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Heart-warming scene of Yuletide charity

Following the traditional "guignolée" staged by canvassers of the Knights of Columbus, a total of 72 hampers were packed at the K. of C. Hall and distributed to poor families on Christmas Eve. This gesture brought a spirit of kindliness to many for whom the Yuletide would have been cheerless and bleak. Some of the members of Council 2752 engaged in the task are seen above with their chaplain, the Rev. Arsène Tessier, who blessed the hampers before they were sent on their way. — Photo, Bertrand Studio

Three fire calls in two days

The frame house of Mrs. Albini Roy and her sister, Miss Guérin, was damaged by a mid-morning fire on Tuesday. The blaze was discovered by Cliff Armstrong, who sounded the alarm. The outbreak was started by a defective chimney. The flames were quickly extinguished by members of the Lachute Fire Brigade. The building is situated at 134-B Main Street.

At 3.55 a.m. on Monday, a call was received for a fire of a minor nature in a tractor-trailer parked at Boyd's Express. Firemen answered the call and with little effort extinguished the blaze, which had started from a gas heater. Damage was slight and the loss was covered by insurance.

On Monday afternoon, a call was received for a fire on Foundry Street, but this also proved to be of minor proportions, resulting only in slight smoke damage.

Avoca post-office closed December 31

(Our District Correspondent)

The Avoca post-office closed on December 31. Mr. Allan McPhee has been postmaster here for 42½ years. His father before him was postmaster for 20 years — making a total of 62 years' service in the McPhee family.

The new address for mail destined for Avoca will be: Pointe au Chene, R.R. 1, Que.

Child killed in highway crash, several injured in B'burg family

A well known Brownsburg family met with misfortune, in a highway crash east of St. Hermas last Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Jess Humphries were seriously injured; their baby daughter, Jessica Lynn, six months old, was instantly killed; their daughter Janice, aged 6, received a severe face and scalp wound; and two sons, Cecil and Michael, were bruised and cut. The boys were released during the week-end from the Providence Hospital, where the family were brought by two passing motorists following the crash. Janice was discharged from the hospital on Tuesday.

Mr. Humphries was promptly removed by ambulance to the Royal Victoria Hospital, suffering from a triple fracture of the jaw and other injuries. His wife, with a cracked pelvis and multiple contusions, is still in the Providence Hospital at Lachute. The injured were treated here by Drs. L. Middleton, Jules Lafleur and A. R. Côté.

The family were returning from a Christmas visit with their respective families in Grand'Mere. The station wagon in which they were driving skidded on an S-curve east of St. Hermas and collided with a tow truck which was hauling a mail vehicle in an easterly direction. Damage from the impact was extensive. Mrs. Humphries had to be extricated from the wreck through the windshield opening. The baby suffered a broken neck and died instantly. The body was found on the floor of the station wagon.

Dr. Jules Lafleur, as district coroner, pronounced the infant's death accidental. The fatality was investigated by Sgt. Det. A. Bertrand, of the Provincial Police.

Jess Humphries is personnel superintendent at C-I-L, Brownsburg, where the incident cast a pall of sorrow over the New Year's season. Mrs. Humphries' mother, Mrs. Blinco, came from Grand'Mere and is caring for the victims' three children. Funeral of the infant child was held on Monday from MacKimmie's Funeral Home. The Rev. C. R. Lang conducted the service.



Lions Rink equipment added

An effective piece of equipment has been added to the Lions Club rink with this double-operation scraper and flooder. Apart from the tractor, the device is largely of home-town manufacture. With officers of the rink, the above picture shows citizens who contributed and gave a hand to provide this equipment.

Left to right — Jacques Bourgoing, rink manager; A. Gordon McOuat, who loaned the tractor and blade; Cliff Lowe, general technician and a valuable contributor to all the rink projects; Jos. Dumais, Lions' committee chairman (who also donated the tank); Ernest Gordon, who contributed the weldings; and Liguori Chevrier, who attended to the painting. — Photo, Syd Drew

Poverty, need and sickness revealed at Regional Welfare group session

The story of poverty, need and sickness in the Lachute district continued to unfold itself, at the December meeting of the Regional Welfare Co-ordination Committee. This was the fourth meeting held this season — at the Lachute Town Hall last Wednesday evening.

Only those connected with social service work have any inkling of the miserable conditions under which certain of their fellow-citizens and families live; neither have they any idea how great is the need for assistance by these unfortunates, particularly the little children so innocently involved. . . . Each case history, while under varying conditions, is basically the same. . . .

A family of nine, with about $40 weekly income, desperately in need of building materials to make a flimsy, newly constructed home bearable during the below-zero days of a long winter. Used or reject material would do, but the need is for insulation, sheathing, doors, nails. The father is a sober, hard-working man, trying to keep the family together in a home of his own making.

Others need furniture, clothing, additional allowances for rent, sickness, hospital bills, medicines, dental and eye care; there are the calls for clothing, wheelchairs, crutches, emergency lodgings . . . and so the list goes.

Members of this committee have come to realize just how much good the various service clubs are doing in the community — how much more there is to be done! It has also come to light that, in spite of shortage of funds, staff and equipment, the local Social Service representative has been doing a terrific job. It was with much satisfaction that the committee learned that Mr. Dufresne now has a full-time secretary, and that his office has been moved from the attic of the Auditorium to new premises in the Rio Building, on Main Street West.

In addition to the six new cases investigated, discussion centred around the distribution of Christmas baskets; the text of a letter to be forwarded to the Province of Quebec, concerning problems anticipated with the new Quebec Hospitalization Plan; and arrangements for the next meeting of this committee, to be held in the St. Jerome Social Service centre on Wednesday, January 18.

Some time ago this committee visited the police cells in connection with facilities for transients in need of overnight lodging. At that time the condition of the cells left much to be desired. A return visit was made upon conclusion of the meeting, and the committee felt that congratulations were in order to those responsible for the renovations. The cell area has been completely repainted, new washable mattresses which exclude vermin have been placed on the bunks, and the police quarters showed signs of being very well maintained.

All representatives will be advised concerning arrangements for the next meeting.

4 Youths charged with assault on police officer

Four local youths were arrested by Lachute Police on December 22 and charged with assaulting an officer, following an incident in a local restaurant. The youths were taken to court in St. Jerome and released on bail of $300 each.

The incident occurred shortly after midnight, when the proprietor of the restaurant called police to remove the youths from his premises. Sgt. Gilles Poirier answered the call, and after talking to the one boy in question, took him by the arm to lead him from the restaurant. According to the police officer, he was then tackled from behind by one of the other boys, and a free-for-all followed, in which the policeman was jumped on and kicked.

He managed to get to his feet but was again rushed, knocked-down and kicked. The officer managed to quell one of the youths, and while another customer was leaving the premises, the three remaining boys rushed out through the open door.

The apprehended youth was taken to the local cells, questioned and charged with assault on a police officer. Following medical treatment, Sgt. Poirier returned to duty and, while on patrol, he arrested the other three youths. All were taken to St. Jerome, charged, and released on bail until January 17, when they will appear before a judge.

Sgt. Poirier was treated for severe bruises. His uniform was torn in the melée, and some of his teeth were broken.

Fellowship and altruistic outlook keynote at Lions

Though close in the wake of the holiday season, the Lions Club meeting this week drew an excellent attendance.

This was a fellowship meeting, under chairmanship of President Dr. Eric Mongeon. Congratulations were extended to two members, on a birth and an engagement, occurring respectively on New Year's Day. Also, adieus were voiced to two valuable members — Lion Bill Flanigan, who leaves this week for Pembroke, and Lion Ron Hebert, who is moving shortly to Drummondville.

The president expressed his New Year's wishes, and warmly thanked the officers and members for their support.

Lion Bob Haydon, Agriculture committeeman, spoke on a "June in January" note — to outline plans for the Lions' entertainment night at this year's Spring Fair.

Lion Ozzie Carrière reported gratifying results from the recent Christmas tree sales, which had netted over $500 for the club's charity funds.

President Dr. Mongeon — on the basis of recent experience with a needy family assisted during the festive season — advocated a new approach to the expenditure of funds, feeling that the essentials of warmth, food and clothing should supersede giving to less urgent causes. . . .

Considerable discussion followed. Among other views was a point stressed by Lion (Alderman) Horace Lamarche, who emphasized that a Regional Welfare Co-ordination Committee was functioning in a practical way, to prevent duplication and to aid all cases of legitimate need; also that the Lions, like other local service agencies, had its representative on that committee. . . . Lion Rod Carreau (the representative in question) also spoke on the work of the Regional group — whose most recent deliberations are reported on this page.

Cops face-to-face set for battle in surprise encounter

Members of the Lachute Police Department were on the job over the Christmas holidays — as was indicated by an amusing incident at the local IGA Foodliner early one morning. . . .

Cst. Ken Fahey was on the beat when he noticed a door open inside this store. On investigating, he discovered the front door also open and, grasping his night-stick, he entered the premises.

Just at this time, Cst. Felix L'Allier was driving past in the police emergency vehicle and spotted the door of the IGA slowly closing. He immediately entered the building with night-stick raised above his shoulder ready to strike out at any intruder. He switched on the lights and found himself face to face with Cst. Fahey, similarly poised!

The two constables then teamed up to systematically search the building and inform the proprietor his door had been left unlocked.

Police Chief A. J. Whiteway would once again like to advise store and business proprietors to be sure and lock their premises overnight. He states that still a considerable number of places are found unlocked by the constable on the beat.

NEAR $13-MILLION PROPERTY VALUE

Valuation completed, shows $388,000 increase in year

The 1961 property roll for Lachute has finally been adopted and homologated, concluding the revision work undertaken by the evaluators. The total evaluation shows a gain of $388,000 over last year.

The roll includes a taxable valuation of $10,201,400, and non-taxable $2,738,825, making a total of $12,940,225.

At the adoption of this roll in a Council session during December, Mayor McGibbon remarked that it had been a hectic and arduous procedure, but as it now stands, the valuation is as fair as possible to all taxpayers.

Aldermen Réal Urbain and Stanley Holt proposed and seconded the adoption. Messrs. Alphonse Thibodeau and Réal Morrissette were absent from the assembly. The valuators were Messrs. J. Henri St. Onge, Linton Armstrong and Dr. J. P. Dorion.

It is recalled that the completion of this roll was delayed considerably since there was a misimpression that the assessors could revise valuations on properties which had undergone no physical change during the year. However, the legal advisor, Fernand Legault, Q.C., drew attention to the fact that such properties were not subject to revision excepting on the third year, according to the town's regular procedure. The valuators' figures then had to be re-adjusted, with consequent delay in completion of their job.

Officers installed at Masonic Lodge; St. John's Night

December 27 has been long known as St. John's Night among members of the Masonic Order, and the occasion was again fittingly celebrated by Argenteuil Lodge No. 67.

The customary toasts were given to the Queen, Grand Lodge and Visitors, following which adjournment was made to the lodge rooms for the installation ceremonies, which were again most capably performed by Very Worshipful Bro. Ralph Robinson and officers from Grenville Lodge No. 10.

Worshipful Bro. K. A. Billingham, the newly-installed Master of the lodge, expressed his appreciation of the honor accorded to him, and outlined a tentative program for the coming year, which should prove most interesting. He also thanked the installing team for their very efficient work.

On adjournment, coffee was served, the brethren departing in harmony and accord with bright hopes for a successful year of activities.

Accident victims recovering

The condition of Mrs. James Cass, of Ottawa (the former Barbara Bradford), and of Mrs. C. Marsten, her aunt, is reported improved, following an automobile crash in which they were injured last week, after spending Christmas here with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Bradford, and with relatives in the Ottawa Valley.

Mrs. Cass has a skull fracture and severe facial cuts — her head having crashed through the windshield of her car. Mrs. Marsten suffered a torn ankle and lesser head injuries. Both are in the Smith Clinic at Hawkesbury.

Also involved in the crash, which occurred between Hawkesbury and Alfred, were a Cornwall couple, Mr. and Mrs. Luke Andrews, and two young daughters. Mr. and Mrs. Andrews both suffered a fractured pelvis, and the girls sustained cuts and bruises. All were taken to the Smith Clinic.

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Fell on Ice

Mr. Harold Calder, school principal at Arvida, suffered a concussion in a recent fall on the ice outside his school. According to relatives here, Mr. Calder has made a prompt and complete recovery.

Teen-age Ball New Year's event well supported

Argenteuil Masonic Lodge is to be congratulated on its successful effort to provide entertainment for the teen-age residents on New Year's Eve, by opening their spacious hall and sponsoring a dance. The event was attended by upwards of 200 young people, who, with music by the local Five G's Orchestra, thoroughly enjoyed themselves.

Refreshments were donated by wives of the Lodge members, and some 500 bottles of soft-drinks were consumed, all kindly donated by the firms of J. P. MacKimmie & Sons and Chevrier Lachute Ltée. Monetary donations were also received from friends, and all concerned were delighted with the results of this venture.

Struck on highway pedestrians suffer leg fractures

Three local youths received serious injuries at 8.30 p.m. New Year's Day, when they were struck by a car on Chatham Street, Ayersville, while walking abreast on the highway. The trio were taken to the Providence Hospital by a local ambulance and the Lachute Police emergency vehicle. Each of the youths sustained a broken leg, and after receiving treatment here they were transferred to hospital in St. Jerome.

Injured in the accident were Richard Laroque, 13, Charles Street, Lachute; Robert Larose, Gilbert Street, Ayersville; and André Boilard, Chatham Street, Ayersville.

The three youths were struck by a car driven by E. L. Brown, 227 Bethany Road, who reported to Provincial Police Traffic Officer Sam Kille that he was blinded by the headlights of an on-coming vehicle, and by the time he saw the three pedestrians, it was too late to avoid striking them.

Traffic Officer Kille reported the car stopped within 67 feet of the scene, despite the fact that the road was ice covered at the time; he also stated that the youths were walking on the highway, although the sidewalk had been plowed only a short time before the accident.

Ayersville Police Chief Marcel Therrien expressed his appreciation for co-operation received from both the Provincial Police and the Lachute Department, in responding to the call for assistance while he was out of the adjacent municipality.

Donald M. Hay is third-generation president of Agricultural Society

At a recent meeting of Argenteuil Agricultural Society, Donald M. Hay of Lachute was elected president for 1961. S. G. Patterson was re-elected vice-president and Kenneth P. Riley was re-engaged as secretary-manager.

The election of Mr. Hay marks another historic milestone in the Society, as he is the third generation of the Hay family to be a president of the organization.

According to the records, his grandfather, John Hay, was connected with the Agricultural Society commencing in 1855. He was elected vice-president in 1867, the year of Confederation, and president in 1878.

One of his uncles, William Hay, was named director in 1888 and president in 1912. Another uncle, John Hay, who was a former member of Parliament for Argenteuil, was president of the Society in 1903.

Mr. Hay's father, George Hay, who was well known as an importer and exporter of horses, was president in 1917.



Donald M Hay

Mr. Hay is well known in this community in his capacity as manager of the Bank of Montreal in Lachute. He is also a member of the Lachute Lions Club and the Lachute Curling Club, of which he is a past-president.

Directors Elected

The other elected directors for 1961 are Gilbert E. Arnold, Irving Cleland, Ben Hammond, John W. Hadley, John Heatlie, Jr., Norman MacGeorge, James MacKimmie, Carson Tomalty, Clément Tremblay, O.B.E., W. Erskine Rodger, J. P. Bradley and William Wilson.

The County Warden as well as representatives of the Rotary, Lions and Richelieu Clubs and the Legion are also directors of the Society.

Preparations for the coming year are now in full swing, and the 1961 Lachute Spring Fair will be held June 14 to 17, inclusive.

It is expected that many new ideas concerning activities of the Society will be formulated this year, and periodic progress reports will be published later in this newspaper.

Road worker at Cushing suffered fatal seizure

Eloi Chenier, a 68-year-old St. Andrews resident employed on road maintenance, suffered a stroke on Tuesday morning of last week and was taken to the Smith Clinic at Hawkesbury, where his death occurred on Saturday, December 31.

Mr. Chenier and fellow workers were in a truck spreading salt on the road at Cushing, when he suffered a seizure and fell from the vehicle. His friends carried him into the home of Donald Fuller nearby, and summoned a physician, Dr. André L'Allier, of St. Andrews, who ordered the victim's removal to the hospital. An ambulance was despatched from Lachute.

The doctor attributed the death to a cerebral hemorrhage.

Argenteuil Outdoors

A column for the sportsman

— By BOB ATCHISON —



More on the subject of the Lamprey Eeel, and pollution. A report from the Great Lakes pollution survey states these facts: The use of waterways for sewage and dumping causes terrific harm. One river checked was found to have killed a half-a-mile out into one of the lakes just through the accumulation of silt, mud and garbage. Naturally, not one inch of this water or bed of the lake is suitable for fish, either for feed or propagation. . . . Imagine just how far this garbage belt runs out into the St. Lawrence from the Ottawa River. Believe it or not, this is discernible from aircraft as two separate rivers. (Let's blame the Lampreys though, it's easier.)

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Rabbits have provided very good sport these past few days, and some nice meals are in store for a couple of weeks. The foxes are coming back very well, and this will always help keep down the rabbits, thus resulting in healthier animals.

The lynx are being seen frequently, and I have been told of a group from Montreal who were taking some movies of them. Home-type or professional, I don't know.

Deer can be seen all over the place, and anyone wanting evidence of them, just take a walk into the bush and see for yourself.

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The birds are here in very great numbers. I know a couple of cases where the feeders are having to be filled twice a day. Going up into the bush you can see and hear so many jays that it sounds like a busy day in a boiler factory! Certainly the jays are wonderful birds to watch, and it seems every time you see them you learn something new. At least I do.

Naturally the chickadees are the ones most watched. Seeing them stop dead on the trees, cock their heads then pick up some insect, is a wonder in itself. Did you ever stop and think, just how these birds can detect an insect in the bark of a tree? The sense of hearing, or whatever detection device they carry, must be exceptional. Maybe they have built-in radar.

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Air rifles seem to have been a Christmas special, that is, from the numbers of them in evidence. I saw four different groups out with older persons, and in two cases the fathers were along for the work-out. It sure makes you feel good to see these youngsters being shown how to use firearms properly. Start them respecting any kind of rifle at an early age, and you ensure their respect for any kind of firearm, always. Lack of concern over the use of guns is one of the big problems right now. This can be seen everywhere in the way of our hunters act. We certainly had troubles in our own County, and it's to be hoped some thought will be given this by our Government in the near future. Not just talk, but action.

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I know this is beating the gun by a long way, but is sure helps. For you fishermen, take your rods out and look them over. Some of you will find the lacquer on the glass rods has peeled, along with the bindings on the eyes. Start fixing them up now.

Another word for the fly man, I hope to get an article finished some time soon on the types of insects most common around this area, for fish food. Also the type of artificial fly that can be tied to represent it. So if you want to get the insect represented during the hatch in summer, you better keep an eye on this column.

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The ice fishing is good. Perch and big pike are being taken around St. Placide right now. As a matter of fact, all along the Ottawa River they are catching fish.

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Some information now on flies and insects, which I promised for the fly-fisherman. To begin with, there are uncounted numbers of these. Therefore I will try and give you the ones most favored by the fish. These are:

May flies, Caddis flies, Stone flies, Alder flies, True flies, Ant's flies, Dragon and Damsels, Crickets, etc., Water-Beetle flies, Scorpion flies, Water moths, Saw-flies, Clear-wings.

There will be some I have omitted which certain fishermen have used with very good results in their own area. All these insects lay and have their eggs hatched in the water or in a puddle. Therefore, considering the life expectancy of the adult fly, it should be noted that the under-water insect will be the best producer. By the time the eggs are hatched, in some cases the time element runs into years; so study your stream or lake to see what is the most predominant. Before going on, let me say, all these insects will not be found everywhere you may be fishing. There may only be one of these seen in any numbers; so study is what you have to do. As we all know, with fish certain feed or conditions in the habitat will change their color. It is the same with insects, so if you get yourself a stone fly in one creek that looks very brown, and another from somewhere else that is cream, don't be worried about the feed. All insects have this quality of adapting themselves to changes.

The dates when these insects leave the water to become winged insects is a much discussed question among fly men. My thinking is that, when conditions are right, i.e., water, air, feed, etc. — then they will change, and not until. Some others think it is a certain date they rise, and come they will, hell or high water. To be truthful some of the streams give this impression, while others seem to disregard the book completely. I know we have all seen flies hatching late in the year, as late as October in some cases. We have also had the same fly hatch much earlier in the year. So that would rule out a certain specified date for the hatch. It seems the eggs for this particular group were laid much later on.

We have all seen flies hovering over the water, seeming to drop down onto the surface for a fraction of a second, climbing back and repeating this all over. The female is laying her eggs on the surface of the water, dipping her long tail into the water to have the eggs washed off. Other flies crawl right under the water to do this, while others crawl down a hollow reed, stalk or whatever is handy, to lay their eggs. Soon after this cycle is completed, the female dies, falling into the water. There you can see them drifting down, with wings outstretched. These are spent-wing flies, so remember this. Any fly that has wings this way can be classed as spent-wing.

The eggs hatch in anywhere from a week to six months as wingless creatures (and in a lot of cases just a blob of something or other.) In others they hatch into a crawling underwater insect, immediately. But they are not ready to crawl to the surface yet, most of them shed their skins a number of times before this period. You all have seen dried-out cases stuck on rocks or trees. I won't tell you about this period, except that all the nymphs shed their skin by cracking it down the back, and in some cases before they ever leave the water. This is the time when the fish can be seen and heard feeding; with the nymphs rising to the surface they are a good target for the fish.

Now, this is by no means a complete list of all the nymphs or flies we have in our district, but I think it includes the most common varieties. I have tried to give you a little insight into these creatures, and will, in future columns, tell you the artificial bait most likely to simulate them.

SAME AIM

Quebec (CP) — Pierre Tremblay, administrator of Quebec's winter carnival, says the present carnival has the same aim as the first one — to draw tourists and provide winter employment. The carnival was first held in 1894.

FRUIT CROP

Victoria (CP) — British Columbia's fruit crop was valued at $12,500,000 in 1960, compared with $9,000,000 the previous year. The provincial agricultural department says almost all the revenue came from the Okanagan Valley.

Teen-agers say 'Thank-you' for enjoyable evening

(TO THE EDITOR)

We, the teen-agers of this district, wish to express our appreciation to the members of Argenteuil Masonic Lodge for sponsoring the Teen-age Ball on New Year's Eve, to the chaperons, and also to those who provided refreshments. Special thanks are extended to the firms of J. P. MacKimmie & Sons and Chevrier Lachute Ltée who donated the soft drinks.

It was a wonderful evening, and greatly enjoyed.

— The Teen-agers

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I, being a teen-ager, would like to thank the following gentlemen of the Masonic Lodge, and their wives, for organizing the dance for us on New Year's Eve. Their efforts on our behalf were very much appreciated:

Mr. and Mrs. H. Graves, Mr. and Mrs. E. Pollock, Mr. and Mrs. S. MacAdam, Police Chief and Mrs. Whiteway, Mr. and Mrs. K. Billingham, and others who helped in any way.

I think the dance was very successful, and hope it will become an annual event in Lachute.

— Linda Jones

Scouts, Bantams in hockey tilt

By Sandy Welburn

The Brownsburg Boy Scout Troop played a hockey game with the Lachute Legion Branch 70 "Bantams" team on December 31 in the Brownsburg Arena.

Final score was 4-3 in favor of the Scout troop. Norman Forbes scored two of the Brownsburg goals, while Harold Ross and Jimmy Devine tallied the remainder. Joey Berniquer scored all the Legion points.



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No Milk Deliveries on Wednesdays

Local dairies announce that, commencing Wednesday, Jan. 11, 1961, and, on all subsequent Wednesdays thereafter, there will be no door-to-door delivery of milk.

This procedure is now practised generally throughout the Industry and, in some areas has been in force for a number of years. Rising delivery costs, and labour requests for a five-day work week have motivated this change.

A nation-wide survey conducted by a relative Industrial Body has indicated that, because of the modern refrigeration installations now in most homes, very little if any inconvenience is caused the consumer by the elimination of Wednesday delivery. It is the sincerest wish of your Dairy that no inconvenience is caused to you.

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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

Snow hazard requires remedy

EXCELLENT WORK has been accomplished with the new snowclearing equipment, and in view of the heavy snowfalls over the holiday season, the town foremen and crews are to be complimented. They have kept Main Street clear of snow, and made the subsidiary roads navigable, until the snowblower becomes available to remove the snow banks around town.

The excess of snow has caused a pile-up at the river's edge, where the truckers dump their loads, and a certain hazard at this spot requires immediate remedy (if not already attended to when this editorial goes to press). The high snow banks here are presently obscuring the view of motorists westward from the approach to the C.P.R. crossing. The same obstruction could also conceivably diminish the effect of the diesel sirens. One local motorist has reported narrowly escaping an accident on this account.

This is a matter which should not be delayed. Steps must be taken immediately to permit an unobstructed view along the track.

A thirst for learning

WHILE IT MAY sometimes seem that nothing in our society is undervalued quite so much as education, there is encouraging evidence to the contrary.

A recent report shows that no fewer than three-quarters-of-a-million adult Canadians are spending their leisure and their dollars buying themselves an improved education. Many are attending evening classes at universities, more than 30 of which now provide courses leading to a degree. Others are content to study one or more of a wide range of subjects, the greater understanding of which will make for a fuller life.

Observers of the social scene will find great cause for satisfaction that television has so signally failed to triumph over the urge to self-betterment. (Could it be, perhaps, that it has even helped it?)

Maybe there is hope for us yet.

UNICEF in European countries

OUR COMMUNITY concern in UNICEF (symbolized in a modest way by the recent Hallowe'en canvass and UN greeting cards) focuses our interest on its distant beneficiaries. In this regard, there is encouraging evidence of improvement in the needy countries of Europe aided by this organization.

The days of emergency aid for children in Europe are past, according to a release from the World Health Organization.

The aid was first given in 1946 through the United Nations Children's Fund. Canada was among the countries that contributed. Today Europe receives the least aid from the fund.

In 1951, UNICEF spent more than $97,000,000 assisting European children in the war-damaged countries. In 1959, UNICEF aid amounted to less than 1% of this sum and, significantly, did not include any amounts for emergency work.

Of the 15 countries originally assisted, seven continue to receive some help: Austria, Greece, Italy, Poland, Spain, Turkey and Yugoslavia.

Among the projects Canadian donors helped build are 134 milk plants, 11 projects for handicapped children, nine for premature babies, nine for the control of venereal diseases and six for immunization against children's diseases.

Following the initiative of the International Tuberculosis Campaign and with the assistance of WHO on the technical side, more than 16,000,000 Europeans were tuberculin tested and more than 8,500,000 vaccinated with BCG.

In addition various countries were supplied with equipment for 356 rural health centres, staffed in general by a full-time doctor, a nurse and a mid-wife.

U.S. trade and investment in Canada

THE RECENT BUDGET brought down by Finance Minister Fleming was a surprise — and an unpleasant one — to United States government officials in Washington. After the howls had died away, the U.S. reacted quickly.

Mr. Fleming abolished the "special attractions and incentives" that had encouraged U.S. investors to push their cash into Canada. He also announced that Canadian firms will withhold a 15 per cent tax — instead of the former five per cent — on all dividends paid to foreign stockholders. And interest received by non-residents on Canadian bonds will be taxed at 15 per cent.

This did not sit well in Washington. The U.S. countered by announcing the American withholding tax on dividends of Canadian-controlled companies in the U.S. would be increased to 15 per cent from five.

Mr. Fleming ordered that by 1963, investment companies — if they are to qualify for low tax treatment — will have to be receiving at least 75 per cent of their revenues in dividends from taxable Canadian corporations. Until then, the requirement will be 55 per cent next year and 65 per cent in 1962. It was estimated that this year about $1,000,000 in foreign capital will enter Canada. This will add the same amount to Canada's balance-of-payments deficit.

One aim of Mr. Fleming's investment checks is to keep provincial, municipal and corporate borrowers away from the United States money markets. He has warned them before that when they borrow abroad they push up the rate on the Canadian dollar — which can harm export trade and aggravate unemployment.

Another move that worried Americans was the decision to make a broader application of the higher tariff duties levied on goods "of a class or kind made in Canada."

Said one Washington official in summing up: "What a nice Christmas present the Canadians handed us."

Antics in the auto industry

WORD COMES from Detroit that automobile manufacturers there are launching a counter-attack on the European manufacturers who have been gaining an increasing share of the U.S. car market for the past four years (says the Fort Erie Letter-Review). The Detroit manufacturers at first retaliated by becoming agents for some of the foreign compact cars and thus deriving a profit on their U.S. distribution. They then went on to produce compact cars of their own and these had a fair measure of acceptance, although most of them are higher in price than imported compacts.

Next move from Detroit, according to a reporter in the Wall Street Journal, will be to increase manufacturing operations abroad and so get a share of the foreign markets now dominated by European firms. General Motors and Ford alone are reported to be planning to invest a total of nearly $500,000,000 overseas next year, in addition to which Ford is buying out British holders of stock in its English subsidiary.

It is now reported that the next move by the U.S. companies will be production in Europe of new compact cars designed to challenge such products as Volkswagen, Fiat and Renault on their home grounds — continues this commentary. European manufacturers of automobiles are reported to be already gravely concerned about this rumor.

FLOWERS BY WIRE, A BLOOMING BUSINESS. — Mercury, the florists' lightning fast delivery boy, is being run off his feet trying to keep up with wire orders — writes Amy Booth in The Financial Post. In 1959 he sped 500,000 bouquets from Canada's 683 members of the Florists' Telegraph Association to almost every corner of the globe. This $3.6 million a year business has been climbing at an average rate of 11% a year over the past 10 years. With Christmas business still to be recorded, there is every reason to expect an increase again for the past year.

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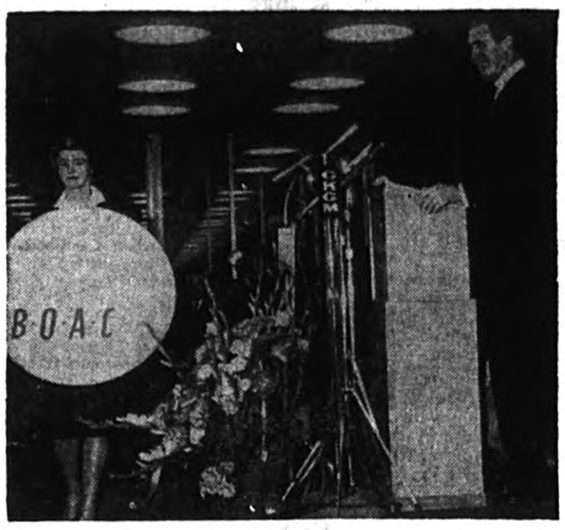
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Crests for Air Terminal building

At the opening of Montreal's new $30 million airport recently, stewardesses from 14 airlines using the terminal presented crests for the building. Here British Overseas Airways Corporation stewardess Jill Cobley carries the BOAC crest before Hon. George Hees, Minister of Trade and Commerce.

Over the Years

— with —

THE LACHUTE WATCHMAN

75 YEARS AGO

Friday, Dec. 26, 1885 —

At a meeting of the School Commissioners attended by Dr. Thos. Christie, chairman, and Messrs. Palliser, Cruise and Mackie, Mr. Campbell was instructed to put window blinds in the college. It was moved also to pay Mr. Thornton, caretaker, 26 cents extra for each meeting.

During renovation and alterations at our printing office, we find it will be almost impossible to appear with our issue next week.

The Board of Health of Lachute Town resolved that all unvaccinated persons be notified to be vaccinated within eight days. It was also resolved to request the Council to furnish the hospital, now being built, with suitable furnishings and requisites.

There are several cases of smallpox in Montebello, and one or two at Grenville.

Bedspreads from $2.75 up. — C. T. Wales & Co., St. Andrews. (Advt.)

The Ladies' Committee is receiving subscriptions for proposed colors to be presented by them to the Argenteuil Rangers.

Sir John MacDonald left for England on Saturday. . . . His enemies will assert that he left to avoid the uproar created by French-Canadians at the hanging of Riel.

Mr. W. Staniforth of Arundel requests contradiction that smallpox prevails in his shanty. In the first place he is not lumbering this year and has no shanty.

A car of 35 extra fine young cattle was shipped to Calgary by David McFarlane, in charge of Dan Campbell, son of John Campbell of Brownsburg.

The contract for building of White's Bridge has been awarded to Todd & Stalker for the sum of $1,300.

The agency of the Banque Ville Marie was opened here December 15, with Mr. Weir, president of the bank, on hand to set things moving.

50 YEARS AGO

Friday, Dec. 30, 1910 —

We learn that five more girls have sailed from the Old Country to fill positions in the Dominion Cartridge plant at Brownsburg.

Winners of the shooting tournament which closed recently at the L.A.A.A. Rink were — Douglas Todd, Earle Todd, Wyman McGibbon, Barlow Whiteside, Allan Todd, Norman Beers, Alex Pollock and W. Graham.

By a majority of 45, with valuation exceeding $100,000, the electors decided on purchasing the Laurentian Waterworks System for $40,000 and also for the town to borrow $20,000 to improve the same.

The "Royal Edward" of the C.N.R. established another record, making the trip from Bristol to Halifax in 5 days and 7½ hours.

We clip the following for the benefit of those who doubt the power of the press: "Owing to the overcrowded condition of our columns, a number of births and deaths are unavoidably postponed this week." — Exchange.

Mrs. Jas. W. Gall, of Mont Tremblant, is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Forbes.

Master Douglas Simon, who was taken to the Montreal Hospital for an operation for appendicitis, is now reported out of danger.

Dalesville — Mrs. John Campbell is in Lachute visiting her sons.

Mr. J. D. Campbell has opened a new flour and feed store in the West End, on the approach to Fish's Bridge. Mr. Val Morrison is in charge.

25 YEARS AGO

Thursday, Dec. 26, 1936 —

The Watchman Office was visited by an old subscriber, the Rev. J. G. Poitras, who, although 72 years of age, walked from Brownsburg to Lachute. Our column of 25 years ago (1911) notes that the Roussillon mission school was completed; this work was supervised by Mr. Poitras himself.

Georges-Etienne Dansereau was elected M.L.A. for this constituency, in a recent contest defeating the Union party opponent, J. P. Lanctôt, K.C., with a 123-vote majority. Mr. Dansereau fills a Liberal vacancy left by the death of his father, Georges Dansereau, Sr.

The Rev. E. G. Baxter, pastor of Maple Ave. and Grenville Baptist Churches, has resigned to become pastor of Georgetown and Acton, Ont.

Germany compels businesses increasing their dividends to invest an equal amount in government securities.

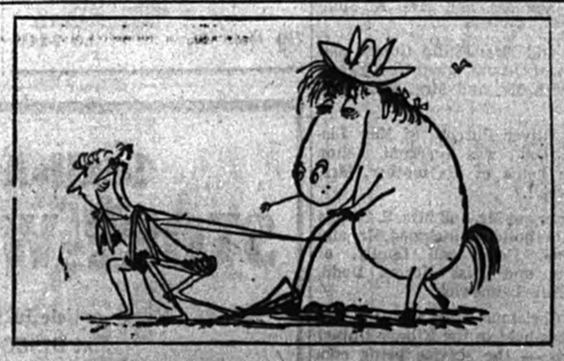
Z. N. Raymond, notary, Lachute, wishes to inform his clients that from this date his office will be situated at 10 St. James Street East, and that he will be in Lachute every Friday at the office of his son, Gérard Raymond, advocate.

A party of St. Andrews people went to Montreal by bus to see the Maroons vs Canadiens hockey game at the Forum.

Congratulations are extended to Mr. Melchior Roby, on completing 25 years' service with the C.N.R. As station agent at Lachute, Mr. Roby has made a host of friends.

The only French-language veterinary school in North America was inaugurated recently at Oka, with 40 pupils enrolled.

Cushing West — A party of prospectors from Montreal, bound for the Cobalt mining district, passed up the front road here with their outfit drawn by six beautiful husky dogs.



TO THINK IT MIGHT HAVE ENDED LIKE THIS

Primitive man had it tough—most of the other animals were bigger and stronger. Fortunately, man had brains... and a wife... or he might have ended up on the wrong side of the plow.

In the early days men competed with earth's other creatures—today men compete with other men to develop energy sources. In the process our standard of living has sky rocketted.

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Of Many Things

— By Ambrose Hills —

Here's a suggested Resolution for Canadians. If everyone adopted it, there's little doubt but what 1961 would turn out very well indeed. At any rate, you are welcome to adopt it.

"During the next 12 months I shall do my best to be a good citizen, a good neighbor, a useful person. I shall follow the precept of the great religious leader, John Wesley, who said, 'Work all you can, gain all you can, give all you can.'

"I shall do my level best to provide for all the needs of my family and myself, so that I shall not be a charge upon others. Indeed, it will be my goal to earn enough to give a helping hand to others if need be.

"I shall refrain from asking others to do for me anything which I might rightfully be expected to do for myself. And I shall encourage friends and neighbors to take a similar attitude.

"Whatever my job, I shall do it well, because I know that the best efforts of all men and women are required if Canada is to remain strong and free in these perilous times. I know that when I work efficiently, my neighbor is able to buy the goods or services I produce at a more reasonable price. The more efficiently I work, the more goods or services can be bought with a dollar bill — whether it be the dollar of an old-age pensioner, or the dollar in my wife's purse when she goes out to shop for our family.

"I firmly resolve to be a force for good in my community by reforming myself rather than seeking to reform my neighbor. I shall look for the good in others and try to get rid of the bad in me.

"I know full well there will be many times when I shall be tempted to be a drag on society, rather than a driving force. There will be times when the urge to be small, or mean, or selfish will assert itself. On such occasions I shall ask myself if such an act will help or hurt Canada. It it hurts Canada, in the long run it will hurt me, too, and hurt my children.

"In brief, every day of the New Year I shall direct my every act to this end: that I shall give full value to everyone with whom I deal."

HEART DISEASE

Whatever your way of life, your future depends upon your heart. No one is immune to heart disease. Canadians everywhere are learning that cardiacs can resume their places in their communities as useful and productive citizens. Heart disease is an enemy that takes more lives than all other causes combined.

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The game of "I invented it first" between Russia and America has been played with great zeal on both sides, these last several years.

The two giants, intent only upon clouting each other on the ear with jagged lumps of achievement, picked up and hurled any invention they saw lying around, without being particular whose property it really was.

In fact, "I Invented It First" is a childish game, since no nation and no individual can claim sole credit for any advance of knowledge.

Inventors don't pull ideas from the air. They put them together from the materials supplied by other men. Each invention is built on centuries of knowledge.

Men with creative minds are able to put together old elements into new shapes. But they can't do this strictly on their own. The time must be ripe for it. The raw materials must be there. And those raw materials come from many countries. The stuff of knowledge is international.

However, when all that has been said, the game of "I Invented It First" can be fun to play, as long as you don't believe it is real.

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I see in the Sentinel, the official magazine of the Loyal Orange Association (which someone kindly sends to me) that Canadians have invented a number of useful things.

"The constant ballyhoo and propaganda concerning Russian (and U.S.) inventive achievements, so annoyed a Brantford, Ont., businessman, Cyril D. Henderson, that he decided to blow Canada's trumpet for a while.

"After two years' research he publicized a pamphlet of Canadian and British inventions that far outshine those of the Soviet Union.

"It lists 20 firsts that are definitely Canadian and 53 that are British . . . "

For Canada, he claims:

Insulin, by two Toronto doctors. The telephone, by Alexander Bell. The railway sleeping car, built at Brantford and Hamilton.

Standard time, originated by Canadian Sanford Fleming. Paper made from pulp, discovered in Saint John and Napanee. Two famous wheat strains, Marquis and Reward.

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The first crossing of the Atlantic by a steamship, the Canadian-made Royal William. The compound steam engine, which replaced the one-cylinder type. The first commercial oil well in North America, at Oil Springs, Ont.

The submarine cable, which linked New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island. The electric heater, at Ottawa. The steam foghorn.

Helium gas, at the University of Toronto. Pablum, another U of T first, now world renowned as a baby food. Life insurance, started by a Canadian in New York.

Hockey, five-pin bowling and basketball. The world's first board of trade, at Halifax. The founding of women's institutes, at Brantford.

These are the firsts for Great Britain:

Propeller-turbine airliners, air mail service, antiseptics, atomic power station, Bessemer steel process, blood circulation discovery, cellulose, Portland cement.

Liquid compass, reinforced concrete, elastic, electric clock, electric dynamo, electric lamp, chemical fertilizer, fire extinguisher, fountain pen, hydraulic press, jet engine, latex (foam), lawnmower, lifeboat, linoleum, loom.

"Macadam roads, friction matches, microphone, open hearth fireplace, penicillin, photographic negatives, pneumatic tire, postage stamp, radar, reaping machine, sex . . ." and here I awoke with a start as I droned through the list of British inventions.

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"That's news to me," I mumbled, and then I realized that a word had been split in half at the end of a line, and hyphenated. In full, it read: "Sextant."

. . . Ship stabilizer, first Atlantic flight (Alcock and Brown), slide rule, spinning jenny, spinning mule, stainless steel, steamboat, steam hammer, steam locomotive, telegraph, reflecting telescope.

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Television, threshing machine, vaccination, vacuum cleaner, aniline dye, boring machine, chronometer, coal-cutting machine, electric arc lamp, electromagnets, food canning, machine-made glass bottle.

Hair spring, miner's safety lamp, motor boat, bicycle, rotary press, screw micrometer, seismometer, universal joint, vacuum bottle, water closet.

The last item is an interesting one, for those people who are always criticizing English plumbing. Britain invented indoor plumbing. If the people of that country want to go on using some of their original models, it's their own business.

Some North Americans harbor the strange notion that Britain is a fusty old country. Far from it. Britain is the motherland of the industrial revolution. And the industrial revolution includes the water closet as well as the atomic power generator.

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DISTRICT NEWS FROM OUR COUNTY CORRESPONDENTS

Brownsburg

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mullin and family, also Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Freeborn and family, of Pointe aux Trembles, spent New Year's week-end with Mr. and Mrs. P. MacAdam and other relatives here.

Mr. Campbell Stephens has returned to Ottawa, and Miss Madeleine Stephens returned to Macdonald College, after spending the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Stephens.

Sympathy Expressed

Sincere sympathy is extended to Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Humphries in their bereavement — their infant daughter having died in a traffic accident as the Humphries family were returning from a visit with relatives in Grand'Mere, Que., last Saturday.

Watch-Night Service Held

The Rev. C. R. Lang was guest speaker at the Watch-Night Service held in Maple Avenue Baptist Church on New Year's Eve. The title of the Rev. Lang's address was "Courage, Faith, Hope". Members of different denominations were present at this meeting, which has been an annual event for the past 30 years.

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).

BIRTH

CLELAND — To Mr. and Mrs. Irving Cleland (née Edith Smith), at the Providence Hospital, Lachute, on Dec. 30, 1960, a daughter. (Sister for Judi.) 1c

DEATH

NICOLL (Albert Paul) — Suddenly at Port Arthur, Ont., Albert Paul Nicoll, of Lachute, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Paul Nicoll, in his 60th year. Funeral held from Margaret Rodger Memorial Presbyterian Church on Wednesday, Jan. 4.

IN MEMORIAM

CRUISE — In loving memory of a dear mother and grandmother, Eveline Cruise, who passed away Jan. 2, 1950. — Always remembered by her son, Johnny, daughter-in-law, Phylis, and grandchildren, Peter, Gloria, Brent and Linda.

"Just as you were, you will always be,
Cherished and loved in our memory."

POULTER — In loving memory of a dear dad and grandfather, George Ponsonby Poulter, who passed away Jan. 4, 1958. — Sadly missed by George, Madelyn, Karen, Barbara and Keith.

"We watched you suffer, we heard you sigh,
But all we could do was just stand by.
For when the time came we suffered too,
For you never deserved what you went through.
God took your hand and we had to part,
He eased your pain but broke our hearts.
Although we smile and seem carefree,
Nobody misses you more than we."

POULTER — In loving memory of a dear grandfather, who passed away Jan. 4, 1958. — Ever remembered by Pat, Jack and Wanita.

"Our heart still aches with sadness,
Our eyes shed many a tear,
Only God knows how much we miss you,
As ends a third sad year."

ROBINSON — In loving memory of a dear wife and mother, Margaret, who passed away Jan. 4, 1958. — Always remembered by her husband, Albert, daughter, Barbara, and son, Gordon.

"Her presence we miss,
her memory we treasure
Loving her always, forgetting her never."

ROBINSON — In loving memory of Margaret, who passed away Jan. 4, 1958. — Always remembered by her mother, brothers and sisters.

"Just a prayer from those who loved you,
Just a memory fond and true,
Just to say how much we miss you,
Because we thought the world of you."

Bell Falls

Mr. and Mrs. R. Cavanaugh and family, of Montreal, Mr. and Mrs. R. Tomalty and son, of Brownsburg, also Mr. V. Johnson, visited Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Campbell for New Year's.

Mr. Wilfrid Leroy is at present visiting his brother, Mr. Orin Leroy, in Port Colborne, Ont.

Gdsm. W. Whitford and Gdsm. R. Courtley, of Camp Petawawa, visited Mr. and Mrs. E. MacLeod during the holidays.

Miss Iris MacLean visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. MacLean.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Page and Bobby spent New Year's visiting in Grenville.

Mr. and Mrs. E. MacLeod visited Mr. and Mrs. E. Nixon in Calumet on New Year's; they also visited Mr. and Mrs. Melvin MacLeod in Lost River.

Resident dies of heart seizure, visiting in West

The late Albert P. Nicoll

Sad circumstances attended the death of Mr. Albert Paul Nicoll, who passed away suddenly from heart failure, on Sunday, January 1, at Port Arthur, while attending the 50th wedding anniversary of his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Nicoll. This happy event had taken place on Friday, and the deceased was apparently in the best of health.

Mr. Nicoll, a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Paul Nicoll, was born in Upper Lachute in 1900 and received his early education in this district. He worked locally for some years, until he moved to the United States, where for 18 years he was employed by the Western Electric Company in New Jersey.

In 1936 he married Miss Amy Patterson of Mille Isles, and their family comprised two boys, Robert Paul and Edward Albert — all left to mourn the passing of a devoted husband and father. Returning from the States some 12 years ago, they had lived in Upper Lachute.

Others in the immediate family of the deceased are three brothers, Thomas, of Port Arthur, William, of Summit, N.J., and Andrew, of Lachute, together with five sisters, (Maude) Mrs. Thos. Davis, of Montreal, (Margaret) Mrs. Raymond Millar, Winnipeg, Miss Anne Nicoll and (Helen) Mrs. Wm. Petersen, both of Bloomfield, N.J., and (Barbara) Mrs. Roy Morrison, Lachute.

The late Mr. Nicoll was widely related in this vicinity, and there was a large attendance at the funeral held Wednesday in the Margaret Rodger Memorial Presbyterian Church. Service was conducted by the Rev. Jas. Armour, who spoke comforting words to the bereaved.

Pall-bearers were Messrs. Ken Nicoll, Ross Muir, Sharman Doig, Ken Clark, Irvin Clark, all of Lachute, and Franklin Nicoll, from New Jersey.

Harrington

Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. V. MacVicar during the holiday week-ends were — Mr. and Mrs. M. McCullough, of Renfrew, Mr. and Mrs. G. McVicar and Joan, of Grenville, Mr. A. Fromagie, of Montreal; Miss Elsie McVicar spent the holidays at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. V. McVicar visited Mr. and Mrs. G. McVicar during the holiday.

Miss G. Hoyle and Miss N. Helm, of Montreal, spent the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. H. Bennett.

The Harrington W.M.S. was held at the home of Mrs. J. Dobbie on Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Swail, Dawna and Glen, Mrs. L. R. Marshall, Miss P. Charbonneau, and Mr. T. LeBreton, of St. Andrews, and Mr. and Mrs. L. Bennett, of Arundel, all spent New Year's Day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. Bennett.

Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Dobbie during the holidays were — Mr. and Mrs. R. Dobbie, of Belleville; Mr. J. Prophet, Miss M. Fay Dobbie, Miss Ann Perrigo, Mrs. R. Perrigo, of Montreal; Mr. W. M. Horsnall, of Montreal; Mr. and Mrs. R. Swail, Mr. and Mrs. D. Clarke, of Lachute.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Angus, of Ottawa, spent the holiday with Mr. and Mrs. J. Bates.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Bates and son, of Brownsburg, were also holiday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Bates.

Miss M. Campbell, of Montreal, spent the Christmas holiday at her home here.

Miss F. Bennett, of Ottawa, and Mr. J. Birch, visited with Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Bennett last week.

Mrs. D. McTavish spent Christmas with her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. S. McTavish, at Kilmar, and visited with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. T. Bennett, at Vankleek Hill, for New Year's.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Swail and family, and Mrs. V. Swail, all of Arundel, spent New Year's at the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. McCallum.

Misses Edith and Isobel McCallum, of Gatineau, also spent the holidays at their home here.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Morrison and family spent Christmas in Dunany.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Meyer and Fern, and Mrs. J. McMahon, of Lachute, visited relatives here during the holiday.

Calumet

Mrs. Leo Reeves, Fay, Francine and Garry, spent New Year's in Lachute, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jean-Guy Perron.

Visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Nixon on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. George Young and family, of Lachute, Mr. and Mrs. Donat Carrière and family, of Grenville Bay, and Mr. and Mrs. E. Nixon.

A number of young people gathered at the home of Mr. Silas Hall on Friday night in honor of Dianne Hall's birthday. All reported an enjoyable time.

Visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Nixon during New Year's Day were Mr. and Mrs. Ernest MacLeod, of Bell Falls, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Nixon, Mac and Robert, of Grenville Bay.

Kilmar

Miss Jean MacTavish, of Ottawa, spent the holidays here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley MacTavish.

Miss Edna Downing, of Macdonald College, spent the holidays with her mother, Mrs. G. Downing.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Moncrieff and family, of Lachute, spent New Year's Day with Mrs. Dean Moncrieff and Mr. and Mrs. K. Moncrieff.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Gorrill and family, of Ottawa, spent New Year's Day with Mr. and Mrs. John Purcell.

Mr. Oliver Purcell, of New Liskeard, Ont., was a recent visitor at the home of his mother, Mrs. T. Purcell.

Visitors at Mr. and Mrs. S. Dodd's over the holidays included Mr. and Mrs. G. Dodd and family, of Ottawa, and Miss Norma Dodd, from New Brunswick.

On Christmas Eve, Anglican service was held in the Kilmar United Church — the service being conducted by the Rev. C. D. Haynes of Grenville.

Weir

Mr. and Mrs. Royce Morrison and family spent Christmas in Montreal as guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Whitman.

Mr. Oliver Purcell, of New Liskeard, spent a few days here last week visiting friends, while he was the guest of his sister, Miss Alice Purcell.

Mrs. J. D. Williams spent a few days in Dorval last week as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. S. Richie. She was accompanied home by her granddaughter, Connie, who spent the remainder of the holidays here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Walsh and family, of Montreal, spent the holiday week-end as guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. Dubeau. Miss Maida Diver, of the Montreal General Hospital, was also here to spend a week's vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dubeau.

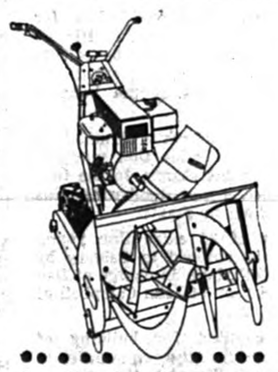
Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Bowie and daughter Carole were here from Montreal to spend the long week-end with Mrs. Bowie's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Craig.

Mrs. Sherman Beaven, of Lachute, spent the past week at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Wm. Owen and Mr. Owen.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Craig and son, John, of Montreal, spent the holidays at their cottage here.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Loudin and daughter, Claudette, of Suncook, N.H., were here to spend New Year's Day with Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Loudin.

Evening Prayer will be held in the Church of the Redeemer on Friday, January 6, Epiphany, at 6.15 p.m. Everybody welcome.



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Northern Grenville

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Cousens and family visited Mrs. John Cousens in Lachute last Sunday.

Mr. Harvey Hoare, of Iroquois Falls, and Miss Bernice Hoare, of Ottawa, spent the holiday week with their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Campbell and family, of Montreal, visited Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Brazeau during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Matthew and son, Bobby, of Ste. Genevieve, visited Mrs. Ed Matthew and Walter on Monday.

Mrs. Thos. Hoare, Miss Bernice Hoare and Mr. Harvey Hoare, visited Mr. and Mrs. Don Jackson in Brownsburg last Monday evening.

Miss Hilda McCart, of Montreal, spent New Year's with her parents.

Mr. John Arthurs returned home after spending a few days in the Smith Clinic at Hawkesbury; his friends wish him a speedy recovery.

Miss Jean McMichael and a friend, Miss Barbara Gough, both of McGill, spent the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Thos. McMichael.

Mrs. F. Nixon and Miss Myrna Nixon, of Vankleek Hill, visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Nixon on New Year's Day.

Mrs. Thos. Hoare, with her daughters Eileen and Bernice, visited Mrs. Nellie Madden in Lachute last Thursday.

Bereaved

Sympathy is extended to the brothers, sisters and relatives of the late Mrs. Paul Gregoire of Montreal, whose burial took place last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rupert Cooke, of Ottawa, visited Mr. and Mrs. L. Champagne on New Year's Day.

Visitors during the Christmas holidays at Mr. and Mrs. Reg Bennett's were Mr. and Mrs. Lawson Taylor and girls, of Lachute, and Miss Violet Bennett, of Ottawa.

Miss Heather Stone, of Montreal, spent the Christmas holiday at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Billie Woods and family, of Metcalfe, Ont., visited Mr. and Mrs. Earl MacIntyre recently.

Mr. Willis Young, of Aylmer, spent the holiday week with his parents.

Miss Eileen Bennett visited with her cousins, Misses Patricia and Jean Taylor, in Lachute during the holidays.

Friends of Mrs. Bob MacIntyre wish her a speedy recovery, after undergoing a serious operation and a long sojourn in the Smith Clinic, Hawkesbury.

Also, sincere wishes are extended to Mr. Joe Bates, who is a patient in a Montreal hospital.

Greeting

This correspondent wishes The Watchman staff and all readers a very Happy and Prosperous New Year.

COMMUNITY LIBRARY

Chibougamau, Que. (CP) — Work will soon begin on a $15,000 community library in this northern Quebec mining town. Construction was sparked by a private donation of $10,000.



Morin Heights

Mrs. Gordon (Teddy) Seale and daughter, Sheilagh, of Montreal, spent the long New Year's week-end here as guests of her brother-in-law, Leslie and Mrs. Seale, at Lake Echo.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Scullion and family, of Ottawa, spent the long week-end with her mother, Mrs. Alma Watchorn, at Christieville.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Lacken had her sister, Mrs. Mabel Robinson, as guest for the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bickerdike and boys, Tommy, Vic and Kim, spent the Christmas and New Year's week here at her father's cottage.

Mr. and Mrs. Colin Leslie and daughter, of Montreal, spent a week here vacationing at the Bellevue Hotel.

Bereavement

Sympathy of this community is extended to Mrs. Harold Brown, and other relatives, in the sudden death of her mother, Mrs. Harold H. Cluse, in Montreal last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Buzzell and friends, of Westmount, spent several days here at their cottage.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Nesbitt had their nephew, David Whitehead and a friend, visiting for the school holidays, and Mr. and Mrs. Keith Nesbitt and family for the long New Year's week-end. . . . Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Nesbitt left Tuesday for a couple of weeks in Montreal, visiting friends and relatives before leaving for a vacation in the South. During their absence friends from Montreal will be occupying their home here.

Miss Beryl Captain, of Montreal, spent the long week-end with her father, Mike Captain, and sister, Rita, of Mille Isles.

Mr. Gordon Earle, of Quebec City, spent the Christmas and New Year's school holidays here with his family at Lake Echo.

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Arundel

Owing to the inclement weather, this village was exceptionally quiet over New Year's; most folks stayed indoors and enjoyed the holiday by listening to the activities elsewhere. With the snow as a beautiful background, and the illuminated trees outside at night, the scene was a veritable fairyland. . . . This correspondent wishes all supporters and readers a Happy New Year, coupled with the hope that they will continue to send in their news as usual.

Miss Ann Gilker, of Montreal, was the holiday guest of Mrs. Florence Graham.

Mrs. C. S. Fosbery and Miss Ethel Cooke are visiting with relatives here.

Mrs. Kathleen Higginbotham is spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. E. Bulley.

Mr. David Beers joined the house party of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cooke for the holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Kuester and Miss Betty Graham were week-end guests of their mother, Mrs. Alvin Graham. Mrs. Graham has been confined to the house with a severe case of grippe. Mrs. Kuester will remain with her mother for another week.

(Correspondents please double-space and leave ample margins. — Ed.)

Cushing West

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Pinkerton spent Christmas week-end in Montreal as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Loane.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Bivard, of Montreal, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Villeneuve on Christmas Day, and on their return to the city were accompanied by Mrs. Villeneuve and daughters, Kay, Olive, Isabel and Irene.

Mr. and Mrs. George McCormack, of Dalesville, and daughter, Miss Nancy McCormack, R.N., of London, Ont., spent Christmas Day as the guests of Mrs. E. Derrick at Grece's Point.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Neafsey spent Christmas week-end with their daughter at Ancaster, Ont.

Mr. Ricky Casement and Miss Susan Fitchett, of Toronto, were guests of Capt. and Mrs. T. W. Weir during the holiday season. Mr. and Mrs. A. Stalker and family, Town of Mount Royal, were guests of Capt. and Mrs. Weir for New Year's.

Master John Villeneuve is spending this week-end with relatives in Ottawa.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Edgerton and family spent the New Year's week-end as guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. Laflamme at Three Rivers, Que.

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"We've given up GOING WITHOUT for New Year's"



"Our New Year resolutions this year have a lot more to do with *getting* rather than *giving up* . . . thanks to the B of M.

"Seems that for many Old Years past our money appeared to just melt away, when there were so many things wanted around the house . . . a modern stove . . . a desk for Dad's den . . . a decent TV. Finally, it was Dad who put his foot down.

"*'Starting with the New Year,' said Dad, 'we're going to get some of the things we've gone without for far too long. We're going to finance all the things we really need under a new purchase plan I've been looking into — the Bank of Montreal Family Finance Plan. It's a modern plan that's designed for people just like us. Come the January sales, we'll get what we need at bargain prices and do our paying for what we buy with a single payment each month.'*

"So this year, we'll all have to watch our pennies a little more closely, but it's a challenge and the whole family is going to pitch in. Mother's the keenest of all. It's hard to say whether it's the life insurance protecting the loan, or the prospect of a new stove, that pleases her most.

"Anyway, we're one family who figures we've found the ideal New Year's resolution for 1961. How about you? Isn't it time *you* considered giving up *going without?*"

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Ten years rector of parish

This delightful family photo was taken recently on the occasion of the tenth anniversary of the Rev. Horace G. Baugh as rector of the Anglican Parish of Morin Heights, Mille Isles and Saint Sauveur. With the rector and Mrs. Baugh is their daughter, Marlena, a student at the Trafalgar School for Girls in Montreal.

Officers elected in churchwomen's groups at Brownsburg United

Brownsburg — The W.A. "A" Group of the United Church completed their activities for 1960 with a turkey supper, at which pictures of the group were taken.

Officers and conveners for 1961 are as follows —

Chairman, Mrs. W. Hazel; vice-chairman, Mrs. A. Silverson; secretary, Mrs. R. Bell; treasurer, Mrs. R. Goldthorpe;

Conveners — Kitchen joint-conveners, Mrs. J. Cumbers and Mrs. I. Martin; Tables, Mrs. C. Wheeler; Visiting and Fellowship, Mrs. H. Elliott; Buying and Citizenship, Mrs. Enlow; Manse, Mrs. A. McAllister; Devotional, Mrs. R. B. Johnston; Receptionist, Mrs. Brown; Decoration, Mrs. F. Steere; W.A. Press, Mrs. C. Elliott; Publicity, Mrs. F. Kettyle; Building committee, Mrs. I. Martin; Pianist, Mrs. C. Wheeler.

Plans will be made later for a supper, to be held on February 21.

The Rev. G. W. Bruce presided at the meeting.

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At the final meeting for 1960 held by the W.A. "B" Group, gifts were wrapped and later presented to the Sunday School pupils; also the officers for 1961 were elected, as follows —

Chairman, Mrs. R. D. Cooke; vice-chairman, Mrs. G. W. Bruce; secretary, Mrs. D. Jackson; treasurer, Mrs. D. Golphin.

Conveners — Visiting and Fellowship, Mrs. H. White; Buying, Mrs. K. McGibbon; Citizenship, Mrs. A. Keatley; Devotional, Mrs. G. Whitham; Manse, Mrs. D. Golphin; Building committee, Mrs. W. McKiddie; Cards, Mrs. D. Golphin; Kitchen, Mrs. W. Campbell; Receptionist, Mrs. A. Keatley; Christian Education, Mrs. R. Barnett.

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At the service on Christmas morning, flowers at the altar were in memory of the late Mrs. G. I. McFaul and the late Alex Gordon, placed by the immediate relatives.

The church was filled to capacity, and the music rendered by the choir was most inspirational, also the sermon delivered by the Rev. G. W. Bruce.

NEW MOTELS

Winnipeg (CP) — Six new motels with a combined total of 327 rooms will be built here in the first six months of 1961. Total cost will be $5,000,000.

Social and Personal

Mr. J. R. Charron and Mr. H. G. Banford left by automobile last week for a vacation in Florida.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jack Reade and two children, of Roxboro, spent New Year's with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Leggett.

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Miss Georgia Calder, of Montreal, is spending the holiday season at her home here.

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Mr. and Mrs. F. Berthiaume and family spent the New Year's season visiting in St. Hyacinthe, Que.

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Mrs. Bill Flanigan and family moved to Pembroke, Ont., last week. They will be joined by Mr. Flanigan on relinquishing the local Bell Telephone management this week-end, to assume his new position with the company in its Pembroke office.

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Mr. Melchior Roby, of St. Jerome, renewed old acquaintances here last week.

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First Home and School Meeting in New Year

Parents are reminded of the Lachute District H. & S. meeting, next Wednesday, January 11, at the High School. Police Chief A. J. Whiteway will speak on the important topic of Road Safety.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gibson, of Ottawa, spent last week as the holiday guests of Mrs. A. Warwick.

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F/L Stanley Langille, R.C.A.F., Mrs. Langille and their children, David and Diane, have returned to Greenwood, N.S., after visiting his parents for the holiday season.

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Mr. Earl McCaskill, a student at Mount Allison University, returned by airline on Monday to Sackville, N.B., after spending the holiday season with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. G. McCaskill. Other guests at Christmas were Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Hay and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hay and family, all from Montreal.

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Mrs. O. J. Wood has been spending the New Year's season with friends in Montreal.

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Mr. and Mrs. Owen Riddell and children, Gerry and Gary, spent the New Year's holiday with Mrs. O. Riddell and Mr. and Mrs. R. Langille.

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Holiday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Pollock were Misses Effie and Jean Pollock, of Montreal; Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Pollock and family, of Temiskaming; Sgt. and Mrs. L. V. Woodland and family, of Kingston, Ont.; and Mr. Angus Pollock, of Fort Erie, Ont.

Mr. and Mrs. Graydon Goodenough, of Potsdam, N.Y., were guests of the latter's brother, Mr. Lebert Hume, over the holiday season.

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Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dickenson and son, Billy, of St. Laurent, spent New Year's week-end with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Brown.

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Mrs. A. Graham and Mr. Allan Graham, of Cushing, and Miss Elsie Graham, of Verdun, were New Year's guests of Mrs. A. J. Scott.

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35th Wedding Anniversary

Congratulations are extended to Mr. and Mrs. David Brown, of Lachute, who celebrated their 35th wedding anniversary on Friday, December 30. Mr. and Mrs. Brown spent the week-end in the area of Harrowsmith and Kingston, Ont., visiting with members of their family.

Those who gathered together on the week-end to extend best wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Brown were — Mr. Wesley Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Titley (the former Sybil Brown), Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Boyd (the former Lily Brown), Mr. and Mrs. John Blute (the former Roslyn Brown), and Mr. Neville Brown. During the week-end, the family presented their parents with several very lovely gifts.

"Better . . . cast into the Sea !"

"Suffer the little children to come unto Me" . . .
Is more than just **whites** at Jesus' knee.
"Offend these little ones that believe in Me —
Better that he were cast into the sea."

For love's ne'er found in segregation —
Love's the breath that **binds** a nation!

Tears cascade from heaven above,
From Him — to black **and** white **and** Love! . . .
That black and white too, who believe in Me
Might weep, 'side love's Statue of Liberty!

— **Gerald King Cushing**

QUEEN OF BELGIUM



Dona Fabiola, 32-year-old daughter of a Spanish nobleman, became the queen of Belgium after her marriage to 30-year-old King Baudouin in Brussels. The marriage gave this nation its first queen in 25 years.

Notaries adopt new procedure

The year 1961 will see significant events in the notarial profession in this province — one of these being the establishment of a central register of all persons making a will before a member of the Quebec Chamber of Notaries, and another event being the conference of the International Union of (Latin-Country) Notaries, to be held in Montreal.

The adoption of the central register of wills applies from January 1. This move is initiated by the notaries through difficulties, known to their profession better than any other, of families uninformed as to the will of a deceased — whether, or before whom, such a will was made.

The central register is authorized by law, and forms and envelopes will be supplied to notaries, for purposes of reporting these entries before the tenth day of each month. The registration will give the surname, Christian names, status and residence of the person making a will, also the date and the name of the notary recording such will. This information is held in confidence by the registrar until proof is given of the death of the testator.

POPULAR JOB

London, Ont. (CP) — the transportation commission here has hired 18 new drivers and shop staff to handle new routes, starting January 1. A spokesman said that even at times of peak employment there is a long list of applications for the jobs.

COUNTY HISTORY

Cowansville, Que. (CP) — The Missisquoi County Historical Society in this Eastern Townships centre has prepared a book on the county's history. The 80-page edition contains many illustrations.

New stamp issue February 8

A new large-size five-cent postage stamp, a tribute to the development of Canada's Northland and the increasing activity there in recent years, will be issued February 8, 1961. The announcement was made by the Hon. William Hamilton, Postmaster General.

This stamp depicts a large modern earth-moving machine and a surveyor with a transit below a compass rose. Lines of latitude and longitude illustrate the great expanse of Canada's last frontier in the north and the design as a whole emphasizes the prodigious activity being directed to the development of these parts of the country. The background of the stamp will be red and the lettering and foreground will be green.

Mr. Hamilton pointed out that, in recent years, the economy and society of the Northwest Territories have been changed and vitalized by the Federal Government's northern development program. Potential riches in minerals and oil revealed by geological survey have attracted exploration on a large scale. Settlements like Frobisher Bay and Inuvik have emerged as main centres of population. The isolation of the North has been broken by improvements in airfields, radio facilities, navigation routes and roads into the resource-rich areas.

The new stamp emphasizes the changing concept of Canada's North from a remote land of untapped possibilities to an active and vital segment of the Canadian economy.

PERTINENT BUT PRACTICAL

There is a five-year-old in Souris, Manitoba, who has a calf called Sparklight, a dog called Pokey and a two-year-old sister who "is a nuisance" when he "wants to color"! For the second year in a row, the little fellow who dictated all these pertinent details to his mother, sent the pennies he received on his brithday to help less fortunate boys and girls under the care of the Unitarian Service Committee of Canada, 78 Sparks Street, Ottawa. Since 1945, this non-denominational agency has specialized in helping orphans, abandoned children and refugees.

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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.

CHRIST CHURCH, ST. ANDREWS EAST
Rev. W. C. LeCras
11.00 a.m. Holy Communion.

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
Thurs., 8.00 p.m., Prayer

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11.00 a.m. Dunany.
2.00 p.m. Lakefield.

Parish of 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.

People's Church, Lachute
(Associated Gospel Church)
753 Main St., Lachute
REV. C. W. SORLEY, PASTOR
9.45 a.m. Bible School.
11.00 a.m. "GOD SEALED"
"Ye were sealed with the Holy Spirit of Promise."
7.30 p.m. "GOD DREW"
"He drew me out of many waters."
Wed., 8 p.m., Prayer Meeting.

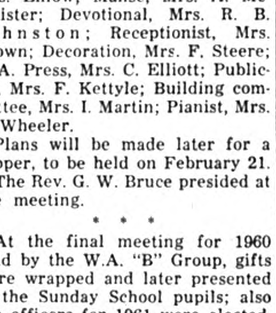
Margaret Rodger Memorial Presbyterian Church
REV. JAMES ARMOUR, B.A.
9.50 a.m. Church School and Bible Class
11.00 a.m. Morning Service
2.00 p.m. Brownsburg Service

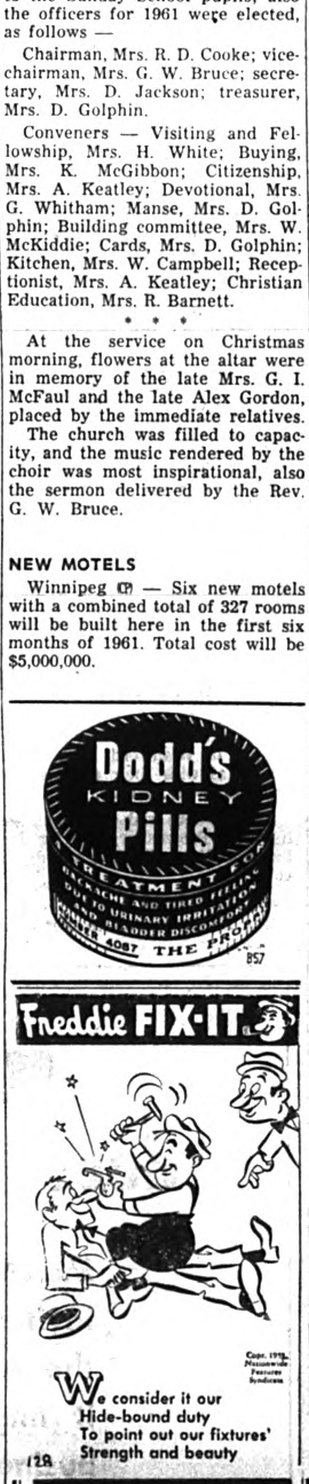
Lachute Baptist Church
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9.30 a.m. Our Bible School — Classes for all ages. Come, bring your Bible; all adults are invited to the Pastor's Bible Class.
7.30 p.m. Evening Gospel Service
"YOU NEED NOT RUN AWAY FROM YOURSELF"
Wednesday, 8 p.m. — The Hour of Praise and Prayer.
All heartily invited.

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
"THE WORK OF THE BISHOP"
All are heartily invited.

Maple Avenue Baptist Church, Brownsburg
REV. R. L. McPHEE
9.45 a.m. Church School.
11.00 a.m. Worship Service.
7.00 p.m. Praise and Testimony Service.
Wed., 7.30 p.m., Annual church meeting. Members please note!

English Catholic
Mass for English-speaking Catholics on Sunday, Jan. 8, at 8 a.m. in the basement of Ste. Anastasie Parish Church. (alt)











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LOST — ladies' grey suede glove, last week between A&P Store and Beaton's Pharmacy. — Please call LO 2-5312. Reward. 1p

Public Notice

Canada
Province of Quebec
District of Terrebonne
No. 31870

Superior Court

GASTON CHAPLEAU, laborer, of the town and district of Terrebonne, plaintiff

— vs —

FLORENCE BILODEAU, of the city and district of Montreal, wife separate as to property, of Gaston Chapleau, laborer, of the town and district of Terrebonne, duly authorized for these presents, defendant.

The defendant is ordered to appear within a month.

St. Jerome, this 13th day of December, 1960.

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Public Notice

Canada
Province of Quebec
District of Terrebonne
No. 24,160

Magistrate's Court

THE BRITISH AMERICAN OIL COMPANY LTD., a body politic and corporate, duly incorporated according to law, and having its head office and principal place of business in the Town of Mount Royal, district of Montreal, plaintiff

— vs —

FREEZER FOODS INC., a body politic duly incorporated according to law, and having its head office and principal place of business in the Town of Lachute, District of Terrebonne, defendant.

The defendant is ordered to appear within a month.

St. Jerome, December 20, 1960.

— Stein & Cadieux,
J4.2c Clerk of Magistrate's Court

I.A.C. Director



The Right Hon. Louis St-Laurent

G. E. Wemp, Chairman of the Board of Industrial Acceptance Corporation Limited, takes pleasure in announcing the re-election of The Right Hon. Louis St-Laurent, Q.C., LL.D., P.C., to its Board of Directors.

Mr. St-Laurent, Prime Minister of Canada from 1948 until 1957, served as a Director of the Company prior to entering public life in 1941. Following his retirement in 1957, Mr. St-Laurent returned to his Quebec City law firm of St-Laurent & St-Laurent and is now Chairman of the Board and Director of La Compagnie Miron Limitee, a Director of Famous Players Canadian Corporation Limited, Investors Syndicate of Canada Limited, Rock City Tobacco Company Limited and President of the National Heart Foundation of Canada.

Tenders

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, OTTAWA

SEALED TENDERS addressed to Secretary, Department of Public Works, Room B-322, Sir Charles Tupper Building, Riverside Drive, Ottawa, and endorsed "Tender for Federal Building, Oka, P.Q." will be received until 3.00 p.m. (E.S.T.), Wednesday, February 1, 1961.

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— Robert Fortier,
Chief of Administrative Services
1c and Secretary

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LACHUTE HOME & SCHOOL MEETING, JAN. 11

Members of the Lachute District H. & S. Association are reminded that Wednesday, Jan. 11, starts the 1961 season. A good attendance is desired; new members are invited. Topic, "Road Safety", with Police Chief A. J. Whiteway as guest speaker. 1c

KEEP-FIT CLASS

This Thursday, Jan. 5, the physical fitness class, for women of all ages, will re-open at the Knights of Columbus Hall, commencing at 8 p.m. Newcomers will be welcome. — Phone Mrs. H. Heyden, LE 7-3683. 1p

MILITARY WHIST

— To be held in the Legion Hall, Lachute, Wednesday, Jan. 11, at 8 p.m., sponsored by L.O.B.A. 943. (Please bring playing cards.) Adm. 50c. 1c

CDN. CANCER SOCIETY

The monthly meeting of the Canadian Cancer Society, Lachute Branch, will be held in the Cancer workrooms, Court House, on Tuesday, Jan. 10, at 3 p.m. Reports on the Cancer conference in Montreal will be given. All interested in this worthwhile work are welcome.

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DISTRICT NEWS FROM OUR COUNTY CORRESPONDENTS

Cushing

Guests on New Year's Day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Fuller were Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bryerton and children, of Rosemere, also Mr. and Mrs. Donald Fuller and baby, Debbie, of Cushing.

Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Elliott motored to Ottawa on New Year's Eve to attend the 20th wedding anniversary of his sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Christie, of Almonte, which was held at the home of their brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Fenton Elliott, of Ottawa.

Guests at the Elliott home in Cushing during the week were Miss Sherry Cushing, of Montreal, Miss Doris and Miss Enid Robertson, of Montreal and St. Andrews East — the latter being a guest for the New Year's week-end.

Mrs. Laura Morrow, of Hawkesbury, was an overnight guest at the home of her son, Wesley, of Monalea Road, on Tuesday.

Mrs. A. Graham, Miss Elsie Graham and Mr. Allan Graham were New Year's guests of Mrs. A. J. Scott, Bethany Road, Lachute.

Avoca

Visitors in Avoca for the Christmas season were Mrs. W. H. Kelly, of Aylmer, and daughters; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ball and daughter, of Verdun; Mr. and Mrs. Donna Currie and sons, and Misses Dorothy and Nancy MacLeod, of Montreal; Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Kelly and children, of Montreal; Mrs. Hill and son, Ross, and Pte. Donald McCallum, of Petawawa; Mr. and Mrs. Peter Wright and family, of Montreal; Miss Marjory Vaillancourt and Miss Gloria Andrews, of Montreal; Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Page and family, of East Templeton.

The United Church had a candlelight service on Christmas Eve, which was well attended by members from the Harrington and Kilmar churches.

Christmas Day service in the Baptist Church was well attended. The young people presented a Christmas play on this occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. Toller, of Edmonton, Alta., are visiting their son, the Rev. Wm. Toller and Mrs. Toller.

Mr. and Mrs. Argyle Purdy and family, of Brantford, Ont., spent Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Arthurs.

Friends here wish Mrs. Robt. McIntyre, of Brownsburg, and Mr. Jos. Bates, of Hawkesbury, a speedy recovery.

Post-Office Closed

The Avoca post-office closed on December 31. Mr. Allan McPhee has been postmaster here for 42½ years. His father before him was postmaster for 20 years — making a total of 62 years' service in the McPhee family.

The new address for mail destined for Avoca will be: Pointe au Chene, R.R. 1, Que.

Lake Keatley

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Jones and family, of Thurso, spent Christmas day as guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. MacVicar; also Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Bennett, or Arundel, called on New Year's Day.

Mrs. Paquette and son, Jacques, entertained their family and friends over the holiday season.

Miss Enid Stewart, of Montreal, spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Stewart.

Guests over the holiday season at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Art White were — Mr. and Mrs. Murray McCulloch, of Renfrew; Mr. Geo. McLeod and Mr. and Mrs. Hinds, of Montreal, and little daughter; Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Young and family, of Port Colborne.

Holiday guests at Mr. and Mrs. Sanford MacVicar's were Mr. and Mrs. Manley Chisholm, Evelyn and Keith; Mr. and Mrs. D. Barnes, son Jackie and daughter Nancy, of Hawkesbury; also Mr. Douglas Knight, of Grenville.

Mr. and Mrs. John Swift, Mr. and Mrs. Sanford MacVicar and girls, spent New Year's Day as guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. Barnes in Hawkesbury.

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St. Andrews West

Mrs. J. W. Burton and Susan returned from Brome, Que., last week.

The Rev. J. Bruce Robertson spent the Christmas vacation with his mother, Mrs. J. Fraser Robertson, and has now returned to Andover Newton Seminary, in Newton Centre, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Parker spent Christmas with their sons at Valois and St. Martin, Que.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Brown and little daughter, Debbie, of Kilmar, visited Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Calder on Sunday.

Mrs. J. Leslie Tedford, of Thetford Mines, Que., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Harry Webb.

Mrs. Green, of Montreal, spent the holiday with Mr. and Mrs. Alex McPhee.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Johnson spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Walker, of Lachine, Que.

Resident Bereaved

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Riddlington, from the Boys' Farm at Shawbridge, Que., visited Mrs. T. Webster on Tuesday. . . . Mrs. Webster has received word of the death of her brother, Mr. Fred Riddlington, who passed away in Winnipeg on Wednesday of last week.

Little Danny Tyres and his sister, Bubbles, have returned to their parents in St. Eustache, after spending 2½ years in Mrs. Alice O'Brien's care.

BEWARE LOADED ROOFS

When parking your car, beware of any dangerous condition, especially at this time of the year. Watch out for a neighboring roof covered with ice or packed snow that is likely to fall on you or any occupant of your car. Remember that quick changes of temperature call for increased vigilance. Park where it is safe — away from loaded roofs, even if you have to walk a few more steps to reach your destination.

FIRST ANNIVERSARY

Stoney Mountain, Man. (CP) — An organization called the Native Brotherhood, a group of Indians and Metis serving time in penitentiary here, has celebrated its first anniversary. It is pledged to work for their own rehabilitation.

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All this — plus a $4,000 surplus; year's review of town administration

At the last session of the Council year and of Mayor Jas. W. McGibbon's two-year mandate, the latter reviewed the Council's major problems and accomplishments in the past 12 months, and congratulated the aldermen on the harmonious and co-operative spirit which they had displayed in all matters of the town's administration.

Review of Activities

In the sphere of fire protection the town had acquired two new pump units, hose and equipment to the value of $35,000. Of this amount, $17,000 had been received from the Quebec Government and a further balance of $13,000 remained on the grant.

In waterworks installation, a new 14-inch conduit had been laid from the Hill Head road and a 16-inch pipe beneath White's Bridge for future requirements. The municipality had still on hand a quantity of 14-inch pipe worth around $12,000.

For snowclearing this winter the town had purchased a Sicard snowblower, and two Bombardier caterpillar tractors for sidewalks — the used equipment having been sold.

Many thoroughfares had been paved and others repaired. Expenditure in this department was $20,000, and it was possible a provincial grant might offset some of this expense.

In street-lighting, the populace had enjoyed the benefits of all-round replacement with higher-powered light units.

The police and fire departments had been re-organized, with a new chief in charge of each. The police had been equipped with a new ambulance-emergency car and a new radio communication system to make their work more effective.

Several thousand feet of new sidewalk had been laid and old sidewalks rebuilt.

The rapidly expanding Cruise Development had been serviced with sewerage.

In social welfare, the provincial government had agreed to a better deal for the municipalities, financially speaking. There was little doubt, also, that the new Hospital Insurance Act would work to the advantage of municipal finances in lightening the load for sick-indigent residents.

The Mayor, after enumerating these developments, felt that the population owed a debt of recognition to their civic administration, for in addition to all this, the financial operations of the year showed a surplus balance of roughly $4,000.

"The town is in an excellent financial condition," he concluded, "and ranks among the best-managed municipalities. We are proud, and the population may also take pride in this condition."

Wildlife scenes with commentary, at W.I. meeting

The monthly meeting of the Lachute Branch of the Women's Institute was held on January 3, in the Legion Hall, and was chaired by the president, Mrs. Linton Armstrong.

The guest speaker, presented by Mrs. R. R. Davidson, convener for the program of the day, was Mr. Mansiel Wilson, resident manager of Canadian International Paper Co. at Grenville.

In his opening remarks, Mr. Wilson explained that, in observing animal and plant life in connection with his work in forest conservation, he had become an ardent camera-man, and in fact for some time had been so interested in getting "shots" with his camera, rather than with his guns, that the latter had hung idly on the wall. Mr. Wilson then showed, with entertaining commentary, some of these "shots" on the screen. A field of daisies, a bit of milkweed in pink blossom, a brilliant pine Grosbeak perched on a branch of sumach, a Mallard duck a-nesting, a noble moose and his mate swimming in a lake, some speckled trout lying on a mat of red maple leaves, all became things of breath-taking loveliness. Indeed, it would seem that we do not appreciate the rare beauty of familiar things until this beauty is caught by the eye of the camera and flashed before us on a screen. And here displayed were some subjects, as one was heard to remark, that would make excellent emblems for our Canadian flag.

Mrs. Gordon Davidson thanked the speaker. Tea was then served, the hostesses being Mrs. G. Leggett, Dr. Suzanne MacKimmie, Mrs. W. Shearsmith and Mrs. A. Taylor.

SUDDEN DEATH SHOCKS COMMUNITY —

Late Dr. F. W. FitzGerald was prominent in many community and professional roles

Dr. Frederick Walter FitzGerald, one the best-known citizens of this town, died suddenly and unexpectedly at his home early last Sunday morning, causing a severe shock throughout the community where he had practiced as a family physician for the past 23 years. In that time he had filled many roles of public service.

Dr. FitzGerald was in his 55th year. Born in St. John's, Nfld., he was educated at Bishop Field College in that city, was graduated from McGill with the degree of M.D.,C.M. in 1933 and took post-graduate study in Cook County Hospital and Northwestern University, Chicago. He then practiced in Cornerbrook, Nfld., for five years before coming to Lachute.

He was mayor of this town in 1955-57; past-chairman of the Protestant School Board; past-president of the Lions Club and of the Lachute Medical Board; a member of the Golf Club, Curling Club, St. Simeon's Church, Argenteuil Masonic Lodge, the Phi Rho Sigma Fraternity (McGill) and the University Club, Montreal. He was past-District Governor and an International Counsellor of the Lions Club International.

He served here as medical officer for J. C. Wilson Co. and the C.P.R., and was a senior staff physician of the Providence Hospital. But in his profession he enjoyed a far wider esteem, being on the national executive of the Canadian Medical Association and a past-president (1957-58) of the Quebec Division. He was a member of the British Medical Association, of the College of General Practice (Canada), and of the Montreal Medico-Chirurgical Society.



The late Dr. F. W. FitzGerald

The late Dr. Walter FitzGerald is survived by his wife, the former Christine Murray Bulloch, of Montreal; two daughters, (Claire) Mrs. Donald Joyce, R.N., and (Isabel) Mrs. Grant Murray, R.N., both of Montreal; and one grandchild, Sharon Joyce. There remain also a sister, (Geraldine) Mrs. Wm. Jones, of Montreal, and three brothers, Arthur FitzGerald, of Harbour Grace, Nfld., George, of Vancouver, and Ralph, of Lachute. He was predeceased by one brother, Cabot, of Cornerbrook, Nfld., in 1951.

A profusion of flowers bore evidence of public esteem at his funeral, held this afternoon (Wednesday), where fellow townsfolk in large numbers paid their last tribute in St. Simeon's Anglican Church, and in the basement of the building where the service was relayed by P.A. system. The rector, the Rev. C. R. Lang, officiated, assisted by the Rev. W. C. LeCras. The remains were laid to rest in Lachute Cemetery.

Honorary pall-bearers were Messrs. George and Ralph FitzGerald, Wm. Jones, Warren Soper, Alexander Baxter, Dr. Aubrey Geddes, Messrs. Frank Dougherty, Geo. Tattersfield, Jas. MacKimmie and Gavin Walker.

Arrested for theft

Yvon "Plush" Villeneuve was arrested last week by Lachute municipal police and charged with breaking and entering with theft at Dawson's Radio and TV Shop. The break-in occurred during December. The man was taken to St. Jerome where he is being held until January 17 for trial. A portion of the loot was recovered, according to Police Chief A. J. Whiteway.

Many homes aided by bed and chair loan committee

An outstanding record of community service was reflected in the 1960 report of the Lachute Bed and Chair Committee, read at a meeting held January 4.

Mrs. Geo. Y. Deacon, custodian of the beds and secretary-treasurer of the committee, reported on the hospital beds in use during 1960, showing the use of nine beds in 15 homes for a total of 2,811 days. The average use per bed was 312⅓ days.

To defray the cost of repairs and to purchase new beds and chairs as needed, there is a small charge of 25 cents per week per bed or chair.

Bank Balance, Jan. 1, 1960	$257.25
Receipts for use of beds	115.25
Receipts for use of chairs	17.65
Total receipts	390.15
Apr. 7, Paid out for new beds and sides	177.88
Balance	$212.27

Mrs. T. Milnes and Mrs. D. Schwartz, conveners in charge of the wheel chairs (which are stored at the police station in the City Hall), reported constant use of chairs and expressed their appreciation for the help given them by Mr. Larocque and Mr. J. Menard on duty at the desk.

Mrs. F. W. FitzGerald, president of the Lachute Bed and Chair Committee, thanked Mrs. Geo. Y. Deacon for her splendid report on this excellent work.

Jobless Insurance, clarification given on family employ't

In order to correct an erroneous understanding which has had a fairly widespread acceptance, Mr. Gabriel A. Downing, local office manager of the Unemployment Insurance Commission, warns the public with regard to insuring persons either in family or casual employment.

Recent decisions handed down by Mr. Justice J. D. Kearney, Umpire for the Commission, contain coverage interpretations concerning these types of employment. In the past, such employments were accepted as being insurable, whereas it is pointed out that, in most cases, they are not insurable.

One of the principal reasons in support of these decisions is the absence of a contract of service, as required by the Unemployment Insurance Act. In other words, a genuine master-and-servant relationship does not exist. This is especially true of many family businesses, where the relationship takes precedence over and negates the contract of service. In such cases it is usually taken for granted that the various members of the family work for the common benefit and any profit is shared by all members according to their individual needs.

Similar reasons are put forth in regard to casual employment. Usually, there is no contract of service, as required by the Act and, in most cases, persons engaged in this type of employment are not insurable. For a contract of service to exist, among other factors the casual employer should have the right of direction and control over the employee. It is not sufficient for the employer and employee to agree or make a statement that the right exists. It must also be shown that it exists in fact and that the employer is in a position to effectively exercise such control.

This principle can be applied to a very large proportion of cases of building or repairing or making alterations to private dwellings. A carpenter employed in such work by a building contractor is usually employed under a contract of service; but when employed by a householder he is almost always not insurable, as the householder may not have the ability to direct how the work is to be done or may not be in a position to exercise effective control. It is immaterial whether payment is by the hour, by the unit of work, or by the job.

Where persons are insured in error, the contributions are voided by the Commission and are not valid for benefit purposes. The public is, therefore, urged to consult the Lachute office of the Commission before insuring persons either in family or casual employment.



Hockey flash-back - 1933

In the winter of 1932-33, Ayers Limited won the playoffs in Lachute to meet the Brownsburg Blues, winners in that community, in a final tilt for the league championship. The Ayers team took the laurels in this exciting climax of a season when inter-community rivalry was at its peak and the rafters of the skating rink on Barron Avenue resounded with the cheers and catcalls of a packed house.

These were years when, in misguided enthusiasm, the young editor devoted most of The Watchman's front page, and many columns inside, to local hockey — to the displeasure of many less fanatical readers!

The above picture of the winning Ayers team was printed in February 1933. In the line-up are several who have passed on, and others still familiar in this town whose maturer years have brought inertia to once-agile physiques.

Left to right (standing) are the late Charlie Walker, manager of the team; Antonio "Pelo" Patry, still at Ayers Limited; Hervé Paquette, now of Montreal; Aldege Miron, who resides on Princess Street; Bill McFaul, now of Ste. Adele; Henri Joly, West End resident; and Wilfrid Jolicoeur, retired, who lives on Grace Street (the latter was coach).

Front row — Rosario "Bidou" Patry, of Ayersville; Noë Patry (goaler), still going strong but not playing hockey; Winston "Jim" Drew, now of Vancouver Island, who was captain of the team; the late Mel Langille, who was reserve goaler; and the late Cyril Drew, who died on service overseas.

The Ayers hockey club was under the chairmanship of Mr. Thos. Ayers.

— Photo by A. Fortier

Traffic matters, firemen's insurance debated at January Council meeting

At the last Council meeting, with Mayor Jas. W. McGibbon presiding, the proprietor of the Champlain service station on Main Street, André Thibodeau, requested that the "No U-Turn" sign opposite his premises be removed. Mr. Thibodeau contended this regulation was affecting his business, since customers driving east cannot turn into his garage without violating the ruling. . . . The request was referred to the police committee, together with a complaint from Richard Bradford, on the opposite corner, that his driveway was continually blocked by cars at busy traffic periods.

Correspondence

The secretary was instructed to acknowledge a letter and cheque of $240 from the Quebec Department of Municipal Affairs, representing the balance of first instalment of a $32,800 grant to defray debt incurred in sewer and watermain extensions.

A few credit notes, held in abeyance from a previous meeting, will be studied by the mayor and finance committee.

Insurance of Firemen

Following a recent request for more adequate insurance of the volunteer fire-fighters, the Council and office staff had looked over the policies for this coverage and concluded that the protection in force was better than had been previously believed. It was decided to make no change, and all members of the brigade will receive a written explanation from the firm of Deslauriers & Marcil, outlining the situation and advantages of the two existing policies.

New Traffic By-Law

A traffic by-law (No. 222) prepared by Fernand Legault, Q.C., at the Council's request, had been mimeographed and was presented to each Council member for study, by Ald. Horace Lamarche. After due consideration, the aldermen will be in a position to give opinions and suggestions before enactment of these regulations.

Accounts for the month, totalling $40,107.42, were approved for payment.

Ald. Lamarche proposed a vote of thanks to the six councillors concluding their mandate at the end of January, for their devotion in the exercise of their civic office.

Ald. Réal Morrissette proposed, and Ald. Lauréat Laurin seconded, the purchase of a grease-gun for $44.70 for servicing the town trucks and vehicles.

The meeting was adjourned until January 10.

Bradford Avenue proprietors to vote on loan by-law

Bradford Avenue property-holders in Ayersville will be called upon to approve or reject a loan by-law to raise $34,800, in a vote to be recorded January 23. The referendum applies only to taxpayers concerned in the Bradford thoroughfare — according to a decision at the Ayersville Council session last week, with Councillor Maurice Dumas presiding in the absence of Mayor Gaetan Paquette and Gérard Gauthier, pro-mayor.

The loan, if approved by the taxpayers, will close a contentious issue, since the $34,800 represents an additional expenditure over the original estimate of $39,000 cost of sewer and waterworks installation.

The vote will be held from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. at the town secretary's office, 56 Mallette Street, and it involves only Bradford Avenue proprietors.

Other Business

A letter from the Board of Transport Commissioners concerning Simon's Crossing, was read and tabled. The letter stated that, although accidents were still occurring at this crossing, none, since the installation of signals, had involved a train-auto collision.

An amount of "$50 deductible" in an accident between the town truck and an auto belonging to Edouard Lajoie, was authorized to be paid to the claimant. It was suggested that Georges Brisebois, foreman on the job where this accident occurred, be asked to give his version of the matter.

Bills for the month, amounting to $5,187.04, were approved for payment — on motion of Coun. Douglas Simon, seconded by Coun. Rosaire Quenneville.

Before conclusion of the meeting, Secretary Jacques Poitras informed the Council that a mutually satisfactory arrangement had been reached between the town authorities and Dominion Ayers Wood Products regarding settlement for that company's taxes.

The session was adjourned until January 25.

Officers elected, activities reviewed at Red Cross Branch annual meeting

The annual meeting of the Red Cross Society, Lachute Branch, was held in December — in line with the policy of the National Committee. The president, Mrs. F. W. FitzGerald, thanked all who had volunteered their services to the Society during 1960.

The Women's Work Committee, under chairmanship of Mrs. Fraser Morrison, with Mrs. Mae Tillotson and Mrs. F. Roberts in charge of knitting, reported that during the past 11 months of 1960 six shipments had been sent to Red Cross Headquarters in Montreal. These consisted of articles ranging in size from quilts to baby vests and swabs for the Blood Transfusion Service. In all there were:

727 Pieces of sewing; 108 knitted articles; 19 donations — a total of 854. In addition 4,985 swabs were made for the Blood Transfusion Service.

Mrs. Morrison thanked all members of the Committee and the many Red Cross workers throughout the community for their faithful efforts, which made Lachute's contribution to the Red Cross workrooms so outstanding. Special thanks were extended to Mrs. R. Carreau, in charge of packing, and Mrs. Harry Scott, in charge of quilts, on duty every Wednesday at the workrooms, checking and packing all the supplies sent to Montreal.

The Red Cross blood donor clinic, under the chairmanship of Mr. Roger Regimbal and vice-chairman Mr. A. Higginson, was again a credit to Lachute, with 479 donors, and the President, Mrs. FitzGerald, again thanked all those who took part in organizing this effort and giving their blood so generously.

The Red Cross financial campaign, under chairmen Messrs. Gordon Tabrett and Jacques Bedard, went "over the top", — the treasurer, Mr. C. E. Richardson reporting a total of $5266.31 for 1960, as compared to $4940.05 in 1959.

In the report of the Loan Cupboard Committee, the conveners, Mrs. T. Milnes and Mrs. D. Schwartz, again stressed the need for more space for chairs, beds and crutches and the importance of checking items returned. Sick room supplies, crutches, chairs and hospital beds are available free of charge — a total of eight articles were loaned during 1960.

Dr. Suzanne MacKimmie reported well attended Home Nursing classes during 1960. The first was held in French in the fall, at the Catholic School under chairmanship of Dr. S. MacKimmie, and the second in February and March under the direction of Mrs. G. Vessie, at the High School.

Mrs. Gordon McOuat, chairman of the Nominating Committee, presented the slate of officers for 1961, as follows:

Honorary president, Mrs. J. E. Leonard.

President, Mrs. F. W. FitzGerald.

Vice-presidents, 1st, Mrs. A. G. McOuat, 2nd, Mrs. F. L. Legault, 3rd, Mrs. Edgar Pollock.

Secretary, Mrs. Harry Booth.

Treasurer, Mrs. Roy Fraser.

Directors— Mrs. E. H. Wilson, Mrs. G. G. Mitchell, Miss L. Hampton, Mrs. J. A. Gordon, Mrs. Geo. McGibbon.

Women's Work Committee — Mrs. Fraser Morrison (sewing), Mrs. Fred Roberts (knitting), Mrs. H. Scott (quilts), Mrs. Rod Carreau (packing), Mrs. Mae Tillotson (knitting).

Campaign — Chairman, Dr. John MacKimmie; co-chairman, Dr. Lyle Middleton; treasurer, Mr. C. E. Richardson.

Blood Donor Clinic — chairman, Mr. R. Regimbal; co-chairman, Mr. K. Riley; records, Mrs. R. Stephens.

Emergency Calls for Blood Donations — Mr. Linton Armstrong (LO 2-5005).

Loan Cupboard — Chairman, Mrs. Dave Schwartz; co-chairman, Mrs. Thos. Milnes.

Veterans' Welfare — Mr. Carl Demerse.

Home Nursing — Dr. Suzanne MacKimmie, Mrs. Alex Vessie, Mrs. Leopold Carrière, Mrs. J. Dupré.

Swimming & Water Safety — Mrs. Geo. McGibbon, Mrs. Ernest Emmett.

Publicity & Promotion — Mrs. Howard Watson (chairman), Mrs. W. Shearsmith.

Disaster Committee — The Mayor, Dr. L. Turcotte, Mrs. F. W. FitzGerald, Mrs. Wm. Cottingham, Police Chief A. J. Whiteway, R. A. Giles.

Nominating Committee — Mrs. Leonard Bedard, Mrs. J. E. Leonard, Mrs. Angus Taylor, Mrs. Eric Hibbard, Mrs. F. W. FitzGerald.

Year's report of Fire Dept. at Brownsb'g Council meeting

(Our District Correspondent)

The only newsworthy items to come out of the January 3 session of the Brownsburg Council were those concerning the year-end report on fires, snow clearance and house numbering. All three discussion points were initiated by the town foreman and fire chief, Fern Brisson.

Fire Department

The 1960 fire department record was as follows:

	1960	1959
Fires in B'burg	16	14
Fires outside B'burg	3	5
Meetings and practices	12	12
Fire losses in B'burg	$1290	$2870
Fire losses outside B'burg	$3525	$174,000

(The latter include destruction of a theatre in Lachute and a garage in St. Philippe.)

Fires in Brownsburg during the year — chimney fires, 6; bush fires, 1; grass and leaves, 3; stove pipes, 2; buildings 3; electrical, 1.

Chief Brisson ended his report on a happy note, stating that there had been no fires during December (a point worthy of special mention).

Snow Clearing

In regard to snow-clearance of streets, Mr. Brisson complained that some citizens were in the habit of throwing snow out on the street when shovelling their own walks and driveways. This is a poor practice, particularly if the municipal plow or snow-blower has just completed the snow-clearance in the area. Council added teeth to the request for individuals to comply, by announcing once again that the law forbids throwing anything on town roads.

House Numbering

In discussions relating to house numbering, Mr. Brisson stated that Main Street had been completed, with the numbers beginning at 100 at the eastern town limit. Maple Avenue is next, and the remainder of the town will be completed subsequently. Home-owners are requested to place these numbers on their homes within two weeks of the receipt of the numbers, and to attach them in a conspicuous location at the front of the house.

Sgt. Det. R. Allen takes course

In the Provincial Police program of re-organization, two ranking detectives have been selected to take a two-months course at the R.C.M.P. base in Ottawa. One of these is Sgt. Det. Ralph Allen, well known here; the other is Sgt. Det. Albert Brouillette. The two have been in Ottawa since last Sunday.

Each of these officers has a background of 20 years' experience in the Provincial Police. The course they are assigned to will deal with advanced methods of crime detection, also police administration.

Sgt.-Det. Ralph Allen was in charge at the local headquarters of Quebec Provincial Police for a number of years. He had previously served in Hull, Noranda and Val d'Or, and is presently in charge at St. Jerome. It is believed, however, the two officers, on completion of their course, will be assigned to important posts at Q.P.P. provincial headquarters.



Sgt.-Det. Ralph Allen

M.L.A. patron for Ayersv'l carnival

The Hon. Lionel Bertrand, M.L.A. for Terrebonne, has agreed to visit Ayersville as patron of the fourth annual winter carnival in February, and will be present at one of the outstanding functions in this celebration.

Argenteuil Outdoors

A column for the sportsman

— By BOB ATCHISON —



Fishing though the ice is very good just now, with St. Placide the biggest producer. Along with some very good perch, there are a number of nice pike being taken. All along the Ottawa River fishermen can be seen catching some kind of fish. The perch are naturally the most predominant but the pike are also numerous. All these fish are being caught in deep water, so if you go fishing, try out in the river first.

One sport was telling me he had started with six minnows, and with these and fish bait he caught 55 nice perch. The fish is the old standby — cutting off the fins, or using the eye for bait. It seems to have paid off in this case. Another fisherman had used a spinner on a jig, and had two pike of fair size. The ice is safe to drive on now, and this will make it a lot easier for the angler who wants a little comfort.

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Rabbits are increasing all over the County. I have seen a couple of good bags. All the animals seem to be in very good condition too, with no trace of disease of any kind. Even the ticks are scarce on them. Partridge are very plentiful in this particular area; they have lately taken up the practice of feeding in the cedars alongside the mountain near our place. They may even be seen on the roads.

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Another beef about the deer situation. Since my last column telling of deer being purchased in our town, there have been a good dozen calls telling me of other places where a discreet enquiry will get you a deer — at a price, of course. One place that seemed to be well staffed with these jokers was St. Michel de Wentworth, followed closely by St. Philippe and Carillon. Evidently these spots have someone in the know as to where deer can be purchased. Let's hope something is done about this very soon.

I also heard of a gent right in our own town who had got himself two extra deer just before New Year's. It's too bad that most people decline to give the names of these characters. Believe me, informants will not be mentioned in telling me of these culprits. The service they can do to the County in the preservation of its wildlife, would be of untold benefit. So come on, DON'T BE SHY — let's have them, and it's your problem no longer!

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Some talk has been given the "Buck Law" regarding the deer. A number of people are not in favor of this, and they have some good reason for not wanting it. One of these is the number of deer that will be killed and not taken, because they are does or fawns. This is an excellent point, but the same situation still applies to the fawns anyway. Certainly there are a number of shooters that kill a fawn and leave it because of its size (not wanting to turn in their deer permit). This doesn't apply to the does, I know, but it probably would if the law were passed. But something has to be done about this, and until the governments come up with something better it will have to do. Some States below the line have this law in effect, and it is getting by for the time being.

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Continuing now on the subject of flies. . . .

The name May fly originated overseas. The name does not imply that this variety hatches in May only. We in Canada know these flies by different names — Shad flies, River or Water flies, and so on. One thing they all have in common, they are eaten by fish as long as they may be out. All fish feed on them, more than any other type of insect at any given time. True they are not always winged insects, but in the nymph or larvae stage. The fly lives only a very short time, so that it can be seen they multiply in vast numbers. When you consider the time it takes for the egg to become a fly, then you can understand how many millions of eggs are laid. Watching a hatch, one outstanding thing will be seen. All these new-crop flies will rest upside down. The reason for this is the wings are wet, and until they dry there is no control over them. The skin is shed once more before the wings dry. On drying, the wings will be a beautiful, sheer color. In some cases delicate shades of nearly every color may be seen.

As soon as this occurs the flies are ready to mate. This usually happens during the afternoon, or early in the evening. Most flies seen around a stream or lake will be males waiting to mate. This is done in the air as the male clasps the female to him, often dropping into the water in the process. Almost at once the eggs are laid, the female dies either in the water or on the surface. As I mentioned before, the name Spent-wing or Spinner is given to the dead fly, because of its straight-out wings. Don't get the idea there are only a few types of these May flies, I don't know just how many there are, but I do tie flies to this type in 33 different patterns!

The Caddis flies are the next most important to fish, so they deserve a little observation. The fly itself is often found in the rough grass or twigs alongside a stream or lake, and this is a tip-off to the fly man, when he spots dried-out cases in places like this. The female fly usually lays her eggs in the water, not like most Mays that just deposit them on the top — even though a couple of the species do this on occasion. We all have seen the green jelly-rings around the stems of plants in water; these are the eggs of one type of Caddis. The eggs being laid, the female usually dies right there, but on occasion they may rise to the surface before dying. Some of the eggs are encased in a shell-like cover, others in a cover that resembles small bits of stick and shell. Picking up one of these from the water, you can see both ends are open; this, I think, is for circulation. Also the case is supposed to be a protection, but is not very good in this respect. When feeding, this larvae allows the head and legs to extend out, giving the case free movement. I'm not sure on this point, but I think this is the only underwater life that has this means of movement. Not too much study has been given the Caddis flies, but no doubt one of these days they will be finding new ones. . . . One more thing about these flies: they have hair or scales on the wings.

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The Alder fly is another insect whose name comes from England; it pertains to flies that hang around the alders in that part of the world. Our alder flies look like the Caddis without the hair or scales on the wings. Alder wings lie alongside the body and give the impression of tents on top. Even though they have wings they do not always use them, preferring to walk rather than fly. Eggs from these flies can be seen almost everywhere, under bridges, on rocks, branches, etc. As usual, the female dies shortly after laying her eggs; after these hatch the larvae burrow into the bottom of the stream. They do occasionally come up to the surface of the water, but never stay up. After about two years they will leave the water and then burrow into the bank or sand. It changes from the larvae into a winged fly at this time, comes out and breeds. The eggs are laid and she dies. . . .

More about flies in our next column.

Lachute Lions' Skating Rink



Activities and Highlights of the Week

By Chief A. J. Whiteway

Here are the hockey scores in recent games:

Jan. 3 —
Lachute Young Men's League
High School 7 — Champlain 3

Jan. 3 — Exhibition Game
Loisirs Ste. Anastasie 5 —
St. Andrews, Riverside Hotel 6
St. Hermas 9 —
St. Andrews (G. Larocque) 4

Jan. 4 —
Lachute Young Men's League
I.O.H.A. 8 — Spitfires 5

Loisirs 4 — St. Andrews (Hotel) 1
Mallette 3 — J.O.C. 2
Belle Rivière 3
St. Andrews (G. Larocque) 2 —

Jan. 7 — Pee Wee League
Lowe's 1 — Legion 0
(by default)
Ayers 6 — Boyd's 2

Bantam League
Lowe's 6 — Legion 1
Boyd's 2 — Police 2.

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Skating attendance over the holidays was very, very good, according to Manager Jacques Bourgoing. More and more adults are being noticed taking advantage of rink facilities. Keep it up, folks — the more the merrier!

Figure skating lessons resumed January 2, with much enthusiasm and a good attendance.

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We regret to report that André Dagenais, a familiar figure at the "Patinoire", will not be with us any more. He has returned, we understand, to C-I-L. Thanks very much for a job well done, André, and all the very best at C-I-L.

André Dagenais has been replaced at the rink by Gilles Lesperance, a well experienced young man, who will assist in organizing Bantam and Pee-Wee hockey. Welcome aboard, Gilles.

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Sincere sympathy is extended to the family of the late Dr. F. W. FitzGerald in their great bereavement.

Hockey schedule resumed, Buckingham heads league

The new half of the Quebec-Ontario Hockey League season opened on a happy note for the Brownsburg Bombers, as they defeated Thurso 4-3 in the latter community on Friday night. After last Sunday's action the standings are as follows:

	P.	W.	L.	T.	F.	A.	PTS.
Buckingham	11	9	2	0	75	34	18
Brownsburg	13	8	4	1	68	53	17
Hydro-Quebec	11	4	7	0	50	66	8
Thurso	12	5	7	0	75	66	10
Lachute	11	2	8	1	45	94	5

In their 4-3 victory the Bombers were led by Cruise, Racine, Charlebois and Lacasse, who each tallied once, and by Buddy Racine, who played a stalwart game in goals. Serge Lacasse, a newcomer in the line-up, also played a stand-out game on defence.

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On Sunday the Bombers lost another game to the Buckingham Aces in Brownsburg. The Aces hit the score sheet four times in the first 9 minutes, and neither team was able to tally after that. In the second period, J. Racine went in on a break-away, but was thwarted by Lavergne as he slid the puck along the ice. At times the game got quite rough and several penalties were called. André Ouellette is now serving a three-game suspension for striking an official.

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The Spitfires got off on the wrong foot Sunday and dropped their first game of the new year to the Thurso Lumber Kings, by a score of 12-6.

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Thurso, who submitted a protest on the December 8 game, have been awarded an extra 2 points, and Buckingham have lost 2.

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The schedule for next week is as follows:

Thursday, Jan. 12 —
Thurso at Hydro-Quebec

Sunday, Jan. 15 —
'Burg at Buckingham
Hydro-Que. at Lachute

Tuesday, Jan. 17 —
Buckingham at Hydro-Que.

Thursday, Jan. 19 —
Hydro-Que. at Brownsburg

Ladies' events at Curling Club

Ladies' curling has started again after the holidays.

The Wilson Challenge game was played on Wednesday, January 4. The challengers, skipped by Mrs. J. McIndoe (Mrs. E. Pollock, Mrs. H. Graves, Mrs. R. Bailey) were victorious over Mrs. L. York (skip), Mrs. Jas. MacKimmie, Mrs. E. McFaul and Mrs. A. Thorne.

The Broomstick game, played the same day, was won by the holders of these emblems, Mrs. S. Jones (skip), Mrs. F. Jeffrey, Mrs. Wm. White and Mrs. S. Patterson. The challengers were Mrs. L. Armstrong (skip), Mrs. F. Hungerbuhler, Mrs. R. O. MacLean and Mrs. J. A. Gordon.

The Singles bonspiel was played before the holidays. This was won by Mrs. F. Stein, with Mrs. D. Heggie runner-up.

Three skips, Mrs. L. York, Mrs. G. Muir and Mrs. W. Cottingham, and their rinks left on Monday, January 9, to play in the Coronation games in Montreal.

The January tea will be held on Friday, 13th. All members and social members are welcome.

Lach. High School basketball games

By Eric Cheslock

During the Christmas vacation, the Lachute High School senior boys played three basketball games.

Their first engagement was played at John Rennie School. The local boys were defeated by a score of 59-44. The three stars for Lachute were Bryan Thomas, Gordie McKay and Reggie Beers.

The second game was played at Lachute against the Grads. The local boys were victorious, 51-41. The three stars for Lachute in this game were Gordie McKay, Ian Cairns and Bryan Thomas.

The last game was played at Hull, where the local team was defeated 64-32.

United Church Bowling League

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Team	Skip	P	W	L	D	For	Agst.	Pts.
Beavers	(Miss M. Gordon)	6	4	1	1	66	56	9
East Settlement	(Les Gordon)	6	4	2	0	62	52	8
All Stars,	(Reg. Stansfield)	6	4	2	0	51	47	8
St. George's	(Owen Todd)	6	4	2	0	50	37	8
St. Pat's	(Gladys Davis)	6	3	2	1	56	50	7
Teenagers,	(Grace Gordon)	6	3	2	1	46	44	7
Bluebirds	(Mrs. H. Riddell)	6	2	2	2	45	45	6
St. David's	(Willie Wilson)	6	3	3	0	44	54	6
St. Andrews	(Mrs. W. Bridge)	6	2	3	1	43	47	5
Redwings	(Miss Grace Rosser)	6	2	4	0	44	53	4
Maple Leafs	(Mrs. D. Smith)	6	1	4	1	34	50	3
Thistles,	(Jack Gorman)	6	0	5	1	36	51	1

St. Simeon's Church Bowling League

STANDING TO DATE

Team	Skip	P	W	L	D	For	Agst.	Pts.
Comets	(Mrs. C. Lang)	8	5	1	2	73	58	12
Rovers	(W. Chambers)	8	5	3	0	74	58	10
Eagles	(Mrs. A. Neil)	8	4	2	2	54	45	10
Meteors	(J. Sewell)	8	4	3	1	68	66	9
Stars	(G. Silverson)	8	3	3	2	67	58	8
Rangers	(H. Maslin)	8	2	5	1	53	77	5
Invictas	(G. Leggett)	8	2	6	0	59	82	4

Women's togs for a winter jaunt

By Carol Lane
("Tips on Touring")

Skiing week-ends are an increasingly popular way to break up the monotony of the winter months ahead — and you don't have to be an expert loaded down with fancy equipment to enjoy it, either.

The first question is, "How to Get There?" Special ski trains and planes have been highly publicized, but nothing can beat the family car for comfort and convenience. If you have chains or snow tires and a shovel in the luggage compartment, don't be afraid to take it, even in the snowiest season. You'll find the skiing areas keep their roads and streets plowed clear and clean.

From a number of experienced ski enthusiasts, I've compiled these suggestions on how to dress . . .

Start with a snug foundation of long underwear. Add a shirt of flannel, wool or cotton, with plenty of room in the shoulders for arm action. Then, two lightweight wool sweaters (warmer than one heavy one!) and a jacket to keep out the wind. Choose ski pants that are of a light but serviceable material, such as gabardine.

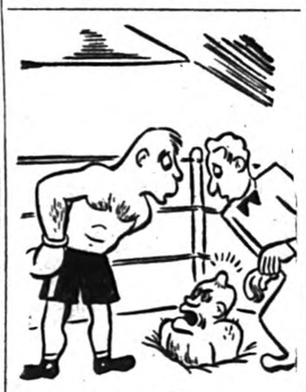
Gloves and socks are important and you'd do well to follow the woodsman's idea of "liners" and "choppers". Liners are soft wool mittens worn under the choppers of heavy wind-and-water-repellent material. Socks, like gloves, are worn in layers — the inner pair lightweight and the outer pair heavy.

For a week-end, most winter sports fans travel in their ski clothes, and, for luggage, get by with a small zipper bag of overnight necessities. But you won't want to drive long distances in ski boots, so keep a pair of loafers handy in the front seat.

Strap your skis on top of the family car, fill a large thermos jug with hot coffee — and you're off on a fine mid-winter "little vacation."

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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

Restricted immigration

AS LONG AS there is substantial unemployment in Canada, there probably will be arguments over immigration.

Some economists and labor union leaders say that immigration should be curbed during periods when Canadians are having difficulty finding jobs.

Others suggest that Canada's long-term economic development will require a much larger population and that orderly admission of new settlers is essential.

There is perhaps merit in both arguments. In any case, the federal government is likely to continue to restrict admission of unskilled workers during 1961.

This seems reasonable in view of the fact that people lacking special skills make up the largest proportion of Canada's more than 400,000 unemployed.

In the immediate post-war years when Europe was trying desperately to heal the wounds inflicted by the bombs and shells, there was a great rush to move to North America.

It would have been inhumane if Canada had not opened her doors to the thousands who had lost their homes and were trying to piece together lives shattered by the Second World War.

That we did welcome these people and give them new hope is indicated by the fact that in December the 2,000,000th post-war immigrant — a 16-year-old Danish girl — arrived in Canada.

But during 1960 only 106,928 immigrants came to this country — a sharp drop from 1957 when the flow reached a post-war high of 282,164.

In 1961 it seems likely the figure will fall below 100,000 for the first time in 10 years.

There are several reasons for this. Government restrictions are one. Another is the publicity abroad given to unemployment in Canada. But probably most significant is that the European economy has recovered to the point where fewer people want to leave for the New World.

The last reason is one that should give Canadians some feeling of satisfaction. We took part in the big post-war program of aid to Europe and should be pleased that our contribution has helped put the continent back on its feet.

In the long run economic stability in any part of the world will be of benefit to all mankind. And if we are to be more selective in our choice of immigrants, we can act without a feeling that we are denying many people their only chance for a new start.

Tribute to a sterling citizen

SELDOM does fate so suddenly write "finis" to a busy career — and rarely does the death of a citizen cause such a sincere sense of loss — as the passing of Dr. F. Walter FitzGerald at his home here last Sunday. Although his practice had been more extensive among the English-speaking community, the intermingling of French and English at his funeral rites today (Wednesday) spoke eloquently of the wide friendship he enjoyed.

The practitioner's role in this community is an arduous and demanding one. Nevertheless, in the past Dr. FitzGerald had found time to devote to education, civic affairs and service club work — as chairman of the School Board, as Mayor, also as local president and District Governor of Lions International. He was a man of character and of forceful views, and was fearless in upholding his conception of right and progress. He served as president of the Quebec Division, Canadian Medical Association, and on the national executive. He kept alert to the discoveries of his profession, and many are the families who appreciated, besides, his friendly understanding of human problems.

It is typical of this citizen that, although aware that he was the victim of a heart impairment, he betrayed no knowledge of the fact, nor did he seek ease or retirement. While curtailing his duties to the limited extent that he was able, he carried on in the best tradition of his profession. And there are many today who will sense a real and material gap in the old dependables of Main Street, where he conducted his practice for the past 23 years.

To his wife, daughters and immediate relatives, The Watchman expresses sincere sympathy of the many who share their sense of personal loss.

How Canadian are Canadians?

HOW CANADIAN are Canadians? The question is not as strange as might at first sight appear. Since 1945 our population has increased by fully 50 per cent, rising from 12 to 18 million.

Post-war immigration accounts for two million of this increase and, while some of these have come and gone, the greater part have remained to make Canada their home. What do they and their children really think of their adopted land? What, for that matter, is the feeling of those who are native Canadians with roots going back two and more generations?

Is there a sense of national pride, deeply felt? Is there knowledge of Canadian history, geography, culture, and political and economic development? Is there a real feeling of **belonging** to — and wanting to remain a part of — Canada?

There are some who have serious doubts about whether we are doing all we should do to broaden our knowledge of Canada and things Canadian. Mr. T. R. McLagan, president of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association, is one such and in a recent public address in Montreal he voiced his concern as follows:

"I am not afraid, as are some people, that we stand in danger of becoming narrowly nationalistic. The danger, as I see it, is all the other way.

"We share a continent with a great republic having an enormous population and the richest and most dynamic economy in the world today. We accordingly are subjected to economic, political, cultural and social pressures whose impact on us is all the greater because, fundamentally, we do have so much in common.

"But we are a nation, too, and if we attach any value at all to being not merely North Americans, but positively and distinctly Canadians, heirs to traditions worth preserving and building on, we should surely be troubled that so many of the younger generation especially are so ill-informed and so half-hearted about things Canadian.

"An alarming example of this was the recent television quiz program involving first, second, third and fourth-year students of one of our universities.

"All of them knew that George Washington was the first president of the United States, but more than half of them were unable to name the first Prime Minister of Canada. They could all identify Davey Crockett as an early American frontiersman, but not one of the fifteen interviewed could correctly identify all four of Champlain, Dollard, Hearn and La Verendrye.

"Again, more than half were able to name at least one American poet or writer, but three out of four were quite unable to call to mind one distinguished Canadian in these categories. And this in the land of Leacock, Bliss Carmen and Sam Slick!

"Again, not a single one out of the fifteen could name all four main Canadian political parties and most of them, when asked to name a Canadian magazine, suggested the Saturday Evening Post, Time, Newsweek and, of all things, The Times.

"Worst of all, more than half did not know the date of Confederation itself! . . .

"These young Canadians attending one of our centres of higher learning are not, I believe, untypical of their generation. That is to say, where a knowledge of Canada is concerned, they are no worse or no better than tens of thousands of others.

"In the face of this, and the many other indications of national carelessness — I might even say **ignorance** — should we not have cause to wonder whether our history books should not be revised in such a way as to place much greater emphasis on the development of this nation and the contribution made by leading Canadians in our heritage? Our history may not be as colorful as that of some other nations but it is **our** history.

"This is not simply a criticism of education and students. As much if not more of the responsibility surely rests with those of us who are parents and of an older generation.

"Frankly, I think we stand in urgent need of a strong injection of pro-Canadian fervor into our national life. As the only officially bilingual people in the western hemisphere, and by virtue of our political traditions, we have a real and distinctive contribution to make to the future of mankind."

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Explanation of services provided by the Quebec Hospital Insurance Act

Right to Hospital Services

Q. Who is entitled to free hospital services in the Province of Quebec?

A. Anyone who has lived there at least three months. Infants qualify immediately at birth.

Q. Who can apply for a patient's admission to hospital?

A. The attending physician, when he considers it medically necessary.

Q. Is a tourist, transient or visitor entitled to free hospital services?

A. No. The services such a person receives in a Quebec hospital are charged to the patient, or to the hospital insurance (if there is any) of his own province.

Admission and Discharge

Q. Can free treatment be obtained in all hospitals in the Province?

A. In all hospitals which have a contract with the Minister of Health. But the Hospital Insurance Act excludes tuberculosis sanatoriums, hospitals for mental patients, old people's homes and institutions which only provide custodial care.

Q. How long may a patient stay in hospital?

A. As long as the attending physician considers necessary.

Q. When the patient has to be transferred to another kind of hospital, such as a convalescent hospital or one for chronic diseases, does he still enjoy the same rights?

A. Yes, if the change of hospital is required for medical reasons.

Q. Does the Hospital Insurance Service pay for services furnished outside the hospital or in the outpatient department?

A. No.

Q. If the patient wants a private or semi-private room, how are the charges divided?

A. The patient pays only the difference between the public ward rate and the rate for the room. He may carry supplementary insurance to cover this difference.

Q. If the attending physician thinks the patient's condition calls for **immediate** admission to hospital and the public wards are full, must the patient pay the difference between the public ward and a room?

A. No.

Q. If a resident of Quebec is admitted to hospital elsewhere in Canada, is he obliged to pay?

A. Yes, but the Hospital Insurance Service will reimburse him for the cost of services received, if they are furnished in an approved hospital.

Q. What happens in the case of a hospital outside Canada?

A. The Hospital Insurance Service pays the cost incurred according to the rates of that hospital, up to $15 per day.

Insured In-Patient Services

Q. What in-patient services are insured under the Hospital Insurance Act?

A. Any eligible person is entitled, free of charge, to the following services:

(a) Accommodation and meals in a public ward.
(b) Necessary nursing care.
(c) Laboratory and radiology services and other means of diagnosis.
(d) Medicines, biological products and medication prescribed by the physician and administered at the hospital, except patent medicines.
(e) Use of operating room, case room, anaesthetic facilities and necessary supplies.
(f) Standard surgical supplies.
(g) Use of radiotherapy or physiotherapy facilities.

Q. Does the Hospital Insurance Service pay the doctor's, surgeon's and anaesthetist's bills?

A. No.

Q. Does it pay ambulance or other transportation costs?

A. No.

Q. Is the cost of medicine which the patient takes home from the hospital included in the free services?

A. No.

Out-Patient Services for Diagnosis and Treatment

Q. Can a person benefit by insured services without being admitted to hospital?

A. No. But the Hospital Insurance Service hopes to be able to supply certain out-patient services in the near future.

Q. Can a person take advantage of hospital insurance services to be examined, when that is necessary in order to make a diagnosis?

A. Yes, if, for the treatment of an existing illness, the attending physician finds that such examination requires admission to hospital.

Q. Do hospital insurance services cover purely preventive examinations?

A. No: such examinations, sometimes called "check-ups", are not insured services.

Q. Can a person who carries supplementary insurance to cover the extra cost of private or semi-private accommodation claim the difference in rates from his insurance company, if he did not get a room?

A. No. The insurance company is not allowed to pay more than the charges actually incurred.

Q. Can a patient who carries more than one supplementary policy claim from both companies when he is hospitalized?

A. Yes, but the total indemnities for his stay in hospital must not exceed the actual amount of the charges not covered by Hospital Insurance.

Q. Can supplementary insurance be carried for medical expenses or loss of salary?

A. Yes, but the indemnity must not be conditional on hospitalization.

Remarks

The Hospital Insurance Service offers to every resident of the Province the advantage of free treatment in any hospital with which it has a contract.

If it is to meet satisfactorily the needs of all citizens, each must use conscientiously the privileges afforded him. Never ask a doctor to send you to hospital when it is not **absolutely** necessary.

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75 YEARS AGO

Friday, Jan. 8, 1886 —

"Sun" Typewriter, only $15. This is not a rubber stamp but a genuine metal type manifolding machine. (Advt.)

We have had a visit from our old friend Mr. Wm. Hay, Sr., who looks jolly and hearty. Roughing it in the bush engaged in railroad making, appears to agree with him.

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One of St. Andrews' oldest citizens, Mr. Kemplay, merchant, died on Wednesday last.

At a meeting called by the Protestant Board of Examiners, Miss Sarah Creswell and Miss Annie Catton were awarded Model School Diplomas.

Mille Isles — Mr. Robert Elliott, one of our leading farmers, intends raising a new and modern barn this spring.

Services held in Montreal by Messrs. Moody and Sankey, evangelists, were all largely attended.

55 YEARS AGO

Friday, Jan. 5, 1906 —

Lachute hockey team defeated Sterling of Montreal 5-4. The local players were — E. Wilson, goal; G. Brennian, point; C. Raitt, point; B. McArthur, F. Gervais, R. Styan, I. Fraser, forwards.

The Convent, just erected by Messrs. O. B. Lafleur, is now occupied and will receive its formal opening January 15. The teaching staff will comprise seven religious sisters.

Cushing — A number of our Conservative friends attended Mr. Geo. Perley's New Year's reception, held in the Court House.

A number of young people attended a New Year's dance given by Mr. and Mrs. T. Owens at Stonefield.

Cushing — The Rev. Father Montour, of St. Philippe, was making pastoral visits here during the week.

25 YEARS AGO

Thursday, Jan. 9, 1936 —

Laurentian Roads Limited adopted by-laws and enacted tolls to be exacted for use of winter roads maintained by this group. The secretary, W. M. Cottingham, reports that, while there had been thought of not putting a toll gate on the Brownsburg Road, it was now decided to leave the tolls as first drafted. Should Brownsburg residents be prepared to pay a lump sum, the executive felt they would be glad to co-operate.

New Year's Eve was happily celebrated by patrons at the annual Firemen's Ball in Lachute Auditorium.

Miss Vic LaRose and Miss Lillian Harrison spent the holiday season in Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Jones, of Quebec City, spent the holidays visiting in Brownsburg and Lachute.

Mr. Kenneth Elliott, of Kitchener, spent Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Elliott.

In Terrebonne, which in French for "good ground", there appears to be good ground for a new election. — Winnipeg Tribune.

Death — David Pollock, old pioneer of this county, died January 4 in his 87th year.

Dr. B. N. Wales, of St. Andrews East, spent Friday here paving the way for formation of a Lachute division of the Argenteuil Historical Society.

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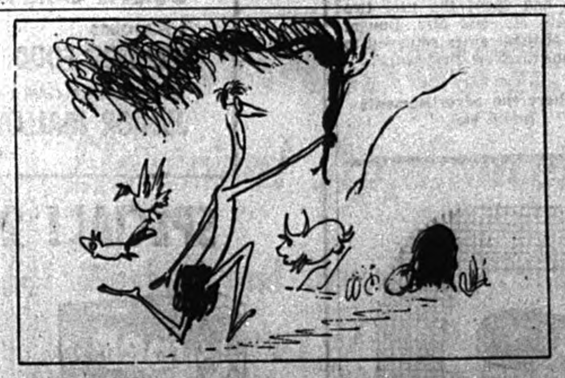
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All Aboard

with G. E. MORTIMORE

It's embarrassing, the way a man can be trapped by his own words. Let me tell you what happened to me.

There is a cheerful, well-meaning lady who drops in to chat with me every now and then at the office. One day my visitor, spreading sunshine, said I had a wonderful family.

"You should be proud of them," she said.

I can't tell exactly why, but instead of brightening my day, this remark irritated me. It was too good-natured. I don't expect normal people to understand my sentiments. But the confirmed grouches in the audience will know exactly how I felt.

Suddenly I had a strong urge to shock this amiable visitor.

"It's nice of you to speak so kindly of my family," I said. "But do you know what? If somebody made a decent offer, I'd sell the whole works to them."

"Oooh!" she gasped. "You wouldn't really?"

"Yes," I insisted. "I mean it."

"How much?"

"It would have to be a decent offer," I said. "No triflers."

"Half a million dollars?" the lady asked in a stunned voice.

"I'd consider an offer of that size," I said. "But between you and me, I'd be prepared to go lower, if there was haggling."

The lady smiled, and pretended to take it all as a joke. But I could see, as she left the office, that she was worried.

Now, every time I meet her, she inquires archly: "Have you sold the wife and children yet? Have you found a buyer?"

"No," I assure her. "The offers have all been too small."

And I have overheard this lady pointing me out to acquaintances as the man who wants to sell his wife and children. Even when she is out of earshot, I see her going up to people and saying something; and I see their heads swivel around for a moment, before they break out in a grin.

This joke could go on for years. It threatens to replace weather and health as a greeting, between this lady and me.

And I am trapped in a play-acting routine, all because I once yielded to a temptation to shock an overcheerful visitor.

I can tell from the look on the lady's face that she suspects me of being earnest. Well, she had better rid herself of that idea. Any Arabian sultan who comes waving $1,000,000 under my nose and offering to give my family a good home — well, he would be wasting his time.

At least, I think he would.

Of Many Things

— By Ambrose Hills —

IF YOU'RE HOMELY READ THIS

I talked to the television producer after he had auditioned some 30 hopefuls. He was feeling low. He had hired a boy and a girl, but neither was quite what he had hoped for.

I was surprised. Seldom in my life, I told him, had I seen so many beautiful girls and handsome young men.

"That," he sighed, "is precisely the trouble. Most of that gang were so darn good looking they had no character. TV needs personalities. These good-looking kids get told by all their relatives and friends they ought to be on TV. Chances are ten to one that if some guy with a pug nose, big ears, and a wide, friendly grin had come in for an audition, we'd have grabbed him. Was Clark Gable terribly handsome? Are half the movie queens really beautiful in the usual sense? No darn chance. Features need to be a bit different, even a little scrambled, if you're going to get a distinctive character before the cameras."

Well, I don't know about TV. For my money, they still seem to choose the handsome boys and the statistical girls, but I get sick of them. I saw a youngster on TV the other day who would be called homely by his pals but he looked mighty good to me, with his ears sticking out and his nose tipped up. And I suppose some would say that Joyce Sullivan is too tall . . . but to me she radiates real charm and personality. She's a little different and she doesn't have that vapid uniformity of features some people call beauty. Everybody at our house thinks she is beautiful and we'd like to see her on TV more often.

When I was a young lad, I used to worry about my prominent Adam's apple. Lord knows how much I tortured myself on that account — and so needlessly. Looking back now, I realize that most of my good-looking friends wound up with wives who can't touch mine for looks. I asked my wife just now if she'd ever had misgivings about me on account of my Adam's apple. Her exact reply was this:

"Good heavens, no! I kind of liked it. Most girls like homely men best."

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DISTRICT NEWS FROM OUR COUNTY CORRESPONDENTS

Brownsburg

Mrs. R. H. Morrison left Saturday for Rock Island, Que., to visit her mother, Mrs. Arthur H. Curtis, who is ill at present.

Sympathy Expressed

Sympathy is extended to the relatives of the late Percy Martin, who passed away last week after a long illness. His funeral service was held in the chapel at the MacKimmie Funeral Home last Saturday.

Red Cross

Mr. Larry Presseault, the newly-elected president of the Brownsburg Branch of Canadian Red Cross, will preside at the meeting to be held in the Social Club on Monday, January 16, at 7 p.m. Everyone is welcome to attend.

Sympathy to Bereaved

Citizens of this community were deeply shocked to hear of the sudden passing of Dr. F. W. FitzGerald. Sincere sympathy is extended to his relatives.

Christening

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Walker, of Arnprior, Ont., was christened Diana Joyce, on Sunday, January 1, by the Rev. G. W. Bruce. The service was in the Brownsburg United Church.

Correction

Due to mis-reading of copy, the chairman of the United Church W.A. "B" Group was listed last week as Mrs. R. D. Cooke. . . . This should have read, **Mrs. R. D. Clarke.**

Births, Marriages, Deaths, etc.

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BIRTH

GRIFFITH — To Mr. and Mrs. Rexford Griffith (née Joan Oswald) at the Providence Hospital, Lachute, on Jan. 5, 1961, a son, 10 lbs. 2 ozs. Mother and son both well.

DEATHS

HARLAND (Bonnie Jean) — At the Montreal Children's Hospital on January 4, 1961, age 1 month, infant daughter of Leslie and Eileen Harland. Funeral held at MacKimmie Funeral Chapel at 2 o'clock on Jan. 5; interment at Lachute Protestant Cemetery.

MILLAR — Suddenly, at her home on Bedard Blvd., Lachute, on Jan. 8, 1961, Mrs. Gordon Miller (Isabel Chalmers). Born in Scotland, July 8, 1886, daughter of the late David Chalmers and Margaret Norris. Service held at the MacKimmie Funeral Chapel on Jan. 10. Interment in Hawthorndale Cemetery, Montreal.

MURPHY — Suddenly, at her residence, 5311 Park Avenue, Montreal, Mrs. Agnes Murphy (formerly Agnes Golden, of Brownsburg), in her 58th year. Funeral service held Wednesday, 10 a.m. from Vallier Chapel, interment in Hawthorn Cemetery.

IN MEMORIAM

EVANS — In loving memory of a dear brother, Tommy, who passed away Jan. 12, 1957. — Always remembered by May.

EVANS — In loving memory of our dear brother, Tom, who passed away Jan. 12, 1957 — Always remembered by Lizzie and Charlie.

"His many hours and days of pain
And troubled nights are past,
His ever worn-out, patient frame
Has found sweet rest at last."

MacLEAN — In fond and loving memory of a dear mother and mother-in-law, Elizabeth Susan MacLean, who passed away Jan. 12, 1955. — Ever remembered by Bertha and Percy.

"In our hearts your memory lingers,
Always tender, fond and true,
There's not a day, dear Mother,
We do not think of you."

SWAIL — In loving memory of a dear wife and mother, who left us Jan. 16, 1955. — Sadly missed by her husband, Syd; daughters, Betty and Inez; sons-in-law, Charlie and Louie; and grandchildren, Heather, Gary and Laurena.

"The stars are brightly shining
Upon a silent grave,
In it lies a precious one
We loved, but could not save.
Our hearts still ache with sadness,
Our eyes fill up with tears,
Only God knows how much we miss you
At the end of six long years."

WELDEN — In loving memory of a dear husband, who passed away Jan. 11, 1959. — Sadly missed by his wife, Dorothy.

"The golden gates stood open —
Two years ago today,
With farewells left unspoken,
You quietly slipped away . . .
Not just today, but every day,
In silence I remember."

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

BENNETT — Mrs. Pete Bennett wishes to express sincere thanks and appreciation to her many friends and neighbors, for acts of kindness, messages of sympathy, and beautiful floral tributes received during her recent sad bereavement in the loss of her dear husband.

BENNETT — The family of the late Peter Bennett wish to thank friends and relatives for kindness shown during their recent bereavement.

MARTIN — The family of the late Percy George Martin wish to thank their many friends and relatives, for kindness and floral tributes received in their recent bereavement.

MORRISON — The family of the late Robert H. Morrison wish to express their sincere appreciation to friends, neighbors and relatives for the floral tributes and many acts of kindness received in their time of bereavement.

NICOLL — The family of the late Albert P. Nicoll wish to express their sincere appreciation for kindness extended and for floral tributes received in their recent loss.

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The late Percy G. Martin

Funeral service for the late Percy George Martin was held on Saturday, January 7, at Menard's Funeral Home, service being conducted by the Rev. Garfield W. Bruce, assisted by the Rev. R. L. McPhee.

Born at Brownsburg on November 2, 1901, Mr. Martin was employed as machinist at C-I-L for the past 41½ years.

He is survived by his daughter, Mrs. Maurice Genest (Beverley), of London, Ont.; two sons, Donald, of Montreal, and James, of Petawawa; two sisters, Mrs. Phil Cumbers (Robina), and Mrs. Fred Hosgood (Lewina), both of Brownsburg; and two brothers, Colin, of Brownsburg, and Lorne, of Verdun. He was predeceased by his wife, the late Charlotte Seary, in 1950.

Interment was in the Lachute Protestant Cemetery.

Those from out-of-town attending the funeral were — Mr. and Mrs. Lindsey Demerse, of Montreal, and Mr. Maurice Genest, of London, Ont.

Lifetime resident laid to rest

The late Robt. H. Morrison

Funeral service was held on Monday for the late Robert H. Morrison, Sydney Street townsman and a lifelong County resident, whose death occurred in the Montreal General Hospital on January 6.

Born in Louisa on January 24, 1885, he lived all his life in the district. He was married to Violet Charlotte Kerr in the year 1916. His wife predeceased him 27 years ago.

He leaves to mourn his loss four daughters and one son — Eileen Morrison and Mrs. Willard Langille (Roberta), of Lachute, Mrs. H. Williams (Geraldine), of Montreal, Mrs. Gaetan Pilon (Isabel), of St. Eustache, and Sgt. Kenneth Robert Morrison, R.C.A.F., of White Horse, Yukon; also 11 grandchildren. Of his immediate family there remain also three brothers, Wilfrid, of Lachute, Walter, of Montreal, and Arthur, of Lancaster, Ont., and four sisters, Mrs. Thomas Gauley (Edith), Mrs. Don Brown (Wilma), Mrs. Bill Brown (Mary), of Dunany, and Mrs. George Bale (Alice), of Montreal.

The funeral was held at the Lachute United Church, conducted by the Rev. Wilson Bridge, with prayer by the Rev. S. W. Sorley.

Pall-bearers were three nephews of the deceased, Norman, Melvin and Keith Morrison, Arnold Parker, Stuart Armstrong and Ed Wigney. Interment was at St. Andrews East Cemetery.

Weir

Cadet Ronald Williams returned to the R.M. College, Kingston, on Sunday after spending a fortnight's vacation at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Williams.

Miss Shirley O'Brien, of Montreal, spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Davis.

Mr. Denis Courte was here from Montreal to spend the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Courte, Jr.

Mrs. W. H. Williams is visiting in Montreal for a few days, the guest of Mrs. G. Cullen.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwin Beaven, accompanied by Mrs. E. Beaven, of Gatineau Point, spent the week-end as guests of Mrs. P. Larose.

Mr. Bobby MacCullough, of Harrington, visited with his sister, Mrs. Noel Labrosse and Mr. Labrosse, on Friday.

Sympathy Expressed

Sympathy is extended to the bereaved families of the late Sandy Campbell, formerly of Lakeview, who passed away in hospital at Port Arthur, Ont., on Sunday morning.

Arundel

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie May spent the week-end visiting with Mrs. J. May.

Miss Muriel Graham spent the week-end with her mother.

Pte. Gerrit Jansen of the Canadian Army Service, stationed at Camp Borden, and Pte. Andries Jansen, of the Canadian Signals Corps, stationed at Kingston, both spent the Christmas and New Year holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jansen.

Horseback Rider Injured in Mishap

Miss Judy Stuart, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Stuart, suffered what might have been a serious accident when the horse on which she was riding panicked at an approaching truck, and threw its rider. Miss Stuart was thrown heavily to the ground, sustaining a slight concussion but is improving satisfactorily. The horse suffered severe injuries and had to be destroyed.

Accident with Team And Sleigh

Mr. Guy Laughren was severely kicked by one of the horses of the team he was driving, and thrown to the ground when the horses ran away. The sleigh passed over him, but fortunately he sustained only lacerations of the face, which required some stitches. We are glad to report he is able to be about.

Northern Grenville

Mr. Ernest Fife, of Ottawa, spent the week-end with his parents-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Hoare, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. B. McCart and son, Hilary, visited Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Moncrieff in Vars, Ont., last week.

Miss Hilda McCart, of Montreal, spent the week-end with her parents.

Mrs. Enid Stone visited with Mr. and Mrs. Billie Woods in Metcalfe recently.

Miss Heather Stone, of Montreal, spent the week-end at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Don MacIntyre, of Ottawa, visited with friends here on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Roy, of Silver Creek, were recent visitors at Mr. and Mrs. Allen Cousens'.

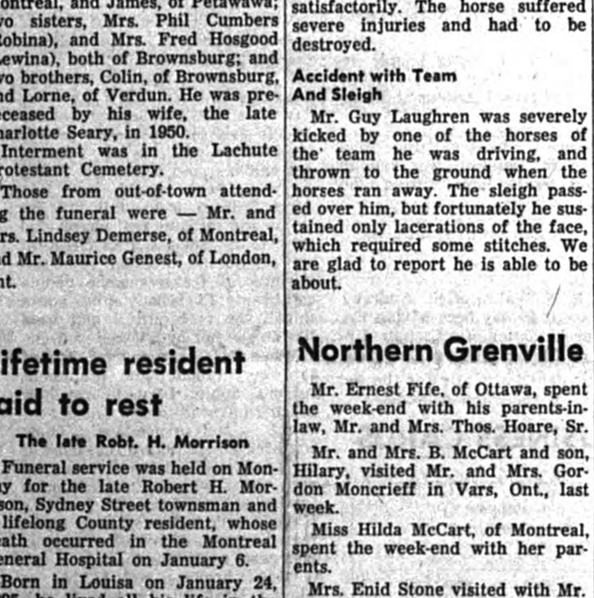
Mrs. Herbert Brown of Pte. au Chene is at present a patient in the Smith Clinic. Her friends here wish her a speedy recovery.

Family Bereaved

Sincere sympathy is extended to the wife, family and relatives of the late Mr. Joseph Bates, who passed away Sunday in a Montreal hospital.

Mr. Marshall Trineer arrived last Thursday to join his wife and family, who had spent the past two weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Dougal Trineer; all have since returned to their home in New Brunswick.

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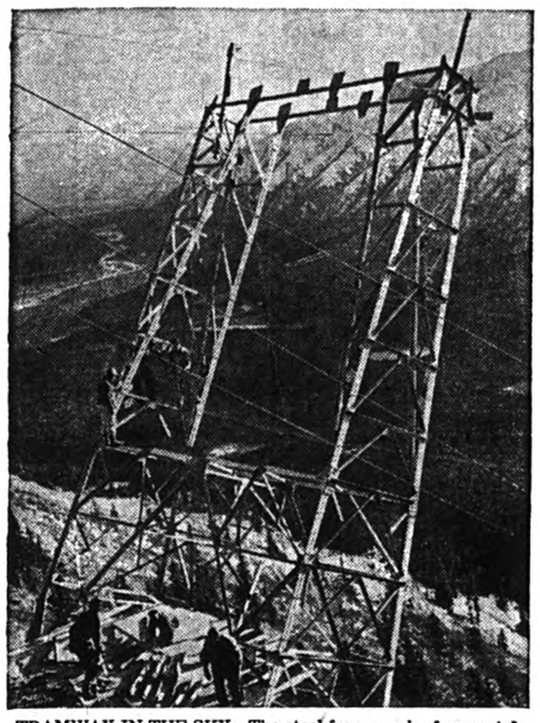

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First shipment to Red Cross H.Q.

At the first meeting of the Red Cross Society, Lachute Branch, for 1961, held on January 4, Mrs. Fraser Morrison reported that 170 cases of sewing, 1 quilt, 24 pieces of knitting and 4 donated articles, making a total of 199, had been shipped to Red Cross Headquarters in Montreal. This is the first shipment of the New Year.

Mrs. Harry Scott reported that quilting is about to start, and workers will be welcomed.



TRAMWAY IN THE SKY—The steel framework of an aerial tramway tower juts boldly from a Yukon mountain peak. It is part of a system to hoist men, food and fuel to mountain-top sites on the 1,200-mile Canadian National Telegraphs microwave network between Grande Prairie, Alta., and the Yukon-Alaska border. When completed late in 1961, the network will be a vital defence and civilian communications link between Alaska and the United States and will improve telephone and telegraph communications throughout the Canadian northwest. For most of the route, the microwave towers follow the Alaska Highway.

Lachute C.W.L. recent activities

On January 8 the members of the Catholic Women's League of Lachute held a semi-annual meeting at l'Ecole Supérieure, with Rev. Father Conway, director, in attendance.

All conveners gave reports, including Mrs. Dorothy Berniquer and Mrs. C. Lowe, who reported on the Christmas cake raffle and Christmas party for the English Catholic children.

Mrs. E. Lowe reported that midnight mass for the English-speaking Catholics had been held in the Knights of Columbus hall, with an attendance of 200. Rev Father Conway officiated with the assistance of Carmen and Stephen Lowe. The choir, under direction of Mr. Leonard Walsh, included 20 youngsters and close to 15 adults.

Thanks are extended to those who planned this most important event.

It was decided to have a St. Patrick's supper on Friday, March 17, which will be convened by Mrs. Dorothy Berniquer. Ticket convener is Mrs. Owen Stephens.

The treasurer was requested to forward a donation to the president of the Retarded Children's Association.

Certain money for fuel was donated in December to help a needy family.

The director expressed satisfaction in the work of the conveners, and especially stressed League procedure.

After the meeting, tea was served by Mrs. Dorothy Berniquer and her committee.

Many assisted in festive supper for blind people

The annual festive dinner sponsored by the Women's Auxiliary to the Canadian National Institute for the Blind was held recently at the Legion Hall, Lachute, where approximately 85 blind people with their escorts enjoyed a turkey dinner supplied by friends in Lachute.

Mrs. T. Dwyer, president of the Women's Auxiliary, welcomed the guests, and at the termination of the evening (under auspices of Mr. Clayton Robinson) Santa Claus presented Christmas gifts to all the sightless. An enjoyable concert program was presented. Those participating were as follows — Miss Genny Lynn Ponech, Miss Doris Austin, Mrs. R. Barbour and Mrs. E. Armstrong. Mrs. L. Hopkins and Mr. Banton accompanied at the piano.

Turkeys for this occasion were donated by — Boyd's Express, Pollock & Graves, Lachute Lumber, Dr. E. Mongeon; other gifts were donated by IGA, Maitland Bros., A&P, Muir Bros., Dominion Store and Lowe Bros.

Those who gave transportation for the sightless people were — Welden Motors, Mrs. M. Gendron, Mrs. Doris Cowan, Mr. Roger Guignon, Mr. W. Richardson, Mrs. C. L. Stephens, Mr. Roy Chambers and Mr. Tom Norkett.

Social and Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Hans Jacobson, of Chibougamau, Que., (former residents here) have been spending the week with their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Jacobsen, Henry Street.

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Miss L. Harrison, of St. Canut, and Miss M. V. LaRose, of Saint John, N.B., are leaving by C.P.A. on January 14 to spend the winter in Mexico.

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Mr. and Mrs. Bill Steeves spent a week's vacation visiting the former's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Silverlock, at Niagara Falls, Ont.

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Mrs. Robert Hamilton and Miss Mary Evelyn Hamilton, R.N., returned home Saturday after having spent the Christmas and New Year's holidays as guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Boyd, of St. Laurent, and Mrs. James C. Calder, Town of Mount Royal.

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Friends extend kind wishes for the recovery of Mr. Bob Robinson and Mr. Hugh Martin, who are presently in the Montreal General Hospital.

86th Milestone

Congratulations are extended to Mr. Matthew Elder, well known resident on Grace Street, who celebrated his 86th birthday last Saturday.

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Young Richard Giles, son of Mr. and Mrs. John D. Giles, returned home from the Royal Victoria Hospital on Tuesday after undergoing surgery on his leg.

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Five Qualified as Registered Nurses

Three 1960 graduates of the Royal Victoria Hospital nurses' training school in this vicinity, received word last week that they had successfully passed their Quebec R.N. examinations. The R.V.H. nurses are — Miss Iris Lang and Mrs. R. F. Giles (the former Janet Stoddard), of Lachute, and Miss Laura McMichael, of Grenville.

Two nurses from other Montreal hospitals have also successfully qualified — Miss Joyce Davis, a graduate of the Montreal General, and Miss Bertha Pollock, graduate of the Queen Elizabeth.

Friends extend congratulations and good wishes to these young ladies on their success.

Dr. and Mrs. Lewis Lloyd and family, of Baie d'Urfe, visited the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Lloyd, during the week-end.

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Teachers Return to Duties

Lachute High School teachers who returned last week-end after holidaying at their respective homes and elsewhere, were — Miss Ada Sudsbury, who spent Christmas in Prince Edward Island; Miss Anne Olney and Miss Shirley Soule, both of the Eastern Townships; Miss Betty Stanton, who visited her home in Beebe, Que., and also in Boston; Miss Ruth MacKenzie, who returned home to New Brunswick; Mr. Bernard Fitch, who spent the holidays in Toronto; and Mr. Geo. Demerson who visited his home in Saint John, N.B.

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Feted by Friends

Friends and neighbors met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Murray Lyster on December 28 in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Thorburn, who were recently married. An enjoyable evening was spent in card-playing, and the presentation of a modern table lamp and a sum of money was made to the honored couple. Refreshments were served.

C.N.R. GETS NEW TRADEMARK



Appearances count in the Canadian business world, Canadian National Railways has discovered. To get on the right "corporate image" track, C.N. rolled a new trademark into operation this week. Eventually, everything connected with the government-owned firm will be redesigned, from hotel bellboy uniforms to the color scheme for freight sheds. Toronto designer Allan Fleming designed the new C.N. trademark.

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House plants grow in plastic pots

Ottawa — Green-thumbed housewives who insist that house plants will thrive only in porous clay pots are making a mistake.

According to Dr. A. P. Chan, of the Plant Research Institute, Canada Department of Agriculture, plants will grow just as well in non-porous plastic pots. He carried out his tests at the Central Experimental Farm at Ottawa.

When plants fail to grow in plastic pots, Dr. Chan said, the fault usually lies with the grower who forgets that plastic pots retain water much longer than those made of clay. Overwatering plants in plastic pots leads to root rot and other soil diseases.

On the other hand clay pots present problems of their own because of their porosity, he added. These are the growth of algae (usually seen as a green, slimy scum on the outer surface of the pot) and the extra water needed to compensate for evaporation from the pot surface. Plastic pots do not have the algae problem and do not require watering so frequently as clay pots.

Plastic pots, said Dr. Chan, also are much lighter in weight, more colorful and are available in many attractive designs.

GO TO CHURCH ON SUNDAY

Lachute United Church
THE CHURCH WITH THE CHIMES
REV. WILSON BRIDGE, B.A., MINISTER
10.00 a.m. Sunday School.
11.00 a.m. Divine Worship.
"ON BEING GUESTS OF GOD"
Followed by the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper.
All who love the Lord Jesus Christ are invited to share in this service.
No service at East Settlement.

Anglican Church
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.
ST. GEORGE'S BROWNSBURG
10.30 a.m. Church School.
11.00 a.m. Morning Prayer.
CHRIST CHURCH, ST. ANDREWS EAST
Rev. W. C. LeCras
11.00 a.m. Morning Prayer.

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
Thurs., 8.00 p.m., Prayer

Brownsburg United
REV. GARFIELD W. BRUCE, B.A., Minister
Mrs. C. J. Wheeler, Organist
Mr. G. K. Amos, Choir Director.
10.30 a.m. Sunday School.
11.00 a.m. Worship Service.
Sunday School Promotion Service
Baby Fold at 11 a.m.
You are cordially welcome

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.
2.30 p.m. Grenville Service.
Wednesday, 7.30 p.m. Bible Study and Prayer.
Sat., 7.30 p.m. Youth Service.
Everyone is invited to attend.
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Lakefield Services
REV. CANON C. W. P. BAUGH, Rector
11.00 a.m. Lakefield.
2.00 p.m. Shrewsbury.
7.00 p.m. Louisa.

Watchman Want Ads bring results.

People's Church, Lachute
(Associated Gospel Church)
753 Main St., Lachute
REV. C. W. SORLEY, PASTOR
9.45 a.m. Bible School.
11.00 a.m. "THE SEAL"
The sign of genuineness, authority, and ownership. Have you the seal of the Holy Spirit?
7.30 p.m. "THE SHIELD"
"Thou hast also given me the shield of thy salvation."
Wed., 8 p.m. Annual Business Meeting of the Congregation.

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
2.00 p.m. Brownsburg Service

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
"THE RIVER"
First in a series on the life and ministry of Christ.
Wednesday, 8 p.m. — The Hour of Praise and Prayer.
All heartily invited.

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
"FATAL REJECTION OF CHRIST"
All are heartily invited.

Maple Avenue Baptist Church, Brownsburg
REV. R. L. McPHEE
9.45 a.m. Church School.
11.00 a.m. Worship Service.
Note Details Below:
For the benefit of all French-speaking members and friends, the morning service to be conducted by the Rev. S. F. Gillespie will be entirely in French.
Wed. 7.30 p.m. Prayer Service
All are cordially invited.

Parish of Mille Isles
Rev. Horace G. Baugh, Rector.
9.30 a.m. St. Sauveur.
11.00 a.m. Morin Heights.
3.00 p.m. Mille Isles.

Things 'n Stuff

By Walter Henry Jackson

COLD? NOT AT ALL!

Scientists tell us that there is no such thing as cold. What we call cold is not really cold at all. It is merely the absence of heat. We think it's cold when it's 15 below zero, but that is warm compared with 65 below in the Arctic. And this is quite balmy when compared with an artificially produced "absolute zero" of some 400 below.

We consider a kettle of boiling water as quite a hot item. Yet this is only 212° Fahrenheit, and positively chilly when compared with the 6,000 degrees of an electric furnace.

So next July, when we think it's hot at 85, just remember that even if it was only twice as hot it would be just 170 degrees, which is a long way from the 212 of boiling water. So when we think we're hot, we're cold. And in January when it's 15 or 20 below zero we think we're cold. But we're only kidding ourselves. There's no such thing as cold — it's merely the absence of heat.

But it's not the kind of absence that makes the heart grow fonder.

Be seein' ya!

Uncle Walt

The earth bounces like a ball?

An assistant at Kyoto University's geophysical section has attracted international attention by claiming first proof of the theory that the earth bounces like a rubber ball during heavy shocks like earthquakes.

Ichiro Nakagawa announced his findings at the opening session of a new Japan Geodesic Society Congress at his school. He said that he and his colleagues set up gravitational measuring apparatus in 10 places in Japan from July, 1957, through last August. Two gravimeters in the Kyoto campus registered a near identical six rounds of unusual vibrations, each lasting about an hour, immediately after the May 23 earthquakes in Chile.

After checking, they found that the two gravimeter readings tallied perfectly with those of the other equipment throughout Japan. Further studies indicated that the earth bounces at fixed cycles of 40 to 70 minutes if there is a big shock like a quake.

Scientists say this apparent confirmation of the bouncing-globe theory may go a long way in helping the analysis of the earth's internal structure.

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Suggests police list causes of local accidents

TO THE EDITOR

900 Gohier Street,
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Editor, The Watchman

While proceeding to Montreal from Brownsburg on December 31 at approximately 3.30 p.m., an Ayersville snowplow pulled out into the path of our car from the Lachute Hospital road. This road is one street south of Roy. The truck driver made no attempt to stop before entering onto Brownsburg Road, even after I gave him two warning blasts of the horn. Whether this was indifference or poor physical condition due to the holiday festivities is inconsequential now, but it almost became part of the season's statistics.

It may be a worthwhile service to your readers to have the police list the causes of local accidents about once a month, without mentioning names of drivers or locations.

Thanking you for the splendid coverage of events you now give us, I remain —

Yours truly,
Keith H. Quinn

Fire-Police personnel express deep sympathy

Members of the Police and Fire Departments wish to express their sympathy to the family of the late Dr. F. W. FitzGerald, who, among his many public services, assisted appreciably in the First Aid classes conducted recently for the personnel of these departments.

BORDER GOOD WILL

International good will between Canada and the United States has been strengthened by an unusual blood donor arrangement on the Maine-New Brunswick border. As Maine is one of the few states where the American Red Cross does not have a regional blood centre, personnel at the Loring Air Force Base in Limestone donate blood regularly to the Canadian Red Cross mobile transport that crosses the border from the Lancaster depot. The donations are in appreciation for blood that has been given to U.S. Air Force men who have been injured while travelling in New Brunswick. It is in keeping with an understanding between the two Societies whereby blood is available to residents of Canada and the United States when they visit each other's country.

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BELL LINES



by Bill Flanigan
your telephone manager

Due to new measures toward centralization (announced previously in The Watchman's news columns), the Bell Telephone Business Office, a long-established and friendly institution in the life of this town, has now disappeared from Lachute. Also, with sincere regrets, I am personally leaving these parts for a new position with the Bell at Pembroke, Ont. This community has been very good to me and I am sorry to leave all the good friends I made while I was here. Bell people will continue to be very much in evidence around town. And remember, we're "just as near as your telephone." So, don't hesitate to call us if we can be of any service to you . . .

On January 9 our Business Office operation here was transferred to St. Jerome. The move means greater efficiency in handling telephone service for this whole area. If you have any questions about your account or any other telephone matters, simply call Long Distance and ask for Zenith 60000. (No toll charge will apply.) You will be connected with our St. Jerome office where a Service Representative will be glad to help you. Accounts may still be paid at the following four locations in Lachute:

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241 Hamford Street
LA CAISSE POPULAIRE DE LACHUTE
589 Main Street
BEATON'S PHARMACY
540 Main Street
PHARMACIE HARBOUR
249 Main Street

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A wag suggested to us recently that he could save money by using carrier pigeons in place of long distance service. We have just read an item that disproved his whole theory. According to no less an authority than the U.S. Army Signals Corps, it costs more than a third of a cent to send a pigeon messenger a mile, when you include the cost of feed, loft space and so forth. At this rate, allowing approximately 600 miles for a round-trip between Lachute and Toronto, the message would cost about $2.00. But for as little as $1.55 you can carry on a three-minute telephone conversation between these two communities — with greater satisfaction and less housekeeping.

Bill Flanigan

DISTRICT NEWS FROM OUR COUNTY CORRESPONDENTS

Avoca

Mrs. Wm. H. Kelly, of Aylmer, Que., spent last Monday with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. des Sautis and family, and Peter St. Amant, who were visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward St. Amant, for the past two weeks, have now returned to their home in Calgary, Alta.

We are sorry to report that Mrs. Herbert Browne is a patient in the Smith Clinic.

Mrs. John Filoon has recovered sufficiently to return home from the hospital.

Miss Janice Young spent a few days last week visiting her friend, Miss Marilyn McCallum.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd, of Verdun, visited Mr. and Mrs. Ed Young on Saturday last.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Bedard, of Ottawa, spent the New Year holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Provencal.

Mr and Mrs. Robert Eastwood and daughter, Cindy, of Bell Falls, Mr. and Mrs. William Provencal, Miss Margaret Pearson and Miss Judy Smith, all of Grenville, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Andrews on Wednesday.

(Intended for last issue)

Miss Gloria Andrews entertained a group of teen-agers on Friday night, December 30. An enjoyable evening was reported by all who attended.

This correspondent would be pleased to receive any news items of general interest.

Calumet

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Mulligan, of Ottawa, visited friends in Calumet and Hawkesbury on Sunday.

Mrs. Herbert Brown's friends in this community wish her a speedy recovery; Mrs. Brown is presently a patient in the Smith Clinic, Hawkesbury.

Bereavement

Sympathy of the community is extended to Mrs. Joseph Bates and family, in the death of their husband and father.

Visitors at the home of Mrs. Leonard Reeves were Mr. and Mrs. Romeo Lajeunesse, Judy, Allan and Brian, of Masson, Mr. and Mrs. Jean-Guy Perron and baby, of Lachute, also Miss Rollande Menard, of Hawkesbury.

Gary Kelly, of Ottawa, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Kelly.

BACKACHE May be Warning

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Grenville

Mr. and Mrs. Garth Dawson, of Montreal, were recent guests at the Dawson home.

Mrs. Alex Tait, of Frelighsburg, Que., arrived on Sunday to spend some time visiting with her daughter, Mrs. John Owens and Mr. Owens and family.

Dr. and Mrs. O. J. Lefebvre and Miss Madeleine Lefebvre, of Montreal, were New Year's Day guests of Mrs. Bessie Canning.

Mrs. Maude Leroy is visiting with relatives in Montreal.

Mrs. Herbert Brown is a patient in the Smith Clinic, Hawkesbury; her many friends extend best wishes for her speedy recovery.

Sympathy

Sincere sympathy is extended to Mrs. Joseph Bates and family, in the loss of a devoted husband and father, the late Joseph Bates, who passed away in a Montreal hospital on Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Bates moved from Hawkesbury early last fall to their newly-built home in Grenville.

Cushing

Miss Florence Holmes, of Montreal, spent the week-end at the home of her sister, Mrs. H. Bailey.

Mrs. James Coney and son, Raymond, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Elliott.

Mrs. H. Bailey, accompanied by her little daughter, Cama, also by her mother, Mrs. R. T. Holmes, spent Monday in Montreal.

Miss Elsie M. Graham visited friends in Calumet over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Holmes, having returned from a pleasant visit with relatives in St. Thomas, Ont., again have little Ruth Thomas and brother, Roy, of Terrebonne Heights, with them.

Women's Institute

Almost every member of Frontier Branch of the W.I. from Cushing was present at the January gathering held in the Baptist Church hall, Lachute, and thoroughly enjoyed the meeting, especially the colored pictures screened by Mrs. Douglas Clark of their tour of Western Canada and some American beauty spots during the summer holidays.

CO-OPERATION APPRECIATED

Thanks to correspondents double-spacing, leaving margin-room, and otherwise improving the legibility of their copy. — Editor.

Immediate Commission on Education says Que. Youth Minister Gérin-Lajoie

QUEBEC THIS WEEK

By Leo LeBlanc, Canadian Press Staff Writer

Quebec (CP) — Among the recent New Year's messages issued by political leaders was one from Youth Minister Gérin-Lajoie saying that the government's Royal Commission on Education would be formed at the beginning of the present year. His message said that he foresees great things for education in the province.

Mr. Gérin-Lajoie once spoke of his vision to a news reporter. The two had been discussing the Liberal Party program for awhile, when the Youth Minister got up and started pacing the floor. . . .

"People don't like education," he said. "They have to like it, if it is to progress in Quebec." Then he told of his vision: A network of cultural centres across the province showing people what a good thing education is, and making it an integral part of their lives. The centres would "gravitate" around the regional high schools, to be built in greater numbers as education in the province becomes more centralized. Sociologists would be attracted to the centres, and guidance counsellors, too.

School and public libraries would be installed in the centres. Community activities, including sports, would be there also. In the long run each rural municipality would have its cultural centre.

Guidance services would also seek out talent and encourage the talented to accept "being pushed". The government did not want to form "only a mass of average education" but also "an appreciable number of top men."

Talents were lost mainly between the ages of 10 and 12, he contended. "We must find a way to keep these students interested in studying."

An incentive had to be created in the children and in the parents, so that the children will want to study and the parents will want them to study. The problem was crucial in rural areas.

But education that costs a person part of his livelihood was "hard to like." Free education at all levels had to come about first. It was nearly impossible to enforce compulsory education that was not free.

Also a great number of well-trained, competent teachers had to be produced as soon as possible, to make education attractive and valuable. This meant more and better Normal Schools had to be built soon, and teachers better paid.

Mr. Gérin-Lajoie admitted his plan for a network of education culture centres was a long-range one.

Formation of the Royal Commission, to study all aspects of education in the province, is perhaps the first big step towards the realization of his vision.

Dollard postage stamp dubbed by authority "best of the year"

Ottawa — A Canadian postage stamp, issued last May 19 to commemorate the famous stand of Dollard Des Ormeaux and his companions at the Long Sault, has been named "best of the year" by an outstanding British philatelic authority — it is revealed by the Hon. William Hamilton, Postmaster General.

The blue and brown Des Ormeaux stamp, which pictures a profile of the gallant French leader against a background battle scene, won first place in the 1960 "Ten Best" list of the Stamp Collector's Annual, published by Harris Publications Ltd., of London, England. Selections are made each year from among the thousand or more stamps issued by all countries of the world. The award-winning stamps are chosen by L. E. Scott, a noted English philatelic writer.

The Dollard stamp was designed for the Canada Post Office by Philip Weiss, a native of Quebec who now makes his home in Ottawa. Another Canadian stamp, commemorating the Battle of the Plains of Abraham, and also designed by Mr. Weiss, had won a place on Mr. Scott's "Ten Best" list for 1959.

In reviewing his choice, Mr. Scott referred to the one and one-half inch square Canadian commemorative as "a little masterpiece".



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St. Andrews East

Mrs. MacDonald, of Montreal, spent the week-end with Miss F. Prevost.

Miss Agnes Rodger, R.N., is visiting her mother, Mrs. W. Geo. Rodger, at River Rouge.

Miss Dorothy Vautier, of Hampstead, spent Sunday with her aunt, Mrs. Aimé Dorion.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cloutier and daughter, Linda, of Montreal, spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Ross Hyde. Mrs. Thos. Shipman, of Montreal, was their guest on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. McLaughlin were here for the week-end. Mrs. McGowan, who has spent some time here, returned with them to Montreal.

Morin Heights

(Intended for last issue)

Sgt. and Mrs. Eddie Gillingham and daughters, of the RCAF Station, Edgar, Ont., spent the Christmas and New Year's holidays with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gillingham.

Mr. and Mrs. Graeme Bell and little son, Craig, of Pierrefonds, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Bell on New Year's Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. David Wells and sons, of Strathmore, spent the New Year's holiday at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gillingham.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Marston, of St. Eustache-sur-le-Lac, were New Year's guests of Mr. and Mrs. Allan Kirkpatrick.

Not all in favor

"There must be some Canadians who are a little ashamed of the eager-beaver manner in which our country seems to have stepped in to play cosy (in trading) with Castro.

"This followed the United States' use of one of the few weapons at its disposal with which to retaliate for the wholesale theft of U.S. property in Cuba, and the long and dreary tirade of insults which have been thrown at the United States by the bearded fanatic who seems now to have sold out completely to the Reds."

— Bruce West in "Globe and Mail"

(Correspondents please double-space and leave ample margins. — Ed.)

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Q. But, don't you cut down expense by saving for something and then paying cash?

A. Of course. It is always cheaper to pay cash—and your savings account will build interest. Many people save for the things they want through our unique instalment savings plan, PSP (Personal Security Program).

But running a family is like running a business. Sometimes an unexpected event or special opportunity may create a need for more ready cash than is on hand; or, you may want to finance a purchase without dipping into your savings.

At times like these, borrowing makes good sense.

Q. Does the bank really welcome a new borrower?

A. Certainly it does. Making loans is our business. We are proud of the number of Canadians—men and women of integrity who are regularly employed—who have become new customers of this bank through our Scotia Plan Loan service.

Q. How much can I borrow?

A. Scotia Plan Loans run from a few hundred dollars to a few thousand. There is no point, of course, in paying costs for money you don't need, and we will not encourage you to borrow more than you can conveniently repay. But you can often save money by borrowing enough through Scotia Plan to pay off your other debts; and at the same time by lengthening the period of repayment, you pay less each month than you were formerly paying.

Q. Must I be a BNS customer to get a Scotia Plan Loan?

A. No, indeed. If your proposition is sound, and you are in a position to repay, then you can borrow under Scotia Plan.

Q. Do I have to put up stocks, bonds, or property for security?

A. In most cases, loans are secured by a car or furniture. In some cases, a signature alone will do, and occasionally Canada Savings Bonds, Life insurance (cash value) or savings accounts are used as security.

Q. Will it take long to get a loan?

A. No, in most cases you will have your money the next day.

Q. How long do I have to repay?

A. 6 months to 36 months, depending on the amount you borrow and on the other commitments you must meet. Your payments are arranged in monthly instalments adjusted to your budget.

Q. Just what does it cost for a Scotia Plan Loan?

A. The cost for $100, repayable in 12 equal monthly instalments, is 50¢ a month—which is included in your monthly repayment of $8.83. Similarly, $500 costs $2.50 a month, which is included in the instalment repayments of $44.17.

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Note: ½ a batch of Sugar Cinnamon Crisps and ½ a batch of Peanut Butter Crisps may be made. Divide the one egg between the two recipes. Beat egg until slightly frothy and measure evenly by spoonfuls to divide. Halve all other ingredients also. Yields approximately 3 dozen of each cookies.

Basic Cookie Mix

6 Cups sifted pastry flour, 1 tablespoon salt, 2 cups cold shortening.

Sift flour and salt into large bowl. Cut in shortening, using pastry blender or two knives, until mixture resembles coarse crumbs. Fat should be in pieces about the size of small peas. Store in closely covered containers such as quart sealers or large jars. Makes approximately 8 cups mix.

Sugar Cinnamon Crisps

2 Cups Basic Cookie Mix given above, ½ cup white sugar, ½ cup brown sugar lightly packed, 1 teaspoon baking powder, ½ teaspoon baking soda, 1 egg, 1 teaspoon vanilla, 2 tablespoons sugar, 2 teaspoons ground cinnamon.

Combine Basic Cookie Mix, white and brown sugars, baking powder, baking soda, and stir together. Add the egg and vanilla and mix well together.

Mix sugar and cinnamon together in small bowl. Drop teaspoon of dough into cinnamon mixture and coat thoroughly. Place well apart on cookie sheet and bake in moderately hot oven 375°F., 10 to 12 minutes. Cool slightly before removing to wire rack. Store in closely covered container. If preferred dough may be chilled enough to handle, rolled into small balls an inch or so in diameter, coated with sugar cinnamon mixture, placed on cookie sheet and flattened with tines of a fork. Cookies will spread a little. Yields about 5 to 6 dozen cookies.

Peanut Butter Crisps

2 Cups Basic Cookie Mix (given above), 1 cup light brown sugar, 1 teaspoon soda, 1 egg, ½ cup peanut butter.

Add Basic Cookie Mix to sugar and soda and mix together. Add egg and peanut butter and combine thoroughly. Chill dough until easily handled. Shape into 1 inch balls, place on cookie sheet and press with tines of a fork, making criss-cross design on top. Cookies will spread slightly so do not place too closely together. Bake in moderately hot oven 375°F., 10 to 12 minutes. Color should not be too brown or cookies will taste scorched. Cool slightly before removing from pan to wire rack. Store in tightly closed container. Yields about 5 to 6 dozen cookies.

Light or Dark Brownies

1½ Cups Basic Cookie Mix (given above), 1½ cups sugar, ½ teaspoon baking powder, 3 eggs, 1 to 3 squares chocolate (melted), 1 teaspoon vanilla, ½ cup chopped nuts.

Combine Basic Cookie Mix, sugar and baking powder and stir together. Add the eggs, melted chocolate (smaller quantity for light, larger amount for dark Brownies) and vanilla, and mix thoroughly. Add nuts and spread in greased 9" x 9" x 2" pan. Bake in moderately hot oven 375°F., 25 to 30 minutes. Brownies will be slightly moist in centre. Cool in pan, ice with butter icing flavored with vanilla or peppermint or serve plain. Cuts into 16 to 24 fingers depending on size.

Cocoa Crisps

Follow recipe for Sugar Cinnamon Crisps only add 1 tablespoon cocoa to mix when adding sugar and omit the sugar cinnamon coating.



TOMORROW'S BAKED DINNER

Consomme with Tomatoes
Baked Veal Chops Broccoli
Tangerine Sweet Potato Casserole
Bread-and-Butter
Raisin Custard
Coffee Tea Milk

Measurements Are Level
Recipes For Six

Consomme with Tomatoes: To contents 2 (10½-oz.) cans concentrated consomme add 1½ can-measures hot water. Heat until boiling.

Meantime, in separate saucepan, heat 6 canned whole tomatoes. Place a tomato in each soup bowl; pour over consomme.

Dust with minced parsley.

Tangerine Sweet Potato Casserole. Serve with Poultry or Smoked Ham: Mix 2 lbs. mashed, cooked, peeled sweet potatoes, 2 tbsp. each butter and brown sugar, 1 tbsp. rum flavoring (optional) and ½ tsp. salt.

Cut sections from 2 Florida tangerines in half. Remove seeds. Fold into sweet potato mixture.

Turn into buttered 2-qt. casserole.

Snip white centres from sections of 2 additional tangerines; remove seeds. Arrange sections atop sweet potatoes.

Blend 2 tbsp. each additional butter and brown sugar and 2 tbsp. chopped pecans. Strew over top.

Bake 30 min. in mod. oven, 375 deg. F.

Baked Florida Tangerines: Serve warm or cold as a dessert, or with duck, chicken, turkey, goose or feathered game.

To prepare: Make 8 vertical cuts in skin of six Florida tangerines from blossom end to an inch from bottom.

Pull down peel; turn in pointed ends. Remove white membrane.

Loosen tangerine sections in centre; pull apart slightly.

Place tangerines in shallow baking dish.

Fill each centre with 1 tbsp. currant jelly; dot with 1 tsp. butter; dust with 1 tsp. sugar.

Over all pour ¾ c. Florida orange juice.

Bake 30 min. in mod. oven, 350 deg. F.; baste twice with juice from dish.

Teatime Topics

Specially Written for The Lachute Watchman

By Edna Blakely, Canadian Press Staff Writer



In Toronto, members of the Scandinavian-Canadian Club marked their recent Lucia Festival with a dance and a Lucia Parade.

The festival has been marked by people of Scandinavian extraction for 1,700 years. It takes place December 13, the night considered to be the longest of the year. Lucia, The Queen of Light, is chosen to brighten the dark northern reaches of the Scandinavian countries with her crown of flaming candles.

This latest Lucia was blonde Inger Strandberg, 18, who was born in Stockholm, Sweden. She came to Canada with her parents nine years ago.

Although there are conflicting versions of the origin of the festival, the most widely accepted is that it started in Sicily about 300 AD in the city of Syracuse.

Lucia was said to be the daughter of a nobleman. A young heathen, impressed with her beautiful eyes, fell in love with the girl. She was said to have torn out her eyes and sent them to her lover on a golden plate. God, in sympathy, rewarded her with eyes even more beautiful than those she had torn out.

Although it is not known how the legend got to Sweden, it is known the Scandinavians soon associated Lucia's crown of flaming candles with their dark winter nights and Lucia became the Queen of Light.

Since the middle of the 18th century, Lucia, dressed in white and gold and wearing six burning candles, has led the Lucia processions on this anniversary. She offers her followers Lussekatter, a special kind of Swedish bread.

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Pumpkin Pudding

Most people think of pie and pumpkin together but pumpkin can be used to make delicious puddings too. This recipe calls for 1¼ cups pumpkin; 4 eggs, beaten; ¾ cup cream; ¼ cup rum; ¾ cup brown sugar; ½ teaspoon each of ginger, cloves, cinnamon, nutmeg and salt.

Beat egg yolks. Mix all other ingredients together except egg whites. Beat egg whites until stiff. Fold into pumpkin mixture. Place in greased pudding dish and bake in a moderate oven, 350 degrees, for 45 minutes.

Seafood dips and spreads

For casual entertaining, simple snacks such as dips and spreads are ideal. They are quick and easy to assemble, don't require last minute attention, and taste just as good at the end of a party as they did when they were prepared. With a dip offer finger foods such as potato chips, crackers, or crunchy-crisp sticks, and with a spread, an assortment of small crackers. Then let the guests help themselves.

How does a dip differ from a spread? It is a little thinner in consistency. A dip should be just thick enough to cling to a dunk without dripping, but not so heavy that it must be scooped up. It is too thick when a cracker or chip breaks in the mixture. A spread may be made into a dip by adding a little cream, mayonnaise, or other liquid ingredient.

Many a popular spread and dip takes its flavor cue from a seafood. Here are three taste-tantalizing combinations which have a shellfish base.

Love That Lobster

1 Can (5 ounces) lobster, 1 package (5 ounces) cream cheese, 1 tablespoon lemon juice, 1 tablespoon water, ¼ cup dairy sour cream, ½ clove garlic (crushed), 2 tablespoons finely chopped, green onion.

Drain lobster and remove any cartilage in claw meat. Chop lobster finely. . Soften cream cheese and blend in lemon juice, water, and sour cream. Beat until light and fluffy. Stir in lobster, garlic, and green onion. Whip until well blended. Serve as a spread, or stir in an additional ¼ cup of sour cream and serve as a dip. Makes about 2 cups.

Clam Cut-Up

1 Can (7 ounces) minced clams 2 packages (4 ounces each) cream cheese, 2 teaspoons lemon juice, 2 teaspoons grated onion, 1 teaspoon Worcestershire sauce, 4 drops Tabasco sauce, ¼ teaspoon salt, 1 tablespoon finely chopped parsley.

Drain clams thoroughly and reserve liquid. Cream the cheese and blend in lemon juice, onion, Worcestershire sauce, Tobasco sauce and salt. Beat with an electric mixer or rotary beater until light and fluffy, or use an electric blender. Stir in clams and parsley. Serve as a spread, or gradually blend in 1 or more tablespoons of clam liquid until the mixture is the consistency of whipped cream and serve as a dip. Makes about 1¼ cups.

Smoky Oyster

1 Can (2¼ ounces) smoked oysters, 2 teaspoons lemon juice, 3 drops Tabasco sauce, few grains pepper, 2 packages (4 ounces each) cream cheese, 2 tablespoons mayonnaise.

Drain oysters and chop very finely. Sprinkle with lemon juice, Tabasco sauce and pepper. Cream the cheese. Blend in mayonnaise and oyster mixture. Beat until fluffy. Use as a spread, or blend in 2 tablespoons of rich milk to make a dip. Makes about 1¼ cups.



Seafood dips and spreads are ideal for entertaining or open house anytime. — Department of Fisheries of Canada photo

For Parents Only . . .

A Weekly Feature of Helpful Hints on Child Training.



Let Children Reach Decisions

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— By NANCY CLEAVER —

Fathers as well as mothers may incline to be over-protective to their almost-grown children. Parents do not like to hear plain truths. Unfortunately, in many cases, they need to be advised to let their children reach their own decisions.

One of the fundamental reasons for this undesirable situation is that all through their child's growing years parents have been sure that "Mother knows best" or "Father will tell you the right thing to do."

They have not seen clearly enough that a child must be given the chance to decide. Sometimes he will make a poor or even a wrong choice. But he can only become accustomed to thinking through a problem, reaching a solution and acting on it through his own experience. He must have first-hand knowledge of life, not second-hand. A child must learn from failure as well as from success.

The refusal of parents to let them grow up is perhaps the one thing that irks adolescents most of all. Frequently there is bitter conflict between a boy or girl and one or both parents over the choice of a vocation. The same thing is true in picking a girl friend or a boy friend. Why don't parents help their children grow up by encouraging them to make their own choices?

In the one matter of selecting their child's life work parents have committed so many blunders that one would think that the thoughtful parent would hesitate to rush in.

There are scores of biographies which tell of unhappy men and women who were forced by a father's domination to follow a profession for which they were ill-fitted.

Zane Grey's father absolutely insisted that he become a dentist. He obeyed, but was miserable in his years as a dentist. Finally he abandoned this profession and turned to the writing profession, in which he became famous.

Mothers may not be so strong-minded about their child's life work, but they do have a hard time in the field of human relations. It is difficult for most mothers to accept the definition of a good parent as "one who becomes progressively dispensable." Because they are so fond of their little son it is hard for them to see that by nature the companionship of his peers — his own age group, becomes increasingly important to him.

A little later on, how rare it is for a mother to look for the good points in her son's best girl. An outstanding psychologist has pointed out in this matter that "It is love that lets him go, not the possessive love that keeps him dependent. Freedom makes a boy's healthy growth to manhood possible."

Mothers and fathers, are you making your children's healthy growth to maturity possible by giving them chances throughout the years to make their own choices? Are you showing your faith in them by cutting the "apron strings", which restrained them from harm when they were small?

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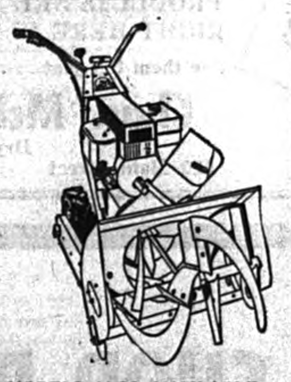
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Brownsburg Presbyterian Ladies' Aid has planned the following events for 1961:

Home Cooking Sale — Feb. 10
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Christmas Sale — Dec. 2
1c

DATES TO REMEMBER

Brownsburg United Church Women's Association, Group "A", have planned the following events for 1961:

Supper — Feb. 21
Mother's Day Tea — May 13
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The world's second greatest killer is a worm infestation known as schistosomiasis. . . . Over the years medical researchers have tried literally hundreds of preparations in attempts to stamp out the parasite which plagues 115 million victims. Surprisingly, three doctors now have found a possible solution in one of nature's most common substances, glucosamine.

At the Sixth Annual Symposium on Antibiotics, in Washington, D.C., physicians described the results obtained with glucosamine capsules as "the most promising" they had ever seen in the treatment of schistosomiasis.

Dr. Elmer J. Loughlin, Dr. William C. Gittinger and Dr. William G. Mullin, of New York Medical College and Flower and Fifth Avenue Hospitals in New York City, reported that 14 out of 16 patients with one form of the disease responded well to glucosamine in preliminary trials.

Overlooked for many years, glucosamine shows great potential usefulness in medicine. Only last year researchers discovered that adding it to capsules of broadspectrum antibiotics got more of the drug's germ-fighting action into the bloodstream. At the same Washington symposium, Dr. Lester A. Nathan of Skokie, Illinois, and Dr. Walter L. Mersheimer of New York City reported that a glucosamine-antibiotic mixture had proved successful against many different infections. Other medical researchers hinted that glucosamine may work against diarrhea.

How it works against the Schistoma worm is not fully understood. Neither has it yet been determined if it is effective against other types of this worm. What scientists think happens is this: During part of its lifetime the worm is carried in tropical fresh water snails. When it infects humans, the worm lives off the glucose in the body. Glucosamine, which is absolutely harmless to humans, closely resembles glucose and is mistakenly absorbed by the worm as food. The worm cannot digest glucosamine and is starved to death.





Diary of a Vagabond

BY DOROTHY BARKER

It finally happened. I knew at the time I shouldn't oil the hinges on the old front door. Ever since I was a child I have had a horror of being locked out of my own house. There has always been a spare key hidden under the sill of the front door, but for some reason I had taken it indoors to remove damage the weather had caused to its smooth surface. Before I started the job of oiling the hinges. I had rubbed it with cleanser, then oiled it and laid it unthinkingly on the dining room table.

I was preening with pride as I tested the hinges. No squeak! I gave the door an extra little push and wham, it flew out of my hands and shut with an ominous click.

It was then I noted the sky looked as though it had been papered with battleship linoleum and the breeze that whisked around the front entrance was as chilly as charity. Even the house dress I wore felt as though it had been made of tissue paper.

I looked through the dining room window, possibly hopeful that the key would get the message and hop right out through the glass and into the key hole. Over a chair was a thick woolly sweater I had discarded as I warmed up to my lubricating task. So near, yet SO far away.

Surely the back door would be open, but even as I ran around the house I knew it would be securely bolted against marauders. I tried every ground floor window hopefully, not one gave even a little crack. I stood contemplating the possibility of smashing a cellar window until I realized that in the winter, I fasten each frame securely with nails so that they won't rattle when a north wind blows.

I remembered that firemen often have magic ways of gaining an entry into a house without doing too much damage. So I hurried next door to ask for the use of my neighbor's phone.

"Don't do that," my neighbor said when I explained why I was dashing through a snowdrift coatless, clad only in a summer frock. "The fire brigade will come screaming down the street with sirens wide open and you'll have the whole town at your door before you know it. Besides, it will cost you $15 for the call. You don't get that kind of service free any more. No, let's put Patty through the milk cabinet, she'll open the door for you."

Patty was small for her three years and as I watched her mother bundle her up in her nylon snow suit I calculated she might just make it if I gave her a shove. Then a horrible thought entered my mind. What if Patty got stuck and I couldn't get her in or out!

Clad in a borrowed coat I guided Patty down the hill that separates our two houses, telling her in an assuring voice what an advanture it would be to go through the milk cabinet. "Like Alice falling down the rabbit hole, only more fun," I declared.

The wee mite went through the small opening like a greased seal. I could hear her pattering around the house. I called to her, "Patty dear, open the front door." No answer. I waited. Two little feet had come to rest somewhere within. I implored her again to go to the front door and twist the knob. SILENCE!

Then I got a whiff of nail polish through the door of the milk cabinet. I called again, "For Heaven's sake, Patty, open up the door."

A small face, covered with gorey red nail enamel appeared impishly at the milk cabinet. She pretended not to understand me when I explained where the front door was. "Cookie," she demanded.

"Oh, all right, get a cookie out of the jar in the kitchen and then be a good girl and open the door." Patty had been taught her manners. She never took a cookie without making her wants known and having lived beside me since birth, she knew well how to pull the kitchen stool over to the counter and reach the cookie jar.

Just as I could feel my hair turning white as a Saanan goat, Patty opened the door and strolled out. Cookie crumbs stuck to the nail enamel on her cheeks, gave her an elfin appearance. Mercifully, her snow suit had escaped damage and the remainder of the bottle of enamel had only spilled on the glass top of my dressing table.

As I mopped up Patty and table with tissues soaked in polish remover I thought how usually peaceful my travels aboard a train are, as compared to the hazards of domesticity.

APPRECIATION

Miss M. C. James returned to Lachute on Saturday after spending the past two months in the General Hospital and Montreal Convalescent Home, and desires to thank all kind friends and neighbors for cards, letters and many other acts of kindness, for which she is very appreciative.

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Civic tempo accelerates, candidates supported for six Council vacancies

A number of papers are in circulation on behalf of prospective candidates for the vacancies in civic administration — the mayoralty and five Council seats.

For the mayoral seat vacated by James W. McGibbon on completion of his two-year term, there are two contenders at this stage — nomination day being one week hence, on Wednesday, January 25. The two aspirants are Dr. Roger Dumais, dental surgeon, and Fernand Legault, advocate, both well known and long-established citizens.

For centre ward, Dr. Jean-Paul Dorion, veterinary surgeon, is entering the ranks for Seat No. 2 vacated by Réal Urbain, who states he will not run in contest for the seat. (Ald. Urbain completed the mandate of Ald. Gérard Lefebvre since the latter's departure to Montreal several months ago.)

In the same ward, Lauréat Laurin is returning as aspirant for the seat he has just vacated; so far he appears to have no opposition.

In west ward, Wilfrid Morrissette, a veteran alderman, will return to contest the honors with Stanley Church, another long-experienced councilman, whose term has expired. . . . Meanwhile, Ald. Nelson Lepage, retiring, will seek a new mandate in west ward; so far he has no opponent.

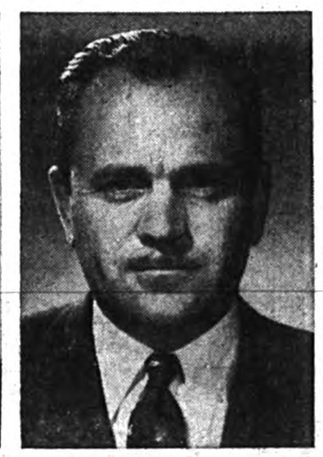
In the east ward where Ald. Edgar O. Pollock has concluded his mandate, a paper is in circulation for the candidacy of Linton W. Armstrong. There is no indication, at this date, that Ald. Pollock is seeking re-election.

Nominations take place January 25 closing at 2 p.m., in the council chamber at city hall.

Contenders for mayoral office



DR. R. A. DUMAIS, dental surgeon, and a well known townsman, who has signified his intention to stand as candidate for mayor, with expiry of the term of Jas. W. McGibbon.



FERNAND LEGAULT, Q.C., who is also president of the Rural Bar of the Province of Quebec, has officially announced his candidacy for the office of mayor in the Town of Lachute.

Medical notables attended funeral of late Dr. FitzGerald

Noted at the funeral of the late Dr. F. W. FitzGerald, held in St. Simeon's Anglican Church last Wednesday, were many notables of the medical profession. These included:

Dr. Gerald Halfpenny (president), Dr. Walter Scriver and Dr. S. A. MacDonald, representing the Canadian Medical Association; Dr. Thos. Primrose, Province of Quebec Medical Association; Dr. Earle Wight, Canadian Pacific Railway; Dr. Ray Brow, Dr. Roderick Foote, Dr. Ray Lawson, Dr. A. K. Geddes and Dr. Gordon Petrie, representing the Royal Victoria Hospital; Dr. Jean-Paul Legault, Hotel Dieu.

Members of the Lachute Medical Bureau, physicians from Lachute, St. Andrews, Brownsburg and St. Hermas were also in evidence.

Among others were the following:

Mayor Jas. W. McGibbon and representatives of Town Council. W. M. Cottingham, M.P.P. for Argenteuil.

Dist. Gov. Ed MacLean and members of Montreal district Lions Clubs.

President Dr. E. Mongeon and a large delegation from Lachute Lions Club.

Representatives from local industry, business, professions and all walks of life.

Four autos laden with beautiful flowers headed the cortege, in one of the largest funerals seen here in recent years.

The Rev. C. R. Lang, rector, conducted the rites, assisted by the Rev. W. C. LeCras. The Rev. H. G. Baugh was in the chancel, and a full choir of the Anglican Church.

Town officer resigns



JOS. SENECAL, foreman of public works for the past 12 years, tendered his resignation from the town corporation last Saturday, to become effective January 28. Mr. Senecal has accepted a position with the Quebec Highways Department.

Leon Tessier heads B'burg Legion 71

Brownsburg — At a general meeting of the Brownsburg Legion Branch 71, held January 10, new officers submitted by Russ Summers on behalf of the nominating committee, were elected as follows:

President, Leon Tessier; 1st vice-president, Ward Moncrieff; 2nd vice-president, Les Camus.

Secretary, Bob Duncan.

Treasurer, Bob Shaw.

Executive Committee — House, Geo. Wilson. . . . Executive, Hec. Steele (past-pres.), Don Todd, Alan Atwell, Noel Racine, Rocky Baccardax.

Sgt. at Arms, Basil Jackson.

Ayers ski centre at Pine Hill popular spot

The Ayers ski centre at Pine Hill was a scene of activity last weekend when it became open to the public. Despite the fact that it is not quite completed, and no publicity had been given to the enterprise, last Sunday in brilliant sunny weather, over 350 persons were in evidence on the slopes, skiing, sledding and on "flying saucers".

On the T-bar tow there are presently only 15 bars, but when completed it will have 35 units to accommodate patrons ascending the hill.

There is every evidence this spot will prove an increasingly popular attraction.

'C-I-L Today' shows Brownsburg plant, workers, products

More than 900 employees of C-I-L at Brownsburg will be seeing themselves, their plant and its products featured in a half-hour full color motion picture film.

The film, "C-I-L Today — 1960" gives a graphic review of the various aspects of the company's operations during the past year. Showings will be held in the Brownsburg Legion Hall during next week. In addition to the plant scenes at Brownsburg, the film has much of direct interest to Brownsburg employees as it shows Canadian marksmen in action at the Olympic Games in Rome, the National, and Province of Quebec Skeet Championships in Montreal, and duck hunting in Western Canada with Brownsburg-made ammunition playing a stellar role.

To obtain a wide cross-section of the company's operations and uses to which its products are put, cameramen travelled from wreck-strewn Sable Island on the east coast to James Island, B.C., where explosives are made. In the Sable Island scenes, Brownsburg employees will see detonators, made at Brownsburg, used to trigger special explosives used in seismic exploration. Footage was also taken in Hong Kong, Japan and England to enable employees to visualize the extent of the company's operations.

This is the third successive year that the company has presented its annual round-up of activities to employees through the medium of motion pictures. By the end of February some 8,500 employees of C-I-L and its associate and subsidiary companies across Canada will have seen the film.

The public showing will be held at the Legion Hall on Thursday, January 26 — in French at 1.30 p.m., and in English at 2.30 p.m.

Snow dumping 'poor citizenship'

Dumping snow onto a public thoroughfare is poor citizenship when you come to think that winter roads are already tricky enough without turning them into snow dumps. Besides being a violation of municipal and provincial laws, this malpractice adds to existing winter hazards. In order not to increase winter difficulties, it is the duty of every citizen to cooperate with those who endeavor to keep public thoroughfares clean during the freakish season.

Costly blaze in cement block plant at Whisselltown

Flames gutted a large section of the Whissell Cement Block plant early Tuesday morning, in an outbreak of unknown origin. The fire call was received in Lachute at 3.50 a.m. and a crew of volunteer firemen immediately answered the call.

By using several lengths of suction hose, the firemen were able to draw sufficient water from a nearby pond to effectively extinguish the blaze. Two lines of hose were used.

The fire was well underway when discovered, and by the time firemen arrived, the roof of the building had burned through, only the large beams holding the walls together. A huge drum, reportedly holding 700 bags of cement, fell to the floor of the building, smashing a large section of the wall.

The volunteer firemen returned to Lachute some two hours later. Fire-fighting operations were directed by Chief Don McCulloch.

Sub-post office in west end

A sub-post office will be opened February 1 to serve the population of Ayersville and the western extremity of Lachute. Situated in Bigras restaurant at 204 Hamford Street, the branch will replace the post office operated since 1957 at Ayersville Pharmacy, which was discontinued last November.



Rotary curlers triumph at Lake Placid

Four curlers from Lachute entered the Rotary annual bonspiel at Lake Placid, N.Y., last week-end, returning with the trophy as evidence of their prowess. Seen above are the local representation — Syd Drew (skip); Stewart Jones (third); their "coach", Tom Johnson, seen holding the trophy; Duncan Graham (second); and Jack MacKimmie (lead).

HOME & SCHOOL GROUP INFORMED —

Permission to use school buses for extra-curricular activities

The January meeting of Lachute District Home and School was held Wednesday of last week in the High School, with Mrs. John Thorpe, president, in the chair.

Thirty-five members were present, and in view of the small number in attendance, Mrs. Thorpe suggested that recommendations for awarding the scholarship be voted upon at next meeting. (These recommendations are published hereunder, for consideration of the members).

Mrs. S. Patterson gave a report on the school board meeting. A member of the Home and School Association had met with the school board, the school staff and the contractors to choose color schemes for the school.

Mrs. Patterson also reported that the school board had been informed that school buses could now be used to transport pupils for extra-curricular activities.

The president recalled that a letter had been received from the Minister of Youth acknowledging the request from H. & S. that permission be given to use school buses for other activities.

The executive had discussed methods of raising money for the scholarship, and it had been suggested that a military whist be held again this year. April 19 had been proposed as a probable date.

Mr. Geo. Rodger reported that Miss Soule's Grade VII class had again won the banner for having the most parents present at the meeting. This class has been the winner every month since September

Mr. Ernest Gow announced that the Student Council would be invited to the next meeting, to explain their activities. In March there would be a speaker from the Association for Retarded Children

Mr. Gow then introduced the guest speaker, Police Chief A. J. Whiteway, who spoke on pedestrian safety, particularly that of children. He stressed the importance of parents setting a good example to their children in all aspects of safety on the streets. He described in detail the "Elmer the Elephant" program for promoting safety among school children, and strongly urged that it be adopted by Lachute High School.

Mrs. Thorpe thanked Chief Whiteway for his interesting talk.

Coffee was served in the cafeteria on conclusion of this meeting.

Proposed Regulations on Awarding of H. & S. Scholarship

Following are the precepts governing this matter, to be introduced at the February meeting:

1. Scholarship to be awarded to a pupil in the graduating class of Lachute High School for purpose of continuing his or her education at a recognized institution of learning.

2. Money available for the scholarship all to be given to one candidate.

3. Application for scholarship to be made in writing to the corresponding secretary of the Association before April 30 of the year in which it is to be awarded.

4. Applications shall be given to the school staff, who will approve those candidates whose record they consider suitable for university or college entrance.

5. These approved applications to be returned to the Association for study by a committee of parents, who will decide which applicants are deserving of financial assistance.

6. Applications accepted by the committee shall be returned to the school staff, who will recommend the awarding of the scholarship to candidate obtaining highest marks in High School Leaving examinations.

Swimming pool on blueprints for Richelieu Park next summer

The Richelieu Club has made plans — as soon as weather conditions permit and specifications are completed — to construct a public swimming pool in its playground on Paquin Avenue. The decision was taken at a meeting of the Club last week at the Legion Hall.

At this meeting the retiring president, Dr. Charles Roy, invested Ivanhoe Chevrier as in-coming president and handed him the gaval as symbol of his office. Dr. Roy was presented with a past-president's button.

The Richelieu Park was operated successfully last summer, with a chief monitor and student assistants to keep the youngsters healthfully occupied. In acquiring this land bordering the North River, the Club visualized a gradual development with the long-term objective of a complete recreation centre. The first step is now within sight, following the Club's decision to install a pool. This will be in the form of an "L", Olympic style, with a chalet to provide restaurant, showers, dressing rooms, toilet and other facilities. A firm of Montreal engineers, Leroux & Rondeau, have prepared the plans; these have been duly approved by the executive and the general membership.

The Richelieu park and playground has taken on the importance of a major project in this Club, which is directing its efforts towards its planned development and expansion.

25 Years' service at Ayers Ltd.





Two employees at Ayers Ltd. mills were welcomed into the Quarter Century Club, being presented with a gold watch at a brief ceremony in the busy plant of this company.

Seen in the top photograph are (left to right) Karl Cook, foreman of the cloth department, Arthur Cook, LEONARD GAGNE receiving his 25-year presentation from Tom Milnes, general superintendent, and Hubert Lemyre, of the Personnel department.

Lower group shows Lucien Sevens, finishing department foreman, Mr. Lemyre, HENRI BELANGER receiving his watch from George Tattersfield, cloth mill superintendent, and Mr. Milnes.

The 25-Year Club at Ayers Limited now has 118 members. — Photos, Syd Drew

Annual meetings

The annual general meeting of the Chamber of Commerce is being held January 19, at 7.30 p.m. in the council chamber at city hall. The year's reports will be heard and officers elected. Matters of importance in civic development will be discussed at this assembly.

The annual meeting of shareholders of the Caisse Populaire de Lachute is called Sunday, January 29, at 8 p.m. in the town council chamber. A report on the year's business will be presented, and certain executive appointments voted on.

Acclamations and contests in three municipalities

Elections were held Monday in various municipalities of the County.

At Carillon

Retiring Councillor Jean Lemay stood for mayoral election against the retiring office-holder Adelard Castonguay, and won by a 27-vote majority, in Carillon Village.

In nominations for councillors, Joseph Moreau, Réal Gauthier and Adelard Thibert received an acclamation replacing the late Napoleon Roy (whose seat was vacated by his death two weeks ago), Jean Lemay (the new mayor) and Donat Belair.

Other members of this council are Eloi Langevin, Georges Crevier and Roland Moussin. Secretary-treasurer is Marcel Décary.

St. Andrews Village

Mayor Antoine Paré, retiring, was re-elected to office in a contest with Leopold Charlebois in St. Andrews Village. Mr. Paré polled a majority of 186 votes — 308 to 122.



Mayor Antoine Paré, re-elected in the Village of St. Andrews

This council now comprises Mayor Paré, Dollard Roy, Hormisdas Legault, and Remi Rocquebrune (three councillors re-elected by acclamation), Tupper Porter, H. M. Stephens and Lucien Girard. . . . In other words, there has been no change in the membership of this body. Secretary-treasurer is Remi Raymond.

St. Andrews Parish

For the Parish of St. Andrews, Lucien Durocher was elected mayor with a majority of 18 against his opponent, Arthur Campeau. The count was 137-119. Mr. Durocher replaces Rosario Lemay, retiring.

Fernand Campeau won Seat No. 6 against Réal Lemay in a 156-98 vote.

At nomination proceedings the previous Monday, Jean-Baptiste Raymond and Clifford Blair were re-elected by acclamation.

Other members of the parish council are Henri Charlebois, Irenée Paré and Paul Giroux.

Regional Welfare meeting Jan. 20 at St. Jerome

Arrangements have now been completed for members of the Regional Welfare Co-ordination Committee to hold their next regular meeting in St. Jerome on Friday, January 20. All members are urged to take note of the change in date, and to attend this meeting.

Any person interested in attending is requested to meet at the Lachute Town Hall at 6.45 p.m. The group will proceed to the Anbar School for Retarded Children at 7 p.m., arriving at about 7.45 p.m. After inspection of the school, the party will inspect the Social Service buildings and hold its monthly meeting. It is expected that refreshments will be served, the party arriving back in Lachute at about 11.45 p.m.

A special invitation is issued to persons interested in local work for retarded children, to take part in this tour.

Local Ayrshires shipped to Cuba

Nineteen head of Ayrshire cattle were assembled recently by Erskine Rodger, local specialist in this breed, for shipment to Cuba.

Mr. Rodger, in collaboration with Dick Diggs of the Ontario Ayrshire Association, purchased the cattle for Richd. Schlissner, exporter.

All the animals selected were first-calving purebred heifers. . . . Five came from this County — three from Don Bradley's Brookview herd, and two from Erskine Rodger's Woodlea Farm. Fourteen others were purchased around Vankleek Hill — with an additional four from Glengarry County to make a truck-load of 23.

The shipment left for Caledonia January 6, proceeding on their way southward on Monday, by highway to a ferrying point on the Atlantic seaboard for Cuba.

Argenteuil Outdoors



A column for the sportsman

— By BOB ATCHISON —

To continue our discussion on the various species of fish flies . . .

The flies are found in quiet waters, pools, ponds, lakes, etc. They usually appear on the scene around the end of May and hatch until early July. On very bright days these flies can be seen flying about. The female lays her eggs on leaves, branches, etc., always near water. The eggs hatch in three to five days, dropping into the water to become larvae. This takes up to three years to hatch into the winged fly. There are different types of these flies, but all have the same characteristics. . . . There is the Spotted Black fish fly and Spotted Breem fly, all one and the same, though.

The Dobson flies are the largest water flies we usually see. They seem to be all wings, with a very slender, colored body. One of the most graceful flies to be seen, not very strong, they cannot fly long distances. The female lays her eggs on some overhanging object where the eggs, on hatching into larvae, can drop into the water. These larvae can be found in the fastest parts of any water, and can be easily picked up by lifting rocks, with a small net behind it. They spend all their larvae life in fast water, so don't expect to find any around lakes.

I have heard people state these flies were no good for trout, but right from the larvae stage up to the fly itself, they are very good. Some of the names this insect is known by will set you thinking of some of your own catches on this fly — Hellgrammites, Crawlers, Devil Bugs. This same fly is a wonderful bait for bass.

The Midge family cannot be broken down to one certain type, and for the fisherman who wants one of all fies, he's going to be out of luck on this one. There are over 1,000 types classified in this family, and it's still growing. Most people blame these flies for biting and drawing blood. Mistakenly, the Sand Flies, No-See-Ums and a couple more blood-suckers are called Midges. Another very popular misconception is they are all small. Some of these flies are as big as our Shads.

I know we have all watched flies in what seem to be columns of ropes in the air. Swaying back and forward, at times there are so many they appear to be smoke from a fire. Only one class does this, others will almost blot out a stream with their writhing. Others can be seen as a smoke-ball in rain. The life cycles of these flies are nearly all the same — the female mates, lays her eggs, dies; the eggs hatch in varying times, head for the bottom of any water and stay that way for periods of up to two years. This family will start to hatch as soon as open water is seen, even though snow and ice will still cover the main parts. They can be seen flying around in the snow, and even in late spring snowfalls, they may be seen. One very distinct point about these flies, they gather to swarm. In swarming there may be millions of them, so many, in fact, that they can be heard flying.

The Crane flies are what people call Daddy Long Legs, Water Spiders and so on. Most of this family can be found around swamps, marshes and alongside the stream and river banks. If any of you have ever watched them you will see they are pretty clumsy in the air, not so much for their flying ability, but seemingly the sense of direction. The bodies of these flies can be seen caught on leaves, branches, spider webs, almost everything. I don't know just why they should fly into all these things; maybe poor direction-finding, or poor radar equipment. But joking aside, it has never been actually proved as to why they should do this. In this family the female pursues the male, clasps him to her, mates, drops him off anywhere, lays her eggs and then dies. The eggs in this case are laid on rotten leaves, logs, grass, anything alongside the bank. The eggs hatch, drop off into the water and head for the bottom. About a year is required before the eggs reach the flying stage, thus it can be seen they comprise a big portion of fish diet. It seems very strange to me they aren't used more often by fishermen. It's true they are hard to cast for the fly man, and distances can be forgotten when using them, but from experience these flies are producers every time they are used. A trick on this fly might help a lot: some of this species crawl down into the water to lay, so fish really look out for them.

The Damsel flies are often mistaken for the Cranes, but as these flies are beautifully colored and very delicate when flying, they cannot be mistaken for long. Another point I neglected to bring out on the Cranes — they have a single set of wings; the Damsels have two, so that is another way to tell them apart. When resting they also keep the wings straight up, not laid out as with the Crane. When mating the male clasps the female and tows her behind him. You often see them both on a rock or log this way, then heading into the water. The wings are wrapped around them like a tent at this time, where air is trapped inside for them to breathe. I have been told these flies can stay under the water for as long as half an hour. After the eggs are laid, the male drags the female out of the water—or rather, breaks the surface first then drags the female out. The eggs hatch out to become larvae, staying in this stage up to two years, finally emerging to become flies. I don't know just how many species of this fly there are, but it must run into the dozens. This is another one of the flies that is not, but should be, used for fish.

The Dragon flies need no description, as we all have seen them around, and this is another forgotten fly as far as the fish are concerned.

The ants can be passed over in a few words; fish do not seem to like them as a diet. They may take them once in awhile, but I imagine the taste of ants is not appealing to them!

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A phone call this past week gave some information that I am happy to pass on. The moose that were in evidence around this area have shown up again. This time they have been seen around Morin Heights. From what I could gather, this is the first time they have been seen for a number of years in that particular district. They are still appearing in the immediate area around Lachute, and will probably stay with us until spring. I also heard that some deer are yarding in and around the sand-pit going up toward Lakefield. I know they yarded that way a couple of years ago; with some good feed around that district they won't have far to travel for it. On top of this, the bush is so heavy in parts, that it won't be too much work for them to get at it.

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A group of the shooters hereabouts have decided to take their guns out of storage. I often wonder why they stack their guns away immediately the hunting season is over. A lot of fun can be had putting up targets in the bush and banging away at them. That's one way of getting to use your guns properly. I know, after a lay-off of a couple of weeks, you always have a little trouble getting everything lined up. There is one more point that has often puzzled me. Why Lachute has not got a smallbore rifle club for the youngsters. I'm sure the C-I-L would be happy to give any assistance they could in something like this.

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It seemed that some people were getting a little pride in the town. At least there wasn't any garbage around in the ditches, to speak of. That isn't the case right now; some of these ditches are a junk dealer's paradise. Plenty of old tires, cans, etc. But this is not confined to outside the town limits. All one has to do is to take a look at some of the vacant lots right in the town. Believe me, there should be some very rare garbage in these places. Never can tell; maybe an antique of some value. If all this junk were placed in the centre of town, then we could all have a pick at it. Maybe this idea is worth something.

How about some of the stores in town putting out a can for litter, I'm sure if these things were painted with the name of the store, it would at least appear that someone was interested in keeping the town clean. There doesn't seem to be any civic pride whatever, in the way some of our citizens litter up the streets.

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Maybe some of you these past few days have seen hawks flying around. I saw two of them; possibly there were more. I know there have been a number of them hovering over the bush. They don't seem to bother the smaller birds.

A number of persons have told me of the jays that are using their feeding stations. I know there are large numbers of them around. Very bold too, as most of you know. A couple of them have been staying close to our premises all the time; these are joined by the free-loaders that are passing by. It seems the birds must have some special way of letting the flyers know there is free food for them. It has to be something like this, as we've watched birds flying past minding their own business — and whoops, down they come for a free feed! It's wonderful how the different breeds get along so well together when they are scrounging.

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One of the most interesting experiences happened to me recently. Getting into the bush so often, I have an opportunity of seeing wildlife a little more than most people. Most of you know the bluff and hills back of the North River on Highway 41. I had gone up that way in the morning, using a 'scope to look over the countryside. After a couple of hours I spotted a slight movement on the bluff. It was some time before I could discern what it was — a lynx! I managed to get within 200 yards and decided to stay put. I couldn't tell what sex the animal was until another lynx came out of the cedars. This one was smaller and she was the Boss. It must have been the female, as it trotted over to the other that had been lying on the rock, gave a couple of snarls and a poke with its front paw — after which the larger one got up and gave the warm spot up to the other! A funny sight to watch. Of course I couldn't hear the snarl, but I could see the lips curl up and the paw flash out. . . . In nature all the males give way to the supposed weaker sex. It's also true the female is the more vicious of the two.

While all this had been going on, the jays sure were giving out with a concert. And when they had all gone, I went over to look over the spot. Believe it or not, some of the jays had been within 40 inches of the lynx (the length of a snowshoe) . . . It is rather strange to see these varieties of wildlife together; supposed to be mortal enemies, you find out they aren't as bad as they are painted.

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Interest in the North River and the flooding of last spring, seems to have started all over again. Maybe this is due to the heavy snows of the past few weeks. Strange that it should start to break out now, when the time for action was last year. However, this is one problem that should not be shelved, even if reports were published that "no one was to blame." This is a foregone conclusion where considerable expense is involved.

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The new lines of fishing tackle, and the number of new baits on the shelves, make us wish the snow was elsewhere! The glass rods seem to be getting better every year; some of the fly rods may be better than the previous products. I know one I tried last year seemed to be very good; it was for a while, then after a little work it seemed to lose all the action necessary to a fly rod. Spinning reels are also getting better; a good number of them are leaving the doodads off, and some of these are being made much lighter. This is something I go for in a big way. A couple that I have tried out hefted about a pound in weight. After using a thing like this all day it's no wonder you have pulled muscles! With the use of plastics and aluminum, they should be good. The removal of a lot of the blanks in them has also lightened them up. This has been a regular thing with fly reels, and I've often wondered when the casting and spinning reels would get the same consideration.

"C'mon Dad!"



"Don't Send . . . TAKE your Boy to the Rink !"

MINOR HOCKEY WEEK STARTS JANUARY 21st

L.H.S. teams in basketball tilts

By Eric Cheslock

Last Friday night two basketball games were played at the Lachute High School.

In the first game the Lachute senior boys met Hudson senior boys in a very exciting contest. The local boys were victorious, 54-47. The three-stars selected were Pierre Seveno, Lloyd Elder and Gordie McKay.

In the second game, the Lachute senior girls played their first O.V.S.A.A. league basketball game, against Brownsburg. The local girls were defeated by a score of 43-22.

Lachute Lions' Skating Rink



Activities and Highlights of the Week

Following are the results of hockey games played during the past week:

Lachute Young Men's Amateur Hockey League

Lachute High School 5 — I.O.H.A. (Ayers) 3

Spitfires 8 — Champlain 4

Laurentian Hockey League

Lachute 8 — St. André (Geo. Charron) 0

St. Eustache 1 — Rigaud 0 (by default)

Argenteuil Hockey League

Ste. Scholastique 9 — St. André (G. Larocque) 3

St. Benoit 10 — St. André (G. Larocque) 0

Lachute Pee-Wee League

Boyd's 2 — Legion 0

Lowe's 2 — Ayers 1

Lachute Bantam League

Boyd's 2 — Legion 2

Police 3 — Lowe's 2

Exhibition Games

High School 5 — Rams 4

Ayersville (J. P. Mallette) 11 — St. Philippe 0

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Please note — this Saturday there will be no Mosquito practice on the rink at 11 o'clock.

The ice will be given over at this time to a league game featuring Lachute High School and Buckingham High School hockey teams.

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"Keep a boy on ice and you'll keep him out of hot water."

TWO LESS VOTES

Two fools had cars they thought perfection;
They met one day at an intersection,
Tooted their horns and made connection,
A police car came and made inspection;
An ambulance came and made a collection.
All that is left is a recollection
And two less votes in the next election.

LEGION NOTES

— by —

Branch 70 Correspondent

"ACTIVE SERVICE YESTERDAY COMMUNITY SERVICE TODAY"



Keep the date January 21 in mind. This is installation of officers for 1961 in Branch 70 and its Ladies' Auxiliary. The plans follow those of other years that have proved so successful. Cocktail hour from 7 to 8 p.m., installation ceremonies from 8 to 9 p.m., then dancing for the balance of the evening. The same orchestra as we had for our Christmas dance will be in attendance. The installing officer is to be Com. Bob Giles. As this is our 25th anniversary year, it is very appropriate that one of our illustrious charter members be the conductor of the ceremonies on this evening.

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The third polio shot clinic in the second series sponsored by Branch 70, will be held in May. The March of Dimes campaign which helps finance these anti-polio clinics will be held early in February. More on both these subjects at a later date.

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Branch 70 wishes a speedy recovery to Comrades Mitchell and Watson, who are in sick bay.

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"B" for Bonspiel Day is fast approaching, and indications are that at least 16 teams from District 12 will be competing for the right to move into the provincial play-offs. From Branch 70 alone Comrades Kirby, Jones, Riley, Paulson, Fraser, Hay, Pring, Drew and St. Laurent have gathered players and entered teams. There are also four teams from Brownsburg, and we are hoping for entries from Montebello, Morin Heights, Shawbridge and Ste. Agathe. Closing date for draw will be made up the following week. One very important thing to remember, fellows, is that **every curler must be a paid-up member of his Legion Branch.**

Thanks to President L. Carriere and the board of directors of the Lachute Curling Club, the Provincial Play-offs will be held in Lachute on March 3-4. The winner of the Provincial Championship moves on to Trail, B.C., for a crack at the Legion Dominion Championship and the G & W Trophy. It is planned to have the winner established Saturday afternoon, so that the supper and dance that Branch 70 have lined up for the evening can be enjoyed to the utmost by everyone.

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Did you know that the Canadian Legion is 242,000 strong, and that among service organizations the Legion with 8,000 boys in training, is the largest sponsor of Scouts and Cubs in Canada.

St. Simeon's Church Bowling League

STANDING TO DATE

Team	Skip	P	W	L	D	For	Agst.	Pts.
Comets	(Mrs. C. Lang)	10	6	2	2	88	78	14
Eagles	(Mrs. A. Neil)	10	5	2	3	100	73	13
Rovers	(W. Chambers)	10	6	4	0	88	76	12
Meteors	(J. Sewell)	10	5	4	1	92	73	11
Stars	(G. Silverson)	10	4	4	2	87	76	10
Robins	W. Shearsmith	10	4	6	0	81	104	8
Rangers	(H. Maslin)	10	3	6	1	69	95	7
Invictas	(G. Leggett)	10	2	7	1	72	101	5

United Church Bowling League

STANDING, JANUARY 18

Team	Skip	P	W	L	D	For	Agst.	Pts.
Beavers	(Miss M. Gordon)	7	5	1	1	75	62	11
East Settlement	(Les Gordon)	7	5	2	0	72	54	10
St. George's	(Owen Todd)	7	4	3	0	56	46	8
All Stars,	(Reg. Stansfield)	7	4	3	0	56	53	8
Bluebirds	(Mrs. H. Riddell)	7	3	2	2	54	51	8
Teenagers,	(Grace Gordon)	7	3	2	2	53	51	8
St. Pat's	(Gladys Davis)	7	3	3	1	62	59	7
St. David's	(Willie Wilson)	7	3	3	1	51	61	7
St. Andrews	(Mrs. W. Bridge)	7	2	4	1	45	57	5
Maple Leafs	(Mrs. D. Smith)	7	2	4	1	40	55	5
Redwings	(Miss Grace Rosser)	7	2	5	0	50	60	4
Thistles,	(Jack Gorman)	7	1	5	1	43	56	3

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Centre Ward Electors:

Municipal elections for Seat No. 2 of Lachute Centre Ward are approaching. I learn that Dr. J. P. Dorion is running for this seat; I am ready to serve, but I have no intention to engage in an electoral fight.

It is with deep regret that I, therefore, withdraw my name as a candidate for alderman. I thank those who have solicited me to run again.

My brief stay at the Town Hall has shown me that municipal affairs require men of experience, of character, and who do not fear to take their responsibility when their oath of office requires it.

In closing, I hope that the electors of Lachute will elect to Town Hall a group of competent aldermen to cope with the difficult problems facing the town. . . . Thank you.

— Real Urbain

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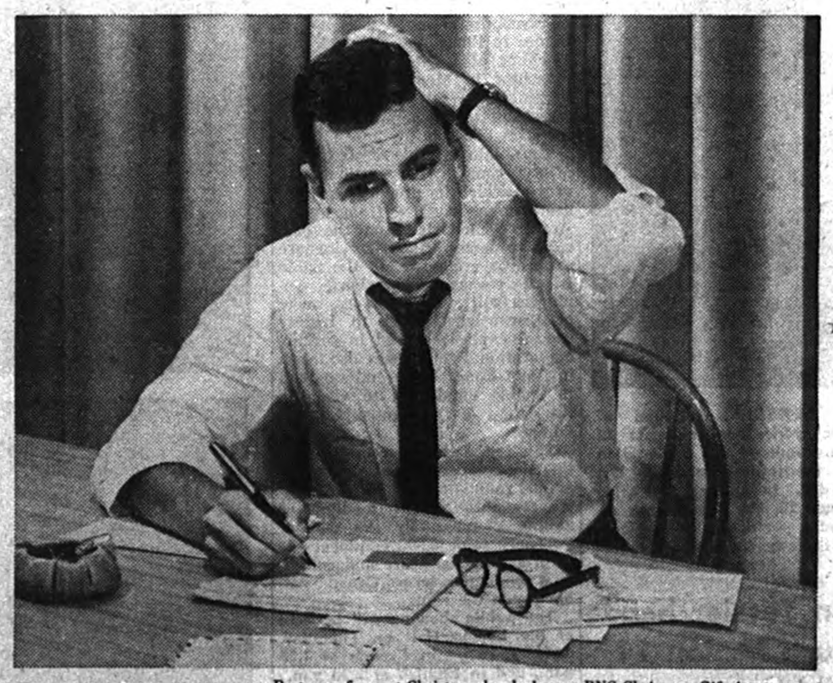
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EDITORIAL NOTES...

"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

How you read your paper

WEEKLY NEWSPAPERS are read with unmatched thoroughness, according to a representative study carried out in Alberta. . . . The Watchman did not need to be told; we have only to make a diminutive error to find out how thoroughly the weekly paper is read!

The survey among readers of the Lacombe Globe indicated that stories are just as likely to be read if they appear on an inside page as on page one.

There was relatively little difference between the reading habits and interests of men and women, rural and urban subscribers.

The size and makeup of advertising appeared to have little effect on the number reading it. However, there was a significantly larger readership of local advertising than national

The study among a random sampling of readers of the Lacombe Globe was made for the Canadian Weekly Newspapers Association, of which The Watchman is a member. It was planned and analysed by Ray Silver, Toronto Public Relations counsellor. Field work and sample preparation were under direction of Dr. Gordon Hirabayashi of the University of Alberta sociology department.

"The Alberta study has definitely shown that, where the advertiser speaks in the weekly reader's language and terms of interest, he gets attention," said William Telfer, CWNA managing director. "And where he doesn't, he doesn't get reader response."

A report on the study says 71 per cent of those polled noted the advertisements in the issue used in the survey, while 51 per cent read the ads. A dozen of the 80 display ads got better than 25 per cent readership.

"No page in this paper appeared to be of singular interest to one sex to the exclusion of the other. As many women turned to the sports page as did men. About the same proportion of men and women read the editorial page."

On the average, women noted 90 items in the issue and read two-thirds of what they noted. Men noted 86 items but read the same proportion.

Half the male readers looked at the birth notices; social "personals" ranked among the best-read items, and police court news, buried on an inside page, got readership from nearly two-thirds of those who noted it.

One man's solution

AN AMUSING VIEW on ways of improving Canada-United States relations is set forth in a letter to the editor of the Toronto **Globe and Mail** from James H. Morgan of White Plains, N.Y., and reproduced by the Fort Erie Letter-Review.

"What I would propose," wrote Mr. Morgan, "is that Canada at once apply for admission to the United States as the 51st, 52nd and 53rd states. . . . I feel that the United States has much to teach Canadians about industrial efficiency, educational methods, traffic control, and the control of alcoholism (which I understand from friends is one of Canada's greatest problems) and the close relationship I suggest is the best way for you to learn these things.

"This amalgamation would have advantages for all Canada. The vexing border would be eliminated once and for all. This means the free flow into Canada of American cigarettes at much lower prices, of tobacco of all kinds, of 100-proof American whisky, nylon stockings, and discount goods of all kinds."

Not the least questionable of Mr. Morgan's list of advantages is his idea that the free flow into Canada of 100-proof American whisky would contribute to the cure of the problem of alcoholism that he believes exists here — comments the Letter Review.

"Inglish Alfabet"

FROM TIME TO TIME there crops up evidence of a plot to scrap our hard-learned ABC's and substitute a larger alphabet complete with new rules to perfect spelling.

With most of us something less than perfect in manipulating the present 26 letters into their proper places, it is a bit frightening to speculate on how we would get along with the 40 or more characters that have been suggested in some quarters.

It is admitted there is ample evidence that the set-up we now work with harbors many pitfalls.

Recently the Ontario Department of Education issued to school principals a booklet containing nearly 300 words most often misspelled in English composition examinations.

Strangely, the word Canadian was included. So were woman, writing, forth, quit, scene, speech and visitor. Some others were alleviate, embarrassed, gossipped, illiterate, judgment and manoeuvre.

The late George Bernard Shaw had nothing but contempt for the letters and words he used so brilliantly. So emphatic was he that he left a considerable amount of money to be devoted to development of a simplified alphabet.

Mr. Shaw could never reconcile himself to pronouncing "ph" as "f" and he once described as a "wild absurdity" the use of six letters in the word "through" to indicate only two sounds.

From the Shaw will came a contest in which there were some 450 suggested designs, all with more than 40 letters. Four persons shared the £500 prize, and a book is to be published in the alphabet finally agreed upon.

Another great inventor of some innovation is I. J. Pitman, grandson of the inventor of Pitman shorthand. His 40-letter alphabet makes it possible for words to be written as they sound. It drops the ambiguous letters C, X and Q but adds 19 new ones.

But Mr. Pitman offers a reprieve for us kindergarten graduates. His system is not a spelling reform, he insists, simply a tool to teach reading. People who can already read never need be bothered with it.

The most revolutionary plan was presented recently by Swedish professor Axel Wijk. The British newspapers had a great time with this plan, one carrying this paragraph:

"A niew propozal for a reform ov Inglish spelling . . . iz put forward by a Swedish don az the latest addition to the speit ov language reforms."

The day may come when Canada will be revised to Kanada to help the schoolboy in his English composition. But many of us will hope the new alfabet will cum to lait to bother us.

A sad trend

"ARE YOU READING any book now or have you read any in the past week?" This was the question recenily put to a representative cross-section of adult Canadians by Gallup poll interviewers.

Of those questioned, only 26 per cent answered "yes", compared with 31 per cent in 1953 and 40 per cent in 1945. Thus, on the basis of this survey, three out of four adult Canadians were not reading a book of any kind in this particular week, suggesting that most — if not all — of them are not regular readers at any time.

For a country with a literate population, this proportion of non-book readers is so high (and rising so fast) that one wonders how much higher it can get. True, the experience of Canadian libraries in recent years would appear to belie the trend evidenced in post-war opinion surveys on book reading. There are more libraries today in Canada than there ever were, and more people are making use of them. This, however, has to be related to the 50 per cent increase in population since 1945 (from 12 million to 18 million).

It is all too probable that the opinion surveys are broadly correct, more's the pity. For all the other diversions that have made their appearance and compete for our leisure hours, good reading remains the hallmark of the civilized man, the front alike of profitable relaxation and pleasurable anticipation, a source of endless satisfaction.

And it is as true as ever it was, that the man who doesn't read good books has no advantage over the man who can't.

Causes of crime

TELEVISION, radio, movies and the press were named as causes of modern criminal activity at the UN Congress on Crime and Delinquency.

As the executive director of the Nova Scotia John Howard Society, Mr. John Arnott of Halifax attended the London Congress this past year, as one of 1,000 delegates representing 80 countries.

One conclusion reached at the conference was the need for the revision of old theories of the causes of crime. At one time, war was regarded as a significant cause, but current examples tended to disprove this theory.

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"A fifth freedom"

By Lewis Milligan

What can the Government do about unemployment? Well, Mr. William Plunnet, assistant Canadian director of the United Rubber Workers of America, has the solution. In a letter to the Toronto papers, he writes: "It is high time we got to the crux of the problem — jobs for everyone — and there could be no false claims for unemployment insurance. There is an answer to every problem, but the desire to solve it must come first. The Government of Canada is the only body which can put the machinery in motion to find a solution to unemployment." — It is just as simple as that.

"What has happened," he asks, "to the Second World War promises for a new world? — Freedom of Speech, Freedom of Religion, Freedom from Fear, Freedom from Want. Thank God I am not one of the unemployed who have probably found a fifth freedom, Freedom to Starve!"

The implication of those last three words is that the unemployed in Canada are starving. I immediately thought of the millions of people in India who are living in a perpetual state of starvation, compared with which unemployed Canadians are living in luxury. In Calcutta, even men who are employed do not earn enough to provide themselves with more than a few handfuls of rice per day, and at night they sleep without bedding or covering on the hard sidewalks of the city. — Shame on you, Mr. Plunnet.

If we need a Fifth Freedom in Canada, it is the Freedom to Work. Labor is organized and controlled, purposely to restrict hours of work. Overtime is rendered unprofitable for the employer through workers' demands for extra pay. And, like other restrictions and demands, this increases the cost and reduces the volume of production. All this raises prices and the cost of living. The result is a reduction of sales in the home market and loss of export trade. The end product is unemployment.

Even looking at the present situation from a selfish point of view, organized labor should see that its policy of curtailing work hours and periodically demanding higher wage rates and benefits is suicidal. The whole economy of industry, trade and commerce is kept in a perpetual state of uncertainty. Industrial projects are discouraged, building contracts are held up and sometimes abandoned because of the frequent inflation of labor costs in the manufacture of materials and the work of construction. To cite one example: a few years ago a proposed new City Hall for $18,000,000. The City Council has been hesitating about proceeding with the job. In urging immediate construction, the Mayor pointed out that the original estimate of the cost was already superseded, and that further delay would add millions of dollars to the cost of construction.

That is just one example of what is happening to many prospective enterprises, not only in building, but in business generally. Some call it "expanding economy." But the expansion is only in figures, while real values have contracted.

Things 'n Stuff

By Walter Henry Jackson

WHERE IGNORANCE IS BLISS

The late Will Rodgers once said: "We are all ignorant, but we are ignorant about different things." How true!

A photographer could tell you what a parallax compensator is, but a farmer never heard of one. But the farmer knows what to do for a sick horse. The photographer could not.

The following are examples of the truth in the old saying, "A little knowledge is a dangerous thing".

The Board of Directors of a motion picture company met to discuss the production of a new picture entitled, "The Optimist." The president rose and gave the others a rough idea of what the play was about. "Of course, we will have to make a few changes," he said. "First, the title. Of course, we all know what an optimist is. An optimist means an eye doctor, but we can't expect the general public to know that."

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A young lady with more good looks than education was describing a traffic accident she was in.

"The poor guy!" she continued. "He was taken to the hospital subconscious with a fraction of the skull and conclusion of the brain. And I was settin' right beside him. I was lucky. All I got was a disinfected shoulder and a strained liniment."

* * *

Three small boys were staring at a big iron letter-box that the Government had installed right outside the post-office in the small village where they lived. They were all familiar with the galvanized iron ones on posts near every farmhouse, but had never before seen one of the thick, red iron monsters such as are common in cities. "Bet it belongs to the postmaster," said the first boy. "Don't be crazy!" said the second. "Why would he want one when he has the post-office right in his store?"

"Bet it belongs to the doctor," said the second boy. "It's right across the road from his house."

"You're nuts!" said the third boy. "If it was his it would be on his side of the road. I'll bet it belongs to the minister. He lives right next to the post-office."

"Couldn't be his," said the first boy. "Look, it's got on it, 'No Collection on Sundays'."

Be seein' ya!

— Uncle Walt

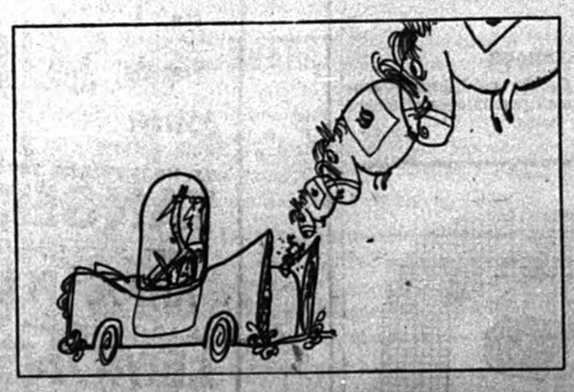
Unions kill newspapers

There was an air of mystery surrounding the recent demise of **"The News Chronicle"** and **"The London Star"** — two long-established daily newspapers of London, England. **"The People's Guardian"**, the official weekly newspaper of the People's League for the Defence of Freedom of the United Kingdom, revealed what caused the disappearance of these two newspapers, each with a circulation of about a million copies a day. **"The News Chronicle"** was merged with **"The Daily Mail"** and **"The Star"** with **"The Evening News"** under the auspices of Associated Newspapers Limited, which paid one and a half million pounds for all assets involved, including buildings and plant. The reason for the sale given by the management was a loss last year of about one hundred thousand pounds or about two thousand pounds a week.

Writing in **"The People's Guardian"**, Mr. Edward Martell gave the true account of what happened. Here are extracts from Mr. Martell's revelations: — There cannot be the slightest doubt that a relatively small amount such as the one hundred thousand pounds lost last year could have been saved if Trade Union restrictive practices had been cut out. The 3,000 men and women working on **"The News Chronicle"** and **"The Star"** were far too many. At least 500 could have been pruned without production efficiency being damaged. This not only would have bridged the gap but also would have provided reasonable profit.

Mr. Martell's conclusion was that if the management of **"The News Chronicle"** and **"The Star"** had had the courage to run their own business, and had employed the number of people they wanted to employ and not the number laid down by the unions, the tragedy would never have happened. The last action of the management of **"The News Chronicle"** and **"The Star"** was to call together the leaders of eleven Trade Unions to tell them what was happening. No doubt it was necessary to do so but it does rather appear as if, subservient to the last, they were asking permission to die. How much finer it would have been if they had announced their intentions to live whether the Trade Unions liked it or not!

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Of Many Things

— By Ambrose Hills —

SOME GOALS FOR '61

There are several goals which Canada must aim for during 1961 if we are to have continued prosperity.

One goal is increased exports. About one-fifth of our gross national product is accounted for by exports, whereas the USA depends on exports for only one-twentieth of its GNP.

We have a small domestic market to begin with. On top of that handicap, we have loaded ourselves with expensive government services. These costs find their way into the prices of our exported goods, and buyers begin to resist. Foreign buyers do not wish to pay for our social services and vast power projects.

Another roadblock to exports and even selling in our own domestic market is the high cost of Canadian labor. The high wages paid to those who are working are actually making it less likely that others can be employed. Canadian labor, in its own self-interest, should wish to see productivity increase to the point where prices can be lowered so that our products and services can be sold in competition with those of other countries and other trading blocs.

Another goal we must aim for is a reduced tax bill. The government took some steps in that direction with its baby budget. So far, so good; but what is needed is a massive reduction in all tax rates, so that those reductions would be reflected in lower prices. From such action we could expect to see business humming again, just as it has been humming in West Germany. And from lower tax rates the government would eventually reap an even higher volume of revenue.

In short, Canadians should take stock. We live in a country with bountiful natural resources; but it is a cold and sparsely-populated country, and many of our resources are hard to get at. Unless there are incentives to develop them, and the possibility of selling the resulting products, they do us no good.

Canada's economic situation is much sounder than some of the gloomy commentators would have us believe. The present government, it must be admitted, inherited a great number of problems. The world situation is uneasy. Competition is stiffer than it has been for a long time. The days when we could export or consume all we produced, regardless of price, are gone. We must cut costs, increase productivity, and generally act like a team that knows it is playing in a tougher league.



All Aboard

with G. E. MORTIMORE

Some people have a way with clocks, just as some people have a way with vegetation (green thumb) and other people have a mystic affinity for dogs, cats, fish or radios.

But clocks and watches don't like me. I don't know whether it's my face that stops them, or whether I have the wrong kind of electricity running through my nerve fibres. But something stops them, or else makes them slow down or break into sudden, insane spurts of energy.

Until recently there were four clocks in our house, all registering different times and all of them wrong.

It isn't that I don't care. I'm obsessed with the idea of being on time for appointments. Maybe my anxiety communicates itself to the clocks and turns them neurotic.

There was even a radio with a built-in clock which switched on the radio every morning automatically. It really did run for a time, which is unusual for clocks in my house.

But both the radio and clock died — stricken with colic, I suppose, by some especially nauseating commercial which turned their insides to mush.

Watches don't like me any better than clocks do. In boyhood I used to be able to keep a pocket watch of the kind that sold for $1 before inflation broke into a gallop. I had one particularly stalwart specimen of the $1 watch in my pocket while climbing across a rafter. It slipped out and fell 10 feet to the cement floor. When I picked it up, it was going perfectly. I believe it went until I lost it.

But that was a pocket watch. Sheltered in a pocket, a watch seems to be immune from whatever baneful sort of electric current flows through my flesh and armbones and seizes up the works of a wrist watch.

My last wrist watch stuck loyally by me for three or four months, chugging along under difficulties and gallantly giving me wrong readings that made me late several times for appointments.

But after a time the watch grew tired of its martyrdom. It sprang a link in its strap and escaped, and I haven't seen it since. It slipped away so artfully that I didn't even notice it go.

Recently my wife came home with a new little electric clock which was reputed to be simple and nearly foolproof.

The new clock is whirling away cheerfully on the living-room wall. But I suppose it is a young and unsophisticated clock, knowing nothing of the terrors that await it in my house.

I suspect that I and my house are haunted by a poltergeist which has wandered in from eternity and has a fixed hatred for any instruments of time. It will only be a question of days and hours before the poltergeist lays a sticky hand on our new clock, I suppose.

Well, I wouldn't quarrel with the poltergeist if he stopped all the clocks in the world, or even turned them back. But when my clocks stop, I'm sorry to say, all the other clocks in the world go relentlessly on.

Canadian Quiz

1. King George V occupied the throne in what years?

2. How many motor trucks are in operation in Canada — 150,000, 600,000 or 1,200,000?

3. The garment industry ranks first in number of employees among Canadian manufacturing industries. What industry ranks second?

4. What province leads in value of fur production?

5. In 1939 the federal government's tax collections amounted to $45 per capita. What is the current year's figure?

ANSWERS: 5. It will exceed $330 per capita. 3. The primary textile industry. 1. 1910-1936. 4. Ontario. 2. About 1,200,000.

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DISTRICT NEWS FROM OUR COUNTY CORRESPONDENTS

Brownsburg

Sympathy is extended to Mrs. Laura Berube and other relatives of the late Mrs. N. Poitras (Mrs. Berube's mother), of Rockland, Ont., who passed away last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Prosser, of Longueuil, spent the week-end with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Mason MacAdam and little son, Steven, also Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Cowley and family, were recent guests of relatives in Pointe aux Trembles.

Women's Institute

The Brownsburg W.I. meeting was held in the High School last Thursday evening. Plans were made to hold a "Golden Age Tea" early in April; further particulars regarding this event will be given later. Mrs. Colin Martin gave an interesting talk, and also showed pictures of a trip she and Mr. Martin had enjoyed in the British Isles.

Mrs. Arthur Morrison is a patient in the Smith Clinic; her many friends wish her a speedy recovery.

Mrs. C. E. Prosser spent Monday in Montreal.

Sunday guests of Mrs. Walter Townsend were — Mr. and Mrs. E. Stuart of Ste. Anne de Bellevue, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Stuart and family, of Beaconsville, Que., Miss Marilyn MacLeod, and Mr. and Mrs. Ron MacLeod, of Montreal.

Arundel

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Swail and family, of Lachute, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. S. Swail.

Mrs. G. Kilpatrick, of Morin Heights, spent the week-end with her daughter, Mrs. S. Swail, and family.

Mr. D. Swail and family, of St. Philippe, were guests of Mrs. Wm. Swail, Sr.

Officers Elected

The women of Grace Anglican Church held their annual meeting and election of officers for the coming year, on the evening of January 12 at the home of Mrs. W. Graham. The officers elected were as follows:

Hon. president, Mrs. W. S. Morrison; president, Mrs. R. Henry; 1st vice-pres., Mrs. L. Rathwell; 2nd vice-pres., Mrs. C. Fraser; secretary, Mrs. W. Graham; treasurer, Mrs. W. Morrison, Jr.; Dorcas secretary, Mrs. H. Boyd, Jr.; Flower Fund secretary, Mrs. G. Champagne.

On Sunday morning in the United Church, Holy Communion will be administered.

Annual Church Meeting

The annual meeting of the Arundel United Church will be held in the church hall on Saturday evening, January 21, at 8 o'clock. It is requested that all members attend this important meeting. The Rev. Westhaver, of Morin Heights, will preside.

Calumet

Mrs. Leonard Reeves and Mr. Henry Constantineau visited their brother, Elie Constantineau, at Ste. Scholastique last Thursday.

Friends of Mrs. Arthur Parent are pleased to see her home again after a week's stay in the Smith Clinic, Hawkesbury.

Visitors at the home Mr. and Mrs. John Fox on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Ernest MacRae and family, and Mr. Dan MacRae, all of Harrington; also Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Noble and family, of Brownsburg; Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Madden and family, of Kilmar; Mr. and Mrs. William Fox, Laurie Lee, of Grenville; and Mrs. E. Young, of Pointe-au-Chene.

Northern Grenville

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Bradshaw, Miss Adeline Bradshaw, Mr. and Mrs. Reeves Bradshaw, of Ottawa, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. Champagne, and also visited other friends here.

Died at Windsor

Sincere sympathy is extended in the death of the late Mrs. Leonard H. Cooke (the former Bertie Williamson), who passed away on Sunday, January 15, at Windsor, Ont.

Mr. Willis Young, of Aylmer, Miss Abel Young and Miss Marion Anderson, of Ottawa, visited Mr. and Mrs. Wyman Young on Sunday.

Dean Rusk
Secretary of State



President-Elect Kennedy chose Dean Rusk, above, head of the Rockefeller foundation, to be his secretary of state. Rusk, 51, is a native of Georgia and served as an assistant secretary of state in the Truman administration.

APPRECIATION

I wish to express my sincere appreciation to the many relatives, friends and neighbors, also to the Rev. R. L. McPhee, for the prayers, gifts, flowers and the many beautiful cards and visits which helped to brighten my recent stay in hospital.

— Mrs. Walter Townsend

Busy week for Brownsburg Scouts

By Sandy Welburn

Brownsburg — This week's hockey game between the Brownsburg Scout Troop and the Lachute Legion Bantams was played January 14 in the Brownsburg Arena. . . . The score finished 9-4 in favor of Brownsburg. Jimmie Devine and Wayne Seary each made two points for the Scouts, while Harold Ross, Norman Forbes, Robin Hazel, Marc Racine and Jimmie Ross tallied the remainder.

Clarence Currie scored three Legion goals, and Keith Rodgers the other.

Also on January 14 several Scouts went to the Ayers ski-run at Carling Lake. Instruction was given on the best methods of skiing. Thanks are extended to Scoutmasters Kenneth Ball and Walter Tanner for transporting the boys.

The Troop also wishes to express its gratitude to Mr. Tom Dwyer for coming to the meeting of January 10 to pass some of the Scouts on their Ambulance Man's badge.

Late W. Hume was councillor, school commissioner

The death occurred on Saturday of William David Hume, at the age of 72 years. Mr. Hume had been in poor health for the past three years.

Born at Hill Head, he was the eldest son of the late Wm. H. Hume and his wife, Isabella Paul. He was married to Miss Janet Wilson in 1912. Their family comprised three sons and four daughters — Wilson, of Fredericton, Harold and Donald, of Lachute, Margaret (Mrs. N. Lavis), of Lachute, Florence (Mrs. John Kingsland), of Pointe Claire, Gwenyth (Mrs. Wm. Wright), of Manitoulin Island, and Betty (Mrs. Douglas Campbell), of Brownsburg. Grace (Mrs. Thos. Armstrong) predeceased him in 1947.

There also remain to mourn his passing two sisters, Annie, and Annabel (Mrs. J. Gunn), of Montreal, and two brothers, Jack, in the U.S.A. and Stuart, of Lachute. Another brother, Russel, predeceased him four years ago.

Mr. Hume served on the Board of Stewards of the United Church for several years. He was for 14 years a parish councillor and devoted much effort to having the winter roads cleared throughout the parish. He was also a rural school commissioner, and helped bring about school consolidation. He had farmed in Hill Head until 1956; at that time, with his wife, he took up residence in Upper Lachute.

The funeral service, conducted by the Rev. Wilson Bridge, was held in the United Church on Tuesday afternoon amidst many sorrowing relatives and friends.

Pall-bearers were — James Pollock, James Berry, James Paul, Colin McOuat, Willis Hodge and Neil Moore.

Interment was made in Lachute Protestant Cemetery.

Lady resident of Scottish birth died recently

Late Mrs. Gordon Miller

The death of Mrs. Gordon Miller occurred suddenly on January 8 at her home on Bedard Blvd. She was born in Scotland on July 8, 1886.

Left to mourn her passing are four step-daughters, Mrs. L. O'Connor (Lois), of Montreal, Mrs. Edgar Jackson (Elsie), of Lachute, Mrs. Douglas Whone (Gwen), of Dorval, Mrs. Stan Stockley (Mabel), of Edmonton, Alta.; also one sister, Mrs. R. Lennie, of Montreal, and one brother, Adam Chalmers, of Scotland, nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held at the MacKimmie Funeral Home on January 10. Interment was in Hawthorndale Cemetery, Montreal.

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DEATHS

HUME — At his late residence, Upper Lachute, on Saturday, Jan. 14, William David Hume, aged 72 years.

ROBINSON (Robert Edgar) — At the Montreal General Hospital, Jan. 16, 1961, Robert Edgar Robinson, in his 58th year, beloved husband of Doris Maria Leroy, and dear brother of Lancelot, Edward and John Robinson, Mascouche, Que. Funeral held Wednesday, Jan. 18, from chapel of J. P. MacKimmie Funeral Home, Lachute; interment at St. Andrews East.

IN MEMORIAM

ELDER — In loving memory of a dear father and grandfather, Albert Elder, who passed away Jan. 19, 1960. — Ever remembered by Carine, Cecil and Kenneth.

ELDER — In loving memory of a dear father, Wm. Albert, who passaway Jan. 19, 1960. — Ever remembered by Edgar and Viola.

"There's a road they call remembrance
Where thoughts and wishes meet,
We walk that road in thought today
To the one we cannot greet."

ELDER (Wm. Albert) — Fondest memory of my dear grandfather, who passed away Jan. 19, 1960. — Always remembered by Joan.

"Like falling leaves the year has slipped by,
But memories of you will never die."

LA BEAU — In loving memory of my dear mother (Sarah Ann Thompson), who passed away Jan. 19, 1963. — Lovingly remembered by Olive and son-in-law, Jack, of St. Laurent, Que.

"Time takes away the edge of grief,
But memory turns back every leaf."

SWAIL — In loving memory of my dear sister, Ena, who passed away Jan. 16, 1955. — Always remembered and missed by her sister, Muriel.

"God knew that you were weary,
The hill too steep to climb,
So he gently took your hand in his
And whispered, 'Peace be thine'."

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

MILLER — The family of the late Mrs. Gordon Miller wish to thank relatives, friends and neighbors for the kindnesses shown during their recent bereavement.

SUMMERS — The family of the late Russell A. Summers wish to express their sincere thanks to friends and neighbors for kindness and expressions of sympathy during their sad bereavement in the loss of a dear husband and father.

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Argent'l Choral Society prepares for cantata

The Argenteuil Choral Society, under direction of Lowell B. Hopkins, has re-assembled for work on the annual Easter season cantata. Rehearsals are being held each Sunday afternoon, from 2 to 4 o'clock, in the Lachute United Church. Singers from all communities in Argenteuil are invited to these practices, and if any other information is desired, interested persons may contact the director, the acting-president, Mrs. Mason Crosby, of Brownsburg, or the secretary, Bernard Hewitt, of Lachute.

In the past three years, this choral group has presented Stainer's "Crucifixion", Maunder's "Olivet to Calvary", and Gaul's "The Holy City", and the singers from Lachute, Brownsburg and surrounding regions have had increasing attendance each year. The direction and officers of the Society are hoping for even greater interest on the part of local singers, and in the next few weeks, new members may be enrolled — though immediate enrolment is preferred.

BIG MONEY

The federal government's payroll in 1959, excluding Crown Corporations, was $730,326,604.

United Church W.M.S. annual meeting addressed by Presbyterial vice-pres.

The W.M.S. of the United Church held its annual meeting January 12. The president, Mrs. G. Y. Deacon, introduced the visiting ladies.

Mrs. Cross, of Montreal, led the devotions, opening with the thought that in these times when there is so much talk of survival, we often overlook our Christian "survival kit", the Bible. The devotions were based on Revelations 1, 1-3, and 3, 1-13. Mrs. Cross took her text from the 8th verse.

Mrs. L. Van Duzer, vice-president of the Montreal Presbyterial, conducted the installation service, and then spoke on the "Woman's Organization, United Church Women", which will unite all women's organizations in the United Church.

Appreciation from the Presbyterial was expressed to Mrs. Bridge, regional vice-president. Mrs. Van Duzer used the parable in the film story "Bridge on the River Quai". As the bridge structure is very important to the colonel, so is our own church important to its own congregation. A larger view is necessary — a mission of God in the world is the idea. Many W.A. women have no idea of the responsibility and work of the W.M.S. Likewise the W.M.S. women do not know the work of the W.A. Both organizations have lost sight of the total mission effort. We have been so taken up perfecting our own, that we have lost sight of the total mission of the church — "the open door of opportunity and service that no man can shut." All women should feel responsibility for this. There are 800 million Christians in the world. Why then are we so impotent?

Mrs. Van Duzer then gave an outline of the organization, the purpose of which is to unite all women of the church for the total mission of the church.

The theme for next year, ready August, 1961, will be "Church of the New Times". There will be an annual fee of 50 cents and any member who is already a life-member in W.M.S. or W.A., will be a life member in the new organization. There is to be a new publication replacing "Missionary Monthly".

In conclusion, Mrs. Van Duzer quoted Ridyard Kipling: "Hand in hand we can make a stand, which neither can make alone."

Officers for 1961

The leading officers for 1961 are as follows:

President, Mrs. G. Y. Deacon; 1st vice-pres., Mrs. W. Bridge; 2nd vice-pres., Mrs. H. Riddell; 3rd vice-pres., Mrs. N. Loyd.

Recording secretary, Mrs. S. McFaul.

Corresponding secretary, Mrs. P. Gordon.

Treasurer, Mrs. W. K. McArthur.

Social and Personal

Mrs. R. G. Silverlock, of Niagara Falls, is spending this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willard M. Steeves.

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Members of Mr. David John Bates' family were here from Toronto last week-end, due to his siege of illness. He was visited by his son and his three daughters — Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Bates and daughter, Bonnie, Mrs. A. Foggett, Miss Verna Bates and Miss Mona Bates. Mrs. Laurence Bates is remaining here this week, to care for her father-in-law.

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Miss Vera Wilde and Miss Jessie McVey, of Montreal, Mr. and Mrs. Ken Graydon and daughter, Catherine, of Toronto, were holiday guests of Mrs. Marion MacDougall. Mrs. Graydon and Catherine returned home by plane this week.

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Col. Ernest Emmett entered the Montreal General Hospital on Tuesday, to undergo an eye operation. Friends extend good wishes.

Mr. and Mrs. Garth Boyd arrived at Dorval Airport last Sunday evening after spending a two-week holiday at Nassau, Bahamas.

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Mrs. E. J. Reynard, of Montreal, is visiting here as the guest of her stepdaughter, Mrs. Dave Campbell and Mr. Campbell.

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Mr. and Mrs. Cecil R. Graham attended the funeral of the late Mrs. Ernest Strong, at Fitzroy Harbour, Ont., on Saturday last.

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To Ottawa for Consecration Of Catholic Bishops

The Hon. W. M. Cottingham is in Ottawa today (Wednesday) on invitation of His Excellency the Archbishop of Ottawa, the Most Rev. Marie-Joseph Lemieux, to attend the consecration of two auxiliary bishops, the Most Rev. Jos. Raymond Windle, titular bishop of Uzita, and the Most Rev. Paul-Emile Charbonneau, titular bishop of Tapso. The consecration takes place in Notre Dame Cathedral, Ottawa.

Mrs. H. C. Cook, of Ste. Anne de Bellevue, spent a few days here last week as the guest of Mrs. Geo. Y. Deacon.

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Friends extend good wishes to Major G. G. Mitchell, who is presently in the Queen Mary Veterans' Hospital.

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Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Riddell, of Don Mills, Toronto, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edmund McFaul.

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L.O.B.A. Whist Party

On Wednesday of last week the ladies of the L.O.B.A. held their first card party of 1961, in the Legion Hall.

First prize winners were — Mrs. A. Scott, Mrs. C. Cunningham, Mrs. K. Boa, Mrs. A. Comba.

Second prizes went to — Mrs. T. Canning, Mrs. H. Hammond, Mrs. F. Cousins, Mrs. R. Lemay.

Consolation — Mr. and Mrs. H. Ward, Mr. and Mrs. D. Boa.

A drawing also took place in aid of the Building Fund; the winning ticket was held by Mrs. T. Brazeau.

PLAY MONEY FOR REAL



This may be "play" money, but it's good legal tender in France. The newly-issued 500 franc ($100) bank note bearing a likeness of 17th century dramatist Jean-Baptiste Moliere shows a theatre audience in the background. As author of "The Miser" Moliere knew something about the subject of money.

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ST. SIMEON'S, LACHUTE
10.00 a.m. Church School.
11.00 a.m. Morning Prayer.

ST. GEORGE'S BROWNSBURG
9.30 a.m. Holy Communion.
10.30 a.m. Church School.

CHRIST CHURCH, ST. ANDREWS EAST
Rev. W. C. LeCras
11.00 a.m. Morning Prayer.

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
2.00 p.m. Brownsburg Service

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
Thurs., 8.00 p.m., Prayer

Brownsburg United
REV. GARFIELD W. BRUCE, B.A., Minister
Mrs. C. J. Wheeler, Organist
Mr. G. K. Amos, Choir Director.
10.30 a.m. Sunday School.
11.00 a.m. Worship Service.
Subject: "FOUR DIMENSIONS OF FAITH"
(Revelations 10)
Baby Fold at 11 a.m.
2.00 p.m. Church Membership Class.
You are cordially welcome

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.
2.30 p.m. Grenville Service.
Wednesday, 7.30 p.m. Bible Study and Prayer.
Sat., 7.30 p.m. Youth Service.
Everyone is invited to attend.
If you need spiritual help — telephone LE 3-4264.

Lakefield Services
REV. CANON C. W. P. BAUGH, Rector
11.00 a.m. Lakefield.
2.00 p.m. Dunany.
The pastor would like Louisa friends to attend the christenings at Dunany.

Parish of 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.
Annual Vestry meeting

Lachute United Church
THE CHURCH WITH THE CHIMES
REV. WILSON BRIDGE, B.A., MINISTER
10.00 a.m. Sunday School.
11.00 a.m. Divine Worship.
"WHERE DO WE LIVE?"
We invite you to worship with us and hear the answer to this question.
2.30 p.m. East Settlement.
The minister at both services.

People's Church, Lachute
(Associated Gospel Church)
753 Main St., Lachute
REV. C. W. SORLEY, PASTOR
9.45 a.m. Bible School.
11.00 a.m. "THE DOWN PAYMENT"
Do we receive part of our heavenly inheritance while here on the earth?
7.30 p.m. "THE TRUE CHRISTIAN"
Is every church member a real Christian?
Wed., 8.00 p.m., Prayer Meeting.

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.
All heartily invited.

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
All are heartily invited.

Maple Avenue Baptist Church, Brownsburg
REV. R. L. McPHEE
9.45 a.m. Church School.
11.00 a.m. Worship Service.
Wed. 7.30 p.m. Prayer Service
All are cordially invited.

English Catholic
Mass for English-speaking Catholics on Sunday, Jan. 22, at 8 a.m. in the basement of Ste. Anastasie Parish Church. (alt)

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Golden wedding observed recently in Port Arthur

The Port Arthur News Chronicle gave the following report of a golden wedding of interest here, celebrated by Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Nicoll, both formerly of Lachute . . .

A marriage which followed a schoolday romance was solemnized December 30, 1910, in Trinity Methodist Church, Montreal, when Thomas W. Nicoll took as his bride Miss Bertha Muir. The couple, both from Lachute, Que., were married by the minister of their home-town church, Rev. R. Radley.

Following the honeymoon, Mr. and Mrs. Nicoll came to Port Arthur, where they have made their home ever since, with the exception of a three-year sojourn in Moose-jaw, Sask.

Mr. and Mrs. Nicoll have two daughters, Jean, Mrs. Wilbert Fischer, of North Bay, Ont., and Ilene, Mrs. Norman Tulloch, of Port Arthur, and four grandchildren, Tommy and Barbara Fischer, and Margaret Jane and Donna Tulloch.

Their looks belie the ages of this energetic couple who keep young with their wide range of interests, outside as well as within the home.

Mr. Nicoll was trained as a blacksmith and worked at his trade during his earlier days in Port Arthur, later joining the staff of the Provincial Mill from which he was retired in 1954. Since his retirement he has devoted more time to his favorite hobby, gardening, and to his outside interests which include the Session of First Presbyterian Church, of which he is a member, the Men's Club of the church, the Sons of Scotland, the Kinloch Highland Gathering and the Brotherhood of Paper Mill Workers.

Mrs. Nicoll, ably assisted by her husband, takes care of her charming home and does her own housework. A wide range of interests take up much of her time and attention. She is an honorary member of the Ladies' Aid of First Presbyterian Church and an active member in the North Group of the church; she belongs to Amethyst Rebekah Lodge, the Canadian Daughters League, and along with her husband, to the Sons of Scotland and the Liberal Association.

Mr. and Mrs. Nicoll were happy to have their daughter, Jean, her husband and family with them, and other close relatives, present for their anniversary celebration.

A family dinner was held December 30 in the Prince Arthur Hotel, followed by a reception.

Tips on Touring

By Carol Lane
Women's Travel Authority



Parking your car outdoors every night is no problem during the warm seasons, but the cold weather is another story. Here are some tips that can help you to solve your winter parking problem:

If the car's not protected by a building, make sure it's parked with its back into the wind, radiator grill facing away from it.

Cover the hood of the car with an old blanket or strip of canvas. Anchor it by catching ends between the hood and the car's body.

Newspaper or cardboard over the windshield and rear window prevents snow and ice from caking on the glass. The windshield wipers should keep the front window covers from blowing away, or you can buy a special vinyl plastic windshield cover. For the back window, a little cellulose tape should do the trick. During these cold winter months, the car's finish is going to take a beating. Protect it by frequent washings, then give the body a coat of car wax. Cover all the chrome trimmings with a light film of oil, and retouch rust spots with paint.

If you always park your car close to the house, here's a trick you may want to try (if you have no "block heater" installed): Run an extension cord from the house to your car. At the end of the cord is an electric light bulb which you rest on the car's engine block near the radiator. When you get up in the morning, plug the end of the cord into the house socket. The heat from the bulb will help ease cold weather starting.

The Bible Today

The Canadian Bible Society, Auxiliary of the British and Foreign Bible Society, has announced that the 16 districts from coast to coast in Canada have made it possible to allot $465,000 for the world-wide distribution of the Scriptures. This is an increase of $15,000 over 1959.

This extra sum will help to meet part of the increased cost of the "Million Gospels for Africa" (in about 60 languages) campaign. The success of this effort made by the Bible Society, through the churches of Africa, revealed a great need for the Scriptures. The last report states that well over 3,000,000 Gospels will be needed in over 90 languages. The printing of these Gospels has been done both in England and in Africa. A number of these Gospels are the first Scriptures printed in some of the tribal languages.

TOTAL WASTE

Some youngsters have never known real authority. Others have learned of it only to defy it. But the laugh in the end may be on them. The delinquent's petty triumph is really a step on the road to great defeat — the near total waste of human life.

— Truro (N.S.) Canso Breeze

7,500 Curlers in preliminaries for Legion Bonspiel

This year over 7,500 Legion curlers from 900 branches set their tams for the G & W Trophy. Starting March 14, one team from each province will take the ice at Trail, B.C. This four-day event will climax one of the fastest growing competitions in Canada—Canadian Legion curling.

Although only in its fifth year, the G & W Canadian Legion National Curling Championship already ranks as one of the outstanding events of its kind in Canada.

It is felt in some quarters that this may be the year that the G & W Trophy comes east for the first time. Last year a Legion team from Rivers, Manitoba, won the curling championships. In previous years teams from Kamloops, Saskatoon and Winnipeg kept the trophy west of the Lakehead.

Past championships have been held in Winnipeg, Coppercliff, Lloydminister and Summerside. These have all been colorful events, characterized by exciting, close play. They have also been characterized by unbounded hospitality on the part of host branches. For while the competition on the ice gets more intense each year, each host branch has accepted the challenge to outdo its predecessor.

Fellow Citizens:

On February 1st, you and I will have to cast our vote for five Councillors and a new Mayor.

A distinguished group of businessmen and citizens, all taxpayers, have asked me to put forward my name for the mayoralty. It is indeed a great honor for me, and I thank them from the bottom of my heart.

Having spent 27 years of my life among you and raised seven of a family here, it would be foolish to suggest that I am not a devoted citizen of Lachute.

In spite of all the improvements to our town, I believe we have an EMERGENCY of which everybody talks and talks but nobody does anything about — the WATERWORKS. . . To that you can add our Evaluation, Refuse Disposal, Traffic, etc., etc.

Like you, as I mentioned before, I am a taxpayer and think we have reached the limit for the service we get. I think there are means to improve and renew these departments with a minimum of cost to the property owner.

On February 1st, VOTE — VOTE — for men to support my program, and "with the tools we will finish the job", as Churchill once said.

All you civic-minded citizens, vote for your townsmen — not for a party or a clique, but for men who are willing to give their time and energies to promote projects for your benefit and mine.

— Roger A. Dumais, D.D.S.

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St. Andrews East

Miss Janet Ryan, of Montreal spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Parker. Miss Stewart, of Montreal, was their guest recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Dawson Burwash and family, of Montreal, visited Mrs. Jas. Burwash on Sunday.

W.A. Officers

The annual meeting of the W.A. of Christ Church was held at the home of Mrs. Walter Gilpin on Thursday, January 12.

The following officers were elected for the coming year: President, Mrs. L. A. Bullock, vice-pres., Mrs. Johnson; hon. vice-pres., Miss B. Robertson; sec.-treas., Mrs. Horton Clark; Dorcas sec., Mrs. J. Jackson; U.T.O. sec., Mrs. L. W. York.

The Rev. and Mrs. W. LeCras of Lachute attended the meeting.

Cemetery Meeting

There will be a meeting of the lot-owners of the St. Andrews Protestant Cemetery at the home of Mr. J. R. Jeffrey on Saturday, January 28, at 3 p.m. The directors will meet at 2 p.m.

Harrington

Mr. and Mrs. Borden McCullough and Roger spent the week-end in Renfrew with Mrs. McRae, who has been quite ill.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Seale, of Morin Heights, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. Bennett.

Farm Forum

Harrington Farm Forum met last Monday at the home of the Rev. and Mrs. Wm. Toller. This Monday the group meets at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Erving McLean.

Mr. and Mrs. G. McVicar and Joan, of Grenville, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. V. McVicar.

Mr. and Mrs. J. McMahon, of Cornwall, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Bennett on Saturday.

Miss M. P. McMahon, of Lachute, spent the week-end at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Meyer and Fern, of Lachute, visited relatives here on Sunday.

Week-end visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Dobbie were — Mr. and Mrs. R. Dobbie, of Belleville, Ont., Mr. J. Prophet, Miss M. F. Dobbie, and Miss A. Perrigo, of Montreal.

Mrs. D. Welden, of Calumet, Mrs. J. Welden, of Grenville, spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. George Bennett.

Attended Funeral

Mrs. J. McMahon, Mrs. C. L. Bennett, Mrs. H. Bennett and Mrs. Geo. Bennett motored to Ottawa on Wednesday of last week to attend the funeral of the late Mrs. J. Lewis, who was well known in these parts.

Cushing West

Bereavement

Friends and relatives in this community were sorry to hear of the death of Mr. Bob Robinson, of Lachute, who passed away at the Montreal General Hospital on Monday morning. Sincere sympathy is extended to his bereaved wife in the loss of a loving and devoted husband.

Cushing

Mrs. Ray Holmes spent last Friday in Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. Simon Wilson, of Lachute, were visitors at the Graham home last Friday evening.

Messrs N. Deeks and P. Waltern, of Montreal, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Bailey on Sunday.

Miss E. M. Graham, of Verdun, spent the week-end with her mother and brother.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Pitt, of Montreal, were at their summer home on Saturday, returning to Montreal on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Cushing and daughter, Sherrie, of Montreal, were at their Cushing home on Saturday.

Sympathy Expressed

The very sincere sympathy of this community is extended to Mrs. Robert Robinson of Lachute, in the passing of her husband at Montreal General Hospital in the early hours of Monday morning. Mrs. Robinson was the former Doris Leroy of Cushing, and her husband was very much respected by all Cushing residents.

An interesting meeting of St. Mungo's Missionary Society was held on Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. T. W. Weir, with Mrs. K. Feltham in charge.

Avoca

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Nixon, Winston, Catherine, and Mr. Emmett Nixon and son, David, also Mr. Ross and son, Ralph, of Montreal, were recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Fox at Kilmar.

Here to Attend Funeral

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth MacLean and Mrs. Albert Arthurs, all of Port Colborne, and Mr. Alex Bates, of Niagara Falls, Ont., attended the funeral of their uncle and brother-in-law, the late Mr. Jos. Bates, of Hawkesbury and Grenville, on Wednesday last. . . . Sincere sympathy is expressed to Mrs. Bates and family, in the loss of their husband and father.

Mrs. George Kelly is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Robt. McIntyre, of Brownsburg. We are glad to report that Mrs. McIntyre has recovered sufficiently to return home from hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Kelly and family, of Montreal, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Bates.

We are glad to report Mrs. Herbert Brown is recovering satisfactorily, after her recent operation in hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Shirley Mahon, of Vankleek Hill, Ont., visited a few friends here Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Wm. Tomachevsky, with his mother and aunt, spent Saturday in Lachute visiting friends.

Pte. Donald McCallum, of Camp Petawawa, visited his parents and sister over the week-end.

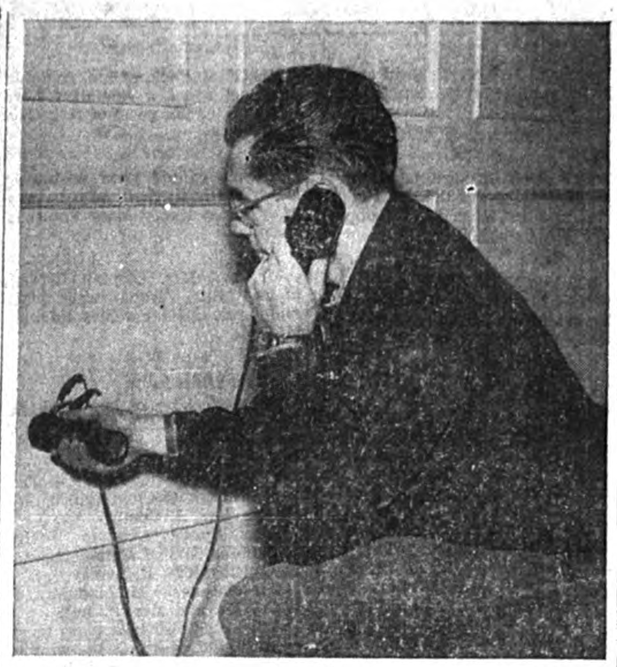
Morin Heights

Christening

A christening ceremony was held recently at Trinity Anglican Church, when the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Keith Garayt received the names Ronald John, the Rev. Horace G. Baugh officiating. Sponsors were Mr. and Mrs. A. Garayt. A reception was held afterwards at the home of Mr. Jack Kennedy, paternal grandfather.



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This operation will be necessary when the Bell Company offers built-in telephone wiring for new houses at no cost to either the owner or the builder, starting this spring.

Under this plan, no outlets will show when the house is completed, and no matter where an occupant may decide to have telephones placed, installation will be possible so that little or no wiring will show.

In the past, the company has co-operated when an owner or builder has asked for concealed wiring during construction. However, the company is taking strides to enlarge the scope of its plan with the hope that the great majority of future homes will benefit from concealed wiring.

Although the number of houses that the company will be able to pre-wire at no cost will depend on the volume of house construction, and the number of requests received for the service, it is expected that some 25,000 dwellings in Ontario and Quebec will have concealed wiring by the end of 1961.

In offering this service to owners and builders, the company recognizes a trend toward frequent changes of house occupancy involving changes in telephone requirements, and a growing need for more telephones within homes.

A Bell spokesman stressed that the job of installing concealed telephone wires must be started before a house is insulated or the walls finished. To avoid delay, a request for concealed wiring should be made to the company immediately after the electrical contractor has completed work, he said.

Following construction, and after the occupant has decided where the telephones are to be located, an installer, using his electronic locator, will sound walls to pick up a signal from an oscillating device connected to the hidden wires. He will then drill a hole exactly where the telephone outlet is required. Each hole will be covered afterwards with a circular, plastic face plate, so that each wall is left neat in appearance.

Weir

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Bowie and daughter, Carole, of Montreal, were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Craig during the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Gelston and small daughter, Lynda Dee, were here from Montreal to spend last Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Loudin.

Christening

A christening took place in the Church of the Redeemer on Sunday, when the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Val Morrison was given the names Anne Isabelle Jean. The godparents were Miss Gayle Morrison and Mr. Wayne Rathwell. The Rev. F. K. Bussell officiated at the ceremony.

Week-end guests at Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Morrison's included Mr. and Mrs. Val Morrison and family, of Shawbridge, Mr. and Mrs. D. MacKimmie and daughter, Linda, of Lachute.

Miss Diane Owen, of Montreal, spent the week-end at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Owen.

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What Native of Quebec became America's Highest-paid Actress?

Eva Tanguay, who was born in Marbleton, Que., in 1878. When she was just a child Eva moved with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Octave Tanguay, to Holyoke, Mass. At the age of eight she made her first stage appearance. Later she toured the U.S. for five years with a travelling repertory company and then acted in variety shows and musical comedies. Though described as "not beautiful, not talented, not clever, not artistic," Eva Tanguay became queen of American vaudeville and musical comedy after she reached stardom almost overnight in The Chaperons in 1904. Its best known song, "I Don't Care", became her most popular request number. In 1912 she was the highest paid actress in America. Her fortune was lost in the 1929 crash. At about the same time failing health and vision ended her stage career. From then on she was a virtual recluse, bedridden and almost forgotten. She died in Hollywood in 1947.

Has Canada any Meteorite Craters?

When a very large meteorite strikes the earth, it may produce a crater or group of craters. Fewer than 15 such craters or groups are recognized in the world, but several crater-like structures are under investigation. In 1950 Chubb Crater, also known as Ungava Crater, in the Ungava area of Quebec, was first described. It is more than two miles in diameter, has a rim more than 500 feet high and is more than a quarter mile deep in solid granite. In 1951 the Brent Crater, a little less than two miles in diameter, also in granite, was discovered on the northern boundary of Algonquin Park in Ontario. Evidence seems conclusive that both craters are of meteoritic origin; if they are, they are far larger than any other known meteorite crater. Crater-like structures in northern Labrador, southern Quebec, southern Ontario and northern Saskatchewan are also being investigated.

Japan Consulate opened in Montreal

The first Japanese Consulate-General Office to be established in Canada was opened in Montreal recently, at 1310 Greene Avenue, Westmount.

The Embassy of Japan announced from Ottawa that the new development was planned for the purpose of furthering good trade relations with Canada.

Japan now has consulate offices in Vancouver, Winnipeg and Toronto.

Appointed as Consul-General for the new Montreal establishment is Katsuichi Ikawa, who was previously chief of Treaties Division, Ministry of Foreign Affairs. From 1951 to 1954, he was with the Japanese Embassy in Paris.

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A Weekly Feature of Helpful Hints on Child Training.

"What Can I Do Now?

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— By NANCY CLEAVER —

"What can I do now?" How many mothers of small children are confronted with this urgent question several times a day! Boys and girls want to be busy, they are eager to experiment with fresh toys. Mothers, knowing the price of many playthings, often sigh when their children pursue them for fresh suggestions for interesting activities. Few of them realize how many ordinary things in the kitchen and around the house may be converted into play material for a little child.

On Wash Day set your child up with a small basin, scrub board and soap and if doll clothes are not needing a wash give him small articles such as socks or underwear to wash. He will love being useful. On Baking Day let the small cook help you with little jobs. A child loves to cut out cookies of different shapes with heart, diamond and circular cookie cutters.

Take a look at the scrap discards you throw out, and salvage any possible bits of play material. In almost every home there are articles with which a small boy or girl can have a good time either playing with himself or other children. Here is potential play material — clothes pegs, spools, colored buttons, cardboard shoe boxes, cans, orange crates or butter boxes, egg beater and bowl, measuring cups and empty tin cans of different sizes, cookie cutters and ends of wool.

Of course, care must be taken that these playthings such as tin cans have no rough edges, or that harmful paint will not be chewed, or tiny objects like small buttons placed in a child's mouth and swallowed. Ordinary-type (not spring) clothes pegs can be sterilized for baby to handle. A boy or girl may have a grand time making a clothes peg house with a clothes peg zig-zag fence around it! A little girl can paint a face on the clothes pin and dress a clothes pin doll with a pretty outfit and a cape to hide her lack of arms.

Colored buttons are fun to transfer, one by one, from one container to another. They can also be strung on a blunt needle and thread, or sewn on a card as a face, hands and feet for a little "button-man". An outline of a dog or cat or other object can be made on a piece of cardboard such as is found in some cereal boxes. Punch holes around the outline and let your child "sew a picture" with colored yarn and a blunt needle.

The bright colored different size measuring cups are good fun to fit one inside another. The tin cans may be painted and attractive colored illustrations from magazines pasted on them. A "nest" of cans of different sizes can be built into a tower, with a tin which contained baby food on the top and a large size tomato tin at the base.

Making scrap books using blunt scissors and flour-and-water paste on newspapers spread on the kitchen table can be a lot of fun for little folk. Don't be too fussy about the way they cut out the colored pictures from old journals! Let them choose their own favorites.

Find out from other mothers what their children do. A cover over a hard table converts it into a play house. A new play idea will banish boredom on the part of a child for lack of occupation. It may even prevent Mother from nervous exhaustion at the end of a trying day! So be ready with new ideas when your child seeks play suggestions! A file or scrap book of ideas which appeal to you would be well worth compiling. Why not start one now?

Cream transforms many dishes

Whipping cream is the magic formula for transforming the plainest dessert into a gourmet's delight, says the consumer section of Canada's agriculture department, but the experts advise against getting into the habit of buying cream "blind."

Read the label on the carton when buying cream. Provincial and municipal regulations determine the amount of butterfat in sweet cream but there are four general types.

Cereal cream, sometimes known as half and half, contains about 10 per cent butterfat. It's usually used on cereals and in coffee and tea.

Table cream varies from 15 to 30 per cent. It's usually used on puddings or other desserts.

Coffee cream usually has the same richness as table cream — from 18 to 20 per cent butterfat.

Whipping cream is the richest of all and contains from 30 to 35 per cent butterfat.

To make the job of whipping easier, chill the cream, beaters and bowl first. To increase the volume and to decrease the whipping time, add sugar before the end of the whipping process.

For special chocolate mint parfait, add green coloring and peppermint flavoring to whipping cream then alternate layers of chocolate pudding and tinted cream in a parfait glass.

For fruit salads, try combining whipped cream with mayonnaise.

Fashions



This simple but effective dress of white wool knit is a nice choice for the teenager or the girl who is just a little older. It is also available in a beautiful shade of cyclamen pink or toast.

In white or pink, it is perfect for resort wear just now.

Slot-seaming from neck to hem lends interest to the front and a self sash ties the draw-string waist.

This type of dress allows for a nice variety of accessory changes.



New seafood casserole

If planning menus is becoming a problem, a new sea food casserole will be a welcome addition to your recipe file. Canned salmon and vegetables are combined with double-rich evaporated milk in a dish which is delicious eating, for flavorful meals all through the year. Undiluted evaporated milk is a valuable ingredient which adds extra milk nutrients because it is a concentrated form of milk. Used in sauce recipes, as it is in this casserole suggestion, evaporated milk insures smooth, velvety texture due to its better blending qualities. Serve this tasty casserole to your family soon! You'll find the dish especially good, too, for winter entertaining when you invite friends for luncheon or supper.

Salmon Continental Casserole

(Makes 6 servings)

1 Tablespoon butter, 1 tablespoon flour, ¼ teaspoon salt, ⅛ teaspoon pepper, 1 cup undiluted evaporated milk, 2 egg yolks (beaten), 2 tablespoons soft butter, 2 tablespoons lemon juice, 2 cups diced cooked potatoes, 2 ½-lb. cans (or a 1-lb. can) salmon, ½ cup grated sharp cheddar cheese.

Blend 1 tablespoon butter, flour, salt and pepper in saucepan over low heat. Slowly add evaporated milk. Cool until thickened, stirring constantly. Remove from heat. Slowly stir a little hot sauce into beaten egg yolks. Add to remaining sauce. Stir in soft butter and lemon juice. Place hot potatoes in individual casseroles (or large shallow casserole). Top with salmon pieces. Spoon sauce over top. Sprinkle with cheese. Broil 5 to 6 inches from heat until sauce is bubbly (about 5 minutes). Serve at once.

ONE CURSE OF ADOLESCENCE

One curse of adolescence is acne, caused by over-activity of grease glands of the skin. Here are some suggestions from the Health League of Canada designed to help prevent the condition. A proper diet is the first step. An excess of candy, fatty or starchy foods should be avoided, and it is wise to have plenty of greens and fresh fruit, fish and salads. Wash face and neck thoroughly at least twice daily with plenty of soap and hot water. Keep hair clean. Dandruff falling on acne spots can make things much worse. Avoid picking at acne spots to prevent scarring. Ultra-violet light is usually very helpful. Acquire a tan in the summer and use a sun-lamp in winter-time. If an acne condition becomes severe consult your doctor.



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Time-Schedule Within an Hour: The thick steak should be tenderized in advance. Total broiling time 50 minutes for rare, one hour for well done.

Allow 45 minutes to heat-bake frozen pie.

Meantime, cook or heat vegetables, fix grapefruit, and set the table.

The meat is the popular new cut called "Family Steak," cut two inches thick from the less expensive rump cut of beef, made deliciously tender and "broilable" by pre-preparation with seasoned meat tenderizer.

Family Planked Steak: Dust 2½-pound rump cut family steak, two inches thick, evenly on both sides with seasoned meat tenderizer, as you would salt. (Do not add salt.)

Work in tenderizer by piercing deeply in one dozen places on each side with sharp kitchen fork, to insure penetration of tenderizer and to seal in juices and flavors. Keep at room temperature one hour before cooking; or cover loosely with waxed paper and refrigerate a few hours or overnight.

To prepare: Oil plank (or pastry board covered with aluminum foil, if you like) or use aluminum broiler pan; heat in moderate oven, 375 degrees F.

On plank broil steak four to six inches from source of heat for 25 minutes on each side for rare, 30 minutes for medium.

Meantime, prepare two packages each frozen green peas and frozen broccoli spears, following directions.

Heat and season one (one-pound) can small whole beets and one (one-pound) can julienne carrots; set aside.

Prepare enough instant whipped potato to make four cups and whip in 2½ tablespoons butter or margarine and two eggs, slightly beaten.

When steak is broiled, border plank with whipped potato using pastry tube or tablespoon.

Centre plank with steak; brush with butter or margarine. Arrange cooked vegetables around.

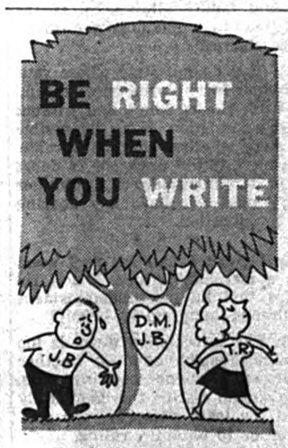
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By Edna Blakely, Canadian Press Staff Writer

If you received a Christmas plant, it can be salvaged for next Christmas season. . . .

The poinsetta thrives in a good light in a cool spot. The plants keep best in temperatures in the mid-60's but if the temperature drops below 60, the leaves will turn yellow and drop off. Drafts and dry roots can give the same effect. Fertilizer is needed every two weeks.

If the plant is to be carried over for another year, horticulturists with Ontario's agriculture department give this advice. After flowering, place the plant in a cool location and let the soil dry out — but not too much. If the plant becomes too dry the stem will shrivel.

When the soil is somewhat dry, place the plant in a larger pot, water and put in a warmer room. You might cut the plant back slightly just before re-potting it.

The Christmas cherry plant also is at its best in a good light and with the room temperature in the 60's. Excessive foliage will cover the berries so don't be too anxious to fertilize these plants.

To propagate, sow seeds from the plant either this month or next. They needn't be dried first. When the new leaves appear, transplant into flats with the plants two inches apart. As they progress, they may be replaced in 2½-inch pots and kept in a room at 55-60 degrees.

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Spring Fair list, W.I. handicrafts

Following are the classes provided for handicraft exhibits by Women's Institute members at the next Lachute Spring Fair. Those interested are advised to clip this item for reference. Convener of W. I. Fair Work is Mrs. Foster Campbell. (tel. LO 2-4325), Lachute.

1 — Appliquéd Quilt.
2 — Pieced Quilt.
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7 — Child's pyjamas (broadcloth), 6 to 10 years.
8 — Ladies' blouse (broadcloth), size 16.
9 — Men's sport shirt.
10 — Kitchen apron with band.
11 — Men's fancy socks.
12 — Girl's fancy mitts.
13 — Baby's knitted set (3 pieces).
14 — Boy's knitted sweater, 4 to 10 years.
15 — Crocheted Doily (white) 8" x 10".
16 — Crocheted pot holders.
18 — Needle point (any size).

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.

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.

Q. Why do investigators interview claimants at home? Would it not be easier to talk to them when they report at the local office?

A. The main purpose of interviewing a claimant at home is to verify that he is unemployed, that he is capable of and available for work, and that he is a bona fide claimant.

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Q. My daughter is 15 years 8 month old, and is no longer receiving family allowances. Is she entitled to unemployment insurance stamps?

A. You do not state where your daughter is employed or what kind of work she is doing, and without this information it is impossible to state whether she is insurable. However, if the work she is doing is in the insurable category, her age would not have any bearing on the question.

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Q. I painted and cut fuel wood for a merchant-farmer. May I require that he pay unemployment insurance stamps on my behalf?

A. The information given is too limited to enable us to say whether your employment was insurable. You should discuss this more fully with the local office in your area in order to obtain a ruling.

Saving, enriching natural fertilizer

Farm manure is a valuable fertilizer containing the mineral elements and the organic matter from the crops and feedstuffs, which the animals do not use up. Manure contains the three basic fertilizer constituents: nitrogen, phosphoric acid and potash and, in addition, traces of calcium and minor elements in varying proportions, depending on the kind and age and feed of the animals. The liquid part of manure is the richest in nitrogen and assimilable potash, while the phosphoric acid is found mainly in the solid part. In the light of these facts, the following advice about the conservation, handling and enrichment of farm manure will be more easily understood.

Inside the barn: The floor should be tight enough to prevent seepage and the litter plentiful enough (sufficiently absorbent) to retain as much as possible of that vital "salt of the earth" — manure. Straw (if chopped) is superior to any other litter because it absorbs well, decomposes easily and is grown on the farm. An additional good way of reducing losses which occur when manure is handled is to "fix" the more soluble and changeable components by scattering hygroscopic phosphate ("stable-phos") in the gutters and in the alleys. One pound per day per head, in the case of cattle and horses, is the rate of application best suited to maintain and improve the value of the droppings.

Outside the barn: The ideal place to store manure is a covered shed or pit specially built for the purpose. It is better to keep manure firmly packed and reasonably moist so that the products of its fermentation are not lost. In the absence of a manure shed, it is advisable to store manure in large rectangular piles (slightly hollow on top) in the field on which it is going to be spread, with as little handling and loss as possible. Thus, the two main ways of getting the best out of farm manure are by adding phosphate to it in the barn, and by handling and storing it properly so as to prevent losses.

The granting of government subsidies and the spending of the farmer's own money for the purchase of commercial fertilizers will yield only half the results expected of them if we do not also do everything in our power to put a stop to the tragedy of the loss of humus from our soils. André Birre has written: "A scrap of humus which disappears means one more chance of war or risk of famine. Just as the life of the soil lies at the root of prosperity, so the soil's humus is the womb of its life, nourished and animated by the waters and the atmosphere, and the heat of the sun." The organic matter in manure helps to maintain the balance of water and nutrients in the soil and spreads and nourishes the bacteria and other micro-organisms which are needed for the life and vitality of the soil.

Nazaire Parent, of the Quebec Department of Agriculture, urges us to make a good resolution for the future, to conserve better the manure and urine which are the gold and the silver of our land.

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— Humboldt (Sask.) Journal

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Ski development at Pine Hill





The beginning of what is expected to be one of the most popular ski areas in the Laurentians is pictured above — the Ayers Ski Centre at Pine Hill, on Route 31, just 13 miles north of Lachute. Pictures show a general view of the hills, T-Bar, and ski-tow cabin. Skiers may be seen gliding down two of the numerous runs. A lesser slope for children both on skis and toboggans is to the left of the photograph, as is the Chalet lodge, now nearing completion. An additional ski-tow is planned in the future development of the area, and will be located on still another hill to the right of the present T-Bar.

The photograph at the left shows a close-up view of the T-Bar in action, pulling skiers to the top of the well-packed ski runs.

— Photos, Syd Drew

Donations received for Hospital fund

The committee of the Argenteuil Regional Hospital has latterly received two contributions towards the funds — a cheque of $650 from the Lions Club as proceeds from the Calcutta Golf Tournament last summer, and another cheque of $500 from Boyd's Express Ltd. (This company had announced to customers its intention to curtail Christmas gifts, and instead, to forward donations to three hospitals, one of which was the new Lachute hospital.)

Absorbing topics, past and present, at Rotary Club

The Rotary Club meeting held on January 12 featured a somewhat novel program presented by John Chalmers.

From two recent issues of The Watchman it was pointed out how quickly changes in our community life occur. There was an interesting discussion and comment on the news items of 25 years ago — somewhat less knowledgable comments on the news items of 50 years ago — and wonderment on the 75-year-old past. In all, this proved how extensively the local weekly is read and enjoyed.

Rotarian Ron Barnett thanked the speaker, who was introduced by Rotarian Wes Freeland.

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Lucien Rossaert, French specialist at Lachute High School, was introduced by Rotarian Ken Riley at the meeting last Thursday, and gave a most interesting and instructive talk on the French course in the Protestant schools.

French being a compulsory subject, the standard is very high and the best expectations are required. Mr. Rossaert based his talk on five factors: 1, Texts; 2, Establishing marks — highest level expected in oral and written French; 3, Method of teaching used in classes, (a) Natural direct, (b) Indirect, with conversation being stressed; 4, Practical or academic — leaning towards academic; and 5, Type of French expected from student.

The textbooks used in schools are written by teachers in this province. These textbooks contain studies for oral and written French divided into sections, 1, Basis for conversation, and 2, Grammar.

It was stressed that conversation and early association with any language was most helpful in acquiring correct and easy pronunciation.

Rotarian Larry Presseault thanked Mr. Rossaert for his very interesting address.

Gaetan Leclair heads Ch. of Commerce, retiring president reviews activities

At a general meeting of the Chamber of Commerce, held Thursday evening at city hall, Gaetan Leclair was elected president to succeed Adhémar Cuerrier, who has held office for the past two years. Mr. Leclair, well known Main Street storekeeper, has been active in the group for several years past.

Other members of the directorate are — Antoine Malaket, 1st vice-president; Arthur Lafrance, Forestry Engineer and Surveyor, 2nd vice-president; Marcel Grondin, secretary; Gabriel Valois, treasurer; Maurice Lussier, André Lefebvre, Paul Guenette, Donat Saulnier, Florian Guitard, E.-G. Laurin, Roger Lamarche, Robert Marcil, Georges Raymond and J.-E. Leonard.

Review of Year's Activities

The retiring president reviewed the program of the past year. . . .

The monthly bond drawings had been successfully carried on, and a surplus balance of $897 remained at the close of the year.

The Chamber had been effective in having the Council install improved street-lighting. Advances had been made in enlisting Council opinion and public sentiment towards the purity of the water supply. A visit was organized to view the Hawkesbury filtration plant.

The Chamber had participated in the Hawkesbury centennial celebration, also in regional Chamber of Commerce organizations. Two flags had been presented to Town Council and gratefully accepted. Two fluorescent lights had also been presented.



Gaetan Leclair, new president

A tourist bureau (tent) had been established and maintained this past summer. A public meeting had been sponsored at the K. of C. Hall, where panelists had discussed the water supply problem, and finally, a public inspection tour had been organized to the town's "filtration plant."

In summing up these endeavors, Adhémar Cuerrier felt that the population now looked to its Chamber of Commerce as an effective instrument for collaboration with the town authorities.

Municipal Elections

The retiring president also had a word on the approaching civic elections. "The Chamber of Commerce is in evidence in this campaign," he said. "Two candidates are in the running for mayor — both are excellent citizens, honest and devoted to the general welfare of the population. Between these two candidates, **the Chamber as a body stands neutral in the election campaign.** We do, however, urge the electors to insist on an early solution to the waterworks problem, in supporting their Council candidates. We must be prepared to sacrifice personal preference, if necessary, to promote this aim."

Mr. Cuerrier exhorted the incoming executive to develop fire protection and police effectiveness in parking and traffic control, as important objectives. He thanked the directors, in conclusion, and wished the Chamber success in its future endeavors.

President-elect Gaetan Leclair gave assurance the group would work with the Council towards water-supply improvement, and a better system for Main Street parking. The Chamber would exploit the possibilities of annexing part of St. Jerusalem, and would vigorously support every project in the public interest.

It was decided that regular assemblies would be held on the third Thursday of each month.

Election front on the eve of nominations

Three new nomination papers in circulation have changed the civic election picture, since last week's report. Two new candidates appear certain in Centre Ward (Seat 3) and one in West Ward (Seat 3), as nominations are scheduled for today, Wednesday.

In West Ward, Nelson Lepage retiring from Seat No. 3, has a new opponent in Edouard Vivarais. . . . In Seat No. 2, Stanley Church, retiring, is opposed by Wilfrid Morrissette.

In Centre Ward (Seat No. 3) Lauréat Laurin, the retiring councillor, seems likely to have two contestants in the fray — if information at this writing (Tuesday p.m.) is well founded. The two latest nominees are Dave Campbell, Main Street, and Maurice Rousson, Filion Street. There are definitely three papers circulating for candidates in this seat, while for the other Centre Ward vacancy, it appears likely that Dr. Jean-Paul Dorion will receive an acclamation.

As previously indicated, Linton W. Armstrong has no opponent for the East Ward seat vacated by Ald. E. O. Pollock. . . . Also there are two definite entries for the mayoral race, Fernand Legault, Q. C., and Dr. R. A. Dumais.

It is expected there will be a keen public vote next Wednesday, when polling booths will open from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. in the three wards.

Four sentenced for assault on officer

Four local youths were each sentenced to pay costs of $67, and placed under a $500 bond to keep the peace for a two-year period.

The youths pleaded guilty to a charge of assault on a police officer. The costs included those of the court, damage to the officer's uniform and dental repairs.

Fire in laundry

Fire of a minor nature was quickly extinguished at the King Koin Laundry on Monday morning, no serious damage resulting. The establishment continued operations as usual following the incident.

Two year term for entering and theft

Yvon "Plush" Villeneuve, 36, was sentenced on Friday of last week to two years in jail, after he pleaded guilty to a charge of breaking and entering with theft. The charge was laid following a robbery in December at Dawson's Radio & TV Shop, Main Street. A portion of the loot was recovered.

Lions Club visited by District Deputy Governor

In observance of Founders' and Dedication Month, it was appropriate that last Tuesday's meeting of the Lions Club should be officially visited by the District Deputy Governor, Les Britcher, of Montreal. Lion Britcher brought some refreshing viewpoints to his audience — on quality as an essential factor in enlisting membership; and on fund-raising and ticket-selling, the bane of most service club activities.

The meeting, with over 60 members in attendance, was chaired by President Dr. Eric Mongeon. The guest speaker was introduced by George Tattersfield and thanked by Geo. Locke, who presented the visitor with an auto rug as a token from the Lachute Lions.

A brief silence was observed in memory of a well loved and valuable clubman, the late Dr. F. W. FitzGerald. The secretary, Keith Clarke, read two messages of sympathy received from fellow clubs in Dr. FitzGerald's jurisdiction during his term as District Governor, and there were also touching tributes from the membership present.

It was remarked by the president that Lion George Tattersfield had received, that day, his 20-Year-Monarch certificate in reward for long and continued membership.

There was preliminary discussion on a carnival at the Lions Rink, a committee of new and energetic members undertaking to organize this event.

An impressive sidelight was the induction of a new member, Lion Paul Deslauriers, who had been absent during the recent ceremonies enrolling 13 newcomers. The candidate, presented by Robt. Marcil and introduced by Don Titman, was inducted by the visiting District Deputy. This addition brings the present club membership to 74.

New police chief at Morin Heights



Paul Emile Perrier, 42, a former St. Michel de Wentworth resident, who was recently appointed Police Chief of Morin Heights. Chief Perrier was engaged as a Provincial Police officer in the summer of 1956, and last month resigned this position to assume proprietorship of Graham's General Store, Arundel. He was later appointed Police Chief in the neighboring municipality of Morin Heights.

His family is presently residing in St. Michel, Mrs. Perrier working as a school teacher in Brownsburg. They have several children. They expect to move to the northern part of the County during next summer.

Reports from delegates heard at Cdn. Cancer Society meeting here

The first 1961 meeting of the Canadian Cancer Society, Lachute Section, was held earlier this month, with the vice-president, Mrs. Gilbert Ayers, in the chair.

Letters of appreciation from patients who had received Christmas gifts were presented. Donated by interested volunteers, these gifts were mailed with cancer dressings in December.

There was special mention of 700 bed-pads made by the Brownsburg workers in three days, in response to an urgent request to the Lachute Section from headquarters in Montreal. Mrs. C. E. Richardson, chairman of the Dressing Service, reported this at the December meeting, and thanked all who had helped with this work.

Highlighting the last two meetings have been the reports of the delegates — Mrs. C. Duncan, Mrs. Mac E. Walker, and Mrs. Richard Ayers — on the combined Education, Welfare and Campaign Workshop conference of the Canadian Cancer Society, held in Montreal.

Mrs. Duncan quoted Dr. R. M. Taylor (chairman of the Conference in the absence of President Maurice Forget), who compared the fight against cancer to a field of battle — in the front line were doctors — facing the battle lines were nurses and volunteer workers — and in the background were the research workers.

The tremendous possibilities and importance of cancer education impressed itself on all the delegates, one of the most effective weapons being education of the public in methods of early detection.

Dr. Phaneuf, of St. Charles Hospital, St. Hyacinthe, spoke of the very important work the General Practitioner plays in detecting cancer in its early stages. He forms the first link in a chain of hospital, pathologist, radiologist, specialist and surgeon.

Dr. Yves Lafleur, chairman, Education Committee, of St. Hyacinthe, emphasized early detection of cancer in the mouth, usually with very little pain and only detectible by sight. He felt that knowledge of cancer must be increased insofar as dentists were concerned. There should be more lectures offered in the education program.

Dr. Lemieux, of St. Sacrement Hospital, Quebec, spoke of tumor clinics. Case histories of patients to the clinic are kept, studied and discussed by pathologist, radiologist and internes, at a surgeons' and doctors' meeting weekly. Patients

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Company film seen by employees

There was a full house for the C-I-L supper and year's review, now an annual company institution, held Monday at the Brownsburg Legion Hall. Around 200 male employees of the Brownsburg plant and a few guests were in attendance.

Following an excellent supper served by the Legion Auxiliary, the program was opened by Art Lapp, assistant works manager. A lengthy review of the Company's operations, with objectives for the current year, was given by Ken McGibbon, the works manager. The talk was illustrated by explanatory graphs.

A 40-minute color film, "C-I-L Today — 1960", opened with an interview in which Peter Allen, C-I-L president, was questioned by André Bachand, of the University of Montreal, on the experience and outlook in the various phases of C-I-L production. Notable in this commentary, and in the film shots that followed, was the motivation of progress, evidenced in expansion for research and output, and versatility to meet the changing needs of the market. The film commentary is by Fred Davis, and the shots include familiar scenes and faces around the Brownsburg plant. The panorama extended from the various production centres in Canada all the way to Hong Kong, Japan and Britain.

Among the guests were Les Morrow and Jean Cornez, of C-I-L public relations, and a few members of the local press.

Subsequent showings of this film were held for the female employees at Brownsburg, and for the general public.

671,100 Man-hours without accident at C-I-L Brownsburg

Brownsburg — A safety record of 671,100 man-hours of work without a lost-time accident has been achieved by employees of the Brownsburg works of Canadian Industries Limited. K. W. MacGibbon, works manager, announced on Monday.

The record wins for the 931 employees the General Manager's prize, one of several safety awards under the company's no-accident record plan. Employees will be presented with individual awards at a later date.

The Brownsburg works, producing sporting ammunition, safety flares and detonators, has won 46 safety prizes since the inauguration of the safety plan in 1931.

Week's Epigram

It isn't the used cars that are a menace on the highways, it is the misused ones.

At Legion Branch 70 Installation

At the annual induction of officers in Legion Branch 70, Lachute, the installing officer, Comrade R. A. Giles, confers office on J. O. Martel, new president of the branch, and Mrs. Wm. Bradshaw, president of the Ladies' Auxiliary.





Officers of the Legion and Auxiliary, photographed at the annual installation ceremonies in the Legion Hall last Saturday.

Left to right (seated) — Doug Kettyle, 2nd vice-president; Geo. Kirby, 1st vice-president; J. O. Martel, in-coming president; R. A. Giles, installing officer; Mrs. W. Bradshaw, new president of the Auxiliary; Mrs. S. Bradshaw, 1st vice-president; Mrs. R. Thorburn, secretary; Mrs. B. McDougall, Welfare chairman.

Standing — Legion executive members Rene Paulson, Doug Ogilvie, Cecil Graham, Art Gauley; Ernest Evans, recording secretary; B. A. Jenkins, retiring president; Geo. Cole, corresponding secretary; Carl Demerse, treasurer; Chas. Duncan, presenting officer; and R. O. (Dick) MacLean, executive member.

— Photos, Syd Drew

Police issuing identity cards to young residents

Police Chief A. J. Whiteway reports that a large number of Identification Cards have already been issued to local youths, following notice that these cards were available free of charge.

The I.D. cards were introduced following pressure from many sources, their main aim being to curb the admittance of minors to local hotels. They are available to all, especially those persons from 16 years of age up. They will also be used for admittance to theatres, where the provincial law states a person must be 16 years of age.

While the I.D. cards cannot be made compulsory, proprietors of such establishments cannot be forced to admit anyone without suitable identification.

In order to obtain an I.D. card, all that is necessary is to make a personal application at the Lachute Police Station; applicant must have a recent photograph, and birth certificate, to procure a card.

First Aid classes commence Feb. 6, open to all

A new series of St. John's Ambulance First Aid classes will commence Monday, February 6, from 7 to 8 p.m., at the Lachute Police Station. The course will be conducted by Chief A. J. Whiteway, who extends an invitation to both English and French-speaking residents to take part in the training.

A special invitation is extended to all trucking firms, and similar organizations who have men on the highway most of the time, to have their employees take part in the series.

In an effort to organize a home nursing course, Chief Whiteway would appreciate hearing from any qualified nurse or other person interested in conducting such a course of instruction.

Power failure, Pine Hill area

A power failure of a minor nature north of Pine Hill occurred Saturday evening when a pole, on which Gatineau Power lines were strung, broke. The pole is the property of the Bell Telephone Company, whose service in the area was also interrupted. Minor damage to two cars resulted from the wires lying across the highway.

Argenteuil Outdoors

A column for the sportsman

— By BOB ATCHISON —



There will be no more political patronage in this province — or so it was said months ago. How things like this can be forgotten in such a hurry, is beyond me. . . . But what does concern me particularly is the firing of game wardens that DO and WILL continue to do their jobs. Possibly it is the new ruling that has been put into the training of Game Wardens. We know some of the Wardens have not been over-endowed with education, but they do a lousy job WELL and WITH COURTESY. But it seems that this not going to have any bearing on their cases at all.

It certainly is nice to think we are going to have all our Wardens college graduates. Let's not be foolish enough to think this will materialize. Maybe in some rare case will a man like this be satisfied to be a game protector; even then, learning does not end with a degree — it takes years to learn even a little about the wildlife in the field, and even then, observation goes on and on. Don't get this wrong — higher education is wonderful, but don't let us make a fetish of it. We still need the practical man along with the theorist.

While on the game wardens, there are some of them who consider all they have to do is put a couple of notices around that they are in the vicinity, and that is supposed to do the job. Right in our own County, evidence of this is all over, in the killing of game out of season, and so on. I know I have travelled all over this County at one time or another, and have yet to meet some of the supposed game wardens in the bush or on a lake.

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The killing of humans in the bush in this province seems to be a big joke to someone. Even OUT of the bush these killings are taken as accidental. Most of the GOOD sportmen I have talked to in this County agree there is no such thing as an accidental killing. I believe this, for a number of reasons. We are all supposed to be adults with the minds of adults, but we act worse than kids with a gun in our hands.

A couple of examples of this might swing a few more over to our side. A hunter watching another hunter for 15 minutes, then shooting him because he looked like a bear. Or how about this one — shooting a boy because he looked like a squirrel. Another is almost as bad, a hunter with a 'scope on his high-powered rifle watching another on a wharf, then shooting him because he looked like a deer.

The hue and cry raised in the press at the time of these needless killings, should have brought prompt action. Months have passed since the closing of the hunting season and nothing concrete has come from the Government. Is this going to be DELAYED ACTION LAW, or what? Could be it is forgotten already, Sure, I don't have the solution to it, but for heaven's sake let's get SOMETHING going. Firstly, the indiscriminate selling of firearms to anyone who has the price. Surely some accord could be reached with our fish and game clubs to train people in the use of firearms. After such a course they could be given certification and be allowed to purchase a weapon. After all, we don't allow everyone to drive a car without a test; so why ignore the handling of guns? This would no doubt raise a storm of protest, but taking all the GOOD hunters who know how to handle themselves in the bush, it would be more than welcome to them. At least they would have reassurance that they won't be shot by some irresponsible joker for a chipmunk.

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Going into the bush one day last week, it sure was a tough jaunt — the snow not being crusted to any extent. It was almost as hard walking with snowshoes as without them. I had been told there were a few deer over in one spot, and I wanted to see. The number of different birds in evidence made the trip well worth while. Right off, the Chicadees were around and in very heavy flights. Then the Jays; these things sure make you peeved at times. Trying to get close to the deer with these things flying around, was impossible. I didn't see any deer; they had been there, but were scared out. I had not seen many Downy Woodpeckers so far this year, but there were plenty this time. Also a couple of Horned Larks.

I spotted two foxes, and, followed some lynx tracks for about half a mile. The animal evidently wasn't too hungry, as I found a partly eaten rabbit. . . . Then there were some tracks that have me puzzled. They looked like the Kangaroo Rat; it has all indications of being that — only two paw prints, not much bigger than a mouse, with an indention made by its tail in the snow. It also could have been a jumping mouse, though these creatures are supposed to hibernate during the winter.

A few partridge were about, and from the looks of things these birds are in very good condition. I haven't seen the ring-neck pheasants around for a few weeks.

Just one complaint about this jaunt. I saw two domestic cats, one black, so there was no question of its identity. The other could have been taken for something else until the prints were examined. Just plain alley cat! Let's hope these things don't get at the birds too much.

Lachute Lions' Skating Rink



Activities and Highlights of the Week

By Chief A. J. Whiteway

In reference to an exhibition game on Sunday evening, between the Police and Loisirs, we'd like to thank Boyd's Bantams for the assistance rendered by three very capable young men loaned for the game. This sort of cooperation adds much to the sport. Although they are on opposing teams throughout the league series, these three young lads literally played their hearts out for the team on Sunday evening. If this type of thing was evident throughout the world today, there would be little room for the ill feeling between nations.

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This week we would like to salute the Canadian Legion, an association of devoted citizens who not only offered their very lives that we might live, but who since that time, have banded together and strived toward making Canada and the world a better place to live in.

Our own Lachute Branch, No. 70, is doing a great job in the community. One example of this is the clothing drive. One Legion member, a prominent citizen, has made available in his business premises the top floor of the building, to store clothing of all kinds for the less-fortunate of our citizens, so that through the efforts of the Legion many people have had the benefit of a helping hand.

The Legion's work among our young set is terrific. Their work in sports is an example they can be proud of, and certainly is one of which every citizen of Lachute should be most proud.

So, to the Legion, and especially Lachute Branch 70, we say thank you and offer our full cooperation.

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Space limitations, and late reporting, make it impossible to include a summary of the week's hockey games. — **Ed.**

Buckingham in lead, Brownsburg second, as Lachute withdraws from League

Since the last article published in this paper, several interesting developments have come about in the Q.O.H.L.

Probably the main one was the resignation of the Lachute Spitfires from the League. . . .

On Sunday, January 15, the Spitfires defeated the Hydro squad 5-3 in Brownsburg. Hydro, however, entered a protest on the grounds that Lachute had used an ineligible player — goaler Claude Groulx. The rules say that a goaler cannot be replaced unless the regular goaler has been injured, or unless permission has been obtained from the League executive. Since permission had not been obtained, and since Marcel Paul, the regular goaler, was not injured, the game was awarded to Hydro. A League meeting was held on Wednesday, January 18, in Brownsburg, and all teams were represented except Lachute; they were called and they said that unless awarded this game they would resign. The following day they withdrew their resignation, but on Friday it was resubmitted, making it final.

As a result, a new schedule was prepared and the scoring lists and team standings then had to be recalculated, eliminating all Lachute games.

The revised standing on January 21 was as follows:

	P.	W.	L.	F.	A.	PTS.
Buckingham	13	9	4	78	38	18
Brownsburg	12	8	4	57	51	16
Hydro-Quebec	11	4	7	46	70	8
Thurso	10	2	8	44	66	4

Top scorers are shown below:

	G.	A.	Pts.
Genereux (Hydro)	8	23	31
Ron Gionet (Hydro)	14	14	28
Middlestead (Buck.)	16	8	24
McDonnell (Buck.)	9	14	23
Bissonnette (Hydro)	11	9	20
Racine (Browns.)	7	12	19
Hayes (Buck.)	8	10	18
H. Lawliss (Buck.)	7	10	17
M. Lawliss (Buck.)	9	7	16
Leduc (Thurso)	11	5	16
Tomalty (Browns.)	7	9	16

Brownsburg at Buckingham, Sunday, January 15

On Sunday the Bombers dropped another game to the Aces as they were trounced 6-1 in Buckingham. Although they were soundly beaten on the scoreboard, the Bombers came through in fine style in self defence. The game, definitely the roughest of the season, was marred by 120 minutes in penalties. Main participants during the third stanza were Stewart of Brownsburg and Middlestead of Buckingham. As the teams were leaving the ice at the end of the game, a free-for-all broke out on the ice, and even a few spectators joined in. The Burg protested the game and won their protest on the grounds that Buckingham had used ineligible players.

Hydro-Quebec at Brownsburg, Thursday, January 19

The Bombers went down to defeat again as they lost 5-4 against Hydro-Quebec. This game, in contrast to the last one mentioned, was extremely orderly, with only six penalties handed out. Hydro scored three goals in the last two minutes of the first period, and after this point, the Burg could not get ahead. No. 9 for Carillon, Ron Gionet, picked up four goals for his squad, while No. 9 for Brownsburg, Red Charlebois, gathered the four Burg tallies.

The schedule for the next week is as follows:

Thursday, January 26 —
Brownsburg at Hydro

Sunday, January 29 —
Brownsburg at Buckingham
Thurso at Hydro

Tuesday, January 31 —
Thurso at Brownsburg

Friday, February 3 —
Hydro at Thurso

Exhibition Game — January 22, Bombers vs. Arthur's Esso Service

On Sunday, Arthur's Esso Service, a team from Montreal, featuring Connie Broden, handed the Bombers another defeat, 9-6, in Brownsburg.

Red Charlebois and Brent Tomalty scored first period goals, giving the Burg a 2-1 lead after 20 minutes. In the second period, the Esso squad made it 4-2, before Mel Tomalty took Cruise's pass to make it 4-3. Seconds later, Bateman tallied to give the Montreal team a two-goal lead. With 40 seconds left in the period, Mander Gardiner scored unassisted, making it 5-3. Having only two regular defencemen in the line-up, Gardiner was brought in as an emergency replacement. In the third stanze, Jacques Racine got a break-away and played it out to perfection. Mel Tomalty also got a picture goal as he outsmarted the Esso goalie. At this point, the score was 7-6 for Esso, but further goals by Broden and Gaston ended the scoring, making it 9-6 for the visitors.

The Bombers would like to thank those fans who came out to support them at this game.

Recent and current events among the lady curlers

The Wilson Challenge game was played Wednesday, January 18, and Mrs. J. McIndoe's rink (Mrs. E. Pollock, Mrs. H. Graves and Mrs. R. Bailley) remained the winners. The challengers were Mrs. F. Brennian (skip), Mrs. R. Fraser, Mrs. S. McFaul and Mrs. Donald Hay.

The Broomstick Challenge was played the same day, and the holders of the pins, skipped by Mrs. S. Jones (Mrs. F. Jeffrey, Mrs. W. White and Mrs. S. Patterson) were defeated by a rink skipped by Mrs. Jack MacKimmie (Mrs. D. McFaul, Mrs. R. MacLean and Mrs. Keith Boa).

The finals of the Match Committee bonspiel were played on Wednesday, January 25, between Mrs. L. York's rink and Mrs. G. Mitchell's foursome.

On Saturday last, the Business Girls enjoyed a day of curling at Wentworth Club. The rink skipped by Miss L. Miller (Miss B. Burruss, Miss A. David and Miss D. White) were runners-up, and each came home with a lovely prize.

This week there is a double-rink entry from Lachute playing in the Lady Tweedsmuir games in Montreal. They are skipped by Mrs. L. York and Mrs. E. K. Wilson. . . . Mrs. York has Mrs. J. MacKimmie, Mrs. J. McIndoe and Mrs. K. Mc Gibbon. . . . Mrs. E. K. Wilson's rink comprises Mrs S. McFaul, Mrs. A. Scott and Mrs. R. O. MacLean.

Mixed League standing at Bolodrome

Following is the team standing in the Mixed Commercial League at the Bolodrome. Games are played on Tuesday evenings.

Volkswagen	46
Lowe Bros.	46
Kingsbeer	45
Bouvrette Enrg.	45
David's	44
The Aces	39
Keith Wilson	32
Lachute Inn	29
Mme. Turcotte	29
Lascelles Sports	28
The Brysons	28
La Ruche	25
Dupré Sport Shop	23
L'Argenteuil	23
Bluebirds	22

Following are the high average scorers to date, with the number of games played in each case:

Men		
J. P. Bélisle	45	156
Denis Brunette	30	154
Bud Langille	48	149
James M. Duncan	42	148
Howard Ward	48	147
André Cousineau	30	146
Women		
Eileen Morrison	42	141
Monique Brodeur	45	138
Pauline Théoret	45	126
Gisèle Larche	48	124
Bertie Langille	47	124

H.S. boys and girls in basketball engagements

By Eric Cheslock

On Friday night, the Lachute senior boys played Monkland seniors in an exciting basketball game at Monkland High School. The local boys won with a score of 60-56. The three stars for Lachute were Reg Beers, Bryan Thomas and Gordie McKay.

On Saturday the senior girls, junior girls, and junior boys played three league basketball games at St. Eustache. The three local teams were defeated. The senior girls lost by a score of 27-13, the junior girls by 41-8 and the junior boys by 20-14.

On Saturday afternoon the Lachute senior boys played Ashbury College here at Lachute. The local boys were victorious by a score of 63-31. The three stars for Lachute were Bryan Thomas, Gordie McKay and Ian Cairns.

United Church Bowling League

STANDING, JANUARY 25

Team	Skip	P	W	L	D	For	Agst.	Pts.
East Settlement	(Les Gordon)	8	6	2	0	83	59	12
Beavers	(Miss M. Gordon)	8	5	1	2	82	69	12
All Stars,	(Reg. Stansfield)	8	5	3	0	71	60	10
Teenagers,	(Grace Gordon)	8	4	2	2	68	56	10
St. George's	(Owen Todd)	8	5	3	0	65	54	10
St. Pat's	(Gladys Davis)	8	4	3	1	70	65	9
Bluebirds	(Mrs. H. Riddell)	8	3	2	3	61	58	9
St. David's	(Willie Wilson)	8	3	4	1	58	76	7
St. Andrews	(Mrs. W. Bridge)	8	2	5	1	50	72	5
Maple Leafs	(Mrs. D. Smith)	8	2	5	1	45	66	5
Redwings	(Miss Grace Rosser)	8	2	6	0	56	68	4
Thistles,	(Jack Gorman)	8	1	6	1	51	65	3



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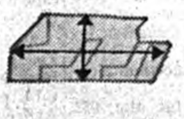
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"In this Parliament are three Estates, the Lords Spiritual, the Lords Temporal and the Commons, but in the Reporters' Gallery yonder sits a Fourth Estate more important far than all." — Edmund Burke

Marks of memorable distinction

LOCAL HISTORY is a revealing subject. We can think of no more fascinating study than that of a small committee of the Argenteuil Historical Society now delving into the records of old buildings and establishments along the Lower Ottawa Valley. Or the searchings of writers who, from time to time, set down their records for the columns of this paper, and to whom posterity hereabouts will be immeasurably grateful.

One such writer has penned his memories of the Cushing river front, printed (in part) in this issue of The Watchman. Another regular contributor, our Sunnyacres columnist, is engaged in research for a novel, now well in the formative stage, dealing with pioneer days in The Glen, a northern settlement of this County. The products of these enquiries make colorful reading for many who, by heritage or adoption, love the lore and tradition of this countryside.

One thing we remark in the perusal of local chronicles: this area ranked among leaders in development outside the larger urban centres. While always modest in our claims — a typically national trait — even in this issue of The Watchman we find mention of two significant facts, as follows:

Our "75 Years Ago" department states this week: "Machinery for the new paper mill is now in operation, and the Lachute Mills since their enlargement are now the biggest in the province, if not in the Dominion. Their capacity for turning out manilla is reckoned at six tons a day."

In his article on the "Front of Chatham" (here mentioned) the writer, Mr. Arthur W. Weir, says: "As I remember the Cushing store in 1881, it was doing a very large business owned by Mr. James Cushing which equalled any between Montreal and Toronto. There was a large staff of clerks, etc."

In these passing references it may be realized, with some pride, that Argenteuil County with its men of courage, foresight and unbounded energy, was well to the forefront in pioneer progress.

"Who cares?" . . . Every taxpayer!

IN CITIES, towns and villages across Canada these days, some thousands of candidates are seeking election as mayors, reeves, council-men and education board members.

On past performance this information — and the subsequent contests for local office — will be of interest to no more than three Canadians in every ten, this being the proportion of eligible electors who usually take the trouble to use their vote on these occasions. For the rest — the great majority — their reaction to local politics seemingly can be summed up in two words: "Who Cares?"

It is an extraordinary attitude to say the least, for, as has been observed, of all three levels of government — federal, provincial and municipal — it is the last which, by the nature of the services for which it is responsible, is closest to the people.

These services — among them education, water, sewage disposal, police, fire, garbage collection, lighting, parks, street construction and repairs — are indispensable to modern life. They are largely paid for, of course, out of the local taxes that are levied on us. Whether as citizens we get value for our money depends, to no small extent, on the calibre of the men and women we elect to represent us locally.

Such representatives will be required to take decisions affecting the well-being of the community, and it may well be that these will not always be popular. Be that as it may, they owe the electorate no more than personal integrity, diligence and good judgment.

The rest of us owe it to ourselves, our families and our community to see to it that the candidates we believe most likely to display these qualities are the ones who are successful. We will make our mistakes from time to time — as who does not? — but the important thing is that we will not be guilty of that indifference to the elective process which, if it becomes habitual, foreshadows the decay of democratic values and institutions.

The reply then, to those who ask "Who Cares?" in connection with local elections is: Every citizen who is interested in how his taxes are spent and his community governed.

Words vs pictures

ARE BOOKS doomed by television? . . . There is much agitation on this subject today, with pessimistic book-lovers expressing fear that TV and radio programs are weaning away readers.

The emphasis is especially on the effect the picture screen at home is having on children at the age when they normally become interested in reading.

Mary and John are getting so absorbed in watching westerns, puppet shows and so forth that they are ignoring their books, the argument runs. Children's classics like "Alice in Wonderland" and "Treasure Island" gather dust on shelves.

The pessimists contend that little can be done to salvage the adult TV addict. He or she is so wrapped in the nightly visual performances coming over the air waves that books and magazines are merely scanned and tossed aside.

But the struggle for children's attention between the printed word and the picture or the voice isn't a new development. It was in evidence when the movies were in their heyday. In fact, it has existed ever since pictures first were drawn.

The first words formed by primitive man were in the form of pictures or symbols. There has always been a close relationship between the two. Those who foresee the death of the printed word can take courage from this. The two media are conplementary, not necessarily competitive.

If children live where television is turned on most of the time or the radio is played by the hour, these things will engage their attention.

If Dad and Mother read and provide books for Mary and John to read too, there's a good chance they will be read. If Mary or John says "Tell me a story" and if Dad or Mother do that, they are on their way to join the ranks of the book lovers.

John may graduate to poring over space-age fiction and Mary may become absorbed in school-girl romance yarns. But the principle is there. Whatever the allurements or counter-diversions like TV and radio, the young readers are likely to find enough time to keep booksellers, book publishers and authors in business during the foreseeable future.

Wanted — men gifted to appreciate

"THE MOST NOTABLE lack in the world today is not men of action with their hands on instruments of power, nor calculating geniuses, supported by giant computers, but men of sensibility, gifted to appreciate and value human life," said Sir Geoffrey Vickers, speaking at the Canadian Conference on Children, in October 1960. Forty co-operating agencies participated in the Conference, which was ten years in preparation.

It is notable that the original inspiration for this Conference came from The Canadian Home and School and Parent-Teacher Federation. It is expected that another Conference on Children will be held in 1965.

Viewpoints and perspectives

THE NOMINATION of candidates (in a municipal election) is as much our duty as our freedom. If we continue not more than slightly concerned about getting the best and ablest brains, we have already gone a step backward in what can and eventually will become a slovenly society.

— Lindsay (Ont.) Watchman-Warder

JOBLESS BENEFITS. — The worst feature (of the unemployment insurance fund) is that its "benefits" have been spread so thin that the money available to assist those who are geneuinely unemployed is being used instead to make payments to people who have no claim on the fund.

— Campbellton (N.B.) Tribune

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75 YEARS AGO

Friday, Jan. 15, 1886 —

Monday night was the coldest of the winter, with temperature at 32 below zero.

Timber limits belonging to the estate of Campbell & Co. on the West River, have been purchased by Mr. P. Lane at an exceedingly small figure.

Mr. P. R. McGibbon narrowly escaped drowning when he fell through the river ice. He was alone at the time, his men being at the far end of the sawmill, and he was almost perished by the cold and swift current.

Subscriptions are being taken to purchase colors for the Argenteuil Rangers, which are being ordered from England.

The ladies of the W.C.T.U. have furnished a room in the Town Hall, for the young men of the village to spend their evenings. All kinds of harmless games, books and papers are provided, with tea, coffee and cake one evening a week.

Victoria Hotel, Lachute — The travelling public are invited to call at my hotel for good board and accommodation. — J. B. L. Charlebois (Advt.)

Machinery for the new paper mill is now operating, and the Lachute Mills since their enlargement are now the biggest in the province, if not in the Dominion. Their capacity for turning out manilla is reckoned at six tons a day.

55 YEARS AGO

Friday, Jan. 18, 1906 —

One of the oldest inhabitants of this community, Mrs. Jas. Rodgers, died on Christmas Eve.

Mayor J. E. Valois was returned to office at nominations, also Coun. J. A. McGibbon. John McFaul was elected to succeed Dr. Menzies in West Ward, but in East Ward there will be a contest — nominees for two vacancies being Messrs. J. P. MacKimmie, J. Lister and Wm. C. Miller. (Mr. Miller subsequently abstained from the vote, having been nominated by Walter McOuat against his will.)

The Board of Trade met in Raitt's Hall with the president, Mr. P. R. McGibbon, in the chair and Mr. P. A. Lafleur as secretary.

The Agricultural Society directors' meeting was chaired by John Hay, president, with Messrs. Jas. Chambers, Andrew Doig, J. Cruise, F. Hamelin, R. C. Morrin, A. E. McGregor, J. H. Black, W. Copeland, W. J. Burke and Wm. Nicholls in attendance.

Mr. J. N. A. McKay, of St. Andrews, received a severe stroke of paralysis and is in critical condition.

25 YEARS AGO

Thursday, Jan. 16, 1936 —

It is rumored that Ste. Agathe will have a bi-lingual weekly paper, with Les Powell as editor.

On New Year's Eve, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Nicoll, of Port Arthur, were at home to a large number of friends on their 25th wedding anniversary.

At St. Jerusalem Council, with Mayor J. E. Walker presiding, it was decided White's Bridge would not be kept open for winter traffic.

Death — David Pollock, of Lachute East, pioneer farmer, died January 4, in his 87th year.

The sawmill of Martin E. Davis near Arundel was razed by fire.

June Doreen, 7-year-old child of Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Fulton, was burned to death in a dwelling house fire in Lachute West End.

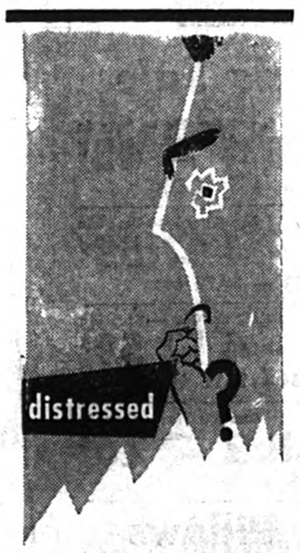
"Jalna", best-seller novel by Mazo De la Roche, appears this week on the Rex Theatre screen.

Miss Gisèle Legault returned to Ville Marie College, after spending the holidays in town.

Miss Lulu Miller has left for Valcartier to take up teaching duties.

At Lions Club, a vote of thanks was extended to Lion Angelo Fassio for making possible the matinee at Rex Theatre, where 160 articles of food were collected for Christmas baskets.

Mr. Harry Slater, a well known figure in the life of this community and former M.L.A. for Argenteuil, died January 11 at the age of 72.



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Of Many Things

— By Ambrose Hills —

NOTHING RECEDES LIKE SUCCESS

Herbert R. Mayes was fired from his job of editing at 58 years of age. At his age, it looked like curtains. However, the publishers of another magazine which was having a rough time decided to take a chance on him. He was so eager to show his former publishers what he could do that he tore into the job with a will. It paid off. He found that being fired was good for him, and he coined the expression, "Nothing recedes like success."

There's truth in it. Too much success can make a person smug. Says Mayes, in a Pageant magazine story, "Most people can do a lot better than they are doing. What they need is a push and a challenge."

Another interesting thing about Mayes. When he was married, he and his wife made a deal. He was to be free to walk out on a job any time he thought he should, regardless of what it might do to their standard of living. That didn't mean he was to quit a job out of pique, but to gamble on a change if he felt it was necessary. That sense of freedom helped to make him a fine editor. He drives himself hard at office and home and he likes it, because he does it voluntarily. A man driven by his own motivation seldom tires; it is the man in the rut who tires.

I know a big business firm which found that to be true. They decided to let each employee make his own decision about how he could be more productive. Many an employee who formerly chugged along at a lazy gait came up with good ideas on how to improve his own output. The entire firm benefited, and the employees of that company are among the happiest and most energetic workers anywhere.

To have a feeling of independence based on your own estimate of what you can or cannot do is a great driving force, making life zestful and joyful. Freedom, spiritually and economically, is like top-grade gasoline — it propels you forward smoothly and efficiently. It was the jet-like force which built the New World so speedily. It could, if given a chance, keep it forging ahead.

Unfortunately, "nothing recedes like success," and far too many of us prefer a secure rut to the dynamic forward drive of freedom.

STILL INTERESTED

In this modern world of commercialism and the fast buck, it is heartening to find that people are still interested in the problems of others less fortunate. The offer by Canadian Northern Airways to fly clothing to needy Indians at Lansdowne House is such an example.

— Nipigon (Ont.) Norshore Sentinel



THIS IS AN OIL FIELD ?

Both whales and man would be in a sorry fix if whales were still the main source of oil.

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Things 'n Stuff

By Walter Henry Jackson

SALES AND SOAPSUDS

If a salesman, huckster, or peddler rings a doorbell and the housewife answering tells him she is not interested, that is usually the end of the transaction. But if he should put his foot in the doorway and force his way into her living room, she could and probably would have him arrested. . . .

Now, by what right has a salesman to come into our living room via the TV and force us to listen to his sales pitch while we are trying to enjoy a program? For that is just what it amounts to — invading the sanctity of our homes, unwanted and uninvited. Why can't the sponsors and the advertising agencies who represent them wake up to the fact that we are not all morons. Most viewers are of a reasonably intelligent class of people who at least know what a cake of soap looks like, and what it is for. Yet these sponsors or their agents fail to realize that they will never get anywhere by antagonizing their prospective customers. And that is just what they are doing. What intelligent person wants to see a picture of a naked lady up to her neck in soapsuds; men shaving or taking a shower; men, women and children brushing teeeth, gargling throats, washing hair and similar bathroom activities?

Do we have to be shown by actual demonstration what happens when floor-wax is applied or a detergent put into a washing machine?

There is one commercial I can tolerate, and that is from a brewery sponsoring a very good program. Their commercial simply states, "This program is presented for your enjoyment by the Blank Brewery, makers of Blank Beer." A reproduction of their label follows. Entire time occupied, five seconds. That is the way all commercials should be. Just the name of the sponsoring firm, and the name of their product.

I made one resolution at New Year's — to positively refuse to buy any product whose commercials annoy me. And if we all got together on this and made it widely known, I feel sure that we would soon get fast, fast relief from bathroom ablutions and silly cartoons that do not amuse anyone over four years old.

Some people will argue, "If there were no sponsors there would be no programs." I agree. But they should be compelled to limit their advertising to five seconds, and not to insult our intelligence with commercials as they are now.

Be seein' ya!

— Uncle Walt



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Who are the good guys in the news? It's hard to tell.

"Ousted premier Lumumba," and "Congo strongman Mobutu" and "pro-Lumumba invaders," and "Katangan troops" and "UN spokesmen" and "Lumumba lieutenants" are milling around the Congo in a mixed-up African Western.

Who robbed the stage coach? That's all I want to know. Who gets the girl?

In the Orient, I see, the "right-wing Laotian government" is quarrelling with "North Vietnamese," the "Viet Minh," "pro-Communist Laotian Pathet Lao guerrillas" and some other odds and ends.

And there are also "French military mission officials," and "leftist forces" and "rebel paratroopers."

I'm getting a headache. Who are all these people? Where is the sheriff?

If they want the country as badly as that, let's give it back to them. But give it back to whom?

Curious names bob to the surface of the daily papers and vanish again, like chips in a flood. Here is some good news, though. "Congolese troops who crossed into Ruanda Urundi Friday from neighboring Kivu province have withdrawn again."

Well that should ease matters. It sounds encouraging. And I have heard of Ruanda Urundi. I remember it from my stamp-collecting days, as an overprint.

Why were the Congolese troops there? And why did they leave? I don't exactly know. But I have a news story in my hand, fresh off the United Press International teletype, and if I read it through two or three times, maybe I'll find out. If so, I'll tell you.

I see that Fidel Castro's men, mistaking friends for enemies, have shot down one of their own planes. That's no surprise. But are they sure?

"Canada Year Book" 1960 edition gives statistics, information

The 1960 edition of "Canada Year Book," recently released, is the 54th in the present series supplying up-to-date statistical and other information on Canada's development.

Extensive revisions have been made in the various chapters, particularly with regard to the machinery of government, the native peoples of Canada, public health and welfare, scientific, medical and industrial research, power generation and utilization, mineral production, manufacturing, transportation and communications, the domestic marketing of commodities, foreign trade, national income and expenditure, and Canada's investment position. In addition, new features have been introduced covering such subjects as the national parole system, space research, and the pricing and marketing of farm products.

"Canada Year Book 1960" contains a number of special feature articles — The Geological Survey of Canada; Climatic Tables; Hospital Services and Hospital Insurance in Canada; The Revolution in Canadian Agriculture; Canada's Commercial Fishery Resources and Their Conservation; The St. Lawrence Seaway in Operation; The Board of Grain Commissioners and The Canadian Wheat Board and Its Role in Grain Marketing.

The price of the Year Book is still $5 a copy for the regular cloth-bound edition. Restriction on the sales of the paper-bound edition have now been removed and copies are available for general purchase at $3 each. Copies of both editions are obtainable from the Queen's Printer, Ottawa; from the Dominion Bureau of Statistics, Ottawa; or from private booksellers. Orders sent to the Queen's Printer or the Dominion Bureau of Statistics should be accompanied by remittance in the form of cheque or money order payable to the Receiver General of Canada.

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DISTRICT NEWS FROM OUR COUNTY CORRESPONDENTS

Brownsburg

Mrs. Gordon Todd visited relatives in Montreal last week.

Mr. Alex Kerr and Mr. Robert Lunn, of Montreal, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Smillie.

Mr. Campbell Stephens, of Ottawa, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Stephens.

Mr. and Mrs. Clutsam, of Montreal, spent the week-end here owing to the illness of their daughter, Mrs. Arthur Morrison.

Mr. Bruce Mason, of Kingston, Ont., was a week-end guest of his mother, Mrs. Wesley Mason.

35th Anniversary

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Jackson, who were pleasantly surprised on Friday evening, January 22, when a large number of their relatives and friends gathered in the Legion Hall to celebrate their 35th wedding anniversary. The honored couple were presented with a beautiful clock and a purse of money.

Women's Institute

Mrs. Hector Mason, convener of Welfare and Health, will have charge of the program at the W.I. meeting, which will be held in the High School February 1 at 7.30 p.m. Guest speaker will be Dr. L. A. Middleton, of Lachute.

Cushing

Mrs. I. H. Fuller, accompanied by Mrs. Laurence Morrin, spent Friday in Montreal.

Mr. A. T. Graham was in Montreal for the day, last Thursday.

The Historical Society of Argenteuil, Research Committee, met at the home of the senior member, Mrs. A. Graham, on Wednesday evening.

Of the several children whose papers on the Temperance Study Course were sent on to provincial examiners—while all entrants had pass marks, Keith Feltham, Kathleen and Maureen Villeneuve were classed as honor students.

Mrs. A. Graham and son, Allan, were in Lachute on Tuesday last, attending the funeral of Mrs. Graham's cousin, the late Mr. W. D. Hume.

Miss Janice Noble, of Lachute, was the guest of Miss Cama Bailey on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Bailey, Mr. and Mrs. H. Elliott, Mr. and Mrs. R. Holmes attended the annual meeting of the Legion in Lachute on Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Fuller, of the Fuller Road, also Mr. and Mrs. Donald Fuller and baby, Debbie, were luncheon guests at the Graham home on Sunday.

Ogdensburg

Mrs. John Heatlie, Jr., Mrs. W. McAndrew, Mrs. J. Black and Mrs. L. Plummer were in Montreal on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Wert and Jerry Plummer, also Mr. and Mrs. B. Campbell, visited with Mr. and Mrs. C. Wert of Buckingham on Sunday.

Miss Heather and Master John Heatlie called on friends in Montreal recently.

Mrs. Wm. MacKiddie and Mrs. Arthur Keatlie spent Wednesday in Montreal.

Attending Mission School

Miss Shirley Heatlie left last Thursday for Hartford, Conn., where she will be attending the Kennedy School of Missions for the next few months.

Miss Heatlie serves with the Christian Fellowship Division of the Home Mission Board of the Baptist Convention of Ontario and Quebec, and has been stationed for a number of years in Montreal. As this is her furlough year, she has been spending the past few months with her parents here, Mr. and Mrs. John Heatlie, Sr.

Farm Forum

The local Farm Forum did not meet this week because of the severe cold. Last week the members met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. Witham, where a good discussion was enjoyed.

Officers installed for L.O.B.A. lodge

The annual meeting of Laurentian Lodge 943 of the Ladies' Orange Benevolent Association, took place here recently. During the evening a new member was initiated, and reports were given by the officers, which showed progress both as to membership and finance.

During the past year the annual donation was sent to the Protestant Children's Home at Rosemere, and a substantial amount was given over to the building fund for the new Orange Hall. Donations were also made to the Legion Poppy Fund and other worthy charities.

Election of officers resulted as follows — W.M., Mrs. J. MacDonald; D.M., Mrs. G. Watchorn; J.D.M., Mrs. V. Watchorn; rec. sec., Mrs. J. Seale; fin. sec., Mrs. A. Crooks; treas., Mrs. G. Holt; chaplain, Mrs. M. Watchorn; guardian, Mrs. M. Ball; lecturers, Mrs. R. Gain, Mrs. L. Goyer; D. of C., Mrs. Mildred Ball; inner guard, Mrs. P. MacDonald; outer guard, Miss L. Gordon.

Committee, Mrs. S. Gordon, Mrs. L. Berry, Mrs. R. Young and Miss G. Noble.

At the close of the installation ceremony, Sister H. Seale was presented with a past-mistress' jewel. Refreshments were served and a social hour was spent.

Morin Heights

Christening Ceremony

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eric Wood, of Montreal, was christened at Trinity Church on Sunday afternoon, with the rector officiating. Sponsors were Mr. and Mrs. James Casbourne.

Cushing West

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Campbell accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wert to Buckingham on Sunday, and were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wert.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Gillies and family, of Beaurepaire, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Pinkerton recently.

Miss Heather Douglas, of Chatboro, was the guest of Miss Martha Vowles for the week-end.

40th Anniversary

Congratulations and best wishes are extended to Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Watson, who will be celebrating their 40th wedding anniversary this Thursday, January 26.

Brownsburg 71 Legion Auxiliary elects officers

Brownsburg — At the last general meeting, the following ladies were elected to office in the Brownsburg Legion (71) Ladies' Auxiliary:

President, Mrs. M. Summers; 1st vice-pres., Mrs. B. Bell; 2nd vice-pres., Mrs. P. Tomalty; secretary, Mrs. M Gates; treasurer, Mrs. M. Ross; Sgt.-at-Arms, Mrs. H. Racine.

Executive Council — Past-president Mrs. J. Mann, Mrs. W. Murdoch, Mrs. P. Seary, Mrs. F. Zimmer, Mrs. H. Martin.

Townsman here spent 25 years in Saskatchewan

Late Robert ("Bob") Robinson

The death of Robert ("Bob") Edgar Robinson occurred at the Montreal General Hospital on January 16, in his 58th year.

Born at Mascouche, Que., he spent the early part of his life there. As a young man, he went to Rosetown, Sask., where he took up farming and lived for 25 years. He spent the past 11 years in Lachute.

He is survived by his widow, the former Doris M. Leroy, in Lachute, and three brothers, Lancelot, Edward and John Robinson, of Mascouche.

The funeral service, which was conducted by the Rev. Wilson Bridge of Lachute United Church, was held from the chapel of J. P. MacKimmie Funeral Home, and was largely attended by friends and relatives from Montreal, Terrebonne, St. Eustache and Mascouche.

Pall-bearers were Messrs. Jas. Paul, Ernest Gordon, C. J. Leishman, Fraser Watson, T. Graham and Ross Muir.

Interment was in St. Andrews East Cemetery.

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McNEIL — To Gordon and Anne (née Dwyer) at the Catherine Booth Hospital, on Jan. 18, 1961, a daughter, Catherine Anne. A sister for David.

IN MEMORIAM

BEATON — In loving memory of our brother and uncle, Peter Beaton, who passed away Jan. 26, 1959. — Lovingly remembered by his sister, Ellen, and niece, Flora.

"God knew that he was weary,
The hill too hard to climb,
So He gently took his hand,
And whispered, 'Peace be thine'."

DORION — In loving memory of a dear mother and grandmother, Violet Dorion, who passed away Jan. 26, 1960. — Sadly missed by her son, Jimmy, daughter-in-law Greta, and grandchildren, Lynn and Debbie.

"At night the silent stars look down
On a grave, not far away,
Where they laid our darling mother
Just one year ago today.
Gentle Jesus, in your mercy,
Hold her closely to your heart
Till we meet her up in heaven,
Never more to walk apart."

NEILL — In loving memory of a dear mother and grandmother, Mrs. George Neill, who passed away Jan. 23, 1953. — Always remembered by Gordon, Peggy, Ray, Fern and Kenneth.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

HUME — Mrs. William D. Hume and family wish to express their deep appreciation to friends, neighbors and relatives, for flowers, cards, sympathy and the many acts of kindness shown them during the long illness and passing of a dear husband and father; also special thanks to the Rev. Mr. Rosborough for the prayer at the funeral service.

ROBINSON — Mrs. Robert E. Robinson wishes to express her sincere appreciation to friends and neighbors for kind expressions of sympathy and thoughtfulness shown during her recent bereavement.

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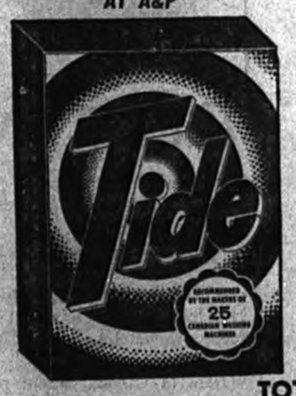
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Annual meetings held at Trinity, Morin Hts., and St. Francis Church

Morin Heights — Trinity Church meeting was held Monday evening, and an excellent year was reported.

Mr. Jack Kennedy was re-elected people's warden, and Mr. Stanley Morgan was appointed rector's warden and treasurer. Messrs. Max Baumel, S. J. Voce, delegates to Synod, with Wm. Bell and Wm. Minshall as substitutes. Mr. Bell was re-appointed auditor, and Mrs. Bell, Vestry clerk.

Receipts totalled $7,200, of which $819 was raised by the Ladies' Guild, and $2,000 by the Hall Committee. Offerings and donations were $2,636, choir $156, Sunday School receipts $556. The church and hall debt had been reduced to $22,000.

The rector thanked the officials who had co-operated so heartily in making 1960 such a successful year.

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The Church of St. Francis Vestry meeting was held Friday evening, and receipts exceeding $20,000 were reported, of which $1,555 was raised by the newly-formed Women's Guild of St. Francis.

The mortgage on the church had been paid in full, with only $9,500 remaining on the hall. Sunday offerings were $5,497.63, and contributions $11,850.64. All current expenses had been met, and a balance of $2,297.94 remained on hand.

Mr. Chipman H. Drury was re-elected chairman of the Advisory Board, Patrick Forbes, Vestry clerk, Messrs. Leonard Fisher and Gordon Raffignon, people's warden and rector's warden, respectively; treasurer, Mr. Raffignon; chairman of the Finance Committee, Mr. G. H. Kirby; delegates to Synod, Messrs M. Cassils, L. Brittle.

The Women's Guild, with 67 members, had brought together all groups under one executive, and had added much enthusiasm to the work of the church.

The rector expressed his appreciation for the tremendous help given him in his work.

Reports from delegates heard at Cdn. Cancer Society meeting here

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are notified by a letter when to return — even to the extent of reminding them of the date of check-up time each year. The role of the clinic is: preventative treatment— co-ordination of physicians toward a common aim of furthering the cure of cancer.

Dr. H. S. Morton, surgeon of the R.V.H., gave a new version of the seven Danger Signals:

S—Swallowing difficulty or indigestion.
U—Ulcer that does not heal.
R—Radical change in bowel habit.
G—Growth in breast or elsewhere.
E—Enlargement in warts and moles.
R—Rectal, or other bleeding.
Y—Why a persistent cough?

Dr. Bouchard, radiologist at the R.V.H., explained the role of the radiologist as one who specializes in X-ray treatment and radiotherapy with drugs; 95% cases of skin cancer and 45% of cancer of the uterus are cured. The X-ray is not practical in early stages of cancer, as it does damage to good tissue.

Dr. Carlton Auger believes that the accent should be on research, education and welfare. Of the $400,000 spent in Canada on research, $30,000 was used in Quebec last year.

Miss Margaret Wheeler, R.N., Industrial Nursing Consultant of the Department of Health, Quebec, and a member of the Education Committee of the Quebec Canadian Cancer Society, has the task of helping the industrial nurse in all phases of medical care. In her dual role she is in a position to offer much in cancer prevention education. The industrial nurse, she believes, can help an employee note the first sign of what might be cancer, can advise a visit to the family or plant doctor and then follow through on the care or regular check-up and thus prevent a serious case of cancer.

Dr. Pierce, chairman, National Ad-Hoc Committee on Welfare Services, said that Welfare is not a mandate of the Canadian Cancer Society but it is being offered by it. "Giving too much help without helping people to help themselves, is bad," he said. He cautioned the Conference to study well the new hospitalization plan before handing out welfare in the coming year.

"One thing we had impressed on us during the whole of the sessions," Mrs. Duncan said, "was that we as a Society should offer our services, such as cancer education, through correct channels — doctors, nurses and personnel, or an executive of large firms. Team work, Dr. Pierre suggests, is essential between the Society, doctor and social workers."

Mrs. Richard Ayers in her report on Welfare Services of the Canadian Cancer Society, said that special reference was made to the dangers of overlapping with other organizations, and workers were asked to find out about social agencies or groups in the locality and to keep in close touch with the doctors and social workers. All patients suffering from cancer should be visited at least twice a year by the nurses on the Welfare Committee of the local Canadian Cancer Society.

A list of all doctors in the area should be kept up-to-date. The Lachute Section serves six counties, and doctors are contacted and supplied with forms to requisition free supplies from the Dressing Service of the Canadian Cancer Society.

The Provincial Committee of the Society, Mrs. Ayers reported, is willing to communicate with all doctors as long as the local branches give them a complete, up-to-date list of all the doctors in their regions.

The Gift Cupboard, organized by the volunteers to supply gifts to the patients, can be stocked by groups holding card parties or by donations. Flowers are always welcomed by shut-ins, and florists were asked not to throw away unsaleable flowers before contacting the Canadian Cancer Society's Welfare Committee.

Mrs. Duncan, Mrs. Walker and Mrs. Ayers were congratulated on their interesting and stimulating contribution to the Conference, and on their splendid reports.

Legion Auxiliary officers for 1961

Following are the officers for Legion Branch 70 Ladies' Auxiliary, elected for the year 1961:

President, Mrs. L. Bradshaw; 1st vice-pres., Mrs. G. Bradshaw; 2nd vice-pres. and secretary, Mrs. E. Thorburn; treasurer, Mrs. B. MacDougall.

Sgt.-at-Arms, Mrs. P. Wilson

Color Bearers, Mrs. D. Kettyle and Mrs. W. Rodger. Sick and Visiting Committee — Mrs. J. Skinner and Mrs. K. Pillage. Social Welfare Committee — Mrs. B. MacDougall, Mrs. L. Bradshaw, Mrs. M. Lavis.

Refreshment Committee — Mrs. I. Poulsen (convener), Mrs. D. Gauley, Mrs. M. Bradford, Mrs. H. Brown, Mrs. E. Ward.

Publicity — Mrs. K. Pillage.

Phoning Committee — Mrs. W. Napp, Mrs. M. Bradford, Mrs. G. Bradshaw.

Auditors — Mrs. J. Skinner and Mrs. D. Kettyle.

Social and Personal

Mrs. Robt. McFaul and Mrs. H. L. Partridge have left for a winter vacation in Florida.

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Mrs. Sarah Sutton is spending some time with her sister, Miss Jennie Bates, in Montreal.

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Mr. and Mrs. Nat Boyd left Monday for their annual winter vacation in Fort Lauderdale, Florida.

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Good wishes are extended to Mr. Gordon Dobbie, who underwent an eye operation in the Montreal General Hospital last week.

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Mrs. William Wright, of Gore Bay, Ont., has returned home after spending the past week with her mother, Mrs. W. D. Hume, and attending the funeral of her late father.

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Mr. A. M. Vessie and Mr. Bill Clark, of the J. C. Wilson Co'y, are in Montreal for two days, attending the Pulp and Paper Manufacturers' convention at the Queen Elizabeth Hotel.

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Peter Riddell, of the B. of M. staff, is in Montreal taking a two weeks' banking course.

Miss Marie-Jeanne Dallaire, of St. Thomas, Ont., is spending this week in Lachute at the home of her sisters, Mrs. Nap Belanger and Miss Bernadette Dallaire.

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Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Hume, of Fredericton, N.B., who were here owing to the death of Mr. Hume's father, returned home by plane last Wednesday.

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Mr. Stanley Church is attending the monthly session of the Corporation of Master Electricians (Laurentian Division) in St. Eustache on Thursday.

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National School Telecasts

A series of National School Telecasts is being presented on Channel 6 each Wednesday — the dates for February being the 1st, 8th, 15th and 22nd. Time of the program is from 3 to 3.30 p.m.

TV is playing an increasingly important part in our education system, and it is hoped that a number of local Home and School members will follow this series. Evaluation questionnaires on the programs may be obtained from the H & S president, Mrs. J. Thorpe (telephone LO 2-4501).

Miss Sadie Turner, R.N., and her sister, Miss Anne Turner, R.N., both at the Montreal General Hospital, attended service at the United Church here last Sunday morning and were luncheon guests of the Rev. and Mrs. Wilson Bridge at the manse.

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Miss Roberta Nadon, nurse-in-training at the Sacred Heart Hospital, Cartierville, spent the week-end with her aunt, Mrs. Dorothy Berniquer.

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Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Groundwater, of Verdun, were the week-end guests of Mrs. Ed Morrin.

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Military Whist

At the card party of Legion 70 Auxiliary last week, held as usual at the Legion Hall, the following players were prize-winners:

First — Mr. Stanley Dewar (captain), Mrs. Dewar, Miss Gertrude Moncrieff, Mr. Winston Stewart.

Second — Mrs. G. Garraway (captain), Mrs. J. Cruise, Mrs. S. Stewart, Mrs. B. Bradford.

The door prize was won by Mr. G. Patenaude.

Mr. Thos. Iddon was m.c. for the card playing routine.

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Annual Vestry meeting, officers elected at St. Simeon's Church

St. Simeon's Anglican Church annual vestry meeting was held in the church hall on Wednesday, January 18, with the Rev. C. R. Lang presiding and Mrs. W. Y. Shearsmith in the role of secretary.

All organizations presented excellent reports and financial statements, showing a balance in hand.

Officers elected for the following year are: Rector's Warden, Mr. B. Arran. People's Warden, Mr. A. G. Leggett.

Select Vestry — Messrs. B. Noble, R. Bailey, J. Sewell, L. Gaunt, B. Jenkins, W. H. Maslin, A. Strong, S. Holt, B. Hewitt and the presidents of the Ladies' Guild and W.A.

Delegates to Synod meetings are Mr. Maslin and Mr. Holt, with substitutes Mr. Strong and Mr. Jenkins.

BIG AND TOUGH

Victoria (CP) — The Canada Goose should be named the country's national bird, says Dr. Carl Guiget, director of the provincial museum. It is big, tough and adaptable, and "a harbinger of spring and winter."

Brownsburg Red Cross annual meeting and election of officers for year 1961

The annual meeting of the Red Cross Society, Brownsburg Branch, was held in December, in line with the policy of the national committee. The president, Mrs. N. E. Smillie, thanked all who had volunteered their services to the Society during 1960. The in-coming president, Mr. Larry Presseault, took the chair to assume charge for 1961.

Mrs. Omer Legault, chairman of the Loan Committee, reported the following articles loaned during 1960: hospital beds 9; matresses 6; wheel chairs 8; pieces of linen and bedding 10; pieces rubber goods 9; pieces of enamel and glassware 6; canes and crutches 19; bedside tables 3 — a total of 70 pieces.

The Women's Work Committee, under chairmanship of Mrs. Fred Barker, reported that during the past 11 months there had been 11 shipments sent to Red Cross Headquarters in Montreal. The shipments consisted of 1,848 pieces of sewing, 493 knitted articles, 1 donation — a total of 2,342. In addition 3,495 swabs were made for the Blood Transfusion Service.

The blood clinic, under the chairmanship of John Molloy, had been Presseault, president, expressed his a great success, and Mr. Larry appreciation, also for his having accepted the chairmanship of the clinic for 1961.

The water safety program, under Maurice Grondin as chairman, was well organized and well attended, and resulted in many boys and girls passing their tests through Red Cross instruction.

New Officers

The Executive Committee for 1961 is as follows:

Hon. president, Mrs. N. E. Smillie; president, L. Presseault; 1st vice-pres., Gerald Quinn, 2nd vice-pres., Mrs. Omer Legault.

Secretary, Mrs. G. Tomalty.

Treasurer, Mrs. R. Keatley.

Directors — Mrs. Emile Hébert, Mrs. H. Reid, Mrs. C. Lowe.

Sub-Committees

Campaign chairman — J. D. Lepine; vice-chairman, H. Steele.

Blood Donor Clinic — J. Molloy.

Disaster & Relief — Roger Martel; vice-chairman, Roger Boutet.

Sick Room Supply — Mrs. Thos. Tomlinson; vice-chairman, Mrs. Omer Legault.

Veterans' Welfare — Sid Stillwell.

Water Safety — Maurice Grondin; vice-chairman, Jos. Binner.

Women's Work — Mrs. Fred Barker.

Publicity — Mrs. Paul Emile Hebert.

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MRS. R. F. GILES, the former Janet Stoddard of Halifax, now a resident of Lachute, a 1960 graduate of the Royal Victoria Hospital.



LAURA MAY McMICHAEL, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McMichael, of Grenville, R.R. 1 — a graduate of the Royal Victoria Hospital.



JOYCE DAVIS, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Davis, Upper Lachute, who graduated last year from the Montreal General Hospital.



BERTHA POLLOCK, daughter of Mrs. Willie Pollock and the late Mr. Pollock, Hill Foot — a graduate of the Queen Elizabeth Hospital, Montreal.

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9.50 a.m. Church School and Bible Class
11.00 a.m. Morning Service
2.00 p.m. Brownsburg Service

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.
ST. GEORGE'S BROWNSBURG
9.30 a.m. Morning Prayer
10.30 a.m. Church School.

CHRIST CHURCH, ST. ANDREWS EAST
Rev. W. C. LeCras
11.00 a.m. Morning Prayer.

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
Thurs., 8.00 p.m., Prayer

Brownsburg United
REV. GARFIELD W. BRUCE, B.A., Minister
Mrs. C. J. Wheeler, Organist
Mr. G. K. Amos, Choir Director.
10.30 a.m. Sunday School.
11.00 a.m. Worship Service.
Subject: "FULL TIME SERVICE"
Baby Fold at 11 a.m.
2.00 p.m. Church Membership Class.
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10.00 a.m. Sunday School classes for all ages.
11.00 a.m. Morning Worship. "THE CONDITION FOR GOD'S BLESSINGS"
7.30 p.m. Evangelistic Service. "A MESSAGE ON THE SECOND COMING OF CHRIST"
2.30 p.m. Grenville Service.
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Paul's beautiful prayer for the Christians at Ephesus.
7.30 p.m. "DAVID'S BLESSING"
David's glowing testimony to the goodness of God.
Wed., 8.00 p.m., Prayer Meeting.

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.
All heartily invited.

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
All are heartily invited.

Maple Avenue Baptist Church, Brownsburg
REV. R. L. McPHEE
9.45 a.m. Church School.
11.00 a.m. Worship Service.
7.00 p.m. Evangelistic Service.
Wed. 7.30 p.m. Prayer Service
All are cordially invited.

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

Parish of Mille Isles
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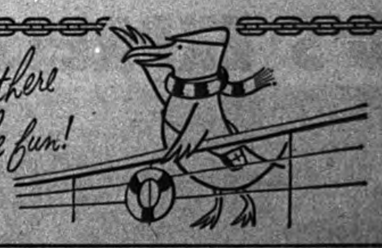
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Avoca

Mr. and Mrs. Robinson and daughter, Dianne, of Pte. Claire, Que., visited Mr. and Mrs. S. Stringer on Sunday last.

Mission Speaker

The Rev. Mr. Campbell, of Angola, Africa, who is at home on leave, gave a very interesting lecture on his work there, portrayed by colored slides. The meeting, held in the Baptist Church, was well attended.

Bereavement

Sympathy is expressed to Mrs. E. Provencal and the brothers and sisters of the late John W. MacLean, who died in St. Anne's Military Hospital last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold MacRae, with some of their family, of Quyon, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Arthurs, Sr., last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Farrara, of Grenville, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Evan Bates last Sunday. We are sorry to report that Mr. Bates is not too well. Mrs. Neil MacLeod, of Harrington, is on a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Evan Bates.

Mrs. Sandy Bates, who has been on the sick list for some time, is slowly making progress towards recovery.

Mrs. Wm. H. Kelly, of Aylmer, Que., spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. McPhee.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Truhine and friends, of Montreal, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Tomachevsky.

Church Meeting

Members of St. Mary's Church will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Brown on Sunday, January 29, at 2.30 p.m. There will be a Vestry meeting afterwards.

Kilmar

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Nelson have left to take up residence in Newfoundland. Friends wish them every success in their new home.

Miss Edna Downing, of Macdonald College, spent the week-end at her home here.

A number of Kilmar ladies attended a whist held in Grenville High School last Tuesday evening under the auspices of the Grenville W.A. An enjoyable evening was reported.

Friends are sorry to hear that the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Larocque is at present in hospital. Wishes are extended for a speedy recovery.

A group of ladies gathered at the Kilmar Lodge on Wednesday evening to work for the Cancer Society. The next gathering for this cause will be held on February 1.

W.A. Annual Meeting

On Tuesday of last week the annual meeting of the Kilmar W.A. was held at the home of Mrs. John Purcell. Business of the meeting included election of officers for the coming year, and a presentation of a going-away gift to Mrs. Owen Funnel. Mr. and Mrs. Funnel are leaving in February to take up residence in Montreal. Best wishes are extended to them in their new home.

The election of officers resulted as follows — President, Mrs. J. Purcell; vice-president, Mrs. W. Bray; secretary, Mrs. A. Young; treasurer, Mrs. E. Noble.

CO-OPERATION APPRECIATED

Thanks to correspondents double-spacing, leaving margin-room, and otherwise improving the legibility of their copy. — Editor.

St. Andrews East

Miss Gladys Bruce, of Montreal, visited her sister, Mrs. J. Fraser Robertson, for the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Buckingham and Sue, and Mrs. Day, of Lachine, Que., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Calder on Sunday.

Christening

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Sack was baptized on Sunday morning in Christ Church, receiving the names Karl Andrew.

Harrington

Miss Elsie McVicar, of Beaconsfield, spent the week-end at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. McMahon, of Hull, Que., spent Saturday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Bennett.

Mrs. H. Bennett spent Saturday of last week in Montreal.

The W.M.S. monthly meeting is being held on Wednesday of this week, at the home of Mrs. B. McCullough.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Meyer and Fern, also Mrs. J. McMahon, of Lachute, spent Sunday with relatives here.

The Harrington Ladies' Aid met last Tuesday at the home of Mrs. J. Dobbie.

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Message to West Ward Taxpayers of Lachute —

Following the request of a good number of taxpayers, I have agreed to stand for election once again in Seat No. 3 of the West Ward. I consider it a duty to submit my candidature, even though I have an opponent.

I have served creditably for two terms at city hall. In that time I gained considerable experience in civic affairs, and I believe I proved my devotion to my duties and willingness to accept responsibilities.

My opponent is an estimable citizen whom I highly regard, and he can rest assured my campaign will be honest and straightforward. You are aware, fellow citizens, that we have some serious problems to deal with. You may depend upon me, as you have before, for conscientious service in your interests and for the welfare of all.

I therefore solicit your vote on February 1st, and assure you of my heartfelt devotion to good civic administration. Thanking you in anticipation,

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Early-time resident records history, life, industry, on Front of Chatham

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It appears we must start this history in Great Britain about the beginning of the 1800's, and with the Battle of Waterloo in 1815 leaving that country without money, no work and the great industrial strife. (Kindly read Lord Shaftsbury and the Great Industrial Strife, by Priestly.)

This resulted in many people migrating to Canada. The laborer and poorer people had no means to pay passage but there were many who migrated who had saved a little money, such as mechanics and carpenters. These carpenters were real tradesmen. They did not need a planing mill and wood-working plant to aid them; they started with the rough lumber. Then, quarrymen, stone cutters and stone masons came to Canada. There was no concrete to build with; only wood, stone, or brick. Lime was in great demand, so we had many lime kilns. Of these, the last one I remember in operation was at Thomas Noyes'. There was one just west of St. Mungo's Church not in operation. This industry is done in a different way these days; the kilns are larger and farther apart.

Then farmers came to Canada with enough money to settle themselves in a new country. As an example, in 1833 the Byers family left England for Canada, on their own sailing ship. One of the Byers was Master or Captain of the ship. They settled on 600 acres of land in the seventh range of Chatham; a place named Ogdensburg. They found the land not up to their expectations, so they moved to West Hawkesbury.

The Ogdens, I believe, moved over to the Vankleek Hill district, and before this, earlier in the 1800's, such families as the Pridhams, McMillans, Williamsons, Dewars and many others. . . . Now that we have established the kind of people we were blessed with, it is easy to imagine the wonderful progress of our part of Canada.

Added to this, in 1826 Colonel John By came out to Canada to build the Rideau Canal, which he finished in 1832. To anyone who has passed over that waterway and noted the wonderful construction — and when we consider that at Newboro about half way between Ottawa and Kingston the water level is about 300 feet higher than in the Ottawa River and also higher than the water level at Kingston — we do not need to write further about Colonel By (it has already been written), except to say that the Grenville Canal was started in 1819. It is six and one quarter miles long, with five locks. The progress was very slow, until 1830 when the Royal Staff Corps arrived and took over the building of the Grenville Canal; Colonel By went to Grenville for a short period at this time (I expect in an advisory capacity). However, the Canal was completed in 1834. Mr. Foreman, who came out to Canada in 1830 as a member of the Royal Staff Corps, was made the first lockmaster at Greece's Point. His son, Thomas Foreman, followed him as lockmaster.

Now this brings us to Chatham. . . . Let us visit Carillon. We find quite a number of stone buildings, including the barracks built in 1825 by General Forbes, which now is the museum. Then we find two or three stone buildings between Carillon and the Stone Hall at Cushing (now owned and occupied by Miss Mildred Douglas). This building was built in 1833 as a church by the people of Protestant faith — principally Methodist and Presbyterian. They apparently did not unite but had the use of the church at different hours. It appears this arrangement did not work very satisfactorily, resulting in Methodists and Presbyterians parting company. The Methodists continued to worship in this church. A few years later, 1836, St. Mungo's Presbyterian Church was built by Lemuel Cushing. Strange to say, these two buildings were of the same dimensions, 40'x55', and both were built of stone.

The first building, now the Stone Hall, had ordinary windows with a nice arch over the front door, but had no vestibule nor tower. The interior had galleries on three sides the fronts of which were nicely panelled, all hand work. There was a stairway on both sides of the front entrance, leading up to the gallery. Instead of regular pews, there were long benches with backs to them provided for seating. I have never found any trace of the pulpit. The interior had not been painted whilst it has been used as a church. This would lead me to believe that trouble started before they were quite finished with the church. St. Mungo's Church had the same dimensions, with gallery on three sides and the same kind of panelling. The difference in the building was that St. Mungo's had a square tower with four pinnacles on top. In the lower section of this tower was a vestibule and the lower stairway to the galleries. The windows and doors were all of Gothic style. The pews all had panelled ends, with a panelled door on each. The backs of these pews were straight up and down with a noseing at the top which prevented one from leaning back. I do not think it would have been possible to sleep in these pews, as you would have fallen off! These pews were all mortised through the floor. There is a platform to accommodate the organ, the choir and the pulpit, which is octagon in shape and originally about ten feet high with a stairway leading up to it from both sides, and a canopy overhead. The pulpit has since been lowered a few feet, with the canopy removed. The doors, too, have been removed from the pews, the backs of which have been sloped back, with the nosing removed. Cushions have been provided, making the seats more comfortable.

About 1895 Mr. J. B. Clerahue donated two of the leaded windows, one on each side of the pulpit, and a few years later the church management added all the other leaded windows.

If one feels like asking the question, why did Mr. Lemuel Cushing build this Presbyterian Church, I will try to answer for him. First, he was a good Christian gentleman — likely Presbyterian. Secondly, he was well-off, and thirdly, the tradesmen on the canal were hard up in the winter months when work was not steady. In many cases they were probably in debt to Lemuel Cushing, who provided for them in the lean times. In any case, St. Mungo's Church was completed and painted throughout. The panelling was grained. The heating was a problem, the church interior being plastered on the stone walls. The building was heated by two box stoves, one on each side of the entrance door. About 1885 these box stoves were removed and a large coal stove installed back of the middle pews. Following this, two small stoves were added, one on each side of the choir platform. These were wood-burning. Eventually, an excavation was made at the back of and beneath the church to provide for the installation of a furnace. This has been improved from time to time.

Now I think we should go back to the Stone Hall. Miss Mildred Douglas has greatly improved this building. She has added a modern kitchen and bathroom to the back of the building, and has so improved the whole interior that it is a surprise and a delight to be privileged to enter it.

The stone dwelling now owned by Mrs. Robson was formerly owned by James B. Cushing, and was sold by him to Thomas Weir in 1885; there a number of the Weir family were born. Thomas Weir died in that house on December 24, 1925. His wife also died there, on March 5, 1933.

This building has quite a history; it is one of the oldest in the Cushing district. It is built of stone. Originally, the west end was a dwelling, with one large room downstairs and two small bedrooms partitioned off by wooden partitions. There was a large fireplace fitted with a crane and all equipment for cooking. A wide hearthstone was in front of it. The stairway was quite steep and boxed in, in the north-west corner. Upstairs was all in one. The east end was partitioned off by a stone wall extending to the peak of the roof. This east end was a blacksmith shop. The stone chimney that may be seen at the east end, has no opening in it. The chimney for the forges was of brick, and was through the back roof. When I first entered this shop it had a wide double door in front; inside were two large forges.

Woodworking was done upstairs, where were made such things as oak frames for ploughs, etc. All the iron work on these ploughs was forged. There were about a dozen on the premises, one or two completed, others in various stages of construction. The wooden sign board, about 3'x4', had the wording BLACKSMITH SHOP and pictures of a plough, an axe, a horse-shoe and a number of hand-made nails. There was a basement or cellar to the dwelling in the west end, but not in the shop end.

Thomas Weir gradually remodelled the entire building to make it all a dwelling. When we first lived in it, we carried water from the creek, which is close by, winter and summer. After a year or two the water was piped to the house and a pump was used.

The next stone house is owned by the Hartleys and before them by the Smiths. This was first built as a hotel.

The next stone house, opposite St. Mungo's Church, was built by Mr. Mair, the first Presbyterian clergyman in Cushing. He was followed by the Reverend Black, later by the Reverend Dr. Ross, and still later by the Reverend James Fraser.

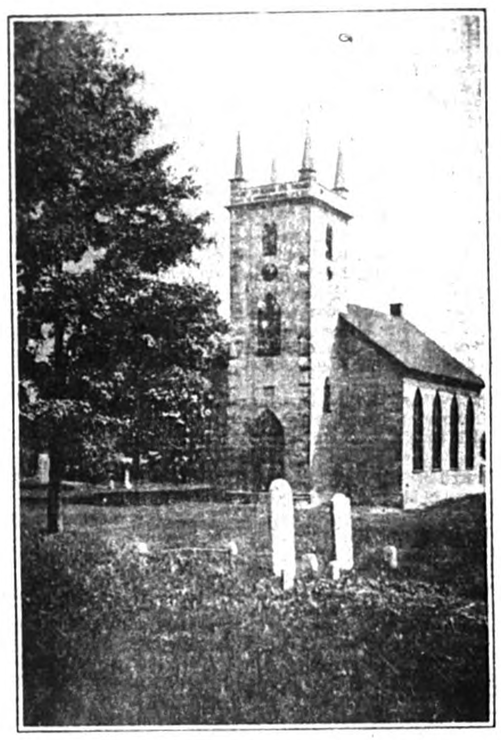
Those who have the opportunity and pleasure of entering the wonderful old church will find a tablet on the south wall in memory of the Reverend William Mair; one on the west wall in memory of the wife of the Reverend Donald Ross; and the third tablet on the east wall is dedicated to the Reverend James Fraser and Mrs. Fraser.

It may be questioned why the churches were built at Cushing when only a small part of the canal work was done here. The answer would appear to be that there was year-round work at Cushing; a sawmill with an up-and-down saw, a blacksmith shop making all kinds of forgings, a shop making sharp-edged tools, and a stone-cutting shop. There was also a chemical plant producing oil of smoke, and a very large general store which stood opposite to the present stone store.

The Cushing store has quite a history. The first store was a wooden building, built on the south side of the road opposite the present stone store. This old store conducted a very large business, both wholesale and retail. The store itself was not so large. The stock was stored in various other buildings, such as an iron shed where round and flat iron of various sizes was stored. There were grain sheds; crockery and glass in another; and stoves and farm machinery in another. There was also an oil shed down near the river, where barrels of coal oil and other oils were stored. . . . This was followed by the present stone store, the storage buildings being kept in use. There was also an outside weigh-scale for loads of hay, etc. The stone store had quite a fireproof wine cellar. As I remember this store in 1881, it was doing a very large business owned by Mr. James Cushing, which equalled any between Montreal and Toronto. There was a large staff of clerks; the chief clerk being James Dixon. They also had the Great North Western Telegraph office and the Post Office, which my father managed until the rural mail delivery was established. I clerked here in later years when the business had pretty well petered out, looking after the Post Office and Telegraph Office for my father, in addition to a small stock of groceries.

Some of the old stock was interesting. For instance, we had flints, steels, and punk for lighting fires; all kinds of forms for women's make up, crinolines, bustle forms, bonnet and hat wire forms, and many other old-time things. At the present time the store is operated by V. Elliott and is a great help for the people of the community.

(To be continued)



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DISTRICT NEWS FROM OUR COUNTY CORRESPONDENTS

Grenville

Mrs. James Bennett spent the week-end visiting with relatives in Ottawa.

Mr. Edward Boyd, Sr., has returned home to Toronto, after having spent some time visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Edward Boyd, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Noble, of Ville Emard, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Corl Gauley and Mrs. T. Noble.

Miss Helen Welden visited recently with her cousin, Miss Audrey Johnson, of Verdun.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Gray, Town of Mount Royal, were recent guests of Mr. R. B. White and Miss Eva White.

Recent Bereavement

Friends in this community extend sincere sympathy to Mrs. Robert Robinson, of Lachute, in the passing of her husband recently.

Bell Falls

Recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. McNeil were Mr. and Mrs. R. MacRae, of Lachute.

Mr. and Mrs. McAndrew, of Brownsburg, visited Mr. John MacRae recently.

Misses Elsie and Geraldine Page spent the week-end visiting in Montreal.

Mr. Glen Page, Misses Maizie and Audrey Page, all of Ottawa, visited their father, Mr. Henry Page, for the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Smith visited in Montreal for the week-end.

Morin Heights

Mrs. E. C. Fayet spent Wednesday last in Montreal as the guest of her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. George Manthrop.

Congregational Meeting and Supper

The annual "pot-luck supper" and congregational meeting of Morin Heights United Church was held last Wednesday evening, in the church hall. Over 80 enjoyed a delicious meal served by the Women's Association.

The business meeting followed. Reports were given by the various groups, which proved very rewarding for the minister and congregation. They were proof of the success of the church work and progress in 1960.

Officers were then elected or re-elected for 1961. In closing, the Rev. C. G. Westhaver thanked his congregation for their loyalty and support in the past year.

Legion Installation

The installation dinner for Legion Branch 171, was held at the Legion Hall on Friday evening. About 80 enjoyed a delicious buffet dinner.

The installation of officers for 1961 then followed. Laurentian District Commander Dick McLean served as installation officer, and Com. E. Kneeland as presenting officer. George Payne was inducted president, Eric James, 1st vice-pres., and Colin Dawes, Ross Gillingham, Paul Poirier, Wm. Agnew and Ed Green, executive committee.

Bereavement

Sympathy of the community is extended to the family of the late Gustav Stocker, who passed away at his home here January 12 in his 74th year. Funeral service was held privately on Saturday, January 14.

W.A. Meeting

The Women's Association of the United Church held their January meeting in the church hall last week. This meeting was well attended, despite the prevalence of 'flu and illness in the community. A most successful business session was reported.

Mr. and Mrs. James Robertson, of Montreal, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. Hillier.

Friends of Ralph Earle will be pleased to note that he is home from hospital and progressing satisfactorily.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Willis Seale were Mr. and Mrs. M. Meredith and Mr. and Mrs. A. Meredith, of Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. James Voce, and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Nesbitt, left recently for Mexico, where they will spend the winter months.

A barrier between the age groups, bridged rarely by kinship of spirit

"Exile from Sunnyacres"

By Margaret Cook

Here we are in mid-winter, the thermometer registering five below zero right now while I tap at ten, of a bright, sunny morning. People going by are hurrying, clutching at their ears. We are one of the few people in this suburb who wears a hat. To wear one is "old hat" — forgive the feeble joke. We note many fur caps on the heads of local men, and very smart they look. Our nearest neighbor, a medical doctor, takes off on his rounds in a grey coat, grey lamb wedge-cap and a bright blue car, nothing funereal about his appearance! If the patients are able to look out the window, they should be heartened.

The grey squirrels, too, are gay. They rush about over the hard crust, at a gallop, actually at a gallop, for they have a rocking-horse method of running. They scamper up trees, and down, head first; they beg shamelessly, but I suspect this is just for practice, for they look sleek and well-fed. On the other hand some of the cats (this is a cat town) look miserable. On one of the coldest days of this very cold week, I heard pitiful meowings as I passed a house up the street. A big, battered, dirty tom was running from back to front door crying, "Let me in." No response. That was at eleven in the morning. At five o'clock, I chanced to pass the same way, and there was the identical cat, uttering the same plaintive cry before the closed door of his home. By this time, I should think the need was urgent. . . .

I am never accustomed to the hardness of heart as shown toward animals. As I probably have mentioned before, it is my philosophy that people can generally look after themselves, but those pets which we bring into our homes are dependent on us. Of all the saints, I like St. Francis, and if you think this is a "non sequitur", look up your saints. Before we leave the subject of cats, let me urge those of you who love these graceful creatures to get or borrow Beverly Nicolls' latest book, "The ABC of Cats". It is in his usual inimitable, whimsical style, and is not for hard realists. When people want to insult me they say I write like Beverly Nicholls. The insult miscarries, for I like Mr. Nicholls — that is, when he sticks to whimsy.

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I am recently back from a visit to your fair town, and as always, was happy to be there. I find the situation at the foot of the first Laurentian escarpment, alongside a river, very appealing. Civic pride is awakening, as shown by the improved appearance of Main Street, the park, the new buildings. As part of my mission in Lachute was to gather stories of olden days in the district, I was naturally more alert to changes. I cannot tell you any of these stories now, as I have a future use for them, but an observation I picked up about the men of the Gore, I think I shall pass on now. It was made by a respected business man of Lachute, lately deceased, to the effect that the men of the Gore were — in his youth, about 80 years ago — the largest, strongest and handsomest men in Argenteuil. There now! And living in the Gore! You know I think there are still some fine-looking men in that district. . . . Now everybody rush out and renew your subscription to The Watchman!

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Although I do not care to tell you stories of olden days, I have recently heard one of this day and age that appeals to me. I expect you have noticed that, seemingly in all strata of society, there is a barrier between age groups. Not only will adolescents (I loathe the word teen-ager) not talk to adults, except to say, "Can I have my allowance now?", but then **cannot**. They are quite devoid of any subject of conversation. Likewise, in a gathering where an elderly person happens to be, the adults rather tend to shun that corner. This I could never understand. Surely all ages are a part of life, and it is on this theory that we have endeavored to bring up our damsel. One of the best compliments that ever came our way was from a contemporary of ours who remarked, after Betty had left the room, "She doesn't mind talking to us." A pitiful remark, and a horrid commentary on modern society.

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Now we have uncovered another youthful sophisticate. . . . A neighbor of ours has a 15-year-old son, and where did he spend his Christmas week? With a middle-aged friend who lives quite by himself in Dunany. Neither is talkative, but one gathers that the days were spent in reading, preparing meals, snow-shoeing, and occasionally, in conversation. Sounds dull? Not to these two, for theirs was the joy of companionship, unbounded by conventional ideas of age and other facets of compatibility. It is a fact, not often recognized or understood, that there is a kinship of spirit which is more important than any other bond. Think. Have you not among your friends some one who so appeals to something in you that you forget all the things that separate you? One of my best friends is an old lady who was formerly a maid in our house. The thing here, that binds, is her innate kindness. I am also at home with, and like, a certain adolescent, who would be the first to blush were he to read this. And I have several ex-pupils for whom I have a high regard, and who, I flatter myself, think kindly of me. He who ships cows to Caribbean countries may find himself here. No matter to me. Trade may well be a way of saying, "You are not a bad fellow, after all." Everybody likes a kind word, even Fidel.

We seem to have wandered, and now the space is nearly filled. We must leave room for our fellow columnists, whom we forgot to salute at Christmas. Happy New Year, if it is not too late. We enjoy the outdoor column, and the exasperated humor of All Aboard. We hope you read the Sunnyacres articles, but if you do not, all is forgiven; we think they are pretty awful ourselves!

Changing feminine measurements

Bosoms are getting smaller in Canada, reports The Financial Post. That's the word from those whose special interest — commercial, that is — requires them to keep abreast of changing feminine measurements. Reason for the trend, it is thought, is that Canadian women have become more weight-conscious. In the slimming process, ounces and inches may be trimmed anywhere.

Canada's slimmest and trimmest women are the Quebecoises. Besides specifying smaller sizes, French-speaking women buy lacier, frillier bras than other Canadians. In the Maritimes, on the other hand, plain-jane undergarments are in biggest demand.

On the average, Canadian women buy five to six bras a year. Average is a little higher than this in Ontario and Quebec, a little lower in the Maritimes. About 2% of bras sold in Canada are padded, about 15% contoured. Almost all women wear them (compared with 60% who wear girdles).

OWN VERSION

Nipigon, Ont. (CP) — Erwin Rajala, a local resident who believes Canada should have a distinctive flag, flies his own version from a 50-foot pole. The flag includes red and white triangles and a green maple leaf.

Teatime Topics



Specially Written for The Lachute Watchman

By Edna Blakely, Canadian Press Staff Writer

Hotel accommodation was at a premium in Toronto recently with both the Canadian Furniture Mart and the Garment Salesmen Ontario Market Inc. holding shows.

More than 400 lines of women's and children's clothing were shown on four floors of a Toronto hotel to buyers from retail stores throughout the province.

At a clinic breakfast, which opened the Ontario market, fashion co-ordinator Helen M. Lawson of Newmarket, Ont., urged salesmen to buy a variety of styles for their customers. She said Canadian women have learned to know fashion well and do not all want to look alike.

Miss Lawson forecast a colorful spring and summer. Single garments will often include two or three colors. Costumes will be assembled from even more colors.

Miss Lawson obviously practices what she preaches. For the opening breakfast she chose a blue hat and necklace, a mauve-colored suit, a grey blouse, dark green gloves and deep wine bag and shoes. The result was stunning because the colors blended nicely.

Free to Select

She reminded the buyers that there is no set rule about how to wear color "as long as it is pretty, exciting and refreshing". If a woman likes the one-color look and it suits her, it is her privilege to keep wearing it. The newer concept of color harmonies is called the compose look, she said.

Pink will be a favorite color for spring and fall but yellow probably will dominate.

Colors for fall 1961 will include wine, magenta, ruby, pine greens, black olive, gold rust and peacock blue. The gold and rust will be clear colors, not the muddied versions seen in past seasons.

Fabric was in the fore at the furniture mart at the Canadian National Exhibition grounds. One of the new upholstery fabrics simulates petit point texture. It's cotton with a synthetic coating and comes in 12 colors. The manufacturer has used a new "breathing process" to overcome the clammy feeling of synthetics.

Among the exhibits from the American Furniture Mart is a bed with a pushbutton control which adjusts for reading, watching television or sleeping.

For cramped quarters, designers have produced double-duty furniture. Some of the chests have folding tops which open for use as dining servers. Convertible sofas opened into excellently designed beds. A scaled-down version of a Colonial sofa was included in the exhibit.

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Tasty Dish

Here's a tasty dish that can be tried out now, or saved for the Lenten season.

It's Seafood Pie and it contains one 20-ounce tin fancy cream style corn; 4 beaten eggs; 1 tbsp. each sugar and butter; 1 qt. milk; 2 cups cooked shrimp or canned salmon.

Combine all ingredients in order. Pour into buttered baking dish. Set into a shallow pan of water and bake at 350 degrees until the custard is set.

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My most earnest desire is to continue as your representative for another term, for the work is not yet done. The question of annexing the adjacent area of St. Jerusalem has to be tackled — the improvement of our water supply — the widening of Main Street near the Deacon properties, etc.

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— H. S. Church

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DATES TO REMEMBER

St. Simeon's Ladies' Guild have planned the following events for 1961:
St. Patrick's Tea — March 16
Spring Rummage Sale — April 29
Annual Christmas Bazaar—Nov. 24
1c

RED CROSS MEETING

The regular monthly meeting of the Lachute Branch of the Canadian Red Cross will be held on Wednesday, Feb. 1, at 2.30 p.m. in the United Church hall.

CARD PARTY

A bridge and 500 card party will be held Wednesday, Feb. 1, at 8 p.m. in the basement of St. George's Anglican Church, Brownsburg, under auspices of the Ladies' Guild. Prizes and refreshments. (Please bring playing cards.) Adm. 60c. 1c

SHRINERS' ANNUAL VALENTINE BALL

The 5th annual Shriners' Valentine Ball, under auspices of the Lachute District Shrine Club, will be held in the Masonic Temple, Brownsburg Road, on Friday, Feb. 10, at 9.30 p.m. Tickets are available from any Shrine Club member. 1c

TURKEY SUPPER

St. Simeon's W.A. are holding a turkey supper on Tuesday, Feb. 14 (5 to 7 p.m.) in the church hall. Adults $1.25, children 75c.

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SEALED TENDERS — are invited for the driving of No. 8 bus route, for the balance of school term, Calumet & Marelan districts, approx. 10 miles. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. — Secretary-treasurer, Protestant School Municipality of Grenville, Calumet, Que. 1c

Public Notice

At the request of the court, I make public apology to my husband for causing his arrest under false accusation.
F1.2p (Signed) **Mme Rhéal Demers**

Public Notice

Province of Quebec,
District of Terrebonne,
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— Roland Cadieux,
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DISTRICT NEWS FROM OUR COUNTY CORRESPONDENTS

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We regret to report that Mr. Victor Courte, Sr., is at present confined to hospital at St. Jerome, undergoing treatment. Friends hope he will soon be able to return home.

Miss Joan Williams, and Messrs. Hugh and Phil Williams, were home from Montreal to spend the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Williams.

Mrs. E. L. Trottier and son, Ronnie, spent the week-end in Montreal, as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Denis Eve.

Mrs. E. M. Shippel spent a few days in Montreal last week, and visited with her sister, Mrs. P. Story, who is at present confined to hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Sweeney and family, of Montreal, spent the week-end as guests at Mr. and Mrs. Donald Colquhoun's.

Messrs. Roland and Gordon MacCullough, of Harrington, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Noel Labrosse on Thursday.

Former Lakeview Resident Passes at Port Arthur, Ont.

On January 8, at the General Hospital, Port Arthur, Ont., the death occurred of Alexander (Sandy) Campbell, after a lengthy illness. Mr. Campbell, son of the late Alexander Campbell and his wife Mary Fraser, of Lakeview, died at the age of 60.

Left to mourn his passing are six sisters and two brothers (Lily), wife of the late K. Dewar of Lakeview, (Laura) Mrs. Rod MacMillan, of Lost River, (Clara) Mrs. Neil MacCrimmon, of Three Rivers, (Maimie) Mrs. Wm. Hughes, (Myrtle) Mrs. Harvey Watson, both of Montreal, and (Sarah) Mrs. Robt. Hopley, of Verdun, Douglas, of Calumet Island, and Stanley, of Lakeview. One brother, George, predeceased him January 5, 1958.

Interment took place in Riverview Cemetery at Port Arthur.

Arundel

Miss Ann Gilker, of Montreal, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. E. Graham, over the week-end.

Messrs. Ted and Howard Thornicroft were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Swail last week-end.

Mr. Gavin Graham spent the week-end with his mother, Mrs. T. Graham.

Card Party Held

The Arundel Athletic Association held a card party in the school auditorium on Saturday evening, with a good crowd in attendance. The winners were Mrs. Jean Rathwell and Mr. Morris Rathwell at the high table, and Bobby Boyd and Mr. Munro at the low table.

Annual Church Meeting

The annual congregational meeting of Arundel United Church was held in the church hall on Saturday evening. Despite the cold weather, there was a large attendance. The Rev. Mr. C. G. Westhaver occupied the chair. At the commencement of the meeting refreshments were served, after which the general meeting took place. The financial report was very satisfactory, also the reports of the various committees, and the outlook for the coming year was very promising. The chairman of the church board will be appointed at their first meeting.

Girls' Hockey Team

The Arundel A.A.A. has started a girls' hockey team under the capable leadership of Mr. Ray Hilrich. They will practise only, for this season, and next season will be ready for competition. We wish this new venture all success and will follow their progress with great interest and support.

Cub Activities

The Cub Pack, under direction of Mrs. Melvin Graham and Mrs. J. Macaulay, is progressing well. At their last meeting Malcolm Dobbie was invested, and Barrie Colquhoun and Miles Dewar were made new "chums". Dr. R. Henry attended the meeting and gave the Cubs a very interesting demonstration on stamp collecting, which was enjoyed by those present.

Northern Grenville

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Young and infant son, Gregory, of Kilmar, visited the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Arthurs, last week-end.

Mr. Willis Young, of Aylmer, spent the week-end with his parents, and visited with relatives in Kilmar on Sunday.

Best wishes are extended to a number of relatives who have celebrated their birthdays recently — Mrs. Jack McRae, of Kilmar, Mr. Shoddie Young, of Rivington, Mr. Alex Young, of Avoca, Mr. Harry Young, of Avoca, and Mr. Asa Young, of Grenville Bay.

Mr. and Mrs. Dougal Trineer, Mr. and Mrs. Evan Young, of Kilmar, and Mr. Shoddie Young, spent Saturday at Mr. and Mrs. Sherwood Stringer's in Avoca — the occasion being Mr. Alex Young's birthday.

Morin Heights

Mr. and Mrs. Graeme Bell and little son, Graig, of Pierrefonds, and F/L and Mrs. Sydney Burrows, of Ville LaMoyne, spent the week-end at the Bell home. Mr. W. R. Bell was also here for the week-end.

We are pleased to note that Mrs. Roy Williams, who has been confined to the house for the past two weeks due to a severe bout of the 'flu, is now much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. David Currie, of Town of Mount Royal, visited the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gillingham, over the week-end.

We are sorry to report the illness of Mrs. Robt. Banks and Mr. Albert Rutledge. Friends wish them both a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Edgar Elder re-joined the school teaching staff last week after being absent since before Christmas due to illness.

Buy where the advertisements invite you.

Municipal Electors of the Town of Lachute

According to established custom, as candidate for mayor of the Town of Lachute, I offer this message to the ratepayers.

Born and raised in Lachute, I continue the tradition of a family interested in the life of this community in all its spheres — in sports, social clubs, welfare, School Board, Chamber of Commerce. I also wish to state that I am president of the Rural Bar Association of the Province of Quebec (an association for the entire province with the exception of the cities of Montreal and Quebec).



I am also most interested in serving, to the best of my ability, this community which I like and know so well.

I am not a last-minute convert to our water supply problem. For many years I have studied it, and have been in favor of a change. I have had the advantage of studying the various projects submitted for the improvement of our water system. I humbly believe that, in this domain as in many others, I may ably serve this town. I am convinced that our water system should be improved, and that an adequate supply of water, with adequate pressure, will stimulate new industries to settle in our town — and that new industries will create new jobs. This water problem is a difficult one, and for many years has been a bone of contention. I seriously believe that a thorough knowledge of its many aspects is necessary if we wish to settle this problem rapidly; otherwise the water project could remain under study for the next two years.

For the last 20 years I have been in constant touch with many of the town's affairs, and I believe that, with the help of the aldermen at Town Hall, I may be useful in the solution of the many problems that confront this town.

Four months ago, answering repeated requests made to me, I agreed to be a candidate for the mayoralty. . . . My sole ambition is to serve this town to the full extent of my knowledge and capacity, and in the most economical possible way. (There is an old local saying that people from St. Hermas are like the Scots — they do not like to throw money out the window.)

In the present election, you will also be called upon to elect five aldermen: I have no commitment towards any group, nor any aldermen, but I would beg you to choose wisely those representatives whom you will send to Town Hall for the next two years. Municipal affairs are YOUR affairs — public affairs. One must not, in selecting a candidate, be influenced by a personal preference or animosity. One must choose, without prejudice of any sort, those who in your mind and conscience will objectively serve the best interests and progress of this town. It is essential in reaching your decision to examine the records and activities of the various candidates. Also, it is most essential to vote so that the candidate elected be the representative of all the electors, and not simply of the majority of those who vote.

I therefore ask you, with all sincerity, to vote for the mayoral candidate who may best serve the interests of LACHUTE and insure the best administration.

To be the Mayor of this town is not only an honor but a commitment of service to the community. The choice is yours. I thank you in advance for your support.

— Fernand Legault, Q.C.
Candidate for Mayor

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Notice is hereby given that the 11th Annual General Meeting of the Mutual Fire Insurance Company of the Local Municipality of St. Jerusalem d'Argenteuil will be held in the Legion Hall, 634 Foundry Street, Lachute, Quebec, at 1.30 p.m. on Wednesday, February 8, 1961, for the election of Directors and the transaction of other business as may be properly brought before the meeting.

— G. KILGOUR HARDIE,
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