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Conciliator due in town dispute

LENNOXVILLE — A provincial conciliator will arrive here within the next week, it was learned, to settle the current Police Brotherhood-Municipality differences.

Fleurimont home hit by fire

FLEURIMONT (GS) — A fire of unknown origin broke out in the home of Mrs. Carmen Martineau at 11:14 Saturday morning. The building, owned by Marc Genesse, suffered approximately \$6,000 damage before firemen left the scene at 2:30 p.m.

No injuries were reported at the fire which occurred at 1591 King East in Fleurimont, a town a few miles east of Sherbrooke. Two trucks and four firemen were used to fight the fire in the 24' by 24' home. The firemen were led by Captain Degrace of Sherbrooke.

Murders possibly 'an error'

MONTREAL (CP) — The Gazette says it has learned from a reliable source that the murder of 13 persons in the north-end Gargantua Club Jan. 20 was an "error."

The newspaper quotes the source as saying more than one gunman went to the club to kill someone believed to have told police the names of several persons who set a fire in the city in December.

The newspaper had no further details on the fire in question although the source said it had been planned in the club.

Gromyko in Mideast for talks



President Anwar Sadat

Soviet Foreign Minister Andrei Gromyko moves on to Egypt today after meetings in Damascus with President Hafez Assad of Syria and Yasir Arafat of the Palestine Liberation Organization (PLO).

President Anwar Sadat told Egyptian reporters Sunday that he would "listen carefully" to the Soviet visitor. Gromyko was expected to urge abandonment of the United States State Secretary Henry Kissinger's peacemaking efforts in favor of a Geneva peace conference, where all Israel's Arab adversaries would be represented and the Moscow would play a major role.

Sadat said if Kissinger, when he visits the Middle East later this month, brings proposals for another Israeli withdrawal in the Sinai desert, "it would be treason" not to accept them even if they do not include Israeli

withdrawals on the Syrian and Jordanian fronts.

"There is no contradiction between our rejection of separate solutions with Israel and any movement on the Egyptian front," Sadat said. "Strengthening Egypt's position enhances other Arab fronts."

But the Egyptian leader added he did not expect anything definite from Kissinger's trip. He said Israel must also withdraw on the Syrian and Jordanian fronts to "defuse the explosive situation."

Sadat said Egypt wants "to establish good relations with the Soviet Union and other powers in order to be able to rebuild our country."

TURNS TO FRENCH

Moscow-Cairo relations have been cool since the Soviets refused to sell Sadat arms after the 1973 Arab-Israeli war, and Sadat

refused to agree to the return of the Soviet military advisers he expelled in 1972. Sadat turned to the French, who agreed last week to sell him Mirage jet fighters and other arms.

The prospects for getting the Geneva conference going and Kissinger's coming visit to Cairo, Damascus and Jerusalem were among the matters discussed between Gromyko and the Syrian president Sunday, informed sources in Damascus said. Since Kissinger has been concentrating on Israeli-Egyptian negotiations, Assad presumably also was in favor of going to Geneva.

PLO sources in Damascus said Gromyko and Arafat discussed a United Palestinian-Syrian position toward Israel and the establishment of a Palestinian state on the West Bank of the Jordan and the Gaza Strip if Israel ever gives them up.

Elsewhere in the Middle East: —The Arab Press Service, a weekly newsletter published in Beirut, said agreement on Saudi Arabia's purchase of the 40 per cent of the stock of the Arabian American Oil Company (Aramco), still owned by U.S. oil companies, was expected within a month.

—Shah Mohammed Reza Pahlavi of Iran told CBS that Iran would not take part in any future oil embargo against the West and neither would Venezuela, Indonesia and Nigeria.

Latest round of talks on to save Syncrude project

WINNIPEG (CP) — Government ministers and top executives of four oil companies meet here today in the latest round of talks aimed at saving the Syncrude oil sands project, but some officials said they expect no final decision from the meeting.

The session on neutral ground in Winnipeg was scheduled after Syncrude's owners agreed during a meeting with Energy Minister Donald Macdonald Friday to keep the \$2 billion project alive until at least today.

The owners—Imperial Oil Ltd., Gulf Canada Ltd. and Canada—Cities Service Ltd.—had threatened to cancel the project at midnight last Friday unless they found new partners and additional financing of \$1 billion.

Although an agreement in principle might be reached at the meeting, it is more likely the negotiators will seek more time to make a decision on investment.

"It's still up in the air," said one source close to the talks. "There are still a lot of things on the table to be negotiated."

PREMIERS ATTEND

Premiers William Davis of

Ontario and Peter Lougheed of Alberta, two of the provinces that have shown interest in providing funds for the venture, were to join Energy Minister Macdonald and executives of Syncrude's owners for the talks.

Treasury Board Chairman Jean Chretien, who would have to approve any large federal investment, also was expected to attend along with officials of Shell Canada Ltd., the only other oil company that has shown an interest in the project.

Union once more discussed by Anglican, United Churches

TORONTO (CP) — Anglicans and United Churchmen meet again this week in still another attempt to reconcile differences on doctrine and practice that for 32 years have blocked formation of one huge Protestant church for Canada.

Also participating, though somewhat impatiently on the sidelines, is a small denomination with a few lingering doubts but willing to accept almost anything the two giants can agree upon that would bring about a new manifestation of the Christian church.

Out of the week-long, high-level discussions almost certainly will come a recommendation that will push father into the future—by at least two years—an organic union of three churches embracing, if there is no breakaway, about 3.7 million members.

Meetings, first in separate session and then in joint session Thursday are the national executives of the Anglican Church of Canada, the United Church of Canada and the Christian Church (Disciples of Christ).

To be discussed are proposed revisions to the plan of union accepted in November, 1972, by all three churches as a basis for study. If all hurdles, including national referenda of memberships, were surmounted, this would set up the Church of Christ in Canada, taking in an estimated 1.5 million Anglicans, 2.2 million United Churchmen and 7,000 Disciples.

Many Anglicans and some United Churchmen have reservations about the plan; reservations so strong that a new timetable for acceptance or rejection has been drawn up by the committee on union and joint mission on which all three churches are represented.

The committee's recommendation, Executive Secretary Rev. Robert Craig said in an interview Sunday, "is to push the timetable forward two years to revise the plan of union, study it for 18 months to deal with it in 1979 and to ask the churches to re-commit themselves to the ongoing negotiations."

Those negotiations opened in 1943 at the instigation of the Anglican Church which later had second thoughts, said Dr. Craig, although "the talks have never gone backward; they slowed down from time to time."

Out of the discussions came in 1965 the principles of union in which it was said by the Anglican and United churches that they had achieved unanimous agreement in all the essentials of

Christian faith.

NEVER IN HASTE

The general commission on church union, formed in 1967, took five years to produce plan of union Draft I which was succeeded by plan of union in 1972.

This was a proposed statement of faith, an outline of liturgical principles, a statement on government of the proposed new church and the policy of the church and the ministry.

The Christian Church, which joined the talks in 1969, and the United Church accepted the idea of an episcopate with the national church to be headed by a president and two vice-presidents.

Basic in the plan, said Dr. Craig, is that each congregation will be permitted to "do its own thing" until, in time, all differences would be swept away.

The United Church, formed in 1925 of a union of the Methodist

Church, most of the Congregational Church and part of the Presbyterian Church, is accustomed to union and views itself as a united and a uniting church. It is governed by a general council.

A congregational denomination, the Christian Church had its beginnings in Kentucky in the early 1800s. The Canadian church seeks full organic union and, said Dr. Craig, if talks between the two major churches collapse, probably would not seek a simple merger with the United Church.

Its Canadian head is Rev. Robert K. Leland of Guelph, Ont.

Many United Churchmen don't like the idea, among other points of disagreement with Anglicans, of having bishops. Vocal is Rev. William Morris of Centennial United Church, Toronto, who has said he will start his own church if union goes through.

Debate due on omnibus tax bill

OTTAWA (CP) — With an eye on the approaching deadline for income tax returns, the government has set aside this week for debate on its 287-page omnibus tax bill.

The pressure is heightened by the fact that the tax return forms, already printed and mailed, contain some provisions not yet approved by Parliament. Returns must be mailed to the government by April 30.

"It's that simple," said a privy council spokesman. "It has to be passed and passed bloody quickly."

The bill is an amalgam of measures proposed in the Nov. 18 budget. Included are measures aimed at the individual taxpayer as well as at the corporate giants and just about every income level between.

The problem lies in the fact that second reading began only last Tuesday and by week's end there had been less than 10 hours of debate on the proposed legislation.

Once second reading, approval in principle, is done, the Commons will sit in committee of the whole for clause-by-clause consideration and possible amendment.

CLAUSES ARE MANY

There are 142 clauses in the bill, many with complicated sections and sub-sections that could promote lengthy debate.

But Government House Leader Mitchell Sharp suggests the bill could have final Commons approval in six or seven days.

Finance Minister John Turner, however, has said he does not want to go through the bill so quickly because of its importance.

Plane down in Manila

MANILA (AP) — A Philippine Airlines (PAL) plane on a domestic flight crashed today while trying to return to Manila airport with one of its two engines ablaze. All but one of the 32 persons aboard were killed, the airline said.

Earlier a PAL official said 31 persons were aboard the plane. One of the victims was identified as Rev. Hudson Mitchell, 57, of New Rochelle, N.Y., a Jesuit priest and professor of theology at Xavier University in Cagayan de Oro, Mindanao.

A spokesman for the Jesuit order in Manila said Father Mitchell had been in the Philippines since 1951 and was a former vice-president for academic affairs at the University.

Hospital officials reported the sole survivor, identified only as Roger Collins, was burned over 80 per cent of his body but had "a very good chance of living."

The USA in focus

U.S. to play key role

NEW YORK (Reuter) — Middle East leaders whom United States State Secretary Henry Kissinger will meet soon feel the "U.S., because of its contacts with Israel, must play the key role as Middle East peacemaker." Time magazine says.

The message, Time says, was expressed repeatedly to a group of 53 U.S. industrialists and journalists who visited 10 capitals in the Middle East. The tour was made under the magazine's auspices.

Among the leaders the group met were King Faisal of Saudi Arabia and Algerian President Houari Boumediene.

Shooting breaks out

GRESHAM, Wis. (Reuter) — Fresh shooting broke out late Sunday night hours after an agreement was announced to end the 34-day occupation by armed Indians of a religious estate.

Authorities said today there were no reports of casualties. A National Guard spokesman said it had not been determined whether Indians or whites had done the shooting.

Earlier, several hundred Indians held a celebration following announcement of the pact as national guardsmen made arrangements to evacuate the armed Indians from the 64-room building.

Local Menominee Indians occupied the estate Jan. 1.

Agreement came after the National Guard had brought in armored personnel carriers to patrol the estate grounds and an extra 350 men to increase their strength to 750 manning check points.

Portrait a fake?

NEW YORK (A) — Controversy raged Sunday over whether a Gilbert Stuart portrait of George Washington, cherished treasure of the White House for more than 175 years, is a fake.

"The painting is not by Gilbert Stuart," said Marvin Sadik, director of the National Portrait Gallery in Washington.

"The painting is by Gilbert Stuart," said Clement Conger, curator of the White House.

Earthquake

SHEMA, Alaska (AP) — Fifteen United States Air Force personnel suffered minor injuries when a strong earthquake struck near an isolated air force installation here Saturday, the air force said Sunday.

The report of injuries was released after an air force team flew to the installation from Anchorage on Sunday to assess damage from the quake, which struck at 10:43 p.m. (AST) and registered 7.5 on the Richter scale.

A spokesman for the Alaska Air Command at Elmendorf air force base, 1,500 miles northeast of here, said no one was in hospital and described the injuries as cuts and bruises. One thousand men live on this volcanic atoll in the Aleutian chain.

Col. Jack Stein, command spokesman, said most buildings on the island, roads and the water system were damaged. He said the base's runway was cracked but not enough to prevent landings.

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SLICK SLIDE — Paratroopers of the Edmonton-based Canadian Airborne Regiment make a rapid exit from a hovering Huey of 408 Tactical Helicopter Squadron. Rappelling is one of the

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Unemployment may reach 10% in Quebec, economists say

MONTREAL (CP) — Economists, assessing a wave of industrial layoffs, predict the unemployment rate in Quebec province might reach close to 10 per cent this year.

The forecast suggests almost 270,000 Quebecers in a work force of 2.7 million might be unemployed.

The unemployment rate in the province now stands at 8.1 per cent compared with a national figure of 6.1 per cent and Ontario's 4.7 per cent.

Many of the layoffs have resulted from difficulties in an industry-wide scale rather than from setbacks for individual companies.

For several months the forest products industry has suffered economic reverses because of a decline in Canadian and United States housing starts, causing widespread layoffs and the closing of some sawmills.

Andre Marsan, an economist with the investment firm of Levesque Beaubien Inc., said he could not see anything "stopping Quebec's rate catching up with the 1961 level and even overtaking it." The 1961 level reached 9.2 per cent.

"For one thing, Quebec now has a much bigger working population," said Mr. Marsan. "There are more young people on the market and more women."

"Also, economic activity here and in the rest of the North American continent is slowing down much more sharply than in 1961. Industrial production, for example, has fallen for the last five consecutive months."

Judith Maxwell, an analyst with the C. D. Howe Research Institute, said the unemployment rate will surpass that of 1961.

WILL GET WORSE

"I think unemployment all over Canada is going to get a lot worse before it gets better."

The work force has increased because of the post-war baby boom, she said, and "it's very difficult, especially when there's a recession, to create enough new jobs to absorb all the people who want to work."

Economists, however, agree that layoffs do not create the degree of poverty witnessed in the 1930s or even in 1961, when Unemployment Insurance Commission benefits were more difficult to obtain.

In recent layoffs, 99 per cent of those affected are eligible for federal unemployment benefits, said a commission spokesman. Provided a worker has been employed for eight weeks, he qualifies for unemployment assistance to a maximum of \$123 a week, depending on average gross wages during employment.

The average unemployment benefit is about \$75 weekly and the average duration is 18 weeks, commission statistics show.

Pulp and paper industry threatened with labor disputes

MONTREAL (CP) — The Canadian pulp and paper industry faces the possibility of strikes, a shortened work week, decreased newsprint demand and pared profits in the next few months.

At a meeting last week in Ottawa, the Canadian Paperworkers Union announced it is prepared to support a nationwide strike if May contract talks fail.

Contracts covering three-quarters of the union's 55,000 members expire this spring and wage demands are not anticipated to be modest.

Perhaps one indication of coming wage demands is the recent rejection by Abitibi Paper Co. Ltd. employees of a 25-per-cent salary increase over one year.

Joe Robertson, outgoing president of the Canadian Pulp and Paper Association, said upcoming contract negotiations

will be a major factor in any newsprint price increases later this year.

In an interview at the association's annual meeting in Montreal, Mr. Robertson said that if labor costs increase radically, companies will have to raise prices. Canadian newsprint prices were last increased Jan. 1 by \$20 a ton.

Any price increase also will be affected by product demand, which was depressed last fall but rebounded in December. Canadian shipments that month totalled 862,678 tons, an 8.2-per-cent increase from November and 10.5 per cent ahead of December, 1973.

Demand in 1975 is not expected to be great, Mr. Robertson said. He said many mills may be forced either to shorten their work weeks or close for one-

week periods in the next few months.

Lower sales in November precipitated extended Christmas holidays for many employees. Layoffs have occurred at some of the same mills which previously had difficulty finding sufficient manpower.

Mr. Robertson said he did not know how extensive layoffs were but said no one mill had any major staff reductions.

On top of prices, wages and demand, the industry in Quebec province must contend with legislation passed last month which will remove forest concessions from company control and put them in government hands.

FEELINGS MIXED

Mr. Robertson said there is "varied feeling" about the new regulation and denied that most companies were strongly opposed to it.

"People are unsure how it will work out and if they will have enough wood today and enough wood for tomorrow."

The government plan is for all concessions to be reclaimed by 1982. The process is to begin in March, probably in the Baie Comeau area where Quebec North Shore Paper Co. Ltd. is located.

Companies must negotiate with the government to determine how much wooded acreage they will be permitted to harvest.

Wood supply also has become a major question in Ontario where wood lots are increasingly

difficult to acquire. "Most available sites have been taken up, making it very hard to expand," Mr. Robertson said.

To combat wood shortages, companies are searching for more efficient use of timber and have seized on thermo-mechanical pulping, a relatively new process.

MOST POPULAR

Of the technical advances discussed at the pulp and paper association's annual meeting, thermo-mechanical pulping process has been the most popular, Mr. Robertson said.

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BMP Hospital Auxiliary

COWANSVILLE — Tuesday, January 21, 1975, the Brome-Missisquoi-Perkins Hospital Auxiliary held their annual meeting, to make a summary of the work accomplished this past year, and elect officers to the different committees.

The new administration will be as follows: President, Mrs. R.C. Flitton; 1st Vice-Pres., Mrs. Gordon Scott; 2nd Vice-Pres., Mrs. J. Shower; Recording Secretary, Mrs. George Eden; Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. J. Turzen; Gift Shop Chairman, Mrs. B. Charles; Gift Shop Treasurer, Mrs. J.B. Pritchard; Treasurer, Miss K.D. Palmer; Executive members at large, Mrs. D. Domingue, Mrs. D. Laurin, Mrs. H. Brennen, Standing Committee Chairman: Social Services, Mrs. W. Perkins; Work Committee, Mrs. L.A. Marchessault, Decorating, Mrs. J. Caron; Publicity, Mrs. N. Monast; Douglas Hospital, Mrs. W. MacRae; Scheduler, Mrs. T. Houghton.

If we want to review the activities of the different committees, it appears that 1974 was a very profitable year, and the President Mrs. Elsie Flitton is greatly satisfied.

Our gift shop continued to operate six days a week, afternoons only, and was

well patronized by staff and visitors.

The travelling wagon is of great service to patients and operates for one hour each afternoon. We are now able to offer a greater variety of gifts and useful items.

The annual bazaar held in November was very successful. Many articles, hand made, and home cooking were available. Tea was served to 175 people. The publicity for this event was very effective, and we were happy to welcome these friends of the Auxiliary, who are a moral support. The decorating committee undertook the embellishment of the hospital for Christmas, with good effect. Trays for the patients were provided with handsome candy baskets, and with Santa Claus favors for the children. Some presents were given to five lonely patients.

In September, triplets were born in the hospital and silver cups presented to the parents, one for each child, as a future memento of the event. Layettees are always available for the needy mothers.

Gifts and cards are sent regularly to three forgotten patients at the Douglas Hospital in Verdun. This service is financed by donations from our members, not from our auxiliary

accounts.

The Memorial Book has been kept up to date and donations in Memory of loved ones continues to increase slowly, year by year.

We see by the Treasurer's report, that our funds are well invested and that our finances are in good condition, even though our profits have been somewhat eroded by inflation.

We are fortunate in having a number of new members this year who are already taking an active interest in the work of the Auxiliary.

The meeting did not adjourn on this optimistic note though. Miss Julie Bourbonniere, Director of Nursing, who is so kindly disposed towards the auxiliary, paid us an impromptu visit. She was happy to show us the new incubator that the auxiliary recently bought for their hospital, and inform us of its utility. Every hospital has them, you say? Well this one is different, because it answers a specific need. It is a strolling incubator which will be used to wheel the premature baby directly from gynecology to nursery; thus protecting the infant from the temperature changes, that could endanger his so fragile life.

This indeed, was an afternoon of surprises, as Mr. Roland Fournier, Hospital's General Director, joined us at tea time. We had an animated conversation and he kindly consented to answer our questions. Mr. Fournier was the one who stressed the idea of the visiting service to patients, and urged us to make a go of it; he was very happy to explain the system and its utility, and to thank us on behalf of the Directors of the Corporation and the Directors of the hospital, who appreciate so well, not only our everyday work, but also the fact that we are always there, reliable, ready to welcome the new patients, to help them direct them to their proper departments.

Patients hospitalized for the first time are sometimes apprehensive, nervous, thus we must do everything possible to ease the difficulties of a first contact with hospital life and help them to consider this with optimism. The patient reacts more favorably to treatment when he is relaxed.

As a corollary to this, we have established a small visiting committee to visit the patients, usually long term ones, who are without relatives or close friends.

Male patients are visited by male friends of the auxiliary.

Supported and encouraged by such cooperation, the Auxiliaries are looking forward to work and help even more in 1975.

They extend an invitation to all those who are interested in this kind of philanthropic hobby to join them as soon as possible.

Credit conditions continue to ease

TORONTO (CP) — Credit conditions continue to ease as all Canadian banks now have reduced their prime lending rates.

In a final set of announcements Wednesday Toronto Dominion Bank, Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce and Unity Bank of Canada announced the largest reductions during the current round.

They lowered their prime lending rates a full percentage point to 9½ per cent from 10½ effective Feb. 1.

The Bank Canadian National lowered its prime to 9½ per cent effective immediately.

The Provincial Bank of Canada, following the lead of all other Canadian banks, lowered its prime to 9½ effective Feb. 1.

The prime rate is that charged to a bank's most credit-worthy customers. All other commercial rates are scaled upwards from there.

Accompanying the prime re-

ductions, several of the banks lowered interest rates on premium savings accounts and small business loans.

FOLLOW TRENDS

The dropping rates follow an international trend to lower interest rates to boost the amount of money available to sagging economies in many countries.

R. Donald Fullerton, executive vice-president of the Canadian Imperial Bank, in his announcement said: "Short-term rates have fallen rapidly in recent weeks and therefore a full one-per-cent decline in the minimum lending rate was fully justified by current market conditions."

Rates in the United States have dropped substantially in recent weeks and now are around 9½ per cent and expected to continue dropping.

Many observers suggest market pressure will force Canadian interest rates to fall even further. One banking economist says rates are unlikely to settle

down before the early summer.

LOWEST RATE

The Imperial Bank of Commerce lowered its base loan rate to small businesses to 9¼ per cent from 10 per cent effective Feb. 1. It becomes the lowest charged by any retail bank for business loans under \$200,000.

All other banks, except Unity and Bank Canadian National, announced reductions in their base rate to 9½ per cent.

Unity Bank announced the smallest reduction for interest on non-chequing savings accounts, dropping it to 7½ per cent from around 8½, effective Feb. 1.

The remaining banks lowered their premium savings rates to 7¼ per cent from around 8¼ effective Feb. 1.

Toronto Dominion also announced it is lowering the residential mortgage rate for National Housing Act mortgages to 10½ per cent from 11 per cent and for conventional mortgages to 10¼ per cent from 11½.

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Major repairs due on 2 city bridges

SHERBROOKE (GS) — Over a million dollars of repairs to Wolfe and Joffre Bridges will "definitely be done in 1975," according to Mayor Jacques O'Bready.

Sherbrooke City Council voted last year to study the condition of the bridges. They now have a report which estimates that \$400,000-500,000 must be spent to repair Wolfe bridge and \$800,000 will be needed to repair Joffre bridge and the over-pass over Wellington Street.

The engineering firm of Lemieux, Royer, Donaldson, Fields, Nadeau, Fouquette and Blais has been studying the bridges. The demolition of Wolfe Bridge in order to build a four lane bridge at a cost of \$1 million is being considered.

Mayor O'Bready has said that the bridges are "very secure" although heavy traffic will be avoided.

City Council will begin studying the capital expenditures budget this week and the bridges will be discussed at that time. A decision is expected within the next three or four weeks. Mayor O'Bready described the work on the bridges as "one of the major projects of the City of Sherbrooke in 1975."

Sweetsburg Court

SWEETSBURG WARD (JM) — Judge Guy Genest found Chester Dylong criminally negligent in the operation of a motor vehicle, at his trial held here Tuesday.

Crown prosecutor Claude Noisieux called five witnesses concerning an accident in the Town of Brome Lake, September 22, 1972, which caused the death of Ernest Scott, Cowansville.

Defence lawyer John Hackett also produced five witnesses, including the accused.

Judge Genest sentenced Dylong, of Sutton, to 30 weekends in jail, and prohibited him from driving a motor vehicle in Canada for one year.

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Mrs. Gisele Paulin, Cowansville, pleaded guilty to simple theft of articles valued at \$8.00 from Allard's Store, Cowansville, December 5, 1974. Crown prosecutor Noisieux said he had no special remarks to offer, and suggested a fine of \$25.

"Eight dollars or eight days," snapped Judge Genest.

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Jean Guv Roy, Waterloo,

pleaded guilty to a charge of impaired driving on the Eastern Townships Autoroute, December 21, 1974. He admitted, under examination by Mr. Noisieux, that he had been jailed for two months for a similar offence in Sherbrooke during 1972. Mr. Noisieux did not ask for a jail term. However, he suggested a fine of \$200, which was upheld by Judge Genest. Roy was allowed two months to acquit the fine and costs, in default 30 days.

Jean Claude Rheault, Granby, and Renaud Fortin, St. Damase, also pleaded guilty to charges of impaired driving on the ETA. They were both fined \$100 and costs, in default 30 days.

The following persons pleaded guilty to charges of impaired driving in the District of Bedford: Mrs. Marielle Martel, Granby; Bertrand Perron, Ste. Cecile de Milton; Andre Paul Couture, Farnham; and Andre Clement, Brigham. They were each fined \$100 and costs, in default 30 days.

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Reed Coulombe, Waterloo, appeared for the form and saw his bail and preliminary hearings on charges of attempted murder, armed robbery, wearing a disguise, and possession of stolen goods. See "Sweetsburg Court" on Page 8

Rector inducted at Parish of the Advent and St. Paul

On Monday evening, January 20th at 8 p.m. Rev. Harold Brazel L.T.H. was inducted as Rector of the Parish of the Advent and St. Paul, Sherbrooke. The Parish comprises Church of the Advent on Bowen Street South, St. Paul the Apostle Church on McManamy Blvd. and St. Mary's Chapel, St. Elie. The service took place in St. Paul's Church.

The new rector comes to Sherbrooke from the Valcartier Mission of Valcartier, Loretteville, Stoneham and Bourg Louis. Rev. Harold Brazel had served in the Parish of the Advent and St. Paul as a Deacon in 1970 so he is not really new to the Parish.

The Venerable Archdeacon Sydney Meade, B.A., B.D. of St. George's Church, Lennoxville, conducted the Service of Induction. The Rev. Canon John Franklin, Rector of St. Peter's Church, Sher-

brooke, read the License from the Bishop, O God, the Rev. John McIlmurray, Rector of St. Luke's Church, Magog, read the Letter of Institution. The keys of the churches were presented to the Rector by Leonard Garnsey, People's Warden Church of St. Paul's and William Nutbrown, Rector's Warden at the Church of the Advent.

During the hymn, "We love the place, O God", the clergy processed to the various parts of the church where the various readings were held. Gary Oakley read the scripture at the font, Rev. Ron Smith read the scripture at the prayer desk, Mr. William Nutbrown read the scripture at the lectern, Miss Catherine Wark read the scripture at the pulpit, and Rev. Fr. Daniel read the scripture at the altar.

Rev. Canon John Franklin preached the sermon with reference to the text of St.



BURNING THE MORTGAGE — Since 1966, the members of the Royal Canadian Legion, Branch 10 have looked forward to the day when they could burn the mortgage for their building on 270 Bowen St. South. Saturday, February 1, their dream was realized when Conrad Thompson, president of the Royal Canadian Legion, Branch 10 (right), and June Webb, president of the Ladies



Auxiliary (left) presided at the mortgage burning ceremony, shown at the left above. Then Mr. Thompson presented a plaque to June Webb, president of the Ladies Auxiliary in appreciation of the work that the Ladies Auxiliary did to raise money to enable the mortgage to be paid off. This is seen at the right.

Problems working mothers face discussed

LENNOXVILLE (RH) — Working mothers must overcome guilt feelings, was the consensus of opinion among panelists speaking before the University Women's Club last week.

The panelists, George Rothney, principal of Lennoxville Elementary School, Carol Murphy, a lecturer in the field of Women's Studies at Concordia University in Montreal, and Cerise Morris, director of the New Women's Centre in Montreal, were speaking on the problems working mothers face.

Ms. Murphy pointed out that earning money has traditionally carried more prestige than staying home to care for the children, but added that socially and personally, it also provided the mother with a great deal of satisfaction.

"Many women simply must work — for financial reasons," she explained, "and those are usually women from single-parent families. It can be an exhausting experience — and an extremely draining one."

Mr. Rothney felt that it didn't matter which parent worked so long as there was enough time left to provide the children with the kind of affection and attention they require.

"Babysitters, no matter how good they are, can't fill the needs in children that parents can. This might be simply coincidence, but I've sent three letters home to parents recently, on their children's poor behavior, and all three children came from single parent families. I'm not saying a mother shouldn't work, but someone sympathetic and loving must be around for the children."

Ms. Morris, who described her husband as "pretty liberated," described how they had worked out the problem.

"We decided to see how things would go if I went out

and worked and he stayed home to take care of our child. I was much more involved, at that time, in a career, while he was more flexible. I couldn't conceive of giving up my work to care for a child, although I loved the baby."

She said the experiment proved to be most interesting.

"He was fine as a househusband really," she recalled, "and even enjoyed assuming the role, and becoming involved in the child. For my part, I had to deal with the guilt feelings I was developing. I would get home at six o'clock and try

Germain found guilty

SHERBROOKE (RH) — Pierre Germain, a local lawyer who embarked on a long legal battle following his arrest for impaired driving, was found guilty by Judge Gerald Desmarais in court Thursday. A University of Sherbrooke law professor, Mr. Germain has also recently acted as lawyer for Ascot Township Council.

Germain, who had six charges brought against him for an incident occurring September 28, 1974, was found guilty on four counts. He was acquitted on charges of impaired faculties and refusing to submit to a breathalyzer test, but found guilty on charges of careless driving, speeding, and ignoring traffic lights and stop signs.

At the time of his arrest, Germain expressed incredulity over the charges, claiming that when the police started to pursue him, he panicked and increased his speed.

The lawyer was fined a total of \$220 and had his driving licence suspended for three months. It is not yet known whether Germain will appeal the sentence.

According to police testimony, Germain was driving at 80 miles an hour when he was stopped.

BRIEFLET
LENNOXVILLE — Army, Navy & Air Force Unit 318 Associate Members meeting on Wednesday, Feb. 5 at 8:00 p.m. at the Hut. All associate members please try to attend.

Sherbrooke Snow Shoe Club

By LES HUMPHRIES

Attendance at the weekly meetings of the Sherbrooke Snow Shoe Club is very encouraging, as once again 93 members met for the New Members Night.

There was a slight delay in serving the meat loaf, but it was due to a special "Sir Lyon" steak which was served to President Don. With the compliments of, and amid thunderous applause from the Red Party, Honorary Purveyor Ernie Kimmis, in a very professional manner, carried the platter to the Head Table where Don was heard to say: "It's real Sirloin."

The sing along went as well as could be expected as New Munkitrick tried to keep us in time and tune. The Red Party did add special effects to help out — especially on "Home on the Range." Just to prove he can play a piano, Irv Richards ended the sing song with a solo number — Jingle Bells.

Our weekly feature on Lions Ltd. was presented by Bill Lyon and Rick Griffiths who claimed they represented "Sir Lyons Ltd." and a sample of their product was indeed the steak which was enjoyed by president Don.

In keeping with the slogan of this company, "The man who got A-head" a large box was deposited on the table and when opened proved its "point" as it contained a cow's head complete with horns. Thanks Bill and Rick for the feature and the fun.

In order to keep the Half and Half completely honest, George Jobel and Stan Lothrop asked Rev. Doug Daniels to draw the winning number from the basket. The town of East Angus will benefit this week as Clint Willard pocketed his share — that is, he did if George found it after hiding it for safekeeping.

The new members guest speaker, introduced by Yvan Beliveau, was Maurice Lemieux, chief of Fire Prevention Services for Sherbrooke. With the aid of a flip chart, Mr. Lemieux very capably explained various steps that can be taken to prevent the so-often needless loss of life by fire: Planning ahead, knowing what you and your family are going to do should a fire start in your house, have an escape plan and follow it.

Questions were answered on alarm devices and types of fire extinguishers which are available locally.

Your Fire Department wants to help you. If you want to help yourself and your family, may we suggest that you contact Mr. Lemieux by phone and obtain a pamphlet entitled "Planning Kit" for home



fire escape and the information will be mailed to you. The thanks of the club were expressed very appropriately by Henry Musty.

Darts, cards and volleyball brought the meeting to its close.

Next Wednesday we

See "Snow Shoe" on Page 8

School committee meets at Ayer's Cliff

AYER'S CLIFF — Chairman E. Wintle brought up about the resolution passed some time back that no alcoholic beverages be permitted in the school building. It was definitely agreed that this policy be continued.

A motion was made by N. Benoit that a new committee be set up to review and possibly suggest changes in the school rental policy of A.C.E.S. These recommendations would then be made to the school board. Members on this committee are E. Wintle, T. Moore, L. Dyer, I. Sorensen, W. Walls and N. Benoit — chairman. This motion was seconded by B. Wintle.

It was requested that perhaps after school skating could be arranged for the out-of-town children. Adjournment moved by F. Whipple.

Proceeds from the silver collection taken at the Christmas concert netted \$83.30. This amount has been turned over to the Cafeteria Committee.

Teacher L. Dyer reported that the Massawippi Chamber of Commerce tickets are being sold by the students. March 29th is the date of the drawing. The school receives part of the profit.

The gift of a car seat was purchased for E. Boisvert for voluntary services rendered in the school library.

The Cafeteria Committee received two gifts to aid in their function: one from the W.I. the other from the Kiwanis Club to which they are most grateful.

Thank yous will be forwarded to them.

Two thank you notes were read, one from Mr. A. Greer, the other from Mr. F. Bell.

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NEW RECTOR — Rev. Harold Brazel, centre, was recently inducted as rector of the Parish of the Advent and St. Paul in Sherbrooke. At the left is Leonard Garnsey, People's Warden of St. Paul's Church, presenting the keys of the churches to Rev. Brazel and on the right is William Nutbrown, Rector's Warden of Church of the Advent. (Record photo by Gerry Lemay Studio)

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Land Ownership

Many Manitoba farmers are disturbed by the government getting into the business of buying up farm land. Their reason apparently cannot be understood by those in control of government policy. It is that once government moves in, the laws of economics fly out the window.

Since last September the Manitoba government, through its agricultural credit corporation, has purchased 38,000 acres of farm land in the province, bringing its total holdings to more than 63,000 acres. Organizations appearing before the first meeting of the legislature committee inquiring into land policy correctly pointed out that the government omitted these figures from its recent white paper on the subject. The paper made an oblique reference to the government in land ownership, saying it was preferable to other forms of non-resident ownership. Those appearing before the committee disagreed with this, and saw in the omission the same threat they see in the idea of state ownership in the first place.

Individual farmers, through their presentations to the committee, have indicated that they expect to be able to cope with non-resident ownership of farm land. Farmers are usually individualists, and they are confident of their own abilities, as long as they are pitted against other individuals or groups. But in state ownership they see their own money being used to deprive them of the privilege of owning land.

The Manitoba Farm Bureau noted that any "move toward public ownership of farm land would be unacceptable to the majority of the farmers in Manitoba;" another brief referred to the entry of the agricultural credit corporation as a "back door land-banking policy." The presentations to the committee also indicated that in many cases figures contained in the white paper did not reflect true conditions of land ownership. The paper made no distinction among types of non-resident owners, classifying retired farmers renting their land to relatives or neighbors, and active farmers who were working land but living in nearby urban centres, as part of the non-resident group.

But the real complaint against government land ownership is based on economics. Farmers have put their skills on the line against many variables. They are disturbed by the prospect of government moving actively into land ownership, because they consider ownership of their land as their retirement protection. They are suspicious of a government which says it will allow the repurchase of leased land and then writes provisions into its regulations which put the repurchase price out of normal reach. They are worried about the possibility of having to deal with the massive power of government when they discover that the paper they are called on to discuss is distributed in some cases only days in advance, leaving them to face government spokesmen well briefed by those responsible for the paper but without time for adequate research on their part.

A workable land policy will not be reached easily in Manitoba, which, like other provinces, is faced with a growing population and a still faster growing change in land use. The government would be well advised to consider the reservations already expressed by the men who now own most of the farm land in the province.

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Letters to the editor

To the Editor:
 I should like to express my sincere appreciation to Mr. Donald Ives' clear and well reasoned letter published in the January 27 issue of the Sherbrooke Record headed:
IN MY OPINION, THE NEW FIXED SERVICE TAX ON ALL PROPERTY HOLDERS IN LENNOXVILLE IS DISCRIMINATORY.
 As one of the "modest home owners" to whom he refers, I feel very strongly that this new service tax is definitely unfair and unequal.

I am an elderly woman living alone in a small house. I have no heavy appliances using much water - no washing machine, no dish washer, and the minimum of three water taps.

The garbage for one person is negligible, one small container plus a week's newspapers.

For these services the town now asks me to pay \$100.00 a year. I am to pay this, on my small budget, so that the municipality may, through me and others like me, be saved their small loss of revenue from students living in rooms and apartments in town who often(?) get away without paying the

rental tax. I would suggest that the Town return to the old water and garbage assessment for those whose property valuation is \$10,000 or less. In that case those on low incomes need not help subsidize the municipal rental delinquents.

Mr. Ives wished the people of Lennoxville to state their views. I, like him, do feel better for doing so.

Yours faithfully,
 Miss E. Frances Molony
 Lennoxville

To The Editor:
 In recent weeks I have noticed in the Sherbrooke Record several articles concerning the 5th CMR W.W.I. Battalion.

Here are several interesting and, I think, historical notes that may be of interest to your readers. Lt. Col. George Harold Baker, K.C., M.P., who was killed at Maple Copse in 1916, at age 39, raised the battalion, took it overseas, and commanded it in action. He was the only M.P. killed in the 1st World War. At the time, he was the sitting M.P. for Brome County.

Denis Draper, an original Company Commander who took command of the battalion after Baker was

killed, came from the little hamlet of Sutton Junction, in Brome County. He later became a brigadier, and in post-war years the police chief of the city of Toronto.

Ralph Stockwell was another original company commander who, after the war, became a full Colonel, and a K.C. Elected M.P. for Brome county he became Provincial Treasurer, and in 1926 was gazetted commanding officer of the 4th Canadian Cavalry Brigade (N.P.A.M.)

Still living in Knowlton is an original member of "B" Company, Mr. Sydney Taylor. He remembers the aforementioned well, and can tell many interesting anecdotes concerning them. He recalls vividly the day his company commander, Major Pelletier (whom he thinks came from Sherbrooke), and Lieut. Macdonald, (whose father was a doctor in Sutton), were killed in action. At age 80, Mr. Taylor still drives his own car, and plants and tends the best vegetable and flower garden in the area.

D.B. MULLINS,
 Knowlton

To the Editor:
 THE UNION - Where is it going and what will it do next? We have put up with

strikes of every imaginable description, including some which endangered lives, and left the sick and aged without proper care.

Those who support the union are quick to point out the good they have done, and to speak of the low wages and long hours for which people worked before we had unions. While our grandfathers may not have had as high a standard of living material-wise, they were, I believe, often happier than we are today.

In this age we are forever under pressure, meeting the next payment on our cars, color TVs, fancy homes, and all the rest which make up our high standard of life, in a world where money has lost its value.

In any case a strike is NOT an implement of justice; instead it is more often an implement of blackmail, where the 'enemy', the employer, is forced into submission.

Outlawing the union and the right to strike is not a very good answer. It has often been pointed out that this was the first thing Hitler did when he gained power. It is equally true that Hitler would never have been able to gain power if the Union hadn't thrown the country into such a state of unrest. If we continue to

allow the Unions to disrupt our economy we may well be the next to vote ourselves into the hands of a Hitler. The following are a few suggestions which I think would help to control the Union and make it more representative of its members.

First, meetings should be called at a definite time and finished up at a reasonable time. This should be a rule wherever the public is concerned, whether the meetings be union, government or business. It may appear very heroic for groups to negotiate into the early hours of the morning to reach a settlement, and indeed, in some cases this is very true. In other cases, however, it may be a case of letting the meeting drag until those who are not wanted have given up and gone home and the rest are half asleep, if not half drunk. This is no way to do business at any level.

Second, when a strike vote is called it should be done by secret ballot. Voting should be held, either in the plant concerned or in an independent place such as a school, hall, etc. NEVER IN UNION HEADQUARTERS. Just as members of the opposition are on hand at a political

election, members of management should be on hand at a strike vote, and the police to keep order.

Any tampering with the ballots or the secrecy of the vote should be a very serious offense, bearing a heavy fine or jail sentence. This way people could vote as they really wanted to, without being exposed to the scorn of their fellow workers who might not agree with their stand, not to mention the possibility of outright terrorism on the part of unionists.

Third, instead of a strike I would suggest that their employees should quit their jobs as a group. This isn't as impractical as it might look at first glance. Think about it. What employer wants to train a whole new set of employees? The workers would be free to find other jobs but not return to their former employer unless he met the terms of the union, at least not within a considerable period of time.

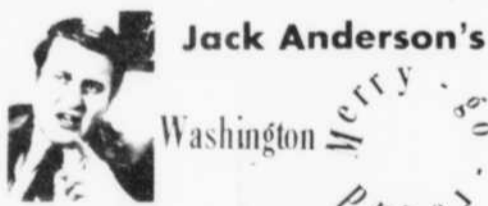
Think about these suggestions. I believe the results would be more sensible negotiations, better representation of the workers, and less disruption to our society.

Yours truly,
 Miss D.M. Clouston
 Sherbrooke



The Casualties Reach Home

A godfather tax fixer?



WASHINGTON - Detailed investigative reports, intended for the eyes only of Internal Revenue officials, contain allegations of a massive \$1 million payoff to a tax case.

The case involves a \$10 million tax assessment and criminal fraud charges, which were brought in the late 1960s against the New Latin Casino of Cherry Hill, N.J.

This palatial theater-restaurant, capable of seating 2,000 people and feeding them steaks cooked to order, featured the biggest names in show business. It has been called "the showplace of the world."

A top Mafia figure, according to allegations made to a Justice Department strike force, held a hidden interest in the place. He was identified as Angelo Bruno, who is listed in a Senate crime report as the godfather of the Mafia family in Philadelphia.

We have had access to the investigative files in this case. We have carefully examined the voluminous evidence. The criminal charges are backed up by detailed documentation, including the sworn statements of dozens of witnesses. Internal Revenue agents have described the evidence as "a watertight case."

Yet while the Internal Revenue Service was squeezing the last mite out of widows and harassing ex-president Nixon's enemies, it settled the \$10 million case for \$2.7 million and dropped the criminal charges altogether.

No one we have interviewed could explain why. The most disturbing allegation was that the case had been fixed. There were whispers of bribes totalling more than \$1 million. Yet attempts to investigate the bribery charges, according to three agents close to the case, were thwarted at high levels of the IRS.

We have found at least four confidential IRS memos, which tell of payoffs in the case. Even before the settlement, as early as July 26, 1966, a confidential informant charged that the owners of the New Latin Casino "had taken care of the boss of IRS investigators and the Internal

Revenue Service lawyers in Philadelphia who pass on cases.

The most recent memo, dated Jan. 28, 1972, quotes a confidential informant who was identified to us as a Justice Department probation officer close to one of the casino owners.

In a report to the IRS, the officer said he had learned from the owner "that the criminal tax fraud case against the New Latin Casino was fixed and... that over a million dollars were spent to accomplish the purpose."

Names were given of high officials, including a federal judge, who were allegedly involved in the fix. Yet attached to the report is a routing slip, with this handwritten note:

"This has been subject to intensive investigation by this office. Memo does not indicate any new evidence other than statement by informant. Therefore, no further investigation will be made at this time."

Former FBI and IRS agent John Devenshire has sworn to us that a high IRS official told him in the spring of 1972 that the New Latin Casino case had been "fixed." Devenshire said William J. Hulihan, the Internal Revenue internal security chief, told him the case had been fixed "in either the chief counsel's office of IRS or the Justice Department, and we can't touch it."

Hulihan told us he doesn't "recall any such conversation." He was "not that familiar with the case," he said. But Devenshire has offered to take a lie detector test to prove the conversation occurred.

Investigators outside the IRS have also attempted to pry into the case. In 1970, a

Justice Department strike force attorney in Philadelphia, David Abrahamson, attempted to obtain the IRS files on the investigation, but he was turned down.

We have been investigating the case since last October, and we have managed to see the suppressed files. Our inquiries have now caused the IRS to reopen the investigation.

Watch On Waste: While President Ford is trying to cut down America's fuel consumption, the Army is preparing to purchase a new truck which could wind up wasting millions of gallons of gasoline.

Here is the situation. Next month, the military brass plan to sign a contract for 30,000 new trucks. They are available with economical, six-cylinder engines and standard shifts.

But the Army, with its characteristic disregard for the taxpayers' money, prefers the sleeker V-8 model with automatic transmission. By the Army's own figures, it will cost the taxpayers \$5 million more for the fancier model.

But the real cost to the taxpayers will come in the extra fuel that the bigger engine will use. According to Energy Protection Administration figures, the V-8 with automatic transmission will get about five miles less per gallon than the smaller, six-cylinder model.

The larger truck, which is expected to travel 4,000 to 8,000 miles yearly, would consume from 150 to 300 gallons more than the smaller model. For the entire fleet, this works out to five million to nine million gallons of wasted gasoline each year.

An Army spokesman said the V-8 engine is needed because of "size requirements." Tests also had shown, he claimed, that it requires less maintenance than the six-cylinder engine. He said the Army was concerned about the increased gas consumption of the bigger truck, but this was outweighed by the "very significant life cycle cost savings."

United Feature Syndicate

To the Editor:
 The taxpaying people of Canada, as well as all other citizens feeling the cross fire of inflationary crisis penetrating every age group in all walks of life - have a fundamental right in expecting leadership and example from their government and parliamentarians.

Just a few short months ago, most members of the House of Commons were running for reelection, from what was then one of the shortest lived parliaments in Canadian History (1973-74).

Manifest in the government's cry was 'give us a strong majority government and we will give you strong leadership, unfettered by compromising and delaying opposition tactics.'

Robt. Stanfield, as leader of the P.C. Party, dramatized inflation as Public Enemy No. One, and heralded a campaign on "Wage and Price Controls".

Among the first business of the newly elected majority government was the announcement in Parliament by Finance Minister John Turner (about Dec. 10th, 1974) "Wage and Price Restraints Are Urged". In fact he went on to say the first stage involved talks with the leaders of Labour and Business, to find out what they would accept as reasonable attempts to hold down wages and prices - this should be done by February, he said.

But Christmas was coming, and the Government couldn't wait for February. They hauled in Santa Claus, and in the spirit of good old St. Nicholas with most members agreeing - decided to award themselves a 50 per cent increase in their annual remunerations, plus a 50 per cent hike in their tax free allowance with the further provision that such exorbitant increases be made retroactive to last July's election.

Now good citizens - can anyone really remember that far back - one candidate, specially campaigning for re-election - uttering a word about how underpaid he was and that among his

qualifications to stem the tidal wave of inflation would be a first priority to enlarge his largesse at the taxpayer's expense? Your correspondent can't, and am sure 22 million other Canadians don't either.

In recent years the youth of the Nation have been blamed for a lot of things. The perpetration of this untimely money grab by Parliament is certainly not to be laid to their door. For Prime Minister Trudeau is not a young man, even if he boasts a young wife. Stanfield and Sharp are above the half century mark in age, if not in wisdom and judgement.

But one man, the youngest of all members of the opposition Conservative Party - apparently recognized not only the direct cost to the Federal Treasury involved - but also the far reaching consequences, in unleashing further the flood gates of inflation to all sectors of the economy of the Nation - showed the courage and conviction to dare to break rank and call out against the big hike. Sean O'Sullivan M.P. for Hamilton-Wentworth - re-elected to Parliament at the youthful age of 22 - spoke for his constituents and all concerned Canadians from the Atlantic to the Pacific. Here at last appears a bright hope for Canada's future.

Once before, in parliamentary history, a young man rose to become Prime Minister of Britain. That was in 1783. He was the younger Wm. Pitt (not quite 25) when he took the reigns of Government in difficult times, and gave the people of England beneficial leadership for some 17 years.

Perhaps there is yet time, that we in this great country of ours may learn to earn the bounty of our natural wealth, with spirited unselfish leadership in the right direction.

Yours truly,
 PERCY C. WALTON,
 Hamilton

Record Yester Years 20 YEARS AGO TODAY

TOKYO - Red China today warned the United States of "disastrous blows" if it tries to prevent us from liberating Taiwan (Formosa).

Radio Peiping, quoting an editorial in the official newspaper People's Daily, said "all Chinese people oppose U.S. war provocations and cease-fire plots. No intimidation or blackmail can shake our determination to liberate Taiwan."

The Red radio gave no indication that Communist China is considering the cease-fire proposal submitted to the United Nations by New Zealand.

50 YEARS AGO TODAY

SHERBROOKE - Very little discussion took place at the regular meeting of the City Council held at the City Hall last night, but regardless of this fact several important business matters were brought forward and decided.

The matter bringing out the greater amount of discussion resulted from a protest made by several residents of King Street West in connection with the condition in which the upper part of the street, from the top of Quebec Street on to what was formerly the Montreal road, is kept by the city.

Alderman Newton was the first to bring this matter before the Council, and stated that recently he had received several complaints from residents of this street, who claimed that the street was never given any consideration by the city. He said the residents claimed the city snow plow was never seen to pass along that street and as a result the street was almost impossible for pedestrians. Alderman Newton said that he thought this matter should receive consideration and attention, and stated that he would like to ask the chairman of the road committee to do something in this connection.

Alderman Langis replied that he would be very pleased to investigate the matter and do all possible for the residents of this section.

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Alumnae meet

The Sherbrooke Hospital Nurses' Alumnae Association held its first meeting of the year recently at the lovely home of Mrs. Dorothy Taylor. Mrs. Gerald Frost, president, conducted the meeting with 10 members in attendance.

Mrs. Frost wished all those present a very prosperous New Year and mentioned the pleasure the patients of the hospital had expressed at having been entertained by Dr. Smith and the GaltAires singing Carols before Christmas. They had been invited by the alumnae.

Notes will be sent by Mrs. Taylor, in the near future, informing alumnae members of assistance for those interested in registering for short-term courses. The members must be in good standing with the alumnae and are subject to the discretion of the alumnae. Anyone interested should get in touch with a member of the executive.

Being no further old business, Mrs. Frost thanked all those who had supported her during 1974 and turned the meeting over to Mrs. Watson who chaired the meeting for the reading of the annual reports.

The slate of officers for 1975 were presented and unanimously

approved. They are as follows: Honorary Pres. Miss Olive Harvey, Pres. Mrs. Gerald Frost, First Vice. Mrs. Gerald Frost, Second Vice. Miss Judy Nutbrown, Corresponding Sec. Mrs. Arthur Morrison, Recording Sec. Mrs. Charles Smith Jr. Treasurer. Mrs. Dorothy Taylor, Card Sec. Miss Frances Whittle, Social Convenors, Miss Judy Nutbrown and Mrs. Louie LeBrun.

Mrs. Frost then resumed the chair, thanked the members for their confidence in her and asked for their continuing support.

The Sherbrooke Hospital school of nursing pin of the late Miss Ethel MacLeay has been donated to the alumnae by Mrs. Rupert Atto. It will be kept in the alumnae archives.

It was agreed we forget the bride party again this year. Being no further business the meeting was moved to be adjourned by Mrs. Wells.

Delectious refreshments were then served by the hostesses Mrs. Earl Lavallee and Mrs. Taylor. The doorknobs were won by Mrs. Morrison.

The next meeting is to be held at the Norton Annex on Tuesday evening March 18th at 8:15 p.m. It is hoped more members will make an effort to be present.

St. Paul's Guild

SHERBROOKE — St. Paul's Ladies Guild met in the Church Hall on Jan. 23 at 2 p.m.

The Pres., Mrs. F. Lord, opened the meeting in the usual manner.

Mrs. M. Peck, sec'y, called the roll and read the minutes of the previous meeting.

There was no treasurer's report as Mrs. H. Flanders was in hospital. A card was signed by the members and mailed to her; all wish her a speedy recovery, and hope she will soon be home.

A card party was held on Jan. 18 in the evening, with table prizes and door prizes.

Rev. H. Brazel looked after the drawing of these prizes, the lucky winners being Miss Eva

Beaton, Mrs. Phyllis Hazzard and Mrs. M. Morrison.

A motion was made by Mrs. Peck and seconded by Mrs. Fearon that our Guild would sponsor the Father and Son Banquet to be held on Feb. 23.

An auction sale will be held Feb. 1st, at 10 o'clock in the Hall on McManamy St. Lunch of sandwiches and coffee will be sold at noon.

The Vestry meeting will be held on Feb. 9. All welcome.

Rev. H. Brazel closed the meeting with prayers and refreshments were served by the ladies.

The next meeting will be held on Feb. 4 (Please note date) at 2 p.m. in Church Hall, McManamy St., Sherbrooke.

Silver Anniversary

BURY — On Friday evening, January 17, the Municipal Hall was the scene of a pleasant event at which Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Allison were the honored guests, the occasion being the 25th anniversary of their marriage. Approximately 125 guests were present.

All arrangements had been made by their family, but it was not a complete surprise as they had become aware of what was being planned a day or so before. However, there was one element of surprise when Mr. Allison's only sister June, Mrs. Stuart MacMachen of Kingston Ontario unexpectedly arrived.

After receiving the congratulations and good wishes of their guests, the honored couple took their place at the guest table, which was decorated in keeping with the occasion. The table was centred by an anniversary cake made and decorated by Mrs. Herbert Rowell. The cake was pink and white, with the numerals 25 in silver.

Seated with the Allisons were the Reverend and Mrs. M.C.

Jones, Mrs. Gladys Allison, mother of the groom, and Mrs. MacMachen, sister of the groom. Uncles, aunts and grandparents of the groom were also seated with them.

Refreshments were served by members of the family. These included Greta, Mrs. Martin Jones, Joy, Mrs. Perry Statton, Helen, Judy, Gary and Dale, all of Bury and Shirley, Mrs. George Knapp of Hatley.

Following refreshments, Mr. and Mrs. Allison were presented with a generous purse of money. Mr. Clayton Grey, in a short address on behalf of those present extended congratulations for their 25 years of married life and best wishes for many more happy anniversaries.

Mr. Allison thanked all the guests for the gift and the party on behalf of his wife and himself. The enjoyable evening was brought to a close with dancing to the Bobby Lasenba Orchestra.

Christening

WINDSOR — Canon W.E. Walker, of Richmond, officiated at the christening of the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. David Rattray of Ottawa, held at Christ Church, Brompton, on Sunday afternoon, Jan. 26.

The child received the names Kevin Robinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Robinson stood proxy for godparents, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Robinson of Stratford, Ont.

The baby wore a hand-knitted christening set, which was made by his maternal grandmother, Mrs. H. Robinson, and worn by brother Scott at his christening.

Following the service Mr. and Mrs. Harold Robinson entertained at their home for supper. The linen-covered dining-room table was centered with the christening cake, decorated in colours of white and blue.

Among those attending were Mr. and Mrs. David Rattray, Kevin and Scott; Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Rattray, paternal grandparents, and Miss Irene Laroche, of Richmond; and Mr. and Mrs. Guy C. Robinson of Greenlady.

Engagement



Miss Janis Lorraine Currie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Irwin N. Currie of Chateaugay, Quebec, and Mr. Anthony John Davidson, son of Mr. and Mrs. James C. Davidson of Sherbrooke, Quebec, whose engagement is announced. The wedding will take place June 7th in Sherbrooke.

Walnut Torte has everything

By Aileen Claire
NEA Food Editor

A torte basically is a rich cake — a very rich cake — and one that lives up to this definition is a Walnut Torte. This version has all the basic ingredients such as nuts and sugar and a walnut cream filling. Just for closers there also is a Coffee Glaze.

- Walnut Torte**
- 2 cups California walnuts
 - 8 eggs, separated
 - 3/4 teaspoon salt
 - 1/2 teaspoon cream of tartar
 - 1 cup granulated sugar
 - 1 tablespoon lemon juice
 - 1 teaspoon vanilla
 - 1/4 cup fine dry bread crumbs
 - 1 teaspoon baking powder
 - Walnut Cream Filling
 - Coffee Glaze

Line bottoms of 2 ungreased 9-inch layer cake pans with waxed paper. Grate walnuts, using Mouli grater (or put about 1/4 cup at a time into blender jar and blend until very finely chopped. Turn out and repeat). Beat egg whites with salt and cream of tartar to soft peaks. Gradually beat in 2/3 cup of the sugar, continuing to beat to a stiff meringue. Set aside. With same beater, beat egg yolks well. Beat in remaining 1/3 cup sugar, beating until very thick and light yellow. Beat in lemon juice and vanilla. Slowly pour over meringue, folding gently. Mix bread crumbs, baking powder and walnuts together. Sprinkle over the egg-sugar mixture and fold in gently. Turn into prepared pans and spread level. Bake in center of oven at 350 degrees for 30 to 35 minutes, until golden brown layers spring back when touched lightly in center. Let stand 5 minutes upright, then invert pans on wire racks and let stand until cold.



Walnut torte has cream filling and a coffee glaze topping.

Layers may settle slightly in center. Loosen edges of cakes with small spatula and turn out right side up. Remove waxed paper by easing a metal spatula between cake and paper. Place one layer on serving plate and spread with Walnut Cream Filling. Top with second layer and spread with Coffee Glaze. Sprinkle with walnuts reserved from filling. Let stand until

glaze is set before cutting. Makes one 9-inch cake (8 to 10 servings).

Walnut Cream Filling: Measure 1/2 cup California walnuts. Set aside 2 tablespoons for top of cake. Grate remainder as for torte. Whip 1 cup heavy cream with 2 tablespoons granulated sugar, 1 tablespoon light rum (or 1 teaspoon vanilla), and 1/8 teaspoon

salt. Fold in grated walnuts. **Coffee Glaze:** Dissolve 2 teaspoons instant coffee in 2 tablespoons hot water in a small saucepan. Add 2 tablespoons light corn syrup and 2 cups sifted powdered sugar. Set over hot water and heat, stirring until smooth. Cool slightly before spreading.

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Apples and pork spicy combo

By Aileen Claire
NEA Food Editor

Apples are always in season and are among our most versatile fruits. Apples and pork have been a favorite combination in many countries since the tart-sweet flavor of the fruit is a perfect complement for the meat. For an even slightly different approach combine apples and sausage and spice

this with curry powder for an Apple-Sausage Curry. Serve with bread or over steamed rice.

- APPLE-SAUSAGE CURRY**
- 1 pound pork link sausages
 - 1 cup water
 - 1 10 1/2 ounce can chicken-riche soup
 - 1 cup milk
 - 2 tablespoons cornstarch
 - 1 teaspoon curry powder
 - 2 tablespoons water

1/4 teaspoon sugar
3 apples*, cored, pared and cut into chunks

Heat skillet to 350 degrees and brown sausage, pouring off fat as it accumulates. Add water, return to simmer and blend in chicken soup. When soup begins to bubble, reduce heat and simmer, covered, about 5 minutes. Combine cold milk with cornstarch, curry

powder, water and sugar to form a thin paste. Stir into soup mixture and bring to a boil. Add apple chunks and simmer, covered, about 5 to 10 minutes or until tender. Serve over crusty French bread, steamed rice or English muffin. Makes 4 to 6 servings.

(*Preferred varieties: Washington Jonathan or Golden Delicious)

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Ann Landers

Power of positive thinking

Dear Ann Landers: I'd like to say a few words to that 16-year-old guy who said he was "laughing on the outside and crying on the inside."

His folks keep telling him that high school years should be the happiest of his entire life, but he complained that his social life was dull as dishwater and he wasn't very popular with either boys or girls. Everywhere he looked people seemed to be having a great time.

You answered, "Teen years can be the roughest," and told him he was not alone. I'm in agreement with you, Ann, but I have some suggestions that might help. The surest way to be unpopular is to think you are. Stop being so concerned with people's opinion of you. Relax and enjoy yourself. Go out of your way to be pleasant and thoughtful. Start really listening and being interested in what others have to say you'll be surprised at their reactions.

If you'd like to get to know a

girl better, ask her for a date. She won't ask YOU. Start showing more friendliness — to everybody. You sound like a nice young man with deep feelings. There are plenty of people who would love to be your friend. So take my advice and I'll bet you'll notice a big change in your life before long — Pulling For You

Dear Pulling: Thank you for a truly constructive letter. You've done a nifty job of zeroing in on the problem. I can vouch for the fact that if all lonesome teenagers would follow your advice they'd be a lot happier.

Dear Ann Landers: I just read "Married In Name Only" — the minister's wife who had celibacy forced on her. Let me tell you MY story, and I'm praying for some solid answers, as are thousands of other women who are in the same boat.

My husband wasn't a minister but we had a wonderful marriage. At the age of 42, even though he told me I was still very attractive, a wonderful wife, a lovely mother, a fine cook, great in bed, and he loved my sense of humor, SOMETHING was missing. He didn't know what I found out "what" when I caught him with a woman old enough to be his mother. He wanted a divorce so they could be married. I agreed.

It nearly killed me to lose this wonderful man, but with the help

of some generous and considerate friends I pulled myself together, got a job, and began to raise our son — alone. It was plenty rough at the age of 40 to put my sex life on "hold."

The minister's wife didn't ask me, but if she had I would have told her that living without sex wouldn't kill her. Praying for Divine Guidance may work for her, but it didn't work for me. My husband was a marriage counselor and he knew all the answers. Suggestions, anybody? — D.E.S.

Dear D.E.S.: This might sound like a mighty feeble response — and to be perfectly truthful, I'm not very proud of it, but your advice to the minister's wife might be the answer for you.

In the meantime, keep it altogether, stay alert, attractive and in the mainstream of life. Don't hang around with widows and other divorcees. A woman who has all the qualities you ex-

husband attributed to you shouldn't have to spend the rest of her life alone. Good luck, honey.

Is alcoholism ruining your life? Know the danger signals and what to do. Read the booklet, "Alcoholism — Hope and Help," by Ann Landers. Enclose 50 cents in coin with your request and a long, stamped, self-addressed envelope to Ann Landers, P.O. Box 1400, Elgin, Ill. 60120.

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TODAY'S TREASURES
Barbed wire snags teacher

By Jean Barnes
David Stewart, Whittier, Calif., describes his collection of barbed wire as a "low key" hobby. "I've never seen anyone get into a fight over a piece of wire," he said.

This is the kind of hobby that appeals to him for he combines his teaching career with part-time activities as a minister and supervisor for the Shaklee Marketing Corporation. In addition, he's a scoutmaster, Sunday School teacher and talented craftsman.

David, whose roots are in the Kansas soil, was familiar with barbed wire but his curiosity was aroused about barbed wire when he realized there was more than one or two kinds. "When you read into the subject, you find that most of it is old. The idea of barbed wire came just before the 20th century."

"When the first patent was put out on it almost every steel company in the East came out with as many different kinds of wire as they could find," he explained.

"In that 10 or 15 year period there were about 350 different kinds of wire manufactured. Some of it wasn't very good and, of course, it's rare now because not much of it was bought."

Collectors usually display 18-inch lengths of wire, although some display four-inch lengths, mounted and framed. David's collection, however, is a part of their home decor and in his classroom to be used in the study of American history.

"It seemed to me that barbed wire was something from the old West so I found some lodge-pole pine from Jackson Hole,

and made fence posts of them and then nailed my barbed wire to it." The posts and wire are then backed with western farm scenes which he has painted showing wheat fields at harvest time, windmills and cattle feeding on pasture land. Displayed in this manner, the collection makes an attractive wall accessory.

Adding to his collection is reserved for business trips and vacations through the midwestern part of the United States where, he explains, you can usually find unusual types.

"Farmers often have piles of wire behind their barns and if you ask you can usually get two or three different kinds. They are generally very glad to help you. Of course, at the end of a fence usually there is a leftover bit you can help yourself to without doing any damage."

He tries to keep extra pieces with him for trading and considers buying a piece of wire an extravagance. "It's an inexpensive hobby."

"One thing I have chosen not to do," he said, "is collect the military barbed wire." Although he believes it an interesting study in itself and says he would like to have examples of military wires from around the world, he describes it as "wicked" material. "Most of it is heavy barbs on heavy wire. The Nazis put razor blades in their wire which made it deadly."

But he prefers the peaceful, pastoral type. "Barbed wire presents a story in American free enterprise. It's amazing to me how an idea can be altered enough to patent literally hundreds of different designs."

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Women's League

The Lennoxville Women's League held its annual meeting on January 14 at the home of Miss A. McBain with Mrs. N. Jackson as co-hostess. In the absence of the President, Mrs. H. Turner conducted the meeting which opened with devotions led by Miss McBain.

Reports from the Secretary and Treasurer show that the past year has been very successful both socially and financially. There are 16 members and several associate members.

Officers for the year are as follows: President, Miss Fern Murray; 1st Vice-President, Mrs. H.W. Turner; 2nd Vice-President, Mrs. Geo. MacDonald; Secretary, Mrs. W.W. Young; Treasurer, Mrs. G.E. Cascaden.

The incoming President, Miss Murray briefly outlined a plan of tentative activities for the year, which include a Robby Burns Food Sale in January, Phantom Tea in February, Silent Auction in March, Coffee Party in May, a Food Sale in September.

A hymn "Be With Thy Church, Lord, composed by Miss Murray was sung.

Following a short discussion of aims and activities for the upcoming months the meeting was closed with the Mizpah benediction, after which Miss

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— Authoress Taylor Caldwell condemning the feminist movement.

"They're messing with the heritage of New Orleans. Spontaneous street music is part of the tradition of jazz. There isn't another city in the world like this."
— New Orleans jazz drummer Walter Lastle opposing an ordinance restricting the amount of bands allowed to perform out-of-doors and requiring a license.

"The Danes had two choices when they went to the polls: to choose between chaos and (Danish Prime Minister Poul) Hartling — and they chose both."
— From an editorial in Sweden on neighboring Denmark's recent national elections.

"Actually, if you look at these five defendants from my standpoint, one of them I'd never met before, Ken Parkinson, another I hadn't seen for a couple of years, Bob Mardian, another one I saw perhaps four times over the span of the year that was in issue in the case, John Mitchell, and then on only a very casual basis. So if that was an orchestra, it never got together for a rehearsal."
— John D. Ehrlichman, convicted Watergate defendant, on the prosecution's charge that the cover-up was "orchestrated" by the Nixon administration.

"Never in the annals of history has the United States offended so many so much and over so little."
— Daniel Moynihan, outgoing ambassador to India, criticizing "clumsy" attempts to build a U.S. Navy refueling base in the Indian Ocean which set off a wave of anti-Americanism in that area.

"Every 60 days or so the Democrats offer a new economic manifesto. They're usually mini-solutions to maxi-problems. If they did that at a fashion show it would be indecent exposure."
— Senate Republican leader Hugh Scott of Pennsylvania criticizing Democrats' proposals for improving the



John Ehrlichman

SOUTH BOLTON

Mrs. Willis Willey 292-5785

Mr. and Mrs. Jean Yves Labranche and infant daughter of Tillsonburg, Ont. were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Dick Burnham recently.

Mrs. Erma Perkins was a recent dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Cameron and David.

Mr. Gordon Fuller, Jr. was calling on Mr. and Mrs. Dick Burnham on Thursday evening.

Recent callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Willis Willey were Mr. and Mrs. Ernest E. Hamelin and Mrs. Florence Jasper, Bolton Centre, and Mr. Cecil Willey, Waterloo.

Mr. Albert Cameron and Mrs. David Cameron were in Cowansville on business recently.

Friends from this area will be sorry to know that two former residents of South Bolton, Mrs. Sadie Fuller and Mrs. George (Carol) Rogerson are both patients in the B.M.P. Hospital. All their friends and relatives wish them a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Sharman, and three daughters, North Sutton were calling on Mr. and Mrs. Lincoln Davis and Miss Heather Davis recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Smithers, Highwater were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Albert Cameron and Mrs. David Cameron recently.

Mr. Lawrence White and Mr. John White, Mr. and Mrs. Clare Bedard were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Albert Cameron and son, David, recently.

Mrs. Hilda Hill has returned home from Cornwall, Ont. where she spent the holidays as a guest of Mrs. Florence Pridden.

Several local residents have been confined to their homes by the flu.

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SUPERIOR COURT (Divorce Division)

RICHARD BUZZELL, domiciled and residing at Magog, district of St. Francis, Petitioner

MADELEINE GOOD, wife of said Richard Buzzell, of parts unknown, Respondent

ORDER

The Court orders the respondent to appear within 60 days following the first publication of this order in the Sherbrooke Record of Sherbrooke. Take notice that a copy of the motion for divorce has been filed for you at the office of the Divorce Court for the district of St. Francis. Take further notice that should you fail to serve or file your appearance or contestation within the prescribed time, the Petitioner may obtain a judgment of divorce against you by default, accompanied by an order granting any other relief which the Petitioner claims from you. At Sherbrooke this 24th day of January 1975.

LEO PAUL DESROCHERS Divorce Registrar Deputy

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Public notice is hereby given by the undersigned Town Clerk, that the Council of the Town of Windsor, at its last meeting held on the 27th of January 1975, at the Town Hall, has adopted by law no. 459, providing for the imposition of general, tenants' special, compensation taxes and permit for trailers for 1975.

Public notice is also given that said by law no. 459 is actually deposited at the office of the Town Hall where all interested persons may peruse at office hours, that is from 10:00 to 4:30 and that the said by law will be enforced according to the law. Given under my hand, at Windsor, this 28th day of January 1975.

Joseph Plante, Town Clerk, O.M.A.

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Mrs. Wm. Cutler
William Cutler recently. The Premdas family left by air on Jan. 26 for San Fernando, Trinidad to spend three weeks with his mother, Mrs. Claudia Premdas and other relatives.

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A Nearly New Sale sponsored by the St. Paul's Church A.C.W.

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Mrs. H. Carl Mayhew

Mr. and Mrs. H. McElroy of Sutton were recent dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. James E. Dunn. Other dinner guests have been Mr. and Mrs. A.J. Buckland of Waterloo.

The Dunns spent a day with friends in Waterloo during the past week and were also dinner guests of Mrs. Abbott Jenks in Coaticook.

Mrs. C.D. Pedersen is convalescing at Carlee Farm where her recent callers were Mr. and Mrs. P.A. Maurice of Lennoxville, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hyatt of Stanstead, Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Cass and Mrs. Muriel Cass.

On Christmas Eve, 1974, with the ritual opening of the doors of the major basilicas in Rome, another Roman Catholic Holy Year began. The Holy Year will last until Christmas Eve, 1975, when the basilica doors are closed. According to some estimates, The World Almanac notes, the Holy Year may bring 25 million visitors to Rome.

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Lennoxville wins Border Bonspiel



BONSPIEL WINNERS — Shown above are the finalists in the Border Men's Invitational Bonspiel. In the front, left to right, Skip Ralph Caunter, Mike Mooney, Bob Rourke and Bob Stafford of Lennoxville who won the McIntosh Trophy by defeating Roger Chretien's Sherbrooke rink. Left to right, Skip Chretien, Gerry Bicknell, Ross Hunting and Jim Kerr.



CONSOLATION WINNERS — The finalists in the consolation section of the 'Spiel are shown above. Kneeling, left to right, Skip John Johnson, North Hatley, who copped the trophy, F. Wilson, W. Simons and Tom Ride. Standing, same order, Skip Jean-Guy Blanchard and his Sherbrooke rink of Fred Roffey, Bob Martin and Lyle Sample.

BOUNDARY RID — Ralph Caunter and his Lennoxville rink walked off with the McIntosh Trophy in the annual Border Men's Invitational Bonspiel.

A total of 24 rinks took part in the popular tournament which ended Saturday evening. The semi-finals were held in the afternoon and prior to the finals a delicious roast beef dinner was served.

In the main event the Lennoxville rink comprised of Mike Mooney, Bob Rourke and Bob Stafford with Ralph Caunter at the helm downed Roger Chretien's Sherbrooke quartet of Gerry Bicknell, Ross Hunting and Jim Kerr.

In the consolation section John Johnson and his North Hatley rink of Frank Wilson, Wayne Simons and Tom Ride copped the event. They downed Skip Guy Blanchard and his Sherbrooke quartet of Fred Roffey, Bob Martin and Lyle Sample.

Following the finals the trophies and prizes were doled out to the finalists. Roger Pellerin, general chairman, officiated while President Dick Hodge congratulated the winners and thanked all players for taking part in the tourney. The four skips each spoke a few words.

The committee in charge for the evening meal comprised Mrs. Olive Wells, Mrs. Marianna Carruthers, Mrs. Agnes Myers, Mrs. D. McCannell, Mrs. Doreen Belden and Mrs. Marjorie Smith. Mr. Wells, with Garry Carruthers and Ron Belden in charge of the tickets.

Following the finals Stiffy Stafford and Reg Sayer supplied the music for dancing. The Friendly Day Bonspiel is slated for Feb. 12th, while the Canusa charge of registrations for this tourney.

Francis Holland will be in charge of the social activities. Perry Fitch of Newport is in charge of registrations for this tourney.

Mosquito Tournament in Magog is huge success



PRESENTS CHEQUE — Georges Vaillancourt, MNA, is seen presenting a \$500 cheque to Lucien Therrien of the Magog Mosquito Hockey Tournament which was held in Magog last week. In the centre is Robert Leblanc of the Federal Packing Company.

MAGOG (CG) — The Provincial Mosquito Hockey Tournament opened here last week with games being played all week. It ended yesterday afternoon.

Jean-Maurice Bilodeau acted as Master of Ceremonies for the official opening. Ross Bennett, City Councillor, welcomed the teams for the tournament.

Among the guests were: Georges Vaillancourt, MNA, Mayor Maurice Theroux, Robert Leblanc of Federal Packing Company, Ghislain Delage, coach of the Sherbrooke Beavers, Gaetan Lacasse, president of the Magog Minor Hockey Association, and Roland Gendron of the Magog-Orford Tourist Association.

Trophies for the various sections of the tournament were donated by Onide Gagne and Yvan Giguere, both local contractors, Magog Foundry and Barmish Brothers.

Fourteen people assisted on the various committees and donated their time and efforts to make it a well organized tournament. Excitement and enthusiasm was evident among the workers as well as players and spectators.

Gaetan Lacasse, president of the Magog Minor Hockey Association, along with various workers played a big part in organizing and keeping the tournament running smoothly.



WIN BRIAR BERTH — Shown above is Garry Carruthers and his Border rink who will represent the Eastern Townships in the Macdonald Briar playdowns at Quebec. They

Toller Cranston does it again cops 5th straight skating title

QUEBEC (CP) — The 15 members of Canada's national figure skating team today turn their attention to the world championships with gold medal hopes pinned on Toller Cranston of Toronto, senior men's champion for the fifth straight year.

As the Canadian championships ended Saturday and the team was chosen for the world competition in Colorado Springs, Colo., March 4-8, the ambitions of most skaters were modest.

Lynn Nightingale, 18-year-old Ottawa skater who won the senior women's title for the second straight year, said only that she hopes to move up from her sixth-place finish in last year's world championship in Munich.

Barbara Berezowski and David Porter of Toronto, the dance champions who were 15th in the world in 1974, said they would like to make it to the top 10.

Candy Jones of Toronto and Don Fraser of Richmond Hill, Ont., the pairs champions, were so stunned by their victory that they weren't giving any thoughts to how well they might do in their first trip to the worlds.

BELZICS MISSED — Sandra and Val Belic of Toronto, who missed the championships because of an ankle injury to Sandra and surrendered the pairs crown after five years, could only hope they would be ready for Colorado Springs. They were fifth in the world last year.

And even Cranston, after a brilliant free-skating performance that earned him a perfect six from one judge for artistic impression, declined to make any prediction.

"I'm not really banking my career on Colorado a month from now," he said. "The only thing that makes sense to me is the art of skating."

Cranston, who was third in last year's world competition after a spectacular comeback in the free skating, is rated by many as the man to beat this year.

"But anything can happen," he said while admitting that he must be ranked among the favorites along with Ron Shaver of Cambridge, Ont., the three top Europeans and the American

champion. Shaver had to pass up this year's Canadian competition because of a knee injury but the 23-year-old skater is automatically invited this year because he was fifth in the 1974 worlds.

WORLD CHAMP OUT — Jan Hoffman of East Germany will be unable to defend his world title because of a recent knee operation. Sergei Volkov of the Soviet Union, who just edged Cranston for second place last year, will be back.

But those who see the prospect of a gold medal for Cranston are banking their hopes on the fact that he has clearly improved his work on compulsory figures, which account for an important 40 per cent of the total marks in singles skating.

Cranston said the absence of Shaver, his closest competitor in the last few years, made it tough to reach an emotional peak for the Canadian competition.

"I found myself my own competitor—fighting myself—and while your immediate goal is to retain your title, it gets more difficult each year."

He added that he was skating a new program after almost a year without competition. But anyone who watched his electrifying performance in the compulsory free-skating Friday night and saw him called back for three encores in Sunday's exhibition must be convinced of his superlative ability.

Introduced as the "Nureyev of the ice," he skated with all the grace that the famed ballet dancer displays on the stage, delighting the audience with his expressive use of arm and hand motions which has revolutionized men's skating.

PLAN EARLY TRAINING — Other members of the Canadian team, which will spend three weeks in Aspen, Colo., to become accustomed to the altitude before the world championships, are:

Bob Rubens of Montreal, a team-mate of Cranston's at the Toronto Cricket, Curling and Skating Club, who finished second in the men's; Kim Alletson, 16-year-old Minto Skating Club

team-mate of Miss Nightingale in Ottawa, who was a surprise second in the women's; Kathy Hutchinson and Jamie McGrigor of Cambridge, Ont., second in the pairs; and Susan Carscallen and Eric Gillies of Toronto, second in the senior dance.

Stan Bohonek of Toronto, third in the men's, will accompany the team as an alternate but will participate only if Shaver or Cranston is unable to compete.

Like Cranston, Miss Nightingale was a runaway winner, leading the field of 10 through all three sections of the competition—figures, compulsory free skating and free skating.

Her unquestioned superiority was not without problems, however, because she was almost too relaxed before the free skating.

"Normally you're a bit nervous, but I wasn't nervous at all today," she said. "Somehow it felt just like another practice and that's not good."

BARBARA THIRD — Miss Nightingale faltered on a triple Salchow when her leg slid out of position and it wound up as a single jump, something of a disappointment to the experts.

But Miss Alletson, in her first year of senior competition after winning the junior title in 1974, had no such problem, dazzling the crowd with a spectacular triple Salchow.

Her performance enabled her to move ahead of Barbara Terpenning, 18, of North Vancouver, B.C., who left the ice in tears after falling on a couple of jumps. Miss Terpenning was second last year.

The closest senior competition of the championships was the pairs in which Candy Jones and Don Fraser performed a difficult single-handed overhead lift and just edged Kathy Hutchinson and Jamie McGrigor.

Hutchinson and McGrigor had been ranked first by four judges and second by the other three after the compulsory program. The free-skating finale saw two judges switch to Jones and Fraser while one switched to Hutchinson and McGrigor. It was just enough to swing the result.

Steve Pickell, No. 2 and trying harder

VANCOUVER (CP) — Steve Pickell isn't sure how tall he is ("about six foot 4 1/2 or five") or how much he weighs ("about 185.") but at 17 he hopes he has stopped growing.

"Growing takes a lot out of you," he said, and he was only half-joking. He is the world's No. 2 swimmer when it comes to the 100-metre backstroke, and everybody knows No. 2 tries harder.

Pickell tries especially hard because he is just two-tenths of a second behind No. 1, Roland Matthes of East Germany. He hopes for gold medals at the Pan-Am Games in Mexico City in October and at the 1976 Olympics in Montreal.

He has watched Matthes swim since 1970. Pickell's first international competition, when he was 14, "I used to swim underwater and watch his strokes."

It didn't do him much good, because Pickell's backstroke is unique.

HEIGHT HELPS — "I've always been tall, and that always helped," he said. "You hold more water in your stroke."

"I can reach back—I get eight inches more water than anybody else. I float better—for my size, 185 pounds isn't heavy. I keep the upper part of my body out of the water. My body position is higher and I keep my head out of the water too."

He grins and pats his four inches of blonde Afro-style hair. "I don't like getting my hair wet—I look so bad in the pictures afterwards."

A wall in the basement of his West Vancouver home is covered with ribbons, medals and trophies.

His father used to take him swimming three times a week. Bob Pickell played on

the Canadian Olympic basketball teams of 1952 and 1956.

"I started competitive swimming when I was eight," said the younger Pickell. "I don't know when I started winning. I guess when I was about eight."

CONFIDENCE GROWS — He thinks he can win the Olympic gold. "If I didn't, I wouldn't be swimming. My coach told me when I was 11 or 12 that I could do it—every time I swim better, it's more realistic."

He has planned to next couple of years around the games.

"I don't know what after the Olympics. I've had offers from about 25 colleges. And commercials, maybe. I want to make a lot of money. Why? I don't know."

"Next year I'm going to

Capitano (College), take basketball and just swim."

He has no problem getting time off to compete internationally.

"I'm in commerce and we started a sporting goods store. My friend and I each put \$250 in it. We bring stuff in and sell it, so we don't have to go to classes. We're making money and it's all OK."

And if it wasn't, the principal of his high school was on an Olympic basketball team with his father. "We're good friends," said Pickell. "He's helping me along."

He agrees that his life runs smoothly.

"I haven't had any problems yet," he said, and paused. "It all depends on the Olympics. If I don't do well, I'll try harder for next time."

Arnold Palmer is one shot off pace in Hawaiian Open

HONOLULU (AP) — "Just one shot back," mused Arnold Palmer. "Well, that's not too bad. Not bad at all. I'm always pleased to go into the last round—any last round—just one shot behind."

Palmer, 45, trailed Forrest Fezler going into the rain-delayed final round of the \$220,000 Hawaiian open golf tournament.

Palmer, a non-winner for the last two years, twice had a share of the lead in the third round, but had to be content with a three-under-par 69 and a 205 total. Fezler had a 68 for 204.

Lou Graham sank an 80-yard shot from the rough for an eagle on his final hole for a 65 and a tie with Palmer for second.

Al Geiberger, the leader through the first two rounds, took a 71 and was tied with Gary

Groh at 206, 10 under par on the water-logged 7,154-yard Waialae Country Club course. Groh had a third-round 70.

No one else was within three shots. Defending champion Jack Nicklaus had a 70 and was eight back at 212.

George Knudson of Toronto slipped to a 74 for 218.

A tropical storm washed out Saturday's play and another heavy downpour delayed things for more than half an hour Sunday.

Another storm today would end the tournament. If that happens, Fezler is the winner. The tournament can't be extended because many of the players are entered in the Bob Hope Desert Classic beginning Wednesday in Palm Springs, Calif.

Beebe firemen finalize plans

BEEBE — The Beebe Fire Department met again on the weekend to finalize the plans for their fifth annual snowmobile races that will be held at the Beebe Memorial Park on Sunday, February 9 starting at 1:00 p.m. There will be registrations up until 12:45 at the park.

According to Richard Eryou and Gordon Archer, with whom registrations are being made, there is a great deal of interest being shown in the races.

This is sponsored by the Fire Department, who hope to raise a few more dollars to add to their equipment fund.

Sweetsburg Court

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continued to January 31, at 2 p.m.

Roland Magoon, 18, of Granby, changed his option and pleaded guilty to two counts of car theft. Magoon was given a one year suspended sentence under terms of article 663 of the criminal code. He was represented by Don Bissonnette.

Denis Laplante, Granby, changed his option and pleaded guilty to a count of receiving stolen goods. He was fined \$300 and costs, in default 30 days, and was granted one month to acquit the fine and costs.

Pierre Pivin and Daniel Deslandes, both of Granby, changed their options and pleaded guilty to charges of receiving stolen goods. Sentence in their cases was remanded to March 24 pending preparation of probation reports. The men were represented by Claude Leveille.

Pauline Ouellette, Granby, pleaded not guilty to a count of theft at the Belval Motel. Defence lawyer Guy Arseneault opted for jury trial, preliminary hearing was set to March 10.

Dolores Lamothe, Granby, changed her option and pleaded guilty to one count of simple theft. Judge Genest acceded to defence lawyer Claude Leveille's request for a pre-sentence report. She will be sentenced March 24.

Snow Shoe

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honor our Armed Forces as we observe Service Night. Many gave their all that we might live in peace — Let's remember them and be thankful.

Coming up on Saturday, Feb. 8th at 2:30 p.m. is Children's Afternoon Skidoo rides and, we hope, a "big" surprise afterwards in the Club House.

Advance Notice: Sunday, Feb. 9th Annual Church Parade, Lennoxville United Church, 11 a.m. To be a Happy Member — Be an Active Member.

Death

MCGILTON, Leonard Gordon — At his home in Pointe Claire, Que., on Feb. 1st, 1975, beloved husband of Ruth Pettes, dear father of Thayne of Beaconsfield, Gordon of Westmount, beloved grandfather of Peter, Ian, Sue, Colin and Sheila, also mourned by daughters-in-law Florence and Jean. Resting at Cass Funeral Home, 39 Dufferin Road, Stanstead. Visiting hours on Monday, Feb. 3rd from 3 to 5 and 7 to 9 p.m. Funeral service will be held at Centenary Church, Stanstead on Tuesday, Feb. 4 at 2 p.m. Interment in Crystal Lake Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, donations to Stanstead College Memorial Fund would be gratefully acknowledged.

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Birth

DETCHON — On Sunday, January 26, 1975 at the Sherbrooke Hospital to Nanette Wendy, wife of Eric H. Detchon, a son.

Deaths

DAVIDSON, Miss V. Allyson — At Otterburn Park, Que., on January 25, 1975, Miss V. Allyson Davidson, in her 55th year, beloved daughter of Herman and Laura Davidson of Otterburn Park. Funeral service was held on Saturday, February 1st, at 10 a.m. Was resting at Maurice Demers Funeral Home, 169 Prince Albert, Otterburn Park. Interment Richmond, Que.

HARMER, Nora — Suddenly at Longueuil, Que., on Feb. 2nd, 1975, Nora Lindley, beloved wife of the late Walter Harmer and dear mother of Earl, in her 76th year. Resting in the R.L. Bishop and Son Funeral Chapel, 300 Queen Blvd., N. Sherbrooke on Tuesday, Feb. 4th, Funeral service in St. Patrick's Church on Thurs., Feb. 6 at 10 a.m. Father Paul Brault officiating. Interment in St. Michael's Cemetery. Visitation 2 to 4 and 7 to 9.

LYNCH, William Warren — At Montreal, Que., on Friday, Jan. 31, 1975, William Warren Lynch, in his 40th year, beloved husband of Cairne W. Gilmour and dear father of Jennifer, Jane and Joanne, and son of Mrs. Ruth Lynch of Sherbrooke and the late Dr. William Warren Lynch. A private family service was held from the Webster-Cass Funeral Home, 6 Belvidere St. Lennoxville on Sat. Feb. 1st at 3:30 p.m. Rev. C. Arnold officiated. Interment took place in Knowlton. In lieu of flowers, donations to the J.E. Langlois Chapter of the Kidney Foundation of Canada, c/o Dr. Louis R. Dufresne, Montreal General Hospital, 1650 Cedar Ave., Montreal, would be gratefully acknowledged.

McMATH, Margaret — At her home, Bloomfield Hills, Michigan, on Friday, Jan. 31, 1975, Margaret Kales, beloved wife of the late Neil C. McMATH, and dear mother of Francis of Pontiac, Mich., and Peggy, (Mrs. Kenneth Herring) of Lennoxville. A memorial service will be held in Christ Church, Cranbrook, Mich., on Tues. Feb. 4 at 11:30 a.m.

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Mr. Court came to Canada when he was 20, going to his sister's farm in Saskatchewan. He was "a joiner by trade—halfway between a carpenter and cabinet-maker."

In 1950, he went to Winnipeg to work on flood repairs. From there he went to work as cabinet-maker at Jasper Park Lodge, but only stayed about a month before moving to Edmonton, then to Calgary, then to Regina and back to Winnipeg.

In 1952, he returned to Edmonton to try for work in the oil fields. He went back to Scotland for about six months, but decided Canada offered better opportunities.

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"It starts with the relatives who say you shouldn't shovel that snow or run for that bus because you'll have a heart attack," Walter Turnbull said in an interview. He runs for buses, shovels snow and skates every chance he gets.

"I personally feel that it is a lot better to die of a heart attack shovelling snow than it is to turn into a vegetable sitting in an armchair."

But he reluctantly agreed with the need for a mandatory retirement age.

"I realize for the sake of job turnover that telling people the parade is over in that particular area is reasonable," said Mr. Turnbull, who served as a personal secretary to former prime minister Mackenzie King and later as deputy postmaster-general.

ORGANIZATION NEEDED

"What I can't understand is the attitude that when a person retires on a Friday, by the following Monday he has somehow become obsolete and redundant with no value to society except as sort of a sentimental attachment."

"I think that senior citizens can and should continue to function and they should work if possible. But, above all, they should get organized so as to offer help to those within their ranks who need it."

Mr. Turnbull said Ottawa should assist senior citizens in setting up a national organization.

"The government could add a modest fee, say \$3 a month, to the pension of every senior citizen and that added amount could be put into an organizing and operating fund."

Eighty per cent of such a fund "could be used by local groups to promote local enterprises—sort of LIP or New

Horizons funds in the hands of competent senior citizens instead of bureaucrats who cannot possibly be so directly involved in the problems."

GROUPS WOULD MEET

He said he knows what he is talking about in that regard "because I was a bureaucrat myself for more than 40 years."

The other 20 per cent of the fund would be used to pay for provincial and national meetings of senior citizen representatives—"representatives" of 10 per cent of the population, drawn from every walk of life.

The Ottawa senior citizens council, which represents more than 60 local groups, was to meet soon with city council.

"That's a local start," said Mr. Turnbull. "We are expecting to meet with the federal government this year, although the federal government doesn't know that yet."

The cabinet should be prepared to meet at least annually with senior citizen representatives.

WOULD CO-OPERATE

"We'll tell them what should be done and they'll tell us their problems and if we buy their story, we'll help spread their gospel."

"So we could use, very nicely, all of this suggested government-sponsored fee and we could get organized and offer expert advice to governments about building program needs."

"Who better than us could say whether or not a particular grant was intended to serve a real senior citizens' need or was intended to serve the need of a selfish entrepreneur?"

"The purpose of his proposed national organization would not be 'to create a big voice to yell for more money.'"

"More money will not solve loneliness; it will not solve the problems of getting help," Mr. Turnbull said. "That takes organization."

BURY

Mrs. Geo. Parsons

attended the 25th wedding anniversary of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Allison.

On Saturday, January 25, the contents of the former post office in the residence of Mrs. E.J. Stokes, were transferred to the new building at the corner of St. Paul and Main St., and was opened to the public on Monday, January 27.

The entire community will be pleased to know that Mr. Maurice Laroche has recently received the electric wheel chair which has been made possible by the effort of many friends and well wishers. Both Mr. and Mrs. Laroche are deeply grateful for this gift which should add in no small measure to his comfort and pleasure. At present he is enjoying it in the house, and is looking forward to using it outside during the summer months. Partially paralyzed, Mr. Laroche has been confined to the house for nearly 20 years, the result of an accident in which he was involved. Despite his affliction, he has maintained his cheerful personality, with the unflinching and devoted care of his wife.

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Jim takes better line of play

NORTH 11
 ♠ A 9 8
 ♥ A 8 3
 ♦ 8 6 3
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WEST 6 5
 ♠ K J 10 7
 ♥ K J 7
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Both vulnerable

West North East South
 Pass 2♣ Pass 2♠
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Opening lead—♠ 5

By Oswald & James Jacoby

Oswald: "Against any opening lead but a trump, South has no trouble making four spades provided he goes right after hearts. He will lose two hearts and one diamond. The other losing diamond goes on the ace of clubs and he will be able to ruff his last heart."

Jim: "Against the trump lead there are two good lines of play. The first is to cash the king of clubs; lead a heart to dummy's ace; discard a diamond on the ace of clubs and lead a second trump. The defense plays a second trump. Now when the third heart is led, West wins and does not

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Beavers narrowly edge Montreal, Laval

By BRUCE PORTER
 Record Reporter



BUSY PLACE — The area around the Montreal Junior was like Grand Central Station Friday night as the Beavers peppered the opposing goalie Andre Lepage, with 41 shots. Only four eventually

hit the mark and Sherbrooke had to settle for a 4-3 victory.
 (Record photos: James Bruce)



OH, NO — Laval goaltender Robert Sauve probably mutters those words to himself as he looks back into his net to find the puck bouncing off the mesh on its way back out. Claude Larose gives

him a big smile to rub in the marker as Sherbrooke went on to win 7-5 over the Nationals.

SHERBROOKE — Despite two poor outings on the weekend, the Beavers came up with two victories in Quebec Major Junior Hockey League action.

In both games, against Montreal and Laval, a minimum of skating, sloppy passes, forechecking and backchecking and good displays of goaltending from the opposition nearly brought the Sherbrooke squad to a

pair of defeats.

Friday night, the Beavers led the whole way, but the Juniors trailed very closely in the latter moments as Sherbrooke won 4-3. Last night, Laval had the lead three times during the contest but finally ended up on the low end of a 7-5 decision.

Sherbrooke's first goal came after Daniel Chicoine passed the puck out to Marc Tessier from behind the net, who in turn slid it over to Jere Gillis in front who banged it home with no trouble at 2:52 in the opening period.

With only 21 seconds gone in the middle frame, Alain Belanger took the puck after a mixed-up play around the net and shot it under goalie Andre Lepage's pad for a two goal lead.

In the first two periods, Lepage faced 29 shots from the Beavers, allowing a mere two to enter the net. His performance in goals saved the Juniors from a massacre and came up with a total of 37 saves on 41 shots, much to the displeasure of the 5,273 local fans.

A near brawl was averted late in the second period following the flattening of Marc Tessier at centre ice. Tessier, who is sporting a protective face guard, took a severe check to the head area which the Sherbrooke players thought deserved a penalty. None was given and some of the Beavers tried to revenge the blow themselves.

The referee, helped by his linesman, broke up what pushing there was. Seeing a large amount of debris on the ice and probably feeling a disastrous turn of events coming on, the ref sent both teams to their dressing rooms and had the ice flooded. The teams then returned to play the remaining seven seconds from the second period, with two linesmen. One had been injured with 1:37 left in the middle period after receiving a slapshot on the upper leg and a replacement was found for the last period.

Leaving the second period's violence behind, the squads returned to hockey again, with Montreal outscoring the locals 3-2 in the stanza. Montreal opened the last period when Pierre Mondou broke in on Nick Sanza and put away a fairly easy shot.

Floyd Lahache answered for Sherbrooke a little over a minute later with a slapshot from the point. Richard Mulhern set up the play after taking the puck all the way

down the ice and then passing it back.

Garth McGuigan moved the Juniors closer again with a backhand shot that didn't phase on Sanza until the red light had gone on.

At 8:28, Claude Larose flipped the puck high over Lepage for the Beavers last goal. Tessier and Francois Robert assisted on the play, which saw the locals have great difficulty taking the puck in close on the opposing netminder.

In the last five minutes Montreal rose to the final attack which would last until the final horn had sounded. Denis Daigle tallied the goal which brought the Juniors within one of Sherbrooke at 15:57. Mike Backman set up the goal after swinging around defenceman Robert and passing to Daigle in front. All he had to do then was shoot on Sanza, while two more Beavers stood around, looking helpless. Lepage was pulled in the dying moments but the Sherbrooke team put up their strongest defensive stand of the night to hold them off.

Sanza faced 26 Montreal shots during the contest, but didn't look as sharp as he has in recent games. Twenty-two minutes in penalties was handed out by the referee, 13 to Montreal.

The tying and insurance goal by Rick Mulhern in the third period was the only thing that saved him from being the scapegoat of the Beavers against the Nationals last Michel Brisebois also scored twice.

Michel Dal Bello gave the Nats a 1-0 first period lead after he received the puck from Richard Jarry and shot by Mulhern (screening Sanza) and under the Sherbrooke goalie's pads. Beavers' Floyd Lahache was in the penalty box for highsticking at the time.

Once again, it was the extremely good netminding by the opposition that kept them in the game, coupled with a sluggish, one-man Sherbrooke hockey.

Marc Tessier and Claude Larose combined for the equalizer at 1:08 of the second. They exchanged passes on the 2-on-1 situation before goalie Robert Sauve committed himself, and Tessier banged the puck home. Andre also assisted.

Nine minutes after their first goal, Francois Robert dropped the puck back to Michel Brisebois in the Laval zone, who let a wristshot go that eluded Sauve.

A smaller crowd of 3,714 fans saw Sherbrooke outshoot Laval 49-20, while referee Marc Gendreau dished out 50 minutes for infractions. The Nationals picked up 27 minutes in penalties, with the Beavers getting the other 23.

The next home game for Sherbrooke is Wednesday a rescheduled contest against Hull. Game time is 8 p.m.

Hull Festivals upended Trois-Rivieres Draveurs 7-3. Cornwall Royals tamed Montreal Juniors 7-4 and Sorel Black Hawks and Shawinigan Dynamos fought to a 3-3 draw. A game between Quebec and Chicoutimi was postponed.

Ed Clary scored twice to lead Cornwall to its 7-4 win over Montreal and allowed the

second-place Royals to remain eight points behind the Beavers.

Ron Davidson, Pierre Brassard, Bill Smith, Yvon Disotell and Mark Brazeau added singles for the Royals.

Mike McDougall, Normand Dupont, Denis Daigle and Marc-Andre Disotell scored for the Juniors.

Cornwall outshot Montreal 38-37.

East Division	W	L	T	F	A	P
Quebec	26	20	2	213	185	54
Trois-Riv	24	19	8	217	213	54
Chicoutimi	17	27	4	206	280	38
Sorel	13	34	7	209	292	33
Shawinigan	11	28	9	202	279	31

West Division	W	L	T	F	A	P
Sherbrooke	35	9	3	292	162	73
Cornwall	28	13	228	192	65	
Montreal	24	19	5	290	230	53
Hull	24	22	4	273	255	52
Laval	19	28	5	238	274	43

Results Sunday	W	L	T
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Hull 7 Trois-Rivieres 3			
Chicoutimi at Quebec ppd.			
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Gilbert's four only net tie

Rod Gilbert had scored four goals in a game once before in 1968 when he led New York Rangers to a 6-1 victory over Montreal Canadiens.

"But we won that game," the Rangers right winger said. "To score four goals and get a tie tarnishes the game a bit for me."

So Gilbert, the Rangers' all-time leading scorer, got little satisfaction from Sunday's 5-5 National Hockey League tie against Detroit Red Wings.

"We needed two points really bad," Gilbert said. "We've got some of our most important games coming up and we need every point we can get."

In other NHL games Sunday, Bobby Orr had a goal and four assists in Boston Bruins' 5-1 win over Philadelphia Flyers, Montreal Canadiens beat California Seals 5-2, Buffalo Sabres whipped Kansas City Scouts 8-1, Atlanta Flames defeated Minnesota North Stars 5-3 and New York Islanders and Chicago Black Hawks tied 1-1.

Saturday, Toronto Maple Leafs nipped Boston 3-2, Montreal beat Los Angeles Kings 5-3, Vancouver Canucks beat Washington Capitals 5-2, the Islanders defeated Detroit 4-1, Philadelphia blanked Buffalo 6-0, the Rangers defeated Chicago 4-

1. Minnesota edged Kansas City 3-2 and Pittsburgh and St. Louis tied 4-4.

WASTED LEAD
 Gilbert was further disappointed by the Rangers' waste of a four-goal lead.

"It must drive the coach crazy to lose a lead like that," Gilbert said.

"That's what happens when you get careless," said Rangers coach Emile Francis. "The forwards were getting caught deep in the offensive zone and the defencemen were getting caught, period."

That led to a two-goal game by Detroit's Bill Hogaboam, the second of which tied the game for the last time at 5:56 of the third period. Gilbert's fourth goal of the game and 29th of the season had come just 46 seconds earlier.

At Boston, Orr scored his 31st goal of the season and helped set up two goals by Greg Sheppard and one each by Phil Esposito and Johnny Bucyk.

The result left the Flyers winless in regular-season games at Boston since the Philadelphia club's first visit on Nov. 12, 1967.

Asked if the Flyers, who lead the Patrick Division by nine points, had been flat in the game, coach Fred Shero replied: "We don't know the meaning of the word flat. Of course, we're lousy at times."

FORBES RETURNS
 The Bruins' Dave Forbes returned to action after sitting out nine games of a suspension for injuring Minnesota's Henry Boucha in a game last month. Forbes must also sit out Boston's next game in Minnesota on Thursday.

For the second time in two years, the Canadiens tied the league record for the longest undefeated road record in a season. The win at Oakland was Montreal's 10th to go with five ties in their last 15 road games.

The record 15-game streak was first set by Boston in 1940 and tied by Detroit in 1951 and Montreal in 1973.

Yvan Cournoyer tied the score for Montreal after Rick Hampton opened the scoring for California in the first period and then Steve Shutt and Murray Wilson put the Canadiens ahead 3-1 in the second period and Bob Gainey and Yvon Lambert added third-period goals.

Rick Martin, Jerry Korab and Pete McNab each scored twice in Buffalo's 58-shot bombardment of Kansas City goalie Dennis Herron.

Rey Comeau led Atlanta's victory over Minnesota with two goals, his second coming in a three-goal Atlanta splurge in the second period that put the Flames ahead 4-1.



Connors rallies to defeat Laver

LAS VEGAS, Nev. (AP) — Jimmy Connors withstood a valiant rally to defeat Rod Laver 6-4, 6-2, 3-6, 7-5, Sunday and bolster his claim to being the world's No. 1 tennis player.

"This was the toughest game

I've ever played in my life," Connors, 22, said after his victory over the Australian star in a televised \$100,000 challenge match—the richest purse for a single match in tennis history.

Connors received \$100,000 plus

a new car for the triumph. Although it was billed as a winner-take-all event, Laver got a consolation prize estimated between \$50,000 and \$60,000.

Laver, 36, who has played in only two tournaments in the last six months, said he probably would like a rematch once he plays in some tournaments. And Connors said he'd definitely like to meet Laver again.

Bob Kelly suspended

MONTREAL (CP) — J. Bob Kelly of Pittsburgh Penguins has been suspended for two games, National Hockey League president Clarence Campbell announced Thursday.

The suspension resulted from a match penalty assessed against Kelly by referee Wally Harris for deliberate injury to Keith Magnuson of Chicago Black Hawks during a game Jan. 29, Campbell said in a statement.

Kelly and Magnuson both received minor and major penalties following a fight, but the referee banished Kelly from the game after noting that Magnuson

was bleeding from the nose and one eye. The Pittsburgh player had tape on one hand around his thumb and little finger, Campbell said.

The injuries sustained were not serious but a new rule "was designed specifically to curtail the practice of wearing tape on the hands or at least to avoid injuring opponents by doing so," he said.

The suspension took effect Thursday and goes to Feb. 1. Magnuson received a three-game suspension for a similar infraction earlier this season.

The standings

National League						Canadian Division							
Patrick Division						W L T F A P							
W	L	T	F	A	Pt	W	L	T	F	A	Pt		
Phila.	32	11	7	178	107	71	Quebec	32	17	0	207	158	64
Rangers	26	15	10	210	166	62	Toronto	27	20	2	210	181	56
Islanders	21	17	13	172	139	55	Edmonton	24	17	2	162	145	50
Atlanta	22	20	10	147	149	54	Vancouver	22	23	2	143	155	46
Smythe Division						Eastern Division							
Vancouver	26	20	5	174	159	57	N. England	27	19	2	165	168	56
Chicago	24	22	5	164	148	53	Cleveland	21	26	2	140	157	44
St. Louis	19	22	9	161	179	47	Chicago	18	30	1	166	196	37
Minnesota	13	30	6	133	215	32	Indianapolis	10	36	3	108	199	23
Kansas City	10	34	6	124	216	26	Western Division						
Norris Division						Houston	31	16	0	218	148	62	
Montreal	30	9	13	240	145	73	Phoenix	25	20	6	179	165	56
Los Angeles	29	9	13	178	121	71	Minnesota	26	20	0	192	154	50
Pittsburgh	20	19	11	204	190	51	San Diego	23	20	1	156	151	47
Detroit	13	27	10	148	198	36	Baltimore	13	33	3	117	204	29
Washington	4	42	5	109	265	13	Results Sunday						
Adams Division						Quebec 4 Cleveland 3							
Buffalo	33	11	7	225	157	73	Vancouver 4 Toronto 2						
Boston	27	14	10	232	151	64	Houston 5 Baltimore 2						
Toronto	19	25	7	170	200	45	Minnesota 5 Winnipeg 4						
California	12	33	9	141	214	33	Edmonton 4 Chicago 3						
Results Saturday						Phoenix 8 Baltimore 1							
NY Rangers 5 Detroit 5						Quebec 2 Indianapolis 1							
Buffalo 8 Kansas City 1						Houston 6 Chicago 5							
Boston 5 Philadelphia 1						Games Tuesday							
Atlanta 5 Minnesota 3						Houston at Indianapolis							
Chicago 1 NY Islanders 1						Edmonton at Baltimore							
Montreal 5 California 1						Toronto at San Diego							
						Quebec at Chicago							

NHL Top Ten				WHA Top Ten			
Top ten scorers in the National Hockey League after games Sunday:				Top ten scorers in the World Hockey Association after games Sunday:			
G	A	P		G	A	P	
Esposito, Bos	47	49	96	Hull, Wpg	45	37	82
Orr, Bos	31	60	91	S. Bernier, Que	38	41	79
Lafleur, Mt	40	45	85	Lund, Hou	25	44	69
Mahovich, Mtl	25	50	75	Lacroix, SD	22	45	67
Dionne, Det	29	44	73	Nilsson, Wpg	14	50	64
Robert Buf	29	37	66	Walton, Min	30	29	59
Clarke Pha	14	52	66	Hinse, Hou	27	30	57
Perreault, Buf	27	37	64	Dillon, Tor	18	37	55
Gilbert, NYR	29	36	65	G. Howe, Hou	20	34	54
Ratelle, NYR	23	39	62	F. Hughes, Hou	31	21	52

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Legislature opens in NS

HALIFAX (CP) — Premier Gerald Regan opened the Nova Scotia legislature Monday with promises of social reform measures and assistance to primary and secondary industries in the province.

But the opening of the spring session was marred by a group of hospital technicians demonstrating outside the legislature. The workers were complaining about difficulties in getting a new contract from the government.

A Lt.-Gov. Clarence Gosse read the government's program for the anticipated two-month session, about 40 demonstrators parade outside the house.

The government's program appears to involve a minimum of spending, placing the emphasis instead on housekeeping measures to consolidate and bring existing legislation up to date.

Opposition Leader John Buchanan said in a brief reply to the speech that this session would be one of inquiry. The opposition plans to question the government closely on its operations.

"Hopefully, the posture which the government has taken in the past will change and information will become available on which we can arrive at a decision as to whether the government is on the right track on its various programs."

NDP Leader Jeremy Akeran said the speech "totally fails to meet the major challenge of the times."

He said the speech was "very lean" and did nothing to ease the housing crisis or help those on pensions and fixed incomes.

One of the few items in the speech from the throne setting out an immediate expenditure is extension of the Home Owner Incentive Act to purchasers of mobile homes.

WILL ASSUME BURDEN
Another is the takeover of one-third of the cost of education from the municipalities. The government has promised to assume the remainder of the cost in the next three years.

The government also promised an extensive rewriting of the Workmen's Compensation Act.

There will be legislation to protect the interests of employees in private pension plans and minimum standards for such plans.

The provinces liquor control act, which has not been changed in about 50 years, will come under review by a select committee.

In the primary sector, the government promised programs of land improvement, farm enlargement, farmland leasing and banking, grain production and storage facilities and specific measures to encourage new farmers to enter the industry.

The government says land use policies must be preceded by a complete inventory of land resources. The land registration and information service, an agency of the Council of Maritime Premiers, is working on this.



BELLEMARE SPEAKER — Union Nationale leader Maurice Bellemare was guest speaker last night at the Lion's Club in Sherbrooke.

Says Liberals unable to run the province

By Robert MacPherson
[Record Reporter]

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Debate due on immigration policy

OTTAWA (CP) — After tabling a four-volume immigration study in the Commons Monday, Immigration Minister Robert Andras said outside the House that "in the end, there's going to have to be a lot of intuition and gut approach to this."

Mr. Andras told the Commons that the 570-page study, which outlines four possible directions for future policy, was designed as a "foundation for constructive discussion on the role future immigration policy should play."

Public debate launched by the release of the study will form the basis of a new Immigration Act the government hopes to introduce by fall, he said.

"I don't think there is any doubt that there is a sense of urgency with regard to having thought out immigration policy at a time when the population of the world is increasing at a rate of 200,000 every day," he said outside the House.

"I think it is wise for Canada to sit down and say where we intend to go with regard to population growth."

Mr. Andras said that he personally favors a "moderate-growth approach," but refused to give specific figures.

NO HANG UP
"I don't get very hung up... on the ultimate, absolute size of this country," he said. "I don't think there is a scientific answer to the exact size."

The major alternatives outlined in the government study are:

1. Quotas, announcing global targets for immigration, including quotas for zones or countries.

2. An annual ceiling, setting a global limit each year in consultation with the federal and provincial governments and other groups.

3. Continuing the flexible system by which immigrants are admitted on the basis of points which must add up to a total of at least 50. They are granted on the basis of education, wealth, job availability for the applicant and other factors.

4. Gearing the immigrant flow more directly to the national economy and the labor market needs.

Initial political reaction to the study was generally favorable.

Vancouver Mayor Art Phillips, a frequent critic of existing immigration policies, said the study indicates the federal

government has listened to municipal complaints.

BIG CITIES CROWDED
The study said that more than half of the new arrivals each year go to Vancouver, Toronto or Montreal. Over-crowding and social stress in the three cities will play an important part in setting new policy.

Mr. Andras said at a news conference Monday afternoon that the government favors a policy which would encourage immigrants to move to less-populated areas through measures such as job counselling and special incentives "rather than taking the heavy-handed approach of prohibitions and inhibitions."

He said the government will consult with the provinces, interested organizations and individuals and a parliamentary committee will conduct a study before any new legislation is drafted.

In addition to the public discussion, a federal-provincial

group will study population trends over the next two years to produce guides for future government decisions on population growth and distribution.

Opposition Leader Robert Stanfield, while welcoming the study, questioned the government's decision to go ahead with immigration legislation while the broad population study still is under way.

Andrew Brewin (NDP—Toronto Greenwood) said the public attitude during debate of immigration policy must not be allowed to become narrow or bitter because of the current poor economic conditions.

CITES RACIAL TENSION
Mr. Andras told the news conference the issue of racial tension, particularly in large cities, "might be quite contentious and difficult to deal with."

"But if it's there, it's there and we're not going to get rid of it by

putting our heads in the sand."

However, he said he did not think the racial question "has reached such a state that we should let it dominate the discussion of policy objectives."

Mr. Andras said earlier Monday, when asked whether the paper would leave the government open to charges of racism, that "some will want to drag out of the background accusations of that sort."

His department moved last year to tighten immigration regulations, requiring applicants in the nominated relative or independent categories to either have a pre-arranged job or a needed skill in order to qualify for occupation points. The occupational points account for 10 of the 50 needed before landed-immigrant status is granted.

The occupational requirements were stiffened in response to soaring unemployment and Mr. Andras told the Commons Monday the immigration policy must continue to operate "in close harmony with all major areas of economic and social policy, and in particular with manpower policy."

REDUCTION POSSIBLE
Immigration for 1974 likely will be at around 220,000 when

the final figures have been tallied and the new, strict occupational requirements probably will hold 1975 immigration to about 200,000.

The paper said it is generally agreed that immigrants "should be chosen on the basis of non-discriminatory criteria, without regard to their race, color or creed."

It also stresses that the importance of the family should be respected and "that Canada should continue to open its doors to some people—notably refugees—for compassionate reasons and to fulfil international obligations."

The study also said that any new policy will have to take into account the steady decline in the use of the French language as a result of immigration.

Both the proportion of French-speaking immigrants and the Quebec fertility rate have fallen sharply in recent years with the result that French is losing ground as one of the country's two official languages.

The problem is so basic that federal policy cannot ignore the effects future immigration may have on the relationship between the numbers of English and French-speaking citizens.

Syncrude decision is expected today

WINNIPEG (CP) — Negotiations to provide government funds to bail out the troubled Syncrude oil sands project were to resume by telephone today with officials hoping an agreement would be reached by this afternoon.

Energy Minister Donald Macdonald, looking weary after 12 hours of negotiations with provincial government and oil company executives, indicated an agreement may be near.

Some important questions remain to be solved, the minister said, but he hoped they could be settled in a series of telephone calls between the parties this morning. He declined to elaborate.

If a final agreement is reached, it will be outlined in the Commons this afternoon and in the Alberta and Ontario legislatures.

Premiers William Davis of Ontario and Peter Lougheed of Alberta as well as Syncrude's owners declined comment as they left the meeting.

The Syncrude project in northern Alberta, owned by the multi-national oil companies, says it needs additional financing of \$1 billion or the plant will be cancelled.

DEADLINE PASSED
Deadline for a decision had been set for last Friday, but after meeting Mr. Macdonald the consortium of Imperial Oil Ltd., Gulf Canada Ltd. and Canada-Cities Service Ltd. agreed to put off their decision until talks have been concluded.

Both Ontario and Alberta say they are interested in providing funds for the project, but so far only Ottawa has said what it is willing to invest.

Last week Mr. Macdonald said the federal government is willing to commit \$200 million and an additional \$300 million might be available under certain conditions.

Syncrude ran into problems in December when Atlantic Richfield Canada Ltd. pulled out of

the project after it learned estimated costs had doubled to \$2 billion during one year, and that Ottawa planned to eliminate oil exports to the United States by 1982.

Atlantic Richfield had planned to export most of its share of the oil to its U.S. parent company.

The Syncrude owners said they could not afford to build the plant alone and needed new partners as well as an additional \$1 billion.

SHELL PULLS OUT
Salvation of the plant was left to the governments earlier Monday when Shell Canada Ltd., which had considered becoming part of the consortium, left the meeting saying it had decided not to invest.

Company president C. W. Daniel declined to elaborate on his company's position, but sources in the meeting said Shell's decision came after it failed in attempts to get a floor price for Syncrude oil.

The federal government says Syncrude will be allowed to sell its oil at world prices, currently about \$5 above the domestic price, but it refused to set a floor price that would keep cost of Syncrude oil high even if final price levels dropped.

Shell will continue to evaluate its own oil sands project, shelved last fall when Shell Explorer Ltd. of Houston decided to pull out of the project. Mr. Daniel said the company is still looking for a new partner.

Syncrude is designed to produce 50,000 barrels of oil daily from the Alberta oil sands when it goes into production in 1979. Production eventually will reach 125,000 barrels a day, roughly 10 per cent of current domestic consumption.

Mr. Macdonald, caught here overnight after the flight crew of his Canadian Forces Falcon ran out of on-duty time allowed under aeronautical regulations, was expected to return to Ottawa early this morning.

Egypt-Moscow discord seen

CAIRO (AP) — Foreign ministers Ismail Fahmy and Andrei Gromyko exchanged toasts that emphasized anger on both sides.

Egypt is upset because the Soviets won't supply it new weapons and Moscow is unhappy because Egypt is relying primarily on United States diplomacy in the quest for peace with Israel.

Fahmy thanked the Soviets Monday night for their support of the Arabs. But he said the threat of a new war "makes it a must for the Arabs to bolster their strength in all fields, especially their defence capacity, to deter aggression."

Gromyko said that "it is becoming increasingly clear who stands beside the people's real legitimate rights and who works to destroy them."

The Soviet foreign minister also affirmed Soviet support of the Arab demands for Israeli withdrawal from all territory seized in the 1967 war, restoration of the legitimate rights of the Palestinian people, including their right to establish a national entity, and the right of all states

in the Middle East to live in peace and security.

RENEWED SOVIET DEMAND
He also renewed the Soviet demand for immediate resumption of the Arab-Israeli peace conference in Geneva. So far, Egyptian President Anwar Sadat has seconded U.S. State Secretary Henry Kissinger's opposition to this in hopes that Kissinger can negotiate another Israeli troop withdrawal in the Sinai Desert.

U.S. intelligence sources in Washington reported that the Soviet Union in recent weeks has delivered military cargoes to Egypt for the first time since last summer. But the sources said the recent shipments, like shipments last summer, were ammunition and spare parts for weapons the Egyptians already had, not the advanced new weapons they want.

Gromyko arrived in Cairo Monday after a weekend meetings in Damascus, with Syrian President Hafez Assad and Yasir Arafat, the chief of the Palestine Liberation Organization.



Quebec in focus

Acupuncture

MONTREAL (CP) — Edward Charmandy was cured of his own arthritis by acupuncture seven years ago in China, so naturally he figured the treatment could help his German shepherd, Schultz.

After consulting three veterinarians who told him the dog, suffering from rheumatoid arthritis, should be destroyed, Mr. Charmandy decided on acupuncture "as a last resort."

He and his wife Vivianne called on Dr. Oscar Wexu, a Romanian-born, French-trained specialist who had successfully treated a racehorse two years ago.

Survivors

MONTREAL (CP) — It was a safe landing here Monday night for passengers who narrowly escaped disaster last week when the DC-3 aircraft in which they were travelling crashed after takeoff in the Dominican Republic.

About half the 27 Canadians — mostly Quebecers — who had survived the crash returned home to a greeting by relatives and friends at Montreal International Airport.

The crash last Thursday outside Las Americas International Airport, near Santo Domingo, claimed the life of the pilot. The passengers and the rest of the crew suffered only minor injuries and shock.

Five held

MONTREAL (CP) — Four men and a woman are being held in police custody pending an inquest Wednesday into the murder of 13 persons at the Gargantua Bar Salon Jan. 21.

Cyrille Delage, Quebec fire commissioner and special coroner on the case, ordered the five held Monday after Michel Blass, brother of the prison escapee Richard Blass, turned himself in after a warrant for his arrest was issued in connection with the incident.

Richard Blass was killed by police Jan. 24 during a shootout following a raid on a Laurentian chalet. The others being held are: Fernand Beaudet, 28, Irene Ouellet, 23, Joseph Leboeuf, 36, and Michael Melchior, 23.

Postal code boycott

MONTREAL (CP) — The Letter Carriers Union of Canada (LCUC) withdrew its support Monday for a postal code boycott, while the Canadian Union of Postal Workers (CUPW) plans to step up its boycott campaign.

Roger Decarie, LCUC president, said there is no need to continue the boycott because coding machine operators now earn as much as manual sorters.

The CUPW, which represents inside workers, said the boycott was not launched to win pay parity but the right to negotiate technological change.

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Today's Chuckle

Here's how to reduce the number of mistakes you make at work — get there late and leave early.



"No caviar tonight it's back to the harsh realities!"



BELIEVED EXTINCT — A Sinai leopard was photographed near Israel's Ein Gedi on the Dead Sea. Hoping to sight one during a four year search, a zoologist photographed the leopard for the Holy Land Conservation Fund which protects rare Biblical animals found in Israel.

business and finance

Montreal

MONTREAL (CP) — A mid-session advance ran out of momentum toward the close of trading on the Montreal Stock Exchange Monday, throwing prices into a mixed pattern.

Analysts attributed earlier gains to bargain-hunting by cautious investors, but said the rather meagre volume was indication there was not enough interest to sustain the advance.

Volume totalled 653,100 shares compared with 638,426 Friday.

Banks added 1.62 to 245.03, industrials 0.49 to 183.47 and the composite 0.48 to 180.54, while papers lost 0.50 to 107.36 and utilities 0.09 to 135.76.

What stocks did:

	Mon.	Fri.
Advances	76	67
Declines	87	81
Unchanged	52	47
Totals	215	195

Westcoast Petroleum was the most active industrial, off 25 cents at \$3.85 on volume of 64,820 shares, and Bellefleur Quebec led the mines with a gain of five cents to 75 cents on turnover of 46,600 shares.

Oils were mixed as Dome Petroleum added 1 to \$24, Gulf Oil Canada 1/2 to \$28 and Texaco Canada 1/2 to \$32 1/2, while Imperial Oil Canada A was 1/2 lower at \$26 1/2.

Sony Corp. was up 1 at \$6 1/2, Alcan Aluminium 1/2 at \$19 1/2 and Royal Bank 1/2 at \$29 1/2, Bell Canada surrendered 1/2 to \$45 1/2.

Among speculative issues, Silver Stack was up two cents to 72 cents on a volume of 34,400 shares.

Toronto

TORONTO (CP) — The Toronto stock market continued its upward trend Monday but profit-taking again moderated the advance. Trading was fairly active.

The widely-based industrial index closed at 180.41, up 52. It had been slightly lower in morning trading and had been up as much as 83 points in the afternoon.

The base metal index gained .39 to 66.70 and western oils 2.34 to 155.39. Golds dropped 1.52 to 369.23.

Analysts note that the market has fluctuated recently as some investors take profits on the large gains in many share prices while others move in to buy stocks at the lower prices.

Monday's rise is the second for the industrial index after a sharp drop last Thursday halted an eight-day rally. Industrial mining, trust and loan and beverage groups led the industrial advance while general manufacturing, chemical and oil refining sectors were among those to drop.

What stocks did:

	Mon.	Fri.
Advances	303	249
Declines	177	233
Unchanged	220	199
Total	700	681

Volume was 2.80 million shares and value \$18.09 million, compared with 2.36 million and \$19.97 million Friday.

New York

NEW YORK (AP) — The stock market paused to digest recent gains Monday and then pulled ahead in heavy trading spurred by the ongoing decline of interest rates and its own technical strength.

The Dow Jones average of 30 industrials, nearly unchanged in early trading, closed up 7.75 at 714.44. Since the first of the year, the index has climbed 95.20 points.

Six issues in the Dow average were ex-dividend, and if their market prices had reflected their dividends, the blue-chip index would have been 2.11 higher.

Trading volume on the NEW York Stock Exchange totaled 25.4 million shares, heavy by usual standards but below last

week's record-setting pace. Gainers led losers 1,158 to 372 among 1,867 issues traded on the NYSE.

What Stocks Did

	Today	Fri.
Advances	1,158	972
Declines	372	508
Unchanged	337	346

"I think the market's living a life of its own," noted Robert Stovall, vice president of Reynolds Securities. "Most professionals thought it would pull back—but it rests, regroups, and thrusts ahead regardless of the news."

"The public's waxing enthusiastic and institutions are afraid to have too much cash at the post."

Educational systems failing

TORONTO (CP) — Educational systems in many parts of Canada are failing to equip students with a working knowledge of both official languages, the president and chief executive officer of Canadian National Railways said Wednesday.

Dr. R. A. Bandede told the Toronto chapter of the Administrative Management Society that the inconsistent quality of language training is making the recruitment of bilingual people "a difficult challenge."

"It is true that French remains on the curricula of most school systems across Canada, but is it taught on the basis of being a living and working language?" he asked. "Our experience with recruiting would seem to indicate that such is not the case in many places."

Dr. Bandede said employers

such as CNR should be expected to establish basic language course for employees hired many years ago when there was not the same awareness of the need to provide services in both languages.

"But is it fair that we should be expected to provide similar courses for young people who have just graduated from the educational system?"

He said in the last five years, CNR has provided French-language training for 1,496 employees and English-language training for 546.

"Our objective is to make it as easy for a Quebecer to purchase a ticket in Vancouver in French as it is for a British Columbian to buy a ticket in Montreal. It also is our objective that each should be served in his own language on the train in between."

U.S. auto industry suffers first slump in history

WASHINGTON (AP) — Some financial analysts say the United States auto industry, traditionally among the most profitable in the world, may be operating in the red for the first time.

Investment counselors for several large banks and brokerage houses predict that the industry probably will lose money in the first quarter of 1975.

Six analysts surveyed by The Associated Press said they could not recall the industry as a whole reporting net losses in a quarter before, and certainly never in a non-strike period.

They predict that General Motors Corp. this quarter will make no more than the \$120 million it earned in the same period last year, its lowest return in 26 years. GM earned a record \$2.4 billion in 1973.

The Ford Motor Co. is expected to lose between \$75 million and \$100 million this quarter, compared with a \$124-million quarterly profit in 1974.

The analysts estimated Chrysler Corp. will lose at least \$25 million and as much as \$50 million this quarter.

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—Following cancellation by the Soviet Union of orders for 3.7 million bushels of U.S. wheat, Agriculture Secretary Earl Buttz said the government plans to relax export curbs on wheat and soybeans. The restrictions were imposed in October because of fears that heavy exports would bring on shortages and higher prices for Americans.



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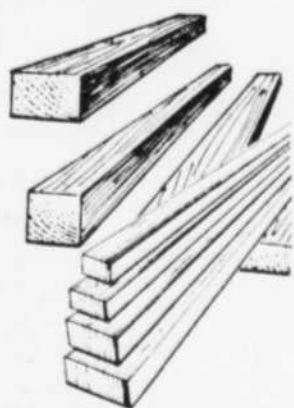
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Taxes, fire discussed at Lennoxville council

By BRUCE PORTER
Record Reporter

LENNOXVILLE — The municipal council devoted the first hour of its regular monthly meeting last night to the answering of more questions from citizens on the new service tax by-law, which came into effect on Jan. 1.

About a dozen town residents voiced their views on why they thought there was such a displeasure about the by-law and council tried to answer their queries as much as possible.

Finance chairman Robert Nichol stated during the conversations that "the crunch has come this year" and that probably the new service tax "should have been implemented in small increases over the past few years."

He went on to point out that the town hasn't raised some of its taxes for many years and even the old rates were far below those of neighboring municipalities. He said the water in town hadn't been increased for about 20 years and that the garbage tax paid last year was only \$15, compared to \$48 in Sherbrooke.

One member of the attending public noted that it isn't the ordinary home owner or renter that feels the squeeze, but the low- or fixed-income people that are hardest hit. She also said the town should give a breakdown of costs — where the tax dollars are being spent — and suggest schemes possibly to the residents so that the increase wouldn't have to be so great at the beginning.

Mr. Nichol continued,

To perform comedy at AGRHS

The first full length play to be presented by the Drama Department of Alexander Galt Regional High School will take place in the school auditorium on Friday and Saturday nights, February 14 and 15.

The comedy, A Connecticut Yankee in King Arthur's Court, by Fuller is based on the noted work by Mark Twain. This three act play tells of a modern man who, by a freak of science, is exploded back in time to the sixth century court of King Arthur.

The production is being directed by Miss Debbie Paine, the school's drama teacher, while Mr. Paul Larose is in charge of the technical production.

Reserved tickets may be obtained from AGRHS by calling 563-0770. Non-reserved tickets may be obtained from the students.

Lennoxville Library executive

At a recent meeting of the Lennoxville Library Association the executive and committees were named as follows:

Mrs. C. Goodfellow presented the recommendations of the Nominating Committee, which were adopted as read. The executive officers for 1975 are Mrs. H.I. McLeod, president; G. Frost, honorary president; Mrs. R. Carruthers, vice-president; W.S. Aird, treasurer, and Miss G. Lane, secretary. New members who will serve on the Library Committee for the year are Mrs. H. Blachford, Mrs. E. Busse, Mrs. R. Calder, Mrs. J.R. Mooney, Mrs. K. Moore, Mrs. C. Morrison, Mrs. N. Puddester and Mrs. R. Stafford.

The following committees were named: Books, Mrs. H. McFarlane, Mrs. J. Bertram, Mrs. P. Dancer; Book Repairs, Mrs. H. Derick and Mrs. J.R. Mooney; House, G. Frost; Telephone, Mrs. C.J. Hoy; Volunteers, Mrs. R. Carruthers; Membership, Mrs. B. Gosselin.



SUNDAY CONCERTS — Carol Talbot is seen taking part in the Young People's Sunday Concert begun Sunday afternoon at Plymouth-Trinity United Church and sponsored by the local organization of Concours de Musique du Quebec. These concerts by young people will be held the first Sunday of each month. Others participating Sunday were: Sandra Brassard, Marie-Josée Beaudoin, Peter Moliner, Daniele Champeau, Louise Cabana, Brian Evans, Helene Masse, Diane Parent, Sylvie Daigle, Brigitte Lachance, Céline Lefebvre, Carole Dion, Lucie L'Abbe, Sylvie Lemieux, Shelley MacKenzie, Kim Komery, Marilyn Macdonald, Helene Fabi, Francois Langlais, Christiane Vallee and Carole Simoneau.

(Record photo by James Bruce)

least three weeks. Mr. Bruce will also meet with the town engineer shortly to prepare a schedule for 1975 needs and projects in the water department. Suggestions made to him included regular checks of reservoirs and flushing of lines, maintenance of fire hydrants and the possibility of increasing the water flow from the Johnville springs. It was also noted that Union Screen Plate has ordered a water meter for their plant, but that it has not been installed yet.

Alderman Passmore said in his report that town parks are in very good use since the recent cold weather has made skating at the three rinks excellent. Fire chief John Nichol's report for January noted two fires, one of Moulton Hill Terrace, the other at 38 Downs. A request for a new equipment truck for the fire department was also included in the report, stating the 1954 model truck now in use is in very bad condition. The mayor said town maintenance men could do some of the repairs necessary, "if there was anything to weld to." The council will look into a grant from the fire commissioner's office for the 4-wheel drive vehicle requested.

The roads department report stressed the need for a new snow plow blade, to replace one broken recently. A motion was carried to purchase immediately one from Industech Inc. of Victoriaville for the cost of \$1,500. A combined motion was carried for the payment of current accounts payable, the sum being \$10,614.56 if found correct, and for the appropriation for Jan. 1975 operations totalling \$38,694.41.

Police chief Kasimir Kryszak stated in his report read at the meeting that 71 occurrences were handled by the municipal policemen during January. That number included 42 traffic infractions, seven criminal offences and 20 accidents. The problem of a man living in a shack on Lavigerie St. will be handed over to the police immediately, who will be instructed to "pack him up" and destroy the shack.

In other business, a letter will be sent to Gerard Deziel, St. Francis MNA for his collaboration in getting a \$25,000 road repair grant for 1974. The cheque was received yesterday. Council adjourned until Feb. 17 at 7 p.m.

Asbestos council discusses safety

ASBESTOS (GS) — At a special meeting of the Asbestos Town Council last week it was decided to take steps to insure the safety of the citizens around the Canadian Johns-Manville mining pit. Council asked for a provincial law, a municipal regulation, or an agreement with the mining company in order to prevent accidents. Further landslides are feared around the rim of the 950 foot open pit asbestos mine.

A motion calling for a security zone around the pit was passed unanimously. Candian Johns-Manville Ltd. has already erected a seven-block fence between the town and the pit.

Representatives of the Department of Natural Resources of Quebec assured council that 95% of the technical personnel

available were on the site. Research is being done to determine the cause of the slides that caused the evacuation of 77 families.

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Sweetsburg Court

SWEETSBURG WARD (JM) — Crown prosecutor Claude Noiseux accepted a plea of guilty to a charge of dangerous driving, reduced from criminal negligence, in the case of Alain Brunelle.

Defence lawyer Alain Brun told the court Brunelle and his fiancée, Monique Rousseau, had been to a wedding in Acton Vale on September 29, 1973, when Brunelle consumed no more than four beers. They were driving home to Valcour when the accident occurred a mile from the village when he lost control of his car and it overturned in a field. Miss Rousseau died later in hospital, and Mr. Brunelle was injured.

"Mr. Brunelle has suffered through the loss of his fiancée. I feel this is one case where extreme clemency of the court would be in the best interests of justice."

Crown prosecutor Noiseux said: "We accepted the lower plea. However, I must insist on a fine of at least \$200 and suspension of Brunelle's license at the discretion of the court."

Mr. Brun tried in vain to protect Mr. Brunelle's license. "This young man requires his license to continue his employment in St. Hyacinthe; he had no prior tickets; the accident was a foolish act as he was driving at 70 mph; however, this is not as serious as an accident at 100 mph."

Judge Guy Genest said he appreciated the remarks of the defence, and added he recently suspended a license for one year in a case of criminal negligence. "Considering the circumstances I have no option but to suspend his license for one month."

Brunelle was fined \$200 and costs, in default 30 days. "The public must be protected," Judge Genest concluded.

Jean Pierre Campagnat,

Granby, who had been the object of two bench warrants, changed his option and pleaded guilty to counts of property damage, and having threatened the owner of the Kiko Bar, Granby Township.

Jacques Guertin, in defence, said his client was owed money by the owner of the bar, and evidently vented his frustrations when he broke several bottles of liquor. "Mr. Campagnat has no record and is willing to reimburse the damages estimated between \$300 and \$500. In view of the fact he has been detained for four and a half days I feel justice would be served with full restitution."

Crown attorney Noiseux suggested the sentence be suspended for three months to allow Campagnat to prove restitution.

Judge Genest remanded sentence to April 1.

Daniel Demers, 19, Granby, changed his option and pleaded guilty to two counts of breaking and entering and one of willful property damage to the Coop Agricole de Granby, and Charland Automobile, Granby.

Defence lawyer Jacques Choiniere persuaded Judge Genest to order a presentence report, despite objections by Crown prosecutor Noiseux. His sentence was remanded to April 1. However, Judge Genest told the accused he would serve time after that date, regardless of the probation report.

BRIEFLET

LENNOXVILLE Army, Navy & Air Force Unit 318 Associate Members meeting on Wednesday, Feb. 5 at 8:00 p.m. at the Hut. All associate members please try to attend.

Your view:

Government aid to textile industry essential

By ROSA HARRIS
[Record Reporter]

SHERBROOKE — The textile industry has met with set-backs in the Eastern Townships area, involving the temporary closing of four plants and the laying-off of somewhere in the neighborhood of 750 workers. Mayor Jacques O'Bready as a result, recently petitioned the federal government to step in and offer assistance. Most Sherbrooke residents feel government aid is essential.

"I lived through one depression," Marc Giroux, unemployed, recalled, "and I would rather not live through another. I think if the government steps in early enough we'll have a better chance at licking the kind of things — like lay-offs — that create a depression situation."

"The textile industry is a big one around here, and the difficulties it's encountering might just be an example of the shape of things to come."

He added that he was "not enough of a politician" to be able to solve the problem himself, "but that's what we elected the government for, isn't it?"

CAN'T ABSORB SHOCK Daniel Rivard, a foreman, says he knows many families personally who were affected by the plant closures.

"As it stands now, the Eastern Townships has the highest rate of unemployment in the province," he pointed out, "so we are not in a strong enough position to absorb the shock of so many lay-offs. What about the man with a large family, a pile of bills, and no prospect of work in the near future. If he doesn't get government action, he's going to demand it. And

he'd be perfectly within his rights. Unemployment insurance just isn't going to meet his needs."

He feels that it is the government's job to legislate the limitation of textile imports, so that Canadian companies will have a better opportunity to compete in their own country.

"We must be sure Canada is not being bled dry," he emphasized, "not only in the textile industry, but in every other field of endeavor. We are quick to 'sell-out' but not so quick to undo the damage created by selling out."

"SCANDALOUS" Alice Parker, a retired schoolteacher from Mon-

treau who has come to live in the Townships, described the situation as "scandalous" and applauded Mayor O'Bready's petition.

"I don't think he's passing the buck at all. He's meeting the problem head on. There is very little the municipality can do to help so large a number of workers. The federal government must assume the responsibility, and the mayor realizes this."

"Also, I think people tend to panic — to use the word 'depression' very lightly. This is nothing compared to 1929. We must approach lay-offs and unemployment coolly, if we want to accomplish anything," she declared.

"Times are hard," she concludes, "but not so hard that we can't still do something to prevent them from becoming harder."

ACTION, NOT TALK Denise Lafontaine, a housewife, said her brother was one of the workers laid-off from a nearby plant.

"I don't suppose I would have become so concerned if it hadn't hit so close to home. He has three children, and he's getting worried."

"Something must be done immediately to alleviate the situation," she stressed. "Sure, we need help from the federal government, but we can't afford prolonged debates and inquiries. The 800 workers who have been laid-off won't be comforted by talk and no action. They need help now."

Water, Olympics get floor in Sherbrooke

SHERBROOKE (RH) — The City of Tracy petitioned the Sherbrooke Municipal government yesterday, condemning the fluoridization of drinking water and urging this municipality to bring the issue up with Claude Forget, the Minister of Social Affairs.

In a statement presented before the Sherbrooke City Council, the City of Tracy requested action and compliance over the question, "considering that the function of a public waterworks system is to provide the population with pure water, and not to serve as a vehicle for drugs."

The petition, proposed by Tracy Mayor Aurele Racine further stated that "six Nobel prize winners have condemned the use of fluoride in drinking water, and that recent tests have brought to light the fact that fluoride is a source of air and water pollution." The council agreed to study the issue.

In other municipal news, the site for the offices of the Committee for the Coordination of Olympic Events in Sherbrooke has not been finalized yet, although the councillors were presented with a number of possible alternatives at yesterday's meeting.

Presently located in offices in the Sherbrooke CEGEP, committee members have analyzed that location and have indicated that for reasons of

practicality, a better site would be the arena, under ownership of the Eastern Townships Agricultural Association. Arrangements are presently being made with the ETAA to accommodate the committee. The committee received assurances from the council yesterday, that it is proceeding with all due haste to finalize the moving process.

The city also renewed its agreement with the Municipality of St. Denis de Brompton that should a major fire break out in that community, a call to either the mayor or any member of the Sherbrooke City Council will bring local firefighters to the scene. Brompton, which operates a volunteer fire brigade, is hoping to "offer its residents the security" that Sherbrooke will help out if the need arises. The motion to continue assisting the neighboring community was passed unanimously.

The City of Sherbrooke finalized the purchase of certain properties sold for taxes, at yesterday's council meeting.

"We are under obligation to buy these properties if they are put up for sale and no one else wants them," Mayor O'Bready explained.

Members of the city council were also nominated yesterday to sit on the city's Industrial Commission, formed to study the question of industrial park expansion here. Nominated were councillors Guy Bureau of the east ward and Camille Fortier of the city's north ward.

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Meaningless Thunder

The farm community, in common with the wider community, faces serious problems today and would be well served by a minister resolved to talk sense and to dispense with nonsense. Eugene Whelan, as he demonstrated once again in his message to the outlook conference, prefers a mixture. He is also persuaded that a case can be made for farmers only by setting up whipping boys. On Monday he flicked at the economists ("great wafflers") but saved his heaviest strokes for the "instant experts" on food. They are apparently numerous — "everyone is a critic," according to Mr. Whelan. It is true, of course, that farmers also purchase food and every wife must be something of an expert in these times if family budgets are to be kept in balance. But this is not a theme with very much appeal for the minister.

Mr. Whelan rather complicates matters, however, by presenting himself as an instant expert in trade, aid and international producer problems. On trade, he apparently remains the traditional protectionist in free trade clothing. Exports account for one dollar out of three in gross farm receipts. We must, however, be careful. "Trade is important but the only trade we want is trade that will let producers and processors make a fair dollar." No sacrifices merely for export sales. What constitutes a "fair dollar" in agriculture or anything else, Mr. Whelan does not say. Slogans are no substitutes for judgment. In fact, we have lost on occasion by selling too cheaply and on others (as with wheat in the 1920s and more recently with eggs) by deliberately withholding sales on the basis of a misreading. With the world in its present state, Mr. Whelan would serve agriculture better by resisting the impulse to abet with his own cautions the protectionists already serving their warnings on a government overly prudent in these matters.

On the subject of aid and the world food crisis, however, the minister's expertise baffles belief. "Grain producers have the whole world in their hands. It is the moral responsibility of every country in the world to grow more grain." This is a typical Whelanism. There cannot very well be a moral responsibility to grow grain on lands unsuited to grain — on the deserts, in the jungles, in the mountains, in city or island states. Even if physically possible, grain growing may be of doubtful wisdom in areas better adapted for other food production.

In defending international aid, Mr. Whelan does better, attacking "some of these people (who) can't see further than their stomachs." If anything, however, he weakens the case by characteristic exaggeration. "The sooner these countries get on a firm economic footing, the sooner they will be able to pay for our food and technology. The handouts we give today are an investment in building these countries into paying customers." In some cases they probably are. There is an obvious implication, however, that if we all do our part, a bit of fixing will bring the world into balance. Then will come the commercial return on today's handouts. In fact, the gulf between the developed and undeveloped (including countries with very small prospects of development) is so great that the possibility of some countries becoming "paying customers" in the foreseeable future is very remote. It is precisely for this reason, and not because aid is necessarily good business, that there is a heavy moral responsibility on the well-to-do countries.

Face the issues head on. That is Mr. Whelan's exhortation. If the country is to respond, however, it is the obvious duty of the minister to state those issues clearly and seriously. Even the highest themes are likely to be discounted if they come to us hopelessly mixed with doubtful economics, agricultural politics and meaningless thunders against the dark forces with which Mr. Whelan constantly, but not very successfully, contends.

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UK membership in ECM at stake

LONDON (CP) — Britain's politicians and lawyers are heading full tilt into what is quickly becoming one of the most bewildering and vital constitutional issues of the century. At stake is whether the country will reverse Parliament's decision to take Britain into the European Common Market at the beginning of 1973.

To decide the question, Prime Minister Harold Wilson has pledged his Labor government to re-negotiate the entry terms accepted by the former Conservative administration and submit the results to a nationwide referendum for a decision. Officials in the home office say it will be the first time in history that a referendum has been held throughout Britain, although such polls have at times been held in specific regions, particularly Northern Ireland.

There will be a full Commons debate before the public poll in which all MPs will be allowed to give views on the methods of voting and on whether to stay in the Market. Another debate will be held after the referendum, with Parliament voting again on the membership question.

QUESTIONS

What happens, experts ask, if Parliament originally votes in favor of continued membership and the referendum goes against it or vice versa? Would MPs then feel obliged to reverse themselves on their final vote to reflect the popular will and, if so, would this undermine the traditional supremacy of Parliament?

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The anti-Marketiers argue that community membership involves an unacceptable loss of British sovereignty and they are unlikely to be swayed by any economic benefits gained from



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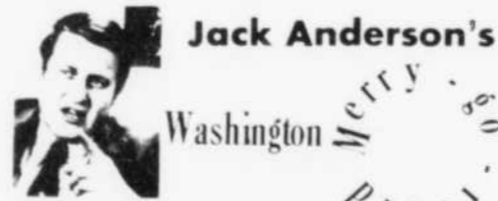
WASHINGTON — I don't know how other middle-aged men, beset by menopausal quirks and temptations, manage to keep on the straight and narrow, but I have found a method.

More precisely, the method has found me. For illustration, just the other day I was browsing through the morning paper and came unexpectedly upon the admission by CIA chief William Colby that the Central Intelligence Agency has been spying on me. Well, there was a time when such tidings might have left me somewhat greenish. But I can now accept the CIA in my life with an inner serenity. I have developed this simple philosophy:

If men would but live their lives as though gumshoes from seven government agencies were always half a block behind, the appeal of the virtuous life would soon be made manifest to them. I also get some comfort from the security that all this government attention provides. To waylay me, a bad man would have to get past a whole posse of federal flatfeet. Here is the latest count:

—In late 1970, the White House assigned Jack Caulfield, the precursor of the plumbers, to investigate me. His aim, according to a confidential Feb. 11, 1971, memo, was to make "the ability of the Andersons of the world to gain White House information both difficult and hazardous." He spent three months on the assignment, without notable results.

—The Pentagon's sleuths got on my trail in early 1971. They produced a bespectacled clerk, Eugene Smith, as our master spy and, after third-degree grillings that left him with ulcers, dragged him before a grand jury in Norfolk, Va. The U.S. attorney there, Brian Gettings, quickly concluded that Smith was the wrong man.



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and CREEP (Committee to Re-Elect the President). These groups were to feed "negative material about Anderson" to the press and to sympathetic senators.

—By this time, the CIA and the FBI had joined the posse. A separate investigation was directed by Robert Mardian, then an assistant attorney general, whose plainclothesmen collaborated behind the scenes with Intertel, the private eye firm, which had been hired by ITT to spy on me. Mardian has now been convicted in the Watergate case.

—In 1972, the maladrold White House plumbers turned their attention from Pentagon Papers' leader Daniel Ellsberg and scrawled my name on their blacklist as their new Public Enemy No. 1. Their relentless search for my sources led them at last to a gentle Navy yeoman and he browbeat a confession out of him that he was, indeed, a spy — not for me but for the Joint Chiefs of Staff.

—The following year, the FBI considered raiding my offices, but decided instead to arrest me in the streets in the act of receiving government documents from the Indians. As it turned out, it was my associate Les Whitten who was pinched. But the prosecutor dismissed the charges as groundless and the court further humiliated the government by ordering the FBI to destroy its records of my phone calls.

—A dozen years ago, the Internal Revenue Service checked out my tax returns and couldn't find a penny out of order. The tax sleuths didn't question my returns again until my name appeared on President Nixon's enemies list. Now the IRS is preparing to check every figure, every deduction, every voucher in my 1973 returns. The computer just happened to

select me, by chance, for an in-depth audit, the IRS explained.

The government's attentions to me, albeit have had a Maxwell Smart quality. Plumber E. Howard Hunt, for example, sometimes wore a reddish wig which he would get on crooked and carried a camera disguised in a tobacco pouch.

In fairness, Hunt has contended that an impartial viewing will reveal that the wig was brownish and that the description of it as reddish is just another facet of the organized campaign to make him appear ridiculous.

It should also be stated, in fairness, that the assorted presidential prowlers, dispatchers and controls were engaged in secret doings that fragmented their energies. These truly momentous events ranged from burglarizing Watergate to fabricating a new version of Chappaquiddick.

The natural venality and mendacity of the Nixon regime, therefore, was tempered by administrative mismanagement, which overloaded the investigators in the field. So much to do to so many, and so few to do it.

All this surveillance, meanwhile, has toned me up marvelously for the future. So ingrained are my deceptive habits today that even when I go out socially I change cabs en route and never fail to get off an elevator at the wrong floor.

I have a sensitive eye and memory for the location of pay phones, and in conversation my evasive code has become so effective that half the time my own staff doesn't understand my instructions.

There are other pitfalls avoided. For other men, the Washington whirl is full of lures — massage parlors, Fanne Foxe-type bistros, get-rich-quick schemes, lobbyists who can offer all that comfort and cupidly hold dear. Temptation is everywhere.

But not for me. The thought of all those cops back there, tripping over their night sticks but gaining on me, turns me right off.

United Feature Syndicate

Jazz-rock fusion pleasing sound

By GEORGE STEDMAN (Record Reporter)

The fusion of jazz and rock into a sound that is not only pleasing to the ear but lifts the body up and carries it along with it is the unique ability of Blood, Sweat and Tears with David Clayton-Thomas. The nine piece small-big band played at the Carnival Concert of Bishop's University on Friday night.

The group rose right to the top of the music scene in the late sixties and then mysteriously broke up. The lead singer of the group, David Clayton-Thomas, tried unsuccessfully to go on his own for several years but both he and the group suffered. His astoundingly powerful voice whipped the Bishop's audience into a fever of excitement during one of the most satisfying concerts held at Bishop's in a long time.

The group played at Bishop's in between recording sessions for a new album in New York. The applause that answered sax and flute specialist Bill Tillman when he proclaimed that "We're as glad as you are that David Clayton-Thomas is back with Blood, Sweat and Tears" left no doubt in anybody's mind about who was the driving force that kept the audience moving.

David Clayton-Thomas has been with the band for only 10 short weeks yet it is hard to imagine any other voice blending with the impeccable horn section. His jovial squints and easy laughter make him an entertainer in the true sense of the word. His incomparable stage presence dominated the evening.

The Bishop's audience were treated to the first public performance of some new songs that the group has just finished recording as well as some B.S. & T. old favorites. "Yesterday's Music" is a new number that was written by the whole group. Bassist Ron McClure's bass lead riffs demonstrated that a bass can do more than fill in the beat.

Each of the members of the group took center stage at some point in the show. Swede George Wadenius mimicked his guitar with his voice in a fascinating solo towards the end of the evening. Each solo was followed by a warm round of applause that prompted Clayton-Thomas (a Canadian himself) to promise that he would try to play in Canada more often.

The reaction of the nearly full house to such renowned Blood, Sweat and Tears numbers as "You've Made Me So Very Happy" and "Spinning Wheels" can best be described as adulation. The strong rhythm and brass sections are a big reason for this being one of the best concerts I've seen, but the biggest reason was undoubtedly David Clayton-Thomas.

Before Blood, Sweat and Tears appeared Bob Mason's Stardrive attempted to warm up the audience. This Columbia recording artist should have left his moog synthesiser in the studio, where it belongs. At best his music could be called "spacy", but it could be called a lot worse than that.

Poetry

DOGS! DOGS! DOGS!

These simple lines may help me to explain
How nature, in her way, can shatter man's domain.
It happened in a place of no renown
A quiet wayside, rustic, rural town.

The Mayor with solemn look and pace sedate
Along the streets of town did ambulate
Then stopped, and gazing sternly round,
Where dogs had made their potty on the ground.

Then smote the desk, and loudly he did bawl,
Call forth my burghers to the council hall.
The members came, breathless and pale of face
Hurried in, and each man took his place.

It stuns the mind to see this grand array
Of such great minds together on that day.
From this "Think Tank" great gems of wisdom flow
Then came the word in tones both deep and slow.
"These twice damned dogs from off the streets must go."

But hard! there comes a mighty sound
The Mayor grasps his chair and gazes' round.
'Tis but the rush of those who will defend
Those vapping curs, now known as 'man's best friend.'

How could we sell our doggie food, or vet
Is there no compassion for the honest vet?
How could the Poodle Parlour carry on
Once all the little stupid dogs were gone?

Faced with a mass of solid facts like these
No one could blame the Mayor for Weakness of the knees.
Then thru the mist of flowing tears he spoke
"This town goes to the dogs." Unquote.

W.W. YOUNG,
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Record Yester Years

20 YEARS AGO TODAY

LENNOXVILLE — With the cost of feeding stock low and the market less crowded, beef producers face a good year. Dr. Earnest Mercier, superintendent of the Lennoxville Experimental Farm, told the members of the Quebec Hereford Association at their annual meeting held at Elmwood Hotel, Lennoxville, last evening.

Now is definitely the time for farmers to go into the beef industry, Dr. Mercier said. The price has been going down gradually for the past few years so that producers can buy stock at a reasonable price. Poor producers have been crowded out of the market due to the beef surplus of 1952 and as a result many farmers are a little sceptical about the stability of the industry.

But there is no substitute for meat, emphasized the speaker, and Canadians are big meat eaters. The U.S. market is also open to Canadian producers and increasingly so when the fact that, 7,000,000 more people sit down to the dinner table in the U.S. every day is taken into consideration.

50 YEARS AGO TODAY

ROCK ISLAND — A fatal fire occurred here on Monday afternoon last, when Mr. J.A. Cascadden lost his life in a fire which destroyed his lunch cart opposite the Rock Island Hotel. So fierce and sudden was the blaze that Mr. Cascadden had no chance whatever of escaping from the burning structure.

The late Mr. Cascadden leaves to mourn his loss, a daughter and a son, two sisters and four brothers, one of the brothers, Mr. N.D. Cascadden of this city.

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The family

Watts-Sundell wed



Pictured here are Mr. and Mrs. Brian Watts, whose wedding took place recently. Mrs. Watts is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Sundell, of Detroit, Michigan. Mr. Watts is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Watts, formerly of Sherbrooke and now residing in Toronto. He is also the grandson of the late Mr. and Mrs. Hiram McLeod. The wedding took place in Virginia Beach, at St. Francis Episcopal Church.

Ann Landers



Yale too tough for pranks

Dear Ann Landers: When I read your advice regarding the five-year-old boy whose mother put ribbons on his blonde curls and gave him a tea set for Christmas, I decided that maybe you could help me, too.

I am a girl, 52 years of age. My problems started when my father knitted me a pair of argyle socks for my fifth birthday. Those socks did something to my life, Ann. From then on I wanted a crew cut. I refused to wear silk underwear like the other girls in my gym class and insisted on green jockey shorts. Now I hate dresses and I go everywhere in jeans and boots.

Lately I've been thinking of changing my name from Esther to Ralph. But deep in my heart I want to be straight. Is it too late for me? — Gay In Connecticut

Dear Gay: My spies have located you "In Connecticut" and would you believe they traced your letter to New Haven?

Look, kids, Yale is a very tough

school. If you want to stay there you're going to have to spend more of your time hitting the books. Please save your stamps (or write to your folks) and let me alone.

Dear Ann Landers: A couple was having hard sledding. They were rubbing each other the wrong way. The bickering and quarreling were ruining their relationship. Finally the man said to his wife, "I'm sorry, dear, for I've been treating you. Perhaps you should have married a better man."

She replied, "I did." The expected pattern is to progress, to improve year after year, but too often we go backwards. The persons we were in our younger years are often better than the people we are now. We allow defeats and disappointments to dull the luster of our lives. We let habit blind us to the good qualities of those who are closest to us.

"Love is something you must work at. It cannot be sustained unless it is cultivated and nourished. One way to renew the original thrill of young love is to take time to count the things for which we should be grateful."

"You should have married a better man," said the husband. "I did," replied the wife. "That better man can still be found, if only we take the time and trouble to revive him." — Rabbi Samuel M. Silver, Temple Sinai, Stamford, Conn.

Dear Rabbi Silver: Your words are pure gold. Thank you for a beautiful message. I'm sure many readers saw themselves in this column today.

Dear Ann Landers: I am a secretary who conducts herself like a lady. For the one hundredth time, I have heard, "Thanks, Hon," or "Hold all calls, Dear," or "Sweetheart, please make five copies of that last letter."

This is supposed to be a business office. I'd like to tell my boss to cut out the affectionate and cutesy names, but unfortunately I don't have another job waiting. Besides, I have several years of seniority and one

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The comeback of a fashion headliner

By Helen Hennessy
NEA Women's Editor



Matching hat and scarf sets are the word to the weatherwise girl on the go. Take your pick of patterned tweed, colorful bulky knit or loosely knitted shape. Loose-knit flip brim (left) for a face-flattering silhouette. A great favorite is the flat cuff pull-down knit (right) in brilliant colors. (Both from Betmar.)



The ever-popular beret is still going strong in a slightly "plump" version of rough tweed (left). A dash more face-framing is offered by the rolled-brim tweed helmet (right). (Designs by Frank Olive.)



"Where did you get that hat?" is a quip that has been extinct for many a year. There wasn't a hat to be seen, other than at an English garden party, as far back as 1950.

The millinery industry was fighting for its life and most kids had never worn a hat at all. But with the classic, more dressy tone of today's fashions, hats have caught on and gone to the head of the accessory list.

Strangely it's the young people who led the way back to headgear. Choices were different — turbans and brims and chiffon trim for adults and close-fitting knits for the kids. But regardless of design or price, hats this year have made the biggest comeback in the accessory market.

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St. Patrick's Guild annual meeting

BOLTON CENTRE — On Friday evening, January 17, the St. Patrick's Ladies Guild annual meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Ella McGill. It was a special day for Mrs. McGill as she was celebrating her 95th birthday.

The meeting was opened by the President, Mrs. Marjorie Eldridge with sixteen members and four guests present.

The minutes of the last meeting were read by the Secretary, Mrs. Brenda Louson and the treasurer, Mrs. Hilda Evans gave the financial report.

Special guests for the evening were Rev. and Mrs. David Stanway, Knowlton, rector of St. Patrick's Church.

After the new slate of officers for the year had been selected Rev. Stanway took the chair and announced the officers as follows:

Past President — Mrs. Marjorie Eldridge
President — Mrs. Elsie Page
Vice-President — Mrs. Eunice Peasley
Treasurer — Mrs. Hilda Evans
Social Convener — Mrs. Margaret Evans

Business discussion consisted of: Card Parties planned for January 24, February 28, and March 14, all to be held in the Town Hall; prizes to be given, refreshments will be served, admission \$1.00 each; Bingo to be held on February 14, prizes to be cash for winners.

After the business session was concluded the meeting was adjourned.

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doesn't just walk out these days. If you will print this letter in the paper I will put it on the bulletin board — where the clod can see it. — A Woman With A Pronounceable Name

Dear Woman: Here's your letter, but I notice you didn't ask for an answer, so I won't give one. While I'm sure some secretaries in my reading audience feel as you do, I'll bet there are a greater number who attach little or no importance to those affectionate names which are more a habit than anything else.

Even if drinking is the "in" thing in your crowd, it needn't crowd you out. Learn the facts from Ann Landers's booklet, "Booze and You — For Teen-Agers Only." Send 50 cents in coin and a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope to Ann Landers, P.O. Box 1400, Elgin, Illinois 60120.

FASHION FRAMES
Eyeglass frames whether glasses are worn for fun, sun or sight correction are so attractive that they have become a fashion item. Many girls who need no help for perfect vision are wearing nonprescription lenses because the variety of shapes and colors in frames are fast additions to coordinating a costume.

BOUDOIR LOOK
Along with today's "nostalgia-mania" in fashion comes the boudoir look of the 1920s and '30s complete with maribou and ostrich trim. And because of this return to the

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12. To Let

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The Court orders the respondent to appear within 60 days following the first publication of this order: Sherbrooke Record of Sherbrooke. Take notice that a copy of the motion for divorce has been filed for you at the office of the Divorce Court for the district of St. Francis. Take further notice that should you fail to serve or file your appearance or contestation within the prescribed time, the Petitioner may obtain a judgment of divorce against you by default, accompanied by an order granting any other relief which the Petitioner claims from you. At Sherbrooke this 24th day of January 1975.

35a. Legal Notice

As of January 17, 1975, I will no longer be responsible for debts contracted in my name by my wife, Barbara Gibson Labrie.
RICHARD LABRIE
Rock Island, Que.

PROVINCE OF QUEBEC
TOWN OF WINDSOR
COUNTY OF JOHNSON
PUBLIC NOTICE
DEPOSIT OF THE
COLLECTION ROLL

Public notice is hereby given by the undersigned treasurer, that the general collection roll of the Town of Windsor, for the year 1975, including property, has been completed and is deposited in my office in the city hall, where all interested parties may take communication of same during office hours, to wit, from ten o'clock a.m. until sixteen thirty o'clock in the afternoon. Public notice is further given that all persons bound to pay the sums mentioned in the said collection roll are requested to pay the same at my office, in the city hall, within the twenty (20) days following the publication of the present notice.

GIVEN AT WINDSOR, QUE., this 28th day of January 1975.
J. Emile Langelier, Treasurer

CANADA
PROVINCE DE QUEBEC
DISTRICT DE ST-FRANCOIS
NO. 450-12-000494-75
SUPERIOR COURT
Family Chamber
[Divorce Division]

DAME BLANCHE BARON, ménagère, domiciliée et résidant au numéro 924 de la rue St-Louis, en la Cité de Sherbrooke, district de St-François.

GUY CLAUDE LAFOREST, journaliste, de domicile et résidence inconnus.

ORDER
The Court orders the respondent, to appear within 60 days following the first publication of this order: SHERBROOKE RECORD OF SHERBROOKE. Take notice that a copy of the motion for divorce has been filed for you at the office of the Divorce Court for the district of St. Francis. Take further notice that should you fail to serve or file your appearance or contestation within the prescribed time, the Petitioner may obtain a judgment of divorce against you by default, accompanied by an order granting any other relief which the Petitioner claims from you.

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PROVINCE OF QUEBEC
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To the Ratepayers of the
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PUBLIC NOTICE
IS HEREBY GIVEN by the undersigned, Secretary-Treasurer of the aforesaid Municipality, THAT the valuation roll is now deposited. Anyone interested to look through it, may do so during normal office hours, from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Charges laid against the valuation have to be sent to my office before May 1st 1975.

GIVEN AT ROCK-Forest this 28 day of January 1975
Jean Guy Charest
Secretary-Treasurer

CANADA
PROVINCE OF QUEBEC
DISTRICT OF ST-FRANCOIS
NO. 450-02-002152-74
PROVINCIAL COURT
PIERRE BOUCHARD, domiciled at R.R. 1, Rock-Forest, district of St-François.

YVAN THIBAUT formerly residing at 138 8th Street, apt. 1, Noranda, district of Rouyn Noranda and presently of unknown address.

MARTIN THIBAUT, Deputy Clerk Provincial Court.
The 10th day of January 1975.
BEFORE Martin Thibaut, Deputy Clerk of the Provincial Court.
IT IS ORDERED to the defendant to appear within a month.
COPY of the writ of summons is filed at the Provincial Court for the Defendant.

CANADA
PROVINCE OF QUEBEC
DISTRICT OF ST-FRANCOIS
NO. 450-12-000481-75

SUPERIOR COURT
Family Chamber
[Divorce Division]

RICHARD BUZZELL, domiciled and residing at Maqoo, district of St-François.

MADELEINE WOOD, wife of said Richard Buzzell, of parts unknown.

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Extra: diplomatic nose out of joint

By Ralph Novak
One of the five or six small things in the universe we have to be thankful for these days is that the negotiators in international diplomacy are not as susceptible to incapacitating injury as, say, professional football players.

Otherwise we would be hearing news broadcasts like: Good evening, diplomacy fans. The big news tonight is that a number of Big Power superstars are going to be out of action in the crucial, upcoming series of talks, while a number of others are going to have to negotiate with pain.

For the United States, Gerry Ford is reported to have his sprained pact-signing hand in a cast but he appears to have recovered from the pulled tongue muscle he suffered last month while trying to say "Fat chance" in Arabic during the crucial Mideast talks.

Ford's ace substitute, Hank Kissinger, meanwhile, has come up with torn lip ligaments because of excessive grinning during his recent appearances. Kissinger is also still hampered by the cauliflower left ear he incurred last season when he listened to too many whispered secrets.

Soviet stand-out Lenny Brezhnev is also hurting, having suffered severe hand cramps while holding his fingers crossed under the table during his last crucial outing. Having his fingers permanently crossed isn't expected to keep Brezhnev out of the lineup but his bench-ridden teammate Alexi Kosygin is still on the disabled list with an out-of-joint nose.

For the French, lanky Val Giscard d'Estaing is limping from a cut foot that has been blamed on overenthusiastic tightrope walking. The French offer to trade Giscard to Canada even up for Pierre Trudeau has already been turned down. Trudeau is currently sidelined with a wrenched larynx, which he suffered when he began yelling, "My oil fields! Mine! Mine!" during recent negotiations.

England's Harold Wilson is still in perfect condition but there has been no sign that anyone cares, since his team is again scheduled.

Palestinian quarterback Yassir Arafat has turned up with a sore arm from overpracticing his quick draw, which is, coincidentally, the same problem plaguing Israel's Yitzhak Rabin. In the Eastern Division, South Vietnam's Nguyen Van Thieu still seems reluctant to test his chronically sprained credibility and Formosa's wily Chiang Kai-shek has again reinjured his nose tripping over his beard. The Chinese Reds' brittle veteran twosome of Mao Tse-tung and Chou En-lai is also being called the "over the hill gang" in some circles, with both doubtful starters for upcoming crucial negotiations.

And finally this note: Veteran official Kurt Waldheim is reportedly out of action indefinitely with injuries received while knocking his head against the wall in recent action.

Quebec-Sherbrooke Presbyterial

The executive of the Quebec-Sherbrooke Presbyterial U.C.W. met in the Lennoxville United Church on January 29 at 10 a.m. Mrs. Phyllis Smith of North Hatley, president, welcomed the members and Mrs. Carolyn Bernard led the devotional period with a meditation on faith. Preliminary plans were discussed for the annual meeting, which will be held in Lennoxville United Church on Wednesday, April 16. The theme will be Brothers, Sisters, We are One, and the guest speaker will be Sister Kay Duffin. The offering of that day will go to the World Development and Relief Service, which is supported by the Anglican, Lutheran, Presbyterian, Roman Catholic and United Churches. Price of the luncheon will be \$1.50. A motion was passed that the Presbyterial will provide \$100. towards expenses to bring a delegate from Seven Islands.

Reviewing the Church's 50th Anniversary birthday party which was held at Plymouth-Trinity Church on January 15, it was felt that these annual January events sponsored by the Presbyterial U.C.W. were very worthwhile, and a motion was passed that they should continue. The members were pleased to learn that the monetary gifts for the Butters Memorial Home amounted to \$276.25.

It was announced that the dates of the annual Summer Event will be August 15-17. The theme is Dare to Share and more information will be forwarded within the next two months. If anyone has items for the Happenings publication, they should send them to Mrs. C. Bernard, Box 112, Lennoxville, before March 3rd. Members of Unit 4, Lennoxville U.C.W., provided tea and cookies to accompany the members' box lunches at the noon hour.

The annual reports of the various committees were accepted and will be presented for adoption at the annual meeting.

The president closed the meeting with prayer.

TODAY'S TREASURES
TREASURE QUEST

By Jean Barnes
I am very much interested in contacting Beverly Hageman regarding syndrumpitchers. Would you be kind enough to put me in touch with her? - C.M.P., Earlysville, Va.

Your letter will be forwarded to Ms. Hageman and hopefully you will hear from her within the next few weeks. We do not print the addresses of collectors featured in this column. We deeply appreciate their willingness to share their treasures and experiences with other collectors and try to protect them with a degree of anonymity. Readers wishing to contact a collector may send their letters to TODAY'S TREASURES in care of this newspaper. Letters will be forwarded to us and we will send it to the collector.

I have a small, very old china cup with two handles and a pouring spout. It also has a lid. What was it used for? - D.G., Cedar Park, Tex.

It sounds as if you are describing an English posset pot. These were made during the 17th and 18th centuries. Posset was a mixture of warm ale or wine and hot curdled milk, sugar and spice with bits of bread in it. The liquid was sucked out through the spout on the side.

What is pinchbeck? Is it collectable? - E.Y., Winfield, Kan.

Pinchbeck is an alloy of metals consisting of four parts copper and three parts zinc. It was named after its inventor, Christopher Pinchbeck, an English clock and watchmaker (1670-1732). The alloy takes on the color of old brass. If highly polished it becomes a warm golden color that is sometimes mistaken for gold. Pinchbeck jewelry is quite scarce and very desirable.

I have an old steamer trunk that was my grandmother's. I was wondering how you remodel them. - E.F., Manchester, Md.

Yours was just one of many, many letters from readers interested in restoring old trunks. Within the next few weeks there will be a column series with illustrations on restoring and refurbishing old trunks. We will try to make the columns as detailed as possible to help you with your project.

One of our New Year's resolutions is to be of greater assistance to you, our readers. We pledge to acknowledge personally and as promptly as possible all correspondence received from you in the coming months. We do appreciate your letters.

(NEWSPAPER ENTERPRISE ASSN.)

ACW meeting

SOUTH DURHAM - The annual meeting of the A.C.W. of St. James Church was held on Jan. 15 at the home of Mrs. Ernest Johnston, opened by prayer by Rev. Howard with a good attendance. Minutes of last meeting were read and adopted, also the annual report was read by the Pres. Irene Montgomery, which showed a very encouraging year, with a substantial bank account. Rev. Howard took the chair for election of officers for 1975, who are as follows: Pres. Irene Montgomery; Vice-Pres., Muriel Duffy; Sec., Irma Johnston; Treas., Irene Montgomery; card-convenor, Rheta Johnston; card-sec., Evelyn Richmond; Bazaar-convenor, Helen Carson.

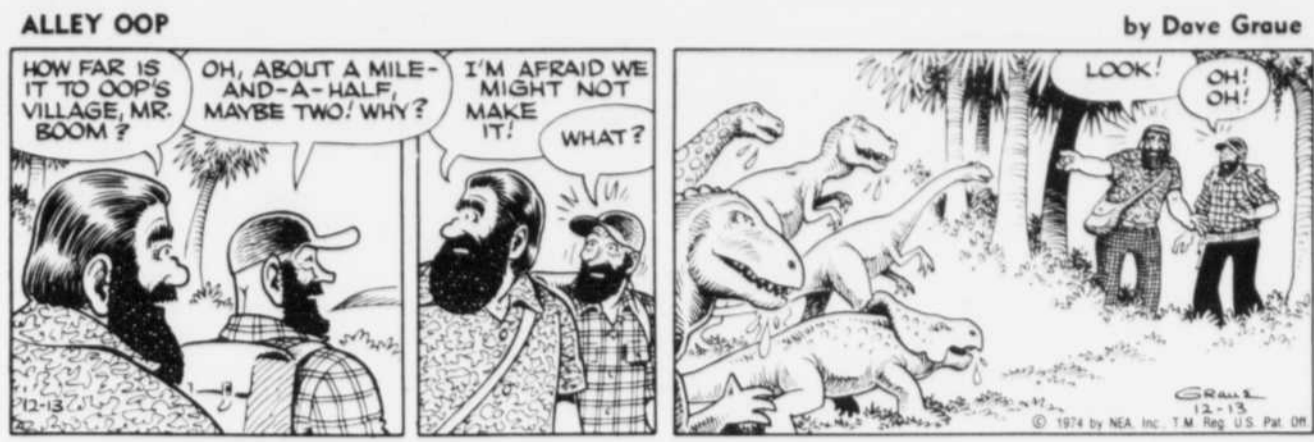
Meeting continued and motions were made to send cheques to Primate's World Relief, Bible Society, Appeal '74, also one for our pledge increase. Meeting closed by prayer and lunch was served by the hostess, assisted by the other members.

SIDE GLANCES by Gill Fox



CARNIVAL by Dick Turner





Programs

Listings supplied by each station and subject to change without notice

WEDNESDAY

- 1 Tattletales—game
- 2 Somerses—series
- 3 Family Court—drama
- 4 Your Move—game
- 5 The Money Maze—game
- 6 Sesame Street—children
- 7 What's the Good Word—game
- 8 Picnic—game
- 9 The Raymond Burr Show
- 10 Merv Griffin—variety
- 11 Guests are Don Rickles, Zsa Zsa Bron, (60 min.)
- 12 Dr. Zerk and the Zunks
- 13 Cinepero (60 min.)
- 14 The Lucy Show—comedy
- 15 After School Special
- 16 The Skating Rink. The story of a teenage boy who rises above his handicap of stuttering by developing the skills as an accomplished skater. (60 min.)
- 17 Jimmy
- 18 Pay Cards—game

Evening

- 5:00 Le monde merveilleux de Disneyes—series
- 5:30 Wilderness Nomads
- 6:00 Mannix—crime-drama
- 6:30 The New Martin Sheen guest stars as a soldier believed killed in Vietnam who suddenly returns home carrying a forged passport under a new name and a new identity.
- 6:30 Couple service
- 6:45 Le Capitaine
- 7:00 Master Rogers' Neighborhood—children
- 7:30 The Partridge Family—comedy
- 8:00 Scrappymouth. Mum's the word with Laure when she becomes hung up with dental braces and a baffled boy-friend (repeat)
- 8:30 Newswire (60 min.)
- 9:00 Community Program
- 9:30 Secours au foyer
- 9:45 Your Move—game
- 10:00 News (60 min.)
- 10:30 Electric Company—children
- 11:00 Le compertement animal
- 11:30 The City at Six
- 11:55 News and public affairs (60 min.)
- 12:00 Parle parlie, jase jase (60 min.)
- 12:30 Newswire (60 min.)
- 1:00 Community Program
- 1:30 Documentaire
- 2:00 Zoom—children
- 2:30 Actualites (24 (60 min.)
- 3:00 The FBI—drama (60 min.)
- 3:30 L'eglise au present
- 4:00 Documentaire
- 4:30 Contention—game
- 5:00 El Espanol Con Gusto (30 min.)
- 5:30 CBC News with Walter Cronkite
- 6:00 Jeopardy—game
- 6:30 The Bon Appetit
- 6:45 Le theatre des etoiles
- 7:00 Country Way
- 7:30 Radio Quebec (3 hrs.)
- 8:00 News
- 8:30 That's My Mama—comedy
- 9:00 Treasure Hunt
- 9:30 Teaching Children with Special Needs
- 10:00 Consommateurs avertis
- 10:30 Hollywood Squares—game
- 11:00 Treasure Hunt
- 11:30 Keith Hampshire's Music Machine—variety
- 12:00 The group Mood Jaja Jaja are tonight's guests.
- 12:30 Le Ranch a Willie
- 1:00 Banjo Parlor
- 1:30 Hogan's Heroes
- 2:00 McGowan & Co.
- 2:30 To Tell the Truth—game
- 3:00 Book Beat
- 8:00 NHL Hockey
- 8:30 Detroit Red Wings meet the Canadiens at Montreal (2 hrs 30 min.)
- 9:00 Tony Orlando and Dawn—variety
- 9:30 Guests are Art Carney, Anne Mearns (60 min.)
- 10:00 Little House on the Prairie
- 10:30 The Circus Man Red Buttons guest stars as a traveling one-man circus who charms Laura (Melissa Gilbert) and others into a dangerous path—un-amezic medicines. Michael Landon stars as Pa Ingalls. (60 min.)

TUESDAY

- 8:00 Daniel Boone (60 min.)
- 8:30 Youth Contention
- 9:00 The Lucy Show—comedy
- 9:30 Mannix—crime-drama
- 10:00 The Inside Man. Joe Mannix infiltrates a New Orleans gang to help police get evidence on its members and becomes romantically involved with a beautiful woman member. (60 min.)
- 10:30 Dialogue intime
- 11:00 Voyage au fond des mers
- 11:30 Truth or Consequences—game
- 12:00 Master Rogers' Neighborhood—children
- 12:30 The Partridge Family—comedy
- 1:00 Mom Drops Out. When European promoter tells Shirley she's out with the in crowd, her kids and the audience bring her out of retirement and back into the group (repeat)
- 1:30 Newswire (60 min.)
- 2:00 Community Program
- 2:30 50 activites olympiques
- 3:00 Your Move—game
- 3:30 Brady Bunch—comedy
- 4:00 The Electric Company
- 4:30 Prince Noir
- 5:00 24 News (60 min.)
- 5:30 The City at Six
- 6:00 News and public affairs (60 min.)
- 6:30 Parle parlie, jase jase (60 min.)
- 7:00 Newswire (60 min.)
- 7:30 Intro
- 8:00 Zoom—children
- 8:30 Actualites 24 (60 min.)
- 9:00 Around the City with Bob
- 9:30 The FBI—drama (60 min.)
- 10:00 Madrine en ville
- 10:30 G.D.E.
- 11:00 News with Walter Cronkite
- 11:30 What's My Line—game
- 12:00 Reach for the Top—quiz
- 12:30 Cher
- 1:00 Comedian-singer-comedienne Cher stars in this comedy-musical variety special which introduces her weekly hour-long series. (60 min.)
- 1:30 Denis la petite peste
- 2:00 Radio Quebec (3 hrs.)
- 2:30 News
- 3:00 What's My Line—game
- 3:30 Dimensions in Culture
- 4:00 Lap le time
- 4:30 Let's Make a Deal—game
- 5:00 It's a Musical World
- 5:30 The White Eagle Polish Dancers are tonight's guests.
- 6:00 Medecin d'aujourd'hui (60 min.)
- 6:30 The Bible Speaks
- 7:00 Hawaii Five-O (60 min.)
- 7:30 To Tell the Truth—game
- 8:00 Assignment America—public affairs
- 8:30 Spirit
- 9:00 Good Times—comedy
- 9:30 Adam-12
- 10:00 Happy Days—comedy
- 10:30 Excuse My French—comedy
- 11:00 Hutchins. Foley, Gaston ends up on Hutchins dooring after being quarantined from his house because Collette has the mumps.
- 11:30 Move
- 12:00 Death Be Not Proud. John Gunn, the moving true story of a boy whose fierce devotion to living left his parents a legacy of love and a deeper understanding of life. Starring Arthur Hill, Jane Alexander, Robby Benson (2 hrs.)
- 12:30 America
- 1:00 Vedettes en direct
- 1:30 Featuring the group Beau Domage.
- 2:00 M*A*S*H
- 2:30 Hawkeye has an altercation with Frank Burns which causes Frank to place him under house arrest, confining him to quarters until a court-martial can be convened.
- 3:00 All Creatures Great and Small
- 3:30 The drama, starring Simon Ward and Anthony Hopkins, is based on James Herriot's popular novel about a young Scottish veterinarian who begins his practice in the rugged farm country of Yorkshire, England. (90 min.)
- 4:00 Police Story—drama
- 4:30 Year of the Dragon. Conclusion—Robert Culp and Wayne Maunder, as detectives Darrin and Webster, try to prevent a war between rival Oriental youth gangs while also protecting the life of a young girl who has been threatened with death by the terrified gang members. Laraine Stephens, Dick Butkus also star. (60 min.)
- 5:00 Symphony
- 5:30 Marcus Welby, MD—drama
- 6:00 Four-Plus Hot. The reunion of two former high school football players is marred by the shadow of death (60 min.)
- 6:30 The Ascent of Man (60 min.)
- 7:00 Le 60
- 7:30 Pierre Nadreau is host (60 min.)
- 8:00 Le Justicier (60 min.)
- 8:30 Headline Hunters—quiz
- 9:00 Mannix (60 min.)
- 9:30 Woman
- 10:00 Barnaby Jones
- 10:30 Countertop. Jones takes on a client who is a fugitive from justice, charged with the assassination of a Superior Court judge during a press conference. (60 min.)
- 11:00 Police Story—drama
- 11:30 To Steal a Million. Frenesi Roberts and Christopher Stone star as two detectives who trail a brazen but neat jewel thief known as 'The Cowboy' (Alex Cord) hoping he will lead them to a man and wife team (Robert Brown, Barbara Anderson) suspected of planning a million-dollar jewel robbery. (60 min.)
- 12:00 Primetime
- 12:30 Backlot Canadians. A film by freelance Peter Rose about Canada's image in Hollywood's films of the 1940s. (60 min.)
- 1:00 Harry O—drama
- 1:30 Silent Kill. Harry Orell tries to prove the innocence of a deaf mute, suspected of arson and murder. David Janssen stars. Anthony Zerbe is featured. James Wainwright, Kathy Lloyd, Gail Strickland, Lawrence Pressman guest star.
- 2:00 Marcus Welby, MD. See 8:30 p.m. channel 1 for episode details. (60 min.)
- 2:30 Hellic Voice
- 3:00 Soundstage
- 3:30 Echos du monde Armenien
- 4:00 News
- 4:30 Agnes of God (60 min.)
- 5:00 24 News
- 5:30 Cinema
- 6:00 Sans Pantofoles—western
- 6:30 L'attaque du Fort Grant (1968). Starring Jean-Paul Belmondo, Maria May, Hugo Pimentel (90 min.)
- 7:00 The Bold Ones—drama
- 7:30 Senator—Power Play. A senator risks political suicide when the top cop of the party, Walter, has his books stolen. (60 min.)
- 8:00 Sports Close-up with Barry Moore
- 8:30 Movie
- 9:00 An American Dream (1966). Semiautobiographical television reporter who has been needing police about their connections with underworld, accidentally murders his estranged wife. Starring Stuart Whitman, Janet Leigh, Barry Sullivan.
- 9:30 Tonight Show—variety
- 10:00 Johnny Carson's guest is Roger Miller. (60 min.)
- 10:30 Movie—comedy
- 11:00 My Genie (1962). Starring Shirley Maizel, Yves Montand (2 hrs.)
- 11:30 Montreal Tonight
- 12:00 Simply Charlotte
- 12:30 Wide World Mystery
- 1:00 The Centennial Murders. Carol Lawrence stars. (90 min.)
- 1:30 Cine-Six
- 2:00 Cinema—drama
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- 5:30 Nouvelle solidarite
- 6:00 Radio Quebec

WEDNESDAY

Morning

- 6:00 University of the Air
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- 8:00 Town and Country
- 8:30 Morning News
- 9:00 Today Show
- 9:30 Hosts are Jim Hartz, Barbara Walters, Garry Shand and Frank Bjar (2 hrs.)
- 10:00 Canada AM
- 10:30 Hosts are Pierre Pichon, Helen Hutchison and Dennis Mulrigh (90 min.)
- 11:00 AM America
- 11:30 With Bill Beutin, Peter Jennings, Stephanie Edwards (2 hrs.)
- 12:00 Morning News
- 12:30 Horaire-bienvenue
- 1:00 Bonjour Montreal (60 min.)
- 1:30 Captain Kangaroo—children
- 2:00 Informa
- 2:30 Mon Ami—children
- 3:00 Desains animés
- 3:30 Romper Room—children
- 4:00 Friendly Giant—children
- 4:30 Les bouts de chou
- 5:00 Les bouds de chou—variety (60 min.)
- 5:30 The New Phil Donahue Show (60 min.)
- 6:00 Quebec School Telecast
- 6:30 Pay Cards—game
- 7:00 Good Morning New
- 7:30 Karen's Yoga
- 8:00 School Programs (5 hrs. 30 min.)
- 8:30 Ouverture et horaire
- 9:00 Les orlans
- 9:30 Desains animés
- 10:00 36-24-36—exercice
- 10:30 Les 100 tours de ceinture
- 11:00 Quebec Schools (60 min.)
- 11:30 Sans detour
- 12:00 The AM Show (1 hr. 20 min.)
- 12:30 Pour vous mesdames (30 min.)
- 1:00 The community
- 1:30 Nick Hollerake is host
- 2:00 En mouvement
- 2:30 You're Wild—game
- 3:00 Celebrity Sweepstakes—game
- 3:30 Pourquoi pas (60 min.)
- 4:00 Dick Van Dyke—comedy (60 min.)
- 4:30 Les contes de la rive (60 min.)
- 5:00 Depart
- 5:30 Gamba—game
- 6:00 Wheel of Fortune—game
- 6:30 Mr. Dressup—children
- 7:00 Casey Casy. Casey has been put down by a taboing friend, but then he learns to express his feelings and to remember what skills he does have. (repeat)
- 7:30 Nor For Women Only
- 8:00 Hosts Barbara Walters, Helen Hutchison and Dennis Mulrigh (90 min.)
- 8:30 New Zoo Revue
- 9:00 Qués
- 9:30 Les recettes de Juliette
- 10:00 McGowan & Co.
- 10:30 Sesame Street—children
- 11:00 Personalites
- 11:30 Karen's Yoga
- 12:00 Dealer's Choice—game
- 12:30 Defention—game
- 1:00 Underdog—cartoon
- 1:30 Les enseignants associes
- 2:00 Love of Life
- 2:30 Hollywood Squares—game
- 3:00 Les 75
- 3:30 Romper Room—children
- 4:00 Brady Bunch—comedy

Afternoon

- 11:55 News
- 12:00 D'iberville
- 12:30 Starring Albert Milare, François Rivest
- 1:00 The Young and the Restless
- 1:30 Jackpot—game
- 2:00 Edward G. Robinson's Luncheon
- 2:30 Date (60 min.)
- 3:00 Informa
- 3:30 Firststones & Friends—cartoon
- 4:00 Password All Stars—game
- 4:30 Les pits bonshommes
- 5:00 Finistone—cartoon
- 5:30 Shmuck a Go-Go. Fred creates a new dance when he accidentally sets on a pin.
- 6:00 Desains animés
- 6:30 Les coqueluches (60 min.)
- 7:00 Search For Tomorrow—serial
- 7:30 Blank Check—game
- 8:00 Hosts Art Jensen
- 8:30 Les tannants (60 min.)
- 9:00 Movie Matinee
- 9:30 The Cardinal. Conclusion of the story of an American receiving his Cardinal's robe at the end of the Second World War. Starring Tom Tryon, Romy Schneider, John Huston (90 min.)
- 10:00 Split Second—game
- 10:30 Matinee With George Balcan—Romance-comedy
- 11:00 Once More with Feeling (1960). Clara, a symphony orchestra conductor takes a dive when he splits up with his wife. With an important contract in the offing, he sets out to win her back. Starring Yul Brynner, Kay Kendall, Gregory Hallow, Art Jensen.
- 11:30 Robin Hood
- 12:00 Dr. Kildare (60 min.)
- 12:30 My Children
- 1:00 Across the Fence
- 1:30 Teletjournal
- 2:00 As The World Turns—serial
- 2:30 Peter Gunn
- 3:00 How To Survive A Marriage—drama
- 3:30 Cine (2 hrs.)
- 4:00 Let's Make a Deal—game
- 4:30 Au jour le jour (60 min.)
- 5:00 Femme d'aujourd'hui (60 min.)
- 5:30 Guiding Light—serial
- 6:00 Days of Our Lives—serial
- 6:30 Bob Switzer Show
- 7:00 Love American Style—comedy
- 7:30 What's the Good Word—game
- 8:00 \$10,000 Pyramid—game
- 8:30 Cinema—adventure
- 9:00 Les mers d'Afrique (1953). Starring Sophia Loren, Steve Barclay (80 min.) (60 min.)
- 9:30 Edge of Night—serial
- 10:00 The Doctors—serial
- 10:30 He Knows She Knows—game
- 11:00 The Big Showdown—game
- 11:30 Cinema—drama
- 12:00 Le mystere de la chambre jaune (1948). Starring Serge Reggiani, Helene Perdère (80 min.) (60 min.)
- 12:30 Teaching Children with Special Needs
- 1:00 The New Price is Right—game
- 1:30 Juliette and Friends
- 2:00 Guest Dorothy MacKinnon shows how to make omelettes. Co-host is Larry Solovay.
- 2:30 Another World—serial (60 min.)
- 3:00 General Hospital—serial
- 3:30 G.E.D.
- 4:00 Match Game '75
- 4:30 Take 30—interview
- 5:00 Papa a raison
- 5:30 One Life to Live—serial
- 6:00 Lilius, Yoga & You
- 6:30 Bobino

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WORLD ALMANAC FACTS

Fossil footprints, perhaps the oldest evidence to date of Pterosaurs (ancient flying reptiles), have been discovered in Utah. The World Almanac reports. The age of the tracks have been estimated at between 150 to 200 million years and it is believed their "highly irregular" nature should provide valuable information on the actions of reptiles on the ground.

Centenary United Church annual meeting

STANSTEAD — The annual meeting of Centenary United Church, Stanstead, took place on Wednesday evening, January 29 in the church hall, with a good number attending, despite the inclement weather.

The pastor, Rev. G.W. Stokes presided and offered prayer. The film "Heritage for the Future" made to commemorate the 50th anniversary of the United Church of Canada, was shown. This depicts the work of the church across Canada and in Mission work throughout the world the past half century.

The Church board remains the same as last year with 19 members of the stewards, trustees, deacons and so forth. Last year, the 20th, Peter Cross, was removed due to his departure for Nova Scotia to reside. Later, Gerald Colt was re-instated to continue as treasurer for his 8th year.

The annual reports were reviewed, printed and circulated, and included that of the pastor. Last year, in addition to regular services, there were a Bible Sunday and special of the Sunday School. Stanstead College made use of the church for their special services and the annual Palm Sunday Music Festival took place.

In 1974 there were four baptisms and six funerals conducted under the auspices of the church. Loss by death of two loyal members was noted.

All in all it was a satisfactory year. Two young people were

received into church fellowship through confirmation.

The Women's Groups, the backbone of any church, showed in their reports many activities in the church, community and afield in outreach support.

The UCW contributed \$400 for Mission and Service which with contributions from the congregation enabled a total sum of \$900 sent for this outreach branch of the United Church of Canada. The UCW also contributed money for the Sunday School work and in promotion of a seminar on Africa last March.

The Afternoon and the Allegro Units have held successful projects during the 1974 year and have spent their money in various ways in support of Christian endeavors. They support a foster child and their public functions are always enjoyed by people of the church and friends with a feeling of Christian unity and warmth.

The congregation accepted to pledge a proposed sum of one thousand dollars in support of Mission and Service for the year 1975.

Interest from a special memorial fund will be used towards a gift for a grade six student at Sunnyside school, in terms with the bequest.

The reports of the Sunday School and Youth activities at the Border Community Center were the same as for Stanstead South church report.

Edgar Hill gave his report about the church property and work being

done and gave an outline of work to be done in 1975. Gerald Colt gave a report on offers to date for the antique furniture pieces. A resolution was made for Mr. Colt to sell to the highest bidder.

There was quite a bit of discussion about the 50th anniversary project. Finally it was approved by resolution to purchase and have carillons to play from the belfry.

The suggestion of Rev. Mr. Stokes for a 50th anniversary fellowship service and social time was approved by the congregation. This will be on June 8.

A.E. Curtis asked permission to use the hall for the August meeting of the Stanstead Historical Society meeting. This was granted.

An honorarium for the treasurer was suggested and approved to be made

annually. Mr. Stokes, in his remarks, said this is a time consuming position and proposed a vote of thanks to Gerald Colt for his time, talent and efficiency doing this work the past seven years. Mr. Colt was re-instated.

Letters of appreciation are to be made to Stanstead College who clean the church grounds of snow, and to the Stanstead Journal for (free) printing of the covers of the church bulletin.

Vocal thanks were recorded to Mrs. A.P. Gordon, organist; the choir; Larry Hibbard, the custodian; G. Colt, treasurer; A.P. Gordon,

secretary; the Women's groups; the Campaign organizers and canvassers; Mrs. Warren Soutiere, representative to Presbytery; and all others who work for the church.

WI Meeting

BROOKBURY — The regular meeting of the Brookbury Women's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. Flora McIntyre on Thursday evening, Jan. 23rd at 8 p.m. with Mrs. Oral Downes as co-hostess.

This meeting was held two weeks later than our regular date, which is the first Thursday of the month, because it was inconvenient to have the meeting at that time.

The President, Mrs. Ralph Coleman, opened the meeting in the usual manner with the Opening Ode, Collect for club women and Salute to the Flag.

The Roll Call - name a recent local event was answered by ten members.

Minutes of the last meeting were read by the secretary, Mrs. Osborne Lowe and approved after one correction was made.

A discussion followed, from the minutes concerning Christmas boxes given by the Institute and it was decided to add a few more names to our list of those remembered for another year.

The correspondence consisted of many Thank you notes for Christmas gifts and boxes, also for fruit and flowers sent to members and friends who have been ill and hospitalized.

A request was read asking for help from our WI in buying a piano for St. Paul's Home. A motion was passed that \$25.00 be sent for this worthy cause.

The usual sum of \$10.00 was voted to be sent to the family of a member whose father had died and it was decided to buy a gift to the value of \$25.00 for Mr. Lloyd Hooker, a Brookbury resident for many years, who lost his home by fire.

The treasurer, Mrs. S. Batley, gave her report which showed a substantial sum on hand and it was voted that all bills be paid.

The next meeting will be held with Mrs. Sterling Batley on the regular date when all are asked to bring a Valentine to send to a shut-in, also suggestions for next year's program which will be drawn up at that time.

After the meeting was adjourned, Mrs. F. McIntyre, Education Convenor, showed us some of her slides of a trip she took to the Eastern Provinces and some of local events which were very much enjoyed by all.

Delicious refreshments were served by the hostesses at the close of the meeting.

Townships' Crier

COURTESY OF

Au Bon Marche

BORDER
Community people, men and women, are invited to the Border Curling Club, 7:30 p.m. on Feb. 7 to watch curling and/or play cards. Refreshments, all invited. For tables to play cards phone Mrs. Stuart Edgar, Mrs. Wm. Denney.

AYER'S CLIFF
The Quebec Farmers, Ayer's Cliff Assoc., will hold a meeting February 6 in the IOOF hall at Ayer's Cliff. Special speaker, Dr. Bruce Downey, from Macdonald College. His topic will be on animal health and disease. General public invited to attend. The time is 8:30 p.m.

SHERBROOKE
Service Night at the Sherbrooke Snow Shoe Club Wednesday 7 p.m. Supper Meeting. We honor the Armed Forces as we remember those who gave that we might live in peace.

WATERLOO
A St. Valentine Tea, sponsored by the Ladies of St. Bernardin, will be held in the Parish Hall, Wed. Feb. 12 from 3:00-6:00 p.m. Proceeds for the reconstruction of a Church.

WATERLOO
Card Party, Military Whist will be played at St. Luke's Church Hall on Saturday, Feb. 8 at 8:00 p.m., sponsored by St. Luke's Church Women. Prizes and refreshments. All welcome.

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Birth
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Deaths
ATKINS, Thomas — At the Sherbrooke Hospital on Feb. 3, 1975. Thomas F. Atkins, beloved husband of Margaret M. Grant and dear father of Irene (Mrs. Nelson Paulette), Beverly (Mrs. George Pariseau) and Velma (Mrs. Harold Drew), also survived by 9 grandchildren and 3 great-grandchildren in his 84th year. Resting in the R.L. Bishop and Son Funeral Chapel, 300 Queen Blvd. N., Sherbrooke, where funeral service will be held on Wednesday, Feb. 5 at 10:00 a.m. Rev. Murray Richardson officiating. Interment in Elmwood Cemetery. Visitation 2:00 to 4:00 and 7:00 to 9:00.

Deaths
SAWYER, William C. — At the Royal Victoria Hospital, Montreal, Quebec on Monday, Feb. 3, 1975. William C. Sawyer (formerly of Lennoxville), beloved husband of Blanche A. Taylor and dear father of Lee (Mrs. J. Fortier) and Betty, both of Greenfield Park, Que. and grandfather of Thomas and Jaime and brother of May (Mrs. James Martin) of Sherbrooke in his 72nd year. Resting at the Webster-Cass Funeral Home, 6 Belvidere St., Lennoxville where the funeral will be held on Wednesday, Feb. 5 at 2:00 p.m. Rev. K. Perry-Gore officiating. Interment in North Hatley. Visitation 2-4 and 7-9 p.m.

HARMER, Nora — Suddenly at Longueuil, Que., on Feb. 2nd, 1975. Nora Lindley, beloved wife of the late Walter Harmer and dear mother of Earl, in her 76th year. Resting in the R.L. Bishop and Son Funeral Chapel, 300 Queen Blvd. N., Sherbrooke on Tuesday, Feb. 4th. Funeral service in St. Patrick's Church on Thurs., Feb. 6 at 10 a.m. Father Paul Brault officiating. Interment in St. Michael's Cemetery. Visitation 2 to 4 and 7 to 9.

MCGILTON, Leonard Gordon — At his home in Pointe Claire, Que., on Feb. 1st, 1975, beloved husband of Ruth Pettes, dear father of Thayne of Beaconsfield, Gordon of Westmont, beloved grandfather of Peter, Ian, Sue, Colin and Sheila, also mourned by daughters-in-law Florence and Jean. Resting at Cass Funeral Home, 39 Dufferin Road, Stanstead. Visiting hours on Monday, Feb. 3rd from 3 to 5 and 7 to 9 p.m. Funeral service will be held at Centenary Church, Stanstead on Tuesday, Feb. 4 at 2 p.m. Interment in Crystal Lake Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, donations to Stanstead College Memorial Fund would be gratefully acknowledged.

Card of Thanks
PARKER — We wish to thank all those who were so kind to us at the time of the death and burial of my dear husband, our dear father and grandfather, Alfred Bailey Parker. Special mention to Dr. Snow, Dr. W.J. Klinck, Dr. Dougan, Dr. Thorsteinson, nurses and staff of the 2nd floor surgical and intensive care of the Sherbrooke Hospital, to Rev. Harold Brazel, the bearers, the organist, to all our friends and neighbors, to those who sent food, cards of sympathy and called at the funeral home. Our special thanks to Webster-Cass Funeral Directors. Our sincere appreciation to one and all.

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Bishop's, CRC lose six weekend games

LENNOXVILLE (BP) - hockey team gave up a one point decision, while the Bishop's University and Champlain Regional College fared very badly on the weekend in sports, losing all six contests played.

The BU men's hockey squad dropped two decisions and the men's basketball lost to Sir George Williams University, while the men's hockey and basketball and women's basketball teams went to defeat.

Bill Stinnie scored 20 points and Mike Dudgeon 16 as the cage Gaiters lost 90-63 to SGWU in Montreal. Morgan Quinn, who had eight points, Mike Jamieson and Dudgeon all played very good games, but coach Garth Smith pinpointed the problem to shooting. Stinnie, who has been the team's top scorer in the majority of games, was hitting less than 33 percent of his field shots and captain Dudgeon was under 50 percent. The whole team averaged 33 percent in the game from the floor.

The hockey team faces McGill and came up with their best weekend encounter against them.

Nicky Stephens gave the lead in the first period, assisted by Tom Moser and Paul Iggulden, which would last until the third period. But Ron Perowne, ex-captain of the Gaiters, now playing for the Redmen, evened the margin before the three minute mark on a breakaway. Graham MacLachlan scored the winner for the McGill squad at 18:24.

While Friday's contest was indeed a close one where either team could have triumphed, Saturday's outing against UQTR was not. Bishop's floundered against the first place squad in the QUAA standings and were skunked 8-0 by the Patriots.

The Champlain teams took their losses more graciously, losing by the most, three points. The

Soaring costs may put damper on NHL expansion - Campbell

NEW YORK (CP) - Soaring costs may force the National Hockey League to pull in its horns as far as expansion to a 20-team league is concerned.

NHL president Clarence Campbell said Saturday operating costs have tripled since the first expansion in 1967, and player salaries this season are 250 per cent higher than they were in 1971-72.

He said his estimates did not include the salaries of the last four expansion clubs—Atlanta, New York Islanders, Kansas City and Washington.

Campbell said it costs \$3 million a year to run a club in the NHL. This does not include debt payments of any kind.

In 1966-67, when the NHL was a six-team league, operating costs were \$1 million a club. Then the league expanded to 12 teams in 1967-68, and Campbell said the cost factor reached \$1.5 million.

By the time the rival World Hockey Association began operating in 1972, NHL costs had jumped to \$2.5 million a club as NHL owners began signing players to long-term contracts to match or better offers from the WHA.

FACE DECISIONS
 NHL owners now are faced with major decisions whether to continue the route of expansion and create a 20-team league in 1976-77 by adding Seattle and Denver.

The 18-team league already has two financially troubled expansion teams in Pittsburgh and Oakland.

The owners, meanwhile, have given backing to Thayer Potter, president of Pittsburgh Penguins, in his attempt to raise financial support to keep the team in Pittsburgh.

The NHL's board of governors held an all-day meeting in New York Saturday and gave Potter a vote of confidence, saying they were satisfied with the progress he is making toward solving his financial problems.

Seventeen of the 18 governors—Atlanta was not represented—supported a resolution Pittsburgh needed to alleviate its financial troubles.

While the text of the resolution



If you must walk on ice, take a long pole with you.

PHILADELPHIA (CP) - National Hockey League players Doug Favell and Rick Dudley head a list of 150 players drafted Monday by the six teams in the revamped National Lacrosse League.

Each team was allowed to protect 25 players in the universal draft which included Canadian and United States players not already on the protected list. League president Gerry Paterson said Favell, Dudley and

Michel Blanchard were designated special bonus picks in the universal draft. Favell was selected by Philadelphia, Dudley by Long Island and Blanchard by Montreal. Favell, a goalie for Toronto

Maple Leafs of the NHL, was a forward last season with Philadelphia Wings of the NLL. Dudley, who plays hockey for Buffalo Sabres, was a first-team all-star last season with Rochester of the NLL. He scored 81 goals in 28 games.

The first player selected in the draft was Dave Durant, who scored 42 goals and 69 assists in 24 games with Coquitlam, B.C., Adanacs, to win the Western Lacrosse Association scoring championship.

Other first-round draft choices were: Al Lewthwaite, Boston; Ken Winkoski, Montreal; Greg Thomas, Maryland; Doug Hayes, Long Island, and Derek Forbes, Philadelphia.

Lewthwaite is a six-foot, two-inch, 225-pound defenceman who played at New Westminster last year.

Winkoski also played at New Westminster and Greg Thomas, from Peterborough, Ont., is a goalie who played at Coquitlam.

Doug Hayes is a six-foot, two-inch, 220-pound forward from Vancouver, and Derek Forbes, a six-foot, two-inch, 215-pound defenceman, played with Toronto Shooting Stars of the Ontario Lacrosse Association Major series 1973 and spent six games with Maryland Arrows. He also played briefly for Winnipeg Blue Bombers of the Canadian Football League.

THREE TEAMS RETURN
 Philadelphia Wings, Maryland Arrows and Les Quebecois of Montreal are the only teams returning from last season.

Bruce Norris, who operates Detroit Red Wings of the NHL, shifted his Toronto Tomahawks to the Nassau Coliseum in Uniondale, N.Y., where they be-

come the Long Island Tomahawks. The other new teams are Quebec Caribous, operated by developer Victor Germaine and Roger Barre, an automotive industrial executive, and an unnamed Boston team owned by Boston businessman Jim Herriott.

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MARDI GRAS COMING - The Mardi Gras Bonspiel Committee met last Friday to finalize plans for the annual event of the Lennoxville Ladies Curling Club, which will be held between Feb. 25 and 27. Shown sitting are Mrs. H. Derick, decision convenor and Mrs. D. Brazel, who is in charge of games. In the back are Mrs. R. Blackadder, refreshment convenor, Mrs. A. Hallam, chairman of the bonspiel and Mrs. P. Tinker, in charge of registration. Teams who still wish to register for the sixth annual affair have until Feb. 11 to do so. (Record photo: Bruce Porter)

Arnie loses another, looking ahead

HONOLULU (AP) - The disappointment of still another victory that escaped Arnold Palmer is forgotten but he is seeking his next golf title as eagerly as ever.

"I've had disappointments before," said Palmer, 45, after he had charged into a late tie for the top, then let obscure Gary Groh escape with the title Monday in the \$20,000 Hawaiian open golf tournament.

"I'm not gonna quit or give up just because I lost a golf tournament," Palmer said. "I've lost a lot of golf tournaments. And I've had my disappointments before."

Palmer said he's looking forward to the 90-hole, five-day Bob Hope Desert Classic in Palm Springs, Calif., which begins Wednesday. It's the last title

Palmer won, two years ago, a tournament he has won five times and one he admits holds a special attraction for him.

CAN'T BELIEVE PRIZE
 But while Palmer is looking to the next event, the 30-year-old Groh, a career struggler whose previous big cheque was for \$4,000, is almost unbelievably stealing glances at the \$44,000 prize he picked up with the victory.

"This plans my life for the next two years," Groh said. Groh has been a non-exempt player all his career. He's always faced the problems of attempting to win his way into the tournaments through the Monday qualifying rounds.

Now he's exempt for two years. No more Mondays. He

eliminated that problem with a final-round 68, four under par on the water-logged, 7,154-yard Waialae Country Club course, a lush layout turned into a quagmire by torrential rains which washed out one day's play.

He clinched it with an 18-foot birdie putt on the final hole that gave him a 274 total, 14 under par. Al Geiberger also birdied the 18th to claim second with a 69 and a 275 total.

Palmer could do no better than third after he'd moved into a tie with only two holes to play. He had a closing-round 71 for 276. Australian veteran Bruce Crampton and Lou Graham followed at 277.

George Knudson of Toronto shot his third 72 of the tournament in Monday's round for a 290 total.

Rod Gilbert looking to break more records

MONTREAL (CP) - Right winger Rod Gilbert returned with a flourish this weekend after a bout with the flu and continued his assault on the New York Rangers record book.

After missing four National Hockey League games, Gilbert returned to action Saturday night in Chicago against the Black Hawks but failed to earn a point for the first time in nine games.

But the 33-year-old's skating legs showed no ill effects at home Sunday afternoon as he scored four goals against Detroit Red Wings in a 5-5 tie.

It was the second four-goal game of Gilbert's career, the first coming in Montreal Feb. 24, 1968, in a 6-1 win over the Canadiens.

Gilbert, 33, already owns Ranger club records for most career goals with 334, assists with 485, points with 819, 20-goal seasons with 10 and 30-point seasons with 12.

He has 29 goals and 36 assists for 65 points in 47 games this season, good for eighth place in the scoring race.

SIGHTS ON MARK
 If he can maintain the pace of the last 10 games—better than two points a game—he is certain to break the Ranger record of 109 points in a season, set by linemate Jean Ratelle in 1971-72.

Meanwhile, centre Phil Esposito of Boston Bruins looms on the threshold of his fifth straight 100-point season. Esposito boasts a league-leading 49 goals which, combined with 49 assists, give him 96 points.

Four more points also will give Esposito his sixth 100-point year in the last seven.

The goaltending race saw a change at the top for the first time since early in the season as Bernie Parent of Philadelphia Flyers recorded his ninth shutout and checked in with a 1.97 goals-against average.

Rogie Vachon of Los Angeles

Kings, meanwhile, slipped to a 2.03 average as the Kings club average moved upward to 2.20, second behind Philadelphia's 2.12.

Parent is used to the hot competition for the Vezina Trophy after he and Tony Esposito of Chicago Black Hawks last year became the first netminders from opposing teams to share the award. It goes to the goalkeepers having played a minimum of 25 games for the club with the fewest goals scored against it during the season.

SCORING LEADERS

	G	A	P	Pim
Esposito, B	47	49	96	42
Orr, B	31	60	91	58
Lafleur, M	40	45	85	29
Mahovich, M	25	50	75	30
Dionne, D	29	44	73	8
Robert, Buf	29	37	66	53
Clarke, Pha	14	52	66	77
Gilbert, NYR	29	36	65	16
Perreault, Buf	27	37	64	26
Ratelle, NYR	23	39	62	18
Bucyk, B	23	37	60	6
Lemaire, M	23	36	59	10
Vickers, NYR	22	37	59	28
Schock, Pgh	19	39	58	18
Mikita, C	21	36	57	36
Martin, Buf	27	29	56	55
D Potvin, NYI	18	38	56	89
Grant, D	29	24	53	18
Unger, STL	23	30	53	92
Novostov, Pgh	27	24	51	26
Luce, Buf	24	27	51	34
Boudrias, V	9	42	51	20
Apps, Pgh	20	30	50	27
Hodge, B	15	35	50	60

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