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Situation clarified at first meeting on building plans, Senior Citizens' Home

"Contrary to a statement made before members of the Lachute Municipal Council, the Department of Family and Social Welfare Services will not under any circumstances take any initiative in the construction of a home for aged persons or senior citizens," stated Gilbert Dubé, assistant to the Director General of the Social Assistance Services for Aged and Other Adults. Mr. Dubé made the statement in an interview with a representative of The Watchman, following a meeting in Lachute with the Lachute United Church committee for the Senior Citizens' Home. "There definitely has to be a local corporation — and not a municipal council — formed under the Companies Act, and this corporation has to have a down-payment of at least ten percent of the total cost of the proposed building — not just provide the land, as I am told was the impression left with the Council members and other citizens of this community", Mr. Dubé added, pointing out that this policy had been in effect for at least two years and that no exceptions would be made to change this procedure for construction of a home.

Estimated cost for this contemplated home being initially sponsored by the Lachute United Church, will be in the vicinity of $5,000 per unit, or $200,000 for a 40-unit home. The home will be open to all elderly persons, regardless of race, color or creed, and potential occupants are requested to contact the church secretary, in the Lachute United Church office on Monday, Wednesday or Friday mornings, either in person or by phoning 562-6161. It is hoped that money presently being held by the County Women's Institutes and earmarked for a similar project, will be made available, and in the event that the two groups co-operate, approximately $95,000 will be at the disposal of the corporation.

Money left to the Lachute United Church by the late Miss Lillian Stalker was specified in the will to be used for an old persons' home in Lachute, to be directed by the Lachute United Church. The church authorities have interpreted this to mean 51 percent of the Board of Directors of the corporation.

The Lachute United Church Senior Citizens' Home committee is at present comprised of chairman Jim Hayman, representing the Margaret Rodger Memorial Presbyterian Church; treasurer Edmund McFaul, and secretary Mrs. Gordon Dobbie, both of the Lachute United Church; F.W.F. Whitehead, representing the Anglican Church, St. Andrews East; Mrs. George McGibbon, representing the Argenteuil County Women's Institute; and the Rev. Harold Thompson, Dr. Elmer S. Giles and Wesley B. Younkie, also of the Lachute United Church.

All the preliminary work has been done by a committee of Lachute United Church members and the first meeting of the building committee was held on Wednesday last, with Mr. Dubé present. Several representatives of the Roman Catholic community have been in attendance at these meetings, and with the incorporation proceedings presently under review, it has been definitely stated that representatives of all religious and social denominations in the community will be represented.

A preliminary list of persons interested in residing in the proposed home is now being prepared, and anyone who has not already indicated their interest is requested to do so immediately. According to Mr. Dubé, this list will, when completed, be sent to his department, for further action. Once the need has been established, a charter will be granted by the Provincial Secretary and the necessary arrangements will be made between the Provincial Government, the local Corporation and Central Mortgage and Housing Corporation, to supplement the down-payment with a mortgage of sufficient funds to construct the building, the money being made available at the most reasonable interest rate on the market.

In talking with the committee, and during the later interview, Mr. Dubé pointed out that from previous experience in other communities, tied in with a preliminary survey which had been done in the Lachute area, present requirements would indicate a 40-unit building, which would cost an estimated $200,000. He added there would be no problem in constructing either a larger or smaller home, however, depending on the the actual need, and added that, with the down-payment for the construction readily available, if the other requirements were immediately looked after, including the location of a suitable property, the charter would be forthcoming within a short period of time and he expected that actual construction could get underway this summer.

Mr. Dubé also pointed out that the corporation, when formed, could negotiate with the municipal council for an additional grant; the home would be only for the aged, and that there would be no infirmary or hospital attached; that it could be used for no other purpose than that for which it was constructed; and that it could not under any circumstances be sold. In the event these policies are not adhered to by the corporation, the Provincial Government could intervene and re-organize the home.

The interview with Mr. Dubé was the direct result of an article which appeared in this newspaper in mid-January, at which time, Council was addressed by a gentleman who stated the government would meet the cost of the building if the town would provide a suitable site and indicating that the need must first be established. And accordingly, Council engaged the voluntary services of Jacques Desjardins, duplicating the work already done by the above-mentioned committee. At the council meeting in question, Mayor Dr. Zoël Saindon, who laid the project before his colleagues, stated the Council would be required to appoint an administrative board, similar to the management of the Argenteuil Hospital. It was also pointed out that the Mayor's plan was strictly in the preliminary stages and had not reached the advancement of plans formulated by the church group.

Youths sentenced to reformatory on arson charges

Three young men were sentenced recently to Ontario reformatory terms of one and two years less one day, on numerous charges of arson and breaking and entering.

Damages from fires set amounted to an estimated $25,000.

Maurice Brady Allard, of R.R. 1, Vankleek Hill, was given a two-year-less-one-day term, while Allan Thomas Wharry, of R.R. 1, L'Orignal, and Donald Kenneth Connors, of R.R. 2, Hawkesbury, each got a year.

Most heavily damaged by fire was the Montreal Soaring Co. premises in Hawkesbury — estimated at $16,000. Other fires were set in the Ottawa Valley area.

Explain Commission report on Fire Department affairs

Messrs. J. Henri Moss and J. G. Delage, representatives of the Provincial Fire Commissioner, were in Lachute on Tuesday of last week — following an invitation of the Lachute Town Council to explain their report of November last on an investigation into the Lachute Volunteer Fire Department, its organization and its operation.

Members of the fire department, who had previously been informed they would not be invited to the meeting, were summoned at 7.10 p.m., just 20 minutes prior to its opening, and all but four members of the department were in attendance.

The two inspectors went over their report in detail and while they stood firm on their recommendations, gave the Council and firemen their reasons for making these suggestions. Questions were asked by Fire Chief Don MacCulloch, by Fire Commissioner Linton Armstrong and several members of the council who happened to be in attendance. These included Mayor Dr. Zoël Saindon, Aldermen Edmund McFaul, Ludger Gibeault, Bruno Belanger and Philippe Masson, in addition to Linton Armstrong.

Following the meeting, Mayor Saindon stated that Council would most certainly study the recommendations, and the inspectors offered any further assistance which they might be able to provide.

Watchman sparks acquaintanceships in rare places

The Watchman has been an medium of many acquaintanceships on this continent and abroad. We recall instances in hospital wards, in a London suburban train, and other remote places.

A recent incident was narrated by a resident here, Mr. Tom Johnston. It seems another member of the golfing fraternity, Tom Lewis of Peterborough, who was greenskeeper at Lachute Golf Club many years ago, was aboard a train between St. Louis and Kansas, Missouri, just recently, and he noted a fellow passenger perusing The Watchman. He approached the stranger and expressed a mutual interest. He noted on the front page a picture of Tom Johnston in his capacity as Rotary president, making a presentation — and Mr. Lewis remarked he would be seeing Johnston in a few hours at the American turf conference . . .

The ensuing conversation revealed that the fellow traveller was a native here, Sam Ross, now of Montreal, who had been charter president of the local Rotary Club. Mr. Ross was heading southward for a vacation.

Pair arrested for passing counterfeit bills

Two Montrealers were arrested in Grenville on Wednesday afternoon of last week, and being found in possession of 23 counterfeit $20 bills, were turned over to the RCMP. The arrest started with a phone call from LaSalle manager Yves Blais, who reported a counterfeit bill had been passed in the LaSalle store. Given a description of the men involved, and the car, all Q.P.P. officers in the area were warned to be on the look-out for the men, and the arrests followed.

Fast sleuthing — Montrealer had goods in clothing store robbery

Two men were arrested by Lachute police officers only 30 hours after an estimated $14,000 robbery at the store of Jos. Malaket & Sons Ltd., Main Street. Altogether, a total of around 220 suits were stolen, in addition to 47 sports jackets and about 100 pairs of cuff-links. The robbery occurred on Wednesday evening of last week.

According to Police Chief Réal Chartrand, who spearheaded the investigation with Det. Claude Beaulieu (both of whom incidentally made the arrests, in Montreal North) the robbery was discovered at 10.45 p.m. on Wednesday last by a patrolling police constable.

Tony Malaket was notified and while he could not positively name any suspects, both he and members of his staff were confident they could identify two suspicious-looking men who had been in the store on several occasions. This meant a trip to the identification bureau in Montreal, where one man was positively identified.

Acting on this information, along with information on a car and rented trailer which had been seen in Lachute both on Tuesday and Wednesday, the investigation continued, and it was later established that the identified suspect had rented the trailer at a garage near his home, and the license plates involved were the same as those seen in Lachute.

A search warrant was then issued and the suspect, Percy W. Mitchell, 43, of Montreal North, was arrested at 3 a.m. Merchandise was recovered in the apartment which was positively identified as having come from the Malaket store.

Another man in the apartment refused to identify himself, and was placed under arrest and taken to Montreal North police headquarters for identification. He turned out to be Gaston Rock, a 45-year-old resident of Joliette, who was wanted by Montreal, Q.P.P. and Val d'Or police. This man appeared in Montreal court Friday on a charge of a $40,000 theft of goods from a Montreal store.

Mitchell was charged with the Malaket robbery on Monday morning, and is presently being held in St. Jerome court pending trial.

Two minor fires

A space-heater fire at the home of Hervé Marinier, Water Street, around six a.m. last Thursday resulted in minor damage, all caused by smoke and oil fumes.

On Friday, a call was received from the Canadian Pacific Express warehouse on Berry Street, reporting a minor fire in an express-loaded trailer. Damage in this instance was also kept to a minimum.

Sentiments and Sidelights

(Comments on the Local Scene)

The first crocus in bloom hereabouts — or the first to be reported — appeared last Saturday at Cliff Cunningham's residence on Grace Street East. According to Mrs. Cunningham the crocus, well sheltered on the sunny side of the house, sported two full-grown blooms.

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A last reminder to Community Concert members: One of the biggest attractions in recent season, Bizet's "Carmen" by the Canadian Opera Company, comes to Lachute on Tuesday, March 8.

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As aspirants for the candidature at the coming Liberal convention, March 13, André Lefebvre and Lucien Ranger have resigned from their positions as president and treasurer, respectively, of the Argenteuil Liberal Association. This is required by regulations of the Quebec Liberal Federation. Mr. Lefebvre is a well known Main Street businessman, while Mr. Ranger is production manager at Dominion Ayers Woods Division.

A note from one of our district correspondents this week deserves front-page prominence: "A word to operators of Skidoos and similar vehicles — please remember that farmers must use their horses in the winter, and find the loud noise of these motors frightening to their animals."

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About 30 youths and girls from here will appear on the "Like Young" TV program Saturday, March 12, on Channel 12, CFCF. Richard Desjardins will be interviewed by the program producer, and the young people will be dancing before the cameras. A number of adults will accompany them and be watching the proceedings.

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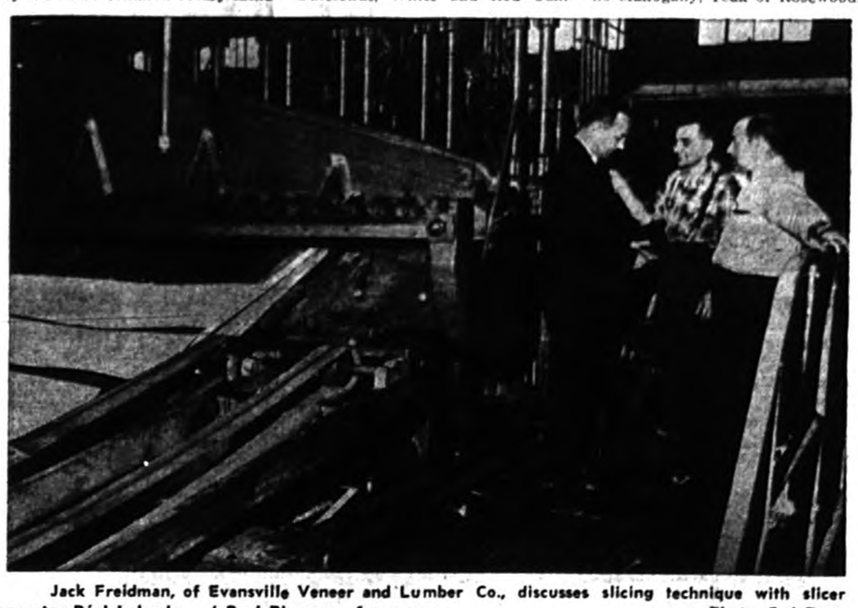
Widow of the late François Payette, QC, victim of last week's slaying in suburban Montreal, is the former Claudette Cadieux of Hawkesbury, daughter of Albert Cadieux who was P.C. candidate for Glengarry-Prescott in the last federal election. The 36-year-old lawyer was found in the trunk of his own car, his body riddled with bullets.

'Slicing' process added in Veneer manufacture here

Dominion Ayers Limited is one of only four companies in Canada producing veneer by the slicing method. Most Canadian woods, Birch as an example, are more practically converted into veneer by the more common rotary lathe method. However, sliced veneer in some cases discloses a more interesting grain pattern, and among the species usually sliced are Mahogany, American Black Walnut, Cherry, Teak, Rosewood, Butternut, White and Red Oak.



Jack Freidman, of Evansville Veneer and Lumber Co., discusses slicing technique with slicer operator Réal Lalonde and Paul Rheaume, foreman. — Photo, Syd Drew

A deterrent to the sliced veneer business in Canada has been the fact that the popular sliced species are either not native to Canada, or are available in very limited quantities. Canada has no Mahogany, Teak or Rosewood; and Walnut, Cherry, Butternut and White Oak trees do not grow in commercial quantities.

Logs and Technical Help Provided by U.S.A. Company

Arrangements were made during the past year, with Evansville Veneer & Lumber Co. of Evansville, Indiana, to slice Walnut and Butternut logs which they procure in the United States. The veneer produced is, after processing, shipped back to the United States.

Local Elm and Maple is also being sliced and marketed in the United States. Thus, the company is making a contribution to helping Canada's continuing trade balance problem, and providing additional local employment.

The production of sliced veneer entails a great deal of "know how", and the Evansville company have been most co-operative in providing technical assistance by having one or more of their personnel here in Lachute for long periods.

'Carrefour' library reviews successful year

The annual meeting of the Carrefour du Livre heard reports indicating a very successful year. Marcel Thérien, the president, occupied the chair and Mme Lucette Crispin, the librarian, reported a total of 7,595 volumes in possession of the library — 6,196 French and 1,396 English.

There are 986 French-speaking subscribers and 22 English-speaking, both students and adults, and 25,741 volumes have been loaned out or consulted at the library during the past year.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Gravel were re-elected as directors, and Georges Clermont was elected to replace André Cloutier, who has now left Lachute. Other officers and executive members are — Marcel Thérien, president; Dr. Robert Tremblay, treasurer; Dr. Chas. Roy, J.-Arthur Lafrance, Mrs. Owen Stephens and Bert Rigg, directors. All were re-elected to office for the ensuing year.

From April 1 this enterprise will occupy its new premises opposite the city hall.

Budget estimates for 1966 reach $6,660, counting on a municipal subvention of $3,000. Of this grant, $1,000 will be earmarked for salary expenses, $1,800 for rent, and $200 for the purchase of new books.

Revenues last year were approximately $5,405 and expenses $5,394, leaving a small surplus of $11.



Marcel Thérien, re-elected president

'Continuous progress learning' discussed at Teachers' Assocn.

The Argenteuil Teachers' Association meeting for February was held in Lachute High School on Thursday, 24th. The business and dinner meeting was followed by an address on the "Ungraded School" as outlined in Regulation No. 1 of the Department of Education.

The purpose of this school system is "to enable schools to provide for individual differences, so that every pupil may proceed at his own rate in acquiring the kind of education that suits his requirements." Frank Trecartin, Supervisor of Schools in Lake of Two Mountains, presented the philosophy behind the ungraded school or "continuous progress learning", as he preferred to call it. He pointed out that Regulation No. 1 was passed in accordance with the recommendations of the Parent Royal Commission, which claimed that the curriculum of elementary schools should follow the principles that a child needs concrete instruction and creative activity; that the elementary school must be aware of individual differences; that the elementary school must give children an intelligent training as well as prepare them for higher education; that the elementary school must help the adjustment of a child to conditions of modern life.

Bill Hine, principal of the St. Eustache-sur-le-Lac Elementary School, outlined the manner in which this system was implemented into the elementary schools of the Lake of Two Mountains district. He emphasized that the activist school stresses individualized education, as well as personal growth and maturity. Mr. Hine pointed out that the key to activism is that "I teach the development of a sound attitude toward life in the building up of a scale of values" rather than emphasize the maintenance of school standards or a passing average.

Individualized education results from the ungraded school where children travel at their own rate with each student studying as deeply as his intelligence permits. Learning is acquired through a minimum of listening; a maximum of self-involvement. The teacher's role is, therefore, one of guidance, for he sets the stage so that a child has opportunity to learn.

Grouping in the ungraded school is based on ages, not on grades. Within each unit, there could be three groups — an accelerated, an average, and a modified. According to the Parent Report, elementary instruction should last six years, and should be divided into two equal cycles. A child progresses from one unit to the next automatically, although he could be in any group within the unit. An extra year could, if necessary, be given to slow learners between the two cycles, while an exceptional student might be accelerated so that he spends only five years in elementary school. Each child cannot spend more than seven, or less than five years, in elementary education. Mr. Hine stressed grouping, which allows for individual differences and team teaching, as being important techniques in the ungraded school.

Discussion

A provocative discussion followed the address. One question that interested the teachers in this area dealt with whether such a continuous progress plan would operate successfully in a single-track elementary school. The speakers felt that there should be no great problem in smaller schools, and that only by trying

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Red Cross drive in Brownsburg March 15-31

The Red Cross financial campaign for 1966 will be held in the Brownsburg area from March 15 to 31.

The committee members are as follows — P. A. Mayer and I. P. Racine, co-chairmen; and Keith Quinn, assistant chairman.

Volunteer Captains

Brownsburg area — George Connelly, Ken Ball, Fred Barker, Mrs. John Campbell, Philippe Ferland, Don Graham, Bob Sugden, J. A. Racine, Armand Guay, J. M. Racine, Mervyn Hicks, N. E. Smillie.

Outlying Committees

Mrs. Howard Smith, A. R. Vowles, George McCormick, C. McAndrew, Lawrence Plummer, Beatrice Smythe, Rosaire Richer, Bernard Ouellette.

Opposing unions in conflict for support of plant workers

While declining to meet the representatives of an opposing union (the CSN) when invited to a contradictory meeting last Sunday, the existing union at Dominion Ayers Wood Division (the Brotherhood of Carpenters and Woodworkers of America) are making a bid for continued support of the workers in a letter circulated to their members this past week. The letter defends the union's policies and substantiates its claims.

The CSN (Confédération des Syndicats Nationaux) is seeking to become the new bargaining agent, and is supported by a certain group of the employees. The Quebec Labor Relations Board has set the date of March 15 for a supervised secret ballot, to ascertain whether the Brotherhood retains recognition or the workers prefer to affiliate under the C.S.N.

The United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Woodworkers states in its circular, signed by Maurice Therrien, organizer: "It is regrettable that in the past two and a half years the workers have been set back by interventions of the CSN and deprived of their legal right to obtain better pay and working conditions."

The Brotherhood in its circular denies fault or failure to improve the workers' status: "As a union which represents all woodworkers in the Province of Quebec we have succeeded in negotiating, peaceably and in orderly fashion, contracts which with time have improved conditions for the workers. The time for disagreement and division is past, and we will not attend a meeting under such circumstances to further delay the rights of the workers and their families."

Week's Epigram

Ulcers aren't caused by what you eat — but by what's eating you.

Louisa reception, and dedication by Bishop of Montreal

Canon and Mrs. Baugh Honored on Retirement

A reception was held at St. Aidan's Church hall in Louisa last Friday evening, to mark the retirement of Canon C. W. P. Baugh. Among the speakers were Bishop Kenneth Maguire, of Montreal, the Rev. Cyrus Lang, Rural Dean of St. Andrews, the Rev. W. C. LeCras, Messrs. John and Howard Baugh, while the Rev. Horace G. Baugh acted as master of ceremonies.

A presentation on behalf of the people of Louisa was made by Mayor Clarence Neill — to Mrs. Baugh, a beautiful silver pin with earrings, and to Canon Baugh a magnificent gold watch, both gifts being suitably engraved. Canon Baugh replied graciously.

A turkey dinner was enjoyed by 150 people, and this was followed by a service of Dedication in the church. The Bishop spoke on the splendid work done by the parishioners, all labor having been done voluntarily. The interior of the building has been completely renovated, and in itself reflects the interest of the people in the church. Mrs. C. Hall was the organist.

"Argenteuil Outdoors"

By BOB ATCHISON

A few calls have been received this past week on shooting heard around this district during the night. This may not seem to be anything to worry about, but when the offal of deer is found in these spots, then you can see just what is happening. We have been talking of the wolves, yet the wolf is a piker compared to this type of sport. We all know there is not much eating in deer at this time of the year; not only is it poor eating, but in a number of cases there will be unborn young killed, too. It's hard for most of us law abiding people to even imagine things like this going on, but believe me, our County takes no back seat in this connection. We have the very best poachers in the province!

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Really, it's hard to understand how people can be so stupid. After all, some of these "smart people" do get a little money during the fishing and hunting seasons from visitors, and no doubt they sell certain types of game to these same visitors. Don't they know that the game situation in the province, and especially in our County, has deteriorated to such poor standards that within a short time we shall have to go elsewhere to even SEE game. It's just that bad.

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After reading this bit, you will think I've got a special brand of anti-freeze, but believe me, this was not the case. During one of the very cold days last week I spotted a small flight of moths. A yellowish color, just like the cabbage moth, even with the pollen on the wings. Of course, insects like this may be seen every winter, especially in the bush, but this was on the road. It made me think of spring, even though the temperature was around 20-below zero at the time.

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A call from Mr. McKiddie, over Vide Sac way, informed me of Hungarian partridge that were wintering near his house. There were 10 of them the first time he called, and in other calls he reported they have been roosting in his shed at the back. With him feeding them, it won't be long before others start coming in for a free hand-out. I like the way they seem to scoot along the top of the snow, with the wisps of snow trailing them, just like a small snowblower. *The way they can cover the area is remarkable*; for something so small they sure have a lot of power. Of course, if you really want to see a jet-propelled bird you should see these Chukars we have around. The few times I had seen these before, there was little opportunity of seeing them primed for action; but the other day on the way to town I spotted two of them on the road crossing from the Dunany road to Route 41. Right on the roadway, with all the snow banked up — man, the take-off of these birds sure amazed me. The pair covered 100 yards in about 6 seconds flat.

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Fishing tackle is being brought out now to be repaired; this is a good idea — the sooner the better. I'm not going to tell you how you will feel if you don't have your outfits for opening day. Sure, there won't be too many fish caught this early, and in a lot of cases you will have to break the ice — but who cares; at least you're out fishing. I personally can hardly wait, I've been anticipating this day for months. (Don't forget, I missed the close of last season, so have just that more fish to catch.) . . But seriously, do try and get your tackle repaired now. If it has to be fixed, don't leave it till the last day, then expect to have it in quick time — it just can't be done.

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For you who are tying flies for the first time, and don't know what to use this early in the season — a streamer is the best at this time. You see, most streamers are attractor-type lures, and not really made to resemble anything except a minnow; even though they may be red, or green, this is what they are supposed to be. However, they are very good early in the spring when the ice has just started to leave; with the water so muddy and dirty, you need something pretty big for a fish to see. Fished with the current, or even drifted, they are very good. At this time also, it is not necessary to have them go down too deep. Streamers are good the year round, but especially so in the early spring. I recommend the Grey Ghost, Green Ghost, Black Ghost, Mickey Finn, Damsels, and other type you may have.

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At this time of the year (opening), the fish are as a rule not too fast or anxious to take anything. They would much rather lodge behind an obstruction in the water and wait for food to drift down on them. This is one of the reasons why anglers get no fish the first couple of weeks. There are a few good ways to take them, though, and if you try these you may end up with a catch. Instead of rushing your lures through the water, slow them down until they are just moving, this is the natural action of all early fish. The other methods: let your bait hop along the bottom, just as though you were jogging. Of course you will get snagged, plenty, but if you change the ordinary three-prong hook for one of two prongs, you will have more luck. If you are fishing in creeks — and this is general, early in the year — drift your bait down the stream; this will allow it to sink fast, and get down to where those fish are lurking. Try all the pockets behind the boulders or logs; these are the places where fish hang out, and it's only in trying everything that you will get results.

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Boats are once more in the news, and from the interest being shown in some of the models, sales would take a big swing upward if people only had the money. The big motor naturally is the one in the spotlight right now, you know the blurbs about "beat your neighbor" and so forth. Just by the publicity handed out, it appears that anyone having a motor UNDER 50 h.p. is not in the swim. I know anything I can say about big motors will pass unheeded — but here it is: First is the ease in handling; a high-powered outfit is not for kids to handle. Second there is the cost of running — pretty steep; and on top of the original cost this gets up into big money, very fast. A bigger motor means a bigger boat, etc. So give all this a thought. Sure, I know it's great to go skipping across the water leaving everyone behind, but it's also a lot more costly. And with these big motors, the youngsters are always tempted to see how close they can come to someone without hitting them. I have kicked about this many times, but it does no good.

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It could be that, somewhere in the near future, legislation will place an age limit on operating these powerhouses. I'm not sure when this will come, but it has to be. It is really hard to understand how parents will let these youngsters take a 100 h.p. outfit out on a lake and fool around with it. Yet these same parents scream to high heaven if the youngster wants a gun. One is as dangerous as the other; it's strange reasoning.

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This really isn't a time to be talking boats, but the more they are discussed the better it may be. Your motors need checking, so do it now. Don't wait until the repair men are snowed under; if you do, then you're going to have to wait for your motor, maybe till mid-summer.



PICK UP ALL PIECES

Montreal (CP) — "Bring in your spare parts," says Dr. H. Fred Moseley, director of accident service at a local hospital. A message on the fifth anniversary of the service's foundation said severed arms, legs, fingers, and other parts of the body can often be grafted on again if retrieved.



Now to National "Mixed" playoffs

Winners of the 1966 O'Keefe Quebec Mixed Curling championship are seen above, front left and right, Mrs. Bobbie McFaul (lead), Mrs. Florence Pollock (third) and, rear left and right, Art Lobel (skip) and Don McFaul (second), with Yvon Bonin, O'Keefe promotion manager. Lobel's Lachute rink, which represented the Western Quebec district, beat out Elmer Black's Southwestern Quebec rink, from Howick Curling Club, 7-4, Saturday in Quebec City, to win the O'Keefe Golden Bowl (at centre) and the right to represent Quebec in the National Mixed Curling championship playoffs in Fort William, March 22-26.

Lach. United Church Bowling League

LEAGUE STANDING

Team and Skip	P.	W.	L.	D.	F.	A.	Pts.
Redwings (Miss Grace Rosser)	10	7	0	3	91	65	14
Beavers (Ed Armstrong)	10	6	0	4	83	77	12
All Stars (Evelyn Girling)	10	5	2	3	78	81	12
Rangers (Leslie Gordon)	10	5	1	4	90	78	11
Thistles (William Wilson)	10	5	1	4	79	76	11
Maple Leafs (Clifton Matthews)	10	4	1	5	84	88	9
St. Pats. (Harold Smith)	10	3	2	5	90	90	8
St. George's (Owen Todd)	10	4	0	6	78	79	8
St. David's (Mrs. Ed Armstrong)	10	4	0	6	72	85	8
Bluebirds (Mrs. Simon Wilson)	10	3	1	6	68	94	7

St. Simeon's Angl. Bowling League

LEAGUE STANDING

Team and Skip	P.	W.	L.	D.	F.	A.	Pts.
Flyers (Joe Sewell)	20	13	6	1	234	133	27
Sparks (Rev. W. LeCras)	20	12	7	1	177	152	25
Comets (Mrs. C. R. Lang)	20	10	8	2	197	164	22
Beavers (Mrs. M. Sewell)	20	10	9	1	150	193	21
Stars (Gordon Silverson)	20	6	13	1	154	184	13
Robins (Dave Brown)	20	6	14	-	129	215	12

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SUNDAY, MARCH 6



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2nd departure at 2 p.m. (Contestant and passengers)

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"VROUM - VROUM !" — GOOD LUCK TO ALL !

LHS beats Valleyfield team, advances to hockey playoffs

— By Peter Clarke —

Lachute High School secured a berth in the provincial hockey playoffs last Saturday by romping to a 11-1 victory over Gault Institute of Valleyfield, in a sudden-death game played at Collège Bourget in Rigaud.

The game was never in doubt after the first two minutes, due to the size and speed of the Lachute team. Pat Lowe opened with a powerful slap-shot from the blue line. Gordie Duncan followed with a goal a few minutes later to give LHS a 2-0 lead. Before the period ended Herbie Underhill potted a goal and Pat Lowe scored his second, to supply Lachute with a comfortable 4-0 cushion. Wayne O'Brien, playing in the Lachute nets, made two superb saves in the period to back up the Lachute offensive.

Jim Duncan opened the scoring in the second period to strengthen the lead to 5-0. Then Tom MacKay broke loose from his own blue line and skated around the Valleyfield defence to score easily with a shot to the upper left-hand corner of the goal. The second period ended with Lachute leading 6-0.

Valleyfield came up with their only goal early in the third period. The Lachute defence appeared a bit sloppy in clearing the puck from in front of their net, and Jeff Wright knocked in a loose puck, to make the score 6-1. Lachute bounced right back with a goal from Stephen Lowe. Mike Lowe then scored two tallies to make the scoreboard read 9-1. Pat Lowe completed his hat-trick and Tom MacKay added his second goal, to give Lachute an 11-1 victory.

Lachute outshot Gault 62-14. Most of Gault's shots were weak and from the blue line, as the Lachute defence checked the puck closely. There were six penalties called in the contest, Lachute collecting four of these.

Lachute now play in the semi-final round at Lennoxville on *March 11 against Quebec City. If* Lachute comes up with a victory, the finals will be played on Saturday, March 12.

Junior hockey semi-finals now tied

After four games of crowd-pleasing hockey, supremacy has yet to be established in the Lachute-Ste. Anne semi-finals (best 5-out-of-9), each team having won two games.

With clean, hard-hitting hockey, requiring relatively few penalties, and with the exception of the third game of the series which Lachute won rather decisively 6-2, it was left to the final few minutes of each game for a winner to be decided. As a matter of fact, Ste. Anne won the fourth game of the series last Sunday in Ste. Therese 5-4 with only seven seconds remaining to be played in the game. Approximately 1,000 people witnessed this exciting contest, and all appeared well satisfied with the calibre of hockey displayed by the two teams.

High standards of conditioning and self-discipline are essential in hockey at this level, and players of both clubs are to be commended for their efforts in this respect. These teen-agers are maturely conscious that in many instances they are literally idolized by young hockey enthusiasts from five years and up, and that their conduct could be quite influential in attitudes formed by these little people.

The series has now been reduced to the best 3-out-of-5 games, with the first three games to be played as scheduled below:

Thurs., Mch. 3, Ste. Therese Arena
Sun., Mch. 6, Brownsburg Arena
Thurs., Mch. 10, Lachute Lions Arena

Minor Hockey playoff schedule

Lachute Minor Hockey League final playoffs (2 of 3 series) will be held as follows:

PEE WEE

Lowe's vs Ayers —
Saturday, March 5, 8.30 a.m.
Saturday, March 12, 9.30 a.m.
Saturday, March 19, 8.30 a.m.
(If Necessary).

BANTAM

Legion vs Ayers —
Saturday, March 5, 9.30 a.m.
Saturday, March 12, 8.30 a.m.
Saturday, March 19, 9.30 a.m.
(If Necessary).

CURLING Activities in Brownsburg

The winners of our Sticks and Brooms competition were—Hazel Keatley (skip), Margaret Rose, Doreen Finlayson and Lillian Richardson for the brooms; and the winning sticks were — Bonnie Lafleur (skip), Helen Golphin, Marguerite Picard and Cecile Ogle.

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We had one team in the Lorraine Aloha bonspiel. They lost 9-8 to Wentworth, but in the afternoon had a decisive win against St. Jerome, 12-4. They finally lost out to a Lorraine team.

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A "friendly" was held at Vankleek Hill on Wednesday, and the team skipped by Eunice Low, with Bea Villard, Elsie Hay and June Troop reported a very good game.

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Congratulations to our Seniors team of John Duncan (skip), John Chalmers, Paul Villard and Roly Moncrieff. They had a wonderful five days of curling in various Montreal clubs, in the Seagram's Stone Seniors' Competition. They started off on Tuesday at Thistle, and played two 10-end games every day in a round-robin, all in all 90 ends of curling! Some Seniors!

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Ladies' night on Saturday was very successful. Our thanks to the hard-working committee of Ethel MacGibbon, Bea Villard, Lillian Richardson, Eunice Low and Joyce Atkins. The spot curling was quite a challenge, and from the number of plate-glass skips, a success. Paul Villard and Andrew Hardie tied for the men, and Joyce Atkins won for the ladies. The most original hat was won by Sam Rose, depicting Man and His World, a plug for Expo. Lyla Murdoch's hat of bows was second, then Helen Martin with an Easter basket perched on her head, and Paul Villard had a curling "house"; there were prizes for all. A singsong was enjoyed with Irma Martin at the piano. — A real enjoyable evening, with sandwiches and coffee served by Lise Hewitt and Fern Pilon.

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The Hawsbury men's club were entertained here on Sunday. After the curling a light supper was served.

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Dates to remember — Gala Day, March 16. Brownsburg Men's Open bonspiel starting March 4 and running through to the finals March 12. Dinner will be served on Saturday, March 5, Sunday, March 6, and Saturday, March 12.

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Congratulations to Art Lobel and his team from Lachute in winning the O'Keefe Mixed Championship for the Province of Quebec.



Last week we were discussing side-slipping and touched on the subject of **Christies into the Hill.** This exercise simulates the end of all Christie turns, and therefore is a very valuable aid in learning these turns.

From a traverse across a slope, lower the body gradually and at the same time push the knees forward and into the hill. This knee push combined with a steering action of the downhill ski will cause the skis to turn up the slope and gradually come to a stop.

I might mention here the importance of maintaining the weight on the downhill ski throughout this exercise and the releasing of the edges during the down motion. The motion of the body achieves an unweighting of the skis which facilitates the start of the turn.

Next Week — Turning the skis with steering action.

Opening meeting for Fish-Game

Friday evening at the Knights of Columbus Hall, there will be a soiree to mark the opening of activities for the Argenteuil Fishing and Hunting Association. The event, organized by the Association and their sponsor, Gaston (Molson) Laroche, and the Molson Fishing Club, will commence at 8 p.m.

Speaker will be a well known outdoors writer, Serge Deyglum of La Presse, and Richmond Pelletier, director of the above Club, will also present the Molson - 1965 fishing award to Dalma Lemay, of Lachute. There will be films, a discussion on plans of the Association for 1966, and refreshments.

Non-members may secure invitations to this soiree by calling 562-6031, Lachute.



Gaston Laroche,
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Argenteuil Fishing and Hunting Association

will hold its first get-together of the season on March 4th at 8:00 p.m. at the hall of the Knights of Columbus of Lachute.

For information call: Denis St-Jacques LO 2-6031

Gaston Laroche invites you to take an interest in the activities of this fine club, and wishes its each and every member a most successful season!

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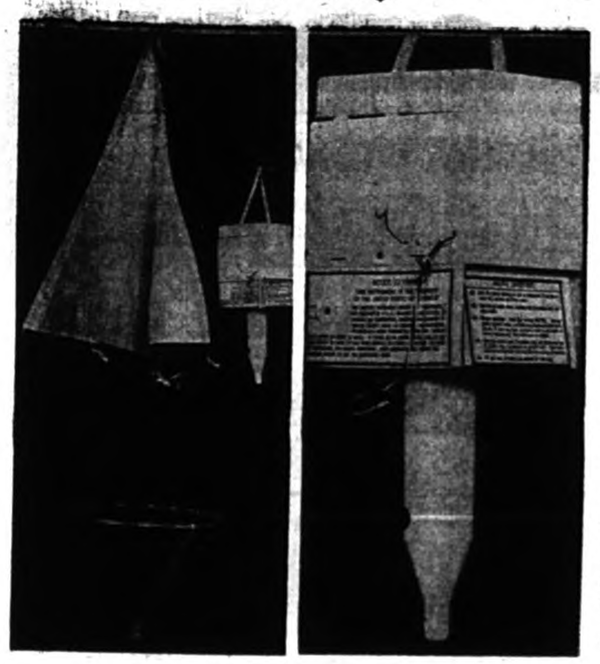

Weather instrument lands here

The above parachute and weather instrument was found several weeks ago by Ross Thorburn on the Doug Patterson farm, Brownsburg Road. The weather instrument is a Radiosonde, and is released by the United States Weather Bureau to measure temperatures, atmospheric pressure and humidity at various heights above the ground up to an altitude of 17 miles. The instrument is released with a balloon which expands as it reaches the higher altitudes, until such time as it bursts, dropping the Radiosonde to earth by means of a parachute. The picture on the left shows the Radiosonde and parachute, while on the left is a larger picture of the weather instrument. Plans are being made to return it to the department concerned.

—Photo, Syd Drew

Arundel area enjoyed Carnival and week-end of winter sports

(Our District Correspondent)

Arundel — In co-operation with the Laurentian Valley Association, municipal and other bodies went all out to make a success of the Carnival and sports week-end. There were hockey games, skidoo races, a cross-cut sawing contest, also an apple pie eating contest.

In the evening dances were held at the Legion Hall, Maplewood Inn, and the school. Also, Maplewood Inn contributed a free bean supper Saturday, and on Sunday put on a special buffet supper. All in all, Arundel entered into this gala event wholeheartedly.

In the evening the annual masquerade ice carnival was held, and an unusually large crowd attended. Bright sunshine during the day, moonlight and balmy weather at night, contributed to the enjoyment.

Costumes both colorful and unique were featured by adults and children. Interest was focused on the pre-school ages from three to five years, and while not on skates, they walked on the ice and loved it. Their costumes attracted special notice.

After the judging, the spectators adjourned to the school auditorium, where a waiting audience were being entertained by bagpipe music by Mr. Gilbert Young and Mr. Stanley MacTavish, Jr. They also played for the Scottish dances which were contributed by Mary Cooke, Bonnie Swail, Patricia and Earleen Gray.

The arrival of Mr. Roger Regimbal, M.P., and Mrs. Regimbal was greeted with pipe music, and brought a great response from the spectators. Mr. Regimbal spoke a few words of thanks, after being introduced by Principal Melvin Graham. He then took his place on the platform and in the absence of the Hon. Mr. Hees, crowned Miss Earleen Gray as Queen of the Carnival. The prize winners then came forward to receive their awards, which were presented by Mr. Wm. Barton.

There was a pleasing surprise when the six Duchesses nominated for Queen at Huberdeau, made a colorful entrance in their white bunnie coats, white shoes and black accessories. They were introduced individually to the audience by Mr. Jacques Laurin, and received warm applause.

A presentation then took place to Master Colin Gordon, goalie for the Arundel School pee-wee hockey team, for being the best player in all the Pee-Wee League. He was carried shoulder-high, and replied in return at the mike with two words of eloquence, "Merci beaucoup".

Refreshments were then served and the evening was enjoyed in dancing to the music of the "Continental Four", musicians from Lachute.

Principal M. Graham was master of ceremonies for the whole carnival, and thanks are due to him and his committee for another very successful event. Appreciation also goes to the Laurentian Valley Association, who did such an enormously successful job in their first Skidoo racing, and we hope this will now be a yearly affair.

(Space does not permit the inclusion of winners in the various events.)

APPRECIATION

Mr. Gordon McGillivary wishes to extend thanks and appreciation to his kind friends and neighbors who assisted in many ways, and for letters, cards, and phone calls received during his three-weeks stay in the Montreal General Hospital.

IN APPRECIATION

I wish to express my sincere thanks and appreciation to relatives and friends, for visits, cards and gifts, also kindness shown to my family, while I was in the Smith Clinic, Hawkesbury.

Special thanks to the hospital staff.

— Mrs. Ward Moncrieff

Lifelong resident is mourned by friends, relatives

The late Mrs. Alfred Graves

Mrs. Margaret Graves passed away in Vankleek Hill, Ont., on February 23, following an illness at the Smith Clinic, Hawkesbury, due to a fractured hip.

One of a family of four children, the late Mrs. Graves was born at Grenville, Que., in 1880. She was in her 87th year.

A daughter of the late Daniel Bigelow and his wife Sarah Jane Lee, in 1916 she married Alfred Graves, also of Grenville, and took up residence at Mount Maple. Her husband predeceased her one year ago last October.

She leaves to mourn her loss two children, Morris, of Brownsburg, and Violet, of Montreal, also grandchildren and great-grandchildren; one sister, (Matilda) Mrs. Robert Bigelow, of Kilmar, Que.; also many relatives and friends.

Service was held Saturday, February 26, at the MacKimmie Funeral Chapel, conducted by the Rev. R. Solmes. Hymns sung were "Rock of Ages" and "Safe in the Arms of Jesus", also a special solo, "In the Sweet Bye and Bye", sung by Mrs. Kenneth Murdoch.

Pall-bearers were Messrs. Herbert Graves, Keith Low, Kenneth Murdoch, Wilfred Stone, Edward Stone and Arthur Keatley. Interment was made in Dalesville Cemetery.

APPRECIATION

— I wish to thank sincerely all friends, relatives and neighbors for their gifts, visits and cards, during my stay at the Smith Clinic.

— Marjorie Lawson

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Wins trip

André J. Miron, of Modern Plumbing and Heating, Lachute, has won a trip to Spain and Portugal awarded by L'Islet Company. He leaves Dorval March 5, for a 15-day tour in a group of 78 travellers.

—Photo, Syd Drew

The Harriet Street pasture must be trampled and flattened pretty well by now, especially after the stampede last Saturday evening! Even in the car coral you could feel the tremors of the pounding of many feet, and the vibrant throbbing of voices a-hooting and a - hollering. The motley garments of the various hands were something to behold. There were thrumed shirts, loud shirts, quiet shirts, with jeans which matched or clashed, topped off with such a variegated collection of hats as has ever been worn on any range. There must have been about two hundred all trying, and succeeding, in having a good time. . . There is safety in numbers . . . there was no room to draw a gun . . . and the noise was deafening.

The ladies provided a pot-luck supper which was reinforced by 12 dozen eggs and 10 pounds of bacon, cooked to a crisp by the two chuckwagon sourdoughs, Curly White and Sunnyside-up Bob Cairns.

Fred Pring (he left his horse at home) was presented with a goose, the prize for the most correct dress. The goose did not look too happy amid all the clamor and hot fumes.

Tom Johnston and his committee can certainly put on a show, their enterprise merits congratulations. Everyone had a grand time, I am sure any soreness experienced the following morning could not in any way be blamed on a saddle horse. The spot prizes were in keeping with cowboy humor — skilets for the range-hands and Boston Bean pots for the dudes.

The mixed curling prize was won by a rink captained by Fred Pring, with Mrs. L. Cruise, Gary Cruise and Neida MacTavish. The mixed curling was organized again by Norma Rogers and Stewart Jones.

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The Lachute rink of Art Lobel, Bobby McFaul, Don McFaul and Florence Pollock won the Provincial Championship of the O'Keefe Bonspiel, held in Quebec. They emerged the winners of Section II and played in the final against Elmer Black's Howick rink. Art's rink defeated the Howick rink with a score of 7 to 4. Congratulations from all members to Bobby, Florence, Art and Don for their wonderful achievement. Lachute is proud to have members such as you.

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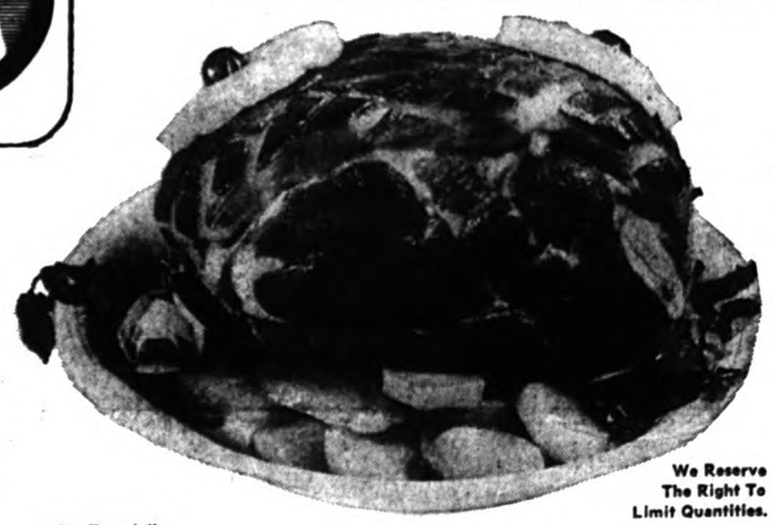

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District NEWS

FROM OUR COUNTY CORRESPONDENTS

Brownsburg

Mrs. Hector Mason spent a few days last week as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. G. Jennings in Chateauguay.

Mrs. L. Roberts and Mrs. F. Barker spent Thursday and Friday of last week in Montreal as delegates from the Brownsburg branch of the Red Cross, at the provincial convention.

Mrs. J. Molloy and children, of Simsbury, Conn., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Syd Seary and other friends here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Prosser were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Prosser in Ottawa for the week-end.

Sympathy is extended to Mr. Morris Graves and family, and other relatives of Mrs. A. Graves, who passed away last week.

Appreciation

The Maple Avenue Baptist congregation wish to express thanks for the invitations to join in services of the United and Pentecostal Churches during the renovation of the Baptist Church. This expression of goodwill is deeply appreciated.

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(Intended for last issue)

Silver Wedding

Mrs. Herbert Graham, Sr., spent a few days last week in Montreal with her son, Mr. H. Graham and Mrs. Graham, of Moncton, N.B., who celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary there. Mr. and Mrs. F. Steere were also guests on this special occasion. Congratulations and best wishes go to "Herb and Elsie" for many more years of happiness.

Mrs. D. Walker, Mrs. C. J. Wheeler and Mrs. D. Kerr spent Saturday last in Montreal.

Avoca

Mrs. Forest, of New Westminster, B.C., who was visiting her son at the R.C.A.F. Ottawa, visited with Mr. John MacLeod and family during the week-end.

Miss Janice Young, of Carleton University, Ottawa, is home for ten days, prior to writing examinations.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Landriault visited Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Young on Friday evening. Returning home they took Allan Young with them for the week-end, and he was entertained to skiing north of Montreal and to a hockey game at the Forum Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Fox and Miss Catherine Nixon visited their brother, Winston, in Notre Dame Hospital, Montreal, last Sunday.

(Avoca news also on page 8)

Ogdensburg

Mr. and Mrs. W. McKiddie and sons spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Larsen, of Chateauguay.

Mr. and Mrs. Godin, of Shawbridge, visited Mr. and Mrs. C. White on Tuesday.

Visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Heatlie, Jr., on Sunday were Mrs. Gwen Kelley, of Montreal, Mrs. Kelley and Miss Jean Kelley, of Hawkesbury.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Plummer were in Ville Jacques Cartier on Saturday. On their return they were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. D. Mullen and sons, who are spending this week here.

Miss Shirley Heatlie of Montreal, spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. J. Heatlie.

Mr. J. W. Heatlie and three sons, John, Bobbie and Donald, John White, Jerry and Gordon Plummer, attended the Macdonald "Royal" on Friday.

Northern Grenville

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Paige and daughter, Mary, visited Mr. and Mrs. Douglas MacTavish in Harrington last Sunday evening.

The fourth annual meeting of the Montreal Presbyterial U.C.W. was held at the Mount Royal United Church on February 23, and those who attended from Grenville were — Mrs. David

Bell Falls

Week-end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Smith were Mr. and Mrs. Albert Peers, of Chateauguay, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Smith, of Montreal, also Mr. and Mrs. C. Bigelow and Mrs. Martha Bigelow.

Mr. Dougal MacLean, Sr., of Ottawa, is visiting his son, Mr. Erving MacLean and Mrs. MacLean.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Provencal and family, of Ottawa, spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Provencal.

Mr. Laughie Page and Sue visited Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Page for the week-end. Mrs. Mary Betts was also a guest.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Betts and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Mack Betts, spent the week-end at the Betts' cottage.

Mr. and Mrs. Len Eastwood, of Shawbridge, visited Mr. and Mrs. Robert Eastwood recently.

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Mrs. A. H. Moore left Sunday to spend some time visiting friends on New Liskeard.

Guests at Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Williams' over the week-end included Mr. and Mrs. D. Byrd, Mrs. G. R. Cullen, Messrs. Hugh and Phil Williams, all of Montreal.

Among these who attended the World Day of Prayer in Grace Church, Arundel, last Friday were Mrs. Wm. Owen, Mrs. Huntly Schippel, Mrs. E. J. Craig, Mrs. A. H. Moore, Mrs. W. H. Williams, Mrs. Wm. Davidson and Mrs. J. D. Williams.

85th Milestone

We offer congratulations and best wishes to Mrs. Chas. Mountain, who will be '85 years young' on Sunday, March 6. Friends wish her many more years of continued good health and happiness.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil McCluskey, of Lost River, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Loudin on Wednesday.

Spring must be just around the corner, as already someone has reported seeing a crow, and another a skunk leisurely walking along the road.

Mrs. J. D. Williams spent a few days in Montreal at the home of her daughter, Mrs. W. MacMillan and Mr. MacMillan.

Mrs. D. Labrosse returned home last week-end after spending a few weeks with her daughter, Mrs. H. Johnson and Mr. Johnson, at Pierrefonds.

Home from Montreal to spend the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. Courte, were Mr. and Mrs. D. Courte and family, Mr. Claude Courte and son, Michel, and Mr. and Mrs. A. Courte.

Arundel

Week-end visitors at Mrs. Alvin Graham's were Mr. and Mrs. Clarke Graham, of Ottawa.

Mr. Victor Ryan and son, Michael, of Montreal spent the week-end as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Graham.

Mr. William Crone, of Rockway, is at present home visiting his mother, Mrs. Wm. Crone.

Mr. and Mrs. Sirois and family, of Chomedey, were also week-end guests of Mrs. Wm. Crone at Rockway.

Mrs. George Kilpatrick, of Morin Heights, who has just returned from a visit to Freeport, Grand Bahamas, is spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. S. Swail.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Staniforth spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Staniforth.

Mr. and Mrs. Berthiaume and family, of Montreal, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Dubeau.

Gill, Mrs. Doug Morrison, Mrs. Fred Moore, Mrs. Richard Young and Mrs. Wm. Gill.

Week-end visitors at Mr. and Mrs. B. McCart's were Mrs. Moncrieff, of Haileybury, and Miss Hilda McCart, of Montreal.

Bereavements

Sympathy is extended to the relatives of the late Mrs. R. Tank (the former Alice Loughren) of Lachute, also to the sister and brothers of the late Mr. Geo. Stewart, of Port Arthur.

Morin Heights

Schoolchildren's Ski Meet Planned for March 11

The regular monthly meeting of the Royal Canadian Legion was held in the Legion Hall on Friday evening last. Outstanding among matters of business were details pertaining to the schoolchildren's annual ski meet, which will be held on the Basler ski hills Friday afternoon, March 11. The races will be classified according to ages of the participants. Provision is made for three prizes in each class. It will be necessary that each participant present the written and signed permission of a parent to enter the race. Groups will be available to children from four years to 18 and over.

World Day of Prayer

The special service for the World Day of Prayer was held in the United Church last Friday afternoon. The Call to Worship was issued by Mrs. R. Williams, president of the United Church Women's Association. The principal speaker was Miss Jean Matthews, Anglican Deaconess of the Parish of Vaudreuil. Others taking part in the service were Mrs. Horace Baugh, Mrs. Lyle Kilpatrick, Mrs. Gordon Allen, Mrs. Thomas Lambon and Mrs. Leslie Seale. Following the service all adjourned to the Anglican Hall where an afternoon tea was served by the ladies of the Anglican Church.

We regret to report the sudden death on Friday last of Mrs. Lyle Smithers, of Morin, in a Montreal hospital. Sympathy of the community is extended to her family and her many friends.

Mr. F. G. Hicks, a well known elderly but active resident of Morin, is presently undergoing medical treatment at the Queen Mary Hospital. His many friends express best wishes for his early recovery.

By the time this is read, Mr. and Mrs. Lawson Kennedy, who left Morin on Sunday last, will have reached their rendez-vous at St. Petersburg, Florida, where they will spend the next few weeks.

Others who left recently for warmer climes are Mr. and Mrs. Percy Ivall, who are now vacationing at Clearwater, Florida. Visiting in Portland, Oregon, are Mr. and Mrs. Bert Edwards, guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Ward until the end of March.

Mrs. Philip Moss has returned to her home in Morin following a five-weeks visit with her daughter and son-in-law, Dr. and Mrs. Yalcin Orgé, of Ionia, Mich.

The Rev. Ronald McCullough, United Church minister here, has returned from a few weeks' holiday in various parts of Ontario.

Among visitors in Morin last week was Miss Heather Capmbell, spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Campbell.

Mrs. Henry Gillingham left recently to visit her daughter, Mrs. Wells and family, in Pointe Claire, Que.

On Wednesday last Mrs. George Watchorn, Mrs. Roy Williams and Mrs. Lyle Kilpatrick attended the fourth annual meeting of the United Church Women's Presbyterial, at the United Church in the Town of Mount Royal. At this meeting Mrs. Roy Williams was appointed Regional Vice-President of the Ottawa Valley U.C.W. Presbyterial.

Births, Marriages, Deaths, etc.

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BIRTH

DAWSON — Keith and Eleanor (née Maxwell) are happy to announce the birth of a daughter, Thursday, Feb. 24, at the Queen Elizabeth Hospital. A sister for Steven. (Both well.)

DEATHS

CONEY — At the Queen Mary Veterans' Hospital, on Tuesday, March 1, 1966, James H. Coney, in his 83rd year. Funeral from the MacKimmie Funeral Home on Friday at 2 p.m. Interment at St. Andrews East.

EARLE (Ruth) — At the Ross Memorial Pavilion of the Royal Victoria Hospital on Feb. 28, 1966, Ruth Hunter, beloved wife of the late John H. Earle. Funeral was held March 2, 1966, at 1 p.m. from the chapel of Lees and Co. Inc., St. Luc and Tower Sts. Interment at St. Andrews East, Que.

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ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

GRAVES — The family of the late Margaret J. Graves express sincere thanks and appreciation to their many kind friends, relatives and neighbors, for their many acts of kindness, expressions of sympathy, and beautiful floral tributes. Special thanks to the doctors and nurses of the Smith Clinic, Hawkesbury, and the Rev. R. Solmes, of Brownsburg Pentecostal Church; also special thanks for the care she had at Kingsbury's Convalescent Home.

KIRBY — The family of the late Leonard H. Kirby wish to express their sincere thanks and appreciation to friends and neighbors for their many acts of kindness and expressions of sympathy during their recent bereavement.

McMAHON — The family of the late Mrs. Joseph McMahon wish to express their sincere thanks to friends, neighbors and relatives for their kind expressions of sympathy during their recent bereavement.

SOUMIS — Mrs. Pierre Soumis and family wish to express their sincere thanks to relatives and friends for their acts of kindness, flowers, cards, telegrams, mass offerings, visits to the funeral parlor, and attendance at the funeral. (To all who omitted to register at the funeral parlor, our personal gratitude.)

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Barbershoppers receive visit

The Lachute Barbershoppers received a visit from a Beloeil quartet at their regular rehearsal meeting last week. The visitors entertained with singing, a talk on Barbershopping, and a sound film on the 1965 International Contest in Boston. The group from Beloeil were led by Doug Archer.

Plans for the local "Parade" on May 14 are progressing. Some of the program advertisments have been subscribed for, and the chorus are working hard on the selections for their show.

They still need a few more members, to reach the magic "35". They invite young High School songsters to come and listen-in on their rehearsals, with the thought that they might perhaps form a quartet of their own.

Topic 'continuous learning' — at Teachers' Assocn.

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will teachers understand the implications of the theory.

Mr. Meikle Turner, principal of Grenville High School, thanked Mr. Trecartin and Mr. Hine for speaking on this evolution in education.

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The executive of the Argenteuil Teachers' Association announced that the Public and Choral Speaking Contest would be held at Grenville High School on March 31. The Drama Festival was tentatively scheduled for April 29, and the Track and Field Day was set for May 14.

Watchman Want Ads bring results.

Many at funeral of late resident, Mrs. J. McMahon

After a lengthy illness, borne with Christian fortitude and cheerfulness, Mrs. Joseph McMahon passed away at her home, 157 Bethany Street, on Sunday, February 20.

Born in Crystal Falls, Que., "Manie", as her friends affectionately knew her, was the daughter of the late John McAllister and his wife Margaret Munro. She resided there after her marriage in 1908, until 1930 when the family moved to Lachute.

She was interested in the work of the church, and an active worker for the Red Cross.

A devoted wife and mother, and a friend to all, she will be greatly missed by her many friends.

Left to mourn her passing are her daughters, Gertrude, Agnes (Mrs. J. Pearson), Grace and Ruth, her son-in-law, Jack, and three grandchildren, Mary, Heather and John. Her husband predeceased her in 1958 and two sons, Douglas and Clarence, in 1928.

Funeral services were held on Tuesday afternoon, February 22, from the Lachute United Church, and were conducted by the Rev. Harold Thompson, assisted by the Rev. Wilson Bridge and the Rev. W. B. Rosborough.

Pall-bearers were Messrs. Jack Gorman, Douglas McAllister, Harold, Walter and Russel McMahon, and Melvin Matthew.

Interment was in Lachute.

APPRECIATION

— Thanking all relatives and friends for gifts and cards received while I was a patient at home and in the Argenteuil Hospital.

— Mrs. Fred Wilson

Sermon series for Lenten season at Presb'n Church

The Very Rev. C. Ritchie Bell opened a series of sermons at the Margaret Rodger Memorial Church pointing to the Cross as a help and guide during the Lenten season. This week his theme was "Cross or Comfort?"

"Was this agony and suffering necessary, or would it have been possible for Jesus to have found an easier way — a way which would have entailed less suffering, which would have removed this awful cross which we have sentimentalized in our day, but which would have brought about the results which He hoped to attain, without the agony?"

"There are people in the Christian Church who always want something sensational from their church; who think that life must be nothing but sensation, sugar-coated, covered with candy. But you cannot live on a diet of this kind. You must have something more solid. You must have a religion that satisfies you.

"We are of all people most self-indulgent. What is self-denial for one is not self-denial for another. I feel that a cross represents sacrifice, and as far as I can read history, without sacrifice on the part of some peoples or some individuals, nothing really worthwhile has ever been achieved in the world. There is only one way for the Christian, and it is the way of the Cross."

Next Sunday, Dr. Bell's subject will be "Jesus or Barabbas?"

Social and Personal

Mr. Hiram Graves, of Courtland, Ont., a retired Salvation Army officer, was in town to attend the funeral of his sister-in-law, the late Mrs. Alfred Graves, on Saturday last, and has been a guest of relatives in Brownsburg.

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Mr. and Mrs. Dave Schwartz, and Mr. and Mrs. René Dagenais, returned home recently from a vacation in Miami, Fla.

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Mr. and Mrs. Tom Johnston returned home after two weeks in the South, during which time they attended the convention of the Golf Course Superintendents' Association of America. The gathering was attended by turf specialists and their wives, 3,000 in all, from different parts of the world, assembled in Kansas.

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To Company Bonspiel

A Lachute team representing J. C. Wilson Company is participating in the Price Bros. 23rd annual curling bonspiel, playing Wednesday of this week in Grand Falls, Nfld. There are 11 divisions of the Price Bros. organization taking part. Those attending under the aegis of the J. C. Wilson Company are — Messrs. Donald R. MacRae, F. R. Malenfant, Malcolm Cairns and also Mr. W. N. Westcott of Kitchener, Ont.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis de Breyne returned last Thursday from their winter vacation spent in Miami.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jack Pearson and family, who have resided several years at Shawinigan, have now established their home in Willowdale, Toronto, where Mr. Pearson has been employed for the past two or three months.

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Miss Therese Gooden, of Laval, and Miss Mary Adlem, of Montreal, were week-end guests of Miss Patricia Garraway, of Bourbonniere Settlement.

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Mrs. Harry Lister and son, Russell, of Morin Heights, spent the week-end in Lachute visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ward, and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lister.

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Christening at St. Philippe

Exemplifying the energies of the Rev. Canon C.W.P. Baugh at age 93, and on the eve of his retirement last week — he journeyed from Lakefield to St. Philippe by special request on Saturday to baptize the two children of Mr. and Mrs. Lawford Chandler. The ceremony took place at the home of the grandmother, Mrs. Stuart Chandler. Mrs. Baugh accompanied her husband from Lakefield.

Mr. Hartland Paul, of Lucan, Ont., is here this week visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Paul, on Main Street.

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Miss Alma Riddell, of Montreal, was here to spend the week-end with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Elder.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Lucas, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Fletcher, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Urquart at Lac Marois, last Saturday.

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Miss Jo-Anne Wilson, Miss Betty Gain, Mr. Lee Forget and Mr. Billie Owens visited recently with Mr. and Mrs. Guy Kelly and June in Avoca.

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Argenteuil Duplicate Bridge

On Monday, February 21, at the Argentueil Bridge Club, a master-point game was played by 24 pairs. The winning pair, Mrs. Gordon Davidson and Mrs. Harry Booth, had 1.65 master points, while those coming second, Messrs. Gaetan Guilbert and G. Giroux, had 1.15 master points.

On Saturday there were nine pairs, Mr. Gordon Davidson and Mrs. Leonard Walsh coming first, with a total of 44 points.

Play production at B'burg High School

The delightful children's story, "Pinocchio", will be presented on stage at Brownsburg High School, Saturday, March 5, at 8 p.m. The all-girl cast, headed by Norine Murdoch as Pinocchio, began rehearsing in earnest last October under the direction of Mr. Keith Armstrong.

Produced by special arrangement with the Dramatic Publishing Company, of Chicago, "Pinocchio" will be remembered as the story of the puppet whose one desire is to become a real boy — a boy who must always tell the truth or suffer the humiliating experience of an extended nose. He will not accept the advice of either the Blue Fairy (Kathy Leggitt), or Jimminy Cricket (Janice Humphries), and so runs away to seek his own adventure.

Colorful costumes have been created by Mrs. J. Leggitt, and a glee club consisting of 30 voices have been ably trained by Mrs. R. Cleary, assisted by Lynn Morrow at the piano. Others in the cast include Margaret Bourne, Louise Forbes, Elizabeth Castle, Danielle Charlebois, Debbie McCaffrey, and Sheila Hall.

Lenten services and discussions at St. Simeon's

The Christian churches are not unconcerned about the lack of church attendance, but the laity has in general shown indifference to serious study of the cause.

During this Lenten season, St. Simeon's congregation is invited to discuss the work of the church and the weaknesses of the church at the parish level. Each Wednesday evening, service will be followed by a discussion period, at which it is hoped the congregation will not be backward in presenting its views.

Is the church playing a proper role in this community? What is the true religious job of this parish? What barriers keep people from becoming active members? Are the rules for membership too lax? These and other topics will be discussed under the leadership of the rector, the Rev. C. R. Lang.

— Watch St. Simeon's Church announcement each week in this newspaper.

Synopsis of Biset's 'Carmen' colorful opera

To prepare the way for a fuller enjoyment of Biset's opera, "Carmen" (to be presented at the Community Concert here next Tuesday in its French version, by the Canadian Opera Company on tour) the following synopsis is given depicting the four Acts of this work.

Act I

In a square in Seville, the young Spanish corporal, Don José, and his captain Zuniga, are talking together. A gypsy girl, Carmen, comes along and fascinates both men by her singing of a Habanera before proceeding to a nearby cigarette factory, where she works. A few moments later, Micaela appears, looking for Don José (her fiancé). She begs him to return with her to his home town to see his mother, who is ill. He agrees. But Carmen, meantime, has stabbed a co-worker, is arrested and placed under José's guard. She persuades him to let her escape — whereupon he, himself, is taken off to prison.

Act II

Carmen and her friends, Frasquita and Mercédés, are in Lillas Pastia's Tavern, singing and dancing, when the great Torero, Escamillo, stops by for a whirlwind visit and is immediately enamored of Carmen. Although she enjoys his attentions, she is impatient for the arrival of Don José, who has been released from prison. Soon after Escamillo leaves, there is a joyous re-union between Carmen and José, but there is foreboding in her lack of understanding for his duties as a soldier. When Zuniga unexpectedly comes to the Tavern to see Carmen, José's jealousy precipitates a fight. Two smugglers, Dancairo and Remendado, soon break it up, but Don José is left with little alternative but to join Carmen's band of smugglers.

Act III

At the smugglers' mountain camp, it is soon apparent that Carmen is about to discard Don José for Escamillo. When the latter appears, José's jealousy again leads to a fight. Carmen and the smugglers intervene. Micaela finds her way to the camp with word that José's mother is dying. He leaves with Micaela, but warns Carmen that they will meet again.

Act IV

Before the bull fight, Carmen wishes her new love, Escamillo, good luck. Frasquita and Mercedes warn Carmen that José is looking for her, but she insists upon facing him — alone. When he begs for her love, she laughs, scornfully says that all is over between them, and tries to pass him to enter the arena. But Don José, insane with jealousy and despair, stabs her.

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Wednesdays in Lent
Evening Prayer, 7.30

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Thursdays in Lent
Evening Prayer, 7.30

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10.00 a.m. Holy Communion

PARISH OF GRENVILLE
9.30 Holy Trinity, Calumet
11.00 St. Matthew's, Grenville
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Tues. 8.15 p.m. Bible Study Group

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11.00 a.m. Lakefield

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10.00 a.m. Lach. United Church
11.15 a.m. Lach. Chapel Service (without choir)
2.30 p.m. East Settlement
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9.45 a.m. Bible School
11.00 a.m. Morning Service
7.00 p.m. Evening Service
Wed. 8 p.m. Bible Study

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Receives R.N.

Miss Linda Jones, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Jones, Lachute, has qualified for the license of Registered Nurse and received her certificate. A graduate of the Royal Victoria Hospital, Miss Jones is presently on the staff of the Children's Hospital in Montreal.

Mt'l presbyterial UCW held annual meeting last week

In a report from the fourth annual meeting of the Montreal Presbyterial U.C.W., held last week in the Mount Royal United Church — of special interest to district readers of The Watchman will be the names of Mrs. Roy Williams, Morin Heights, who was elected Regional Vice-President for the Ottawa Valley Region; and Mrs. C. L. Duncan, retiring Vice-President for the area, who will remain on the executive as an officer without portfolio.

Delegates from Lachute included—Mrs. George Muir, Mrs. Wm. Graham, Mrs. W. H. Thompson, Mrs. George Paul and Mrs. M. Evans.

Delegates from Arundel — Mrs. D. Gray, Mrs. Wm. Barton, Mrs. F. Davis and Mrs. M. Graham.

Delegates from Brownsburg — Mrs. A. Leggitt, Mrs. F. Zimmer, Mrs. S. McOuat and Mrs. B. Bell.

Delegates from Grenville — Mrs. David Gill and Mrs. Muriel Moore.

Delegates from Morin Heights — Mrs. Roy Williams, Mrs. George Watchorn, Mrs. L. Kilpatrick.

Delegates from Cushing were Mrs. I. Fuller, Mrs. T. Weir, Mrs. L. Ivany, Mrs. J. Owens, Mrs. L. Gaston and Mrs. T. Turner.

As well as the above-mentioned women, there was a very fine representation from this area.

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Late Jessie Walker was well known E. Ward resident

Funeral service was held Wednesday for a well known lady resident of Lachute East Ward, the late Miss Jessie Christie Walker, whose death occurred Monday evening, after an illness of nine years' duration.

Born in Lachute, Miss Walker was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Gavin James Walker. She was favorably known throughout this community.

The late Miss Walker was a member of the Margaret Rodger Memorial Church and of the Women's Missionary Society which she served faithfully, as long as her health permitted.

Many friends and relatives attended the funeral to pay their tribute to an esteemed resident. The Very Rev. Ritchie Bell officiated at the service. Interment was made in the family plot at Lachute Cemetery.

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Make a date, to celebrate the Spring reopening at your Dairy Queen Store!

Two Cdn. artists featured in show at Centre d'Art

Opening Sunday, March 6

In co-operation with the Department of Cultural Affairs of the Province of Quebec, the Centre d'Art d'Argenteuil presents (opening Sunday, March 6) an exhibition of two renowned Canadian artists, Owen Chicoine and Patrick Landsley. The exhibition groups 11 paintings by each of the two artists. It is organized and distributed by the National Gallery of Canada. The show will open daily from 2 to 5 p.m., and on Wednesday evenings from 7 to 9 p.m., to March 20 inclusive.

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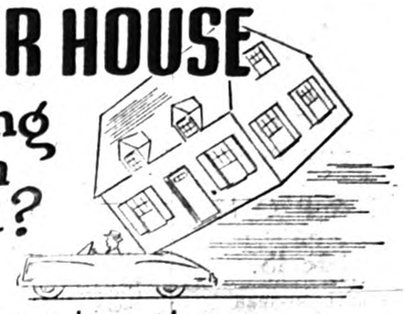

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ACROSS

1-Abstains from food
6-Inasmuch as
11-Most rational
12-Vegetable (pl.)
14-Pronoun
15-Unit of Chinese weight
17-Brazilian estuary
18-Gratuity
20-Covered with thick grasses
23-Fall behind
24-Wine cups
26-Cheap street show
28-Earth goddess
29-Amount at which a person is rated
31-Saves
33-Protective shield
35-Heavy blow (colloq.)
36-Lawmaker
39-Mephistopheles
42-Preposition
43-Kind of wool
45-Tissue
46-Distant
48-Grates
50-Edge
51-Border on
53-Server
55-Compass point
56-Slumbers
58-Makes amends
61-Slaves
62-Temporary shelter (pl.)

DOWN

1-Favorite daughter of Mohammed
2-Indefinite article
3-Place
4-Former Russian ruler
5-Beef animal
6-Conjunction
7-Preposition
8-Pinch
9-Fuel
10-Anger
11-Hindu guitar
13-Wise men
16-Shakespearean king
19-Communion plate
21-Delineated
22-Affirmative votes
25-Epic tales
27-Acclaim
30-Liquid measure
32-Declare
34-Rail bird
36-Couches
37-Empower
38-Remainder
40-Places in line
41-Designates
44-European herring
47-Regrets
49-Satiate
52-Number
54-More distant (poet.)
57-Hebrew letter
58-Steamship (abbr.)
60-Symbol for nitos

Solution Last Week

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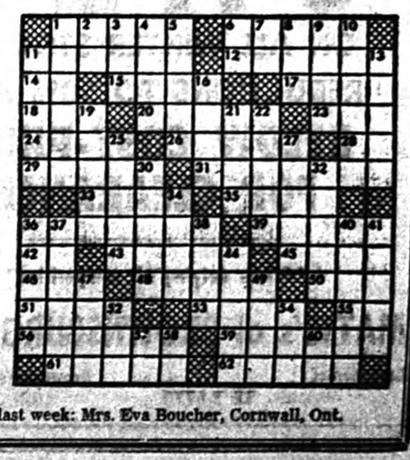

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"PINOCCHIO"
— To be presented at Brownsburg High School. Popular children's classic by all-girl cast; Saturday, March 5, at 8 p.m. Students 50c adults 75c. 1c

SERMONS FROM SCIENCE FILMS
— An advance opportunity to see the most popular of these films, "God of Creation", is presented on Sunday, March 6, at 7.30 p.m. in St. Simeon's Anglican Church, Lachute. These "Sermons from Science" films were a popular attraction at the Seattle and New York World's Fairs, and will be shown at Expo 67 in Montreal. Everyone welcome. 1c

CANCER SOCIETY
The monthly meeting of the Canadian Cancer Society, Lachute branch, will be held at the Court House on Tuesday, March 8, at 3 p.m. 1x

MILITARY WHIST
— To be held in the Lachute Orange Hall, 136 Gilbert St., on March 8 at 8 p.m., under auspices of L.O.B.A. 943. Admission, 75c. M2.A6.M.4.3p

BRIDGE PARTY
— At Lachute United Church hall on March 10, at 8 p.m. Admission $1. Prizes and refreshments. F16.M2.2p

SCIENCE FAIR AT LACHUTE HIGH SCHOOL
— Display of scientific projects by the pupils of Grades III to XII, Thursday, March 10 from 7.30 to 9.30 p.m. Admission 25c. Everyone welcome. 2x

QUEBEC FARMERS' ASSOCIATION
— A meeting of the Argenteuil Branch of Quebec Farmers' Association will be held in the Presbyterian Church hall, Lachute, on March 9 at eight o'clock.

Subject: Corn: Silage vs. grain corn.

Speakers: Dr. R. Brown, geneticist and plant breeder, Dr. W. Keiller, field superintendent of Macdonald College. Mr. Maurice Hardy, fieldman for fertilizers, will discuss the most suitable crops and fertilizers for this district.

Everyone welcome. Pot-luck lunch.

— Gordon Smith, Pres.
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BRANCH 70 LEGION BINGO
—To be held Thursday, March 10, at 8 p.m. in Lachute Legion Hall. Jackpots and special prizes. Proceeds for Legion community activities. xc

BINGO
— At the Knights of Columbus Hall, Lafleur Street, Lachute, on Tuesday, March 15. Cash prizes, treasure hunt, special games. Admission, $1. xc

EUCHRE PARTY
— At the Legion Hall on Thursday, March 3, mixed. Everyone welcome. xc

ST. PATRICK'S SQUARE DANCE
— At Lachute Orange Hall, on March 5, sponsored by Junior Lodge. Music by the Silvertones. Adm. 75c. Everyone welcome. F16.M22.p

LACHUTE WOMEN'S INSTITUTE
— The annual meeting of the Lachute Women's Institute will be held on Tuesday, March 8, at 2.30 in the Lachute High School. 1c

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EDITORIAL PAGE

"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

'Common honesty'

THE PHRASE is interesting — common honesty. It says much about the foundation of mutual trust on which the everyday life of Canadians is built. We set out newspapers in a corner box with a pay-slot in one side, and it works. Men and women with expensively acquired skills give us their services first, and bill us afterward. Almost any store will extend credit easily and quickly. The director of the Accounts Department of a large retail establishment says that, except for a hard core of deliberate chisellers (perhaps 5% of the clientele), most people are reasonably good risks.

Unhappily, though, dishonesty is not as rare as we'd like to think. There are indications that it is on the increase. Shop-lifting, for instance. Prior to the Christmas buying spree, merchants expected a heavy wave of pilfering. There was such a demand for security services from firms like Pinkerton's, who keep a watchful eye on slippery-fingered customers, that one newspaper commented, "The private eyes never had it so good." The majority of these petty thieves are women, who pick up little items and tuck them into their clothing.

Male dishonesty shows up differently. A repairman offers his customer a discount if he doesn't care about a receipt. Often the former jumps at the bargain; after all, it's only the government that loses. Not long ago a psychiatrist remarked that one of the chief subjects discussed at the parties he attended was how to beat the income tax.

People who wouldn't think of stealing from an individual, not only take 'souvenirs' from hotels, deceive Customs Officers, and knowingly break the laws — they boast about it.

Perhaps the stream of 'give-aways' and the 'no down payment' techniques of modern selling are to blame for this blunting of the edge of integrity, but whatever the cause, individuals should take a sharp look at their own habits. We all have a stake in common honesty. Sooner or later, we are the victims if it disappears. It is a precious commodity. Let's not lose it.

Lurking inflation

THE COST-OF-LIVING index reached a record 141.2 at the end of January, according to a recent report from the Dominion Bureau of Statistics, representing a rise of slightly more than 3% over what it was last year at the same time. In addition, the latest available data show that average industrial wages and salaries rose by some 6 per cent between November 1964 and November 1965.

While these statistics may not give immediate cause for alarm, they do indicate an economic condition that should be carefully watched, for they signal lurking inflation. In the years ahead, Canada's products will have to move into domestic and international markets under increasingly competitive conditions, if we are to achieve sustained and balanced economic growth. Canada cannot afford, therefore, to have its competitive position eroded by ever-mounting costs. Nor can Canadians, particularly those with fixed incomes such as pensioners, afford ever-rising prices.

The real way to combat the danger of inflation is through increased productivity — more and better products at lower unit costs. Only with increased productivity can Canada's economic growth be sustained for the benefit of all Canadians.

Facts need moral ballast

CONTEMPORARY Canadians have a naive faith in facts. Just know how some process takes place and your troubles are over, seems to be the theory. Watching the manner in which a couple of films are being shown to high school students in various places, one wonders . . .

The first deals with human reproduction, the second with venereal disease. Both are well done. They contain accurate information, skillfully presented. There the instruction stops. Through them, health educators believe they are successfully attacking serious social problems . . . What problems? To know how conception takes place and how a foetus develops is useful, but to assume blithely that the possession of this information will prevent illegitimacy and hasty, ill-advised marriages, followed by broken homes, is sheer nonsense.

Similarly with the film on VD. The symptoms are illustrated. Information is given that cures are available, and where to get them. Any student infected now or in the future might seek help because of the picture. So far, so good . . . Such knowledge, however, will no more prevent the diseases than the ability to multiply and divide will keep a bank-teller honest.

The crux of sex problems lies not primarily in the facts at an individual's command, but in the values he holds, and the support or denial of these values by his family and society. Until educators are concerned again about ethics, all the information under heaven will not staunch the misery caused by the irresponsible satisfaction of our God-given instincts.

The surges of sex are powerful and new to the adolescent. Unless we give him some sort of plumbline, a sense of responsibility to those of the opposite sex, and the conviction that his procreative capacities should be disciplined and channelled, our probation officers and our social workers will continue to be inundated.

Lifting the age barrier

LABOR MINISTER Leslie Rowntree of Ontario has introduced legislation aimed to prevent job discrimination because of age.

It provides that no business shall discriminate against an employee between 40 and 65 by refusing to employ him or by dismissing him on the grounds of age.

It also is designed to prohibit discrimination based on age in connection with membership in a trade union. It is aimed to prevent a trade union from excluding, expelling or suspending anyone because of his age.

Fines of up to $500 are provided for violations.

The idea is excellent. The suggestion that a man or woman starts to decline in intelligence and ability on reaching the age of 40 makes no sense.

But the legislation raises obvious difficulties. Who is to determine whether an employer is discriminating against an employee because he really is falling down on the job?

The legislation will be supervised by the province's Human Rights Commission. It recognizes that problems may arise, stipulating that if the commission is unable to settle a dispute, a board of inquiry may be appointed. But if the commission is stymied, is there any guarantee that a board of inquiry can solve the dilemma?

There seems to be no good reason why a person between 45 and 65 years old should not change his job or obtain promotion as easily as a younger person, other things being equal.

If the Ontario legislation will make for better use of the skills of the 40-and-over group, it will have accomplished something worth while.

Perhaps Ontario should next tackle the problem of those aged 65 and up. It would be interesting to find out how much intelligence and experience are going to waste through the widespread custom of compulsory retirement at 65.

Too often the man or woman suddenly placed on the shelf after a lifetime of hard work simply runs down. This is especially true in cases where the individual has concentrated on his job and has not developed outside interests or hobbies.

In a world growing constantly more complex, we need to harness all the brainpower available, regardless of age. However difficult it may be to enforce, the Ontario legislation is a step in the right direction.

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OVER THE YEARS *with The Lachute Watchman*

80 YEARS AGO

February, 1886 —

The Odd Fellows of Montreal now have a 30-man fife and drum band.

London — The Marquis of Lorne has accepted the position of Hon. Commissioner for Canada at the coming Colonial Exhibition.

Contract for the repair of Barron's Bridge was given to O. B. Lafleur for $300.95 — this being the lowest tender.

Early Ploughing. — Ploughing commenced at Medicine Hat in the West last week (Feb. 8) and several farmers were engaged in the work.

The congregation of St. Simeon's Church has decided to hold a grand festival and fancy fair on July 1 in aid of the church and parsonage fund.

Carillon — The Drill Hall is being prepared for the coming fancy dress carnival. Decoration of the rink will do much credit to our enterprising young resident, Mr. Forbes, who is the leading spirit in all local sports.

Pte. Fortune — The Northwest and Atlantic Rly. is again being discussed, and doubts are expressed whether the whole thing is but another political dodge.

If you smoke in bed, the ashes you leave may be your own.

50 YEARS AGO

February, 1916 —

We have installed a machine to attach rubber tires, so bring along your rigs early. — H. St. Jacques, Foundry Street. (Advt.)

Mayor G. F. Calder, Town Secretary J. A. Rice, and Mr. John Hay, were in Quebec relative to the proposed new bridge.

Last week's doings of the Council reported Mr. McArthur to be receiving $32.000 for extension of the water main in the West End. The amount should have read $3,200. . . By-law No. 85 authorizing bread to be sold in Lachute by the pound, was declared read for the first time.

A number of young ladies entertained Wednesday evening at a Leap Year sleigh drive.

Brownsburg — Mr. Wyman MacGibbon has recovered from his recent indisposition and resumed his duties in the factory.

Mr. Consumer: Do you want to make money? Our profit sharing system will do this for you. — Lachute Stores Limited. (Advt.)

Musicians are now being taken on for the Band of the 148th Battalion. Applicants, write Lieut. H. E. Key, 197 Peel St., Montreal.

Sir George Perley, Canada's official representative in the U.K., addressed the Associated Chambers of Commerce meeting in London, urging closer trade relations.

25 YEARS AGO

February, 1941 —

The new consolidated school at Grenville — said to be the finest of its kind in the province — opened this week.

Lieut. George Perley-Robertson and Lieut. Alex Perley-Robertson, of Rockliffe, grandsons of the late Sir George Perley, are serving with the R.C.A. at Petawawa.

St. Jerome — A man and a woman were found guilty here of practicing medicine illegally. The man was sentenced to a fine of $100 and costs for attempting to "heal" patients with prayer at a cost from 75c to $1 per treatment. The woman, from Oka, received a $50 fine and costs.

War Sidelight. — A London East End laborer, blasted out of his home three months ago in an air raid, has spent his nights since then in a 400-year-old stone coffin in the crypt of a church.

Work is progressing on the steel structure for the new Rouge Bridge at Pte. au Chene.

An organization called the "Never Again Society" has been formed in England with the object of ensuring peace terms that will "once and for all prevent organization of the German people for war."

SIGNIFICANT

A product can be small, yet very important in Canada's export picture. The Department of Trade and Commerce cites fountain pens, with 1965 exports of more than $500,000, as an example.

SUGAR AND SPICE
by Bill Smiley



The Music Madness

George is the Custodial Superintendent at our illiteracy factory. (It used to be called head janitor.) I congratulated him the other day. His wife had "done well," as we say, in a music theory exam.

He shook his head. He swore. Then, "It'd drive you up the wall. If I ever get married again, it won't be to a musician."

There isn't much chance of the former, as he's a grandfather. But I was deeply in sympathy with his conclusion.

It was obvious that George had had to help his wife prepare for her exam. It was on the history of music. They ask you questions like, "What instrument did Eli Schwartzkopf play in the Brandenburg Symphony Orchestra on April eleventh, 1801, when Napoleon Bonaparte was staying in the city overnight, with his second wife, on the way to the battle of Austerlitz?"

But this isn't the worst of it. A chap can stand a couple of weeks of helping his wife memorize such great universal truths, and weather it.

What really gets him on his knees is putting up with the old lady as the exams draw near. Kids go through examinations with the aplomb of ducks taking a bath. But middle-aged ladies don't, especially when they haven't written an exam in years.

About three weeks before the exam, they begin to neglect family, house and themselves. A week later, they become nervous. In the final week, they have moved from high C to hysteria. On the day of the exam, it takes tears, tea, tranquilizers, and sometimes a good shot of brandy, before they can be pushed into the examination hall, where they sit twitching like old fighter pilots until the papers are given out.

I don't know the details, but I suspect George went through something like the above, and I echo his sentiments, loud and clear. If I ever get married again, I want a girl who thinks a sweet potato is about the finest musical instrument that ever hit the market.

Do you know what a bane is? Well, that's what music has been in my life, for the past decade.

Oh, I know. Every family has its little problem, its skeleton in the recreation room, its dirt under the wall-to-wall. Drinking, health, poverty, divorce, insanity, stupidity, delinquents. With our family, it's music.

People think I am carried away by emotion when I start to sob at a symphony concert. They're right. But it's not the beauty of the music that makes me break down. It's the trouble it has caused, and the money it has cost in the last 10 years.

I used to love music, in a simple joyous, uncomplicated way. I used to whistle while I worked and walked. Everything from Greensleeves, through Ein Kleine Nachtmusik to Porgy and Bess. By ear. I liked Stardust and Stravinsky and I'll Be Down to Get You in a Taxi, Honey.

Then the kids started taking piano lessons. And I started trying to look intelligent when people talked about sonatinas and concertos and scherzos and dynamics and all that (you should pardon the expression) jazz.

We fight about the left hand being too loud. We scream at each other about the kids not practising. We go into tantrums about recitals and festivals.

Ten years and more than $10,000 later, nobody in my family can play the national anthem without three weeks of preparation. The record player rocks to The Beatles and Bob Dylan. We have to snatch the harmonica and guitar away from the kids. I would like to meet Johann Sebastian Bach on a dark night and strangle him. With a Beethoven sonata. G. string Minor.

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THIS WEEK AND NEXT
by Ray Argyle



Days Of Easy Money

To the housewife watching prices go up on bread, milk and other foods, to the worker looking at his reduced take-home pay because of pension deductions, and to the employer searching for revenue to meet wage demands, it seemed this week as if the price spiral might be getting out of hand.

The steady rise in prices and wages of the past several years has cushioned Canadians to the idea of creeping inflation. But in recent weeks, it seemed the price increases that are normally spread over many months were coming all at once.

Has the boom become too hot to handle? Have the days of easy money — for most, but not all Canadians — reached their point of reckoning?

Despite Prime Minister Pearson's statement that the Government has no intention of introducing premature measures against inflation, there is mounting wonder across the country if the time has not arrived to slow down the boom before it becomes a bust.

The PM made reassuring comments in receiving a delegation from the Canadian Labor Congress. The Congress was in Ottawa to tell the government they have been able to find no evidence of inflation in Canada. There is no need for price or wage restraints, the CLC told the government.

It would have been politically embarrassing for Mr. Pearson to have answered any differently. Facing inflation is like pitching a no-hit ball game. You don't talk about it until after the ninth inning.

But ironically, another labor delegation showed up in Ottawa at about the same time. Quebec's Confederation of National Trade Unions went before the Cabinet to argue in favor of a federal price control board. Companies wishing to increase prices would have to justify them before getting approval.

Short of wartime conditions, such a proposal is unacceptable to Canadians. But there was somewhat more merit in the CNTU's reminder that wage increases are not always the main cause of price boosts. They are not, although they are a convenient blame.

Inflation usually occurs when manufacturing industries are operating close to capacity, and when there is enough purchasing power around so that people will pay higher prices, even though they gripe while doing so.

Exactly this situation applies in Canada today.

In addition, the expansion of government spending and welfare programs is generating more consumer purchasing power. The new purchasing power is coming not out of higher earnings from a more productive economy, but from re-distribution of money from taxpayers who would normally save a portion of their income, to citizens with such low incomes that they must immediately spend any benefits received.

Ottawa's 1966-67 spending program will reach almost $10 billion. Mr. Pearson accepts an old age pension increase as "inevitable." Whether further tax increases can be avoided depends not only on whether the economy continues to boom (in which case we might get away without major increases) but on what fiscal policy the government adopts.

If Ottawa decides that inflation is a threat, it could opt for austerity by raising taxes to curb spending power; by instituting credit controls requiring substantial down payments for anything bought on time; and by using the Bank of Canada to raise interest rates and so curb borrowings.

These measures would be exceedingly unpopular. It is to be hoped they won't be needed. An inflation of two per cent. per year is apparently acceptable to present- day economists. But if prices continue to rise this year at the rate they have through January and February, we could be over the two per cent. mark by fall.

Thus, it is the rate of increase which must be watched. Food prices, for example, have increased 36 per cent. in Canada since 1949 but wages went up 117 per cent. in the same period. No one will get hurt at that rate. The overall cost of living index has risen 43 per cent. since 1949, but workers are much better off today than 17 years ago. Average industrial wages rose by more than six per cent. in the last year alone.

About all we can do is relax and enjoy the days of easy money — and hope they don't get too easy.

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District NEWS

FROM OUR COUNTY CORRESPONDENTS

Avoca

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Bates visited their mother, Mrs. Sandy Bates, on Saturday evening.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Eddy Andrews during the week-end were Mr. and Mrs. Noel Cormier, of Montreal, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Provencal and son, Tony, and Miss Lois Provencal, of Grenville, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Mahon, of Vankleek Hill, Mr. Irving Crawford, Gerry Graham, Mrs. Everett Young, Maria and Malcolm, of Avoca, and Mr. Claude Andrews, of Montreal.

Word was received here on Sunday of the death of Mr. George Stewart, in Port Arthur, Ont. Sympathy from this community is extended to his sister, Miss Mary Jane Stewart, and his brothers, Stephen, Albert and Joe.

Mrs. Bernard Amyott, from Prescott, Ont., spent last week with her sister, Mrs. Wyman Arthurs and Mr. Arthurs. Mr. and Mrs. Owen Young and family, of Lake Louisa, were Sunday guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Andrews, of Ottawa, spent the week-end with their mother, Mrs. George Andrews.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Kelly and family, of Boucherville, Que., and Mr. Mark Bates, spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Bates.

Congratulations and best wishes from friends in this community are extended to Mr. and Mrs. Hughie Brown, who were married in Hawkesbury last Saturday.

Friends of Mr. Germain Champagne, of Pte. au Chene, are sorry to hear of his sudden illness, which has confined him to hospital in the Smith Clinic at Hawkesbury. Best wishes are extended for his speedy recovery.

Mrs. Alvin Campbell and Nancy, of Lachute, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Dobbie and Mrs. Sandy Bates.

Many from here attended the sliding and skiing party at Mr. Egon Vadderodt's Restaurant on Sunday, and despite very mild weather, had an enjoyable time.

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Mr. and Mrs. Larry Fox, Miss Catherine Nixon and Mr. George Young visited with Mr. Winston Nixon, who underwent surgery for his eyes in the Notre Dame Hospital, Montreal.

Little Evan Fox, of Kilmar, spent a few days visiting with Miss Catherine Nixon and Mr. Nixon.

Grenville

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Louch and Mr. Percy Amsden, of N.D.G., and Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Amsden, of Rosemount, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Mimee.

Mrs. Vernon Farrell, of Arnprior, Ont., Mrs. Manford Brydges, of Galetta, Ont., and Mr. Harold Birch, of Hammond, Ont., were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Corl Gauley. Sunday guests were Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Bigelow and son, Brent, and Mrs. Lyman Paige, of Calumet.

Miss Audrey Johnson, of Montreal, was a recent guest of Miss Helen Welden.

Service in St. Matthew's Anglican Church on Sunday morning was conducted by Mr. Geo. Long, of Montreal, student minister. Mr. Long will be officiating for the next two Sundays. . . Later Mr. and Mrs. Long were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Matthew.

Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Robert and son, Billy, of Brownsburg, were Sunday guests of Mrs. Guy Villeneuve and Mr. and Mrs. Déas Dupuis.

Mrs. John Owans spent a few days in Montreal.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Léon Forget were Mr. and Mrs. William Curren and daughter, Debbie, also Mrs. Cleland, of Dalesville, Miss Sandra McAndrew and Miss Betty Gain, Miss Joanne Wilson and Mr. William Owen, of Lachute.

Courage doesn't consist in feeling no fear, but in conquering fear.

Kilmar

Mrs. Roy Elliott and daughter, Andrea, spent some time here recently with Mrs. Elliott's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Moncrieff.

Mrs. T. Savage motored to Montreal on Sunday, with Mr. Roy Thompson of Calumet, to visit her husband, Treffly Savage, who is a patient in the Montreal General Hospital. Friends here wish him a speedy recovery.

We are glad to report that Mrs. Walter Dewar is home again, after her recent operation at the Smith Clinic. Friends wish her continued good health.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Wereley and daughter, Jennifer, motored to Montreal last Tuesday.

Mr. John Purcell and Mr. David Purcell motored to Hull, Que., on Monday.

Lake Keatley

Mr. and Mrs. Earl McAndrew, of Montreal, recently spent the week-end with the latter's parents and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Sanford MacVicar and girls called on Mr. and Mrs. Don Hume in Lachute.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Pounden, of Montreal, spent Sunday at their cottage here.

Mr. A. Lauzon recently called on friends in Cornwall, Ont.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Jones, Brian and Sandy, called on the MacVicars. Mr. and Mrs. Richard Jones and Cindy were also their guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Stewart called on his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Stewart.

Deepest sympathy is extended to the wife and relatives of the late George Stewart, of Winnipeg, Man.

Mr. and Mrs. Lighthall, of Montreal, visited their cottage last Sunday at Slavery Lake.

Mabel

Miss Lisa Gauthier, of Pointe aux Trembles, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Beauchamp.

Week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Clark were their son, Wayne, and Miss Edith Curry, of Macdonald College.

Mr. and Mrs. Perley Clark and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Fraser, at Ste. Anne de Prescott, Ont.

A word to operators of Skidoos and similar vehicles: Please remember that farmers must use their horses on their farms during the winter, and find the loud noise of the motors frightening to the animals.

Friends of Mrs. Kenneth Greely are sorry to learn that she is a patient in the Smith Clinic, Hawkesbury. We wish her a speedy recovery.

The sympathy of this community is extended to the family of the late Mrs. Alfred Graves.

If we don't stand up for something, we may fall for anything.

Eastern Breeders' herd conception efficiency contest

Clinton Murdoch, of Brownsburg, has been recognized as having the high herd for conception efficiency in the 30 cows, under competition established by Eastern Breeders Incorporated for Lachute area.

Albert Oswald, of Lachute, R.R. 2, has received similar recognition for herds of 31 cows and over.

They have each received a certificate indicating these accomplishments, plus a free service from one of E.B.I. Sires.

The 30-60 day conception in these two herds was 85% and 75% respectively.

Following these winners were the herds of Louis George St. Jacques, Lachute, with a conception efficiency of 77%, and Ernest Lacasse, Lachute, with 68%. These two herd managers will each receive a free service in their herds.

These are not necessarily the highest conception herds in the Lachute district, as they were the only entries.

These men are to be complimented for their efforts and ability, applied to the reproductive efficiency in their herds.

The top two herds in all entries in the E.B.I. service area will be established, and the owners recognized, at the annual meeting to be held at Kemptville Agricultural School, on March 22.

The purpose of the competition is to stimulate interest in reproductive efficiency and several conceptions for comparison in in breeders' herds.

Other reports were presented at Lachute annual meeting of Eastern Breeders by President Victor McCalpin, of Gananoque, Assistant Manager Dr. R. G. Smiley, Director of Promotion Mel Thomas, Branch Supervisor Emmanuel Titley, and Mr. Tremblay, agronome.

The meeting was chaired by Harold Wilson, and the slate of officers for 1966 includes — Voting Delegate, Clifford Blair, St. Andrews East; Alternate Delegate, Harold Wilson, Lachute; and Secretary, Emmanuel Titley.

ADVERTISERS, NOTE

Nearly all of a newspaper's circulation is concentrated in its own market area — without overextending into less promising markets.

Country Notebook



By WALKER RILEY, Macdonald College

Send a farmer on a holiday, and you can bet he will spend half his time looking at cows. Our College farm manager, Jim Houston, is no exception. On doctor's orders, Jim took a break and went to Florida. And just how did he spend his time? You guessed it. Not swimming or sword fishing, but looking at cows.

Jim came back quite impressed by his visit to the world's largest dairy farm, which, he tells us, started from one family cow.

We found Jim's account so interesting, we asked him if you could share it. Here it is:

"I had the very good fortune to have a friend drive me out towards Jacksonville to see the country, and like a lot of trips we take in our own country, we find a lot of very poor land, swampy and very sandy. Some of this land has been cleared and replanted in pine trees.

"Most of the small farms are in poor condition and you will see a lot of very poor and thin cattle, which are cross-breds, and are all colours (mostly beef) with the odd milk cow which I imagine is to supply their own needs.

"The land there is very flat and a lot of farmers have acres of land in market gardening crops, such as cabbages and Brussels sprouts. This land is heavily limed and fertilized and the crops are grown in hills.

"On our way to Green Cove Springs where the Gustafson Dairy Farm is located, we did pass a large Aberdeen Angus herd which I would guess would have about a thousand head and they were in good condition.

"The Gustafson Dairy Farm was started in 1908 with Mrs. Gustafson buying one cow to supply milk for her growing family. The farm is now run by her three sons. They have 7000 acres and have a milking herd of 7000 cows and are milking 6000 head a day. The farm is divided in two by a highway. The milking herd is kept on one side and the dry cows on the other. They also make some hay on the side where they keep the dry cows.

"This farm is the biggest private dairy operation in the world. The farm buildings consist of a large office, a bottling plant and three long one-storey milking barns which hold 449 head at a time. The milking starts at 7.30 a.m. and continues until 4.30 next a.m. The cows are kept in a number of pastures so that they are milked at their respective times and I would imagine are also grouped according to the stage of their lactation. They have men on horseback bringing the cattle into the holding pens. Here they are checked and marked on their hips with colour markings for any abnormalities.

"All their cattle are bred artificially. They used to raise between 2000 to 3000 heifers a year on milk replacer. These calves were kept in individual pens until they were weaned and old enough to go on pasture. This they found too costly and are now selling all their calves to farmers at birth and are buying all their replacements from these farmers as two or three year-olds just about ready to calve. All replacement cattle purchased are kept separate until they are found healthy and satisfactory.

"All the grain is purchased and is delivered to the farm in large semi-trailer trucks. The cattle are getting up to 40 lbs. of meal per day and when the pastures are poor they are fed hay in racks in each pasture. Most of the hay is purchased by truckload from neighboring states.

"They have 300 employees at this farm, this includes the men employed in the bottling plant. Their milking procedure is similar to ours, they have the pine line milker but do not keep milk records from each cow. After each group is milked the stalls are hosed down. Then the next group is brought in and they use the hose to wash the udder and legs; before the milker is put on, the udder is dried off with a sponge.

"In the bottling plant they have 12000 gal. holding tanks. They sell homogenized milk which always contains 4% to 5% butter fat; skim milk; sweet chocolate milk; butter milk; coffee cream; whipping cream; and half and half cream. These products are put up in cartons, gallons, pints, and half pints. These are sold to retail stores.

"Last year they had a total milk yield of 6,438,000 gals. and are trying for 7,000,000 gals. this year. They have three breeds on the farm with the majority being Holsteins, then Jerseys and Guernseys.

"This farm is strictly operated as a commercial unit and nothing is elaborate."

Restrictions on crop use of insecticides

Ottawa — Farmers who intend to use aldrin or dieldrin on their crops this year should check container labels carefully.

Changes have been made in the requirements governing the sale of these pesticides to ensure that residues do not turn up in livestock products such as meat and milk.

Aldrin and dieldrin may not be sold for use on any crop, including forage, that is likely to be fed to animals. The restriction takes in all root crops, including turnips.

Aldrin and dieldrin may still be used on specified crops for direct human consumption, as use as permitted does not result in residues that would be objectionable under the Food and Drugs Act.

Soil and seed treatments are permitted where a crop is grown for seed and where no part of the crop will be fed to animals. Soil treatments are not to be used where root crops are in rotation.

Use of aldrin and dieldrin in fertilizers for farm use is no longer permitted.

The Feeds Act prohibits the sale of feed containing these insecticides.

The agricultural chemical industry and provincial extension agencies were advised of the new requirements, under the Pest Control Products Act, affecting aldrin and dieldrin in August 1965 to provide ample time for label changes for 1966.

The United States Department of Agriculture recently announced similar regulation changes affecting aldrin and dieldrin.



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A great bowl of steaming hot chowder is a meal in itself, the kind you will enjoy on cold, blustery days. Rich in vegetables, tender pieces of meat or fish and milk or full-flavored stock, it is hearty enough to satisfy the most ravenous appetites.

— Canada Department of Agriculture, Ottawa

Chowder — meal-in-a-dish

Canadians from coast to coast enjoy that hearty "meal in a dish" — chowder. It's usually a marvellous mixture of potatoes with fish or meat, other vegetables, seasoned with bits of bacon or pork, and of course, a pinch from the spice shelf. Sometimes milk is added, sometimes tomatoes. Any way you say it or make it, it's a wonderfully savory and delicious dish and one of the easiest and most natural ways to include vegetables in daily winter menus.

Chowder seems to be even more delicious when ladled from a tureen or casserole into mugs, large cups, or small baking dishes and served with garlic or crusty, toasted crackers, and cheese. With a crisp vegetable salad, and fruit, it makes a satisfying meal.

The home economists of the Consumer Section offer a selection of wonderfully hearty chowders, the kind that mother used to make.

Potato Chowder

1½ Cups sliced onions, ½ cup diced celery, ¾ cup sliced carrots, 1 clove garlic (crushed), 3 tablespoons butter, 4 cups diced potatoes, 2 cups water, 2 chicken bouillon cubes, 1½ teaspoons salt, ¼ teaspoon pepper, ¼ teaspoon tarragon, ¼ cup chopped parsley, 2 cups milk, ½ cup grated Cheddar cheese.

Sauté onions, celery, carrots and garlic in butter until onions are transparent, about 10 minutes. Add potatoes, water and bouillon cubes. Stir until cubes dissolve, add seasonings, cover and simmer until potatoes are tender, about 15 minutes. Add milk and heat without boiling. Serve, sprinkled with grated cheese. Makes about 10 cups.

Potato and Fish Chowder

2 Tablespoons butter, ¾ cup thinly sliced onion, ½ cup diced celery, 2 cups diced, raw potatoes, ½ cup sliced carrots, 2 cups boiling water, 1 teaspoon salt, ⅛ teaspoon pepper, 1 pound fish fillets, 2 cups milk.

Sauté onion and celery in butter. Add potatoes, carrots, water and seasoning. Cover and simmer until tender 10-15 minutes longer. Add fish cut into bite-size pieces, and cook 10 minutes longer. Add milk. Reheat but do not boil; 6 servings.

School problems

There was a time when it was glorifying to be a dunce at school. It is not so today, and one does not hear any more humorous songs about the drop-out.

School success, in the social and economic context, becomes of primary importance, and nobody even dreams of laughing at it. As a matter of fact, one is deeply concerned about it.

Not a single factor is neglected in the analysis of the drop-out; the intelligence, the sensory and motor factors, the emotional state, and the role of home and school environment.

Strangely enough unless the infant manifests overt difficulties, as in the case of deafness, the censory factors are often the last to be considered. As well, one sees infants developing visual deformations, under the very noses of parents, however attentive. It is because visual problems are not always perceptible to the layman and one doesn't think of consulting an optometrist.

Quite definitely, a school drop-out is always a particular case. It is thus, that none of the previously mentioned factors should be ignored.

SEX SPOILS CAREER

Montreal (CP) — "Being a woman is still a big handicap," said Mrs. J. M. Minifie, wife of the CBC's Washington correspondent, on a visit here. A professional portrait-painter, Mrs. Minifie says she has often lost a commission when the subject found out she is a woman. "They don't even look at my work. As soon as they find out I'm a woman, that's it."



For Parents Only

A Weekly Feature of Helpful Hints on Child Training.

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Conquering Fear

— By NANCY CLEAVER —

"Paul, don't be a coward! See how well Tom can ski! What if you do have a tumble? You won't hurt yourself."

No parent wants his child to be a coward. How often a father is annoyed at his son's hesitation to risk physical harm in outdoor activity. He wants his boy to excel in sports and not be a "sissy."

How can Paul's father help his boy? Shaming him by his chum's prowess likely won't work. Urging him against his will to take a jump or go down the big slide will only meet with resistance. Paul's father will have to give him encouragement and build up the boy's confidence gradually.

A little praise is a help, so long as Paul is making a real effort and showing some improvement.

Long before a child reaches school age, parents are puzzled as to how to make them courageous. There are only two fears which seem to come into the world with an infant — the rest are acquired. Babies are startled by the sensation of falling and by loud noises.

Small children show fear of various things — the dark, animals, thunder and lightning, dreams about wild animals or burglars.

Quarreling in a family, especially between parents can be most upsetting for children. Violent scenes when a parent overindulges in alcohol is likely to cause terrible anxiety. When divorce or death suddenly removes a beloved father or mother, children in a family are in special need of love and re-assurance.

One of the best ways parents can give a child practical help is by listening to him while he talks about the things which scare him. At bedtime, when he is feeling secure and has Mummy all to himself, often a youngster will confide to her his fears. The opportunity to bring his troubles out into the open, often makes them seem not nearly so terrifying.

Parents should not use fear to make a child behave with such threats as these: "If you do that again, the Big Policeman will catch you," or "The Bogey man will get you if you are bad." Too severe physical punishment is another basis for lack of courage.

It is true that a certain amount of fear is necessary for safety. A child should be taught the danger of being run down on a busy street or of being burned if he plays with matches. He should be trained to "Stop, Look and Listen" before he steps on the road, as well as proper fire precautions.

A child must not be shamed or criticized for being afraid. Rather let him feel that fear is a natural thing which many children experience, but it can be mastered. Be reassuring but casual.

Some fears are acquired from parents. Mother is afraid of snakes; her little daughter quickly considers that all snakes are harmful. If she fears a natural phenomenon such as thunder and lightning, perhaps she has "caught" this from her mother's own attitude. Together they might find out in a Child's Science Book information about reptiles or what happens during a storm. As understanding grows, fear lessens.

Teatime Topics

By Jean Sharp

Toast isn't just hot bread . . . Toasting removes some of the moisture, of course, and it converts some of the starch of bread into simpler carbohydrates. The calorie count stays the same, about 60 per slice.

The best toast is made with bread that is at least 24 hours old. Frozen bread can go straight from freezer to toaster, but will need a bit of extra toasting time.

The best way to keep toast hot is not by stacking it, but by putting slices on a rack in a warm oven until they are to be served.

When you're serving it, if you put it on a warm plate and wrap it in a napkin, the napkin will absorb some of the steam and help to keep the toast crisp.

Waffle Sandwiches

You can make toasted sandwiches for a party or just for a change in the waffle iron.

For six olive-cheese sandwiches, combine one cup grated Canadian cheese, ¼ cup chopped ripe olives, two tablespoons chopped pimento, two teaspoons prepared mustard, ½ teaspoon salt, ¼ teaspoon finely-grated onion, ¼ cup soft butter.

Butter 12 slices of bread and spread with mixture to make six sandwiches. Butter outside of bread and toast in a pre-heated waffle iron.

For six tuna sandwiches make the mixture of ½ cup flaked tuna, two tablespoons chopped celery, two tablespoons chopped green pepper, two tablespoons sweet pickle relish, two tablespoons mayonnaise, ½ cup soft butter and make sandwiches as above.

Heat Longer

If you make sandwiches ahead of time and freeze them, they should be toasted twice to heat them completely. For a crowd, you can arrange them in a shallow pan and put them in a 350-degree oven for five minutes or until they are hot.

You can make French toast either in the oven or the waffle maker. For eight slices, combine two slightly beaten eggs, ¼ cup milk, ¼ teaspoon salt, one tablespoon sugar.

If you are making it in the oven, place slices on a well-greased cookie sheet and brown at 450 degrees for about 10 minutes on first side, then turn and continue browning until done.

For twelve slices of a fluffy cheese toast, combine ½ cup mayonnaise, one teaspoon prepared mustard, a dash of salt, 1½ cups grated Canadian cheese, and two stiffly-beaten egg whites.

Spread two tablespoons of mixture on each slice of toast. Place toast, spread side up, on ungreased cookie sheet and toast under low broiler heat for five minutes or until mixture puffs and browns. Serve at once.

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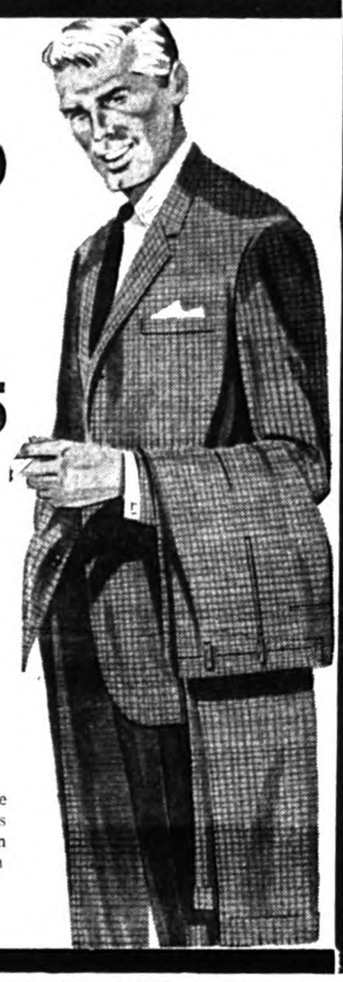

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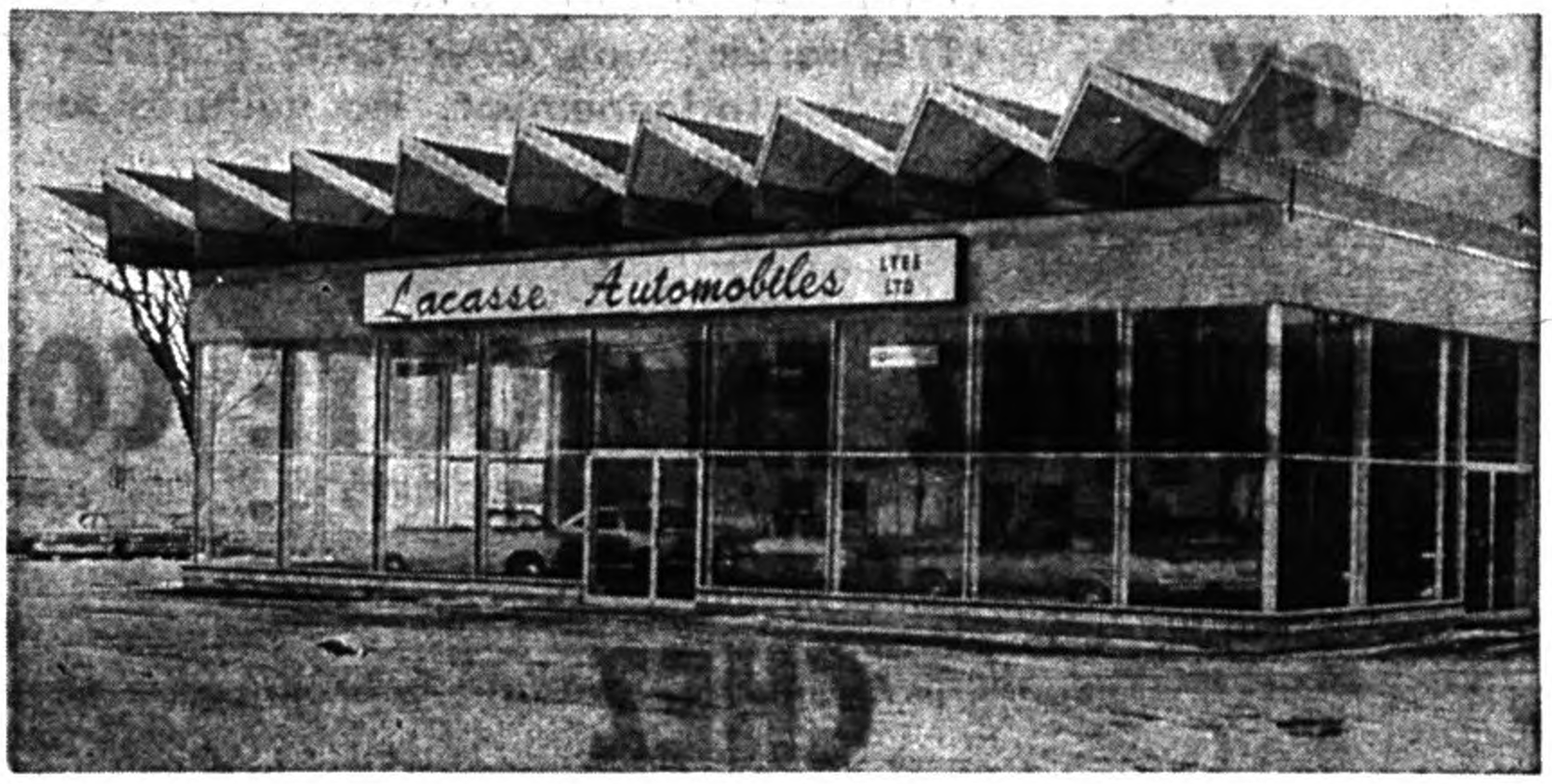

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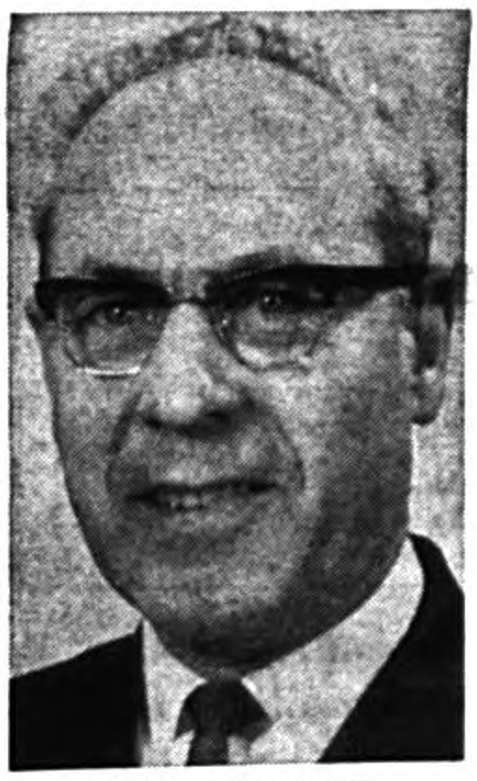

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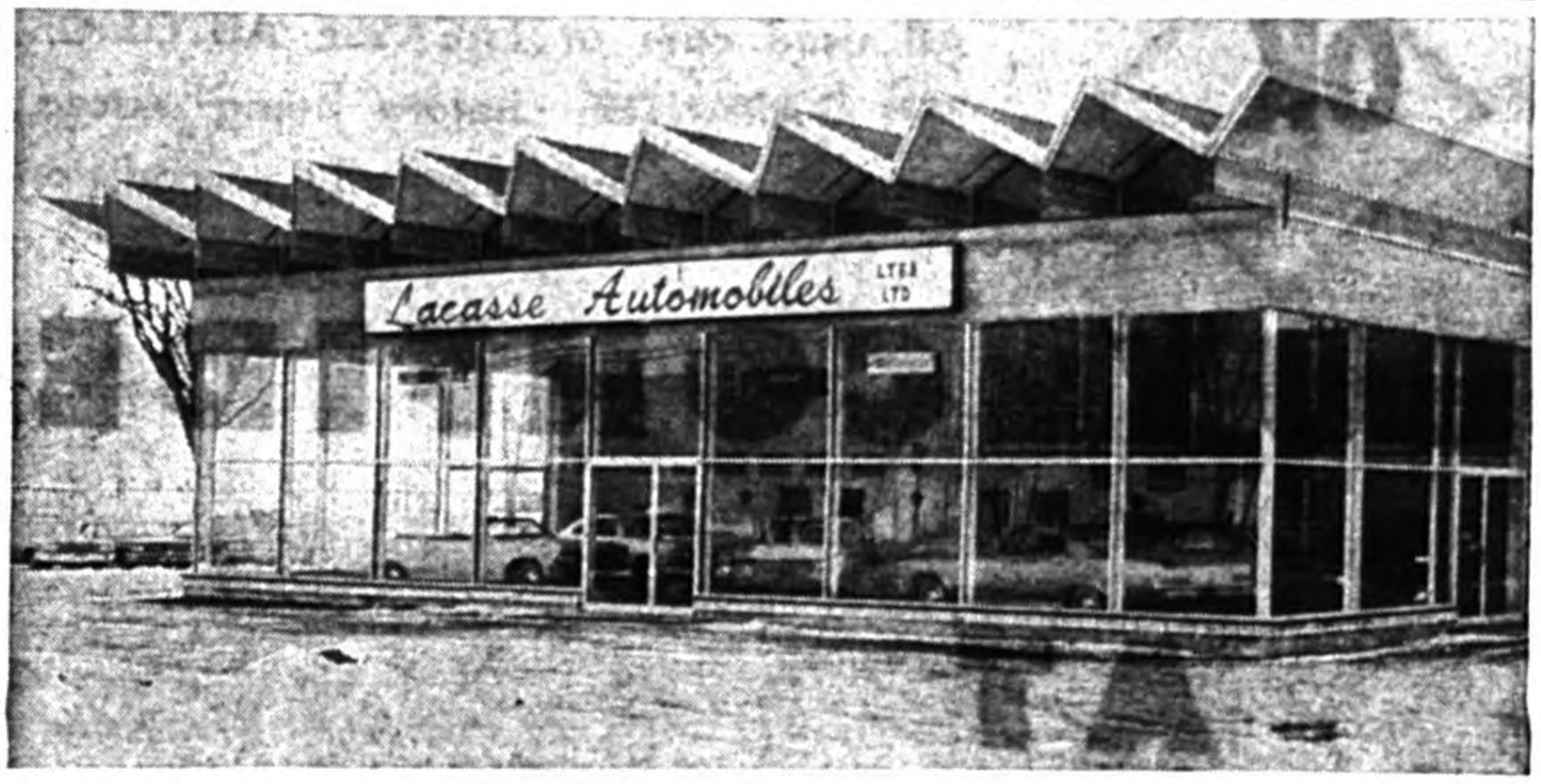

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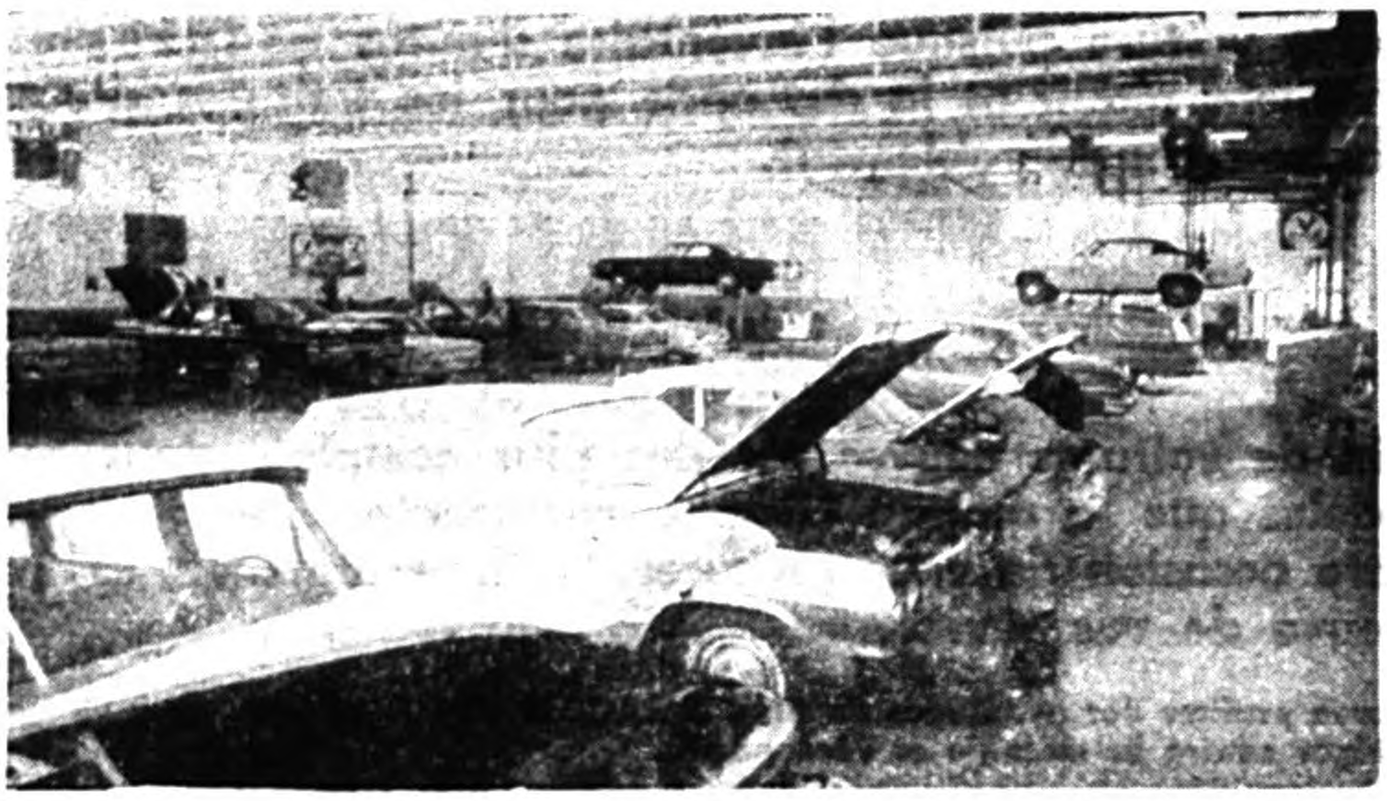

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Commissioner L. Armstrong lauds efficiency of town police force

In presenting the police report for February at the Council table last week, Commissioner Linton Armstrong took occasion to pay high tribute to the police force, and particularly to Chief Réal Chartrand and Detective Claude Beaulieu.

Special commendation was paid to these officers for their work on the Jos. Malaket & Fils clothing store robbery, in which $14,000 worth of goods were taken February 23. Quick apprehension of one of the culprits in Montreal North led to his formal charge, also to the arrest of another man, wanted by other police authorities in the province. All this was accomplished only 30 hours after the local robbery.

Commissioner Armstrong praised Chief Chartrand as a conscientious officer concerned not only with his own efficiency but also with the good repute of the local force. "He works many hours overtime each week without pay, besides which, he frequently uses his own car on the job. And for these reasons I recommend that Council give him a $100 bonus — similarly $25 to Detective Beaulieu who also frequently uses his own automobile, due to the fact that the second patrol car is almost beyond the stage of usefulness."

Ald. Armstrong's recommendations were accepted.

Further to affairs of the police department, Cst. Claude Descoeurs was promoted to the rank of sergeant, with pay increase to be effective as soon as Lachute has authorization to extend its police service to cover Ayersville.

Police and Fire Reports

During February the police force received 194 service calls and investigated 34 accidents. There were 30 investigations of other cases, and 15 arrests. Revenues in the month amounted to $847.

The report from Fire Chief Don MacCulloch listed five calls upon the brigade, three in Lachute and two in Ayersville, with total losses estimated at $1,175. Principal causes were chimney fires. Revenues of the department were $250 and expenses $201.

Montreal woman on 'Wanted' list arrested here

Gisèle Leblanc, 34, a Montreal night club dancer, was arrested and held by municipal police here Sunday evening, and on Monday was turned over to Montreal police officers who have charged her with assault on a constable, among various other offences. The assault charge was laid in connection with an incident in Montreal last November in which police constable Louis Mathieu was blinded in one eye with a broken glass as he attempted to question the woman.

Her arrest in Lachute followed a dispute with her boyfriend who, following a heated discussion, had taken a car registered in her sister's name. The woman reported the incident to the local police and was questioned by Lieut. Réal Arcouette, who recognized her from a "Wanted" photograph he had recently seen. He double-checked the facts, and called Montreal police to see if she was still wanted, after which he placed her under arrest. Among her numerous identification cards and licenses was one carrying the address of a local house which has been vacant for more than a year.

The woman appeared before Judge Edouard Archambault Tuesday and was sentenced to five years in prison. There is presently an action against the same woman and the night club in which she was appearing, in the amount of $77,748, which was instituted by the injured Montreal constable. She was to have been questioned in connection with disturbing the peace when she attacked the policeman.

Police union submits terms of labor contract

The "Fraternité des Policiers de Lachute" (Police Brotherhood) set forth its contract proposals in a lengthy document this past week, for consideration of the Council. The first meeting between the contracting parties will take place shortly.

All members of the local force with exception of the chief (11 altogether) are members of the Brotherhood, having received their charter on December 7, 1965.

Chairman of the local is Cst. Michel Durand; 1st vice-president, Det. Claude Beaulieu; and secretary, Cst. André Lebeau.

Representing the group in negotiations is Mtre. René Beaudry, a Montreal lawyer, while Mtre. Claude Dumais will represent the town. (The latter, a Montreal advocate, is the son of Alderman Dr. R. A. Dumais.)

Easter Seals in the mails

Mailing of Easter Seals is in progress this week, and it is hoped the public will respond generously again this year, on behalf of crippled children. This work is undertaken throughout the community by Lachute Lions Club; and the committeeman in charge, Col. Ernest Emmett, is optimistic for a successful campaign. . . Please enclose your remittance and return the pre-addressed pink envelope.



Regimbal, local M.P., on television —

Four of the newly-elected Members of Parliament appeared recently on the English network CBC program, "The Nation's Business", with Progressive Cons. party leader Rt. Hon. John G. Diefenbaker. Shown here in the TV studio at Ottawa are, left to right — the Rev. David MacDonald, M.P. for Prince Edward Island; Roger Régimbal, M.P. for Argenteuil-Deux Montagnes, Québec; Mr. Diefenbaker; Robert McKinley, M.P. for Huron, Ontario; and Dr. Lewis Brand, M.P. for Saskatoon, Saskatchewan.

Two artists display work at 'Centre'

An interested gathering viewed the opening of the exhibition, at the Centre d'Art last Sunday afternoon, of works by two Canadian artists, Owen Chicoine and Patrick Landsley. The two artists were present for the "vernissage", and were met by members and friends of the Centre d'Art.

Owen Chicoine, a native of Gaspé who was wounded in World War II service, showed abstracts rich in color and texture. He is also a landscapist, and his abstracts are generally Nature-inspired.

Patrick Landsley is a figurative painter, his subjects being stylized, emphatic with bold color contrasts and relief contour.

The exhibition, arranged by the National Gallery of Canada with cooperation of the Quebec Department of Cultural Affairs, continues here until March 20.

Lachute business tax blasted as inequitable

At the Council meeting last week, the business tax received a blast from one of those affected, A. Arthur Lafrance. Mr. Lafrance termed the tax set-up illogical and illegal in certain of its applications, notably as regards those from outside who come into town occasionally to do business.

The complainant asked Council to come out and state the matter clearly, to see if the by-law is legal or illegal.

Replied Mayor Saindon: "This Council cannot declare one of its by-laws illegal, but we already have proof that it is **ultra-vires**, since a court of justice has given a ruling which denies its legality. This has caused refusal of payment on the part of some persons receiving tax bills."

"It's an injustice if local businessmen must pay this tax when non-residents are exempt," said Mr. Lafrance, a land-surveyor by profession. "If the by-law is unsound, let it be amended to make it legal throughout, or else scrap it completely."

Official visit of Dis. Governor to Lions Club

Special guest at the Lions Club last week was District Governor Stan Saunders, who made his official visit to the local group to discuss the service aspects of Lionism and the progress of branches in Zone 8-A, under his jurisdiction.



District Governor Stan Saunders

Mr. Saunders, who is the member of an active Lions group in Beloeil, complimented the Lachute branch as one of the topmost clubs in the Zone by measure of performance. He commended the club on its new Arena and its initiative in promoting minor hockey; its successful efforts in school students' public speaking; and many creditable achievements through the years. He referred with some affection to the District officers who have entered broader fields of Lionism from the Lachute club.

The extent of the Lions movement was illustrated in current figures: 780,000 members, in 19,940 clubs, in 132 countries of the Free World — far larger than the two next most important service clubs combined. "But," continued the speaker, "there is no special merit in bigness, unless something happens because of that bigness." Then, elaborating on the records: "Last year, the Lions carried out and completed 480,000 individual, worthwhile, unselfish community-service projects. ... To us, Service is a motto, a credo, a goal; without it Lionism perishes. We may feel proud to broadcast throughout the world that Lions have done something with their bigness."

The District Governor was introduced by Dr. Eric Mongeon and thanked by Col. Ernest Emmett. President Bob Dixon chaired this successful meeting.

3,000 Hockey pool tickets seized here in police raids

Members of the Montreal squad of the Provincial Police arrested a local resident on Sunday of last week, and, conducting two raids in Lachute and Brownsburg, seized a total of 30,000 hockey pool tickets. The arrested man is scheduled to appear in St. Jerome court on Monday, March 21, along with two other persons who will be served with a summons. Sgt. J. P. Dallaire, officer in charge of the local detachment, indicated that several more arrests would be made.

Local Q.P.P. officers assisted in the investigation, the raids and the arrest.

Continuous Progress Learning, the Ungraded School, topic at H. & S.

The Lachute and District Home and School Association will hold its regular meeting on Wednesday, March 16, at 8.15 p.m. in the Music room of Lachute High School.

Mr. Fred Royal will be the guest speaker, on the topic of "Continuous Progress Learning".

There are many changes taking place in education today, starting at the elementary school level. Mr. Royal will explain the new regulations, to become effective in the school in September 1966.

The Ungraded School, and changes in the Reading program, are of interest and concern to all parents. Parents of pre-school children will also be welcome at this meeting.

Mr. Royal will be happy to hear any opinions or suggestions parents may have regarding the new regulations; he will also answer any questions.

An up-to-date report will also be given on the progress of the Regional School Board.

The Home and School Association is gratified that Mr. Royal is to give this talk, and all parents are urged to attend this informative meeting. It is necessary for parents, particularly of elementary children, to understand fully what is taking place in school; and this is their opportunity to do so.



F. H. J. Royal, Director General of Regional School, speaker at H. & S. Association

Group discussion: place of church in community

At the last mid-week Lenten service in St. Simeon's Anglican Church, the devotional period was followed by an open discussion based on a short sermon read by the Rev. C. R. Lang. The members present participated in discussing such soul-searching questions as these:

1. By what standard do we estimate the success or failure of our church: by the yearly financial report, the number of new members, or by the spiritual life of its membership as shown by an active interest in prayer, Bible reading, concern for the indifferent, careless and the needy in our community?
2. Would our church body impress an outsider that it has a message that can save the world?
3. Would our program be considered trivial?
4. Is our program related to the real issues of life today?

The members expressed deep interest in these matters, and it is hoped that this type of discussion will appeal to many others who were not present, but who are concerned about what sort of witness we are making in our community life.

Conclusions reached by the group were that our church is not fulfilling its true function of leadership in Christian living.

'It's your future' — Careers Expo starting this week at Auditorium

"Careers Expo" — the Dollard des Ormeaux regional school board's careers exhibition for students — aims at helping the youngsters choose a career among the many offered to them in the business world.

"Careers Expo" is being held in two parts: careers for women and careers for men: Careers for women, March 9, 10 and 11 at Lachute Auditorium. . . Careers for men, March 16, 17 and 18, also at the Lachute Auditorium.

This is an excellent initiative, in which Bell Canada is participating because it is conscious of the students' needs for vocational guidance. Besides informing students, the exhibition will reach parents and teachers who play an important role in orienting all students towards a career. Moreover, the public at large will learn more about the jobs and the people in the telephone industry with whom they are in contact once in a while.

One of the most important employers in the country, Bell Canada will explain the many career opportunities for young people in this ever growing communications industry. For women, it will describe the work of the information operator, the supervisor, the chief operator, the office clerk, the typist, the stenographer, the secretary and the service representative.

For male students, it will illustrate different jobs within the engineering, plant, and construction departments. Special emphasis will be placed on the technical side of such jobs and technical knowledge required to hold them.

The many advantages offered to Bell Employees will also be covered, as well as advancement opportunities, qualifications and, most important of all, education required.

Bell Canada encourages students to finish high school and college, if possible. A good education is the best guarantee of success — that's the reason for the theme, "Going to University? Keep us in mind upon graduation."

Company representatives will be on the premises to answer visitors' questions.

Sentiments and Sidelights

(Comments on the Local Scene)

Education Week calls for a reminder on the safety of children riding in school buses. Motorists who disregard the traffic regulations in this respect, are referred to an editorial on page 9, and are advised the police will spare no effort to punish offenders.

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In a team to represent Canada in the 1966 world shooting championships at Weisbaden, Germany, this summer, will be a man formerly of this locality, Robert (Bob) Todd of C-I-L, now in Brampton, Ont.

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Mr. Irving Fuller, of the "Front of Chatham", while looking through some family relics the other day, came across a copy of The Watchman dated October 1, 1880, still in excellent condition. This newspaper was first published in September, 1877.

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Fast on the heels of last week's Watchman came more reports on crows. Thursday morning Bobby Rodger of R.R. 2 phoned in to say he had seen the first arrival in the Lachute Road area, while Col. Ernest Emmett, on the other side of town, saw several crows where his lawn would be when the snow disappeared.

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At the Liberal Convention here next Sunday, all registered members of the Association will be able to vote for the choice of a candidate. Previously, only two delegates from each polling division, or their substitutes, have been eligible to vote. Mtre. Claude DesRosiers will preside at the convention, and the speaker will be Hon. Gaston Binette, Quebec minister of Natural Resources and M.P.P. for Deux Montagnes.

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There is a rumor the Palliement pour l'Indépendance Nationale (RIN) separatist movement will present a candidate in this contituency for the next provincial election, in the person of Mons. Daviau, who has had family connections with these parts.

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Dominion Ayers Limited will be participating in Textiles at Quebec Industries Pavilion in Expo 67. The textile industry is the second largest employer in this province.

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For the second time in recent months, a number of double windows have been broken in the Parish of St. Jerusalem municipal building on Elizabeth Street. Provincial police report 11 windows broken on this occasion, glass alleys and rocks having been used. Youths are believed to be involved, and the incident is being investigated by the Q.P.P. officers.

Council Clippings

A request to Council was received from the Chamber of Commerce asking $1,105 for operation of the tourist kiosk this year — $980 for salaries and $125 for repairs to the booth. Council decided, in turn, to make an appeal to the Department of Tourism, Fish and Game.

Daylight Saving Time will be in effect here from April 24 to October 30.

Permit to build a clothing store at the corner of Main and Mary Streets was granted to Messrs. Antoine and Lucien Malaket.

Acceding to a request from the Dollard des Ormeaux regional school board, the town water and sewer systems will be extended to the limits of the municipality in the vicinity of the Catholic Cemetery.

A $50 claim for an accident involving a town truck and Romeo Massie's car, was referred to the insurance agents.

The Home - School (Parents-Maitres) groups of the Catholic schools asked that patrolmen be stationed at Bethany Street for pupils crossing this thoroughfare. Council decided that, since this is a provincial highway, the government would be asked to install traffic lights at the intersection.

Request for a $700 grant to the Loisirs St. Julien was tabled until budget time.

A taxi permit was granted to Jean-Paul Gagné and Philippe Dupuis. Council also signified its support to a request from Joseph Cleary for permit to operate a bus service for the mill workers.

A letter was received from the Social Service acknowledging a grant of $2,000 for 1965, also a letter from Donat Saulnier on the deplorable state of Berry Street between the CPR station and Bethany.

Annual appeal of Federation

Canvassing started this week in Lachute for the Laurentian Charities annual campaign. A blitz canvass is announced for Brownsburg next Sunday; the districts are well organized throughout this part of the St. Jerome diocese, and the campaign is going forward in charge of district captains.

Dr. J. P. Dorion of Lachute is regional chairman for the campaign in the various parishes of this County.



Has many friends

A popular figure among his young protégés is Mr. Donald Beers, who serves as one of the crossing patrolmen for schoolchildren on the main thoroughfare. Apparently Mr. Beers numbers many other friends besides the young-fry, and he is seen here with three of the pigeons who visit him on his beat. He has tidbits in his pocket to help them through the winter season. — Photo, Syd Drew

Ladies' night at Barbershoppers

Monday of last week was a "ladies' night" at the Barbershoppers. The chorus entertained the ladies with their singing, and at half-time refreshments were served. In the singing that followed, the ladies joined in for a little extra harmony.

The chorus is approaching the magic "35" mark, with 32 names now on the roll. Prospective singers are reminded that, if transportation is a problem in attending the meetings, a pick-up could be arranged. All singers are invited to come and listen, Monday evening at St. Julien School — and if they like what they hear, to join in the fun. (Information, tel. 562-6861.)

Week's Epigram

Men who give in if wrong, are wise; men who give in if right—are married.

New assistant to Finance Minister related here

The new special assistant to Finance Minister Mitchell Sharp is a young man not unknown in this community. Michel Vennat, 24, is the nephew of Mr. and Mrs. Reg Courtien, of Courtien Bakery, and many times he has circulated with his uncle on his bread route around town. His mother, Mme André Vennat, and Mrs. Courtien are sisters, and his father gave his life at the Dieppe landing in World War II.

Michel Vennat was a Rhodes Scholar. He studied law at the Universities of Laval and Montreal, before specializing in political finance and fiscal policy at Oxford University from 1963 to 1965.



4-H Club officers for 1966

The Lachute 4-H Calf Club was re-organized for the 1966 season, at a meeting held last week in Lachute High School. A new slate of officers was elected with Bobby Rodger as president and Richard Hadley as vice-president. Judy McElroy is secretary-treasurer. Ross Oswald is Club Leader, with J. C. St. Pierre and Junior Heatlie as Assistants. Mr. Jean-Guy Gelinas, County Agronome, gave a talk on Feeding Dairy Calves. The next meeting is planned for early April — to be announced in The Watchman at a later date.

Pictured above, left to right, are — Richard Hadley, vice-president; Judy McElroy, secretary-treasurer; and Bobby Rodger, president.

"Argenteuil Outdoors"

By BOB ATCHISON

You may remember the Snow Owls I mentioned some time ago. At the time I hoped they would be safe from stupid shooting. These birds are protected by law in certain areas, and this includes us. However, this doesn't seem to have deterred the killers with their guns. Three of these birds have been shot in our area this past couple of weeks, and the excuses have been pretty slim — you know the kind: they have been killing the cats, dogs, etc. Possibly some of these cats, and maybe the odd small dog, have been preyed upon; but when you consider how some of these so-called "pets" are normally cared for, then maybe they are better off.

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My opinion of this type of destruction is that it's just an excuse to kill **something**, no matter what it happens to be. Now I'm not talking of the average sportsman, but those people who are not happy unless they have **killed** — be it a squirrel or a deer; and we have plenty of this type around. I often wonder if any real thought is given by them to what is actually going on. So much of our wildlife has been killed this way, and there's not much reason to it. No wonder the present generation knows little about our animals and their natural beauty. They cannot find any to study, except in a zoo! A great legacy we are leaving them.

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The screech of an owl on a cold night, or the wolf in all his freedom — we humans can't duplicate things like this. And because we can't, we are impelled to kill and destroy. With most sportsmen it is the old game of "Remember when —". But what will our youngsters have to remember or talk of? Certainly nothing in the way of wildlife — and you'll notice I am not saying UNLESS we do something about it. This has been said many times before, by qualified authorities, and nothing has ever been done, or for that matter, will ever be done. At least, until we get the type of men in government who think of something besides "the party" — and you know how remote THAT will be.

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I saw a fish taken at Calumet this past week, caught by Don MacDonald of Brownsburg. A Northern pike, 16 lbs. 14 ozs., 37 inches long, 8 inches deep — a good fish to take through the ice. He had also caught some perch, so all in all, it was a good day. It seems there were a couple more of this species also caught, as I had a call on Sunday telling me of two, 8 lbs. and 11 lbs.; so these fish must be travelling around. Pointe au Chene has also been very good for this variety. The perch are also numerous, and these make excellent eating. A couple of bass were reported from this area too — the Calico type.

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The fishing derby held by the Association recently was attended by a good crowd, and some fair fish were taken. It was the first time this winter that the Association had decent weather, and a lot of the members turned out. With good weather there is nothing like fishing through the ice; it's a real treat to see some other fisherman tear across the ice after seeing his tip-up just about go flying! Most of the time you get there too late, but it's fun, and plenty of exercise. It's also surprising how much food you can cram into yourself on an outing like this. It's not uncommon to see a couple taking along enough food to last a week — which is more than hard on the pocketbook at times.

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This bit of information is very early, but perhaps it has to be, to get everything in order. Most of you campers are naturally waiting for the first week-end to get going. In most cases your outfits have not been looked at for many months. First of all, you should check your tents or canvas coverings; if these were not properly stored when put away, you will be in for trouble, and you'll be lucky if mildew has not set in. All canvas must be well aired and dried before you start anything, and this even after you have had it stored properly during the winter. Hang it outdoors in the air — the more of this you do, the better it will be when you start to use it. If you have mildew or holes in it, you either have to patch the holes or spray with waterproofing to close them up (and this is not always reliable) . . . Now your stoves, etc.: These should be taken apart and cleaned. Don't think because you had no trouble last summer, that you won't have any this year. Especially if you left some of the liquids in, as a lot of people do. In most cases it is better to buy a new tip for your burner, than to try and fix it.

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Also, a couple of safety tips for this jaunt: Never fill your lamps of stoves in a tent or trailer; it's a lot cooler outside if something does happen! Don't try and use gasoline in a kerosene heater; you might be lucky and get away with it once in awhile, but I don't even want to take that one chance, and neither should you. Keep it level, and if you use mantles on your lights, see they are free from holes. Now, last of all, keep some ventilation circulating; this is a must. Don't forget these accessories are dangerous, and should not be left for youngsters to light. Also remember that fires in the outdoors are tragic, usually ending in loss of life.

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A question often asked — how long should a leader be for fishing? This depends on where or what you are fishing for. Spinning is the one that concerns, most people. A leader for this type of fishing should be at least 9 inches, and, even 12 if you can use it. You see, the shorter the leader the less action you get from any lure. With a short leader, you have a rigid action attached to your lure, so this will stop any wiggle or movement of the lure. If you can handle the 12-inch one, then I would suggest you use it — but not too heavy. . . Now for bait fishing, this is a real puzzler at times, I see fishermen with no leader whatsoever, just hooks attached to the line, yet they still get fish. However, the angler who uses a leader of 6 feet and up is going to catch the most, and with less trouble. With this kind of leader you can put a snap-swivel on the bottom, and a sinker can be snapped on in no time; it's a real lifesaver when you have to keep changing sinkers for different depths.

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As for fly leaders, in early spring they do not have to be as long or as light as in the summer; however, at least 6 feet and up to 6 lbs. will do. Anything over this in weight will spoil the fun. Naturally, in the spring with the water being milky for a couple of weeks, your flies don't have to be presented with that little extra finesse you need later on. This might be a good time for you fly men to start using that extra-long leader you have been talking of. In my opinion, the longer the leader the better chance you have of taking that extra smart fish that has been fooling around this last two seasons! I think a leader should be at least the length of the rod, to start with; from there you can start working the 10-foot to 20-foot; and don't say you can't do it — you can, and easily too. One thing — if you start this kind of fishing, you're going to have a lot of fun.

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In most cases the leaders are too short for the fly man, so he has no luck with a regular outfit. Another thing, with a long leader you can use a level line and cast much better than with a tapered one. As a matter of fact, the only reason a tapered line is used, is due to the fisherman's inability to use a long leader with a level line. With a short rod, not more than 7 feet, you will be surprised at those places you can get at. And used in a stream surrounded by brush, then you have the answer for free drifts. They work, believe me.



Award presented to angler

At the opening meeting of the Argenteuil Fishing and Hunting Association last Friday, Dalma Lemay received a bronze medal awarded by the Molson Fishing Club for his prize catch last season — a lake whitefish. Seen in the group above are Denis St. Jacques, president of the Association; Richmond Pelletier, director of the Molson Fishing Club; Gaston Laroche, district distributor for the company; Dalma Lemay; and Serge Deyglun, outdoor s writer, who was special speaker of the evening.

—Photo, Syd Drew

News, views and activities of the

Lachute Motor Sport Club

By Jim Bullock

This is to be the first of a series of articles about the shortcomings of most domestic cars now on the market. I say "domestic", because most European cars seem to be better designed.

With few exceptions car manufacturers spend the majority of their time designing style and gadgetry changes. My complaint is that there is little evidence that much time was spent on safety considerations. Take brakes, for example. How many changes have been made in brake construction over the past 15 years? Short of the self-adjusting rear feature, almost none. Have you ever seen an advertisement claiming excellent brakes? Of course not. The truth is that the brakes on most cars are terrible. In this year's Pure Oil trials, where samples of all the new cars were taken from dealer showrooms, a Buick Special V-6 won the braking event by stopping from 65 mph in 168.2 ft. That was the best performance. Some other cars took up to 250 ft. to stop. In comparison a Porche or a Renault R-8 can stop from the same speed in 65 ft. Please don't try to explain the difference by saying that the domestic cars require a longer braking distance because they are heavier. A bus is heavier than a car, does that mean it can take 500 ft. to stop? No. The brakes of a car should be designed for the job. The bigger the car, the bigger the brakes. Power brakes does not increase the braking power; it only reduces the effort required to use them.

The easy way to improve braking would be to use larger brake-drums. Unfortunately, the manufacturers have introduced smaller wheels for "style" considerations. The smaller the wheel, the smaller the brake drum behind it. A change from 14-inch to 15-inch wheels would permit larger brakes. It would also give a better ride, better handling, and longer tread life. But it would not conform to the "style".

A brake system changes energy of motion to energy of heat. There is a tremendous amount of heat generated when a car is stopped from high speed. When brake drums are heated they distort and the brakes cease to work. If the brakes are locked — that is, the wheels skid — the brakes are no longer doing their job.

Most European cars use disk brakes. They use two calipers, much like the jaws of a vice that squeeze a revolving disk. These brakes cannot lose efficiency because of heat, water does not affect them, they are self-adjusting, and from a cost angle, a pair of brake pads are considerably cheaper than a pair of drum shoes and only require a couple of minutes to change. A few domestic manufacturers, realizing that disk brakes have advantages, have added them to the option lists. Unfortunately, they result in a simple substitution of drums for disks on the assembly line. Since the disks are installed on the front only, the front brakes are not comparable with the rear brakes. Hard braking, to take advantage of the superior disks, locks up the rear drums, throwing the car out of control. SO, the braking distance is still controlled by drum brakes. The car should be equipped with all disk brakes. Of course, many European cars use disk brakes on the front only, but don't forget that a European car is engineered as a complete unit. That is, one engine, suspension and brake combination. The brake system is designed for a disk-drum combination. The rear drums are usually the non-self-serve type, to reduce the possibility of brake lock-up.

Of course, brakes are only as effective as the tires that give the traction. Here again, the manufacturers are lax. Radial ply tires have been available for many years, giving twice the traction and cornering power, better gas milage, longer tread life and a much stronger carcass. Unfortunately your only tire option is white walls. It has been pointed out by many organizations that the tires on a new car are often inadequate if the car is fully loaded. Now you may not fully load your car, but it gives you an idea of your safety margin.

I don't have any illusion that my comments are going to change anything, I know that those chrome-plated dreadnoughts will still come with go-cart brakes. My only choice is to refuse to own one.

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Hill-Climb Event

Sunday afternoon LMSC members enjoyed their first Club hill climb. For this race, cars were divided in two classes, engines over and under two litres. Bill O'Brian and Pierre Parent, who established themselves in practice as the men to beat in each class, were both edged out of first place, despite their fine displays of driving technique. The keen competition resulted in a number of entrants driving flat out up the hill covered with ice and loose gravel. Pierre Parent, on his third run, caught his front wheel on the soft shoulder and flipped his Volvo P1800S just yards from the finish. Ironically, he had covered the most difficult part of the hill in record time, only to flip on the home stretch.

All spectators and entrants enjoyed the keen competition. Allan Bates drove his Volvo to a class victory and also took first overall. Ron Clark drove his Ford to the over-two-litre class win. Both drivers had their difficulties with the first hairpin turn, but on their final run both took the corner at high speed and posted their best times.

Unofficial Results

Under two litres —
1 A. Bates, Volvo, 1.19
2 N. Joy, Sprite, 1.20
3 J. Koncar, MGB, 1.21
4 P. Parent, Volvo GT, 1.24
5 J. Devine, Volvo, 1.33
6 Miss Roy, Sprite, 1.39
7 D. Heggie, Alpine, 1.64
8 N. Elgin, Sprite, DNS*
9 R. Clark, Austin, DNS

Over two litres —
1 R. Clark, Ford, 1.21
2 K. Boyd, Ford, 1.22
3 W. O'Brian, Zephyr, 1.22
4 M. Castle, Chev., 1.25
5 K. Rodger, Valiant, 1.28
6 R. Tilsley, Pontiac, 1.29
7 R. Rodger, Valiant, 1.42

*DNS — Did not start.

Prizes will be awarded at the next meeting, Friday, March 11, at the Masonic Hall at, 8 p.m. Movies of the Shell 4000 and Players 200 will be shown. Visitors welcome.

LACHUTE 1884 CURLING CLUB

The mixed curling last Saturday was played with a new twist. Norma and Stewart, ever seeking the novel, pulled another from the hat. Each of the winning rinks will play against another winning rink on Saturday, March 12; each of the losing rinks will take on one of the other defeated rinks. There will be a prize for each division. Come and enjoy, be entertained, and support your Club!

The method of selecting the winner of the mixed curling last Saturday was as follows: the winner would be the rink which gained the highest-plus with the least number of ends won. Ten to six was the winners' score; this was attained on three ends. The skip was that grand old gentleman, Romeo Charron, his third none other than Janet Johnston, with Maurice Laberge in the second position, and Mrs. J. Hay as lead. Congratulations to the winners.

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Rinks from the Lachute Club will be out in number this current week. The Brownsburg annual men's bonspiel is now underway, so if you have the time, visit the Club in Brownsburg and meet old friends and watch the games.

The Double Knockout bonspiel is progressing, the winners on one side, the not-so-lucky on the other.

The next bonspiel will be the "Pat Lid". Make sure your name is entered, the notice is now on the board.

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A social evening will be held in the Club on Saturday, March 12, in honor of our champs who won the provincial O'Keefe mixed bonspiel. It is the wish of the Board that as many members as possible attend. Light refreshments will be served, and there will be dancing to the juke-box. Be sure not to miss it!

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5-252B '64 Austin 1100, 4 dr. (woman driven).
6-283 '64 Volkswagen, Deluxe, white.
6-284 '64 Volvo, Canadian, red, 4 dr.
5-113A '63 Ford, auto, blue.
5-117 '62 Rambler American, brown.
5-206A '61 Volvo Canadian, red, 4 dr., reconditioned.

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5-003A '63 Sprite, white.
'63 Sprite, blk., with hard top.
5-250A '62 Alpine, black, red leather interior, like new.

COMMERCIAL

6-276 '63 Land Rover, ½-ton Pick-Up, like new (woman driven), 16-in. wheels, 4 wheel-drive, very low milage.
6-293 '61 Corvair Panel Truck, blue.
5-006 '61 Volkswagen Van, green, ideal for camper conversion.

Brownsburg CURLING

A team skipped by Helen Martin with Violet Hazel, Peggy Sugden and Lillian Philips, enjoyed a "friendly" game at Montreal West.

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In the Chantecler Junior bonspiel, Brownsburg was represented by two teams. The team skipped by Mrs. R. Keatley, with Mrs. Wm. Dimock, Mrs. A. Hay and Mrs. S. Hall, were in the finals and came home with third prize. Congratulations for a noble try.

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The Laurentian Trophy was played at Alpine on March 2. The team of Mrs. W. Hazel (skip), Mrs. A. Alarie, Mrs. D. Golphin and Mrs. E. Laurin won against Lachute.

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Don't forget Gala Day, March 16. . . And the finals of the Men's Invitation bonspiel will be held this Saturday, March 12. Dinner will be served from 6.30 to 8.30, so come on out, have an evening of fun, enjoy the curling, presentation of prizes and dancing.

Lachute trails in Junior hockey semi-finals

The semi-finals between Lachute and Ste. Anne could be finished when the two teams meet again on Thursday evening at the Lachute Lions' Arena, should the locals fail to come up with a win — as they now trail 4-2 in the series.

The Lachute club, after getting off to a slow start last Sunday, came up with three goals in fairly fast fashion to take the lead in the second period. However, a disputed goal as a result of the referee overruling the linesman, on a whistle to stop the play for an infraction, appeared to disturb the Lachute boys considerably, and they were assessed several penalties for their aggressive actions, which proved to be the turning point in the game. With Lachute playing two men short, the Ste. Anne club scored two goals to take the lead, and never looked back thereafter. The final score, Ste. Anne 7, Lachute 4.

It is the general opinion, however, among local observers, that Lachute club can still win this series with a good team effort and by avoiding unnecessary penalties.

Old-timers benefit hockey game at B'burg

By Harry McCosh

Brownsburg — A benefit hockey game involving two teams of old timers is slated for the Brownsburg Arena at 7 p.m. on March 12. The teams will be composed of men 35 years of age and over who had played in the leagues around Brownsburg in former years. Proceeds from this game will be used to aid the senior boys' and girls' basketball teams of Brownsburg High School to represent this district at the provincial finals in Lennoxville and Ste. Anne de Bellevue, March 18-19 and 25-26, respectively.

The game has been organized by a number of parents, notably Messrs. Russ Summers, Jess Humphries and Noel Racine, in conjunction with the Students' Council of B.H.S. and Mr. Tompkins, the physical education instructor. The enthusiastic response to the advance sale of tickets suggests that a large number of local residents anticipate seeing once again the stars of previous years.

Among players participating in the game are such former 'greats' as — Doug "Sieve" Troop, Harold "U.S.A." Barber, Lloyd "Zero" Roberts, and Ed "Shut-Out" Nankivell — just to mention the goaltenders.

Most of the men forming the teams have been turning out for practice recently; for some this is their first time on skates in more than ten years. Interesting results are anticipated.



Brampton Cubs sons of former Boy Scouts here

Recently at Brampton, Ont., new colors of the 3rd Cub Pack were dedicated at Grace United Church, and the two boys chosen to present the colors were Seconder Guy Tillotson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Granger Tillotson, and Sixer David Todd, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Todd. The boys are shown together in the accompanying snapshot.

It is a rare co-incidence that the fathers of the two boys chosen for this honor were members of the Cubs and Scouts together in Lachute. Granger Tillotson and Bob Todd are well remembered by associates of their earlier years in Lachute.

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Beavers (Mrs. M. Sewell)	22	11	10	1	166	210	23
Stars (Gordon Silverson)	22	8	13	1	177	200	17
Robins (Dave Brown)	22	7	15	-	145	232	14

Hockey — Stars of Yesteryear

Brownsburg Arena

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War veteran had lengthy service

The Late Jas. H. Coney

Mr. James H. Coney, a Great War veteran, passed away on Tuesday, March 1, at the Queen Mary Veterans' Hospital, following a comparatively short illness. He was in his 83rd year.

Born in Norfolk, England, in 1883, he served in the World War of 1914-18, with the Northumberland Fusiliers, and was wounded three times. Shortly after hostilities, in 1920 he came to Canada, and spent 24 years in the employ of the Canadian Pacific Railway. He also worked for the Montreal Armature Works.

He was married in 1937 to Miss Annie V. Furlong, of Lancashire, England. and on the outbreak of World War II, again offered his services and joined the Veterans' Guard of Canada.

On his retirement at the age of 74, Mr. and Mrs. Coney spent a short time with his son and his wife in Cushing, later taking up permanent residence in Lachute, in 1960.

In earlier years, Mr. Coney was a member of Calvary Church choir, having a very fine tenor voice which was given freely in entertainment for the wounded in hospitals.

He was a member of Branch 70 of the Royal Canadian Legion, and one of five belonging to the "Over-80 Club" of that organization.

Mr. Coney had two sons and two daughters by a previous marriage. James. of Cushing, died in May 1960. The surviving members of the immediate family, Mr. and Mrs. William Coney, of Strathmore, Que., and their two children, Mary and John; Rose (Mrs. Mark Featherstone, of Los Angeles), and Emma in England; Mrs. James Coney, Jr., and her son, Raymond, together with his wife, remain to mourn his passing.

Service was conducted on Friday, March 4, at the MacKimmie Funeral Chapel, by the Rev. C. Lang, the remains resting in the St. Andrews vault for interment later.

Pall-bearers were Legion members — Comrades L. Bryson, R. MacLean, R. Thorburn, T. Smith, F. Bradford and D. MacKimmie.

Friends, relatives mourn death of St. Andrews lady

The late Mrs. W. J. Blair

In failing health for the past two months, Mrs. W. J. Blair (the former Bertha Bernice Burwash) passed away at the Argenteuil Hospital, Lachute, on February 15 in her 80th year.

She was born in St. Andrews East, Que., in 1886. The widow of the late William John Blair, she is survived by three sons, Raymond, Clifford and Stephen, and grandchildren, Douglas, Robert, Jefferson, Linda and Janet, also many nieces and nephews.

The funeral was held Friday, February 18, in the Presbyterian Church at St. Andrews, the Rev. Dr. John Hardwick officiating. There were many beautiful floral tributes and expressions of sympathy.

The pall-bearers were Messrs. David and Geo. Rodger, Peter Walker, James Knox, Ewan Albright and Paul Doig.

Burial was in the family plot at St. Andrews Protestant Cemetery.

B'burg H.S. basketball champions — now Provincial-bound



Senior Girls — (Standing) Mr. Kent Tompkins (coach), Rosemary Steere, Audrey Jackson, Carolyn Summers, Joan Clark, Linda Dixon - Smith, Patty Atwell, Beverly Devine and Patsy Low (managers). (Seated) — Dianne Cruise, Allison Rose Linda Tomalty, Debbie Campbell, Beverly Bauer, Susan Sugden and Cathy Bourne.



Senior Boys (left to right) — Mr. Kent Tompkins (coach), David Gagné (manager), Doug Connelly, Gerald Vowles, Sean Hall, Charlie Graham, Stevie Millar, Terry Hamilton, Michael Humphries, Vernon Tompson, Beverly Devine (manager). Front row — Peter Ferland, Mark Racine.

Brownsburg seniors were victorious recently in their bid for the area basketball championships. Both teams were undefeated in the regular season's play, and are looking forward to representing their zone for the provincial title. The girls will be competing at Macdonald College on March 19 and the boys will be travelling to Lennoxville the following week-end.

An old-timers' hockey game will be held in the Brownsburg Arena on Saturday, March 12, at 7 p.m. to aid the teams financially.

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All-girl cast in 'Pinocchio' won audience acclaim at Brownsburg

By Harry McCosh

Despite a wet, blustery evening, an audience of approximately 300 attended a delightful performance of the musical comedy "Pinocchio", at the Brownsburg High School on March 5. The children's story, in two acts, was presented by an all-girl cast from grades six to nine, under the proficient direction of Mr. Keith Armstrong.

Headed by Norine Murdoch, who played the lead role of Pinocchio, the cast included Margaret Bourne as Geppetto; Cathy Leggitt as the Blue Fairy; Janice Humphries as Jiminy Cricket; Sheila Hall as the Sandwich Man; Danielle Charlebois as Candlewick; Elizabeth Castle as Harlequin; Louise Forbes as Columbine; and Debby McCaffrey as the Fire-Eater. Nancy Cowley played the part of the donkey, Edith Sugden played the Bunny Rabbit, Susan Moseley and Denise Camus performed as butterflies, and Kim Seary, Janice Taylor and Joanne Forget acted as the Children in the Land of Hooky. With their delightful singing and impeccable acting, the girls won the hearts of the audience, to the extent that on several occasions they were enthusiastically applauded.

Playing before a colorful background created by effective use of backdrops and drapery, the actresses were gaily clothed in costumes created by Mrs. J. Leggitt. The cast was supported throughout by a glee club of 30 students, under the direction of Mrs. R. Cleary and accompanied by Miss Lynn Morrow, and by the Cadet Band from Lachute, directed by Mr. A. Whiteway. During a brief intermission between acts, members of the Junior Red Cross of Brownsburg sold home-made candy.

With the final curtain call, Mr. J. Leggitt, principal, thanked all the groups and individuals who had contributed to the production of this program, and expressed the thanks of the audience to Mr. Armstrong and to the members of the cast for their tremendous expenditure of time, energy and talent required to make this splendid presentation possible.

The response was so favorable that a second public performance has been scheduled for March 19 at Brownsburg High School, at 8 p.m.

COME MARCH

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District NEWS

FROM OUR COUNTY CORRESPONDENTS

Ogdensburg

Mr. and Mrs. C. White and family spent Sunday with friends in Shawbridge.

Car Trials

Our hills here were a hive of excitement Sunday afternoon as approximately 20 cars entered the car competitions. There were many spectators from surrounding areas, as well as Lachute, Brownsburg, Montreal and St. Jerome.

Hockey Game

A number of parents and friends from here were at the Brownsburg Arena Saturday night to watch the boys from our Young People's group play hockey. Although the game was arranged to be played against another Young People's group, the local boys were confused when they saw the opposition come on the ice, as to whether it was the young lads or old timers they were playing. . . The final score, according to the referee, was 8-7 in favor of the Mabel-Ogdensburg team.

Arundel

Miss Cynthia Thomas, of Barbados, W. Indies, was a week-end guest at the home of Mrs. Rosario Miller, Barkmere.

Women's Institute

The annual meeting of the Women's Institute took place on Tuesday last, in charge of the president, Mrs. Alvin Graham. Reports of the secretary, treasurer and conveners, were read and adopted. The president thanked all members for their co-operation, and at the conclusion of the business, called on Mrs. Wm. Morrison to conduct the elections. The slate was read and passed; the officers for 1966-67 are:

President, Mrs. Alvin Graham; 1st vice-pres., Mrs. Owen Rathwell; 2nd vice-pres., Mrs. David Jones; secretary, Mrs. Norman Graham; treasurer, Mrs. Morris Rathwell. Conveners are as follows:

Agriculture, Mrs. R. Allan
Health & Welfare, Mrs. Leonard Rathwell
Citizenship, Mrs. Keith Rathwell
Home Economics, Mrs. William Barton.
Publicity, Mrs. Rathwell Morrison
Education, Mrs. Edward Graham
Sick & Visiting, Mrs. Arthur Scott.

The meeting was brought to a close with a social hour. Hostesses were Mrs. M. Rathwell, Mrs. O. Rathwell and Mrs. Arthur Scott.

Girl Guides and Brownies

On February 22 in the Arundel School auditorium, the Local Association of Brownies and Girl Guides entertained at a mother-daughter banquet for the girls, mothers and leaders. Supper was served to 54 guests. A toast was made to the Queen, by Brown Owl Mrs. Wm. Owen. The toast to the Mothers was proposed by Girl Guide Elizabeth Graham and Mrs. Irwin Dewar responded. Mrs. Frank Davis, president of the L.A., spoke on the work of the Brownies and Guides and Mrs. Owen Rathwell, Guide Captain, thanked the L.A. for their work and help and asked the assistance of the mothers in this very worthy organization.

Mrs. Davis also presented badges to the Brownies, and Mrs. Owen Rathwell and Mrs. Art Batty, Girl Guide leaders, presented Hostess badges to Girl Guides at the meeting which preceded this banquet. At this meeting the Brownies were guests.

(School carnival winners, see page 6.)

Morin Heights

Education Sunday

Education Sunday was observed at Trinity Anglican Church on Sunday — Mr. Bruce Kirwin, principal of the Morin Heights High School, speaking on "Education — the Gateway of Progress", indicating four different gateways through which a student may pass to a successful career.

The rector conducted the service, and Mr. Frank Creighton read the lesson.

At Mille Isles

The Sunday service at Christ Church, Mille Isles, was conducted by Canon C. W. P. Baugh; this was the first Sunday of his retirement.

Baptisms

The baptism of David Robert Kyle, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert A. Kyle, of Lakefield, took place on Sunday afternoon at the Church of Saint Francis in St. Sauveur - des - Monts. Godparents were Miss Marjory Morrison, of Calumet, and Rodger A. M. Lyster, of Lachute.

At Shawbridge on Sunday afternoon the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Selby received the names Violet Rose. . . The Rev. Horace C. Baugh officiated at both ceremonies.

Late Mrs. Peter Graham

Funeral service was held in Montreal on Friday afternoon for Mrs. Jemima Graham, widow of the late Peter Graham, aged 91 years. Until entering hospital, she had been living with her daughter, Mrs. June Sowden, in St. Sauveur-des-Monts. The Rev. Horace G. Baugh officiated at the funeral.

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District NEWS

FROM OUR COUNTY CORRESPONDENTS

Brownsburg

Mrs. R. MacLeod, of Pierrefonds, and Miss Diana Stewart, of Montreal, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. Barker for a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Low and family, of Ottawa, were recent guests of the former's mother, Mrs. Jas. Low, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Mullin and family, of Pointe-aux-Trembles, were guests of relatives here for the week-end.

Miss K. Stephens, of Ottawa, spent the week-end at her home here.

Mrs. G. Jennings and son, Paul, of Chateauguay, were Sunday guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hector Mason.

Miss Marilyn MacLeod, of Pierrefonds, was a recent guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. Barker.

Mrs. Mason Crosby left Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Ken Mosher, of Cantic, Que. They will be vacationing in Fort Pierce, Fla., for the next three weeks.

Northern Grenville

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Paige and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Eric Stanley at Metcalfe on Sunday.

Week-end callers at Mr. and Mrs. Bazil Mott's were Mr. Mackie MacLean, of Harrington, and Miss Betty Cooper, of Metcalfe, Mr. and Mrs. Kenny Wilson and daughter, Patti, of Brownsburg.

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

Sunday visitors at Mr. and Mrs. John Arthurs' were Mrs. Samson Arthurs, of Calumet, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Young and children, of Kilmar.

Mr. Willis Young, of Aylmer, spent the week-end at his home.

Mrs. Earl MacIntyre visited with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Woods in Metcalfe recently.

Mrs. Enid Stone spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Stone in Ogdensburg.

Venturesome Campers

On Sunday, February 20, the coldest day of the winter, when thermometers in Kilmar registered 38° below zero — Phil Bate, Akela of the Grenville Cub Pack and his son, Donald, slept in a tent. Following Scout instructions on winter camping to a "T", and throwing another log on the fire every two hours or so, they managed to keep quite comfortable all night.

(More Grenville Cub Pack news next week.)

Cushing

Miss A. P. McDowell, of Montreal, spent several days as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Weir recently.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Basler motored to Montreal on Monday and spent the day. They were accomanied by Frank and Carmen.

Miss Freda Pemberton-Smith was a guest over the week-end of Miss F. M. Douglas.

Women's Institute

Frontier Women's Institute held their annual meeting at the home of Mrs. A. Graham on Tuesday, with the president, Mrs. A. Heatlie, in the chair. Mrs. Heatlie's term of office has expired and the new president is now Mrs. P. Clark. Several new members joined the ranks at this time.

Cushing West

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Ivany, who have been spending the past two months as guests of the Rev. and Mrs. Lloyd Ivany and Peter at the manse, left by plane from Dorval for their home at Hickman's Harbour, Nfld.

Miss Annie MacDowall, of Montreal, spent a few days last week as the guest of Capt. and Mrs. T. W. Weir. Mr. Robt. Weir, of Lachine, was also a recent guest at the Weir home.

Mr. Tom Dawson, of Toronto, and Mr. Edgar Dawson, of Stonefield Heights, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Watson on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Keatley, of Arnprior, were also guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Watson on Thursday.

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gaston included Mrs. S. Boyce and Miss Norma Boyce, of Lacolle.

Mr. and Mrs. Alan Vowles were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ken Hartley in Montreal last Saturday.

Harrington

Mr. Wilbert Smith and Misses Mary Peace and Ester Smith, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bates.

Mrs. Victor MacVicar has returned home after spending the past week with her daughter, Mrs. Andy Formagie and Mr. Formagie, in Sweetsburg, Que.

Mrs. Percy MacLeod has returned to spend some time with her sister, Mrs. Victor MacVicar, after visiting with their sister Mrs. Murray MacCullough, in Renfrew, Ont.

Mr. and Mrs. Eric Bates and family, and Miss Pat Bates, visited with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Bates, during the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Bunny Bates and Miss Irma Bates spent a day visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Angus in Ottawa. Miss Heather Bates returned with them after spending the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Angus.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley McCabe recently visited with his mother, Mrs. John McCabe, in Rivington.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bates and Kenda spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dobbie and girls spent Sunday visiting with Mr. and Mrs. John Dobbie and Mr. and Mrs. John Prophet.

Week-end visitors at Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dobbie's were Mr. and Mrs. John MacLean, and Mr. and Mrs. Earl MacLeod.

U.C.W. Meeting

The monthly meeting of the Harrington U.C.W. was held at Mrs. Duncan MacCullough's on March 2, and two new members were welcomed to the group. The new officers for 1966 were elected, as follows.

President, Mrs. Duncan MacCullough.
Vice-pres., Mrs. Chapman Meyer.
Past-pres., Mrs. Ken Hotchkiss.
Treas., Mrs. Borden MacCullough.
Sec., Mrs. Clarence McMahon.
Membership, Mrs. Charles Downing.
Flower Comm., Mrs. Dougal MacTavish.
Social Committee, Mrs. Ken Hotchkiss.
Junior Program Chairman, Joyce Downing.

Weir

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Craig, of Montreal, spent the week-end at their residence here, and had as their guests Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Forest, also of Montreal.

Among guests and callers at Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Craig's on Saturday were Mrs. R. G. Bowie, Mr. and Mrs. Terry Hunka, of St. Laurent, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Craig, Mr. John Craig, Miss Jolaine Ratelle and Mrs. Malcolm Forest, all of Montreal.

Among week-end guests at Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Loudin's were Mr. and Mrs. Coral Young and Mrs. Emily McTavish, of Harrington, and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Loudin, of Oswego, N.Y., Mr. and Mrs. Loudin also visited with Mrs. E. Tremblay and Mr. and Mrs. Victor Courte.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Williams, of Verdun, spent the week-end at their cottage, and had as their guests Mrs. Williams' mother, Mrs. Hussey and Miss Debbie Dyer.

Mr. and Mrs. Cameron Waddell, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Sperling, of Montreal, were week-end guests of Mrs. Waddell's grandmother, Mrs. P. Larose.

Calumet

Mr. Wayne Trineer and Mr. Oron Trineer arrived home after spending some months on construction work in Labrador.

Mrs. Leonard Reeves spent two days last week with Miss Margaret Bowles in Montreal.

The many friends of Mr. Arthur Smith wish him a speedy recovery. Mr. Smith is a patient in the Montreal General Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Chancey Hall and Michael, of Montreal, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Silas Hall.

Mr. Joe Nixon, Mrs. Arthur Smith and Willie Smith, visited Mr. Smith in hospital last Sunday.

Miss Mary Jane Stewart visited Mrs. Margaret Arthurs on Monday.



Federation workers at B'burg

A central committee was formed in Brownsburg to plan the 1966 Laurentian Charities Federation campaign, March 6-21. In the above photo, from left to right, are Georges Therrien, 2nd vice-president; Mrs. Conrad Lafleur, list committee; Lucien L'Heureux, president; and Yvon Caron, 1st vice-president. Other committee members not shown are — Mrs. Robert Cousineau, secretary; Louis-Georges Desrochers, treasurer; Remi Raymond, publicity; and Lionel Dumas, diocese co-ordinator. A blitz door-to-door canvass is scheduled for Sunday, March 13, from 1 to 5 p.m. The group leaders for this campaign are Fernand Lépine, Jacques A. Racine, Laurent Cayer, Rosaire Bélisle, Marc Diotte and Mrs. Yvon Séguin.

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DEATH

BOYD — Suddenly, at the Argenteuil Hospital, Lachute, on Saturday, March 5, 1966, Norman John A. Boyd, in his 74th year. Funeral held from the MacKimmie Funeral Home on March 7; interment at Lachute.

IN MEMORIAM

ARTHURS (Mrs. James) — In loving memory of a dear mother, grandmother and great-grandmother, who passed away March 10, 1965, in her 103rd year. — Always remembered by Willie and Dora and family.

"Past her suffering, past her pain;
Cease to weep, for tears are vain.
She who suffered is at rest,
Gone to Heaven with the blest."

ARTHURS — In loving memory of a dear grandmother and great-grandmother, Emma Arthurs, who passed away March 10, 1965, in her 103rd year. — Always remembered and sadly missed by — Everett, Doreen and family.

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

BURNS (Rose) — In loving memory of a dear mother and grandmother whom God called home March 6, 1965. — Lovingly remembered and sadly missed by Muriel, Aldege and family.

"God gave us a wonderful mother,
Her memory will never grow old;
He fashioned her smile out of sunshine,
He moulded her heart of pure gold.
He needed a new star in heaven,
A beautiful light to shine,
So out of this old world of sorrow
He chose that dear Mom of mine."

WHEELER — In loving memory of my father, Chris Wheeler, who passed away March 7, 1965 — Ever remembered by Ethel.

"This month comes with deep regret,
It brings back a time we shall never forget.
You fell asleep without saying Good-bye,
But memories of you will never die."

WHEELER — In memory of a dear grandfather and great-grandfather, Chris Wheeler, who passed away March 7, 1965 — Ever remembered by Ety, Alton and children.

"Deep in our hearts is a picture
Of a dear one laid to rest,
In memory's frame we will keep it,
For he was one of the best."

WHEELER — In memory of a dear grandfather and great-grandfather, Chris Wheeler, who died March 7, 1965 — Always remembered by Ivy, Edgar and children.

"Life goes on, and years slip by,
But memories of you will never die."

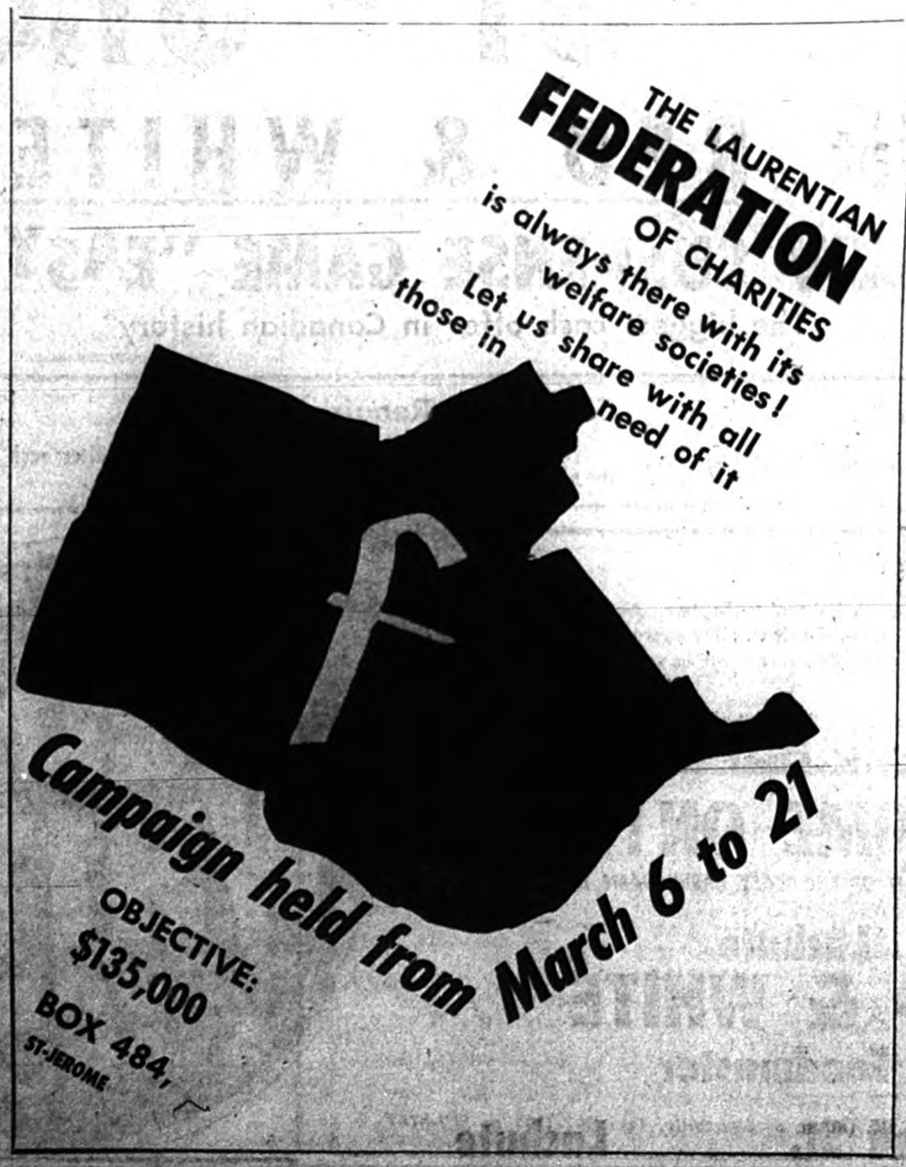
WHEELER — In loving memory of a grandfather and great-grandfather, who passed away March 7, 1965. — Ever remembered by Florie, Gerald and family.

"Times change in many ways
But one thing changes never
The memory of those happy days
When we were all together."

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

BOYD — The family of the late Norman J. Boyd wish to express their sincere thanks and appreciation to friends, neighbors and relatives for their kind expressions of sympathy during their recent bereavement.

LEPAGE — Mrs. Napoleon Lepage and family wish to express sincere thanks to relatives and friends, for their acts of kindness, flowers, cards, telegrams, mass offerings, visits to the funeral parlor, and attendance at the funeral.



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March is Charities Federation month

March is campaign month for the Laurentian Federation of Charities, and seen here at an inaugural meeting with executives for the diocese, are three campaign workers from this community. Appearing in this picture are (left to right) — Max Greenspoon, chairman on budgets; Jean-Marc Fontaine, president of the campaign; Mme. J. P. Dorion, Lachute; Dr. Bernard Tremblay, chairman of the medical committee for Visiting Nurses; Canon Paul Labelle; Mme. Richard Ayers, chairman for Visiting Nurses; and Dr. J. P. Dorion, Zone committeeman for Lachute.

Parish captains for this area, not in the above group, are — Aristide St. Jacques (St. Julien); Doris Champagne (Ste. Anastasie); Jacques Pierre (Ayersville); René Giroux, St. Andrews; Ronald Deslauriers (St. Michel); Fernand Charland (Laurel); and Mme. Marcel Décary (Carillon).

Social and Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Kent Smith and daughters, Debbie and Lori, of Dunnville, Ont., visited with the former's grandmother, Mrs. Malcolm MacRae.

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Cpl. Glen Copeland, RCMP, of Halifax, is home this week on furlough, visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Copeland.

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Mr. and Mrs. Owen Chicoine, of St. Hilaire, and Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Landsley and family, of Montreal, were at the Centre d'Art last Sunday and met a number of the members and directors on the opening of the exhibition featuring works of these two artists.

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Mr. and Mrs. Orde Anderson, of St. Hilaire, Que., visited here last week-end.

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Red Cross Delegate

A complete and interesting report of the Quebec Division Red Cross annual meeting, prepared by Mrs. G. Arundel-Evans, delegate from Lachute, is held over for publication next week, due to lack of space.

Week-end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Gain, Lachute, were Mr. and Mrs. Allan Gain and son, Alvin, of Chesterville, Ont., also Mr. Leigh Forget and Mr. Bill Owens, of Grenville, and Miss Joanne Wilson, of Lachute.

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Pre-nuptial Shower

Mrs. Keith Pollock was hostess last Friday evening at a miscellaneous shower in honor of Miss Linda Copeland, whose marriage to Mr. Réal Latour, of Verdun, Que., is to take place quietly on March 12 at 2.30 p.m. in St. Ann's Church, Montreal.

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Mr. Bob Watt and Mr. Robin Fraser, of Carleton University, Ottawa, were week-end guests of Mrs. K. Fraser.

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Miss Ruth Low, of Montreal, spent a few days last week as the guest of the Misses McMahon, Bethany Street.

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Mrs. M. Copping spent ten days in Hull, Que., while her son was confined to hospital there.

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Couple Interviewed on TV

Many friends of Canon and Mrs. C. W. P. Baugh, of Lakefield, were pleased to see them in a television program, "Calendar", over Channel 6, around noon on Monday. This was a "live" program, the Rev. and Mrs. Baugh having appeared in a short interview at CBC-TV studios in Montreal discussing their long pastoral experience and the Rev. Baugh's retirement.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Jenkins, of Port La Tour, N.S., have been visiting this week at the home of Mrs. Bernard Jenkins and family.

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Mr. and Mrs. Guy Belanger, and Mr. Laurent Lacoste, of Lachute, also Mr. Edgar Lalonde, of Carillon, left from Dorval last Monday for a three-weeks visit to ski resorts in France and Switzerland.

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Appreciation

The Rev. and Mrs. G. T. Spriggs wish to express their appreciation and thanks to all friends who have remembered them in their illness by their cards and good wishes.

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Presentation at Dunany to Canon and Mrs. Baugh

At the close of the service at St. Paul's Church, Dunany, on Sunday, February 27, Mr. Leonard Gain, warden, read a fitting address on behalf of the wardens and congregation to Canon and Mrs. Baugh for their loyalty and devotion over the years, and presented Canon Baugh and his wife each with an envelope containing a substantial sum of money. Mrs. L. Gain presented Mrs. Baugh with a beautiful bouquet of red carnations and white mums.

Canon and Mrs. Baugh extended thanks for these lovely gifts.

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Bridge Club

At the Argenteuil Duplicate Bridge Club on Monday of last week there were 25 pairs playing the Howell movement, and the winners were — 1, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Faulkenhausen; 2, Mrs. L. Walsh and Mr. C. St. Onge.

On Saturday, March 5, there were 12 pairs, and the winning pair were Mrs. L. Walsh and Mr. G. Davidson.

Monday, March 28, will be a "free" night. Any interested in playing duplicate bridge, especially members of local Contract bridge clubs, are welcome to come and bring a partner.

Death removes member of old Lachute family

The late Norman J. A. Boyd

The death of Norman John A. Boyd occurred suddenly at the Argenteuil Hospital on March 5, in his 74th year.

Born at Mille Isles, he was a lifetime resident of Lachute district. He was a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Boyd. His wife, Emma Walker, predeceased him in July 1961.

He was the beloved father of Arnold, of Lachute, and of two daughters, Mrs. John D. Dennis (Margaret), of Simcoe, Ont., Mrs. Henry Bell (Leona), of Ottawa, and leaves five grandchildren, Beverley, John, Kenneth, Robert and Brenda.

He leaves also to mourn his passing two brothers, Leonard, of Lachute, Ernest, of St. Laurent, Que., and seven sisters — Mrs. Gordon Todd (Ina), of Brownsburg, Mrs. Wellman Rowell (Ethel), of Derby, Vt., Mrs. Gordon Smith (Alma), of Lachute, Mrs. Stanley Lunan (Hazel), of Sorel, Mrs. Dennis Staniforth (Rita), of Arundel, Mrs. Jackson Crawford (Edith) of Montreal, and Mrs. Emile Poure (Doris), of Granby.

Funeral service was held on Monday at 1.30 p.m. from the MacKimmie Funeral Home. The Very Rev. Ritchie Bell conducted the service.

Pall-bearers were Messrs. Douglas MacKimmie, Harold Smith, Donald Todd, Lloyd Bryson, Howard Boa and Nelson Tomalty. Interment was at Lachute.

Barbershop harmony — what it's all about

What is "Barbershop" singing? Just a method of arranging and singing songs to get all the possible harmony of the notes. The Barbershoppers sing in four parts — leads, tenors, baritones and basses.

The leads sing the melody. The tenors and other parts sing in harmony with the leads — the tenors singing their part above the leads, the bases singing low notes and (as they all say) the baritones singing what is left.

The Barbershop repertoire is largely made up of old songs, but many modern ones are included. The aim of the group is primarily quartet singing, but as some do not like to sing in quartets, or numbers grew too many, chorus singing developed and the quartets now grow out of the chorus.

The formation of a quartet singing the old songs in harmony, is an experience and pleasure long remembered; so if you like singing in the bathtub or the shower, come and join the Lachute Barbershoppers revelling in their harmony.

Lachute lady widely related in district

Late Mrs. Robt. Tank

Mrs. Alice S. Tank, wife of the late Robert Tank, passed away at her residence, 262 Bethany Road, Lachute, after a short illness, in her 68th year.

Left to mourn her passing are her sisters, Mrs. Robert (Florence) Trineer, of Grenville, Que., Mrs. William (Nettie) Gauley, of the Brockville General Hospital, Brockville, Ont., and brothers, Mr. William Loughren, of Grenville, Mr. Edmund Loughren, of Pittsburg, Pa., also 13 nieces and six nephews.

Funeral service was held in the chapel of the Grenville Funeral Home on March 1, with burial in the cemetery at Eganville, Ont.

'In the valley of decision' sermon theme

"Whether we like it or not, we are all in the valley of decision," the Very Rev. C. Ritchie Bell told the congregation at the Margaret Rodger Memorial Church on Sunday morning. The title of the sermon was, "Jesus or Barabbas?", continuing the series of Lenten sermons. "When truth stands before us, bound and bleeding, will we send it away to be crucified? Will it make any difference to us which one is released? By our actions, by our treatment of other people — whether they be black or yellow or white, by the things we say, by what we do or do not do, in the channels which we have for influencing people — where do we stand in this day of testing?

"Pilate was sure that the crowd would ask for Jesus. He recoiled when they called for Barabbas. He knew the difference between these two men. So he called for a basin of water and washed his hands.

"Choose this day whether you will stand fast and ask for truth, decency, righteousness, justice, love. Or do you want prejudice, evil, cruelty, envy, hatred? It is your choice, and mine. God help us not to send truth to the cross again."

APPRECIATION

Mrs. John Kettyle wishes to express her sincere thanks to relatives, friends and ministers, also Dr. J. C. MacKimmie, for their many acts of kindness during her illness in the Argenteuil Hospital.

Visiting nurses at your service

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Many other cases afflicted with long-term illness can benefit from specialized services. For instance, in cases of paralysis, rehabilitation services can be most beneficial. Treatment is given by registered nurses specialized in this field.

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You may reach the district office nearest you at any hour of the day, by calling Lachute 562-6940.

Funeral of former Lachute resident, Mrs. George Licop

Mrs. George Licop, a former resident of Lachute, passed away at the home of her daughter in South Porcupine, Ont., February 25, at the age of 89 years, after a short illness.

The late Mrs. Licop came from Belgium in 1907. She was predeceased by her husband, the late George Licop, in 1965.

She is survived by a daughter, Jean Boyko, of South Porcupine, Ont.; four sons, George Licop, of Hamilton, Ont., William Licop, of Rosemere, Que., Paul Licop, of South Porcupine, Ont., and John Licop, of New Liskeard, Ont., also 15 grandchildren.

Funeral services were held from the United Church at Porcupine on February 28; interment was in South Porcupine Cemetery.

Pall-bearers were four grandsons Steven Licop, Allan Licop, Peter Boyko, Robert Boyko, B. Ramier and V. Boyko.

Church supports legalized abortion in specific cases

Toronto (UPI) — The United Church of Canada decided recently to press the Federal Government for a revision in the Criminal Code which would legalize therapeutic abortions.

In its petition to the government, the Church's Board of Evangelism and Social Service recommended that abortions be permitted when "continuance of pregnancy is likely to endanger the mother's life."

The resolution also urged that abortions be permitted if the pregnancy threatened to impair the mother's physical or mental health.

Contained in the resolution was a suggestion that an abortion committee be set up, and stipulations that written consent be given by the patient and that the operation be performed by a qualified doctor.

The board also included an appeal to the general public that it co-operate with the government in wiping out the illegal abortion traffic.

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REV. C. R. LANG, L.Th., R.D., Rector
ST. SIMEON'S, LACHUTE
9.45 a.m. Church School
11.00 a.m. Morning Prayer
Wed., 7.30 p.m. Lenten Service and Discussion.

ST. GEORGE'S, BROWNSBURG
9.30 a.m. Morning Prayer
10.30 a.m. Church School
Thursday, 7.30 p.m. — Lenten Service and Discussion

CHRIST CHURCH, ST. ANDREWS EAST
REV. WINTER LeCRAS
11.00 a.m. Holy Communion
Wednesdays in Lent
10.00 a.m. Holy Communion

Margaret Rodger Mem'l Presbyterian Church
REV. E. POWELL AIKENS, Interim Moderator
Choir Director, Mr. Robt. Haydon
Organist, Mrs. W. M. Cottingham
9.40 a.m. Church School
11.00 a.m. Morning Worship Service of Holy Communion (Rev. Dr. C. Ritchie Bell)
Tues. 8.15 p.m. Bible Study Group
April 8, 11 a.m. Special Easter Service (Rev. Dr. C. Ritchie Bell)

Brownsburg United Church
10.00 a.m. Church School
11.00 a.m. Service of Worship
Everyone welcome

Brownsburg Regular Baptist Church
REV. GEO. HICKS, B.Th., PASTOR
10.00 a.m. Bible School
11.00 a.m. Church
Thurs., 8 p.m., Prayer

Brownsburg Pentecostal Assembly
REV. R. E. SOLMES, PASTOR
The Home of Dial-A-Message (533-4834)
10.00 a.m. Sunday School
11.00 a.m. Morning Worship
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Lachute United Church
"The Church with the Chimes"
Rev. HAROLD THOMPSON, B.A., B.D.
10.00 a.m. Lachute United Church
11.15 a.m. Lachute Chapel Service (without choir)
11.15 a.m. East Settlement (Pulpit supply)
Everyone welcome.

People's Church, Lachute
(Associated Gospel Church)
753 Main Street, Lachute
REV. D. E JOHN, MINISTER
9.45 a.m. Bible School
11.00 a.m. Morning Service
7.00 p.m. Evening Service
Wed. 8 p.m. Bible Study

Dalesville Baptist Church
"Holding forth the Word of Life"
REV. W. LORNE HISEY, PASTOR
10 a.m. Bible School. Classes for all. Come and study God's Word.
11.00 a.m. Morning Worship
"FERVENT LOVE"
Thurs., 8 p.m. Prayer Meeting
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REV. W. LORNE HISEY, PASTOR
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9.30 a.m. St. Sauveur
11.00 a.m. Morin Heights
3.00 p.m. Mille Isles

Lakefield Services
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9.30 a.m. Louisa
11.00 a.m. Lakefield



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Remember, Sunday is the big day, all day, for Family Calling Time. You can call whenever you want, talk longer, and enjoy it more. Why not try it this Sunday?

Jim Menzies

District NEWS

FROM OUR COUNTY CORRESPONDENTS

Morin Heights

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Ivall, who have recently been spending a few weeks at Clearwater, Florida, have now returned home.

Legion Activities

All Legion members (ordinary and club) and their wives are invited to a St. Patrick's Party at the Legion Hall on Saturday evening, March 19. Buffet supper, darts, music, singsong, cards — a generally enjoyable evening, and it's all "on the house".

The Schoolchildren's Ski Races, previously announced, and sponsored by the Royal Canadian Legion, are all set up for Friday, March 11, starting at 1.30 p.m. on the Basler ski hill (skiing conditions permitting).

Scout Week Observance

Boy Scout Week got off to a good start when, on February 20, the 1st Lac St. Denis Girl Guides, 1st Morin Heights Brownies and the 1st Morin Heights Scout Troop attended their first church parade of the year, to commemorate the birthday of the founder, the late Lord Baden Powell.

The service was held at Trinity Anglican Church and conducted by the Rev. Horace Baugh. Assisting in the service were Scout Gerry Lambon, reading the 1st Lesson; Guide Janet Leclerc, reading the 2nd Lesson; while Guide Elizabeth Whalley and Scout David Kerwin received the offering.

Following the service members of the congregation were invited to attend a reception at Trinity Hall given by the Girl Guides, Scouts and Brownies, at which hot chocolate and cake were served. Sincere appreciation is extended to those who so ably assisted in the reception.

Avoca

Mrs. Alex Bates with her daughter, Sylvia (Mrs. Jack Keyes), and little granddaughter, Deanna Keyes, and Mr. and Mrs. Bud Hart, all of Port Colborne, spent the week-end in Avoca, Grenville and Lachute visiting friends and relatives.

Mr. Hugh Bates and Mr. Tom Kelly visited Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bates in Lachute last Saturday.

Mrs. Evan Bates and son, Evan, visited her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Ernie MacLeod, last Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Campbell, of Lachute, visited their mother, Mrs. Sandy Bates, on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. John Bates, Mrs. Charlie Bates and Sandra were Saturday visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dobbie entertained their family, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Dobbie and family, and Mr. and Mrs. John Prophet, on Monday evening, the occasion being Bob's 26th birthday.

Mrs. Hugh Bates spent part of last week with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Kelly, in Boucherville, Que., returning home with them Friday evening.

Mrs. Alvin Campbell, and Mr. and Mrs. John Dobbie, motored to Winchester, Ont., on Friday to visit Mr. Arthur Angus (whose wife had just passed away), and Mr. and Mrs. Wyman Arthurs, from Dauphin, Man. Mrs. Angus was an older sister (Alma) of Mrs. Arthurs, and had been in ailing health for many years.

Mrs. Chester Waite is spending a few days this week with her sister, Mrs. Eddy Andrews and Mr. Andrews. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Provencal and Mr. Claude Andrews were week-end guests.

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Mr. Winston Nixon has returned home from the Notre Dame Hospital in Montreal, and will be convalescing for some time, regaining his eyesight.

Visitors at Mr. and Mrs. George Nixon's over the week-end were Mrs. Steve Tomachevsky Margaret and Billy, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Fox and family, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Wharry, and John Provencal.

Mrs. Emmett Nixon and boys spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ross. They were aroused from their own apartment by fire early last Friday night.

Grenville

Mrs. Alex Tait, who has been visiting with Mr. and Mrs. John Owens, left for her home in Prelighsburg on Friday. Miss Sheila Owens, of Montreal, spent the week-end with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Miller, Town of Mount Royal, and Mr. Thomas Norton, were Sunday guests of Mr. S. C. Norton.

Miss Loralee Birch and Master Neil Birch, of Hammond, Ont., spent the week-end with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Cori Gauley.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur King and Mr. Fred Minee, of Rosemount, were Saturday guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Minee.

Get-well wishes are extended to Mrs. Rolland Dupuis, who is a patient in the Smith Clinic at Hawkesbury.

Mrs. Thomas Dawson, of Toronto, was a guest of Miss Pearl Dawson and Mr. Edgar Dawson.

Results of snowmobile races held by Arundel-Huberdeau-Weir association

Weir, Que. — This first annual event, sponsored by Molson Breweries and run at Otter Lake on Saturday and Sunday, February 26-27, attracted over 50 snowmobiles and 2,500 spectators. Some 36 machines were registered in the Cross-Country event.

The 20-mile Cross - Country course was laid out by professionals to tax the skill and intelligence of the most competent operator, and the Club was highly commended by operators who had attended events all over the province.

Among honored guests who attended this event were Mr. George Hees, M.P., and Mrs. Hees; Mr. Roger Regimbal, M.P., and Mrs. Regimbal; Mr. W. M. Cottingham, M.P.P., and Mrs. Cottingham, and other distinguished visitors.

It is interesting to note that Mr. George Hees, well known for his love of sports, took his first snowmobile ride and to prove his enthusiasm for this sport operated a 14 H.P. Snow Cruiser over the speed course at maximum speed, to the delight and appreciation of the spectators.

Carnivals, dances and hockey were provided by the various groups on Saturday night, to entertain a most appreciative crowd.

The Laurentian Valley Association will provide an extended program for 1967 in honor of Canada's Centennial celebration. Further announcements by the executive will be forthcoming in the months ahead.

Winners, Cross-Country Event

14 H.P. Class — 1st, Gilbert Miller, Barkmere (Bomb.) 54 min.; 2nd, Edward Miller, Barkmere (Bomb.) 54 min. (First place awarded on the toss of a coin).

12 H.P. Class — 1st, Jean Charles Therrault, Hawkesbury, (Bomb.) 63 min.; (one entry only).

10 H.P. Class — 1st, Dr. C. Roy, Lachute, (Bomb.) 57 min.; 2nd, Maurice Prevost, Huberdeau, (Bomb.) 58 min.

8 H.P. — 1st, Wm. Morrison, Arundel, (Bomb.) 73 min.; 2nd, André Fournier, Montreal, (Huski) 82 min.

Speed Event

(Modified) 14 H.P. Class — 1st, Jeannot Desormeaux, St. Eustache, 3 min. 6 sec.; 2nd Claude Desormeaux, St. Eustache, 3 min. 10 sec.

(Standard) 14 H.P. Class — 1st, Roger Legault, Lachute, 4 min. 4 sec.; 2nd, R. Chevrier, Lachute, 4 min. 7 sec.

(Standard) 10 H.P. Class — 1st, Dr. C. Roy, Lachute 4 min. 28 sec.; 2nd, Victor Courte, Weir, 4 min. 59 sec.

(Standard) 8 H.P. Class — 1st, André Fournier, Montreal, 6 min. 15 sec.

Best Overall Time Cross-Country Event

Two prizes were awarded for this event. The Regimbal Trophy, first prize, and Players Trophy, second prize, were awarded, on the toss of a coin, to Edward Miller and Gilbert Miller, having the same time.

The executive take this opportunity to thank those who took part in the event and especially the contestants, who showed great enthusiasm and true sportsmanship throughout the whole of this two-day program.

Chairman of the races was Mr. Marvin Davis, of Weir.

Winners in recent winter carnival at Arundel

(Intended for last issue)

Carnival Duchesses — Joan Bates, Earlene Gray, Isabel Labelle, Bonnie Swail. (Carnival Queen, Earlene Gray.)

Costume Prizes

Pre-School (3 to 5 years) —
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3 Douglas Champagne.

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2 Scott Dewar,
3 Dale Rathwell.

Grades 1 and 2, Girls —
1 Valérie Colquhoun,
2 Laurie Champagne,
3 Wendy Rathwell.

Grades 3-5, Boys —
1 Keith Chisholm,
2 Richard Moore,
3 Jacques Chéné.

Grades 3-5, Girls —
1 Denise Boyer,
2 Iona Labelle,
3 Dianne Provost.

Grades 6-7, Boys —
1 Lawrence Gordon,
2 Russell Dewar,
3 André Chéné.

Grades 6-7, Girls —
1 Elizabeth Graham,
2 Nicole Chéné,
3 Mary Batty.

Grades 8-10, Boys —
1 Peter and Gavin Graham,
2 Robert Crone,
3 Miles Dewar.

Grades 8-10, Girls —
1 Patricia Graham,
2 Marlyn Godin,
3 Earlene Gray.

Adults —
1 Dale Boyd and Rollande Drouin,
2 Mr. and Mrs. Owen Rathwell,
3 Mrs. Keith Rathwell and Beaven Jones.

Ski-doo Races —
1 André Chéné,
2 Robert Crone,
3 Peter Graham.

Cross-cut Saw Contest —
1 Owen Rathwell and Alex Dewar,
2 Lorne Thompson and Alex MacMillan.

Pie-Eating Contest —
Sidney Swail.

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Winner of Dress Voucher —
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Country Notebook



By WALKER RILEY, Macdonald College

I was talking to Dr. John Bubar of the Agronomy Department this morning about spring seeding. "Pass along the news," he said, "that if you are planting timothy, this is the year to use pedigreed seed. Certified Climax is just about as cheap this year as common timothy — there was an exceptionally good seed crop last summer."

Dr. Bubar pointed out that even if the better seed cost 10 cents a pound more, and the difference is less than that, two extra bales of hay per acre in the first year would pay the extra cost.

"Point out also," John said, "that we are going to see a lot more variety plantings in the next few years. If we plant good timothy varieties like Milton, Climax and Drummond that develop a week apart, each in a different field, we can spread our haying season out and still cut it when it should be cut. And that's just as the heads emerge from the boot."

I asked John if there was lots of Milton and Drummond seed, also. "Unfortunately, no," he replied. "There was a fair supply of Drummond early in the winter but there isn't a pound left in the hands of the wholesalers now. Overseas buyers were after it. As for Milton — that's the earliest variety — it will be another year yet before seed supplies have built up to commercial quantities. But this is the year to get a field of Climax timothy established."

It seems our old friend timothy is back in favor again. And when the plant breeders succeed in developing a good pasture-type, we can expect to hear much more of it.

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Last Friday, the Society of Agricultural Engineers met at the College. I sat in on some of the sessions. It's a poor way to get details, but you do have a rare chance to sense trends in farm buildings and mechanization.

For instance, we heard J. J. Hogan of the Quebec Department of Agriculture say that there were now 17 free-stall dairy barns in the province. He expected more to be built if for no other reason than the saving of labor.

But there were problems, he said. Few of those built this past year had been insulated yet. And they ran into severe moisture and ventilating difficulties in the cold weather. This, in turn, affected animal health and caused off-flavours in the milk. Up to this point, milk inspectors were tolerant because they felt the system had merits and problems would be solved.

Mr. Hogan suggested four inches of insulation in the walls and six inches in the ceiling as minimum. He wondered, too, if artificial heat for the entire stable would perhaps be the practical answer. A furnace was already necessary to heat the calf pens, milk house and milking parlour.

Agricultural Engineer Howard Nodwell, speaking on the same program, foresaw an increase in the number of liquid manure systems. Shortage of labor was again the number one reason, but he saw other advantages as well. It was easier to handle, he said, and it was the best way to save fertilizer nutrients. It reduced the risk of water pollution; it reduced odours; there were fewer flies, and, not least, you had a cleaner barnyard.

Agitation was the greatest problem, Mr. Nodwell said. He advised building the storage tanks and the system around the agitation equipment. "If you buy a dual-purpose pump, buy it first for its agitation capacity," he warned.

Prof. F. H. Theakston of the University of Guelph, just back from a tour through north-west Europe, saw slatted floors here to stay. He said that they were proving successful in Europe for pigs, beef, and sheep but not for dairy cattle.

The most satisfactory "slat", he said, was reinforced concrete. Each was four to five inches wide at the top, tapering to two and a half inches at the bottom, eight inches deep and eight feet long. The space between the slats was 1½ to 1¾" for cattle.

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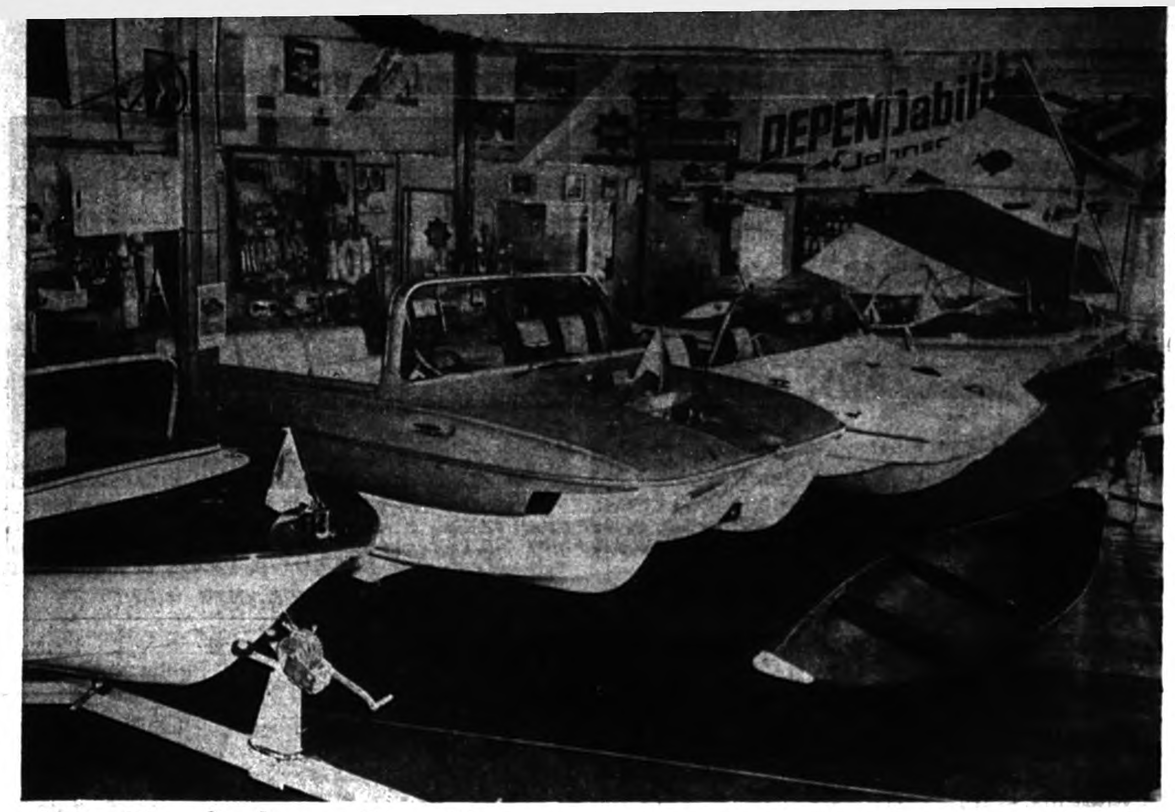

Attractive display at Boat Show

The "All Family Boat Show", sponsored by Deacon Motor Sales Ltd., gets underway on Friday of this week and preliminary reports indicate the show will again be a top-quality event. An array of modern boats, motors and allied equipment will be on view in the display.

—Photo Syd Drew

Co-operation is keynote among season's users of the waterways

As various water sports become more popular each year, more and more pressure is put on existing facilities. This means that all users of the waterways must learn to cooperate with each other. If you are not real familiar with the other fellow's point of view, try to learn more about it. This short summary, supplied by the Johnson Motors News Bureau, should help you get started.

Fishing — All that most fishermen ask is to be left alone. They do not like to be buzzed by fast boats or rocked by the wake of a boat that comes too close. Keep in mind that when a fisherman is trolling he may have a long line trailing behind his boat. A thoughtless joy rider who comes in too close can easily cut the line with his propeller.

Water Skiing — Water skiers who are considerate — and most of them are — will try to keep their distance from other boatmen. However, water skiers do require a considerable amount of landing space. Other boatmen can show their consideration by staying away from starting and landing areas used by the skiers. Since the general direction the skier will go is controlled to a large extent by the boat driver, it is important that the driver use as much caution as possible.

Skin Diving — The skin diver, like the fisherman, asks only to be left alone. Most skin divers use a floating flag to let other boatmen know they are in the area. If you see a skin diver's flag — it is red with a white diagonal stripe — stay at least 100 yards away.

Swimmers — Common sense dictates that boatmen keep a good distance away from swimming areas. Swimmers on the other hand should stay within approved areas, especially when boats are operating on the waterway. It is often difficult for the boat driver to spot a swimmer in the water.

Cruising — The cruising enthusiast asks very little from other boatmen. Naturally, he does not like to be buzzed by other boats, especially when his boat is at anchor. Many cruising families enjoy cooking and eating aboard their boats. A wake thrown by another boat can really shake things up. Remember you are responsible for any damage caused by the wake of your boat.

As long as they use it properly, everyone has an equal right to the waterways. And everyone has more fun when this is taken into consideration.

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Is a slippery thing and sly,
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Courtesy makes a boatman popular

A few simple rules of courtesy observed while you are operating your boat will enhance your popularity with fellow boaters and do a great deal to set a good example. Here are a few suggestions. . .

Never interfere with regular berthing places of others when in a private marina. Remember that public launching ramps are for everyone's use. Don't block them with your car or trailer.

Avoid becoming labeled as a nautical "hot-rodder" by travelling at high speeds in crowded areas, "buzzing" swimming areas, or being a show-off with your boat in an attempt to impress others. You'll impress them — but not favorably.

Slow down when you pass small boats; don't cut across the path of sailing vessels, and steer clear of the fisherman who is wrapped in his own business of attempting to catch fish.

When in a narrow stream or channel, slow speed is advised and you should keep to the right. Don't over-speed in harbors and anchorages. Remember that your wake can cause damage and trouble and you're legally responsible in the event your wake damages other vessels.

When using the facilities of strange boat or yacht clubs, act as a guest, as you would were you there without your boat. A boat doesn't relieve you of your responsibility of courtesy.

If you are a guest on the boat of some other person, remember he is the skipper and operates his boat as he sees fit. Take your orders from him and do nothing to make yourself unpopular.

If you see a fellow boatman in distress, it is an unwritten law that you go to his assistance. Remember the Golden Rule. Being a popular boatman is dependent on only one thing, which costs nothing — **courtesy!**

PLAN DRIVING COURSE

Edmonton (CP) — The Alberta Safety Council has announced a "defensive driving" program for Edmonton. Defensive driving is the art of avoiding automobile accidents by compensating for another driver's mistakes. A similar course offered to Calgary employees cut car accidents within the group by 60 per cent.

Refinements in new Johnson '66 outboards meet preferences of all boat enthusiasts

The most powerful V-block outboard engine ever built, a 100 horsepower outboard motor, is introduced this season by Johnson Motors, Peterborough, Ont.

Two other new power classes, a 20 horsepower and a V-80, are included in the 16 outboard models in 10 horsepower classes for 1966. Other powers are: 3, 5, 6, 9¼, 33, 40 and 60.

All engines in the 1966 line are covered by a two-year warranty on parts and labor, and feature the 50:1 gas - oil ratio which substantially lengthens engine life and reduces operating costs.

"Economy, durability and high standard performance are being stressed in the '66 Johnson line", said Peter McArthur for Outboard Marine, largest maker of outboard engines. "Silence has been a Johnson tradition for more than a decade, so our engineers have concentrated on achieving even lower fuel consumption in combination with high performance and 'quiet'."

The Golden Meteor V-100 is an all-new engine. Its lower unit was designed to give increased acceleration and high-speed performance. A new exhaust system, high compression ratio and precision - calibrated carburetor distinguish the engine. Fuel consumption is no greater than last year's 90 horsepower model, and the engine can be "propped" to 5500 rpm, producing tremendous ski-pulling power.

The new Sea-Horse 80 features fuel economy attained by refined carburetion, and induction and exhaust system improvements. Increased compression contributes to increased acceleration and top-speed performance.

Johnson's third new horsepower class in outboards, the 20, has a new cylinder head, high output ignition coils and a high thrust reed valve setup. The two horsepower increase over last year's 18 offers not only improved forward speed and power, and better acceleration, but also additional power and speed in reverse gear, improving boat maneuverability.

All 1966 outboards have die-cast pistons. This is the first year for this new type of piston in the higher horsepower models. This breakthrough was made possible by a new alloy and Johnson manufacturing techniques.

The Sea-Horse 80, a sturdy, all-purpose performer, has a new throttle linkage capable of delivering fuel savings up to 25 per cent under last year's model at mid-range speeds.

Engineering refinements mark the popular Johnson fishing "compacts", and 3, 5 and 6. Low speed gear noise was reduced on the lightweight 5, and the 6 has a new rubber propeller bushing for additional shock absorption.

A new mounting system which reduces trolling speed vibration, and carburetion and spark-timing improvements — both factors in smoother trolling — are the major refinements in the 1966 Johnson 9¼, largest selling motor in its class in Johnson's 45-year history. The light (59 lbs.), quiet 9¼ features low-profile design, easy to fish over, carry and store in a car trunk.

The Sea-Horse 3, weight 34 lbs., is available in two models, "Angle-Matic" lower unit for weed-free operation, and "Right Angle Drive" lower unit for high thrust operation, popular with sailboatmen for auxiliary power.

Electramatic Drive, single-lever controlled, electrically activated shifting, is featured on the Golden Meteor V-100 and on Electramatic models of the 80 and 40, and this year there is an interlock that prevents shifting from forward to reverse too rapidly. This is a safety innovation to help prevent lower unit "washout" (motor tilting up) when shifting into reverse while the boat still is moving rapidly forward. Standard electric starting models are also available at 80 and 40 horsepower and at 60 and 33. An optional electric starting kit is available for the 20. Other models are the manual starting 40 and 33.

Johnson's 1966 outboards retain the "warm white" color, accented by gold and silver trim. Each engine is identified numerically as to its horsepower.



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The Johnson 9½ is called the best fishing motor ever made. It's quiet and idles so slowly you can almost count the propeller revolutions. The low-profile design lets you cast over it sitting down. It's so well balanced that carrying it is no trouble. Other motors in the compact line include the 6, 5 and 3 hp. sizes. Unlike others, the 3 is a twin cylinder motor—very smooth running.

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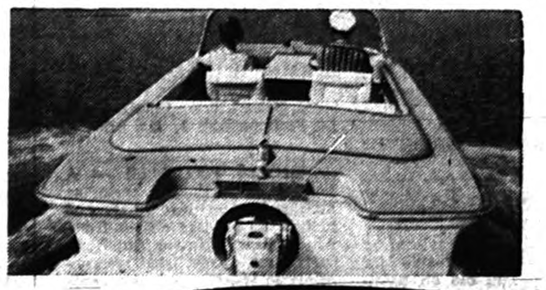

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Community supper — Irish stew and casseroles to be served on Thursday, March 17, from 5.30 to 7.30 at the Harrington Intermediate School, in aid of kitchen supplies for the school. Also a sale table and drawing on three prizes, in aid of the Home and School Association. Admission, adults $1, children 50c. 1c

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— Display of scientific projects by the pupils of Grades III to XII, Thursday, March 10 from 7.30 to 9.30 p.m. Admission 25c. Everyone welcome. 2x

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— At Lachute United Church hall, in aid of the building fund, to be held Friday, April 1, from 5.30 to 9.30. Adults $1; children under ten, 50c (at the door). M16-2c

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—To be held Thursday, March 10, at 8 p.m. in Lachute Legion Hall. Jackpots and special prizes. Proceeds for Legion community activities. xc

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Murielle Bélisle, elected Queen of the Brownsburg Carnival, was accompanied by Bonhomme Carnaval to visit mothers in the maternity wing at the Argenteuil Hospital. The visitors are here seen at the bedside of Mme. André Joly, Lachute.



Trophies were presented to B. Dimock's rink, and Bob McGuire's foursome as runners-up, in the Carnival bonspiel. Left to right — C. Lavoie, the Carnival Queen, B. Dimock, M. Ross, F. Pilon, Bonhomme Carnaval, H. Golphin, B. McGuire, L. Richardson, D. Atkins and G. Masson.

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— (Mrs.) Janet Racine

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PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that the list of farmers eligible for the 25% Reimbursement of the 1965-66 school tax, prepared in accordance with Order-in-Council No. 78, has been completed and deposited in the office of the secretary-treasurer at 455 Court Street, Lachute, Que., where it will remain during the next fifteen days for examination by interested parties.

Given at Lachute, Que, this eighth day of March, 1966.

— (Mrs.) M. H. Prophet,
1c Secretary-treasurer.

APPRECIATION

I wish to thank friends and relatives for the gifts, flowers and cards I received during my stay at the Royal Victoria Hospital.

— Mrs. Roger Williams

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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

Education Week, March 6-12 —

Let them survive – to be educated

IT IS TIMELY, during Education Week, to echo a deep concern which is felt among our rural parents over the safety of their children while boarding and disembarking from school buses. The reason for their increasing anxiety is a flagrant disregard, on the part of certain drivers, of the traffic law which requires all motorists to halt when approaching or following a school bus which has come to a stop on the highway.

Here is the clause from the Quebec Highway Code, which is clear and emphatic:

> **Chap. 142, 36-D — "When a motor vehicle overtakes or meets an autobus used in transporting school children, duly identified as such, which is stationary to take on or discharge school children, the driver of such vehicle shall not pass or drive beyond such autobus until it is again put in motion; nor shall he do so until the children have boarded the autobus or have left it and reached the side of the road. . . Such autobus must be equipped with signals by means of which the person in charge shall give warning as long as the children are not in safety."**

Provincial Police have been advised of this repeated abuse, they are doubtless doing their utmost to suppress it, but still many heedless drivers appear bent on maiming human bodies and endangering young lives. It is urgently stressed that the drivers of school buses, even young occupants themselves, should note the license numbers of offending cars and report them, thus assisting the police in tracing the owners.

A recent case is reported, in which two law-observing drivers were halted behind a school bus, but were passed from the rear by a third driver, in complete disregard of the regulations, and with such peril to the school children that one of them had her schoolbag clipped by the passing car.

If we are to educate our children in the most efficient manner — which seems the earnest objective of our school authorities these days — it is first necessary to remove the highway hazards which threaten their survival. . . We have the assurance of the traffic police at Provincial headquarters here, that there will be strict surveillance as the seasonal traffic increases on our highways, and that violation of this law will bring court action and penalties befitting the offence.

Greatest of our national resources

FROM COAST to coast, federally and provincially, an awareness of the growth and importance of our greatest resource, **manpower**, is coming to the fore. Education is said to be the measure of a nation. Canada is growing up. The development of manpower as a strong national resource may only be brought about by the education of that manpower.

More new things have been discovered in the past ten years than in the previous one hundred years, and the rate of the increase of knowledge is accelerating. In an address to the 1965 graduates, the President of Eastern University remarked that the rapid progress in technology and general know-how is so astounding that 50% of what is being taught now will be obsolete or incorrect one year hence.

Despite the ever-increasing need for a broader and higher education, the present pattern presents a disquieting aspect. One-third of our young people have left school with only elementary education; another one-third have left before attaining the minimum standard for junior matriculation; only about six per cent have completed a college or university course.

Education should rightly be regarded as the chief domestic issue of the day. No longer must the design of education be fitted only for the intellectually elite. The true democratic ideal must be education for all that is designed to meet the needs, the talents and the capacities of all. The comprehensive high school meets these requirements while, at the same time, establishing in the minds of its students a sense of equality in their respect for talents, whether they be along academic, technical, vocational or artistic lines.

Education is the gateway to progress. Canada must establish the measure of her nationhood by such a program of educational development as is worthy of her greatest resources — the youth of the nation.

Another appraisal of education

PRODUCTIVITY and education — those are the twin themes running through the second annual review of the Economic Council of Canada, recently published. Says the Council, "productivity growth is the key to economic growth and rising living standards and in maintaining a satisfactory international competitive position", and adds, "Even the goal of sustained high employment ultimately depends on adequate productivity growth".

With regard to education, the Council views it as a "crucially important factor contributing to economic growth and rising living standards," and also relates it to productivity and to the potential income of the average individual.

In a recent presentation to the federal cabinet, the Canadian Chamber of Commerce strongly emphasized, also, the value to the Canadian economy of productivity growth and advanced education among all Canadians as the sure way to sustained economic growth and prosperity for all.

Freedomites reform

IF ANY society is to be really free, there must be room for the non-conformist. Canada would be a dull place without its eccentrics, some of them brilliantly imaginative people.

Sometimes, however, the refusal to conform can be carried to tragic extremes. Such was the case with the Sons of Freedom Doukhobors.

For many years their refusal to accept the laws of Canada brought themselves untold misery, not to mention the inconvenience it caused their neighbors.

Living in the British Columbia Interior, they engaged in nude demonstrations, committed arson, often setting fire to their own homes, and planted bombs in public buildings.

Often they refused to undergo legal marriage ceremonies. They tried to keep their children from attending public schools where, they said, the youngsters were inculcated with militaristic ideas.

Over the years 11 persons died as a result of Freedomite terrorism, which included the bombing of a train.

Violence reached a peak in 1961 and 1962 when dozens of shack-homes were set afire in such Freedomite communities as Krestova, Shoreacres, Ooteschenia, Glade, Brilliant and Pass Creek.

Suspected terrorists were rounded up and more than 100 men were sentenced to terms of 10 to 15 years in Mountain Prison.

Several years ago, Vancouver newspaper woman Simma Holt wrote **Terror in the Name of God**, a book tracing the history of Freedomite violence and explaining how the sect's leaders had misled their followers into rejecting law and authority.

Many of those in prison read the book and the effect was dramatic. Tom Hall, an official of the Canadian Penitentiary Service who had dealt with the Freedomites for 33 years, says the prisoners asked for a meeting with him after reading the book and told him they no longer believed what their leaders told them.

Most have applied for parole and are gradually being released from jail. Retroactive marriages have been performed for 1,200 couples to legitimize their children. Many are buying back property abandoned in 1961 along with mortgages. New homes are being built.

Many Freedomite children are being allowed, to continue with their education and two are even attending university.

There are still dissidents among the Freedomites, of course, but most now seem prepared to live in peace with their neighbors.

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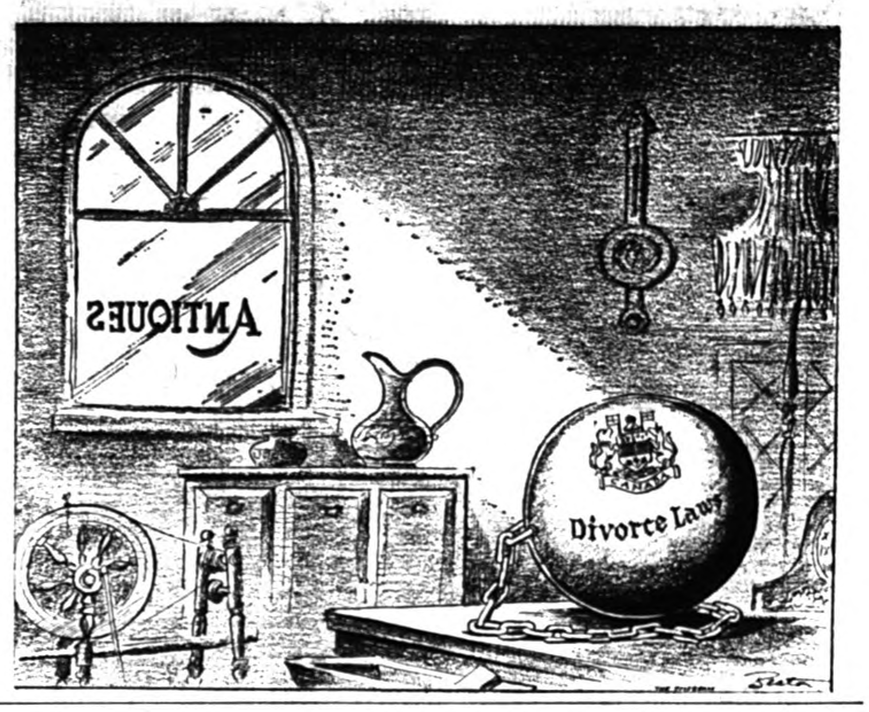

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Deaths. — Mullan, at "Hillside", Cushing, John Mullan, in his 58th year. . . Wills (Elizabeth), at Lakefield, widow of the late Charles Moore, aged 77.

Parsonage Fund. — The ladies of St. Simeon's Church propose having a mammoth refreshment tent on the 24th May in connection with the excursion and picnic from Montreal.

London — It is reported that Mr. Chamberlain has quarrelled with Mr. Gladstone on the Greek policy of the government.

Messrs. Fish and Ireland and Mr. D. Campbell, of Lachute, are shipping goods to London this week for the Indian and Colonial Exhibition.

Large numbers of Glengarry men are to be seen at Lachute Grist Mill nowadays with oats for meal, which they say keeps well from one end of the year to the other.

The committee engaged in procuring colors for the 11th Battalion hope to provide, also, swords for the Band of the regiment.

50 YEARS AGO

March, 1916 —

Correspondence: "Dear Sir: After reading the severe castigation inflicted upon you last week in your own columns by a 'Hockey Enthusiast' I had visions of you clothed in sackcloth, sitting in a mound of ashes, but on making judicious enquiries I rejoice to learn that you are bearing up." (Signed) Linksman.

Will those who have old magazines kindly send them to Mrs. Massiah or to Mr. Banford, to be made into booklets for the military hospitals overseas.

The Argenteuil boys attached to the 148th Overseas were in town this week on active recruiting, and returned to Montreal with 11 new recruits.

Subscribe at The Watchman Office for the Montreal Evening News, $1 a year. (Advt.)

Grenville — The Rev. Mr. Daniels will deliver a lecture in the Stonefield Baptist Church.

The Albert Hall will feature a new drama in three reels, "The Isolated House", also the Pathé Gazette and a good comic. (Advt.)

FACT

Spain had a flourishing textile industry in the 16th century.

25 YEARS AGO

March, 1941 —

Miss Mary L. Lamb, who has been serving as a missionary in West China since 1920, returned to St. Andrews last week.

A letter addressed to Jas. McOuat in Vancouver, was returned to his parents covered with dirt and oil and showing evidence of rough transit. The letter had been among air-mail on a Canadian Airways plane which crashed near Winnipeg killing 12 persons.

A lady from one of Lachute's leading families has offered a valuable Cocker Spaniel from her kennels to be sold, raffled or otherwise disposed of for the Spitfire Fund.

Misses Helen Deacon and Lorna Giles are C.G.I.T. delegates to the W.M.S. annual meeting being held in Wesley United Church, N.D.G.

The City of Hull, Que., is organizing a subscription campaign to aid the people of Hull, England, made homeless by air raids.

Cambria — Mr. Ben Pollock has been residing in his new house. Last fall he sold his farm to Mr. Norman Patterson.

Ladies from Thomas' Gore and Hill Head are knitting for the Victoria Rifles.

THIS WEEK AND NEXT
by Ray Argyle



Shh . . . Senate Asleep!

The Senate — that "assembly of old men" as the Romans called it — contained some younger faces at Ottawa this week. But the reputation of Canada's upper chamber was, if anything, the worse because of it.

Prime Minister Pearson's appointment of 10 new members stressed anew the dismal trap which waits for those who yearn to reform the Senate.

The PM's action in naming nine well-known Liberal workers among his 10 appointees shocked the country because Mr. Pearson had in the past made so many promises about Senate reform.

The Liberal Party's 1963 platform contained a firm pledge to reorganize the upper house. That was the election which first put Mr. Pearson into the office. When he went back to the country last November, that plank was strangely missing from the Liberal campaign platform.

The Liberal Government did succeed in one minor bit of Senate reform — the compulsory retirement at the age of 75 of those appointed since last May.

Senators who were appointed before last May — when the retirement bill was passed — are also eligible to step down at 75, on a pension of $8,000 per year. The first to do so was Alberta's J. W. Stambaugh.

Canada's 102 Senators are now appointed to the age of 75 at $15,000 per year, of which $3,000 is tax free.

As everyone knows, the Senate was designed after the pattern of Britain's House of Lords, the theory being that in Canada as well as Britain there was a need for a non-elective body which could take a sober second look at House of Commons legislations.

Bills do not become law until they clear the Senate, but in recent years in both Canada and Britain the voice of the House has been so strong that the upper chamber has not dared prevent passage.

Because Senators need not obligate themselves to the voters, they would save the country from radical legislation. This was the historic reasoning behind the acceptance by the Fathers of Confederation of the idea of a two-chamber parliament.

While the Senate was established in the tradition of the House of Lords, it has in fact worked out very differently than its British counterpart.

In Canada, the Senate became quickly and totally a tool of political patronage, an old man's home for unsuccessful politicians, with little to contribute to the country. With appointments under full control of the government, no independent or "third party" spokesmen have ever gained entrance.

But in Britain, drastic changes in the membership of the House of Lords have come about in recent years. Because the Labor party had its turn at government and in recommending the creation of peerages, radical new blood streamed into the House of Lords.

More recently, the creation of lifetime peerages (in which only the recipients and not their descendants would be eligible to sit in the House of Lords) opened up the old institution to many more ex-commoners. Legislation permitting members of the House of Lords to resign if they wished to seek election to the House of Commons finally democratized the system.

The result has been that in Britain the House of Lords, because of the quality of its membership, has become a leader of public opinion. It has spearheaded new legislation, such as the abolition of capital punishment and the legalization of homosexual acts between consenting adults.

The inference must be that it is not the system so much that is at fault as the kind of people who run the system. As long as the Canadian Senate remains a haven for unsuccessful politicians — and the ability to lose elections was the chief claim to distinction of nine of the 10 latest appointments — the Senate will continue to be a pimple on the body politic.

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SUGAR AND SPICE
by Bill Smiley



Bats And Butterflies

Life can be a real drag, but it has its moments. A couple of them came to me this week to convince me that it's more fun to be alive and suffering than stone cold dead in the cemetery.

The other night I took three busloads of students to see a play, "Murder in the Cathedral," in a neighboring town. I won't even mention what a nightmare such an excursion is for the man in charge of a hundred-odd lively teenagers.

We arrived in best clothes and best manners, ready for an evening of culture. The house lights dimmed; the stark set was revealed; the chorus came on with its brooding note of doom and death. You could have heard a feather drop as a thousand youngsters sat enthralled.

Suddenly a ripple of sound went through the theatre. The ripple rapidly became a wave. The chorus, in the best show tradition, bravely pressed on, its chant almost lost in the swelling titter. The ghost of the old opera house had taken over.

He had assumed the form of a large bat. The noise and lights had frightened him out of his eyrie among the rafters. And he put on a display of aerobatics that stole the show.

He swooped and swirled over audience and actors. He flickered through the shadows, in ever-descending circles that had all the girls clutching their hair. He peeled off and dive-bombed the chorus, making it duck collectively and frantically floorwards.

He disappeared intermittently, but, a born scene-stealer, was right on cue for his entries. Thomas Beckett, Archbishop of Canterbury, intoned. "For a little time the hungry hawk will only soar and hover, circling lower . . ."

And there was Mr. Bat, whistling around the actor's ears. The chorus wailed, "I have heard fluting in the night-time . . . have seen scaly wings slanting over." And guess who was fluting around gaily on his scaly wings, right past their noses.

All in all, a diverting evening in the theatre. I won't speak for the players, but the kids and the bat loved it.

My second reviving experience was not with a bat, but a butterfly. I think that term best describes my 14-year-old. She flits. She can't quite decide whether she's going to be a writer, a folk singer, a concert pianist or a basketball player.

Last Saturday, I took her to the city, to compete in the world's biggest music festival. Competition is rough. Her teacher and her mother had both told her she hadn't a chance, "Because you haven't worked hard enough."

She was pretty jittery. Teeth chattering, great nervous yawns, four trips to the bathroom in 20 minutes. My heart bled for her.

In her first class there were 12 competitors. Guess who was last. It was for students 20 and under. They were all good. Even though I've been to a hundred festivals, and am pretty worldly, my spirits sank, for her sake.

The bell clanged. She went on stage. And as I sat, turning purple while holding my breath through a Bach prelude and fugue, she played like a tiger. Second place we take.

We tottered out of the auditorium in a daze, leapt into a cab, rushed to meet her Mom, and hurled her words back in her face.

The kid repeated twice during the afternoon, and we arrived home after a 12-hour day and a 200-mile trip, staggering with exhaustion but flushed with triumph.

Of bats and butterflies, I guess, is the essence of life.

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New area managers

This picture shows new managers recently appointed by Marcel Lapierre, Eng., Director of the Laurentides Region of Hydro Québec — (left to right) Jas. G. Lydon, manager, Laval; William Foyle, Eng., manager, St. Jerome; Lawrence Cowan, manager-Supply for the Region; and Paul-E. Proulx, manager, Hull. These appointments are effective immediately.

Revamp structure of Hydro-Québec — formation of Laurentides Region

Since January 1, 1966, it is "Hydro-Québec" across the province, and also the start of operations of the Laurentides Region as such.

The new administrative structures for the Laurentides Region provide for creation of the three following areas — Hull, St. Jerome and Laval. These new areas supersede what was known as "districts" in the Gatineau, and as "divisions" in the Shawinigan.

The geographic territories formerly known as "divisions" in the Gatineau are renamed "districts" and will be under the immediate responsibility of superintendents.

The Hull area includes the following districts — Hull, Shawville, Mont-Laurier, Maniwaki and Papineauville.

The St. Jerome area covers the districts of — St. Jerome, Ste. Adele, St. Jovite, Lachute, Vaudreuil and Rawdon.

The Laval area covers all of the territory within the limits of the former Laval division of the Shawinigan, plus the section of Ile Jésus supplied by Hydro-Québec; this latter part will remain under the St. Laurent Region until further notice.

The Laurentides Region covers more than 27,000 square miles and spreads over 168 miles from north to south and 212 miles from east to west.

These changes or modifications were made with the service to more than 230 thousand customers in mind. New responsibilities were created. Certain functions were decentralized, while others were centralized in order to promote greater efficiency with this new set-up.

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District schools again invited to Enter contest; closing Mch. 25

J. B. S. Huard, chairman of the Quebec Wildlife Federation's Education Committee, recently announced an Essay Contest on conservation, for a fifth consecutive year. The contest will close locally on **March 25,** for provincial judging on April 25; it is open to all school children, members of 4-H Clubs, Young Farmers, Scouts, Guides and other youth organizations in Quebec.

Contestants are asked to submit essays with not less than 100 words and not more than 400 words. The subjects this year are as follows:

For 14 years and under:

The Speckled Trout. — Explain what you know about the speckled trout (Salvelinus fontinalis), often referred to as 'Queen of the Quebec Waters'. What can you do to help preserve this species in our lakes and rivers? If possible, mention your own personal experiences in this area of conservation.

For 15 years and over:

Sportsmanship in Fishing and Hunting. — By using examples, illustrate how the young angler or hunter can show true sportsmanship during his fishing or hunting trips.

There will be 34 prizes in cash, totalling $640. Two very attractive trophies will also be presented, and as a Grand Prize (boy or girl) — $100 and a trophy.

The contest covers the entire Province of Quebec and is sponsored in each district by a regional association which is a member of Federation — in this County, by the Argenteuil Fishing and Hunting Association.

Judging of the local entries will be in charge is Fernand Berthiaume (L'Argenteuil editor) for the French language and Don Titman (The Watchman) for English language entries. Final results will be published in these newspapers later.

Liberal Friends:

Who is Lucien Ranger?

He is a member of the Municipal Council of Chatham, and Production Manager and General Superintendent of one of the largest companies of the County of Argenteuil. He was Vice-President and Treasurer of the Liberal Association of Argenteuil.

He is married, the father of four children, and a true Liberal.

Vote for Unity — Vote Lucien Ranger!

—Organization of Lucien Ranger

5,555 Telephones in service here at end of 1965

Montreal — In its 1965 annual report, the Bell Telephone Company of Canada shows a net growth of 254,996 telephones, the greatest annual increase in its history. This brings the total number of telephones it has in service to 4,578,000.

This expansion was reflected in Lachute, where a total of 250 telephones were added. B. A. Parent, Bell Canada manager for the region, said that 5,555 telephones were in service here as of December 31, 1965.

After payments of dividends to the company's 214,000 shareholders the balance of 72 cents per share was retained to expand and improve service. Of Bell Canada shareholders, 97.5 per cent live in Canada and own 94 per cent of the stock total.

The report stresses the importance of consistently good communications in the non-urban areas served by Bell Canada. "In the five years from 1960 through 1964, the company spent $136 million on service improvements in non-urban areas, and it plans to invest even more in the next five-year period."

Individual and two-party services were made available in 255 communities which previously had only multi-party service as the standard offering. Many local calling areas were extended and 16 exchanges converted to dial. More than 99 per cent of the company's telephones are now dial operated, and conversion of the remainder is planned for the near future.

Bell of Canada also plans to introduce Touch-Tone telephone communities during 1966. Equipped with push buttons instead of the familiar dial, Touch-Tone sets will eventually provide a variety of new and useful services.

FIND NEW NORSE RUINS

Quebec (CP) — Louis Edmond Hamelin, director of Laval University's Nordic studies center, announced discovery of a possibly pre-Columbian Norse settlement in the Ungava peninsula of northern Quebec. House foundations, a church-like structure and stone dam were found in a European-type village that may have been the work of a roving Greenland Norse colony. The expedition will explore further next summer.

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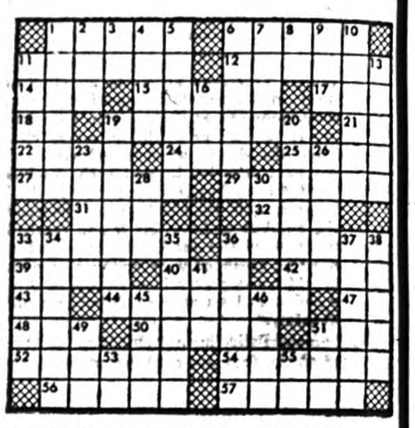
1-Pertaining to the sun
6-More ancient
11-Pertaining to the Alps
12-Dug out
14-Rodent
15-South American mammal
17-Mature
18-Near
19-Punctuations marks
21-Cooled lava
22-Rockfish
24-Lamprey
25-High
27-Worshipped
29-Russian stockader
31-Sodium chloride
32-Macaw
33-Sewing implement
36-Petty ruler
39-The caama
40-Pronoun
42-Comfort
43-Pronoun
44-Retreated
47-Preposition
48-Tennis stroke
50-Dravidian
51-Chicken
52-Faucet
54-Glowing coals
56-Rock
57-Floats in air

DOWN

1-Designated
2-Choose
3-Chinese mile
4-Poker stake
5-Raised
6-Colorful bird
7-Nobleman
8-Note of scale
9-Greek letter
10-Feast
11-Macaw
13-Transactions
16-Baker's product
19-One who marches
20-Began
23-Part of face (pl.)
26-Three-banded armadillo
28-Cloth measure
30-Chinese pagoda
33-Metal fasteners
34-Bars legally
35-Landed property
36-Set
37-Showy flowers
38-Mexican laborers
41-Pronoun
46-Short jacket
46-Sailor's patron saint
49-Tiny amount
51-Pronoun
53-Proceed
55-College degree (abbr.)

Solution Last Week





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Reading Newspapers

— By NANCY CLEAVER —

"All I know is what I read in the paper," Will Rogers once said with a smile. The regular arrival of a newspaper is taken for granted in today's world. Many parents seldom pause to think how much their family life is enriched by reading it and how the home horizons are extended to the farthest corners of the globe.

From time to time a special issue of a paper marks a historical event in the community and should be carefully kept with family records. Most newspapers give men and women prominence who voluntarily contribute generously of their time and energy to the welfare of their fellow men.

W. A. White once pointed out that the country newspaper rests entirely on the dignity of the human spirit. Because it emphasizes the individual, he called it "democracy embodied". Another writer, R. C. Holliday, made a thought - provoking comment: "There is not in the press any reading so improving as the 'obits'. . . I doubt very much indeed whether any one could read obituaries every day for a year and remain a bad man or woman."

Interest in the newspaper can begin at an early age. The little child is attracted by the pictures in a paper. He acquires information by the questioning method and it is amazing how many different questions he can ask! "The Chinese have an old saying about a picture being equal to a thousand words; it sometimes seems to me that our Junior can ask a thousand questions about one picture!" one weary mother exclaimed impatiently. Her friend suggested that she provide her small son with blunt scissors, a scrap book and paste so he could make his own picture book from old newspaper photos.

Why not plan as a family to compile a loose-leaf Scrapbook on Canada's Centennial? Have every reading member clip and paste items from papers on this topic on their pages.

This is a worthwhile activity for the child starting to school. When he learns to print, he can write his own captions under the pictures. Crayons can be used for borders. Color adds greatly to the attractiveness of pictures in a small child's eyes. Pictures of animals have a special appeal. H. I. Phillips once wrote of the reason why pictures of polar bears appear in the summer, in these lines:

"When heat waves come to scorch the streets
And humid is the long-drawn day
Then editors in huddles go
And to the cameramen declare
Quick! To the zoo, for we must show
Some pictures of a polar bear!"

It is to the comic picture strips which most children turn at once in the paper. They want to laugh or thrill over the mishaps or adventures of their favorite characters. Unless they are encouraged to take a little more time, some boys and girls grow up reading little else in the press, except the comics.

In the senior grades in elementary school, the scholars often compile a scrap book on Current Events. Many teachers give one pupil a turn each day describing one such happening. At the present time there is a ten year old and a twelve year old in our home. The younger girl's clippings are all on local events and the older girl's on world news. This is sound procedure because what is happening in the place in which a child lives is more vivid and easier to depict than far-away events in other lands.

Thus we say "Long live the local newspapers!" It was in a weekly column on High School News in the Fergus News Record that we received our first training in reporting. We knew the discipline of meeting a deadline, and we were confirmed in our belief that for us here was the most challenging and exciting work in the world. We owe far more than we can ever repay to editors who by their suggestions have helped us. Would that every aspiring adolescent journalist could have the experience, not just of visiting a newspaper, but of writing for it!

Advice given on waist whittling

Chicago, Ill. (WMNS) — If your waistline is expanding, start reducing pronto. You'll look better and certainly be healthier, notes the American Medical Association (AMA), especially if you diet sensibly and exercise, too.

A sensible diet should include protein, carbohydrates, fats, minerals and vitamins, advises the AMA, found in such foods as milk, meat, fruit and vegetables, bread and cereals. The fat will come off if you cut down the size of your portions and fill in empty spaces with low-calorie foods like celery, radishes, consommé. Don't waste money on "phony reducing products," cautions the AMA.

If you're more than 10 pounds overweight see your doctor for help in reducing.

BEGIN AT HOME

Montreal — "Charity begins at home and this is our home, Montreal," city councillor Frank Hanley told members of a B'nai B'rith lodge here. An Irish Canadian, Mr. Hanley said he would rather spend a dollar on a needy person in Montreal than send it to the "impoverished country" of Ireland.

— Never more useful than in the spring season — Watchman Classified Ads.

Meatless meals for Lenten season

During the Lenten season it is traditional for the housewife to serve more meatless meals than at other seasons.

To add zest to meatless meals, the Montreal Bakers' Association suggests three main dishes quickly made, eye-appealing and nourishing. The addition of bread gives them extra flavor and nutrition and makes them more economical.

Tangy Fish Fillets

2 Fish Fillets (2½ - 3 lbs.), 3 tomatoes, 4 tbsps. chopped mustard pickle, 2 tbsps. butter, 6 slices of bread (toasted), salt.

Season fish and place in greased pan. Dot with butter and broil until golden brown. Cut tomatoes in halves, crosswise. Dot with butter and broil. Spread toast with mustard pickle. On each slice place one third of one fish fillet. Place half tomato on each slice of fish. Serve hot, garnished with parsley. Six portions.

Fish Loaf

2 Cups flaked cooked fish, ½ tsp. prepared mustard, 1½ cups heavy white sauce, 2 tsps. lemon juice, 6 slices bread (buttered).

Combine fish, white sauce, mustard and lemon juice. In greased loaf pan put 2 slices of bread, cover with half the fish mixture. On this place two more slices of bread, the remainder of the fish and top with two slices of bread buttered side down. Bake covered in a 400 degree oven for 25 minutes. If the loaf pan has no cover one can be made with aluminum foil. Unmold on hot platter. Serve in slices with hot tomato sauce if desired.

Vegetable Loaf

4 Cups soft bread crumbs, 2 tsps. minced parsley, pepper, 1½ cups celery chopped fine, ¼ cup melted butter, ¾ cup milk, 6-8 slices orange, 2 tsps. salt, ¼ tsp. sage, ¼ tsp. paprika, 1 sour apple chopped fine, 2 eggs, 2 cups walnuts chopped fine.

Mix crumbs, salt, parsley, sage, pepper, paprika, celery and apple. Stir in melted butter. Beat eggs, add milk and pour over bread mixture, letting stand until crumbs are softened. Add the nuts. Pack mixture in greased loaf pan and bake at 375 degrees for 1¼ hours, basting with melted butter. Turn out on platter and garnish with parsley and slices of orange. Serves 6.

BABY CAN CRY BEFORE BIRTH

Inverness, Scotland (WMNS) — Can a baby cry before it is born? Yes. . . A young Scottish woman, her two attending physicians and three midwives heard the extraordinary sound five times before the mother was delivered of a baby boy, approximately 18 hours after the first cry.

"All of us were startled," reported Dr. Robert G. Blair, one of the physicians, "and looked around the labor room to make sure that a nurse had not carried in a baby."

The infant, the doctor wrote in a recent issue of the British medical journal, **The Lancet**, "cried immediately at birth, its color was pink," and it was entirely normal. Mother did well, too. After recovering from her surprise, that is.

Teatime Topics

By Jean Sharp, Canadian Press Staff Writer

Specially Written for The Lachute Watchman



Your community could start 1967 enthusiastically. Get every church in town to ring its bells at midnight and light a community bonfire, perhaps fuelled by this year's Christmas trees.

This is one of 200 suggestions for community and organization Centennial activities offered by the women's activities committee of Ontario's Centennial planning branch.

Another is to organize sewing bees to make 19th century costumes to be worn at Centennial parties, sales or displays through the year.

A renovated 1867 building could be furnished Centennial style and used as a museum or community hall, or your museum or community hall might have a room that could be furnished in the fashion of 1867.

You could create a miniature version — furnish a doll house and dress dolls for a display.

Your beautification campaign could include a floral 1867-1967 greeting at the entrance of your town or a Centennial garden featuring plants popular 100 years ago.

Perhaps you have a river or a stream where you could create a *memorial picnic site.*

You can encourage local citizens to tear down unused, ramshackle buildings and clear away rusted equipment.

Your community can make the Centennial year its own with local histories, by honoring those who have lived there 100 years; a roll of honor of founding citizens for display in a municipal building, plaques for local farms that have been in the same family for a century.

You could have any number of local competitions. Urge merchants and your newspaper to look for old bills and posters and equipment and display them. You might sponsor a prize for the best display.

Hold an art contest, a competition for the best poetry or essay on a local historical event or prominent person.

Get local club groups to collect and organize displays of antiques of all sorts. Hold an athletic prize day, include special Centennial activities in the local fall fair. Try a costumed Centennial parade and crown a king and queen, junior or senior.

Encourage community participation with, for instance, an interfaith day when the history of local churches might be traced. Sponsor a pageant or help supply funds to train a Centennial choir or band to perform at special functions.

You might organize an at-home week or weekend to bring back former citizens. Map out friendship trails for tourists to help them find historical sites in your area.

Or, the committee urges, find a community need and choose Centennial year to fill it.

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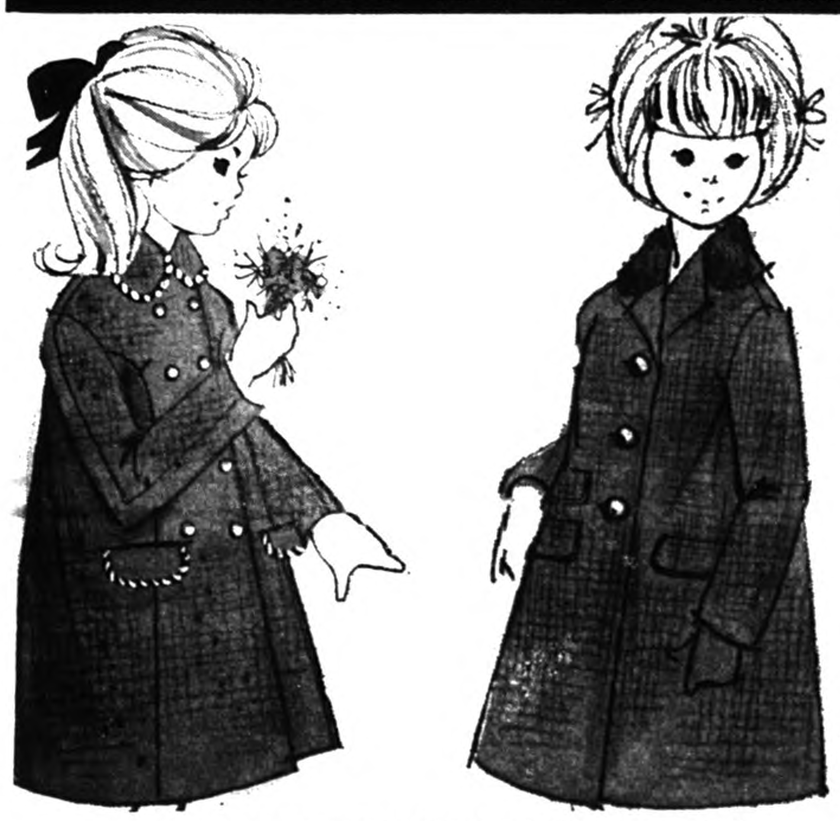

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Emphasis on youth during Education Week



Bobby Mady and Peter Clarke are seen with their project, a Van der Graaf generator, with which they won third prize. Harry Butterfield, seen at the rear, was the other student engaged on this team project.



Seen here are the three judges inspecting a Tesla coil exhibited by Robin Good, which was awarded second prize. With Robin, left to right, are Mr. Jos. Somers, Mr. Helmuth Fiechter and Dr. G. R. Rigby.

—Photos, Syd Drew

Science Fair at Lach. High School drew many interested spectators

— By Arthur McElroy —

A display of scientific projects prepared by Lachute High School students of Grades 3 to 12 was presented on Thursday of last week. The wide range of exhibits represented many sub-divisions of science, including Physics, Chemistry, Biology, Electronics, and many others. Although not all visitors completely grasped the detailed principles of the more involved projects, everyone enjoyed seeing the exhibits.

There were 51 projects in the Junior division, exhibited by 82 elementary pupils, and 20 projects of the Senior division, exhibited by 30 High School and Grade 12 students. The judges included Dr. G. R. Rigby, of Canadian Refractories, Mr. H. Fiechter, of C-I-L Brownsburg, and Mr. J. D. Somers, of J. C. Wilson Limited. These local firms were prize donors.

Three overall prizes were given. The first-place project, a Solar Cell, was prepared by Roy Billingham, Richard Holdsworth and Arthur McElroy. Robin Good won second prize with a very dramatic project, a Tesla Coil. A Van der Graaf Generator, presented by Harry Butterfield, Peter Clarke and Bobby Mady, placed third.

Seven prizes were also given to the winners of individual class categories. Andy Butterfield won in the Grade 12 division with a project on Electromagnetism. First in the Grade 10 and 11 group was Edward Sewell with a Spectroscope and Cloud Chamber, while a project on Solar Water Desalination, by Alan McOuat, won in the Grade 8 and 9 division. Peter McOuat won in Grade 7 with a Burglar Alarm, and David Ivall won in Grade 6 with an Electromagnetic Crane. The prize for Grade 5 went to Anne Pollock, who displayed a Postcard Projector, while the winners in Grade 4 were Dale Gauley and Gregory MacWha; their project dealt with the Dinosaur Age and a Volcano. Honourable mention was given to Sandra Cochrane and Annett Leblanc of Grade 12, for their dissection of a cat; to Grade 6B for the model of a town; to Joanne Payne of Grade 6 for her Barometer; and to Michael Dunn-age of Grade 3 for his project on the Solar System.

Since one project from the school is permitted in the Montreal Science Fair in April, Richard Holdsworth, Roy Billingham and Arthur McElroy will display their Solar Cell at this Fair.

(The pupils of Grades 3 to 12 wish to thank Mrs. Sanford for her supervision and organization, which helped make this fair a success.)

St. Patrick parade all set to roll

One of the biggest parades in recent years has been organized by the officers and cadets of the Lachute Army Cadet Corps. More than 30 entries will make up the parade, including three bands. There will be horses from the Younkie Farm, Pring's Stables, and individuals who will be riding horses from out of town, as well as floats including the Whiteway Kennels, Arc Supply Ltd., J. C. Wilson Co., Boyd's Express Ltd., and others who are planning to participate. Most of the car dealers in Lachute area will have one decorated car in the parade, and besides the bands there will be the Army Cadets, Air Cadets, the Majorettes, Scouts, Cubs and many others, to make for a fine parade.

As expenses were involved in this project, the Army Cadets, assisted by the Air Cadets and Majorettes, put on a drive Friday and Saturday and raised money through the sale of shamrocks. Capt. Haydon, chairman, had nothing but praise for the youngsters who worked so vigorously and enthusiastically to make the parade possible.

Lieut. Art Whiteway, the parade marshal, has laid out the route and order of march, which will depart from the Legion Hall at 2 o'clock Saturday, March 19, parading westward to Dumais Fuel Oils service station, and returning on the opposite side of Main St. After the parade there will be a party for the participating boys and girls, put on by the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Royal Canadian Legion.

The committee responsible for the parade includes Capt. R. W. Haydon, Lieut. A. Whiteway, Lt. Ed Hooker, Lt. F. Barron, Mr. G. Besner and the wives of the committee members. It is the hope of the committee, and all those participating, that Lachute will turn out en masse to view this parade.

Week's Epigram

Tomorrow is the greatest labor-saving device of today.



Cabbage, anyone?

Grown by Mr. and Mrs. Castle of Brownsburg in their garden last year, this cabbage was stored in their cellar. Brought up from the basement recently, it sprouted in the warmth and daylight and within two or three weeks was in full bloom.

—Photo, Syd Drew

BM manager warns on hoax attempted here

A bank hoax tried successfully in Montreal and elsewhere, has been attempted here this past week, and Manager Don M. Hay at the Bank of Montreal wishes to put depositors on their guard, in Lachute or other centres within The Watchman's readership. This is how it works:

A customer is telephoned by a suave stranger purporting to be an inspector or investigator, who hints at suspicious practices among the bank staff and asks the client to help in detecting the abuse. He is asked to draw a sum from his account so that the investigator may check. The customer agrees, and in due time another voice — that of the bank manager, supposedly — calls, suggesting that the client proceed as requested. The co-operative citizen then makes a substantial withdrawal from his account, and later comes the investigator, to take the money for inspection, giving a receipt; the money will be returned immediately after checking at the bank. . . . There the matter ends — unhappily for the victim.

The case here last week ended prematurely, however. It happened the client was well acquainted with the manager's voice, and when he was called on the phone, immediately suspected an impersonation. He went along, however, but balked at the "touch" that followed. Manager Hay was promptly informed, and the provincial police were alerted.

Having been foiled in Lachute, the perpetrators will likely attempt this hoax again in nearby areas. The public are warned accordingly.

Caught in robbery two Montrealers held without bail

Percy Mitchell, 45, and Gaston Rock, 45, both of whom were arrested by Lachute municipal police following the February 23 robbery at the clothing establishment of Jos. Malaket & Fils, appeared in St. Jerome court on Wednesday of last week, and were held without bail pending the fall assizes.

Judge Camille de Martigny conducted the hearing and, referring to the past record of the two men, refused bail under any circumstances. In the Malaket robbery, the estimated haul was valued at approximately $14,000, mainly in men's clothing. No trace of the stolen goods has been found.



Opening of Careers Expo

This group was photographed at the opening of the Careers Expo (feminine section) at Lachute Auditorium last week. Around 14 display booths were featured by various companies offering vocations for young ladies. Many hundreds of students, teachers, parents and interested residents attended the three-day feature, which is being followed this week by a similar attraction for young men.

Seen at the inaugural (l. to r.) — Yves Matteau, Guidance officer of the Dollard Des Ormeaux Regional School; Dr. Roger Lavigne, chairman of the Regional and of the local Catholic school boards; Dr. Zoël Saindon, mayor of Lachute; and L. J. Dumais, president of the Caisse Populaire, which tendered a reception to mark the opening of this event.

—Photo, Syd Drew

Sentiments and Sidelights

(Comments on the Local Scene)

Amalgamation of Lachute and Ayersville was made public in a notice appearing in the last Quebec Official Gazette — the measure awaiting only the sanction of the Lieutenant-Governor to make it official.

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Television photographers were due this week at the Careers Expo in Lachute Auditorium, to film shots and interview students for the program "Aujourd'hui".

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Excavation started last week for a building to accommodate Jos. Malaket & Fils clothing store, next to their furniture establishment on Main Street West. . . . Meanwhile, it is learned on reliable authority that their present site, 611 Main Street, has been rented through Redpath Realties Ltd. to Trans-Canada Shoe Limited, who will take over May 1, to open the 60th store in their chain operating in Quebec, Ontario and other provinces.

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If you have received Easter Seals in the mail, please enclose your donation and return the pink envelope. Easter Seals are sponsored here by the Lions Club to aid in the care and rehabilitation of crippled children.

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Expo '67 is recruiting hostesses and guides for the big occasion in Montreal. Preferred are young lady high school graduates 20 to 35 years of age, bilingual, with salary offered according to education. Duties from January till October 1967. Information is available from the National Employment Service local office (562-2481).

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A 460-foot wooden bridge at Notre Dame de Pontmain, on Route 35 from Buckingham to Mont Laurier was destroyed by fire on Sunday.

Liberal Assn. chooses Saindon candidate for prov'l election

Hon. Gaston Binette, speaker, affirms replacement of two bridges in 1966

Dr. Zoël Saindon, mayor of Lachute and member of the medical fraternity, was chosen as Liberal candidate in the next provincial election, at a convention of the Argenteuil Liberal Association in the Auditorium last Sunday. The hall was filled to capacity, drawing numerous supporters of the party from areas throughout the constituency.

Two other contenders were in the running for favor of the voters, André Lefebvre and Lucien Ranger, who were, respectively, the president and the treasurer of the Association, and both well known Lachute citizens. Both had resigned their party positions in order to present themselves as candidates.

Contrary to previous practice, all members of the Association in good standing were eligible to vote. There were four polling booths, which registered a total of 829 voters.

Candidate eliminated in the first balloting was Lucien Ranger. In the final round, between Dr. Saindon and André Lefebvre, the votes cast were 260 and 254 — Dr. Saindon winning with a slim majority of only 6 ballots.

Official counting gave the result of the first ballot in this manner: Saindon 243; Lefebvre 237; Ranger 102.

Chairman of the convention was Jacques Dalmain, a representative of the Quebec Liberal Federation. The assembly was peaceable and orderly, though Dr. Saindon's triumph was greeted with noisy enthusiasm by the crowd.

Hon. Gaston Binette, Speaker

During counting of the votes, the Hon. Gaston Binette, minister of Natural Resources and M.P.P. for the neighboring constituency of Deux Montagnes, was invited to speak. He gave welcome announcement of plans officially underway for construction of the new Barron's and McGibbon's bridges in 1966. (This news had already been made public by Mayor Dr. Saindon, now the official Liberal candidate.)

In a 30-minute address, the minister discussed the triple role of this County as an agricultural, industrial and tourist territory. Its agricultural progress depends upon the consolidation of its farms. Its industry requires co-ordinated effort between Lachute and other municipalities, to establish industrial funds and determine manufacturing zones. And growth of the tourist business requires essentially the service of good roads; his government, the Hon. Mr. Binette stated, had planned improvements for various highways in the County.

The speaker was thanked by Mr. Dalmain.



Mayor Dr. Zoël Saindon elected Liberal candidate

Youths charged with numerous entries and thefts

Two 14-year-old youths from Lachute were arrested Monday and charged with break-ins and thefts estimated at $314, including damage. The incidents started in early February and included the theft of a large bubble-gum machine from the Dechatelais restaurant, Main Street; a peanut machine from a taxi stand, soft drinks from the Colonial Restaurant; two gum machines from the Leon Lavoie store; and minor thefts and damage from Lachute Baptist Church and the St. Julien Parish Church. A number of Gatineau Power vehicles were also tampered with; in this instance, nothing of value was reported missing and damage was light.

The two have been charged, and will be turned over to the social welfare court in St. Jerome.

Capacity audience at 'Carmen' performance

The performance of "Carmen" by the Canadian Opera Company was a bright spot in the late winter doldrums of Lachute, and a capacity gathering enjoyed this colorful spectacle at l'Ecole Secondaire last week.

The audience was welcomed by Mme Jacques Bedard, the Community Concerts president, in a brief address from the stage. The attendance included concertgoers from the widespread membership of the Association, far east, west and south of Lachute, many of whom were privileged after the performance to meet and converse with the artists. It was gathered that the troupe had thoroughly enjoyed the experience of their tour in Quebec. Having arrived here from Drummondville, their itinerary took them the following day to Brockville, Ont.

The rendition of Georges Bizet's "Carmen" by this company is the Opéra Comique version, sung here in the French language. Of the bilingual cast, the following artists represented the characters named:

Carmen, a gypsy girl —	Geneviève Perreault
Don José, corporal —	Guy Lavoie
Escamillo, toreador —	Roland Richard
Micaela, Don José's fiancée —	Jeannette Zarou
Zuniga, captain —	Oskar Raulfs
Frasquita, gypsy —	Kathryn Newman
Mercèdès, gypsy —	Elsie Sawchuk
Ramendado, smuggler —	Thomas Park
Dancairo, smuggler —	Tito Dean

There were many, besides, who deserve credit for this excellent production; most noteworthy of these, from the audience contact, was the pianist and musical director, Dr. George Brough, whose accompaniment served well in the absence of an orchestra, more fitting to a performance of this kind.

The drama has been told and retold. The scene and romance of Old Spain were well depicted, transporting the audience with ease to the atmosphere and tempo of this well known opera. Scenic effects and costumes in the four acts were appropriate to the theme. The acting was well done; this evidenced the experience and versatility of the troupe, which has accustomed itself to performing in strange and restricted places. The singing and interpretations were superb, and the solo parts rang clear, true and expressive. There were exceptions in one or two brief passages — scarcely discernible, detracting in no manner from the overall presentation — but just emphasizing the actors as human; also not-quite-convincing sidelights in the action, as when the dagger deeply plunged into the luckless heroine, clattered to the floor. (It was learned later, this was intentional.) The scenic arrangements and lighting were fitting to a stage far more pretentious than on this occasion, and contributed appreciably to the success of this touring production.



Local team won Company bonspiel

The Price Brothers' Bonspiel was held at Grand Falls, Nfld., March 9-12, with 13 teams from the different divisions competing. J. C. Wilson Limited, who became a wholly-owned subsidiary in 1959, were successful in winning the Lady Price Trophy, nosing out Jonquière in the last end of the playoff final.

T. R. Moore, Chairman of the Board and President of the company, is shown presenting the trophy to Mac Cairns, skip of the winning team, which included W. N. Westcott, Kitchener, lead; F. R. Malenfant, second; and D. R. MacRae, third.

K. I. Gordon, Vice-President (Manufacturing), and R. M. Cairns, Vice-President and General Manager, also attended the bonspiel.

CSN wins favor in woodworkers' vote held Tuesday

The CSN (Confédération des Syndicats Nationaux) won decisively in a workers' vote at Dominion Ayers Wood Division on Tuesday, to oust the existing union, the Brotherhood of Carpenters and Woodworkers of America, as bargaining agent between employees and management.

Result of the vote, conducted by secret ballot under supervision of J. Laforest and three other scrutineers from the Quebec Labor Relations Boards, was given as follows:

For the CSN —	**156**
For Brotherhood —	**43**
Spoiled ballots —	66
Not voting —	8

Those eligible to vote were employees of Dominion Ayers Wood Division on the payroll from February 5 to March 5.

The Company requested the Labor Board to provide space on the ballot for employees not wishing to be represented by a union. However, the request was refused.

In a letter to its employees, signed by W. H. Smith, general manager, the Company had asked three pertinent questions:

— Considering the needs of yourself and family, are you ready to risk a strike?

— Are you willing to pay $50 membership each year for services which a union may, or may not, provide?

— Do you really need an agent to voice your interests to your employer?

"Argenteuil Outdoors"

By BOB ATCHISON

As reported in this paper last week, certain pesticides have been banned for use, unless with special permission. These chemicals I have mentioned before, and they are real killers. Dieldrin and Aldrin are the ones affected just now, but I hope to see a lot more sprays put under the same restrictions. At any rate this is a start, better late than never. These chemicals have been used on all types of crops, including forage likely to be fed to animals. The Agricultural Chemical Industry are no doubt taking a long, hard look at some of these other pesticides that have been under ban in the U.S. Let's hope, for the sake of our wildlife, that more of these sprays will be placed on the restricted list.

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Maybe while they are taking a look at these poisons, they could give more attention to our detergents. I'll admit they are not in same category as sprays, but in their own way they do much more damage. You must get tired of reading all about these soaps and such, but you know, until something is done about them, the chemicals ban is not going to be much help. With all these new brands of detergents on the market, and the claims being made for them — if just a small portion of the publicity is right, then we sure need help. if only the women's associations got behind this, maybe something could be done.

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I haven't mentioned birds for a couple of weeks. I know most people think that with the warmer weather they can quit feeding them, but at this time of the year they need all the feed they can get without too much work. If you put out suet or grease you will be surprised how they will feed off this. In addition to helping our regular birds, you will have the early ones coming in too. So don't forget to put out seed and scraps. You'll have feathered friends all summer, for sure.

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With all the snow around the fields, I never thought to be seeing flowers. But in a small patch of cleared ground, I noted last week a couple of snowdrops, and they sure looked good. I think I speak for everyone, when I say it can't come too soon!

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I have had more callers telling me of wolves in the district. I don't know how all these animals have been seen, as a wolf is not that stupid; very rarely do you spot them around, even in the height of winter when they chase other animals. Unless they are very sure of themselves, they aren't too often seen. . . Anyway, to make this short, I don't believe there are that many wolves in this County, and what's more, there is no evidence to disprove this either. Sure there are a few, but don't get it into your heads that there are hundreds just waiting to attack you. The wolf is a much maligned animal.

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Looking at a couple of my creeks for fishing, one of them is open a little — so I can start dreaming. A good covering of snow on them seems to have kept the ice from becoming too thick. I was surprised at the thickness of one in particular — about 11 inches in places. From all indications the lakes may go out sooner than they did last year. The snows have insulated them against the extreme cold we had; we'll just have to wait and see.

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Garbage thrown on the roadside gives rise to a perennial complaint. If you doubt it, I suggest you come and see me, and I'll tell you where it's plentiful. This type of thing is particularly offensive early in the year; the snow disappears, and there is no grass or weeds to lessen the shock. I wonder when we are going to learn that the roadside is no place to dispose of junk. We may scatter things around at home, but we should realize this is hardly correct in public places. I only hope the authorities will have these spots cleaned up in a short time. And I certainly would like to see some of our courts hand out stiff sentences for littering — maybe cleaning up a couple of miles of roadside, as they do in some other provinces.

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Repair time for fishing tackle — and, as usual, the whipping on the eyes is the most frequently mentioned. To begin with, if the whipping or wrappings have frayed in any way, then cut them off altogether. They cannot be varnished or shellacked to make them stay. To bind these on, the best way is to mark with a pencil just where the eye was as you take it off. This will prevent you getting eyelets under the others. Use a good grade of silk thread or nylon, the color you want. You will find maybe that the slope of the eye is a little too thick to start the thread on, so use a very fine file and smooth it down. Start your whippings about ¼-inch from the eye and work it up to the slope. Be careful, however — the eye will start to slip if you apply too much pressure at first. Now wind the thread all the way to the bridge on the eye; make sure this is even, too. Now use a fine piece of nylon, making a loop out of it, place this under your last row of thread and wind on at least four more whippings. Cut this whipping thread about 3 inches long, place through the loop and pull; you will find the thread is now behind the last four wrappings, in other words, an endless knot. Trim this off with a sharp knife or blade and you are ready to varnish them. It's best to varnish this work; lacquer is too brittle, and in most cases is not waterproof. The final finish is up to you. If you wish a nice smooth shine on the thread, then varnish at least four times. Incidentally, if any of those eyes are cut or marked in any way, get a new set; putting on old ones will be only a waste of time. . .

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Now for the handle. The corks often shrink and crack. You may swell these up by leaving them in water a couple of days. But if you wish to have a new handle, then follow this procedure: Cut the old corks off with a sharp knife; first slit down the handle a couple of times, this will help you to raise the corks from the blank of the rod itself. You cannot generally remove the reel-seat without cutting this with a hacksaw; and if you do this, be careful of the rod underneath. Clean old glue or fibre off the butt where you are going to put the new handle; and make sure this is very clean, otherwise your handle will not stick.

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Now for the corks: you can buy complete cork handles, or you can shape the corks yourself, but this is a rough job, and I suggest you buy the handle corks ready-made. You will have to judge where you want the handle, then cut the corks in two; this will leave two sets of handles centred by the reel-seat. Use epoxi glue, or a waterproof type; nothing else will do. You might have to make a filler for the seat and handle; this is an inside-diameter cork for the handle. Most corks have holes already drilled, but they are usually oversize and much too loose on the rod. The best way to do this is wind some candlewick around the rod up to the length of the corks, then smear glue all over it; thin glue sinks best into the candlewick and seals right onto the rod itself. Let this dry well; run glue down the hole of the handle, then force the corks on. Wipe off excess glue at once. After that, leave it alone for at least 48 hours. You can then start to shape it, using heavy sandpaper for the rough shape, then finer grit.

I know this sounds like a lot of work, and it is. But it's a lot of fun to work on your own tackle. Maybe you'll like it well enough to manufacture a rod for yourself. This too can be fun, between seasons when you have nothing to do.

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Triumphant Lachute High School senior hockey team which won the provincial schools championship in the tournament finals last week-end. At the right, their coach, Ron MacKenzie, of the L.H.S. staff; left, Peter Clarke, their manager. —Photo, Syd Drew

LHS wins provincial hockey title, first time in 20 years of tourney

— By Peter Clarke —

The Lachute High School senior hockey team combined an 8-5 decision over Quebec City with a 9-1 romp over Granby to win the Provincial High School Championship at the Q.A.P.S.A. tournament held last week-end at Bishop's University.

Lachute played the first game last Friday night against a tough Quebec City High School team. Herb Underhill opened the scoring in the first period, with another tally being added by Gord Duncan. Quebec replied before the period ended to make the score 2-1 for LHS.

In the second period, Pat Lowe came through with two goals, while singles were added by Underhill, Mike Lowe and Dale Smith. But Quebec also were on the offensive in this period, as they rammed home four goals past a nervous Wayne O'Brien. Lachute and Quebec fired a total of 36 shots with Lachute hitting 19 of them. The period ended with LHS leading 7-5.

Lachute made a defensive stand in the third period with the Lachute defencemen giving O'Brien lots of protection. Quebec was allowed only seven shots on the LHS goaler, while at the other end of the rink the Quebec goaler was called upon to handle 13 shots. Mike Lowe scored his second goal of the game to finish the scoring and give Lachute an 8-5 victory. Shots on goal — by Lachute 44, Quebec City 30.

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Saturday morning featured the championship game, against the Granby High School. Granby had eliminated Noranda 7-2 on Friday night to set the stage for the final contest.

Mike Lowe was a power of strength in this game; he fired four goals and added two assists to lead the Lachute onslaught. Mike opened the scoring early, and from that point on the game was never in doubt. Mighty Mike added his second goal in the same period with singletons going to Gord Duncan, Stephen Lowe and Stuart Rogers. Wayne O'Brien was in top form for this game, as time and again he robbed the Granby offence at point-blank range. He stopped 14 shots. Lachute, with 16 shots on goal led 5-0 at the end of the period.

The second period saw only one goal scored by Lachute, from the stick of Mike Lowe. Granby scored their only goal of the game in this period, giving Lachute a 6-1 lead.

Mighty Mike scored his fourth goal of the game on a break, skating around one defenceman and neatly enticing the goaler out of position, to put the puck in an open net. Stephen Lowe connected for his second goal of the game and Herb Underhill added a single tally to give Lachute a well deserved 9-1 triumph. Lachute outshot Granby 49-26.

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The championship banquet was held immediately after the game, at one o'clock, after which various awards were made to the winners. Captain Herb Underhill accepted on behalf of the Lachute team the Q.A.P.S.A. trophy. This is the first time in the 20-year history of the tournament that Lachute High School has ever won provincial hockey honors. Lachute was further honored by having Mike Lowe selected as the most valuable player of the tournament — a unanimous choice by the three judges. Captain 'Huck' Underhill extended thanks to Mr. Bruce Coulter and the staff at Bishop's, for the tournament and the hospitality extended to the teams.

The Lachute team, manager, and coach, wish to express their thanks for the wonderful support given to this team throughout the year. Special thanks to Mr. Bob Bailly, Mr. Keith Clarke, Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Lowe, and Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Lowe, who transported the boys to Lennoxville for the week-end.

Brownsburg CURLING Activities

A team skipped by Mrs. W. Hazel, with Mrs. J. Finlayson, Mrs. R. Sugden and Mrs. Wm. Richardson, played in the St. Jerome Invitation bonspiel.

We also had a team entered in the "Filly" Bonspiel, Town of Mount Royal. This team, with Mrs. S. Rose (skip), Mrs. W. Hazel, Mrs. R. Sugden and Mrs. D. Golphin, won third prize in the second event. Congratulations!

The Molson Mixed starts March 17; lots of good curling in this competition, so come out and watch the games.

The Men's Invitation bonspiel came to a successful conclusion on Saturday, with Al Dunsmore skipping his Vankleek Hill team to victory. Congratulations to Al, with Mac McIntyre, Mac Hall and Sid Burwash. (Picture on page 3.)

Runner-up in the main event was also a team from Vankleek Hill, with R. Matte as skip.

Winner of the Consolation was R.C.N., Ottawa, with R. Bachand as skip.

Runner-up in the Consolation was D. McCord (skip), R.C.N., Ottawa.

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Don't forget Saturday, March 19, when Maxville, the visitors, and will be here in force; a grand evening is planned, with pot-luck supper, lots of curling and dancing. Also the skirl of the pipes will be heard, so come prepared for fun!

Newspapers are the only medium offering the magnetic appeal of classified ads.

Lachute Ladies' Curling Events

Congratulations to the Business Girls' rink, who won the "B" event in Quebec City recently — Skip Kay Sanford, third Jane Rice, second Carol Lovet, and lead Phylis Angus.

Also congratulations to Jean Stein and rink — third Doris Drew, second Bunny Bradley, and lead Enid Bradley — who won the Consolation at the Pointe Claire ladies' bonspiel this past week. (See picture, page 3.)

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Date to keep in mind: Ladies' closing dinner and presentation of prizes, Wednesday, April 6, at 6.30 p.m.

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Winners of the Wilson Spoons played on Friday, March 11, were Pearl Cairns (skip), Gladys Vessie, Isabel Duncan and Jan Giles. They won 10-8 over Jean McIndoe, Hazel Ogilvie, Bunny Bradley and Nellie Ross.

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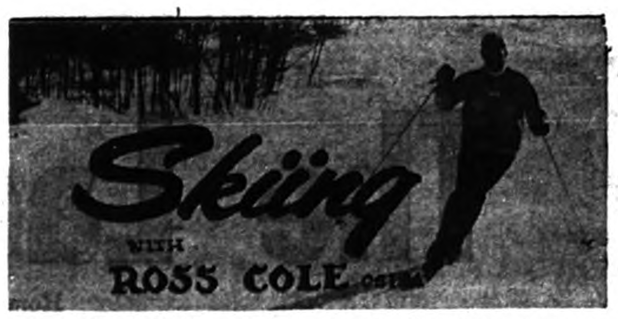

Probably one of the most forgotten fundamentals of skiing is learning how to turn your skis. In addition to the two basic requirements of a turn (e.g., weight on the turning ski or outside ski of the turn, and weight forward on the ball of the foot), some form of turning power is necessary to turn the ski.

In order to explain this more clearly, the accompanying photograph will be used to clarify the explanation. In difference to the common belief that pushing the tail of the ski out, or thrusting the heel of the boot, will change the direction of the ski — I feel a better explanation would be to draw the tip of the ski in the direction of the turn. In the photograph you will notice this makes a pattern on the snow in which the centre of the turn is at the ball of the foot. (in line with the ski pole) at the centre of the ski instead of at the tip of the ski when heel thrust is used.

To get the feel of this turn, lift the uphill ski in the air and swing the ski tip from right to left, and then lower it slowly to the snow, gradually applying more weight until you get the feeling of the power being transmitted down through the leg into the boot. Once you have gained this feeling, all that is required, are the two basic manoeuvres mentioned at the beginning of this article, and you are turning your skis, probably for the first time.



St. Simeon's Angl. Bowling League

LEAGUE STANDING

Team and Skip	P.	W.	L.	D.	F.	A.	Pts.
Flyers (Joe Sewell)	24	14	7	3	267	166	31
Sparks (Rev. W. LeCras)	24	14	9	1	214	189	29
Beavers (Mrs. M. Sewell)	24	12	11	1	182	227	25
Comets (Mrs. C. R. Lang)	24	10	11	3	227	205	23
Stars (Gordon Silverson)	24	9	13	2	195	217	20
Robins (Dave Brown)	24	8	16	-	163	244	16

Jr. hockey finals extend to limit of series

A much improved Lachute club defeated the Ste. Anne club rather convincingly last Thursday at the Lachute Arena, and returned to the Ste. Therese Arena last Sunday, where the teams played to a 6-3 tie, in the eighth game of the series.

Should the local team manage a win on Thursday, the series will then move to the Lachute Lions' Arena next Sunday, for the final and deciding game. (Opening whistle at 2 p.m.)

It has become quite obvious that these two teams are evenly matched, and that Lady Luck, combined with a special effort on the part of one of the teams, will eventually produce the winner.

The fact that the Lachute players were unsuccessful in all of their meetings with the Ste. Anne squad during the regular season games, managing only one tie, is evidence of their progress. They are playing heads-up hockey, backed by excellent goaltending.

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Vankleek Hill won Brownsburg 'open'

Winners of the Brownsburg men's open bonspiel were the Vankleek Hill team, shown above receiving the Molson trophy. Left to right — Sid Burwash (lead); Al Dunsmore (skip); Dave Atkins, president of the host club; Mac McIntyre (third); and Mac Hall (second).

Lachute Motor Sport Club

News — Views Activities

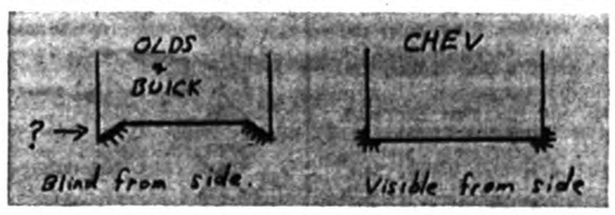
By Jim Bullock



Lights are one aspect of cars that we take for granted. I I would like to point out that our domestic manufacturers have let us down. The tail lights, for example have been designed by the stylists, who have not considered safety. Tail and signal lights must be visible from the side of the car, so that other motorists can see you at night when turning corners or coming out of your driveway. Unfortunately, some stylists have gone to great lengths to hide the lights from all angles except from behind your car. Note the type of lights on this year's Oldsmobile and Buick, as shown in diagram below. The turn signals on this car are completely hidden as it backs out of a driveway at night. On the other hand, the tail lights on a Chevrolet are the wrap-around type and are completely visible. I doubt that either of these types was considered from a safety viewpoint, but rather both were a stylist's whim.

Unfortunately, the rest of the lighting system of the car follows the same trend. Consider the headlights. A number of years ago a new method of headlight manufacture was developed that permitted stronger lights. The stylists then decided that rather than provide a motorist with greater night-time visibility, they would give him a more stylish, smaller-diameter headlight with the same power of the older lights. Then came the trend to four headlights that was supposed to give improved lighting. I contend that this system gives even less range of vision at night. The low beams remain on when you switch to high beams, so that your eyes have to contend with the bright road close to the car, iit up by the low beams. I think that you would be able to see farther if the low beams were off, reducing the glare of lights on the road close to the car. And consider the high beams themselves. At about $2 each, do you think they are the best lights available? At present the visibility is so poor that 60 m.p.h. is over-driving the lights. The average high beams put out about 50,000 candle-power each. Some of the European cars put out 160,000 candle-power each. With light like that, you can easily see for a mile. They turn the night into day. Unfortunately, the stylists design the cars and they see no style advantage in better lights.

One night-time driving problem is actually caused by poor design. Some cars are now available with windshields completely green-tinted. This would have a similar effect as forcing the driver to wear sunglasses at night. I grant that tinted glass might have its advantages on bright days, but who can afford it on dull days, in rainstorms, or at night? Especially at night, when the green glass filters out red light, as from the red tail lights of the cars ahead. I contend that this completely green-tinted windshield is a gimmick offered that is nothing but dangerous.



Laur. League hockey finals resume Thursday

The finals of the Laurentian Hockey League, between Lachute and Brownsburg, interrupted through disagreement last week, will be resumed on Thursday, March 17, and continue to their conclusion. This agreement was reached at a lengthy meeting of league officials and participants on Monday.

The Brownsburg Bombers now count two wins in a 5-out-of-9 series, which will continue as follows:

Thursday, March 17 — at Brownsburg
Sunday, March 20 — at Brownsburg
Tuesday, March 22 — at Lachute
Thursday, March 24 — at Brownsburg
Sunday, March 27 — at Lachute
Thursday, March 31 — at Brownsburg
Sunday, April 3 — at Lachute.



Lady curlers won trophy

This local team of lady curlers won the consolation event in the ninth annual invitation bonspiel at Pointe Claire recently, receiving the Stronach trophy. L. to r. — Mrs. Jean Stein (skip), Mrs. Doris Drew, Mrs. Bernice Bradley and Mrs. Enid Bradley defeated Mrs. Lois Kent's Fredericton rink 11-9 for the consolation. The main event was won by Hudson ladies against Town of Mount Royal.

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from
Its gravest ills.

So long as there are homes where
fires burn
And there is bread,
So long as there are homes where
lights are lit
And prayers are said;
Although a people falters
through the dark
And nations grope —
With God himself back of these
little homes,
We still can hope.

—Doris Christie

Old-timers played benefit hockey at Brownsburg

— By Harry McCosh —

Brownsburg — In a benefit old-timers' hockey game, played at the Brownsburg Arena on March 12 before more than 500 spectators, the "Optimists" defeated the "Pessimists" by a score of 12-6.

Played in support of the senior boys' and girls' basketball teams of Brownsburg High School, the game featured some accurate passing, adroit stickhandling, and impressive positional play. Despite their lack of conditioning, the old-timers kept digging in the corners and rushing up and down the ice all evening.

The big guns for the winners were Noël Racine and Marcel Gagné, with three goals each. Mick Cowley and Roland Hebert had two goals each, while Vianney Racine and Ronald Hebert each scored once.

For the losers, Dave McCullough scored twice, while singles went to Fern Joly, Russ Summers, Paul Emile Hebert and Remi Raymond.

The puck was dropped for the opening face-off by Mayor René Lafleur, and at the conclusion of the game a trophy was presented to Jess Humphries, the coach of the winning team, by Jeff Desjardins of the Flamingo Hotel, Brownsburg.

Following the game, a buffet lunch was served by ladies of the Home and School Association for the participants of the game. A record hop was also held at the Legion Hall, for the students who had attended the contest.

From the game, the Students' Council of B.H.S. realized $354.76 — nearly enough to defray the expenses of the two teams' participating in the provincial playoffs.

At a meeting of the Students' Council on March 14, a motion was made by Peter Ferland, and seconded by applause, that a letter of thanks be sent to each member of the teams, to each man and woman who helped at the rink and at the Legion Hall, and to Alex Brown, who paid for the ice. The Council also expressed their sincere thanks to all who had contributed to this venture.

Throughout the current curling season, most of our members have enjoyed the mixed curling and social evening held on Saturdays. Success is the aim of everybody's planning, and both Norma Rogers and Stewart Jones can feel justly proud of theirs, for, by their devotion of time and labor, they infused into our Club a vibrant new spirit. Last Saturday was the final day of the mixed curling for this season, bringing to a close a creditable record of 16 entertaining afternoons and evenings. Thirteen Saturdays saw play within the Lachute Club, and three Saturdays were organized as inter-club competition with the Brownsburg Curling Club. To give some indication of the work involved, it is estimated that Norma and Stewart made somewhere in the region of 1,760 phone calls, an average of 110 each week. The phone calls, the drawing up of rinks, the finding of last-minute substitutes, (a frustrating chore), must give to our two organizers the rewarding feeling of a job well and truly done. . . Sincere thanks to Norma and Stewart from all members.

Winners in the Winners' Section of the mixed curling were Skip Syd Drew, third Doris Drew, second Leonard Gain, and lead Nellie Ross. Winners in the Losers' Section — Skip Stewart Jones, Doris Fraser as third, with Don Boa and Pat MacLean as second and lead. The Winners' Section was the games composed of the winner of the previous Saturday games — the Losers Section being of course the underdogs of the same day.

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On Saturday evening the directors and members of the Club paid tribute to our O'Keefe Mixed Curling provincial champions — Art Lobel, Bobbie McFaul, Don McFaul and Florence Pollock. Art and his team emerged as the winning rink from approximately 1,000 clubs in the Province of Quebec. They will represent Quebec in the National Mixed Curling championship, to be held at Fort William on March 22-26.

President Colin McOuat conveyed sincere congratulations to Art and his rink for the prestige they have brought to the Club. Leona MacKimmie, president of the Lachute ladies, was asked by Colin to make a presentation on behalf of the Club to the "champs", as a token of appreciation. Art, Bobby, Don and Florence received white sweaters with a green edging, which we hope they will wear with confidence and return to Lachute as the National Mixed Champions.

Art and his rink will leave for Fort William on March 19. With them go the best wishes of all members, knowing that they will do their utmost to return to Lachute as the National winners.

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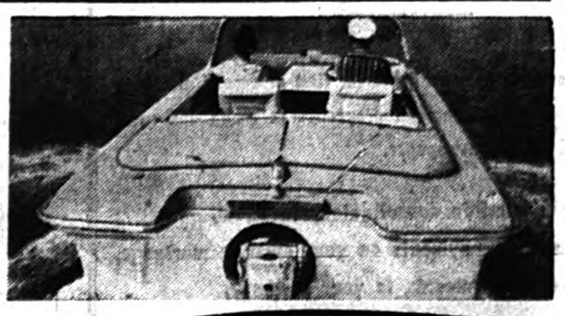

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DISTRICT NEWS
— FROM OUR COUNTY CORRESPONDENTS —

Arundel

Mr. and Mrs. Barrie were week-end visitors at the home of their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Graham.

We are glad to welcome Mr. Percy Staniforth home, after three weeks' holiday abroad.

Legion Auxiliary Formed

A group of interested ladies met in the Legion Hall on Tuesday evening last, to form a Ladies' Auxiliary. The meeting was chaired by Branch President Mr. A. Jansen, with the Rev. Father Potvin, Branch padre, assisting. President Jansen explained the functions and duties of the Auxiliary, and officers were elected as follows:

President, Mrs. Harold Gordon; Vice-Pres., Mrs. Wm. Owen; Sec.-Treas., Mrs. Mary Graham; Sgt.-at-Arms, Mrs. A. Jensen.

Comrade Jansen called the president-elect to the chair, where she spoke a few words to the gathering. Refreshments brought the meeting to a close.

The War Assets Disposal have donated a 90 m.m. anti-aircraft gun to the Legion, and they will install it in a suitable place in front of the hall.

W.I. Annual Review

The annual report of the Women's Institute for 1965-66 shows this group is closing its year with a membership of 40. Eleven meetings were held, with an average attendance of 23; two members recorded a perfect attendance.

Activities for the year included a card party; making and filling 24 Christmas stockings for the Canadian Save the Children's Fund; a bazaar held; collecting pennies for the Friendship Fund, and donating to the Association for Crippled Children. Programs during the year included films, slides, and a talk on Yucatan; two guest speakers representing Expo '67; guest speakers Dr. Rondeau and Notary Proulx; a demonstration of millinery; Christmas and Valentine parties held. In August, a bowling evening at St. Jovite was much enjoyed. In October the members journeyed to Lakefield as guests of that Branch. Articles were entered at the Lachute Fair, resulting in several prizes.

To the pupils of the school, the W.I. gave subscriptions for two magazines, a prize to a pupil in each grade, a $50 scholarship to a Grade 10 pupil; a donation was also made towards purchasing a new projection machine. The branch closed the year with a balance in the bank.

Concluding this report, the secretary, Dianne Graham, adds: "Let us keep in mind the W.I. collect and 'take time for all things'. Let us look back with satisfaction and forward to a new year with hope."

U.C.W. Meeting

The regular monthly meeting of the U.C.W. was held in the church hall, with 18 members in attendance. The worship service, conducted by Mrs. Florence Graham, was entitled, "God's Guiding Hand". The president, Mrs. Melvin Graham, presented a report on the recently attended Presbyterial meeting in Montreal. Mrs. Dale Gray presented some facts on the education and Christian education of Trinidad, the missionary study country for 1966. The U.C.W. will hold its annual Easter supper in the church hall on Saturday, April 9. A short, entertaining program was conducted by Mrs. Frank Davis.

Grenville

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Miller, Town of Mount Royal, were guests of Mr. S. C. Morton last Friday.

Mr. Charlie Boyd has returned home after having spent four years in Clark, N.J.

Mr. and Mrs. John Owens and Enid were in Montreal on Friday evening attending the "capping" ceremony, in which their daughter, Miss Sheila Owens, received her cap from the school of nursing at the General Hospital.

Mrs. Lorne Mott and sons, Charlie and Perry, motored to Clark, N.J., and New York, and spent a week visiting with relatives.

Miss Edith Deeks, of Montreal, spent a few days visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Dewar.

Miss Sheila Owens and a friend, Miss Jennie Mitchell, of Montreal, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. John Owens.

Miss Mary Byrnes, of St. Philippe, was the guest last week of Mrs. Guy Villeneuve and Mrs. Déas Dupuis.

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Red Cross Canvassing

Mrs. Jas. Bennett and Mr. Jean-Paul Pichette are captains for the Red Cross financial campaign in this community. Public generosity is solicited in this good cause.

Bell Falls

Birthday wishes this week to Mr. Jack MacRae, who celebrated his 84th birthday on Saturday, and Mrs. Henry Page, whose birthday was last Sunday.

Week-end visitors at the home of Mrs. Adam Page were Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Dewar, Mr. Abel Page, and Mrs. Alex Bates, of Niagara Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Mel Rayson and daughter, Cheryl, and Mr. Billy Smith, of Montreal, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Smith.

Week-end visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Don MacRae were Mr. and Mrs. Stan Cameron, Mrs. Lorna MacRae, Miss Brenda MacRae and a friend, and Mr. Sid Thompson, all of Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. Goldon Betts and son, and Mrs. Mary Betts of Montreal, called on friends here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas MacRae, Jr., and daughter, of Montreal, called on Mr. and Mrs. Alex Arthurs and family last Saturday.

Friends here wish a speedy return home to Mrs. Ernie MacLeod, who is a patient in the Montreal General Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Page, and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Page, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Page in Grenville.

Grenville Cubs hold week-end of camping activity

Grenville North — One Friday evening recently, the little community of Kilmar, Que., was invaded by 22 Wolf Cubs (the 1st Grenville Pack), Akela Phil Bate, and A.C.L.'s Eileen Kelly and Muriel Moore. With sleeping bags and all the essential gear that little Cubs require for winter camping, they marched into the Kilmar Community Hall, and after watching a movie, they were bedded down for the night.

Saturday at the crack of dawn, the Cubs playfully aroused the Old Wolf and his weary-eyed helpers, Assistant Cub Leaders Kenneth Price, of Pointe Claire, Jean Leclair and Bill Young, of Grenville. After breakfast and clean-up, the group and additional helpers Cliff Piprell and Gary Brown, set out to sketch a map of Kilmar — after which they learned to lay and light a fire in the open (two of the Green Star requirements). Hot dogs and hot chocolate, etc., were enjoyed outdoors.

Back to the Community Hall, where handicraft was scheduled for the afternoon — the Cubs made drinking-cups out of cocoanut shells. Here Jim McKee, from Arnold's Farms, joined the assistants.

After a good supper and movies, it was bedtime again.

On Sunday morning all Cubs and Leaders marched to church, then back to the Hall, where a turkey dinner awaited them. Learning the different types of knots was the program for the afternoon, and at four o'clock, packing equipment to return home after a most enjoyable week-end.

Special appreciation is extended to the mothers of the Cubs who assisted in the preparation of hot meals, and to Canadian Refractories Ltd., for the use of their hall, etc.

Morin Heights

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Conley will be leaving shortly for a brief holiday in St. Petersburg, Florida.

Mr. James Voce and Mr Aedward (Ned) Watchorn are presently in hospital receiving medical treatment.

85th Milestone

Happy Birthday greetings are extended to Mr. George Conley, who will celebrate his 85th birthday on March 17.

Successful Sports Day — Children's Ski Races

Well over 100 children, ranging in ages from four years to 18, participated in the ski races in Morin Heights on Saturday afternoon last. The names of those finishing 1st, 2nd and 3rd are as follows:

Boys and Girls, 4 years and under — Gay Gillingham, Lynda Steele, Michael Baumel.
Boys and Girls, 5 years — Debbie Wood, Ellen Schwerzmann.
Boys and Girls, 6 years — Greig Steele, Deborah Parent, Steve Barrett.
Girls, 7 to 8 — Cinda Gillingham, Susan Vaillancourt, Gwen McCambly.
Boys, 7 to 8 — Johnny Basler, Edward Calderon, Daniel Labelle.
Girls, 9 to 10 — Linda Basler, Linda Johnston, Darlene McCambly.
Boys, 9 to 10 — Scott Gillingham, Brant Kirkpatrick, Robert Gauthier.
Girls, 11 to 12 — Marlene Baumel, Mary Jane Earle, Jill Kirwin.
Boys, 11 to 12 — Ronald Wood, Dwight Baumel, Brian Wood.
Girls, 13 to 14 — Carolyn de Bessecourt, Janet Leclerc, Elizabeth Whalley.
Boys, 13 to 14 — Gary Wood, Gerry Lambon, Danny Des Roches.
Girls, 15, 16, and 17 — Wendy Kneeland, Christine Basler, Marilyn Earle.
Boys, 15, 16 and 17 — Harry Kirwin, Gary Baumel, Scott Kneeland.
18 years and over — Richard Kirwin, Reid Conley, Ralph Schwartze.

Silver cups were presented to the first three in each race, while all participants received chocolate bars. The races were arranged by the Sports Committee of the Canadian Legion, who were assisted by members, their wives and other ladies of the community.

Ideal conditions, both as to ski slopes and weather, prevailed and a large number of adults turned out to encourage the children. The event was free of accidents.

(Scout and Guide pictures, see page 10.)

Avoca

Mr. and Mrs. Reg MacRae and Jody, of Kilmar, and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lockwood and baby, David, spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Melbourne Young.

Miss Nancy Vaillancourt and Miss Wendy Boyd were guests of Mr. and Mrs. John MacLean last week-end.

Sympathy from this community is extended to the wife, family, nieces and nephews of the late Mr. David Maxwell, who passed away at his home in Wakefield, Que., on Monday of last week. Mrs. Maxwell was the former Alice Bates, a sister of the late Mrs. Archie MacLean of Avoca.

Mr. and Mrs. John MacLean, and Mr. and Mrs. Percy Farrara, attended the funeral of their uncle, the late David Maxwell, in Wakefield last Wednesday.

Friends of Mrs. Tom Young (in the Ottawa Civic Hospital) are happy to hear of her improvement in health, and extend wishes for her continued progress.

Mr. and Mrs. Wyman Arthurs, of Dauphin, Man., are on vacation with friends and relatives in this district, and are staying with their sister, Mrs. Sandy Bates, and Mr. and Mrs. John Dobbie.

54th Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Earl MacLeod, of St. Philippe, entertained their mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. Willie MacLeod, and other members of their family on Saturday evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Willie MacLeod's 54th wedding anniversary. This community joins in congratulations to these two dear friends, lifelong residents of Avoca.

Mrs. Wyman Arthurs gave a triple birthday party Saturday evening in honor of her husband, Mr. Wyman Arthurs, her daughter, Miss Marjorie Arthurs, and a friend, Mr. Ron O'Neil, of Montreal. Those who attended were Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Kelly, Mr. and Mrs. Mackie MacTavish, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. Earl MacLeod, Miss Dorothy MacLeod, and Mr. and Mrs. John Dobbie.

Mrs. Alex Bates, of Port Colborne, and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Dewar, of Grenville, called on Mrs. Sandy Bates and Mr. and Mrs. John Dobbie last Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Bates and Norman, of Eganville, spent the week-end with their mother, Mrs. Evan Bates.

Mr. and Mrs. Buzz MacTavish and little grandson, Stephen, and Mr. Lorne MacTavish, spent the week-end at their cottage here. Miss Linda MacTavish was with her grandfather, Mr. Rory MacTavish, in Harrington.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Eddy Andrews on Saturday were Mrs. Bill Provincal, Miss Lois Provencal, and Mrs. Poulin and two children, from Grenville, and Mr. Claude Andrews, of Montreal. Sunday visitors were Mrs. Everett Young and family, and Alex MacLean.

Mrs. George Andrews is spending a few days in Ottawa with her son, Willie and Mrs. Andrews. *Friends of Willie Andrews are* sorry to hear of his illness, and wish him a speedy recovery; also to Mr. Jim Bates, a patient in the Argenteuil Hospital, Lachute.

Appreciation

Mr. Winston Nixon wishes to express his sincere thanks to relatives and friends for the lovely cards, visits, gifts, also phone calls to his home, while he was a patient in the Notre Dame Hospital, Montreal.

Visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Nixon on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Arthurs, Mr. John Provencal, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Wharry and Evan Fox.

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New moderator of Presbytery

The Rev. James Armour, former minister of the Margaret Rodger Church, and now at the Ephraim Scott Presbyterian Church in Montreal, was elected moderator of the Montreal presbytery at the annual meeting last week.

Scene at Calvary is sermon theme

"While our eyes are normally focussed on the 'wondrous Cross on which the Prince of Glory died', there were two other crosses on Calvary. Each of these three crosses had its victim; each man was different from the other. . . On these three crosses we have in miniature form before our eyes a cross-section of humanity," the Very Rev. C. Ritchie Bell said in his sermon Sunday morning at the Margaret Rodger Memorial Church.

"We can survey all three crosses with a deepening of our appreciation of the sacrifice of Jesus Christ on the central cross. We can also gain a new understanding of His redeeming love for us and for all mankind."

"Three crosses, representing three kinds of people — on the one side, the man who did not care; on the other side, the one who was beginning to care; and in the centre, the One who loved so deeply. Which would be your cross, if you had to go to Calvary?"

There will be a service in this church on Good Friday at 11 a.m.

Lachute W.I. held annual meeting, officers elected

The annual meeting of the Lachute Women's Institute was held on Tuesday of last week, at the High School, with Mrs. E. L. Jackson in charge.

The officers for the ensuing year are as follows:

President, Mrs. George Leggett
Vice-president, Mrs. Gordon Davidson
Secretary, Mrs. Roy P. Fraser
Treasurer, Mrs. George Tattersfield.

Conveners

Agriculture, Mrs. Ralph McOuat
Citizenship, Mrs. Marcel Gendron
Education, Mrs. A. Taylor
Home Economics, Mrs. George Muir
Health and Welfare, Dr. Suzanne MacKimmie
Publicity, Miss Catherine McGibbon.

Library Committee — Mrs. Roy P. Fraser, Mrs. A. Taylor, Mrs. Gordon Dobbie, Mrs. Alex Clarke, Mrs. F. A. Brennian.

The library, which is situated in the Lachute High School, is open from 3 to 4 p.m. and the public are invited to make use of this fine selection of books.

Recent wedding in E. Townships of interest here

McOuat - Lamb

On Saturday, March 5, at the Grace Anglican Church in Sutton, Que., Pamela Ann Lamb, the *daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon* E. Lamb, became the bride of Kenneth Henry McOuat, son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard H. McOuat, of St. Andrews East. The ceremony, at 11.30 a.m., was performed by the Rev. J. H. M. Brett, and Mrs. Dennis Cowan was organist, playing the Wedding Hymn, "O Perfect Love" and Schubert's "Ave Maria". The altar was decorated with spring flowers and the guest pews were marked with satin bows.

The bride, given away by her father, was dressed in a three-piece lace-knit white wool suit, the short jacket having a small collar and single button closing. Her short circular veil, worn over the face, was held in place by a small satin circlet ornamented with white sequins. She carried a shower bouquet of red roses.

The bride's attendant was her cousin, Mrs. Ralph Davidson, of Knowlton, Que., wearing a three-piece wool knit suit in a pale rose. The chanel jacket was trimmed with white wool braid. Her shoes and velvet picture hat were the same shade as the suit, and she carried a colonial bouquet of pink and white carnations.

Groomsman was Mr. Ralph Davidson, of Knowlton, and the groom's brother, Mr. Donald McOuat, of Sherbrooke, acted as usher.

The bride's mother wore a navy blue knit suit with a small white chiffon hat and white accessories. Her corsage was of pink carnations. The mother of the bridegroom was attired in a navy suit, the jacket having white appliqué design, the white trim carried out on her off-the-face hat of navy straw. Her corsage was of pink carnations.

A reception was held at "l'Auberge de Sutton", where luncheon was served. The bride's table was centred with a three-tier wedding cake and tall white tapers in silver holders. The wedding cake was made by the bride's aunt, Mrs. C. Hazard.

For their wedding trip the couple left by automobile for Florida, the bride travelling in a white wool suit with accessories of turquoise and black. Her coat was of turquoise wool bouclé, and her corsage of red roses.

On their return Mr. and Mrs. McOuat will make their home at Sutton, Que.

Out-of-town guests included the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard McOuat, and his brother, Robert, of St. Andrews East; also Mr. and Mrs. Donald McOuat of Sherbrooke, Mr. and Mrs. Grant Cameron (the groom's sister) of Alexandria, Ont., and Miss Barbara Cowan of Grenville, Que. Among the guests were the bride's grandmothers, Mrs. B. Lamb and Mrs. M. Hazard, of Sutton, Que.

Watchman Want Ads bring results.

Social and Personal

The Very Rev. and Mrs. C. Ritchie Bell are in Toronto from Wednesday of this week — Dr. Bell attending the annual meetings of the Canadian Bible Society. On Thursday, he is conducting worship and giving an address at the General Board meeting.

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Staff Sergeant Richard Muir, RCMP, of Niagara Falls, Ont., spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Muir.

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Mrs. R. McDermott, of the Bourbonnière settlement, entertained friends of Mrs. J. F. Fletcher on the occasion of her birthday last week.

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Misses Catherine and Ruby Tassé, and Joanne De Montigny, were in Montreal last week-end, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Smith. Other guests were Miss Irene Clifford, of Montreal, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Mountain and children, of St. Eustache; Mrs. E. H. Christianson, of Camp Borden, Ont.; and Mrs. Chas. Mountain, of Verdun, who celebrated her 85th birthday last Sunday.

Mrs. Garth Boyd arrived home Sunday from a holiday spent in Fort Lauderdale, Florida.

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Those who wonder "what happened to whom" in this community may be interested to know that, according to an advertisement in the daily press, Mr. Adhemar Cuillerier is now sales manager at Fairview Mercury Sales Ltd., Pointe Claire. Mr. Cuillerier is well remembered in connection with the sales department of Lacasse Automobiles Ltd. here.

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L.O.B.A. Card Party

The ladies of the L.O.B.A. held a military whist in the Orange Hall last Tuesday evening, and the following were prize winners:

First — Mrs. S. Sutton (captain), Miss J. Bates, Mr. and Mrs. P. Steele.

Second — Mr. and Mrs. S. Dewar, Miss G. Moncrieff, Mrs. Déas Dupuis.

Third — Mrs. R. Copeland, Mr. and Mrs. W. Copeland, Mrs. M. Couvrette.

A novelty prize was won by Mrs. H. Noble.

Refreshments were served in conclusion.

Mr. Keith Dawson, of Chambly, called on his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walker Dawson, on Friday evening, and his son, Steven, returned home with him after spending a month with his grandparents.

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At a social hour in the cafeteria of l'Ecole Secondaire, concertgoers had an opportunity to meet the artists following the "Carmen" opera last week and to renew acquaintances among Community Concert Association members. The Catholic Women's League catered for refreshments.

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Serviceman Home From Gaza Strip

Sgmn. Jean-Paul Lamarche arrived last Thursday from a tour of duty in the Gaza Strip, to spend a month's leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Lamarche, joining his wife and infant daughter who have been here for the past three weeks. Sgmn. Lamarche has served nine years in the Canadian Signals Corps, and has just terminated three years in Germany plus one year in Egypt. After his furlough he will be reporting to Camp Gagetown, N.B.

Dr. L. Turcotte, Health Officer, and Miss Jeannette Tessier, I. L., nurse at the Unité Sanitaire, were in Arnprior, Ont., last week attending the federal Civil Defence course. This session was held specially for French-speaking personnel of the Provincial Department of Health branches and county units.

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Duplicate Bridge

At the Argenteuil Duplicate Bridge Club on Monday of last week, there were 23 pairs playing the Howell movement. The winners on this occasion were Mrs. G. Davidson and Mr. S. Seary.

On Saturday there were 12 pairs taking part, and the winners were — (1) Mrs. M. Scott, Mrs. D. Heggie, 63.7%; (2) Mrs. E. M. Jones, Miss M. Joly, 60%.

Announcement of an "open pairs tournament" on April 16 next, appears in the Coming Events column.

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Honored by Students Of Presbyterian College

Last Friday Prof. C. Ritchie Bell gave the address at the annual graduation banquet of the Presbyterian College, Montreal. The graduation dinner was held at First Church, Verdun. Dr. Bell spoke on the theme, "The Minister and His Task." At the close of the meeting, Mr. George Philips, president of the graduating class, presented Dr. Bell with a reclining chair and Mrs. Bell with a bouquet of red roses. The gift is from all of the students whom Dr. Bell had in his classes from 1947 until this year. A telegram was read paying tribute to Dr. Bell's years of service at the Presbyterian College from the Class of '63, and over 100 letters were received from his former students.

Attended Cancer Society Regional Workshop

A delegation of ladies from the Lachute Branch of the Canadian Cancer Society — Mrs. W. M. Cottingham, Mrs. H. Watson, *Mrs. G. Arundel-Evans and Mlle.* Blanchard (Public Health Nurse) — attended a Regional Workshop at St. Jerome on Saturday, February 26.

They reported a most interesting and instructive meeting, with delegates from 17 Sections attending. A wide scope of subjects was offered for discussion, and two films in color, "The Million Club" and "The Man in Room 117", were shown.

U.C.W. seminar in Montreal

The Montreal Presbyterial UCW will hold an Executive Training Day at the YMCA, 1355 Dorchester Blvd. W., on Friday, March 18, at 10 a.m.

Miss Beatrice Wilson, associate secretary of the Board of Women of the United Church, will be the special guest. She will direct the day's training program in co-operation with Mrs. P. S. Smith, 1st vice-president, and Mrs. S. W. Sheldon, executive vice-president, of the Montreal Presbyterial United Church Women. Mrs. George Johnson will conduct the worship service.

Miss Wilson is a graduate of the University of Toronto and of the United Church Training School in Toronto. Before becoming active in the women's work she served the church in various capacities; among them, as director of Christian Education in Truro, N.S., and in Regina, Sask., and as director of the St. Christopher House in Toronto.

Delegate reports on Red Cross Quebec Division annual meeting

— By Mrs. G. Arundel-Evans —

The 56th annual meeting of the Quebec Divisional Council of the Canadian Red Cross Society was held in the conference room of the Civil Aviation Building, University Street, Montreal, on February 24, and was followed by further meetings at Division Headquarters on February 25.

The facilities provided for the Thursday meetings were magnificent. Each delegate had his or her desk, blotter, pencil and block, and each desk was wired for the simultaneous translating of French to English, and vice-versa.

Disaster Services were first on the agenda. — These fall into four headings, Peacetime, Minor, Major and War. As far as the first two are concerned, communities are urged to use other agencies whenever possible, as so many more are now available; but in the case of the two latter, Red Cross would play a leading role. In this respect, in 1963 the Civil Emergency Planning Act came into being, and at the Federal - Provincial Conference in June 1965, Peacetime Planning to counter public indifference was the main theme. Delegates were shown a film of the La Salle apartment explosion disaster, which happened just a year ago — March 1, 1965.

Red Cross in Nuclear War. — A Ministry of Civil Protection, comprising Health, Welfare, Municipal Affairs and Justice, formed an executive council to deal with such an emergency. Deputy members created a round-table group to work out aid for "stricken areas" and the best methods for rehabilitation of the population.

The province is divided into eight zones. The original "round table" has been divided into smaller groups to render Civil Protection more efficient. These should be able to operate in wartime if necessary. Existing municipal organizations, it is felt, are not geared to a wartime pattern.

Under this heading therefore, the Ministry of Civil Defence and Protection is to come into being on April 1. Changes may be made, but as of now, our area is No. 7.

The Junior Red Cross — The highlight of the morning meetings was the panel of young people in the Junior Red Cross. This is soon to be renamed the Y.S.A.F.C. — Youth Service and Friendship Committee, or La Croix Rouge de la Jeunesse. Their motto is "To give joy to the less fortunate" and aim to promote friendship among young people of different ethnic backgrounds.

The panel was comprised of five students from Quebec elementary and high schools; Mr. Michael Worsoff, of McGill University, panel master; and Mr. J. P. C. Pigot, Divisional chairman.

A very lively discussion took place, touching on such subjects as boys' and girls' volunteer work in hospitals — colored slides were shown of this during the discussion — which promotes interest among the girls in nursing, and for orderly work in the case of boys. Awards are given after a specified number of hours on duty.

Work in dental and diabetic camps; overseas aid; collection and sale of stamps to aid teaching funds; and the distribution of toys at Christmas, both in and out of hospitals, to sick children — are more examples of youth's service in the community.

The panel also discussed the help Junior members are giving Bloor Donor Clinics, by canvassing in and out of school; publicity and registration work at the clinic; helping donors; making coffee and tea; and by baby-sitting to enable donors to go to their clinics.

All these activities add up to good training for our children, and they promote a humanitarian spirit amongst young people, giving them a more adult outlook on life.

Mr. John Fisher, from LeMoyne d'Iberville School and chairman of the panel, told the meeting of the work that is being done to encourage young people not to become school drop-outs. At present some 45% are going right through school, and at the universities only about 66% of the students graduate.

Groups of young Red Cross members are getting together to promote interest in this age range by organizing visits to factories, museums and so on, in an effort to stimulate interest among students enough to persuade them of the great importance of continuing their studies.

Help is also offered to students to enter Teacher Grades, and, through a central exchange of Red Cross members, to visit countries overseas, which creates a spirit of friendship among young people of all nations. This should start at the elementary school level, he said, and continue throughout high school.

Panel discussions and the organizing of study centres during the summer holidays for the training of students for post-High School activities in Red Cross, are more examples of the work these young people are undertaking.

Elementary Schools — We heard of a case of two elementary schools, one at home and one abroad, which keep in touch through their Red Cross by the exchange of stamp albums, recreational activities and school magazines. Water and road safety combined with the training of leaders, collecting toys and the raising of funds, is all part of Red Cross work in these schools. They are always on the look-out for new members, fresh ideas, and further tasks.

In summing up — Mr. Michael Worsoff stressed that the accent is certainly on youth; these young members are being encouraged to "run their own show" and are being given freedom of action to do so. They mean to find out what youth itself wants, and to supply it. There is no doubt, he said, that children make excellent diplomats!

Meetings adjourned at noon for the official luncheon held in the Grand Salon of the Queen Elizabeth Hotel.

(To be continued)

GO TO CHURCH ON SUNDAY

Ministers, please send notices before deadline Tuesday noon

Anglican Church
REV. C. R. LANG, Lth., B.D., Rector

ST. SIMEON'S, LACHUTE
8.00 a.m. Holy Communion
9.30 a.m. Morning Prayer and Church School
Wed., 7.30 p.m. Lenten Service and Discussion.

ST. GEORGE'S, BROWNSBURG
10.30 a.m. Church School
11.00 a.m. Family Service
Thursday, 7.30 p.m. — Lenten Service and Discussion.

CHRIST CHURCH, ST. ANDREWS EAST
REV. WINTER LeCRAS
11.00 a.m. Morning Prayer (Mr. A. C. Woodward)
Wednesdays in Lent
10.00 a.m. Holy Communion

Margaret Rodger Mem'l Presbyterian Church
REV. E. POWELL AIKENS, Interim Moderator
Choir Director, Mr. Robt. Heydon
Organist, Mrs. W. M. Cottingham
9.40 a.m. Church School
11.00 a.m. Morning Worship (Rev. S. S. Stock)
Tues. 8.15 p.m. Bible Study Group
Good Friday, 11 a.m. — Service of Devotion. (Rev. Dr. C. Ritchie Bell)

Brownsburg United Church
10.00 a.m. Church School
11.00 a.m. Service of Worship
Everyone welcome

Brownsburg Regular Baptist Church
REV. GEO. HICKS, B.Th., PASTOR
10.00 a.m. Bible School
11.00 a.m. Church
Thurs., 8 p.m., Prayer

Brownsburg Pentecostal Assembly
REV. R. E. SOLMES, PASTOR
The Home of Dial-A-Message (533-4834)
10.00 a.m. Sunday School
11.00 a.m. Morning Worship
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7.00 p.m. Evangelistic Service
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10.00 a.m. Lachute United Church
11.15 a.m. Lachute Chapel Service (without choir)
11.15 a.m. East Settlement (Pulpit supply)
Everyone welcome.

People's Church, Lachute
(Associated Gospel Church)
753 Main Street, Lachute
REV. D. E JOHN, MINISTER
March 21, 8.30 p.m. — "Young Couples"
Mar. 22, Ladies' Fellowship Circle
Guest Speaker, Rev. Paul Roffe, Peruvian Mission.
Everyone invited.

Dalesville Baptist Church
'Holding forth the Word of Life"
REV. W. LORNE HISEY, PASTOR
10 a.m. Bible School. Classes for all. Come and study God's Word.
11.00 a.m. Morning Worship
Thurs., 8 p.m. Prayer Meeting
Everyone welcome at all services.

Lachute Baptist Church
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REV. W. LORNE HISEY, PASTOR
9.30 a.m. The Bible School Hour. We have classes for all ages. All adults are invited to the Pastor's Bible Class.
7.30 p.m. Evening Service.
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Wed., 8 p.m. Prayer Meeting

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9.45 Church School
11 Morning Worship
7 Rev. Donald Fraser, Missionary from Bolivia
Wed. 7.30, Midweek Meeting
Chatham W., 2.30

Lakefield Services
REV. B. MONKS
9.30 a.m. Louisa
11.00 a.m. Lakefield

Parish of Mille Isles
REV. HORACE G. BAUGH, Rector
9.30 a.m. St. Sauveur
9.30 a.m. Mille Isles
11.00 a.m. Morin Heights

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FROM OUR COUNTY CORRESPONDENTS

Brownsburg

Mr. and Mrs. Ken Seary, of Montreal, were recent guests of the former's mother, Mrs. J. T. Seary.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Comerford, and Mr. and Mrs. B. Maxsom, of Ottawa, visited Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Roberts recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Alwyn Stewart are in Windsor, Ont., this week attending the funeral of the late Mr. Leslie Barley. Deepest sympathy is extended to his sister, Mrs. Ruby Stewart, and other relatives here.

Miss Alma Fletcher, of Ottawa, spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. Wm. Fletcher.

Week-end guests at their homes here were — Misses Bonnie and Betty Anderson, Miss B. Dalrymple and Mr. Ken Campbell, all students from Macdonald College.

Miss Marlene Roberts, of Montreal, is holidaying for three weeks at her home here.

Miss Patricia Warwick and Miss Janet Wood, of Montreal, were week-end guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Russel Warwick.

Mr. Gerald Moseley, of Ottawa, is visiting his mother, Mrs. W. B. Moseley.

Mr. and Mrs. Russel and daughters, Joan and Kathy, of St. Eustache, were Saturday guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. MacAllister and other relatives here.

Please remember — the Red Cross financial campaign is on from March 15 to 31. Please give generously when the canvasser calls at your home.

Weir

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Johnson and infant son, Howard, of Pierrefonds, were the guests of Mrs. D. Labrosse on Friday; Mrs. Labrosse accompanied them home to spend a few days, and to be present at the christening of their son on Sunday.

Guests at Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Williams' for the week-end were — Mrs. G. R. Cullen, Mr. and Mrs. D. Byrd, Messrs. Phil and Hugh Williams, all of Montreal.

Home to spend the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Owen, were Miss Beth Owen, of Lorraine, and Mr. Bobby Owen, of Montreal; other week-end guests were Miss Marilyn Owen, of Lachine, and Miss Gladys Simard, of St. Laurent.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Dubeau, of Montreal, spent the week-end as guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. Dubeau.

Mrs. H. Madison, also Messrs. Ralph and Wayne Madison, of Montreal, spent week-end at their home here.

On Sunday morning while the children of the Messrs. Grant and Lorne Thompson in The Glen were sliding out on the hill near their house, they saw what they thought was a large dog, but on calling their parents to come and see it, they discovered it was a big timber wolf walking towards the creek. It soon took off into the bush nearby.

Lake Keatley

Mr. Gilbert Young and Miss Evelyn Chisholm spent last Sunday in Ottawa, calling on Mr. and Mrs. E. Brigden.

Mr. Chas. Watson, of Montreal, has been spending a few days in the district. Mrs. Watson returned recently from a five-weeks sojourn in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Skates Smith returned from a pleasant vacation trip to Florida — calling on Mr. Smith's brother while there.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bennett called on the former's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. McVicar, before leaving for Detroit to spend several weeks with Mrs. Bennett's father, Mr. Harold Cook, in Royal Oaks, Mich.

Mr. Mervin Watson, of Montreal, spent the week-end at his cottage here.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Jones and little Cindy spent last Thursday in Lost River, visiting Mr. and Mrs. Dewar.

Mrs. Brunelle has been removed to the Paquette convalescent home in Hawkesbury. Relatives and friends wish her improved health.

Births, Marriages, Deaths, etc.

Births, Marriages, Deaths, In Memoriam, etc., $1.80; 10 cents per type line extra for verses with In Memoriam (estimate 8 words per type line.)

DEATH

STEWART (Geo.) — Died Feb. 27, 1966, in his 74th year. Beloved husband of Ella and dear brother of Mary Jane, Stephen, Joe and Albert. Interment in Port Arthur, Ont.

IN MEMORIAM

GILES — In fond memory of John S. Giles, who passed away March 20, 1963. — Inserted by his family, relatives and staff.

GRAHAM — In loving memory of a dear father and grandfather, Wm. A. Graham, who passed away March 21, 1955. — Always remembered by Thelma, Russell and family.

HOARE — In loving memory of a dear father (Thomas), who passed away Feb. 28, 1961; also a dear mother, who passed away March 18, 1965; a dear brother, Harlow, who was accidentally killed Nov. 12, 1954, and a dear sister (Doris), Mrs. Ernie Fife, of Ottawa, who died suddenly Dec. 23, 1958. — Ever remembered by Pearl, Ruby and Willie.

"Wonderful memories, woven in gold,
This is a picture we tenderly hold;
Deep in our memory their pictures are kept,
To love and to cherish, and never forget."

LOGAN — In loving memory of dear Mother and Grandmother, who passed away March 18, 1953, and dear Dad and Grandfather, who passed away March 26, 1958. — Sadly missed and always remembered by daughter, Grace, son-in-law, Fred, and grandchildren.

"Unseen, unheard, you are always near,
Still loved, and missed, and very dear."

LOGAN — In loving memory of our dear Mother and Dad, who passed away March 18, 1953, and March 26, 1958. — Always remembered by daughters, Jessie and Dorothy.

"Too dearly loved to be forgotten."

TASSE (Joseph) — In loving memory of a dear father, who passed away March 20, 1959. — Always remembered and sadly missed by Catherine and Ruby.

"No length of time can take away
Our thoughts of you from day to day.
A place in our hearts no one can fill;
We miss you, Dad, and always will".

WHEELER — In memory of my husband, Chris, who passed away March 7, 1965. — Ever remembered by his wife, Gertie.

"Gone but not forgotten."

YOUNG — In loving memory of a dear husband and father, who passed away March 18, 1942. — Always remembered by his wife, Mabel, and family.

"We often sit and think of him
When we are all alone,
For memory is the only friend
That grief can call its own.
Like ivy on the withered oak
When all other things decay,
Our love for him will still keep green
And never fade away."

YOUNG — In fond and loving memory of Edward Cecil Young, who passed away March 18, 1942. —Lovingly remembered by Greta, John and family.

"Nothing can ever take away
The love a heart holds dear,
Fond memory lingers every day,
Remembrance keeps him near."

ACKNOWLEDGMENT

CONEY — Extending to my friends and neighbors who with their help and encouragement assisted me during my late husband's illness; to the doctors, staff and nurses of the Argenteuil and Queen Mary Veterans' Hospitals, who made his last days more bearable, my sincere thanks. Special appreciation to Dr. J. MacKimmie, the Rev. C. R. Lang, and R. Giles of the Legion, all of whom inspired me with their sympathetic understanding; to a devoted daughter-in-law, Mrs. Eva Coney, and grandson, Raymond, for their love and affection; to friends who sent floral tributes and attended the funeral and to members of the Royal Canadian Legion who acted as pall-bearers.

—Mrs. Annie V. Coney.

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Mr. Allen Trineer and son, Wade, of Montreal, visited at Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Cook's on Sunday last.

Miss Valerie Cook, and a friend from Ottawa, spent the week-end with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Roy and family, of Silver Creek, visited Mr. and Mrs. Allen Cousens on Sunday.

Mrs. Reg Bennett visited her aunt, Mrs. Lawson Taylor, in Lachute on Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. David MacLean, of Bell Falls, visited with Mrs. Ed Matthew on Sunday evening.

Mr. Wyman Arthurs, of Dauphin, Man., accompanied by Mr. John Dobbie, visited Mr. Asa Young and other friends and relatives on Monday.



KNEE KNACK. With hemlines going up, beauty experts are suggesting that women will have to start giving extra treatment to their knees. Old-fashioned knee bends can do the trick, as well as knee spanks, and circular massaging. One firm is even offering a lotion to lubricate knees, to keep them "dewy-fresh".

APPRECIATION

I wish to express my sincere thanks to relatives and friends for visits, cards, flowers and phone calls during my stay in the Montreal General and also the Jules Richardson Convalescent Hospitals.

—Mrs. William Hutchin

Morin Heights

A lenten service was held on Wednesday evening at Trinity Anglican Church, with Canon C. W. P. Baugh preaching on "The Three Temptations". The rector, the Rev. Horace G. Baugh, was assisted by the Rev. Ronald McCullough of the United Church. Soloist was Miss Irene Long, of St. Augustine's Church, Lakeside Heights, Que., with Carl C. Elder as organist.

On March 23, the guest soloist at Trinity Church will be Mr. Duncan Molloy, of St. John Fisher Church.

McDowell — Allen

A pretty wedding was solemnized at the Church of Saint Francis in St. Sauveur-des-Monts, on Saturday, March 5, when Miss Barbara Margaret Allen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Charles Allen of Montreal North, became the bride of Mr. William Ross McDowell, son of Mr. William McDowell of St. Jerome, and the late Mrs. Geraldine McDowell.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, was attended by Miss Carole A. Knight; and the Misses Anne McCarthy and Carol Withers were flower girls.

William McDowell, Jr., was cross-bearer, and Mr. A. McDowell was best man.

The church was beautifully decorated with red and white carnations. The Rev. Horace G. Baugh officiated, and Mr. Carl Elder played the wedding music. Mr. Harry Groves of Montreal, in Scottish dress, piped the bridal party from the church to the hall, where the wedding reception was held.

The newlywed couple left for a honeymoon in California, and on their return will live in Montreal North.

ORIGIN

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Who would have thought that cattle liked popcorn? Next thing you know, they'll be staying up to watch the "late show". But in any event, one enterprising cattleman has successfully substituted popped silo maize for cracked grain in some feeding trials being run in Texas.

Apparently the preliminary tests showed good results. The cattle liked it and feed efficiency was better. More important, feed costs were reduced. One warning — watch out for the real hot days — POP!

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Country Notebook



By WALKER RILEY,
Macdonald College

With the snow almost gone, the stubble of fields and water-filled tractor tracks are showing up as painful reminders that not much ploughing was done last fall.

I asked Wink Keeler what he would do about these fields this spring, if they were his. Wink is in the Agronomy department at the College, and as Superintendent of the Provincial Seed Farm, does a beautiful job of farming.

"In the first place," Wink said, "I wouldn't be in too big a hurry to go out there. Let it dry out a bit first, or you will ruin the soil structure if it's clay.

"Then, if there is any amount of stubble, I would broadcast some nitrogen fertilizer — fifty pounds or so pure nitrogen — before ploughing down. If you don't, all the nitrogen in the soil will go to rotting the straw or corn stubble and your new crop will starve to death," he advised.

I asked him what crops he would choose to go on late spring-ploughed stubble. "I would plant barley in preference to oats," he said. "Barley seems to be able to use a cruder form of organic matter than oats. The stubble doesn't get much of a chance to rot when you spring-plough. Of course, you can plant corn again for a second or third year. I know fields that have been in continuous corn for 25 years and are still producing well," he added. "But you will have to use enough fertilizer for this hungry crop."

Wink advised against seeding down on late spring ploughing. He suggested, if you couldn't wait until next year, to seed the grasses early this coming fall. Then next spring, a year from now, go out with the hand seeder and "mud" the legumes into the thawed surface of frozen ground. He tells me this system really works.

Wink has another tip. "Follow the plough the same day with the disc harrow," he says. That will firm the soil, and keep it from drying out too fast. I am sure that's half the trouble with spring ploughing — it's the big pockets of air that get trapped.

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If you can drive to Ottawa in one day and still be back in time to do the chores, mark on the calendar March 23, 24, 25. These are the dates of the Ottawa Valley Farm Show this year. Four years ago, it was almost out of business. Now it's one of the Valley's big farm events of the year — a championship Seed and Forage Show that is really worth seeing, a major farm machinery show, and an information program. This year, for instance, two top men in their fields are on Wednesday's program. Doug. Logsdail (he must be good, he graduated from Mac.!) will talk on "Fertilizing to Beat the Drought"; Dr. Glen Anderson's topic is "Problems in Chemical Weed Control".

The dairy calf sale is in the evening of the first day. It will be interesting to watch the bidding. I have a hunch that dairy cattle prices will go sky-high this spring.



All winners in chain saw contests

Chain-saw competitions have become a popular feature of winter carnivals, and prominent winners in these competitions have been various Pioneer Chain Saw models. The six men above won a total of nine trophies, and all used Pioneer saws in the competitions. Left to right are — Ken Brown of St. Philippe, who won at Dalkeith; Elvine Prophet of Lachute, who won at Lachute and St. André Avelin; Edwin Cyr of Brownsburg, who took the St. Philippe competition; Jean-Marc Lemay of Lachute, who was top man at both St. André Avelin and Ripon; Conrad Barille of Lachute, who took the competition at St. Remi d'Amherst; and Jean Yves Lemay of St. Philippe, winner in one of the Lachute competitions. Some of the above men also were second-place competitors in one or two of the mentioned contests.

—Photo, Syd Drew

Nature's Housecleaning

(Contributed)

During the past few months, men and machines have been engaged betimes clearing snow from the roads. Much of which, it would seem, was deposited in our driveways! The operators of these pieces of equipment are, without a doubt, model citizens, considerate husbands, doting parents and God-fearing individuals, but perched high on their power-wagons and probably facing a blizzard or a 40-below wind, they revert to a type far removed from the **genus homo** encountered the previous evening over a cup of coffee. Now, atop their mechanical chariots, with unlimited power within reach of their foot, their job is to clear the road and By Heck, cleared it will be! . . To them an immovable object is non-existent, particularly when there is an irresistible force under their control — road signs, fences, guard rails, hedges, meticulously cleared walks and driveways, all become provender for the plow.

But, your pardon. To get back to this **Housecleaning thing**. . .

With the first fall of snow a few months ago, Nature through probably having lost patience with man's lack of personal pride in his surroundings, took it upon herself to improve the appearance of our fair land. Covered by a white blanket of frosted H-2-0, hidden from the discerning eyes of the populace were the jumbled piles of scrap, the discarded heaps of lumber, the bruised and beaten motor vehicle of yesteryear, the incomplete endeavor of an ambitious artisan — in fact, all the humanly accumulated junk of previous months. **Hurrah!** All is now hidden — covered with Nature's temporary camouflage, to remain so until she again sets up her cycle of change. . . Now come the sun and warm breezes, and the covering mantle slowly disappears. (Oh, to be anywhere when Spring is near!) But, hold it — what about that which has been hibernating under the snow all winter — that which we were so glad to see covered, if only for a few months? History is repeating itself. Very soon we will have with us again the neglected and discarded junk, etc. Lawns and surroundings will have the degenerate appearance of having been tenanted in the long-ago. With Nature now engaged in her annual housecleaning, O Boy! what a sight there'll be.

Suggestion: At least let's keep one step ahead of Nature. Let's clean up. Let's confound the critics.

— Mark Sims
Morin Heights, Que.

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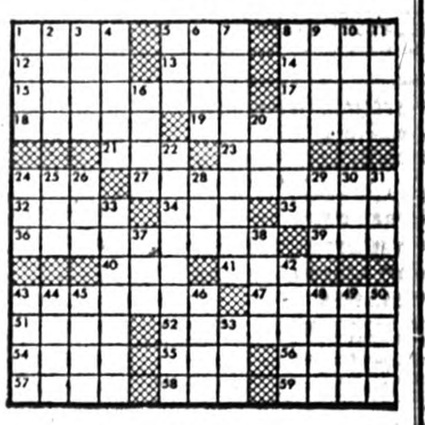
5-Once around track
8-Openwork fabric (pl.)
12-Girl's name
13-Be mistaken
14-Son of Adam
15-Produce
17-Part in play
18-Vapid
19-Derided
21-Algonquian Indian
23-Period of time
24-Cover
27-Praiseworthy
32-War god
34-Employ
35-Great Lake
36-Penitent
39-Make lace
40-Hawaiian wreath
41-Spread for drying
43-Early sailing vessel
47-Native Egyptian
51-Century plant
52-Tidiness
54-Arabian chieftain
55-Silkworm
56-Handle
57-Part of camera
58-Speck
59-Hind part

DOWN

1-Sinks in middle
2-Diffused
3-Girl's name
4-Walks unsteadily
5-Meadow
6-Academic subjects
7-Preceding
8-Tell
9-Black
10-Prefix: distant
11-Winter vehicle
16-Actual
20-Anglo-Saxon money
22-Warmed
24-Sailor (colloq.)
25-Native metal
26-Vigor (colloq.)
28-Land of the free (init.)
29-Worthless leaving
30-Inlet
31-Still
33-Dealers
37-Born
38-Temporary shelter
42-Unit of Yugoslavian currency
43-Irishman
44-Egyptian singing girl
45-Cut of meat
46-Roman tyrant
48-Unaspirated
49-Mountain in Greece
50-Former Russian ruler
53-River island

Solution Last Week





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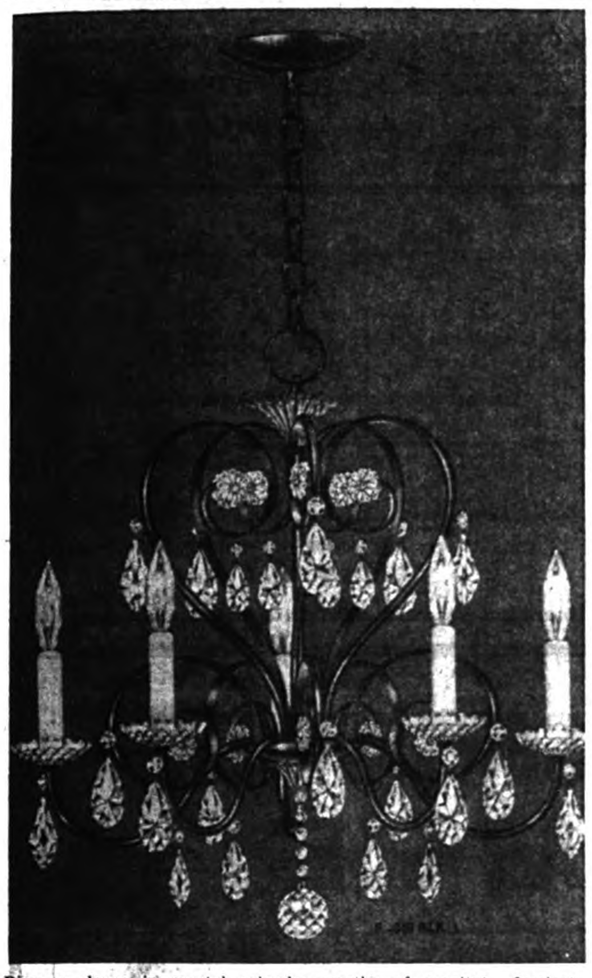

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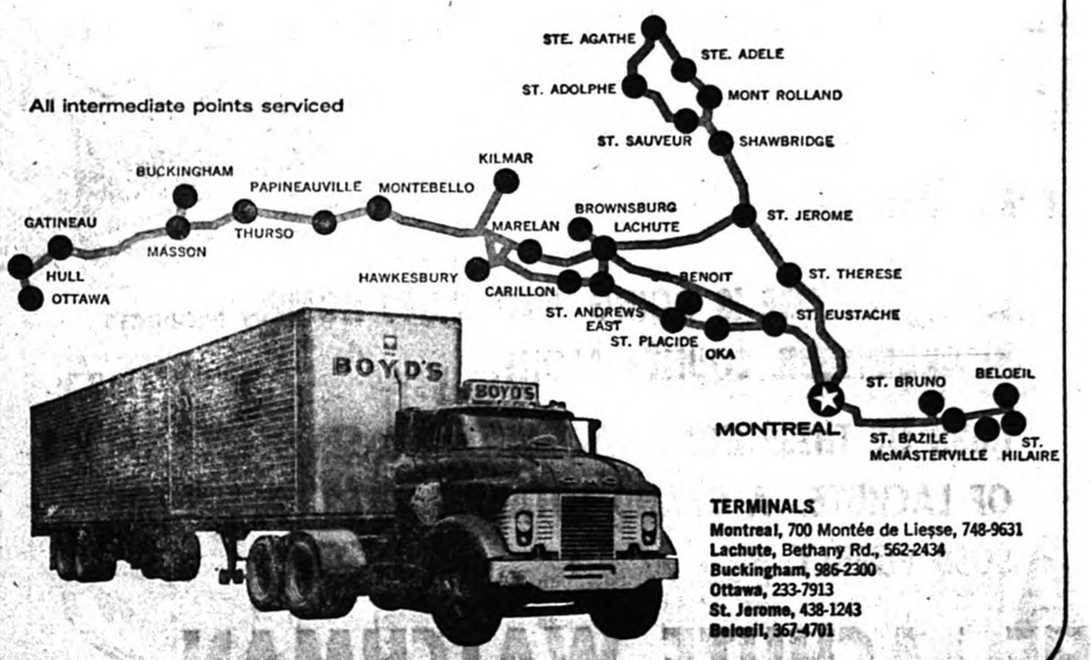

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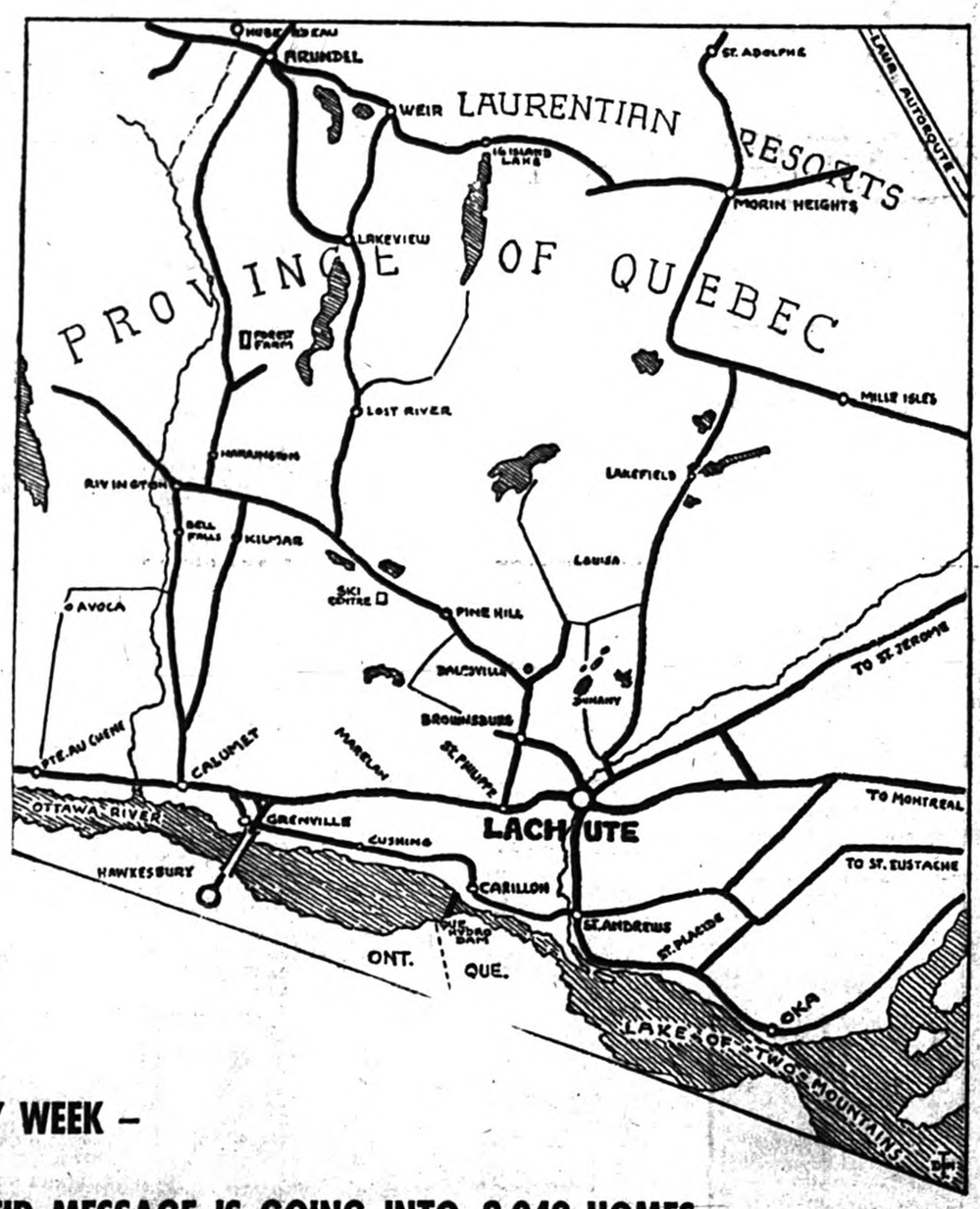

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EDITORIAL PAGE

"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

"Elementary, Dr. Couturier —"

THE QUEBEC Department of Tourism, Fish and Game, which in its own good time is realizing its obligation to address tourists in their own language, has come up with a compendium of translations conveniently arranged for "foreigners" approaching Quebec. (The quotes are ours.) The booklet contains more than 400 phrases and expressions, duly classified for use of the visitor unfamiliar with the French language.

"Whether the tourist travels by car, by bus or by plane, whether he calls at a tourist information bureau, at a garage or service station, whether he is involved in a road accident, whether he is at the hotel or in a restaurant, goes shopping or needs a doctor, the tourist will find useful phrases in English, with their French translation and a euphonic transcription that has been made as faithful yet as simple as possible."

The booklet was prepared by two former journalists, one French-speaking and the other English-speaking, who are now employed in the tourist industry. "We believe that this booklet, besides pleasing our visitors, will remind all those who consult it of the fact that Québec is a French land in North America, and that this is its main attraction," says a news release on this publication.

This is a commendable move by the minister, the Hon. Alphonse Couturier, who, comparatively new to the job, seems to have introduced fresh interest and initiative to his department. . . But we recommend to the minister that he start first on the primary essentials for guidance and convenience of our U.S. visitors. We mean, of course, bilingual road signs, for those who cannot read French. Although under jurisdiction of the Highways Department, it seems logical that the Tourist Branch should have a say in this matter.

We have in mind our friend who came visiting from Florida, driving the distance in two days and some hours flat, only to waste more than half a day, exasperated, trying to find his way south to north through Montreal. This is only one of many instances so frequently heard of.

First requirements for a courteous (let's say **tolerant**) reception of our visitors, is that they be informed on their route of travel. — That's elementary, Dr. Couturier.

National Health Week, March 13-19

NATIONAL HEALTH WEEK is an annual crusade to promote the public consciousness of healthful living, and to spell out in detail the ways in which health may be conserved.

During the last 50 years, we have made enormous progress. Early in the century there were thousands of cases of diphtheria and deaths everywhere. Last year there were only 25 cases of diphtheria in the whole of Canada, and all diphtheria hospitals are closed forever — we hope.

Similarly, polio only eight or nine years ago claimed 8,500 victims in a single year. As a result of the use of Salk vaccine, last year there were only 25 cases in all Canada.

These are two examples, but there are many others. The newest startling discovery has been that measles, a universal malady, may be totally prevented by the use of two new effective vaccines. The World Health Organization says that we could wipe out measles, a dangerous malady, in 18 months — but only if everybody is told about it.

National Health Week is an effort, with the cooperation of the press, the radio, the churches, the schools, and health departments of this country, to tell all people that "Prevention is better than cure" is more than a cliché. Its validity must be recognized by all people. To retain youth and health, we must keep ourselves informed. Knowledge is power.

The task of National Health Week is to ask for the cooperation of all Canadians in an effort to relate the startling discoveries of preventive medicine to the whole public. The Health League of Canada appeals to all Canadians to use every possible effort during this special week, to make known the story of the new discoveries in preventive medicine.

It is not that we need, primarily, more hospital beds, nor that we yearn to pay more for charity and relief, much of which is made necessary by unnecessary sickness and postponable death. We now need to inform ourselves how to keep physically and mentally well and active.

"The years of man," says the Bible, "shall be three score years and ten," but science tells us that man, if he cares for his health, may live to be much older in terms of years. The Holy Book also tells us that "The poor ye have always with you," but since much of our poverty is again caused by unnecessary sickness, should we not wonder whether, by applying the principles of preventive medicine, we may be attacking poverty itself?

In National Health Week all organizations in Canada can help preach the possibility of a new Heaven and a new Earth among us today. But, the effort need not be confined to one brief week; it is a message for year-round inspiration.

A springtime hazard

ON MARCH 21st, spring is supposed to make its entry in Canada — but in a land of such dimensions it may be spring in B.C., winter in the Rockies and the Prairies, and warm with showers in Quebec, Ontario and the Maritimes.

However, the calendar cheerfully suggests it's spring, and the crocuses and crows substantiate its arrival And that's not all. At the edges of little creeks and ponds the first thaw shows, and there are cracks in the ice. And the small boys are out, trying to walk on those softening ice floes.

Every year, when the thaw starts, young adventurers are sure they can walk where they skated a month ago. Even water on the surface of the ice is no warning of danger. Only when one youngster sees his pal go through the ice in the danger realized.

Parents should know where these water hazards exist and make every effort to keep their children out of harm's way.

Teachers should warn their young pupils of the local hazards, and enlist the help of senior students in cautioning the small ones whom they see in danger.

Irresponsible youth

TORONTO's new cross-town subway line opened two weeks ago, and city dwellers flocked to try out the improved transit route.

Two days later a bunch of University of Toronto students marched into a station on the line and one prankster pulled an emergency switch, cutting off power for 13 minutes. The result was chaos on the entire subway system for a period of five hours, including the evening rush-hour.

Students' pranks are common enough, especially when there's a touch of spring in the air. But disrupting the travel plans of tens of thousands of city travellers is going a bit far. The Toronto Transit Commission was not amused by the caper, which threw the whole system out of operation. TTC Chairman Ralph Day demanded that those responsible be punished.

Student demonstrations have taken various forms. In 1956 hundreds of university students tossed eggs, tomatoes and oranges at the Quebec Legislature building when Maurice Duplessis, then provincial premier, refused to meet a delegation seeking increased provincial aid to universities . . . A year ago University of Toronto students staged a sit-down in front of the United States consulate protesting treatment of civil rights marchers in Alabama. . . . These demonstrations had a serious purpose and were aimed at what students considered to be genuine grievances.

But this subway escapade served no useful purpose, while at the same time it caused inconvenience to vast numbers of people.

Students between the ages of 18 and 21 wonder why, in some parts, they are not considered mature enough to vote but are old enough to be called up for military service. Perhaps the answer lies in such examples as this. A sense of responsibility seems to be the first essential in young citizenship.



"I'LL CALL YOUR SECURITY BET AND RAISE YOU A SEX SCANDAL..."

OVER THE YEARS *with The Lachute Watchman*

80 YEARS AGO

March, 1886 —

The fishermen of Paspebiac, driven to desperation by hunger, have broken into stores of local companies and carried off 260 barrels of flour.

Carillon — Our team from the Curling Club visited Montreal last week and played at the Caledonia curling rink.

Advertisements in this issue:— Wm. Armstrong, blacksmith and horse farrier. — George L. Moir, Lachute Marble Works. — Jos. St. Quentin & Son, house and sign painters, Foundry Street. — A. G. Stackhouse, picture framer, St. Andrews. — West End Furniture Store, R. T. Manley (Parlor sets $45; chairs from 30c; wood bedsteads $2.50; looking-glasses 75c.)

Land grants to volunteers who served in the Northwest Rebellion amount to about 340,000 acres.

The Color Fund concert in Victoria Hall (to furnish colors for the Argenteuil Rangers) will conclude with a "bonnet hop".

In town council a by-law was passed imposing a poll tax of $2 on all male persons over 21 and under 60 residing and employed inside the corporation limits, in the month of May 1886 and each year succeeding, who do not already pay a property tax.

50 YEARS AGO

March, 1916 —

A number of farmers interested in the Consolidated Milk Shippers' Association were in town this week. The investments thus far have not proved altogether a success.

Mr. John Hay is in Quebec attending a meeting of the Provincial Board of Agriculture.

Property for sale. — Two-storey house, electric light, water, blacksmith, carpenter and paint shop. On account of old age. — Apply Thomas Bedard, Lachute. (Advt.)

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Mr. John Bradford, of North River, has sold his farm to Louis d'Hertel, and intends going West this spring.

Mr. Wm. McFaul returned from a four-weeks trip up to St. Maurice River in the interests of the Grier Company.

Fire at Huberdeau, on the Montfort branch of the Canadian Northern Railway, destroyed the Duclos Commercial Hotel, two residences, and Latour's blacksmith and carriage shops.

Watchman Want Ads bring results.

25 YEARS AGO

March, 1941 —

A cablegram was read to the large crowd at the Spitfire Dance held by the Legion in Lachute Auditorium: "To the Lachute Watchman. Spitfire idea great. Go to it, Argenteuil. Remember, one Spitfire equals three Jerries. (Signed) Lulu Miller"

(This issue of The Watchman shows a picture of "Kilwin", the pedigreed Cocker spaniel donated by Mrs. Kilgour Wilson to be raffled in aid of the Argenteuil Spitfire Fund.)

Every cloud has its silver lining, and when Eton College was damaged by Nazi bombs in a recent air-raid, the "birching block" on which Eton's naughty boys were caned, was blown to pieces.

Dr. Frederick Banting, the Canadian scientist who gave insulin to mankind for the cure of diabetes, was killed in a plane crash on his way to England, where he had offered his services to the British people.

Leonard Boyd, proprietor, his wife and infant daughter, and two waitresses, escaped in night clothes from a fire which destroyed the Boundary Inn, near Grenville.

The death of Charles F. James, Lachute Mills citizen and printer, occurred in the Royal Victoria Hospital.

THIS WEEK AND NEXT
by Ray Argyle



The Ottawa Vendetta

Any lingering hopes Canadians had that this Parliament would be more effective than the last vanished in a spate of sex and spy charges last week.

The ludicrous atmosphere into which the House of Commons was plunged resembled nothing less than a gang of angry schoolboys squabbling over a package of chewing gum.

The situation was serious, nonetheless, because it raised two important questions:

Have there been dangerous breaches of national security, either in the case of Vancouver postal worker Victor Spencer, or in the sex-tinged case of Olga Munsinger?

And is the political rivalry between Prime Minister Pearson and Opposition leader Diefenbaker still so bitter that emotion rather than reason must dominate Parliament?

The answers could be found in the manner in which the two current inquiries — one into the Spencer case and the other into national security and counter-espionage in general — came into being.

It is known Mr. Pearson had privately favored the holding of such inquiries. He had been unable to sell his cabinet on the idea. But in Parliament, faced with mounting Opposition pressure, he reversed his field, as he has done in many other cases recently.

The need of the inquiries cannot be questioned. But the turmoil into which Parliament has to be thrown over every issue of national concern illustrates anew the bitterness of the Diefenbaker-Pearson confrontations.

The spectacle of the prime minister of the land telephoning an accused spy suspect and asking him if he really did want an inquiry into his case would be admirable if it was not ridiculous.

Spencer, dismissed from his job without a hearing, had earlier made it clear that he did indeed wish an inquiry. No comment can be made here on Spencer's guilt or innocence. But the government's strange foot-dragging on granting the man an in camera hearing — where evidence would be in secret and national security would not be affected — might be routine for Ghana or Russia, but not for Canada.

The lesson the government apparently has yet to learn in dealing with national security is that people must either be charged and prosecuted to the full extent of the law, or left alone in peace. Half measures . . . accusations without prosecution . . . smack more of back alley gossip mongering than of government by responsible parliamentarians.

The Munsinger case — which Tory Dalton Camp called, with considerable justification, "the mudslinger case," fits into the same category.

Justice Minister Lucien Cardin brought the case to light when, stung by Opposition charges over Ottawa's handling of the Spencer affair, he said in effect that you Tories really don't have anything to talk about.

He then let it be known that Miss Munsinger — now dead — was alleged to have had an affair with a Conservative cabinet minister in 1961. It is said that Miss Munsinger was an employee of a Communist embassy and that while enjoying the freedom of Canada, engaged in a little free love. Enraged, Mr. Diefenbaker charged the government with trying to "blackmail" him into silence.

The point here again is that if there was any criminal offense, the government — either of John Diefenbaker or of Lester Pearson — should have laid charges. But neither did. Yet Mr. Cardin used the case in defending his department in 1966, five years after the alleged affair.

But whatever transpires across the aisles of the House of Commons, the country last week had another reminder that the personal vendetta between the leaders of the two major parties would continue to make a burlesque of Parliament.

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SUGAR AND SPICE
by Bill Smiley



That March Madness

I have a profound respect for poet T. S. Eliot. But one of his lines, that which says, "April is the cruellest month," is pure poppycock. He had obviously never spent a March in these parts.

April is no bargain, but March is a month no honest taxpayer should have to put up with. At its best, it is 31 days of pure drear; at its worst, a century of bleak horror.

Raw east winds that chap the hands, chill the bones, redden the nose, deaden the soul. Third bout of la grippe in three months. Holes in your overshoes. Faces of friends become hateful. Tailpipe and muffler gone on the car. Eavestroughs sagging. Spirits flagging. Spring is merely a word in the dictionary. Winter is a monster, clawing your shoulder.

If you're anything like me, you're hanging on by your teeth. This is fairly easy, because your nose has been running, and you're keeping a stiff upper lip. It's frozen. And your teeth are exposed.

It's a wonder we don't all turn as mad as March hares, and cut our collective throat, if only to add a bit of color to relieve grim, grey March.

But cheer up, chaps, all is not lost. I have a little therapeutic theory that works wonders. It is the only thing that saves me, in March, from running out into the snow, in bare feet and long underwear, babbling, "T. S. Eliot is mad, mad I tell you, mad!"

I first discovered this theory when I had trouble sleeping. After a long evening of too much work, too many fags, and too much coffee, I'd crawl into bed, and lie there as rigid as a rake, toes curled tightly, eyes burning brightly, no more chance of getting to sleep than getting to heaven.

One such night, I remembered. "Listen, Buster," I told myself. "Fifteen years ago tonight, you were lying on the floor of a box-car, freezing, hands and feet tied with wire, on your way to a prison camp.

"And here you are lying in a soft bed, in a warm house, with a warm woman beside you and warm blankets over you, and no night-fighters shooting up the place, and no guards wandering in to give you a kick. So what if you don't sleep a wink?" In 14 seconds I was asleep. It works every time.

Now, the same technique applies when it comes to saving my sanity in March.

When the miseries of March have me reduced to one great bellow of frustration, I put it to work. "Old Buddy," I say to myself, "just go back 300 years. Let yourself go, now. Not three miles from here, they were eking out their March, half-frozen, half-starved, half-blind."

And I think about them — the Indians, nearing the bitter end of a bitter winter, in their long-houses. Men, women, children, dogs, pell-mell in a seventeenth-century Nissen hut made of boughs and bark and skins.

Two or three hundred human beings crawling over each other in about the space you and your family occupy. Cold. Hungry. Stench unbelievable. Smoke from cooking fires indescribable.

The last of the meat gone. The maize reduced to a few handfuls. Spruce tea and moss stew on the menu. Hunting impossible because of the slush. Flabby breasts and swollen bellies. And always the cold.

No refrigerators stocked with steaks and roasts and milk and eggs. No shelves of canned goods. No supermarket a few blocks away. No heat, no light. No bathroom. No books. No television. And always the cold.

A few cynics will add, "And no income tax, no mortgages, no insurance policies, no fuel bills, no ulcers, no doctor's bills." True. Wanna trade?

Not I. I turn up the thermostat a bit. I mix a hot toddy. Then I sit by the fireplace, listening to the wind whistling around the house. I sniff the waft of pot roast from the kitchen. I pick up a book, put a record on the hi-fi.

I listen to my wife, who is not fighting with Mrs. Abenaki about who gets the fire next, to make dog soup.

And my March madness is gone. Try it.

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NEW LABELLING ON CANNED FOODS

Watch for a change in labelling on some canned foods. New government regulations require a more accurate declaration of the fluid ounce content but the amount of product in the can will remain the same. For example a 20-ounce can will be marked 19 fluid ounces and a 15-ounce can will be marked 14 fluid ounces (see photo). This will apply to all products packed in containers of these sizes . . . Corn and tomatoes teamed with other protein foods — meat, fish poultry, eggs or cheese — make colorful and flavorful casseroles for winter meals.

— Canada Department of Agriculture, Ottawa.

Read label before you buy

To take the guesswork out of buying, the smart shopper takes time to read the label before she buys. This is particularly important in the case of processed fruit and vegetables, for there is a great deal of information on the label that can tell you about the quality of the food you're buying.

Grading and labelling regulations on processed fruit and vegetables are enforced by inspectors of the Fruit and Vegetable Division of the Canada Department of Agriculture from coast to coast. Sample cans are inspected right after processing to ensure that the product is the grade claimed.

Here is what you will find on the label:

The Name — The name of the product is clearly and conspicuously shown and in some cases the variety as well. A description of the way it is packed is given e.g., canned peaches may be marked, 'halves or slices'. The name and address of the packer or distributor together with the brand or trade name is also given.

The Grade Mark — This is the shopper's guide to quality. The grades for canned fruit and for vegetables are: Canada Fancy, Canada Choice and Canada Standard. Apple and tomato juice and frozen fruit and vegetables, are graded Canada Fancy and Canada Choice.

There may be a few cents difference in price between the grades. Often a lower grade may suit your purpose just as well as the top grade. For example, for casserole dishes, Standard grade vegetables may be just as flavorful, though less perfect than Fancy grade. Similarly, lower grades in fruit have their place for some desserts where perfect appearance is not so important.

Size — Some canned vegetables such as peas may be marked as to size. Sizes are numbered from size 1, the smallest, to size 5, the largest. The size of peas does not necessarily indicate quality. If peas are not graded as to size, the label must be marked "ungraded as to size", "assorted sizes" or "mixed sizes".

Percentage Sugar Added — Fruit may be marked with the 'percent sugar' or 'unsweetened' may also be used. Minimum strength of sugar syrups for both canned and frozen foods is specified by government regulations.

Imported Canned and Frozen Foods must have the country of origin indicated on the label. Imports sold in the original container cannot carry the word "Canada" on the label as part of the grade mark. The grades, Fancy, Choice and Standard, must meet the regulations for the corresponding "Canada" grades.

Volume and Net Weight — Volume in fluid ounces is given on canned fruit and vegetables and each can has to have a minimum net and drained weight. For example a 20 fluid ounce can of peas must have a minimum net weight of 20 ounces, and a minimum drained weight of 12½ ounces. The drained weight of fruit or vegetables is the same in all three grades except in the case of canned tomatoes where the minimum drained weight is set for each grade.

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Flash! In 1966 you may see in the food stores both 19 oz. and 20 oz. cans or 15 oz. and 14 oz. cans in fruit, vegetables and juices. Don't be confused! The size of the can has not changed. New government regulations require a change in the declaration of the fluid ounce content on the label. This change indicates you are now getting a more accurate content declaration. The actual amount of the product is not any less.

Consumer Comment

By Betty Lindsay for C.A.C. (Que.)

In nearly every news bulletin these days we hear that the "Thimble Pushers" or "i-Dotters" have formed a Union and made known their demands, which, if not met, will bring on a strike. Everyone has to have recognition! And what do we consumers do towards being represented? Usually, **nothing!** But you **can** be represented by acting on the suggestion at the end of this column.

What is CAC? Its objects are as follows:

(a) To unite the strength of Consumers and also improve the standard of living in Canadian homes;

(b) To study consumer problems and make recommendations for their solution;

(c) To bring the views of Consumers to the attention of government, trade and industry, and to provide a channel from these to the Consumer;

(d) To obtain and provide for Consumers information and counsel on consumer goods and services, and to conduct research and tests for the better accomplishment of the objects of the Association.

Some items being worked on at the moment:— Bacon packaging, butter wrapping, labels on pesticides and household chemicals, sizes of women's clothing, car safety features. And coming up in The Canadian Consumer :— articles on such diverse items as thread and garden fertilizers, to name but two.

Mobile Laboratory

Consumers are delighted that increased funds have enabled the Food and Drug Directorate to buy its first mobile laboratory. Many more samples of food can be taken across the country and analyzed to see if they meet the requirements of the food and Drugs Act and Regulations. Of particular importance are checking for pesticide residues in milk and ensuring that milk for manufacturing, ground meat and other products meet government standards — better protection and better products for consumers.

To become a member of The Consumers' Association, send $3. (for one year) to Consumers' Association of Canada (Que.), 33 Ballantyne Ave. S., Montreal 28, Que. (One fifth of the members are men.)



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Scout, Girl Guide and Brownie activities at Morin Heights recently



Left — Three Girl Guides of the 1st Lac St. Denis Company recently qualified for the Life and Religion badge. Shown here are the Rev. Hugh Bill, RCAF padre, who presented the badges; the three recipients — Guides Pattie Davison, Gail Chessell and Sharon York; and at the right, Leader Capt. Truckle.

Right — Donna Graham, 1st Lac St. Denis Girl Guides, with Troop Leader David Kerwin, cutting the cake at a reception held by the Guides, Scouts and Brownies at Trinity Hall, on Baden Powell Sunday.





ST. PAT'S DAY MARCH 17

When Irish Eyes Are Smilin'...Sure 'tis...

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Handicraft Hints

— By NANCY CLEAVER —

Kindergarten youngsters are eager for the time in the day when they can work with plasticene, and older school children take real pride in objects they make from clay. Blunt scissors, colored paper or a scrapbook and old magazines and paste, give a pupil the chance to build silhouettes, posters, or compile a scrap book. The older boys and girls often want to try their hand at papier maché articles, especially masks and marionettes.

Often when a boy or girl wants to continue a handcraft activity at home which has been enjoyed at school, mother objects.

"It's too messy!" or more often on the grounds that the material is too expensive.

But busy children are happy children. If they are making things at home, parents know they are not getting into mischief elsewhere. Most kitchen floors and tables can be covered with newspapers before the handcraft project begins.

Then when it is ended, the newspaper can be carefully gathered up and put in the garbage. This saves a lot of cleaning up and it is good training for a child to leave his place of work spick and span.

Wearing an apron or smock saves clothes. A mother will find that her husband's old shirts cut off way down the sleeves and buttoned at the child's back, make an excellent cover-all!

The following recipes all use materials found in most homes. By taking an interest in making this material, she will not only save a lot of money, but she will also reduce the nerve strain of living with a child who complains "I've nothing to do!"

Clay can be bought in jars or powdered form to be mixed with water as needed, or it can be made from the following handmade recipe: Mix two cups of flour, one cup of salt and a teaspoonful of alum. Add enough water so that it can be worked easily with the fingers, but do not add so much that it will be sticky. Keep it moist by wrapping it in a damp cloth or in wax paper.

Paste — To one cup of flour, gradually add cold water until it is the right consistency. Add one teaspoon of glycerine to help keep it sweet. Or buy a box of powdered paste used to apply wall paper. Mix a little at a time as needed in an empty cold cream jar.

Papier Maché — The papier maché objects may take several days to dry, but they are great fun to make. Tear newspapers into small pieces and soak in a tub of hot water over night. Pour off the water and squeeze and wring out as much water as possible from the remaining pulp. Then use a large strainer or sieve to remove any excess water. Next add generous quantities of paste to this pulp mixture. Stir thoroughly with a large spoon.

Add coloring matter now or color the finished product with poster paint. Model with the fingers as if the material was plasticene. Beginners should use a base such as a jar for a vase with a papier maché covering or a child's round cereal box or a salt box as a foundation for a pig. Wads of newspaper with wire to stiffen it can form the body of a doll or marionette. Masks can be modelled over the outside of a large mixing bowl—but remember to apply vaseline first so the mask can be easily removed when dry.

Clip these recipes for future reference. You will only want to use one of them at a time!



The hurried throng

This is the era of the hustle and bustle. Everybody wants to go faster, be it by foot, car, or plane.

This frenzy extends even into the domain of education, and early-maturing children are the pride of their parents. One urges the baby to smile, to get up, to wash himself, and to walk.

This same tendency makes parents demand that their children learn to read too quickly, even though they don't have the necessary abilities. In order to decipher symbols, one must first of all be able to speak correctly, have good muscular coordination, and have sufficiently developed visual abilities. When reading difficulties appear, the child is already in the third or fourth grade.

The brain must have time to mature, as needs the organism. And even in the best laboratories, one must wait till the guinea-pigs grow up.

Whatever the age of the child or his stage of development, it is dangerous for him to learn to read before an optometrist evaluates his visual abilities. This is a negligence that is not excusable.

'Before-supper specials' sale

Specials before supper? What next? . . Offering bargains to induce women to shop when they are hungry may pay off because the hungrier a woman is when she is shopping for supper, the bigger her bill is likely to be.

This is the conclusion of a survey made by the Behavior Research Institute in New York. William A. Yoell, director, said women, who had not eaten for five hours prior to their weekly shopping expedition, spent an average of $5.76 more than usual, while women who had consumed food within two hours of shopping spent an average of $7.48 less than usual. Yoell saw the responses of shoppers as a classic example of a stimulus operating to cause certain behavior without the person being aware of it.



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Trend in women's shopping habits noted in survey

Why are more and more women going to the supermarket without shopping lists? Are their memories getting better? Do they resent being "tied down" by a shopping list? Are they relying more on hubby to "backstop" them on his way home from the office?

Whatever the reason, a recent survey of supermarket shoppers in the United States, carried out for E. I. du Pont de Nemours & Company, showed that the "list" shoppers have now become a distinct minority. Only about 37 women in 100 now use a list, a drop from 45 per cent in the last five years.

Evidently an increasing number of shoppers now are deciding what they will buy after they reach the store. As a result, marketers of consumer goods are vitally concerned with attractive, eye-catching packages. They definitely have to be eye-catching, because the survey shows the average supermarket shopper spends about 26 minutes on a shopping trip. And since many supermarkets have 6,500 or more individual items, each item has about one-quarter of a second to influence the shopper.

Another point is that the modern supermarket shopper does not restrict herself to the proverbial weekly expedition. About one shopper in four goes to the supermarket once a week. But just as many go twice a week. A few women — less than three per cent — can get by for more than a week without visiting the supermarket. At the other end of the scale, a surprising 10 per cent shop six times a week or more.

Despite all the attention paid to the "teen-age" group, the supermarket is more interested in women between the ages of 30 and 48. More than half the shoppers fall into this age group.

Another surprise, perhaps, is the predominance of the small household. More than half the supermarket shoppers are buying for three people or less. Only about one shopper in four is buying for a family of five or more.

HOUSING MAKES POVERTY

Vancouver (CP) — Many Canadians live in slums because little money is spent on public housing, an official of the federal government's war on poverty said here. R. A. J. Phillips said a quarter of Canada's population is living on a level near poverty during what may be the country's most prosperous year.

Corn chowder to satisfy

1½ Cups of diced, raw potatoes (in ½-inch cubes), ½ cup boiling water, ½ teaspoon salt, 5 strips bacon (cut in ½-inch pieces), ½ cup chopped onion, 1 tablespoon flour, ½ teaspoon salt, 1 to 1½ cups skim milk powder, 2½ cups cold water, ⅛ teaspoon pepper, 1 can (20-ounce) cream-style corn.

Cook potatoes in boiling salted water until barely tender — 8 to 10 minutes. Fry bacon in top of double boiler over direct heat until crisp. Remove bacon and drain on absorbent paper. Add onion to fat and sauté until transparent but not brown, for about 5 minutes. Remove from heat, blend in flour and salt. Add skim milk powder, then gradually add water and stir until thoroughly mixed. Cook over direct heat, stirring constantly until mixture comes just to the boil. Place over hot water and cook 5 minutes longer, stirring occasionally. Add pepper and cooking liquid from potatoes, then beat well with a rotary beater. Add potatoes, corn and bacon pieces, then heat. Serve as soon as chowder is thoroughly heated. Makes about 6 cups.

Note: Bacon may be sprinkled on top of the chowder before serving, if desired.

Teatime Topics

By Joan Sharp,
Canadian Press Staff Writer

Specially Written for The Lachute Watchman



Soup mixes, pre-seasoned and storable, serve as useful bases for a variety of dishes.

You can make Chinese fried rice with a few spoonfuls of onion soup mix. Brown one cup of raw rice in two tablespoons of butter. Stir in three tablespoons of onion mix, ¼ teaspoon of salt, ¼ teaspoon of pepper, two cups of water. Cover tightly and simmer over low heat for 30 minutes.

For a livelier flavor, use all of the soup mix and omit salt. Serves four.

A chicken and broccoli casserole calls for: one 10-oz. package of broccoli spears, one package of chicken soup mix, one cup boiling water, one cup milk, two tablespoons flour mixed with ¼ cup of the milk, ½ teaspoon salt, two cups sliced chicken, ½ cup sour cream, ¼ cup grated parmesan cheese.

Green Garnish

Cook broccoli as directed, drain and arrange in shallow baking dish. Cook soup mix in water about three minutes, add ½ cup milk and thicken with flour mixture. Add sour cream and salt. Place chicken on top of broccoli. Pour over soup mixture, sprinkle with cheese. Bake in 450-degree oven for 20 to 25 minutes until bubbly. Garnish with remaining broccoli.

Another green casserole calls for one envelope chicken noodle soup mix, three cups boiling water, four tablespoons butter, four tablespoons flour, ½ cup heavy cream whipped, one 10-oz. package frozen spinach, asparagus or green beans, cooked, one seven-ounce can of tuna, drained, three hard-cooked eggs, sliced, and five tablespoons of grated parmesan cheese.

Cook Soup

Stir chicken noodle soup mix into boiling water, simmer seven minutes. Strain soup, reserving liquid. In a saucepan melt butter and blend in flour. Stir in hot liquid from soup, simmer five minutes. Remove from heat and fold in whipped cream.

In a casserole arrange layer of noodles strained from soup, cooked vegetable, one half of sauce, tuna, eggs and remaining sauce to which four tablespoons of cheese have been added. Heat in moderate oven 350 degrees for 20 minutes. Sprinkle one tablespoon cheese over top and brown under broiler. Serves six.

With tomato soup as a base you can make a sauce for spaghetti, macaroni or meat loaf. Take ¼ cup minced onion, ¼ cup chopped green pepper, ½ cup mushroom pieces, two tablespoons butter, one package tomato soup mix, two cups water, one small bay leaf, two whole cloves.

Sauté onion, green pepper and mushrooms in butter in saucepan. Stir in soup and water. Blend well. Add remaining ingredients. Bring to boil, stirring occasionally while simmering for five minutes. Remove bay leaf and cloves. Makes three cups sauce.

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Intensive search for missing boy; ice blasted, divers scan riverbed

Tracks led to unfrozen surface

Efforts of the Lachute municipal police were directed Sunday and Monday to attempting to recover the body Yvon Deneault, 10-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Rolland Deneault, of 256 Evelina Street, who is believed to have drowned at the junction of the West and North Rivers near the C.P.R. bridge late Sunday afternoon.

According to Police Chief Réal Chartrand, who directed the operations, at 4.35 p.m. Sunday a call was received from Mrs. Edward Beaven, of 330 Main Street, who reported that a number of boys were on the ice near the bridge. Police officers were dispatched and as they were running out of the police station, the caller reported that one of the youths was in the water. There was no evidence of anyone in or around the location as the police officers arrived, and after a hurried search, they returned to the police station for the emergency boat and other equipment.

Footprints indicated that two persons had been on the ice, one set of prints leading dangerously close to the open water, where it is believed the lad fell, being swept under the ice just to the south of the bridge. No one could identify the boy, but word somehow got around that it might be Yvon Deneault. As yet, no one had been found who can definitely say this is the case.

While starting immediately to search for the body, the police also attempted to locate the missing boy elsewhere with the help of his parents and other relatives, but to no avail. He did not return home Sunday evening, and has not been seen since.

Policemen and members of the volunteer fire department worked until 10 p.m. Sunday and on the request of members of the Hawkesbury Otter Diving Club, the search was temporarily called off, so as not to disturb the riverbed until such time as they had had an opportunity to properly explore it. Blasting the ice — in which the police were assisted by Georges Desfossés — was attempted during the evening and Monday morning; some 70 sticks of dynamite were placed and the ice was successfully broken up. The section of the frozen river which was hindering the search was some 40 to 50 feet wide, and the ice from nine to 24 inches thick.

Hawkesbury divers Ken Gray *and Raymond Laviolette then* attempted to locate the body near the bridge and at other likely places in the river, but they were unsuccessful. The swift current made it necessary to tie a rope onto the divers so they would not be swept away. Prior to the ice being blasted, a net was stretched across the river and this was also thoroughly searched by the divers.

Due to a number of reasons, civic officials decided to call off the search late Monday afternoon. However, a watch was kept at the dams in the possibility that the body may come to the surface.

On Tuesday, Q.P.P. officers under the direction of Sgt. J. P. Dallaire again took up the search, and were aided by two municipal policemen. Dragging operations were resumed Wednesday morning, and up to publication time, the body had not been recovered.



Air hostess

MISS LISE LANDRY,

the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J.-Albert Landry, Grace Street, Lachute, has been accepted as an air hostess by Air Canada, after five weeks of intensive training in Montreal. Born at St. Eustache, she attended school in Lachute and was employed in the Bank of Montreal before entering the airline service last December. Her headquarters will be in Montreal.

Lachute 'blitz' in Red Cross appeal set for April 4

A meeting of the executive of Lachute Branch, Canadian Red Cross, was held in the United Church hall on Wednesday, March 16.

The meeting, which was very well attended, was convened to discuss the forthcoming Financial Campaign.

Mrs. Harry Booth, president, was in the chair, and was the first speaker. She was followed by Mtre. J. C. Paquin, Campaign chairman, and M. Poirier, Provincial Director, who had come from Montreal to be present at the meeting.

After discussing all details of the 1966 campaign, it was unanimously decided by the executive to ask Mtre. Paquin to continue as chairman, and this he willingly agreed to do. He will be supported by Mr. J. Campbell, Mr. D. MacRae, Jr., and Mr. Bev. Watson — Mr. MacRae acting as co-chairman.

The date was set for the door-to-door "blitz" canvass in Lachute town. This will take place on Monday evening, April 4.

Four arrested after robbery at lake residence

Four men from Valleyfield, one of them a former resident of this area, were arrested by Q.P.P. officers on Thursday of last week and charged with breaking and entering with theft. The charge was laid in connection with a robbery at Solar Lake, in the Lakefield area, in which the house of Harvey Oliver was entered.

Sgt. J. P. Dallaire reports that following the robbery the culprits were unable to start their car, and abandoned it, hitch-hiking to Lachute, where they spent the night prior to returning to Valleyfield. The robbery was discovered and the owner of the car traced, after which he and his friends were arrested.

The accused, all in their mid-twenties, are Jean-Louis Levesque, Jean-Claude St-Armand, André deRepentigny and Rosaire Rodrigue, the latter formerly of Lachute. They have been charged and are scheduled to appear in St. Jerome court shortly.

Week's Epigram

They say it is better to be poor and happy than rich and miserable. But couldn't something be worked out, such as being moderately rich and just moody ?

Sentiments and Sidelights

(Comments on the Local Scene)

Wayne Riddell and his Tudor Singers of Montreal presented a successful recital recently in the Anglican Diocesan Centre in Toronto. "Good singing and excellent programming were the outstanding characteristics," says a press review from the Queen City.

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Easter Seals give a major boost to research, treatment, orthopedic aids and rehabilitation for crippled children — besides numerous cases aided locally by the Lions Club, as sponsors of this effort. If you have not contributed, please do so now, through the returnable "pink envelope" or in care of Col. Ernest Emmett, the committee chairman.

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In confirming the Quebec Government plans to rebuild two bridges here in the current year, the Hon. Gaston Binette, Minister of Natural Resources, gave the estimated costs as follows: Barron's Bridge, $250,000; McGibbon's Bridge, $80,000.

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A film program on Vaillancourt, the Canadian sculptor, and other art subjects, will be given at the Centre d'Art on Friday evening, commencing at 9.30. See information elsewhere in this issue.

St. Patrick's parade colorful scene

Army Cadets and officers undertook to organize event

Under sunny skies, amid balmy breezes, Lachute was lifted from the winter doldrums by a grand and glorious St. Patrick's Day parade, last Saturday afternoon.

More than 40 groups participated, with bands, floats, horses, decorated trucks, automobiles, rigs, carts, and marchers. Perhaps the outstanding attraction was the Boy Scouts' float, which depicted the boys sitting around a campfire. (You could almost smell the beans cooking!) And there was even McGinty's goat. — Oh, a grand day, to be sure!

It was a credit to the officers and cadets of the Lachute Army Cadet Corps who organized and did the work involved in making this big parade successful. Next year being Canada's centennial, it is their plan to put on a parade second to none.

Hundreds of people turned out to see the parade, and from the smiles on their faces, and the applause and accolades, it was a success all around.

After the parade a social hour was held in the Legion Hall — the adults downstairs and the children upstairs. The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Legion provided refreshments for the youngsters, and approximately 300 hot dogs and 300 soft drinks disappeared in less than 10 minutes flat.

It was a "great day for the Irish" — and for everyone else as well.



A realistic campfire scene was presented by the Lachute Cubs and Boy Scouts. As our observer remarked, you could almost catch the aroma of beans in the pot. Boys on the float are Scouts Randy Jones and Wayne Hyde, Cubs Mark Young and Dougie Boa.



Pat McGinty's Goat was the central figure in this little tableau which brightened the parade. Left to right — Brodie Ogilvie, Billy Ward and Tom Whiteway. —Photos, Syd Drew

'Made in Canada' motivates C.G.E. plastics operation at St. Andrews

Topic highlights supper meeting of Lions Club

Speaker at the Lions Club meeting, held last Tuesday at La Lorraine, was Mr. W. J. King, manager of the Canadian General Electric plastics plant at St. Andrews East. Accompanied and assisted by Maurice Mattuck, processing engineer, and Stanley Sack, manager of manufacturing, Mr. King outlined the uses of reinforced plastics and displayed samples of plastic products in different forms, all the way from fibre and cloth to panels and moulded shapes. The uses of domestic and structural plastics were illustrated by color slides, and the subject was of highly practical interest to the club membership.

Mr. King cited the startling fact to which Canadians have become apathetic, through familiarity — that our imports far outweigh our exports, and that 78 percent of our imports come into Canada in a fully manufactured state. We are buying, very largely from the U.S., a volume of finished products which we could reasonably, and competitively, manufacture in Canada.

There was something of inspiration in the speaker's topic — the realization of a paradox, and a determination to do something about it . . . It is the policy and ideal of his company, Canadian General Electric, to promote the "Buy in Canada" program, to produce and to export, in an effort to restore the imbalance of trade which threatens to engulf our economic structure in Americanism. The speaker referred to "gullible Canadians" and the "nonsense" of this untenable situation.

Mr. King and his company colleagues had set out to scrutinize products on the Canadian market, to examine their origin, to see what Canada could make just as efficiently. And it was his purpose at this meeting to show "some things which we Canadians can do better".

Carrying their philosophy into plastics, Canadian General Electric had established themselves in St. Andrews. At the former Long Sault plant now in charge of Mr. King, of the C.G.E. Chemical and Metallurgical Department, they are developing re-inforced plastics which were the specialty of Long Sault, and exploring their wider possibilities. They have latterly acquired the machinery and processes of an Ohio subsidiary, and are exploiting new areas of laminated plastics. The speaker had no hesitation in saying that, throughout the vast organization of General Electric, it was now known that C.G.E. was producing plastic parts and components at St. Andrews East, in the Province of Quebec.

In supervising this establishment in Quebec, Mr. King's experience had impressed him with the imperative need of technical education — the upgrading of skills to meet the needs of technology. It is part of the company's plan in this new operation to co-operate in education for technical skills, and to collaborate with government projects towards this end. The speaker and his colleagues evaluate such education as of highest importance in our economic advancement.

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The visitor was introduced by Jos. Santini and thanked by the club secretary, Don Neill. This interesting meeting was chaired by the president, Bob Dixon.

Welcomed by the members was Lion Roger Regimbal, M.P., who flew in from Ottawa accompanied by two fellow parliamentarians and Lions Club members, Ellwood Madill, M.P., from Orangeville, Ont., and William Scott, M.P., from Kinmount, Ont.

Lion Herb Graves was "boosted" by Dr. Eric Mongeon, who paid tribute to his sterling citizenship and his activities as a community man. Herb's gift was won by Don MacRae, Jr.

Col. Ernest Emmett, the "pink envelope man", solicited support in the annual Easter Seals campaign. Social and business sidelights completed a full program.

'Continuous Learning' described by Dir.-General of Regional School

The regular monthly meeting the Lachute and District Home and School Association was held March 16 in the Music room of the High School.

Mr. Art Whiteway, president, occupied the chair, and Mrs. S. Doig recorded the minutes of the meeting. Mrs. R. Hyde, representative of the nominating committee, presented the new slate of officers for 1966-67. Nominations are open until the April meeting.

After the business session, Mr. Leroy Beals introduced the guest speaker, Mr. Fred Royal, Director General of the Regional School, who spoke on "Continuous Progress Learning, or the Ungraded School".

Mr. Royal first stated that a child starting in Grade 1 must be six years of age before October 1 of the year he (or she) enters school. These children will be grouped as to age, ability, maturity, sociability and achievement as they go along with interests and work habits. Kindergarten is considered very advantageous, to prepare for Grade 1.

The maximum number of children, will be three groups, for one teacher to handle. In the first year the child will have three books in the reading program, the second year two books, and the third one book. From time to time tests will be given to see how the child is doing, and a report will be sent to parents, indicating the child's standing. If the child does not pass his test in Grade 1, there will be no repeating of his work. A new set of books will be given him for the same grade. The professors who have studied this, say there is no advantage in a child repeating a grade, as it just discourages him. Some children will pass into Grade 7 at 11 years of age, others at 12 or more. There will be children who will do six years in five, others will take seven to do six years.

Mr. Royal said there must be good teachers, dedicated to their work, and the parents must be receptive to education. There should be close co-operation of parents and teachers. In the new system there will be no grade levels. The first three grades will be called primary, and four, five and six, elementary.

As they get into different subjects, such as History and Geography, pupils will be arranged according to skill. The secondary course will have Subject Promotion, and the courses will be for five years.

Mr. Royal answered several questions in regard to further education, and Mrs. Harold Deacon thanked the speaker for his interesting talk.

The next meeting of Home and School will be held Wednesday, April 20. The Rev. Dr. C. Ritchie Bell will be guest speaker, on the topic, "Purposes of Education." Friends are also asked to keep the date of Thursday, April 28, open for the scholarship whist.

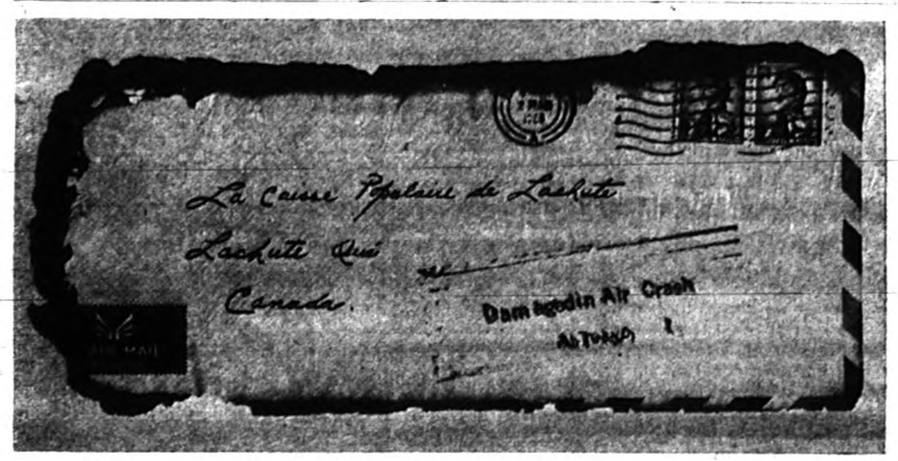
Entry and robbery, Main St. West

A sum of approximately $1,200 was reported stolen from the L. J. Dumais Ltd. establishment on Main Street West early Tuesday morning, according to Police Chief Réal Chartrand. It is believed the robbery was committed sometime after 3.30 a.m., as three checks by patrolling policemen found the building to be in order. Entry was made by breaking the rear door.



Weekly newsmen at Expo site

Members of the Canadian Weekly Newspapers Association national board of directors are shown the site of Expo 67 by the Exhibition's Commissioner General, Pierre Dupuy, during a recent visit to Montreal. Left to right: Mr. Dupuy; R. F. Giles, Lachute Watchman; W. Eric Dunning, Haney Gazette, Haney, B.C.; Jim Dills, Milton Canadian Champion, Milton, Ont.



Rough transit from Hong Kong

Last Friday the Caisse Populaire de Lachute received a letter despatched from Hong Kong, which had been among mail aboard the ill-fated plane which crashed at Tokyo three weeks ago. The letter was from Roland Denault, formerly of Lachute, who has been employed in Hong Kong for the past few years. As may be seen, the envelope is charred with heat and damaged; however, the contents were intact. —Photo, Syd Drew

Lachute linked in emergency communications

Lachute is to be included in a most modern and unique emergency communications network for civil protection and police purposes — it was confirmed yesterday with the unveiling of the system by Municipal Affairs Minister Pierre Laporte.

The network will play an important role in the co-ordination of police and emergency activities within a 50-mile radius of downtown Montreal.

To be installed at a cost of $300,000, the network is expected to be in operation prior to the April opening of Expo 67, and the cost will be shared through a federal-provincial program on emergency measures.

"Argenteuil Outdoors"

By BOB ATCHISON

It certainly looks to be a top year for the gun cranks and hunters. All companies seem to be putting out new guns, and naturally the Remington outfit, with their 150th Anniversary, had to get in on the act. We all remember the model 600 lightweight bolt action they put out in 1964. This one made a hit with just about everyone — only made in the four calibres at first, 222 Rem, 6MM Rem, 308 Win, and the 35 Rem the first year, then last year the 350 calibre came on the market, the same design as the smaller calibres, with the exception of a little added weight, 6 lbs.; the original only weighed 5½ lbs. Remington have now come out with the 6.5 MM and this one sure will be a pip. Almost the same ballistics as the 270, so it will have excellent trajectories and good velocities.

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This is the one I like, though; it's the Model 1100 semi-auto shotgun. It is now being made as a deer gun, with a 22-inch barrel and adjustable rifle sights, recoil pad and so on. This will be the gun that has been wanted for years. The barrel is specially bored to give the best results. Interchangeable barrel is of course standard with this gun, so it's no real job to have yourself two guns in one. They have also dressed up their 742 Woodsmaster and the 760 Gamemaster — a custom type checkering job is being done on them, basketweave type — and from pictures this is the real McCoy. I hope to see one of these guns in a few days.

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The same company have been in the movie picture business for some time, and their latest, "Wild Heritage", 16 MM sound and color picture, is available free of charge to any group, school, service club or so forth. Anyone wanting to procure this film for showing, may contact me.

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In the last couple of weeks we have seen why no action can be expected from governments on Pollution. With all the mud slinging, charges and counter charges in our Federal Government, they have no time for anti-pollution laws. It would stop them from having a disposal unit right in public! I have always thought these "Brains" were elected to run the country and give us legislation; maybe I missed out somewhere along the line.

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As we all know, our provincial government gave us the real "snow job", telling us our streams and lakes would be cleaned up very shortly. That was a number of years ago, and I expect this will be another ripe time to revive the promises. Of course, all kinds of commissions have been appointed for study of the problem; some have just faded, while others have never even got going. And as usual, nothing has been done. Even the anti-pollution headquarters has been moved, supposedly to realize better control. But with the hub of pollution right in and around Montreal — why they should have moved the commission offices down toward Quebec is not too clear.

There should be an election very soon, so maybe we should start looking at what has been done in the past few sessions. In the last four years there has not been six pieces of legislation on anti-pollution even debated in the government; so whom are these people trying to fool?

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Start right in our own County. Remember the publicity given the North River — how it was going to be studied and then cleaned up? Boy, has this been a fizzle. . . To me the North River is a jewel, and I'm stupid enough not to change my mind. Sure it gets filthy at times, this I don't deny; but when you consider the benefits from this water to towns situated along its banks, then someone is sure missing the boat. I know I am continually boosting the attractions, and deploring the abuses, of this river; yet it doesn't seem to be worth working on, to some people. I wonder what it takes, to get people interested enough to start working for things like this. Our heritage of pure water is our God-given right, yet we are the ones that foul it up; then we moan about pollution. When we consider just how hot and bothered people get about a little dirt in their houses, then take a good look at the way they treat their own outdoors — it's hard to understand.

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One of the best spinning monofilaments on the market for the last few years, has been the Stren line. I understand it is now going to be taken off the market under this name; who takes it over, I don't know, but will try and find out in a hurry. This is a queer situation really, good products appear on the market, stay for a couple of years, then are removed. This also applies to certain spinning lures.

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All you campers know of the Primus stoves, and how good these things are. They have put out a few new things that may be of interest to campers. New stoves, new lights, all operated on different principles, of course. I haven't tried them at all, but coming from this same brand, they should be good. I don't think I have ever seen one of this type on the fritz.

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Just as a after-thought, a couple of years ago a new detergent was put on the American market; this one did what all the others don't do — disintegrated after being dumped into water after use. I know at the time great things were held out for this; and it would be taken up all over the world in a short order. I haven't heard of it for some time. Could it be that the Soap Business has got its soapy grub-hooks into this, and is withholding it. It costs a little more to make, I know; but we lose out. With the mutifarious "new" products in circulation — the Red, Green, Blue, Yellow, Dirty bleaches, etc. — it makes you wonder. We certainly do get brain-washed by these companies, don't we? How it will even leave a little of the cloth to the collar after use, etc. Yet most of these companies are controlled by just one outfit. I'd sure like to be writing ads for some of them!

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This may interest you trout men: The State of New York planted 1,274,000 lake trout, weighing 74,000 pounds, this past year in the Great Lakes. All these fish were fin-clipped for study of them in later years. When Ontario's total is added to this, it makes a very healthy picture for these bodies of water. Now for a little action like this in our province.

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All the early summer birds are coming in now, and do they make the countryside look happy! Crows, starlings, grackles, a few red-wings I have heard of, and goodness knows what else. It won't be too long now, until they burst into song — then we'll start beefing about the noise! Crows will be getting shot at, along with the starlings; and you know this latter bird has opened my eyes a lot this winter. They will feed with all the other birds and never bother them; yet you get a couple of jays in, and they take over — they chase everything else away, then sit down, cram their mouths full of food, fly off and drop it somewhere. Boy, are they greedy, but I still love them, the hogs.

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With only about three weeks of skiing left at the Ski Center, I thought I would devote my last articles to the care and maintenance of your ski equipment for the summer holidays. Too many people take their skis and boots off at the end of the season and throw them into the basement and forget them, then wonder why their equipment does not stand up from year to year. The old saying, "an ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure" is so true in the case of ski equipment.

Skis should be stored in a dry, cool location if at all possible; this type of condition can usually be found on the main floor of your house in an inside closet, this of course is the ideal location but not always feasible. The second best choice would be in a cool basement, suspended from the ceiling off the floor.

The common practice of blocking skis is only necessary on the more inexpensive type, they are usually only painted and dampness can penetrate into the wood core and do its damage. These skis should be held firmly together at the tip and tail of the skis and blocked at the centre, preferably with a block of rubber or tennis ball to allow the skis freedom of movement in changing humidity.

Metal, fibreglass, and plastic-enclosed wood skis **do not** require blocking of any kind, they should be stored in the same location as mentioned above, on their tips if left standing, or upside down if suspended from the cellar rafters. This would be a good time to look over your **metal skis** and see if the refinishing service on these types of skis might be in order. If refinishing is required, this is the time to have it done. The skis are sent back to the factory and it takes from four to six weeks, so take them into your favorite ski shop this spring and **don't** put it off until next fall when it will be too late, to have them for the first snow fall.

This would be an excellent time to check the base of your skis, all old wax should be removed and the base cleaned down with solvent. Those skis with a lacquered base should be checked for scratches or signs of wear and refinished if necessary. All deep gouges should be filled in with plastic wood and lacquered to seal in the wood for the summer. The edges should be checked for missing pieces and all screws tightened. A light coat of vaseline on the edges will prevent rusting.

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The Carnival Day of the Ram Ski Club will be held on Saturday, April 2. Costumes will be the order of the day for children, with the adults once again showing off their easter bonnets. So keep this date in mind and start planning your Dior Originals now, for this last big ski event of the season.

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CURLING CLUB

Members, come and support the Lachute Spring Bonspiel. The ladies will be only too pleased to serve you and your guests with a delicious dinner. Each evening there is a different menu, and each evening different ladies to wait on you; where alse can you get such royal treatment? Behind the glass you can skip the games; test your skill and strategy against the players on the ice; lose 25 cents on a bet as to which stone is the shot rock; start an argument with your pal in the next chair. . . You can have lots of fun, so come and support your club.

There are 32 rinks playing in the knock-out division of the bonspiel with, it is hoped, about 150 participating in the high-plus division. The rinks are entered from clubs within a radius of about 100 miles, and there are about 45 clubs represented.

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The Alexandria Curling Club held their annual Moose Bonspiel and dinner on Saturday, March 19. The Lachute rink of Dick MacLean (skip), Jack MacKimmie, Gilles Boucher and Plumber Cruise carried off first-place honors, and enjoyed the main attraction, the moose dinner. Congratulations to this team, from all members.

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There is a club within the Club. This unique clique of members do things in reverse. Any member may compete but to win the crown and the kitty you have to be the biggest loser, even if you are the worst of players. This club, the Lachute Euchre Skunk Club, has at this date a total of 62 contenders for the crown; score-wise, they range from one skunk to ten. King of the Heap at present is Bill Deacon (skunks, ten), Bill Tierney and John Hadley, (a couple of princes, each with nine skunks). There are a group of six, each with seven skunks, following close behind, Dave Campbell, Jim MacKimmie, Ross MacAdam, Bing Dion, Lionel Rendell and the rotund Plumber Cruise. The blackboard is hardly large enough, and there are 179 quarters in the kitty, a princely sum. In 1964, Gavin Walker was the Barnsmell of Skunk Hollow; 1965 saw Dave Campbell wearing the crown, with John Hadley sporting the coronet. In 1966 can Bill Tierney or Prince John catch the Deacon — or maybe by chance we will have a long shot as a dark horse.

Molson's fishing contest from Apl. 1

All 1966 members of the Argenteuil Fishing and Hunting Association will be receiving from Montreal a Molson's Fishing Club booklet listing the prize winners in the Molson Fishing Contest for 1965, and also a fishing calendar for the 1966 season.

The contest for this year opens on April 1, and the local Association has arranged for convenient spots throughout the county where catches may be registered. Donald Lemay will be in charge of registrations, and further information on the subject is available from him (tel. 562-5356 or 562-6222).

Those who have kindly agreed to accept registrations are as follows:

Fernand Ouellette, La Baie, St. Andrews.

Léon Lavoie, Grace Street, Lachute.

Spur Service Station, Brownsburg Road, Lachute.

Fernand Gibeault, Bellingham Street, Lachute.

Lascelles Sport Shop, Ayersville.

Claude Clément, Brownsburg.

Agapit Roy, Dalesville.

J. Provost, Huberdeau.

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Lachute Motor Sport Club

News — Views
Activities



By Jim Bullock

Good news for club members this week: At a meeting of the executive of the CASC last Wednesday night, the Lachute Motor Sport Club was admitted as member club. The CASC is the governing body of Canadian motor sport. As a member club we can now take part in organizing Regional competition. Also, club members can now collect points from these competitions, for awards.

Speaking of organizing — Dave Heggie is busy with the Shell 4000 check point which the club will staff in early May. He announced the exact location of this check point at the last meeting, and pointed out that we will require some volunteers for the various duties. This check point, considering it is part of an international rally, is a big responsibility. The check point is only 300 miles from the end of the 4 000 miles of the route. It will be an excellent opportunity for us to see what the cars look like after their ordeal. I expect that about half of the cars will already have dropped out.

Rodger McAdam, the Competition chairman, is working on our Spring Rally. The only details announced so far are that there will be some sections to test the drivers, there will be a dinner at the end of the rally, and he has arranged a sponsor to donate organization funds and prizes. The proposed date for this event is April 17. The roads will be in rough shape by then, making the navigators' job even rougher.

As a member of CASC we will be obliged to follow their rules for sanctioned competitions. For example, in the hill climb they would stipulate that all competitors wear helmets and that convertibles have roll bars. In light of the car that flipped onto its roof, these regulations seem well founded. I expect that these regulations will be a help to the organizer of an event that is new to the club — such as an ice race, autocross, or slalom.

Lachute Ladies' Curling Activities

Having finally been released from St. Jerome, your correspondent finds quite a backlog of winners in the various bonspiels to report. First, however, the social as well as the active members are reminded that Closing Day takes place on April 6. This, of course, includes the presentation of prizes, and supper, which starts at 6 o'clock. As the supper is being catered for, you are reminded to sign up or report as soon as possible if you are able to attend.

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In February the Senior and Junior Bonspiels were played, and the winners of the Skips and Thirds were — Jean Stein (skip), Hazel Cottingham, Eileen Rutherford and Queenie Davidson. The Seconds and Leads — Elsie Hay (skip), Bunny Bradley, Myrtle Kettyle and Enid Bradley. Also played in February was the Match Committee Bonspiel; winners were Flo Barbour (skip), Jean McOuat, Pearl Comba and Doris Pring.

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This month the curling came to an end with Gala Day on March 15. The costume winners will be reported in our next column. The curling winners on that date were Eileen Rutherford (skip), Hazel Ogilvie, Flo Underhill and Elaine Wilson. The Wilson spoons, another March bonspiel and annual event that was keenly contested, was won by Pearl Cairns (skip), Gladys Vessie, Isabel Duncan (Mrs. Jim), and Jan Giles. As March 14 was available, a one-day game was played and the winners were — Leona MacKimmie (skip), Julie Heggie, Pat MacLean and Isabel Duncan (Mrs. Jim).

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During the curling season the continuous bonspiels and challenge games were played off this month, and the winners of the Ladder games were Florence Pollock (skip), Freida Armstrong, Celia Graves and Elsie Hay. Broomstick Challenge — Louise Cruise (skip), Helen McOuat, Flo Underhill and Dorothy Joyce. Wilson Challenge — Jean Stein (skip), Pearl Cairns, Eileen Rutherford and Nedia MacTavish. Congratulations to all.

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Last but not least, we are all very proud of our gals who have won some very fine trophies — the latest of these was the Stronach Trophy played for in Pointe Claire. There were 36 entries in this bonspiel and we are happy to congratulate Jean Stein (skip), Doris Drew, Bunny Bradley and Enid Bradley for winning this very hard-fought-for trophy . . . Our Business Girls certainly made a very fine showing in Quebec, coming home with the Dolly Burns trophy; how about that? The winning rink was skipped by Kay Sanford; third, Jane Rice, second, Carol Lovet; and lead Phyllis Angus.

Pets need shots to protect humans

Atlanta, Ga. (WMNS) — A pet may be a child's best friend — but only if it is healthy. This warning comes from the U.S. Public Health Service Communicable Disease Center in Atlanta.

Cats and dogs, and kittens and puppies, too, should be taken to a veterinarian for a check-up before they join the family. The cuddliest ball of fur may conceal ringworm, a highly communicable infection that causes a skin disease in human beings.

Even purebred cats and dogs may carry the disease, which can be picked up in pet shops or breeding establishments. Strays, of course, are often carriers.

If a beloved pet does develop ringworm, it can be cured of the disease if taken to a vet for proper treatment. Since hairs that are shed can cause trouble, thorough vacuuming of floors, rugs and upholstered furniture is recommended.

Note: If a family member develops ring-shaped, scaly pigmented patches on the skin, a visit to the doctor is in order. Ringworm is curable, if treated properly.

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Activities in Brownsburg

Gala Day was a great success. The social members worked in the kitchen and set out a delicious dinner. The theme was "song titles", and the costumes were original and imaginative. Too bad so many of the members were sick with 'flu, but many comments were heard that this was the best party yet! Thanks are extended to Leonard Lupien, who kept things really moving with his fine piano playing. And in the thanks department we must not forget Russell Warwick. Gala Day would not be the same without him!

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The last games of the Laurentian Trophy were held on Wednesday, March 16, and Brownsburg came out the winner. The team of Hazel Keatley (skip), Violet Hazel, Myrtle Vary and Rosalie Graham proudly carried the trophy back to Brownsburg. Congratulations!

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We had four "friendlies" this week. On March 15 the team skipped by Mrs. R. Keatley with Mrs. S. Hall, Mrs. R. Lafleur and Mrs. L. Denis were at Alpine. . . On March 17 the team skipped by Mrs. Wm. Dimock, Mrs. Wm. Richardson, Mrs. D. Golpnin and Mrs. W. Hazel were at Seigniory Club. Mrs. Hazel filled in at the last moment for Mrs. J. Murdoch, who unfortunately came down with the 'flu. . . On March 21, the team skipped by Mrs. A. Hardie with Mrs. J. Finlayson, Mrs. E. Laurin and Mrs. G. Picard were entertained by Hawkesbury, on Vankleek Hill ice. A second team also played, with Mrs. A. Alarie (skip), Mrs. K. Ball, Mrs. G. Palmer and Mrs. R. Ogle. . . All teams reported having good games and a wonderful time.

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The final of the double knock-out competition was held on Tuesday, March 15, and the winners were Helen Martin (skip), with Violet Hazel, Peggy Sugden and Lillian Phillips. Runners-up were Eunice Low (skip), Yvonne Alarie, Joyce Atkins and Susan Tomalty.

St. Simeon's Angl. Bowling League

LEAGUE STANDING

Team and Skip	P.	W.	L.	D.	F.	A.	Pts.
Flyers (Joe Sewell)	26	16	7	3	288	175	35
Sparks (Rev. W. LeCras)	26	15	10	1	227	210	31
Beavers (Mrs. M. Sewell)	26	13	12	1	199	245	27
Comets (Mrs. C. R. Lang)	26	11	12	3	243	218	25
Stars (Gordon Silverson)	26	10	14	2	213	235	22
Robins (Dave Brown)	26	8	18	-	176	263	16

HOCKEY PAST HOPING

The decision . . . of the National Hockey League to expand to a number of centres in the U.S., while ignoring requests from Canadian cities, is but another indication that the game, like so many others, is dominated (by) dollar-minded businessmen to whom the spirit of hockey is for the fans, while they sit back and reap in the benefits. Hockey, in this country, will soon degenerate into subsidiaries, much as our auto and other industries.

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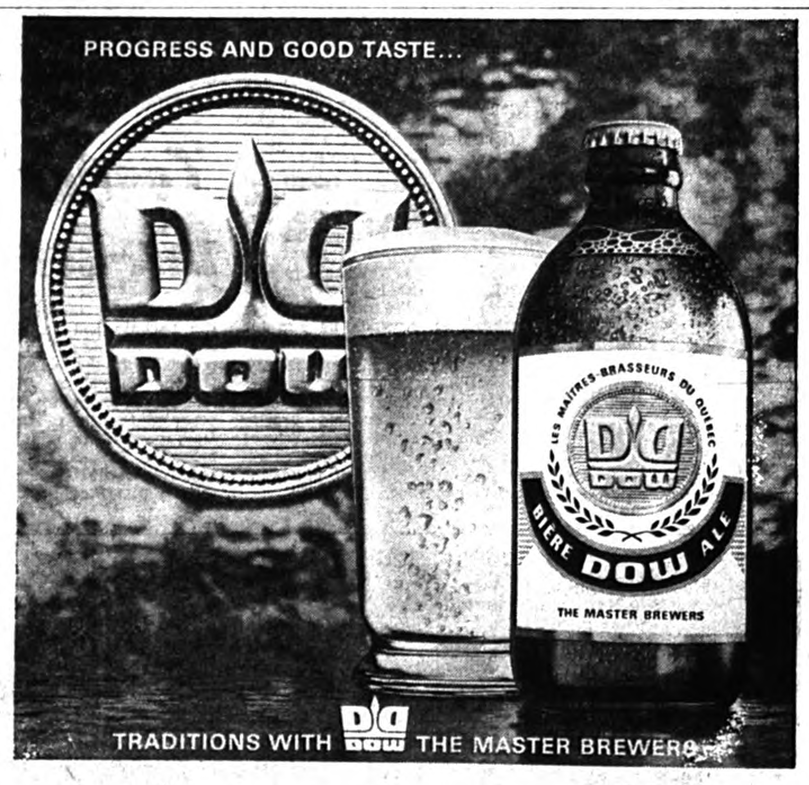

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District NEWS

FROM OUR COUNTY CORRESPONDENTS

Ogdensburg

Mr. and Mrs. George Witham attended the "Royal" at Kemptville Agricultural College on Wednesday last.

Mr. Conrad Rock, of Ottawa, spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. L. Plummer.

Mrs. Shirley Williams is a patient in the Smith Clinic at Hawkesbury.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Witham — with several other members of the Barbershop group from Lachute — were in St. Hubert last Saturday evening at a contest and entertainment put on by various groups from surrounding areas.

Calumet

Miss Margaret Bowls, of Montreal, spent the week-end visiting Mr. and Mrs. Edmond Nixon, also Mrs. Leonard Reeves and friends in Points au Chene.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Thompson spent a Sunday recently with Mrs. Sarah Mountain in Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Thompson spent last week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Bruno Tétrault and family, in Ville d'Anjou.

Mr. and Mrs. Doug Trineer and Lance, of Montreal, called on Mr. and Mrs. Ed Trineer on Monday.

Mrs. Edmond Nixon, Mr. Ernest MacLeod and Neil, visited Mrs. MacLeod in hospital last Sunday.

Winter Sports Event

A ski-doo and snow-cruiser party was held at Calumet House last Saturday, arranged by Mr. Guy Jolnette and Mr. Gerald Reeves. Meeting at the hotel at 7 p.m., the party set out for their last excursion in the mountains this season, and returned to their starting place at 10.30. A bean supper was served and dancing concluded this pleasant event. There were about 20 couples, from Hawkesbury, Marelan, Harrington and Calumet.

Many contributed with trophies, prizes, and assisted in other ways for the success of this event.

Bell Falls

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Cochrane, of Calumet, visited with Mrs. Adam Page and Garry last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Page are spending a few days in Montreal to be near Mrs. Mary Betts, who suffered a heart attack and is now a patient in the Montreal General Hospital. Friends here wish her a speedy recovery.

Visitors at Mr. and Mrs. Wyman MacLean's over the week-end were Miss Dianne MacLean and Mr. Don Gill, of Ottawa, and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Brierton, of Montreal.

Mrs. Don MacRae and Mrs. Bob Eastwood motored to Montreal on Saturday, to visit Mrs. Mary Betts in hospital.

Mr. Jack MacRae has returned home after spending the winter months with Mr. and Mrs. Merwin Young in Grenville.

Mr. and Mrs. Jaunty Bates and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Bigelow, visited Mr. and Mrs. George Page over the week-end.

Friends will be sorry to hear that Mr. and Mrs. W. Provencal are both patients in the Civic Hospital at North Bay, Ont; we wish them a very speedy recovery.

Miss Audrey Page, Mr. Reg Page and a friend, from Ottawa, called on Mr. Robert Page last Sunday.

Harrington

Mrs. Ann Bates, Kim and Michael, spent a few days last week with her mother, Mrs. Rita Perigo, in Montreal.

Miss Pat Bates, Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Angus and Donald, from Ottawa, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. John Bates.

Mrs. Lloyd MacRae spent a few days with her daughters, June and Judy, in Montreal.

Many attended and enjoyed the St. Patrick's supper held at the Harrington Intermediate School last Thursday evening.

Mrs. Emmett Campbell, of Montreal, spent the week-end with her son, Mr. Winston Campbell and Mrs. Campbell.

Northern Grenville

Mrs. Rose Vielfoure, of Somerset, Man., is spending some time with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Borris.

Mrs. G. Hoare and Miss Eileen Hoare visited Mr. and Mrs. Don Jackson in Brownsburg last Saturday.

40th Anniversary

Friends offer congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Hoare, who received a pleasant surprise on Sunday evening when their family gave a dinner in honor of their 40th wedding anniversary, and presented them with a very useful gift.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Clarke and children, Dianne and David, of Lachute, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Hoare on Saturday. Visitors on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. John Cobey, of Ottawa.

Mr. and Mrs. Wyman Young, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. John Arthurs, spent Saturday in Ottawa and also visited with Mr. Willis Young, of Aylmer.

The U.C.W. of Grenville would like all friends to keep the date April 30 in mind, for their tea and sale.

Arundel

Mrs. Edward Graham, of Innisfail, Alta., is visiting friends in Arundel, and is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Scott.

We are glad to report that Mrs. May is home from hospital and is recuperating satisfactorily.

Mrs. Earle and family are spending a week in Montreal visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Sykes.

Sorrow entered the home of Mrs. Keith Rathwell with the sudden death of her father, which occurred last Friday. Sympathy of the community extended to the family.

Friends are sorry to hear that Mrs. Hugh Cooke is confined to hospital; wishes are extended for her speedy recovery.

Legion Auxiliary Installation

The officers of the newly formed Ladies' Auxiliary of the Rouge River Legion Branch, will be installed on Sunday afternoon, April 3, in the Legion Hall. Installing officer will be Cde. C. T. Craig, District Commander, and the presenting officer, Cde. Andrea Jensen, Branch president.



PROBES SCANDAL. Mr. Justice Wisharrt Flett Spence, above, of the Supreme Court of Canada is conducting the inquiry dealing with allegations by Justice Minister Lucien Cardin that more than one former Conservative Cabinet minister was involved in an alleged affair with Mrs. Gerda Munsinger, found living in Munich. Mr. Cardin also questioned John Diefenbaker's handling of the case when Diefenbaker was Prime Minister.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Breckenridge returned home last week after spending the past couple of months in Florida.

85th Birthday

Congratulations and best wishes to Mrs. A. Larose, who will be 85 years old on Thursday. Her friends wish her many more years of health and happiness.

Mrs. Sherman Beaven, of Lachute, is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Wm. Owen and Mr. Owen.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Bowie, of St. Laurent, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Craig on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Loudin, of Oswego, N.Y., spent the week-end here as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Loudin and Mrs. E. Tremblay.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Thompson, of Calumet, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Loudin on Wednesday.

The sympathy of this community is extended to the bereaved family of the late Mr. Wm. Bell, who passed away suddenly in Montreal, on Tuesday of last week.

Committal at Arundel Cemetery

Mr. William T. Bell, the beloved husband of Elizabeth Morgan, of Weir, passed away suddenly in Montreal on Tuesday, March 15.

Funeral rites were held in Montreal on Friday, and burial took place in the Arundel Cemetery that afternoon, with the Rev. Horace Baugh, of Morin Heights, officiating. The pallbearers were Messrs. Harold, Carl and Erwin Craig, Wm. Shaw, Gilbert and Wm. Boyd.

Those attending from a distance were — Mr. William Shaw, a nephew, from Ottawa; Mr. and Mrs. Bert Shaw, and Mr. Victor Bell, of Montreal; Mrs. John Kanters, of Kitchener; Mr. Erwin Craig, of Toronto; Mrs. Spence, of St. Catharines; and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bell, of St. Eustache.

Guides Pass Tests for Proficiency Badges

Mr. and Mrs. David Harvey (Captain), Mr. and Mrs. Jack Codas (Lieutenant), with the First Lorraine Guide Company, spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Owen. Laurie Harvey was the "patient" for home-nursing tests, and Mrs. Ruth Williams was examiner for the following Guides — Wendy Harvey, Margaret Long, Heather Patterson, Cricki Dufresne, Patty Talbot, Anne-Marie Shultz, Debbie Boyko, Linda Overing, Kerry Cochran, Gay Malcharek, Diane Curran, Joanne Cox. The following proficiency badges were attained — six Emergency Helpers; two Homemakers; three Cooks; five Hostesses (completed), and also the following tests — six 1st Class Home Nursing; five 1st Class First Aid; six 2nd Class Cook-outs; seven 2nd Class Tracking and Stalking.

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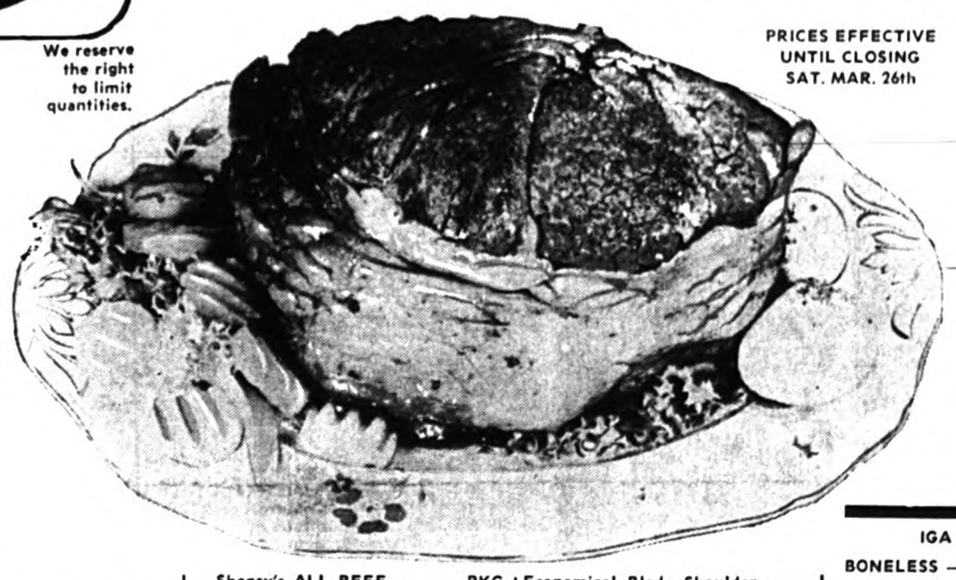

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BIRTHS

GORDON — To Stuart and Florrie, a daughter (Nancy Ann) at the Toronto General Hospital, March 7, 1966. Sister for Mary Lynn and Bruce. Both well.

OUIMET — To Jacques and Gisèle (née Labelle) at the Argenteuil Hospital, on March 7, 1966, a son, Martin. Both well.

DEATHS

HOPKINS (Edith Pearl) — Suddenly in the Argenteuil Hospital, March 21, 1966; wife of the late Arthur B. Hopkins and mother of Lowell. Funeral service from Lachute United Church on Thursday, March 24.

KELLY (Rev. Arthur E.) — At Seattle, Wash., March 4, 1966, in his 81st year; husband of Alice H. McLaurin (niece of the late Sarah and Elizabeth McGibbon). Survived by his wife and four daughters, Doris, Norma, Elaine and Alice. Interment, Seattle.

MIDDLETON (Elsa) — At her late residence, Lachute, on March 22, 1966, Elsa Fusi, in her 56th year, beloved wife of Dr. Lyall A. Middleton, and dear mother of Lyall, Jr., and Elsa C. Middleton, both of Lachute. Resting at the J. P. MacKimmie Reg'd. Funeral Home, Lachute. Funeral Saturday, March 26, at 2 p.m., from the Margaret Rodger Memorial Presbyterian Church. Thence to Mount Royal Crematorium. (In lieu of flowers, donations may be sent to the Canadian Cancer Society.)

IN MEMORIAM

BRYSON (Daniel) — In loving memory of a beloved husband and dad, who passed away on March 26, 1961. — Forever in our thoughts, Rose, Eileen, Susan and David.

LOGAN — In fond and loving memory of our parents, Mr. and Mrs. James A. Logan, who passed away on March 26, 1958, and March 18, 1953, respectively. — Stephanie and James.

MOONEY (Helen) — In loving memory of a dear mother and grandmother, who passed away March 17, 1956. — Always remembered by Eileen, Jim and family.

"Gone and forgotten by some, you may be,
But dear to our memory you always
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MORRISON — In fondest memory of a dear wife and mother, Olive, who passed away March 31, 1965. — Always remembered by her husband, George, and son, Howard.

"Gone but not forgotten."

MORRISON — In loving memory of a dear mother, mother-in-law, grandmother and great - grandmother, Olive, who passed away March 31, 1965. — Ever remembered by her daughter, Helen, son-in-law, Keith, and grandchildren.

"Many a lonesome heartache,
Many a silent tear,
But always a beautiful memory
Of one we loved so dear."

MORRISON (Olive) — In loving memory of a dear sister, who died March 31, 1965. — Inserted by her sister, May.

"A page in the book of memory
Is gently turned today."

MORRISON — In loving memory of a dear sister-in-law, Olive, who passed away March 31, 1965. — Always remembered by Mima.

"In memory a daily thought,
In heart a silent sorrow."

STONARD — In cherished memory of my beloved husband, William Charles, who passed away March 28, 1962.

"This day is sad with deep regret,
It brings back a day I will never forget,
My darling fell asleep without a good-bye,
But the memory I have of him
will never die."

TODD — In loving memory of Mrs. Allan Todd, who passed away March 24, 1964. — Always remembered by her husband, W. A. Allan Todd and family.

TOMALTY (Lilly) — In loving memory of a dear mother and grandmother, who passed away March 27, 1965. — Always remembered by Charlie, Betty and family.

"Deep in our hearts is a picture
Of a dear one, laid to rest;
In memory's frame we will keep it,
For she was one of the best."



The production line — a battery of sewing machines and operators, working under efficient fluorescent lighting at different phases in the manufacture of outdoor apparel.

— Photo, Syd Drew

New industry in old site making outdoor wearables

— By Ann FitzGerald —

One of Lachute's older landmarks is now the site for one of this town's newer industries.

This is Altan Industries Ltd., located in the old McOuat building at the corner of Fish's Bridge and Princess Street, and specializing in garment manufacture.

Here pre-cut pieces of material, all shapes, sizes and colors, are transformed into various articles of clothing, according to specifications.

The enterprise was started on the initiative of Albert Stefancsisc and Gaetan Leclair, who obtained the charter and contracts for the growing business. Mr. Stefancsisc looks after the operations of manufacture and heads the production aspect.

Last September, business got underway with a seamstress training program, and the first of the finished products were shipped off in October. The garments are transported by the Altan van to dealers in Montreal, who are responsible for distribution.

The new industry now employs 14 persons in various capacities. The 12 women operating high-speed industrial sewing machines function as a production line.

According to Mr. Stefancsisc, there is ample room for expansion. Another long table awaits the installation of 12 more sewing machines when the time comes, and the floor above the present space can also be utilized.

Although busy enough with this new venture, Mr. Stefancsisc, a qualified tailor, still maintains his previous business, Albert's Tailor Shop.

Austrian born, Mr. Stefancsisc, now a Canadian citizen, learned his trade by a three-year apprenticeship in Germany. He came to Canada 13 years ago and has been tailoring in Lachute since 1955.

It can be safely said that Mr. Stefancsisc knows the business, and the future for Lachute's new industry appears optimistic.

Active in the promotion was Mr. Gaetan Leclair, a townsman long experienced in the clothing business. It was this original partnership of Albert Stefancsisc and Gaetan Leclair which gave the firm its name, "Altan Industries Ltd"... Mr. Leclair still maintains his interests in the business.



Albert Stefancsisc examining a finished garment, with bundles tied ready for shipment in the background.

— Photo, Syd Drew

Native son of Morin Heights dies at age 85

The late Edward Watchorn

(By Our District Correspondent)

Morin Heights — Funeral service was held on Wednesday last at Trinity Anglican Church for Mr. Edward Watchorn. The service was conducted by the Rev. Horace Baugh. The organ music was provided by Mrs. George Watchorn. Pall - bearers were Messrs. Albert Basler, Owen Legallee, W. Kneeland, F. Matheson, Geo. Watchorn and Ross Gillingham. Interment was in Morin Heights Cemetery.

Mr. Watchorn had reached his 85th year. Shortly prior to his death he was undergoing medical treatment in the St. Jerome Hospital.

The late Mr. Watchorn was born in Morin Heights, a son of the late William (Barnes) Watchorn, who occupied the "Alpino" Farm. The deceased was one of eight brothers, of whom Fred and Tom are well remembered as residents of this community. Apart from some 18 years spent in Manitoba, returning to Morin Heights in 1936, he was engaged in auctioneering and dealing in horses.

Left to mourn are his wife, Mrs. Lida Watchorn, a daughter Mrs. C. Wood (Cleo), both of California, and grandchildren, Richard and Gladys, of California, and John and Judy, of Montreal. One son, Edward John (Jack), predeceased him by several years.

Highway Safety postage stamp

Support for a campaign to reduce traffic accidents will come from the Canada Post Office on May 2, 1966, with issuance of the country's first Highway Safety stamp.

Postmaster General J.-P. Côté revealed that on the same day he will participate in sessions of the Canadian Highway Safety Council at Calgary, Alta., in the group's 12th Conference.

Toronto artist Helen Fitzgerald executed the design for the new issue, which portrays traffic signs and symbols in tones of blue and yellow on a black background. Of a five cent denomination, it will be one of a few Highway Safety stamps issued in the world.

In producing twenty-six million Highway Safety stamps for use on Canada's mail, the Post Office Department cooperates with the C.H.S.C. to impress upon users and recipients the need for an equal awareness of dangers to drivers, passengers, and pedestrians. Statistics compiled by the Safety Council show that three out of four traffic deaths occur on roads within 25 miles of the victim's home, and half of the injury or death-dealing accidents happen at speeds of 40 miles per hour or less.

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In war-torn Viet Nam, Christians have joyfully received their first New Testaments in the Rade language.

Rehabilition is stressed at conf'ce on aid to blind

Belonging to an organization which is national in scope constitutes a definite advantage, said a worker for the CNIB, national organization for the blind of Canada.

Mrs. Jean Crombie, a trained Home Teacher for Canadian National Institute for the Blind in Montreal, was appraising the four-day national conference of home teachers and supervisors of welfare (Children's and Eye Services) which she attended in Toronto. "The delegates come from all over Canada. They bring such different points of view. This is very precious when you work with human beings."

At the conference, professional experts spoke on subjects which ranged from services to blind university students, to cases of hysterical blindness. In her own particular field, Mrs. Crombie attended study sessions on scheduling of services. "We offer our cases all available services, such as Braille writing and reading, typing, handicrafts, cooking, sewing, keeping house and such, but leave it up to them to set the pace at which they wish to call on the services. This way, the person does not feel pressed. You can always prompt a little should there be evidence of too much modesty."

Rehabilitation of the blind is a matter of team work, and she also stressed professionalism: "You can't cut corners," said the Home Teacher, who looks after the English-speaking blind of Montreal. "Only professional services will help. It's not just a matter of talking a blind person into accepting his plight. You have to show him how he can live with his handicap." Living in society is the final aim of rehabilitation. "We are long past the days when the blind were automatically tucked away in Homes. They need the contact of the sighted." This philosophy of reintegration of the blind into society was underlined at the conference. The CNIB will only offer residence care if the blind case is aged, homeless or definitely unable to cope alone.

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Annual meetings in month of March reported by Women's Inst. branches

Arundel W.I. branch meeting was in charge of the president, Mrs. Alvin Graham. The treasurer's and conveners' reports were adopted and the new slate of officers presented and approved.

Brownsburg branch annual meeting took the form of a supper, held in the United Church hall and served by the U.C.W. members. The roll-call was answered by payment of fees. Guests for the evening were Mrs. Geo. McGibbon and the County president, Mrs. C. Hall. As entertainment, slides were shown of the recent exhibition of "Bridal Gowns" held by this branch. Reports were read and approved, and the nominating committee presented the slate of new officers.

Dalesville-Louisa members answered their roll-call by the payment of fees. New officers were presented and discussion was held on a fund-raising project.

Frontier branch installed new officers for the year, and a committee was formed to make plans for a Centennial project. The members are working on a spring play. The roll-call was answered by payment of fees.

Jerusalem - Bethany branch members heard reports from the secretary-treasurer and conveners. It was planned to make a quilt. Two books were purchased for the kindergarten.

Lakefield welcomed two new members, and officers for 1966 were installed. Fees were paid and a program for the year's activities presented and approved.

Morin Heights branch held a pot-luck supper at their meeting, and officers were nominated for the year.

Pioneer members had their annual meeting and fees were paid. Correspondence was read, including a letter from Mrs. Geo. McGibbon, a brief on agriculture and marketing; and from Mrs. H. E. Palmer, provincial Publicity convener, with suggestions for Centennial projects. Easter cards are to be sent to shut-ins. A one-act play is being prepared for the competition in April. The slate of officers was approved and also a program of activities drawn up by the committee.

Upper Lachute - East End heard the secretary's and conveners' reports, showing an active year. A successful whist party was held in February. Mrs. W. Hume was presented with a Life Membership pin. Mrs. Hume also brought in a quilt she had made for the Red Cross.

Preacher for anniversary

The Very Rev. and Mrs. C. Ritchie Bell were guests at the 87th anniversary of MacVicar Memorial Presbyterian Church, Montreal, on Sunday morning last. Dr. Bell had been minister of this church from 1936 to 1950, when he was called to his present post as Lord Strathcona professor of Pastoral Theology at the Presbyterian College. During that time the church burned, and Dr. Bell led the congregation through a rebuilding program. On Sunday the mortgage of $300,000 was burned; at this service Dr. Bell preached the anniversary sermon and gave the prayer of thanksgiving. Following the service, a coffee hour was held to enable former members of the congregation to meet Dr. and Mrs. Bell.

In the afternoon Dr. and Mrs. Bell motored to St. Johnsbury Vt., where Dr. Bell preached at a city-wide Lenten service in Grace Methodist Church.

District assembly of 'Witnesses'

A delegation of about 20 Jehovah's Witnesses from Lachute plan to attend a three-day assembly, March 25-27, at Rosemount High School.

Mr. Hoffmann, presiding minister of the group, urged all who could do so to attend sessions of this assembly and benefit from the advanced ministerial training to be presented in the form of talks, demonstrations and experiences in field ministry.

Said Mr. Hoffmann, "It was Christ Jesus who ordered 'Make disciples of people of all the nations' (Matt. 28:19,20) and in choosing this theme for our assembly, we are reminded of the international scope of our preaching fellowship." Jehovah's Witnesses are now carrying on their activities in 197 different lands under the direction of 92 branches of the Watch Tower Society. The Society provides for the training of missionaries. Each congregation, of which there are 24,158 throughout the world, has its own ministry school or public speaking class weekly, and the Bible School of Gilead in New York City graduates 200 students a year for the foreign missionary field.

One of the highlights of the March assembly will be the public talk, "Does God have influence in this Twentieth Century?" by Mr. F. P. Zamko, on Sunday, March 27, at 3 p.m. in the auditorium of the Rosemount High School.

Notes from the Barbershoppers

The Barbershop group received a pleasant surprise at their meeting last week when the district vice-president made a visit, accompanied by a quartet, the "Harmony Guards", from the Montreal Chorus, who gave a fine demonstration of barbershop singing. The quartet accepted an invitation to sing in the "Parade" entertainment, planned by the Lachute group for May 14.

Last Saturday the local chorus went to Beloeil to take part in a district contest. The group now numbers 34 members, needing only one more to complete their quota for a charter. A spokesman for the group reports they are "starting to sound like real music" in the repertoire for their coming concert. More advertisers would be appreciated for their printed program on this occasion.

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March 21 — At the Area competition held Saturday in Beloeil, there were six choruses taking part. This was the first contest for the Lachute group and they were able to put only 18 members on stage. Under direction of Syd Drew, the delegation did quite well — all things considered.

An effort is being made to have the contest in Lachute next spring.

Following the event, an "afterglow" was held in the RCAF recreation hall at St. Hubert, where there was more singing, a most enjoyable supper, and a pleasant social time.

Social and Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Russ Garraway, and their daughters, Susan, Carol and Heather, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Garraway.

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Mrs. Donald G. MacRae, of Bedard Blvd., returned home after spending a week in Don Mills, Ont., visiting Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Gordon.

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Among Trade Group on Visit to Jamaica

Close to 500 grocers and their wives from Ottawa and area, Sudbury district, southwestern Ontario, Amos and Sherbrooke are visiting Montego Bay, Jamaica, aboard Pan American jet clippers during March for a week's tour of the Caribbean island. Among those who enjoyed this trip, departing on the second flight from Ottawa on March 13, was Miss Angele Renaud, secretary at the I.G.A. in Lachute, who returned home this week. Leaving last Sunday on the third flight were the proprietor-manager and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. René Dagenais.

All of these retailers have been awarded the trip to Jamaica through incentive sales programs sponsored by the wholesale houses which supply them.

Dr. and Mrs. E. S. Giles returned recently from their vacation trip to Florida.

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Miss Elizabeth Hay, accompanied by Miss Margaret Davidson, both students at Carleton University, Ottawa, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Donald Hay, Dunany. A guest for a few days last week was Mr. Hay's sister, Mrs. Elsie Prowse, of Montreal.

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Douglas Scott, of Brantford, Ont., spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Scott.

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Bridge Club

At the Argenteuil Duplicate Bridge Club on Monday, March 12, 22 pairs played in the Scramble Mitchell movement, the winners being (1) Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Falkenhausen, 66.1%; (2) Messrs. S. Seary and C. St. Onge, 63.2%.

On Saturday, March 19, the winners were Mrs. M. Scott and Mrs. D. Heggie.

Monday, March 28, will be "free night" at the Duplicate Bridge Club, and all interested in playing this type of bridge, especially members of local clubs, will be cordially welcome.

Friends are pleased to know that Mr. J. R. Fletcher has returned to his home from the Argenteuil Hospital.

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Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Laberge entertained Mr. and Mrs. D. Dolan, and Mrs. L. Plante, all of Montreal, for a brief visit this past week.

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Mrs. R. A. Giles left Tuesday for Springfield, Mass., and will sail on a group cruise from New York for a brief stay in Bermuda.

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M.P. on Busy Schedule

At a Lions Club meeting last week, Roger Regimbal, M.P., was greeted by friends when he arrived on a quick hop between business duties in the Commons. He was accompanied by two parliamentary colleagues and fellow Lions, J. Ellwood Madill, M.P. for Dufferin-Simcoe, Ontario, and William C. Scott, M.P. for Victoria, Ontario. They departed from the Ayers airstrip following the brief stop-over. . . The following evening Mr. Regimbal attended a Regional School Board meeting in St. Jerome; while recently he was a speaker at Conservative Association meetings in British Columbia.

Delegate reports on Red Cross Quebec Division annual meeting

(Continued)

Attending the meeting reported last week, also the following afternoon sessions, were Mrs. Harry Booth, president; Mrs. Leonard Bedard and Dr. Suzanne MacKimmie, 1st and 3rd vice-presidents, respectively; and Mrs. Douglas Randall, secretary, of the Lachute branch. These members had come specially for the day to join the delegate from Lachute, Mrs. Gerald Arundel-Evans, who arrived the previous evening.

The province was very well represented; there were no empty seats.

Below the high table on the platform was a second, for the panel of students who had been present at the morning's meetings. They were asked to stand and were given a rousing ovation to mark the appreciation felt by all senior members for the work they were doing.

The guest speaker was Dr. Gustave Gingras, who had returned from Viet Nam only last fall, and spoke on the problems that will be encountered over rehabilitation after the war is over, and the urgent need for medical help and supplies that exists now. He was a most inspiring speaker.

The Annual Meeting was called for 2.30 p.m. The following items were on the agenda — Minutes of 55th annual meeting; election of members-at-large; President's address; Honorary Treasurer's report; approval of program reports; awards; ratification of actions; report of Nominating Committee; motions of thanks.

Told how province organized for fund campaign

After all reports had been read and approved the president, Mr. Gerald Bronfman, gave his address, in which he described the new headquarters being built in Montreal East to serve the province's 109 branches. The delegates were able to see sketches of this after the address. He then stepped down and his place was taken by M. André Marcil, newly-elected president for 1966.

Blood Transfusion. — There followed an extremely interesting discussion on Blood Transfusion.

Last year the clinics throughout Quebec were 15,000 pints short compared with 1964. It is sincerely hoped this situation will not continue.

Haemophilia was discussed very fully by Dr. Gaidon. Two small boys, the children of M. and Mme Labonté, were asked to stand so that delegates could see for themselves the wonderful work that is being done to help those who suffer from this handicap. But so much blood plasma is needed to enable them to live normal lives; and it takes ten donors a year to sustain one haemophiliac, and in one hospital alone 5,000 bottles of blood are used every year simply for these special cases.

At present there are only two centres at which this life-giving blood plasma can be obtained. One is the Connaught Laboratories of Toronto, and the other the Institute of Microbiology in Montreal. There is clearly only one solution — the urgent need for more donors. The meeting was adjourned at 4.30 p.m.

The Divisional officers held a reception from 5.30 to 7.30 p.m., in the Officers' Mess of the Régiment de Maisonneuve Armoury on Cathcart Street, which was very enjoyable.

All five members from Lachute were present, and it provided an excellent opportunity for informal conversation and exchange of ideas with members and delegates from all parts of the province.

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February 25 — The meetings resumed at 9.30 a.m. at Divisional headquarters, Dorchester Blvd., Montreal.

Publicity and the campaign were discussed first; M. Labelle and M. René Tremblay were the chief speakers.

M. Labelle is a provincial director, and attended the annual meeting here in Lachute on December 1 last. . . He told the meeting that the province is now divided into 21 zones for campaigning, with six field directors. Hitherto there have only been three, and no definite zone planning. During the question and answer time that followed, it was established that each canvasser collecting in the financial campaign should not be given more than 10 to 15 names from which to collect. Miss Margaret Wilson, for Publicity, discussed the pros and cons of advertising in the national newspapers and suggested that branches should consider putting photographs of their campaign chairman and his lieutenants in their local newspapers at the start of each financial campaign.

Women's Work Committee. — These meetings were followed by a session of the Women's Work Committee, which was very well attended.

The chief speaker was Mrs. Eric Smith, who was presented with an award on the previous day at the official luncheon, in acknowledgment of her outstanding service with Working Committees.

Interesting discussions followed, and at 12.30 meetings adjourned and a special luncheon was served to all Work Committee members, who thus had further opportunity for discussing their activities. Some beautiful examples of handicrafts made by war veterans were on show, and could be bought to help Red Cross funds.

During all the afternoon, directors of Red Cross Planning, Publicity, Campaigning and Work Groups were available for consultation with delegates regarding their respective services.

It was a very instructive and well-spent two days.



Activities reviewed at Brownsburg United Church; annual meeting held

The annual congregational meeting of the Brownsburg United Church was held recently in the church hall. The meeting was chaired by the Rev. T. D. Richards, with Mr. Harold Smith recording the proceedings.

The 1965 annual church report was presented, showing a successful record. All organizations in the church reported an active year.

The Church School is held every Sunday at 10 a.m. and there were 70 pupils on the roll-call in 1965.

The Messengers group, for children from 5 to 8 years of age, is held every second Tuesday after school, and the average attendance during the year was 15.

The U.C.W. had a busy year, with a membership of 78 ladies. The general meetings are held on the second Wednesday of each month, at 8 p.m. in the church hall. There are three units, and the meetings are held on the first Tuesday of each month at 2.15 p.m. and 7.30 p.m. and the first Wednesday of each month at 8 p.m. All ladies of the congregation are invited to attend any of these meetings.

It was decided to hold the weekly morning worship services at 10 a.m. instead of the usual 11 a.m., during the summer months.

It was reported that a Good Friday service would be held in the United Church at 10 a.m. Members of all denominations are cordially invited to attend.

The meeting closed with a short devotional conducted by the Rev. T. D. Richards, after which refreshments were served by the ladies.

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Recently the Maple Avenue Baptist Church joined with the United Church for worship while their church was under renovation. The Rev. Gerald Hunt was guest speaker at one of the services, and the choir joined with the United Church choir. It was pleasant having another congregation as guests, and the joint choir was appreciated by all.

Also Mr. George Taylor, of Lachute, was in charge of the Sunday morning service recently, and it was a pleasure having him again as guest speaker.

Mr. John Leggitt was guest speaker on March 6, representing Education Week. Miss Diane Cruise and Miss Susan Leggitt took part in the service, along with the Junior Choir, which was in attendance. The service was very impressive.

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The first general meeting of the year for the U.C.W. was held in February, under the new leadership of Mrs. John Leggitt. A very active year for the organization is planned. The next general meeting will be held on April 13.

Those attending the Montreal annual Presbyterial U.C.W. meeting at the Mount Royal United Church were Mrs. J. Leggitt, Mrs. T. Zimmer, Miss S. McOuat and Mrs. R. Bell.

Several ladies from the United Church took part in the World Day of Prayer, held at the Anglican Church.

Unit "W" are planning a salad tea and home-bake sale on Saturday afternoon, March 26.

Easter cantata

John Stainer's "Crucifixion" is to be presented on Sunday, April 3, at 8.15 p.m. in Ste. Anastasie Church, Bethany Street, by the Argenteuil Choral Society. This contata recalls, simply and reverently, scenes from the crucifixion of our Lord.

Film program at Centre d'Art

Art lovers are invited to another free film showing, this Friday evening at the Centre d'Art, 360 Main Street.

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13-Site of Taj Mahal
14-Great Lake
15-Drink slowly
16-26th President
18-Tremulous
20-Man's name
21-Man's nickname
22-Simian
23-Be defeated
27-Possessed
29-Bitter vetch
30-Parts of stoves
31-Conjunction
32-Stroke
33-Poem
34-Preposition
35-Boundary
37-Mournful
38-Imitate
39-Arrow
40-Deface
41-Man's nickname
42-Sense
44-Measured duration of
47-Leave-taking
51-Be in debt
52-Sacred image
53-Solar disk
54-Unit of Japanese currency
55-Skin of fruit
56-For fear that
57-Attempt

DOWN
1-City in Italy
2-Goddess of discord
3-Hit lightly
4-Farm building
5-The self
6-Bodies of soldiers
7-Speed
8-Turn
9-Native metal
10-Be ill
11-Openwork fabric
17-Latin conjunction
19-Man's nickname
22-Skill
24-Faroe Islands whirlwind
25-Cut
26-Slave
27-Retain
28-Solo
29-Consume
30-Unusual
32-Trap
33-Paddle
36-Title of respect (abbr.),
37-Hail
38-Nearly
40-Substance
41-Three-toed sloth
43-Teutonic deity
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45-Pitcher
46-Negate
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48-Dutch town
49-American essayist
50-Things, in law

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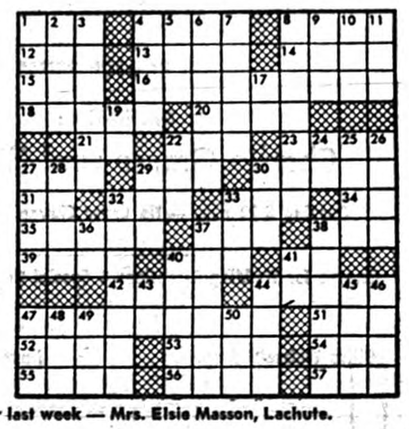

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COMMUNITY BOYS' CLUB
The Boys' Club will present an "Easter Island Illustrated Lecture" by Mr. D. B. MacFarlane, a reporter of the Montreal Star, on Saturday, March 26, at 7.30 p.m. in the church hall. Tickets from members of the Club or at John McFaul & Son, Hardware.

The Montreal Star sent Mr. MacFarlane to Easter Island in the Pacific to take pictures of a recent medical expedition. He has been on TV lately describing his trip and it was through this program that the boys decided to invite him to show his pictures and to help them raise funds for the Older Boys' Parliament. 1x

SALAD TEA AND HOME-BAKE SALE
In the Brownsburg United Church hall on Saturday, March 26, 3-5 p.m., under the auspices of Unit "W". Refreshments 50c. M23-2c

BINGO
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—To be held Thursday, March 24, at 8 p.m. in Lachute Legion Hall. Jackpots and special prizes. Proceeds for Legion community activities. xc

W.I. DRAMA FESTIVAL
— Watch for the Argenteuil County W.I. Drama Festival — May 6 — Brownsb'g High School; May 10 — Lachute High School. 1p

QUEBEC FARMERS' ASSOCN.
The Argenteuil Branch of the Quebec Farmers' Association will meet on April 6 at 8 o'clock in the Presbyterian Church hall. Speakers will be from the Quebec Pension Board. Everyone welcome. (Pot-luck lunch.)

—Gordon Smith, pres.
Stuart Armstrong, sec.
M30-2c

Tenders

TENDERS — The Lachute Protestant Board of School Commissioners is willing to receive, until 5 p.m. on Tuesday, April 12, 1966, at their office at 455 Court Street, Lachute, Que., tenders for replacement of the roof on the 1932 section of Lachute High School. This is a tar and gravel roof, approximate area 70' x 80'. Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Tenders to be sealed and marked as such, and addressed to Mrs. M. H. Prophet, Secretary-treasurer, 455 Court St., Lachute, Que. 1c

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Notice of Sale

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EDITORIAL PAGE

"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

Warning – no idle word

WRITING last week on the springtime hazard of thin ice, the editor thought perhaps to avert tragedy and sorrow in even one small household with cherished children in its midst. A drowning here last Sunday proved these words not idly written. A 10-year-old child lost his life below the West River railway bridge while venturing across the ice, heedless or oblivious to its dangers.

Another warning this week may be in time to save grief in other families of the locality, and we plead with all parents to impress the dangers upon children whose exploring steps may lead them near frozen ponds, rivers or quarries.

Cost of living and small incomes

COST OF LIVING is always a problem for people of small income; and even people of large income have been known to protest over prices — says the Fort Erie Letter-Review. Mostly, these protests revolve around food prices. Protests should go behind the cost of food, the processed food at any rate. In all prices there are taxes; practically everyone's local taxes have doubled in the last 15 years. Local taxes are in the price of beans, or in any other staple commodity. Politicians will say that food is not taxed directly, but politicians cannot deny that food is taxed indirectly, and heavily taxed.

Organizations protesting food prices should look underneath and see how much of the price of every item that the householder has to buy consists of taxes.

One of the elderly women who have joined a Western Canadian organization to protest food prices, reports that taxes are high, but there is no indication that she intends to protest over the high taxes. It is the retailer who is the person unjustly blamed for all that is wrong in food prices.

The burden of local municipal taxes is something to worry about and to complain about. People who reported in Calgary that they were living on approximately $140 per month also reported that their annual taxes were $432. Politicians have been encroaching through taxes on the spendable income of people who haven't much to spend.

Science not supreme

COLLECTING "sacred cows" is fascinating. There are lots of them around, but the one most revered is probably science. Many who now scoff at religion, bow before science in the most touching way. The thoughtful layman may well raise his eyebrows when, particularly, the applied sciences claim to be above criticism.

If he is middle-aged he can remember some curious contradictions. Babies were fed by the clock 25 years ago; conscientious mothers regarded any deviation from this "scientific advice" as a serious failure. Today, with the same authoritarianism doctors have reverted to the techniques of an earlier era. The clock has been replaced by the squawk.

Applied psychology periodically comes up with some doubtful theories. The personality tests used to select American civil servants are currently getting a going-over by both Senate and House of Representatives' committees. Is asking highly personal questions an invasion of privacy? Suppose you concede the right of a scientist to ask, "Did you ever have an 'illicit' affair as an adolescent" or "Do you believe there is only one true religion?" . . . What are the norms? If the tester favors promiscuity, you get points for straying; if he doesn't, you get points for chastity. Similarly with the question about religion. What happens to infallibility here?

We are deeply indebted to the scientific investigator. He's vitally important to us all; but really, nobody needs to bow too deeply before the test tube and the questionnaire and the white-coated priests.

Authority views highway accidents

SOME OF THE deaths on our highways, perhaps 10 per cent, are actually suicides rather than accidents. This was an opinion expressed by Keith H. MacDonald, general chairman of the Canadian Highway Safety Council, to the Montreal Lions Club. Mr. MacDonald, who is vice-president of the Industrial Acceptance Corp., said, "Driving is, to many, a competitive sport, an outlet for the showoff tendencies. Sometimes with the younger set it's the desire for recognition. Often it's the reflection of emotional strain, of maladjustment or of personal defects. At the bottom of all this seeming hysteria is a lack of common courtesy and a lack of respect for others."

The lack of respect for authority in modern-day traffic was also deplored. Among solutions to Canada's road traffic problems, Mr. MacDonald put education first. "You can't have safety attached to the front of your car," he said. Mr. MacDonald also called for re-examination of drivers, wider application of license withdrawal as enforcement of traffic laws, improved highway signs, mandatory vehicle inspection and wider application of and instruction in defensive driving techniques.

It was noted that Montreal (proper) reported 40 per cent more traffic fatalities than Metropolitan Toronto, despite the fact that Toronto had more vehicles. This speaker believed the enforcement establishment in the Province of Quebec was too small. "What we need," he said, "is a special highway patrol of officers specially trained in the highway traffic act, accident prevention, traffic control, investigation of accidents, first aid, while being trained to be courteous and respectful of motorists. The province needs another 250 qualified men constantly on highway patrol. Beyond that, parents, educators, the clergy and the sports coaches must do something about the lack of respect for the law enforcement officers, and the courts."

Wrong slant on 'profits'

A SERIES of attitude surveys recently conducted by the Canadian Chamber of Commerce reveal a great lack of understanding by Canadians of the role of "profits" in our society. This is unfortunate, because the concept of profit or reward for effort is the foundation upon which our competitive enterprise economy is based, and the concept goes far beyond mere corporate profit — after all, no one is willing and few are able to work for nothing.

It is business profits, however, that seem to be the most misunderstood; and, again, this is unfortunate because it is business profits that provide the jobs, the products, the know-how and the money that makes our country grow. It is largely corporate profits which provide the money for the many programs undertaken by governments — roads, schools, pensions and the like.

But, most important, profits are the job-makers. A company that is making a reasonable and steady profit will be able to turn some of that profit into expanded production facilities or brand-new processes or products, thus actually creating a need for jobs.

If Canada is to achieve the goals outlined by the Economic Council of Canada and create nearly 150,000 new jobs each year until 1970, at least, the motivation of reward for effort should be allowed to operate freely, for the profit of all of us.

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OVER THE YEARS *with The Lachute Watchman*

80 YEARS AGO

March, 1886 —

Lieut. L. C. Barron, of the 11th Battalion, is at present soliciting subscriptions for the Pioneer and Band swords fund.

Advertisements in this issue: C. T. Wales & Co., "People's Cash Store", St. Andrews. — J. A. Bedard, footwear, sewing machines, livery stable, Main Street, Lachute. — Hope's Furniture Warehouse, Main Street, Lachute. — R. Banford & Co., West End Cash Store, Lachute Mills. — T. Jousse, watchmaker and jeweller, opposite post-office, Lachute.

London — By a vote of 209 to 66 the House of Commons granted £ 1,200 for medals for the volunteers in Canada who took part in the campaign against Louis Riel. Mr. Healey, Nationalist, said that if Canada chose to go to war with Riel she ought to pay for the medals.

From Riviere du Loup we learn (March 1) that the express train was buried in 10 feet of snow near Trois-Pistoles, although two engines with a plow were running 15 miles ahead.

Died accidentally in Nevada, Jan. 28, 1886, Joseph Chapman, 29, a young miner — born in the County of Argenteuil, Province of Quebec.

50 YEARS AGO

March, 1916 —

Verdict of accidental death was given in the case of Wm. Herbert Matthews, of Louisa, whose sleigh was hit by the midnight freight at Hay's crossing on the C.N.R. Dr. Mason was the attending physician and Dr. Wales was the coroner.

The death is recorded of Thomas Sherritt, who left this County in '67 and went to Devil's River, Michigan. He served five years and was a sergeant in the British Army.

Miss Y. Marcil announces her spring millinery opening on April 5. (Advt.)

Several wives and parents of men serving in the 148th accepted an invitation from Lieut.-Col. A. A. McGee to attend a reception at the Peel Street barracks.

Dr. McClure, who has been visiting here on his return from the China mission field, occupied the pulpit of the Presbyterian Church on Sunday.

Ten of our County boys left this week with a contingent of the 73rd Highlanders on the voyage overseas.

Mr. J. Boyd of Beech Ridge was driving a load of manure over the crossing at Geo. Fraser's when the evener broke. He unhitched his team — and no manure spreader has yet been made that will spread as well and as quickly as locomotive 421.

25 YEARS AGO

March, 1941 —

Through co-operation of Ford Motor Company and Deacon Motor Sales, an illustrated lecture on the Ford-Ferguson system of tractor farming will be given at McArthur's Hall.

Mutual Life of Canada wishes to announce the appointment of Arthur C. Pollock as representative for the Lachute district. (Advt.)

Miss Ruby Parsons and Miss Lila Giles were visitors to the Domaine d'Esterel Ski Lodge this week.

An all-plastic automobile body is predicted, in a report to the American Chemical Society.

Fire occurred in the Capitol Theatre at Brownsburg and Taylor's Restaurant next door. The latter premises were completely destroyed.

Dr. W. P. Percival, Director of Protestant Education, will attend the Grenville Consolidated School opening next week.

Presentations were made to two choirs members at Lachute United Church, Miss Lois McFaul and Mrs. Leslie Morris, on severing their association with this choir.

SUGAR AND SPICE
by Bill Smiley



Pity For A Principal

This is a time of year — one of a very few — when I feel deeply sorry for high school principals. It's the time when they have to start bidding on livestock, in the form of teachers, for next fall.

Let's put you, gentle reader, into the boots of one of these sterling chaps for a few minutes. And let's say you have a staff of 60 at the moment. And let's say you don't know whether you're going to have 1,200 or 1,400 students next September.

Oh, well, so far, only two people have officially resigned. Any clod could hire two teachers. Unless, of course, those extra 200 kids show up, which means two or three more. Even so, nothing to it.

Ah, but tarry a moment. You know perfectly well that one, possibly two of your teachers, preferably from among the married ladies on the staff, will become pregnant.

You are fully aware that Mademoiselle Tartuffe, of the French department, had an unfortunate affair with young Jablonski, the basketball coach, and that one of them will be leaving.

The grapevine has informed you that Mrs. Billings, the old faithful in the History department, has been hitting the grape pretty regularly since her husband ran off with the waitress.

Everyone knows the English department is rife with strife. Since the unfortunate demise of Mr. Wiley, the department head, in February, of cirrhosis of the liver, four of the English teachers, all equally qualified, have been gunning for the position. No matter which gets it, all the others will quit in dudgeon.

You have just heard that your Home Economics teacher, the one in charge of teaching girls to cook, planned the menu for the monthly meeting of the Unfulfilled Wives Club. And everybody came down with food poisoning.

One of your junior science teachers has just blown up $550 worth of equipment and two students, during an experiment which completely justified your opinion of his knowledge of the subject.

Little Miss Muffett, the geography teacher just out of college, is having discipline problems. You discovered this when you walked past her room and saw two boys hanging out the window. Investigation revealed Miss Muffett hanging upside down, a boy holding each leg. They were testing the wind velocity, they explained, using her hair as a weather-vane.

Monday morning, you heard that the director of your Technical department was in hospital, with third-degree burns, after trying to change a fuse at home.

The head of your Maths department, old Gwillimbury, refuses to teach the New Mathematics, or have anything to do with it, because "It's a lot of nonsense."

And on top of this, there are four teachers you'd dearly love to fire because of incompetence, emotionalism, idealism, being too fat or plain laziness.

So you have two resignations, but you might wind up with 42. What to do? If you leave it too late, all the other principals, like so many dogs after a bone, are in there first, and you wind up with a collection of clots.

If you jump in too early, and start hiring teachers right and left, nobody will resign and you'll wind up with 12 more teachers than the Board will pay for. And no job yourself.

As a result, quite a few principals these days are treading the thin line of lunacy. They start at shadows. They quail when they see a teacher looking surly.

They stare with unconcealed horror at Mrs. McGillicuddy's swelling waist-line. They flinch when a teacher knocks at their door. They pour oil on troubled waters, turn their backs and find that somebody has tossed a match into the mixture.

Hard luck, chaps; and good hunting.

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Students puzzle us

If one can judge from press reports, and from talking with students and teachers, a large majority of our university population is advocating some form of socialism, many even going so far as that taught by Marx . . . Quite often the demands for the right of free speech drowns (sic) out those who would defend our free-enterprise system that has given us one of the highest standards of living in the world. It might also be pointed out that our democratic way of life has given them the right to free speech they are so quick to deny the opposition.

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THIS WEEK AND NEXT
by Ray Argyle



Scandal That Snowballed

In addition to the many questions for which Mr. Justice Spence will seek answers in his inquiry into the affair of Gerda Munsinger, there is an even more important one which can be answered only by the Canadian people.

The question is this: Have the Liberals and Conservatives plunged Canadian politics into such a morass of scandal that the slate can be wiped clean only by the removal of not just the party leaders, but several of their key lieutenants?

The death struggle in which Mr. Pearson and Mr. Diefenbaker have been locked for the past five years has seen Parliament skid continuously down the precipitous slopes of demagoguery and disgrace.

The country should now ask itself: Is it worth it?

When the Liberal cabinet passed its order-in-council setting up the Munsinger inquiry, it directed only that Mr. Justice Spence investigate the charges made by Justice Minister Lucien Cardin. These charges, as all the country now knows, were basically that one or more Conservative cabinet ministers had endangered Canada's security by associating with a woman who had allegedly engaged in espionage before her arrival in Canada in the 1950s.

The manner in which the charges were blurted out as a sequence to the Opposition's attack over the Victor Spencer security case can only be described as incredible.

One must wonder whether Mr. Cardin's outburst was a spur-of-the-moment retaliation for the unending onslaughts of Mr. Diefenbaker, or whether it was part of a carefully laid government plot to destroy the Tory chieftain.

Davie Fulton, the Conservative Minister of Justice at the time of the alleged indiscretions, has said that he had been warned a week earlier that the Munsinger case would be raised if the Tories persisted in their attack on the Government's handling of the Spencer case. Mr. Favreau, ex-Justice Minister, denies the Fulton charge that he tried to blackmail the Tories.

The shocking disarray in which Parliament now finds itself has been building up ever since the Diefenbaker debacle of 1962. Still determined to regain office, he must take much of the responsibility for the state of affairs which Mr. Pearson accurately described as "a frightening position." It was a culmination, the PM said, of many sessions carried on in an atmosphere of extreme partisanship, bitterness and tension.

The country must of course be told whether the Cardin charges have any basis in fact, whether Tory Cabinet ministers did or did not endanger national security, and whether Mr. Diefenbaker as prime minister dealt negligently with information at his disposal. These are the main points to which Mr. Justice Spence will address himself.

But the fact remains that up to the time of the appointment of the inquiry, not a shred of evidence had been produced by Mr. Cardin that any of his charges had any foundation in fact.

There is a well established procedure governing the functions of the department of justice. When an offense is suspected, the department calls on the police to gather evidence. If the evidence, in the opinion of the department, is sufficient to warrant charges, then charges are laid and the matter goes to the courts.

This is in sharp contrast to the methods used by Mr. Cardin. He went much further afield than the issue of national security, and questioned the private morals of members of Parliament, including one now dead who cannot defend himself.

After another week of uproar in Parliament, Canadians could only conclude that the work of self-destruction has been well and completely done. If it is true that Mr. Cardin has commited political suicide, history may also judge him as the destroyer of both his own leader along with his hated enemy, John G. Diefenbaker.

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Avoca

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Eddy Andrews during the week-end were Miss Gloria Andrews, of Ottawa, Mr. Claude Andrews, of Montreal, Mr. Elmer Andrews and Mr. Irving Crawford, of Avoca.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Kelly and family, of Boucherville, spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Bates.

Mr. Winston McHardy, of Montreal, and Mr. John McHardy, of Whitby, Ont., spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. John Prophet.

The Rev. Donald Fraser, a Baptist missionary from Bolivia, S.A., was guest speaker in Avoca Baptist Church on Sunday. Mr. Steeves, of Brownsburg, conducted the service. The congregation enjoyed this interesting address on the work of the missionaries in Bolivia.

Mrs. Joe Arthurs and daughter, Joanne, spent a couple of days in Montreal last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wyman Arthurs, of Dauphin, Man., and Mrs. Sandy Bates, visited Mrs. Josie Arthurs, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Arthurs, and Mr. and Mrs. Willie MacLeod on Wednesday. They spent Friday afternoon and evening with Mr. John MacLeod and Nora, and with Mr. and Mrs. Eric Gretton.

Mrs. Alex Bates, of Niagara Falls, Ont., who had spent the past two weeks with her friends and relatives, returned home last Thursday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl MacLeod, of St. Philippe d'Argenteuil, visited Mr. and Mrs. Everett Young on Sunday.

Grece's Point

Mrs. E. Turner spent a week recently with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. A. Alexander, at Ville St. Michel.

Recent visitors of Mrs. Turner were Mrs. J. Pearson, Mrs. G. Wood and Mr. G. Wood, Jr. . . Mrs. J. Coney, of Lachute, spent a week recently as the guest of Mrs. Turner.

Mabel

Miss Lise Gauthier, of Pointe-aux-Trembles, and Mr. and Mrs. Arpi Demeny and family, Montreal, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Beauchamp.

Week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Clark were their son, Wayne, and Miss Edith Curry, from Macdonald College.

Kilmar

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Thomas returned home Sunday after a two-weeks holiday in Barbados.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bray are at present vacationing in Mexico.

We are sorry to report that Mrs. Stanley Dewar is at present a patient in the Smith Clinic; friends here wish her a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wereley, of Montreal, spent the week-end here with Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Wereley.

Brownsburg

Mr. and Mrs. Winston Smillie, from the Town of Mount Royal, were Tuesday guests of Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Smillie.

Miss Annie Petley spent the past week in Montreal, visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Petley and other relatives.

Mrs. Wm. Prosser spent part of last week visiting Mr. and Mrs. Percy Duguid in Montreal. She also visited her sister, Mrs. Wm. Birch and Mr. Birch.

Mrs. Milton Titley, of Ville St. Laurent, spent last week with her mother, Mrs. Ruby Kennedy.

Mr. and Mrs. Brent Castle, of Brantford, Ont., were week-end guests of relatives here.

Lake Keatley

Miss Joan Heffernan spent the week-end at "Hidden Brook" cottage, Lake McLeod.

Mr. Norman Parent, of Montreal, visited his cottage here on Sunday.

Mr. Gilbert Young, Miss E. Chisholm and Mrs. Sanford MacVicar spent Sunday in Ottawa, calling on Mr. and Mrs. Eddy Brigden and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Pounden, of Montreal, called on friends here Sunday, also visited their cottage.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Jones, Miss Judy, of Ottawa, and Mr. Sandy Jones, called on Mr. and Mrs. D. MacVicar.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl McAndrew, of Montreal, visited Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Stewart and Mrs. McAndrew recently.

Mrs. Lester and girls, from Montreal, visited their cottage at McLeod Lake on Sunday.

Cushing

Mrs. H. V. Bailey and daughter, Cama, motored to Brockville for the week-end.

Mrs. John Graham and Hugh Graham motored to Valleyfield recently, accompanied by Mr. A. T. Graham. Mrs. J. Graham stopped off in Ormstown to visit with Miss M. McNeil.

Mrs. A. Holmes spent the week-end with her daughter in Montreal.

Mrs. Calvin Morrow and children visited Mrs. Wesley Morrow on Sunday; the children were overnight guests.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Scherrer and son visited Mr. and Mrs. F. Basler on Sunday.

FACT

There is more water than land on the earth's surface.

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Country Notebook



By WALKER RILEY,
Macdonald College

It seems to me if you want to be a good farmer, the first step is to establish a reputation for being crazy — just a little crazy, anyway. Then the neighbors won't even bother to laugh at you when you dare to try something different.

Take the chap I heard about yesterday at the Seed Fair. He cut and baled his third crop of hay in the last week of January. It's not much to look at, but he has some good bedding for his cows for the rest of the winter.

Or consider the Glengarry County man who cut his frozen, ripe corn with the flail forage harvester, and put the whole works through his threshing mill. The shredded stover went into the straw mow, and the grain into plastic fertilizer bags, tied tight with baler twine. They tell me the wet grain is keeping perfectly.

Actually, all kinds of ingenious tricks were tried this year to get the corn off the rain-sodden fields. And one way or another, a surprising amount of the crop has been saved. More than one silo was filled in January. The corn, of course, was only dry stalk and ear, but where the grain was at all mature, it has made excellent feed.

One of these samples of January silage turned up at the Russell County Seed Fair to haunt the judge (me). By the accepted rules, a good corn silage exhibit should have lots of well-matured kernels, be a good green to yellow-green color, fine cut, and have a pleasant sharp aroma.

But what do you do with a sample that is just packed full of good, ripe corn but breaks all the rest of the qualifications? Well, I tried to think like a cow who is interested in making her owner a dollar, and that sample went to third place in a class of 48 exhibits. And I will defend my placing with anyone who wants to argue.

An innovation at the Seed Fairs this year is a "Feed Class". The prize list describes it as a special for the best exhibit of home-grown feed — one sample each of hay, silage, and grain. A really interesting and worthwhile class it was, but awfully hard to judge. This judge decided, though, that the emphasis had to go on hay quality. Without a good, early-cut hay, you just can't build a satisfactory dairy ration.

I met the other day for the first time the Director of the Division of Farm Buildings and Machinery, Quebec Department of Agriculture. And now the Farm Building Service is no longer just a name in my directory. John Hogan is a very pleasant, young agricultural engineering graduate who is ready to do all he can to help plan farm buildings in Quebec. But he and one assistant are carrying the whole load without other help.

Mr. Hogan would like to have your enquiries channeled through the county agronomes. They should have a catalogue of plans on hand from which they can order. But you can write directly to him in Quebec City, and if you have a really tough problem, he will try to find the time to visit you. (Note to high school students: this is an example of another agricultural career that is a wide open challenge.)

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It is said that it was indeed a brave man who first ate an oyster.

Morin Heights

Mr. and Mrs. Grahame (Skippy) Bell, of Oakville, Ont., with their children, Craig, Cheryl and Susan, spent the week-end visiting Mr. Bell's father, Mr. William Bell, and aunt, Miss Vera McCullough.

Among visitors to Morin recently were Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Murdoch, of Brownsburg, Mrs. George Hall, of Montreal, and Miss Heather Campbell, also of Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Seale spent a few days in Montreal recently at the home of their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Mel Meredith.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Seale, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Fraser and Miss F. Henderson, of the Intermediate School teaching staff, had a pleasant trip to Ormstown over the week-end.

The Women's Association of the United Church held an informal tea on Saturday afternoon last. As usual, the excellent refreshments were enjoyed by a good number in attendance.

Women's Institute

The annual "pot-luck" supper was held by the Morin Heights W.I. on Thursday evening, March 3. The regular monthly meeting followed, with the president, Mrs. Lyle Kilpatrick, in charge. The new slate of officers for 1966-67 was presented, resulting in the election of the following: President, Mrs. Melvin Dey; 1st vice-pres., Mrs. Charles Campbell; 2nd vice-pres., Mrs. Gordon Conley; secretary, Mrs. Robert Cruickshank; treasurer, Mrs. Leslie Seale. A successful card party was held March 11. Fun prizes and refreshments were enjoyed by all attending.

Boy Scouts

The 1st Morin Heights Boy Scout Troop is making excellent progress under the direction of their new Scoutmaster, Harold M. Truckle, who is ably assisted by two Troop Leaders — 1st Class Scout David Kerwin and 2nd Class Scout Lawrence Baldwin. The troop is divided into patrols consisting of five or six boys in each. These are under the guidance of Patrol Leaders Gerry Lambon, Lee Graham and Mike Barrett.

To become a Scout a boy must pass a number of tests; he must know the Scout Law and promise to obey it. He is then invested by his Scoutmaster into the world-wide brotherhood of Scouting.

Recent promotions include Walter Prosewruk and Billy Dobie, to Scout rank, and David Weekes, Robert Young and Clemens Kotlarsky to Tenderfoot class.

On Saturday last the 1st Morin Heights Scouts joined with other troops of the Laurentian District in the annual ski meet at Hills 40/80 at Ste. Adele.

Girl Guides

The 1st Lac St. Denis Girl Guides are to be congratulated on their public service and community projects. During the past week the Guides prepared a special St. Patrick's Day treat for the 120 patients of the Ste. Agathe Tb. hospital. Special plates and baskets of cakes, cookies and candies were prepared and delivered to the hospital. Prominent in this effort were Guides Janet Leclerc and Linda Quail, assisted by Mrs. J. Quail and Guide Leader Mrs. H. Truckle.

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The proposal is from a United States firm which Mr. McDonough declined to name. Columbium Mining Products has a columbium deposit near Oka, Que.

Mr. McDonough says the American firm has offered to purchase the entire output of a 1,000-tons-of-ore-per-day plant which would be built.

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A Family Council

— By NANCY CLEAVER —

"Could we have a Family Council once a week, like Uncle John's? When I was visiting their home they had a 'pow-wow' about their plans for a vacation weekend," George asked his parents.

His mother looked doubtful; his father groaned. "You and your sister scrap so much. I'm all for **less**, not more talk!" his Dad said. "You had better sell the idea to Betty of a **peaceful** family conference and then we'll see about giving it a trial."

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There is no one blueprint for a democratic home and there is no one way to conduct a family council. Lincoln's famous definition of this type of government being "of the people, by the people, for the people" is well known. And Walt Whitman once called democracy, "Life's gymnasium, not of good only, but of all, which supplies a training school for making first rate men."

There is no one pattern for a family council, but the idea is sound that each member of the household will have the chance to express his ideas on a suggested plan. Some families like a formal conference with mother or dad as presiding officer and business procedure such as motions and amendments strictly followed. This is good training in taking part in public affairs. But other families just don't take to that kind of a discussion. They get much farther in an informal, friendly "pow-wow" after supper or at bedtime "snack" time.

Some people have the mistaken idea that a home which uses this method of presenting ideas or plans in open discussion is ignoring the ruling force of parents and handing over too much responsibility to children. But the ideal in education is to develop boys and girls gradually who will willingly abide by the rules of the family group in matters which concern the whole household such as the use of the phone. When they are grown and away from home they should be able to make their own rules based not only on their own wishes, but on other people's rights as well.

The large family or family with a big gap in the ages of the children frequently have found it useful for mother or dad to talk over privately with an older boy or girl any plans which especially affect them. Then after clearing with the other parent, at a meal or at some time when the family is together as a group, let the other children know their decision.

Helen may want to clerk in a shop on Saturdays to earn extra money instead of baby-sitting several nights a week. Tom, who is finishing collegiate, may want to make an arrangement with dad about washing the car and having the use of it on Friday or Saturday nights.

Perhaps you think a Family Council too much bother or too ambitious a plan for your household? Do you protest that there were no such new-fangled ideas in the home in which you grew up? Do you say apologetically that you're just an ordinary parent — and this family conference makes quite a demand on the mother or dad who is the "presiding officer"?

But if you are convinced that it is for the good of your children, likely you will want to see how it works in your home. Don't forget Dr. Harry Emerson Fosdick's sound comment that the democratic ideal is based on the conviction that there are extraordinary possibilities in ordinary people!

Some type of family round-table, either formal or informal, following any pattern which best fits your family, will strengthen the bond between the members of your home. It is much better for differences of opinion to be aired than to have the atmosphere poisoned by a smouldering resentment against something a boy or girl thinks is unfair.

Conducting a Family Council is not easy. (But whoever considered raising children was a simple job?) Try it! Decide for yourself if it doesn't pay sound dividends in mutual understanding and co-operation!

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Broiled fish for Bravos!

Broiling is an ancient art which possibly had its beginning as campfire cookery. It is a quick, delicious way to cook tender foods such as fish and is especially recommended for the fatty varieties of fish.

Broiling is a dry heat process. Heat is direct and comes from one source. There is a tendency for thin foods to dry out under the broiler so if you plan to cook by this method, buy cuts of fish which are ¾ to 1 inch thick in preference to thinner ones. Also baste fish well with melted fat or a basting sauce before placing it under the broiler, and baste again while broiling if necessary.

Follow the range manufacturer's directions for the operation of your broiler, preheating, and placement of broiler pan. It is usual to adjust the pan so that the top of the fish is 2 to 4 inches below the heat and to place thicker cuts farther from the heat than thin ones.

Allow 10 minutes cooking time per inch thickness of your fish. Fillets and split fish which are ½-inch thick or less do not need to be turned as the heat of the pan will cook the underside adequately. Turn thicker pieces, including fish steaks, when half the allotted cooking time is up, and baste again with fat or sauce.

Frozen fishery products are usually thawed before broiling. However, they may be broiled if the heat is adjusted to low, or if they are placed lower in the oven. This is necessary to prevent overcooking the surface before the inside is fully thawed.

Always serve broiled fish while sizzling hot, just from the oven. Plain broiled fish is delicious. For added flavor interest, try the following recipes recommended by the home economists of Canada's Department of Fisheries . . .

Golden Broiled Fish Steaks

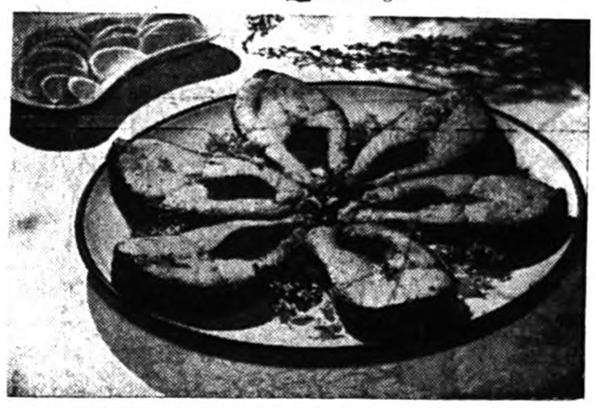
2 Pounds fish steaks, 1 tablespoon grated onion, 2 tablespoons lemon juice, ¼ cup butter (melted), 1 teaspoon salt, few grains pepper, ¼ teaspoon tarragon or thyme, paprika and parsley.

Place steaks on a greased broiler pan. Combine the next six ingredients to make a butter sauce. Baste steaks with half of the sauce. Broil for 4 to 5 minutes, turn, baste with remaining sauce and continue broiling until cooked. Remove to a heated platter, sprinkle with paprika, and garnish with parsley. Makes 4 to 6 servings.

Barbecued Fillets

2 Pounds fresh fish fillets, ¼ cup melted butter, 2 tablespoons lemon juice, ¼ cup tomato catsup, 1 teaspoon Worcestershire sauce, ¼ teaspoon dry mustard, 1 teaspoon salt, 2 tablespoons minced onion, chopped parsley.

Cut fillets into serving-size portions and place on a greased broiler pan. Combine remaining ingredients, except parsley, to make sauce. Heat mixture and pour over fillets. Place under broiler and broil, allowing 10 minutes cooking time per inch thickness of fish. If fillets are more than ½-inch thick, turn carefully when half the allotted cooking time is up and baste again with the sauce. Broil just until fish flakes easily when tested with a fork. Garnish with chopped parsley. Makes 6 servings.



These sizzling Golden Broiled Fish Steaks rate bravos during Lent, or any time of the year.

Teatime Topics

By Jean Sharp

Canadians eat 337 pounds of vegetables a year, compared with a per capita consumption of 325 pounds in the U.S. But Americans eat more fresh vegetables than we do, says Dorothy Holland, director of the Kraft kitchens in Chicago.

In a Toronto speech, Miss Holland said Canadians eat 144 pounds of potatoes a year compared to 105 pounds in the U.S., but Americans eat more salad than we do.

Miss Holland said women have learned to use commercially prepared salad dressings in a number of ways and on foods other than salads. They can provide a seasoning short cut because their flavors don't vary.

Marinate Meat

Some can be used as marinades for meats, others as bastings or sauce bases.

Heat hot dogs in a tomato dressing or use tomato dressing to brush pork chops.

Brown chicken then coat it with a cheese or an Italian dressing to bake it.

You can use prepared dressings as flavor additives with hot salads — try Italian dressing with hot potato salad — or with vegetables.

Mix two or more dressings to blend the flavors to your own taste.

You can make something different for lunch or hot weather supper using French dressing for seasoning. Combine four cups tomato juice, ½ cup French dressing, ½ cup finely chopped onion, ½ cup finely chopped green pepper, ½ cup finely chopped peeled tomato, ½ cup finely chopped peeled cucumber. Chill and serve in glasses or bouillon cups. Serves six to eight and is called gazpacho.

Salsa Salad

An interesting salad calls for: two cups diced tomatoes, one cup sliced cauliflowerets, ½ cup red onion rings, ½ cup white onion rings, ½ cup sliced celery, ½ cup diced green pepper and French dressing to moisten. Combine and chill. Serve as relish or salad. Makes four to six servings.

A colorful coleslaw calls for one cup of mayonnaise, ½ cup French dressing, one teaspoon salt, dash of pepper, four cups shredded cabbage, one cup diced, peeled tomatoes, ½ cup chopped celery, ¼ cup chopped green onions, ¼ cup sliced radishes. Combine dressings and seasonings, mix until well blended. Add to other ingredients, toss lightly. Serves six to eight.

Try a cold beef salad with four cups of cooked beef strips, one cup sliced fresh mushrooms, one cup onion rings, ½ cup mayonnaise, ½ cup sour cream, salt and pepper and lettuce.

Combine meat, mushrooms and onion rings. Add mayonnaise blended with sour cream. Toss lightly, season and chill. Serves six to eight.

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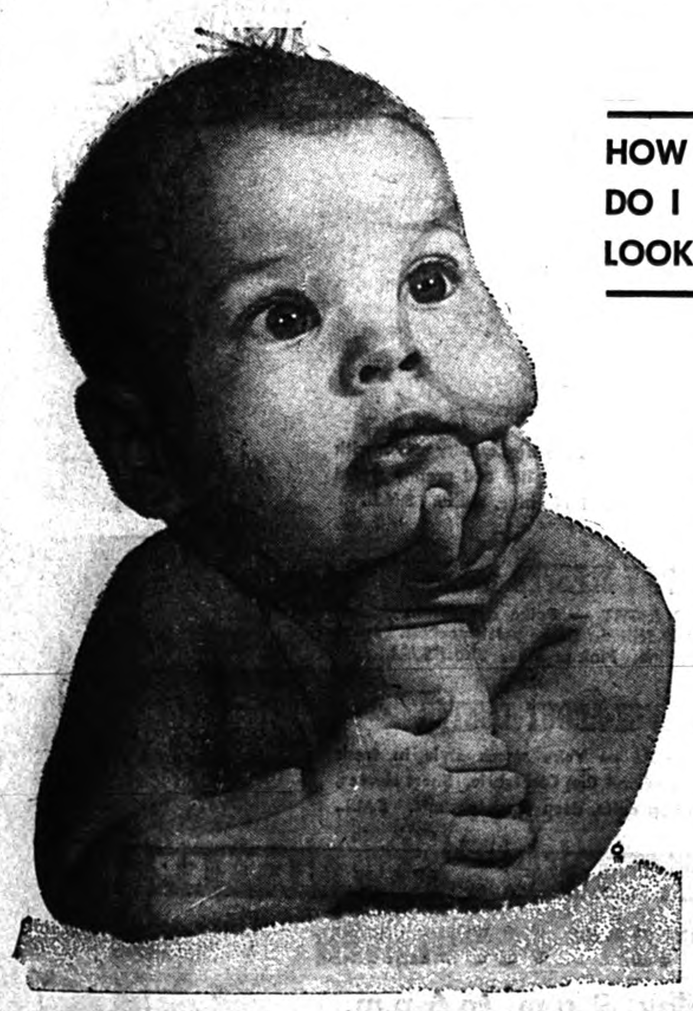

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Adults teach prejudice

— By NANCY CLEAVER —

"Before we dropped the hate literature left at our door in the garbage, we pointed out to our school-age son that it was false and stupid," one mother told her neighbor. The neighbor agreed: "I told our daughter it was poisoned with prejudice."

Prejudice comes from the word "pre-judge", or to form an opinion without sufficient facts or evidence.

Children are not born with it — they acquire this attitude from grownups. Supervisors of nursery schools here reported over and over that although a white child is aware that a colored child has black skin, or an Oriental youngster has yellow skin, this makes no difference to him as far as choosing him as a playmate.

How tragic it is that the older school child's attitude to other youngsters often changes for the worse! It is usually affected by snobbish remarks about race which he has overheard.

Opening Eyes

Do you know whether your child's attitude to other nationalities sometimes smacks of superiority? Does he talk about Niggers, Chinks, Dagoes? Don't be surprised if he has heard you running down members of other countries!

Parents who are aware how easily a child adopts a superior attitude to members of other races, can quietly and consistently encourage appreciation of fine qualities in other peoples. The craft corner at any of our large fairs or exhibitions has many examples of beautiful handwork belonging to many ethnic groups. The Eskimo carvings and the Indian handicraft have opened the eyes of many Canadians to the creative skill of our native races.

The musical programs on the radio, the newspaper accounts of outstanding citizens, the sports' page, all frequently mention men and women who have come from far away lands to make their home in Canada.

A child in his school classroom may find a chum whose parents come from another country. This friendship may open another doorway into an exploration of a hitherto almost unknown land, Holland or Italy, or Norway or Greece. A greater exchange of letters between French Canadians and those of Anglo-Saxon extraction would be an excellent plan.

No surgeon needing a blood donor for an emergency transfusion just back of the battle lines would dream of asking whether the volunteer donor was white or black or yellow skinned. The one question he would want to make sure of, would be: "Is this blood the same type as that of the wounded man?"

Race prejudice is a poison — a powerful, insidious infection spreading fear and distrust is ever to be a reality, the antagonism and hatred between the different peoples must diminish.

Any parent knows that the coming generation must be kept from the folly of suspicion and hatred between the peoples of the earth. Let us be on guard against discrimination in our own community and take time to warn our children to avoid it because it is evil.

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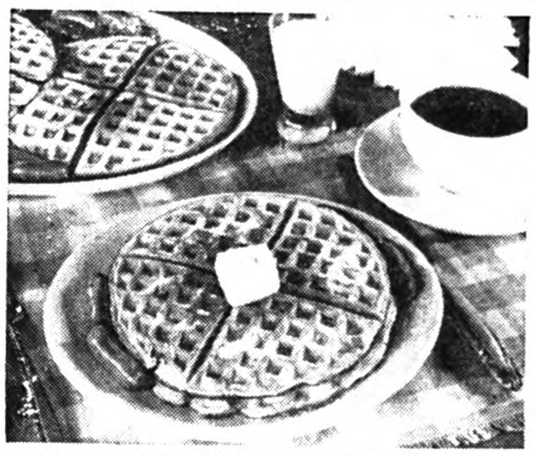

Cinnamon sugared waffles are the perfect breakfast dish to send your family off into their day with dash and enthusiasm. These waffles have nutmeg in the batter and a delectable dusting of cinnamon and sugar scattered over them as they come hot off the waffle iron.

Serve waffles for breakfast

throughout the world. If peace

Waffle worship is to be expected, if you are rash enough to once serve your family Cinnamon Sugared Waffles for breakfast.

There's something about waffles for breakfast which starts the day off with a dash and enthusiasm which no other breakfast menu is capable of evoking.

This recipe for Cinnamon Sugared Waffles uses nutmeg in the batter and a dusting of cinnamon and sugar over the waffles as soon as they come from the waffle iron. We guarantee it will have your family singing its praises and who knows, there may even be a chorus left over to praise you!

Cinnamon-Sugared Waffles

1½ Cups once-sifted all-purpose flour, 3 teaspoons baking powder, ½ teaspoon salt, pinch of nutmeg, 2 tablespoons sugar, 2 eggs (separated), 1½ cups milk, ¼ cup melted margarine or butter, ¼ cup granulated sugar, 1 teaspoon cinnamon.

Preheat waffle iron.

Sift together into a bowl the flour, baking powder, salt, nutmeg and sugar. Beat egg yolks well, add milk and melted butter. Beat egg whites until stiff, but not dry. Make a well in centre of flour mixture and add egg yolk mixture. Stir well. Fold in beaten egg whites.

Drop batter by spoonfuls on waffle iron and bake until done, about 4-5 minutes.

Sprinkle with a mixture of cinnamon and sugar over waffles as soon as baked and serve immediately with plenty of butter and maple syrup.

Don't borrow cosmetics

Chicago, Ill. (WMNS) — If you are just aching to borrow your friend's eyeliner pencil — resist the temptation. The American Medical Association's Section on Cutaneous Health and Cosmetics warns that a serious eye disease —trachoma— can be transmitted from person to person by just such a practice as using another person's eye cosmetics.

As a matter of simple personal hygiene, you should neither borrow nor lend your comb or brush, lipstick, powder puff or other cosmetics or tools that come into intimate contact with your skin or eyes.

CONSUMER COMMENT

— By Betty Lindsay —
Consumer's Association of Canada

False eyelashes to sleep with, may not be your idea of living it up, but practically everyone buys some cosmetics every year. Providing cosmetics for today's consumers is big business, for Canadians spend one hundred million dollars annually on these products — a little better than $6 for every man, woman and child. These items consume thousands of tons of oils, waxes, resins, solvents, detergents and dyes, not to mention "sales-encouraging extras" — such as estrogenic hormones, vitamins and royal jelly; one hundred tons of lanolin — applied each year to Canadian faces.

To safeguard the health of the Canadian consumer, the Food and Drug Directorate constantly review cosmetics on the market; they also investigate all consumer complaints and examine new or unusual products. They say YOU can help them by remembering to:

1. Study and observe all warnings and directions on cosmetic labels.

2. Keep "chemical" cosmetics (hair dyes, cold wave preparations, anti-perspirants, alcoholic lotions, hair and skin bleaches, anti-dandruff preparations, etc.) out of the reach of children, as they may be harmful if swallowed.

3. Notify your local Food and Drug Office of any undesirable or unusual experiences you may encounter in using your cosmetics. (Montreal — 400 Youville Square; tel. 288-4217; Sherbrooke — P.O. Box 1120, Rm. 232, 315 King St. W.) They do say, however, that if all known or suspected substances causing allergy were to be prohibited, it would almost eliminate the manufacture of cosmetics. So if you are sensitive to a particular brand or kind of cosmetic, you'll have to decide: "Would I rather sneeze — or itch — than switch?

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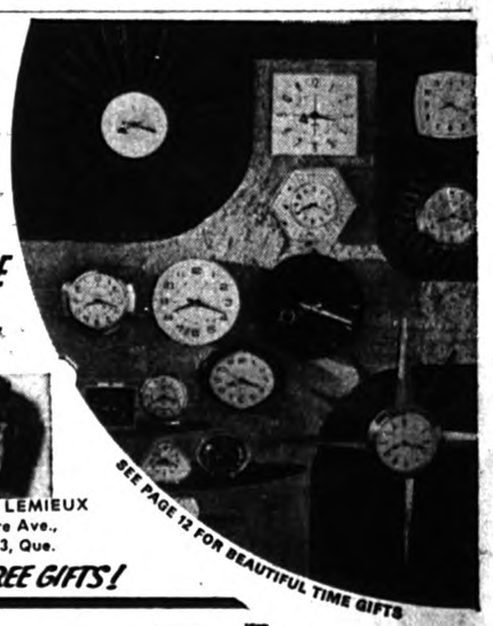

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A. E. Price, B.A.

Oppointed new LHS principal

The Lachute Protestant Board of School Commissioners has appointed Mr. A. E. Price, B.A., as principal of Lachute High School for the coming year. He holds a Class I teaching certificate and is a graduate of Sir George Williams University and of Macdonald College School for Teachers.

Mr. Price is at present head of the Mathematics Department at Beaconsfield High School, where he has been teaching for the past eight years. Prior to this he taught in the Cedar Park School, on the Lakeshore, for five years. This extensive experience qualifies him at both the elementary and high school levels. Before becoming a school teacher, Mr. Price had been employed in business and industry for eight years. After this experience he came to realize the value of an education; he continued his own education and entered the teaching field.

Mr. Price is married and has two children. Both he and his wife originate from Montreal, and obtained both their elementary and high school education there.

View Agriculture subject on Regional Schools' syllabus

"An agricultural course in a regional high school should meet the demands of the agricultural community," said Charles Petch, a well-known vocational agricultural teacher. Mr. Petch was a guest speaker at a special directors' meeting of the Quebec Farmers' Association held at Macdonald College. Representatves from the regonal school boards of Shawville, Lachute, Brome and Sherbrooke, members of the Extension Department from Macdonald College, and directors of the Q.F.A. heard Mr. Petch describe the vocational agricutural program used in the high schools of the Northern New York States.

"To have a need, is one of the most important factors in determining whether or not you teach agriculture in your regional schools", Mr. Petch continued. "When this need is realized, a course should be designed to cover all aspects of the agricultural industry. The scientific studies should be taught in the class room, while experience of farming has to be obtained on the farm. Experience is only obtained by doing."

"I believe the agricultural teacher is the most important instructor in the school. He does not just teach. He plans projects for the boys; he visits them on the farm; he helps them with their problems; he can discuss on a common basis the students' problems, because he knows and understands their particular situations. In reality he gives them leadership, provides the guidance which is necessary in the schools of today."

Agriculture in the regional schools is posing many questions. Is there a need for such a course in Quebec? If so, what should be taught to best serve the needs of all concerned? Further meetings are planned by the Quebec Farmers' Association in the near future to study agriculture in the regional schools.

Week's Epigram

A multi-million dollar highway is a ribbon of concrete that can be snarled up by a $100 jalopy in a quarter-inch snowstorm.

—Keith H. MacDonald, Cdn. Highway Safety Council

Brief from Regional C of C for new highways, 29 and 41

The Regional Chambers of Commerce will meet in convention on May 15 at St. Eustache, bringing together member groups from the three counties of Argenteuil, Deux Montagnes and Terrebonne.

The organization agreed at its last assembly that any Chamber wishing to sponsor a resolution should submit the text in writing to the secretary, Lucien Van Campanelle, of Bois des Filion. Such resolutions would then be studied by a committee named for that purpose.

There is assurance there will be a full support of member municipalities and their mayors in a brief on Routes 29 and 41 to be submitted to the Minister of Roads, the Hon. Bernard Pinard. Delegates presenting this brief will include Noel Pominville, warden of Deux Montagnes and mayor of Oka; Léopold Lalanne, mayor of St. Placide; Pierre Marinier, mayor of Oka Village; Raymond Poupart, mayor of Pointe Calumet; François Lespérance, mayor of Ste. Marthe; Gabriel Noël, mayor of St. Colomban; Ubald St. Vincent, mayor of St. Canut; and J.-P Lavigne, mayor of St. Placide Village.

Car overturned on Barron's Bridge

Gilles Desforges, 38, of 48 Charles Street, Lachute, escaped serious injury early Sunday morning when his car overturned on Barron's Bridge. It appears that the vehicle struck a diagonal girder on the side of the bridge, and the car climbed it sufficiently to flip over onto its roof. Mr. Desforges was headed towards Brownsburg when the accident occurred, at 1.15 a.m. Sunday.

The bridge was blocked for some time, and the driver was taken to the Argenteuil Hospital where he was treated for minor injuries. The mishap was investigated by Cst. J. M. Beauregard of the municipal police.

Rotary topic illustrates the development of drugs

Your life depends upon drugs. You may be saved from crippling pain and misery, by drugs — some of which have yet to be discovered.

This was the theme of Ken Sims, speaker, in his illustrated address to the Rotary Club at their regular weekly meeting last Thursday, at La Lorraine Motel.

Introduced by Kent Tompkins as regional manager for the Montreal Pharmaceutical Company, Smith Kline & French, Mr. Sims pointed out the value of drugs. By reducing the length of treatment or hospitalization period; by reducing pain; by making serious operations safer, some formerly impossible — dependable drugs are a real boon to mankind.

"Recall the long, costly, painful treatment of mastoids, or the useless years spent in mental hospitals, in the past", the speaker said.

He also pointed out the great need for development of new and better drugs to treat such problems as cancer, heart disease and virus infections. This means costly research. For example, Cortisone was developed in 1948 for painful arthritis, at a cost of $25,000, and required 14 years of exhaustive testing. Many other uses for it have been found since, and several different types of the drug.

The film "Search Without End", shown by the speaker, was about this group, its discovery and manufacture. It showed sterile, yet colorful, modern equipment and methods that are used to produce quality medicines in some Canadian plants. With 400 producers in Canada, some without any pharmacist on their staff, it seemed likely that the quality just could not be equal to a "Brand Name" product, and that research would be non-existent for such companies. The film's sponsors, 50 members of the Pharmaceutical Manufacturers Association of Canada, are concerned, and feel the public should also be, with the possibility of forced licensing which would permit the unscrupulous to make the drug without contributing to the great cost of research that went into it.

Another phase of importance to the public is the side effects — or the possible dangers of the drug. "All drugs can be dangerous." There are 600,000 children poisoned each year by aspirin; and the new birth control pills are taking their toll, since they are being left where curious children can try them, the speaker said.

It is because of such danger that research and control must be carried on by the drug producer, to discover the correct dose and use of the prescription, and its side-effects. Also of great importance is the need to see that the doctor is properly advised — through his medical journals, literature and service calls by qualified representatives.

This is a subject that will be given more attention as our governments work on medicare plans.

We need quality drugs, more and better drugs — which means continued and increased research by dependable producers.

The speaker was thanked by Dave Schwartz, who had earlier introduced guest John Armstrong.

Note from Ottawa Commons debate

Ottawa — In the Commons debate on capital punishment this week at Ottawa, Roger Regimbal, M.P. for Argenteuil - Deux Montagnes, said he is in the "ridiculous position" of being an abolitionist who will vote for retention, because this particular resolution did not make clear what would replace the death penalty.

The resolution would impose a mandatory life sentence on all persons convicted of murder and require the cabinet to give its approval before anyone gained parole.

How Easter Seals dollars help crippled children

Several Easter Seals school buses daily transport around 250 handicapped children to their special classes at the Mackay Centre for Deaf and Crippled Children in Montreal. These buses serve as a vital bridge for handicapped youngsters. The Easter Seals campaign must be supported if the children are to continue their education normally, in the classroom.

Pink envelopes seeking Easter Seal donations have been mailed to homes in the Montreal area, including this County. The local Lions Club, as promoters of the campaign in this vicinity, hope for a generous response.

In addition to maintaining the bus service, Easter seals dollars have covered the cost of new buildings and renovations of the camp kitchen at the MacKay Centre's summer camp at Ayer's Cliff, near Magog. Up to 150 crippled youngsters attend the camp annually for summer vacations they would otherwise miss.

The funds have provided for orthopedic aids and treatment for crippled children in various hospitals, besides aiding local families afflicted with crippling diseases.



Collision in town, three in hospital

Three men were taken to Argenteuil Hospital for treatment following this accident, late Saturday afternoon on the Brownsburg Road, near the Mountain View subdivision. According to investigating police, the vehicle on the left was headed into Lachute when it swerved out of control and across the highway, into the path of a new car owned and driven by Colin Martin, of Brownsburg. Mr. Martin, whose vehicle had logged only 421 miles, was taken to hospital in the police car and later allowed to return home.

The other vehicle was driven by Gilles Boucher, 35, of Montreal, who was accompanied by M. MacElroy, 54, of St. Laurent, neither of whom received serious injuries; Larry Hennesey, 45, of Montreal, and Ken Braveau, 38, of Chomedey. The latter two were transferred to hospitals in Montreal, where their condition was considered to be serious.

Property damage in the crash was estimated to be $4,600. Cst. Reynald Bell, of the Lachute Police Department, carried out the investigation, and no charges have been made.

—Photo, Syd Drew

Civil servants' strike averted, contract termed 'historic event'

QUEBEC THIS WEEK
By The Canadian Press

Quebec — The threat of a strike by Quebec's 25,000 civil servants ended last Thursday when they voted to accept pay increases totalling more than $30,000,000 in a two-year contract.

About 15,000 members of the Provincial Civil Servants Union, an affiliate of the CNTU, took part in a vote held in centres across the province.

It was a fairly close vote with 65 per cent of the 15,000 union members voting for acceptance of the government's offer and cancellation of the strike planned for the following morning.

The contract is the first between the civil servants and the provincial government since the civil servants were given the right to join unions and strike, under the Public Employees Act, which was passed by the provincial legislature last year.

Negotiations had been going on between the union and the government since last September.

Initially, the government offered $15,000,000 in the increases, but the union held out for $30,000,000 and while negotiations continued, gave notice that unless a settlement was reached by March 25 the civil servants would go on strike.

Agreement on the contract was announced after negotiators for the union recommended acceptance of what the government said was its final contract offer.

Premier Lesage had met with the negotiators behind closed doors and when he emerged from this meeting he announced that agreement had been reached on the main terms of the contract.

The contract provides for salary increases averaging $322 in the first year, and an increase of three per cent in the second year.

The government has also granted, conditionally, implementation of the Rand Formula on union membership, a clause sought in the contract by the union. The implementation of the formula will mean that all civil servants must pay union dues whether they choose to join the union or not.

The formula will be instituted as soon as the union proves it represents 70 per cent of those eligible for membership.

Opposition Leader Daniel Johnson was quick to critize the government for having delayed the negotiations with the civil servants. In a prepared statement, Mr. Johnson said Friday that by its "hesitations and delays" the government allowed the threat of a disastrous strike to hang over the province. He said that if the government had started negotiations sooner, an agreement would no doubt have been reached which would have been "more satisfactory to all".

In the legislature, however, announcement of the settlement was greeted with a round of applause, and Premier Lesage described it as "an historic event."

K. MacGibbon heads Hospital executive

Elected to the presidency of the Argenteuil Hospital administrative board last Monday, at the annual meeting, was Kenneth W. MacGibbon, works manager at C-I-L Ammunition Division plant in Brownsburg. Formerly vice-president, Mr. MacGibbon takes over the chairmanship from Armand Desrosiers, who resigned the position due to his pending move to St. Jerome.

Others who are elected on the administrative board are as follows:

Vice-president, Notary Simon Valois; secretary, J. Romeo Legault; treasurer, Donald M. Hay.

Executive — Bertrand L'Heureux, Mrs. Leonard Ayers, Paul Deslauriers, Mtre. Roger Lagarde, Ian Gordon, Jess W. Humphries, Jas. H. Hayman. . . The two last-named, and Romeo Legault, are newly appointed, although they have been attending previous board meetings as observers.

Dr. Marc Papineau retains the position of Medical Board representative to the administrative body.



Ken W. MacGibbon

Inaugurated driving courses

Montreal — Mrs. Claire Kirkland Casgrain, minister of transportation and communication, presided at the launching of a series of driving improvement lectures scheduled to be held throughout the province during the next five weeks.

The launching was held Monday at the Martin School hall in Ville St. Pierre. The lectures will be delivered by transportation department officers in 36 towns and parishes in the province. They will run until June 3.

Spring thaw

Quebec — Highways in the western part of the province are closed to heavy traffic effective from midnight last Monday, according to the roads department.

All highways in the Montreal region, north and northwest of Montreal, in the Eastern Townships and Abitibi are affacted.

Sentiments and Sidelights

(Comments on the Local Scene)

Go-go. — A note in our Cushing news 80 years ago, reporting an entertainment in the Stone Hall: "The Grenvillites, who have earned a reputation for 'go', fully sustained their character on this occasion."

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The "blitz" canvass of the Red Cross appeal takes place in Lachute next Monday evening, April 4. The voluntary collectors, and the worthy cause they represent, deserve your generous support.

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The Catholic school boards of Brownsburg and St. Michel are petitioning the Quebec government for approval of a plan to amalgamate the two territories for purposes of education — the two divisions to be represented in the proportion of five and two commissioners, respectively, on the Dollard des Ormeaux regional board.

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Huberdeau parish hall will be the scene of a meeting next Sunday afternoon organized by the Argenteuil Fishing and Hunting Association to interest sportsmen in the group's program for 1966. Interesting films will be shown on sports in the outdoors.

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Drilling operations at McGibbon's and Barron's bridges inspire new hope that plans for their replacement are underway. However, it seems for years one has watched surveyors taking measurements thereabouts — from which nothing has yet materialized.

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No one knocks on your door to sell Easter Seals. But a campaign so deserving should not be overlooked for lack of a personal approach. If you have not returned your pink envelope with a donation to the Crippled Children's Fund, do so now — or contact Col. Ernest Emmett, Lachute, who is committeeman for the Lions Club as sponsors of this effort.

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Business Construction. — Mr. Leonard Bedard is installing a new frontage and interior to his Main Street store, to be rented from May 1 by Ellery Cousineau, manager at Ben Younger's for the past few years, who will continue in the same line, men's outfitting. Meanwhile, demolition has started at the rear of the "Banford Block" to make way for La Caisse Populaire construction. . . Work is also proceeding on the new Jos. Malaket & Fils premises next to their furniture showrooms.

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The case of Cottingham versus the Town of Lachute, set for Tuesday, March 29, before the Board of Public Services, has been postponed until a date unspecified. The suit is for $260,000 over land evaluation for construction of Lachute's filtration plant.

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A two-engine plane from the Montreal Flying Club crashed while landing at the Ayers landing strip around 7.20 Tuesday evening. Preliminary investigation indicates that a blow-out occurred while landing, and the plane veered off the runway. Pilot of the craft was Pierre Trudel, of the Montreal Flying Club, who with the other occupants, escaped uninjured through a window.



Scuba divers search in vain

This was a scene near McGibbon's bridge last week, where Hawkesbury divers searched the North River in vain for the body of 10-year-old Yvan Denault, believed drowned when he crashed through thin ice at the confluence of the West and North Rivers. The diver descending (right) is secured by a rope due to the swift current at this point.

—Photo, Syd Drew



Add signs of spring

This town crew was caught by our photographer last week on Main Street East, filling some of the potholes which make Lachute's thoroughfares unpleasant for motorists when the snow disappears.

—Photo, Syd Drew

"Argenteuil Outdoors"

By BOB ATCHISON

Some time ago, I received information that the Federal Government was going to set aside money to construct ships for the testing of waters against pollution. I see now the Minister of Mines, the Hon. Mr. Pépin, has released this to the public. Tests will be carried on in Lake Ontario and the St. Lawrence to ascertain just how bad things are. It is also hoped that other lakes will be brought into the program. When we were on Main Duck Island in Lake Ontario, the Department of Fisheries used to take water samples and keep records. I remember asking at the time why this was done, and pollution, I was told, was the big factor. How many years this had been going on, to that time — I do not know.

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What I am really getting at — these tests are available to all branches of government, with all the information obtained; so why the rush to build ships? Maybe just to spend some of the taxpayers' money. Of course, this would be standard, for government procedure — don't bother asking if anything has been done before, just go ahead and do it again. This testing was initiated a good many years ago, and more has been done since; it was known then the waters of Lake Ontario were polluted, some parts worse than others, and all the lakes were in a bad state.

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Why ships should be built, is one of those things. Plenty of good men have been hired to try and do something about pollution, checking overflows from towns, cities and all the trouble spots. Now why not give them a little more authority, to go in and clean up these sources? Big Business would be the first to get going on anti-pollution, if they knew they were going to be hit in the pocketbook. This, to me, is the only way to get results. You sure can't expect much else under the present approach, when so-called "experts" go on record to state that detergents do not pollute — that "you can't judge a people by is sewers" — or hat big industry is not to blame for any of it.

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Effluents that run into our open waters, without being treated in any way, are taken as a way of life; nothing is done about it. One of the worst offenders, as I've often mentioned, is the detergents. We all know by now the effect of these chemicals on water; we also know there is a detergent on the market that will break down (in other words, is soluble) in water, and leaves no side-effects. So how come these large companies can go right on making the other kinds, that "suffocate" our waters? I guess money talks very loud.

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I can remember back in the thirties, towns and villages asking the government for help with sewage deposits thrown up on their beaches from sewers; and how, in a few cases, the towns themselves had to clean up the mess. Kingston and Gananoque sent a delegation to Ottawa for help; you know how much they received. For a long time the beaches were not fit to swim in. Now again, calls for help are being sent out to the governments — and you can safely guess what will happen.

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How many years it has been unsafe to swim in the St. Lawrence around the Island of Montreal, I don't know; but it has been a long time. The public as owners of this property, don't seem to care — it's too much trouble, why bother? . . But if only people would realize that letters to their Member of Parliament are the fastest way of getting things done by the government, then maybe we could get some action.

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Many also seem to think that our water problems are caused by the U.S., so why should they worry about it? Certainly the U.S. have a hand in pollution of the Great Lakes and the St. Lawrence, but they have nothing to do with our waters in the Laurentians. We are responsible for this, no one else. As an example, take the Ottawa and North Rivers. We have allowed industries and towns to dump all kinds of fluids, with no controls whatsoever. You don't have to be TOLD these waters are not too good, you can SEE it. Even the lakes far back from here are getting to be just as bad. People fail to understand that these waters are a real bank account; spoil them and we are dead ducks.

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The prospects of fishing are getting closer every day. April 22nd is the big day — not that many fish will be caught, but at least we can go out and try that doozer bait we bought last month. The fishing should be better this year; with higher water levels and faster currents, the waters will have cleaned themselves up a little. The lakes are starting to get soft, so it won't be too long now. I inspected one lake last Sunday, and the ice was a lot thinner than I thought it would be. Nearly all the streams are open, and naturally these will be fished first.

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The deer haul for last season is published, and as expected, the kill was lower than in '64, even though some areas were thrown open that were previously closed, or for bucks only. No matter what explanation is given, we know without doubt that we are in a serious position as regards our wildlife. It's easily understood; with the open seasons for all varieties, bucks, does and fawns, and the thousands of additional hunters every year coming in to kill, it really is a wonder we have any deer at all. Lack of control over the hunters also has a detrimental effect, and the poor protection afforded for our wildlife. It should make us realize that it's time we started to get busy.

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A reported sighting of a lynx with kittens, on the Lakefield road. . . Once more, any of you seeing a family like this, please don't try and take the kits; the mother won't sit by and let you do this, believe me! I imagine there will also be a couple of cub bears around the district, so take it easy with these, too. I know such warnings are not necessary for most of you, but for those "extra mighty" hunters, leave them alone. You don't have to kill them; they won't harm you in any way, unless you molest them. Lynx, bear, wolves, etc., are just the same as most domesticated animals; even your pet cat doesn't like you to handle her offspring.

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A great deal of publicity has been given to the KILLER wolves this past winter. Maybe this will interest you a little: A group in Sweden have just completed a survey, in which they went back 150 years and found no authentic case of wolves ever having attacked humans. Certainly these animals will try and take care of themselves, so if a person gets in the way, or hurts them, then they hurt back. Fair enough, isn't it? It is known the male wolf is an exemplary "family man"; at least he helps bring up the young — maybe better than we humans.

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In case you don't know it, Spring is officially here. The first big flock of redwings were seen on the St. Jerome road today, about 100 of them. It won't be too long before they start nesting.

St. Simeon's Angl. Bowling League

LEAGUE STANDING

Team and Skip	P.	W.	L.	D.	F.	A.	Pts.
Flyers (Joe Sewell)	28	18	7	3	307	185	39
Sparks (Rev. W. LeCras)	28	16	11	1	240	229	33
Comets (Mrs. C. R. Lang)	28	12	12	4	267	229	28
Beavers (Mrs. M. Sewell)	28	13	14	1	208	264	27
Stars (Gordon Silverson)	28	11	14	3	232	250	25
Robins (Dave Brown)	28	8	20	-	187	284	16



Laurentian Hockey League champions

The Brownsburg Bombers, pictured above, triumphed in five successive finals against Lachute Lions, to win the Laurentian Hockey League title. The finals were a best-5-out-of-9 series. The decision concludes the league activities for this season.



Storage of Boots. Your boots are the easiest piece of ski equipment to put away for the summer months, but probably the most forgotten. It is surprising how many skiers take off their wet boots after spring skiing and just throw them in a damp basement to be neglected for the off-season. In the fall or at first snow, the skier finds them, covered in caked mud and sand, dried out, covered in mildew, and the soles all curled up.

All that is required for storage, is a good saturation of silicone, and a good shoe shine with ordinary boot polish, after they have had a chance to dry out from your last day of skiing. Stuff the insides with newspaper, lace or buckle them, and place them in your boot press. Store them along with your street shoes in a damp-free location and the boots will provide many years of pleasurable skiing.

Ski bindings should be checked over for wear and opening action of the release. Wipe them down and apply a little vaseline to the working parts.

For those of you who are fortunate to have the better quality **metal skis,** check them for wear and, if you wish to have them rebuilt, do not wait for next year to have them refinished — bring them in now so you can have them ready for next season. It is amazing how many skiers leave them and suddenly want them refinished after the skiing has started, and then are amazed when we tell them it takes about four weeks.

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The **Carnival Day** of the Ram Ski Club is this Saturday. A full day has been planned for all members, with a weiner roast outside for the children, an obstacle race for children and adults, prizes for the best costumes on children and hats for adults. The racing trophies will be presented on this day, as well as special awards for the best progress among children in the Junior Program.

So all in all, this Saturday, April 2, should prove an exciting day. Let's all make the effort and make this last event of the season a big success; you won't regret it.

LACHUTE 1884 CURLING CLUB

The annual bonspiel is well underway, and there have been quite a few very good games, some with surprising results. Five sections have now been completed in the Points division of the bonspiel. Section one winner is Skip T. R. Montgomery, of the Lachine Curling Club, with a percentage of 33. Section two winner is Fred Pring of Lachute, with a percentage of 32½. Monty Parisien's rink from Hawkesbury with a percentage of 35 finished in top place in section three. Thirty-four percent was high in section four, obtained by J. D. Andrews of the Thistle Club, Montreal. The rink of Skip B. Simpson from Heather Curling Club is the winner of the fifth section, his percentage — a whopper of 38½. The Knock-Out division of 32 rinks, introduced for the first time this year, and which seems to be a success, will play the semi-final games on Thursday, March 31, at 8.30 in the evening; these games should be worth watching, so come down and spend the evening at the Club.

Saturday, April 2, will be the day of the finals. The play-off of the Points division will be run during the day. Evening will see the final games of both the Knock-Out and Points division. The ladies will serve dinner and there will be music by Emmett Lowe. The final evening of the annual bonspiel is always the night of the season; there will be room for you, so come and have yourself a good time.

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The finals of the Baie d'Urfé Curling Club's mixed bonspiel were held on Saturday, March 26. A Lachute rink skipped by Carl Rodger, with Leona MacKimmie, Doug MacKenzie and Eve Dagenais, won the "B" Division and received pieces of luggage as prizes. Congratulations from the members.

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Redwings (Miss Grace Rosser)	13	9	0	4	116	87	18
Beavers (Ed Armstrong)	13	8	1	4	109	96	17
Thistles (William Wilson)	13	7	1	5	105	102	15
All Stars (Evelyn Girling)	13	6	2	5	91	113	14
St. Pats, (Harold Smith)	13	5	2	6	123	109	12
Rangers (Leslie Gordon)	13	5	2	6	109	103	12
St. David's (Mrs. Ed Armstrong)	13	6	0	7	95	106	12
Maple Leafs (Clifton Matthews)	13	5	1	7	110	119	11
St. George's (Owen Todd)	13	5	0	8	101	102	10
Bluebirds (Mrs. Simon Wilson)	13	4	1	8	98	118	9

Lachute Motor Sport Club

News — Views
Activities

By Jim Bullock



Bob McLean is dead. . . . After driving his Lotus 23 to victory after victory last year, he was killed at Sebring, his first race of the new season. Bob McLean was the Canadian Champion driver.

As an amateur he had done exceptionally well. Racing is an expensive business, the modern-day sport of kings. After seven years of racing he had finally won himself a place on a first class racing team, Comstock. . . . A wheel fell off, and he is no more.

Several club members are planning to attend racing school this year. This is the first step on the long road to racing glory, although I doubt that any of us has the intention, or the skill, to go all the way to a championship. First comes the production sports-car racing, often in the same car you use from day to day. Then, as you become more skilled, you are offered partnerships in racing ventures, and the climb to faster and faster cars begins. Last year McLean entered his Lotus in almost every race in Canada. His skill, with a well prepared car, won him a championship. This is about as high as a Canadian amateur can go. Comstock decided to show the flag on the international circuit this year. That places an amateur in fast company, very fast indeed. I am not suggesting that McLean was out of his league, but he was racing against pros, who get paid for risking their necks. Amateurs race for fun. When it ceases to be fun, an amateur should quit. I expect that McLean was enjoying his competition in the big time, and if he was, we should not mourn his death. He was pursuing his life's ambition; he was doing what he wanted to do more than anything else. How many of us could make that claim? Death is a risk that any driver takes, on or off the track; he felt the risk was worth it. I respect his choice.

Arena open for month of April

Information is given by Jacques J. Bourgoing, manager, that there will be skating at the Lions' Arena Fridays and Saturdays during April at the following hours:

Fridays — 7 to 9 p.m.
Saturdays 2 to 4 — 7 to 9 p.m.

Afternoon skating hours will also apply every day during the Easter holidays.

Rental of the Arena may be arranged through Mr. Bourgoing, manager (tel. 562-9008 or 562-5139).

Brownsburg CURLING

Curling Events

The finals of the Molson Mixed bonspiel were held Friday, March 25, and the winners were George Gagné (skip), Eadie McCulloch, Lucien Denis and Hilda Golphin. The winners of the Consolation were Bill Dimock, Lucienne Whelan, George Gates and Lyla Murdoch.

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The winners of the Birks Trophy, which has been played on Fridays and is for aggregate points, were Eunice Low (skip), Bea Villard, Bennie Lafleur and Rosalie Graham.

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On April 19 the Ladies' Branch will hold their annual meeting, also a pot-luck supper and presentation of prizes.

April 16 — the closing dance and presentation of prizes.

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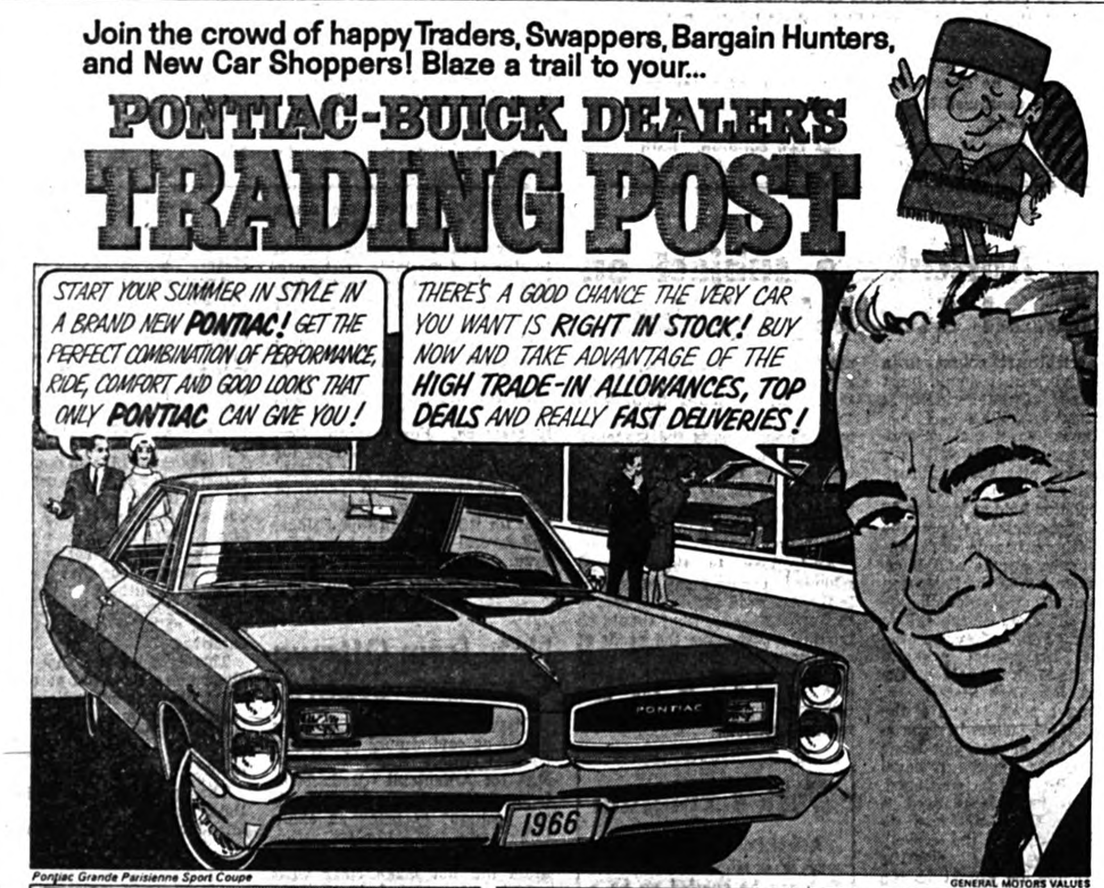

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Daniele Daviault, a six-year-old Chomedey resident, was the winner of the Honda Sports Car S-600 in the March 14 I.G.A. promotion on Channel 10, CFTM - TV, and is seen here receiving the keys from Aimé Filion, representing Buccaneer Industries Ltd., who donated the car. To the right are the happy parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Daviault, who took delivery of the automobile —Photo, Syd Drew

Resident died suddenly at Weir

Late Mrs. Sherman Beaven of Lachute

Weir, Que. — This community was shocked on Friday morning, March 25, to learn of the sudden passing of Mrs. Sherman Beaven, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Owen.

Mrs. Beaven, the former Emily Barwick, of Gravesend, Kent, England, in her 71st year, passed away suddenly after a short illness. She had resided in Weir for a number of years prior to leaving for Bathurst, N.B., in 1942, where Mr. and Mrs. Beaven continued to reside until 1958, when they moved to Lachute. During her lifetime Mrs. Beaven had been active in church work, and a member of the Eastern Star, Legion and Women's Auxiliary.

Left to mourn her passing besides her husband, is one brother, Mr. Harry Barwick, in England, one daughter (Thelma) Mrs. Wm. Owen, of Weir, four sons, Gordon, of Scarborough, Ernest and Wilfred, of Bathurst, N.B., and Bruce, of Hamilton, also nine grandchildren.

The funeral took place Monday afternoon from the Church of the Redeemer, Weir, with the Rev. C. R. Lang, of Lachute, officiating, assisted by the Rev. J. B. Owen, of Carp, Ont. Two favorite hymns of the deceased were sung, "The Strife Is O'er" and "Rock of Ages", with Mrs. D. Jones as organist.

The pall-bearers were Messrs. Edgar Williams, Ralph Lawrence, Donald Morrison, John Thompson, Earl Pennington and Jos. Viens. Interment took place in the cemetery at The Glen.

Friends and relatives were in attendance from Lachute, Montreal, Buckingham, Carp, Ottawa, Lorraine, Hamilton, Bathurst, Scarborough and Otterburn Heights.

APPRECIATION

I wish to thank relatives, friends and neighbors for flowers, gifts, cards and visits while I was a patient in the Argenteuil Hospital. Special thanks to Dr. MacKimmie, Dr. Legault and nurses, and for kindness of the Rev. Ritchie Bell.

—Gordon Walker

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Centennial Report



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by JOHN W. FISHER
CENTENNIAL COMMISSIONER

When I took over the job of organizing Canada's biggest celebration in history I ran into a number of pessimists, even a few cynics.

This is the sort of line they gave me: "Canadians aren't noisy patriots. You'll have a tough job stirring up much flag waving for 1967."

Well, some of their facts were correct but the spirit in which those few pessimists presented their views to me was not what I accept as Canadian. I have travelled long and far enough in this country to know that Canadians really have strong positive feelings about their country.

I could agree with some of the statements by my pessimistic friends if they were in a different context. Canadians are not given to wild demonstrations of patriotism in their own country. Such things can embarrass us. I believe our kind of nationalism is more thoughtful than emotional and that is why I believe so fervently that our Centennial will be a successful and meaningful event in our history.

Yes, we may have difficulty at times in deciding what we are, what we are for and what we are against in the world. But we know what home is and though we may be embarrassed to express it, we love our land. Perhaps I discovered this through travel abroad when I met Canadians far from home. When we are world travelling we are more apt to open up and reveal to other people our inner thoughts about our country. One particular instance comes to my mind. I was breakfasting at a small hotel in London, England, a few years ago and became engaged in conversation with a young man across the table from me. He was a Canadian working at an airline office in London. With no prodding from me he poured out all his thoughts about home and about Canada.

"I'm not a nationalist," he said. "In fact I'm against nationalism. It causes a lot of trouble in the world. That's why I like my country. We're not aggressive nationalists. But really, mister," he said, "it's hard to describe my feelings about my country." He thought his feeling for his homeland was not just the house he was born in back in Ontario, nor was it necessarily his home town. It was the lake country where he used to go on canoe trips in the summer, the big rushing rivers and the roads that go forever.

"I always felt if I couldn't find a job in Canada I could always go to the north country and trap and hunt — something one couldn't do over here — and at least make a living," he said. He admitted it was just a "fancy of the mind" — probably he'd starve — but Canada always gave him a feeling of security, he said. "I always felt that the Rockies or the Gaspé wildernesses were mine, even though I didn't go there every week-end. (I only saw the Rockies once.)"

The young man went on, exposing his mind and being very sentimental and patriotic. I thought to myself he probably would be far too inhibited and embarrassed to talk like that back home.

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The late Leslie Barley

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Left to mourn his passing are two sisters, Mrs. Ruby Stewart, of Brownsburg, and Mrs. Maude Thurauf, of New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Alwyn Stewart, of Brownsburg, attended the funeral, which was held on Monday, March 14, at Windsor.

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DISTRICT NEWS
— FROM OUR COUNTY CORRESPONDENTS —

Brownsburg

Mrs. Beverly Martin and son, Craig, of Montreal, were recent guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Johnston.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Hebert and son, David, of Brampton, Ont., were week-end guests of the latter's mother, Mrs. T. Anderson and other relatives here.

Mrs. Gordon Jennings and son, Paul, of Chateauguay, spent part of last week here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hector Mason.

Mrs. E. MacLeod, of Pierrefonds, spent a couple days here last week with her sister, Mrs. F. Barker and Mr. Barker.

Three Octogenarians

Belated birthday wishes to Mr. Charles Neveu, who was 84 years old on Tuesday, March 22. Mr. Neveu enjoys good health and takes a walk each day. . . Also, birthday wishes go to Mr. Fred Jordan, who will be 86 this week, and Mr. John S. Dixon of Dalesville, who celebrates his 89th on Thursday, March 31.

Bereavements

Word was received here last week by Mrs. F. Barker of the death of Mr. F. Aylward, of Anglia, Sask. Mr. and Mrs. Aylward (formerly Lottie Clark) lived in Brownsburg for some time. Sympathy is expressed to Mrs. Aylward in her bereavement.

Sympathy is also extended to the families and relatives of the late Mr. Charles Harding and the late Mr. Aldege Carrière.

Births, Marriages, Deaths, etc.

Births, Marriages, Deaths, In Memoriam, etc., $1.00; 10 cents per type line extra for verses with In Memoriam (estimate 8 words per type line.)

BIRTHS

RODGER — To John and Susann (née McFaul) at the Royal Victoria Hospital on Thursday, March 24, 1966, a son (8 lbs. 4 ozs.) Both well. 1c

DIXON — Marjory and Lance (née Vaillancourt) are happy to announce the birth of a son, Lance George, on March 22, 1966, at the Grace Maternity Hospital, Halifax, N.S. (Both well.)

IN MEMORIAM

BRYSON (Daniel) — In loving memory of a dear son and brother, who passed away March 26, 1961. — Always remembered by Dad and family.

HYDE (Charles) — In loving memory of a dear father and grandfather, who passed away March 29, 1965. — Always remembered by Ross and Margaret; Wendell, Lucille and Wayne.

KARR — In loving memory of my dear sister, Louise, who passed away April 1, 1951; and her husband, Samuel, Jan. 14, 1948. — Lilly McPhee.

TOMALTY (Lilly) — In loving memory of a dear mother, who passed away March 27, 1965. — Ever remembered by her daughter, Pearl, and three grandchildren, William, Pat and Freda.

"Just as you were, you will always be."

THOMPSON — In loving memory of Mother and Granny (Sarah E. Hutton), who passed away March, 31, 1964. Also Father (James Thompson), who passed away, April 14, 1947 — Ever remembered by Cyrus, Joyce and Adele.

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YOUNG (Mrs. Joe) — In loving memory of a dear mother, who passed away March 31, 1959. — Always remembered by the family.

"Peaceful be thy rest, dear Mother,
It is sweet to breathe thy name,
In life we loved you dearly,
In death we do the same."

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

HOPKINS — Lowell B. Hopkins and family wish to express their sincere thanks and appreciation to the doctors and nurses of the Argenteuil Hospital, the Rev. Harold Thompson, singers who formed the large choir, and Mrs. C. Wheeler, organist. Thanks also to their many friends, for acts of kindness and expressions of sympathy shown to them in the passing of a beloved mother and grandmother.

MIDDLETON — The husband and family of the late Mrs. Lyall A. Middleton sincerely thank all friends and relatives for kind messages and expressions of sympathy, and for assistance extended in their bereavement.

RACINE — The Misses Racine, of Lachute, and members of their family, wish to express sincere thanks to friends and relatives for expressions of sympathy in the recent loss of their brother, Henri, of Calumet; also for mass offerings, flowers, cards, telegrams, visits or attendance at the funeral.

Arundel

Week-end guests at the home of Mrs. Alvin Graham were Mr. and Mrs. Toeppner, of Dollard des Ormeaux, and Mr. and Mrs. S. Bates, of Montreal.

We are pleased to note that Mrs. H. Cooke, who underwent surgery last week, is progressing favorably.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Staniforth and family, of Montreal, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Cooke this past week-end.

On Saturday last, Mrs. Arthur Batty journeyed to Grenville to attend a one-day course in Girl Guide and Brownie leadership.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Davis, of Maniwaki, were week-end guests of Mrs. Frank Davis.

Mrs. May, who is now at home after a sojourn in hospital, is making good progress towards recovery.

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

Women's Institute

The Women's Institute will hold its monthly meeting on Tuesday evening, April 5, in the Arundel School. All members are requested to be in attendance, as important business will be coming up. The program will consist of a "blind auction" — so members, do not forget your parcels.

Weir

Mr. and Mrs. B. McDonald, of Montreal, spent the week-end as guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Ratelle.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Gelston and daughters, Lynda and Arlene, and Mrs. Ken Sawers, of Montreal, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Loudin on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Courte, of Montreal, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Courte, Jr.

Sympathy of this community is extended to the bereaved family of the late Mrs. Sherman Beaven, who passed away at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Owen on Friday.

Mrs. W. H. Williams spent the week-end in Brockville, where she attended the wedding of her niece, Miss Wendy Philips, on Saturday.

Mrs. Wm. Davidson spent Friday in Montreal, visiting friends.

Harrington

Condolence to Local Families

This community was shocked and saddened Sunday evening to hear of the sudden passing of one of our most respected citizens, Mr. Herbert Smith, of Rivington. Heartfelt sympathy is extended to the bereaved family.

The sympathy of the community is also extended to the MacLean family in the death of their dear father and grandfather, Mr. Walter MacLean (affectionately known as "Wattie"), after a lengthy illness

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Mr. Haig MacTavish, of Montreal, spent the past week-end visiting with his parents.

Miss Marjory Morrison, of Montreal, was a week-end guest at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Morrison.

Miss Susan Dobbie, of Montreal, spent the week-end visiting with Miss Eleanor Campbell.

Bell Falls

Mrs. Morris Pettigrew, of Ottawa, is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. David MacLean.

Mr. Noel Baril and Miss Carolyn Arthurs, of Montreal, spent the week-end with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Arthurs.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Burns and family, of Montreal, spent the week-end at their cottage here.

Week-end visitors at the home of Erving MacLean were Mr. Doug MacLean, Miss Jessie Smith and a couple of friends, all from Ottawa.

Bereavements

Friends here were saddened Sunday evening to hear that Mr. Herbert Smith had died with a heart attack. Deepest sympathy is extended to his wife and family.

Also our sincere sympathy is expressed to the family of the late Mr. Walter MacLean; and to Mrs. Wyman MacLean in the death of her brother, Bazil Bronson.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Singer, of Saint John, N.B., and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Betts and son, of Montreal, spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Page.

Mr. and Mrs. Erving MacLean, Mr. Howard Young and Mr. Harold Young, motored to Cornwall on Sunday to attend the wake of the late Mr. Bazil Bronson.

Calumet

Mr. and Mrs. Wyman Arthurs, of Dauphin, Man., and Mrs. John Dobbie, called on Mrs. Samson Arthurs last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Barker, of Lachute, called on Mrs. Alex Craig on Sunday.

Miss Deanna Hall, of Ottawa, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Silas Hall.

Sympathy to the family, brothers and sisters of the late Mr. Walter MacLean; also to Mrs. Smith and family in the death of their husband and father, the late Herbert Smith.

Northern Grenville

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Paige and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Eric Stanley in Metcalfe, Ont., last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Woods, of Eastview, called on their parents during the week-end.

Miss Hilda McCart, of Montreal, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. McCart.

Mr. and Mrs. John Arthurs visited relatives in Kilmar last Sunday evening.

Golden Wedding

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Dougal Trineer, who celebrated their 50th anniversary on Saturday.

Sincere sympathy is extended to the wife, family and relatives of the late Mr. Herbert Smith of Rivington; also to the family and relatives of the late Mr. Walter MacLean.

Ogdensburg

Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Wert and children, Trina and Terry, of Normetal, Que., spent the week-end with Mr. W. Wert.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Edstrom, of Morin Heights, visited Mr. and Mrs. C. White on Sunday.

Miss Sandra McAndrew was in Ottawa with a group from Lachute High School last Friday.

Mrs. J. Heatlie, Mrs. L. Plummer and Mrs. J. Black spent Friday in Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Plummer and sons visited Mr. and Mrs. D. Mullen in Ville Jacques Cartier on Sunday. Their grandsons, Jamie and Rusty, returned home after having spent the week-end here.

APPRECIATION

I wish to thank my many, many friends for cards, letters, visits, cigarettes, cigars, flowers, and phone calls received during my stay in the Montreal General Hospital. Special thanks to Joe and Muriel Nixon.

—Art Smith, Grenville

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5-Hard-wood tree
8-Word of sorrow
12-So be it!
13-By way of
14-Gull-like bird
15-Likely
16-Worms
18-Large bird
19-Note of scale
20-Damage
21-Parent (colloq.)
23-Symbol for silver
24-Looks condescendingly
26-Waver in opinion
28-Place in line
29-Stroke
30-Possessive pronoun
32-Semi-solids
33-Edible fish
34-Girl's name
35-Dutch town
36-Policemen (slang)
37-Haste
38-Baker's product
40-Lizards
41-Symbol for calcium
42-Rules
43-Vegetable
45-Hebrew letter
47-Number
48-Chief artery
50-Malice (archaic)
52-Announcements
53-Youngsters
54-Golf mound
55-Liberate

DOWN
1-TV personality
2-Urged on
3-Openwork fabric
4-Printer's measure
5-Declares
6-Country of Asia
7-Chapeau
8-Near
9-Confederate general
10-Movable part of motor
11-Comfortable
12-Rabbit
17-Blemish
20-Chickens
22-Symbol for gold
25-Downy duck
26-Parent (colloq.)
27-Piece of cut timber
28-Exist
29-Parent (colloq.)
31-Ethiopian title
32-Mountain pass
34-Pat about the kidneys
36-Tidy
37-Swindle
39-River in Siberia
40-Relishes
41-Jacket
42-Girl's name
44-Kind of cheese
46-Sheet of glass
48-Gaelic
49-Goat
50-A month (abbr.)
51-Rocky hill
52-Pronoun
54-Supposing that

Solution Last Week

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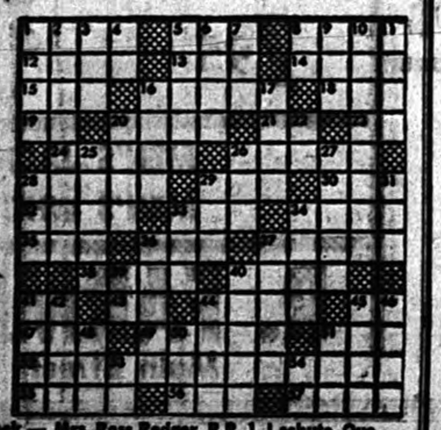

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Couple 50 years married

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Barron, of Crawford Park, Verdun, who celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary recently. A reception was held in their honor, with many relatives present. Mr. and Mrs. Barron have two daughters, Mrs. George Morris (Eileen), Mrs. Dawson Haigh (Alice), and two grandchildren, David and Maureen Haigh.

Barbershoppers

The Barbershop Singers are busy putting the finishing touches on their program for the Parade entertainment on May 14 at the Cinema Lachute. Tickets will go on sale within two weeks.

In order to welcome prospective French-speaking members, the show will include a French-singing quartet from Lachute, while the visiting Montreal chorus will also present several French selections. The chorus is planning to build up a repertoire of French numbers, but since all the harmony music is written in the U.S.A., a good translator will be required.

The group lacks only one member to fill the charter quota of 35. Interested singers please contact 562-6861.

Witnesses speaker discussed creation and space exploits

Represented among the 1,156 in attendance at the "Make Disciples of all Nations" assembly of Jehovah's Witnesses at Rosemount High School last week-end, were delegates and interested persons from the Lachute area. Appreciation for the reassessment of their spiritual values seemed to be unanimous.

In releasing the report of the assembly Sunday night Mr. R. D. Hoffman said, "The two initial steps to making disciples were discussed and demonstrated in the Saturday evening program. First, simple straightforward approaches to stimulate interest in and start home Bible study, were illustrated. The second essential step demonstrated was how to prepare students to anticipate and overcome obstacles to steady progress in Bible knowledge leading to their accepting the challenge of the Christian ministry."

Hoffmann added, "We were delighted to hear that over 475 home Bible studies are now in progress in the territories of the 14 congregations represented at the assembly."

On Sunday, Mr. F. P. Zamko, the special speaker, gave his principal address, entitled "Does God have influence in this Twentieth Century?" At one point Mr. Zamko said, "True astronauts did not see God; they can be glad they did not. Not believing in God on this basis, is unrealistic and unscientific". . . He continued, "Their flight was deeply affected by gravity, which they could not see nor ignore. The very existence of the law of gravity indicates there is a lawmaker; existence of the moon that they seek to reach testifies that there is a Creator."

About 1,600 hot meals were served to hungry delegates by 60 volunteer cafeteria workers using the school's fine facilities. A 20-piece orchestra conducted by Mr. Valerian Teodorovici provided the music. Convention supervisor Duncan Keffer expressed appreciation for kind reception of the people of Rosemount, and also to the members of the Montreal Protestant School Board.

Social and Personal

Mrs. Howard Watson left last Friday to spend a month in Victoria, B.C., visiting her mother, Mrs. J. L. Waller.

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Mrs. R. McDermott entertained members of her family on the occasion of the visit of her niece, Mrs. D. Smythe, of Vancouver. Mrs. Smythe was accompanied by her daughter, Suzanne.

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Preacher at the noontime Lenten services this week in St. Paul's Church, Halifax, is the Very Rev. Ritchie Bell, who left on Sunday evening to fill this engagement at the oldest Anglican church in Canada. Theme of his topic is "God in the Battleground".

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Mrs. Muriel Brown, of Montreal, was the week-end guest of Mrs. Kay Pillage.

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Mr. Harry Lister and Mr. Leonard McCambly, of Morin Heights, returned home on Thursday after spending the past four months on the Grand Bahama Island, and doing construction work while there.

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Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Avery, of Coldstream, N.B., wish to announce the engagement of their youngest daughter, Elizabeth Dorothy (Betty), to Neville John Eric Brown, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. David Brown, of Lachute, Que.

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Bridge Club

At the Argenteuil Duplicate Bridge Club on Monday, March 21, a club master-point game was played by 21 pairs. The winners were:

1. Messrs. G. Guilbert and G. Giroux, with 61.2%.

2. (Tied) Miss H. Smith, Mrs. C. Stephens, with 57.2 %; and Messrs. S. Seary and R. Gagné, with 57.2%.

On Saturday, March 26, there were eight pairs and the winners were: Mrs. M. Scott and Mrs. J. Gorman, 55.9 points.

Miss Betty Gain and Mr. Leigh Forget spent Sunday in St. Laurent visiting the former's aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Evans, and her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Gain.

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Mrs. Leonard Ayers and her sister, Miss Hilda Boucher, returned from a two-weeks visit to the former's daughter, Mrs. Armando Mendoza and Mr. Mendoza, at Yorktown Heights, N.Y., also to Philadelphia and New York City. They were accompanied on their return by Mrs. Ayers' granddaughter, Ana Maria Mendoza, who will be a guest at "Philengaifair" until after Easter. Miss Boucher returned here also, and left for her home in Windsor, Ont., last Monday.

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Mrs. Madeline Mitchell spent the week-end in Ottawa visiting her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Bain Beers and son, Michael.

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Friends and relatives of Mrs. Albert Gauley of Lachute are glad to know she is recuperating satisfactorily, after undergoing surgery at the Argenteuil Hospital last week.

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Mr. and Mrs. Guy Kelly and daughter, June, of Avoca, visited the latter's mother, Mrs. Florence Jackson and family, on Sunday.

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Messrs. Howard Watson and Tom Johnston were in Toronto recently to attend the R.C.G.A. turf conference.

Week-end visitors at the home of Misses Catherine and Ruby Tasse were Miss Irene Clifford, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Smith, of Montreal, Mrs. Chas. Mountain and John, of Verdun, and Clifford Mountain, of St. Eustache.

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Mrs. M. T. Laberge and Mrs. C. B. Garraway were joint hostesses at a buffet supper in honor of Mrs. J. R. Fletcher, Mrs. R. McDermott and Mrs. F. Hunt, who had recently celebrated their birthdays. A number of neighbors were guests.

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Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lister, of Morin Heights, visited last week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ward, and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lister.

Lady resident succumbed to long illness

Late Mrs. Lyall A. Middleton

Many friends regret the passing of Mrs. Lyall Middleton, wife of Dr. L. A. Middleton, well known physician and surgeon, which occurred at her home here March 22 after four months of illness.

Mrs. Middleton, the former Elsa E. Fusi of Wolfeboro, N.H., graduated as a nurse from the Laconia (N.H.) Hospital. She had resided here for the past several years since her husband gave up his practice in New Hampshire and returned to Lachute, his home community. She was devoted to her home and family, and to the simple things of life, and was sincere and kindly in all her contacts. She was a member of the Presbyterian Church, where the Very Rev. C. Ritchie Bell, pastor, spoke in tribute at her funeral last Saturday. There was a large attendance, including a number from a distance, and a profusion of floral tributes. The remains were taken to Montreal for cremation.

Besides her husband, one son, Lyall Jr., and a daughter, Elsa C., attending St. Helen's College, Dunham, she leaves many relatives by marriage in this community. She is mourned also by her two sisters, Miss Bruna C. Fusi, a retired major of the U.S. Army Nursing Corps, and (Louise) Mrs. Loring Clark, both of Wolfeboro, N.H.

Bible Society year in review

Toronto — Delegates to the annual meetings of the Canadian Bible Society re-elected Dr. Henry D. Hicks, President of Dalhousie University, Halifax, and former Premier of Nova Scotia, for a second year as president of the Society.

Reports indicated that financial contributions to the Society rose considerably during 1965, and that, of the $870,633 received, $622,000 was supplied for Bible Society work outside Canada, chiefly in the fields of translation, printing and distribution. World distribution of Scriptures also rose in 1965, to a total of 80 million copies, an increase of 10 million over 1964.

In Canada alone, the Society distributed 418,730 copies of Scripture, most in English, but 13,086 in French and 25,630 in 70 other languages.

Internationally, the Bible Society introduced translations in 18 languages during 1965. Thus today, in total, at least one book of the Bible has been published in 1,250 languages.

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Those who feel they would like to share with us in this project, may do so by contacting the following:

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9.45 a.m. Church School
11.00 a.m. Holy Communion

Wednesdays in Lent

7.30 p.m. Evening Prayer and Discussion.

ST. GEORGE'S, BROWNSBURG

9.30 a.m. Morning Prayer
10.30 a.m. Church School
Thursday, 7.30 p.m. — Evening Prayer and Discussion.

CHRIST CHURCH, ST. ANDREWS EAST
REV. WINTER LoCRAS

Palm Sunday

11.00 a.m. Morning Prayer

Wednesday

10.00 a.m. Holy Communion

Good Friday

11 a.m. "The last word from the Cross"

Margaret Rodger Mem'l Presbyterian Church
REV. E. POWELL AIKENS, Interim Moderator
Choir Director, Mr. Robt. Haydon
Organist, Mrs. W. M. Cottingham

9.40 a.m. Church School
11.00 a.m. Morning Worship (Rev. Dr. C. Ritchie Bell)
Tues. 8.15 p.m. Bible Study Group
Good Friday, 11 a.m. — Service of Devotion. (Rev. Dr. C. Ritchie Bell)

Brownsburg United Church

11 a.m. Communion Service and reception of new members
Good Friday, 10 a.m. — "WAY OF THE CROSS" (Rev. Harold Thompson)
Easter Sunday, 11 a.m. — "JESUS OF HISTORY, THE RISEN CHRIST" (Rev. T. D. Richards)
Every Sunday 10 a.m. — Church School

Brownsburg Pentecostal Assembly
REV. R. E. SOLMES, PASTOR
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10.00 a.m. Sunday School
11.00 a.m. Morning Worship
7.00 p.m. Evangelistic Service
Apr. 3, p.m. — Italian Gospelaires Speaker, Bill Kenna, of Verdun, Que.
Apr. 17, p.m. — David Beurling Trio.

WATCH

TV 8 — 9 a.m., Sundays, Rev. Rex Humbard.
TV 5 — 1.30 p.m., Sundays, Rev. Oral Roberts.

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9.45 a.m. Bible School
11.00 a.m. Morning Service
7.00 p.m. Evening Service
Wed. 8 p.m. Bible Study

Dalesville Baptist Church
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10 a.m. Bible School. Classes for all. Come and study God's Word.
11.00 a.m. Morning Worship "THERE THEY CRUCIFIED HIM"
Thurs., 8 p.m. Prayer Meeting
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Lachute Baptist Church
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REV. W. LORNE HISEY, PASTOR

9.30 a.m. The Bible School Hour. We have classes for all ages. All adults are invited to the Pastor's Bible Class.
7.30 p.m. Evening Service. "WORDS FROM THE CROSS"
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Wed., 8 p.m. Prayer Meeting

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7 — Slides on Baptist Work

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Brownsburg Regular Baptist Church
REV. GEO. HICKS, B.Th., PASTOR

10.00 a.m. Bible School
11.00 a.m. Church
Thurs., 8 p.m., Prayer

Lakefield Services
REV. B. MONKS

9.30 a.m. Louisa
11.00 a.m. Lakefield

Parish of Mille Isles
REV. HORACE O. BAUGH, Rector

9.30 a.m. St. Sauveur
9.30 a.m. Mille Isles Morning Prayer (Canon C. W. P. Baugh)
11.00 a.m. Morin Heights

COMING EVENTS

Notices of Entertainment, Concerts or Meetings, etc., 20 cents per line each insertion. Minimum $1; if billed $1.25.

BRANCH 70 LEGION BINGO

— To be held Thursday, April 7, at 8 p.m. in Lachute Legion Hall. Jackpots and special prizes. Proceeds for Legion community activities. xc

EASTER HAM BINGO, BROWNSBURG LEGION 71

—At the Legion Hall, Brownsburg, on Friday, April 1, at 8 p.m.; 10 games for $1; special games. Drawing for a Color RCA TV. Proceeds for Legion funds.

EASTER CANTATA

John Stainer's "Crucifixion" is to be presented on Sunday, April 3, at 8.15 p.m. in Ste. Anastasie Church, Bethany Street, by the Argenteuil Choral Society.

Soloists — Robert Haydon (tenor); Phil Bate (bass); George Taylor, M. Cowley and J. Carpenter (baritones).

EUCHRE PARTY

— At the Legion Hall on Thursday, March 31, mixed. Everyone welcome. xc

QUEBEC FARMERS' ASSOCN.

The Argenteuil Branch of the Quebec Farmers' Association will meet on April 6 at 8 o'clock in the Presbyterian Church hall. Speakers will be from the Quebec Pension Board. Everyone welcome. (Pot-luck lunch.)

—Gordon Smith, pres.
Stuart Armstrong, sec.

L.M.S.C. CAR RALLY

The second annual L.M.S.C. Spring Rally, sponsored by Campbell & McDonald Motor Sales Ltd., will be held on Sunday, April 17. A buffet lunch will follow the rally. Entry forms and information available at McDonald B-A Service Station, Lachute. 1c

4-H BARN MEETING

The Lachute 4-H Club will hold a barn meeting at the farm of Mr. D. A. Rodger, R.R. 2, Lachute, on Thursday, April 7, at 8 o'clock. New members between the ages of 12 and 20 are welcome. A6.2c

SQUARE DANCE

At Lachute Orange Hall, on Saturday, April 2. Music by the "Silvertones". Adm. 75c. 1c

BINGO

— At the Knights of Columbus Hall, Lafleur Street, Lachute, on Tuesday, April 12. Cash prizes, treasure hunt, special games. Admission, $1. xc

TAFFY & PANCAKE PARTY

— At Lachute United Church hall, in aid of the building fund, to be held Friday, April 1, from 5.30 to 9.30. Adults $1; children under ten, 50c (at the door). M30-4c

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Public Notice is hereby given that the Electoral List for the School Municipality of the Town of Lachute for Protestants Only, has been prepared and will be on deposit at the office of the Secretary-treasurer in Lachute High School, 455 Court Street, Lachute, Que., for a period of fifteen days from this date, April 1, 1966, for examination by parties interested.

—(Mrs.) M. H. Prophet,
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Canada
Province of Quebec
District of Terrebonne
No. 57,354
Superior Court

DAME ALEXINA NANTEL, housekeeper, wife common as to property of Emile Millette and the said EMILE MILLETTE, personally and to authorize his wife for the purpose of the presents, both domiciled at Brebeouf, County and District of Terrebonne, plaintiffs,

— vs —

ANDRE LORAND, domiciled at Vendée, County of Papineau, district of Hull, and having residence at 11, 930 Henrietta Street, in the City and district of Montreal, and

LEOPOLD TOUSSAINT, domiciled at 11, 930 Henrietta Street, in the City and district of Montreal, defendants,

and

THE REGISTRAR of the registration division of the County of Papineau, district of Hull, having his office at Papineauville, County of Papineau, district of Hull.

It is ordered to the defendant ANDRE LORAND to appear in this case at the Phothonotary's office in St. Jerome, district of Terrebonne, within one month from the last publication of two insertions of this notice.

St. Jerome, March 22, 1966.

— Henri Prevost, Q.C.,
Prothonotary of the Said Court

Jean Claude Paquin,
Attorney for Plaintiffs.
A6.2c

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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

Watching the door

A PROMINENT lawyer has made recommendations to the government aimed to bring about tighter control of immigration to this country. The report by Joseph Sedgwick of Toronto was tabled recently in the House of Commons.

Some of its proposals are designed to take decisions out of the hands of the immigration minister and leave questions of deportation strictly up to the Immigration Appeal Board. This would lessen the chances of political intrusion.

The government is planning broad revision of the Immigration Act and the report was commissioned by it. This lends weight to the proposals made by Mr. Sedgwick and it seems likely that some, if not all, of his recommendations will be embodied in the forthcoming legislation.

Among the controversial recommendations are these:

Aliens seeking admission to the country would be fingerprinted before their arrival, as a means of catching "criminals and impostors." They would have to register on arrival and to report periodically to the authorities.

Sponsored immigrants would be limited to wives and minor dependent children of citizens or persons admitted for permanent residence.

The fingerprinting regulation seems to suggest that newcomers are seeking entry to a police state. In many instances it may be just such a country they are trying to leave. It should be simple enough for immigration officials to check with police in the alien's country of origin to determine whether or not he has a criminal record.

Being required to report periodically to authorities also is likely to make the immigrant feel he is regarded with suspicion rather than welcomed as a person with some talent to offer his new homeland.

The restriction on sponsored immigrants would make it impossible to sponsor parents, brothers, sisters, other close relatives and fiancées.

Mr. Sedgwick says persons in this category "should be left to gain admission on their own merits." But the proposal seems to inflict unnecessary hardship on families.

It is to be hoped that the government will consider the implications of these and other recommendations before committing itself to their adoption. Otherwise the injustices existing under the present system may merely be replaced by new forms of injustice.

Good Samaritans too few

HOW OFTEN do we read in the paper stories of a policeman being beaten up while a crowd watched, or children drowning while men stood on the riverbank and did nothing, or men dying in construction accidents because no one felt it his responsibility to repair an obvious hazard.

What is wrong with our society if people just can't be bothered to get involved in someone else's woe? Is it because everyone is so burdened with troubles of his own that he just can't take on anything more? Or is it because people have such puny social consciences they don't react?

Is no one responsible for anyone else? Is it, indeed, every man for himself?

What a terrible treadmill it is if North Americans are so afraid of becoming involved in someone else's trouble that they will stand by and with a complete lack of human dignity watch a fellow human-being fall by the wayside — the fear being that they might have to appear in court, or answer questions, or miss time from their own work or play.

"I didn't think it was any of my business." This was what a Toronto truck driver testified at an inquest into the death of a man in a construction accident. He did not report that the hook on a crane lacked the required safety catch and was unsafe to use.

Apparently workers are reluctant to report safety hazards because they feel they may be branded as "trouble-makers".

If the men feel this way, then it is the duty of their employers to make it clear they want to hear every single safety suggestion from all of them. No detail should be too small for attention.

Fortunately there are stories, too, about people like the Ottawa heroine who gave her life sitting at her switchboard alerting the occupants of the hotel where she worked while it went up in flames. And the little girl who died under the wheels of a train pushing her friend to safety. . . There are Good Samaritans. But, alas, they are too few.

Why investment is important

TOO FEW Canadians appear interested in investing in their country's development. Why is the investment process so important — and what does it mean to be a shareholder?

Canadians who invest in Canadian enterprises become shareholders, and through our investment, money is provided for research, better machinery and tools, better facilities for employees, and new and better products for the consumer. The resulting benefits affect all Canadians through the creation of new jobs, better working conditions and a higher standard of living for all.

As shareholders, Canadians are part-owners of Canadian business, and as such are concerned with efficient and profitable management of their enterprises. Investors in progressive Canadian enterprises enjoy the profits but, more important, they contribute towards keeping Canada growing and prosperous.

Viewpoints and perspectives

DOCTORS cannot be at fault for wanting to remain individuals in a society of individuals, no matter what kind of medical care Ontario embarks on. This is the opinion of W. L. Clark of the Windsor Star.

BOOST FREE SPEECH. — There seems to be an element in society who think that unless their particular view is accepted without criticism they are being stifled or unduly attacked. This type of ignorance goes far beyond any reasonable construction of freedom of speech or opinion.

— Prince George (B.C.) Progress

ONE STRONG Ottawa voice has been raised on behalf of issues that really matter to Canada's future well-being. The voice was that of Governor Louis Rasminsky of the Bank of Canada, and his sobering message was this: The Canadian economy is getting overloaded and this must stop. Inflation is not a remote threat. It is a present danger. That was the warning for the short term. It indicates that credit will be harder to get, borrowing will be more expensive, in short, that the economy's growth pace will be slowed by deliberate official policy. . . This means, The Financial Post comments, that if you want to buy a house, a car, or go on a trip, you may have to argue harder to get a loan. It means that firms may have to postpone projects that a few weeks ago would have looked promising and profitable.

NEED TRUE EQUALITY. — The day is now quickly approaching where Mr. (Mitchell) Sharp's statement that "Canadians do not have an equal opportunity" will become true. Continuing education for all is the major tool required to close the gap of unequal opportunity in this country of ours.

— Rimby (Alta.) Record

ONTARIO LOOKING IN. — The leaders of revolution invariably have to protect the crown they have won not only against its former possessors, but against those who would swing the revolution to a more extreme position. This is true even in "quiet revolutions", such as Quebec's. . . Mr. Lesage is anything but a weak head of government, but he must sometimes regret that the revolution is causing his palace guard to push ahead of him.

— Cochrane (Ont.) Northland Post

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OVER THE YEARS *with The Lachute Watchman*

80 YEARS AGO

March, 1886 —

The Court House property was sold yesterday by Mr. Patenaude, auctioneer, to Mr. L. C. Barron (he being the highest bidder) for $3,001.

Alex Pridham, Esq., of the Village of Grenville, was re-elected Warden of the County Council.

Chatham Township Council submitted a by-law for approval of the ratepayers granting a bonus of $1,000 to the Dominion Cartridge Company, Brownsburg. The vote was 69-25 in favor.

Spring, 1886 — White lace curtains, reversible cretonnes, lace lumbrekins, curtain tassels, white and green cardinal and stripped window hollands. — Giles, Drygoods, Main St. (Advt.)

Birmingham, England, is still making flintlock muskets for use in the interior of Africa.

The British War Office is considering the establishment of an agency for the regular purchase of cavalry horses in Canada for use in the British Army.

The St. Andrews post-office has been removed to the Old Central Stand, Mrs. Meikle's store. — Thos. Lamb, Postmaster. (Advt.)

50 YEARS AGO

March, 1916 —

The first of a series of addresses under auspices of the Brownsburg and District Patriotic Collecting Association was given in Goyette's new picture hall.

Mr. Wm. Berry has purchased the livery business of Mr. Douglas Campbell, who is leaving for the West.

Mr. McDonald has commenced the erection of a shop on Main Street adjoining Mr. J. A. Bedard's, and has a carload of marble and granite now on the way for monumental work.

Mr. Bishop announces a fine program of movies for the Albert Hall — Charlie Chaplin in "The War of the Powers" in two reels; Strand Weekly with war news from the front; and the Ford Monthly Gazette.

Brownsburg — Mr. Thompson has purchased the Ford car of Mr. Blais, who intends buying an Overland.

Brownsburg — There is a real estate boom, and much property is changing hands. The Bank of Ottawa has opened a branch office. The Cartridge Factory have 900 employees on their payroll, and are ever increasing.

The death of Mrs. J. Innes, Sr., of Stonefield, occurred at the age of 85.

25 YEARS AGO

March, 1941 —

Lakefield — Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Dawson entertained at a raffle and taffy party in aid of the Spitfire Fund. The proceeds amounted to $16.

A 31-year-old machinist from Hawkesbury was killed in an explosion at the C-I-L plant in Brownsburg, while a 19-year-old female machine operator was seriously injured. The mishap occurred in the empty shot shell department.

Sgt.-Pilot George Prosser, 21, with the RCAF in England, was with 30 Air Force men visiting Windsor Castle, who were invited to take tea with Their Majesties and the Princesses, and enjoyed personally meeting the royal couple.

Fire completely destroyed the farmhouse of David Black in East Settlement.

Biggest news in the residential development of Lachute and Brownsburg in recent years, comes with the materialization of two housing projects undertaken by a local firm, Precision Built Homes Ltd., with National Housing Act financing. The site of construction in Lachute is a five-acre tract off Brownsburg Road at the abandoned CNR track, providing for 15 houses at present, with 60 should the need arise. In Brownsburg, 10 houses are to be built on the Filion development.

SUGAR AND SPICE
by Bill Smiley



The Season For Snarling

Ever have a day when you feel depressed, even surly, with no apparent reason? That's the way I am today.

Usually a sweet-tempered, lovable chap, I feel right now like kicking the crutches out from under some old gentleman trying to get across the street before the light changes.

But after a wild look around to see if there's something I could destroy without making my wife sore, like maybe a paper cup, I've discovered the source of my vile mood. There they sit, stacked about the floor of my study, those piles of trivia on which I've spent the past eight hours with no obvious change in their altitude. Exam papers.

Marking exam papers is, I guess, good for the soul. It's about the only thing it is good for. It's hard on the eyes, the nerves, the tailbone and the temper.

But it has a salutory effect on the ego. It's a little like trying to pull in your stomach and finding that your chest doesn't go out any more. Or catching that first horrible glimpse of the naked bald spot which you thought was merely a thinning on top.

Yes, it's humbling. You have begun to build up — with no really good reason, except that you haven't been fired — the idea that you're an excellent, if not outstanding teacher.

Then you start to read what your students have "learned" from you in the past six months. Nothing. Zero. You have merely compounded their ignorance. You have only confused the simple teen-age philosophies they have acquired from television, hootenanies, Mad magazine and the poolroom.

Some young and tender teachers, faced with this shattering moment, have been known to turn green, rush to the school board, offer their resignations and even, in drastic cases, attempt to pay back the salaries they have accepted since September.

For the older, tougher teachers, it is not quite such a traumatic experience. Oh, they may swear a bit, tear their hair a bit, and froth slightly at the mouth. But they do not offer to return their salaries. The last known case of this, among older teachers, was in 1714.

The more experienced teachers accept this disillusionment as they do the changing of the seasons. They know that by some magic alchemy of spring, Easter holidays, parental pressure, and three months of unrelenting labor on their own parts, it will be all sorted out by June, and most of the kids will advance a grade.

And it must be admitted that marking exams is not unmitigated misery. It has its moments. On several occasions, responding to peals of maniacal laughter from my study, my wife has dashed up the stairs, ready to call the boys in the white coats.

There's the student who tries the shot-gun approach. Scatter your gems as widely as possible, and you're bound to hit something right. One such, in a recent history exam, identified John D. Rockefeller thus: "He was a Prime Minister of England and very important in the labor movement." The rumble heard at the time was John D. trying to argue his way back to this world so he could strangle the kid.

Sometimes it's not funny. On a recent exam, junior students were asked to pick the right verb from this sentence: "They have (drunk, drank) all the water." A little blonde girl with troubled eyes chose "drank" because, as she pointed out, "Drunk is not a verb. It's a noun." She had good reason for her answer. Her father is one.

And then, of course, amid the welter of confusion, comes the sudden stab of pure, refreshing delight, the discovery of an original, perceptive mind, trying to make sense out of all this nonsense. It's like finding a solid piece of ground in a swamp, a cool spring in the desert.

That's the moment when the poor old teacher is hooked once again by that most irritating of nuisances, faith in the future of the human race. And bleary-eyed, but with a lighter heart, he bows his weary head once more over the wasteland of words, looking for the diamond in the coal-mine.

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THIS WEEK AND NEXT
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Hanging The Innocent

The debate on capital punishment scheduled for Parliament this week came, by an ironic twist of fate, just as serious doubt was cast on the murder conviction of a boy who may be innocent of the crime of which he was accused.

Steven Truscott, who is now the centre of a controversy over whether he received a fair trial and was justly convicted, was 14 years old when he was sentenced to hang for the sex killing of 12-year-old Lynne Harper.

The boy's death sentence was mercifully commuted to life imprisonment and now, at the age of 21, he has spent one-third of his life behind bars. Officials at the Collin's Bay Penitentiary at Kingston, Ont., describe him as a "model prisoner" and in the normal course of events he would probably be paroled in another few years.

But Steven Truscott doesn't want parole. He wants to be cleared of the crime of which he has always maintained he was innocent.

Demands for an official inquiry into the case arose after Toronto writer Isabel LeBourdais published a book, The Trial of Steven Truscott, which indicted the whole course of police investigation and jury trial in the case.

Mrs. LeBourdais' book has convinced many people, including several members of Parliament, that Truscott is innocent and was railroaded to the death cell in an atmosphere of emotion and revenge which resulted from the terrible crime done to Lynne Harper.

The crime of which Steven Truscott was convicted — and originally sentenced to hang — occurred near Clinton, Ont., RCAF base on the hot evening of June 9, 1959. Steven and Lynne were children of airmen stationed at the base.

In her 240-page book, Mrs. LeBourdais contended that the trial which followed was a travesty of justice. She concluded that police evidence against young Truscott was flimsy, that the jury "knew" he was guilty and convicted him because he couldn't "prove" his innocence, and that the judge was biased in his charge to the jury.

The burden of police evidence was that Steven picked up Lynne, rode down a highway with her astride the handle bars of his bicycle, and returned alone, 35 minutes later.

On such circumstantial evidence, Steven Truscott was sentenced to be hanged.

The burden of proof must normally rest on the prosecution. The basis of Canadian justice is that one must go innocent as long as there is a reasonable doubt of his guilt. There must surely have been many doubts in this case, and as Opposition leader John Diefenbaker said in asking the House of Commons for an inquiry into the trial last week, "justice must not only be done, it must appear to have been done."

Justice does not at this point appear to have been done to Steven Truscott. An inquiry is in order in this case, because it illustrates again the possibility of sending innocent people to the gallows.

Because of Steven's age, even barbaric Canada could not stomach hanging a boy of 14. But what about adults who have been convicted on equally flimsy evidence?

Equally important, if Steven was innocent, then the killer of Lynne Harper is still at large.

There were many facts advanced in Truscott's defense which at this distance appear to have put more than a reasonable doubt on his guilt. The autopsy which put the time of death within the span when Steven was with the girl resulted, according to Mrs. LeBourdais, in "a tragic and very serious medical error." The nature of the crime, which I will not describe here, involved strenuous physical behavior by the killer. Yet witnesses testified that Steven was completely calm and not even sweating when seen a few moments later.

Mrs. LeBourdais' book has not convinced me that Steven is innocent — I will leave that to an official inquiry.

But it has convinced me anew that capital punishment serves no useful purpose in our society.

As long as people tend to view others as guilty until proven innocent — and there is no doubt this was the attitude in the Truscott case — the hangman will from time to time fit the noose on the necks of innocent people.

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District NEWS

FROM OUR COUNTY CORRESPONDENTS

Avoca

Mr. and Mrs. Wyman Arthurs, of Dauphin, Man., Mrs. Sandy Bates and Mr. Mark Bates, motored to Niagara Falls, Ont., and Port Colborne last Wednesday, returning home Sunday evening after visiting with friends and relatives in those parts.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Campbell visited Mr. and Mrs. John Dobbie on Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Bunny Bates, Kim and Michael, were also callers.

Mrs. Joe Arthurs and Joanne spent a couple of days in Montreal last week, Joanne visiting the clinic for ear treatment.

Miss Nancy Vaillancourt spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. John MacLean and Mr. MacLean. Mrs. Bob Dobbie and two girls were Sunday guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie MacLeod, of Montreal, visited his grandfather, Mr. John MacLeod, on Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Wyman Arthurs, of Dauphin, were Monday guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Dewar, of Grenville, called on Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Bates on Sunday afternoon.

Sympathy from this community is extended to the family and relatives of the late Mr. Walter MacLean, who passed away at his home in Harrington, after a long illness.

Friends of the late Herbert Smith, Harrington, were saddened to hear of his sudden passing on Sunday evening. Well known in these parts, we extend sympathy to his wife (the former Ruth Young, of Avoca), his daughters, Pat (Mrs. Jack Bates), Brenda (Mrs. Ken Bates), his son, Irwin, his mother (Mrs. Norman MacRae), and to his sisters and brothers.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Eddy Andrews during the week were Mr. Claude Andrews, of Montreal, Mr. Elmer Andrews and Mr. Irving Crawford, on Sunday; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Provencal and family, and Miss Audrey Carrière, of Grenville, on Thursday last . . . Friends of Mr. Eddy Andrews are sorry to hear he is not feeling well, and send best wishes for his return to good health.

Grenville

The Rev. and Mrs. P. R. Stote and son, Lawrence, of Huntingdon, Que., and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur King, of Rosemount, were guests during the week of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Mimee.

Mr. Thomas Norton, of Montreal, spent Sunday with his father, Mr. S. C. Norton.

Mr. and Mrs. Graham Murphy and infant son, of Toronto, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Keatley.

Mrs. Hayes Villeneuve spent last week visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Villeneuve and sons in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Noble, of Montreal, and Mr. Harold Birch and son Neil, of Hammond, Ont., were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Corl Gauley.

Service in St. Matthew's Anglican Church on Sunday was conducted by Mr. Ian Dodd, student minister, of Montreal. Mr. Dodd will also be officiating next Sunday.

Mrs. Leslie Higginson, of Hawkesbury, Mrs. Ross Matthew, Mrs. Melvin Matthew and Mrs. Ronald Matthew were in Montreal on Saturday attending a trousseau tea in honor of Miss Joan Ann Parkin, of Westmount, whose marriage takes place this Saturday.

Mrs. James McKinnon, of Dorchester, Ont., was the week-end guest of her mother, Mrs. John Welden, and brothers, Leonard and Emerson.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Johnson, and Miss Linda Johnson, R.N., of Montreal, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Welden.

Mr. and Mrs. Hartland Dewar and daughter, Gail, of Brownsburg, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Dewar.

Morin Heights

Among those who have returned from extended absences are Mr. and Mrs. Bert Edwards, from Portland, Oregon; Mr. and Mrs. Lawson Kennedy, from St. Petersburg, Florida; and Mr. and Mrs. Percy Ivall, from Clearwater, Florida.

Mrs. G. Manthorpe, of Montreal, is presently spending a few days in Morin as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. George Watchorn.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Seale have returned home following a visit to their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Mel Meredith, of Montreal.

Mr. Philip Moss, who for the past three weeks has been undergoing treatment at the Queen Mary Hospital, is expected home during this week.

Legion Branch

The local branch of the Royal Canadian Legion held their regular monthly meeting in the Legion Hall on Friday evening last. The meeting was chaired by the president, Comrade Ray Leclerc, and there was an enthusiastic attendance. Many items of business were included, among which was the acceptance of a revision of the constitution and by-laws of the branch. Plans are now afoot to augment the membership of the Legion Social Club group.

Bereaved

The sincere sympathy of the community is extended to Mrs. Ernest Gorrie on the recent death of her sister. The passing away of another sister occurred but a fortnight ago.

Cushing

Mrs. A. Holmes, Mrs. H. V. Bailey and daughter, Catherine, motored to Brockville recently for the week-end.

Mr. A. T. Graham spent last Thursday in Montreal.

Mrs. A. Taylor was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. K. D. Weir, of Ste. Anne de Bellevue, for several days last week.

Mrs. George Drew, of Verdun, was an overnight guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Canning, last Tuesday.

Mabel

Mrs. John Black spent last Friday in Montreal.

Mrs. H. Cameron, of Toronto, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Calvin McAndrew and Mr. McAndrew.

Canada's last Victoria Cross

A fantasy from the Frontier, where tongues are the span to understanding

Prime Minister Lester Pearson had finally given in to pressure of the Quebec Liberal bloc and rammed through an amendment to the B.N.A. declaring Canada a republic. In doing so he thought to save the entity of Canada as well as stay at the helm of the country with the Liberal party. This national event was overshadowed by a truce in Viet-Nam brought about through United Nations mediation. To keep Canada in the limelight the Prime Minister immediately offered a contingent of Canadian troops for truce-keeping duty. . .

In this part of Asia, French is considered a predominant language, so a French Canadian Regiment with an English-speaking Regiment had been dispatched. As could be expected, the commander of the English-speaking regiment was a monolinguist, and the French Canadian commander had been well indoctrinated to stay on his constitutional rights and spoke only French when on official business. Under the circumstances two interpreters joined the expedition — two French Canadian girls, who served their commanders well. Miss Sauvé was a real saviour to the English-speaking commander, Col. Smith, and with her feminine touch often helped him out when he wanted to fraternize with the lovely natives. Miss Courtemanche, working for Col. Simard, knew how to handle her boss whenever he tried to play his role as soldier too seriously.

Unfortunately, one day the two commanders had an important meeting and the two interpreters could not be found, as they were a.w.l. with some Yankee civilians, who were showing them around town, having a good time. After consultation it was decided to use the modern translation computer which had been shipped from Canada. It was supposed to be the most up-to-date imported French model, that the Quebec Government had recommended to the Federal authorities.

The two Commanders got together, and after long manipulations of the machine they still could not get across their thoughts, both of them leaving the meeting dissatisfied, yet doing what the computer had given them as answers. The two regiments were called out in their different locations and given orders to attack by dawn — none of the men in the ranks having an idea that they were to fight their countrymen, as both parties were under the impression that they were attacked by the others. The skirmish had started and the whole mess looked very grim. There was one man who could not swallow such fratricide, Corporal Mike Slawinsky. He was not what one would call a dashing soldier, but he could use his head, and on this occasion he also put his heart to his thinking. Seeing the mess, he stripped his tunic and tore his white underwear off, tied it to his rifle and waved it as a white flag. As he ran towards the opposing line of fire, his comrades thought he had gone beserk and took pot-shots at him. . . Never did one hear such foul language addressed to comrades, but it had come to him from his father, as the old man had tried to master the English language when he arrived as an immigrant in Canada. As Mike approached the French Canadian line, he again met scattered rifle fire, and he put glamour to his French with all the blasphemies he had picked up as a youth. Corporal Slawinsky was the man who stopped that stupid firing; it was he who brought the two commanders together, and did the little necessary interpreting for them. They admitted gladly that somewhere their lines had got crossed and could have caused a great tragedy.

Later in the day, as the Canadian soldiers were about ready to heave the computer into the sea, they discovered the machine was in need of repair; but as it was an imported one, no spare parts were to be found. Everybody went to that old time-tested medium of communication, conversation, and tried their best to understand each other, the solution for good comradeship and strategy. No more mechanical importations!

Naturally, the newsmen got hold of the incident, and there were angry words in Canada over this mechanization of the exchange of ideas, and a lot of praise for Corporal Slawinsky, who had risked his life to stop warfare between Canadians. As the news reached the Queen, she offered Prime Minister Pearson the royal commission to bestow the last Victoria Cross to a Canadian. He accepted gladly, as he wanted to share the glory with such a hero before he made his country a republic.

— F. A. H.

Outardes, P. Que.

Maple products are truly Canadian

Every country has some food specialties, which, though they may not be entirely indigenous to the country, seem so because they are made there with the care that produces a product essentially their own. But in Canada, maple syrup and maple sugar are as truly Canadian as the maple leaf itself.

If you drive along the charming roads of Quebec in the late spring or early summer, you are sure to find maple syrup and maple sugar for sale at roadside stands.

Lucky is the child who has early memories of gathering sap in the sugar bush and who knows the delight of "taffy in the snow" and of sugaring-off parties. Lucky too will be the hostess who can enrich her spring meals with pure maple syrup as a topping for waffles or fritters, as a glaze for meat or vegetables and as a flavoring or sauce for desserts.

The home economists, Consumer Section, Canada Department of Agriculture, Ottawa, offer you these distinctly Canadian recipes using pure maple syrup and hope that homemakers will make use of them.

Bible Society Expo '67 projects

Toronto — The Canadian Bible Society will participate in three Expo '67 projects.

The announcement was made as the Bible Society completed three days of annual meetings at Glenview Presbyterian Church in this city.

The Society will donate 100,000 souvenir copies of the Gospel of St. John (70,000 in English, 30,000 in French) for the Sermons from Science exhibit. Copies of Scripture will also be made available for Expo's Christian Pavilion. Finally, a special exhibit will be erected on the grounds of Christ Church Cathedral, in downtown Montreal, and opened May 15, 1967. The exhibit will include Dead Sea Scrolls and other ancient manuscripts, translations of Scriptures, examples of old and modern printing methods and illustrations of the Society's work in the modern world.

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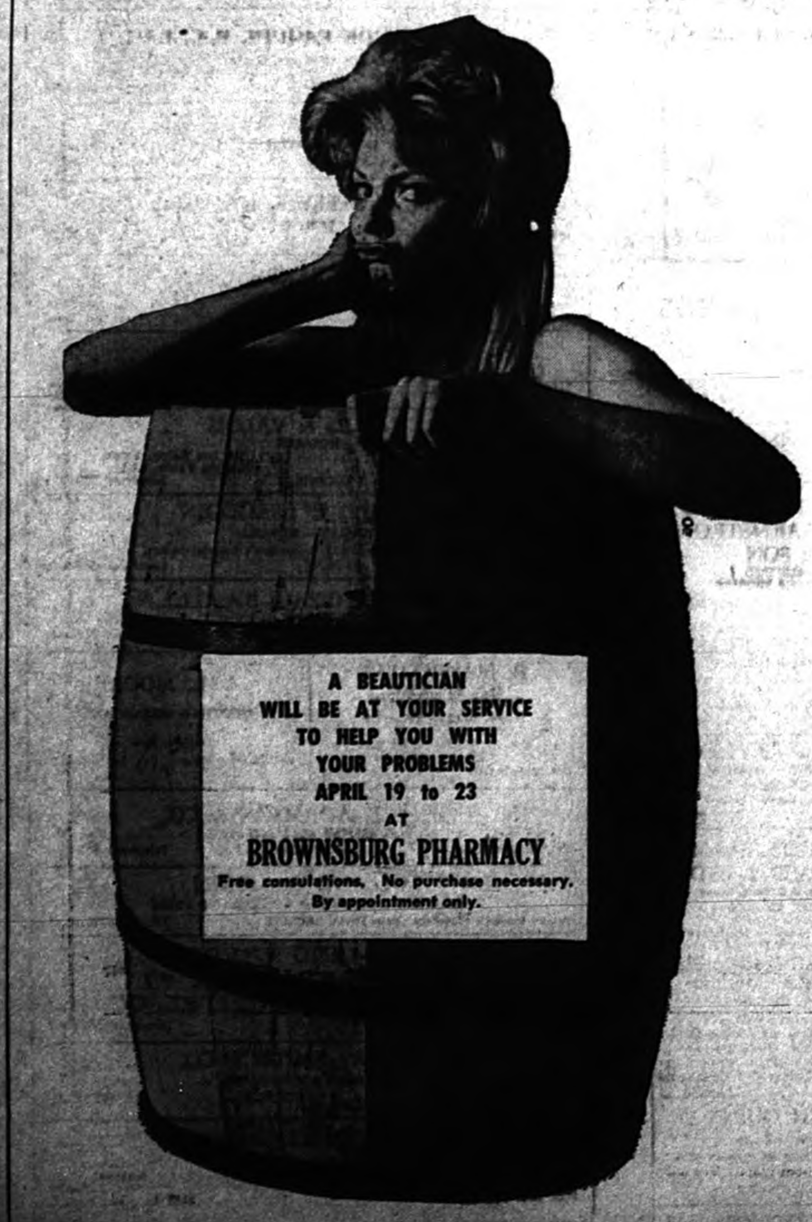

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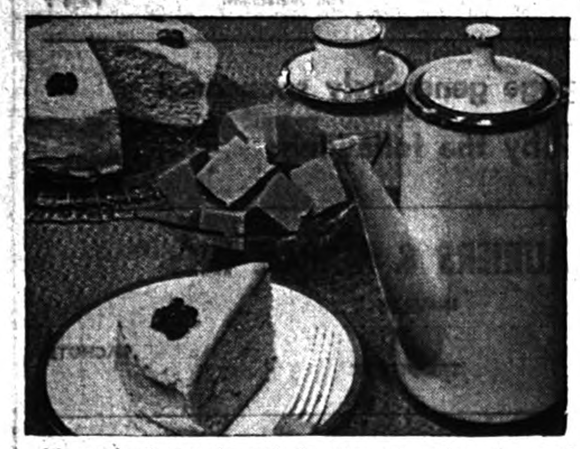

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Maple syrup - touch of spring

It's time again to get your supply of that springtime treat — maple syrup. At first, your family will want to enjoy its unique, natural flavor, simply poured over pancakes, waffles, toast, biscuits or cereal. Later you'll want to add it to cakes, pies, puddings and even vegetables and meats.

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Federal regulations make it mandatory that all imitation products clearly state that they are "artificially maple flavored," and list the ingredients and the manufacturer's name and address.

Store syrup in small jars. — Store in a cool, dry place. Once the container has been opened, store it in the refrigerator and keep the container capped to prevent air from entering. If you wish to keep maple syrup for several months, bring the syrup to a boil and then pour it into sterilized pint sealers or other jars of convenient size. This will prevent mold developing.

Maple Layer Cake

½ Cup butter, ½ cup sugar, 2 eggs, 1 cup maple syrup, 3 cups sifted pastry flour, 3 teaspoons baking powder, 1 teaspoon salt, ½ cup milk.

Grease two 9-inch layer cake, or 8-inch square pans and line bottoms with waxed paper.

Cream butter. Gradually beat in sugar until light and fluffy. Beat in eggs one at a time. Add maple syrup and beat until smooth. Sift together, dry ingredients and add alternately with milk. Pour batter into prepared pans and bake in a 350°F. oven, until cake tests done, 30 to 35 minutes. Cool 5 minutes, before removing from pans. When cold fill and frost with maple butter icing.

Maple Butter Icing

6 Tablespoons butter, 6 tablespoons maple syrup, 3 cups sifted icing sugar, ½ cup chopped walnuts.

Cream butter. Beat in maple syrup. Stir in sugar gradually and beat until smooth. Spread part of the icing between cake layers and sprinkle with half the nuts. Ice cake and sprinkle remaining nuts on top. Makes sufficient filling and icing for a 9-inch layer cake.

Maple Cream

1 Cup maple syrup, 2 cups sugar, ½ cup whipping cream*, ½ cup milk.

Combine all ingredients. Stir over low heat until sugar is melted. Cover until mixture boils (this helps prevent sugar from crystallizing on sides of pan). Uncover and boil without stirring to 237°F., or until a little of the syrup forms a soft ball when dropped into cold water. Cool until mixture is 150°F., or bottom of pan still feels warm. Beat until creamy. Pour into buttered pan. When firm, cut in squares.

* Note: — One cup of table cream may be used in place of whipping cream.

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Gardening!

— By NANCY CLEAVER —

The first days of Spring bring thoughts of gardening.

Delight in growing plants can begin at a very early age and it is a pleasure an individual can enjoy throughout all life. In an age when to-morrow's adults are likely to have a great deal of leisure, the encouragement of healthy, happy hobbies is most important. Show your small son or daughter what fun a garden can be!

If a parent usually plans his garden on paper, his garden blueprint will interest his child. It is useful for him to watch an adult using paper and pencil to record his thoughts. At first, a child will be content to "be a helper." But just as soon as he has his own tiny garden he too, should make a drawing of what he is going to grow in it.

If the family live in a home with plenty of ground for both vegetable and flower beds, then a little space can be set apart as the child's own garden corner. But even in crowded housing areas, growing things on a small scale can be managed. One mother living in an apartment was keen that her daughter should have the joy of growing flowers. So she bought large flower pots, collected pebbles for drainage and bought earth and fertilizer. They grew frilly petunias very successfully from a box of tiny seedlings purchased at a florist's.

A father whose hobby was wood work was persuaded to make three fine window boxes, one for Mummy, one for Daddy and one for Peter. They each prepared the soil and planted geraniums they had chosen themselves, in the boxes. But there was no job Peter loved more than watering all the boxes once a week with his tiny watering can.

A small boy or girl is apt to be such an enthusiastic "waterer" that seeds of tiny plants may be washed away from the place where they belong. For that reason, it is much better to substitute watering with a child's watering can which he can fill himself from a pail full of water or an outside tap.

May you and your child have a satisfying and rewarding time in your garden this year!

Housewife sparks protest on prices

A royal commission has been appointed by the provincial government to investigate food and drug prices in Newfoundland, The Financial Post reports. One of the factors that may have prompted the commission was the wide publicity given by local news media to a crusading housewife, Mrs. John O'Brien, who attempted to organize housewives for the purpose of picketing local supermarkets. Although such action didn't materialize, The Financial Post says Mrs. O'Brien did organize the U-HELP Committee (U-HELP — United Housewives Endeavor to Lower Prices) to protest high food prices. Soon after the committee was organized the commission was appointed and Mrs. O'Brien was named as one of its members.

Teatime Topics

By Jean Sharp

Measles vaccines in several forms have been available in Canada since 1963, but comparatively little use has been made of them.

A release from a chemical company quotes three doctors who were on a Home and School Association panel discussing the disease and the vaccine.

It says one of the doctors suggested an educational program is needed to inform the public and the profession about the value of the available vaccines.

"We should carry out preventive measures to the point where we put ourselves out of business in diseases that can be controlled."

So-called red measles, usually taken lightly as a routine childhood disease, can be a killer or a crippler.

Harms Brain

Panellist Dr. Crawford S. Anglin of Toronto, chairman of the immunization committee of the Canadian Pediatric Society, is quoted as saying that between 1954 and 1963, 1,250 children were so ill with measles they had to be admitted to the Toronto Hospital for Sick Children.

Of those, 94 contracted encephalitis — inflammation of the brain. Ten per cent of these victims died and 30 per cent suffered serious after-effects as a result of their brain damage.

There is still some question as to whether the newest live-virus vaccines will offer permanent immunity or have to be repeated. They are reported to be effective, however, and to produce fewer and lighter side effects than earlier versions.

Still Expensive

As yet they are largely available only through private practitioners because their cost makes them expensive for public health clinics to handle on a mass basis.

It is recommended that parents get advice from a family doctor as to just when their child should be vaccinated, though a rule of thumb is the sooner the better. Once a victim has measles, there is no way to stop the disease from running its course.

The release quotes doctors in the Maritimes and in New York City, where a Project Knockout Measles has been conducted, as saying extensive use of the vaccine could wipe out measles as vaccines have stopped other diseases.

The physician in New York said: "Now that we have effective measles vaccine, we can do the same thing to measles that we did to polio — that is, knock it out."

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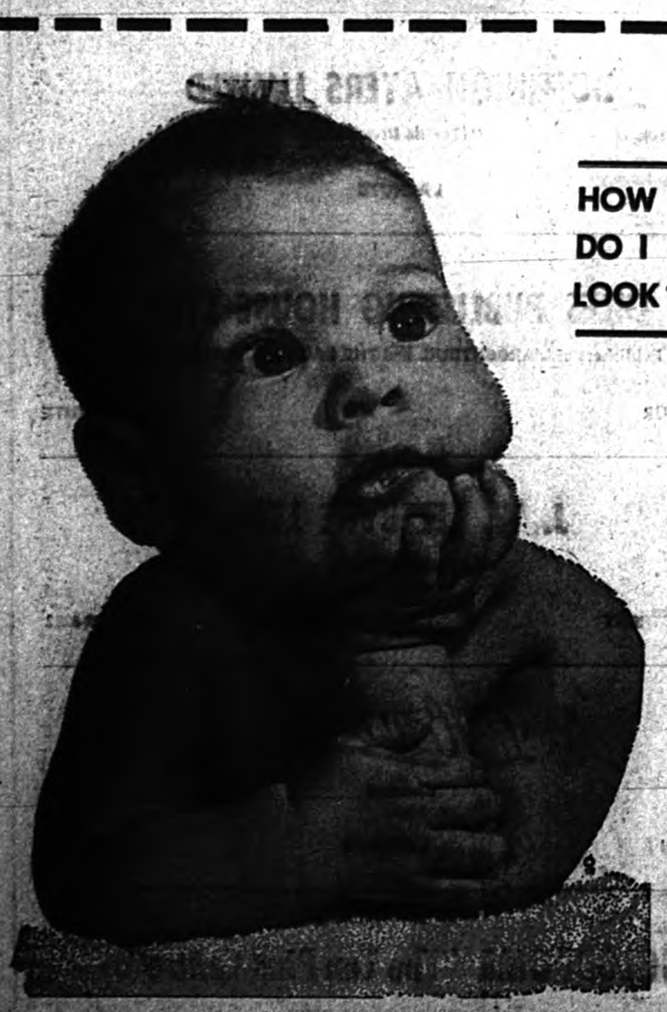

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Lenten meditation on Christianity; on inhumanity and political malice

"Exile from Sunnyacres"

By Margaret Cook

— Not quite so much an exile; we were able recently to visit the old homestead. It was a bright, sunny day, with a gentle wind. The sun lay warmly over the hills, the shadows of the tree branches were etched a deep blue on the dazzling whiteness of the snow. And, best of all, the crust was so thick that we could walk anywhere without sinking. The snow was piled half way up the garage and the house doors, except the one on the verandah, which, facing the south, is a real sun-trap. One could sit there comfortably and soak in the sun and the quiet beauty of the surroundings. I wonder if the year-round inhabitants realize what an oasis they have, in the midst of the hurly-burly of modern living. I hope so, for if they were to grow weary of what is, admittedly at times, a hard way to live, they would likely find city living even more unbearable.

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This is the time of year when everything feels almost unsupportable. The weather is often bad, the driveways disgusting, the snow here in suburbia an awful mixture of unmentionable things, including sometimes lost letters. The various organizations are still running at high speed, but everybody knows that the peak is over, and feels a corresponding letdown. Churches put on discussion groups in recognition of Lent, and they, too, are depressing. The amount of misapprehension about Christian truths is incredible, and to hear these half-baked theories aired as new and startling facts, is annoying to anyone with even a little bit of knowledge. In the educational field, there is also unrest. Teachers are snowed under by papers to be filled out and returned to government offices, their supposedly spare time is taken up with meetings, interviews, chaperone duties, and the time left for real teaching is confused and further shortened by conflicting ideas being tested on the human guinea pigs! Perhaps after Easter and the arrival of Spring, everything will appear better, whether it is or not.

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For signs of Spring — read crocuses on the south sides of houses. These first appeared about the middle of the month. Also, the blackbirds shouting at dawn. And, at dusk, a rabbit. I say a rabbit, for he was seen only once, and his advent announced by Peter, our cat, who ran wildly about the rooms from window to window. When I went to see which of his many enemies was crossing our lawn, lo it was a rabbit. It sat some time on the stone wall, and chewed happily at some young fir trees hopefully planted by our neighbor. He was a half-grown rabbit, unusual at this time of year; perhaps a pet which had escaped. Now, we eagerly await that first, gay "Cheer-up, cheer-up" of the returning robin. He generally arrives the very last days of March, or early in April.

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It has just occurred to me that the disgraceful scenes in Parliament lately may have been triggered by these just-before-Easter feelings. It's a nice, charitable feeling, and I don't believe it. Instead, they were triggered by "envy, hatred, malice, and all uncharitableness". One of the things discussed at the above meetings was, "Is this a Christian country?" The consensus of opinion seemed to be that it is not. Christian or not, the present gyrations of Parliament are going to have a mighty influence on the next election. Everyone to whom I have talked so far, says he or she will not vote for either of the traditional parties. The time when one was born blue or red, and voted that way till death, is over.

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If you are a reader of Letters to the Editor, you will have been revolted by the accounts of cruelty to animals. I suppose one should be thankful for the publicity, for every case brought to court, and every conviction handed down, is all to the good. But convictions do not change attitudes; only understanding based on either observation or education can do that. Let's have more disgusting publicity, with names. The law outlawing the killing of the little birds down the St. Lawrence was passed after such publicity; now the horrible slaughter of young seals. That, too, will be remedied. But we all know of lesser crimes, not necessarily punishable by law. One of our good frieinds at Lakefield had five cats come to him seeking sanctuary last Fall, having presumably been callously left by summer residents. The cats showed good sense. This man has a heart, and an understanding of animals. But all are not so lucky. Then, there is the time-honored custom of "putting the cat out at night". This undoubtedly began in countries with a climate different from ours. Most people have a shed or a barn where the poor things could shelter, not only from the weather but from other marauding animals. Then, too, there is the revolting habit of fondling puppies and kittens because they "are so cute", then either killing them or abandoning them as they grow bigger. The young of the human race also become less attractive after a time (although there are notable exceptions), but only the most depraved kill or forsake them. . . Well, I have trespassed long enough on the territory of our fellow-columnist, who sees much more of this kind of thing than I do. (For which several of you will be thankful!)

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Something to turn your thoughts from grim things to grin things.— American tourists, I am told, speak of a certain boulevard in our fair city, named for a Pope, as Pie Nine Boulevard. In the same vein, Valois becomes Val Lois. I love Band B. But, as some one has pointed out, it is becoming unilingualism in this province. How tourists are ever to find their way around the "belle province", I cannot imagine. Anyway, they will be spared Rivière du Nord. The sign seems to have disappeared.

Finally, if you want to have some fun, set your cat or dog to watching the film "Daktari". Peter is simply thrilled by it. The leopards and the lion, Clarence, fascinate him, and the chimpanzee makes his eyes pop. He doesn't mind "Lassie", either.

A Happy Easter to everybody, and a swift drying of the roads, so we can join you up there!

Country Notebook



By WALKER RILEY, Macdonald College

The Canadian Maple Industry is on the verge of a major revival. Perhaps this personal opinion is only a reflection of the enthusiasm of the group in the Department of Woodlot Management I work beside, but there are many signs and reasons to back it up.

For instance, a few days ago a new Maple Committee of the Quebec Dept. of Agriculture met for the first time. Arch Jones was there; he tells me they really dug into the problems of the industry — quality standards, markets, research needs, costs of production, and last week, a group came all the way from New Brunswick to see what is going on at the Morgan Arboretum — the pipelines, vacuum pumps, covered evaporator, and the research.

Ontario, too, is officially pushing the program. Maple field days have been held all across the province this spring; new associations of Maple Producers have grown out of them. ARDA money is going into maple research, and is backing the new Madawaska Maple Producers Association at Combermere, south of Ontario's Algonquin Park.

T.V. is lending its support. A week ago Saturday, "This Land of Ours" carried a splendid program on sugaring in the Ottawa Valley. And on Easter Sunday, Quebec's largest maple syrup operation will be featured. It's Bill Nicholson's in the Laurentians, who taps 20,000 trees.

It's the new tricks and innovations that are giving the old industry new life. Plastic pipelines; sap pumps; electric tappers; central, covered evaporators; oil fuel; pellets for taphole sanitation; are all adding up to take the back-work out of the job, and to spread out the labour. It is now quite possible for one man, with some help, to look after 3,000 taps.

But like so many other things these days, it makes sugaring a straight dollars and cents proposition. If there's no profit, we can't afford the luxury of making syrup for the fun of it. But, come to think of it, I am sure the old timers wept a quiet tear when the wooden buckets gave way to tin ones, and the iron kettle to an open pan.

To set up a new sugar bush, with 1000 taps, pipelines, oil-fired evaporator and all, I have heard it will cost you $2,400. Prof. Arch Jones thinks this estimate is a bit low. He suggests $3.00 to $3.50 per tap is more realistic. As a rule of thumb, ten taps will yield one gallon of syrup or more in a normal year. But who ever heard of a normal year?

Of course, fuel is a big expense. You need about one cord of wood for every 10 to 15 gallons syrup; or, if you use oil, the only figure I have heard is 3 gallons oil for one gallon syrup.

The Morgan Arboretum, being so handy to the Big City, gets its full share of visitors in sugaring time. And, of course, every youngster must have his taste of sap from the bucket and his bit of snow taffy. The staff enjoy the visitors but it does play havoc with the research. They have solved this problem in their own unique way.

Out near the gates, where it is handy, they have built a modern model sugarhouse. All around, the trees have been tapped with all the equipment used since the industry first started up to the present day. No doubt, too, they will have the old iron kettle somewhere around. Now, (for 50c each) a party of youngsters can have the time of their lives while the research goes quietly on just out of sight.

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(Consumer Section)

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— Canada produces over 2 million gallons of syrup annually. About ¼ of this goes into the making of maple sugar.

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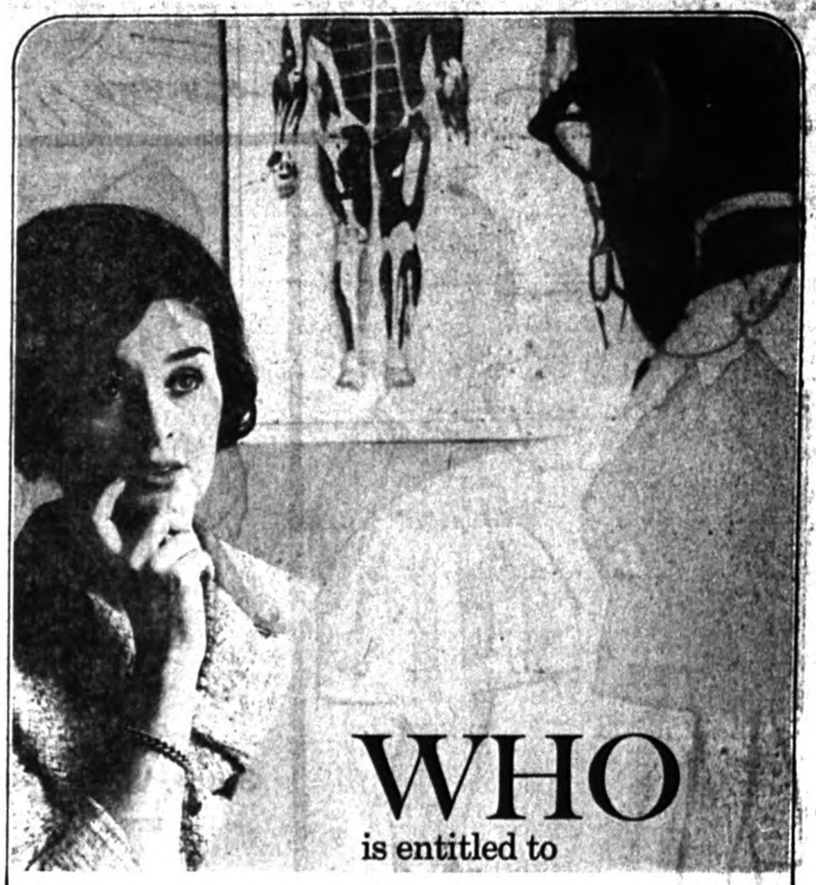

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