach the common rules of safety. Parents often repeat to their children not to play with fire. And another rule to teach while young is that they never should run across the street. The habits that become common when young will remain with them throughout their lives. Teach them young and they will survive.

CNIB hat show held recently

A Hat Show and Tea sponsored by the Women's Auxiliary of the C.N.I.B. held in the Legion Hall last Thursday afternoon and evening proved to be a successful venture for the Auxiliary. The new spring styles in hats were shown through the courtesy of Salon Annonciade Leger, and jewelry worn by the models was lent by courtesy of Dansereau Stores. The bilingual comentary was given by Mrs. B. Billingham and hats were modeled by Mrs. Leopold Carrière, Mrs. W. Younkie, Mrs. David Laurin, Mrs. Leonard Bedard, Miss L. Campeau, Mrs. Jules Lafleur, Mrs Neveu, Mrs. G. Hardie, Miss Donna Swail and Miss Lorraine Caron, all of Lachute; Mrs. A. Paré, St. Andrews East and Mrs. Armstrong, of Brownsburg.

Those present at the tea and show were welcomed by the president, Mrs. Albert Leishman. Tea was poured by Mrs. J. E. Leonard and Mrs. A. Leishman in the afternoon, and by Mrs. Wm. Cottingham, Honorary President of the Women's Auxiliary and Mrs. Thos Ayers, in the evening.

Door prizes were donated by Courtien Bakery, Bedard Ltd., Pollock & Graves, Salon Leger, Carlau Florist, A Paulsen, florist, Dansereau Stores, Misses Fauteaux, Ayers Ltd., Malacket Furniture, Beaton's Pharmacy, Cliff Cunningham, Wilson & Gordon, Charles McFaul & Son, and Farmer's Supply Ltd.

A handicraft display by the White Cane Club was shown and these articles and a catalogue showing what the public can buy can be seen any time at the C.N.I.B. Centre, 145 Drew St.

The Women's Auxiliary to the C.N.I.B. takes this opportunity to thank the public for their help in making this show and tea a success. Our sincere thanks to those who so graciously donated door prizes, to Walker & Kingsbury Inc. for the donation of serviettes used during the Tea, to the Giles Publishing House for advertising and printing, and to the Canadian Legion for the use of their hall.

GOOD YEAR

Guelph, Ont. (CP) Guelph was one of the Ontario cities in the 20,000 to 30,000 population group to record a drop in the number of traffic accidents during 1959. Six others in the group had increases.

Teatime Topics



Written Specially for The Lachute Watchman By Edna Blakely, Canadian Press Staff Writer

Customers at the market in Kitchener, Ont, have become accustomed to seeing Mrs. Wilhelmine Seibert at a main floor stall each week.

The 82-year-old woman has been a vendor at the market for 50 years.

The vegetables and eggs she brings each week come from the farm that Mrs. Siebert and her husband bought in 1909. At that time the farm was considered a long way from the city, but Kitchener has expanded to within a few blocks of the farmhouse.

When Mrs. Siebert first set up the stall in 1909, eggs were selling for 10 cents a dozen.

Although none of her original customers still visit her each week, several of their children have become steady customers.

Mrs. Siebert's specialty is cottage cheese which she has made by the same method for more than 50 years.

Her husband, Edward, died three years ago, shortly before their 58th wedding anniversary. Her son Stanley now operates the farm but Mrs. Siebert refuses to give up her weekly trips to market.

Carpet Cleaning

Next time somebody spills something on a rug at home try out these three general rules recommended by a manufacturer of rug materials. Take prompt action; scrap, blot or soak up the spill, using tissue, clean rags or a cellulose sponge; and confine the area of the spill by working from the edges towards the centre.

Fruit juice, cola egg, mud, glue, grass stain and similar stains can be removed with a simple home solution. Dissolve a teaspoon of detergent — not soap — in a cup of lukewarm water. Finish by soaking up the excess moisture with tissues or cloths.

Inks and other materials that act like dyes will likely need professional cleaning but prompt treatment with detergent and water will minimize any color change.



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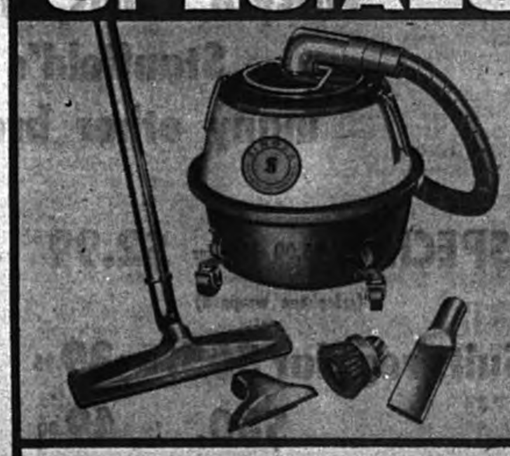
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M23.2c

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Clip These Announcements

Sorry — The Watchman staff cannot take time to search files for dates reserved. Organizations interested should clip this column for reference, so their dates will not conflict with events previously announced.

MOTHER'S DAY TEA
— A Mother's Day tea will be held May 14, from 3 to 5.30 p.m., in Brownsburg United Church. This event is under the auspices of the Woman's Association Group A.

ROTARY BINGO
— Be sure to attend the Rotary Bingo in the Lachute Auditorium Friday, March 18. This is the last of a series. Cash Prizes. 2x

RUMMAGE SALE
— At McArthur's Hall, Wednesday, April 27, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., sponsored by Lachute United Church W.A., Evening Group. M.16,-A20.2c

ST. PATRICK'S DAY TEA
— the St. Simeon's Ladies' Guild are holding their annual St. Patrick's Day Tea on Friday, March 18, in the Church Hall, from 3 to 6 p.m. Home-cooking table. 1c

ST. PATRICK'S CARD PARTY
A Military Whist, sponsored by the C.W.L., will be held in the Brownsburg Legion Hall, Saturday, March 19, at 8 p.m. Refreshments and prizes. Adm. 75c. Everyone welcome. M17-2c

ST. PATRICK'S DAY DANCE
— at the Grenville High School on Friday, March 18. Dress optional, Adm. $1.00 per couple or 60 c. single; dancing from 9 to 12.30 a.m. to the music of Spanky Gray's Orchestra. M16.2c

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DISTRICT NEWS FROM OUR COUNTY CORRESPONDENTS

Northern Grenville

Mrs. Garnet MacIntyre, of Kilmar, visited recently with Mr. and Mrs. E. Mathew.

Misses Violet Bennett and Olive Kennedy, of Ottawa, spent the week-end at their respective homes.

Mr. Dawson Bigelow, Mr. Bill Uquhart and Miss Margaret Carmichael, all of Montreal, were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Cook.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Bradshaw, of Ottawa, visited friends here during the week-end.

Mrs. Enid Stone, Mrs. Scott MacLean, Mrs. Gordon MacVicar and Miss Betty Beauchamp attended the "Capping" ceremony of the Montreal General Hospital Class of 1962. Miss Heather Stone, nurse-in-training, returned with them and is spending a few days at her home.

Mr. Roberts Keatley, of Oshawa, visited Mr. and Mrs. Thos Hoare and Mr. and Mrs. Billie Bigelow.

Miss Eileen Hoare attended the meeting of the Provincial Council of Protestant Teachers in Montreal on Saturday.

Recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Carrière were, Mr. Fraser Carson, of Ste. Agathe and Mr. Eclid Carrière, of Brownsburg. Mr. G. Laviolette, of Napierville, (former manager of the Bank of Montreal in Calumet), called on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wyman Young spent Saturday in Cornwall.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherwood Stringer, of Avoca, visited Mr. and Mrs. Wyman Young on Monday.

Sympathy is extended to friends and relatives of the late Mrs. Percy Brougton, of Dorion, Ont. (the former Mary Ellen Keatley, of Grenville).

Miss Bernice Hoare, of Ottawa, spent the week-end with her parents.

Bell Falls

Mrs. Walter Young and Janey, of Port Colborne, visited Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Campbell for the week-end.

Visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John MacRae were Mrs. Gordon Smith, of Vankleek Hill, Mrs. Nellie Marshall, of Lachute, and Miss Edith McCallum, of Gatineau.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Page and family, of Lachute, also Miss Mazie Page, of Ottawa, visited Mr. and Mrs. Henry Page on Sunday.

Friends and neighbors welcome Mr. and Mrs. Robert Eastwood, Donna and Cindy, back to Bell Falls. They have taken up residence in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Page.

Friends wish a speedy recovery to Mr. Eldon Provencal, who is seriously ill in the Montreal General Hospital.

Grenville

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Norman Laviolette on their marriage which took place Saturday, March 12, in the Rawdon United Church. Mrs. N. Laviolette, formerly Miss Marjorie Berry, is the daughter of Mrs. M. Berry, of Rawdon, and Mr. Laviolette is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Laviolette, of Montreal and Grenville.

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Lachute, B'burg Red Cross groups planning "Blitz" canvass April 4

The 1960 Red Cross Financia. Campaign plans have been laid by the Organizing Committee under the Chairmanship of Gordon Tabrett. The main collection effort will take place on Monday April 4, in the form of a 'Blitz' door-to-door canvass by a small army of volunteer workers.

J. D. Lepine, Chairman of the Brownsburg campaign, has reported that their appeal for funds will take the form of a "Blitz" on the same evening as the Lachute appeal, Monday, April 4. Further information for Brownsburg residents will appear in next week's issue.

The area to the west of the North River is split into nine districts, each under the supervision of a District Captain, with this entire area being organized by Mrs. Bernard Gosselin. The area to the east of the river, comprising twelve districts similarly organized, is under the direction of Mrs. David Schwartz.

Mrs. C. E. Richardson is contacting the 'Special Names' section, which has been drastically reduced from previous years, while Roland Menard is in charge of the canvassers who are calling on the professional and business establishments. The vice-chairman for the current campaign is Jacques Bedard, with Mrs. Gordon Tabrett acting as campaign secretary.

The position of Campaign Treasurer is once again being filled by C. E. 'Dick' Richardson, who has served in the same capacity for the past several years.

Special attention is being paid to the canvass in the municipalities to the west of Lachute this year, with R. C. Whinfield of Calumet, looking after this area. Mrs. J. A. Gordon has again organized the collection from the rural areas surrounding Lachute, and Georges Desfosses has taken on the publicity and advertising duties of the Committee.

The Chairman expressed his appreciation of the fine support being received from all the volunteer workers and has stated he is looking forward to a successful campaign. "It is felt the policy of conducting the main canvass on a 'Blitz' basis makes it easier for the district captains to obtain volunteers to do the actual collecting from door to door, as there are very few people indeed who will not give three hours per year to work for the Red Cross. When we see the outstanding work performed by this organization throughout the world in times of emergency and disaster, and later realize that, spectacular as this may be, it is only a small part of the everyday routine of humanitarian service being rendered by the Red Cross, we feel sure that all the citizens of Lachute and the surrounding area will contribute generously to this Financial Campaign", chairman Tabrett said in conclusion.

Ste. Thérèse man gets 2-year term for local robbery

Gerard Cadieux, 27 year-old Ste. Thérèse resident arrested recently on a charge of "theft while pretending to be armed" was sentenced to two years in jail by Judge Omer Cote in St. Jerome court last week.

The charge was laid in connection with a robbery at the Bazar d'Argenteuil, a Main Street clothing establishment, which took place Saturday, February 12, shortly after six o'clock. Eddy Mansour, proprietor of the store, reported a man entered his establishment on the pretext of making a purchase. Once inside, he examined a considerable amount of merchandise and attempted to make off with it. He was stopped by the proprietor and immediately put his hand in his pocket, as if he had a concealed weapon, and demanded money. He was given a box containing some $15.

A local taxi-driver reported picking up a man answering to the same description, and being paid in advance, drove to Ste. Thérèse. He was then told to continue on to St. Eustache and near the town, he informed police, was ordered to stop, where he was robbed of some $22 at knife point. The taxi-driver said he followed the man to Montreal, but lost track of him in a night club.

Investigation by Lachute and local Provincial police proved the taxi driver's story to be false and a report was submitted to Quebec giving details of the false evidence presented. No charge was laid against Cadieux for this alleged offence and police officers are awaiting word from Quebec, prior to laying any charge against the taxi-driver.

Sentenced for impaired driving

Four drivers were sentenced to fines of $75 plus costs in St. Jerome court last week, appearing on charges of driving a motor vehicle while their ability was impaired. A three month suspension of the driving permit was included in each of the sentences, according to Sgt.-Det. Ralph Allen, who laid the charges.

Convicted were Jean Larocque, and Firmin Godin, of Lachute; Clarence Milner, of Vankleek Hill, and Donald Fraser, of Dunvegan, Ont.

Local merchants victims of false cheque artist

Albert Baron, 35 year-old Vankleek Hill resident, was arrested Monday evening on a charge of passing a false cheque. Sgt.-Det. Ralph Allen, who has held a warrant for several weeks, reported yesterday afternoon that a total of 20 charges of false cheques had been laid against the Ontario resident.

The arrest followed a report from a local garage owner, immediately after Baron is alleged to have attempted to pass a cheque. Twenty minutes later, Baron had been arrested. He is accused of passing cheques in the name of Jim McGibbon, Robt. McGibbon, Gilbert E. Arnold and other local businessmen. The cheques were cashed in Lachute, Brownsburg, Grenville, Calumet and other district municipalities.

He is scheduled to appear in St. Jerome court tomorrow.



A portion of the St. Patrick's Day Parade

Lachute and district Irishmen celebrated St. Patrick's Day during last week with a dinner and parade. The dinner was held in the Lachute Legion Hall Thursday evening, the parade taking place in Lachute on Saturday afternoon. Here, the Ecole Secondaire band from Vankleek Hill is seen, the Ayersville Cadets in the background.

Scottish cattle to board on local farm

Four specially selected Ayrshire heifers are travelling 4,000 miles and spending 134 days in quarantine in order to be consigned to the Canadian National Ayrshire Sale. Preliminary arrangements for their sale and transportation were made by Douglas A. Ness, Howick, Quebec, when he visited Scotland last July. The animals were selected by the Ayrshire Cattle Society of Great Britain and Ireland.

They were quarantined in Glasgow, Scotland, for fourteen days, where they underwent various tests in order to pass the strict health regulations in Canada which protect Canadian livestock. They travelled the 2,800 mile journey from Glasgow to St. John, New Brunswick by the S.S. Salacia, arriving February 22. After a thirty day stay in the St. John Quarantine Station, the four heifers will journey to Lachute, where they will be taken care of by W. Erskine Rodger & Son. The heifers will spend ninety days at the Lachute farm and providing they pass the various tests they will be eligible to be shipped anywhere in Canada or the U.S.

The heifers are from four leading Scottish herds and the animals are being consigned by the Scottish owners as a special feature of the National Ayrshire Sale which will be held at the Arena, Huntingdon, Quebec, on Monday, May 23rd.

In addition to the Scottish heifers forty animals from the leading breeders in Ontario, Quebec, Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island, as well, are three consignments from the United States, will be sold. All indications are that it will be one of the most outstanding Ayrshire Sales ever held in Canada.

Police forces co-operate to clear-up numerous complaints

A gang of 13 juveniles ranging in age from 14 to 18 years of age have been picked up by Lachute and Ayersville police on charges of breaking and entering with theft; shop lifting and theft from cars.

Positively cleared up are two recent robberies at the Lachute Creamery and two break-ins at Simon's Sale Barns. A large number of minor infractions are still under investigation.

The arrests followed a joint investigation by Lachute Police Chief A. J. Whiteway and his department and Ayersville Police Chief Marcel Therrien. Of the 13 questioned, eight charges have been laid against four, who were turned over to Sgt.-Det. Ralph Allen, of the local Provincial Police detachment.

It was pointed out by both department heads that close cooperation had brought about the quick results and would be continued for the benefit and betterment of both communities.

Ayersville Chief Marcel Therrien also reported the arrest of a separate gang of 14 youths who have been charged with causing $300. damage to the Ayers swimming pool.

Winners of contest named by owner of Dairy Queen

Ann Cunningham, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Cunningham, 649 Grace Street, won the Dairy Queen opening contest held recently, guessing the opening date to be March 12, only a day after the actual opening.

A four-way tie for the other two prizes resulted in the winners being chosen by the earliest postmark on the envelope. Mrs. Rejean Roquebrune, of 639A Foundry Street placed second, while Miss Louise Legault, of Lachute R.R. 2, was third.

Prizes were Dairy Queen products totalling $10; $5; and $2 respectively. Albert Mady, proprietor of the local establishment, has offered a free sundae to all persons who entered the contest. This prize may be claimed by identification presented at the Dairy Queen, Brownsburg Road.

Accidental Death is verdict of multiple fatality railway crash

The story of the tragic accident which claimed four lives on March 6 was told at a coroner's jury on Wednesday evening last, held by District Coroner Dr. Jules Lafleur. The members of the jury rendered a verdict of accidental death with a recommendation to the Attorney General that warning lights be installed at the crossing where the fatality occurred, several miles west of Pte.-au-Chene., on Route 8.

Six witnesses, three of whom were occupants of the car, gave evidence, one of them stating the driver of the car shouted "a train" when only about 100 feet from the crossing. "Unfortunately, despite the fact that the vehicle was only travelling at a speed in the vicinity of 40 m.p.h., it was impossible to stop," the witness continued. The car contained eight persons at the time of the impact.

The dead were identified as Mrs. Claude Monette, Mrs. Leopold Caya, Francois Caya and Louis Charbonneau. All were in their 20's, natives of the Temiskaming area, and seated in the front seat of the automobile.

Four other persons including a baby, seated in the back seat, were not seriously injured.

Death of teenager ruled accidental by coroner's jury

A Coroner's Jury returned a verdict of accidental death at an inquest into the death of Jeanne Ida Girard, 17 year-old Montreal girl, who died in the Hotel Dieu Hospital,, St. Jerome, on Sunday, February 28. The inquest was held by District Coroner Dr. Jules Lafleur.

The young girl died following injuries she received when struck by a car near St. Adolphe de Howard. She was with a group of friends from Montreal, three of whom were being pulled on a toboggan behind behind a car driven by George Dusseault, 19, of Montreal. The toboggan apparently slid into the path of an on-coming car driven by Geo. L. Skene, 23, also of Montreal. The accident occurred about 10.30 a.m. Sunday and the girl died several hours later from injuries received.

Explosion in United Church causes considerable damage

Damage estimated to be several thousand dollars resulted from a furnace explosion in the basement of the Lachute United Church late Saturday evening. Despite the damage, the regular Sunday School and Church services were carried on the following morning.

The explosion took place some time after 10.30 p.m. and was apparently caused when one of the switches on the furnace failed to function, allowing the oil to build up in the burner-pot before igniting. The flame was evidently extinguished by the blast and caused no fire damage.

The explosion itself did considerable damage to the furnace; blew out several windows, glass having been found some 70 feet away; lifted a portion of the lower roof at the rear of the building; moved a cement block fire-wall approximately an inch, and will necessitate repairs to the pipe organ. The blast was not of a loud enough nature to attract attention and the incident was not discovered until early Sunday morning.

The damage is covered by insurance and adjusters were reported to be at the scene Monday afternoon.

Fire destroys home in Arundel

(Our District Correspondent)

Arundel — The village citizens were awakened Sunday morning of last week by the fire siren, and despite efforts of all who responded, the house of Wyman Ronalds was destroyed.

Neighbors managed to save all but a few pieces of furniture from the blazing structure. The Ronalds family has moved in with relatives.

Brownsburg H. & S. elects officers; members hear interesting address

By M. E. Cowley

The Brownsburg Home and School Association elected its 1960-61 executive last Wednesday evening as more than seventy parents voted their approval of the proposed slate presented by nominating committee chairman Fred Gervais. The names of those elected to the posts for the next term are as follows:

President, Ron Barnett; secretary, Mrs. Robt. Sugden; treasurer, Gerry Chapman; Program Committee, Mrs. William Richardson and Mrs. Paul Villard; Membership Committee, Mrs. William Campbell and Don Graham; Refreshment Committee, Mrs. Geo. Donaldson and Mrs. Chris Devine.

The vice-presidency has not been filled to date and it is hoped the committee will be able to secure the services of one of the parents before the next meeting scheduled for May.

Wes Freeland introduced the guest speaker in the person of George Shearman, English Department teacher at Rosemount High School, who with his vast experience and training was able to give a most informative and thought provoking talk on relationships between parents, schools and school boards. Mr. Shearman's address could be summed up by repeating a quote which he noted and which he attributed to Mr. Philip Aitken, of St. Andrews East. "In a democracy it is particularly true that a school is only as good as the society which supports it". Mr. Shearman enlarged on this by stating that public opinion, that is, the opinion of the parents and citizens, can and does bring its influence to bear on the kind of legislation which it desires, even in details of school practice. "This opinion", he said, "must be informal and must seek to improve the conditions if the parents are to bear the responsibility of helping to guide the education of their children". Mr. Shearman said that he hoped that the parents would never forget that education is one of the few human activities in which the community gets just about what it really desires. "The community which has the interest, the intelligence and the courage to define its school objectives will usually approximate these objectives. The community which is vague, muddled or insincere in setting its school objectives usually acquired little but trouble and disappointment from its expenditures". He suggested three objectives which a community should have in regard to its school or schools:

1. — a general education for all the future citizens;

2. — a good selection program of courses designed to fit those who wish to work in the community immediately after graduation;

3 — a satisfactory program for those who wish to continue studies leading to college.

The speaker stated that once the objectives of education in the community have been set, then the parents may expect the schools and school board to carry out these aims. "The school board is charged with making the decision of policy affecting the schools in the community", but he emphasized that the real power lies not in the hand of the school board, but in the hand of the teacher. "For this reason the quality of education the children receive depends more than anything else on the quality of the teachers. If the parents expect great things from the school, then they must be prepared, through the school board, to secure good teachers. If the parents want to have the best advantages for their children, then the parents must be prepared to pay for these advantages".

Mr. Shearman further stated that while parents should not interfere with the school administration and teaching, they have a right to expect the school to report fully the progress of the children. He expressed a desire to see something better than the present report card system, stating that no report card, however complete, can take the place of an individual report by the teacher to the parent of the pupil.

Mr. Shearman continued by asserting that no adequate education can be given in our modern age by adhering to the status quo. "Any school board worth its salt will investigate new thoughts in education, new techniques in methods and new equipment to aid teaching. This is the respoonsibility of the school board, but the members can be helped greatly by committees of parents who are prepared to give of their special knowledge. This is where Home and School may prove itself to be a valuable aid," he added.

Mr. Shearman concluded his address by stating that the greatest natural resource Canada has is the children of the country. The education of these children is the biggest problem of our time and the solution of the problem will be reached only through the co-operative efforts of parents, teachers and school boards. "Let us not cheat our children of the best education we can give them", he said in closing.

Man killed in freak mishap in Kilmar Mine machine shop

Romeo Poirier, a 35-year-old Grenville resident was instantly killed while working in the machine shop at the Canadian Refractories plant, Kilmar, early Sunday morning. He is survived by his wife and one child.

The accident occurred at approximately 2 a.m. while the victim, alone in the machine shop at the time, was operating a grindstone. It is believed a spark from the rotating wheel ignited oxygen leaking from the tanks of a welding machine and trapped in a metal box on the wall. The leak is reported to have been in the nozzle which was locked in the metal box to prevent unauthorized use of the machine; the nozzle was still connected to the tank.

Poirier was working directly in front of the metal box and received the full blast of the explosion. The door from the box was found 18 feet away from the wall. The accident was discovered at 2.10 a.m. by foreman Ray Fox, 45, of Kilmar, who immediately summoned assistance. The victim was declared dead by Dr. J. D. Welden.

Sgt.-Det. Ralph Allen and District Coroner Dr. Jules Lafleur were summoned to the scene and report an inquest into the death will be held.

This is the first fatal accident reported by Canadian Refractories in a number of years, the company having an excellent accident-free rating.

Ayersville resident fined for assault

Louis Demers, a 27 year-old Ayersville resident who lives at 254 St. Antoine Street, was fined $25. plus costs when he pleaded guilty to a charge of beating his 18 month-old child. Demerse appeared in St. Jerome court last week. The arrest was made by Ayersville Chief Marcel Therrien who turned the case over to Sgt.-Det. Ralph Allen.

Letter reveals plea to end death penalty

North Bay — Executed killer Ernest Côté has made a posthumous plea for the abolition of capital punishment. He wrote in a letter to his mother here: "Canadian society must rid itself of the death penalty. It has not, and cannot, ever seriously and honestly be a deterrent to murder."

Côté's mother made the letter public recently. He was hanged in Montreal March 11, for shooting to death a bank manager, during a holdup attempt at Temiskaming, Que. The manager, Alexander Heron, was a former resident of Arundel.

"I have not written against capital punishment because I find myself in this position," the 37-year-old Côté said. "As I have tried to show, hanging me will definitely not stop others from being shot to death by armed bandits.

"I was found guilty of the murder of a bank manager while attempting to rob his bank. The whole wicked scheme was planned to avoid shooting . . . as it happened a man died, needlessly so.

"Guilty of murder or not, my execution will in no way deter future bank robbers, as of that, one can be certain."

Côté argued that a man could not be stopped from stealing simply by being jailed.

"Eventually that man will be released. It is not as simple as that. It is equally foolish to think that murder can be curbed by capital punishment.

Province plans school in which QPP officers will receive training

Quebec, March 17 — Attorney-General Antoine Rivard announced plans today to set up a permanent school for training Quebec's provincial police and municipal police.

The announcement was made during study by the Legislative Assembly of 1960-61 budget estimates of $20,681,000 for the attorney-general's department. The estimates, including $8,500,000 for the provincial police, were adopted.

Mr. Rivard said provincial police officers at present get two-month courses in Montreal.

House Opposition Leader Georges Lapalme said the provincial police should be organized in a homogeneous group. At present the force was divided ito the constabulary, the judiciary police, the road police and the liquor police.

He wanted stricter control. He said he knew of a man who passed directly from civilian life to the judiciary police force, which provides courtroom guards. The provincial police should be completely independent of politics.

Mr. Rivard said a man never passes directly into the provincial police. An applicant had to pass tests which determined the position he should occupy. He was later put to work under an experienced man to learn his job.

A book entitled "Scandal at Bordeaux", was discussed by the Assembly.

Mr. Lapalme said the book brought serious accusations against conditions in Bordeau jail at Montreal.

"It is inconceivable that the Attorney-General's Department has kept silent on this subject since the publication of this book," Mr. Lapalme said. A CBC television interview program shortly after the book appeared, also gave a grim idea of Bordeaux conditions.

Mr. Rivard answered that the author of the book, journalist Jacques Hebert, was aiming at sensationalism. The description did not reflect reality, he said.

Lachute Auto Club holds successful winter rally; winners announced

The second annual Winter Rally of the Lachute Auto Club was held on Sunday, March 13 with keen competitive interest shown by members and local non-members entered in this rather difficult contest. A general outline of the course began with the assembly of contestants at Boyd's Lachute Express, proceeding from this point, mileages in yards reduced to miles and based on maps, brought the first check point just outside of St. Scholastique. From here to St. Lin, Que., it was necessary to cross eight railroad tracks in a cross country effect. From St. Lin to Morin Heights again by map, a junction had to be established from longitudinal and latitudinal readings. From Morin Heights to Lachute the route was indicated by a make shift map whereby a number of lakes had to be located and named.

Ironically enough to add to the interest and enjoyment, some entries found themselves off course and ended up in places like Hudson, Lost River and St. Andrews East.

The winners of this event who covered the course effectively but who were short in time were as follows: 1st Don Fuller, driver and Eric Berry, navigator; 2nd Howard Ward, driver and Rodger MacMacAdam, navigator; 3rd Keith Wilson, driver and Bob Golphin, navigator.

Lachute farmer has All-Canadian bull

John P. Bradley & Son, Lachute, Quebec, won the All-Canadian Yearling bull award with their junior yearling bull "Brookview Raider's Star". This bull won his class at the Royal Winter Fair. Bradley's also won an Honorable Mention award in the yearling heifer class with Brookview Wonderful's Girl, the first prize junior yearling at both Lachute and the Royal Winter Fair.

Seventeen exhibitors in five provinces and the United States shared the honors in the All-Canadian results just compiled by the Ayrshire Breeders' Association of Canada.

The results were obtained from a poll of the judges at the fifteen leading exhibitions in Canada placing animals from their photographs that were among the prize winners in 1959.

The animal receiving the largest number of points is declared All Canadian for that class; the animal receiving the second largest number of points is Reserve All Canadian and an animal receiving points equal to one and one-half times the number of judges is given an honorable mention rating.

Date finalized for Cantata in Lachute

On Sunday afternoon last, the Argenteuil Choral Society decided on a date for the presentation of the cantata "The Holy City" by Gaul. It will be held in the Lachute United Church on Sunday, May 1, at 8.30 p.m.

This cantata was composed for the Birmingham Centenary in the nineteenth century, and is full of vigorous choruses, pleasing solos and part singing. A junior choir will assist in the "angelic" choral parts, and the production on the whole will be of great interest to local music lovers.

Argenteuil Outdoors

A column for the sportsman

— By BOB ATCHISON —



With the trout season rapidly approaching, a few tips may not be amiss, especially if they help you to get a couple more fish. As we all know, minnow fishing is out in our county, so worms will naturally be sought after and prized bait for a couple of weeks. Due to the cold water, they don't always stay active and in a lot of cases die almost immediately. There is one bait that will get results, — crayfish. They aren't too hard to catch in the streams. Use a small landing net with some mosquito netting inside it and you will get all you want. There is one thing worth taking the extra time, that can be done to help keep them alive. Instead of hooking them through the back as most of us do, tie them on a long shank hook with black thread; this way they keep alive all day.

Another good bait is the grubs that can be found under rotten logs. In both these baits, a small hook is best, certainly not any bigger than a long shank No. 10. You will only kill the bait with anything bigger.

Your sinkers are another thing that should be thought of. A split shot is best in nearly all types of bait fishing, as it will allow the bait to act natural. Of course there are a lot of natural baits that you can use, and more than likely, anything you may use will produce.

If you are going to use flies, these will have to be the big type, streamers, big nymphs, etc. Use the streamers behind a small spinner if you are not having any luck with them; this may help. I know most people think fly fishing is a special form of fishing. As I've said often enough, anyone with about 15 minutes to spare can come up and be a fly man. It isn't often it will take any longer. A number of the "boys" around have taken up this way of fishing and will give you any dope you want.

Truly it isn't too hard to fly-cast, spinning is a lot harder to get used to.

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Getting into the bush these days is a bit of a job. I managed to travel about a mile and by the time I got out I had "Duck's Disease." Not a rabbit was seen during this time, but birds were there by the hundreds. Chicadees and Grosbeaks seem to have withstood the winter exceptionally well. A few partridge were spotted, and one ring-neck pheasant. This bird sure must have become climatized. There should be more of them around and they will be very welcome next fall.

All in all, the game situation is very good. It seems there will be no more wolf hunts around Buckingham this year. Only three wolves have been killed in the jaunts and with the great danger during the hunts, it hardly seems worthwhile. Some kind of record has been broken though, when you take a gang of hunters well fortified with "anti-freeze", load them with 22's up to 308's, and get no fatalities. The safest thing in the bush is the animals. Great for the C-I-L though. A couple of hunts like these and overtime is in order.

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A couple of years ago, I wrote of a lake in the U.S. that was over-run with corse fish. A few muskies were planted in this lake to see what would happen. It sure seems to have worked out very well. An open season has been declared on the musky this coming year. They are now going to try other lakes. Maybe we could do something like that with some of our lakes. Sure would be worth a try and Lake Sir John would be a good tryout for them. It doesn't have to be muskies,— northern pike would do just as well and surely could be obtained a lot easier than the musky.

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The wild dogs are getting a little easier to close in on. Our dog Goldie has been playing with the young pup I spoke of a week or so ago. I can't get any nearer than about 100 feet so far, but that is a little better than before. I'm trying to get close enough to it, so as to tame it for someone who wants a good dog Although timid right now, it would make a good pet, I'm sure of that. A terrier has joined the group, but by the look of things, he's only out for the adventure of it. Could someone around town be missing their dog?

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Visiting some of the sports shops, it looks as though fly fishing is coming back in a big way. To any of you gents who are thinking of getting one of these outfits, don't forget it must fit you. It isn't the same as going in for a spinning outfit, where all that really matters is the reel. Fly outfits need to suit you, not only for power but for ease in handling. This is one of the most important things to remember in an outfit like this. It isn't necessary to have four or five rods for the types of fishing you are going to do, (bass, bug, dry, wet, streamer, etc.); one rod will serve the purpose for all these for the time being. One between five and seven ounces should be the best for this; of course this doesn't mean you are going to cast like the expert. After all, they happen to have a rod suitable for the fishing they are going to do. But it is possible to have one rod for all fishing. The big thing to get is the outfit that will not tire you after a day's fishing. An important item is the line. Most rod manufacturers recommend lines for their makes, the only trouble with this being that they usually have the line at least one size too small for the rod. In other words if an E level or HEH in a tapered line is called for, use the next biggest size, or D level instead of the E, and in the tapered, a HDH. In this way you will find the rod doing the work. You don't have to be scared at buying a fly outfit nowadays, as nearly all the glass rods are okay. Don't, under any circumstances, buy one of the cheap bamboo outfits. Only a waste of time and money for you. Of course if a larger amount of money is going to be invested, get a split bamboo. There isn't a glass rod on the market today that will give you the action of a cane rod, no matter what the price of the glass one. Within 15 minutes you can learn to cast a fly with the best of them. Naturally the more you practice, the more proficient you become. After a few times at it, you will be wondering why you hadn't tried this method of fishing before.

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What with spring being right around the corner, some of the anglers are all for starting up the Fish and Game Association once again. Every year it runs like this, and once the fishing gets fair, that's the last seen of the members. The value of having a good club in the district cannot be estimated, but the time involved getting it going, only to have it fold up once more, is not of interest to most of the members I have spoken to. All that has to be done is call a meeting, or so I have been told. Man, wouldn't it be great if this were the case.

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More on the birds with crows showing up. Too many to be the winter ones we had around. It's strange, but I even like them right now. Later on though, it will be different. In a couple of weeks there should be enough around to have a good shoot. For a couple of days they won't be too hard to get, but after that it will take some good stalking to even get near them.

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As most of you know, I get kind of peeved at some of the events that happen around our area. The latest is a creek that has given a few of the fishermen around some good fun the past couple of years. Seeing it now, the wonder of it all is **How do we get close enough to fish it".** It's clogged up with junk, including tires, oil cans, old gas cans, wire rope and what have you. This isn't just in one spot where it could be cleaned out by anyone, but scattered all over. Along with rotten logs in the shape of pulp, it sure is a mess. The blame for this is not hard to place. One of these bright days a few of our pulp cutters are going to wonder why they haven't any good timber left; why the streams are drying up, why there is no game, etc.

Only the present, is considered by some people. They take this attitude, — why should we worry about it? . . There's enough for us, so why worry about anyone else! What with the education being given these days in conservation, it would seem that everyone knows the value of our woodlands, wildlife and lands. Of course, for years the forests have been taken for granted by everyone, so maybe it's too much to expect that everyone will be interested in preserving them for the future generations.

Hockey finals between Brownsburg-Thurso tied with third game slated for tonight

By Mander Gardiner

The Quebec-Ontario Hockey League finals between Thurso and Brownsburg are now tied 1-1 after the week-end's action. The schedule for the next week is as follows:

Wednesday, March 23 — Brownsburg at Thurso
Friday, March 25 — Thurso at Brownsburg
Sunday, March 27 — Brownsburg at Thurso
and if necessary
Wednesday, March 30 — Thurso at Brownsburg
Friday, April 1 — Brownsburg at Thurso

Brownsburg at Thurso

Friday, March 18

A crowd of some 400 Thurso fans saw the Bombers give one of their outstanding performances of the year. The entire team was in top form.

The Lumber Kings took a 1-0 lead at 7.32 of the first stanza when Meloche beat Buddy Racine with a fine shot. Five minutes later, Stewart and Ouellette set up Jacques Racine and he evened the score. Early in the middle stanza, Charlebois poked the puck in from behind the net but two quick goals by Thurso put them ahead again. Near the end of the period, Charlebois took Racine's pass and beat Richer with a hard drive. The third period belonged to the Bombers as they picked up 5 goals; MacAdam, Racine, Pilon (2) and Charlebois.

The refereeing in this game was reported to be far below standard as many unwarrented penalties were called and many off sides were missed. Jacques "Coco" Lepine got his second penalty of the season when he tried to tell one of the referees how to do a better job.

Thurso at Brownsburg

Sunday, March 20

Almost 600 fans saw the Bombers lose the second game of the season to Thurso by a score of 4-1. Playing far below their performance in the previous game, the Brownsburg squad was particularly weak on defence.

Meloche scored the only goal of the first period when he took a pass from Chenier and Potvin. Cruise tied the game early in the second period on a slap shot from centre ice. Then Thurso took over the goals by Chenier, Paquette and Potvin gave the Lumber Kings a 4-1 lead. The Bombers tried hard to tally in the last stanza but their efforts were in vain.

Midway through the second stanza, Racine got a partial breakaway and went in to score a beautiful goal only to find that Charlebois had jumped out of the penalty box and gone in off-side. Ouellette also missed a good chance in the first period when he hit the crossbar after shooting over the prostrate goaler.

Jacques Legault played well on defence, but the line of Charlebois, Robitaille and Vary was not too impressive. Racine, Stewart and Ouellette played well but were unlucky around the net.

Dale MacAdam showed great speed and was effective when the Bombers were shorthanded, but Roy Cruise was not up to his usual high standard. Willis MacAdam played his usual hard hitting game and Buddy Racine played well.

Next Friday night's game in Brownsburg should draw another good crowd and with all the players now on day shift, the Bombers should have a full line-up.

L.H.S. sports

By Bryant Graves

On Saturday, March 19 the school boys finished their curling season by winning the school trophy. They were successful in defeating the Catholic school five games to three. The Lachute High School boys wish to thank the members of the Curling Club for the use of the rink, also the members who coached them.

Lachute Wolf Cubs

This week the pack carried on its activities although Akela was absent due to sickness. Following the Grand Howl and inspection, the cubs played a game called "Hit the Deck". Next on the program was test passing:

Flags — Bobby Davis.
Time — Jeffery Gordon.
Cleanliness — Svend Paulsen.
Ball Throwing — John Lyster, Tommy Fillingham, and Wayne McArthur.
Clove Hitch — Rodney Brown.
Exercises, Bowline and Clove Hitch — Bill Beattie.

Following another game, the meeting was closed with the Grand Howl and a Prayer.

Lachute rink wins Vankl'k Hill event

A Lachute rink composed of Keith Rutherford, Art Lobel, Jim Humphreys and skipped by Bill Armstrong won the second annual Bonspiel of the Vankleek Hill Curling Club on Saturday evening of last week by defeating a Montebello Granite Club rink composed of J. Clement, B. Labrosse, A Beauchamp and skipped by R. Racicot.

Prizes consisted of electric razors and barometers.

Lachute Lions' Skating Rink



Activities and Highlights of the Week

All skating enthusiasts are urged to take advantage of our facilities till at least the end of the month. Our ice is perfect and since the evenings are not so cold at this time of the year, we should have a huge crowd every skating night. How about it Fellows? Treat your girl friends to a good evening of skating.

HOCKEY SCORES:

St. Andrews East 1 vs St. Augustin 6
St. Andrews National 6 vs St. Eustache 2
Ecole Superieure de Lachute 14 vs St. Julien 10
Ayersville 6 vs St. Andrews East 4
Lachute 5 vs St. Andrews East 3
St. Andrews East 4 vs St. Placide 4

BROOM-BALL SCORES:

Lachute Auto Club 1 vs Bar-Bears 0
Ste. Scholastique 2 vs Tino Restaurant 7

COMING EVENTS:

This Saturday March 26, the Ahuntsic Lions Club will again bring their Pee-Wee and Bantam teams to play against Lachute.

At one p.m. the Ayers Ltd., runner-up in our Pee-Wee League will play against Ahuntsic while our Legion's Bantams will meet the Ahuntsic team at five p.m. . . We hope many Lachute Lions will be on hand to welcome the visitors from Ahuntsic and to cheer for the winners, whoever they may be.

We are informed that Clifford Lowe has entered his Shamrock Pee-Wees in the Buckingham Regional Tournament to be played in Buckingham's arena this Saturday. This will involve 20 teams from the Ottawa Little League, Hull, Lachute Hawkesbury and perhaps more cities. The whole process of elimination will all take place that day and the winner will be proclaimed Champion on the same evening. We understand that a considerable number of parents and friends will accompany the Shamrocks to Buckingham. If you can spare the day and wish to have fun watching the kids play their hearts out while cheering for the local team, join the group at the Buckingham Arena.

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Men's curling

The final Club Bonspiel resulted as follows:

Section A — Stackhouse Trophy —

Won by Bill Armstrong (skip), J. Humphries, A. Lobel and L. Gaunt.

Runner up — Don Bradley (skip), Don McFaul, D. Graham and Dick MacLean.

Section B — Lord Calvert Trophy—

Won by Ian Gordon (skip), Edmund McFaul, Bill Clark and Don MacRae.

Runner up — Frank Brennian (skip), Colin McOuat, R. Dixon and M. Grondin.

Section C — Pot-Lid Medals

Won by Syd Drew (skip) Doug. MacKimmie, R. Gravel and Bill White.

Runner-up — George Kirby (skip), A. Phillips, A. Comba and Clarence Rodgers.

A special prize is now being played for amongst members who have not been on a final winning rink this curling season.

The Lachute Annual Spring Invitation Bonspiel starts this Friday, with a record number of entries — well over 150 rinks. There will be two weeks of Curling every day and a good time can be anticipated by the visiting curlers and club members.

After the Spring Bonspiel, the Centre is putting on a Mixed Bonspiel in which every rink will be assured of two games. Games will be played at the different rinks in this Centre, with the semi-finals at the Seigniory Club and finals in Lachute. Entries close April 4.

The Montreal Caledonia Curling Club will be host to the Lachute Club this year in competition for the "Bean" Trophy. A chartered bus will leave the Club Wednesday, April 13 to arrive at the new Caledonia Club House at 5.30 p.m. see details on the notice board and sign up for the party.

Brownsburg Scouts

On March 19, the Brownsburg troop played host to a group of boy scouts from Pointe Claire.

The day started out with a hockey game between the boys in the Brownsburg arena. The final score was 17-2 in favor of Brownsburg, the home team's scorers being Norman Forbes, Jimmy Ross, Wayne Seary, Andrew Izzard, Ralph Atkins, Robin Hazel, Harold Ross, Gary Helmer, and Claude Pariseau. The Pointe Claire goals were made by Neil McCall.

Following the game, the boys were served a hot meal and taken on a snow outing, which included snowshoe races, ski competitions, and a hot-dog roast to end an enjoyable day.

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Presbyterian Church Bowling

STANDING TO DATE

Team	Skip	P	W	L	D	For	Agst.	Pts.
Pipers	(F. Underhill)	26	13	11	2	173	167	28
Pilgrims	(M. Cairns)	26	15	8	3	181	155	33
Hit-or-Miss	(J. Simons)	26	12	11	3	177	177	27
Rockets	(K. Noble)	26	6	15	5	156	190	17
Shamrocks	(J. Armour)	26	15	9	2	176	159	32
Spitfires	(E. Gordon)	26	8	15	3	175	186	19

Anglican Bowling League

STANDING

The Anglicans concluded their regular bowling schedule last Monday, with the Rangers, skipped by Harold Maslin, firmly established in first place, followed by the Woodpeckers, skipped by Walter Shearsmith.

The play-offs will commence on Monday next, March 28.

Team	Skip	P	W	L	D	For	Agst.	Pts.
Rangers	(H. Maslin)	28	20	8		273	209	40
Woodpeckers	(W. Shearsmith)	28	18	9	1	254	227	37
Rockets	(R. Dempster)	28	14	14	0	251	229	28
Victorias	(G. Leggett)	28	13	13	2	238	241	28
Beavers	(J. Sewell)	28	13	14	1	247	237	27
Stars	(G. Silverson)	28	13	15	0	233	253	26
Teenagers	(M. Silverson)	28	11	16	1	232	252	23
Flyers	(Mrs. Dougall/	28	7	20	1	194	291	15

United Church Bowling League

STANDING

Team	Skip	P	W	L	D	For	Agst.	Pts.
Redwings	(Miss Grace Rosser)	15	10	3	2	150	113	22
St. Pat's	(Gladys Davis)	15	10	5	0	130	101	20
St. George's	(Owen Todd)	15	9	4	2	136	116	20
All Stars	(Mrs. M. McFaul)	15	9	6	0	125	106	18
East Settlement	(Les Gordon)	15	8	6	1	138	122	17
Beavers	(Miss M. Gordon)	15	8	6	1	118	141	17
Teenagers	(Reg Stanafield)	15	7	7	1	152	121	15
St. Andrews	(Mrs. W. Bridge)	15	7	7	1	130	136	15
Maple Leafs	(Mrs. D. Smith)	15	6	9	0	120	115	12
St. David's	(Willie Wilson)	15	5	9	1	124	139	11
Thistles	(Foster Campbell)	15	3	10	2	115	153	8
Bluebirds	(Mrs. H. Riddell)	15	3	11	1	112	152	7

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EDITORIAL NOTES...

"In this Parliament are three Estates, the Lords Spiritual, the Lords Temporal and the Commons. But in the Reporters' Gallery yonder sits a Fourth Estate more important far than all."
— Edmund Burke

Railway freight cars being marked

FOR SOME YEARS, a campaign of sorts has been waged against the lack of lights, etc., on the side of railway freight and passenger cars. Apparently a number of highway vehicles have rammed the side of moving trains.

We were pleased on Wednesday evening of last week to see a decided improvment on a C.N.R. train in the Montreal area. The doors of several cars had been painted a brilliant yellow and most definitely eliminated the possibility of any but the most careless river ramming the train.

It has been stated that the cost of installing reflecting lights would run into the millions. The painting of these doors when the cars are being repaired would only cost a fraction of this. We hope the practice will be continued so that in a few years, yet another railway level crossing hazard will be eliminated.

Unemployment Insurance should be controlled

HOW MUCH MORE of present Unemployment Insurance policy is the year-round worker going to take before he rebels against putting more of his money into this leaky basket? asks the editor of "The Glengarry News", in nearby Alexandria. Can we ever hope to see Parliament acting to stop the many leaks which annually deplete the fund of many millions of our wasted dollars?

It seems not.

In the Commons, one night recently, Labor Minister Starr told of a seasonally unemployed Canadian who earns $7,000 a year and yet is drawing unemployment insurance throughout the winter months because his work lasts only through the summer. The Minister told of this instance when replying to a complaint by a CCF Member that winter unemployment amounts to 22 to 25 percent of the labor force in his riding, adjoining Fort William. It was at Fort William, according to Mr. Starr, that he commiserated with this bush worker because he was unemployed all winter.

It's not too bad", the man is supposed to have assured him. "I am drawing unemployment insurance."

The news report of this interplay between the Labor Minister and a CCF Member makes no mention of an Commons' reaction to the picture of a $7,000 a year seasonal worker drawing unemployment insurance throughout the winter. Members of Parliament took it as a matter of course. And well they might, for this is common practice in Unemployment Insurance circles.

Almost every category of seasonal worker may now count on winter-long weekly payments from the fund. Women take it as a matter of course that when they marry they will receive this nest egg to help furnish their new nest. Men are calculating the number of days or weeks they must work in order to be eligible to return to the Unemployment Insurance trough.

In the eyes of year-round contributors to the fund, the Unemployment Insurance Commission constitutes the biggest waste of public funds reaching the largest number of voters the politicians could possibly hope to keep happy. The fund was instituted with the laudable purpose of forever ending the need of any citizen applying for relief.

We still have relief; but no bread lines. The line now forms at the Unemployment Insurance Offices and it is made up, as far as we can see, of more people seeking a dole that has become respectable, than ever applied for relief in the depth of the depression.

There are no doubt deserving cases being tided over bad times by the fund. But they seem far out-weighed by the many who have figured to the exact day how long they must labor before the Unemployment Insurance cheque, and the kick-back from Income Tax, will take care of their needs through a winter of idleness.

No man earning $5,000 a year should require aid from the public purse. Yet we have the picture of a complacent Commons hearing of such a one who takes in $7,000 in the summer months and has the government buy his beer through a winter of idleness. There are thousands just like him and it is the year-round worker who last year was called on to pay a larger weekly contribution to prime this free-flowing political pump.

Party lines have been dropped while Members of Parliament freely debate the question of abolition of the death penalty. That is a subject made to order for the politician.

We could measure him better if such a non-party debate permitted the politician with principles to sound off on all the things that are wrong with the present policies of the Unemployment Insurance Commission.

Timely reminder on wages

WAGES CAN GO down as well as up. It's an unpleasant and disturbing thought for anyone who works for a living, but those who were old enough — and lucky enough — to have a job during the "Terrible Thirties" can testify that it's a fact.

Younger members of the labor force, on the other hand, may find it hard to believe. After all, for more than 20 years now wages have moved steadily and almost without interruption in one direction only — upwards.

Unfortunately for us, we cannot be certain that this trend will continue unabated for another 20 years. The determining factor in whether wages rise or fall is not membership of a union, political party or anything else. It is the continuing ability of a company — and, for that matter, a whole industry — to find a market for its products in face of competition from other companies and industries.

The truth of this was well demonstrated recently when 900 union members employed by a manufacturing concern in Massachusetts voted to accept a 10 per cent cut in wages. They did so after the company president had told them bluntly that such a cut was necessary to help the company get costs down to the point where it could compete with companies in southern states paying lower wages, failing which the plant might have to shut down altogether.

The natural hope must be that this is not the shape of things to come. But if such incidents are not to become the rule, none of us can afford to overlook the fact that competitive pressures are more intense and exacting than they have been in many, many years.

This being so, the decision of these 900 unionists in Massachusetts is a timely reminder that the inevitable consequences of insistence on higher wages **regardless of circumstances** must be that wages will eventually fall very much faster and more sharply than they rose; and that even this will be preferred — by unionists and non-unionists alike — to the greater evil of unemployment.

Vacation sense

THE INEVITABLE RESULT of everyone deciding to go on vacation at the same time would be utter chaos. We haven't quite reached this point in Canada yet, but we are certainly coming closer to doing so with every year that passes.

For some unexplained reason the last two weeks of July and the first two weeks of August have an irresistable fascination for an ever-swelling number of Canadians. A recent survey by the Canadian Manufacturers' Association shows that 63 per cent of the firms replying shut down for vacations — and no less than 94 per cent of them do so within this peak period. In so doing most of them are complying with the wishes of their employees.

Predictably, the inevitable consequence of this mass preference for the last half of July or first half of of August is mass inconvenience in the shape of congested highways, choked resorts, limited accommodation, poor service. And, of course, the higher prices that are always present where demand is greater than supply.

All this hardly adds up to an enjoyable and beneficial vacation. Plainly, the sensible thing to do is follow the advice of the Canadian Tourist Association and contract out of this stampede by avoiding the peak period so far as possible.

In other words, our chances of a pleasant and unspoilt vacation will be much improved if more of us plan on going between the middle of June and the middle of July and the middle of August and the middle of September.

Incentives to do so are certainly not lacking.

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A Spring-time hazard



"You'll get used to it . . . it's a national 'pass'-time!"

Losing the best

By C. J. Harris

More University-trained people is one of Canada's admitted needs. More private and public money for scholarships and building programs is urged from every side. The worthy goal is opportunity for advanced training to every youth with the ability and desire for it. But here are two disturbing questions: Are we mainly educating our best brains for export? Has the federal government committed the country for all time to a lopsided economic development that will have little place for talent once it has been trained?

That is exactly the case, argued W. N. Hall, president of Dominion Tar and Chemical Company, in a speech to the Chemical Institute of Canada. Part of his evidence was this quote from a continuing study of honor graduates in chemistry of McMaster University: "Although only one in seven or eight of the graduates is now in the United States, one in every three who have gone on to the Ph.D. is there".

The fault, says Mr. Hall, lies with Ottawa's fixation that processing industries must be subordinated to primary industries. After itemizing tax policies, trade policies and tariff policies, framed to the special advantage of the resource industries, Mr. Hall went on:

"In a truly advancing economy the percentage of total output coming from manufacturing should be increasing rapidly. Yet, because of the relative disadvantages under which Canadian manufacturing has to operate, it climbed only from 29 to 32 percent of total national output from 1946 to 1956 . . . Even more serious are the findings of the Gordon Commission that it is expected to be only 25.3 per cent in 1980, and to employ a smaller percentage of our population than it does today. At the same time the importance of the resource industries, which do not employ us or keep us home, is forecast as going up dramatically. The program of providing special privileges to the resource industries could hardly be expected to produce any other result.

"The longer we persist in importing high-class goods, the longer we will go exporting our first-class brains. And this is not just true of technologists. If we persist in sacrificing our secondary industries to our export industries, we lose first our scientists and our engineers — and then our most intelligent men in other academic fields, in business, even in government — because we are not building up the Canadian standard of living to the point where we can offer them enough incentive to keep on living in Canada.

"And make no mistake about it, it is our best brains we are losing."

Daily Timetable

(Eastern STANDARD Time)

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Westbound to Ottawa

Daily	11.09 a.m.
Daily	7.06 p.m.
Saturday	2.10 p.m.

Eastbound to Montreal

Daily	9.54 a.m.
Daily	7.35 p.m.
Saturday	3.05 p.m.

Canadian Pacific

Of Many Things

— By Ambrose Hills —

CBC TO EDMONTON

CBC's announcement that it intends to put up a television station in Edmonton has created quite a flurry of criticism from northern Manitoba.

Manitoban's claim that CBC, because it is financed by taxpayers, ought to concentrate on areas which are not now getting programs. CBC has taken considermoney from northern Manitoba over these many years. Manitobans have received little or nothing in return. Edmonton, on the other hand, already gets just about all the CBC programs produced.

Manitobans have the further complaint that Edmonton would get additional service from private television stations whether or not CBC put one up; there is no shortage of applicants for the TV franchise there. And it is felt that Edmontonions would rather share another private station than a CBC one because they are already seeing these government-sponsored shows and would like a change of pace.

If this controversy had transpired a few years ago, the final decision on the matter would no doubt have been taken, after some consideration, by the CBC itself. Today, however, CBC is not free to put up transmitters whenever and wherever it wants. CBC must appear before the Board of Broadcast Governors and make a case for such a transmitter in public. No doubt it will have an edge over other applicants,' because government boards tend to favor one another rather than outsiders. However, the BBG would hesitate, one would think, to make decisions likely to arouse the public. If Edmonton doesn't want a CBC station badly, and if northern Manitoba protests loudly enough, the board might well decide to select a private applicant to serve Edmonton.

CBC, therefore, must put up quite a case. To date, their argument seems to be that they want to "interpret" bustling Edmonton to the rest of Canada. I suppose that argument might sound persuasive to those who haven't undergone CBC's "interpretation" in the past. Have they noted how CBC's TV station in Winnipeg "interprets" us to the rest of Canada? You'd think we were a town addicted to night-clubbing and corny vaudeville to judge us by CBC's productions. Have they noted, in Edmonton, the way CBC "interprets" Toronto to the rest of Canada? It's apparently a city fraught with psychological problems, where bosses perform like Dickensian monsters, liquor and brutality abound, and CBC tries to leaven the morbid mess with lovely dancing boys and girls.

It would be most interesting to see how Edmonton would fare under the interpretive eyes of those CBC cameras. It might be fun for the rest of us but I doubt whether Edmonton would like it!

SHORT SEASON

Woodstock, Ont. (CP) — Syrup makers here expect a short season because of heavy snow and little sub-zero weather, if March temperatures should rise quickly.

OLD INSTRUMENT

Sherbrooke, Que. (CP) — A melodeon operated by two foot pedals and built 100 years ago is preserved in working condition here. It came from Concord, N.H.

All Aboard



with G. E. MORTIMORE

Sore bones, jellied innards, hot and cold face, indifferent to food and even to girls . . . when a man feels like that, he's sick.

He doesn't need a doctor to tell him he has 'flu, or a pharmacist to make up $10 worth of miracle pills.

All he wants is sleep. For a few minutes he struggles with guilt feelings about his work. Too fuzzy in the head, he assures himself. This thought brings a sense of release and self-pity.

He tries a book. The printed words melt away like a swarm of gnats. There is music somewhere, going "Thum-Taromp". It's the radio he left on.

The bed is hot. It becomes the lawn of the old house, and he is facing up with eyes closed, seeing red with yellow spots, hearing the crackling and buzzing of summer, and feeling his nerves growing down like hair-roots into the earth and twisting around the grass and dandelions.

Now he's in a train, gliding past snowy trees and mountains. It seems as though he can detach himself from the train and float up the cold, white slopes, just above the trees. . . . .

He is hanging in a couch above a plain of clouds, until a blue hole appears in the white and the clouds fade into a jumble of shapes, sounds, colors and mixed-up ideas . . . . and so to sleep.

He wakes up in the late afternoon feeling sore and empty. The radio is blasting out an interview with someone. He makes his way slowly downstairs to the kitchen, flips off the radio and plugs in the toaster and kettle.

He reaches for a piece of toast, and scrabbles under the table for something that isn't there.

"Curse that dog," the man says out loud to himself, "he's taken one of my slippers again. Come here, you devil".

But the dog is out somewhere. The man puts down the paper that was clenched in his hand. He must be over the worst of his 'flu. He's back to his normal bad temper.

Humming a tune, he sits back in the kitchen chair and munches the toast. Still time to do some work this evening? No, he decides. I mustn't rush it too much. That's the advantage of being sick. It allows you to loaf with a clear conscience.

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Who were Canada's first cross-country tourists?

Dr. Walter Butler Cheadle and Viscount Milton. The two came to Canada from England in July 1862 and, travelling purely for adventure, made the long and perilous journey across the continent to Victoria. The travelled by canoe and on horseback, crossing the Rockies by way of the Yellowhead Pass. Cheadle and Milton have been called the first transcontinental tourists. The return journey from Victoria was made by ship and they arrived in England in March 1864. The account of the expedition, published in 1865 under the title The North-West Passage by Land, became a popular travel book and passed through many editions. The names of both men appear on the title page but the text was by Cheadle alone. Dr. Cheadle (1835-1910) became a distinguished pediatrician and was for many years connected with St. Mary's Hospital in London, England.

Who founded Souris, Man.?

John Nesbitt Kirchhoffer, a lawyer who was born in Ireland in 1848 and came to Canada in 1864. He was called to the Ontario bar in 1871 and practised law in Port Hope, Ont., before moving to Manitoba in 1883. He founded the town of Souris and continued the practice of law in Brandon. Active in politics, he sat in the Manitoba legislature as a Conservative and in 1892 was called to the Canadian Senate. He was a keen shot and fisherman and on several occasions he captained Canadian international cricket teams. Kirchoffer died in Ottawa in 1914.

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Take time out for a rest

The time for promenading by auto has not yet arrived even though there are signs of spring. Many roads and highways are still in the midst of the spring thaw and are a mass of potholes. The Provincial Highway Safety Committee, (Prudentia), reminds motorists to use extra care these days while driving. And if a long trip is necessary then start early in the morning so that driving will be done during the day. Prudentia adds, take ttime out for a rest so that fatigue does not play havoc with your driving.

GOOD GROUP

Portage la Prairie, Man. (CP) — The Portage la Prairie Flying Club has been awarded another safe flying award — its 11th in 13 years of operation.

Births, Marriages, Deaths, etc.

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ENGAGEMENT

BELL — BURROWS — Mr. and Mrs. William R. Bell announce the engagement of their daughter, Enid Beverley, to Flight Lieutenant Sydney Edward Burrows, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sydney E. Burrows, Sr., of Burnaby, British Columbia. The marriage has been arranged to take place on Saturday, May 7 in Trinity Church, Morin Heights.

IN MEMORIAM

BARBOUR — In loving memory of a dear husband, James Barbour, who passed away suddenly March 18, 1958. — Always remembered by his wife Florence.

BARBOUR — In loving memory of my dear dad, who passed away March 18, 1958. Sadly missed by son Don, daughter-in-law Rachel and grandsons Blair and Donnie.

CLEARY — In loving memory of a dear sister, Gladys, who passed away March 18, 1955. — Always remembered by Dorothy, Arthur and family.

"Through tears we saw you sinking,
We watched you fade away;
Our hearts were almost broken,
You fought so hard to stay;
But when we saw you sleeping,
So peacefully, free from pain,
We could not wish you back with us,
To suffer that again."

GRAHAM — In loving memory of a dear father and grandfather, Wm. A. Graham, who passed away on March 21, 1955. Always remembered by Thelma, Russell and family.

"The years may dawn and pass away,
But thoughts of you will always stay."

GRAHAM — In loving memory of a dear dad and grandfather, who passed away March 21, 1955. — Always remembered by his family.

"Treasured forever in our memory."

MAIDENS — In loving memory of a dear husband and father, Sid, who passed away March 22, 1957. — Always remembered by his wife Norma and sons Donald, Douglas and Brent.

"The month of March is here again
To us, the saddest of the year;
The blow was hard, the shock severe,
To part with one we loved so dear."

POLLOCK — In loving memory of a dear husband and dad, Arthur C. Pollock, who died March 22, 1957. — Ever remembered by his wife and family.

TASSE — In loving memory of a dear father, Joseph Tassé, who passed away March 20, 1959. — Always remembered by Catherine and Ruby.

"The heartaches in this world are many,
But to lose our Dad was the greatest of any.
So today our love is mingled with tears,
And we fervently wish to turn back the years,
To have you, Dad, and your loving ways,
And to live once again those happy days."

TASSE — In loving memory of a dear father and grandfather, Joseph Tassé, who passed away on March 20, 1959. — Always remembered by Margaret, Israël and grandchildren

"We miss you more than anyone knows,
A year has passed, the emptiness grows.
The tears in my eyes will wipe away,
But the ache in my heart will always stay."

CFRA sportscaster killed recently in automobile crash

Tom Foley, general manager of Ottawa radio station CFRA, died early last Thursday in a traffic accident on Toronto's Lakeshore Boulevard.

Rated one of Canada's foremost sportscasters and commentators, he was also one of the most popular



Tom Foley

and prominent personalities in sports and broadcasting circles in Ottawa. He was 38.

Mr. Foley's wife, the former Christine Findlay, died a year ago March 19, of a cerebral hemmorrhage. The Foleys had four young daughters, Kathy 13, Jill 11, Theresa 10, and Sheila, five.

He was killed when the airport limousine in which he was a passenger was struck by a car said by Toronto police to have been travelling in the wrong lane at the intersection of Lakeshore Boulevard and the Gardiner expressway, near the CNE grounds.

Driver of the other car, Gerald Fox, 24, of Bracebridge, Ont., has been charged with criminal negligence.

Grenville

Mrs. Alex Tait, who has spent the winter months with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Owens, has left for her home in Frelighsburg, Que.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Bigelow and family, of Calumet, accompanied by Mrs. Corl Gauley, last week motored to Arnprior and Galetta, Ont., and visited with Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Farrell and Mr. and Mrs. Manford Brydges.

R.C.M.P. Cst. Aubrey White, of Regina, was the recent guest of his grandfather, Mr. R. B. White, and Miss Eva White.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Putnam have left on a holiday trip to Florida.

Miss Barbara Dewar, R.N., of Montreal, spent a few days visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harris Dewar.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bigelow and sons, of Montreal, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Corl Gauley. Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Noble, of Ville Emard, spent Sunday evening and Monday at the Gauley home, having returned from visiting with relatives at Arnprior and Galetta, Ont.

The sympathy of this community is extended to the relatives and family of Romeo Poirier, also to Mrs. Ernest Gelineau and family, of Hawkesbury, in the sudden passing of Mr. Gelineau last Friday morning.

Quebec C. of Com. opposes quotas on Japanese goods

The Quebec Chamber of Commerce has sent a protest to the federal government "vigorously objecting" to any boost in Japanese textile imports.

Georges A. Meloche, QC, chamber president, sent the protest in a telegram to Prime Minister John Diefenbaker, Finance Minister Donald Fleming and Trade and Commerce Minister Gordon Churchill.

The telegram read: "We believe that an important part of the economy of the Province of Quebec is threatened by these imports and that all measures to increase them would completely darken this vast sector of our industry — the textiles.

"Considerable capital as well as the welfare of thousands of workers are involved. We have learned that this question has been discussed by the Government and we now send our opposition to any project of increasing these quotas."

DISTRICT NEWS FROM OUR COUNTY CORRESPONDENTS

Brownsburg

Mr. and Mrs. R. Gibson, of Ottawa, visited relatives here this week.

Congratulations are extended to Mr. Walter Townsend, who celebrated his 86th birthday on March 19.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Prosser, of Longueuil, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Prosser.

Mr. John Kettyle was in Montreal visiting Mrs. Kettyle, who is a patient in the Royal Victoria Hospital Friends wish her a speedy recovery.

Military Whist

The third annual St. Patrick's Military Whist sponsored by the Catholic Women's League was held in the Legion Hall on Saturday, March 19, players participating at 30 tables.

Captain of the winning table was Mr. J. Larocque. Captain of the winners for second prize was Mrs. R. Nixon.

The C. W. L. members wish to thank the merchants who so kindly donated the door prizes, and Rev. Father Clement, who helped with the drawing of same. Excellent refreshments were served at the conclusion of a pleasant evening.

Weir

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Bowie accompanied by their daughter, Carole, were here from Montreal to spend the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Craig.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Davis, with their little daughter, of Montreal, spent the week-end with his family.

Mrs. Wm. Thompson is spending the present week visiting at the home of her son Jack and Mrs. Boyd, at Shawville.

The sympathy of this community is extended to Mrs. P. Larose and family also Mrs. Lloyd Larose and family in last week's sudden passing of the late Lloyd J. Larose in Cleveland.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Jones, of St. Jerome, spent the week-end as guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Basil Kerr.

Northern Grenville

Mr. and Mrs. Eric Cohill and Linda, of Calumet Island and the Rev. Father Joseph McCart, of Ottawa, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. B. McCart.

Mrs. Thomas Hoare Jr., and Miss Eileen Hoare spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Don Jackson in Brownsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Dowler and family, of Ottawa, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Allan Cousens.

Mr. Ed Matthew spent the week-end visiting relatives in Montreal.

Mr. Ernest Fife, of Ottawa, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Hoare Sr.

Mr. Willis Young, of Aylmer, spent the week-end at his home.

Sympathy is extended to the bereaved families of the late Mr. E. Brunet, of Calumet, and the late Mr. R. Poirier, of Grenville.

Cushing West

Mr. and Mrs. Birchfield, of St. Lambert, and Mrs. N. Newbergher, of Montreal, were recent guests of their aunt, Mrs. E. Derrick, of Grece's Point.

Mrs. Sherwood Boyce and daughter, Miss Norma Boyce, of Lacolle, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gaston on Wednesday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Loane, of Montreal, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Pinkerton on Saturday. Misses R. D. and Ken Hartley, of Montreal, were Sunday guests.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT

Mrs. Alvin Graham and family wish to thank all friends and neighbors for their help in fighting the fire on Thursday.

Morin Heights

The Morin Heights United Church Women's Association held their annual St. Patrick's Day Tea on Friday afternoon last in the Church Hall. This event was well attended and the results were most gratifying.

Week-end guests of Mrs. E. C. Fayet were her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. Fayet and children, Carol and Charles, of Montreal.

Miss Elsie Scott, of Montreal West, is spending this week as guest of her sister and brother-in-law, Mayor and Mrs. C. D. Campbell.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Edwards, of Montreal, have been recent guests of the latter's mother, Mrs. Mary Campbell, Campbell's Farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Eddge spent last Sunday at Farnham, Que., visiting with their daughter, Jaunita, who is a student at St. Helen's School.

Mrs. E. Kneeland spent last week-end in Lachute, the guest of her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Jack MacKimmie.

On Wednesday evening last a number of the family gathered at the home of Mr. T. E. Seale to extend best wishes on the occasion of his 70th birthday. Members of the community also take this opportunity to wish him many more years of health and happiness.

Miss Joyce Hadden, of Shawinigan Falls, spent last week-end here visiting at the home of Mrs. Ruby Campbell.

Mrs. Wm. Winchester entertained on Saturday evening last in honor of Miss Beverly Bell, whose marriage to Flying Officer Sydney Burrows takes place on May 7. The bride-elect was presented with an ironing-board.

Mr. and Mrs. Graeme Bell, of Pierrefonds, spent the week-end here.

Christening in Montreal

A christening ceremony took place at St. Matthew's Church, Hampstead, on Sunday afternoon, when the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Jean Dandurand received the names Ronald Jean. The Rev. Horace G. Baugh officiated.

A reception followed at the home of the parents in Notre Dame de Grace.

Cushing

Miss Jean Genest, of Montreal, spent the week-end at her Cushing home.

Miss Carol Martin, of Verdun, was the week-end guest of Miss Bonnie Gain.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pitt, of Montreal, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Elliott.

Miss Elsie M. Graham spent the week-end at Bayside Farm with her mother and brother.

Mrs. Archie Graham was in Montreal on Friday.

The Misses Myrtle and Violet Bryerton, of Verdun, visited their father, Mr. Wm. Bryerton, of Carillon, over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Berry, of Lachute, also Mr. and Mrs. James Berry, of Hill Head, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Fuller.



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SMALL LINK, FRESH PORK SAUSAGE - - - - - - 1-lb. tray 39c
CHOICE BOLOGNA - - - - - - 1½-lb. chub 53c
PACKED IN PLASTIC BOWL HEAD CHEESE - - - - - - 12-oz. bowl 27c
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It is hoped that a good supply of material will be presented, as this is to be used for occupational therapy for the patients.

Prov'l license unit here on April 4

The provincial government mobile driving test unit will be in Lachute at noon on Monday, April 4, and all the following day. Persons wishing to obtain a driving permit are requested to govern themselves accordingly. The vehicle will be located at the Court House, Grace Street.

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GO TO CHURCH ON SUNDAY

Anglican Church
REV. C. R. LANG, L.Th., R.D., RECTOR

ST. SIMEON'S, LACHUTE
10.00 a.m. Church School
11.00 a.m. Morning Prayer.
Service to be conducted by Mr. Mark Conliffe, of Montreal Diocesan College.
Wednesdays in Lent —
Service at 7.30 p.m.
Everyone welcome.

ST. GEORGE'S BROWNSBURG
9.30 a.m. Holy Communion
10.30 a.m. Church School
Thursdays in Lent —
Service at 7.30 p.m.

CHRIST CHURCH, ST. ANDREWS EAST
10.30 a.m. Church School
11.00 a.m. Holy Communion

People's Church, Lachute
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REV. C. W. SORLEY, PASTOR
9.45 a.m. Bible School.
11.00 a.m. "DANIEL"
The Book of Visions and Prophecy.
7.30 p.m.
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Wed., 8.00 p.m., Prayer.

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7.30 p.m. Evening Gospel Service
Wednesday, 8 p.m. —
The Hour of Praise and Prayer.
Everybody heartily invited to these Services.

Christ Church, Mille Isles
Rev. Horace G. Baugh, Rector.
9.30 a.m. St. Sauveur
11.00 a.m. Morin Heights
2.00 p.m. Mille Isles.

Lakefield Services
REV. CANON C. W. P. BAUGH, Rector
2.00 p.m. Shrewsbury
3.00 p.m. Lakefield

Margaret Rodger Memorial Presbyterian Church
REV. JAMES ARMOUR, B.A.
9.50 a.m. Church School and Bible Class.
11.00 a.m. Morning Service.
3.00 p.m. Brownsburg.

English Catholic
Mass for English-speaking Catholics, Sunday, Mar. 27 at 8 a.m. in the basement of Ste. Anastasie Parish Church. (alt)

Maple Avenue Baptist Church, Brownsburg
REV. R. L. McPHEE
9.45 a.m. Church School.
Classes for all ages.
11.00 a.m. Worship Service.
7.00 p.m. Evangelistic Service.
Wed.,7.30 p.m. Prayer Service.
A welcome for all.

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11.00 a.m. Morning Worship
Thurs., 8 p.m. — Hour of Praise and Prayer.
All are heartily invited.

Brownsburg Regular Baptist Church
REV. GEO. HICKS, B.Th., PASTOR
10.00 a.m. Bible School.
11.00 a.m. Church Service.
Mon. 6.30 p.m. Happy Hour
Mon. 8.00 p.m. Young People
Prayer, Thursday 8 p.m. at the home of Mr. Roy Jackson.

Parish of Grenville
REV. P. R. STOTE, L.Th., RECTOR
8.00 a.m. H.C. St. Matthew's
9.30 a.m. H.C. Holy Trinity
11.00 a.m. M.P. St. Matthew's
Lenten Services
Wed., 8 p.m. St. Matthew's
Thurs., Mar. 24 —
Jim Noble's home at 7.30 p.m.
Thurs., Mar 31 —
Wm. Bray's home at 7.30 p.m.
Friday, 7.30 p.m. Holy Trinity Ch.

Brownsburg United
REV. GARFIELD W. BRUCE, B.A., Minister
10.00 a.m. Church School.
11.00 a.m. Morning Service.
Reception of new members.
Baby fold at 11 a.m.

Brownsburg Pentecostal Assembly
Minister — REV. JOHN C. SHRIER
10.00 a.m. Sunday School
Come and bring a friend.
11.00 a.m. Morning Worship.
"THE PRECIOUS FAITH"
7.30 p.m. Evangelistic Service.
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At the present time, the English-speaking element in Quebec represents only about 15 per cent of the population of our province. But the importance of our people in the cultural and humanitarian fields is out of all proportion to their numbers.

Our schools and hospitals are as good as any in North America. Our Neurological Institute, headed by the greatest brain surgeon in the world, is unexcelled.

But in one humanitarian field the English-speaking Quebecer has not accomplished enough. In the care of the aged, there is need of vast improvement.

The English-speaking people of Argenteuil have no "Home for the Aged". However, a movement is gaining momentum that may soon provide us with a refuge for our senior citizens as the women of this county, with great insight into the needs of our people, intend to have one in the not too distant future.

I would consider myself something less than a man, if I didn't wish the Women's Institute every success in their venture.

With the vast strides made in medical knowledge within the last generation, the incidence of senility amongst our population has greatly increased. We must make adequate preparations for the care of our aged.

Cicero, in his work called "De Senectude", states that Cato the elder, used to delve in his garden when well past 80 years of age.

In Argenteuil County there are many examples of citizens, who are still hale and hearty and strong in mind and body, although over 80 years old.

Cicero states that old age, if we have not abused ourselves in youth, can well be the most pleasant time of life. The lusts and passions of our youth are all past and gone as we enter the calm and serene state of senility.

Some old folk are fortunate enough to have sons and daughters who can and will look after them in their last years. Others unfortunately have none, and often approach old age friendless and indigent.

An 'Old Folks Home' some years ago was considered a disreputable place; it had an evil connotation almost as bad as the 'Poorhouse'.

But today, we have many model "Homes for the Aged", such as "Glen-Stor-Dun" near Cornwall, Ont., and the Salvation Army's "Eventide Home". The only drawback at the Eventide Home, is that they cannot look after people, once they are bed-ridden. The United Church also has a splendid Home for the aged in Montreal.

I know an old lady presently living in an Old Folk's Home, whose three brothers gave their lives in World War I. These men are not here to help their sister. They believed in the noble words of Horace, the poet of Ancient Rome, who wrote:

"Dulce et decorum est pro patria mori,
Mors et fugacem persequitur virum,
Qui ab proeliis fugerit."

Translated this means:
"Sweet it is and befitting,
For one's native land to die,
Death and disbrace pursues the man
Who from battle flees".

If the mothers and sisters of our departed heroes have to be placed in a home for the aged, because there is no one here to help them, is it not our duty to see that they are properly housed and fed?

Yes, ladies of the Women's Institutes, we need a 'Home for the Aged' badly. An Inn where our senior citizens may enter when they are near the end of the road of life. A place where they may lay down their old gray heads on a cool pillow at night, and be free from fear and want; where they will have lots to read, as the aged like to read; where they will even be allowed to smoke, under supervision because of the fire hazard; and where an old fellow may go fishing with a friend if he wants to.

I am not altogether selfless in my desire to have a home for the aged, because conditions may be so ideal that I may be knocking at the door of that Inn, when I am near the end of the road.

I would like to state that the memory of Miss Mary Miller, will long be revered in her native county, due to the magnificent legacy she has bequeathed for the purpose of establishing a home for our senior citizens. Her picture ought to hang in its hall.

Lastly I would like to suggest, if it would not be possible in this Home, to care for the aged folk, right to the end; until the "Angel of Death", that most merciful of all the angels, flits down to their bedside, touches the pensioner lovingly, and leaving only that which is earthy and temporal, soars away with the weary traveller to a happier bourn.

Women of Argenteuil, you are not alone. You have but to ask, and all those who call themselves men, will come forward with a helping hand.

Give, that our aged may not only exist, but live!

Three missionaries address gatherings at Pentecostal Ch.

A successful missionary convention was held in the Brownsburg Pentecostal Church with missionaries from China, Africa and Trinidad. All three missionaries gave interesting reports of the native work, displaying through films and curios, some of the native customs.

Rev. A. Bowler, of Kenya, reported that 435 churches had been established there with 100,000 Pentecostal believers. He also spoke of established Bible Schools, radio work in ten different languages and a strong literature program.

Rev. R. Eames, of Trinidad, had an encouraging report of 75 well-established churches with 72 of them being pastored by the native workers.

Miss Pardo, of Hong Kong, thrilled the gathering with stories and pictures of the phenomenal youth program there.

Each missionary told the most startling stories of native conversions, the first from that of a witch doctor to that of a demon possessed youth. They relayed incidents of speaking to some people of Jesus Christ, for the first time.

The Bible today

President Carlos P. Garcia of the Philippines has endorsed the campaign of the Bible House there to distribute 120,000 copies of the "Sermon on the Mount". "I have always maintained", said President Garcia "that whatever institutions man may build for his political, social and economic advancement, these cannot long endure if they are not founded upon the rock of moral practices and upright living", adding, "the Word of God should be the nation's chief guide".

This campaign is part of a crusade for higher morality in public office which is being sponsored by International Leadership Groups in the Philippines.

Social and Personal

Mrs. E. Kettyle and her daughter, Mrs. Doris Townsend, have returned from an extended visit to the West, motoring with the former's brother, Leslie Todd, from Winnipeg to California, where some time was spent with another brother, Russell Todd. Among other places of interest, they visited the Rio Grand Valley in Texas, and returned home by plane.

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Friends of Bobby Robinson, who is a patient in the Royal Victoria Hospital, wish him a speedy recovery.

Mrs. J. E. Leonard, accompanied by Master John Ayers, left by plane this week for a holiday in Florida.

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Mrs. Howard Watson has returned from a trip to Jamaica.

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Mr. and Mrs. Donald Hooper and family, of Toronto, were recent guests of Dr. and Mrs. W. Hooper.

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Mr. and Mrs. Norman Lloyd spent a few days visiting their son, Dr. Lewis Lloyd, in Baie d'Urfée.

Federated Women's Institutes of Canada look forward for 1960

The Federated Women's Institutes of Canada look forward with new and continuing projects in 1960.

Following the Associated Country Women of the World Conference in Edinburgh in August, the delegates returned home with fresh interest in international circles. The new Lady Aberdeen Memorial Scholarships, which enables qualified leaders in the field of Home Economics to study abroad, will be another step forward in the betterment of rural living around the world. Participation in the "Free the World from Hunger" campaign of the and World Refugee Year will be morally satisfying and timely. The admonition is "Start where you are".

Nationally, the purchase of the Adelaide Hoodless Homestead is of deep and abiding interest. Every province is making it a major project in 1960.

The study of food habits in Canada was accepted when the physical fitness of our people was questioned. We have the food, we know the rules, but do we apply them? Watch for the results of the survey carried on through the FWIC standing committee on Home Economics and Health.

Review of the problems of the Aging and the first Canadians is continuing. Members of the Women's Institutes in the province are working more closely with the Indian Homemakers Clubs. Their welfare in a changing way of life is of vital concern to FWIC.

The FWIC has urged the Dept. of Northern Affairs and National Resources to carry the Institute program to the homemakers of Northern Canada through a resolution presented recently. At present there is only one Institute, Haines Junction, in the Yukon.

To assist the newest nation within the British Commonwealth, the Federation of the West Indies, FWIC accepted the responsibility of assisting with an Adult Education program in this area, through co-operation with UNESCO; 4-H Homemaking Clubs; The Canadian Highway Safety Conference, with the Carol Lane Awards; the Canadian Association for Adult Education; the Tweedsmuir Competition, with its three sections — Village History, Drama, Handicraft; are all of prime interest. Also the Citizenship Project, which this biennial term is taking the form of a community improvement, will be contributing to the uplift of our rural living.

In the publicity field, our national magazine, 'The Federated News', continues to travel across Canada and to the ACWW member countries. The FWIC is conducting a Radio and TV program survey on a national basis for the first time to assist CARTB and the CBC in the gigantic task of programming for Canadian listeners. Representation on the Canadian Broadcasting League is a privilege enjoyed.

Officers and conveners to spearhead this extensive program for the betterment of rural life at home and abroad are found in every province.

C.W.L. reports successful dinner

The annual St. Patrick's Day Dinner sponsored by the Catholic Women's League, Ste. Anastasie Parish Council, was a successful venture due largely to the members and local store keepers who donated food, money and their time.

CNIB Auxiliary holds meeting at local office

The regular monthly meeting of the Women's Auxiliary to the C.N.I.B. was held March 15 at their Centre. Reports of the different committees were read. The Convener of "Ways and Means" reported that the sum of $225. was realized from the recent Hat Show and Tea. It was also reported that many orders are being received by the White Cane Club members for the making of leather goods.

Late last fall, a group of boys and girls held a 'Fair' and netted the sum of $5.00 which they donated to the W.A. of the C.N.I.B. The boys and girls were: Misses Linda MacCaskill, Susan Gordon, Doreen Evans and Marlene Roberts, also Donald and Jeffrey Gordon, Richard Paulsen, Svend Paulsen, Jimmy Pillage, Donald Stewart, Pete Beauchamp and Jimmy Ogilvie.

Our sincere thanks to these young people and to the others who helped with this Fair.

At this meeting, Mr. T. Zaplaski gave the Auxiliary a short report on the Eye Bank.

Hostesses for the evening were Mrs. H. Graves and Mrs. Leslie Kerr.

Correction —

The commentary at the Hat show was given by Mrs. B. Fillingham and not as reported in the last issue.

SAFETY RECORD

Fort William, Ont. (CP) — The most serious bus accident here last year was when a standing passenger fell as the bus braked suddenly to avoid a pedestrian. The bus line travelled a total of 800,000 miles with 3,000,000 passengers.

DENTIST VIEW

Victoria (CP) — Advocating the use of fluoridation, Dr. W. G. McIntosh, of Toronto, president of the Canadian Dental Association, said in an address here that fluoridation should be dealt with on a scientific level rather than by plebiscite or referendum.

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MODERN HOUSE WANTED — in Lachute for July 1, by quiet, responsible engineer, 3 or 4 bedrooms. Write Box E.L.B., 220, Watchman Office, Lachute. 1p

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BOOK SALE

— A sale of new and used books will be held in the Presbyterian Church Hall, St. Andrews East, on Friday and Saturday, April 1 and 2, from 2.30 to 5 p.m. M30.2c

MILITARY WHIST

— Card party to be held Wednesday, March 30, at 8 p.m. in the Legion Hall, Lachute, sponsored by the Branch 70 Ladies' Auxiliary. 1c

COLFORD LODGE

— The Official opening of Colford Lodge will be held Saturday, April 16. Charlie and his Boys every week-end. A6.4c

SQUARE DANCE

— A square dance will be held at the Community Hall, Mille Isles, on Saturday, March 26, at 8 p.m. Music by Al and the Ramblers. Adm. 75c. 1p

Public Notice

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Superior Court

DECARIE BLV'D INVESTMENT CORP., Plaintiff
- vs -
MAURICE GEOFFROY, Defendant

The Defendant, Maurice Geoffroy, is ordered to appear within a month.

— J. A. Daly,
Dpt. Prothonotary of the Superior Court

St. Jerome, March 8, 1960.
M23.2c

RUMMAGE SALE

— to be held in the Legion Hall, Friday, March 25, under auspices of the Ladies' Auxiliary, Branch 70, of the Canadian Legion, at 1.30 p.m. 1c

EASTER BASKET

— The Brownsburg Ladies' Auxiliary Easter Basket will be drawn on Friday, April 8, at the Brownsburg Legion Hall. Proceeds for Children's Field Day. Tickets may be obtained from any member of the Ladies' Auxiliary. 1c

FOOD SALE

— A food sale will be held on Friday, April 29, at 2 p.m. in the lobby of the Crown Theatre, Brownsburg, under auspices of the St. George's Anglican Ladies' Guild. M23.A27.2c

BROWNSBURG SOCIAL CLUB MEETING

— The annual meeting of the Brownsburg Social and Athletic Club will be held at the Club House, Friday, March 25, at 8 p.m. All members welcome. 1c

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For Parents Only . . .



A Weekly Feature of Helpful Hints on Child Training.

Maple Syrup time

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— By NANCY CLEAVER —

"When we have our new Canadian neighbors for supper, lets have maple syrup and pancakes!" "We couldn't feed them on anything that tastes better, and is more Canadian than maple syrup.

The early settlers had a very plain fare and their consumption of sweets was severely limited because the supply of sugar was so small. When the Red men shared their native maple syrup and sugar with the newcomers, this was a most welcome treat.

The Indians offered this delicacy to the white men. The pioneers bartered their goods for furs and woven grass baskets. Before the end of the seventeenth century, Frenchmen writing to friends in Paris mentioned purchasing maple sugar.

A Jesuit historian, Charlevoix, in his Journal written in 1744, made this entry: "The people here treat one with maple sap . . . It is delicious, admirable, refreshing and very pure . . . Soothing to the stomach, it causes no burning pain". Sounds like a twentieth century "ad" doesn't it?

When provision ships such as the "La Seine" were captured on the High Seas by the English, during the American War of Independence, the French colonists were forced to search for ways to add to their food supply. This gave a great impetus to maple sugar making. The inhabitants were grateful for this sweet product of the forests. In some parts of Quebec "The Blessing of the Maple" was an annual ceremony.

A little over a century ago (1851) the total output of Canadian maple sugar was thirteen million pounds. The average yield in recent years has been twenty-six million pounds. The volume of the crop fluctuates greatly with the weather. An old Ontario pioneer saying was "Frosty nights and warm days make the maple sap run".

Many farmers produce their own syrup and well over three quarters of our maple products for commercial sales are produced in Quebec. One authority estimates that over 80 percent of our maple syrup and over 90 percent of our maple sugar is produced by French Canadians.

Parents should explain to their children something of the mysterious workings of Nature shown in our maple trees. All winter long they have rested quietly, their roots covered with the snow's white blanket. Then when Spring sunshine and cold nights come, the sap begins to run.

All the preceeding summer sugar was being manufactured by the leaves. Starch was made first and stored under the bark. This was changed into a sugary solution by the action of enzymes stimulated by the cold weather. Sap runs down the tree, not up, as many people believe.

A good sized tree will yield six or seven gallons of sap each day during the maple sugar season. It runs out a metal spout into the pail and this must be emptied frequently because it will turn sour if left untouched. It usually takes about forty gallons of sap to make one gallon of syrup.

In pioneer days the evaporating was done in huge iron pots hung over a blazing fire in the bush. Today, this process takes place in a building. An efficient evaporator with a wide shallow pan is heated by a huge wood stove.

If we live in Eastern Canada perhaps we can visit a bush, large or small where maple syrup is being made. This is one of our happiest memories of our childhood in Fergus. Once in recent years we had the joy of hiking in the beautiful Sugar Bush in the Gatineau Hills beyond Ottawa. There we sampled little cakes of delicious maple sugar, cooled on the clean white snow.

If there is a big maple or two growing in your yard, you might collect the sap and boil it down. Perhaps you will be amazed to find ten gallons of sap must be evaporated to produce approximately one quarter of a gallon of syrup or two pounds of sugar!

But where you live, do fit maple syrup into your Spring menus! Experiment with some new recipes using maple syrup as a flavoring extract. It blends nicely with a white cake mix! Apples cored, stuffed with raisins and baked in maple syrup, with a dusting on top of cinnamon, bread crumbs and butter are hard to beat.

Let maple syrup have the rightful place on our tables — a Canadian treat for Canadians! There's no sweeter product can be found anywhere!

New recipe for old favorite

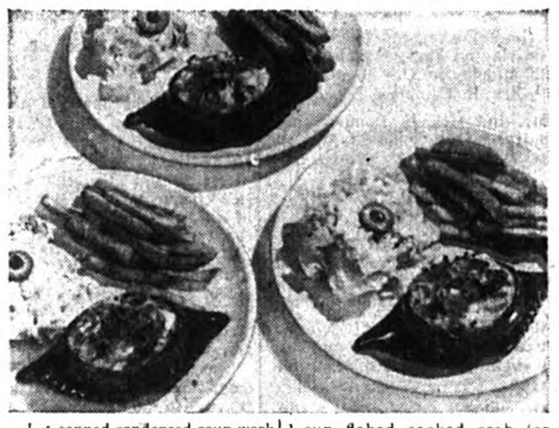
The occasional reminder about the versatility of canned salmon never goes amiss . . . even though its value as a budget-balancer and source of quick, satisfying meals may be old hat. This ever-reliable canned delight offers tremendous scope for tempting casseroles, patties, scallops, salads and sandwiches. Here's one canned salmon quickie, a mild adaption from the mystic east — Salmon Loaf with Curry Sauce. It's an easy-to-do dish — as easy as one-two — "one" of salmon, water, bouillon cube and curry powder, and "two" of apples, onions, butter or margarine and flour. The one-two add up to four hearty, tasty servings.

Salmon Loaf with Curry Sauce

2 Apples, thinly sliced, 2 onions, thinly sliced, 2 tablespoons butter or margarine, 1 cup water, 1 chicken bouillon cube, 1 tablespoon of curry powder, 2 teaspoons flour (optional) and 1, 1-pound can pink salmon (2 cups).

Sauté apple and onion slices in butter until soft. Add water and chicken bouillon cube; simmer until bouillon cube is dissolved. Blend curry powder with a little hot water; stir into mixture. Simmer gently, covered, about half an hour. Season with salt and pepper. If desired, thicken sauce with flour mixed to a paste with a little cold water. While sauce simmers, open can of salmon. Break up bones with a fork. Mix in bones and liquid. They contain valuable nutrients. Shape salmon into a loaf on a greased baking dish. Cover with prepared sauce and heat in moderate oven preheated to 350° F., about 20 minutes or until piping hot. Makes 4 servings.

Lenten Magic With Canned Soup



Let canned condensed soup work magic for you during Lent. For a lunch time treat serve one of the meatless varieties . . . clam chowder, cream of asparagus, cream of celery, cream of mushroom, cream of vegetable, green pea, tomato, tomato rice or vegetarian vegetable . . . with a grilled cheese or peanut butter sandwich. Or for a hearty chowder combine two of the soups; follow with a fruit salad.

Besides the use of soup . . . as soup . . . consider the many possibilities offered by canned condensed soup for casserole, skillet, and creamed dishes. Combine soup with seafood, or eggs for Lenten meals that will give a welcome variety to menu patterns. A seafood treat that is always popular is Deviled Crab . . . try this version made with canned condensed cream of celery soup. It's so easy, too!

DEVILED CRAB

1 can (10 fluid ounces) condensed cream of celery soup
1 cup flaked cooked crab (or 7-ounce can, drained)
2 tablespoons chopped green pepper
1 tablespoon chopped onion
2 teaspoons lemon juice
1 teaspoon Worcestershire
½ teaspoon prepared mustard
2 tablespoons buttered bread crumbs

Combine soup, crab, green pepper, onion, lemon juice, Worcestershire, and mustard; spoon into 4 small buttered dishes. (Shells are nice for this). Sprinkle crumbs over crab mixture. Bake in a moderate oven (350°F.) about 20 minutes, or until lightly browned. Makes 4 servings.

Serve along with the main dish a salad . . . a tart cole slaw . . . and crisp French fried potatoes. For a finishing touch . . . a canned fruit compote, cookies and hot coffee.

Let's Eat

BY

IDA BAILEY ALLEN

TOMORROW'S DINNER

Vegetable Soup Parmesan
Shirred Eggs-on-Chicken or Crab Meat a la King with Potato Border
Celeriac Salad-on-Lettuce
Apple-Raisin Tart
Coffee Tea Milk

Measurements Are Level

Shirred Eggs Individual: Rub shirred egg dishes with butter. Dust with 1 tbsp. fine soft enriched bread crumbs; add 1 tbsp. light cream.

Break in 2 eggs, one at a time. Dust with salt and pepper. Dot with 1 tbsp. butter.

Bake 10 min. in mod. oven, 350 degrees F., or until cooked through and firm, but not hard.

Shirred Eggs-on-Chicken or Crab Meat a la King: Put 2 heaping tbsp. chicken or crab meat a la king into each shirred egg dish and finish as directed.

Garnish with parsley.

If desired, border the edge of each egg-shirring dish before baking with small teaspoonfuls of hot, smooth, mashed white potato to form border design, or pastry-tube on the mashed potato.

Celeriac Salad: Peel and small-dice enough cooked celeriac (celery root) to make 3 c. Add 1/3 c. each diced chopped apple and broken walnut meats. Blend with not-sweet French dressing. Chill.

Arrange in lettuce nests.

Garnish with whole walnut meats.

Serves 6.

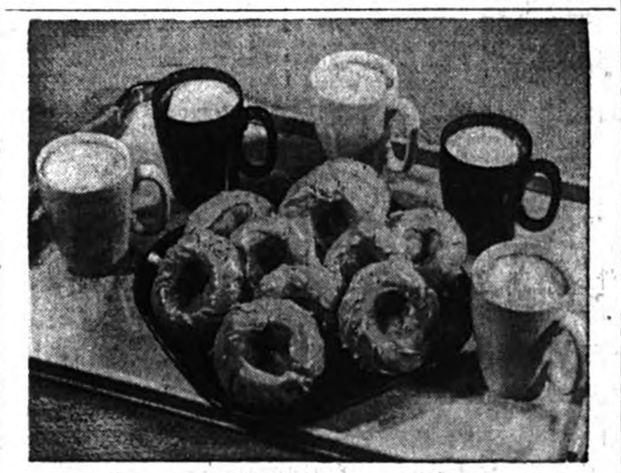
Handicraft list for Spring Fair

The list of Handicrafts for the Lachute Spring Fair will be found on Page 9 of this issue. Ladies are requested to destroy the previous list published in these columns several weeks ago and follow this week's list for both rules and entry numbers.

Wife Preservers



Applying make-up around the eyes will make you old before your time, if you aren't careful. The skin in that area is very delicate and make-up should be applied gently to avoid wrinkles later.



Try maple butter for quick icing

Maple butter makes a fine icing for doughnuts, cakes and cupcakes. Simply spread it on and let stand until firm.

Serve maple-iced doughnuts with cocoa, topped with a marshmallow, for afternoon or evening treat.

Teatime Topics



Written Specially for The Lachute Watchman By Edna Blakely, Canadian Press Staff Writer

The battle of the hairpin and the hatpin has finally been settled. Spring and summer hats have been designed to flatter but not to crush the popular bouffant hair styles.

In a recent fashion show in Toronto, commentator Dora Matthews said the new styles will fit over the most swooped-up chignon or beehive. Many of the hats were made from silk with the minority made up of straw materials. One model showed a hat fashioned from one massive black rose. Another hat was made from three large roses. There was even a Mad Hatter hat trimmed with a Chianti bottle to be worn with play clothes.

Most of the clothes shown were lightened and whitened as the spring fashion decrees, but there were a few accents of color. One of the new shades is Renoir rose, a vibrant color that is almost, but not quite, red.

Tiny Model

The Brigitte Bardot influence turned up in checked woven gingham dress with a plain apron and checked kerchief. The model was an adorable five-year-old.

Long gloves were shown with short-sleeved coats. Sleeves for summer dresses will be either short or non-existent, said Mrs. Matthews. A white sleeveless flannel dress featured a tunic skirt bound with navy trim.

Reminiscent of the 1930's were the bare-back plaid beach pyjamas recommended as pool and patio wear.

World Referee

The first Canadian woman to become a world skating referee is Mrs. Frank Devine, 28, of Clarkson, Ont., who has been judging skating since she was 16. The former Pirrette Paquin, she skated at the Minto Skating Club in Ottawa, at the same time that Barbara Ann Scott belonged to the club.

Mrs. Devine and Donald Tobin, who now lives in Hamilton, pioneered dancing on skates in Canada and were named Canadian champion dancers in 1948, 1949 and 1950.

Mrs. Devine was one of the first to be named a judge when gold medal dancing was established in 1950.

The skating expert says she has two ambitions — to judge Olympic skating and to have her two-year-old daughter, Andree, learn to dance on skates some day.

Gives Advice

Dr. Cleo Dawson arrived in St. Catharines, Ont., from her Texas home several weeks ago, loaded down with advice for both men and women.

To women she said a man must never, never wash the dishes or clothes.

The United States psychologist said "Women are the most important things on earth and their duty is to keep man alive because he has not the good sense to do it himself."

She told the men to "Let us know that you love us, every day . . . smile at us . . . compliment us".

Home, heart and a place for prayer are the three basic requisites for a successful life, she declares.

Secretaries' Seminar

The 300 membres of the Association of Administrative Assistants attending an annual seminar at Hart House, University of Toronto, were told there are many "musts" for secretaries.

Elizabeth Smith, director of a placement service, said employers require and expect their secretaries to be above average in typing, shorthand, speed and accuracy. A secretary must be able to compose letters on her initiative and have a thorough knowledge of filing systems and general office routine.

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Branch 70 Correspondent

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One of the largest general meetings in ages was run through in record time last Wednesday night when 46 members were present. Com. Pres. Bernie Jenkins was in the chair. Com. Chas. Duncan expressed his thanks to all concerned for the decoration that he recently received and Com. Ernie Evans was re-instated into the branch.

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Branch 70 would like to acknowledge with thanks the kindness of the C.N.I.B. for the tuning of the piano.

Will any Comrade who has papers, minute books, or records of any type pertaining to Branch 70, please return them to the hall. Com. Joe Martel reports that the files are not complete and we would like to have a full record of our history.

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The Bantam hockey team notched up another victory over the Vets, who will admit the loss but not the score. Congratulations are due to Richard Maidens, son of Com. Frank Maidens, for winning the M.V.P. award for the Legion Pee-Wee team.

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Com. Doug Ogilvie reports that the usual Friday night Teen-age dance was held over to Saturday, to entertain members of the St. Patricks' College Band. The boys who were billeted in town after the parade were a credit to their school and to Father Clark who accompanied them. The dance music was supplied by Emmett Lowe, Gordie Anderson and Ernie Lefebvre.

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Bill Clark was the winner in this month's Legion Dollar Club. Remember that there has to be a winner every month and it could be you!

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DISTRICT NEWS FROM OUR COUNTY CORRESPONDENTS

St. Andrews East

Miss Vickey Tapp, of Montreal was the week-end guest of Mrs. Jordon A. Steeves. Miss Joan Fairfield, of Halifax, N.S., visited Mrs. Steeves all last week.

Word has been received that Mrs. Flora M. Parent, formerly Miss Flossie M. MacNaughton, passed away in the Veteran's Hospital in Buffalo, N.Y., in February.

Mrs. P. Andoney spent several days this week at her home here.

Miss Gladys Mock is spending a couple of weeks with Miss M. Lamb.

Miss Louise Seymour, of Montreal, spent last week with the Misses Wales.

On Friday evening Miss Pearl Dorman left for Toronto, where she will join the Caribbean Cruise sponsored by the United Church Observer. Visits to the work of Missions on the islands of Bermuda Trinidad and the Bahamas are the main features of the tour.

Mrs. J. E. Armstrong, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. McPhee, has gone to Montreal to visit her sister Mrs. McRae.

Mr. and Mrs. Dawson Burwash and family, of Montreal, visited Mrs. Jas. Burwash on Sunday.

Mr. McLaughlin and son Peter, of Montreal, were here on Saturday on business, and also visited with friends.

Kilmar

Sympathy of this community is extended to the relatives of the late Elzear Brunet, of Calumet, also to the relatives of Romeo Poirier, who was accidently killed at Kilmar early Sunday morning.

The volunteer cancer group met at Kilmar Lodge last Wednesday evening, a work record being completed; the next meeting will be April 6.

Mr. William Flood, of the North River Fish and Game Club, spent a few days in Kilmar last week visiting friends.

Mr. Nelson MacRae, of Port Colborne, visited friends here over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Grey, Jr., of Hawkesbury, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Owen Ellis, on Sunday.

Watchman Want Ads bring results.

Avoca

Mrs. Catherine Young, who has spent the winter with her brother Allen McPhee, left for a week's visit with her niece, Mrs. Wm. H Kelly, in Aylmer, Que., en route to visit friends in the Western provinces.

Mrs. Howard Smith entertained the young people of the local and Thurso Baptist Churches to a sliding party on Friday evening. Refreshments were served at a pleasant social gathering afterwards.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Mahon, of Vankleek Hill, called on friends Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Simpson and family, of Montreal, visited the latter's parents and Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Crawford on Sunday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. MacDonald, of Vankleek Hill, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Andrews.

The Rev. Mr. Beaufoy will have service at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Brown on Sunday March 27 at 2.30 p.m.

All local families will receive a card from the Red Cross and Mrs. McPhee, canvasser, will be pleased to have them returned with a donation, as soon as possible.

Mr. and Mrs. Elden Bates, of Eganville, visited their parents, on Sunday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Andrews, of Ottawa, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Smith on Sunday last.

Morin Heights

(Intended for last issue)

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Pollock and their daughter, Miss Beryl Pollock, of Montreal, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Owen LeGallée on Sunday.

Mrs. Wm. R. Bell and Mr. and Mrs. Graeme Bell were here over the week-end.

Miss Grace Gillingham and Mr. David Curry, also the latter's mother, were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gillingham over the week-end.

The Committee of Trinity Church Building Fund have made plans for a "Nearly New Sale" to be held each week. A Mother's Day Tea is also planned.

Harrington

Mr. and Mrs. M. McCullough, of Renfrew, were week-end visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. McCullough.

Mrs. J. McMahon, of Lachute spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs C. L. Bennett.

Miss T. McCullough, who has been spending some time at her home here, has returned to Montreal.

Harrington Farm Forum will be held Monday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Campbell.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Bennett spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Carrière, Hawkesbury.

Mabel

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Burndt, of Silver Creek, and Mrs. Herber. Tassé, of Montebello, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Black.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Clark entertained at a birthday party on Saturday evening in honor of their son, Wayne.

Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Donnan and Miss Sheila Donnan, of Cartierville visited Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Clark on Sunday.

The Conell boys, of Lachute spent the week-end with their grand-parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm Jackson.

Arundel children enjoy sleigh ride and bean supper

A mild clear evening added to the enjoyment of some fifty boys and girls who attended the sleigh ride and bean supper, held under the auspices of the Arundel Anglican Girls' Auxiliary on Saturday March 12. The girls are grateful to Guy Laughren, who provided and drove one team, and to Bob Evans, who provided the second sleigh and team, driven by Carl Champagne.

After an hour and a half's ride, the young people returned to the school auditorium for a bean supper, and for an hour of square dancing, called by Sid Swail. Mrs. Guy Laughren, Mrs. Wenville Graham, Mrs. Art Beatty and Mrs. Hugh Boyd were 'kitchen mothers'.

It is hoped that a large crowd will attend the Easter Dance, to be held under auspices of the Girls' Auxiliary in the Arundel school auditorium.

Former resident businesswoman, died in Ottawa

Late Mrs. John McMahon

Mrs. Mary McMahon, 298 Bay Street, proprietor of Federal Transfer in Ottawa for many years after the death of her husband, died Friday in hospital.

She was born in St. Philippe d'Argenteuil, daughter of the late Peter Brearton and Isabella Mitchell.

In 1903 she married the late John McMahon in St. Philippe d'Argenteuil. He was the founder of Federal Transfer.

Mrs. McMahon attended St. Patrick's Church and was a member of the League of the Sacred Heart the Tabernacle Society of the parish and the Third Order of St Francis.

She is survived by three sons and one brother, John Brearton, of Maniwaki, Que. There are 17 grandchildren.

The funeral was held Monday from the Whelan funeral home in Ottawa, to St. Patrick's Church for service at nine o'clock, conducted by Msgr. J. Leo LeSage. Interment was in Notre Dame cemetery.

Calumet

Visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Fox on the week-end were Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Tomalty and family, of Brownsburg, Mr. and Mrs. Ernie MacRae and family, of Harrington, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Madden and family, of Kilmar, and Miss Beverly MacRae, of Montreal

Mrs. William Fox is home and much improved in health.

The sympathy of the community is extended to the Cayer family in the death of their mother, Mrs. Jas. Cayer, also to Mrs. Elzear Brunet, in the death of her husband, Mr. Elzear Brunet.

Miss Lily Hall is visiting her sister, Mrs. John Carrière, in St. Thérèse, for a few weeks.

Mrs. Leonard Reeves and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Reeves visited Mr. and Mrs. Romeo Lajeunesse, in Masson, on Sunday.

Visitors at the home of Mr. H. Racine on Sunday were his sisters from Lachute, also Mrs. Edmond Racine of Gatineau.

Miss Deana Hall, of Ottawa, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Silas Hall, on the week-end.

Arundel

(Intended for last issue)

Week-end visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. Graham were Miss M. Vick and Mr. J. Jacusto, of Montreal.

Mr. Ronnie Allan, who has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Allan, has returned to Knob Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie May visited with the former's mother, Mrs. J May, over the week-end.

Miss Ann Gilker was a week-end visitor at the home of her sister, Mrs. Florence Graham.

Woman's Association Meeting

The monthly meeting of the Woman's Association was held in the United Church Hall last Wednesday evening, the president acting as chairman. Highlight of the meeting was a report read by Mrs Farran, delegate to the annual Presbyterial W.M.S. meeting at Montreal. The report was full of interesting information and was listened to with great interest. Another report was read by Mrs. Alvin Graham, in the absence of Mrs. Roy Cooke, who was the W.A. delegate for the Arundel Branch, to the Presbyterian W.A. This also was full of interest and was listened to with keen attention.

An Easter Supper will be held in April. Hostesses for the evening were Mrs. Val Swail, Mrs. P. Staniforth, and Mrs. Allan.

Annual meeting of Arundel W.I. held

The Annual Meeting of the Arundel Branch Women's Institute took place last week, the president, Mrs. Gibbons, presiding. Routine business was dealt with after which the president turned over the chair to the chairman of the Nominating Committee, Mrs. Rathwell Morrison, who then presented the slate which was accepted by the meeting.

The following officers and conveners were elected:

Past president, Mrs. Gordon Cooke: president, Mrs. L. Gibbons; 1st vice-president, Mrs. H. Johnston; 2nd vice-president, Mrs. P. Staniforth; secretary, Mrs. Bussell; treasurer Mrs. W. S. Morrison. Conveners were as follows: Agriculture, Mrs. H. Craig; Citizenship, Mrs. J. Macauley; Education, Mrs. Florence Graham; Home Economics, Mrs. C. Swail; Publicity, Mrs. W. Graham; Welfare and Health, Mrs. Alvin Graham.

The meeting closed with the singing of the National Anthem.

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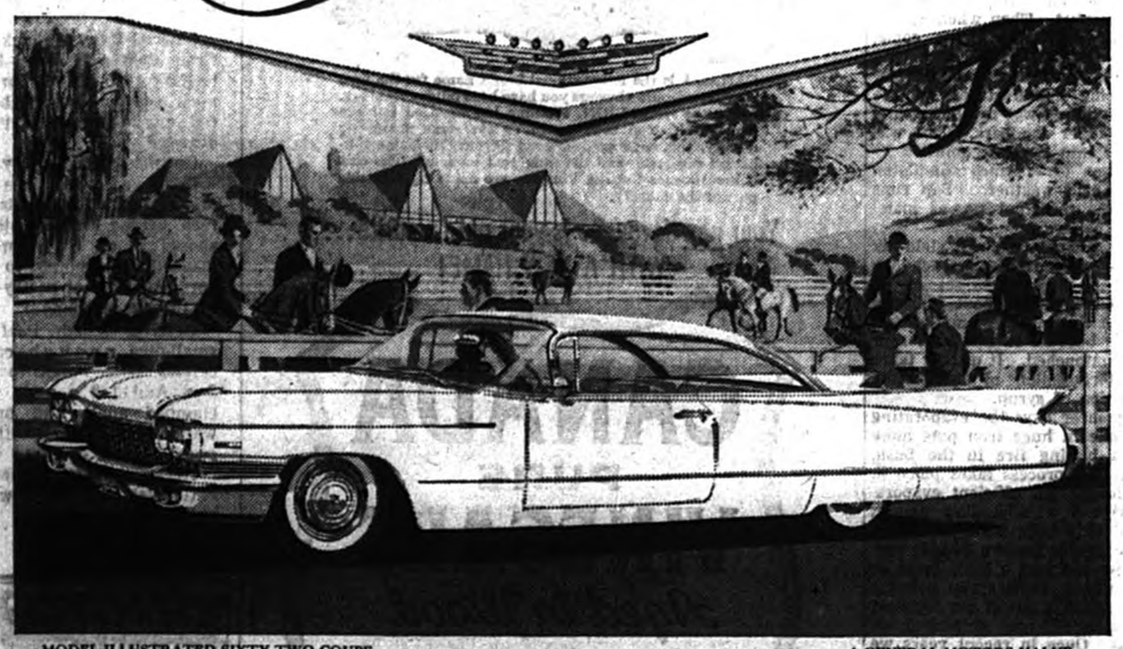
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Water pollution in the province to be curbed by government

The Quebec Government plans to spend $25,000,000 within the next year to curb water pollution in the province.

The premier made the announcement during a debate on a motion by Paul Earl, Liberal member for Notre Dame de Grace, criticizing the administration for having failed to take the necessary steps to curb pollution.

The Premier revealed that already 273 Quebec municipalities have made application to the government for grants to fight water pollution and added that "these applications are now being studied by the department of Health and the Department of Municipal Affairs and should be decided upon within a short time".

Mr. Barrette said it was true that the special government commission appointed to study the water pollution question had been in operation for four years. He reminded the House, however, that three members of the commission had died, but that the work had been carried on by the remaining commissioners.

"The remaining commissioner and the secretary are compiling the information gathered by the board and a full report will be in the hands of the government at an early date", the Premier asserted.

Mr. Barrette stated that the $25,000,000 to be used for this purpose was already voted by the House and will be employed to improve the waterworks service in the province.

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(c) Entries for handicraft, cooking and flowers close on May 31. Entries will NOT be accepted after this date.

(d) Judging will be on Wednesday, June 15, starting at 10 a.m.

(e) Handicraft articles and potted plants must be brought in by 7.00 p.m. on Tuesday, June 14. Cooking and cut flower entries must be brought in by 9 a.m., Wednesday, June 15.

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H-3 Pieced Quilt.
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H-27 Ladies' Cotton Duster.
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H-29 Kitchen Apron Waistband.
H-30 Child's Pinafore, 2-6 years.
H-31 Girl's Sundress 2-6 years.
H-32 Boy's Sunsuit, 2-6 years.
H-33 Article made from used material.
H-34 Men's Fancy Socks.
H-35 Men's Work Socks.
H-36 Pair of Child's Fancy Ankle Socks 4-10 years.
H-37 Child's Mitts, wrist length, 4-10 years.
H-38 Sleeveless Pullover for boys, 4-10 years.
H-39 Crocheted Baby Set, 3 pieces.
H-40 Knitted Baby Sweater.
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H-46 ½ doz. Gingersnap Cookies.
H-47 ½ doz. Squares Dream Cake.
H-48 ½ doz. Cupcakes Fancy Iced.
H-49 ½ doz. Date Squares.
H-50 ½ doz. Shortbread.
H-51 ½ doz. Plain Tea Biscuits.
H-52 ½ doz. Plain Bran Muffins.
H-53 ½ doz. Buns.
H-54 Date and Nut Loaf.
H-55 Loaf Fancy Bread.
H-56 Apple Pie.
H-57 Raisin Pie.
H-58 Chocolate Cake, square pan, iced.
H-59 One pint Salad Dressing, boiled, with recipe attached.
H-60 Workman's Lunch, in suitable container, with menu.
H-61 Chocolate Fudge Candy, 6 pieces.
H-62 Maple Cream Candy, 6 pieces.

FLOWERS

H-63 African Violet in bloom, plain leaf.
H-64 African Violet in bloom, ruffled leaf.
H-65 Begonia Fibrous in bloom, single.
H-66 Begonia Fibrous in bloom, double.
H-67 Begonia Fibrous in bloom, one or more in pot.
H-68 Coleus, any variety.
H-69 Non-creeping Vine.
H-70 Geranium, single.
H-71 Geranium, double.
H-72 Fern.
H-73 Polly Prim.
H-74 Table Centre, 10" in height, in suitable container, decorative all round.
H-75 Mantle arrangement 18" or less in height, one side only.
H-76 Living Room Bouquet, in suitable container, decorative all round.
H-77 Most artistic vase of cut flowers.
H-78 Six Peony Stems in bloom, double, white.
H-79 Six Peony Stems in bloom, double, red.
H-80 Floral arrangement of green and white, suitable for any time of year, for side table or buffet.

Modern liners still carry lamptrimmers

Montreal — Despite the many advances in today's ocean liners over their early predecessors, the sailing ships, there is still a group of seafaring men whose duties hark back to the days of sail. At least one lamptrimmer will be found among the ship's company in every Cunard liner and he still performs the time honored task of maintaining a set of oil lamps. This, in spite of the powerful electric generating plants on board such giant liners as the Queen Elizabeth and Queen Mary.

These lamps are kept in reserve only as emergency navigation lights but the job of cleaning and refueling them and trimming their wicks still is performed with great care. Seldom are the lamps actually called into use but their reserve status is an indication of the precautions taken to insure that every safety device is ready for instant use.

A hundred years ago a lamptrimmer spent most of his time tending the numerous lamps carried in a ship. Today he has fewer lamps to maintain but he also has additional duties which may range from assisting the ship's storekeeper to caring for prize animals shipped as cargo. The lamplighter in the Cunard liner Parthia once acted as mid-wife to a Welsh pony which foaled during a crossing from Liverpool to New York. The foal was named Parthia by her owners and, at last report, was living happily on a farm in Pennsylvania, probably unconcerned that her entry into the world was assisted by a man with the ancient and honorable title of lamplighter.

Auxiliary police help at Lakehead

Port Arthur, Ont (CP) — Thirteen men took an oath before Magistrate Percy Hake here, and this Lakehead city had its first auxiliary police force.

The new force was raised from Port Arthur men, all volunteers and all unpaid. They were told at the swearing-in ceremony by Magistrate Hake: "Thank you for coming forward and giving so much of your spare time for the benefit of the city."

The auxiliary policemen received the same training as regular policemen, and more. This prompted Police Chief W. Allen to comment, "They are fully capable of taking over the duties of a police officer right now."

Chief Allen said the men have been recruited to take over in any emergency — such as a grain elevator collapse similar to one which occurred at the Lakehead this fall; passenger plane crashes; or any disaster.

He said the official title of the new force is the Civil Defence Auxiliary Police. All men are trained in civil defence techniques and have received St. John Ambulance first aid certificates.

They also have taken a special course in atomic radiation. "If we need men," said the police chief, "we will recruit from this fine body of trained men as long as they are willing."

PRIZE CHEESE

Cornwall, Ont. (CP) — John McDonald, of Bonville, near here, won a first prize at the February cheese show in Glasgow, Scotland.

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MAN OF SCIENCE (JUNIOR LEAGUE)



A space age scientist is Keith Walker, 13, who tunes in his home-made radio which he built himself. David was among senior students at Golf Road public school in Scarborough, Ontario, who showed their projects at a school display. It's all part of the new science interest.

German official is eager farmer

Ottawa (CP) — K. H. Hausner, a trade commissioner at the German embassy here, is a German national for eight hours a day and a "farming Canadian" the rest of the time.

When Mr. Hausner received his foreign appointment about seven years ago, his farming experience in Brandenburg, Germany, told him that the best way to learn about Canada was to get a farm and live among Canadians.

So when he and his wife, an amateur antiquarian and painter, arrived here they settled on a 50-acre farm near Dwyer Hill, about 25 miles south of Ottawa.

Since then, the 43-year-old native of Bonn has made many friends among farmers in the district. His neighbors even tried to coax him into running for the town council recently.

Farmers often come to him for advice when a cow is sick. They bring their sheep to be shorn and, on occasion, he has sat up with a sick sow.

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Ken Watson's CURLING

(Canada's "Mr. Curling", Ken Watson of Winnipeg, is covering the Canadian curling scene for The Lachute Watchman.

Outdoor curling is thrill of Scottish visit

It was on a Sunday after a visit to the famed St. Giles Church where Jennie Gedes once aimed a prayer stool at the Bishop's head that my host, Jock Waugh, drove me from Edinburgh to St. Leonard's Lasswade, the home of Mr. Leonard Todd.

Todd, who was one of Scotland's most ardent curlers, was a manufacturer of fine craft paper. He operated a mill in this gentle rural community. Rumors that Todd's Mill Pond had an unusual five-inch thickness of ice that signalled a few invigorating hours of outdoor curling led Jock and me to the scene, for I had never experienced the sensation of curling outdoors with only the sky overhead.

Oldtimers in Winnipeg love to recount stories of curling on the frozen surfaces of the Red and Assiniboine Rivers before the turn of the century, and many the tall tales they tell of the adverse conditions they played under. Yet in each telling I can detect their secret relish of the camaraderie they had enjoyed. Here at Lasswade was an opportunity for me to unravel this mystery once and for all.

It was a foggy day when we arrived and a cool, damp 15 degrees Fahrenheit. The trees of the countryside completely covered with hoarfrost, and partially shrouded by a low hanging mist, presented a picture from fantasyland. Once the car was parked, we emerged and started for the path that led down to the Mill Pond two hundred yards away. It was then I heard the shouts and peels of laughter carrying through the still, frosty air. "Aye", said Jock, "They're cur-r-r-ling!" We made our way down a gravel path through the landscaped garden to a Mill Lade that supplied a current of open water to the paper plant. Two regal-looking swans floating serenely on the surface seemed to look askance as we crunched by. Soon we caught a glimpse of the frozen Mill Pond and its occupants.

The sight could have provided a setting for a Walt Disney creation. A centuries-old stone viaduct provided the background, its outlines dimmed by the mist. A few dozen passersby, attracted by the shouts and merry-making of the curlers, had paused above on the causeway supported by eighty-foot Roman arches to watch the play. Banks on either side of the pond covered with frosted thees sloped up towards the skies and disappeared into the fog.

Ere long we reached the playing surface. Two sets of rings, only discernible at a few paces, and hog lines had been scratched out on the ice, and the players, hastily summoned by the Mill owner when he found the conditions right, were having the time of their lives.

Much to my surprise the surface was rough, but I learned this was true of most outdoor curling. The stones had to be thrown from the long metal crampit with considerable effort and they bobbled and bounced as they made their way along the murky-colored surface. There was practically no curl to the stone and a quarter-guard was as good as a stone quarry protecting the shot. When I turned over a rock to clean it before throwing I noticed a two-inch cup. Some stones had no running surface whatever. These conditions are true of this type of curling. Only under circumstances when the wind velocity was Zero would out-door ice freeze to a smooth, unruffled face. The very nature of this phenomenon lends zest to curling on the loch or the pond, and the participants play the game for its "ain sake" and thoroughly enjoy themselves in the process.

After an hour or two, exulting in the bracing air and enjoying the shouts and the banter, it occurred to me that Canadian curlers on indoor ice rinks would be a wee mite ashamed of themselves for complaining to the ice-maker about playing conditions if they had ever had the thrill of curling on Todd's Mill Pond.



Outdoor curling at Todd's Mill Pond, Scotland

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 us your question. We will obtain an answer and publish it in this column.

Following are some questions with answers which may be of interest to you:

Q. — I worked in Montreal all last winter. I came back home in May when my work there was finished. I reported to the unemployment insurance office and declared that I was available for employment in this district. I drew unemployment insurance benefits for nine weeks and they disqualified me, telling me that I did not have a good reason. Did they have the right to do that?

A. — Insufficient details have been provided to enable a definite answer to be given. However, it appear sthat you may have been disqualified for failing to prove one or more of the requirements for the continued receipt of benefit. If you are not satisfied with the decision which disqualified you, your local office will be glad to advise you on your right of appeal to a board of referees who can amend or rescind the disqualification.

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Q. — I drew regular benefits last winter. I had thirty-four weeks and finished in May. I did not draw any seasonal benefits. Do I need more weeks to be entitled to seasonal benefits this winter?

A. — You may qualify for seasonal benefit this winter only if you have 15 contributions since March 29, 1959, or if your regular benefit period ended after May 17, 1959.

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Q. — I started working on March 29 and reported for my unemployment insurance book on July 30. Can I get stamps for the period March 29 to July 30 which I paid for? My employer tells me I cannot get them.

A. — If your employer made you pay for your share of contributions by deducting your share from your wages between March 39 and July 30, your employer must pay the full employer and employee shares of contributions for the insurable work you did for him between those dates.

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Q. — I would like to know if I can get my unemployment insurance stamps. I have a truck and cannot drive it. I therefore have to hire a truck driver and act as his helper.

A. — A person who owns and operates a truck is not engaged in insurable employment even though he does not drive the truck. You are therefore not entitled to unemployment insurance stamps.

PRIVATE PILOTS NUMBER 10,000 IN CANADA



By the end of this year there will be 2,000 privately owned light aircraft in Canada, a figure which grows at the rate of about 10 a week. There are now about 10,000 licensed private pilots. There are nine flying fields devoted to private flying within a 30-mile radius of Toronto. The cost to learn to fly is $200 to $400 depending on how long you take and where you learn. Pictured above is Harvey Vardon, his wife and daughters, of Unionville, Ont., who fly as a family.

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Canadian Quiz

1. Who was the first European explorer to claim possession of what is now known as Canada?

2. Canada's highest mountain, Mt. Logan, is named for whom?

3. Retail sales in Canada in 1950 totalled $9.6 billion. What was the 1958 total?

4. Last year did the federal government collect in sales and excise taxes $7 million a week, $14 million a week, $21 a week?

5. The five leading exporters to Canada in 1957 were Japan, the U.K., Germany, Venezuela, the U.S.A. From the following, couple each country with its 1957 export sales here: $62 million; $248 million; $98 million; $522 million; $3,999 million.

ANSWERS: 5. The U.S.A., $3,999 million; the U.K., $522 million; Venezuela, $248 million; Germany, $98 million; Japan, $62 million. 3. $14.7 billion. 1. John Cabot, Italian navigator in the services of England; he believed he had reached Asia. 4. More than $21 million a week. 2. For Sir William Logan, who conducted Canada's first geological survey.

(Material prepared by the editors of Quick Canadian Facts, the pocket annual of facts about Canada.)



Diary of a Vagabond

BY DOROTHY BARKER

There are three things which will always start a conversation among strangers, especially travellers. They are children, dogs and fancy work.

On a recent trip to the east coast I was sitting comfortably in the train coach crocheting a tea cosy. We were just commencing to round Bedford Basin and the distant subdivision, that looked as though myriads of brightly colored fruit drops had been scattered on the horizon, came into view. New homes climb the steep hill where hundreds were destroyed in the explosion that rocked Halifax during the first world war. A woman sitting opposite, who had enjoyed her own company all the way down from Montreal, unexpectedly leaned toward me. She asked me where I had found the pattern for the cozy I was making.

She obviously doubted my explanation that I had made it up as I went along, but seemed to welcome the chance to talk to me. With only a short time before we were due to pull into the station we covered the subject of how to brew tea properly, the regret that the ritual of making tea at the tea table is almost a thing of the past, and learned about rare old tea caddies.

I became excited as a kid at its first party as she related many of the "finds" she had purchased in a well known Halifax antique store. But the real thrill for me was her tale of an old sea captain who lives by himself, surrounded with treasures that would make a connoisseur blanche with envy. Though he had no living relatives, not a single dealer had been able to persuade him to part with anything in his collection, she said. I made a mental note of his name and the little coastal town where he lives in retirement and said a cordial goodbye to my informant.

Only those who have been attacked by the antique virus, will understand the lengths I went to, to meet the old salt of her story.

Two hours by rail down the coast and I found myself standing for a moment outside his ancient house. I was admiring the quaint double doors with their colored, etched glass panels, when the right-hand door opened and a stooped, elderly gentleman with gray sideburns and a shock of curly white hair asked me if there was someone I was looking for. It must have been my frank "yes, you" that either intrigued him, or was such a surprise he opened the door even wider and invited me to enter.

What a delightful afternoon I spent toasting myself beside his funny little Franklin stove, while he made tea in a Staffordshire teapot with boiling water heated on the hearth. He spooned the China tea from a sterling silver caddy with its etching worn almost flat where it had been lifted perhaps a thousand times in such true hospitality. Outside, the surf boomed and a gale pried at the shutters that hung at every window.

He sat in a winged chair that looked as though it would fall into tatters where his rough hands, knotted with rheumatism, constantly rubbed the arms as his seafaring tales were spun. When I admired an old cane with an ivory handle, deeply carved in dragon fashion, he handed it to me and said "keep it my dear".

There was a tale about the cane as well. It had belonged to a Mandarin, he said. The story went that his grandfather was a guest in this venerable gentleman's home on one of his sailing voyages to the Orient, when he fell and fractured his hip. For months he was confined to his bed as the hip knit and when he was ready to take his first steps, the Mandarin offered him his cane.

There is a legend that the Chinese always give you any article of theirs you admire. Evidently this generosity is catching. It made his story quite believable that the cane, which is now mine, had been a treasured belonging of the Captain's family for more than a century. What would I ever do with it, at that moment did not puzzle me. I only wished I had thought quickly enough to admire the winged chair!

Perhaps there is hope that eventually my longing for this particular chair may be fulfilled, for the captain and I parted close friends. I promised to return to his seaside village the very next time my vagabonding brings me to the east coast. His loneliness and my attentive listening to his adventures, proved a fast bond between two lovers of the old and the beautiful. Some day I may be old enough too, to totter about assisted by his grandfather's, or should I say, the Mandarin's cane.

The Bible today

Two hundred copies of Bibles printed in Armenian Ararat were sent in November from headquarters of the British and Foreign Bible Society to a destination in Soviet Armenia. This is the first shipment in many years and the sending of this bulk package is part of a Bible Society program which involves the sending out of six tons of Scriptures every working day from the Bible House in London.

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In Southern Rhodesia a plan has been formulated for the distribution of one million copies of the Gospel to people who at the moment are right outside the Christian Church.

This will be done in co-operation with all the churches and will cost the Bible Society over $50,000. This bold experiment will put the Gospel into the hands of those who do not know it

The continent of Africa holds a special place in the interest of Christians for the Baby Jesus was taken there as a refugee nineteen hundred years ago.

A MOTHER FOR THE 18TH TIME



Mrs. Leonard Collins of Peterborough, Ont., is shown with her 18th baby, a girl, named Maureen, the new baby weighed seven pounds, five ounces. Mr. and Mrs. Collins have nine other boys and eight girls, all living.

Tips on Touring

by Carol Lane

Tomorrow's safe motorist should be taught proper driving habits today — in kindergarten or even earlier.

Children learn by imitating. If they see good driving while they are young, they will grow up with the proper driving attitude.

One safety expert said the job of instilling safety habits in children should begin at home, and be followed up by the schools, starting in kindergarten. Here, the children would be exposed to such devices as red and green lights and arm signals in games.

In high school, he continued, driver training is "a must, not a frill in this era".

Another expert pointed up the need for the proper driving attitudes in children when he said that the country's major safety today "is to offset the poor driving habits youngsters have learned from their dads".

Start early to teach your children the proper driving attitude and safe motoring habits. When you take them for a ride, explain to them the importance of safe driving. Show them how you meet certain driving situations — and why. Make this a vital part of their early education.

Of course you have to be a good driver yourself. But, as an adult, you should be able to accept this responsibility — and help to develop the right attitude in the drivers of tomorrow.

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The ideal worm remedy is one that is toxic to the parasites but harmless to the host animal. It should be effective against various parasites in various classes of farm animals rather than against only one type of parasite in a single class of stock.



Dr. Bohstedt

Of all drugs for controlling animal parasites developed during the last few decades, phenothiazine comes nearest this ideal.

Instead of copper sulphate, for instance, which is effective mainly against the sheep stomach worm, *Haemonchus contortus*, phenothiazine is effective against it and against nodular worms, hook worms, strongyles and still other internal parasites.

Phenothiazine therefore can be used advantageously for horses, cattle, sheep and goats.

How can it be used? The recommendation of parasitologists is that the animals be drenched with a liquid suspension of phenothiazine at least twice a year, or at the beginning and end of the pasture season.

Between drenches all ruminants except milking cows should be given free-choice access to a mixture of 9 parts salt and 1 part phenothiazine. Commercial preparations may also contain appetizing ingredients such as molasses or bone meal.

To encourage adequate intake of the salt-phenothiazine mixture it is best to have no other salt available to the animals.

A periodic drench is intended to free the animals of the parasites, and the constant low-level intake of the drug is to keep the animals free of them.

Free-choice access to a salt-phenothiazine mix is impractical for milking cows, since traces of the drug are found in the milk and constitute adulteration. A periodic 2-ounce drench, as needed, is recommended, but the milk produced during the 72 hours following a drench should not be used for human consumption.

University of Wisconsin research with sheep has shown that a ration was made more effective in the control of internal parasites by being supplemented with phosphate and trace minerals. The trace minerals may be added by way of trace mineral salt instead of plain salt and phenothiazine and appetizers may be combined with it.

Question: Is it practical to increase the cobalt or iodine content of forages through adding such trace minerals to commercial fertilizers?

Answer: This is not economical. The merest fraction, perhaps one-fifteenth, of the expensive cobalt or iodine is needed by way of feeding as compared to fertilizing crops to enrich them sufficiently for the purpose. These trace minerals may be supplied easily and economically in trace mineralized salt.

Sucking lice can weaken cattle

Sucking lice can reduce the number of red blood cells in cattle by as much as half, warns Dr. W. O. Haufe, of the Canada Department of Agriculture's Lethbridge, Alta., research station.

When this happens, he points out, their resistance to unusual exercise, rigorous weather, severe conditions of transportation, and disease is reduced.

Some cattle are highly susceptible to biting and sucking lice and if kept in crowded quarters during winter on maintenance rations, they quickly spread the infestation. Thus control by spraying, washing or dusting is vital.

Spraying or washing cattle in cold, windy weather in winter involves the risk of respiratory diseases. This should be done in a warm building and cattle given comfortable shelter until they are dry. Failing this, it is advisable to use an insecticide dust for temporary control.

Dusts must be applied at two-week intervals. While less effective than spraying, dusts reduce lice sufficiently to prevent severe anemia until the cattle can be sprayed during the first warm weather.

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Net incomes of Canadian farmers shows wide variation in the west

How much does the Canadian farmer net from every dollar of gross income?

A Canada Department of Agriculture economist, studying financial statements of 13 groups of farms in four western provinces found that the average return to the farmer for his labor and capital was about 40 per cent of the gross income.

In other words, explains C. K. Varkaris, for every dollar of gross income, the farmer had a return of 40 cents.

One group of farms in Alberta showed a negative return in a year when crop yields were low.

In British Columbia, farms surveyed in the Rocky Mountain Trench area averaged a 40 per cent return on gross income, with mixed livestock farms leading with about 50 per cent. In the central region, farms surveyed averaged 47 per cent of gross income. Livestock-crop farming had a return of 64 per cent. Sixty-five Fraser Valley dairy farms had returns amounting to 43 per cent of gross, and on Vancouver Island, another 29 dairy farms showed returns that were 40 per cent of gross.

In Alberta two types of farms in the Parkland area were surveyed. One was general livestock farms and the other grain farms. The first group was the exception to the general rule, showing negative returns to labor and capital. The grain farms recorded returns that were 38 per cent of gross.

Three groups were studied in Saskatchewan. Two, comprising large and medium farms showed returns that amounted to 74 per cent of gross. The third involved small farms that returned 67 per cent of gross to the farmer for his labor and capital. Located west of Swift Current, the farms were in five municipalities.

In Manitoba, 58 livestock farms in the Interlake Area had an average return of 45 per cent of the gross income and ranged from a low of 43 per cent for the farms that kept 15 to 34 cattle to a high of 48 per cent for farms that kept 50 or more cattle. Another group, comprising 54 mixed farms in the Sifton-Fork River area, had an average return of 47 per cent of gross income. A third group, composed of 82 grain-livestock farms, showed an average return of 45 per cent of gross. Fifty-two grain farms in the Red River Valley area returned an average of 36 per cent of gross.

"Reading between the lines", comments Economist Varkaris, "it is evident that a substantial volume of business is required in order to provide an adequate level of living".

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MILK AND MONEY

Americans and milk just naturally go together, like a Frenchman and wine or a German and beer. And dairymen are rightly concerned with keeping up the flow of milk from the farm to a nation of milk drinkers.

But each year, farmers with problem dairy cows lose a staggering amount of both milk and money because of failure of their cows to conceive. Department of Agriculture estimates that loses due to infertility amount to at least $25 million a year.

A dairy cow must be pregnant to maintain milk production. Losses from problem cows occur because the period between calving and the next conception is unduly extended. That means farmers must spend a lot of money feeding and taking care of a cow that is not producing. For one cow, the amount runs about $30.

Recently, though, researchers have come up wit an antibiotic formula to help solve this problem. Research veterinarian Dr. E. M. Sacchi has found that the new formula — Embryostat — improves the conception rate by inhibiting bacterial development.

Dr. Sacchi reported in Antibiotics Annual 1957-58 that treatment of 113 repeat and difficult breeders with the antibiotic complex resulted in conception in 66 to 79 per cent of the animals after a single service.

To benefit from this new discovery, farmers should consult their veterinarians, whose diagnostic skills and techniques are required for a herd improvement program with Embryostat.

This new antibiotic is one more example of how research is constantly at work to make our world a better place — in this instance, by helping farmers solve an important problem that will keep milk on your table.

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He used 2.39 lbs. of feed to produce each pound of chicken meat. The birds averaged 3 lbs. dressed meat and he made 15.2c on each bird, also he got 41.8 lbs. meat for every 100 lbs. of feed.

At the time I got these figures, he didn't have his electricity bill, but it wouldn't be high and the fertilizer would probably offset this cost.

Now this was only a side line. He was doing his usual work at the same time and $100. a month for a side line is more than most of you are making on your whole herd of cows, and you are tied to their tails beside; for while you may take in much more money a month, if you would charge the cows with the hay, straw, silage and home grown grain they eat, you would find your profits very small.

This customer bought every bite the birds ate.

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Government votes $12 million to pay portion of interest on Farm loans

The Legislative Assembly Thursday night sat through supper and in four hours and 45 minutes passed seven bills and voted 1960-61 estimates for the Attorney General's Department.

The Government was voted $12,000,000 by the Assembly to pay a portion of the interest on loans made by farmers.

The portion would be three per cent on loans not exceeding $4,000 for farm improvements and three percent on loans not exceeding $3,000 for purchase of dairy or beef cattle.

Interest rates are continually climbing and the farmer cannot pay back capital he borrows, Agricultural Minister Barre said. He said the Government has no powers to stop the rise in interest rates but can help the farmer pay them.

The Government should guarantee the loans fully, said Alcide Courcy, Liberal, Abitibi-West.

In the Legislative Council, Hon. Patrice Tardif, Union, La Valliere, said large companies are harming the individual farmer.

Individual farmers should band together in co-operatives, he said. The companies, large and middle men, were largely responsible for a big difference in the price paid to the farmer for his product and the price paid by the consumer for the product.

Vegetables boosted by fungicide

Want to increase your vegetable yields? Treat the seeds with an organic fungicide containing captan, thiram, or dichlone, advises Dr. V. R. Wallen of the Plant Research Institute, Canada Department of Agriculture.

Field experiments at Ottawa and St. Catharines, Ont., and St. John's Que., for three years have shown that over 80 per cent of treated pea seed grew, while only 30 per cent of similar seed grew when left untreated.

Explains Dr. Wallen:

"Seed treatments not only kill organisms on the surface of the seed, but also protect the young seed and seedings from soil organisms near the seed."

The field tests showed that cucurber and squash seeds are similarly attacked by soil organisms. Ninety per cent of treated seeds grew, while only 20 per cent of untreated seeds survived.

Although seed beans and corn do not appear to benefit as much, it is advisable to treat the seed, says Dr. Wallen, particularly when planting in soil that is high in moisture.

Where the seed corn maggot is a problem, an insecticide such as aldrin, dieldrin or lindane, is recommended, along with a fungicide. These insecticides control this pest effectively. Injury by the maggot is especially noticeable in beans and produces the condition known as snakehead.



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Poultry, eggs are admired recently at U.S. conference

A Canadian exhibit of eggs and poultry meat won the plaudits of experts at the 31st annual Fact Finding Conference, sponsored by the Institute of American Industries, at Kansas City, Missouri, in mid-February.

A. D. Davey, director of the Poultry Division, Canada Department of Agriculture, said that the products on display were roundly praised by American authorities and that "Canada's exhibit has become a feature attraction at this conference — the biggest of its kind in the world".

Mr. Davey, Hugh Cochrane, head of inspection and grading, and E. D. Bonnyman of the merchandising section of the Poultry Division, and Dr. J. N. Perry of the meat inspection, Health of Animals Division, represented the department of agriculture. Close to 75 other Canadians attended.

Emphasis of conference deliberations this year was on marketing, business organization and government relations and the main theme was "design for decision". Although exhibits dealt largely with marketing aspects of the poultry industry, other phases were represented.

A feature was the Junior Fact Finding Conference, in which teenage representatives from many parts of the U.S. discussed the poultry industry at a junior level.

The Poultry Division exhibit was arranged through the Exhibition Commission, Department of Trade and Commerce.

ONTARIO'S BIGGEST ELM TREE



Residents of the Craighurst area north of Barrie, Ont., don't mind going out on a limb and claiming they have the biggest elm tree in Ontario. The tree is six feet in diameter, 100 feet high and about 200 years old. Dennis Elsmere is shown above measuring the tree.

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Epigram of the Week

A man may make mistakes, but he isn't a failure until he starts blaming someone else.

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Long service C-I-L employee retires

A large number of C-I-L officials and employees gathered together February 29 to extend good wishes and a happy retirement to N. E. Smillie, a fellow employee of close to 40 years. Seen above is Supervisor L. F. Camus presenting Mr. Smillie, right, with a lighter and a purse of money, in recognition of his "faithfulness and loyalty to the company".

Large audience attends the Bach Choir performance

One of Canada's finest choirs was presented by the Community Concert Association on Wednesday evening last in the High School Auditorium when George Little's Montreal Bach choristers gave a fine performance to the local audience. The music was mostly unaccompanied, giving a true picture of the fine qualities of thirty-odd voices that composed this unusual group. The founder and director, George Little, is to be congratulated upon having such an accomplished choir to lead.

A pleasing note of local interest was to see Mr. Wayne Riddell, former Lachute United Church organist and choir director, as a member of the Bach Choir; he also accompanied at the piano for the national anthems.

A motet by Bach "Be not afraid, I am with Thee", sung in the original German, was a piece of poetic and continual beauty, and gave a fine introduction to a lengthy and interesting program. Five lighter melodies by Lessus and Jannequin followed, and the 'Echo' song was of appealing rhythm, that held the audience spellbound. It was too bad that this section was not repeated.

Brahms "Liebeslieder Waltzes", accompanied by a piano duo team of Charles Reiner and Rosabelle Jones, gave a lighter vein to the program, and the three-quarter rhythm had an appealing effect on the listeners.

After the intermission, several madrigals were sung by the Bach Choir, "Matona, Lovely Maiden" being the only familiar song to most of the audience. If criticism could be made of the fine performance, it would be the lacking of familiar melodies or tunes to the average listener. Not a lowering of quality to a pops variety, but along the lines evident in the former community concert of violinist Roman Totenberg, who played many familiar themes that his audience appreciated.

At the concert last Wednesday, it was noted there was a reservation of applause not from lack of appreciation, but, rather from lack of familiarity. It is felt that planners of 1961 concerts should take this into consideration.

Tone-poems by Kelsey Jones gave a modern mood of contempary music by the choir, who were again supported by the piano team of Reiner and Jones. There were times when the piano overplayed the choir in these pieces, but it is believed that this was due to the unfamiliarity of the hall and its acoustical peculiarities.

A fitting ending with a group of French-Canadien folk songs was the close of this fine program. Well-wishers to the choir entertained the performers in the cafeteria of the school following the program and it is hoped that in the near future, the Montreal Bach Choir will again perform on the stage of Lachute.

Many beautiful floral baskets adorned the stage; these were tastefully arranaged and presented with the compliments of Anders Paulsen, local florist.

The campaign for the 1960-61 Lachute Community Concerts Association drive will get under way during the week of May 9. It is hoped that many new subscribers will be enrolled, for a packed house means finer and more programs for community concert goers.

Former county man killed in accident

Quebec, March 28 (CP) — Kenneth Pollack, 21, of 3456 Prud'Homme St., Montreal, a former resident of Morin Heights, was killed Sunday when his car crashed into a pole at Ste. Luce sur Mer, 180 miles down the St. Lawrence from here.

Two men were injured and taken to hospital in Rimouski. They were identified as André d'Anjoue, 22, of 2918 Springland St., Montreal, and Bernard Lennon, about 20, believed a native of New Brunswick.

L.H.S. plans concert to welcome Spring

Lachute High School is planning on welcoming the "turn of the year" with a Spring Concert. All parents and friends are invited to attend this event on Friday, April 8, at 8 p.m.

Various grades are singing and dancing. The Junior and Senior choirs have prepared some charming songs. The newly formed Drama Group is presenting a short excerpt from "Quality Street", by Sir James Barrie. There is also a one-act playlet in French by pupils of Grade 9.

It is hoped that as many friends as possible will attend and help to make the evening a great success by celebrating "The Magic of the Spring".

Former residents on executive of McGill project

Ticket chairman of the annual Mixed Bridge and Card Party of the McGill Alumnae Society, being held in The Sir Arthur Currie Memorial Gymnasium in early April is Mrs. Alex Stalker, formerly of Lachute. Another former resident, Miss Margaret McOuat, is on the planning committee.

All proceeds from the bridge are to be used to augment the Alumnae Endowment Fund, which has grown since its beginning in 1935 to almost $40,000. During this time 88 scholarships and 166 bursaries have been awarded to women students at McGill. This year a record $3,500. was distributed.

Local scholarship exams scheduled for May 28

The Hawkesbury Section of the Chemical Institute of Canada announced today that all arrangements have been completed for the Prescott-Argenteuil Industrial Scholarship Examination to be held on Saturday May 28.

The scholarship is intended to promote interest in the science of chemistry among students in the secondary schools, and to assist a student of outstanding ability to continue his education at a university.

For this year again, the Prescott-Argenteuil Scholarship will have a value of $500, and has been made possible through contributions from Canadian Refractories Limited, Kilmar; Canadian Safety Fuse Limited, Brownsburg; Industrial Cellulose Research Limited, Hawkesbury; Norda Limited, Vankleek Hill, and J. C. Wilson Limited, Lachute.

Any student attending Grade XI in Argenteuil county or Grade 12 in Prescott county is eligible for the scholarship.

This winner of the scholarship will be decided on the basis of an examination in chemistry which has been set by a committee of the Hawkesbury Section of the Chemical Institute of Canada. The examination will be held simultaneously at Hawkesbury District High School and Lachute High School at 9.30 a.m. on Saturday morning, May 28.

The winner of the scholarship will be announced sometime early in July.

False cheque artist arrested here is sentenced to jail

Albert Baron, 35 year-old Vankleek Hill resident, was arrested Monday of last week, on a charge of passing a false cheque. Sgt.-Det. Ralph Allen, who has held a warrant for several weeks reported that a total of 20 charges of false cheques had been laid against the Ontario resident.

He appeared in St. Jerome Court on Thursday last and was sentenced to two years for each charge, all to be served concurrently.

The arrest followed a report from a local garage owner, immediately after Baron was alleged to have attempted to pass a cheque. Twenty minutes later, Baron had been arrested. He was convicted of passing cheques in the name of Jim McGibbon, Robt. McGibbon, Gilbert E. Arnold and other local businessmen. The cheques were cashed in Lachute, Brownsburg, Grenville, Calumet and other district municipalities.

Final plans completed for district "Blitz"

Lachute Committee headquarters located in Town Hall building

Next Monday night, starting at 6.30 o'clock, a small army of volunteer canvassers will call at every door in the Town of Lachute, the Village of Ayersville and Brownsburg, the surrounding urban portions of St. Jerusalem and other communities in the district. They will be asking for donations to the 1960 Canadian Red Cross Financial Campaign, and will be giving their time and services freely to collect the money needed for the fine work of the Society. The Campaign Chairman, Gordon Tabrett, has stated that the Lachute district objective for the current campaign has been set at $4,800. and has expressed his hope that everyone will contribute generously.

Plans will be finalized at a meeting of the Organizing Committee and the District Captains, to be held in the Canadian Legion Memorial Hall this Thursday night at 8.30 p.m. Last minute instructions for the carrying out of the 'Blitz' collection on Monday between the hours of 6.30 and 9 p.m. will be given to the District Captains so that they may in turn instruct the approximately 200 canvassers who will be doing the actual collecting. Any problems which any of the districts might have will be ironed out so that the final effort will run smoothly and efficiently.

Already several hundred dollars have been received from the special committees seeking donations from the various professional and business establishments in the areas. The County Council of the County of Argenteuil has shown a magnificent example for the current campaign by doubling their previous contribution, and it is hoped that all other donors will be able to increase their donations this year in order to meet the increased objective.

On Monday evening, headquarters for the 'Blitz' will be set up in the Town Hall, as it was last year. Campaign Treasurer, C. E. (Dick) Richardson will again be on hand with his assistants to check in the receipts for the evening from the District Captains after they have cleared their districts. Anyone seeking any advice or information concerning the drive that evening is asked to contact the Campaign Committee at the Town Hall on Monday, evening.

The ladies of the local Branch of the Red Cross Society, under the direction of Branch President, Mrs. F. W. FitzGerald, have undertaken to supply coffee and light refreshments for the campaign workers both after the final meeting in the Legion Hall this Thursday and at the Town Hall after the 'Blitz' Campaign. The Campaign Chairman expressed his appreciation of the fine co-operation being given him and the Committee by everyone who has been approached and he reported the Organizing Committee feel sure the final results will be most satisfactory.

New manager of Household Finance



Household Finance Corporation of Canada is pleased to announce the appointment of Roger Lequy as manager of their branch office in Lachute. Mr. Lequy has worked for HFC in Quebec and latterly managed a branch office in Montreal.

Plan paper drive

The Brownsburg Boy Scouts Group Committee are sponsoring a paper salvage pick-up Saturday April 23, starting at 1 p.m. In case of inclement weather, the date will be changed to April 30.

Brownsburg residents are requested to kindly tie paper securely in bundles or cartons and place by roadside in view of the drivers.

Committees named for campaign by Brownsburg district organization

The regular meeting of the Brownsburg Branch of the Canadian Red Cross Society was held in the Social Club last week; reports were given by chairman of the different departments of the organization. Mrs. N. E. Smillie gave a short resumé of the highlights of the convention held recently in Montreal, and also extended congratulations to one of the members, Mrs. Omer Legault, who was awarded the Badge of Service for outstanding work during the past years.

J. D. Lepine, chairman and Hector Steele, vice-chairman of the Financial Campaign for this town and community are making final plans for the "Blitz" which will be held Monday, April 4, when it is expected that the citizens will respond in their usual generous manner.

Miss Anne David has taken on the publicity work and Mr. Alfred Gervais will be Campaign treasurer, a position he filled so well for several years.

Brownsburg Captains are as follows:

Mrs. King Amos, Mrs. D. N. Atkins, Messrs. Leon Tessier, Fred Barker, Henry Tilsley, J. R. Dubois, Raymond Carriere, Donat Lajeunesse, Douglas Dixon, L. Carignan and Gaston Heroux.

Pine Hill, Mr. Dagenais; St. Michel, R. Richer; Dalesville, W. C. Morrow; Mount Maple, Calvin McAndrew; Mabel, Mrs. M. Stewart; Ogdensburg, Lawrence Plummer; Staynerville, Noel Lemay; St. Philippe, Donat Lafleur,; Cushing, Grece's Point, Stonefield and surrounding community, Alan Vowles.

Easter Seal Campaign again sponsored by Lachute Lions Club organization

The Easter Seals Campaign, under the sponsorship of the Lachute Lions Club, is now underway with the mailing of seals to several thousand homes in the district having been completed. Chairman of the campaign is Col. E. Emmett, who stated he hoped the response would be generous, so that Lachute and district may uphold their reputation for charity in the needs of less fortunate fellow beings.

While a portion of the local contributions goes to the major work of the Quebec Easter Seal Society, (including organization, training, rehabilitation of the crippled, both young and old), the Lachute Lions Club retains a worthwhile portion of the returns in a separate fund for local administration.

Many demands have been met locally from these resources, including the transportation of handicapped school children, and it has been the work of the Lachute Lions Club to finance such aid where it is most needed. Moreover, the Club welcomes information on such cases as may need assistance.

The active participation of all citizens, through donations to the Easter Seals, will be appreciated.

District youth struck by taxi

Morin Heights — David Underwood, four-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Austin Underwood, was recently struck by a taxi driven by Paul St. Denis. He was rushed to the St. Jerome Hospital and later transferred to the Montreal Neurological Institute. Best wishes are extended for his speedy recovery.

Power failure in Brownsburg

A large number of hockey fans in some sections of Brownsburg were disappointed on Sunday evening as the power failure blacked out the TV screen for two hours and 13 minutes. The failure occured at approximately 7.40 p.m., just prior to game time, and lasted until the start of the first overtime period. A slack wire had apparently touched a cut-out on a transformer, thus blowing a feeder line in the Maple Avenue South area.

Lions Club sponsors 3rd annual Public Speaking competition

The Lachute Lions Club, for the third consecutive year, has sponsored a public-speakig contest for both English and French-speaking pupils of Greater Lachute. This year's event was held at the last regular meeting of the Club and was reported to have been highly successful, a total of eight candidates taking part.

Winners were: Miss Grace Donaldson, Grade 11, Lachute High School, in the English-speaking class; and Miss Lise Landry, Grade 10, St. Alexandre School and Gilbert Desjardins, Grade 11, Ecole Secondaire, in the French-language class. There were no participants in the boy's section, English-language class.

The candidates spoke for five minutes on a subject of their choice and then improvised a two minute talk on a subject presented to them minutes before.

Following are the names of the participants and the titles of their talks:

Miss Susan Pride, Grade 9, Lachute High School — "Twentieth Century"; improvision "My Favorite Sport".

Miss Grace Donaldson, Grade 11, Lachute High School — "The Carillon Dam Project"; improvision "Music".

Miss Susanne Laurin, Grade 11, St. Alexandre School — "Going Steady while at School"; improvision "Les Loisirs".

Miss Lise Landry, Grade 10, St. Alexandre School — "The True Family Life"; improvision "My Projects for the Future".

Victor Girard, Grade 9, Clement School, Ayersville — "My Country"; improvision "Our Local Industries".

Paul Aurele Pharand, Grade 9, Clement School, Ayersville — "Experiences"; improvision "Capital Punishment".

Gilbert Desjardins, Grade 11, Ecole Secondaire — "Canada Without a Flag"; improvision "My Town.".

Ronald Menard, Grade 10, Ecole Secondaire — "Natural Science"; improvision "Do We Need a Municipal Library?".

The three winners of the local contest will now participate in the semi-finals, the winners of which will enter the finals to be held in St. Lambert at a later date.

Judges of the contest were Messrs. Fernand Legault, Q.C., Philippe Tremblay, Horace Lamarche, Dr. F. W. FitzGerald, Donald M. Hay and Ernie Snadden. L. Jos. Dumais was moderator of the public-speaking organized by Dr. Eric Mongeon.

Post Office Department plans stamp commemorating Battle of Long Sault

The Postmaster General recently announced that a five-cent commemorative stamp will be issued by the Canada Post Office on May 19 to mark the three-hundredth anniversary of the Battle of the Long Sault.

The stamp will be printed in two colors. It will show the profile of Dollard des Ormeaux, hero of the struggle, printed in blue on a light brown backdrop of the battle scene. The date of issue will permit distribution of the stamp just prior to the annual "Fête de Dollard".

In announcing the new stamp, the Postmaster General said the new issue commemorated an important milestone in the historic development of relations between the settlers of New France and the native Indians. He pointed out that both races had gone on to make outstanding contributions to Canada's national development; the French through their participation in the unfolding of a distinctive Canadian character; the Indians through a significant contribution to their country through their courage, tenacity and devotion to the land.

The stamp was designed by Philip Weiss, a native of Quebec who now makes his home in Ottawa.

Mr. Weiss also designed the N.A.T.O. commemorative stamp, issued in April 1959 and the Plains of Abraham stamp, which went on sale in September 1959.

Adam Dollard was born in France in 1635. He came to Canada and, in 1657, was attached to the garrison at Montreal. He later received a tract of uncleared land and acquired the title of Sieur des Ormeaux.

In the spring of 1660, he set out with 16 French compatriots and a number of Indians on an expedition up the Ottawa River. At the foot of the Long Sault, not far from the nearby town of Carillon, the group encountered a large force of Indians. The struggle lasted an entire week and ended in the destruction of Dollard's force.

In assessing the value of the Long Sault, historians point out that it permitted time for the strengthening of the defences of the infant French colonies. In addition, the determination displayed by Dollard and his companions showed the Indians that the French were determined to maintain their foothold in the vast new land of Canada. It cemented the concept that henceforth the new world must be shared by both red men and white.

Readers requested to assist CWNA in survey on Capital Punishment

In co-operation with a survey being conducted by the Canadian Weekly Newspapers Association, of which The Lachute Watchman is a member, we would appreciate readers filling out the form appearing below, and returning it in an envelope marked Capital Punishment Survey.

DO YOU FAVOR CAPITAL PUNISHMENT?

Yes _____ No _____

Yes (with reservations) _____

We ask all our readers interested to fill in this Coupon and mail it to The Lachute Watchman, Box 220, Lachute, Que. You are under no obligation and your name will not be used.

Art Exhibition is planned for April in Lachute area

An art exhibition will be held in Lachute, April 23 to 30, in the studio of the Centre Dramatique d'Argenteuil, 354 Main Street. This exhibition is organized by Mrs. Armande Lebrun-Laforest, director of this French Elocution studio, for the purpose of promoting the love of fine arts in this region.

Professional or amateur artists are thus given an opportunity to show their works to the local public who, it is felt, will welcome the chance of appreciating local and regional talents.

A cordial invitation is issued to all artists who would like to enter this art show. For information, please call LEcture 7-3367.

County Liberals plan convention on Sat. April 9

It has been announced that a convention will be held by the Argenteuil Liberal Association on Saturday, April 9, in the Lachute Auditorium, at which time the official Liberal candidate will be chosen to contest the expected Provincial election.

Former standard-bearer Bernard Gosselin, recently announced that he would not allow his name to stand at the convention and since that time, numerous possible nominees have been suggested.

The meeting is scheduled to get underway at 2 p.m. sharp and guest speakers will be Glenn Brown, M.P.P. for Brome County, and Paul Gerin Lajoie.

An invitation to attend has been extended to all interested residents of the County.

Richelieu Club spends $1,733 on local charitable causes

The Lachute Richelieu Club distributed $1,773.16 among its charity organizations during the past year, according to a recent report presented by the club secretary-treasurer, Jean Louis Blais. The expenditures were made as follows: Student Scholarships and Community Concert tickets, $606; eye examinations, clothing and the purchase of a wheel chair, $214.80; Christmas dinner for poor children, $329.33 (members contributions for this occasion totalled $227.); milk in the schools and other sundry expenses, $850.03. Receipts in the Charity Account totalled $1,920.44, leaving a surplus of $146.98.

The administration account receipts totalled $911.41 and expenses were $492.92 for a surplus of $418.49. The club has a balance of $2,301.91.

Among other reports presented were those of Raymond Beaulieu, on the recent congress in Ottawa; Dr. Jean Paul Dorion, chairman of a special committee; Yvanhoe Chevrier, on membership; and Gaetan Leclair on proposed projects.

The meeting was presided over by Dr. Charles Roy and Dr. Andre Benoit was named chairman of the Annual Racing Event planned for the coming summer season, and a sugar party was decided on to be held in April.

St. Andrews East building destroyed by recent fire

Fire destroyed the property of Sylvio Moderie on Friday afternoon of last week, nothing being saved from the St. Andrews East home, with the exception of some furnishings from the ground floor.

The building was located on Davis Street and the ground floor apartment was occupied by Mr. Moderie's son, Godfroy The tenant of the second floor was Mrs. Leonie Bedard, who reported a total loss of all belongings.

The alarm was sounded at 1.15 p.m., and answered by a crew of St. Andrews East volunteer firemen under the direction of Chief Edgar Monette, who based their efforts on adjacent buildings, the Moderie property being a mass of flame at the time of their arrival.

Prov'l license unit here on April 4

The provincial government mobile driving test unit will be in Lachute at noon on Monday, April 4, and all the following day. Persons wishing to obtain a driving permit are requested to govern themselves accordingly. The vehicle will be located at the Court House, Grace Street.

District Scout organization reports activities for month

Twenty Cub sixers travelled to the Harrington Forrestry Farm on Saturday, March 5 and were the guests of the Canadian International Paper Company for the day. In the morning R. T. Reppert, District Conservation Chairman and a biologist with C.I.P. and Jap Salm, Harrington Forest Farm Supervisor, took the sixers to watch wood cutting operations and instructed them in the identification of trees. In the afternoon, Mansel R. Wilson, District Commissioner, gave a slide showing on birds and then conducted a contest which was won by Michael Humphries, 1st Brownsburg Pack; George Dixon, Mowgli Pack and Douglas Jenkins 2nd Lachute Pack. This was followed by D. N. Atkins, District President, giving a demonstration on the safe handling of guns and organizing a shoot for all the sixers.

The Long Sault District extends their thanks to the Canadian International Paper Company and all other individuals who helped to make this an enjoyable day.

Twenty-six Pack Scouters from the Long Sault District, Laurentian Foothills District and Laurentian District, became cubs for a day and went through an all inclusive training program for Pack Scouters in the Lachute High School on Saturday, March 12. The training was conducted by a Provincial Scout Training Team consisting of J. A. Robson, Field Commissioner, Mrs. Grace Hanson and Cyril Magg. An enjoyable dinner was served by the wives of some members of the Lachute Group Committee. The Long Sault District would like to thank all those who helped to make this a successful training event.

Argenteuil Outdoors

A column for the sportsman

— By BOB ATCHISON —



The element of true sportsmanship is finally entering into the big game fish class. They are now taking Marlin, on lines up to 15 pounds test. Naturally they have deep sea reels with around 250 yards of line on them, but nevertheless the fish isn't being beaten by the weight of the line. The world's record on this type of fishing is a 127 pound marlin taken on 8 pound spinning tackle. That is fishing for the sport and not for the bag. It seems to throw out the idea of using copper lines for trolling, as all this fishing is trolling with live bait. After seeing some of these fish being caught, you wonder if the angler is tired from the fish or the outfit he is using. Get a couple of hundred yards of heavy line on a big reel, plus a hoe handle, and you don't have to wonder why the troller is tired after a few hours of fishing.

All clubs and associations are beating the drums for the use of lighter tackle and the keeping of only those fish that can be used. After all, fishing is supposed to be a sport, and if fish are wanted that bad, buying them is cheaper. Of course there is always the "big sport" attitude of "I caught 50 for the cat". But even the part-time fisherman is getting into the lighter lines as there is more 4 pound line sold now than all other lines combined. Remember not too long ago when 20 pound used to be the stand-by.

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A few words on the boats for the coming summer. Most of these are made of fibre glass and don't need too much working on, however there are a couple of things that will improve their appearance. Wash your boat with hot water and soap, both inside and out. This will take away all the old oil and grease left on from last year. If the water won't do the job, use a little turpentine, then wash with soap and water.

The ropes left under the boat will need a good washing; any of them that look too bad should be replaced. However, a wash in soap and water will make a big difference in most cases. Also don't forget your lifejackets; you know these are a must and should have been taken care of last fall. If this was not done, you'll have to wash and dry them out properly and this will take a little time. So don't wait any longer, it will pay dividends during the worry-free summer.

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A lot of crows are around now, and as soon as the snow melts a little, there should be some good shooting. It's still pretty rough in the bush, but I think in another week it should be better. This is one pest I like to take a crack at. The damage they do to nests of all kinds sure is a big persuader to go and get a few.

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Reports on the spraying of Insecticides in the bush have been more or less tamed down. The damage that is done to the wildlife is very small according to these reports. This seems to be an about face in everything. The sum of money being spent on the finding of solutions, harmless to wildlife, must be a lot of talk. It is certainly true that Canadian Forestry Associations have, and will continue to have, marked success in this field, but they won't do this unless the fight against indiscriminate spraying is carried on. All we have to do is to look at the U.S. Associations and the troubles they are having. Even right now they are still trying to find out about these sprays and what they will do to our game. Let us hope that because a few make dubious statements, some cockeyed legislation won't be passed that will do more harm than good.

You can't upset the balance of nature and expect things to continue on as before. You know, I've often wondered just what happens even when we spray only a few yards. Everything must be affected with the solutions; birds come along and pick up dead bugs, get poisoned themselves and die; then worms clean up the remains and in turn are poisoned. Just where does it end? I don't think anyone can tell us with any degree of accuracy.

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The shooting fraternity should get a big kick out of a Canadian being picked to head the Sports Afield All-American Skeet team. The first time this has ever happened, it should give a big boost to shooters from Canada. Certainly a lot more respect will be shown them in competitions, on the other side of the border. Squadron Leader Barney Hartman deserves all good wishes from the shooters of Canada for a terrific job, well done.

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The new glass rods are just about perfect for any type of fishing. The new ways they have of molding rods sure has improved them a great deal. Even the

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United Ch. bowlers complete schedule

After a torrid finish for the league championship, the Redwing team of Grace Rosser came through with the honors, leading two other teams by two points. The play-offs get under way next Monday, and they line up as follows:

"A" Section:

Redwings vs All Stars 7.15 p.m.
St. Pats vs St. Georges 7.15 p.m.

"B" Section

Teenagers vs Maple Leafs 7.15 p.m.
East Settlement vs Bluebirds 8.15 p.m.
St. Andrews vs Thistles 8.15 p.m.
Beavers vs St. David's 8.15 p.m.

The Section "A" play two games total points to win. The second game is being played on Monday, April 18. Section "B" play sudden-death games. Winners to play April 18.

1st Lachute Cubs pass many tests

This week the meeting of the 1st Lachute Wolf Cub Pack began with the investure of David Gorman and Bernard Fox. Then Akela performed the pleasant duty of presenting Allan Rice with his Second Star.

Following a game called 'Who's your Neighbor', the boys began their test passing, the results of which were as follows:

CLEANLINESS: Billie Heatlie, Jeffery Gordon and Randy Jones.
SEMAPHORE SIGNALLING — Ernest Paulsen.
MODEL — Ernest Paulsen.
SKETCHING — Ernest Paulsen.
SAFETY RULES — Bobby Edgerton and Svend Paulsen.
TIME — Svend Paulsen.

At the end of the meeting, the White Six was found to be the leader in the point-race.

After closing, the leaders met for a Group Council, at the home of Miss MacGregor. Plans were discussed for a field day and new ideas were brought forward concerning 'Jungle Atmosphere' in the Cub Meetings.

United Church Bowling League

FINAL STANDING

Team	Skip	P	W	L	D	For	Agst.	Pts.
Redwings	(Miss Grace Rosser)	16	11	3	2	157	119	24
St. Pat's	(Gladys Davis)	16	11	5	0	148	111	22
St. George's	(Owen Todd)	16	10	4	2	145	123	22
All Stars	(Mrs. M. McFaul)	16	9	7	0	135	114	18
East Settlement	(Les Gordon)	16	8	7	1	145	131	17
St. Andrews	(Mrs. W. Bridge)	16	8	7	1	145	142	17
Beavers	(Miss M. Gordon)	16	8	7	1	124	148	17
Teenagers	(Reg Stansfield)	16	7	8	1	158	136	15
Maple Leafs	(Mrs. D. Smith)	16	6	10	0	127	128	12
St. David's	(Willie Wilson)	16	5	10	1	126	149	11
Thistles	(Foster Campbell)	16	4	10	2	128	160	10
Bluebirds	(Mrs. H. Riddell)	16	4	11	1	122	154	9

Inter-Church Bowling League

	GP.	Won	Lost	Dwn.	For	Agst.	Pts.
ANGLICAN	20	15	5	0	176	126	30
UNITED	20	9	10	1	167	159	19
PRESBYTERIAN	20	5	14	1	125	181	11

Bonspiel winners announced by Ladies' Curling Club officials

Three rinks played in friendly games away from home recently. At Club de Granite, Montebello, Mrs. R. Fraser (skip), Miss F. A. Carrière, Mrs. B. Bradford and Mrs. Jean Belanger won the prize for the day. Playing at Greystone, Mrs. R. Fraser (skip), Mrs. F. A. Brennian, Mrs. M. Wilson and Mrs. Don Hay won from Heather, receiving the prize for the day. Mrs. Geo. McGibbon (skip), Mrs. J. Barbour, Mrs. Ross Muir and Mrs. A. Scott were at Outremont where they defeated Huntingdon.

It was omitted in a February news column that Mrs. G. McGibbon (skip), Mrs. J. Barbour, Mrs. Ross Muir and Mrs. A. Scott had won the prize for the day in the Vankleek Hill Ladies' Bonspiel.

Rinks skipped by Mrs. R. Fraser and Mrs. G. Muir participated in the Pte. Claire Ladies' Bonspiel last week.

Competing lately in the Laurentian Trophy Games were rinks skipped by Mrs. Stein, Mrs. G. Muir and Mrs. L. York.

The closing supper of the Ladies' Club, convened by Mrs. K. McGibbon and Mrs. K. Rutherford, was held on March 23 with a large attendance of active and social members. Following the supper, the president, Mrs. A. Giles, asked Mrs. Mitchell, chairman of the Match Committee, to announce the Bonspiel winners and the prizes were presented as follows:

WINNERS OF THE BONSPIELS

Doubles Bonspiel — Mrs. F. Stein, Mrs. R. Davidson.

Runners up — Mrs. E. Pollock, Mrs. F. Hungerbuhler.

Singles — Mrs. S. Drew.

Runner up — Mrs. R. Cairns.

Turkey — Mrs. F. Stein (skip), Mrs. W. Gordon, Mrs. F. Royal, Mrs. D. McFaul.

Runners up — Mrs. C. Richardson (skip), Mrs. S. McFaul, Mrs. S. Milnes, Mrs. D. Bradley.

Club Trophy — Mrs. B. Rigg (skip), Mrs. J. McOuat, Mrs. M. Walker, Mrs. R. Bailly.

Our Coronation — Mrs. G. Muir (skip), Mrs. S. Wilson, Mrs. S. Drew, Mrs. I. Gordon.

Wilson Spoons — Mrs. G. Mitchell (skip), Miss F. A. Carrière Mrs. K. McGibbon, Mrs. L. Duncan.

Skips & Thirds — Mrs. J. R. McOuat (skip), Mrs. F. Stein, Mrs. J. McIndoe, Mrs. S. Wilson.

Leads & Seconds — Mrs. J. MacKimmie (skip) — Mrs. A. Stewart, Mrs. F. Royal, Mrs. J. Belanger.

President's — Mrs. D. MacTavish (skip), Mrs. W. Freeland Mrs. K. McGibbon, Mrs. B. Bradford.

Consolation — Mrs. G. Mitchell (skip), Mrs. A. Giles, Mrs. S. Milnes, Mrs. M. McFaul.

Gala Day — Mrs. F. Brennian (skip), Mrs. F. Wood, Mrs. K. McGibbon, Mrs. Don Hay.

Consolation — Mrs. E. Pollock (skip), Miss F. A. Carrière, Mrs. S. Drew, Mrs. D. Bradley.

Senior — Mrs. L. York (skip), Mrs. F. Stein, Mrs. A. Scott, Mrs. W. Gordon.

Junior — Mrs. F. Jeffery (skip), Mrs. Doug Hay, Mrs. E. McFaul, Mrs. J. Belanger.

Match Committee — Mrs. W. Gordon (skip), Mrs. S. Drew, Mrs. D. Heggie, Mrs. S. Patterson.

Wilson Cup Challenge — Mrs. G. Mitchell (skip), Mrs. E. K. Wilson, Mrs. D. MacKimmie, Mrs. W. Freeland.

Broomstick Pins Challenge — Mrs. S. Jones (skip), Mrs. F. Jeffery, Mrs. W. White, Mrs. F. Royal.

Business Girls — Mrs. K. Campbell (skip), Miss M. Preece, Mrs. Enid Dixon, Mrs. K. Fraser.

Members are asked to note that the annual meeting will be held in the club rooms April 25, at 3 o'clock.

Curling Club's Business Girls' end busy season

The Business Girs' section of the Lachute Curling Club wound up a busy season with a dinner on Wednesday, March 16. Prizes were given out to the winners of the five bonspiels which were held during the season.

This year, the girls accepted invitations from Lennoxville, Quebec, Town of Mount Royal, Shawinigan, Sherbrooke, and Vankleek Hill. Lachute rink visiting Shawinigan were successful in taking second highest percentage. This rink, skipped by Doris Campbell, comprised Christina MacKenzie, third, Mary Preece, second, and Enid Dixon, lead.

On Saturday, February 6, the Lachute girls entertained eight rinks from Lennoxville, Town of Mount Royal Wentworth, Cornwall, Vankleek Hill, Quebec, St. Lambert and Montebello Seigniory Club. The winner of the main event was the rink from Lennoxville, skipped by Miss Carol Taylor. A rink from the Town of Mount Royal, skipped by Miss Maureen Cumbers, won the consolation.

Winners of the prizes given by the Ladies Club for the highest points obtained by a skip, third, second and lead were, in that order, Doris Campbell, Mary Preece, Enid Dixon and Evelyn Fraser.

Lachute Lions' Skating Rink



Activities and Highlights of the Week

We are sorry to have to open this column on a sad note this week. Our Shamrocks, the pride of the Irish and champions of our Pee-Wee League, were eliminated in the second round of the Buckingham Regional Tournament. Our boys did not go down without fighting however. In the first round, they held Thurso all the way, ending the game in a 0-0 tie. In the second round however, Buckingham finally edged our boys, winning over them by a score of 4-3. Although our boys have been eliminated, they deserve a lot of compliments for doing so well in this tournament. This first try in the "PEE-WEE BIG TIME HOCKEY" will be of great value both for the players and their coach, who we hope will come home with the honors next year.

Hockey Scores of the week:

Ahuntsic Pee-Wees 4 vs Ayers Ltd 6
Ahuntsic Bantams 3 vs Legion 9

Both teams from Ahuntsic will come to Lachute next Saturday for a return match.

St. Joseph du Lac 7 vs St. Benoit 5
Lachute All-Stars 9 vs St. Andrews East 7
National St. Andrews 6 vs St. Placide 1
National St. Andrews 8 vs Ecole Sacre Coeur, St. Eustache 3
Lachute All Stars 7 vs St. Andrews 3
St. Julien 10 vs Ecole Superieure Lachute 4
Shamrocks 4 vs Grenville Pee-Wees 3

Fancy Skating:

Miss Bryson reports her fancy skating class working smoothly. Pupils are learning fast and it is amazing the progress that can be made in so little time.

Last year we were forced to close the rink on March 29, as we found it impossible to economically keep the ice any longer. We hope to establish a record this year in beating this date by a couple of weeks. Let's wait and see what Mother Nature and our attendant can do.

Bombers lead final series in play-offs; Sixth game sheduled for this evening

By Mander Gardiner

The Bombers have now taken a 3-2 lead in games in the Quebec-Ontario Hockey League finals with Thurso. Behind two games to one last Wednesday, victories on Friday and Sunday put them out in front.

The next game is scheduled for Brownsburg this evening, Wednesday, March 30, and should a seventh game be necessary, it will be played in Thurso on Friday, April 1st.

Brownsburg at Thurso

Tuesday, March 22

The Bombers dropped their second game of the finals in a hard fought match in Thurso.

With only seconds left in the initial period, Lefebvre took Hotte's pass and made it 1-0. Early in the second stanza, Ouellette lost the puck to Meloche who made no mistake as he beat Buddy Racine. Five minutes later, Lefebvre picked up his second goal of the night. The Bombers finally came to life with Ouellette scoring two quick goals; the first from Racine and Stewart; the second from Racine and Cruise. Leduc made it 4-2 at 7.52 of the third period after taking a pass from Legresley. Within a minute Ouellette picked up his third goal of the night assisted by Racine. At the 15 minute mark, Meloche let go a blistering shot that caught the inside edge of the post, making it 5-3. With a minute and a half left in the game,, Keatley took a pass from Robitaille and Cruise and dumped it in the open corner. Coach Paul Hebert put on six forwards for the remainder of the game, but to no avail.

The Bombers had the best of the play in the first stanza, but they could not hit the net when in Thurso territory.

Red Charlebois played a poor game and did very little passing, while Menard was again used only sparingly. Cruise was much more aggressive in this game and used his body to greater advantage. Buddy Racine tended another fine game in nets. Paul Bevillard played well on defence but picked up a costly penalty; he was off when Leduc scored. Robitaille and Keatley each missed good opportunities.

Thurso at Brownsburg

Friday, March 25

The Bombers were in top form as they downed the Lumber Kings 3-2 before a thrilled crowd of more than 400 fans in the local arena.

It was not until the second period that Keatley hit the score sheet by scoring unassisted in a goal-mouth pile-up. Thurso soon retaliated, however, picking up two goals; Paquette from Meloche and Hotte; and Leduc from Legresley. Early in the third stanza, Ouellette tied the game, scoring unassisted. Five minutes later Ouelette set up Racine for what proved to be the winning goal.

This game was one of the Bombers best efforts of the season as they worked relentlessly. Keatley and Pilon missed several good scoring chances when they were set up alone in front of the Thurso net. Pilon took Lamoureux's spot on the line with Ouellette and Racine.

Between the first and second periods, trophies were presented to Leduc of Thurso and Buddy Racine of the 'Burg for the top scorer and best goaler respectively in the Q.O.H.L.

Brownsburg at Thurso

Sunday, March 27

The Bombers took a 3-2 lead in the series by beating Thurso on their own ice before 650 fans. Although they did not have the best of the play in the first period, in the last period they did look better than Thurso.

Leduc took advantage of Pilon's penalty early in the first stanza when he slapped the puck in from about ten feet out. Near the end of the period, Racine and Cruise set up Ouellette who made no mistake. The same combination gave the 'Burg two more goals in the second period. Early in the third stanza, Charlebois took Robitaille's pass to score a neat goal and dampened the Thurso hopes. Racine picked up the final goal, making it 5-1, with just over a minute left in the game. Assists went to Ouellette and Lamoureux.

Buddy Racine who was injured in the pre-game warm up made his best performance of the year as he, time and again, robbed the Thurso squad of goals. The Racine-Ouellette combination was also working to perfection on the first three goals; Cruise passed to Racine and as the defence went after him he passed to Ouellette alone in front of the net. Doc Lamoureux did not play his usual game and seemed to tire quickly. The Bombers' defence played well and kept the Lumber Kings well covered. Pilon picked up a couple of unnecessary penalties, one of which resulted in a goal.

Brownsburg Scouts

By Sandy Welburn

This week's hockey game was played with the Lachute Legion Bantam team in the Brownsburg Arena on March 26. The final score was 7-1 in favor of the Brownsburg Troop. Harold Ross scored four goals for the Scouts, while Andrew Izzard had two and Wayne Seary the other. The Bantam goal was made by Lorne MacDonald.

There was no troop meeting on March 22, due to Easter examinations.

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— Edmund Burke

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WHEN YOU MAKE a generous contribution to the Canadian Red Cross you are assured that you are not alone. Working with you, serving with you, and for you, are millions of Canadians, your neighbors. One of these will call on you during the "Blitz" this Monday evening.

Your financial support means that you join a fellowship dedicated to the relief of human suffering. Your effort — your contribution — becomes a great, meaningful force because it is strengthened and supported by many others who serve by giving.

It takes money and it takes people to carry on the extensive work of the Canadian Red Cross Society. People of all ages, from all walks of life, are happy and willing to serve as Red Cross volunteers. Their interest and willingness to serve others must be supported this year by $6,350,913. That is the amount of money required by the Canadian Red Cross to meet its obligations in Canada and abroad in 1960.

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In any language the meaning of the Red Cross is the same. The symbol has been familiar to residents of Canada for over half-a-century. In 83 other nations throughout the world it is a respected emblem and is symbolic of man's interest in his fellow man. It is a rallying point for people who wish to serve others. Your contribution this year will mean you care and wish to share.

Hidden wires help Ontario community

The heavy damage caused by ice formed by freezing rain in Southern Ontario this winter has drawn editorial comment in newspapers all across Canada. Plagued by severe ice storms, hydro electric officials in Southern Ontario are still faced with a tremendous job repairing miles and miles of overhead wiring, and spending many hundreds of thousands of tax dollars in the process.

Newspapers everywhere have commented editorially concerning the false economy of stringing overhead wiring through residential areas, vulnerable as they are to ice storms such as those experienced this winter. It is therefore of interest to see that more and more municipalities are adopting the underground wiring technique for new subdivisions.

A good example is the new subdivision called Brentwood Park in Etobicoke Township, a part of Metropolitan Toronto, where some 156 homes are serviced by underground wiring. While the installation cost of underground wiring in this subdivision is higher than that of old-fashioned poles and overhead wiring, the Etobicoke Hydro (and Etobicoke taxpayers) can now sit back with the feeling that there, at least, they will have little, if any, repair costs or interruptions for years to come.

Amortized in this way, the cost of underground wiring is not out of line. The convenience, not to mention the vast improvement in appearance of the area and increase of property values, is certainly worth considering by our local Hydro officials.

Uranium problem a lesson for Canada

Cancellation by the United States of its contracts for Canadian uranium is one more illustration of how capricious and uncertain are the foreign markets for the products of our extractive industries.

It also points up yet again, that important as these industries are to the national economy, their existence alone — unsupported by manufacturing industries — is far from being a guarantee of stable and continuing growth for the communities which are totally dependent upon them.

The truth is that some manufacturing industry — Canadians producing for Canadians — will always be an indispensable requirement for such a condition, and that national policies should be clearly directed to this end.

Uranium may very well make a comeback later in the decade. There is every reason to expect that it will. But, for the moment, this is of small consolation to the thousands of Canadians who will lose their jobs or to the communities in which they live.

Developing an electronic thinker

Dean Arthur Porter of the University of Saskatchewan predicts the development of an electronic computer that can think.

Well, that's progress, and it's inevitable, we suppose. But have any of the scientists working on projects such as this ever considered their effect on ordinary people?

The thinking computer to which Dr. Porter refers might be used to forecast the weather, predict economic conditions and act as telephone operators for world-wide communications.

Presumably that will mean greater efficiency, but it is likely to rob us of some of the things that keep us from developing an inferiority complex in the scientific age.

There won't be much satisfaction left for the ordinary man if he has to vent his ire on a machine when it ruins a picnic with an incorrect weather forecast. And even if the electronic device proves to be infallible, it will spell the end of the occasional pleasure of knowing your rheumatism was a more accurate indicator than the meteorological office charts.

The same thing applies to the electronic economist. It's rather fun to take issue with the theories of the human economist but, again, what joy will there be in trying to argue with an impersonal collection of machinery?

And won't it be exasperating if you can't at least try to shift some of the blame to the telephone operator when you get a wrong number?

We can take some comfort, of course, from Dr. Porter's assurance that the thinking capacity of the machine would be of low order and that they will not usurp the place of man.

"Rather," he says "they will supplement man by carrying out simple thought processes mechanically at very high speeds."

Well all right, but we still hope they don't teach the machines to play cards and checkers. You wouldn't even be able to kick your partner under the table on bridge night.

They don't keep it . . .

THE WEALTH OF the cities and the higher wages paid there are often advanced as reasons for the resentment which the countryman is supposed to have for the city slicker.

Now we have our doubts about this (and, for that matter, about the whole "resentment" theory), but if there is anything to it then the most recent issue of Taxation Statistics published by the Minister of National Revenue should make rural-dwellers feel very much better.

Big, bad Toronto alone, we note, contributed nearly 19 per cent of federal income taxes paid in Canada in 1957, the latest year for which figures are available, followed by Montreal (just over 14 per cent of the national total), and Vancouver (nearly seven per cent).

The nation's three largest cities thus paid no less than 40 per cent of the national income tax bill, while Winnipeg, Edmonton, Calgary, Hamilton and Ottawa between them chipped in a further 15 per cent.

In sum, the taxpayers of these eight cities — 47 per cent of the total number — paid nearly 55 per cent of all the income taxes collected by Ottawa in 1957, eloquent confirmation of the fact that while city slickers may indeed earn more money they don't succeed in holding on to it.

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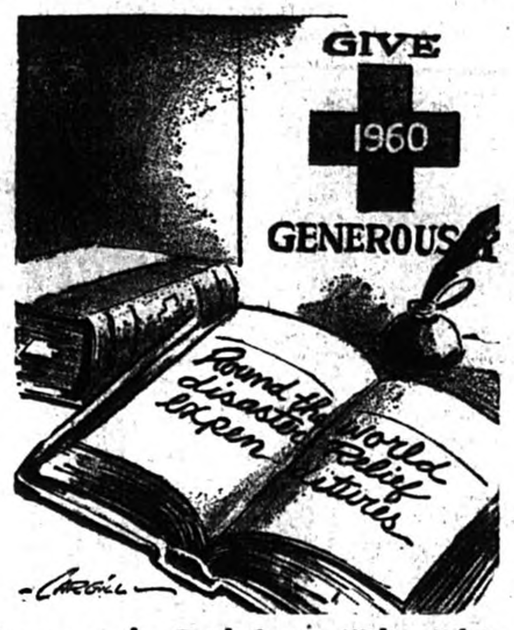
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Canadian Library Week being observed by many organizations across Canada

Toronto — Some 1,200 libraries — more than 90 of them bilingual in the Province of Quebec — will participate in Canadian Library Week, April 3 to 9.

Purpose of the week, according to Dr. J. Roby Kidd, chairman of the Canadian Library Week Council, is to point up the rapid strides being made by Canadian libraries and the continuing need of greater book distribution for a better-read, better informed Canada.

Patron is the Right Hon. John G. Diefenbaker.

"In most areas, libraries are expanding their services rapidly, but demand is growing even faster. We still have a long way to go, however, since only 80 per cent of our population is served by libraries, and services available are not always adequate for the unprecedented demand.

"Activity during the first Canadian Library Week in 1959 resulted in substantially increased borrowing at most libraries, ranging from a few additional volumes to increases of 100 per cent or more over 1958", he said.

"While some of this is due to the normal annual increase, it indicates the widespread public interest in Canadian Library Week."

Dr. Kidd said a recent survey showed that most libraries are busiest during the months of January, February, March and November. These periods were most often mentioned, but many librarians find April and October periods of great activity.

Libraries also reported increasing numbers of foreign book sections. There are now about 100 libraries with books in languages other than French and English, including German, Italian, Spanish, Russian, Dutch, Hungarian, Norweigian and Polish. Toronto public libraries report as many as 23 languages on their shelves.

"Librarians also reported a variety of subjects for which there are frequent requests, but on which little or nothing has been published. These include five-pin bowling, hackey, curling, care of tropical fish, hypnotism, figure skating, Canadian folklore and stories of heroes for younger readers, and books by Canadian authors of 10 or 20 years ago.

"Some libraries have found a lack of good books on the Canadian political and economic scene, which they say are often requested by new Canadians. Most subjects, however, are well represented," Dr. Kidd said

Throughout the next few weeks, libraries participating in the Canadian Library Week program will hold a variety of special events, including open house, discussion groups, contests and book displays.

In addition, a large number of bookstores are taking part in the six-week program.

Canadian Library Week is sponsored by the Canadian Library Week Council, the Canadian Library Association, together with a number of librarians and publishers. Theme this year is "Read for Pleasure, Read for Profit, Read for Progress.

The Last Test?

By C. J. Harris

Is there an possibility that the mid-February explosion in the Sahara will be the last atomic weapons test in a location likely to contribute to the contamination of the earth's atmosphere? That hope might seem the height of optimism, particularly since eighteen months of talk at Geneva has not yet resulted in international agreement on the banning of nuclear tests.

The French firing was the first bomb test since the gentlemen's agreement of November, 1958, among Britain, Russia and the United States. France, who did not consider herself bound by that gentlemen's agreement or by the Geneva talks, was criticized by friend and foe alike for breaking the truce. In the barrage of comment one of the chief complaints, aired here in Canada as well as elsewhere in the west, was that the Sahara test might never have been held if we had only been willing to accept at some time in the past eighteen months a "best we can get" agreement at Geneva. In particular, the United States is blamed for the failure to compromise with Russia on a treaty outlawing nuclear tests.

If we can think back to the start of the Geneva talks, this criticism is hardly reasonable. At the beginning, Russia absolutely rejected the concept of agreement to international inspection before signing a treaty. If the west had signed on that basis, the treaty might not have been worth the paper it was written on. Without inspection, test firings could have gone on in remote sections of Russian territory and, even if they were detected by drifting dust, the answer to a charge of breach of treaty could have been an aggrieved "Who, me?"

By dint of hard bargaining, Russia has come to agree that a treaty must provide for sampling flights of aircraft, that it must set standards for deciding when an inspection would be technically justified, and that each side will have inspectors from the other side on its territory with control posts manned by equal numbers of communists, westerners and neutrals. Serious points of disagreement remain — the number of inspections, methods of identifying underground tests, and the key question of a full or limited ban.

Progress to date has been achieved despite, and not because of, Russia. The well qualified observer A. M. Rosenthal of the New York Times sums it up in a dispatch from Geneva: "The Russian negotiating technique is quite simple. A position is taken that would weaken the treaty. At the moment that position is taken publicly. Moscow prepares to abandon it if the negotiating is tough enough, and sets up another. The expectation always is that at some point the west will tire and agree to take the goods as-is."

And by employing this technique the Russians have cleverly made it appear, even to friends of the United States, that it is the U.S. and not the U.S.S.R. that stands in the way of a ban on bomb testing that would prevent further contamination of the earth's atmosphere.

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Of Many Things

— By Ambrose Hills —

LOVE, LAW AND ADVERTISING

A Vancouver lawyer is quoted as attacking advertising with this argument:

"The object of advertising," he said, "is not to operate in the public interest. It is to sell the goods of the manufacturer who pays the bills. The advertising salesman preys upon whatever frailties of human nature are most likely to induce sales — pride, vanity, fear of personal shortcomings and sexual curiosity."

Well now, that is a good example of one of the most subtle arts of argument — the piling of truth upon truth to get an answer that is altogether false! True, there's probably not an advertising man alive whose sole purpose from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. is the good of his fellow men. His object is to benefit himself. Same with the manufacturer. In fact, you could search the country for a long time before you found a man or woman — and this includes lawyers — whose motives are always free of self-interest.

What the lawyer overlooked was that all these self-seeking people — even lawyers — really do operate in the public interest. However self-seeking a manufacturer might be, however strong his dislike for his fellow-creatures, he must still face the fact that if he's to prosper he must give people something they want, thereby making them happier. This is one of the crosses that misanthropic manufacturers and advertising people must bear.

As for pride and vanity, there are different ways of looking at these. I'll bet that the same Vancouver lawyer keeps a reasonably sharp crease in his pants, because they look better on him that way. Vanity? Or perhaps it is because pressed trousers are essential to success in law — as they usually are.

Even the Vancouver lawyer who argues so persuasively against advertising can hardly expect us to believe that he keeps his trousers pressed in the public interest!

As for fear of personal shortcomings and sexual curiosity, I think that in spite of advertising, most individuals hit their own stride in this field and I won't enter that argument.

The fact is that advertising is all part of the principle of producing and distributing the goods and services the people want. Advertising helps create, full employment, profits, a higher standard of living, a lot of general prosperity, and leaves a high degree of personal freedom. It is persuasive rather than compulsory. Socialists don't believe in it, and lawyers seldom use it. Socialist countries are seldom prosperous and lawyers' fees are not considered to be bargains.

Show me a town where the trades don't advertise and I'll show you a backward, run-down town that'll get smaller and less attractive as the years go by. Show me a town where the tradesmen do advertise and I'll wager its streets are neat and busy and prosperous. Which town best serves the public interest?

Canadian Quiz

1. What three British monarchs visited Canada before they ascended the throne?
2. How many rivers are there in the Great Lakes waterways system?
3. The B.N.A. Act sets out what major difference in taxing authorities of the federal and provincial governments?
4. Are there more Canadians employed in manufacturing or in farming?
5. Prince Edward Island has a population density of 45 persons per square mile. What is the national proportion of population to area?

ANSWERS: 5. Less than five persons per square mile. 3. The federal government may levy indirect taxes; the provincial governments are permitted only direct taxation. 1. Edward 7th, George 5th, Edward 8th. 4. Farming employs about 800,000 Canadians, manufacturing about 1,400,000. 2. Five rivers — the St. Lawrence, Niagara, Detroit, St. Clair and St. Marys.

(Material prepared by the editors of Quick Canadian Facts, the pocket annual of facts about Canada.)

All Aboard

with G. E. MORTIMORE

Papers and magazines are full of articles advising people how to lose weight. Stories about clogged motor traffic in cities cover a lot of newsprint as well.

The cities and the people of North America are too fat and short of breath.

One machine might be the salvation of paunchy humans and fat, smoky cities, both at the same time: The bicycle.

A bicycle isn't the easiest thing to manage in snow. All the more exercise for the cyclist.

If more people rode bicycles, or walked, there would be fewer pot bellies, fewer traffic jams in the big towns, and less smog. The market for reducing pills and "how to get thin" books would decline.

People would go on gorging rich, unhealthy food without worrying about lard on the heart, or the hungry millions in other lands. There is nothing like exercise to calm the conscious and induce sleep.

On any moderately crowded day in a big town, a cyclist can give a man in a car a handicap and beat him in a race.

Government and chambers of commerce should campaign for increased use of the bicycle, both as a physical fitness device and as a cure for traffic jams. People can readily go shopping on bicycles with carriers.

Cities that are installing pedestrian malls should make provision for cycle lanes.

It is true that on busy high-speed highways outside cities, bicycles are dangerous. Road builders should lay out separate cycle tracks — as they do in some countries of Europe.

As our roads grow more and more crowded with big tin beetles, must we build more and still more roads until the whole country is one vast road?

It would be wiser to encourage the use of such sturdy transit devices as bicycles, horses and human legs. Many of us are not in as much of a hurry as we think.

KNOW YOUR Canada

Prepared by the Research Staff of Encyclopedia Canadiana

What was Canada's first History Book?

The first general history of Canada appeared in three volumes in Paris in 1744 under the rather formidable title Histoire et Description générale de la Nouvelle-France avec le Journal historique d'un Voyage fait par Ordre du Roi dans l'Amérique septentrionale. It was written by Pierre Françoise Xavier de Charlevoix (1682-1761), a French Jesuit who came to Canada to teach at the college of Quebec from 1705 to 1709. In 1720 he returned to Canada, having been commissioned by his government to seek a route to the Western Sea. Leaving Montreal in May 1721, he travelled by canoe up the St. Lawrence and by way of Lakes Ontario, Erie and Huron to Michilimackinac. From there he crossed Lake Michigan and descended the Mississippi, arriving at New Orleans in January 1722. He was back in Paris the following year and he never returned to Canada.

When did Armistice Day become Remembrance Day?

Until 1931 what we know as Remembrance Day, November 11, was called Armistice Day. It is an annual statutory holiday in Canada and now honors the memory of those who died in the two world wars. From 1921 to 1931 Armistice Day was observed, together with Thanksgiving Day, on the Monday of the week in which November 11 fell. The symbol of Remembrance Day is the red poppy of Flanders fields, replicas of which are made by disabled war veterans and distributed by means of a tag day organized by the Canadian Legion.

What is an Outport?

This is a term applied to the smaller ports on the coast of Newfoundland. Originally it meant any coastal settlement in Newfoundland other than St. John's. Now there are several larger ports, such as Corner Brook, Port aux Basques and Botwood, that are not called outports.

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DISTRICT NEWS FROM OUR COUNTY CORRESPONDENTS

Northern Grenville

Mr. Alex Mitchell with Eric and Lynn, of Cartierville, visited Mr. (and Mrs. Thos. McMichael on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Steele and Miss Hilda McCart, all of Montreal, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. B. McCart.

Mr. Mac MacLean, of Harrington, spent the week-end at Mr. and Mrs. Earl MacIntyre's.

Mrs. Earl MacIntyre visited her sister, Mrs. Corl Gauley, on Sunday.

Mrs. Ancel Young, of Port Colbourne, and her mother, Mrs. Samson Arthurs, of Bell Falls, are at present spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. John Arthurs.

Mrs. Thos. McMichael and the Misses Laura and Frances McMichael also Mr. W. Craig visited Mrs. Jack Flood in the Buckingham Hospital on Tuesday.

Miss Violet Bennett, Mrs. Olive Kenny and Mrs. Bernice Hoare, all of Ottawa, spent the week-end at their respective homes.

Mrs. Murial McKirdy, of Clayton, Ont., visited Mr. and Mrs. Wyman Young and other friends in this district.

Mrs. E. Matthew spent Thursday in Ottawa, visiting Mrs. John McDougal.

Births, Marriages, Deaths, etc.

Births, Marriages, Deaths, and in Memoriam, etc., $1.00, 5 cents per type line extra for verses, with In Memoriam (estimate 8 words per type line).

IN MEMORIAM

BLACK — In loving memory of a dear husband, David Black, who passed away April 3, 1959. — Always remembered by his wife Millie, and Ruth.

EVANS — In loving memory of our dear mother, Mrs. Robert Evans, who passed away April 2, 1954. — Always remembered by her family.

"She had a nature you couldn't help loving,
And a heart that was truer than gold;
To those who knew her and loved her
Her memory will never grow old."

GAGNE — In loving memory of my dear husband, Arthur, who passed away April 2, 1957. — Sadly missed and lovingly remembered by his wife, Elizabeth.

GALBRAITH — In loving memory of Mary Campbell Galbraith, who passed away April 2, 1956. — Always remembered by her family.

KARR — In fond and loving remembrance of my dear sister, Louise, who departed this life April 1, 1951, and her husband Samuel who passed away January 14, 1948. — Lilly and Allan McPhee.

THOMPSON — In loving memory of a dear husband Dan, who passed away March 31, 1957. — Always remembered by his wife Margaret.

"Quietly remembered through the years
With loving thoughts and unseen tears."

YOUNG — In loving memory of our dear mother, Mrs. Joseph Young, who passed away March 31, 1959. — The family.

"God knew that she was suffering
And the hill was hard to climb,
So He clasped His arms around her
And whispered, Peace be Thine."

YOUNG — In loving memory of my dear mother, Euphemia Young, who left us March 30, 1959. — Always remembered by Margaret and Harry Young.

"Deep in our hearts you will always stay,
Loved and remembered every day."

YOUNG — In loving memory of our dear grandmother, Mrs. Joseph Young, who passed away March 31, 1959. — The grandchildren.

"The years may dawn and pass away,
But thoughts of you will always stay."

ACKNOWLEDGMENT

BRUNET — Mrs. Elzear Brunet and son, Joey, wish to extend their heartfelt thanks and appreciation for the acts of kindness, sympathy, floral and spiritual offerings received during their recent bereavement.

Brownsburg

Mr. J. A. Campbell is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Ken Mosher, also Mr. Mosher and family, in Cantic, Que.

Mr. and Mrs. Mason McAdam and little son, Steven, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Scullion, at St. Martin.

Morin Heights

Mrs. Gordon Allen entertained recently at a birthday party for her son, Mark, and Mrs. Albert Fraser, in honor of Marilyn's birthday.

Mr. John McGregor, of Macdonald College, spent last week-end at his cottage.

Mrs. M. Captain recently spent a week in Montreal with her daughter, Miss Rita Captain.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawson Kennedy spent the week-end as guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. McBain, of Pointe Claire.

Miss Theresa McConnell had her sister, Mrs. George Kennedy, also Miss Ann McCormick, of Montreal, as guests for the week-end.

Mrs. Jack Watchorn and Mrs. E. W. Kneeland were hostesses recently at a baby shower for Mrs. Owen Legallee.

Mrs. Gordon Seale has had her mother, Mrs. J. Moore, of Montreal, visiting her for a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Edwards and son left recently, after spending some time with her mother, Mrs. W. J. Seale, of Lake Echo. After spending a few weeks visiting with relatitves in Findley, Tenn., they are leaving for England where they expect to reside for three years.

Mrs. W. J. Seale had as guests last week-end Miss Beryl Pollock, Carol Jamieson and Billy McDowell, all of Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Riddell, of Mille Isles, spent several days last week in various points in the Northern New England States.

Mr. and Mrs. Clive Riddell and children, Elaine and Kevan, of Cartierville, spent last week-end here visiting his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Stanford Riddell.

This community was shocked on Sunday to hear of the sudden death of Kenneth Pollock, 20, son of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Pollock, of Montreal and formerly of Morin Heights. At time of writing the only news was that "Kenny" and a friend were killed in an automobile accident near Rimouski. Sympathy is extended to his sister, Mrs. Owen Legalee, of Morin Heights, and the other members of his family.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherwin Captain, of Mille Isles, spent the last two weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Dey.

Weir

The members of the Parish of of Arundel are invited to attend the centenary Lenten Meditations with slides at Weir, being held in the Church Hall on Friday evenings at 7.45 p.m. On April 6, immediately following the slides, there will be a joint meeting for all the members of the Arundel Farm Plan. Would everyone concerned with the latter try their best to attend this meeting since Mrs. G. Phillips would like a photograph of the group.

The Messrs. Lyall and Clifford Larose, of Montreal, paid recent visits to the home of their mother, Mrs. P. Larose.

At the card party which was held at the home of Mrs. William Owen on Monday evening, the prize winners were Mrs. J. D. Williams and Mr. A. J. Kerr, with consolations going to Mrs. Foster Ewart and Mr. Edgar Williams.

Fire of undetermined origin destroyed the house and contents of Mr. Alex Williams on Saturday morning. Friends express their sorrow for such a loss.

World War veteran and County native passes in Sask.

The Late Cecil Conlin

The death occurred in the Elrose hospital, following a long illness, on Friday, March 11th, of William Cecil Edward (Cec) Conlin, aged 62 years, of the town of Elrose, Sask.

Mr. Conlin was born in Dunany, Que., and received his schooling there. He served during the first World War until 1918, with the 148th Battalion and later the 14th Royal Montreal Regiment. For a year following the war, he continued his service with the Lord Strathcona Horse Cavalry. In 1923 he was married in Saskatoon to Miss Gladys Norton, and they farmed near Gunnworth until 1944, when they moved into the town of Elrose. Since then, he had been engaged in the machinery business there. A member of the Elrose and Rosetown Legions, he served during the Second Great War from 1940 to 1941 in the Veteran's Guard. He was also a member of A.F. and A.M. No. 135 Elrose and of Victory Chapter No. 28, Royal Arch Masons.

Left to mourn his passing besides his widow, are a son Thomas of Edmonton, and a daughter Eileen, Mrs. A. Cavallin of Trail, B.C. There are three grandchildren. Two brothers and five sisters also survive: Les, of Kyle, C. E. of Rosetown, (Lillian) Mrs. S. Evans of Winnipeg, (Jennie) Mrs. E. Kerr of White Bear, (Pearl) Mrs. A. Burnett of Montreal (Myra) Mrs. A. Gillanders of Tuberose, (Edna) Mrs. E. Clark of Saskatoon.

Funeral service was held in the Elrose United Church on Wednesday afternoon, March 16, at two o'clock, with Rev. G. Ward officiating. Mrs. C. L. Sloan was at the console of the organ. The congregation joined in singing, "Jesus Lover of My Soul" and "I Need Thee Every Hour". Mrs. G. E. Ward rendered as a solo, "Sunshine and Shadow". Mr. Ross Hintze and Mr. A. R. Cumisky were ushers at the church. The members of the Masonic Lodge and the Canadian Legion attended as a body, and formed a Guard of Honor to the funeral coach.

Interment took place in the family plot, Elrose Cemetery, with the following acting as honorary pallbearers: E. H. Wickett, J. Leis, C. L. Sloan, Reg Murray, W. E. Ellis, J. G. McKnight. The pallbearers were: E. H. Harris, W. J. Wilson, G. A. Irvine, C. S. Harvey, A. R. Moore and Leo Rowley. J. O. Thompson, L. S. Casey, W. J. Elliott and H. V. Wiggins were the flowerbearers.

Clements Funeral Home, Rosetown, was in charge of arrangements.

Numerous members of the old 148th Regiment in this district will be sorry to learn of the passing of one of their buddies, and will sympathize with his bereaved family.

Avoca residents honored on recent 25th anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Bates, who celebrated their silver wedding anniversary on Saturday, March 26, were given a surprise party at the Avoca Community Hall by a large gathering of relatives and friends from Montreal, Belleville, Montebello, Ottawa, Lachute and Saskatoon, Sask.

Mr. and Mrs. Bates were presented with a beautiful sofa and wedding cake. Their only daughter, Mrs. Kelly (Margaret), her husband and their only son, Mark, organaized the party with the assistance of many kind friends. They have one grandson, Jeffery.

Those of Mr. Bates' family in attendance were his brother, James and wife and family, of Lachute, Mrs. Wm. Gill, a sister, and husband and son, David, of Grenville. His mother, Mrs. D. R. Bates, of Boston; sisters, Mrs. Smith, of Winnipeg, Mrs. Scott, of Huston, Texas, Mrs. Neachine, of Boston, and brother, Everett, of Texas, all regretted being absent.

The members of Mrs. Bates' family present were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sandy Bates; a sister, Mrs. John Dobbie and husband and family; a sister, Mrs Alvin Campbell and husband and family, of Lachute; a brother Mr. John Bates and wife and family, of Harrington; and a brother, Mr. Charles Bates and wife and family, of Avoca. Mr. Alex Bates, a brother, of Niagara Falls and Mrs. Kenneth MacLean, a sister, were unable to attend.

A most enjoyable evening and dancing was enjoyed by all. Delightful refreshments were served at the conclusion. Kindest wishes are extended to the happy couple from their many friends.



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The Bible today

The Committee for Bible Missions in Germany is launching an appeal for funds for the supply of Scriptures to refugees in other parts of the world as well as Germany. The first objective proposed is the supply of 250 complete Bibles in Arabic to refugees in the Jerusalem area.

A revolving fund supplied by the American Bible Society has enabled the Luther Hans Publishing firm to produce 1,550,000 copies of illustrated Gospels since 1953, for distribution mainly in West German. The printing of a further 4,000,000 is planned.

The Altenburg Bible Society during the same period has circulated over one million copies in East Germany and expects to reach 1,500,000 copies in 1960.

With the addition of the portions bound in the form of an illustrated New Testament, the total number of illustrated Bible portions which will have been produced in this way for the whole of Germany will be about 3,500,000.

The pedestrian has responsibilities

The motorist is not always responsible for accidents involving pedestrians. The pedestrian also has responsibilities and these will be closely studied during the fourth annual convention of Highway Safety which will be held within the next few weeks. The provincial Highway Safety Committee, (Prudential), once again reminds pedestrians: "if you are about to cross a roadway, look to the left and to the right beforehand. Once you have checked both ways, your better judgment will allow you to decide whether or not it is safe to cross."

Local girl recently wed in Ottawa

Olmstead - Heatlie

Miss Vivian Dorothy Heatlie and Mr. William Donald Olmstead were united in marriage on Wednesday in St. Giles Presbyterian Church.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Heatlie, of Lachute, and the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William B. Olmstead of Ottawa.

Rev. Dr. J. Logan-Vencta officiated at the ceremony and Mrs. Angus Orr was organist.

Mr. Heatlie gave his daughter in marriage and she was attended by her sister, Mrs. Howard Vanstone, of Hawkesbury, as matron of honor..

Mr. Kenneth MacDonald, of Ottawa, was best man.

For her wedding the bride wore a pale blue nylon dress with matching accessories and carried a cascade bouquet of white carnations and sweet-heart roses.

Her matron of honor wore a light beige frock and carried a bouquet of deep pink carnations.

Following a supper reception in the Walnut Room of the Green Valley Restaurant, Mr. and Mrs. Olmsted left on a wedding trip to Mexico.

Among those attending the wedding were Mrs. and Mrs. Alvin Heatlie, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Heatlie, Mr. and Mrs. Vanstone and family, of Hawkesbury, Mrs. Paul Ellard, of Toronto and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wilson, of Brockville.

Donations needed for Sanitorium

Due to several requests, the box of knitting wool and material suitable for sewing, has been held for one more week. There was a good response last Sunday at Lachute United Church, and the shipping will be made on Monday next.

The mataerial and wool is to be used by the patients for their occupational therapy, anad this worthy project deserves to be well supported. The box will be open until Sunday next at 4.30 p.m.

Lenten Service

A Lenten Day of Reparation for English speaking Catholics will be held in Brownsburg St-Louis de France Church on Sunday, April 3. General Communion at 9.30 a.m. "Way to the Cross" at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon. 1c

Social and Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Tomalty, of Detroit, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Boyd, while visiting with other relatives and friends in this district.

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Mrs. Gordon Jamison and daughter, of St. Genevieve, are visiting with Mr. A. J. Lavis, Mr. Jamison being at present in Vancouver, on business.

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Wedding Announcement

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Heatlie announce the marriage of their youngest daughter, Vivian Dorothy to Mr. W. Donald Olmstead, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Olmstead, of Ottawa. The marriage took place in St. Giles Presbyterian Church, Ottawa, on March 23, 1960 at 7 p.m.

Miss Lillian Harrison, R.N., is leaving Thursday to continue her nursing duties at the Royal Edward Laurentian Hospital.

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Mrs. Stanley Boyd returned on Saturday last from La Verne, Calif., where she attended the funeral of her sister Reta, the late Mrs. Ian McGregor.

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Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Hewitt returned Tuesday following a trip to New Liskeard, Ont., where they visited with their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Brian Hewitt.

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Commander Deacon Hunt, United States Navy, is visiting with his mother, Mrs. Hester Hunt, and other relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Herb Graham and family, of Moncton, N. B., visited relatives and friends last week.

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Montreal Music Festival

Three local young ladies participated last week in the Montreal Music Festival and attained high results. Miss Nancy Drew competed in the Elementary Piano Class (for students under nine years) and was successful in obtaining 82.5 per cent in a class of 23.

In the Primary Class (for students under eleven years), Miss Gwenllian Ann Gorman and Miss Jane Walker competed, and out of the class of 38, obtained 83 percent and 82.5 per cent respectively. The parents of the children and their music teacher, Miss Juliette Rodrigue, attended the Festival.

C.W.L. meeting in Brownsburg

The C.W.L. March meeting of the St. Louis de France Parish Council was held Monday March 21, with 15 members present. Reports were read by conveners and plans were made for a day of reparation, to be held April 3.

The meeting adjourned at 10.30 and refreshments were served by Mrs. Omer Carrière's group.

Make presentation to Arundel organist

On Sunday afternoon, March 20, the Girls' Auxiliary (Anglican), of the Parish of Arundel, held an afternoon tea with Mrs. William Morrison as guest of honor. On behalf of the members, the president, Miss Mary Boyd, presented Mrs. Morrison with a silver cream, sugar and tray set, in recognition of her long years of loving service as organist at Grace Church, Arundel.

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Why all this suffering, sorrow, and woe?
Why a world held by chains from below?
Has no one the answer? Knows no one the way?
God give us a light and send us the day.

So mystery and perplexity casts its cloudy shadow over the troubled, suffering soul. With the multitude of questions we ask the question, "Why hast thou forsaken me?"

Forsaken because of sin

Sin is the cause and the root of all heartaches, sorrow and pain. It's the sin of men that forces God to forsake them. The sin of accepting forbidden fruit thrust Adam and Eve into their most painful hour. In shame and sorrow they tried to hide themselves feeling the pangs of being forsaken by God. Sinful disobedience and rebellion of the great King Saul made the last few hours of his life miserably painful. So horrible was the sensation of being forsaken by God that he went out and hanged himself. The infamous act of betrayal performed by Judas Iscariot caused his forsaken soul to sense the pains of Hell and he too committed suicide. Thus sin changes the smile of God to a frown, the love of God to fiery indignation and the mercy of God to wrath. This is actually what happened on Golgotha's Hill. God's only begotten Son, sinless and spotless, took upon himself the sins of the world, forcing his heavenly Father to forsake him. Jesus Christ suffered the torments of Hell in that hour because of sin, your sin and my sin, which he voluntarily accepted in order to deliver our souls.

Forsaken for a time

God will not and cannot forsake trusting men forever. He forsook his servant Job to the hands of the wicked one but this man trusted saying, "Though he slay me yet will I trust him". God returned to Job with manifold blessings. The only begotten Son of God though forsaken for a time to the hands of the Wicked One declared "Thou wilt not leave my soul in Hell, neither wilt thou suffer thine Holy One to see corruption". Jesus was allowed to suffer the pangs of hell, but only for a time, God "Having loosed the pains of death because it was not possible that he should be holden of it,"God the Father came back to his Son with divine power raising him from among the dead and displaying with great pageantry his power over death, hell and the grave.

Forsaken to become the firstfruits

God came back to his Son with eternal power to raise him and make him the firstfruits of the resurrection. Now there remains a ressurection for every believer who falls asleep in the Lord. The "Why" of Jesus uttered upon the cross of shame has been eternally answered to the supreme satisfaction of all. "In Christ shall all be made alive. But every man in his order; Christ the firstfruits; afterward they that are Christs at his coming." Yes when the Lord comes back again for his own and the graves are opened "This corruptible shall put on incorruption and this mortal shall put on immortality, then shall be brought to pass the saying that is written, death is swallowed up in victory."

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10.30 a.m. Church School
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11.00 a.m. Morin Heights
7.00 p.m. Mille Isles

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10.00 a.m. Church School.
11.00 a.m. Morning Service.
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Mon. 8.00 p.m. Young People
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REGISTERED NURSES required for Smith Clinic Hospital. For further information please contact Mrs. F. Foreman, ME 2-2711 or P.O. Box 1690 Hawkesbury, Ont. A6.3c

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BRICK HOUSE — for sale, on lot 66 x 200'; located at 362 Bedard Blvd., Lachute; tel LO 2-4181. xc

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Properties For Sale

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ANTONIO GIROUX,
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2 miles from Carillon
WEDNESDAY, APRIL 13, 1960
at 1 p.m.

16 Grade Holstein spring cows; 2-year-old bull; 3 heifers to freshen in September; year-old heifer; 15 can milk cooler; 10 milk cans; milk bottling machine; John Deere tractor with hydraulic plow; 2 wagons, mounted on rubber, 1 wagon bought in 1959; I.H.C. manure spreader; 6-foot Massey Harris tractor mowing machine; International side rake. grain cutter; International seeder; pair of double sleighs; 2 sets smoothing harrows; cultivator; hay loader; 2 sets of spring tooth harrows; Stewart electric clippers; 8 Beatty drinking bowls; 17 stanchions; barn cleaner complete with 70 foot track; electric separator; 1,000 lb. scale; 20 tons alfalfa hay; coal furnace, like new; 5 cords wood; cedar posts and many other farm articles not mentioned as well as some household furniture.

TERMS: $25 cash; over this amount, three months credit on approved joint notes. 2% discount for cash.

George MacKenzie,
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A62c

Auction Sale

At the farm of
MARCEL ROBERT,
Lachute, R. R. 5,
Carillon and Cushing Road
SATURDAY, APRIL 9, 1960
at 12 o'clock noon.

The following effects: 2 work horses, 19 grade Holstein cows, most due to freshen in April; four 2-year-old grade Holstein cows (open; three 2-year-old Hereford heifers (open); four 1-year-old Hereford heifers; one 3-year-old registered Hereford bull; 2 grade Hereford bulls (9 months old); two 1-year Holstein heifers.

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Clip These Announcements

Sorry — The Watchman staff cannot take time to search files for dates reserved. Organizations interested should clip this column for reference, so their dates will not conflict with events previously announced.

BOOK SALE

— A sale of new and used books will be held in the Presbyterian Church Hall, St. Andrews East, on Friday and Saturday, April 1 and 2, from 2.30 to 5 p.m. M30.2c

BOOK FAIR

Le Carrefour du Livre de Lachute will hold a book fair, in the Lachute Auditorium April 1 and 2. On April 1 the doors will be open to the public from 7 to 10 p.m. and on Saturday April 2, from 1.30 p.m. to 6 p.m. 1x

RED CROSS MEETING

The monthly meeting of the Lachute Branch of the Canadian Red Cross Society will be held on Wednesday, April 6, at 2.30 p.m. at the United Church Hall.

COLFORD LODGE

— The Official opening of Colford Lodge will be held Saturday, April 9. Charlie and his Boys every week-end. The facilities of the Lodge are now open to the public. A6.4c

LACHUTE PROTESTANT CEMETERY CORPORATION

The annual meeting of the Lachute Protestant Cemetery Corporation will be held in the Legion Memorial Hall, Foundry Street, on Thursday, April 14, at 8 o'clock, p.m.

Geraldine Noble, Sec.-Treas.
A6.2c

AFTERNOON TEA

— There will be a Spring tea with a novelty table at the Lachute United Church on Friday, April 1, at 3 p.m., sponsored by the W.A. Evening Group. Everyone welcome. M9-30-2c

LACHUTE W.I.

The monthly meeting of the Lachute Women's Institute will be held in the Legion Memorial Hall, on Tuesday, April 5, at 2.30 p.m. Program — talk on Current Literature by Miss J. Grace Gardner. 1c

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For Parents Only . . .



A Weekly Feature of Helpful Hints on Child Training.

Behavior by fear taboo

(Copyright)

— By NANCY CLEAVER —

"If you're naughty, the Big Policeman will get you!"

"Be quiet or I'll put you alone in a dark room and shut the door!"

Have you ever heard a mother talking like this in an effort to scare her child into being good?" Threats are a poor way to enforce discipline. Children should look on a policeman as a friend and should be helped to be unafraid of darkness. Parents should lessen, not add to a child's fears.

Fear may seem to "work" in the immediate situation. But the parent who is constantly resorting to fear is harming the youngster's development. The goal of child training is a healthy, happy, well-adjusted, useful citizen who can face his fears and accept responsibility for his own actions.

Traced to Childhood

Our mental hospitals and medical clinics are filled to overflowing with fearful, worried adults. Much of their lack of mental balance can be traced back to insecure, unhappy childhood. Fear was used too often to make them conform to certain standards of behaviour.

Everyone from the earliest days experiences some fear. A new born baby exhibits fear of loud, sharp noises and is fearful of falling. Children fear getting hurt. Sometimes they are frightened of animals and of burglars. They dread being alone, being left in the dark. Strange sights, startling events and strange noises also scare them. Extra-ordinary natural events such as thunder and lightening sometimes frighten them. Children as well as adults suffer from bad dreams.

In a home where punishment is very harsh, or where the mother is ill-tempered or the father drinks, a child may live in constant fear. The older child dreads failure. Parents sometimes place a child in an impossible situation by expecting him to excell in sports or make high marks beyond his ability.

What does fear do to a child's body? Sometimes it is accompanied by an excess of energy and a child makes a quick flight. The shock may be so great from an overwhelming fear that the child is almost paralyzed. An anxious child is one in poor mental health.

A certain amount of fear is necessary for self-preservation.

A child should fear the dangers of traffic, sufficiently to stop and look both ways before crossing a street. Parents should encourage a child to face any fear and make an intelligent reaction to danger.

Cowardice Contagious

There is nothing more contagious than cowardice! The mother who is terrified by thunder storms is bound to affect her child. She should help him understand what causes lightening and thunder. If she can calm herself her own poise will re-assure her child.

It is helpful if a parent helps a child to anticipate what might be a fear-provoking situation such as a dentist's visit. The child who is prepared is less apt to be afraid. Parents should never deceive a child about the cause of fear. Neither should they shame him or silence him when he expresses his fear. Repressing fear just drives it "underground" into the subconscious mind.

Talking over a situation which frightens him with an adult helps a child to face his fear, and understand it. A child who is fearful of dogs may gradually be encouraged to get to know and love one particular gentle dog. Unnecessary fear is a terrible handicap. Help your child to be free of useless fears, and cultivate his courage to face necessary fears!

Let's Eat

BY

IDA BAILEY ALLEN

TOMORROW'S DINNER

Tomato-Onion Soup
Radishes Scallions Pickles
Grilled Ham Slices
Grilled Sweet Potatoes
and Apple Rings
Orange Walnut Pudding
or Cake
Coffee Tea Milk

Tomato-Onion Soup: In 2-qt. saucepan melt 2 tbsp. butter or margarine; add 2½ c. chopped peeled onion; slow-fry until limp; do not brown.

Then add 3 c. boiling water and 3 beef bouillon cubes. Cover. Simmer 10 min.

Add 2 c. tomato juice, ½ tsp. salt and ⅛ tsp. pepper. Bring to boiling point; simmer 1 min.

Transfer to soup bowls.

Garnish with herb-cheesed croutons.

Serves 6.

Orange Walnut Pudding or Cake: Preparation before mixing.

Cut 1 large orange in half; press out juice. Stir in ½ c. sugar; set aside.

Scrape out white membrane from orange peel. Then grind peel fine, together with 1 c. raisins.

Add ⅔ c. chopped California walnuts and set aside.

To Mix: Blend 1 c. sugar, 1 tsp. vanilla and ½ c. room-soft butter or margarine. Beat in 2 unbeaten eggs, one at a time.

Sift together 2 c. pre-sifted enriched flour, 1 tsp. baking soda and ½ tsp. salt.

Add alternately to creamed mixture with ¾ c. buttermilk, beating with each addition until smooth.

Stir in ground peel, raisins and chopped walnuts.

For best flavor, cook veal with sauce, seasonings

For families that prefer lean meat, fresh veal is the ideal one to buy at this time of year. Because of its delicate flavor, veal makes a perfect background for interesting sauces and seasonings.

Thyme, savoury, garlic, marjoram, curry, paprika, parsley and mustard are all good seasonings with veal. In Canada's Kitchens, mushrooms, onion, green pepper, tomatoes, sour cream, tomato juice, consommé and condensed cream soups are favorite vegetables and liquids used in veal cookery.

Although it comes from young animals veal generally needs long, slow cooking to make it tender. Braising is an especially good way of cooking small cuts of veal such as chops, steaks, cutlets and the less tender shank, breast, neck and flank pieces.

Veal roasts may be cooked in a 325° F. oven but should be covered with pieces of fat, salt pork or bacon to add juiciness and flavor to the meat.

Pressure cooking is a quick way to cook veal, a rolled shoulder taking about one-quarter of the time it takes for roasting.

Pressure-cooked rolled Veal shoulder

4 Pounds rolled veal shoulder, 2 tablespoons fat, ½ teaspoon salt, a few grains pepper, ½ teaspoon paprika, ½ teaspoon thyme and ¼ cup water.

Brown meat well on all sides in fat in pressure cooker. Sprinkle with salt, pepper, paprika and thyme. . . . Place rack under meat, then add water. Cook at 15 pounds pressure for about 1 hour (12 to 15 minutes per pound). Allow cooker to cool slowly. Serve with gravy made from liquid in cooker.

W.I. handicrafts at Lachute Fair

1 Pieced or appliqued quilt.
2 Crib quilt, any kind, cotton.
3 Pair pillow cases, plain hem, embroidered in color.
4 Ladies' duster, cotton.
5 Band apron, cotton.
6 Men's broadcloth pyjamas, hand-made button holes.
7 Girl's pyjamas, cotton, 4 to 10 years, hand-made button holes.
8 Embroidered tea cloth, any size, edging not judged.
9 2 Pot holders, 2 quilt block designs.
10 Needle point, any size.
11 Men's socks, cable pattern.
12 Baby's knitted sweater.
13 Men's single mitts, plain.
14 Original handicraft articles.
15 Jewelry, hand made.
16 Stuffed doll or animal.
17 Braided chair seat.
18 Hooked rug, any size, either cotton or woollen rags.
19 2 Hot dish pads, covers or mats, crocheted..

RULES

1. Articles exhibited must be work of exhibitor.
2. No exhibitor is permitted to enter more than one article in each class.
3. No article previously exhibited is eligible to be shown again.

Sponge cakes nice for Easter, Spring

Cooking tests in Canada's Kitchen have shown repeatedly that by beating part of the sugar into the egg whites called for in recipes for sponge, chiffon and angel-food cakes, a higher, lighter and all-around more successful cake will result. In their latest recipes for Sponge Cake this procedure is followed.

Sponge cake is very good served un-iced along with fruit or ice-cream. However, if your family is partial to sweet things (as most are), you might like to put one of these easy icings on the cake you bake for Easter week-end.

Fluffy Maple Icing

Measure 1 cup maple syrup into a saucepan and boil until it forms a medium firm ball when dropped into cold water (252° F. on a candy thermometer). Meanwhile beat 2 egg whites until stiff but not dry. Pour hot syrup very gradually over egg whites, beating constantly. Continue beating until icing stands in firm peaks.

Lemon Nut Icing

Simply mix lemon juice and icing sugar to soft spreading consistency and coat the cake with a thin layer, then roll the cake in finely chopped nuts.

Sponge Cake

6 Egg yolks, ½ cup white sugar, 1 teaspoon lemon rind, 1 tablespoon lemon juice, 1 cup sifted pastry flour, ½ teaspoon salt, 6 egg whites and ½ cup white sugar.

Beat egg whites until stiff but not dry. Gradually beat in ½ cup sugar. Fold gently but thoroughly into egg yolk mixture.

Turn into an ungreased 10" tube pan and bake in a moderately hot oven (325° F.) until surface springs back when pressed lightly, 50 to 60 minutes.

(Note: If moist sponge cake is preferred, add ¼ cup cold water to the egg yolk mixture.)

Teatime Topics



Written Specially for The Lachute Watchman
By Edna Blakely,
Canadian Press Staff Writer

Got your feet planted on the ground? That's fine, but the experts tell us to put one foot in front of the other and relax the knees before starting to iron.

That's just one of the discoveries made by eight British experts who pooled their knowledge to produce a pamphlet, "Housework with satisfaction."

Ironing with the feet side by side strains the feet, legs, back and chest, they say.

The experts have also revealed that those touch-the-toe exercises may slim the waist, but quite likely make the tummy sag.

Hues Makes News

Guests at one of Toronto's large hotels may have been slightly bewildered recently as lovely young girls walked through the lobby with hair just about every color of the rainbow.

But when 8,000 hairdressers get together there's bound to be some startling results. There were startling results at Glamorama 1960, the annual convention for Canadian hairdressers. Among those who passed by was one model with fire-engine red hair and another with a soft shade of mauve which matched her dress.

Hair coloring, say the beauticians, is the fastest-growing money-maker in the beauty industry today.

According to one of their press releases, "Gals who want to be glamorous and make the men feel amorous can now have their tresses in shades to match their dresses."

Hair styles are generally smoothly waved with nary a curl in sight.

Lauds Guiding

Isabel Laird, assistant professor of psychology at Queen's University, Kingston, Ont., said recently that Guiding is an excellent setting for the too-quiet or too self-centred girl.

Miss Laird, who has 41 years experience with Guiding, was speaking at the annual meeting of the Hamilton Area Girl Guides' Association.

Things, actions, people and ideas are the four focus points in preparing for the next 50 years of Guiding, she said. Canadian Guides mark their 50th anniversary this year.

Chefs Disappearing

A Kingston, Ont., hotel manager, Bernard Ornstein, says the public is to blame for the poor quality of food served in some hotels. He said frozen foods and portioned meats have a tendency to develop sloppy cooking in many restaurants. Since the public accepts food prepared in this manner, some hotel owners do not see the necessity of paying a high salary for a qualified chef.

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DISTRICT NEWS FROM OUR COUNTY CORRESPONDENTS

Cushing

Mr. and Mrs. Frank McAdam, also Mr. and Mrs. Douglas MacAdam, all of Montreal, were recent guests of Mrs. James O'Brien, of Chatboro. Mrs. Percy McAdam, of Brownsburg, was a guest on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Graham and children, from Moncton, N.B., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Morrow for several days during the week.

Mr. A. T. Graham spent Saturday in Montreal, while Miss E. M. Graham, of Verdun, spent the week-end at her Cushing home.

Miss Annie O'Brien, of Carillon, who has been spending the past week in Montreal, returned home on Saturday.

Miss Jean Genest, of Montreal, spent the week-end at her Cushing home.

Mrs. Laura Morrow is visiting her daughter, Mrs. F. Steere, in Brownsburg, for a few weeks.

Frontier Branch of the Women's Institute will be entertained for their monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Archie Graham. The roll call is "Name a member of Parliament, either of the Provincial or Federal Houses.

Miss Enid Robertson, of Montreal, and St. Andrews East, was a Sunday guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Elliott.

Mr. Arthur Bryerton and children, of Rosemere, were Sunday guests of Mr. Bryerton Sr. at his Carillon home. The Misses Bryerton, of Verdun, who have been guests of their father for the past week, have returned to their home in Verdun.

Mrs. Cowlie and small son accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Percy McAdam, all of Brownsburg, were guests of Mrs. James O'Brien, of Chatboro, on Wednesday.

Morin Heights

Mrs. Willis Seale spent last week-end visiting friends in Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Allan and son, Mark, are spending a few days with relatives.

Miss Heather Masterson, of Montreal, was the week-end guest of Miss Helen Seale.

Mrs. George Manthorp and son Ted, of Montreal, are spending this week here the guests of Mrs. E. C. Fayet.

Mrs. Mary Lunt and daughter, Isabel, of Montreal, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Hamilton.

Friends of Mr. George Hamilton are sorry to note that he is still ill and confined to bed and take this opportunity to wish him a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Seale and Mrs. George Watchorn spent Sunday in Montreal attending the service at Christ Church Cathedral. The St. Helen's School choir, Dunham, Que., sang at the morning service. Miss Sandra Seale, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Seale, is a member of the choir.

St. Andrews East

Miss Eileen Bryson, of Macdonald College, spent the week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Bryson.

Mrs. Eva Green and Mrs. Olive Handcock, of Montreal, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alex McPhee.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Macauley and family, of Buckingham, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Burton.

Watchman Want Ads bring results.

Changes in Housing Act for building mortgages, etc.

The "Act to Improve Housing Conditions" administered by the government of the Province of Quebec through the Quebec Farm Credit Bureau was amended in the course of the Provincial Legislative session which just closed.

It is important to take into account the following explanatory notes:

To benefit from the Provincial Housing Act, mortgage loans must be made with a Caisse Populaire or with a Credit Union, with an authorized loan company or with the Central Mortgage Loan and Housing Corporation.

The rate of interest must not exceed a maximum of six and three quarters per cent (6¾)% per year

The Central Mortgage and Housing Corporation will now be a corporation authorized to grant loans under the provincial law.

Regarding the Central Mortgage and Housing Corporation, the Provincial Housing Act affects new mortgages, the renewal of existing mortgages and even those previously granted, as long as the house offered as security be built in accordance with the standards and the price set by the Provincial Housing Act.

The Quebec Farm Credit Bureau by-laws already existing remain in force except regarding the rate of interest.

It is important to recall the following essential conditions, to be allowed to benefit from the provincial rebate in the rate of interest;

The building lot must measure at least fifty feet frontage by seventy-five feet in depth;

The cost of purchase of a single-unit family dwelling must not exceed $12,500. and in the case of a two-unit dwelling the cost must not exceed $17,000. In both cases, the cost of the land is included.

Each dwelling must include five habitable rooms, three closed in on four sides, which may be used as bedrooms.

No room or lodging space in the basement will be accepted to form the number of rooms required

The dwelling must be built within the limits of a city, a town or a village duly organized and provided with waterworks, sewer and municipal services.

The applicant must be the first occupant of the house, married and known as the bread-winner.

The applicant or his spouse must not own any other family or income return dwelling.

The applications must be made by the lender and not to the Quebec Farm Credit Bureau. The lender will submit in due course the application of the applicant to the Family Housing Division of the Bureau. The lender must be first consulted.

The Quebec Farm Credit Bureau hereby informs the public that it is now preparing rules and regulations regarding the existing and new loans of the Central Mortgage and Housing Corporation.

Notices will appear in newspapers, giving explanatory notes and directions to those liable to take advantage of the interest rebate under the Provincial Housing Act.

Harrington

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

A number of ladies of the Pentecostal Assemblies of Harrington and Calumet attended a W.M.C. meeting in Ottawa, Thursday evening.

Mrs. H. Bennett attended a bridal shower in Montreal last Tuesday evening, in honor of Miss D. Watchorn, who's marriage is taking place shortly.

Visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. V. McVicar during the week-end were: Mr. and Mrs. A. McVicar aand son; Mr. A. Fromage and James Harrison, all of Montreal; Mr. and Mrs. Young and daughters, Grace and Diane, of Montebello, and Mr. and Mrs. P. McLeod, of Calumet.

R. Dobbie, R.C.A.F., stationed at Trenton, Miss M. F. Dobbie, Miss A. Perrigo and Miss J. Valincourt, all of Montreal, were week-end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Dobbie.

Avoca

Recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. George Nixon were Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Nixon and son; Mr. and Mrs. Bob Ross and son, of Montreal; Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Young and family and Mrs. S. Tomachevsky.



Argenteuil Outdoors

A column for the sportsman

— By BOB ATCHISON —

(continued from page 2)

cheaper ones are not too bad; this also includes the Fly rods, but if you are thinking of getting one of these, be sure they are this years model. How will you be able to tell this? You probably have glass rods a couple of years old; heft them before you go out to buy a new one. It's that easy. You can't miss the difference in the action and for the average fisherman, they are tops. Even the spinning rods have this feel, but believe it or not, the Bamboo rods are making a comeback and not in the Jap line. Some of them are expensive, but there are also the medium priced ones, so you can take your pick.

The dogs running loose in the bush have just about disappeared and your guess why is just about as good as mine. I've only been able to see one for the past few days. This is the very timid one and evidently has no home to go to

Maybe the others that were running, have all been taken back into their homes. With the warmer weather, this could have happened. It probably isn't too much trouble to feed them now.

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I was asked the other day if the Town of Lachute had a Tourist Bureau. Come to think of it, I don't know. If there is one, they sure hid their light under a basket. Or is it possible the town doesn't want tourists in its midst. I have found out. Believe it or not, the town has Tourist Bureau facilities in one of the local stores. They must believe in keeping it a secret.

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From all the talk there will be a lot of new outboards and boats in the district. Don't forget that any size motor and boat, over ten horse-power must register with the RCMP. Failure to do this will be considered an offence, so better think about it. I do know there are a lot of boats around with heavy motors, that haven't bothered to do anything about the free registration. Also there are a few musts for all boats and these should be looked into. Just as a thought, there are definite laws regarding the speed in which boats are operated past a slower moving or anchored boat. These can be obtained free of charge from the local Customs Office.

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Just a few tips on your dreamed-of fishing. If you are going to try fly fishing, get an outfit that pleases you, and not what the dealer wants to sell you. After all, you are going to use it, not him. Also try a couple of lines before you decide on the rod. If I can be of any help in this, give me a shout.

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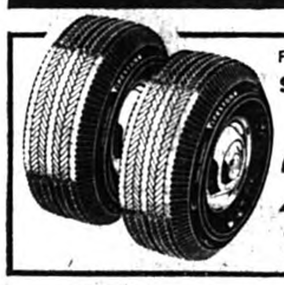
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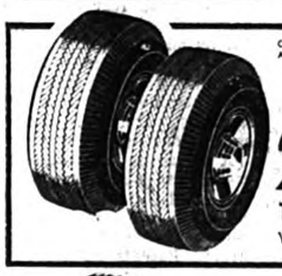
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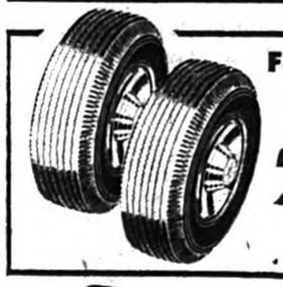
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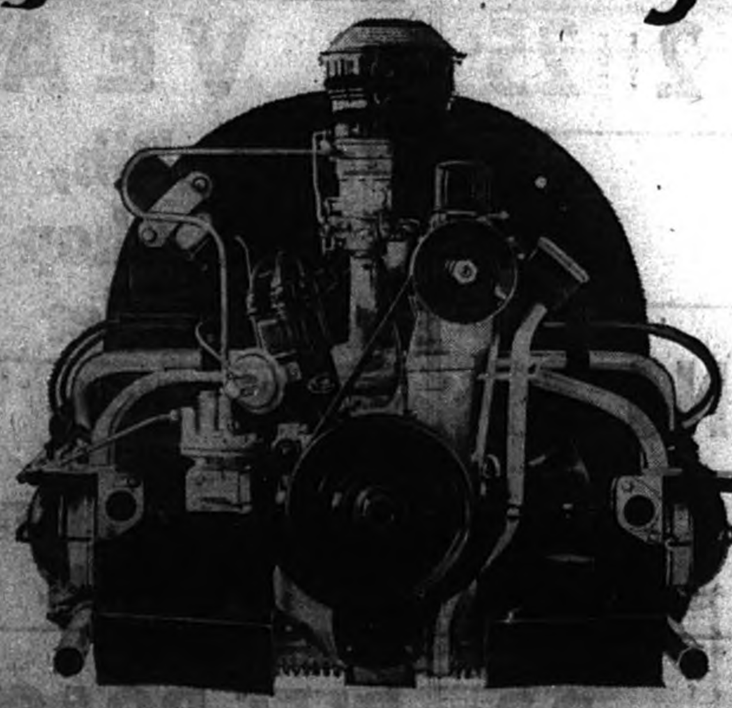
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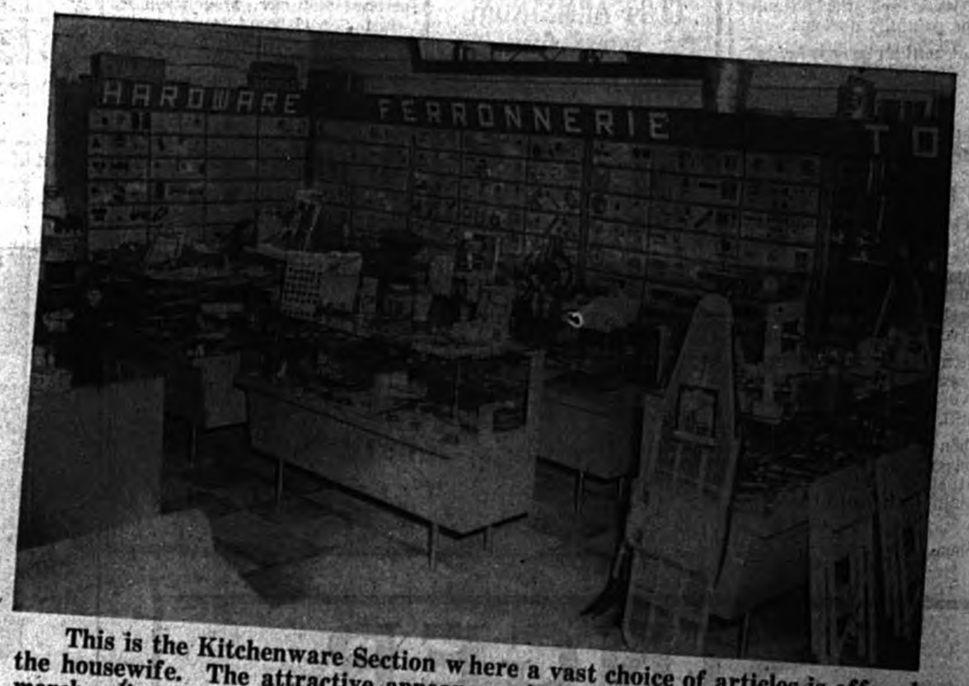


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Ken Watson's CURLING

(Canada's "Mr. Curling", Ken Watson of Winnipeg, is covering the Canadian curling scene for The Lachute Watchman.

Don't Forget those unwritten curling rules

"Mac" and I were the first of the "young uns" to be admitted to the St. John's Curling Club in Winnipeg some 35 years ago.

The oldsters of the club took it upon themselves to initiate us into the traditions of courtesy that represented the unwritten rules of the Royal and Ancient Game.

Our skip was a stern disciplinarian of Baptist faith who was also our vigilant Principal at the nearby High School. Marv MacIntyre and I played second and lead respectively and we were never allowed to forget the humble nature of our positions by our strict skipper, A. C. Campbell. What he failed to instill in us, other members filled in and our apprenticeship in the curling game taught us thoroughly the ethics of good conduct on the ice.

At the time the "do's" and "don'ts" seemed unnecessarily severe but in retrospect I see now they gave us a reverent respect for a game that has only 18 rules governing play. The unwritten code as taught by our elders was based on extending the same courtesies to your opponents as you would expect from them. In other words, by word or deed do nothing, say nothing that might distract or disturb any member of the opposing team. Lesson by lesson these points were drilled into our adolescent minds and indelibly imprinted.

So many requests have been received to enumerate these rules, that I shall attempt to outline them. You may think I am writing in a lighter vein, yet the meaning should be painfully obvious:

— Wait until a player is ready to deliver his stone before you cross the ice. It will help his concentration.

— Wait until a player is in the hack before you tell him your latest joke. If it is an opponent he will enjoy your sense of humor.

—Don't stand still behind the opposing skip while he is giving ice. It will help the concentration of the player in the hack. Make sure you hold your broom down and waggle the handle to relax your nerves.

— When an opponent misses his shot be sympathetic. Tell him his skip gave him the wrong ice or better still, jump with joy.

— When it is your turn to play be in conversation with the guy on the next sheet. Your skip will need minutes to figure the shot anyway.

— When your opponent's draw appears a little heavy, elbow his skip aside and start sweeping behind the tee line before his stone reaches the hog line.

— Stand as close as you can to the player in the hack. He may want his back scratched.

— Keep on sweeping after your skip yells, "Whoa!" This will prove you should have his job.

— Be sure to sit behind the ice you are to play on next draw. Study it carefully in case your opposing skip is a better judge of ice than you are.

— Never congratulate your opponent on a good shot. He'd think you were a salesman.

— Don't stand still when a player is delivering a stone. Keep moving and let him know you're alive and breathing.

— If by chance your skip is wide of the broom, tell him you have been reading this column and explain whiy his delivery was off line. He will then become your devoted lifetime pal.

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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 us your question. We will obtain an answer and publish it in this column.

Following are some questions with answers which may be of interest to you.

Q. — I exhausted my benefits last year. This year I paid contributions for 23 weeks. How much can I receive in seasonal benefits?

A. — You are required to have at least 15 weekly contributions since March 28, 1959, in order to qualify for seasonal benefit. The duration of your seasonal benefit period would be determined on a basis of five weeks' benefit for every six contributions since that date. No seasonal benefit can be paid for any period after the week in which May 15 occurs.

Q. — I received seasonal benefits for three winters, and this year I have the following stamps: four stamps at $1.04; three stamps at 96c; five stamps at 84c; four stamps at 72c; one stamp at 32½c. I want to know what I can receive in benefits for a period of two weeks, and for how many weeks I can receive these benefits.

A. — to receive seasonal benefit you must have at least 15 weekly contributions since March 28, 1959. If all the contributions to which you refer were affixed in your book since March 28, 1959, your benefit rate would be $15 a week if you have no dependent, or $21 a week if you have a dependent within the meaning of the Act. No seasonal benefit can be paid for any period after the week in which May 15 next occurs.

Q. — Is a false statement made for insurance benefits a criminal offence?

A. — Some statements are made in good faith and later turn out to be false due to some misunderstanding or even perhaps a clerical error. However, when proof exists that a claimant made a deliberate false statement, then an offence has been committed and prosecution may be considered.

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Thirty Old Masters from the great museums of Europe, insured for more than $2,000,000, received hush-hush V.I.P. treatment when they were transported to Ottawa from Montreal Airport and the port of New York for the inaugural exhibition in the new quarters of the National Gallery of Canada. Canadian National Express, which was responsible for the precious shipments, provided portable propane heaters, which maintained an even temperature of 60 degrees in the trucks carrying the pictures from plane to train and from train to Gallery. CNR armed guards kept watch every step of the way. The lower photograph shows a painting being unloaded from the express truck at the Gallery. The picture being lifted from its crate in the upper photograph is "Portrait of a Man", by Carracci, lent by Naples. Signor Benedetto Civiletti, Superintendent of Monuments and Museums, Trieste, (centre) accompanied the shipment of six paintings from Italy. Second from left is Dr. Nathan Stolow, Chief of Conservation and Scientific Research, National Gallery of Canada, and at the extreme right is Donald W. Buchanan, Associate Director. The Old Masters will be on public view until April 5.

"Exile" location to be changed before return to Sunnyacres

"Exile from Sunnyacres"

By Margaret Cook

'Tis Spring, the calendar says so! But the news has not yet reached the thermometer, which registers a dismal 10. Nevertheless, the sparrows are flirting hardily, and hopefully inspecting the bird-house on the porch roof. I watch this cynically, because I know that just as Mr. and Mrs. Sparrow get settled in, the starlings will arrive screaming "Out, wretches!", and will pull out all the sparrow-bedding and cast it to the winds. I like the starlings, though nobody else does. They are cocky, but smart, and they do such lovely imitations. Moreover, they never make love in public.

Inside the house, nothing is spring-like. In fact, everything looks barren. We have no living-room suite, because it is being upholstered; we have no dining-room furniture, for it is being stripped down and refinished. We have a new kitchen set which is sitting in isolated splendor in the middle of the dining-room rug. Up-stairs, three beds look at me reproachfully, because they have been sold down the river. Three cartons of books have been given away, and thirty years of a famous geographical magazine have been taken into the second-hand book-sellers. Yes, you have guessed it. After twenty-nine years in this suburb, fourteen of them in this house, the Cooks are moving. We are reminded of an article by Beverly Baxter about a year ago, which was filled with nostalgic thoughts on the occasion of his removal from the north of London to the west end. We found it a pleasant place of writing, but an irate, uncultured westerner wrote in, in words to this effect — "H—— Baxter, you aren't the only guy who ever moved!" If you feel that way about this, skip the rest.

Now the matter of books. All three of us are inveterate readers, and one of us, the head of the house is an enthusiastic hoarder. Never a pamphlet arrives telling us how to do it ourselves (something we never do) but he says sagely, "You never know when we might want it", and files it carefully away. The result is we have one of the most extensive and varied private libraries I have ever seen. We could, if we wished, find information on such useful subjects as — why birds migrate; what makes fungi diluesce; how to raise mushrooms commercially; why Siamese cats are a nuisance; why the praying 'mantis 'prays'; why St. Paul wrote so differently in the various epistles; what smote the Assyrians just before they attacked the Israelites; what motivated the mad Austrian paper-hanger; the love-life of H. G. Wells; the mind of Benvenuto Cellini . . . . Well, I'll spare you the rest.

Years of expostulations, threats, warnings, have had no effect, but now, behold, the man rushes to the other extreme. Dare I leave the house for a few hours, the head of the house hurriedly pulls dozens of books from the shelves and hurls them into the garbage can. Thirty years of married life have made me canny. I can say nothing, I do not notice. But the next morning, after the head of the house has departed to make some more teachers miserable, I sort out the garbage; I reject higher Mathematics, but salvage "Why Johnny Cannot Read". Likewise, a French textbook leaves me cold, but a Conan Doyle is saved to pleasure some child. When I have by subtle means accumulated a dozen or more books, I telephone a 'new Canadian', who left her all, including books in Czechoslovakia. She hurries down in her car and takes away the loot. This is a game that can be played for a fortnight yet, giving pleasure to all concerned. The head of the house feels virtuous; he is getting rid of books as implored, the friend is entranced, and I am relieved and amused.

I read recently that there is nothing more rejuvenating for a middle-aged person than a removal to a different place. We are not doing this for rejuvenation but for convenience, but I have no doubt that a good shaking-up, including a change of ruts, is very beneficial. Ruts are comfortable, with few drafts, but no scenery. We are going to a college-hospital town, where we have many friends, so all should be well. As for the nostalgia, I doubt there is any. The last time we moved, I was shocked to find that I missed the old house not at all. It is enough to make a person cynical.

The daughter of the house views all this with approval; this portion of suburbs has never been her favorite, and like the cats, with her it is not the place, but the people that count. Where we are, that is home. She has a personal, rather than a geographical affection. In any case, she has a sense of humor, and that is the best gift of all. Perhaps some of you noticed an article entitled "My Wild Irish Mother" recently in one of the posh women's periodicals. Asked if she had read it, the daughter replied, "I began it, but I did not finish it. It was all too familiar."

This is not a day for writing articles; the telephone keeps ringing — among other things, I am trying to find a housekeeper for a family of seven whose mother is in hospital. I think I have one. I telephone the Rector, then he rings me, then the abominable thing trills again, for the head of the house. The younger cat insists on telling me a long story about the nasty dog which is investigating the garbage can. That will not do him any good, unless he likes books, so I ignore the plaintive cries of the cat. But none of this is restful, or inspiring. So, please excuse. Next time we get together, we shall write from the place where Thomas Moore was moved to poetry by the rapids.

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BACK the ATTACK on traffic fatalities

Five and one-half million motorists were accident-free during 1959

"Success should be its own reward" is a slogan that could be aimed at the 5,500,000 motorists in Canada who, in 1959, had neither accident nor brush with the law in traffic, reports the Canadian Highway Safety Council.

Slight recognition is given these drivers who, through their own efforts or good fortune, escaped mishap or police action. Organizations and individuals devoted to reduring the number of accidents on the nation's streets and roads must give almost their entire attention to drivers who were involved in accidents or were guilty of infractions of traffic regulations. There were some half a million of them in Canada last year.

The highway's good drivers went through the year with little recognition. Some communities honored them during safety campaigns by naming "Mr. Safe-Driver", giving medals or shopping orders on local stores and interviews on radio or television. But the great majority of the five and a half million accident-free and infraction-free motorists sailed along their honorable way, unsung and unglorified.

Their reward was great. It included freedom from the high cost of repairs, litigation, medical and hospital bills, pain, suffering and anguish. They had the uncomfortable security of watching their half-million colleagues of the pavement writhing in the bitter fruits of the consequences of distaster whether it lasted 30 seconds or a lifetime.

Drivers of commercial vehicles, whether they be trucks, buses or taxicabs, are honored by their employers and organizations if they pile up handsome records of safety at the wheel. Communities with outstanding records of road safety are cited each year by the Canadian Highway Safety Council. But the man who drove his private car through the menacing maze of modern motorized machinery went on his way with nothing much in the way of thanks. In fact, often he was the target of abuse from the motorist who tried to sneak around the laws of man or nature and found his way successfully blocked by the driver who was doing what he knows he should do.

So the Canadian Highway Safety Council, joined, it is certain, by provincial, community, industrial and government safety officials, expresses appreciation to the safe driver for his care, consideration and attention. He saved his country countless millions of dollars, and his fellow Canadians many hours of suffering.

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4-H Club news on national level

The Canada-United States 4-H exchange, inaugurated in 1958-59, will be continued in 1960.

Details were worked out by 4-H officials of the two countries during the recent 4-H Club Congress in Chicago.

Sponsored by the Canadian Council on 4-H Clubs and organized in co-operation with the provincial departments of agriculture, a 10-member delegation will represent Canada at this year's National 4-H Conference in Washington, D.C., April 23-29.

In return, arrangements are being made for eight 4-H delegates — a boy and girl from each of the four 4-H regions — to represent the U.S. at the 29th National 4-H Club Week in Toronto and Ottawa next November.

The exchange is aimed at furthering understanding and friendly relations and at sharing ideas for improvements in the 4-H program. Delegates, chosen on the basis of their records in club work, also gain a broader insight and appreciation of problems common to both countries.

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The Local Farm Scene



Experimental farm proved popular

Visitors flocked to the Central Experimental Farm in Ottawa in unprecedented numbers is 1959.

The farm, only one in Canada completely surrounded by a city, played host to 207 organized groups that consisted of 10,513 persons.

In addition, the annual Chrysanthemum show at the greenhouses in November attracted over 12,000 in one week. When the tulips were at their "blooming best", upwards of 3,000 people toured the farm on week-ends.

Another major attraction, reports L. J. Bellefleur of the farm's public relations staff, comes in April when the new lambs arrive. This is a popular event with children and grown-ups alike.

In 1958 there were 234 organized groups, but they made up only 9,508 persons. During the preceding year there were 126 groups consisting of 7,402 people.

Majority of the groups, says Mr. Bellefleur, were made up of school children. There were many 4-H Club groups and farmer delegations from as far as western Canada, United States and even the United Kingdom.

May and June were the busiest months of the year, with June breaking all records with 4,782 visitors in 72 groups.

Scientists from 21 different countries visited the experimental farm during 1959. One notable visitor was the Crown Prince of Ethiopia. Another attractive guest was the Dairy Queen of England.

Mr. Bellefleur stressed that the officially recorded visitors do not include the hordes that turn the farm's slopes into a wintertime playground with their skiis and toboggans.

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F. A. Harrison of Montreal, who was re-elected chairman of the Woodlands Section, Canadian Pulp and Paper Association, at the Section's 42nd annual meeting held last week in Montreal. Mr. Harrison is Woodlands vice-president of Canadian International Paper Company.

Forest research of soil aids in woods managem't

How forest soil research aids in woodlands management was outlined in Montreal recently at the 42nd annual meeting of the Woodlands Section of the Canadian Pulp and Paper Association by Dr. Paul L. Aird, of Canadian International Paper Company, Grenville.

A forest can only develop within its soil limitations and capabilities, said Mr. Aird. Hence, information on the growth potentials of forest areas requires a basic knowledge of soils.

At the same time, he said, the facts about forest soils are useful in determining road location, natural regrowth in harvested areas, and the logging systems that may be employed.

Citing specific examples, Dr. Aird outlined how trees growing in some forest soils resist disease, and how logging methods may be arranged to eliminate compacting of the forest floor.

Dr. Aird also commented on forest fertilization research which may present a new means of increasing forest growth and also the use of combination fire extinguishers and soil fertilizers.

Old pesticide bags found dangerous

Familiarity, they say breeds contempt.

With this in mind, farmers are warned that the contents of old pesticide bags are potentially dangerous.

Says J. Marshall of the Canada Department of Agriculture's Summerland, B.C., Research Station.

"You can't tell from the color of pesticide, or from its smell, whether it is a gentle thing or a bad actor".

He explains that some with a vile stench, like malathion, are not very dangerous; some like parathion, are, in their way, more dangerous than dynamite. Lead arsenate, one of the most insidiously poisonous things that ever went into an orchard, is white and practically odorless, while Sevin, one of the safest insecticides, is also white and practically odorless.

Mr. Marshall notes that a busy farmer is likely to turn at once to another job after finishing spraying, leaving the sprayer parked with empty insecticide bags lying around.

"A single bag may still contain enough insecticide to liquidate a whole family," he stresses.

The packages should be burned and anyone nearby at the time should keep to the windward. Some of the dangerous pesticides are vaporized by heat and the smoke from the burning bags may be harmful, if inhaled.

Some acutely poisonous compounds such as TEPP may be as likely to prove fatal from a single dose as from repeated but limited exposures (a single drop of TEPP in the eye may be lethal). Compounds such as lead arsenate, although capable of killing humans in a single dose, are more likely to kill by repeated small doses. The organic phosphate Guthion, if taken by mouth, is almost as dangerous as parathion, but it is a safer insecticide than parathion because there is less danger of absorbing it through the air.

Mr. Marshall's final shot: "It is not safe to trust to luck when you tangle with a chemical bug killer; eventually the odds will catch up."

Chemicals needed to protect seeds

Seed grain should be chemically treated to guard against damage by micro-organisms and insect larvae, warns Dr. J. E. Machacek of the Canada Department of Agriculture's Winnipeg Research Station.

Seed treatment boosts yields by controlling smut, seedling blight and seed rot, and increases the market value of the grain.

Compounds containing organic mercurials control distases such as bunt of wheat, loose smut and covered smut of oats, and covered smut and false loose smut of barley. They also control seedling blight and protect cracked and otherwise damaged seed from injury by soil inhabiting organisms.

Products containing hexachlorobenzene or pentachlornitrobenzene are effective against wheat bunt only and products containing captan are effective chiefly against seedling blight and seed rot.

Formaldehyde is effective against a number of seed-borne plant diseases, but is not recommended owing to its tendency to harm germination, especially in wheat.

Products containing insecticides, such as BHC, aldrin and heptaclor, protect seed against insect larvae, such as wire-worms and the seed-corn magot.

Some products contain both an insecticide and fungicide.

Use of liquid mercurials for seed treatment has increased lately, especially in commercial seed cleaning and treating plants. Liquid treatments reduce the discomfort to the operator caused by powders. Liquid mecurials, however, generally mix less evenly with the seed than do slurries and powders.

With liquids, machinery should be used that ensures an even distribution of the seed dressing.

Need for treatment is not so great in smut-free seed grain, says Dr. Machacek. A laboratory examination of the seed will reveal whether a treatment is is required.

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Dr. Bohstedt

Of all drugs for controlling animal parasites developed during the last few decades, phenothiazine comes nearest this ideal.

Instead of copper sulphate, for instance, which is effective mainly against the sheep stomach worm, *Haemonchus contortus*, phenothiazine is effective against it and against nodular worms, hook worms, strongyles and still other internal parasites.

Phenothiazine therefore can be used advantageously for horses, cattle, sheep and goats.

How can it be used? The recommendation of parasitologists is that the animals be drenched with a liquid suspension of phenothiazine at least twice a year, or at the beginning and end of the pasture season.

Between drenches all ruminants except milking cows should be given free-choice access to a mixture of 9 parts salt and 1 part phenothiazine. Commercial preparations may also contain appetizing ingredients such as molasses or bone meal.

To encourage adequate intake of the salt-phenothiazine mixture it is best to have no other salt available to the animals.

A periodic drench is intended to free the animals of the parasites, and the constant low-level intake of the drug is to keep the animals free of them.

Free-choice access to a salt-phenothiazine mix is impractical for milking cows, since traces of the drug are found in the milk and constitute adulteration. A periodic 2-ounce drench, as needed, is recommended, but the milk produced during the 72 hours following a drench should not be used for human consumption.

University of Wisconsin research with sheep has shown that a ration was made more effective in the control of internal parasites by being supplemented with phosphate and trace minerals. The trace minerals may be added by way of trace mineral salt instead of plain salt and phenothiazine and appetizers may be combined with it.

Question: Is it practical to increase the cobalt or iodine content of forages through adding such trace minerals to commercial fertilizers?

Answer: This is not economical. The merest fraction, perhaps one-fifteenth, of the expensive cobalt or iodine is needed by way of feeding as compared to fertilizing crops to enrich them sufficiently for the purpose. These trace minerals may be supplied easily and economically in trace mineralized salt.

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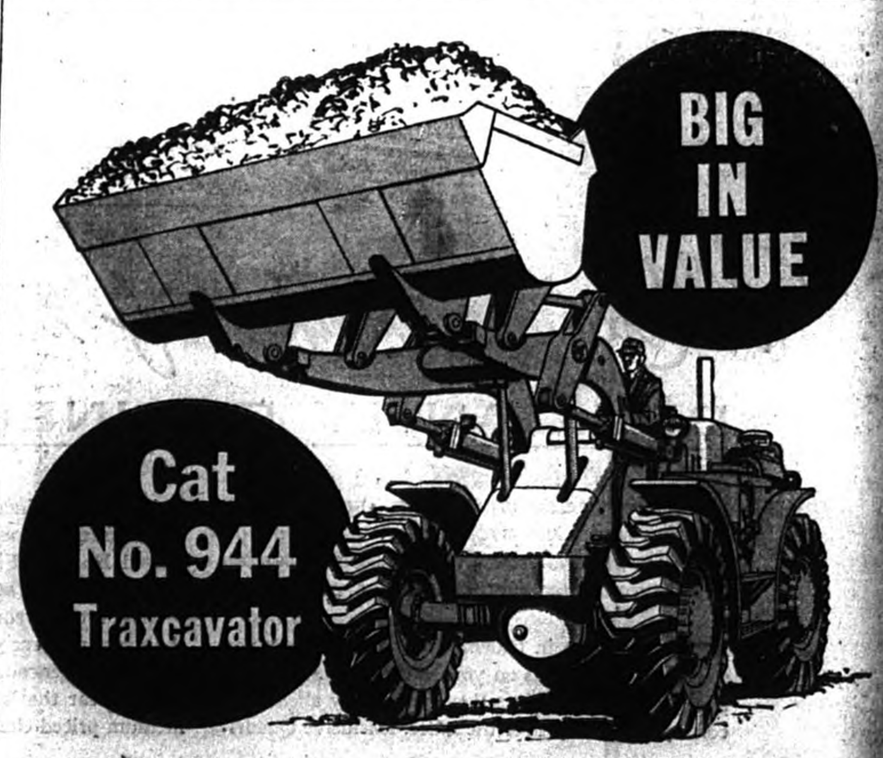
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