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LA TRIBUNE SUSPENDS PUBLICATION

SHERBROOKE (JD) — La Tribune, the Townships' largest daily newspaper, suspended publication today, following a study session yesterday afternoon by 130 unionized editorial and production staff.

Unionized employees, including reporters, copy editors, office and production staff, voted 90 per cent in favor of a strike three weeks ago, after being without a contract for 13 months.

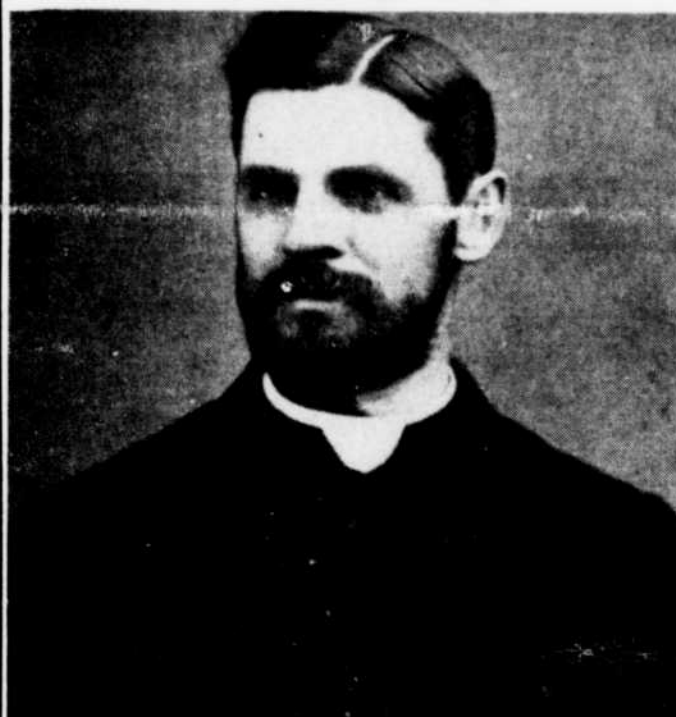
News director Andre Prefontaine said the study session was not expected to continue into today, and there were no plans to suspend publication of tomorrow's paper.

Spokesmen for the International Typographers' Union-affiliated newsroom and production staff said the study session was called to protest lagging contract talks, which have bogged down over automation and salaries.

The 35,000-circulation morning daily, one of the Power Corp. — Gesca Holdings chain, has switched to a computerized newsroom which the union claims will mean major production staff cuts.

Although they have approved strike action, union members say a full-fledged strike is unlikely, "depending on how management responds to the study session."

Record Highlights



PREACHING PIONEER

Ammie J. Parker was the Danville Trinity United Church's first minister and his days and deeds are described in a slice of the past. Page 13

FROM LITTLE HOUSE

Katharine Snow remembers playing hooky to watch Greta Garbo and feeling guilty about the Little White Lie she told her Father. Page 3

GRENIER STAYS PUT

Fernand Grenier, MNA for Compton-Megantic, has been considering the possibility of running as a Conservative in the upcoming federal election, but last night he scotched the stories once and for all. Page 3

GONDOLIERS

The Lennoxville Players and the Lennoxville Optimist Club are presenting this year's musical production in the form of Gilbert and Sullivan's The Gondoliers, which opens tomorrow night at Bishop's Centennial Theatre. Page 3

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A very likeable fellow is one who comes right out and says he agrees with you.

STAR WARS



"What can you say about a country that spends more on its space movies than its space program?"

PM, Chretien hazy on sales tax vow

OTTAWA (CP) — Prime Minister Trudeau guaranteed Tuesday that Quebec residents will get money set aside for them in the federal budget "in some way or another."

Speaking in the Commons, Trudeau said: "We've always said very clearly these funds will go to Quebec taxpayers in some way or another."

Outside the Commons, Finance Minister Jean Chretien refused to say how Quebecers would get the \$186 million set aside in his budget but not being paid because the two governments cannot agree on compensation for sales tax cuts.

He told a reporter: "You'll

have to see when the time comes."

Trudeau's commitment appears to be the first indication the federal government is prepared to promise Quebecers the funds, even if Quebec Finance Minister Jacques Parizeau continues his refusal to accept Chretien's conditions.

Chretien said he still is waiting to see if Parizeau has any new proposals to make.

"Suppose he has none?" Chretien was asked.

WILL NOT LOSE

"All I can say is what the prime minister said—Quebecers will not lose," the finance minister repeated.

Chretien immediately

added that the prime minister had promised the funds to Quebecers and not to the Quebec government. Chretien did not elaborate.

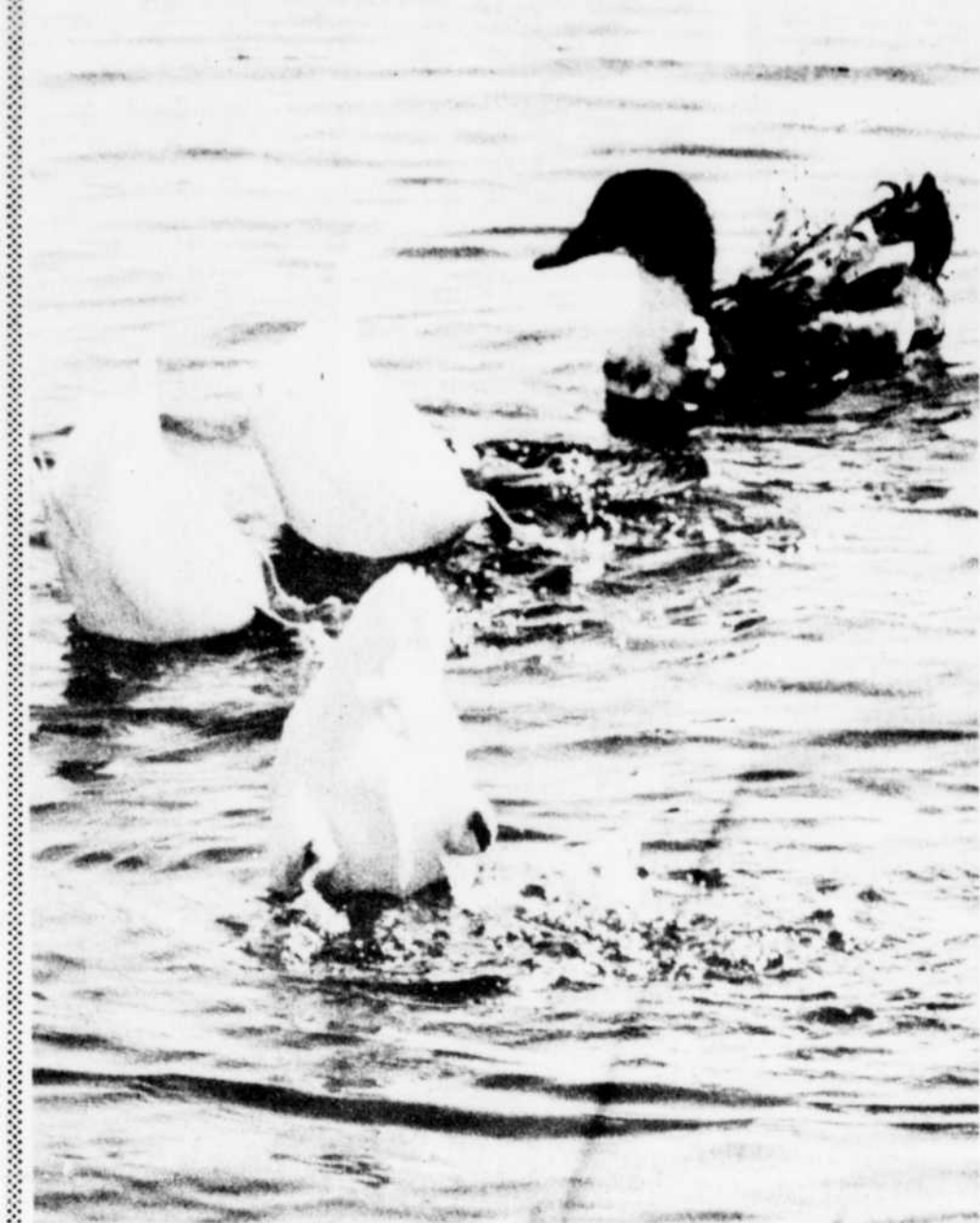
The federal government has told Parizeau he cannot have \$220 million set aside for Quebec in the budget unless he is prepared to

reduce the eight-per-cent provincial sales tax on all items by two per cent. So far Quebec has received only a small portion of the federal

funds.

Parizeau has refused to accept the federal government's plan, accusing Chretien of interfering in matters of provincial jurisdiction. Shortly after the federal budget was released Parizeau announced the province would eliminate sales taxes entirely on certain items—footwear, textiles, clothing and furniture.

ODD DUCK OUT



This seems to be more than just pardoning someone's back, but this fellow doesn't seem to take offense at the presentation of three duckish backsides. They probably pay him off with tidbits to keep an eye out while they're belowdecks.

Record — Bruce Porter

LEVESQUE DENIES PLANS FOR U.S. TIES

QUEBEC (CP) — Quebec would not seek an economic association with the United States if the rest of Canada rejected the province's formula for sovereignty-association, Premier Rene Levesque said Tuesday.

Responding to a question in the national assembly, Levesque said Quebec "would emphasize relations with the United States, according to a kind of well-known continental mainstream."

But the premier contended that the other provinces would consider it in their interest to agree to an economic association with Quebec if the province votes for independence in the forthcoming referendum.

He pointed out that a study by Abraham Rotstein of York University in Toronto showed that Ontario's refusal to go along with sovereignty-association would cost that province thousands of jobs.

Last week, Quebec Economic Development Minister Bernard Landry told a university audience in Chicago there would be a "strong temptation" for Quebec to look south if Canada rejects sovereignty-association.

But Landry added that he thought it improbable the provinces would turn down the formula.

Quebec, poverty groups protest

Heavy flak hits Bell rate hikes

OTTAWA (CP) — Quebec called Tuesday for major cuts in Bell Canada's application for a record-high rate increase.

During the opening day of central hearings into Bell's application, Quebec government lawyer Marc Cantin said Bell increases should be enough to provide the company with a rate of return on common equity of 11 or 12 per cent a year, the present limit, not the 13 to 14 per cent Bell is seeking.

Observers at the hearings, being conducted by the Canadian Radio-television and Telecommunications Commission (CRTC) which must rule on Bell's rates,

said the Quebec suggestion would cut by about 50 per cent Bell's request for an extra \$399 million a year. The company now earns about \$2 billion a year.

Andy Roman, lawyer for the National Anti-Poverty Organization and other interveners in the rate case, told the Canadian Radio-television and Telecommunications Commission (CRTC) it had erred in law when deciding to look at Bell's Saudi Arabian contract in private.

The CRTC denied making any legal errors but said it would hear discussion about whether the controversial contract, to modernize and

expand the Saudi telephone system, and related documents should be made public.

Bell has said it might lose the contract if it is made public. But the company has already released part or all of the contract to a number

of government departments and agencies as well as to the New York Stock Exchange.

EXAMINE CONTRACT
The contract is also being investigated by the federal Human Rights Commission because the hiring practices it stipulates allegedly dis-

criminate on the basis of religion.

Roman and other interveners have said the contract might have a dramatic effect on Bell's need for rate increases and should therefore be examined.

Court language rights essential, Basford says

OTTAWA (CP) — Justice Minister Ron Basford appealed on Tuesday for MPs to contribute to national unity by supporting legislation assuring every citizen the right to a criminal trial in either official language.

"This minimum of language rights is essential if Canada is to survive as a country of two official languages," Basford said, urging speedy Commons passage.

Progressive Conservatives, however, say the bill must give the provinces more power in deciding when the new language provisions come into effect.

The new Democratic Party supported the bill with no demand for change.

Conservative justice critic Eldon Woolliams called the bill a dangerous invasion of provincial rights over the administration of justice.

The legislation would amend the Criminal Code to guarantee a trial in either French or English. The judge, jury and court clerk would have to understand the language chosen, but the prosecutor could use a translator.

SAYS NO FORCE

Stressing that he is not forcing French or English down anyone's throat, Basford said the legislation would be implemented on a province-by-province basis, only after full discussion with attorneys-general.

DECISION IS TRUDEAU'S
However, the senator said the decision still is Trudeau's alone.

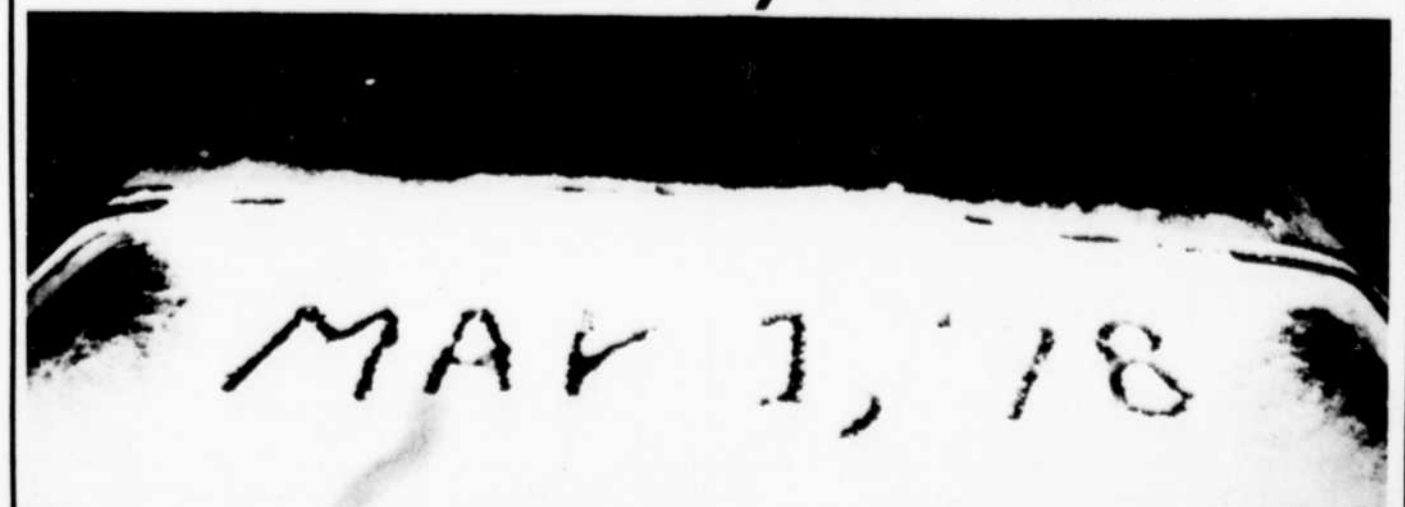
The most frequently touted dates for an election are July 3 or 10. Should Trudeau choose either of those dates, he would have to call the election within two weeks. If that deadline passes, most MPs think Trudeau will wait until fall.

Both Senator Davey and Senator Alasdair Graham, Liberal party president, described the current political mood in Canada as "volatile." Voters were switching their allegiance from one party to another and it would take a federal election to decide the issue.

Walter Baker, Conservative House leader, said the poll results are the most accurate assessment of the electorate in several months.

The Liberals had been riding high in the polls before because of the massive exposure they received from the party's annual convention and a federal provincial conference early this year. Both events were televised, with Trudeau frequently filling the screen.

This was the year that...



Record — Bruce Porter

If it's any consolation, the last few days have set an all-time record low. We reached -5 at one point early Tuesday, which is so far below what it's supposed to be this time of year we won't even talk about it. But those two inches of snow Mon-

day have left us, and the weekend promises to be fair and warm. All that remains of this cold snap is this little memento Bruce Porter captured on some motorist's back window.

business and finance

Bell Canada PR program 'backfired'

OTTAWA (CP) — "It has backfired," a Bell Canada operator says with a chuckle about a company television advertisement.

The ad—part of an \$800,000 "Bell commitment" promotional campaign that ended Saturday—showed a Bell operator telling about the time she helped a caller out of a quandary by giving advice on how to cook a chicken.

Since the campaign started in early March, Bell operators say they have been

deluged by callers who poke fun at the ad by requesting cooking instructions.

Besides the calls, the ad provoked stiff criticism from the federal New Democratic Party and individuals who attended a series of regional hearings into Bell's application for a rate increase of \$399 million a year. Central hearings, to be held by the Canadian Radio-television and Telecommunications Commission (CRTC), into the proposed rate increases start here

today. **CHARGES ADS FALSE** Cyril Symes, NDP communications critic, charged that the ads are "false and misleading."

"The fact is that Bell's traffic operators are forbidden by company regulations to inform inquirers of 'how to cook their chickens' or to carry on idle chit chat," Symes' brief to the CRTC said.

Symes also echoed complaints of many of the individuals who appeared at

the CRTC's regional hearings by saying the Bell commitment ads are designed to boost Bell's image.

The ads were "using subscribers fees to build up a

positive image of the company in order to blunt criticism of its service and rate increases," he said.

Richard Martin, who co-ordinated the ad campaign,

says that while the ads were not unrelated to the application, they were not specifically tailored to quiet criticism about the proposed rate increase.



Taking weight out of passenger cars and trucks to improve fuel economy is an ongoing goal of General Motors. These new, lightweight polyurethane "soft face" front and rear bumpers together are 100 pounds lighter than the metal bumpers they replaced. They are noncorrosive and energy absorbing, compressing on low-speed impact and then returning to their original shapes. Painted to match car colors, they have bright metallic trim strips, also flexible to resist damage.

COWANSVILLE TOPS CHRYSLER CONTEST

Two-man student teams representing Massey-Vanier High School, Cowansville, and Ecole Jean-Baptiste Meilleur, Repentigny, have won the 1978 Chrysler Trouble Shooting Contest.

The winners are: Larry Richard and Steven Bates, both 17, of Massey-Vanier, and Yves Croteau and Francois Richard, both 18, of Ecole Meilleur.

Their victory over teams from other secondary and vocational schools in the area entitles them to compete in the National Finals of

the Chrysler Trouble Shooting Contest to be held in Toronto from June 21 to 23. There they will compete with 20 other regional champions from across Canada for scholarships totalling \$6000. National winners advance to the International Chrysler Trouble Shooting Finals to be held in Toronto in July.

Second place in Friday's contest went to teams from Polyvalente Antoine de St-Exupery, St-Leonard, and Ecole Paul-Rousseau, Drummondville. Third place honors went to teams from

Polyvalente Le Carrefour, Val d'Or, and Polyvalente de Ste-Therese.

Some 31 schools took part in the competition. When the starting gun was fired, the teams raced to their assigned cars to find and repair a series of malfunctions deliberately rigged by Chrysler service technicians.

Before the practical mechanical test got underway, each team took a written examination that counted for 40 per cent of the team's final score. Special trophies for highest marks in the written exam were presented to Centennial Regional High School, Greenfield Park, and Ecole Secondaire de Pont-Viau.

Trouble shooting is sponsored by Chrysler Canada Ltd., and its local Dodge and Plymouth dealers to give recognition to student auto mechanics and to encourage them to pursue careers in automotive service.

BOOK TRIGGERS GAS-INDUSTRY IRE

NEW YORK (AP) — A new book written by a young captain in the U.S. merchant marine is sending waves of anger through the natural gas and shipping industries.

Peter van der Linde's book, *Time Bomb*, details what he and co-author Naomi Hintze believe to be the dangers associated with the transport of liquefied natural gas (LNG) from overseas to U.S. storage

tanks near densely populated areas.

"My experiences at sea, and salt water, has been our dinner table conversation for as long as I can remember (and) all lead me to believe that accidents are the one thing we can be sure of," said van der Linde, 28, who has never had anything published before *Time Bomb*.

"If there is an accident like we visualize in a

populated area, literally millions could be killed."

LNG is natural gas that has been chilled to 126 Celsius, a process that shrinks its volume and allows huge amounts to be transported by ship and then stored.

Last year, about 16 billion cubic feet of LNG, most of it from Algeria, was imported by the U.S. and officials predict that within 20 years, three trillion cubic feet of LNG will be imported.

HIGHLY VOLATILE

Critics say that LNG, if a leak should occur, would spread quickly and is highly volatile. A draft version of a U.S. General Accounting Office report scheduled for official release in a few weeks says that a serious storm, earthquake or terrorist attack could result in the deaths of thousands.

Just one truckload of LNG, when exposed to the air, is enough to fill 176 kilometres of sewer line, or 24 kilometres of a subway tube, the report said. One spark would set off massive explosions.

The draft report alleges that the U.S. government has failed to act prudently and "has not adequately protected the public health and safety."

Industry officials, however, say that more than 2,800 cargoes of LNG have

been loaded and handled in the last 13 years without a single serious accident.

But van der Linde, who currently is the captain of an oil tanker, said that an incident involving LNG is inevitable.

CITES HUMAN FACTOR "As long as you have human beings involved, there eventually will be an accident," he said. "One morning, someone will wake up on the wrong side of the bed, not be thinking, and there it will be."

"One of the greatest dangers is terrorism. The security on these tankers is almost non-existent. If a terrorist group took control of an LNG tanker and pulled to the foot of New York harbor, the whole city could be held hostage."

What van der Linde and some other critics are calling for is tighter security at LNG tankers and storage facilities and legislation forbidding LNG storage tanks near populated areas.

But industry spokesmen say that's not necessary.

"Most of the tanks being planned already are in desolate areas, and besides, we believe there are enough safety factors built-in so it's not so critical that they always be built in such areas," said David Moorehead, a spokesman for the American Gas Association.

Merchandising industry outlook bright

The outlook for Canada's merchandising industry has brightened somewhat with the federal budget's sales tax reductions, says Babson's Canadian Reports Ltd.

But "we are not looking for a spending boom," the Toronto-based investment firm cautions in a recent Investment Letter.

"Growth in retail sales has been decelerating since 1974."

And throughout 1977, department store chains experienced spotty sales with volume in real terms actually declining and dollar sales up only 6.6 per cent compared with 13 per cent in 1976.

"The pattern is expected to prevail in 1978, although higher volume turnover is foreseen," the newsletter says.

The department stores tightened up their costs in last year's highly competitive market with reductions in mark-ups and feature sales.

"However, some positive

events have placed the industry in a position to record better earnings progress."

Babson's lists some of these as the liquidation of excess inventories, the trimming of labor expenses through anti-inflation board restrictions and staff cut-backs and the slowdown in store expansion.

The investment firm says that, in general, "we believe that investors should be giving this group greater interest."

But careful consideration is advised.

In the case of Canadian Tire Ltd., recent disappointing profits "have raised doubts about the future rate of growth."

EARNINGS DIP

"Earnings dipped in 1977 and the company can no longer be considered recession proof."

Canadian Tire's strategy in 1978 will be to lower prices in an attempt to spur sales growth, but Babson's recommends that investors defer purchase for the immediate

future.

Shares of Hudson's Bay Co. should be held in view of last year's improved merchandising operations and increased returns from natural resources despite a severe decline in the company's real estate interests.

The newsletter recommends the accumulation of Woodward Stores Ltd. shares for capital appreciation.

"Better control of inventories and labor costs, combined with a recovery in British Columbia sales, were instrumental in the 1977 earnings advance."

"A further gain is forecast as the company is the leading retailer in the provinces of Alberta and

British Columbia," Babson's says.

The only issue the newsletter lists as a straight buy is Simpson's, Ltd. where "expenses are under tight control and there will be only one new store this year."

"The company's own activities have improved, while the equity in Simpson's-Sears Ltd., which is contributing more than one-half of total earnings, should continue on the upswing."

As for Simpson's-Sears, Babson's advises that stock "positions be maintained for future growth."

But "in view of the stock's high earnings multiple and low yield, we are not recommending purchase."

'Domestic success' sales key

EDMONTON (CP) — Two engineering firms that have won overseas contracts say the best credentials for international work are domestic successes.

EBA Engineering Consultants Ltd. and Reid, Crowther and Partners Ltd. have joined forces to win contracts in Haiti and Guatemala and are pursuing other foreign jobs.

The two companies, plus B. W. Brooker Engineering Ltd. of Edmonton and CBA Engineering Ltd. of Vancouver, have formed Alberta Dam Engineering Co. Ltd. to swell their business.

Norman Reid, chairman of Reid, Crowther, says that successful export of professional engineering skills depends on ability to

demonstrate capability in projects completed at home.

He said in an interview that Alberta engineering companies have proven they can compete successfully against leading U.S. and British companies for overseas jobs but they are handicapped unless they can point to major accomplishments at home.

Alberta Dam Engineering hopes to bid for jobs on dam projects throughout the Prairies. The immediate priority is the Alberta government's proposed \$60-million Red Deer River dam.

Reid, Crowther has been working overseas for years but EBA is new to the field. Dr. Elmer Brooker, EBA president, said the Haitian opportunity appeared and

EBA, requiring some broad engineering support to its skills, teamed up with Reid, Crowther.

The two companies worked well together on the project, developing a potable water supply for a Haitian city, and agreed to bid together on the Guatemalan project, funded by the Canadian International Development Agency.

The \$1.4-million project requires an engineering team to work in the Central American country for three years on feasibility work for a water supply system for rural towns and re-establishment of existing systems destroyed by an earthquake.

Reid said that to win the Guatemalan project the

companies invested \$50,000 and almost two years in preparing reports. Such efforts are not always successful.

He said that water development projects are in great demand and expertise developed in dam construction in Western Canada can prove extremely useful in overseas competition.

Brooker said EBA, which is a specialized earth science consulting firm, had to look to overseas work to help even out the troughs and peaks in engineering work.

Reid, Crowther does municipal, transport and highway construction engineering work. It also has an international subsidiary doing contract work in Guyana.

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MEMO

Women's wear plant underway

THETFORD MINES (AF) — A new industry called Les Confections Houde et Lagace Inc., housed by the municipally-owned Sno-Jet building on Boulevard Ouellet and specializing in women's wear, opened shop on April 10.

The company is assured of contracts in the Montreal region by assembling and returning clothing ready for the market.

Already employing 30 people, the enterprise uses rented sewing machines with an option to buy them. Even while hiring and training new employees, the industry has already succeeded in producing 150 finished pieces daily, while aiming for a production of 350 to 450.

The biggest difficulty experienced by the new industry is that of finding qualified personnel due to the attention and precision the work involves.

Agricultural quotations

MONTREAL (CP) — Agriculture Department quotations Tuesday:

Butter: Canadian Dairy Commission car lots basis Montreal and Toronto buying prices: 92 score: \$1.26; 93 score: \$1.27; selling price: \$1.27. Average wholesale to retail price: \$1.33-3.5.

Cheese: White \$1.26 3-10; colored: \$1.27. Concentrated products: Skim milk powder: spray No. 1 in 50-lb. bags: \$0.72-0.76; feed: \$0.43-0.48. Butter milk powder: edible spray: \$0.48-0.52.

Eggs: Average wholesale price to retailers in dozen cartons: A extra-large \$0.95 1-5; A large: \$0.90 9-10; A medium: \$0.84 1-10; A small: \$0.62 3-5.

Average wholesale price to distributors supplied by the Quebec Federation of Egg Producers: A extra-large: \$0.93; A large: \$0.88; A medium: \$0.81; A small: \$0.60; A peewee: \$0.32.

Wholesale potato prices: Quebec 50-lb. \$1.75-1.85; P.E.I. 50-lb. \$2.30-2.40; P.E.I. 20-lb. \$1.15-1.20; P.E.I. 10-lb. \$0.62-0.64; New Brunswick 50-lb. \$1.75-1.85; N.B. 10-lb. \$0.48-0.50.

Scallops endangered by overfishing

OTTAWA (CP) — Increased U.S. scallop fishing on Georges Bank poses a long-term threat to the health of the fishery, federal officials said Monday.

They said that message was delivered in Washington Friday to U.S. officials. Further meetings on the scallop fishery would be held.

An interim agreement between the two countries forbids any expansion in shared fisheries. The U.S. has encouraged expansion of its scallop fleet in the last two years because stocks were abnormally high.

Stock market telling tale

TORONTO (CP) — Andrew Kniewasser, president of the Investment Dealers Association of Canada, said Monday the stock market has been telling Canadians for a year that Canada is on the correct economic course.

Kniewasser told the Association of Canadian Advertisers Incorporated that the Toronto Stock Exchange index is up eight per cent over a year ago compared with the Dow Jones in New York which is down 11 per cent.

"This is one of the rare periods in Canadian history when a strong market in Canada has been possible in the face of serious declines in New York," he said.

Refractory plant receives grant

BECANCOUR, Que. (CP) — Didier Refractory Products Corp. has received \$2.6 million in grants from the provincially-owned Industrial Development Corp. to pay interest on its loans, Quebec Industry and Commerce Minister Rodrigue Tremblay said Monday.

Tremblay, here for the inauguration of the company's refractory brick plant which opened two months ago, said the plant "proves that Quebec corporations can associate with foreign firms successfully."

Car pool 'not a business'

OTTAWA (CP) — A car pool operated by three student nurses on Prince Edward Island was not a business for insurance purposes, the Supreme Court of Canada ruled Monday.

It dismissed by a 5-to-0 decision an appeal by Co-operative Insurance Services Ltd. which had contended that the pool breached an automobile insurance contract.

The nurses were travelling between Charlottetown and Summerside for a short course. Two of them took turns at providing a car and the third paid \$6 a week as her share.

Solar energy support needed

OTTAWA (CP) — Canada could be the first nation to develop a source of cheap practical solar energy if the government would support a massive research program, said New Democratic energy critic T.C. Douglas Monday.

He urged the government to call on the entire electronic industry, the National Research Council and its own department of energy mines and resources to get to work immediately.

90-minute wonder settles

VICTORIA (CP) — Bill Ozard, fired Feb. 16 from his job with the British Columbia travel industry ministry 90 minutes after starting work, has reached an out-of-court settlement with the government.

Douglas Gray, counsel for the B.C. Public Service Commission, said in an interview Monday that Ozard has been given a cash settlement but would not disclose the amount of money involved.

Energy policies need change

TORONTO (CP) — Dr. Josef Kates, chairman of the Science Council of Canada, called Monday for substantial changes in federal government energy strategies.

In an interview, Dr. Kates said the government must give greater priority to development of renewable energy sources.

Gulf forecast optimistic

OTTAWA (CP) — Gulf Oil Canada Ltd. has come out with a more optimistic forecast of oil supply and demand, saying domestic supplies should be sufficient to meet needs in the traditional markets in Ontario and the west up to 1995.

The prediction, made in a brief to the National Energy Board oil supply hearings, is the second forecast by a major oil firm of a brighter supply outlook.

Cheque-bouncers beware

WASHINGTON (AP) — The U.S. Federal Reserve Board wants to make it harder for persons to bounce a cheque by letting banks automatically move money from savings to chequing accounts in case of overdrafts.

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the townships in focus

Township talk

Municipal affairs grants announced

Quebec Minister of Municipal Affairs, Guy Tardif, has allocated \$522,000 to Austin for the renovation of its city hall, \$58,500 to Bromont for restoration of various buildings and \$57,000 to Compton and St. Francois counties to renovate their county building.

North Hatley to build sidewalk

The North Hatley Town Council has agreed to construct and maintain a sidewalk along Sherbrooke Road, from the foot of the hill to the top, in response to a petition and a delegation of residents at Monday night's meeting.

When it recently became known that Sherbrooke Road is to be rebuilt and widened within village limits, residents along the road and in the adjacent Merrill Park Development decided to press for a sidewalk to ensure the safety of the 110 residents in that part of town. Work on the road has already started, and the job should be completed in a couple of months.

Regarding village bylaws relating to the construction of buildings, one citizen asked if a bylaw exists which limits the height of new buildings. According to the council, three stories is the limit, and council would not grant permission for a building of this height if it were to block the view of neighbours.

The consensus of the council was that more rigid bylaws are not necessary to protect the residential character and charm of North Hatley. Their opinion was that such questions should be left to the discretion and judgment of present and future town councils.

Two residents asked permission to organize festivities to celebrate St. Jean Baptiste Day, stressing they would be well planned and supervised. While the response of the council was generally favorable, a few problems remain to be ironed out at a special meeting which has been called for that purpose.

C.R.D. to hold meeting

The City of Magog and the Municipality of Rock Forest are the two newest members of the Eastern Townships Regional Development Council, which is holding its annual general meeting next Saturday at the Centre d'Arts, Orford.

The C.R.D.C.E., concerned with the social and economic development of the Eastern Townships in the municipal, industrial, economic, mining and highway spheres, will host Jacques Leonard, Quebec secretary of state for regional development, who will discuss government policy concerning responsibility and autonomy of regional municipal governments.

A recapitulation of activities from the last year, a statement of accounts, budgetary forecasts and this year's program of activity will be some of the items presented during the course of the meeting. Present will be about 125 delegates from both public and private corporations, parapublic organizations, regional associations, trade unions and individuals who have joined the C.R.D.C.E.

Bookmobile in town

The McLennan Travelling Libraries bookmobile will be in the Townships Monday, May 15 at the following times and locations: Waterloo Library between 10:30 a.m. and 11 a.m.; Memphremagog Library at 12:45 p.m.; Municipal Parking & Hatley Library while in the Ayers Cliff area from 2:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m.; Lennoxville Library at 5 p.m. On Tuesday, May 16, the bookmobile will be at Sawyerville Elementary between 9:30 a.m. and 10 a.m.

C.R.D. supports agro-workers

The Conseil Regional de Developpement des Cantons de l'Est has given its support to the Federation de l'U.P.A. de Sherbrooke for its Relance agricole et forestiere de l'Estrie (R.A.F.L.E.) program which now encompasses 13 projects. R.A.F.L.E., headed by Bernard Houle, aims for better use of manpower, promotion of certain animal products and more efficient land use.

Social Service Centre moving

The Townships Social Service Centre is moving parts of its operations on Thursday and Friday, but it will continue to dispense services.

The move affects Sherbrooke departments and not the operations taking place outside the city, which will function as normal.

Services for elderly people will now be located at 594 Queen Boulevard North, at (819) 569-9261; family services will be centered at 855 King Street East, at (819) 563-8811; youth services will be at 825 Belvedere Street, at (819) 569-9601, and 234 Dufferin Street, at (819) 565-1802.

Appointments should be verified in the next few weeks, but telephone communications may be disrupted by the move, which begins Monday, May 8.

Summer hours, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., go into effect the same day.

Sherbrooke poet wins

A 49-year-old Sherbrooke poet, Douglas Gordon Jones, has won the Governor-General's English award for poetry and drama for Under the Thunder the Flowers Light Up the Earth. He joins Gabrielle Roy, who won her third Governor-General's Award for best French-Canadian fiction for Ces enfants de ma vie (Those Children of my Life), 39-year-old Michel Garneau, Montreal playwright, won the award for best French poetry and drama but has advised he will not accept the award. No reason was given.

Each winner will receive a specially-bound copy of their book from the Governor-General as well as a \$5,000 cash prize at a formal presentation on May 18 at Government House.

Arraigned for possession

SWEETSBURG WARD (JM) — Bobby Orr was one of ten American residents arraigned here yesterday on charges of simple possession of drugs under provisions of the narcotics and food and drug control acts in Phillipsburg May 1.

Orr, of Waterville, Vermont — not to be confused with his namesake from Parry Sound, who attained international acclaim as a Boston Bruins' all-star defenceman — and Jack Wilkins and Robert Baker, both of Stowe, pleaded guilty and were sentenced to \$50 and costs, in default 8 days by sessions court judge Guy Genest.

Thomas Wilson of Essex Junction, Anthony Barber of Winooski, Harold Melancon, Grand Hill, Daniel Van Davignon, Bristol and Charles Velzy, Peter Hall and Timothy Kane, all of Burlington pleaded guilty to charges of possession of lesser amounts and were fined \$25 and costs, in default eight days.

RCMP corporal Gilles Rioux of the Bedford detachment said immigration officers have been instructed to apprehend anyone entering Canada with drugs, no matter how small the quantity.



Photo: Bruce Porter

The Gondoliers

The gondoliers, Gilbert and Sullivan's lighthearted foray into the canals of Venice, is this year's Lennoxville Players - Lennoxville Optimist Club production

opening tomorrow night at Bishop's University's Centennial Theatre. Showtime is 8 p.m., and tickets are available for \$5 (adults) and \$3 (students).

Lies I told my father

It was five minutes to one o'clock. I turned on the radio to catch the mid-day news. The announcer was talking enthusiastically about the sunshine and was delighted that the day was so fair for the ball game. He joyously announced that tickets for the game, which was to start at 2 p.m., were to be given out to students at a much reduced price. He actually said, "So take the afternoon off and get down to see the Expos!"

I was so shocked that I forgot the news. I turned the radio off. This announcer had had a youthful voice. Can he so soon have forgotten, when he extended his provocative invitation, that this is the time of year vitally important to all High School students? What could have prompted him to make such a suggestion to youngsters who are heroically struggling to prepare for examinations? I believe that they are still obliged to write such papers in their final year if in no others. I often wonder who dreamed up the bizarre scheme of shoving them on, year after year, grade after grade, regardless of their progress, until they hit the moment of truth in Grade 11.

However, the school business is not my affair. I was reminded, as I recovered from the initial jolt of the radio an-

nouncement, of another time when I played hooky with no outside encouragement at all!

It was spring then, too, and nearly exam time. The sun was warm, the trees were budding, and in the dark confines of the Granada Theatre Greta Garbo was emoting her mysterious way through the life of Queen Christina. Where the gravely reprehensible idea of skipping school to see the picture came from, I do not

know. My mother was, fortuitously, out of town for a few days. She had a fearful way of seeing immediately through all my schemes with ruthless and discerning eye, but no so, my loving father!

The night before our daring enterprise, in a desperate attempt to still my bothering conscience, I asked my dad what I hoped would sound like a purely hypothetical question. I asked for his opinion of a student who would skip

FROM LITTLE HOUSE by KATHARINE SNOW

know. I only remember that the idea was irresistible to me. Apart from the absolute marvel of watching the great Garbo and listening to her barely audible seductive murmurings, was the fascinating prospect of doing the forbidden!

Four of us were in on the conspiracy. Be it said to our eternal credit that we did not entertain for more than a few minutes, the idea of trying to get money out of the missionary box to finance the venture. We begged and borrowed and pooled our resources.

school to attend an afternoon movie.

He considered my question most gravely and then he told me that he felt, if this hypothetical pupil were so clever that she was able to successfully pass all examinations without attending classes, it might be permissible in her individual case. He concluded, with a loving smile, that he was very happy knowing that his little girl would never be so foolish!

Even after all these years, I cannot believe that in the face of such trust, I went to

Grenier stays put in National Assembly

Fernand Grenier, Union Nationale deputy for Megantic-Compton, has announced he'll remain in the national assembly, killing speculation he would run as a Progressive Conservative candidate in the next federal election.

Quebecers can resolve their own conflicts, Grenier said during the course of a county meeting. He also said Trudeau manufactured the constitutional conflict "which absorbs all our energies leaving none for the most urgent problems such as unemployment."

"We have seen what ex-journalist politicians can do with both Trudeau and Levesque and we can imagine what Ryan will

bring," said Grenier, adding we will realize the need for an industrialist, a businessman capable of controlling the provincial situation after the referendum.

"Rodrigue Biron, who is gaining more and more the confidence of the people, will, beyond doubt, show

himself to be the only one capable of administering the province."

During the same meeting, Jacques Labranche was elected to the executive of the Union Nationale in Megantic-Compton. He is a well-known businessman and coordinator of different recreational organizations.

Bursary application deadline set

Grade 11 students living in the postal area of the Town of Brome Lake are reminded that the closing date for application for the Canon Nurse Memorial Bursary is May 15. The bursary, offered by St. Paul's Church U.C.W. is non-denominational and is for post-secondary studies. Applicants should state scholastic rating, ambitions, financial needs and include a character reference. Applications should be sent to Mrs. E.C. Pilson, Box 324, Knowlton, Que. J0E 1V0.

DBRSB meeting follows bus debate

By TERRY SCOTT
of The Record

Once the District of Bedford Regional School Board disposed of the much-discussed bus transportation issue last Tuesday night, it proceeded to conduct one of the fastest regular monthly meetings on record.

Board chairman Bonar Lindsay said it was unfortunate such an event had to occur with the largest audience in years attending the meeting assuring that most sessions were much longer.

A light agenda that evening allowed the meeting to be completed by 9:00 p.m., about 45 minutes after it began.

Secretary-General Al Dickinson told the board that 69 additions have been made to the electoral list and public notice will be forthcoming advising taxpayers of school board elections in Wards 2, 4, 7 and 9.

If any of these seats are contested, elections will occur on June 12 with voting to take place between 9 a.m. and 7 p.m.

The commissioner seats which are up for election are currently held by Keith Lampman (Bedford, Ward 2), Doug Smith (Cowanville, Ward 4), Bonar Lindsay (Cowanville, Ward 7), and Homer Blackwood (Knowlton, Ward 9).

The board approved a motion to enter into a joint agreement with the Davignon School Commission for the bulk purchase of heating oil for Massey-Vanier Regional a complex shared by the two

boards.

Assistant Director-General Kaye Vaughan informed the school commissioners that the Davignon board purchases heating oil through the Eastern Townships Regional Bureau and the proposed arrangement will permit the two boards to submit a joint tender.

He said that the Davignon School Commission had informed him some savings will be generated as a result of using this procedure.

Two requests for use of Bedford Elementary were granted by the school board. The first, from the Bedford Sports Club is for a dance on May 5. Some club members participate in aiding various school activities.

The second request came from the municipal coordinator of the Town of Brome Lake emergency planning committee for use of the school as a temporary shelter, first-aid centre, operation headquarters, or any other social service, in

the event of disaster.

In other business, the school board received a letter from the Positive Action Committee, part of the national unity umbrella, inviting three representatives from DBRSB to attend a symposium at Concordia University on May 12. The topic will be "Minority groups in a changing Quebec."

A taxpayer attending the meeting volunteered to represent the group if no one else was interested.

The school commissioners were also informed that a request for a banquet permit has been made for the year-end retirement party on June 29.

Following the meeting, a bus driver whose feelings had yet to soothe in spite of the decision taken earlier in the evening by the board, singled out this item on the agenda.

"There's one place they could start saving some money," he commented wryly.

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"Oh, God!"
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NOTICE

As of May 5th, 1978, the Mayor of Danville, Gerard Element will hold office hours every Friday evening from 7-9 p.m. He will try to resolve problems with the citizens of Danville. He will also be glad to receive any suggestions for the good of the community. The office will be located in the former Police Station.

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Hindsight

The Parti Quebecois national council meets in Granby next month, and the affair promises to be a spirited one. At issue is the referendum question. At the party's national council meeting in Quebec last weekend, a motion was passed requiring the government to put the proposed question up for discussion at a party convention so that the rank and file could have a say on its wording.

Premier Levesque doesn't seem too enthralled with the prospect. According to him, the question's wording 'belongs to the government and to Parliament' and there's no way they'll seek the party's sanction.

This referendum question has got to be the biggest albatross any government in the history of Canada has had hanging around its collective neck.

If it's a simple yes-no choice, we can save Quebec's groaning taxpayers a few million bucks by saying it's already no to separation. Sovereignty-association, as the Star's James Stewart so aptly pointed out, is all things to all people. Ottawa doesn't want to hear about it, and the biggest hope in Quebec today is that Joe Clark takes the federal election, which isn't all that impossible when we consider the results of the latest Gallup poll showing them neck and neck with the Grits.

...like randy teenagers already past the slap-and-tickle stage, we've outgrown the first stages of the federal-provincial confrontation over the wording of the referendum. We gather that most Quebecers are at the point where they'll consider some kind of deal with Ottawa, and the fight seems to be over who will concede what.

Many Quebecers seem to forget the Parti Quebecois government of Rene Levesque was elected democratically, by the same system which elected Pierre Trudeau, William Lyon MacKenzie King and Sir John A. MacDonald.

As a democratically-elected government, the Parti Quebecois has an obligation to make the referendum a fair test of the province's mood. The only means by which we see this possible is if they call it at the same time as the next provincial election, when the current government's effectiveness is put to the ultimate test.

Yet will this be possible, when one considers the running battle between Ottawa and Quebec? We doubt it. Is effective government possible when the two sides are feuding almost constantly? We doubt it.

The federal and provincial tax deadlines were Monday. The basic premise behind all government is that the individual pays to enjoy certain basic rights; protection, social order and the freedom to earn an honest living the best way he or she can. Anything outside those boundaries is a travesty of social justice, and we must consider all government in this light. Good government is invisible; bad government isn't worth paying for.

In that light, it's easy to see what Quebecers should have done. We should have held off paying our taxes until all this foolishness was over.

Like they say, 20-20 hindsight.

JAMES DUFF

Letters

Editor's note: The following letter was sent to the editor of the Montreal West Island Weekly News and Chronicle by Dr. William Shaw, former Union Nationale MNA now sitting as an independent in the national assembly.

Editor:

I think I owe my constituents and indeed all Quebecers an explanation of what my thoughts are about my future in politics and what my plans are to this end. When I resigned from the caucus of the Union Nationale Party two months ago, it was because I represented those people who wanted to demonstrate their disenchantment with the Liberal Party under Robert Bourassa, and who had the guts to do so by voting for a party that had adopted policies that were reasonable and just; policies which I feel I had contributed strongly to having been accepted. When Mr. Biron made some changes in these policies, however, the people I represented were clearly unhappy with these changes, and the support became hesitant and even resentful, and to demonstrate that this support was not to be considered secure, I resigned from the caucus.

I could have gone directly to the Liberal Party. Mr. Gerard D. Levesque suggested that I simply get endorsed by county association and cross the floor. This is simply achieved by flooding the next meeting of the party with your supporters in Pointe-Claire to have achieved such a tactic, but I chose, instead, to meet with the Party Association President, Mr. Cummings and explain to him that I did not intend to make any move until after the Leadership Convention of the Liberal Party, and then only after discussions with the new leader. The discussions have begun with Mr. Ryan and I am of the opinion that they are progressing well and I feel that Mr. Ryan has expressed the same feeling.

It is, in my opinion, normal that the present executive of the Pointe-Claire Liberal Association is not exactly enamoured with the prospect of my becoming their candidate. After all I did defeat them in the last election.

It is equally true that some members of the Liberal Caucus are concerned with my coming to the Liberal Party, as I have attacked them as contributors to Quebec's present dilemma, but I assure you that most of the members are conscious of my contribution and would like me to join their ranks.

Dr. Shaw clarifies

There are a few things, however, that I feel strongly about, and I will not desist from pursuing them. The first and foremost is the referendum. I feel, as do most Quebecers, that the referendum must be held and as soon as possible, in order to allow Quebecers to express their commitment to Canada. I don't however, accept the concept that the result of a referendum in Quebec is binding on the future of Canadian Confederation. Although I am confident that Quebecers will clearly vote against the separatist option, I expressly feel that if the result is presumed to be binding, the presumption that a future referendum might reverse the results would only continue the uncertainty in Quebec, and lead to a continuation of the deterioration of the Quebec social and political climate over the next decade. Perhaps the overwhelming vote in favour of Sun Life's transfer to Toronto demonstrates this clearly. The policy holders of Sun Life are aware of the polls concerning the referendum, but they are also concerned that as long as the threat remains, Quebec will continue to have a poor investment climate.

I am also concerned about the future of anglophones in Quebec after the Parti Quebecois is defeated. While great attention is given to the education provisions of Bill 101 and its predecessor Bill 22, I am more concerned that our children and young anglophone parents are leaving Quebec. A recent survey of graduates of anglophone universities and CEGEP's showed that 37 per cent of the graduates were definitely leaving the province, with an additional 17 per cent probably leaving. The survey also showed that 65 per cent of these are functionally bilingual.

New regulations are making it virtually impossible for anglophones to enter the traditional trades such as plumbing, carpentry and electrical contracting. Policies of the Commission de la Fonction Publique make it difficult to even consider entering the Provincial Civil Service and that of the Montreal Urban Community. Our children are finding it difficult to get employment in the Quebec Police Force and the MUC police departments; they have difficulty becoming firemen or bus and subway drivers. They even have difficulty getting employment in the private sector where language regulations and business policy makes it in-

creasingly hard to find a job in Quebec even if one is bilingual. It is often easier for a unilingual anglophone with a French name to get employed than a bilingual anglophone with an English name.

No, my friends, although the Liberal Party has a new leader and the Parti Quebecois is daily losing all its credibility, the intrinsic damage to Quebec is extremely profound and unless some basic and fundamental changes occur in the attitude of the leadership of this province, the exodus will continue and the polarization will become more evident.

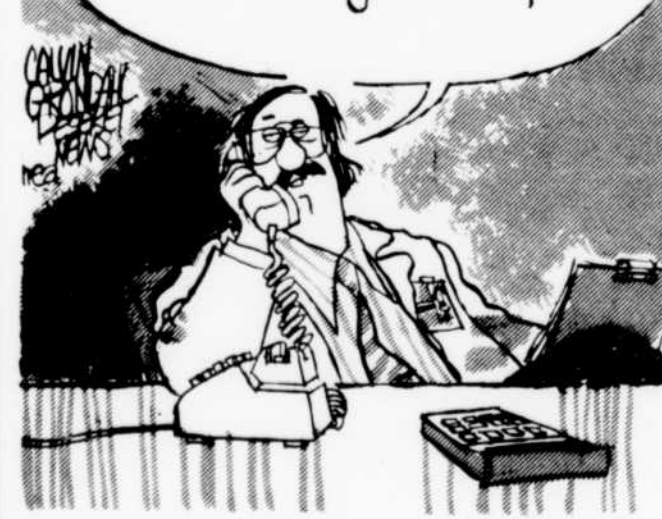
I love this province and I love my French Canadian compatriots. They are becoming increasingly aware of what must be done to stop the exodus. Mr. Ryan, Mr. Garneau and Mr. Biron have all said that the first step is to reverse the social and political climate so that anglophones feel secure and unthreatened in Quebec. More than that they must feel welcome and needed, and they are, because the reconstruction of Quebec needs anglophones and francophones working together.

What is important is that what each of these leaders feel is adequate to effect this change may be far from that which might achieve it. Just as it is important to have input from French Canadians to achieve the improvements in the Canadian constitution that will reassure their desire to achieve cultural protection and decisional autonomy, it is equally true that the francophone leadership of Quebec needs input to achieve the climate of stability and fraternity vital to the rebuilding of Quebec's society and economy. I feel that I have contributed to this input. I am committed to continue to do so so that, in a true sense of partnership, we can achieve the potential that all Quebecers deserve.

So I ask you to have patience with me. Understand the load I have to bear. The time has come for a politician to act with conscience and commitment. It is this lack of commitment that has allowed the deterioration to get this far. I could have taken the easy sinecure route and you would not have faulted me. I believe my children and their future deserve more than that. I believe your children and their future deserve more, too.

DR. WILLIAM F. SHAW,
M.N.A. for Pointe-Claire

Yes dear, I realize that I've been spending a lot of time here at the lab..... Yes, I do remember that this is the week that your Mother was going to visit us..... Yes, dear..... Yes..... I'm leaving now... bye.



You're staying at my house this week.



Vote for McVetty

Editor:

As election winds have started to blow on Parliament Hill I have been trying for some time to figure out a way in which the Conservatives could defeat Pierre Trudeau and his Liberals at the next federal election. After long consideration, I have just come to the conclusion if they would replace Joe Clark with C.W. McVetty of Inverness, Que. the problem would be solved. Mr. McVetty would be slightly older than Mr. Clark but I am sure with his knowledge it would far outweigh the difference in their age.

Mr. McVetty has been a loyal and respected citizen for many years around Inverness and vicinity and, just to mention a few of the larger centres such as Campbell's Corner, St. Pierre Baptiste, Lower Ireland, Henderson's Grove, Dion's Mill, King's Corner, Kinnear's Mills, Crawfordville, Maple Hill, Pontbriand and many other smaller towns and villages.

In fact, Mr. McVetty is the only Conservative I would consider to vote for since we lost our dearly beloved John Diefenbaker as leader of the Conservative Party. Just a word of praise for our Postal Service which has been getting so many complaints lately. I received a letter two days before it was mailed. Beat that for service if you can. I was somewhat surprised when I heard our Prime Minister of Que. receives several thousand dollars as salary more than the Prime Minister of Canada but come to think of it, we have the highest minimum wage in the world so I suppose the ones that set the minimum wage won't forget themselves. Could you blame them?

W.J. McELREAVY,
Sherbrooke, Que.

Washington Merry-Go-Round

Modern-day holocaust rampant in Cambodia

by Jack Anderson and Les Whitten

WASHINGTON — There is another Holocaust story, every bit as stark as the recent TV saga, which should be rubbed into the world's conscience.

"Holocaust" dramatized the ordeal of the Jews who were brutalized and massacred by the Nazis 40 years ago. We have compiled an equally staggering story of the horrors that are going on inside Cambodia today.

The Nazis began the systematic slaughter of all Jews under their control. The Cambodian communists are trying to eradicate not a race but a culture. They are engaged in a deliberate, disciplined campaign to remake the society from the ground up. Intelligence reports tell of "completing the execution of all people who are not from the poor farmer-working class."

Six million Jews perished under the Nazi heel; this was more than six percent of occupied Europe. There has been no body count of how many Cambodians have died from mistreatment and execution. Competent sources have offered estimates ranging from 1.8 million to 2.5 million; about one-third of the seven million people who formerly inhabited Cambodia.

The Nazis tried to conceal their monstrous crime from the world. They used such euphemisms as "resettlement," "removal," and "special action" to describe the mass executions. The Cambodian comrades also have their special vocabulary. A former communist official, who has participated in the killings, told U.S. intelligence sources:

"The Khmer word for 'kill, assassinate, execute' was never spoken when the annihilation policy was discussed. The Khmer term used was 'baoh caol' — literally 'sweep, discard,' or 'baoh s'aad,' literally 'sweep clean.'"

The Nazis used firing squads and gas chambers to exterminate the Jews. In Cambodia, the communists began with firing squads. But they decided that bullets were too precious to waste on their victims. So hundreds of thousands were simply bludgeoned to death and buried in mass graves.

The favorite weapon of extermination in Cambodia has become the garden hoe. The same grisly report keeps recurring in intelligence dispatches: "Each man was blindfolded, led to the edge of a ditch and beaten to death with a hoe."

The brutality began even before the communists swept to victory in Cambodia. Some of the last classified cables from the U.S. embassy reported that communist guerrillas had turned upon the civilian population with a sudden savagery. "The attacks are seen by the refugees as enemy punishment inflicted upon them for rejecting KCP (Khmer Communist Party) offers to come over to the KCP side," alleged one of the final cables.

The communists swarmed over the capital city of Phnom Penh on April 17, 1975. The wholesale slaughter began on the same day. It was not the ravages of undisciplined troops gone wild. Rather, it was the

calculated, coldblooded policy of the communist conquerors to eradicate all vestiges of the existing social order.

"The KCP rationale is to completely rid the society of all elements which are not of the lower social class," according to a former communist official.

The communists were told by their leaders that former government and military personnel were "spoiled rotten" and had to be "swept out." Declared a defector to U.S. authorities: "KCP members have been told that the party views these people as an unreliable and dangerous element that would, if kept within Cambodian society, pose a serious threat to the party and the people at some future time. Party members have been told that this element must be swept out, swept clean."

Officers of the former army were the first to die. "The KCP simultaneously began executing all wealthy farmers, prostitutes, high-level monks, teachers, fortune tellers, former enlisted men and civil servants."

Nor were their families spared. An intelligence report states grimly: "Entire families were ordered executed because the surviving spouses and children would harbor resentment toward the government and would only create problems in the future."

The crude bludgeonings continued for more than a year. "Toward the latter part of 1976," the intelligence reports claim, "the search for an execution of old society people slackened off. In April, 1977, however ... it

once again became a primary party activity to search out and eliminate the last vestiges of the old society."

The most recent cable we have seen on this subject was dated Feb. 13, 1978. It declares tersely: "A renewed emphasis was placed on completely eliminating all vestiges of the former government and completing the executions of all people who were not from the poor farmerworking class."

This maniacal attempt to establish a new order by mass murder was supposed to be kept out of the history books. The communists tried, with frightening success, to hide their horrors from the world. They have sealed off their country tightly. The borders are mined and patrolled.

Yet a few refugees managed to escape, some after harrowing experiences. Less than two months after the communist takeover, we were able to get enough eyewitness accounts to report on June 4, 1975: "It appears that the Khmer Rouge, as the Cambodian communists call themselves, may be guilty of genocide against their own people."

Now we have compiled intelligence reports and eyewitness accounts two inches thick. The evidence is overwhelming. It is the world's most hideous story about the world's most brutal dictatorship. Every American with a conscience should cry out to the United Nations, to the White House, to Congress, to condemn Communist Cambodia.

Hanger's end

Oh, woe is us. The U.S. government has decided it has to crack down on joyriding car thieves, and the means by which it hopes to do this is to make car doors impossible to open with coat hangers.

This is absolutely criminal, and we're not talking about the punks who steal a car to toot off down the road.

What are we to do if we lock our keys inside the car? Whistle for the dealer we bought the car from? Write to Ford or GM or Chrysler for a new key? Lie down on the street and cry?

Car thieves don't use coat hangers. They use sophisticated lock punches, transistorized ignition jumpers and a host of other tools as good as anything Detroit has thought of. Only poor clods such as ourselves will be left out in the cold by these failsafe schemes.

What the heck — we can always hire a professional car thief to break into the family bazzoo. With the prices mechanics charge, it'll probably be cheaper, anyway.

JAMES DUFF

opinion

"Why did you leave me there to die?"

Editor's Note: Stephen O'Ryan, 27, was accosted and stabbed on a Seattle street Dec. 16. Badly wounded, he crawled away, observed but ignored by people in the neighborhood. O'Ryan, the son of a Seattle Post-Intelligencer reporter, has recovered from his wound and plans to enter law school. No one has been arrested for the crime. Here is his story.

By STEPHEN O'RYAN

SEATTLE (AP) — One afternoon I was knocked down on a Seattle street, stabbed in the back and left for dead while both my attackers walked away. The wounds are almost healed, but I want an answer from the people of this city.

Why did you leave me there to die?

I had gotten off the bus that afternoon to visit a friend. If it hadn't been raining, I would have waited for the transfer, and there wouldn't be this six-inch scar up the middle of my stomach and a knife wound in my back. But that's all hindsight. I decided to walk, and two blocks later landed on the pavement, gasping for one deep breath.

I first saw them when they rounded the corner in front of me. One of them had on a greasy white raincoat, the other a shabby tweed. The one in white had his head thrown back, shouting incoherently. I figured he was high and moved over to give them plenty of room. It wasn't room enough.

"Well now, don't this look just like one of 'em," shouted the one in the white raincoat. He was short, thin, wore his hair in a wedge-like afro, and had that wild look in his eyes, like a horse gets when it's scared.

"A honky, a honky, a honky. I swear you can't go nowhere but there ain't a hundred of 'em. Jumpin' outa the sidewalks, tellin' you when and what to do. Look out for me boy, look out!"

"Just let me by," I said. **SHOVED OFF SIDEWALK**

He shoved me off the sidewalk, and I should have moved. Instead I swung for

his stomach, turned on his partner and was stopped short by an incredible jolt of pain on my left side. There was a knife in my back. I staggered once before one of them kicked me in the groin. Then I fell.

The wound was bad. I could feel that cold blade all the way to my chest. Later the doctors told me it tore open my left lung, but I guess I was lucky. It almost pierced my heart.

His partner leaned over to take my wallet. When he pulled out the knife, I felt something give deep inside.

I looked across the street as they walked away and saw a middle-aged man walking his dog in the rain. He must have seen the whole thing. I tried to shout, but the pain was so bad I couldn't even catch my breath. All I managed was a drawn-out moan. He didn't see me.

I moved my head and saw a woman standing at her window. For several seconds I stared at her face, then she moved away and the window was empty. She didn't see me either.

I'm dying. The realization bewildered me. People don't get stabbed to death in decent neighborhoods, not in plain view and the middle of the afternoon. This isn't New York City.

The slightest movement sent a wave of pain up my left side, but I knew if I stayed where I was it would be the last day of my life.

Yesler Way (one of Seattle's main streets) was two blocks off and crowded with traffic. Unable to stand, I rolled slowly to my side, pulled my legs up one at a time, then started crawling down the sidewalk. Every move made me sick to my stomach with the pain. If it meant anything less than dying, I couldn't have done it.

Maybe they thought I was drunk, but that whole neighborhood watched me as I struggled in the rain. All the doors were closed, but they knew I was out there. The appearance and disappearance of a face in a window, the movement of curtains, the studied silence of every house I passed—

they were there, being careful.

By the time I got to Yesler my arms and legs were quivering like those of an old man. I waved at the first car, smearing my hand with blood so they could see I was wounded, and I waited with relief.

It didn't stop.

I waved at the next car, and the next one, and the next. Some of them pointed or stared, a back-seat full of

kids laughed, but to most I was invisible.

I thought of crawling into the street but traffic was too heavy. All I could do was watch numbly as cars passed, stunned with disbelief. All that crawling, I might just as well have never even moved.

A city bus pulled over a block away and an elderly lady stepped out. "Help," I shouted. "I've been stabbed. I need an ambulance."

She didn't answer, but the look on her face told me how disgusting she thought I was.

When she turned away I felt only one thing, and it wasn't panic or fear or pain. It was anger, anger that people could turn their back on a wounded man.

I shouted again, but I knew she wouldn't turn around. It was as if I were shouting at all the empty windows, the locked doors, the staring faces. It was as if I were

shouting the last words of my life.

"I am dying. Doesn't that make one damn bit of difference to you?"

Later I found out it was an attendant at Lloyd's Rocket service station who finally spotted me from across the street and called the ambulance. Welcome to the human race.

For those who like to keep notes on the incidence of black crime, note this. If it

was a black who shoved that knife in, it was also a black man who saved me.

You might not think my story all that horrifying, but you weren't out there in the rain. You don't know about the surgery and the scar it left on my stomach, the nights I couldn't sleep because of the pain, and the pneumonia that resulted from that collapsed left lung.

I could cite you statistics on the increase of violent

crime, or quote authorities on how to avoid being victimized, but you've already heard that. Besides, that's not what troubles me.

What troubles me is the man with the cocker spaniel, the woman in the window, the neighborhood that watched me crawl, the people in those cars, and the woman who turned her back on me.

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Social Notes

Engagements

Mrs. Janet Angrave announces the engagement of her eldest daughter, Deborah Patricia to Mr. David John Scott Howard of Toronto, son of Rev. and Mrs. Oliver Howard, Victoria, B.C. The marriage will take place at St. Mark's Chapel, Bishop's University, on June 10th.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Page are pleased to announce the engagement of their only daughter Debbie to Mr. Brian Brousseau, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Brousseau of Granby, Quebec. The wedding date will be arranged later.

St. Paul's Ladies' Guild

SHERBROOKE — The Guild members held their drawing on Wednesday evening, April 26.

The beautiful afghan was crocheted by Mrs. Reta Ross, and given to the Guild, the winning ticket was drawn by Mr. E. Hallett, holding the name of Mrs. Florence Lord, 1665 Galt St. W., apt. 4.

The cushion was made by Mrs. Lord, the winner was Mrs. Ora Loomis, Church St. Lennoxville.

Please do not forget the casserole supper which will take place May 13 in the Church Hall at 4 p.m., McManamy Blvd.



HEALTH

Lawrence E. Lamb, M.D.

Low back pain

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DEAR DR. LAMB — Recently I developed low back pain, involving spasm of the large supportive muscles along the spine and causing stiffness. It hit me upon getting out of bed one morning. The first two days I could hardly move about because of the pain and spasms.

I believe it was caused by too much forward bending from the waist during the preceding few days. Car you recommend an exercise program that will help prevent reinjury by strengthening the muscles. I am 70 years old. I've found out that many of my friends are also bothered by low back pain.

DEAR READER — You are right, low back pain is a common problem and you don't have to be 70 to get it either.

Anyone who has such an attack should be examined by a physician. There are many causes for low back pain. You could have a ruptured disc between two vertebrae; the material leaked out of the disc is very irritating. The irritation sets up spasm causing the low back pain. Pain can even be a sign of a bone tumor or spread of a hidden cancer. That is why a person can't fool around with such problems on a do-it-yourself basis. It is important to know first what you are treating.

If the back pain is a complication of weak muscles then you can use exercises to help. Also a good exercise program for everyone helps to prevent such frequent problems.

What kind of exercise do you need to do? The most important ones are to strengthen your abdominal muscles. When we sit the abdominal muscles are slack — particularly if you are leaning over a desk typing as I am doing now. Office workers commonly develop weak abdominal muscles which has something to do with the tendency

to develop a large abdomen.

I am sending you The Health Letter number 3-7, Girth Control: Avoiding the Big Middle, not because you have a big middle but because the exercises described there are good to help maintain your abdominal muscles, but do see your doctor before beginning an exercise program. Others who want this issue can send 50 cents with a long, stamped, self-addressed envelope to me for it in care of this newspaper, P.O. Box 1551, Radio City Station, New York, NY 10019.

The strong abdominal muscles help maintain pressure in your abdominal cavity and literally splint the back. If they are weak the back must provide all the support and it may get a little sore as a result. Sitting is the worst of all positions as a cause of back strain.

You need to do modified leg lifts to strengthen the lower abdomen and sit ups to strengthen the upper abdomen. I am sorry to say that level walking will not use the abdominal muscles and won't help much.

Many back problems are related to chronic unrecognized conditions. If a person has one leg significantly shorter than the other it will tilt the pelvis and cause a realignment of the spinal vertebrae. The resulting abnormal position causes a constant see-saw effect and puts unusual stress on spinal muscles. The stressed muscles go into spasm to splint the back and cause pain. When this or other chronic conditions are present correcting the basic defect is just as important as treating the muscle spasm. Proper shoes, proper furniture that fits you and prevents strain are important features of managing back pain problems.

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Birthdays celebrated

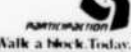
RICHMOND — On Saturday, April 15, Mr. and Mrs. Eric Malboeuf entertained at a family party in honor of their son Mr. Edward Malboeuf of Montreal, on the occasion of his birthday, and also their aunt, Mrs. Lucille Taylor, whose birthday was on the 16th. Mrs. Annette Malboeuf, Edward's grandmother, made the birthday cake and decorated it with colored candles. They each received a number of lovely gifts for which they thanked everyone who had remembered them.

A very pleasant time was spent together. Mr. Bernard Luciano of Montreal was also a guest.

On April 16, on the occasion of Mrs. Lucille Taylor's birthday, she was accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Annette Malboeuf and motored to Danville where

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[CANADIAN FORCES PHOTO]

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communication, so I worked harder at it and LET HER help me. After three years of marriage we are still part of a marriage/family discussion group. We've worked out a good life, sexually and socially, and verbally share our feelings, problems, etc.

So why am I writing? Because I'm sure I was pretty typical in seeing my family role as simply the breadwinner. I'm helping to raise stepchildren now and realize how much my own first family needed me and how much I cheated myself. I hope this letter will wise up other "deadheads". You ain't gonna make it without changing your act, buddy, so wake up and save yourself and everybody around you a lot of heartache.

Just Me

Dear You: What a testimonial! I'm sure thousands of non-communicators will recognize

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From the pens of E.T. writers

THE LITTLE LUMBER JACK

In a little mountain cabin in the hills way up back, there lived a dark haired mother with her son she called her little Lumber Jack. They had hard times together alone there in their shack. She would sit and tell him stories to pass away the time, things about her childhood as she searched her memory's mind. She would tell him about her mother who loved her as much as she loved Jack.

To get the things they needed she would do the best she could. She would leave Jack there at the cabin although he was little; he would always chop the wood. When she would come home he would run and meet her and on his head she would give a pat. And then she would bend and kiss him and say I love you, Lumber Jack!

They walked along the woods together, and sat up on the rock beside the stream, and they picked some flowers and gave each one a name. Oh the beauty of the valley would almost take your breath away. They would see the shadow of the treetops as the sun seemed to slip away. Now the night bird is calling and you can hear an answer from a hill. They would look up to the heavens and watch the flight of the whippoorwill. Oh this valley rich in beauty and its cherished peace and love seem to stay in their minds forever like the clouds in the sky above.

They started back to their cabin. As they walked there through the sands they talked about Jack's future when he became a man. The time was not long in coming as time goes quickly by. Our country was in trouble and Jack volunteered to serve. To his mother he had to say good-bye. She kissed his cheek tenderly with teardrops in her eyes, then he turned and started walking down to the road leading from the shack. He turned and saw her crying from the doorstep.

On the fields of battle his mind did wander back to all the love and kindness. And to a mother who loved her little Lumber Jack. Then he would get a letter and this is what she said: Your mother waits for you Jack, yes, your mother waits for you back here in the mountain Where the sky is sometimes blue. All my love I send to you Jack.

There is no love so great as that of a mother to a child she loves so true. She would give her life to protect them, no matter what they do. She will sit beside the window and wait there in the dark, for a child who may be out, waiting until they come back, and will listen for a footstep known so well to her ear. Her love mixed with emotions and emotions mixed with fear. This was the same with Jack's mother as she grew weary there with time. She wondered when he would return this was always on her mind. Now the strife of war was over and Jack returned again.

As Jack made his way up to the road that led to the shack, he searched his mind and memory for the things that used to be. He saw the letters that they carved together on the trunk of the big beech tree. He thought of the times they picked the flowers as they sat there by the brook and saw the crystal in the waters and watched it float away. The love of Jack's mother was in his memory and forever it would stay.

Up on the rock beside the cabin he found that little axe and beneath it was a picture of his mother in an old tobacco box. And on the axe he saw engraved, as he stood there by the shack. All I can say is I love you, my little Lumber Jack.

PETER AIKEN

Honored on 90th birthday

MILAN — Relatives and friends were invited to the home of Mrs. Christie MacArthur on Saturday, April 22nd, to wish Mrs. MacArthur a "Happy 90th Birthday" and a "Welcome Home" with best wishes for continued good health. She has just returned home from spending several months in St. Joseph's Hospital, Lake Megantic.

Mrs. Isabelle Moulard and Miss Judy, of Sherbrooke, served a delicious lunch followed by the traditional birthday cake. Assisting in serving were Mrs. Murdo MacArthur and Mrs. John D. MacDonald.

Mrs. MacArthur was the recipient of birthday remembrances. After the Birthday Song she expressed her thanks and glad so many could come. Mrs. Myrtle Murray also expressed her pleasure in being able to be at the party. Mr. Arthur MacLeod sang a verse of a Gaelic song, with a repeat by request, enjoyed by those who could understand. Several snapshots were taken.

Guests were from Sherbrooke, Birchton, Sawyerville, Bury, Scotstown, Dell and this town. On departing, each guest expressed the hope of being back to wish Mrs. MacArthur a Happy Birthday next year.

SOCIAL NOTES

Mrs. F. Couchman is spending some time at her home in Dell recuperating from surgery. Her friends wish her a complete recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Moulard, Sherbrooke, were weekend callers of his grandmother, Mrs. Christie MacArthur, his father, Mr. Henry Moulard, and brother, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Moulard and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Duncan McLeod were on business in Sherbrooke a couple of days last week, accompanied by Mrs. David Nicholson on Tuesday. They called on Miss Mary MacLeod, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Turner and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Mayhew.

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- 6:00 a.m.
8) PTL Club
12) University of the Air
6:30 p.m.
3) Sunrise Semester
12) Morning Exercises
7:00 p.m.
3) CBS News
5) Today
8) Good Morning America
12) Canada A.M.
8:00 p.m.
3) Captain Kangaroo
7) Nouvelles
8:15 a.m.
7) Fanfan Dede
9) Les Pierrafeu
8:30 a.m.
6) News
8:45 a.m.
6) Friendly Giant
7) Petits Bonshommes
9) Mon Pays, Mes Amours
9:00 a.m.
3) Mike Douglas
5) Phil Donahue
6) Bonjour
7) La Bonneheure
8) Good Day!
12) Romper Room
9:15 a.m.
9) Passe-Partout
6) Davey and Goliath
9:30 a.m.
9) En Mouvement
10:00 a.m.
9) You Hou
3) Magazine
5) Card Sharks
10:15 a.m.
9) Minute Moutoute!
10:30 a.m.
9) Magazine-Express
5) Hollywood Squares
6) Mr. Dressup
7) Sans Detour
8) Family Affair
11:00 a.m.
9) Trouvailles De Clemence
3) Price is Right
6) Sesame Street
5) High Rollers
7) Une Heure Avec Vous
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5) Johnny Carson
8) Police Story
11:35 p.m.
6) 90 Minutes Live
12:00 a.m.
12) Movie: "Smashing Time"
12:40 a.m.
3) Kojak
8) Mystery of the Week
1:00 p.m.
5) Tomorrow

THURSDAY

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8) One Life to Live
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7) Symphonien En Rappel
8) Get Smart
12) Jeffersons
7:30 p.m.
9) Du Tac Au Tac
3) Price is Right
5) \$100,000 Name that Tune
6) Reach for the Top
7) Les Ennuis de Marie
8) Joker's Wild
8:00 p.m.
9) A Communiquer
3) 12) Walltons
5) Hanna-Barbera Happy
6) To Be Announced
7) Union Fait La Farce
8) That Mashville Music
8:30 p.m.
7) Cinema: "La Page arrachee"
8) Wild Kingdom
9:00 p.m.
5) Hawaii Five-O
5) Operation: Runaway
8) Barney Miller
12) Helen Hutchinson
9:30 p.m.
8) Fish
12) Soap
10:00 p.m.
3) Barnaby Jones

FRIDAY

- 5) Police Woman
8) Baretta
12) Class of '65
10:30 p.m.
9) Nouvelles
7) Nouvelles TVA
11:00 p.m.
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6) CBC News
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7) Justice Pour Tous
11:30 p.m.
3) Mash
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SAWYERVILLE Alice Wilson 889-2932

A very successful card party was held in the Community Center on April 22nd, when 19 tables were in play. Friends came from North Hatley, Waterville, Lennoxville, Sherbrooke, Sand Hill, Bury, Cookshire and surrounding area. Prize winners were: Ladies - Mrs. Morrison, Mrs. E. Hodge, Mrs. Winnie Sylvester, Gents - Roger Boire, Lewis McHarg, E. Ross and Chester Hartwell. Door prizes - Evelyn Sims, Dorothy Learmouth and Pauline McVetty. A drawing, held on a crocheted cushion, was won by Pauline McVetty. Lunch was served by members of the L.O.B.A. who were very pleased at the good attendance.

The Explorers Group, under the supervision of Mrs. Delma Rand, Mrs. Georgia Hodge and Mrs. Bonnie Fowler enjoyed a day in Sherbrooke where they had a tour of McDonald's, also saw a film and enjoyed dinner, after which they were delighted to do some shopping at Les Quatre Saisons Center. Thanks to Mrs. Margaret Bennett and

Mrs. Rand for transportation. A bus load of the Happy Gang Senior Group went to Sherbrooke on April 18, when they enjoyed dinner at the Ponderosa and some shopping at Woolco's.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Fowler attended the Turkey Bingo at the Army and Navy in Lennoxville.

Mrs. Douglas Twyman, Mrs. Lois Callan, Mrs. Harold Chute, Mrs. Alton Fowler, Mrs. Douglas Mackay, Mrs. Arthur MacLeod, Mrs. Geraldine Lowry, Mrs. Alvin Nugent and Mrs. Alfred Robinson attended the Compton County Annual W.I. meeting in Bury on April 16 and report a very interesting day.

Mrs. Vilo Aulis was a supper guest of Mr. and Mrs. Carlyle McBurney on April 17 to celebrate her 81st birthday. She had a very pretty decorated birthday cake and received gifts and phone calls from her families in Ontario and Bury. Mr. and Mrs. Dick Aulis and Mr. Osborne Aulis of Bury called on their mother. Other callers were Mrs. Gladys Quinn and Mrs. Osborne Quinn of Bury.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Hodge and family of Lithia, Mass., spent a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Hodge.

Mr. and Mrs. David Fowler and son David of Spencerville, Ont., were overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alton Fowler, Dareth and Deanna.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Hume and Mr. and Mrs. Phil Zavitz and little daughter Amanda of Dorchester, Ont., spent a week with Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Mackay and visited other relatives and friends in the area. On April 12, all were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Russell Blair at their camp in High Forest to celebrate Doug's birthday, which was the following day.

Mrs. Lloyd Hume and Mrs. Douglas Mackay were dinner guests of Mrs. Arthur Alden and Margaret, in Lennoxville.

Mr. Edgar Cathcart of Guelph, Ont., Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cathcart of Rockwood, Ont., Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Ross of Ottawa and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Prieur of London, Ont., were here to attend the funeral of Mrs. Wallace Cathcart on April 25. Some were guests of

Mrs. Russell Cathcart. Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Mackay were Mr. and Mrs. Steven Thorne of Cobourg, Ont., and Mr. and Mrs. Garth Mackay, Sean and Shari of La Salle. Mrs. Frances Bain and John of Clifton were dinner guests. Mr. and Mrs. Mackay were evening visitors of Mrs. A. Alden in Lennoxville, who had returned home from the hospital after undergoing surgery.

WATERLOO

Alice Ashton

A card party was held on Saturday evening, April 22nd in the Masonic Temple Hall, sponsored by Victoria Rebekah Lodge, when 500 was played at 7 tables.

Prizes for most games won went to Gordon Pow, R. Streeter, Lawrence Page and Elizabeth Pow. Other prizes drawn as door prizes went to Hilda Wilson, Hazel Chapman, Orval Quilliams, Lucille Aitkin, Nelson Langevin, Alice Ashton, Mary Emmett, Joyce Hogan, Valentine Vintinner, Glenna Martin, Norman Jones, Eva Page, Ola

Streeter, C. Wright and Lucy Wright. Tickets were sold on a box of stationery and a bag of Clairrol products. These were won by Glenna Martin and Joyce Hogan.

Refreshments were served buffet style at the close of the games.

The Young at Heart Group met at the Legion Hall April 24 with an attendance of 56. 500 was played at 12 tables and crokinole at one.

Prizes were won by Juliette Morin, Hilda Marsh, Lennie Benoit, A.L. Rogers, Byron Mizener, Arlene Mizener, Doris Davis, Mrs. Cararra, Mrs. Champagne, Mrs. A. Chagnon, Eva Allaire. The door prize was claimed by Mrs. Laporte.

A get-well card was signed by all for Georgette Long. Refreshments were served at the close of the afternoon. The next meeting will be on May 8 at 1:30 p.m.

VALE PERKINS

Mrs. Geo. Jewett

292-5245

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Jewett and family were Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lahue, Mr. and Mrs.

Marcel Lague, Francois and Mark of Cowansville, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Stowe, West Brome, Mr. Durward Darling, Waterloo and Mr. and Mrs. Keith Bell, Brigham.

Tom Frey of Agassiz, B.C. and Brenda Jewett returned home on April 20 from a trip to Europe. They left in early January on a flight from New York, visiting England, Germany, Greece, Italy, Spain and France.

Ruth Sherman of Wells, Maine, Murray Telford and John Whelan of Montreal were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. David Perkins and Mrs. Perkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Kirwin, who left early in January on a trip to United States have returned. Their trip took them over thirteen thousand miles. They spent some time in Florida, then following the Gulf Coast they went to San Antonio, Texas. They visited the Mammoth Caves in New Mexico which are 830 feet below the surface and extend a few miles underground. They enjoyed a flight over the Grand Canyon as well as a walking trip into the Canyon. They spent some time in Tucson, Arizona and then on to

California. They then travelled up the West coast to B.C. where they visited friends in Salt Springs. They visited their daughter Jill and her husband in Fort McMurray, Alberta and son Dave and family in Calgary, then on to Ottawa when Mrs. Kirwin is spending a few days with their daughter Jan, while Bruce went on to the Vale accompanied by their son Harry.

Carol Jewett of Danville and Jane Jewett of Montreal were home for the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. George Jewett and family. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lahue of Cowansville were also guests at the same home.

AYER'S CLIFF

Mrs. E.J. Astbury

838-4831

Mrs. Della West and two children of Eaton Corner were weekend guests of her mother, Mrs. Opal Smith. Mrs. Gwen True of Lennoxville was a weekend guest of her friend, Mrs. Elsie Whitcomb and attended the Jolly Twelve Card Club held at the home of Mrs. G. Harrison.

A birthday dinner party, was held at the home of Mr. W.B. Hamilton on April 23rd, honoring the birthdays of Mrs. Myrtle Aulis and Mrs. Frances Phaneuf. Guests attending were Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Campbell, Waterloo, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Phaneuf and two daughters of Magog and Mr. W. Sheldon of this town. Greetings from their friends here are extended to these two celebrants.

This Community was saddened on Sat., April 22nd, to learn of the sudden death of Mr. Clair Libby which occurred at his home here. Mr. Libby had only returned to his home on the previous Tuesday after being in the Sherbrooke Hospital, under observation and treatment. He resided in Libbytown before coming to Ayer's Cliff where they have lived many years and was a friendly man, always ready to lend a helping hand. A good friend and neighbor who will be much missed by his family and a host of friends. Sympathy is extended to his wife Ethelwyn and other members of his family.

Friends of Mrs. Carroll Dezan who suffered a stroke recently and is a patient in La Providence Hospital in Magog will be glad to know there is some improvement in her condition and all hope she may improve daily and be home very soon.

Mrs. Elsie Whitcomb and Mrs. N. Pierce were in Richmond on Friday where they attended the funeral of their cousin, Mrs. Marjorie Dennison.

Mrs. Albert Raymond of Sherbrooke was a Sunday visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Robinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Sparks of St. Catharines, Ont., spent a week recently with their aunt, Mrs. Mabel Cooper. Other guests have been Mr. and Mrs. Francis McKenzie of Shelburne, Vt., weekend and Mr. John Keeler of Orleans, Vt., Mrs. Annie Keeler, Stanstead, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Palmer, Rock Forest, and Mr. and Mrs. H. Ingalls and son Kenneth of Katevale.

EAST ANGUS

Mrs. Murray Labonte

832-2397

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Damon spent a few days with Mrs. Evelyn Henderson, Waterbury, Vt. and with Mr. and Mrs. Reg Curtis, Beebe Plain, Vt.

Mrs. Ella Burgess, Sherbrooke, spent the weekend, guest of Mrs. Thomas Rowland and Miss Margaret Rowland. Other dinner guests on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fuller and daughters of Hudson, N.H.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Wilkin spent the weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Gillanders in Thetford. Mrs. Rodger Heatherington and Mrs. Murray Labonte visited Mrs. Betty Gilbert in the Wales Home, Richmond.

Miss Karen Nadeau, Montreal, spent the weekend guest of Laurie and Chesley Nadeau at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rodger Heatherington.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Kinnear and Mrs. Fred Clark visited Mr. Fred Clark in the Wales Home in Richmond on Sunday.

Miss Mary Gregory,

Bishop's University, Lennoxville, spent the weekend with her grandmother, Mrs. Ransome Hayes.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Learned visited Mrs. Learned's mother, Mrs. R. Learned, at the Wales Home, Richmond.

Mrs. Roy Martyn entertained the bridge club on Wednesday evening when cards were played at two tables. Prizes were won by Mrs. Marjory Rowland, Mrs. Kay Labonte and Mrs. Violet Hall. A delicious lunch was served by the hostess.

Mr. Grant Gray of Burnaby, B.C. is spending two weeks with his mother, Mrs. Robert Gray.

MELBOURNE

Mrs. John Wilkins

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Rev. and Mrs. W.J. Buchanan of Newmarket, Ont., were recent callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Wilkins after being dinner guests of Mrs. Diana Taber and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Wilkins at Melbourne Ridge. They wished to be remembered to all their friends both here in Richmond and Melbourne and at Melbourne Ridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Malboeuf celebrated their eldest daughter Jacqueline's birthday on April 16, and invited several friends and relatives. She received a number of lovely gifts. A delicious supper was served by her mother. Jacqueline thanked all who had remembered her with cards and gifts.

Friends of Miss Allison Lyster were sorry to learn that she is a patient in the Sherbrooke Hospital, and extend best wishes.

Mrs. Arthur Johnston has returned from a seven-week holiday when she accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bullock of Beebe, and Mrs. Marjorie Armstrong of Richmond to Bradenton, Florida. They also visited Washington, D.C. and Daytona Beach. En route home they also spent a few days visiting their families who were in New York and Ontario.

SUTTON JUNCTION

Winifred Brown

Recent guests at the home of Mrs. E. Mudd and Mr. E. Palmer included Mr. and Mrs. Eric Fuller, Sherbrooke, and Mr. and Mrs. Rolfe Ladd, Pte. Claire.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Osborne, Masson, were weekend guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Brown and Mrs. N. Osborne, of Brome.

Sympathy of the Community is extended to Mrs. Robert Wilson, in the death of her stepson, Mr. Douglas Wilson, which occurred recently, in the B.M.P. Hospital, Cowansville.

Mrs. E. Mudd accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Rolfe Ladd of Dorval, to Leominster, Mass., where they spent a few days, guests of relatives.

MANSONVILLE & AREA

Maria Bray

The 16 children chosen to act as Aides on the Mansonville school buses, in the case of an emergency are: Jeff George, Mark Jersey, Bruce Jones, Shawn Jersey (Mr. Ducharme's bus no. 12).

Joanna Krause, Susie Heckley, Brett Royea, Beth Keen (Mr. Lamoureux's bus no. 15).

Darcy Smith, Betty Smithers, Mark DeFelice and Yvan Johnson (Mr. DeFelice's bus no. 16).

Gail Cote, Penny McClure, Dean Patch and Ernest Cote (Mr. Tracy's bus no. 17).

Receiving awards for excellent behaviour on their respective buses were:

Gilbert Belin, Tracey Priest, Bruce Jones, Darrol Belin, Tommy Clifford, Jeffrey George, Wendy George, Jeff Jersey, Mark Jersey, Karen Jones, Christine Priest, Peter Bugusz, Mark Bugusz, Kimberley Cote, Angela George, Susie Heckley, Ronny Peasley, John Russell, Billy George, Jenny George, Heather Farrell, Joanna Krause, Jacky Grannery, Roberta Hamelin, Suzie Cote, Tina Davis, Darcy Smith, Betty Smithers, Amanda Patch, Gail Cote, Christopher Sherrer, Maryanne Sherrer.

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Tourists gawk at Afghani coup relics

KABUL (AP) — Tanks still guard most major streets in Afghanistan's capital six days after a bloody coup brought a pro-Communist government to power, but the city is calm and battle-ravaged relics of the fighting are a sightseeing attraction.

Kabul's airport reopened Tuesday, and authoritative sources told foreign

correspondents who arrived on the first flight that the death toll in the rebellion last Thursday and Friday was far higher than the 200 originally reported by the military rebels.

The sources said as many as 10,000 may have died. They included President Mohammed Daoud, his wife, brother, three sons, and a number of his young grand-

children, and many of the elite presidential guard who tried to defend the presidential palace armored and air attacks.

There were no casualties among the 80 or 90 Canadians in Afghanistan, Canadian Ambassador Frank Stone said in a telephone interview from Islamabad, Pakistan. "In fact, no foreign nationals of any country have been affected by the fighting," Stone said in an interview with The Canadian Press in Toronto. Stone is responsible for Canadian interests in Afghanistan as well as being

Canadian ambassador to Pakistan.

TANKS WRECKED
Curious Afghans swarmed over half a dozen burned-out wrecks of tanks and armored cars on the palace grounds, which have been thrown open to the public. Garlands of flowers hung from some of the shattered hulks that came from Afghanistan's big northern neighbor, the Soviet Union.

Troops stood guard at key government buildings, including the Radio Afghanistan, said to be the headquarters of the ruling Revolutionary Council.

The council, headed by 61-year-old Nur Mohammad Tarrakhi, has announced no political affiliation and describes its philosophy as Islamic and democratic nationalism. However, the premier and his 20 cabinet members have been reliably identified as Communist party members.

Tarrakhi was press attached at the Afghan embassy

in Washington in 1952-53 and also worked for 18 months as a translator for the U.S. embassy in Kabul. He has devoted his life to the Communist movement since the mid-1960s, informed sources said.

Several Afghans interviewed in the sunlit streets of the hill-rimmed city said they had not heard the new leaders were Communists.

Obituaries

MRS. EVA ALEXANDER
of Redlands, Calif.
(formerly of Inverness)
Mrs. Eva Cook Alexander passed away in Redlands, California, March 27, 1978, in her 84th year.

She was born in Inverness, Que., daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Peter Cook of that place.

The funeral services were held from Cortner Chapel on March 29, the Rev. John Wichman officiated, interment at Montecito Memorial Park, Loma Linda, California.

Honorary bearers were her three grandsons, Paul, Scott and Mark Alexander.

The beautiful floral tributes showed the high esteem in which she was held by relatives and friends.

She was tenderly cared for by her husband, son Kenneth, daughter-in-law Connie and sister-in-law Blanche.

Having taught in both the Eastern and Western provinces, Eva will be remembered for her great interest in education, believing that success comes through achievement. Many of her students will have remembered her patience, kindness and generosity. She was a loving wife, good mother and kind friend.

Left to mourn her loss is her husband, Percy Alexander, sons Vernon of El Cerrito, Lloyd of North Tonawanda, Kenneth of Redlands, daughters-in-law, Gloria, Dolly, and Connie, her six granddaughters and four grandsons, sisters Annie, Carrie, Stella, Ethel and Ly-la. She was predeceased by her sisters, Euphemia, Lennie and Gladys, and brothers Archie and Walter.

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Deaths

BULLOCK, Margaret Etta (McIntyre of Tomifolia) — At the Sherbrooke Hospital on May 1st, 1978, in her 79th year. Resting at Cass Funeral Home, 39 Dufferin Rd., Stanstead, where funeral service will be held Thurs., May 4, at 2 p.m. Rev. Ralph Rogers officiating. Interment in Griffin Cemetery. Visitation Wed. from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m.

GATLEY, Merrill — At the B.M.P. Hospital, Cowansville, Que., on Sunday April 30th, 1978. Merrill Gatley, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Gatley. Dear brother of Mrs. Archie Liehead of Newport, Vt., Mrs. Doris Gardner of Glen Sutton, Que., and Carlton of Mansville, Que. Funeral service from the Chapel on Wednesday, May 3rd, at 2 p.m. Rev. Neil Wallace officiating. Interment Mansville Cemetery.

MacRAE, William — At the Theford Mines General Hospital on Tues. May 2nd, 1978. William MacRae, at the age of 76 years and 7 months, brother of David of Kinross's Mills, Samuel of Pontbriand and of the late Mrs. Leslie King (Janet). Resting at the J.A. Savoie Funeral Home, 1086 Notre Dame St. N., Theford Mines. Funeral Friday, May 5 at 2 p.m. in St. John the Divine Church, Theford Mines. Interment in St. Mark's Cemetery, Kinross's Mills. Visitation 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m.

Card of Thanks

BARTER — May these most sincere words adequately convey thanks to my dear family, doctor, nurses, friends and everyone who helped me while recently in hospital. All those gifts, flowers, cards and kind wishes were much appreciated. My love to you all.
MURIEL V. BARTER

Cemetery Notice

DUBOYCE

CEMETERY MEETING
The Duboyce Cemetery Assoc. annual meeting will be held at the home of Lawrence Marsh, West Bolton, Wednesday, May 10, at 8:00 p.m.

Tenders for summer maintenance of Duboyce Cemetery should be presented before this meeting to: R.A. Duboyce, Pres. or Ethel Marsh, Sec.-Treas.

CEMETERY MEETING

The annual meeting of the Lakeview Cemetery Association will be held at the home of the president, Aubrey E. Greer, North Hatley, on Tues., May 9, 1978 at 7:30 p.m.

R.D. GREER
Sec.-Treas.

Girls' Club meets

KNOWLTON (KT) — Dove Theta Rho Girls' Club met in Knowlton at the Rebekah Hall on Saturday afternoon, April 15, with 17 members present and one visitor, who later joined the club.

The meeting was opened by the president June Monteith. A project "Bikeathon" was planned for Saturday, May 13, to depart at 9 a.m. from the Lodge Hall in Waterloo for the Lodge

Hall in Cowansville. This represents a distance of approximately 20 miles and has been organized to raise money for the purchase of the Club's regalia. The paper work is in charge of the vice-president Susan Durkee.

The meeting closed in Ritual Form, and the next one will also be held in Knowlton on Saturday, May 20 at 1:30 p.m.

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80 laid off at Le Soleil

QUEBEC (CP) — Eighty supervisory and other non-union employees of the newspaper Le Soleil were laid off Tuesday as a strike at the French-language daily entered its ninth month.

Jacques Francoeur, president and publisher of Le Soleil, announced: "The newspaper will remain closed indefinitely and after serious reflection I must announce the lay-off of supervisory and non-union personnel of Le Soleil."

A management spokesman said the move meant the 80 employees, whose salaries have been paid since the strike launched by journalists and support personnel, now will be eligible for unemployment insurance.

In addition to the 108 reporters, copy editors and 32 newsroom support personnel who are on strike, there are another 375 production workers who have been laid off. They include pressmen, typographers and classified advertising employees.

The focal point of the strike has been demands from the union, affiliated with the Confederation of National Trade Unions, to have control over editorial content at Le Soleil, whose pre-strike circulation was about 150,000.

REJECT REPORT

A conciliator's report tabled April 24 was accepted by management, but rejected by the union.

Meanwhile, the union has requested Premier Rene Levesque to have the conflict discussed by the national assembly's communications committee.

Le Soleil is the only afternoon daily in the provincial capital. The tabloid Journal de Quebec serves the morning market.

Newspaper strikes have been mentioned by the Parti Quebecois government as a reason for delaying publication of some policy documents.

Levesque told the national assembly the cabinet will consider the union's request for a parliamentary hearing into the dispute.

In their statement, the journalists described the layoffs as a tactical move by the company to try to force the union into accepting the mediator's report.

The reporters and support staff walked out last Aug. 30 in support of their proposals for a new contract to replace their old one which expired the previous December.

LA PRESSE, MTL MATIN REOPENING

MONTREAL (CP) — La Presse is expected to reappear on newsstands by the end of this week or early next, seven months after 200 reporters and editors walked off the job.

The strike crippled the

afternoon daily newspaper, as well as Montreal-Matin, a morning tabloid published in the same building.

Journalists at both papers are expected to report to work Thursday, but company officials say start-up dates will be announced only after all unions at the paper sign their new contracts.

SOUGHT VETO

The La Presse journalists originally sought a veto in the selection of editorial department heads, which they said they needed to protect editorial freedom. They settled for a guarantee that they will be consulted about such appointments.

Before the walkout, top-rated La Presse journalists—those with at least six years experience—earned \$360 a week.

Under the new four-year agreement, the top rate goes to \$410, retroactive to last Jan. 1, with additional compensation for 1977 when the employees worked without a contract. The rate goes to \$440 next Jan. 1, rising in stages to \$500 on Oct. 1, 1980.

Reporters also get a four-day, 32-hour week which takes effect immediately. And employees in lower-paying jobs won substantially larger increases than the journalists to reduce the gap between the lowest and highest-paid workers.

Publication of the two papers was halted Oct. 6.

JOINED STRIKE
The journalists, members of the Confederation of National Trade Unions, walked out after having been without a contract since the previous January.

ASBESTOS CLOSURE WITHIN A WEEK?

QUEBEC (CP) — The provincial government introduced a motion Tuesday which would force an end within one week to committee study of legislation setting up a national asbestos corporation.

The motion, entered in the national assembly order paper by Parti Quebecois House Leader Robert Burns, would force the natural resources committee to return the bill to the House for final study on May 9.

The bill, which has received approval in principle, has been before the committee for clause-by-clause study since March 16

and government members have accused the opposition of a filibuster.

The motion to cut off debate will likely be debated Thursday.

The bill would establish a national asbestos corporation with initial capitalization of \$250 million.

The corporation would purchase Asbestos Corp., one of the largest producers in the province, and enter joint ventures with other secondary producers.

If the motion is passed, the legislation would return to the assembly for third and final reading, which likely will be brief.

News Briefs

She helped the elderly

OWEN SOUND, Ont. (CP) — An 88-year-old woman who died in February has left a \$100,000 trust fund to be distributed to needy citizens who are at least 65 years old and have lived in this city for at least three years.

Edna Mary McLaughlin stipulated that not more than \$300 is to be paid to any one person in a year and gave the estate trustee, Victoria and Grey Trust Co., authority to select beneficiaries with the guidance of the King's Daughters, a women's organization, and the Owen Sound Ministerial Association.

Civil service changes queried

QUEBEC (CP) — A Quebec opposition member expressed concern Tuesday that there have been 5,670 job changes within the province's public service since the Parti Quebecois came to power in November, 1976.

Speaking before a legislative committee studying spending estimates in the public service, Georges Vaillancourt (L-Orford) wondered out loud whether the changes had been made arbitrarily or according to favoritism.

CBC has male script assistants

OTTAWA (CP) — The CBC does have male script assistants, 12 out of 370, and it could use more, says director Helen McVey of the corporation's office of equal opportunities.

The figures were made available Tuesday after she had been quoted last week by The Canadian Press—erroneously, she says—as saying that the job of script assistant for some reason is always held by women.

PCs, NDP want surveillance probe

OTTAWA (CP) — Progressive Conservative and New Democratic MPs called Tuesday for a Commons investigation to determine whether alleged RCMP surveillance violates the rights of political candidates.

Former Progressive Conservative leader Robert Stanfield said the fundamental rights of MPs are at stake and the committee should be allowed to examine the extent of and criteria for RCMP surveillance of political candidates.

Moore, others named

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld. (CP) — An opposition member of the Newfoundland legislature tabled an affidavit Tuesday which alleged Premier Frank Moore and a high-ranking Progressive Conservative Party official were directly involved in making payments to the party in exchange for government business.

The tabling of the document, carried out with the permission of Speaker Gerald Ottenheimer despite government opposition, sparked a heated exchange of name-calling and shouted points of order.

Billboard rapped

THOROLD, Ont. (CP) — A Thorold woman has written to the mayor of this community near St. Catharines to object to a billboard advertising Stanfield's Ltd. underwear.

The woman, who did not identify herself, said that "surely we don't have to expose our young people to this type of advertising."

Extradition changes cleared

OTTAWA (CP) — The Commons granted approval in principle Tuesday to legislation that would allow the government to streamline laws dealing with extradition of fugitives from other countries and the return of escaped criminals to Canada for trial.

Amendments to the 95-year-old Fugitive Offenders Act and the Extradition Act now go to the Commons justice committee for detailed study by MPs.

Tardif raps private funding

QUEBEC (CP) — Quebec's municipal affairs minister says municipalities should not obtain more sources of independent revenue unless there is more democratic participation in decision-making.

Guy Tardif told a national assembly committee hearing Tuesday that "it is not possible to assure municipalities of greater autonomous revenue without demanding a counterweight, that is to say, democracy, the control of local affairs by the people."

"It is the principles of taxation and representation that are at stake," Tardif told the committee studying his department's budget.

REMARK HAUNTS TRUDEAU

OTTAWA (CP) — An off-the-cuff remark in the Commons Monday by Prime Minister Trudeau continued to haunt him Tuesday.

Monday, under questioning about a revenue department circular concerning the tax-free status of charitable organizations, Trudeau suggested the circular would be suspended.

Flora MacDonald (PC—Kingston and the Islands) demanded Tuesday to know if the circular, characterized by the opposition as an attempt to intimidate charitable organizations, had indeed been suspended.

Trudeau told her he had brought the matter to the attention of the department, adding:

"I said in the House yesterday (Monday) that if it were in my power to suspend the document, I would

suspend it."

The circular in question interprets a section of the Income Tax Act which says charitable organizations would lose their tax-free status if they engaged in any political activity—from writing letters to the editor of a newspaper on a political issue to demonstrating publicly to support or oppose a political position.

Trudeau repeated Tuesday what he said in the Commons Monday:

"This circular was meant to help charitable organizations by indicating to them what courts had decided on the basis of the law."

If the charitable organizations do not want to be guided by this circular they do not have to be. In the last resort it is the courts that will decide what the law is."

Videla Argentine president

BUENOS AIRES (Reuter) — Gen. Jorge Rafael Videla has been appointed to serve as president of Argentina for a new three-year term but a decision on whether he will be allowed a strongman role independent of the armed forces is yet to be taken.

His appointment as president for a new term, to run until March, 1981, was taken Tuesday night by the three-man military junta of which he is a member.

CUPE joins Sun Life protest

OTTAWA (CP) — The Canadian Union of Postal Workers has joined other large unions in protesting the planned move of the head office of Sun Life Assurance Co. of Canada to Toronto from Montreal.

Jean-Claude Parrot, postal workers president, urged the federal government Tuesday to cancel all policies with the company, which is moving because of its opposition to Quebec's language legislation.

Toxin kills bacteria

CAMBRIDGE, Mass. (AP) — Biologists have discovered a tiny ocean creature produces a chemical that kills bacteria more powerfully than any animal-made substance known to man.

The scientists said not enough is known about the substance yet to determine its possible uses as a medicine for humans. But they said the discovery opens the possibility of finding a new variety of potent, disease-fighting drugs for humans.

UN troops on red alert

BEIRUT (AP) — All United Nations troops in south Lebanon were put on red alert today following a series of ambush and mortar attacks by Moslem extremists in which one French paratrooper and a Palestinian officer were killed, three French troops were missing and seven were wounded, UN sources reported.

Italy to debate Moro fate

ROME (CP) — The Italian government agreed late Tuesday to hold a parliamentary debate on the kidnapping of former premier Aldo Moro in an apparent attempt to win backing for its refusal to negotiate with his Red Brigades abductors.

Interior Minister Francesco Cossiga announced the debate after a day of mounting political tension over Socialist party demands for a compromise deal with the Red Brigades. He said the government will set a date for the debate.

Meanwhile, investigators looked for secret signals in the recent series of Red Brigades statements, including letters from Moro, in the belief the leader of the Christian Democratic party may have buried clues to his whereabouts and captors in the handwritten messages.

Many believe Moro, long an expert in political code language, may be trying through the letters to pass on crucial information with a new code—making odd references to names and old and recent events, and striking out several words.

Korean pilots radioed Soviets

HELSINKI (Reuter) — The pilot and navigator of a South Korean airliner tried contacting Russian fighter planes three times by emergency radio before the Russian aircraft forced them down 12 days ago, a Finnish air ministry official said Tuesday.

The Korean Airlines Boeing 707 flying over the North Pole to Seoul from Paris crashlanded on a frozen lake in the Soviet Union. Two passengers were killed when the fighters opened fire.

Tear-gas jockey fired

TEL AVIV (Reuter) — Brig-Gen. David Haguel, commander of the Israeli military government in the occupied West Bank, has been dismissed from his post after Israeli soldiers threw tear-gas grenades into an Arab high school, the defence ministry said Tuesday.

The attack occurred March 21, the ministry announcement said.

Kidnap victim freed

MCKENZIE, Tenn. (AP) — Eighteen-year-old Jodie Gaines, kidnapped Friday night, was released unharmed today, U.S. Attorney Mike Cody said in Memphis.

He said some arrests had been made in the case. "She is distraught and upset but OK," Cody said by telephone.

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short notes...

NFL draft mops up

NEW YORK (AP) — The National Football League's draft of college players entered the mopping-up stage today after Tuesday's opening six rounds claimed the stars.

Earl Campbell, Art Still, Wes Chandler, Chris Ward and the other instant superstars were long gone, gobbled up and showered with hundreds of thousands of dollars by most of the league's 28 teams.

After the excitement died down, the teams were left looking for diamonds in the rough in today's seventh through 12th rounds.

Campbell was Houston's No. 1 selection in the opening round, no surprise since the Oilers traded away four draft choices plus tight end Jimmy Giles to Tampa Bay for the Buccaneers' pick to guarantee getting the Heisman Trophy-winning running back from Texas.

Campbell, a 6-foot-1, 220-pounder, is financially set for life, thanks in part to Mike Trope. He's the agent who negotiated contracts reported worth about \$1.2 million over five years, and who promised that Campbell would make about \$1.4 million in six.

...trivia tidbits

Montreal and Toronto are meeting for the 12th time in Stanley Cup playoff action. Toronto has won six, including three of the last five. The teams have played six best-of-seven semi-final sets and five best-of-seven finals. Each has won three semi-finals.

The pairings for the semi-final series this year—Montreal vs. Toronto and Boston vs. Philadelphia—assures the 35th final between a Canadian team and a United States city. In the last 14 such meetings, the Canadian team won all the series, Montreal taking 11 and Toronto grabbing three. The last time a Canadian team lost a final to a United States-based club was in 1955 when Detroit Red Wings won a seven-game series from Montreal.

The Bruins carry a four-game playoff winning streak against Philadelphia into this year's semi-final. Boston swept last year's semi-final in four straight.

The Bruins and Flyers are meeting for the fourth time in Stanley Cup play and for the third consecutive time in the semi-finals. After Philadelphia won the Stanley Cup in 1974 by defeating the Bruins in a six-game series, the Flyers eliminated the Bruins 4-1 in the 1976 semi-final.

The Bruins have been involved in three straight games in which the winning teams swept the best-of-seven affairs in four games. Boston defeated Philadelphia 4-0 in last year's semi-final and then lost the final to Montreal in four straight. Boston eliminated Chicago in four consecutive games in this season's quarter-final.

Top gymnasts to attend meet

TORONTO (CP) — Top competitors from Canada, the United States, China and Australia will take part in the Pacific Rim gymnastics event later this month in Edmonton and Vancouver.

Each country will send three male and three female gymnasts to compete for individual and team honors in the two-event meet.

The competition begins Sunday, May 14 in Edmonton and resumes May 17 in Vancouver. Representing Canada will be Monica Goermann of Winnipeg, Sherry Hawco of Cambridge, Ont., Karen Kelsall of Surrey, B.C., Philip Delesalle of Victoria, Warren Long of Montreal and Owen Walstrom of Victoria.

Astros-Expos game postponed

MONTREAL (CP) — A National League baseball game scheduled Tuesday night between Houston Astros and Montreal Expos was postponed because of cold weather, an Expos spokesman said.

The game will be made up during Houston's next trip to Montreal in July. In a game tonight, J.R. Richard, 1-2, is scheduled to pitch for the Astros against Montreal's Ross Grimsley, 4-0.

Dynamiters nearer Allan Cup

KIMBERLEY, B.C. (CP) — Kimberley Dynamiters moved to within one game of winning their first Allan Cup senior hockey championship in 42 years with a 5-2 win over Brantford, Ont. Alexanders here Tuesday night.

Dynamiters lead the best-of-seven final series 3-1 with the fifth game scheduled here tonight. Kimberley went on the attack from the opening faceoff and scored four unanswered goals in the first period while outshooting the defending Allan Cup champions 17-9.

Barry Cummins paced Kimberley with goals at 6:45 and 8:53 while Aurel Beaudin and Dale Booth rounded out first-period scoring for the Western International Hockey League champions.

The Alexanders kept pace with Kimberley in the second and third periods but were unable to overcome the Dynamiters' lead.

Joe Hudon tops drivers

HAMBURG, N.Y. (AP) — Joe Hudon Jr., a native of Lorette, Man., won two of five races to rack up an evening-high 47 points and move into second place in the World Harness Driving Championship being held at 10 North American tracks.

Hudon won the second and fifth races Tuesday night at Buffalo Raceway where five of the runs had been designated as the fifth leg of the series. Kevin Holmes of New Zealand added 20 points to his leading total, which stands at 150.

Prince trainer wants Derby

LOUISVILLE, Ky. (AP) — Training horses for Triple Crown events usually isn't Allen Jerkens' thing. But his presence at Churchill Downs makes unbeaten Sensative Prince one of the leading contenders for Saturday's 104th running of the Kentucky Derby.

Jerkens has built an outstanding reputation during the last 28 years, mostly handling the Hobeau Farm stock of Jack Dreyfus and pulling upsets over the likes of Forego, Buckpasser, Kelso and Secretariat.

Now he faces the task of attempting to win the Derby from the more highly-regarded Alydar and Affirmed.

"I'd give up my 10-per-cent share if I could win it," said Jerkens Tuesday. In his only other appearance here he saddled Round Stake, who finished 11th to 1975 winner Foolish Pleasure.

Prexy quits ailing Aeros

HOUSTON (AP) — Harrison Vickers, president of the financially-troubled Houston Aeros, resigned his position with the World Hockey Association team Monday.

The WHA club is in the midst of trying to sell 7,000 season tickets to pursue a bid for entry into the National Hockey League.

"The only statement I have to make is that some of my philosophy and aspirations for the hockey team were inconsistent with the philosophy of the ownership, so the only thing for me to do was resign," Vickers said.

Habs whip Leafs 5-3

MONTREAL (CP) — Montreal Canadiens defeated Toronto Maple Leafs 5-3 Tuesday night in the opening game of their National Hockey League best-of-seven semi-final, but for the Canadiens the game should have been a rout.

The defending Stanley Cup champions held a 36-15 edge in shots on goal in the contest, but the Leafs took advantage of some shaky goaltending by Canadiens' Ken Dryden to make it close.

Dryden said he was not

any more nervous than usual and the fact he was playing his first game in a week did not have anything to do with his effort.

"The rest doesn't really have any impact on a goaltender," he said. "There's nothing really to say about it (the rest)."

"I wasn't any more nervous. I'm relatively nervous before most playoff games."

It may have been the lack of consistent activity that had people feeling Dryden was napping during the

contest, but Mike Palmateer, who kept his team-mates in the game with sometimes brilliant netminding, said that should not be the case.

"It shouldn't be anything new to Dryden. He's faced 15 shots probably in 50 games this year. He never gets bombed too often."

"In the playoffs it shouldn't matter how many shots you get. You should be up for anything. I think in the Islanders series, there were periods of four or five

minutes when I wasn't getting any shots.

"Then, all of a sudden, I'd get a breakaway. I had to be ready for it."

Palmateer, who allowed Yvan Cournoyer's 62nd and 63rd career playoff goals, said he was relatively pleased with his effort, despite the fact the Leafs were not winners.

Serge Savard, Jacques Lemaire and Guy Lafleur scored the other goals for the Canadiens who led 3-1 at the end of the first period and 3-2 entering the final 20 minutes.

Cournoyer's second goal of the game at 3:14 proved to be the game winner and moved him into fourth place in the NHL all-time playoff scoring list.

But the impressive part of the third period was the fact Montreal did not allow the Leafs a shot at Dryden until the midway mark after Lafleur had popped his third goal of the playoffs.

"Sometimes the shots on goal are important to the way the game is going," said Ron Ellis, who along with Ian Turnbull and Pat Boutette scored on Dryden. "If we didn't have a shot during that period, I still don't think we were that badly outplayed."

TEAM CANADA FACES FIGHT FOR FINALS

PRAGUE (CP) — Team Canada faces an uphill climb at the world hockey championship, all because of a single loss to Finland in its first game.

With each of the eight countries still to play three games in the preliminary round-robin, it is still quite possible for Canada to place as low as fifth.

Only the top four teams, after the preliminary play, go into the medal round.

robin. The bottom four merely play for position and to avoid relegation.

Canada has a 3-1 record while Finland is 1-3. But assuming Finland wins its remaining games against the weaker teams—East and West Germany and the United States—Canada will be on the spot.

It will have to win at least one and probably two of its three remaining games—

against Czechoslovakia, the Soviet Union and Sweden, all of whom have 4-0 records.

Should Canada win only one—say against Sweden—and Sweden also loses to the Soviet Union and Czechoslovakia, then Sweden, Canada and Finland would have 4-3 records and the difference between goals for and against in games between the three would determine the placing.

Boston takes it 3-2

Layoff slows Bruins, Flyers

BOSTON (CP) — Boston Bruins and Philadelphia Flyers added some substance Tuesday night to the adage that professional sports clubs can't stand an extended period of inactivity.

They finally got their National Hockey League semi-final playoff series under

way but Boston's 3-2 win—thanks to an overtime goal by Rick Middleton at 1:43—couldn't disguise a sluggish performance by both clubs.

Flyers coach Fred Shero described the lackluster effort as "tight checking" but counterpart Don Cherry wasted few words in describing what should have

been exciting Stanley Cup hockey.

"We don't look like we're in shape," Cherry said. "It looks like a lot of guys lost it in the 10 days we were off. I'm ashamed to say."

"Evidently, we should have had heavier workouts in the last few days."

Both clubs can thank New

York Islanders and Toronto Maple Leafs for their little holiday. Boston dispatched Chicago Black Hawks in four games during the quarter-finals and Philadelphia was extended to five games against Buffalo Sabres while the Leafs were eventual winners in a series that went seven games.

LEFT TO WATCH

That left the Bruins and Flyers with little to do but watch the outcome of the Toronto-New York series and both teams appeared to lose their edge during the layoff.

The Bruins opened the scoring early in the first period on Jean Ratelle's first goal of the playoffs and looked on their way to a rout. But poor passing and missed chances allowed Reggie Leach to tie the score with less than five minutes to play in the period.

Left winger Don Marcotte gave Boston a 2-1 edge with the only goal of the second period when he took a pass in front of the net from Ratelle—who figured in all three Boston goals—and lifted the puck over a sprawling Bernie Parent.

FORSCH REGAINS TOUCH

For a while, Bob Forsch of no-hit fame seemed to have lost the touch.

In the first start after his memorable game against Philadelphia Phillies on April 16, he got blasted by Pittsburgh Pirates. Then he was decked by Los Angeles Dodgers.

Before Tuesday's game against San Francisco Giants, it looked like it was going to be another of those bad days.

"He said he didn't feel too good and didn't have his stuff," said catcher Ted Simmons.

But whatever magic it is that a good pitcher finds in his baseball, Forsch came up with it against the Giants, pitching a five-hitter in the Cardinals' 9-0 victory.

His shutout Tuesday was the third in four games under new manager Ken Boyer.

Padres 2 Pirates 1

Bob Owchinko scattered nine hits and Derrel Thomas scored two runs to lead San Diego over Pittsburgh. Pittsburgh starter John Candelaria suffered his fourth loss in five decisions this season. Owchinko raised his record to 2-2 with his first complete game in five starts.

WHAALERS SEEKING WIN IN QUEBEC

QUEBEC (CP) — New England Whalers will attempt to duplicate a feat accomplished by Quebec Nordiques when the two clubs meet in the third game of their best-of-seven World Hockey Association semi-final tonight.

Last Friday the Whalers took advantage of home ice in Springfield, Mass., to defeat the Nordiques 5-1, but the Quebecers won Sunday's second contest in the U.S. city 3-2 on Steve Sutherland's goal late in the third period.

Now the Whalers would like to pick up at least one win at Quebec City's Colisee. The fourth game is scheduled here Friday.

Before the series began Maurice Filion, coach and general manager of the Nordiques, said he was confident the club would advance to the finals against Winnipeg Jets. The Jets drew a bye into the final round.

Plagued by injuries during the regular season, the Nordiques will use their regular lineup tonight, with the exception of veteran defenceman J. C. Tremblay.

Fast-skating forwards Marc Tardif, who won the WHA scoring title with 154 points, and linemate Real Cloutier will play—centered by Christian Bordeleau.

WILL PLAY DEFENCE

The Whalers will attempt to slow down Quebec's most powerful scoring trio with the checking line of Larry Pleau, Danny Bolduc and Mike Rogers.

In order to avoid New England attempts to hamper Tardif's scoring power, Filion will use the speedy left winger on two lines.

Tardif said the Nordiques will have trouble with the Whalers because of "the old guys."

The New England lineup includes Gordie Howe, 50, the former National Hockey League great with Detroit Red Wings. Howe topped the 1,000-goal career mark this season. He former Boston Bruin John McKenzie and Larry Pleau, the American-born forward who played for the NHL Montreal Canadiens, also are on the New England squad.

The Nordiques have several veterans of NHL clubs, but the team's strong points are youth and a free-wheeling type of play.

Vida Blue deal better and better

The Vida Blue deal is looking good—from both sides of San Francisco Bay.

Blue, the star left-hander who had sought to be traded from Oakland A's for several years, got his wish this spring when A's owner Charles O. Finley sent him across the Bay to San Francisco Giants, where he is 3-1 and pitching well.

One of the players who went the other way, 25-year-old Gary Alexander, has been nothing short of sensational as Oakland's designated hitter.

The 25-year-old Alexander hit his fifth game-winning home run of the season Tuesday night to give the A's a 2-1 win over Toronto Blue Jays.

Alexander, who appeared

in just 77 games the last three years with the Giants but is seeing full-time duty with the A's, has hit seven home runs to lead Oakland to a 17-5 start in the American League West, the best record in major league baseball.

In other American League games Tuesday night, New York Yankees beat Kansas City Royals 4-2, Baltimore Orioles defeated Boston Red Sox 3-1, Chicago White Sox defeated Milwaukee Brewers 5-3, Cleveland Indians beat Seattle Mariners 4-1 and Detroit Tigers beat California Angels 10-2.

PITCHES TWO-HITTER

Tom Underwood, 0-3, gave up just two hits in going the distance.

Bill North hit a leadoff double in the fourth inning and scored when Mitchell

Page grounded into a double. Alexander then lined his homer into the left field bleachers.

Toronto's only run off Matt Keough, 2-0, came in the third inning on a walk to Luis Gomez and a triple by Rick Bosetti.

New York's Jim (Catfish) Hunter posted his first victory since Aug. 24, allowing five hits, striking out four and walking two in seven innings before giving way to Sparky Lyle. Lou Piniella hit a two-run homer in the sixth for the winning margin.

Baltimore's Dennis Martinez allowed just four Boston hits and struck out five in raising his record to 3-1. Eddie Murray snapped a 1-1 tie with a home run in the seventh inning.

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Detroit	14	5	.737	—
New York	12	9	.571	3
Boston	12	10	.545	3½
Cleveland	9	11	.450	5½
Baltimore	9	12	.429	6
Milwaukee	9	12	.429	6
Toronto	8	14	.364	7½
West				
Oakland	17	5	.773	—
Kansas City	14	7	.667	2½
California	14	8	.636	3
Texas	9	10	.474	6½
Chicago	7	12	.368	8½
Minnesota	8	16	.333	10
Seattle	8	19	.296	11½

Tuesday Results

Baltimore 3 Boston 1	New York 4 Kansas City 2
Chicago 5 Milwaukee 3	Oakland 2 Toronto 1
Detroit 10 California 2	Cleveland 4 Seattle 1

Today's Games

Minnesota at Boston N	Texas at Baltimore N
Kansas City at New York N	Chicago at Milwaukee N
Toronto at Oakland N	Detroit at California N
Cleveland at Seattle N	

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	W	L	Pct	GRI
East				
Philadelphia	11	7	.611	—
Montreal	11	8	.579	½
Chicago	12	9	.571	1
Pittsburgh	10	10	.500	2
St. Louis	10	12	.455	3
New York	10	14	.417	4
West				
Los Angeles	13	8	.619	—

Tuesday Results

San Diego 2 Pittsburgh 1	Atlanta 5 New York 4
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Today's Games

Los Angeles at Chicago N	Houston at Montreal N
San Diego at Pittsburgh N	New York at Atlanta N
Philadelphia at Cincinnati N	San Francisco at St. Louis N

National Hockey League play-off scoring leaders after games Tuesday

	G	A	P
Turnbull, Tor	5	9	14
MacLeish, Phi	6	6	12
O'Reilly, Bos	4	6	10
Gare, Buf	4	6	10
Lafleur, Mtl	3	7	10
Robinson, Mtl	1	9	10
Shutt, Mtl	4	5	9
Sittler, Tor	3	6	9
McNab, Bos	5	3	8
Nedomansky, Det	5	3	8
Park, Bos	3	5	8
Clarke, Phi	3	5	8

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Reverend Watson Glover, pastor of the United Church, Danville, stands beside the stained glass window dedicated to past ministers, and

worded "To the Glory of God and in affectionate remembrance of the Congregational ministers of this church."

DANVILLE (JE) — On April 12, in the year 1829, a young man, twenty-seven years old, from Cornwall in the State of Vermont, who had been ordained in the Congregational Church, at Addison, Vermont, on December 31, 1828, climbed on an old horse he inherited from his uncle, and rode north. He was possessed with an idea to find somewhere in Lower Canada a settlement that had no church. He knew of established churches as far as Melbourne Ridge, but beyond, "What fate imposes, men must needs abide".

The third day of his journey he passed the peak of the Pinnacle, where the trail would take him to the pioneering town of Danville. Here he found that comforts were few and hardships many. And on the Lord's Day the sound of the axe, and the noise of falling timber "burned as fire within his bones". He knew, "the deed was written, the decree was past" and inwardly he knew this was his opportunity, "we must take the current when it serves, or lose our ventures".

Thus began the Ministry of Reverend Ammi J. Parker, a Gospel Minister, or an itinerant preacher. To others "An Evangelist" on a voluntary basis receiving "pittance money" from the Congregational Ecclesiastical Council of Vermont. He travelled from Danville to Tingwick, Warwick, Shipton and Kingsley Falls, knocking on every door, and soon, like Paul in Colossae, little companies of Christians gathered and worshipped in homes. This continued until the year 1834 when an appointed Committee from Shipton invited him to become the Rector of this Pastoral charge, pledging themselves "to raise or obtain for his support the sum of one hundred pounds currency annually." And so from Sherbrooke, October 4, 1834, he received permission from the Honorable John Fletcher, Provincial Judge of the District of Saint Francis, to use the Register of Marriages, Baptisms and Burial of the Congregational Society at Danville in the Township of Shipton.

Although, "pennies were few, and the pounds more rare", like all great men he had a dream, "to build a church in the market square". That dream, "was like a circle in the water, which never ceaseth to enlarge itself". He often repeated in his lengthy prayers "How can I rest Lord, till all my friends are like myself possessed". It took two more years of faith and work, some say he sowed the seed during the first year of his "Gospel ministry" - however, in the year 1836, at the cost of two thousand dollars, his congregation saw, "the flags a-flying from the church roof", and with a salary of three hundred dollars a year, and his Circuit said to be "sixty miles round", this man of God worked from dawn till night with "an apostle's zeal and a prophet's voice", he expounded the doctrines of his church and "by the hundreds his ministry grew". On March 8th, in the year 1857, with the help of the Warwick Baptists, a

Congregational Church was dedicated to the glory of God, in Warwick West.

And so his congregation like a falling stream enlarging as it goes, found themselves discussing plans for a new and finer sanctuary to be built on the same site. A building committee was appointed and Reverend Ammi Parker, now known as Father Parker, was made chairman. He also was chairman of another committee known as "The ways and means committee".



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This idea of another church enraged many of his members, some cried "It's time for a change" and so Father Parker, still wearing the marks of many years well spent, still looking like the oak, worn, but still steady, decided like all great warriors it was time to lay his armor down, "and leave to others the toil and fight". On March 8th, 1869, after forty years holding high the Torch of his Divine Helper, with watery eyes and a quivering voice, he rose at a congregational meeting, and after a request for silent prayer, he asked the members of his church to accept his resignation.

His resignation was accepted but he was asked to remain in Danville as their retired Pastor, and they would pay him annually the sum of two hundred dollars. He continued his pastorate until July 1st, 1870, when Rev. W. Rae was inducted as Rector. In 1872 Father Parker, again was asked to take responsibility of the church for the Reverend W. Rae was asked "to cease and terminate his pastoral affiliations".

And so on March 17th 1872, with Father Parker as chairman, a resolution was passed Resolving "that whereas this church built in 1836, having become unfit for occupancy, it is hereby resolved that it should be demolished, sold or removed and a new edifice built on the same site." Finally the old church was sold to J.P. Goodhue for the sum of one hundred dollars. The bell and other material from the sanctuary were reserved for the new

church.

On April 12, 1875, Father Parker informed Reverend E. Ireland (1875-78) the presiding pastor, that the congregation had spent all of its money \$4308.60 and no further money could be raised. Before the meeting ended, Mr. H.B. MacKenzie assured the Congregation that he would complete the construction of the church for the sum of \$2150.00. This was finally extended to another \$1041.40 for labor and outstanding bills making the total cost of the new church \$7500.00.

real, addressing the congregation said, "The union of these two churches will be watched with deep interest, in view of the negotiations now going on between the Presbyterian, Methodist and Congregational Churches of Canada".

From 1920 to 1925, Reverend E.G. Warren from the Federated Church and Reverend Elwood James (Methodist) with their congregations, began to negotiate with matters relative to church union, which ended with a portion of the Presbyterians voting in favor and with the Congregationalists and the Methodists forming the United Church of Canada, by an act of Canadian Parliament, June 10, 1925. Reverend W.E. Long became the first minister of the United Church of Canada, of the town of Danville. Reverend W. Long came here in July and during this interim Reverend Elwood James supply minister of the United Church.

In 1817, Reverend Richard Williams was stationed at Melbourne and visited families in the Township of Shipton. Records say "he added members from Danville to the Melbourne Mission". In 1839, the Methodist Sproule Church was erected under the pastorate of Reverend John Bolland. Circuit riders were worshipping there, nine years before this. Kingsley Falls church was commenced under the pastorate of George Washington (1871-1874) and completed under Reverend William Jackson (1874-75). The Methodists also held services at Biltons every alternate Tuesday, at Asbestos every Tuesday, at the Pinnacle every second Friday and at the Mountain's every alternate Thursday. The Sproule Church was the first to close its doors. Their numbers diminished "owing to the removal of so many families to the North West Territory and to California and to other states". The pine seats, altar chairs and the Love Feast Bowl, was given to the Methodist church in Danville including the money raised from "sale of church material". The Methodist church in Danville was built in 1858 by the Reverend Thomas Derrick (1857-61). However, records say "preaching the Divine Word began twenty years previous to this". The churches at Asbestos and Kingsley Falls eventually became a part of Trinity United Church.

And so Trinity United Church "with its steeple tall, pointing upwards", its beautiful stained-glass windows (some taken from the old Methodist church), still maintains that old fashioned charm of solemnity today although its members have diminished. Yet from Reverend Ammi Parker to the present minister, Reverend Watson Glover, they are still singing "we love the place O God, wherein there honour dwells. The joy of thine abode. All earthly joy excels".

Birchton United Church awe-inspiring

By MRS. J.A. MURRAY
Record Correspondent

BIRCHTON — The sister of a well-known Canadian writer from the forties moved to the Eastern Townships, a few miles from Sherbrooke in the Compton area and, as she jaunted around the countryside in her small car, I heard her comment: "I have traveled a good deal, been in almost every country of Europe and Asia, including Russia, but never have I seen anything as beautiful as the scenes found in the Eastern Townships. As you travel, the scene is ever-changing ... up and down moderate hills along curving roads, all is strengthening, not overwhelming, like the Rockies or the Alps."

Last fall, as I passed the more-than-century-old Taylor homestead and started to coast down into Birchton one glorious fall morning - what a view! It made me gasp! No words can adequately describe nor painter's brush do it justice - I was greeted by the beautiful red and yellow leaves on the sides of the road and near the church.

As the sun's rising rays glazed the beckoning church, one felt carried away from mundane things, and breathed a silent prayer. I am sure that thousands, locals and tourists alike, often feel some such emotions as a response to its beauty, its simplicity, and its solemnity. Its spire directs thoughts to that Higher World.

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many, after its being put up about 1879.

Reams could be written about the Birchton Church. A few may be of interest here. Prior to the erection of a place of worship, Birchton was listed as one of the preaching appointments in the Eaton Circuit, or Mission, centred in Sawyerville. The building was built on a half acre of land purchased by Joseph L. Taylor from John McNeight on June 3, 1879, the corner posts being marked by having earthenware and pottery underneath, and the seller agreed to erect a fence.

The Birchton Union Church Society was formed, and, by a Resolution of said Society, on February 24, 1879, Alonzo Todd and Charles D. Miller were appointed Trustees; and the name of Ephraim Sawyer was added on February 16, 1882.

The dedication service was performed on February 20, 1880, then called Birchton Union or Free Church. Any group of the Episcopalians, Methodists, Congregationalists used it.

The Trustees named above, bought the land and premises thereon from Joseph L. Taylor for the sum of one dollar, and the deed, made out on January 6, 1883, was signed by Joseph L. Taylor, Alonzo Todd, Charles O. Miller, Ephraim Augustus Sawyer and John McNeight.

In the early church Joseph Taylor was choirmaster and Sunday School Superintendent. Etta Todd, (later Mrs. Edgar Taylor) began playing the organ

when she was eleven years old, and continued to be the organist for sixty-two years. Her grandson, Neil Taylor, presently lives on the old Homestead, with Mrs. Taylor and family.

On July 4, 1894, Rev. McConnell called a meeting for the purpose of forming a Quarterly Board for the Eaton Mission of the Methodist Church.

Here Birchton, Bulwer and Eaton were formed into one Circuit and it was decided to have a resident minister stationed at Birchton. Plans were made to erect a parsonage there. At the first meeting of this Quarterly Board, Herbert Todd was recommended to be licensed as Exhorter, and Robert Nutbrown as Local Preacher.

With the coming of Church Union in 1925, no changes were made but in the early fifties the Eaton Church was closed and the Circuit became the Birchton Circuit instead of Eaton Circuit.

The Eaton Church building was sold to the Compton County Historical and Museum Society, but the remaining members reserved the right to remove the bell from the belfry, and this century-old trademark of the country church was transferred to the Birchton United Church, and was heard calling the faithful to worship for the first time on December 20, 1959.

Then, in 1965, as larger changes were urged due to the declining numbers of ordinants, Birchton and Bulwer joined with Cookshire and Island Brook to form the New-Eaton Valley Pastoral

Charge. The minister then resided in Cookshire and, after being rented for a time, the parsonage in Birchton was sold to Mr. Nelson Richards.

In 1969, another change came when Birchton became part of the Cookshire Congregation of the newly-formed Eaton Valley Pastoral Charge, with the minister residing in the Sawyerville Manse. Services are held in Birchton from the first of May until the end of October, in Cookshire the other months.

Over the years improvements have been made ... electricity installed, a new electric organ to replace the original pumped one; choir lights installed by the Hodgman Family in memory of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Hodgman; brass vases were donated by Mr. and Mrs. Sierne Weston in memory of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Weston; a plaque in Memory of Milton Kirkby, veteran son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kirkby, and brother of Mrs. Gordon (Irene) Harron, donated by his old neighbours, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Murray who also donated a baptismal font in memory of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. M.J.N. Murray of Milan, and Mr. and Mrs. William Thompson of Sawyerville; an aisle and choir carpet, and choir curtain, installed by the Birchton United Church Women; a communion table with matching pulpit and two flower stands, made and donated by Rev. Albert Hinton during his service here; the redecorating of the walls, ceiling and seats a legacy from a

many-years-ago young-lady-of-the-church; a name plaque beside the entrance, a memorial from the Murrys. You may travel far and wide, and you will find many who have tender memories of the "Church in the Country", and whose lives testify to the breadth of its influence in their own lives and in that of their forebearers. May it long continue to carry on its God Influences! P.S.A. bit of "folklore"

A resident of almost eighty-eight years said the other day: "I remember when I came to Birchton with my parents when I was about five or maybe six years old and as we'd be passing the church with dad I'd say 'Why did they put such awful-looking big things that look like horse-shoes and sorta in a part of a circle?' referring to the sign over the Church door, that said 'Birchton Union Church.' And she added, 'Did you know that we always called that church corner, 'Christian Corner'? How many knew that?'

Another episode often passed around follows: There was a lot of arguing as to where to erect the church. Some would have it at the corner across the Bulwer road in front of what is now Walter Hodgman's home; others would have it on its present site.

Timbers were brought and piled at the Ward Corner, but one dark night, a Mr. Todd, his oxen and likely some helpers hauled those timbers to where the church now stands. People, regardless of race, colour, faith, do not change much, do they?



Birchton United Church celebrates its centennial next year.

UCW meetings

SAWYERVILLE — The regular meeting of the U.C.W. was held on April 19 in the Church Hall with the Pres. Mrs. Ernest McCallum presiding.

Meeting opened with a Worship Service by Mrs. Donald Laroche reading Psalm 96, verses 1 to 13, followed by a poem entitled "Spring". All joined in singing the hymn, "Lord of the Dance" from the new hymn books which were on display.

13 members answered the roll call.

A donation has been placed in the Memorial Fund in memory of those who had passed away during the year. A number of thank you notes were read and some received orally for plants received at Easter, for cards, candy and the gift of the Observer.

An invitation was read from the Birchton U.C.W. to attend a meeting on May 3, some planned to attend.

Twenty plants and other gifts were given out at Easter. Get-well and birthday cards sent and 79 visits made to sick and shut-ins.

Doilies, knitting and sewing was turned in and more pillow cotton has been purchased.

The new hymn books have arrived but not the inscription labels. Our subscription to Mandate is to be renewed. Thanks were expressed to those who had helped with the Arts and Craft Show. Cards were signed by all to go to several in hospital and for some birthdays. It was decided to get ten copies of the Upper Room again.

The next meeting, on May 17, will be to clean the church and members of the congregation are asked to help with this project, to start at nine o'clock with a pot luck lunch at noon.

Mrs. Claris Phillips gave an excellent report of the U.C.W. Presbyterian meeting in Stanstead.

The meeting closed and a potluck supper was enjoyed.

BISHOPTON — Mrs. Douglas Gilbert entertained the Bishopton U.C.W. at a dessert meeting.

Mrs. Rufus Stevenson opened the meeting with the Purpose, Lord's Prayer and U.C.W. Creed repeated in unison.

Mrs. S.N. Bishop led the devotional period reading from the Bible and "Two Talents," and Mrs. Henry Nicholson, the singing of the hymn, "Oh, Master let me walk with Thee."

Roll call was answered by eight members repeating a Bible verse.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Mrs. Rufus Stevenson, Mrs. Ralph Gilbert, Mrs. Oral Downes and Mrs. Douglas Gilbert attended the U.C.W. annual meeting, at Stanstead and gave a report on the day's activities.

Mrs. Ralph St. Pierre reported cards mailed and read a thank you from Alan Nicholson also read letter, from Roberta Andrews and one about Festival Lennoxville.

Plans were made for the Strawberry Supper on June 24.

Money was voted to send seeds to Zaire and more church plates are to be ordered.

The meeting was closed by repeating a benediction.

SOUTH DURHAM — The U.C.W. meeting was held at the manse with eight members present.

Muriel Watt, President opened the meeting by all repeating the U.C.W. Purpose in unison, followed by the Lord's Prayer, Hymn, "Glory be to God the Father", was sung and Rev. Beaudon gave the devotional theme, "Praise".

Roll call and minutes of last meeting were read and approved. Treasurer's report given by Mrs. Reg. Webster.

Received donations from Joe Clark and Alice Byrne.

Correspondence, letter of thanks from Mrs. Evelyn Carson, Laurel Gunter and Mrs. Joe Clark.

Since last meeting, a sunshine basket was presented to Mrs. Joe Clark on March 7.

Ruth Mountain attended the annual meeting of the Quebec-Sherbrooke Presbyterian at Stanstead.

A collection of \$5.60 was

made by our members to be sent for seeds of the Zaire Project.

On May 1st, members were to meet at the church to do a spring cleaning.

Plans for May 6th Tea were made.

Meeting closed with mizpah prayer.

Lunch was served and a social hour enjoyed.

Next meeting to be at the home of Mrs. Joan Turley on May 10.

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SOCIAL NOTES

Mrs. Rita Bernard, Messrs Francis and Merrick Bernard of Danville were recent guests of Mrs. Quincy Richmond.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Clitheroe and family of St. Hubert were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Turley and family.

Miss Donna Hart of Melbourne was a weekend guest of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Doyle and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Doyle and Mr. and Mrs. Gary Badger motored to Otterburn Park to attend the surprise birthday party for Mr. Ronald Fee (formerly of South Durham). Friends and relatives are pleased by the speedy recovery of Miss Heather Fee, following her open heart surgery.

ISLAND BROOK — The U.C.W. met with Mrs. Ilona Burns with eleven members and three visitors.

The meeting opened with the Lord's Prayer, followed by a scripture reading.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and the treasurer's report heard, showing a good balance.

After having difficulties with the church insurance, the members found a company that would insure, so the church is insured. It was also discussed about making repairs to the church which are badly needed.

It was moved that the next meeting be combined with the trustees and discuss what to do. Subject of how to raise money, so two projects came up, one having plates made of the church and putting together a cook book, more information at the next meeting.

Being no further business, the meeting adjourned.

The area vice-president, Mrs. B. Prescott was present for a presentation to Mrs. Franklin Kerr whose birthday was in a couple of weeks. Mrs. Prescott expressed her pleasure in doing this honour. She followed the service which came with the presentation. She spoke of Hazel being such a faithful worker in all her church duties, then she presented her with a certificate and a life membership pin, followed by prayer.

In reply, Hazel thanked everyone for being so thoughtful and helping to plan this presentation, as it came to her as a big surprise.

Tea and coffee were served, with sandwiches, cookies and squares. A prettily decorated cake, made by Mrs. Kenneth Morrow was the table centerpiece, for the guest of honour. A pleasant evening was spent.

HATLEY — On Wednesday evening, April 19, the members of the United Church Women met in the Vestry for a business meeting. The Purpose and Lord's Prayer were repeated in unison and the worship service read by Mrs. Elsie Drew.

Minutes of the previous meeting were read by Scottie Miller and the treasurer's report given by Mildred Roarke.

Judy Drew read the correspondence.

Several items of business were discussed and plans made. It was decided to cater to a dinner for the Ministerial Association and a wedding in May. \$10.00 was voted to be sent to Zaire for seeds.

Judy Drew, president, adjourned the meeting. Tea and cookies were served and Carolyn Wright gave an interesting report on her Youth Weekend in Spencerville, Ont., the trip being partly sponsored by the United Church Investment in People fund.

MANSONVILLE (MB) — A pleasant meeting of the U.C.W. was held at the home of Mrs. Helma Steinbach on April 20.

The meeting was called to order by President Mrs. Viola Knowlton who thanked the hostess, Mrs. Steinbach and welcomed all present.

Mrs. Louise Oliver led the worship service. The theme for the day was "God is Eternal" with scripture Psalm 90 read by Mrs. Oliver, and 2 Peter 3:8-18 read by Mrs. C. Krausser.

Get-Well cards were signed for Vivian Woodard, Wilson Bailey, Edith McLean, Adolph Gunther, Richard Jones, Bertha Nichols and Merrill Gatley.

Gilda Clarke, Organization Committee, Chairperson, gave a report on the progress of plans for the Spring Supper, May 13. Head of the Food Committee, Charlotte Krausser, presented the menu for the Supper.

Mrs. Jean McNeil reported on the U.C.W. Presbyterian Rally in Stanstead.

Mrs. Maybelle Cote read a letter of thanks from Mrs. Blanche Bogan.

Mrs. Viola Knowlton closed the meeting with the Mizpah Benediction, and a very enjoyable social hour and luncheon followed.

LENNOXVILLE — The Amateur Show and Talent Night sponsored by Myrtle Rebekah Lodge No. 28 which was held in the Lennoxville Elementary School was well attended. The Noble Grand, Mrs. Donald McElrea, introduced the emcee, Mr. Bruce Patton and welcomed the large gathering.

The judges were Mrs. Kenneth Doucet, Mr. Charles Kobelt and Mr. Norman Majury. Miss

Sharon Patton acted as scorekeeper. Owing to the wide variety of items presented and the excellent talent shown by the contestants, the judges were faced with a difficult task in decision making.

The winners were: Category A - vocal - 12 yrs. and under: Beverley Tincarre; The J.A. Girls of St. George's Anglican Church, Lennoxville.

Category C - instrumental - 12 yrs. and under: Kaihy Musy, accordion; Eva Leitner, piano; Paisy Golder, accordion.

Category A - vocal - 13-17 years: Susan Fearon.

Category A - vocal - 18 yrs. and over: David Heath; Debbie Drummond; Dave Donachie.

Category B - miscellaneous - 13-17 years: "The Rag Timers" - a group of children 7-14 years; Nancy Little sang, accompanying herself on guitar.

Category B - miscellaneous - 18 yrs and over: Lucien Beauchemin, violinist; Lise Beauchemin, dancer; Gail McNab sang, accompanied on guitar by Edmond Tincarre; "S.S. Smiles" - Steve Gillam and Sue Warner, dancers.

Category C - instrumental - 13-17 years: Marlene Harvey and Charlene Smith, violin and piano; Craig Drew; accordian; David Mac-

Donald, banjo.

Category C - instrumental - 18 years and over: Eddie Cusseau, violin.

Lucien and Lise Beauchemin were presented with a plaque for the best overall performance. The runner up trophy was won by Beverley Tincarre. The awards were presented by Mr. Bruce Patton and Mrs. Donald McElrea.

Lodge sponsors Talent Night

Grace Christian Home News

HUNTINGVILLE (MD) — Mrs. Charlie Gordon and granddaughter, Tammy, of Lennoxville were visiting Mrs. Gordon's mother, Mrs. Savage on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Dunn of Ulverton, were also visiting Mrs. Savage recently.

Mr. Wallace Billing, Almira, Ont., was visiting his grandmother, Mrs. John Billing.

Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Parker, Mrs. Henry Parker and Carrie Pitman were visiting Mrs. Bean.

Mrs. Harold Harron was visiting Mrs. Myrtle Sutor on Tuesday.

Mrs. Albert Raycraft, Lennoxville, was visiting Mrs. Petery Saturday afternoon and Sunday visitors of Mrs. Petery were Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Crawford of Sherbrooke, accompanied by

Mrs. Sadie Ross of Lennoxville.

Mrs. Houle was out to dinner with her daughters, on Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Phyllis Wilson, Magog, visited her aunt, Mrs. Bean on Thursday. Mrs. Bean spent Friday with an old friend, Mrs. Florence Lord in Sherbrooke. Miss Ruth Taylor, and her niece from North Hatley visited Mrs. Bean recently.

Mrs. Marion Sparkes, Birchton Road was visiting several friends in the Home this week.

Mr. B. Fox made his weekly visit on Monday, and gave a very practical study on prayer.

Mrs. Violet Hanson is a patient in the St. Vincent de Paul Hospital.

Mrs. Gray is receiving treatment in the Sherbrooke

Hospital.

We are glad to hear Mrs. Stevenson is making progress toward recovery in the Sherbrooke Hospital.

Mrs. Henon visited with her daughter and family on Saturday over the dinner hour.

Mr. John De Grace was the afternoon speaker at the service in the Home livingroom on Sunday. Mrs. Haines was pianist for the occasion.

A group of five friends from Montreal visited with Mrs. Cope and Mr. Mearns on Sunday. They sang well-loved old hymns, for half an hour, accompanied with the guitar. Their visit made Sunday very special for the residents.

The families of Mrs. Savage, Mr. Taylor, Mrs. Cutler, Mrs. Murphy, Mrs.

Nichol, Mrs. Peck, Mrs. Hanson, Mrs. Statton and others are very faithful in visiting in the Home.

There were no birthdays among the residents during April.

Mrs. Myrtle Murray of Birchton was visiting friends in the Home on Tuesday and enjoyed a cup of tea with Mrs. Bowman.

HUNTINGVILLE (MD) — Mr. and Mrs. Les Picard, Eaton Corner, were at the Home on Thursday and entertained the residents with music and a message.

Friends from Bethel, Mrs. Urquhart and the Misses Jordon and McKay were visiting the Home recently.

Mrs. Kenneth Sparkes, Lennoxville, and daughter Janet and her son Jonathan from Ontario, were visitors at the Home.

Special entertainment features were presented by the Eastern Townships Tartan Twirlers: the Fuzzy Patrol of Lennoxville United Church; Mrs. Eileen Drew and Mr. Gerald Lowd who demonstrated old time dances; a "Ladies Spring Fashion Show" featuring the following models: John Cruickshank, Herbert Pratt, Arnold MacKeage, Harry Burt, Russell Rothney, Peter Maurice and John Robinson.

Tickets and homemade candy were sold by officers and members of Myrtle Rebekah Lodge.

The lodge members are most grateful to all those who helped in any way to make this event a success and especially, to the Ways and Means committee under the convenship of Mrs. John Robinson and Mrs. Calvin Picken.

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Farewell party is held

IRON HILL — A very memorable Farewell party was held on Saturday evening April 22, when about 220 guests were present to wish Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Chapman and Mrs. Ruth Chapman all the best in their new home.

Mr. and Mrs. William Mason, brother and sister-in-law, invited Alice, Arnold and Chapie as dinner guests and to attend the card party in Iron Hill for the evening.

They were met at the door of the church hall by Mr. and Mrs. David Mason, oldest brother and sister-in-law and June Chapman, daughter, who pinned a corsage of delicate pink flowers on Chapie, her grandmother. And Dell and David pinned a corsage on the honoured guests. A boutonniere for Arnold and deep pink carnations surrounded by babies breath on Alice.

"For They are Jolly Good Fellows" was played and everyone joined in dancing and a very enjoyable evening was spent, renewing old acquaintances.

Both Alice and Arnold were born and brought up in Iron Hill. They attended school together in this area and their parents' farms were but a half mile apart. They were childhood sweethearts and were married early in 1940 and lived on Arnold's farm until a short eight years ago, when they moved to Knowlton. They raised three sons, Gary, Rodney and Jack and one daughter June. The boys and their families are residing in Ontario; their daughter June is a secretary in the Bedford Regional School. Arnold is a first class carpenter and drives the school bus for Knowlton Academy and Alice worked for many years in the cafeteria. We will miss them all.

Everyone was pleased to see Mr. Gordon Rumsby enjoying the evening. Gordon has been confined to his wheelchair for some time now; he is recovering slowly but surely since his fall in January of this year. His sons and family were there to help him in and out. Gordon and Hazel were very good friends of the Chapman family.

Chapie lived here in Iron Hill all her married life and received her name because she was so kind and thoughtful to everyone. She used to spend days at a time going nursing and caring for her friends. Everyone loves her very much. She was so pleased to see so many familiar faces.

The guests of honour with Reverend Wilbur Davidson and his gracious wife Jean were escorted to the head table where Miss June Chapman poured tea and coffee from a shining silver tea service. The table and hall were decorated in yellow and green for the coming of spring. The centerpiece was a bouquet of spring flowers in a basket of greenery and stood on a white damask tablecloth flanked by green candles in silver candle holders.

A delicious lunch was served by the young ladies, Mrs. John Mitchell, Mrs. Jimmy Mason, Mrs. Robert Sheppard, Miss Jean Mason, Miss Mary Cole and Mrs. Annie Mason. The tea and coffee was poured by Rodger Mason and William Mason. Mrs. Robert Cole assisted Mrs. William Mason in serving the head table.

Reverend Davidson presented Alice, Arnold and Chapie with a basket laden with envelopes, and on behalf of all, he wished them best wishes in their new home.

Arnold, in turn, thanked everyone for the lovely party and invited us all up to Ontario and their new home. Alice graciously thanked everyone also.

The music and dancing was enjoyed by all and we wish to thank Bob McGovern on the fiddle and Danny Foster on the piano. Also Leland Wilson who called for the square dancing. Our thanks to the ladies of the Guild for their delicious refreshments.

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12 OZ TIN

97¢

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**ASSORTED
PASTA**
2 LB BOX

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78¢

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SAUCE**
14 FL. OZ TIN

39¢

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**BEANS
WITH PORK**
IN TOMATO SAUCE
14 FL. OZ TIN

42¢

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**VEGETABLE
SOUP**
10 FL. OZ TIN

22¢

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**BUTTON
MUSHROOMS**
10 FL. OZ TIN

89¢

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FAMILY PACK
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PKG. OF 4

89¢

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DIGESTIVE
SHORTCAKE OR NICE
BISCUITS
15 OZ

99¢

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**WHOLE
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CANADA CHOICE
19 FL. OZ TIN

52¢

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48 FL. OZ TIN

54¢

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LICORICE
1 LB PKG.

99¢

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5 OZ PKG.

65¢

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NO 1&2
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14 FL. OZ

57¢

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POWDERS**
6 OZ PKG.

47¢

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35 FL. OZ BTL.

34¢

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MARGARINE
3 LB PKG.

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**SUGAR SWEET
CRYSTALS**
4 OZ ENVELOPE

35¢

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32 FL. OZ BTL.

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16 FL. OZ JAR

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**POWDER
DETERGENT**
6 LITRE BOX

\$2.59

SHOUT
**LAUNDRY
STAIN REMOVER**
18 OZ TIN

\$2.19

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**LIQUID
DETERGENT**
32 FL. OZ BTL.

\$1.19

SNAP
**HAND
CLEANER**
16 OZ TIN

\$1.39

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**SCOURING
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PKG. OF 18

90¢

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**SANITARY
NAPKINS**
BOX OF 48

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BOX OF 100

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OUR BAKERY PRODUCTS
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**HONEY GLAZED
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PKG. OF 12

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PKG. OF 8

59¢

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**MIXED
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33¢

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49¢

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12 FL. OZ TIN

35¢

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24 OZ

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12 FL. OZ TIN

79¢

MINUTE MAID
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12 FL. OZ TIN

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**FRENCH FRIED
POTATOES**
5 LB BAG

69¢

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ITALIAN STYLE
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BABY'S OWN
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PKG. OF 4

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68¢



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STRAWBERRIES
CANADA NO 1
1 PINT BOX

58¢

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CANADA NO 1
8 OZ BAG

11¢

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**GREEN HOUSEHOLD
PLANTS**
3 1/2" POT

EACH **88¢**

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CANADA NO 1
10 LB BAG

48¢

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Sat., May 6th, 1978, at noon
sharp

WILL BE SOLD: 19 head of
Holstein cattle all clear to
federal test, tested April 21st, 1
978. This herd includes 10 fresh
cows, 2 due to freshen soon and
one open, 2 yr. old heifers
due to freshen in August, 2 yr.
old heifers, 2 spring calves,
1 good saddle horse, 1 Western
Saddle.

MACHINERY: International
tractor Model 574 diesel, 3 pt.
hitch, 2 P.T.O., power
steering, 2 rear oil outlets, only
954 hrs. use, International hay
baler Model 37, P.T.O.,
Cockshutt hay wagon with 16
ft. rack, Viscount hayraker,
AB Westera's Maskiner
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pt. P.T.O., International
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hitch, McKee snow blower 3
pt. hitch P.T.O., Reversible 3
furrow international plow 3 pt.
hitch, 12 rubber tire trailer, 3
section spring tooth harrow,
trailing tire disc harrow,
manure track and bucket, ring
type tractor chains, set of
double harnesses, moccasins,
sleigh, 2 1/2 gal. aluminum
buckets, swimming pool, 12 ft.
diameter, 36 inches high, with
pump, lumber, 100 2 x 6, 100
2 x 4, many 6 x 8 planks, stone
boat, scrap iron, shed stock
too numerous to mention.

DAIRY EQUIPMENT: 1500
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Surge pails, Cascade 40 hot
water tank, 220 volts heater,
double stainless steel sink, 10
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cans, Surge compressor and
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Cause of sale: Abandon
Conditions: Cash or bank loan
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AUCTION SALE

for Mrs. Mitchell Erno
Bridge St., Bedford, Que.
[Mystic Rte. 235
Sunday, May 7th, 1978, at 11:30
a.m. sharp

WILL BE SOLD: Allis
Chalmers Model 410 lawn
tractor, 4 speed, equipped with
snow blower, lawn mower and
cultivator, Allis Chalmers 5
hp. rotary tiller, new, Garden
Master 3 1/2 hp. law mower, 2
wheel utility trailer, Woods 23
cu. ft. deep freezer, complete
bedroom set, 3 washstands, 12
ft. iron gate, extension ladder,
flower boxes, T.V. antennae,
rotor, telescopic pipe, 2 6 ft.
bamboo window shades,
window shades and curtains,
leather swivel chair, wheel
barrow with rubber tires,
picnic table, chains and
binders, snow fence, ladder
step ladder, G.E. mix master,
chrome table, many pots and
pans, 2 electric clocks, couch,
walking plow, wire stretcher,
220 electric heater, Stuart cow
clippers, 2 bicycles, telephone
chair with stand, battery
charger, Hoover mini washer,
chesterfield, lawn chair, garden
tools, a large shed
stock including many small
farm tools too numerous to
mention.

ANTIQUES: Library table,
many picture frames, 4
straight back chairs, quilting
frame, bench, 2 oil lamps,
sleigh bell, Carnival dish set,
many antique dishes, crocks,
small bureau, 4 rocking
chairs, arm chair, water
pump, Singer sewing
machine, pedal type, oil
lantern, and many other ar-
ticles too numerous to men-
tion.

Cause of sale: House sold
Terms: Cash
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COWANSVILLE — The
stated meeting of Cowan-
sville Chapter No. 17 O.E.S.
was held in the Masonic Hall,
910 Main St. on Thursday
evening April 20 the Worthy
Matron, Mrs. Florence
Jenne, presiding.

The meeting opened in
regular form and the Flag of
our Country was presented:
The following were in-
troduced, welcomed and
escorted to the East:

Worthy Grand Matron,
Mrs. Margaret Willard;
Worthy Grand Patron, Mr.
Eric Leighton; General
Grand Chapter Committee,
Mrs. Helen Ramsay;
Member and Past Grand
Matron, Past Grand,
Mrs. Myrtle Vincent;
Past Grand Matron,
Mrs. Frances Kemp; Past
Grand Matron, Mrs. Alice
Rowat; Past Grand Matron
Matron, Mrs. Janet Neal;
Associate Grand Patron,
Mr. Nicholas Samalack;
Grand Conduress, Mrs.
Eileen Eldridge; Grand
Chaplain, Mrs. Nora
Leighton; Grand Marshal,
Mrs. Vivian Bell; Grand
Warder, Mrs. Grace
Hadlock; Grand Trustee,
Mr. Archie McBain; Grand
Trustee, Mr. L.E. Baldwin;
Grand Instructor District
No. 2, Mrs. May McBain;

Grand Instructor District
No. 2, Mrs. Winnifred
Sanborn, all of the Grand
Chapter of Quebec, O.E.S.
The Worthy Matron, Mrs.
Florence Jenne extended a
cordial welcome to Grand
Representatives; Grand
Chapter Committee Mem-
bers; Matrons and Patrons
of other Chapters; Past
Matrons and Patrons of
other Chapters and all other
visitors present.

The minutes of the March
meeting were read and
adopted. Correspondence
and bills were disposed of
and routine business at-
tended to. The Treasurer's
report and the reports of
various other committees
were given.

The Worthy Grand
Matron, Mrs. Margaret
Willard was visiting
Cowansville Chapter No. 17
for the purpose of inspection.
There being no further
business, the meeting closed
and refreshments were
served by members of the
Chapter.

A reception was held in the
lower hall to honour Mrs.
Winnifred Sanborn as Grand
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SAWYERVILLE
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fireplace. Exterior entrance
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and 2 cold rooms. Wall to
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and beautiful original in-
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3. Cottages for sale

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4251.

40. Cars for sale

VOLKSWAGEN SUPER
BEETLE, '72, excellent
condition, automatic,
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'67 CHEV. PICK UP, '67
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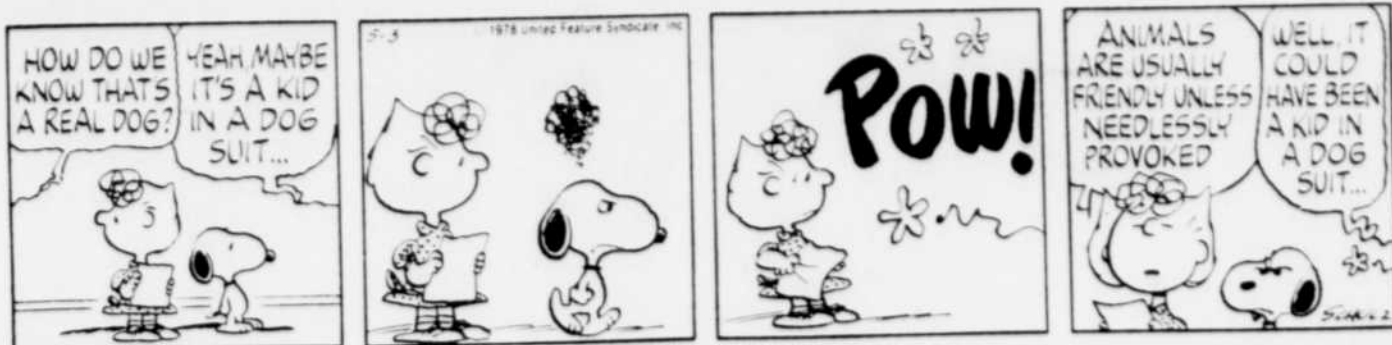
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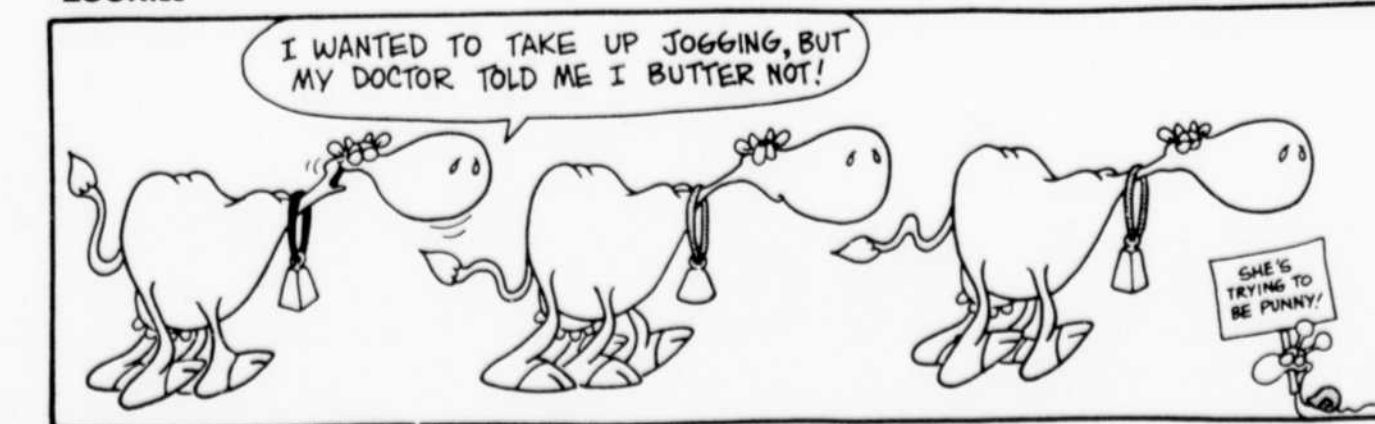
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Government accused of interference in churches and social organizations

OTTAWA (CP) — Progressive Conservative MPs Monday accused the government of trying to intimidate churches and other charitable organizations involved in social issues by issuing regulations barring them from political activities.

At one point during a rowdy exchange in the Commons, Prime Minister Trudeau flippantly declared a suspension of the regulations. But a minute earlier he said he did not have the power to suspend them because they are an interpretation of the law.

The regulations prohibit charitable organizations from attempting to influence legislation by making representations to MPs, from writing letters to editors to sway public opinion on a political issue and from public demonstrations to embarrass or exert pressure on a government.

Government condemned for paying libel damages

OTTAWA (CP) — John Diefenbaker (PC-Prince Albert) asked the Commons Monday to condemn the government's commitment to pay the \$10,000 libel damages the Ontario Supreme Court ordered Supply Minister Jean-Pierre Goyer to pay to a public servant.

Diefenbaker was unsuccessful in an attempt to get consent from MPs for a vote on the issue. "The damages caused by the minister's gross wrongdoing is being imposed on taxpayers who are not responsible instead of being payable by the minister who was the wrongdoer," Diefenbaker said.

Cancer Society meets

DANVILLE (JE) — A meeting of the Canadian Cancer Society was held at the Royal Canadian Legion, Tuesday, April 25, with Mrs. Rita Olney, President, conducting the meeting.

The guest speaker was Mr. Raymond Rouleau, of Montreal, Secretary of the Cancer Society, who gave a most interesting talk on cancer research and showed two films, one in English, and one in French, subjects being: "How to detect Breast Cancer" and "Cancer of the Intestines", and how if taken in time, can be cured.

A Question and Answer period followed. Mr. Rouleau had on display different items that can be made available to cancer patients.

Lunch was served by the Ladies Auxiliary, hostesses, being Pauline Woods and Kathy Duffy.

The Cancer Drive will take place during the month of May. A generous donation would be gratefully appreciated.

If anyone wishes information, please contact Mrs. Lottie Dean, 839-2203 or Mrs. Rita Olney 839-2402.

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Climber protests whaling

CHICAGO (AP) — A Chicago mountain climber who scaled 20 stories of the world's tallest building to protest the killing of whales has been charged with disorderly conduct and improper display of a sign.

Working for four hours in strong winds and near-freezing temperatures, Joseph Healy, 25, attached a white banner with red lettering in Russian and Japanese on the front of the 110-storey, steel and glass Sears Tower early Monday.

He then descended safely to his arrest.

Taxpayers get larger tax refunds

OTTAWA (CP) — Taxpayers are getting larger average income tax refunds this year than last, latest statistics from the revenue department indicate.

The average payback so far to about four million taxpayers eligible for refunds was \$301.40, compared with \$277.59 for the 1976 tax year. That is an 8.5-per-cent increase.

Asbestos dust needs control

OTTAWA (CP) — Environment Minister Len Marchand promised Monday to initiate emergency action to control dangerous emissions from the asbestos mines at Baie Verte, Nfld., if he finds it necessary.

Questioned in the Commons by Ed Broadbent, New Democratic Party leader, Marchand said the situation is being watched day-by-day and government action will be stepped up when needed.

More family plea rejected

ROME (AP) — Italy's ruling Christian Democrats are expected to announce their rejection today of the plea from Aldo Moro's family to negotiate with the Red Brigades terrorists who kidnapped the party's president 47 days ago.

Premier Giulio Andreotti and Christian Democrat Secretary-General Benigno Zaccagnini met on Monday with Communist party leader Enrico Berlinguer. Berlinguer said afterward he foresaw no change "in the attitude of the political forces."

North Pole trekker keeps going

WASHINGTON (AP) — Naomi Uemura, the first solo conqueror of the North Pole, is going to fly back to his base at Alert, N.W.T., and attempt a north-south crossing of Greenland by dog sled from there, the Smithsonian Institution's project officer for the expedition reported today.

Dr. Lee Houchins said the 37-year-old Japanese explorer, who on Monday became the first person to reach the pole overland alone, is in good condition and his frostbite has improved.

China to purchase wheat from U.S.

OTTAWA (CP) — China may purchase more wheat from the United States because of a growing concern over the ability of Canada to fulfill export commitments due to problems in British Columbia ports, Jack Murta (PC-Lasgar) said Monday.

He said in the Commons that Chinese buyers have informed American grain companies they may buy more from them because they are concerned about a growing Canadian inability to deliver grain on time to ships waiting in B.C. ports.

National Farmers' Union goes home

GRAND FALLS, N.B. (CP) — A week-long protest that slowed and sometimes blocked traffic on the Trans-Canada Highway here ended Monday when members and supporters of the National Farmers Union (NFU) returned home, taking their farm equipment with them.

The protest, held to support demands for a plebiscite on the creation of a national marketing agency for potatoes, ended quietly.

Muggeridge talks about computers

LONDON, Ont. (CP) — Malcolm Muggeridge, social commentator, author and former editor of Punch magazine, told about 1,000 persons at a machine records conference today that computers are the fourth-greatest danger to mankind but said their menace is exaggerated.

Crossword

ACROSS 46 "Auld Lang"

Answer to Previous Puzzle

1 Drug agency (abbr.)

4 One time only

8 Actor Sharif

12 Tax agency (abbr.)

13 Sea

14 Nevada city

15 Fastidious man

16 Drying agent

18 English derby town

20 Female saint (abbr.)

21 Our (Fr.)

22 Recent (prefix)

24 Winter moisture

26 Inexperienced person

30 Nevada lake

33 Tree

34 Adorn

36 Western

37 Escaped

39 Break short

41 Hawaiian garland

42 365 days (pl.)

44 Wholehearted

48 Eerie, meanie, miny, me

49 Federal investigating body

51 Gridder

53 Silesian

57 Kiss anew

60 Sunshine

state (abbr.)

61 Lioness in "Born Free"

62 Musical work town

63 Rugged rock

64 Feminine (suffix)

65 Communists

66 Ideal gas condition (abbr.)

DOWN

1 Band instrument

2 Show a decline

3 Snakes

4 Scrap

5 By birth

6 Singer Mama

7 Corrects errors

8 Killer whale

9 In the interim

10 Domini

11 Crumbles

17 Penny

19 Single

23 Yours and mine

25 Simpleton

26 Questionable

27 Aswan's river

28 Olliest

29 One (Ger.)

31 Bravos (Sp.)

32 Throw off

35 Madame (cont.)

38 Towel

40 Preceding

43 Snooty person

45 Nose (Fr.)

47 Flyspeck

49 Grates

54 Cincture

52 Assault

54 News

55 Coagulum

56 Dwell on unduly

58 Actress West

59 Cow's chewed food



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