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TO our Electors of the County of Huntingdon together with their families, I wish to extend Sincere Greetings and hope that the New Year will bring to all a full measure of Health, Contentment and Prosperity.

MARTIN B. FISHER,
Provincial Treasurer



HAPPY NEW YEAR!

AND Best Wishes to all in the counties of Chateauguay and Huntingdon and the hope that the New Year will bring to you and yours abundance of Good Things and Good Health.

DONALD E. BLACK, M.P.,
Aubrey, Que.



TIME MARCHES ON! The fleeting passage of time brings us once again to the turn of another year. May the new one so rapidly on its way bring you prosperity in unusual measure. May it find you and yours happy and healthy. That is the wish of your district merchants, business and professional men, your Provincial and Federal representatives.



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Huntingdon, Wednesday, Dec. 28, 1938

The Year Passes in Review

THE year 1938 will shortly be just history. In the course of a year many things happen which are not only the culmination of things that have gone before but are signs as to what will take place in the future to a certain extent.

Following is a brief review of events here and there which occurred in this district during 1938:

The death on January 2 of Forrest Lamont, who was born in Athelstan, and who achieved fame as an opera singer, reflected the fact once again that many native sons of this district have made a high mark in their various fields of endeavour.

On January 5 the Hon. Martin B. Fisher announced that a total of $291,000 was spent on roads in Huntingdon County in 1937. This year has again witnessed a great deal of work done on the roads in the irrepressible marching forward to an excellent network of roads throughout the entire district.

On January 9 a youth broke through the ice on the Chateauguay river which serves as a reminder that a danger always exists before the ice is thick enough.

On January 26th it was announced that during the year 1937 a total of 181,915 head of Canadian cattle had been imported into the United States. This year, it is stated that the importation of cattle into the United States has been comparatively good.

On January 28th the death occurred at Montreal of Lord Atholstan, founder of the Montreal Star, and one of this district's most distinguished native sons. His death was widely mourned and in his passing The Gleaner lost a real friend who had for many years taken a keen interest in its development.

The icy state of the roads and sidewalks on February 6 result in numerous people suffering injuries. There were numerous injuries as a result of slippery footing in Huntingdon about two weeks ago which brought to the attention of the authorities the necessity of sanding the streets and sidewalks as quickly as possible after the formation of ice.

On February 10 the Rev. T. J. Watson of Georgetown Presbyterian church accepted a call to Toronto, reflecting the continual change that takes place in the encumbents of the churches throughout the district.

On February 11 a committee was appointed to investigate the possibility of building a new Academy. There was considerable investigation done, but it was finally intimated that the possibility of a new Academy being built in the near future was not very strong. It is sincerely hoped by all those who have at heart the education of the pupils of the future that this building will finally go up in Huntingdon.

On February 14 a photograph taken by the Gleaner staff photographer was on exhibition in New York City and was the object of favourable comments.

The Gleaner opened a competition for unusual news stories on February 16, in which competition the readers and correspondents took quite an interest and many unsual stories and photos were received.

The record-breaking crowd which witnessed the exhibition of fancy skating by members of the Montreal Winter Club at the Huntingdon Skating Rink on February 19 revealed the wide appeal that this form of winter entertainment holds. It is expected that this group will be invited to give another demonstration this winter and if they do they are entirely likely to get an even greater crowd should the weather be suitable. This event has the "makings" of a premier winter sports event in the program of the local Skating Rink.

On March 1 it was announced that Hon. Martin B. Fisher had presented a balanced budget. The Government received widespread congratulations on this balanced budget in view of the fact that all governments are finding it difficult to keep a clear financial sheet these days.

On March 12 on ice that was covered with water at the local Curling Rink the Huntingdon Curling Club won the International Trophy from the Saranac Lake Club. These matches, like all international sporting matches, serve to promote the spirit of international good-will to no small extent and stand as proof that wherever possible such sporting matches should be held in both the United States and Canada along the entire border.

The Hemmingford school was announced on March 17 as the winner of the county contest for the most beautiful school grounds. This contest served to promote the beautifying of school grounds and many of the school grounds were quite beautiful as a result of the contest.

On March 18 it was announced that the Huntingdon Academy Junior Choir had won a trophy at the Quebec Musical Festival Competition, reflecting the high musical standards of training at the Huntingdon Academy.

On March 30 an engineer made a survey in Huntingdon to determine the reason why there was so much flooding of the cellars. The building of the Chateauguay Street sewer at the present time will no doubt eliminate any such further surveys as it was found that a great deal of the flooding of the cellars was due to the fact that the pipe in the Chateauguay Street sewer was not large enough to carry away the water properly.

On April 7 the Quebec Protestant Education survey Committee visited the district schools. In their report just recently issued it will be noted that many of their recommendations for a better school system come from grievances which have been expressed locally in common with other parts of the Province.

Recognition of a priest's faithful service to his church and to his parish was recorded on April 24 when church and civic authorities gathered at the Chateau to honor Father A. Pigeon on the occasion of his 25th anniversary of priesthood.

On April 29 at the Huntingdon Academy it was shown that the pupils of today know the spelling of their words quite well. Only after a most trying set of words were all competitors eliminated to have Roberta McDermid announced as the winner.

The irrepressible forward march of the Ormstown Exhibition was reflected by the announcement on April 30 of the purchase of four acres of land to take care of the continual expansion of the exposition.

On May 23 the Hemmingford group won in the finals of the Chateauguay-Huntingdon W.I. Drama Contest. This contest resulted in the development of many fine amateur players in the district and provided a very great deal of entertainment.

The death on June 3 of Mayor Philorum Billette of Valleyfield removed from that city a figure in municipal affairs who was greatly missed. He had done much for Valleyfield and had been an influence for good in every way that left an imprint for good behind.

On June 6th Huntingdon voted in favour of Daylight Saving Time. To the surprise of many it carried by a fairly good majority. From the talk relative to it throughout the year, however, it would appear that the majority will not be in favour of it for next year.

On June 7 the official opening of the Ormstown Exhibition was held with Donald E. Black, M.P., officiating. The Exhibition was a most successful one, giving every indication that the Ormstown Exhibition was each year growing bigger and better than ever.

On July 10 the Oddfellows held their annual Decoration Day Service. For the thirtieth consecutive year the address at this service was delivered by Rev. J. B. Maclean, D.D.

Miss Lottie Bowron of Victoria, B.C., granddaughter of the founder of Huntingdon, visited with friends in Huntingdon.

A report on August 2 showed the pupils of the Huntingdon Academy still keeping a high standard of excellence in their examination results. Margaret Kelly led the Grade XI students.

On August 5 a heat wave of unusual intensity prevailed for some time. The residents sought relief by heading for the beaches.

Buyers from many parts of Canada were present at the famous Burnside farm of R. R. Ness and Sons when their forty-fifth annual sale was held on August 6.

The prize for the best kept farm in the township of Franklin was awarded to Clarence Blair.

That the farms in this district are better than the average was reflected in the statements of members attending the Fifth International Convention of Agricultural Economists, which members visited in Huntingdon and district on August 20.

Honor came to the mechanical staff of the Huntingdon Gleaner on August 22 when there was awarded to the Gleaner the Legge Memorial Trophy for the best exhibit of printing at the annual meeting of the Canadian Weekly Newspapers' Association at Vancouver, B.C.

Huntingdon Town Council set their tax rate at 15 mills, the same as the previous year. It was hoped that the rate would be reduced but due to the expenses that would be involved in connection with work on sewers and streets the reduction was unable to be made. The rate of 15 mills, however, compares most favourably with the tax rate of other municipalities.

On September 16 the Gleaner softball team won the championship of the town softball league. This league provided a great deal of entertainment for both players and spectators and the enthusiasm displayed in the league was above that shown for some years. It has been thought that flood lights should be installed so that night games might be played next year. The success enjoyed by this town league was such as to give every encouragement for its operation next summer on a bigger scale than ever.

The holding of the 105th annual Huntingdon Fair brought a large number of people out and an increase in the number of exhibits over that of last year. Changes were made this year that added more to the Fair and there were indications that the new interest in it would bring the Fair back to the status it once held.

On September 21 the Huntingdon Gleaner published a 46-page paper, the largest it ever published, to mark its 75th anniversary. Messages of congratulations from newspapers all over Canada and from men prominent in public life in this district and nationally were received. In this edition was an editorial by the late Robert Sellar, the founder of the paper, which editorial was the one which appeared in the first edition of the Gleaner.

The honor and prestige of the Ayrshire breeders of the District was again upheld when on October 12 at Columbus, Ohio, many prizes were won by them at the National Dairy Show.

One of the most tragic accidents ever to occur in this district happened on Friday evening, October 28, when four women from Huntingdon lost their lives as a result of the car in which they were riding went over the embankment into the Lachine canal. The funeral which was held the following Monday was one of the largest ever attended in this district. The whole countryside was cast into deep mourning.

On Nov. 11 an impressive Remembrance Day Service was held at which the main speaker was Lieut.-Col. E. L. M. Burns of Montreal. In his address the Hon. Martin B. Fisher urged that Canada should give all possible attention to armaments.

District pure bred live stock breeders score well in prizes at the Royal Winter Fair, Toronto, a report on November 15 shows.

A report on November 30 revealed that the freedom of the press was upheld following action taken against the Valleyfield Council by the editor, Aimé Laurion, when the former body expelled him from a session of the council.

At a meeting of the Montreal Milk Producers' Association on December 2 James M. Wallace was re-elected president.

Dr. H. R. Clouston was elected president of the District of Beauharnois Medical Association, formed at a meeting held on December 8.

The report of the Protestant Educational Survey Committee was given out on December 16 advocating a complete re-organization.

LIFE'S LIKE THAT — By Fred Neher



"I finally got the evidence on that gambling joint at Third and Elm, Chief!"

Chronicled News Bits

Specially Written For The Huntingdon Gleaner

MYSTERY FOILS JAPAN

Japanese troops, on entering Nanking, found a mystery house which no one, as yet, has been able to enter. It stands in the grounds of the former Central Political school where General Chiang Kai-shek used to lecture. Theories about the building are that it is loaded with explosives; that it contains a vast amount of Chinese treasure, and that it is filled with the corpses of Chinese girls who were unable to make their escape from the city.

Locksmiths and housebreakers have been employed, but still the doors stand firm. And, today, Nanking's mystery house still puzzles the Japs.

FENDER OFFENDS

Louis Koszta, of Cleveland, was banging away with a crowbar at the left front fender of his car when Patrolman Lad Rousal walked up and asked him what was the idea. "It just smacked into that car ahead of me," Koszta said. "I can't do anything about it. It's always hitting things." Koszta leered at the fender and vowed that it had caused him more trouble than Patrolman Rousal could imagine. It had smashed into a garage door, struck other cars, hit trees. The other fenders never were any trouble, he said. "So I decided to wreck it," Koszta explained. Patrolman Rousal took Koszta to court, where the judge suspended a $50 fine and a 60-day sentence on condition that Koszta junk the car in toto and pay the $15 damage its fender had caused.

$200 TAXI RIDE

On a recent Saturday night, a woman entered the taxicab of "Frenchy" Devereaux in Sioux City, Iowa, and said she wanted him to "follow her husband." Devereaux started out under her directions, drove all night and next morning the taxicab company received a message from him at Worthington, Minn., reporting he was still following his passenger's orders. Next came reports from Thief River Falls, Minn., and Fargo, N.D. From the latter point he reported he had collected $200 in fares from the woman, that her money had given out and that he was returning home after travelling 2,000 miles without catching up with Friend Husband.

CRASHES PRISON

Hale B. Streeter, Mill Valley business man, is down in the records as the first person who ever crashed the gates of San Quentin prison. Streeter got on the road leading to the prison by mistake. He was driving fast and entered the usually closed prison gates behind a truck before guards could stop him. "What is this, a toll road?" he inquired when guards approached. "You said it, buddy," replied a guard. "The toll here is 10 years." Streeter left hurriedly.

DEMON EXORCISED

Devil-dancing to exorcise the "White Man's Devil" has just been performed by sorcerers in a remote village in Ceylon, according to a report received recently. The dances were held in a jungle temple to propitiate "Kapal Pei," regarded as a very powerful evil spirit brought by the white man in his ships and blamed for the plague, small pox, cholera, cerebral diseases. In front of the temple a tall pole was erected to represent a ship mast and a model of a sailing boat was hung on top.

SMITHS STILL LEAD

Experts who have been studying the changing fashions in names report a big swing over, the only exception being that John is still far and away the most popular name for boys, while Mary heads the field with girls, with Ann, spelt without the final "e," a close second. William has slipped back lately, while Peter, a much overworked name a few years ago, is now in a slump. Brian and Alan are two of the most popular names for boys these days, while George, Robert and Edward are also well to the fore. Such girls' names as Gladys, Miriam, Maud and Rose are out of favor just now. The influence of the films is shown by the thousands of Shirleys, Gretas and Madeleines. Another fact which the experts note is the urge to name babies after some popular figure of the day. "I've already had more Nevilles in the past month," one registrar stated recently, "than I have had in my 20 years' experience." But there is no change to report in the surname census. Smith still leads by thousands.

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—Educated at Ormstown Academy and completed his commercial course at Valleyfield Seminary.

—Was brakeman for the Canadian National Railways for a number of years. He travelled from Montreal to Massena, N.Y., and other important centres.

—Is a Great War Veteran.

—Has been established in Huntingdon for the past 11 years and is one of the oldest established butchers in town.

Athelstan

Christmas Entertainment—

The event of the year for the S.S. scholars was the annual supper and entertainment held on Wednesday night. The supper committee delayed the hour for serving supper until six o'clock, thus a very short interval was left until time to start the programme, and the children had not time to weary themselves with playing.

A very fine programme was given, beginning and ending with rousing Christmas choruses by the school, and including recitations by individual members, as well as items put on by each class, from the Beginners to Intermediate girls' class, all showing careful preparation by teachers and pupils. The thanks of the teachers are also due to Mrs. H. J. McCaffrey for her willing co-operation. As has been the custom for some years past, bibles were given to each scholar on reaching the age of nine years, when they leave the Primary department for junior classes. Those receiving a bible this year are Helen Kelly, Harold Atcheson, Robert Arthur and William Rowat.

A gift of $5.00 was given to Miss Jean Perkins, as a slight token of appreciation for her help throughout the year as pianist. Certificates of Life Membership in the W.M.S. were also given to Rev. W. S. Duncan and Mrs. Duncan. The usual treat of candy was given all the children, although by some oversight, Santa had not been notified about the entertainment. A large parcel of White Gifts was sent to Lyndale House, Montreal, to help in the work there.

Rev. W. Scott Duncan and Mrs. Duncan left on Sunday afternoon by motor for London to spend the Christmas holidays with their parents.

Mrs. Wm. Orr of Cartierville, spent Christmas with her sisters, Mrs. D. F. Grant and Mrs. Clifford French.

Misses Carol Ross, Helen Elder and Elizabeth Grant, of Montreal, spent the Christmas holiday at their respective homes.

Mr. Jack Elder of Ormstown, was also home for Christmas day.

Mrs. James Lavery spent Monday at the home of her brother, Mr. John Fraser, Dundee.

Dance

Mr. John Gra... Maryland, U.S.A., arrived ... expectedly on Saturday to spend the Christmas holiday with his brother, Mr. D. F. Grant, and other friends here. As it is eight years since Mr. Grant last visited his old home, needless to say his friends were delightfully surprised.

Mrs. E. E. Wells of Montreal, was the guest of Rev. W. S. Duncan and Mrs. Duncan last week.

Miss Frances Wells, who has been spending the past month at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Tully returned to Montreal to spend Christmas with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Foers are spending a short vacation with friends in Montreal.

Rev. Alex. Nimmo, Mrs. Nimmo, Margaret and Stewart of Beauharnois, were Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Grant.

Miss Mary Clauesson of Cornwall, spent Christmas week-end at her home here.

The joint sessions of Elgin and Athelstan having granted leave of absence to Rev. W. S. Duncan, it is expected the pulpits will be supplied on New Year's day by a student from Montreal Theological College.



First Through Train

November 7, 1885, saw the last spike driven at Eagle Pass. The C.P.R. was completed. The first through train left Montreal on June 28, 1886, to a new and thrilling call—"All aboard for the Pacific!"★

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Representative, Huntingdon



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Modern Matilda



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CASSEROLE OF CHICKEN

1 chicken, ½ lb. mushrooms, 2 oz. butter, 1 pint stock or milk and water, 1 tablespoonful seasoned flour. Divide chicken into neat joints and dip in seasoned flour. Brown in hot fat and fry mushrooms (skinned). Place chicken and mushrooms in casserole. Pour away from frying pan any surplus fat, stir in remainder of seasoned flour, and add stock. Stir while bringing to the boil. Pour over the chicken and cover with lid. Time: 1 hour, 30 minutes.

APPLE WITH RICE

Melt 1 oz. butter in casserole, add 1½ pints milk, 2 oz. rice, 2 oz. sugar, and the rind of a lemon (grated). Simmer until rice is nearly cooked. Add 5 or six apples, peeled and cored. Cover and cook until fruit is soft. Uncover, put on top 2 egg-whites, well whisked and mixed with 2 tablespoonfuls sugar and a few drops vanilla. Put casserole in oven without lid to color delicately.

SAVORY LIVER IN CASSEROLE

Cut liver into small pieces, dip in flour, and brown in a little hot dripping in a stewpan. Slice onions and brown them also. Boil macaroni in boiling salted water for 15 minutes. Now put liver, onions and macaroni in casserole along with a cupful or water; season with pepper and salt. Put lid on casserole and cook for 1 hour in a moderate oven. Bake potatoes in their jackets and serve.

FISH IN CASSEROLE

Ingredient: About ¾ lb. plaice, halibut, or cod fillet, lemon juice, 3 tomatoes. Sauce: 1½ oz. flour, 1½ oz. margarine, ½ pint milk, seasoning, 1 egg, 1 dessertspoonful chopped parsley. Wash and dry the fish. Put a layer of it at the bottom of a greased casserole. Add seasoning and lemon juice. Remove skin from tomatoes and slice them. Put a layer of tomato on fish, then another layer of fish seasoning, and lemon juice, with tomato on top. Finish with a layer of fish. Make the sauce by melting margarine in pan; stir in flour, add milk all at once, and stir until boiling. Cool mixture a little, then add beaten egg, parsley and seasoning. Pour the sauce over the fish, and bake in a moderate oven for 30 minutes.

OLIVE SANDWICHES

Boil 2 eggs quite hard, then chop finely and mix with ½ teacupful finely-chopped mustard and cress and a dozen stoned, finely-chopped olives. Add the juice of half a lemon and season with pepper and salt. Spread the mixture on slices of brown bread and butter, cover each with another slice.

SALMON FISH CAKES

Fresh or tinned salmon, 2 lb. mashed potatoes, 1 small onion, 1 egg, seasoning. Bone the salmon and chop the onion very small. Put into a basin with the mashed potatoes, season, and mix well together. Bind the mixture with the egg well beaten; make into small balls with the hands, roll in flour, and fry in deep fat until a golden brown.

CHEESE AND NUT SANDWICHES

Spread thin slices of brown bread with cream cheese. Sprinkle with salt and pepper. Chop shelled Brazil nuts or walnuts, put through mincer, scatter evenly over the cheese, and cover with buttered brown bread.

STEAMED CHOCOLATE PUDDING (and variations)

Four tablespoons butter, 1 cup sugar, 2 eggs, ¼ teaspoon salt, 1 cup milk, 2 cup flour, 3 teaspoons baking powder, 2 squares bitter chocolate melted, 1 teaspoon vanilla. Cream the butter, add sugar and eggs, beat well. Mix flour, baking powder and salt and add them alternately with the milk. Lastly beat in the melted chocolate and pour all into individual moulds (or one large mould) and steam 2 hours. This pudding may be steamed by pouring into top of double boiler and steaming that way for 2 hours. Moulds must be well buttered. This pudding may be baked if desired.

The above pudding may be varied by adding chopped dates, or raisins, or cranberries, or apples, or any preferred rather dry fruit in place of chocolate,—about 2-3 cup would do. Or 1 teaspoon ginger may be used in place of chocolate to flavor it. Lemon syrup sauce makes a good accompaniment.

Lemon Sauce (for puddings):—Three-quarters cup sugar, ¼ cup water, 2 teaspoons butter, 1 tablespoon lemon juice. Make syrup by boiling sugar and water 5 minutes. Remove from heat and add butter and lemon juice.

DEEP BEEFSTEAK AND OYSTER PIE

Two pounds tender beefsteak, ½ pint oysters, ½ lb. mushrooms, salt and cayenne, 2 hard cooked eggs, ½ cup cold water; rich pastry. Cut steak into 2-inch squares. Place in bottom of deep casserole, and sprinkle with salt, pepper and paprika. Cover with enough cold water to moisten meat well and make gravy as pie bakes,—about 3 or 4 cups. Cut the mushrooms in halves or quarters according to their size and mix them and the oysters and their liquor with the meat. Slice the hard cooked eggs and place them in a layer over the meat. Roll out very rich pastry to ¼-inch thickness, and insert funnel in centre of pie—or an inverted egg cup will do. Cover top with pastry. Moisten edge of pastry and put on a band of pastry around outside edge of pie, press down edges, flute edges. Brush paste with beaten egg to give good color when baked. Make one or two incisions in top of crust. Bake in very hot oven of 450 deg. Fahr. for one-half hour—lowering the heat to 350 for one more hour. This pie may be served cold.

One Who Didn't

A farmer took his wife to a concert, and after listening with apparent joy the pair suddenly became interested in one of the choruses: "All we like sheep have gone astray."

First a sharp soprano voice exclaimed: "All we like sheep; . . . next a deep voice uttered in a most earnest tone: "All we, like sheep." Then all the singers at once asserted: "All we, like sheep."

"Well, I don't!" exclaimed the farmer to his wife. "I like beef and bacon."

BIRTHDAYS NO FUN

"It's no fun growing old, and there's no use celebrating birthdays," said Peter Behan, of Roxbury, Conn., as he reached the age of 104 but still found strength enough to swing a scythe.

"I just can't stop working," he said. "But there's nothing beautiful about old age. It's a delusion."



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Mrs. S. A. Berg, Camrose, Alta.

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Facts of Interest to Movie Fans

Freddie Bartholomew

Freddie Bartholomew has been a star since 1934 when his first picture, "David Copperfield", was released. Since that time he has been involved in a series of lawsuits. But 1939 looks bright for him. The California Court of Appeals has just said that he and his money are in full custody of his beloved Myllicent (Aunt Cissie) Bartholomew. Next year he'll earn, according to his contract, $2,000 a week for forty weeks and $3,000 a week for six weeks of personal appearances. Maybe he and Aunt Cissie will become American citizens.

He was born in London. When he was 3 Aunt Cissie took him to her home in Warminster, Wiltshire. When he was 5 he began to earn money as an entertainer. His aunt, grandparents and father, Capt. Cecil Bartholomew, signed an agreement dividing his earnings. Then, when he was 10, he got the chance to play the lead in "David Copperfield." After he appeared in "Anna Karenina" his salary was raised to $1,000 a week and in October, 1935, Aunt Cissie had him made her legal ward.

His mother and father began to fight for his custody and his money.

"Professional Soldier," "Oliver Twist," "Lloyds of London" and "Little Lord Fauntleroy" brought his salary to $1,100 a week—and his parents to America. After long drawn out court fights it was decided that 10 per cent. of Freddie's salary would go to his parents, 5 per cent. to each of his sisters (Eileen, now 18, and Hilda, now 16), $1,000 a month for income tax, $440 a month for each agent, something for lawyers, a little for Aunt Cissie and for Fredie—well, $1 a week spending money if there was that much left over.

With Aunt Cissie's guidance he "struck." The outcome of the strike was his raise to $98,000 a year, a ruling that he didn't have to support his parents, and complete guardianship by his aunt.

His most recent pictures have been "Captains Courageous," "Lord Jeff," "Kidnapped" and "Listen Darling."

Freddie is anxious to be grown up. He's quite American in exerything except his accent—and no Menjou at all about his clothes.

Obituary

The Late Mrs. John Duncan

Mrs. John D. Duncan, widely known in charitable circles and prominently connected with Dominion Douglas United Church, Montreal, for many years, died suddenly on Wednesday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Earl M. Laurin, 563 Lansdowne avenue, Westmount. In her usual health when she arose, Mrs. Duncan was suddenly stricken with a heart attack.

Born in Riverfield, Que., 82 years ago, Mrs. Duncan was formerly Mary McKell, daughter of the late James McKell and his wife, formerly Jean Templeton. Educated at Howick, she was married about 45 years ago to John Donaldson Duncan, a native of Aberdeen, Scotland, who came to Montreal in 1870. Mr. Duncan started the business which later became the Duncan Milk Company, absorbed shortly after his death in 1917 by the Guaranteed Pure Milk Company, Limited. He was a pioneer in the importation of milk from the country to Montreal by train, in the pasteurization of milk and in the preparation of milk foods for infants.

Mrs. Duncan who had lived with her daughter since her husband's death, was a life governor of the Homeopathic Hospital, was interested in church missionary work and contributed to many local charitable organizations.

She is survived by her daughter, Mrs. Laurin, and Dr. E. M. Laurin; four grandchildren, and two sisters, Mrs. Matthew Knox and Mrs. John Orr, of Riverfield.

The Beaver

Mrs. Donald Sutherland spent Monday in Montreal with Mr. Donald Sutherland, who is a patient in the General Hospital.

Mr. Wm. C. McGibbon is a patient in the Alice Hyde Hospital, Malone, N.Y. We are pleased to report his condition is favourable.

Mr. Noel Reynolds and Miss Mary Thomson were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alice Cushman, Westville, N.Y., on Thursday.

Recent guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Watterson were Mr. A. George Moore, Montreal; Mr. Allan Tallon, Athelstan; Mr. Ken. Griffith, Huntingdon.

Miss Ruth Sutherland, Buckingham, spent the holidays at her home.

Miss Eva Thomson, Cornwall, was a recent guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Thomson.

Guests on Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Cameron were Miss S. Cushman, Mr. C. Finch, Lake Placid, N.Y.; Mr. and Mrs. A. Cushman, Mr. A. Wilson, Westville, N.Y.; Mr. H. B. Gardiner, Mrs. G. Kerr, Mr. and Mrs. E. Gardiner, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Cameron and Marilyn, Mr. and Mrs. Noel Reynolds, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Thomson and family, Miss Anna Watterson, Mr. and Mrs. H. Kerr and family of Montreal.

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Quenneville were Mr. and Mrs. Athanase Lavoie, Mr. Adrien Lavoie and daughter Denise, Montreal; Mr. Leon Lavoie, St. Hilarion, Misses Anita and Annette Plante, Westville, N.Y.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. McLennan and family spent Monday in Huntingdon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bruce.

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Celebrate Golden Wedding Anniversary



Mr. and Mrs. Thomas S. Gardiner celebrated their golden wedding anniversary on Friday. On this occasion they were entertained at a dinner party at the residence of their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Boyce. Friends and relatives assembled to wish the bride and groom many more years of health and happiness.

Births, Marriages, Deaths Recorded in Gleaner in 1938

BIRTHS

January:—

3—Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Walsh, Detroit, Mich., a daughter.
4—Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer McCanse, Cornwall, Ont., twins.
6—Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McClatchie, Huntingdon, a son.
9—Dr. and Mrs. Ernest Moore, Valleyfield, a son.
10—Mr. and Mrs. George Lefebvre, Huntingdon, a son.
10—Mr. and Mrs. Herman Galipeau, Huntingdon, a daughter.
12—Mr. and Mrs. C. J. McTavish, Cornwall, Ont., a daughter.
12—Mr. and Mrs. A. A. McCormick, Ormstown, a daughter.
20—Mr. and Mrs. John Bullock, Notre Dame de Grace, a daughter.
28—Mr. and Mrs. Romeo Allen, Lachute, a daughter.

February:—

5—Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Nugent, Lemesurier, Que., a daughter.
9—Mr. and Mrs. Nigel E. Bruce, Lachine, a son.
19—Mr. and Mrs. George McIntyre, Athelstan, Que., a son.
19—Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Baird, Gary, Ill., a son.
21—Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Dempster, Hemmingford, a daughter.
24—Mr. and Mrs. Douglas A. Ness, Howick, a son.
27—Mr. and Mrs. John Duncan, a son.
28—Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Saumier, Glenelm, a daughter.

March:—

2—Mr. and Mrs. J. Leslie Elder, Athelstan, a daughter.
2—Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hebert, Huntingdon, a daughter.
12—Mr. and Mrs. James Kerr, Ormstown, a daughter.
12—Mr. and Mrs. N. S. McGarry, St. Stephen, N.B., a daughter.
16—Mr. and Mrs. Norman C. Stark, Huntingdon, a daughter.
21—Rev. D. E. and Mrs. Flint, Riverfield, a daughter.
22—Mr. and Mrs. J. Anatole Parent, Huntingdon, a son and a daughter.
23—Mr. and Mrs. Thomas L. Murphy, Huntingdon, a son.
24—Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Dauphenais, Robson, Que., a son.
23—Mr. and Mrs. Victor E. Caza, Malone, a daughter.
29—Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Walker, Syracuse, N.Y., a son.
30—Mr. and Mrs. Russell Logan, Howick, a son.

April:—

5—Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Fearon, Beecher Falls, Vermont, a daughter.
18—Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Collins, Tupper Lake, N.Y., a son.
20—Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Duheme, Huntingdon, a son.
23—Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Farquhar, Farnham, a son.
28—Mr. and Mrs. Russell Kerr, Howick, a son.

May:—

5—Mr. and Mrs. Archie D. Finlayson, Lennoxville, Que, a son.
5—Mr. and Mrs. Emery Leblanc, Dundee, a son.
9—Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Ellerton, Hemmingford, a son.
23—Mr. and Mrs. Henry Legault, St. Anicet, a daughter.
29—Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Mayville, North Bangor, N.Y., a daughter.
29—Mr. and Mrs. Ellis W. Wilson, Athelstan, a son.

June:—

8—Mr. and Mrs. Douglas R. Cooper, Shawinigan Falls, a daughter.
10—Mr. and Mrs. Douglas McWhinnie, Ormstown, a daughter.
10—Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Dick, Dundee, a daughter.
11—Mr. and Mrs. Martin Brooks, Franklin Centre, a son.
11—Mr. and Mrs. Alex G. Robb, Huntingdon, a son.
14—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Harvey, Montreal, a son.
14—Mr. and Mrs. Herbert McNaughton, Hemmingford, a son.
15—Dr. and Mrs. T. J. Quintin, Ormstown, a daughter.
16—Mr. and Mrs. Lorenzo St. Onge, Huntingdon, a daughter.
16—Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Gilmore, St. Chrysostome, Que., a son.
16—Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. McCarty, Brooklyn, N.Y., a daughter.
20—Mr. and Mrs. James Wattie, Athelstan, a daughter.
22—Mr. and Mrs. James G. Lamb, Franklin Centre, a daughter.
23—Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Hulme, Valleyfield, a son.
25—Mr. and Mrs. John Standage, Ormstown, a son.
27—Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Barrington, Huntingdon, a daughter.
28—Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Fraser, Seattle, Wash., a daughter.

JULY

1—Mr. and Mrs. George Jackson, Covey Hill, a daughter.
1—Mr. and Mrs. James Hope, Howick, a son.
5—Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Duheme, Glenelm, a daughter.
8—Mr. and Mrs. A. Math. McKell, Aubrey, Que., a son.
10—Mr. and Mrs. R. Bruce Ness, Howick, a son.
14—Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Lefebvre, Franklin Centre, a son.
14—Mr. and Mrs. Wm. E. Rice, Windsor Mills, Que., a son.
17—Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Elliott, Fort Covington, N.Y., a daughter.
20—Mr. and Mrs. Archie Marshall, Glenelm, a son.
21—Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Parham, Kororru, Fiji, a daughter.
23—Mr. and Mrs. Kyle Smiley, Shawville, Que., a son.
24—Mr. and Mrs. Ernest M. Martin, Dewittville, a daughter.
26—Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Saumier, Huntingdon, a daughter.
31—Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Forgette, Huntingdon, a daughter.

August:—

2—Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Patenaude, Franklin Centre, a son.
7—Mr. and Mrs. Gerald R. Barrett, Webster, N.Y., a son.
7—Mr. and Mrs. Leo Lalande, Roxham, a daughter.
9—Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Ferns, Huntingdon, a daughter.
12—Mr. and Mrs. Edmond Leger, St. Anicet, a son.
14—Mr. and Mrs. Arthur King, Astoria, Long Island, N.Y., a son.
15—Mr. and Mrs. Frank S. Spalding, Huntingdon, a son.
21—Mr. and Mrs. Allan A. Mack, Glenelm, a daughter.
31—Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Geo. Cottingham, Ormstown, a son.

September:—

6—Mr. and Mrs. Daniel S. Ryan, Hemmingford, Que., a daughter.
6—Mr. and Mrs. J. Harold Henry, Ste. Martine, Que., a son.

October:—

1—Mr. and Mrs. Sherwood Boyce, Odelltown, Que., a daughter.
1—Mr. and Mrs. George Kemp-Small, Huntingdon, a daughter.
3—Mr. and Mrs. Edward S. Shaw, Malone, N.Y., a daughter.
5—Mr. and Mrs. Howard Miller, Hemmingford, Que., a daughter.
6—Mr. and Mrs. Albert Boursier, Montreal, Que., a daughter.
8—Mr. and Mrs. William C. McPherson, Dundee Lines, Que., a son.
13—Mr. and Mrs. George Hingey-Lennox, Huntingdon, a daughter.
18—Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Crawford, Malone, N.Y., a daughter.
19—Mr. and Mrs. Wilfrid Carruthers, Bowmanville, Ont., a son.
19—Mr. and Mrs. William J. French, Athelstan, Que., a daughter.
21—Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Jackson, Cabri, Sask., a daughter.
22—Mr. and Mrs. Goldwin Gowan, Swift Current, Sask., a daughter.
30—Mr. and Mrs. Alan M. Hooker, Ormstown, Que., a son.

November:—

3—Mrs. and Mrs. Joseph Duheme, Huntingdon, a son.
12—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Furtado, Montreal, Que., a daughter.
14—Mr. and Mrs. Willard McAllister, Hemmingford, Que., a son.
15—Mr. and Mrs. Willard Smith, Plattsburg, N.Y., a son.
18—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Faille, Huntingdon, a son.
21—Mr. and Mrs. Lucien Quenneville, Val d'Or, Que., a son.
24—Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Morris, Huntingdon, Que., a daughter.
26—Mr. and Mrs. Allan Farquhar, Rockburn, Que., a son.
28—Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Rowat, Powerscourt, Que., a son.

December:—

2—Mr. and Mrs. Dougald Beattie, Ormstown, Que., a daughter.
5—Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Brooks, Colebrook, N.H., a daughter.
12—Mr. and Mrs. Herbert R. Oliver, Chateauguay Heights, Que., a daughter.
14—Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Allard, Huntingdon, a daughter.
18—Mr. and Mrs. J. Hallet Arnold, Montreal, Que., a child.

MARRIAGES

January:—

4—Lloyd Charles Rankin of Huntingdon, to Miss Dorothy Margaret Curll of Killarney, Man.
20—Robert Ernest Greig of Allan's Corner to Miss Anne Gardner of St. Louis de Gonzague.
20—J. Harold Henry of Ste. Martine to Miss Edna McDowell of Huntingdon.
29—Thomas Henry Heath of Montreal to Miss Margaret Biggar of Huntingdon.

February:—

12—Henry Reginald Osmond of Ormstown, to Miss Margaret Elizabeth Conley of St. Louis de Gonzague.
22—Romeo Hart of Massena, N.Y., to Miss Marguerite Hurteau of Cazaville.
23—Charles McConville of Huntingdon to Miss Lillie Sterling of Huntingdon.
23—Arthur Allard of Huntingdon to Miss Pauline Faubert of Huntingdon.
24—Armand Legault of Huntingdon to Miss Corona Taillefer of Huntingdon.

March:—

21—Wilfred Duheme of Elgin to Miss Eva Clauesson of Athelstan.

April:—

19—Jacques Archambeault of Westmount to Miss Margaret Hamilton of Westmount.
19—David L. MacLaren of Montreal to Miss Mabel Winnifred Greenway of Montreal.
23—Lawrence Marshall Towns of Franklin Centre to Miss Florence Mary Hayball of Montreal.
23—David W. Ames of Berkshire to Miss Glenna Westover Currier of Enosbury Falls.
27—Robert B. Tolhurst of Montreal to Miss Nellie Alma Kearns.
30—Dr. Lawrence Winston Billingsley of Montreal to Miss Isobel McKenzie Rowat of Montreal.
30—Ernest Patenaude of Huntingdon to Miss Hazel Legault of Huntingdon.

May:—

11—Robert Newton Joslin of Waitsfield to Miss Reta Jane Fisher of Burlington, Vt.
12—George Henry Willis of Montreal to Miss Mildred Grace Tannahill of Verdun.
12—Clarence Arnold Nelson Dunn of Franklin Centre to Miss Alma Gertrude Parham of Franklin Centre.
18—Clarence Santamoor of Fort Covington to Miss Florence Margaret Watson of Fort Covington.
21—Jean Forgette of Huntingdon to Miss Marie-Rose Daoust of Huntingdon.

June:—

4—Dr. Milton Grant Townsend of Outremont to Miss Dorothy Elizabeth Jean Alexandre of Huntingdon.
4—Howard Brooks of Montreal to Miss Jennie Businsky of Montreal.
6—Mr. Loyer of Montreal to Miss Edna Dupuis of St. Anicet.
14—William John Greig of Brysonville to Miss Irene Lillian Moneypenny of Franklin Centre.
18—Donald Cameron Chisholm of Howick to Miss Margaret Hazel Peddie of Howick.
18—Arthur Boudreau of Ormstown to Miss Ferdinande Primeau of Ormstown.
18—Thomas William Brooks of Ormstown to Miss Blanche Fennell McCracken of Athelstan.
18—James Thomas White of Valleyfield to Miss Margaret Helen Todd of Ormstown.
22—Melville McGregor of Riverfield to Miss Edith Oakman of Montreal.
25—James Grant Whyte of Howick to Miss Mary Elizabeth Hamilton of Howick.
25—Ernest Alexander Hutchinson, Thetford Mines, Que., to Miss Alice Wilson Brown of Huntingdon.
26—Norman Angus McWhinnie of Howick to Miss Grace Soucy of Ormstown.
28—John Leonard Sprague to Miss Helen Grace Trainer of East Randolph, Vt.
30—Alexander John Riddock of Montreal to Miss Maude Elizabeth Bicknell of Montreal.

July:—

2—Everett G. Cogland of Huntingdon to Miss Isabel Frances McLeod of Montreal.

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Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Gardiner Celebrate Golden Wedding

One of Huntingdon's better known couples celebrated on Friday their Golden Wedding Anniversary. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas S. Gardiner, who have resided in Huntingdon for a great number of years, were entertained on this occasion at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Boyce where a dinner party was held in honor of the bride and groom.

Old friends and schoolmates of 50 years were invited to join in friendly conversation of the past and present and wished the worthy couple many more years of happiness.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Boyce who celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary in June were also present at this celebration.

On behalf of the friends assembled Master Danny Boyce presented his grandfather with a cane and little Elizabeth Boyce gave her grandmother a cameo brooch. A very appropriate address was also read:

Dear Mr. and Mrs. Gardiner:

"On this, the 50th anniversary of your wedding, we, a small number of many friends, take this opportunity to offer our congratulations.

"It is indeed a pleasure to realize that in these passing years you were given robust health, strength and the enjoyment of all your faculties. Today, as we turn the pages backward, we bring to memory the many discouraged ones over difficulties.

"Your deeds of kindness cannot be forgotten nor the many wakeful hours you have spent in a sick-room, comforting and soothing friends or relatives in ill health.

"In the community, your sterling work has upheld every attempt to bring good fellowship, a feeling of trust and good will so essential, yet so rare.

"As we turn to the church in which you were made husband and wife, we know it has been a hallowed spot in your memory. In it your family of one son and two daughters, from their earliest days, have worshipped in the family pew. In the church choir your gift of singing was always rendered cheerfully.

You have known some care, but none of strife, and as you sought to scatter sunshine, on life's pathway through all these years, we join with those who are absent, in heartiest congratulations.

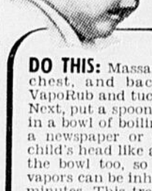
We ask you to accept these gifts as a small token of our love and appreciation.

May Faith's firm hand, still lead you,
While you journey on life's way;
And Heaven's richest Blessing, crown you
As you celebrate, your Golden-Wedding-Day.

The bridesmaid, Mrs. Wm. Morrin of Vankleek Hill, nee Jessie Goodfellow, who was unable to be present, spent Monday the guest of Mrs. Gardiner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Boyce.

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Ormstown Locals

The Christmas services at St. Malachie's church were held with all possible solemnity. At midnight, commencing with a procession, presided over by Rev. Father Médard Montpetit, professor at Valleyfield Seminary. The midnight mass followed, celebrated by Rev. Father H. Gauthier, superior of the House of White Fathers of Africa at Montreal, who also presided with the two masses of the Aurore. The singing was rendered by the parish choir, assisted by the young boys of the Sister's School, under the direction of Rev. Father T. H. Delage. Dr. J. L. Moreau, organist, and choir master presided at the organ. The ladies choir under the direction of Miss Anita Daoust and their organist, Miss Rita Smith, rendered many old favorite Christmas hymns in both English and French at the two masses of the Aurore. At the grand mass on Christmas morning, the men's choir executed a program of Gregorian. The church was beautifully decorated with lights, evergreens and flowers and the large congregation filled the church to capacity.

The Presbyterian Sunday School Christmas tree and entertainment was held on Friday evening, Dec. 23rd in the church hall. The programme was varied, consisting of recitations, dialogues, piano selections, choruses, Scotch songs and the audience showed keen appreciation for the efforts made by the teachers by their hearty applause. Prizes for regular attendance during the year were won by Marion Greer, Mae Stewart, Myrtle Cullen, and Mary Bryson. Certificates were awarded for reciting memory work and the Primary Catechism. At the close of the program Santa Claus appeared to the children's delight and unloaded a beautiful and well-laden tree. A silver collection was taken which amounted to $15.96.

Misses Lorna and Alice Middleton of Montreal are spending the Christmas holidays with their father, Mr. A. G. Middleton.

Mrs. Jas. Kane of Montreal is the guest this week of Mr. and Mrs. D. McCaig.

Mrs. Helena McCormick was the week-end guest of her sister, Mrs. M. E. Finn.

Miss Gladys Osmond and Miss Rhoda Osmond are spending a few days the guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. Grey, Hemmingford.

Ormstown W.I.

The Christmas meeting of the Ormstown W.I. was held at the home of Mrs. D. A. Barrington, on Wednesday Dec. 14th. After the business part of the meeting, the afternoon was devoted to Christmas topics. Miss M. Welch was very entertaining in her reading of Dicken's "Christmas Carol". Mrs. W. S. McLaren attended to the musical part of the programme and many corals were sung. Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess and by Mrs. Jas. Moffat and Mrs. D. Munroe. The singing of the National Anthem brought the meeting to a close. The next meeting will be held on Jan. 11, at the home of Mrs. C. J. Bryson.

School Concert—

On Wednesday evening a large and appreciative audience attended the annual Christmas concert given by the pupils in the auditorium of the Ormstown High School.

The concert opened with a carol by Grades 1 and 2, followed by a recitation, "A Stitch in Time," and a costume song, "Who's Afraid of the Big Bad Wolf." Girls of Grades 4 and 5 gave a French motion song which was well done. A playlet, "The Merrymakers" was a humorous sketch of school-teaching in olden days. "The Firefly Drill" a recitation—Just before Christmas and a chorus by Grades 3 and 4 were very pleasing items. "Inside Information." Shadowgraph on Methods of Surgery provided some thrills by Grades 6 and 7. Intermission during which Mr. Munroe spoke a few words of welcome and good wishes.

A play, "Two Kings" by Grades 10 and 11, was a historical one in which each character cleverly portrayed his part. A piano trio by Grade 8 was an enjoyable and well rendered item by the Misses Betty and Hazel Taylor and Master John Taylor. A picturesque dance by girls—Grades 4 and 5 was done to "I've Got a Pocketful of Dreams," and was very pretty and dainty. Songs, "We Three Kings of Orient Are" and "Good King Wenesclas" by Grades 6 and 7. "Christmas Eve" by Grade 9 was an amusing playlet of "Folks Home for Christmas." Finale by the school was carols—"Hark the Herald Angels Sing," "We Three Kings of Orient Are," "Holy Night," "Good King Wenesclas," "O, Come All Ye Faithful." The singing og "God Save the King" brought the program to a close.

Miss Lila Winter of Noyan, Que., is spending the holidays at home.

Mrs. Burgess Cady of Cowansville, and Miss Maude Cottingham of Arundel, are holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Cottingham, Sr.

Mr. Edward H. Dawson is spending the holidays at Chicago, Ill., with his son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil M. Dawson.

Miss Bernice McCartney of Montreal, spent the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. E. McCartney.

Mr. Victor Lang of St. Johns, Que. spent Christmas at home.

Mr. Maitland Patton of Halifax, N.S., is spending the Christmas holidays at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Earle Meikle and family of Howick, were Christmas day guests of her mother, Mrs. Robert Fennell.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Fennell and Miss Hazel Bennett and Mr. Arthur English spent Christmas day at Hemmingford with Mr. and Mrs. W. Bennett.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Cluff and family of Valleyfield were callers Christmas day of her mother, Mrs. Dewick.

New Erin

A Christmas reunion was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Cameron. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. John Brown and son, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Cameron, Huntingdon, Misses Olive and Marjorie Cameron, Montreal, Miss Ethelwynn Cameron and Mr. Gerald Capsey, Bedford, Mr. and Mrs. B. Douglas and son, Leon, of New Erin.

Guests on Christmas day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ryan were Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Viau and family of Lacolle, John Ryan, Hemmingford, Alice Leavey, St. Clothilde, Wm. Levers, Hemmingford and Edward Bayard of Huntingdon.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Rankin and family motored to Lacolle to spend Christmas day with Mrs. Rankin's mother, Mrs. M. A. Van Vliet.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Sherry were dinner guests on Monday at the home of Mrs. Sherry's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ward McLean.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Douglas and son, Leon visited Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. O. Taylor, of the Gore.

Visitors for Christmas at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Sparrow were Mr. T. Ross and Miss Lillie MacKnocker of Montreal.

Miss Kathleen McAleer of Hemmingford visited recently with her friend, Miss Ethel Ryan.

Miss Marjorie Cameron entertained to dinner a number of her young friends on Christmas Eve.

Mr. Harry McCallum of Huntingdon visited Christmas Day with his uncle, Mr. W. J. Walsh.

Miss Eva Chartrand of Athelstan spent Christmas Day at her home here.

Miss Simonne Caza, local teacher, is spending the holidays at her home in St. Anicet.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Theoret and family, also Mr. and Mrs. Wilfrid Daoust visited Christmas Day with Mr. Theoret's parents at St. Timothée.

Mr. J. R. Feeny and family spent Christmas Day with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sherry.

St. Anicet

Mr. Aime Saucier, of Cowansville, Que., is spending the Christmas holidays at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Saucier.

Mr. Napoleon Guernon, of Quebec City, is spending one week's holidays at his home here.

Mr. Leo Ramsay, of Montreal, spent the week-end at the home of his mother, Mrs. Berthe Ramsay.

Miss Juliette Leblanc, of Montreal, spent the week-end at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Napoleon Leblanc.

Messrs. Georges and Paul Quenneville, Jacques Castagner and Gilles Dumouchel, of Valleyfield Seminary, are spending the Christmas holidays with their parents.

Miss Jeanne Caza, of Montreal, spent the week-end with her father, Mr. Donald Caza.

Messrs. Guy Quenneville, Lionel Leahy and Alfred Deschamps, of Bourget College, Rigaud, are spending the Christmas holidays with their parents.

Miss Yolande Dupuis, of L'Annonciation, Que., is visiting with her mother, Mrs. Telesphore Dupuis.

Covey Hill

For want of earlier advertisement which would have allowed people to plan their holiday entertainments differently, the play "Eyes of Love" from Riverfield, did not draw so large an attendance as this event merited. The choice of play and the finished acting were both admirable. The dramatic plot was intriguing and the character portrayal most fascinating.

Carolina's ebony and her nursling's bridal white were a picturesque contrast, while the bridesmaid's sheer blue was very alluring. The atmosphere of dignity pervading the judge's and his wife's parts were strikingly offset by the ludicrous English butler and the escaped convict. The latter moved your feelings intensely, but, it was not until he returned disguised as the Italian organ-grinder that you were completely carried away by his impersonation—national costume, broken English, warm heart, poetical soul, all combined to make him irresistible to his critic as he was to the other characters in the play. Without exception, all the performers did exceptionally well.

Mr. Alvin de Bellefeuille's songs with his own guitar accompaniment were greatly enjoyed, while the audience were exceptionally favored by selections rendered by a cornetist of the Royal Montreal Regiment Band. His hearers hope he will "wander back again" Havelock way.

Mr. and Mrs. James Simpson of Glendale, Calif., have moved into the handsome new home of whose building their friends on the Hill heard with interest. It is only half a block from the residence of Mrs. Simpson's cousin, Mr. John Clelland, member of our local family of the same name.

John Wilson is spending the vacation with his mother in the city. Clinton and Garth Waddell are visiting their relatives there. Miss Edna Curran of Noyan, Que., is at home for the school holidays, also Randall Louden, who is attending Ste. Martine School.

Master George Louden has been sent a poppy from England as a souvenir of the Earl Haig Memorial Fund.

Miss V. G. McCracken's school closed last Thursday, when each pupil received a suitable gift from the teacher.

Mr. Churchill and family spent Christmas with Ormstown friends.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Barr entertained Mr. and Mrs. John Wilson of Watertown and several of their neighbours at a supper party on Saturday.

H'DON RESIDENTS INJURED IN ACCIDENT AT CONSTABLE, N.Y.

Miss Ellen Marshall and Mrs. Charles McConville, of Huntingdon, were slightly injured in a car accident which ocurred at Constable, N.Y., on Thursday evening at about 10.30 p.m.

According to reports, the victims were returning from Malone when their car slid when making a sharp left turn at Constable. The vehicle struck a tree on the side of the road and Miss Marshall and Mrs. McConville, who were riding in the rear seat, were badly shaken by the impact of the vehicle on the tree.

They were taken to Huntingdon shortly after the accident. Miss Marshall suffered from strain and bruises while Mrs. McConville was slightly injured.

The car was driven by Mrs. McConville's brother, Mr. John Sterling, of St. Anicet.

Born

Maither—At Brooklet, Que., on Friday, Dec. 23rd, 1938, to Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Maither, a son, Ernest William.

Married

Baird-Stark—At Huntingdon, Que., On Saturday, Dec. 17th, 1938, at the home of Mr. R. C. Cooper, brother-in-law of the bride, the Rev. W. Scott Duncan officiating, Bertha May, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Angus Stark, of Huntingdon, to William Neil, son of Mrs. Robert Baird, Glenelm, Que.

Senecal - Renaud — At St. Joseph's Church, Huntingdon, on Monday December 26th, 1938, Rev. Father H. Charlebois officiating, Laurette Renaud, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hormisdas Renaud, of Huntingdon, to Mr. Orille Senecal, son of Mr. and Mrs. Domina Senecal, of Lacolle, Que.

Died

Bannon—At Montreal, Que., 2257 Girouard Ave., on Friday, December 23rd, 1938, Mrs. James Bannon, née Anna Moore, aged 68 years, and mother of T. Moore Bannon.

Duncan—On December 21st, 1938, at her late residence, 563 Lansdowne Avenue, Mary McKell, widow of John Donaldson Duncan. Interred Georgetown Presbyterian Church, Howick.

Goodfellow—At Huntingdon, Que., on Thursday, December 22, 1938, Charles Kenneth Goodfellow, son of John Wesley Goodfellow and the late Elizabeth H. McClenaghan, in his 35th year.

Longtin—At Huntingdon, Que., on Saturday, December 24th, 1938, Marguerite Longtin, beloved daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Armand Longtin, aged 7 years.

Todd—At Kensington, Que., on Sunday, December 25th, 1938, Walter George Todd, son of the late Robert Todd, aged 60 years.

CARD OF THANKS

Mr. J. W. Goodfellow and family wish to thank their many friends and neighbours for their kindness and sympathy shown during their recent sad bereavement.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our most sincere thanks to all our good friends and relatives for kind sympathy shown during our recent sad bereavement.

James T. Bannon and Family

IN MEMORIAM

Bonnar—In sad and loving memory of our darling wife and mother who died on Dec. 28th, 1936.

Angels guard our darling Wife and Mother
In that Heavenly Home above.
Keep her safe, so safe, and happy,
Shield with tenderest care and love.

Could we tell her worth dear Angels
While these lips with sorrows dumb.
But 'tis far, far more than rubies
Guard her, Angels, till we come.

Her loving husband,
Alexander Bonnar and children.

Robson

Misses Della and Olive Cleland and Master Archie Cleland of Montreal were Christmas holiday guests at the home of their uncle, Mr. W. H. Stewart.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Moore and little nephew, Ross Moore, of Lachine, were Christmas guests at the Stewart home.

Mrs. Henry Stewart and Master Bert Stewart are spending Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Thompson and family at Bristol, Que.

Miss Marie Grant of Montreal, was a Christmas holiday guest of her sister, Mrs. Willis Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Walker and baby, also Hollis Grey of Syracuse, N. Y., motored here to spend Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Grey.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Sample entertained their family on Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hastings of Port Rowan, Ont., motored here and are spending the holidays with Mrs. Hastings' father, Mr. Wm. C. Barr and brother, Mr. Percy Barr.

Mr. and Mrs. Fernie Beattie entertained at a Christmas dinner on Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Whiteside Kearns spent Christmas with their daughter, Mrs. Robert Tolhurst of Cartierville.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Blair spent Christmas in Plattsburg with their daughters.

The Misses Nessie and Jennie Barr of Montreal spent Christmas at their home.

The afternoon service in Knox Church on Sunday was a Candle Light service. The church was lit with many candles. Special music was rendered by the Hemmingford choir and Rev. V. Rose preached a splendid Christmas sermon.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Turnbull and family of Plattsburg were Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Sweet.

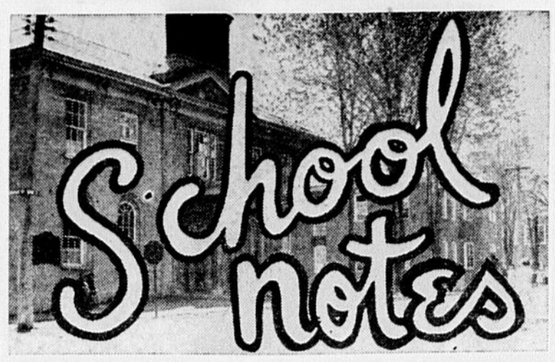
Mr. Morrison Kearns and his mother, Mrs. Wm. H. Kearns spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McEwen, Ormstown.

Miss Bessie Kearns has been stationed at the Mission School, Kong-Moon, China for several years. This place has recently been taken by the Japs. The place was not bombed but the Japs just walked in and took possession. So Miss Kearns is now under the Japanese rule. It has been learned through reliable source that conditions will not be changed much, that foreigners will be safe. The only thing at present may be shortage of rations till things are settled. They have not heard from Miss Kearns since but expect to hear shortly.

School closed on Thursday afternoon. Miss Sample had a Christmas tree and all the children were invited and enjoyed playing games and had a few recitations by the little ones. Later Santa appeared and distributed candy, nuts and gifts. School is to reopen on the 3rd of January.

Mr. Jack Stewart has been rushed to a Montreal Hospital on Monday morning as he has been badly burnt.

The Provincial Apiarist of British Columbia estimates the total honey crop for the province during the 1938 season at 791 tons, with an average of 75 pounds per colony. This is a record, the highest total previously recorded being 756 tons in 1935.



First Term Reports of Students of Huntingdon Academy
(Alphabetically arranged)

GRADE I

A.—Colin Arnold, Betty Beare, Arthur Brown, Hazel Cairns, Dora Donnelly, Donnie Heath, Beverly Kyle, Tommy MacNaughton, Lorne McBride, Bobby Montpetit, Helen Paul, Margaret Rankin, Franklin Ruddock, Peggy Stark.

B.—Willis Arthur, Morris Beaudin, Shirley Cooper, John Dawson, Phyllis Harrigan, June McWhinnie.

C.—Audrey Benson, John Crawford.

Grade I Leaders (in order of merit)—1. Bobby Montpetit; 2, Lorne McBride; 3, Colin Arnold; 4, Peggy Stark.

GRADE II

A.—Dorothy Anderson, Helen Beattie, Mervin Elliott, Joan Rankin, George Tannahill, Gordon Tannahill, Isabel Telfer, Jacqueline Wilson, Betty Zabitsky.

B.—May Beaudin, Elizabeth Boyce, John Donnelly, Milton Evans, Betty Mose, Evelyn Tatem, Stewart Tedstone.

C.—Lilian Beare, George Crawford, Melvin Harrigan, Garfield Henderson.

Grade II Leaders—1, Helen Beattie; 2, Mervin Elliott; 3, Joan Rankin; 4, George Tannahill.

GRADE III

A.—Pearl Beare, Kaireen Guest, Helen Kelly, Carol Martin, Ruth Montpetit.

B.—Danny Boyce, Annie Caldwell, Allison Carr, Ralph Connor, Mary Dawson, Emerson Donnelly, Loren Heath, Roma Hirst, Howard Kelly, Douglas McGerrigle, Jimmy Robb, Shirley Wood.

C.—Billy Henderson, Billy Sandys, Stanley Welburn.

Grade III Leaders—1, Helen Kelly; 2, Carol Martin; 3, Kaireen Guest; 4, Pearl Beare.

GRADE IV

A.—Nelson Beattie, Beatrice Cairns, Joe Cole, Amy Donnelly, Thelma Kelly, Jeanette Pierce.

B.—Allister Anderson, William Beaudin, Grace Caldwell, Keith Fawcett, Norma Goodfellow, Roil Hatcher, Rachel Levine, Donald MacGregor, Baird Pringle, Royce Ruddock, Margaret Tallon, Margaret Tannahill, Margaret Tatem, Clifford Winter.

C.—Annie Goldie, Duncan Rankin.

Grade IV Leaders—1, Joe Cole, Thelma Kelly; 2, Nelson Beattie; 3, Amy Donnelly; 4, Jeanette Pierce.

GRADE V

A.—Beryl Evans, Donald MacNaughton.

B.—Jim Bickford, George Bowden, Bobby Chambers, Vivian Dawson, Jack Dudley, Joan Fox, Austen Marshall, Charles Nicholas, Helen Oney, Ronald Ovans, Allison Stark.

C.—Marjorie Anderson, Hector Beaudin, Mae Blachford, Cecil Cairns, Annie Levine, Cameron MacGregor, Stuart McDermid, Marion Paul, John Ruddock, Norma Stark, Walter Welburn.

D.—Warren Harrigan, Mervin Paul, Betty Stymest, Iona Warden.

Grade V Leaders—1, Donald MacNaughton; 2, Beryl Evans; 3, Jack Dudley, Charles Nicholas; 4, Vivian Dawson.

GRADE VI

A.—Arthur Campbell.

B.—Joyce Anderson, June Beattie, Marjorie Caldwell, Leslie Chambers, Leon Douglas, Loyola Leahy, Alan McEwen, Adrian Sparrow, Gladys Tannahill.

C.—Newton Arthur, Edith Cruickshank, Almeta Elliott, Eileen Elliott, Gordon Grant, Edward McLean, Aleta McWhinnie.

D.—John Wilkinson.

Grade VI Leaders—1, Arthur Campbell; 2, Leslie Chambers; 3, June Beattie, Adrian Sparrow; 4, Loyola Leahy.

GRADE VII

A.—Marjorie Clouston, Vera Fawcett, Bernice Grant, Roberta Kelly.

B.—Florence Carr, Norman Dawson, Margaret Ferns, Mary Fox, Anne Harper, Ruth Kerr, Vera McCracken, Malcolm McNaughton, Allison Sparrow, Marian Stark, Florence Tatem.

C.—Irvin Biggar, Julius Boyd, John Cluff, Mae Donnelly, Charlotte Finn, George Goodfellow, Armand Montpetit, David Pringle, Lloyd White.

D.—Lawrence Elliott, Ernest Grant, Archie McIntosh.

Grade VII Leaders—1, Marjorie Clouston; 2, Vera Fawcett, Roberta Kelly; 3, Bernice Grant; 4, Norman Dawson.

GRADE VIII

A.—Helen Cunningham, Gwen Fawcett, Roberta McDermid, Mildred Seward.

B.—Ruth Blachford, Donald Bowden, Joe Carr, Una Fennell, Hazel Irving, Dorothy Laurie, Dunsmore McClatchie, Edith McEwan, Jimmy Montle, James Paterson, May Shackleton, Alton Warden, Mary Stymest.

C.—Malcolm Arnold, Bessie Arthur, Orval Goodfellow, Margaret Hunter, Marguerite Shearer, John Woodward, Fanny Zabitsky.

D.—Gordon Anderson, Doris Harrigan, John Irving, Helen Pombreo.

Grade VIII Leaders—1, Roberta McDermid; 2, Helen Cunningham, Gwen Fawcett, Mildred Seward; 3, May Shackleton; 4, Ruth Blachford.

GRADE IX
(Leaders only)

1, Alan Mann; 2, Helen Harrigan, Sydney Montle; 3, Billie Bowden; 4, Jean Graham.

In the list as published in last week's Gleaner there was an error in the rating of students in Grade XI. The correct rating according to merit is:

1, Arline McIntosh; 2, Elmer Elliot; 3, Arthur Tully; 4, Stuart Oney.

Brooklet-Herdman

Results of the Christmas examinations in Herdman School No. 4, are as follows:

Class IV (Sr.)—Ayliffe Graham, 94.3; June Travisee, 89.3; Gladys Taylor, 87.8.

Class IV (Jr.)—Andrew Henderson, 81.9; Peter Tully, 81.6.

Class IV (Sr.)—Reggie Taylor, 88.8; Ronald Gamble, 88.6; Jack Tully, 81.6.

Class II (Sr.)—Willis Rennie, 92.4; Dan Tully, 81.8.

Class II (Jr.)—Russel Tully, 90.2; Erskine Gamble, 88.8.

Class I — Billy Travisee (no exams).

Ethel E. MacMaster (teacher)

DUNDEE INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL

The annual Christmas concert of the Dundee Intermediate School was held in the church hall, on Wednesday evening.

The programme opened with an address by the chairman of the School Board, Mr. D. D. Fraser. He remarked on the success of the Consolidated School during the past years, drawing attention to the many benefits consolidation has brought about in Dundee.

The program was as follows: A chorus by the School: Yule Returns; recitation: Welcome by Lorna Fleming; dialogue: Miss Christmas Acquitted; song: Poor Old Christmas Dolls; song: The Shovel Brigade; recitation: A Joke on Pa, by Burnie Fleming; drill: Red White and Green; dialogue: Santa Claus; recitation: To Santa's Home by Isabel Kazulak; Primary pantomime: Christmas scenes; playlet: Mr. Hummel Gets an Idea; dialogue: Mrs. Brown's Christmas Gift; Christmas drill; dialogue: A Sure Cure for Peddlers; playlet: The Mystery of Christmas Grove; three Christmas songs by the Girls' Choir; dialogue: The Shepherd Who Slept.

The next item on the programme was the presentation of a Junior Red Cross Seal to the local Junior Red Cross. The presentation was made by the Rev. Mr. Lynn. Mary Thomson, the President of the Red Cross Society in Grades X and XI received the seal. This seal denotes ten years of service to the Junior Red Cross by the Dundee Intermediate School. It is to be placed on a certificate now in the school. This certificate denotes five years of service to the Junior Red Cross and was received five years ago.

The programme concluded with a chorus by the school, after which Santa Claus arrived. He was in a cheerful mood and by his antics amused the audience as well as the pupils. He distributed a well-filled bag of candy and oranges and presents from the heavily laden Christmas tree.

Miss E. M. England is spending the holidays at her home in Waterville, Miss B. M. Fraser in Dundee, and the Misses R. A. Stark and R. J. Arthur at their homes in Huntingdon.

Miss Elva Fraser of Grade X, is a patient in the Montreal General Hospital, where she underwent an operation for appendicitis last Wednesday.

Hemmingford Int. School, Christmas Exams.

Grade X—1, Charles Petch, 82; 2, Helena Barr, 73.5; 3, Peggy Hawkins, 72.3; 4, Joyce Whyte, 71.3; 5, Edna Cookman, 70.7; 6, Frank White, 68.3; 7, Ruth Napper, 64.3.

Grade IX—1, Huntley McKay, 91.7; 2, Beattie Barr, 86.9; 3, Betty McKay, 83.3; 4, Jean Gowdey, 81.7; 5, Wm. Fewster, 80.7; 6, Thos. Cleland, 80; 7, Christena Hawkins, 74.9; 8, Hardie McArthur and Warren Fewster, 74.4 10, Elizabeth Brown, 73.7; 11, Edith Greer, 72.8; 12, Norma Currie, 72.5; 13, John Kennedy, 71.4; 14, Willis Hadley and Pearl Akester, 68.3; 16, Anne Reid, 67.9; 17, Margaret Hawkins, 67.8; 18, Shirley McKay, 50.6.

Grade VIII—1, Laura Cookman, 76.6; 2, Margaret Laurie, 73.7.

Grade VII—1, Tom Summers, 74.3; 2, Victorine Auger, unranked.

Grade VI—1, Bobbie Petch, 87.4; 2, Edwin Keddy, 81.8; 3, Ross McNaughton, 73.9; 4, Lois McArthur, 71.6; 5, Ruth White, 71.4; 6, Jim Laurie, 70.6; 7, Moore Cleland, 68.3; 8, Bob Curry, 65.1.

Grade V—1, Donald Reid, 77.4; 2, Maralyn Lawrance, 77.3; 3, Donald Cleland, 64.5; 4, Bernard Castonguay, 64.0; George Stenson, Agnes Auger, Barbara Laurie, unranked.

Grade IV—1, Bruce McCanse, 80.6; 2, David Goodfellow, 72.4; 3, Norman White, 72.2; 4, Willie Stinson, 67.2; 5, Hilda Summers, 56.8; Dorothy Auger, unranked.

Grade III—1, Albert Caldwell, 87; 2, Elsie Caldwell, 82.9; Kenneth Walsh, Meryl Curry, Henry Ormerod, unranked.

Grade II—1, Howard Marlin, 92.1; 2, Mary Reid and Carol Laurie, 89; 3, Muriel Marlin, 88.6; 4, Ernest Muir, 84.1; 5, Arnold McNaughton, 83.3.

Grade I—Did not have exams—Viola Brown, John Goodfellow.

Franklin Rural

Parents and friends gathered at the Franklin Town Hall last Wednesday evening, December 21st, to enjoy a Christmas entertainment put on by the teacher, Miss G. Gamble and pupils of Franklin No. 1 School. The programme consisted of 26 items. The children did their parts well, especially worthy of mentioning is the dialogue entitled, "The Poor Teacher," which was very well acted, and also the "Dance of the Christmas Stockings," was much enjoyed. Santa Claus unloaded a well-laden tree; both teacher and pupils being well remembered. Much thanks is extended to Miss Arlene Sutton and Mr. Ross Carson for their cowboy selections. We also wish to thank Mayor Faille for kindly giving us the use of the hall. Two dollars of the proceeds was donated to the secretary of the W.C.T.U., Mrs. R. J. Blair, for the Temperance Study, the remainder was used for school purposes.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Rorison and family of Howick and also Mr. Wm. Gamble were Christmas guests on Monday of their brother, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Gamble.

Man Given Lift Killed When Car Capsizes

Hugh O'Reilly Instantly Killed When Car Landed On Ice Near Cornwall

When a car in which he was a passenger went over the bank of the Black River and landed upside down on the ice, at an early hour Sunday morning, Hugh O'Reilly, 37, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas O'Reilly, Curry Hill, a few miles from Cornwall, Ont., was almost instantly killed. O'Reilly was picked up on highway 2 by Frank Ritherdon, Montreal, driver of the car, in which also were Mary and Grace Macdonald, cousins, of Williamstown, who were being driven home from the city by Ritherdon. About two miles west of Lancaster, the car left the road and went over the bank of the river to the ice, 12 feet below, landing upside down. The two girls were thrown out. They went to a nearby home to summon aid and the rescuers extricated O'Reilly and Ritherdon from beneath the car. Dr. D. J. Dolan and Provincial Constable J. E. Soubliere were called from Alexandria and when the officer reached the scene O'Reilly was found to be dead with a broken neck. Grace Macdonald had her right arm broken between the elbow and wrist, and Mary Macdonald's right wrist was sprained and she was badly bruised. Ritherdon escaped without a scratch. Dr. Dolan treated the injuries to the girl.

O'Reilly's body was brought to Cornwall where a post mortem was performed by Dr. S. B. Cameron, on instruction of Dr. Dolan, coroner.

Ritherdon appeared before E. H. Stimson, J.P., at Alexandria, charged with manslaughter and was admitted to bail of $2,000.

O'Reilly leaves his parents, a brother, James O'Reilly, Cornwall, and a sister, Miss Gertrude O'Reilly, Montreal. The deceased was also a nephew of Mr. Neil O'Hare, of Huntingdon.

Celebrate Fortieth Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Brownlee, of Hemmingford Presented Comforter on 40th Anniversary

On Wednesday evening, Dec. 21, a surprise gathering of relatives, friends and neighbours assembled at Peach Blow Farm, Hemmingford, to celebrate Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Brownlee's fortieth wedding anniversary.

The hearty congratulations of the many friends showed the high esteem in which Mr. and Mrs. Brownlee are held in the community.

One of the outstanding events of the evening was a telegram of congratulations from Mr. and Mrs. Willie Brown, of Vancouver, B.C., formerly of Hemmingford and very dear friends of the forty-year bride and groom.

About eleven-thirty, the friends were all asked to come into the large dining-room, where to the strains of the wedding march, played by Mrs. Emmett Cleland, Mr. and Mrs. Brownlee marched before Rev. Mr. Rose, who on behalf of the friends gathered, presented them with a lovely Eiderdown comforter. Then followed the singing of "For They are Jolly Good Fellows" with a rousing cheer of Hip, Hip, Horray.

Mr. and Mrs. Brownlee, though completely taken by surprise, fittingly thanked Mr. Rose and the assembled friends for their kind remembrance.

Lunch was served and everyone left for home after a very enjoyable evening spent together among old friends.

Tatehurst

Miss Catherine Hawkins of Hemmingford spent the past week with her friend, Mrs. Russell Towns.

Mr. and Mrs. Towns, Mervyn and Lyla of Franklin, Mrs. Wm. Finlayson, were guests on Monday of Mr. and Mrs. William Kilgour and Mr. and Mrs. Russell Towns.

parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Skidmore spent Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Skimore, Delson.

Miss Marguerite MacDougall of the Montreal General Hospital and Miss Ruby MacDougall of Beaupré, spent the holiday with Mr. and Mrs. Robert MacDougall.

Mr. Leslie McCaig, of Westmount, is spending the Christmas vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Neil McCaig.

Miss Isobel Brown, R.N., of Montreal, spent Christmas with her sister, Miss Agnes Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Kerr and family of Howick, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Brown.

Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Whiteford were: Mr. and Mrs. Harold Robertson, Elton and Donald, Riverfield, Miss Luella McKell, R.N., Messrs. Whiteford and Archie McKell, Aubrey, Mr. and Mrs. Adam McNeil and Beryl, Miss Carmen McNeil, of Arundel, Miss Mamie NeNeil of Macdonald College, Mr. and Mrs. Alan Hooker, Lyndon and Brian and Mr. Arthur Henderson.

Mr. Lionel Upton of Macdonald College is spending the holiday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Upton.

Mr. and Mrs. Carson Wallace of Roxham were week-end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gruer.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Scott spent the holiday with Mr. and Mrs. Alex Riddock and other relatives in Montreal.

Valleyfield

Dr. and Mrs. O. E. Caza and Dr. and Mrs. B. Bibaud, of Valleyfield will leave on Thursday for two weeks' holidays in Miami, Florida. They will return on January 12th.

Franklin Rural

(Intended for last week)

The Ladies' Aid of Zion Church was held Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Charles Stevenson. The afternoon was spent in piecing quilt blocks and knitting. During the business period, the officers were elected for the following year with Mrs. Belbin, Pres., Mrs. Harold Stevenson, Sec., and Mrs. Curtis Carson, Treas. The Aid has received a supply of Hymnaries which they are donating to the church to replace the Canadian Hymnals.

The Christmas report of Franklin School District No. 1 is as follows:

Class IV Sr.: Dorothy Stevenson, 84.5%; 2, Margaret Gamble, 71.

Class IV, Jr.: Mabel Brooks, 75.4.

Class III, Sr.: 1, Lorette Tremblay, 68.6; 2, Leon Tremblay, 60.8.

Class III, Jr.: 1, Iris Brooks, 78; 2, Irene Gulas, 75.5; 3, Glenna Stevenson, 71; 4, Rodger Vaincourt, 63.6; 5, Kenneth Stevenson, 62; 6, Curtis Lamb, 55; 7, Steve Gulas, 52.5.

No. 6 and 7 are unranked.

Class II, Sr.: 1, Mini Gulas, 75; 2, Beryl Lamb, 71.8; 3, Bernice Stevenson, 69.2; 4, James Breza, 66.4; 5, Harvey Tremblay, 66.

Class II, Jr.: Vlady Kusturik, 86.8.

Class I: 1, Gertrude Carson, 90; 2, Gladys Stevenson, 89.5.

Missed part of exams through illness.

Greta L. Gamble, Teacher

Master Charles Edwards has been spending a few days at the home of his aunt, Mrs. R. W. Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Gamble and Greta spent Sunday the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Jackson at Corbin.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Lamb spent Sunday with Mrs. Lamb's parents in Montreal.

Obituary

The late Charles Goodfellow

Charles Kenneth Goodfellow, third son of John Wesley Goodfellow, and the late Elizabeth H. McClenaghan died suddenly at his home in Hinchinbrooke, near Huntingdon, on the twenty-second day of December. The deceased was well known, having spent most of his life in this vicinity, and having for several years been in business as an electrician. He had in this way come to be well known throughout the country for miles around.

Much sympathy is felt for the bereaved family as was evidenced by the large congregation that assembled in the United Church on Saturday afternoon. The funeral service was conducted by the Rev. J. H. Miller, D.D., minister of the church, assisted by Rev. J. B. Maclean, D.D.

The floral tributes from fraternal societies and from his friends and relatives was a silent tribute to the place Charles had held in the hearts of all.

He leaves to mourn his death, his father and three brothers, Howard W., G. Delbert, and Ralph; and two sisters, Marjorie and Bertha.

Havelock

(Intended for last week)

Mrs. Herb. Pilon of St. Chrysostome was a recent guest of her mother, Mrs. Buchanan.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfrid Robinson attended the funeral of their cousin, Mr. Shield at Rouses Point on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Allen, Miss Mary Buchanan spent Friday in Malone.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Dragoon of Mooers were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. Beattie.

Mr. Herb. Ellerton has returned from a visit with friends in Plattsburg.

Misses Shirley and Lillian Waddell of Howick spent the week-end with their parents.

The sudden death of Mr. Sam Boyd occurred on Friday evening. Deceased was 54 years old. He leaves a wife and three daughters, Marguerite, Catherine and Vivian. The funeral took place on Monday at Russeltown church.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Hesseltine and daughter of Malone, Mrs. Holcombe of Chateaugay were Saturday guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. Cowan.

Thieves Are Active in Vicinity

Petty thieving has been reported in the vicinity of Robson and other centres in the Chateauguay Valley recently. One night last week while Mr. and Mrs. Dorsey Stinson were at a neighbour's home, whose little child had passed away, someone drove into their woods and cut down and loaded a truck load of 60 Christmas trees. Not only did they cut the small ones but also the tops of several larger ones, destroying these trees.

Some individuals also took a truckful of three foot wood from Mr. L. H. Blair's farm, belonging to Mr. Turcot. Mr. Leo Fortin also lost a truck load of wood recently.

Some of the farmers in the vicinity of Robson reported that someone visited their garages and emptied their car tanks of gasoline.

Othel minor robberies have been reported in the vicinity of Dundee, Ste. Agnes and Huntingdon and the farmers along that section stated this week that they are keeping a close watch and should the culprits be caught in the act, they will have to pay dearly for their doings.

TRUCK AND LOAD OF WOOL SEIZED IN WESTVILLE, N.Y.

Found apparently abandoned on a side road in the town of Westville, a large truck laden with three tons of wool was seized by U. S. customs border patrolmen recently.

Customs officials believe the wool was smuggled over the border, that the truck became disabled and the driver fled.

No arrests have been made as yet. The truck and load was taken to Ogdensburg and turned over to customs headquarters.


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Births, Marriages, Deaths...

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2—John George Shapcott of Montreal to Miss Celia Margaret Greer of Ormstown.
2—Vernon Newton Elder of Huntingdon to Miss Grace Isabel Davidson of Ste. Agnes de Dundee.
2—Mark Lafountain of Canton to Miss Edna Elizabeth Holcombe of Potsdam.
4—William Henry Swanton of Valleyfield to Miss Estelle Leduc of St. Timothy.
9—Bennett F. Russell of Bombay, N.Y., to Miss Isabel Waller Elder of Ormstown.
15—Abert William Gardner of Toronto to Miss Lucille Elizabeth Smith of Meaford, Ont.
22—Melmon Fletcher Maxwell of Chateauguay Heights to Miss Ruth Margaret McCann of Winnipeg, Man.
30—George James Allison Elder of Elgin to Miss Mary Louisa Ruth Lang of Elgin.
30—Thomas Albert Gray of Montreal to Miss Harriet Macdonald of Montreal.

August:—
3—William J. Culhane of Mattawa to Miss J. Clare Brosseau of Howick.
9—Dr. Gordon Fleming Frame of Rochester, N.Y., to Miss Grace Alison Cunningham of Huntingdon.
10—George Hartley Sutton of Covey Hill, Que., to Miss Elma Louise Cookman of Odelltown, Que.
15—Pierre Alcide Leduc of St. Anicet to Miss Emma Ola Higgins of St. Anicet.
18—Gus. O'Connor of Huntingdon to Miss Gladys Walker Patton of Lachute, Que.
29—Almer Leblanc of Joussard, Alta. to Miss Jeanne Blouin of Joussard, Alta.

September:—
3—William Ian Crutchfield of Shawinigan Falls, Que., to Miss Mildred Lenora Brace Hollis of Toronto, Ont.
3—Gérard DeGagné of Huntingdon to Miss Emma Leblanc of Ste. Agnes de Dundee.
3—Norman W. Sparrow of Huntingdon to Miss Elsie Margaret Sellar of Huntingdon.
10—Ralza A. English of Ormstown, Que., to Miss M. Edith Sproule of Montreal.
10—William Wiltshire of Westmount, Que., to Miss Margaret Galbraith Kerr of Howick, Que.
10—James C. Cleland of Albury to Miss Grace Alice Davis of Rouses Point, N.Y.
17—Thomas William Rice of Ormstown, Que., to Miss Grace Maude Dawson of Outremont, Que.
21—Charles Wellington Potter of Covey Hill, Que., to Miss Bessie Margaret Colgan of Mooers, N.Y.
26—Gerard Beaudin of Lacolle, Que. to Miss Carmen Lefebvre of Huntingdon.
28—Donald T. Ness of Howick, Que., to Miss Muriel M. Gruer of Aubrey.

October:—
1—Frederick Carleton Jackson to Miss Dorothy Ethel Plant of Hingham.
8—Edward Gilmore Donnelly of Montreal, Que., to Miss Edith Mary Harper of Toronto, Ont.
8—William Alexander Cunningham of Westmount, Que., to Miss Margaret Hamilton McLean of Westmount.
15—Frank Carruthers of Crysler, Ont., to Miss Helen Agnes Paul of Crysler, Ont.
15—Roger Lemieux of Howick, Que., to Miss Cécile Sauvé of Howick.
15—Jules Dupuy of Huntingdon, Que., to Miss Cécile Goyette of Ste. Martine.
18—Dr. George N. Kelly of Pawling, N.Y., to Miss Leah Hultz of Coldspring, N.Y.
26—Hervey Primeau of Huntingdon to Miss Jeanne Berthe Leduc of Beauharnois, Que.
29—Lyle Elder of Montreal, Que., to Miss Jean McCallum of Huntingdon.
29—Lawrence Cavanagh of Montreal, Que., to Miss Patricia McGrory of Montreal.

November:—
2—Kenneth Sutton of Covey Hill, Que., to Miss Thelma Viola Stevenson of Covey Hill.
16—Joachim Laberge of Ormstown, Que., to Miss Adrienne Duclos of Huntingdon.
19—Hugh Robinson McAdam of Ormstown, Que., to Miss Charlotte Jean Kerr of Huntingdon.
19—George D. Moore of Winnipeg, Man., to Miss Ella Jean Beattie of Hemmingford, Que.
19—George William Duncan Wallace of Roxham, Que., to Miss Viola Elizabeth Gruer of Ormstown, Que.
23—Louis Plante of Westville, N.Y., to Miss Lorette Ouimet of St. Agnes de Dundee, Que.
2—Rev. Donald Bruce MacKay, of Howick, Que., to Miss Mary Jane Beattie of Shaker Heights, Ohio.
26—George Henry Bass of Wilton, Maine, to Miss Catherine Forbush of Brockton, Mass.
29—William Donald Lang of Ormstown, Que., to Miss Jean Isabel Bennie of Riverfield, Que.
30—Stanley Beattie of Franklin Centre, Que., to Miss Mary Patricia Lloyd Todd of Franklin Centre, Que.

December:—
1—George Lamb of Verdun, Que., to Miss Katherine Archer.
3—Robert George Shipman of Montreal, Que., to Miss Annie Elouise St. Louis of Ormstown, Que.
6—Robert Edward Thomas Pringle of St. Andrew's East to Miss Alice Roberta Oborne of Westmount, Que.

DEATHS

January:—
4—Mrs. Joseph McDowell, Ormstown, aged 93.
5—Mrs. William J. Darby, Wrenshall, Minn., aged 67.
5—Richard Reany, Chateauguay Basin, 81.
7—William Rea, Huntingdon.
8—Robert Whittal, Huntingdon, 86.
8—Mrs. Anson D. Mann, Winnipeg, Man., 69.
9—Mrs. George Beers, Montreal, 98.
10—Mrs. David C. Healey, Chateauguay, N.Y., 50.
11—Thomas Watson, Georgetown, 74
11—Rev. Thomas S. St. Aubin, Ste. Philomene.
12—Charles Kinniburgh, Vancouver, B.C., 79.
13—Mrs. Robert Perry, Toronto, Ont., 87.
14—Mrs. James Ward, Fort Covington, N.Y., 66.
16—Samuel L. Todd, Hinchinbrooke, 78.
17—Robert Robinson, Hemmingford, 70.
18—Mrs. Frank Bryant, Bradford, Mass., 82.
19—Mrs. Gordon Edwards, Hemmingford, 50.
22—Mrs. Angus N. McDonald, Huntingdon, 73.
22—Mrs. John Watherston, Edmonton, Alta., 87.
23—Mrs. Freeman Norris, Granby.
25—Catherine Roulston, Churubusco, N.Y.
26—Mrs. Albert S. Clelland, Mooers Forks, N.Y., 80.
27—Edward J. Martin, Verdun, 51.
27—Mrs. Frances Barriere, Hallerton, Que.
30—Mrs. Huldah L. Spear, Chateauguay Lake, N.Y., 83.
31—Mrs. Eusebe Descent, Howick, 52.
31—Mrs. William Spear, Merrill, N.Y.

February:—
1—Mrs. David Shaw, Verdun.
1—Joseph Bouchard, Howick, 88.
2—Mrs. Walter W. Pierce, Coaticook, Que.
3—Mary Hassan, Verdun, 24.
4—John McComb, Havelock, 74.
6—Lloyd McDonald, Ottawa.
7—Michael McDonagh, Huntingdon, 55.
7—William John Murphy, Ormstown, 78.
7—Andrew Stark, Huntingdon, 63.
8—James McKell, Riverfield.
8—Herman Montcalm, Ormstown, 78.
10—C. A. McNee, Toronto, Ont.
10—James Alexander, Regina, Sask.
12—Kenneth M. Chalmers, Montreal, 55.
16—Mrs. James McCaffrey, Huntingdon.
17—Mrs. Ellen Scriver, Badaxe, Michigan, 96.
17—Mrs. Wilbur King Chateaugay, N.Y., 19.
21—George J. Fraser, Dundee, 64.
22—William H. English, Ormstown, 79.
23—Joseph Dorais, Huntingdon.
23—Patrick O'Connor, Huntingdon, 48.
23—William Sparrow, New Westminster, B.C., 79.
25—George J. Tait, St. Louis de Gonzague, 76.
26—Mrs. Jacob Bonhower, Williamstown, Ont., 83.
28—Mrs. James D. Bicknell, Huntingdon.
28—James Templeton Greig, Saskatoon, Sask.
10—James Alexander Gordon, Cupar, Sask., 71.

March:—
1—Thomas Baird Palliser, Brooklyn, N.Y., 54.
2—George William Dryden, Hemmingford, 80.
3—Mrs. John Peddie, Ormstown, 80.
5—William McCombs, Perrington, Mich., 83.
6—Miss Barbara Marlin, Hemmingford, 80.
7—Charles A. Dickenson, Franklin Centre, 62.
8—Mrs. Mathilda J. Wood, Malone, N.Y., 76.
9—Mrs. Jessie C. MacIntosh, Glenelm, 71.
11—Mary Gentles, Howick.
13—David Adams, Chateaugay, N.Y., 89.
14—Alexandre Deschamps, St. Anicet, 77.
16—Gilbert Ernest Campbell, Winnipeg, Man., 65.
17—Michael Finnegan, St. Anicet, 77.
17—John McDowell, Herring, N.Y., 92.
17—Moses Galipeau, Huntingdon, 52.
18—Miss Elizabeth Beattie, Upper Ormstown, 66.
20—Thomas Sutherland Stewart, Howick, 56.
20—Robert Whiteford, Allan's Corners, 86.
24—George T. Leehy, St. Anicet, 25.
26—Thomas R. Anderson, Fort Worth, Texas, 57.
26—William Hastie, Trochu, Alberta, 78.
26—Charlotte W. Baird, Montreal.
29—Mrs. Willis Thomas, Huntingdon.
29—Andrew Geddes, Ormstown, 80.

April:—
4—Miss Edith Baker, Dundee, 75.
4—Thomas Sadler, Lindsay, Ont.
6—Mrs. John Forth, Lyrander, N.Y., 82.
6—William Sivan, Westmount, 78.
9—Harry Zabitsky, Huntingdon, 41.
11—Mrs. John Carmichael, Aubrey.
14—Mrs. Albert Leblanc, St. Anicet, 43.
15—Mrs. Allen McHardy, Saskatchewan.
19—Mrs. James Ross, Athelstan.
19—Mrs. Thomas Sadler, Lindsay, Ont.
21—Mrs. James L. Wells, Oreana, Idaho, 75.
24—Miss Robena Ann Louden, Manchester, N.H., 59.
25—Mrs. George Fiddes, Whittier, California, 85.
26—Samuel Reddick, Aubrey, 62.

May:—
3—Mrs. Harold Channell, Magog.
3—Mrs. Ed. W. Morgan, Three Rivers, Que.
4—Mrs. Minnie Johnston Taylor, Butte, Montana, 71.
6—Edmund Latulipe, Kirkland Lake, Ont., 56.
6—Mrs. F. E. Hutchins, Toronto, Ont.
6—Mrs. George Cobbe, Mather, Man.
7—Samuel E. McKee, Ormstown, 75.
7—John Brown, Calgary, Alta.
9—Mrs. Percy Chauvin, Athelstan, 53.
12—Mrs. Adrien Gendron, Valleyfield, Que., 28.
15—Mrs. Thomas Roussel, St. Scholastique, Que., 83.
18—Mrs. Thomas Nicholson, St. Johns, Que., 71.
21—Mrs. Charles C. Reavie, Belleville, Ont., 23.
22—Alderic Daoust, Herdman, Que., 52.
22—Mrs. May Stearns, Manchester, N.H.
24—Mrs. Cornelia A. Rowe, College Park, Georgia, 80.
25—Mr. James Logan, Westmount, 58.
28—Mrs. James McKeegan, Ormstown, 76.
28—Miss Claire Trunkfield, Vancouver, B.C., 7.
29—Infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Mayville, North Bangor.
29—Mrs. Willard S. Allen, Westmount, 87.
30—Mrs. James Greig, Burford, Ont., 58.
31—Mrs. William J. Walsh, Huntingdon, 72.
12—Mrs. Amy E. McCormick, Minneapolis, Minn., 65.

June:—
3—Philorum Billette, Valleyfield, 63.
5—Lucien Dandurand, Valleyfield, 38.
5—Mrs. R. D. Vallence, Louisville Landing, N.Y., 87.
6—Mrs. John J. Swanston, Valleyfield, Que.
6—William Morley Miles, Meriden, Conn.
7—Richard Wellington Blair, St. Lambert.
9—Mrs. D. S. Tremblay, Valleyfield, 50.
9—George Cowan, Huntingdon, 79.
11—Mrs. Edward Hussey, St. Anicet, 84.
11—William Leamon, Huntingdon, 9.
11—Mrs. Arthur Beaudin, Montreal, 75.
11—Mrs. Howard Pollock, Rockburn, 32.
12—William Dwyer, Montreal, 66.
14—Joseph D. Poirier, Huntingdon, 51.
15—Mabel Arthur, Huntingdon, 2.
15—Mrs. Alfred Rodger, Ormstown, 59.
19—June Dorothy Paquette, Valleyfield, 15.
20—William Stanley Henderson, Gandesa, Spain, 30.
20—John Elliot, Howick, 86.
20—Mrs. James Leger, St. Agnes de Dundee, 53.
21—Richard Henry Metcalfe, Chateauguay Basin, 78.
21—Dugald McEwen, St. Louis de Gonzague, 85.
23—William Macnider Sherriff, Regina, Sask., 79.
27—Frank W. Ferrell, Chateaugay, N.Y., 72.
29—John Elder, Athelstan, 71.
30—Robert Johnston, Gore, 70.

July:—
3—Blashill Dunn, Ormstown, 86.
3—D. James B. McChesney.
7—James Dwyer Flynn, Gore, 78.
8—Mrs. Hollis Watson, Fort Covington, N.Y., 58.
8—Mrs. David Brown, Outremont.
10—James A. Phillips, New York, 72.
13—Harry W. Barr, Chittenago, N.Y., 41.
13—William Thompson, Dewittville, 76.
14—Mrs. John Lanktree, Omaha, Neb., 85.
16—Miss Rosslyn King, Biggar, Sask., 16.
23—Hugh Baillie, Howick, 79.
23—Miss J. Edith McClatchie, Powerscourt, 66.
23—James Carmel Moodie, Great Falls, Montana.
26—Leonard Ruddock, Colorado Springs, Col.
28—Mrs. Robert Boyd, Huntingdon, 85.
29—Mrs. Walter J. Walsh, New Erin, 70.
30—Mrs. Malcolm A. McNaughton, Moose Jaw, Sask.

August:—
4—Philemon Berry, Trout River, 72.
4—Mrs. William Gardner, Bainsville Ont.
8—Mrs. George T. Wells, Gardner, Mass., 82.
10—Mrs. James Ritchie, Huntingdon 81.
12—Mrs. Joseph Teste, St. Anicet.
13—William J. T. Wylie, Montreal, 72.
13—Mrs. John R. Beattie, Hemmingford, 70.
14—John Morrin Tinning, Ormstown, 79.
15—William Walter Rutherford, Montreal, 76.
17—William Allen, Havelock.
21—Mrs. Allen Fenwick, Chateauguay Basin, Que.
21—Patrick Foran, Utica, N.Y.
21—Mrs. William Peddie, Athelstan, 81.
22—Miss Annie E. Waterson, Huntingdon, 92.
26—Robert W. McCracken, Winthrop, N.Y., 65.
27—Mrs. Conrad Pregent, Ormstown, 63.
28—Charles Henry Harrington, South Burlington, 69.
29—Mrs. William McKell, Neepawa, Man., 54.,

September:—
1—Mrs. C. Peterson Hoyer, Rockburn, Que., 83.
5—Flora Deschambault, Dundee, Que., 4.
5—Mrs. Timothy Martin, Lancaster, Ont., 89.
8—Charles Cady Cottingham, Ormstown, Que., infant child.
11—Duncan M. Logan, Howick, Que., 47.
12—Mrs. Thomas E. McKenna, Malone, N.Y.
13—Mrs. T. E. McKinnon, Malone, N.Y.
13—Mrs. Charles B. Kelly, Athelstan, Que., 68.
15—Robert G. McComb, St. Chrysostome, Que., 78.
16—Miss Janet McNicol, St. Anicet, Que., 95.
18—Mrs. Frank Carver, Montreal, Que., 84.
19—J. K. Orr, Atlanta, Ga.
19—Mrs. James Greenway, Collingwood, Ont., 66.
21—Forrest H. Figsby, Ossining, N.Y., 56.
23—Mrs. Robert H. McElroy, Ottawa, Ont.
23—William Cumming, Belmont, Manitoba, 77.
24—John V. Hibbard, Kingston, N.Y., 87.
25—John Isherwood, Valleyfield, Que., 81.
28—Charles Wilton Scriver, Westmount, Que., 78.

October:—
2—Harry Leslie Bradley, Ormstown, Que., 49.
3—Johnston Ferguson, Tofield, Alta.
4—Mrs. Angus J. McIntyre, Elgin, Que., 69.
4—Mrs. George Legge, Granby, Que. 83.
6—William James McGerrigle, Ormstown, Que., 85.
8—Mrs. A. C. McPhee, Cowansville, Que.
11—Mrs. John Cairns, Athelstan, Que., 67.
11—Mrs. Peter King, Bremerton, Wash., 94.
12—Rev. G. O. T. Bruce, Clifton, Arizona.
12—Miss Christina Elizabeth Cameron, Westmount, Que.
13—Mrs. Thomas Cogland, Shrewsbury, New Jersey, 85.
15—William J. Fraser, Dundee Centre, Que. 76.
17—Mrs. Bert Bowlby, Jackson, Mich., 42.
17—Adolphe Laparé, St. Anicet, 89.
treal, Que., 62.
19—William Walker Pringle, Dewittville, Que., 65.
22—Mrs. Richard Dennison, Fort Aitkinson, Wisconsin.
24—Algernon John Weatherby, Montreal, Que.
26—Mrs. George M. Martin, Montreal, Que.
28—Mrs. Dr. J. C. Shanks, Toronto, Ont., 79.
28—Mrs. George T. Hunter, Huntingdon, 53.
28—James Stewart Cain, San Francisco, Cal., 86.
23—Mrs. Bruce C. Kelly, Huntingdon, 48.
28—Mrs. Henry G. Gessner, New York City, 63.
28—Mrs. J. Morris Hunter, Huntingdon, 29.

November:—
1—Miss Ella McDowell, Brockville, Ont.
2—Mr. George Forrester, Ormstown, Que., 53.
2—Miss Helen C. Gay, Chicago, Ill.
3—Mrs. J. C. Bruce, Huntingdon, Que., 65.
7—Mrs. Thomas Logan, Toronto, Ont., 82.
7—Edward E. Bartlett, Ottawa, Ont.,
8—Mrs. Arthur Pigeon, Huntingdon, 82.
9—Mrs. James Scott Bell, Montreal, Que., 74.
9—Peter F. Masten, Clare, Mich., 73.
10—Mrs. Dr. Duncan McEachran, Victoria, B.C., 94.
13—Avila Caza, St. Anicet, Que., 69.
13—Miss Lucy Ashburner Tully, Huntingdon.
13—Alexander Roy Copland, Detroit Mich., 60.
14—George W. Gowan, Minneapolis., Minn.
14—Edward Massam, Huntingdon Beach, California, 80.
19—Mrs. Jabez Fawthrop, Cornwall, Ont., 79.
19—Dorothy Anne Mack, Glenelm, Que., 2 mo.
20—William Bromby, Sault-Aux-Récollets, Que., 89.
21—Mrs. Myles Nicholes, Hemmingford, Que., 87.
21—Mrs. Harry Warr, Chateauguay Heights, Que., 61.
22—Mrs. Michael Head, Ormstown, Que., 79.
23—David Cameron, Howick, Que., 81.
23—Frederick Gamble, Franklin Centre, Que., 56.
23—Leslie Stevenson, Havelock, P. Q., 49.
23—Wilburt Thomas Stevenson, Saskatoon, Sask., 67.
25—Isaac H. Smith, Saranac Lake, N.Y., 36.
27—John Manning Gowan, Allenford, Ont., 90.
30—John Wilkins, Valleyfield, Que., 51.
30—Ludger Veronneau, Soulanges, Que., 72.

December:—
1—Thomas C. Reardon, Huntingdon 94.
3—Mrs. Archibald McMaster, Epping, N.H.
3—Thomas Gebbie, Vancouver, B.C.
4—Mrs. John F. Rollit, Montreal, Que.
4—Mrs. Angus Caza, Montreal, Que.
7—Joseph Wellington Alexander, Notre Dame de Grace, 94.
7—Inez Leduc, Verdun, Que., 45.
10—Amy Chadwick, Valleyfield, Que.
10—Mother Saint Thomas Joseph, Montreal, Que., 71.
10—Mrs. A. C. McEwen, Bainsville, Ont., 75.
15—Mrs. Napoleon Dupuis, Huntingdon, 82.
16—James H. Boyd, St. Chrysostome, Que.

You Won't Forget Me, Santa?



—Gleaner Photo and Engraving.

Santa Claus visited the children of Huntingdon Friday afternoon at the Fire Station, in a preview of his annual Christmas Eve dash. He gave out candy to over a hundred youngsters. Above he is shown chuckling in his beard at the odd request of one of these youngsters.

HOWICK

Mrs. McAlpine of Vankleek Hill, Ont., expects to spend the winter at the home of Mrs. H. Craig and Mr. and Mrs. L. West.

Holiday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. Cowper and Mrs. Preston, were Mr. and Mrs. Ross Moore of Morrisburg, Ont., and Mr. and Mrs. Campbell and two sons, George and Munroe, of Montreal.

Miss Jane Elliott of Gatineau, P. Q., is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Elliot.

Mr. John Breman of Montreal, called last week on friends.

The funeral of the late Mrs. M. Duncan, widow of the late John D. Duncan was held on Friday at noon in the Georgetown church. The service was conducted by Rev. Dr. Lloyd Smith, of the Dominion-Douglas church, Westmount.

Mrs. Duncan, who was Mary McKell before she married, was born and brought up in this district and was highly thought of and will be greatly missed as she usually spent a few weeks every summer with relatives at Howick.

A Christmas entertainment was held in the Georgetown church hall on Saturday night, with Rev. D. Mackay in charge. A varied programme was provided, including carols, drills, recitations etc. A well laden tree was unloaded by Santa Claus, which was fully enjoyed.

Mr. W. F. Martin, Montreal was the guest on Saturday of Mr. and Mrs. Brown.

The United Christmas entertainment was held on Wednesday night of last week in the church hall, with good attendance. A splendid programme was given by the children, also a very interesting talk by Mrs. Gray, which was much enjoyed. A well laden tree was unloaded by Santa Claus. Rev. Dr. Gray acted as chairman.

Mr. H. H. Judah and Mr. Paxton of Montreal, called on Wednesday of last week at the Ness Farms.

Franklin Centre

Mr. Clinton and Garth Waddell are spending a week with their aunt, Mrs. Jos. Smith of Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Manning were Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Porter of Bangor, N.Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Fulton Prest of Mooers, N.Y., spent Thursday with Mrs. Wm. Price.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Frier of Springfield, Mass., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Waller.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Towns are spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Towns of Oriskany Falls.

Miss Hazel Bruce of Montreal, and Mr. Royal Bruce of Huntingdon, spent Christmas with their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Frier of Carthage, N.Y., and Mr. and Mrs. John Logan of Ormstown, were week-end guests of Mrs. George Blair and family.

Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Blair were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Moore and family of Dewittville, Mr. and Mrs. L. McClatchie of Powerscourt, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Earle of Burke, N.Y., Mr. and Mrs. Murray Blair, and Mr. and Mrs. Willard Blair and family.

Miss J. Cheban is spending the holidays with her parents in Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Cassidy and family of Delson, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Cassidy.

Mr. Willie Sicitifer of Canton, N.Y., is spending a week with his grandmother, Mrs. Kate Johnson.

Christmas day dinner guests of Mrs. John Waddell were Mrs. Wm. Sharpe, Miss Dorothy and Mr. Milton Sharpe, Mr. and Mrs. Earle McNiece and son Kenneth and Miss Annie Waddell of Montreal.

Miss Lillian Pelton of Burke, N.Y., is spending this week with Mrs. Jas. Manning.

Mr. and Mrs. John Shovelin and Miss Bessie Shovelin, of Montreal, were Christmas guests of the Misses Gordon.

The Stone School closed on Friday afternoon for the Christmas holidays, with quite a few visitors present. The pupils gave a splendid program with the Rev. T. F. Duncan as chairman. The teacher and pupils exchanged gifts, after which a silver collection was taken up, with which the teacher, Miss Cheban, plans to buy a clock for the school.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hardy of Springfield, Mass., are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stevenson.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Gilmore and family, and Mrs. Wm. Gilmore of Russeltown, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Johnson.

Mr. A. P. Cameron is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Barr.

Christmas guests of Mrs. W. MacMillan and family were Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Brooks and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hanna, Mrs. Wm. Price, Miss Emma Hope of Brysonville, Mr. Ralph and George Smith of Ormstown, Mr. Willie Sicitifer of Canton, and Miss L. MacMillan of Ormstown.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy McCartney and family of Howick, were Monday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley McNeil.

Monday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Cassidy were Miss Irene and Linda Cassidy, Miss May Hamilton, Mr. James Currie of Montreal, Mr. George Collum of Ormstown, Dr. and Mrs. J. C. Turcot and family, and Mrs. Mary Jane Leahy, of St. Chrysostome, Miss Genevieve Cassidy of St. Lambert, and Miss Mary Eileen and Dorien Cassidy of St. Chrysostome.

Miss Muriel Lamb of Ormstown, was a week-end guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Lamb.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Waddell of Covey Hill, and Miss Donalda Waddell were Sunday guests of Mrs. Parham.

Mr. Henry Blair and Mr. Willard Blair have had the electric lights installed, Mr. Shearer of Huntingdon doing the work.

Miss Margaret MacDiarmid is spending the Christmas holidays with her mother, Mrs. S. MacDiarmid, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Barr, Covey Hill.

Saturday guests of Mr. Chas. Barr and family were Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Rice and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. English and family of Ormstown. Mr. and Mrs. Robert McClenaghan and son Lawrence of Riverfield, Mr. A. P. Cameron, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Goldie and family of Rockburn, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Todd, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Baxter, Mrs. Wm. Price and Mr. Ross Fraser.

Christmas day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Chartrand were Miss Jeanne Chartrand and Miss Trudeau of Montreal, Mr. and Mrs. A. McKenzie and family of St. Chrysostome.

Dewittville

Mr. and Mrs. Lorenzo Farquhar and Marjorie of Constable, N.Y., were Friday afternoon callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Lowden.

Miss Vera Ferns of Cornwall General Hospital, spent the Christmas holiday with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Amasa Gale of Potsdam, N.Y., were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Gordon.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur McClatchie, Mr. and Mrs. Willie McClatchie, Miss Pearl McClatchie, Mr. and Mrs. John Lowden, Mr. Lionel Tremblay, also Mr. and Mrs. Gordon McClatchie were Christmas day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Royal Gamble, Herdman.

Miss Carmen Ruddock of the Montreal General Hospital is spending three weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Ruddock.

Christmas day guests of Mrs. Hamilton Ferns were Mr. and Mrs. Erville Lindsay and family, Mr. and Mrs. George Lindsay and family of Rockburn, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Mair and daughter Audrey of Howick.

Mrs. A. Campbell and sons Keith and Kenneth of Ormstown, Mr. and Mrs. Mac Ruddock and three little sons, and Miss Roberta Dunn of Montreal, were Monday guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Ruddock.

Mr. and Mrs. George Ferns of Cleveland, Ohio, and Mrs. Wm. Ferns of Huntingdon were guests of Mrs. James Ferns, Sr., and also called on other friends in this vicinity on Monday.

Miss Greta Ferns, Mr. Lorne Granton of Montreal and Miss M. A. Sadler of Ormstown, were Christmas day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Ferns, Jr. Miss Greta is having a holiday this week at her home.

Mrs. Peter McArthur, Miss Jean, Mr. and Mrs. Colin McArthur were Christmas day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Donald McEwen.

Mr. and Mrs. William Graham spent Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Sadler, Ormstown.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Ferns and Miss Vera were Christmas day guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Lefebvre, Athelstan.

Mrs. Leonard Lucas and son Donald of Montreal, are spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. William Graham.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur McClatchie and Mr. and Mrs. Willie McClatchie spent Friday in Montreal the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lapoint.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Black of Aubrey were Monday guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Gordon.

Mr. and Mrs. Mac Ruddock, John, Royce and Franklyn, spent Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. John Dunn, St. Remi. Miss Roberta Dunn returned home with them and returned to Montreal Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie McClatchie spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. David MacFarlane, Valois, Que.

Sorry to report Mrs. Frank Rabidoux is quite seriously ill at time of writing.

The Misses Beatrice and Pearl Holiday of Montreal, are spending the holiday season with the Holiday family.

Mr. Harry Holiday was taken to the Valleyfield Hospital, Saturday afternoon, where he underwent an operation that evening. He is reported as progressing favorably.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Smiles and Master John Lawrenson spent last Wednesday in Montreal.

Brysonville

Misses Muriel, Beatrice, Edyth and Phylis Nussey spent Xmas at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Nussey.

Miss Mildred McCormick is spending Xmas and New Year holidays with her mother, Mrs. D. A. McCormick.

Miss Olga Nussey and Mr. Norris Nussey are spending Xmas and New Year holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Nussey.

Mr. Douglas N. Good of Cornwall, Ont., spent Christmas holidays at the home of his mother, Mrs. Wm. Cairns and Mr. Cairns.

Miss Gladys Hamilton returned to Montreal, after spending Xmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Hamilton.

Messrs. Ivan and Burt Cairns of Montreal, spent Xmas week-end at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cairns.

Miss Annie Hamilton of Montreal West, is spending Christmas and New Years holidays with her mother at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hamilton.

Miss Beryl Hamilton of Montreal West and Miss Wynita Hamilton of Macdonald College are spending Xmas and New Year holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hamilton.

HAVELOCK

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Jackson and Mr. Walter Jackson spent Sunday at Plattsburg.

Miss Victoria Semple returned from the city after spending a week with friends. She was accompanied home by Mr. Harold Breidon, who is spending a few weeks with Miss V. Semple and Mr. W. Semple.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Mayhew and daughter, Beverly, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Harkness and two children, of Montreal, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. Sayers.

Miss Rena Harmon of Ottawa, spent her Christmas holidays with her mother, Mrs. Indell Waddell.

Mr. and Mrs. N. O. Brooks Franklin, were recent guests of Mrs. J. Fiddis.

Miss Ruby Gilmour of Hinchinbrooke spent her holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Gilmour.

Mr. and Mrs. McKee and son, George, were Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. K. Sample, Covey Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Hamill, Mr. and Mrs. Indell Waddell and son, Ronald, Mr. and Mrs. Churchill and son, Aaron, were supper guests at Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Barr's, the occasion being Mrs. Hamill's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Allen and family were recent guests of Mr. Wm. McComb, Hemmingford.

Miss Edith Cooke spent her vacation with her parents at Arundel, Que.

Havelock School Results:—

Grade 7—Philip Douglas, 86.5%; William Brisbin, 76.2%.

Grade 6—Glenna Brisbin, 79.9%; Frank Gilmore, 66.8%.

Grade 5—Dorothy Brisbin, 79%.

Grade 2—Dora Allen, 84%, Ruth Hall, 83.3%; Ernest Allen 71.7%.

Edith M. Cooke.

Aubrey

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Steele and family were Christmas Day guests of Mrs. John Orr.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Robb entertained their brothers, sisters and families to dinner on Christmas Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Cameron and family of Verdun were also guests at this home.

The Aubrey curlers are busily engaged making ice in the rink, preparatory to the winter's curling.

The Misses Irene and May Stacey of Montreal were Christmas day guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. Stacey.

Mrs. Flora Black was the Christmas guest of her son, Mr. Angus Black and Mrs. Black.

Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Bruce, Stanley and Jimmie, of Valleyfield and Mr. R. E. Graves were Christmas day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jas Bruce.

Miss Lena Reddick of Montreal, was guest over the holiday of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Reddick.

Mr. Russell Gruer spent Christmas the guest of his mother, Mrs. J. L. Gruer.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Reddick, Mr. and Mrs. A. Reddick, Mr. and Mrs. A. Buchanan and children and Miss Ruby Allen, Montreal were Christmas day guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Allen. Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Allen spent Monday in Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. James McFarlane, Gertrude and Merle were Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. Nussey, Brysonville.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Allen, Kenneth and Hazel were Saturday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Anderson, Howick.

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The Stone Wall

As the detective descended the stairs of the now darkened and deserted office building and passed into the street, he realized he had passed the stone wall he had so dreaded. Only a single new possibility had suggested itself in the broker's story. Had Philip Nixon's death been an accident and not murder at all? According to Stirling, he had gone alone, a sick man, to the rear platform of the car; could it be that, seized with a spell of dizziness, he had fallen from it, and thus received the injury which had resulted in his death? Could it be that the detective, led astray by the circumstances under which he had taken charge of the case, had been wasting his time pursuing a murderer who did not exist, and making himself the laughing stock of the Central Bureau? It was not improbable that, after all, his premises had been wrong—that no murder had occurred, except in his too fertile imagination. Medically speaking, Nixon's crushed skull could well have been the result of a fall; had not such a thing once occurred in the case of Gardiner's rival, Farrell?

No, there was no obstacle in the way of this theory—except the death of William Burke. But the trainman had been killed "because he knew too much of Nixon's death;" in his case, there was no doubt that it had been brutal murder. If the financier died naturally, what could Burke have known that caused his murderer to silence him forever? Nothing at all. It followed then, that Nixon's decease had also been more than accidental, else the trainman could have had no cause for levying blackmail on the criminal. It, too, had been murder.

This conclusion failed to bring Gilmore comfort. He was no nearer answering the more important problem than at the very beginning of the case, and he was in a much worse position. With his suspects, the Ferris gang, the Marley brothers, the financier's secretary and now Russell Stirling eliminated one by one, what was there left for him? Who, then, was the elusive criminal? Was he some unknown, who had thus far not appeared in the case? The difficulty with such a theory was that a stranger failed to fit in; in all his investigations he had located no other enemy of the financier. And no one else, except Bennett, had been aware of the financier's intended journey to the shore. But the butler, with his deep affection for his master and his love for Eleanor, was clearly out of the question.

Yet his quarry must be some one who was familiar to Stirling. Despite the broker's denial, he had been terrified by the writing. If he would not talk, then Gilmore must trace the ownership of the check book by other methods. A trip to Boston was necessary,while subordinates cleared up the details of Burke's death. But the possibilities of success were slim even then. Out of a bewildering array of suspects and dozens of angled clues that had baffled him for days, there remained just this little black book, of which he knew only the bank from which it had come!

"I'm afraid, Mr. Gilmore," said Mr. Robinson, the vice-president of the Boston City National Bank, "that it will be almost impossible to trace the checkbook, if this handwriting in it is your only clue. It would mean searching through all of our checks and comparing every one with these stubs; and we have more than 8000 accounts. If the sum of these checks had been for unusual amounts, they might have attracted attention; but a hundred dollars, withdrawn through some Philadelphia bank, every month—that is a commonplace."

The speaker, a portly, elderly man, with lined features and white hair, gazed regretfully at the detective. The two were seated in his private office, on the second floor of the bank building, a gray-stone structure on Washington street, overlooking the rush of traffic below. By assigning the investigation of Stirling's story of his movements in Cape May and his alibi to Jenks, Gilmore had at once been able to make the late night train to Boston, after having notified both his wife and the superintendent of the intended journey; and he reached his destination early in the morning. He had no difficulty in locating the bank responsible for the issuance of his checkbook clue.

"I suppose I'll have to do it, if there's nothing else," he replied to Mr. Robinson's statement. "You are certain however, that you have in the bank the check originals of these stubs?"

"Yes, all three of them. I am positive. You see, until we return the checks that come from the clearing house, to our drawers, we keep them together. We send them back with quarterly statements at the end of March, June, September and December. Since all these checks were drawn between March and June — this month — it means that we are keeping them if they come in at all. I'll be glad to show you. * * *"

Mr. Robinson broke off and his sudden start of surprise was not lost on the detective.

Old-Style Checks

"That's strange," he went on, gazing at the checkbook. "We have not been using this type of checkbook for over two years. The account couldn't have been a very active one, or this would have been used up long ago and we would have supplied its owner with another kind."

Gilmore bent closely, attentive at this first suggestion regarding the man he sought. "How can you tell that?" he questioned.

"By the size of this checkbook. You'll notice that it is ten inches long and four inches wide—larger than normal pocket size. Some two years ago, through the co-operation of various banking organizations, a standard size for desk checks was adopted universally; and at that same time we made a change in pocket checkbooks to nine inches by three, to meet the demands of our depositors. There had been complaints that the old ones were too cumbersome to handle. I dare say we have not a hundred customers still using these."

"Then I'm in luck," the detective said eagerly. "That limits my work to only the larger checks; and they ought not to take long. I'd appreciate it, if you'd let me begin with them at once."

Without further discussion, Mr. Robinson led the detective into the sanctum of the bank, behind the bars below; in a very few minutes, he had procured for him a huge collection of cancelled checks, and assigned two clerks to assist Gilmore in sorting them.

Extremely thankful for the fortunate circumstances that limited his task and gave him some hope of success, he resolutely set to work. With the checkbook stubs on the desk before him, he began to go through the checks. The vast majority of them, smaller than the stubs with which he compared them, he put aside at once; the larger ones that fitted his clue he found with ease because they protruded noticeably in the pile. Not till he collected all of them—about 200—did he begin to examine them. Those dated differently from the stubs and those made out for sums larger or smaller he eliminated next, for they could not possibly be the originals of the stub notations. That left but twenty-five out of the original assemblage, and to those Gilmore turned his attention closely. Painstakingly he examined each of them, comparing the writing on each with the flowing style of the stubs, and as they failed to agree he put them aside.

At the end of an hour of constant application Gilmore had found what he sought—three checks made out to self, each for $100, dated April 1, May 1, and June 1, respectively—and all signed by Russell Stirling's erstwhile partner of three years before —Allen Murray!

CHAPTER 24

Russell Stirling's Enemy

It was not surprising, then, that the broker had recognized the handwriting on the stubs. Quickly Gilmore recalled what he knew of the partnership, from Rankin's report of the broker's past. Beyond the arrest of the firm for operating a bucket shop under the guise of a legitimate investment house and Murray's conviction it was not much; neither he nor his colleague had adjudged the facts to be of much importance. Stirling's ability for gauging the market had attracted the attention of this man, Murray, who had had independent means; they had formed the partnership to which the broker contributed his experience and which had prospered until an investigation, at the instance of a defrauded customer, revealed the true character of the concern. At the subsequent trial Stirling was able to prove, by the firm's books, that Murray alone was guilty, and that he knew nothing of the swindles that had been perpetrated.

Nothing of Gilmore's mental effort to connect Murray with Philip Nixon's death was apparent as he informed Mr. Robinson of his discovery and requested all the information on Murray that he could supply.

"First, if it is possible," he said, "I want to see his account and find out his address. After that I'd appreciate any other facts that you could give me. . . ."

(To be continued)

MALONE TOWN TAX RATE IS INCREASED

Malone's town tax rate for the ensuing year will be $20.18 per thousand of assessed valuation, $2.20 per thousand higher than last year's rate, a listing of the town mills compiled by the supervisors shows.

This is the rate applying to property within the village limits and includes a general rate of $16.90 plus the highway rate of $3.28. The rate outside the village will be $22.-46, comprising the general rate of $16.90 and the ouside highway rate of $5.56. Last year's rate for property outside the village was $20.28.

The increase this year is attributed to payment of old indebtedness, some of it dating back to 1935, and the fact that last year's tax levy, through an error, was $20.-000 short.

Supervisor John Manson has pointed out that the budget adopted by the town board this year will pay up the deficit and enable the town to start off with a clean slate and that, for the first time in years, the town is paying off more debts than it is contracting. A $30,000 bond issue was made this year but debt payments totaling more than $39,000 were made.

ONLY HIS CLOTHES LEFT

The earthly possessions of farmer Charles Koronish consist of a pair of pants, a shirt, a bow tie and a pair of shoes. When Koronish went into court last week to see about the alimony suit of his common law wife, Stella, he had, besides his clothes: One horse, two hogs, 75 bushels of wheat, 100 bushels of corn, 12 sacks of potatoes and the household goods. The court gave Stella everything but the clothes on Koronish's back.

Here And There Among The Editorials During 1938

January 5th—Whispering Tongues

The advantages of living in a small town are not always fully appreciated by its residents. Make no mistake about it there are many advantages to be had by all in a small town which are not for the average city residents to enjoy.

Like everything else, however, a small town has its good points and its bad points.

Among the bad points we are aware of none so despicable as the gossiping habit. The renowned whispering tongues mar the beautiful picture of the many enjoyments and advantages in a small town.

"Whispering tongues can poison the truth". And how some tongues can whisper!— And how the truth is poisoned!

If the individual but fully realized the misunderstanding, the harm, the ill feeling, the hurt and the all that his or her gossiping did, either indirectly or directly, there is no doubt about it but that they would stop and think before they made statements, the full facts of which they did not know.

February 2nd—Lord Atholstan and our Community

The passing of Lord Atholstan on Friday means I have lost a true, loyal and dear friend. In order that our readers might grasp a better conception of how Lord Atholstan regarded Huntingdon I will here quote extracts from personal letters that were received from him, and some of the statements made in our personal visits, both in Montreal and in Huntingdon.

On August 4th, 1937, his personal letter said: "I am looking forward with pleasurable anticipation to the success of the Old Home Week celebration. There has been in Huntingdon as long as I can remember a worthy ambition, perhaps not always realized, to be outdone by no community within reasonable limits and the celebration will doubtless be a success.

"Do you think the community pride is so sensitive as to take offence at what might seem the intrusion of outsiders. In a word would they feel annoyed if some were disposed to chip in something, however little, to help avoid the possibility of a deficit. Perhaps you will be able in the bustle of preparation in which you are so busy to drop me a post card to tell me if I am attributing to the people of my school days' town too much ambition to welcome a little well meant help. Yours sincerely, Atholstan."

March 9th—A Mix-Up

It's an old, old story!

And it's an old, true story. But then, often one has to make the same old mistakes several times to realize it is a mistake.

When importation of paid hockey players takes place on an amateur team in a small town then sport, as sport ought to be, ceases. After all, what is sport for? Sport is certainly not for teams to battle through to a win at any cost. The idea of sport is not to WIN THE GAME—NO MATTER HOW YOU WIN, BUT WIN. And the sooner that is realized the better for sport in Huntingdon.

March 30th—Board of Trade

The Huntingdon Board of Trade held its annual meeting last week when the attendance was not large.

The president made some apologies for the Board's apparent year of inactivity. Pres. O'Connor need not feel the Board of Trade has been inactive. The Board of Trade can not expect to be securing industries for the town every year. If such were so, every hamlet in the country would have a Board and there would not be enough industries to go around. The Huntingdon Board of Trade has done yeoman work in 1937 as well as in the years previous, and we all hope it will do likewise in the future.

June 8th—A Light Vote

There was a light vote on the Daylight Saving Time referendum here on Monday.

A total of 190 votes was cast. The total possible number of votes to be cast is about 480 votes. This means that 39% and a fraction, or almost 40%, exercised their franchise in connection with the referendum.

The last time a vote was taken on this question, June 20th, 1935, the vote was even lighter. At this time a total of 172 votes was cast, 104 votes against Daylight Saving Time and 68 votes for it. In brief, about 33% of the voters exercised their franchise.

Voting was about 6% heavier this time but still not nearly as heavy as it might be and should be.

June 15th—A Great Exhibition

The Ormstown Exhibition for 1938 has come and gone.

But it has not gone without serving notice on all and sundry that it is not only a Fair with a past but one with a future. The Ormstown Exhibition has built up a reputation that is the envy of all the larger centres in the province. The progress of the Fair in the past and the one just completed has given every indication that the Exhibition can do nothing else but progress still farther in the future.

It is to be hoped that the provincial government will see fit to give deserving grants to the Ormstown Exhibition. Because of the fact that the village of Ormstown itself is small there might be a tendency for the government to favor those fairs in larger centres. However, the Ormstown Exhibition has surpassed them all and because of this the officials in charge deserve all the more credit. It is to be hoped that the initiative and showmanship ability of the Ormstown officials will be rewarded with a substantial grant.

July 6th—What's Wrong?

Huntingdon has many fine things, but one of them is certainly not its supply of drinking water.

All reports from official sources would seem to indicate that the water comes up to all requirements. Tests show that from a sanitary standpoint it is acceptable.

We can't say that we know anything about laboratory tests of water. But we do know if water is palatable when we drink it. And we can very seldom, if ever, say that we are particularly enthusiastic over the taste of Huntingdon's drinking water. We don't know what is wrong from a technical standpoint. But we do know that the taste is far from what it might be.

September 14th—Huntingdon Fair Stages Comeback

Huntingdon Fair impressed the public as a fair that is going to stage a comeback and not die a natural death as many were inclined to believe was it's fate. A year ago considerable criticism was directed towards the fair from many sources. It is indeed a pleasure for the Gleaner to be able to print a word of praise for the fair in place of constructive criticism. Much constructive criticism can still be expected, but indications point to a more successful future for the fair.

Sept. 21st—75 Years a Newspaper

Three score and fifteen years ago the Canadian Gleaner came into being.

Its founder, the late Robert Sellar, was a protege of the Hon. George Brown, founder of the Toronto Globe and one of the most influential men in Canadian affairs in his time.

The late Robert Sellar, in establishing the present Gleaner on September 18th, 1863, was destined to make of it, in his own inimitable fashion, one of the greatest exponents of personal journalism in the annals of Canadian weekly newspaperdom. During his time no weekly newspaper in Canada was more widely quoted, no weekly newspaper editor held a more universal esteem, no weekly newspaper editorial page more widely read than that of the late Robt. Sellar.

He fought for causes he felt were just, regardless of whether it meant financial remuneration or loss. He fought with body, heart and soul. He died fighting, but in the calm and satisfaction of knowing he always fought for what he sincerely believed was in the true interests of Canada and of this district.

An extract from his first editorial reveals he fought for a united Canada, viz.: "For in politics we see but one end to be attained, and that is, consolidation of the two provinces (Upper and Lower Canada) into one not only in name but in reality; one in interest and fellow feeling, affording to each other mutual aid and support, and thereby forming such a powerful and united people as would constitute our best security for the integrity of our institutions and the continuance of our cherished connection with the motherland."

Oct. 26th—Neglected Cemeteries

A drive through the countryside will convince an observing person that there are many cemeteries in a disgraceful shape of disrepair. Tombstones have fallen down. Weeds have grown up profusely. Fences are in a dilapidated condition. Brushwood lies here and there.

If some of the pioneers buried in some of the cemeteries could but come to life for a while and look around, it might even make them turn over in their graves in disgust to see the neglected state of the cemetery. To think that they, the pioneers of the countryside should be so forgotten and so unhonored that their last resting place should be allowed, in some cases, to become a veritable wilderness.

Nov. 2nd—A Tragedy

The whole community was thrown into deep mourning over the weekend as a result of one of the most terrible calamities that has ever occurred in this district.

When word reached Huntingdon late Friday evening that a Huntingdon car had accidentally plunged over the embankment of the Lachine Canal... and in one fleeting moment the lives of four people were snuffed out... it seemed at the time practically unbelievable. Later, when reports were undeniably confirmed, it still seemed like some strange nightmare.

How and why should it be possible that such a strange tragedy occur?

The tragedy brought home with tremendous feeling the truth of, "In the midst of life we are in death." This fact was simply yet impressively expressed by Rev. J. H. Miller, D.D., at the funeral service.

The sympathy of the entire community goes out to the relatives of the deceased in this saddest of all calamities to have occurred in the annals of this district.

The Gore

Miss Betty Cameron of Montreal is spending her Christmas holidays at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Whaley.

Mr. Geo. Herdman and son Lawrence of Malone, N.Y., spent a few days the past week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Herdman.

Miss Hazel Henderson of Montreal spent the week-end at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Henderson.

Mr. Charlie Henderson spent his Christmas holidays at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. Taylor.

Christmas day guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Herdman were Mr. and Mrs. Alex McCracken, Roy, Stanley and Isabel of Potsdam, Mr. and Mrs. John Elder, Shirley and Maureen, Mrs. Bella McCracken, Mrs. Hattie Herdman, and Arthur, and Mr. Joe Gebo.

Miss Edna Todd of Beauharnois spent Christmas with her mother, Mrs. James Todd.

Mr. and Mrs. Legros spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ted. Anderson.

Miss Diana Stringer of the Gore Catholic School is spending her holidays at the home of her parents in Hemmingford.

Miss Vera McGinn of the Boyd Settlement Catholic school is spending her holidays with her aunt, Mrs. James Flynn.

Miss Eileen Herdman is spending a few days in Valleyfield with her cousin, Miss Joyce Crook.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Boyd, Mrs. Ruth Merkley and daughter Joan of Ormstown spent Christmas with Mrs. J. Coulter and Stella.

Miss Elva Smith of Malone, N.Y., and E. W. Millar of Brainerdrsville spent Christmas at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Matt Gilligan.

Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Fennell, Earl, Lorne and Una spent Christmas at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Wilson.

Sunday being Christmas Sunday, Mr. Duncan gave a wonderful sermon to a large congregation. The children received their usual Christmas treat from the S.S.

A family gathering was held at the home of Mrs. Geo. McCracken on Monday. It being a nice day allowed those from a distance to be there. The house was well decorated for the Christmas season. Also a tree for the children of which each grandchild and great-grandchild received a parcel. Mrs. McCracken and Allen received many beautiful gifts. Dinner and supper were served to 48. Those who attended from a distance were Mr. and Mrs. Alex McCracken and family from Potsdam, N.Y., Mr. and Mrs. John McCracken and family, Malone, N.Y., Mr. and Mrs. Tom Crook and family of Valleyfield, Mrs. Jennie Sadler of Ormstown, Miss Betty Cameron of Montreal.

Hemmingford

Mrs. Harold Orr, who is under the care of Dr. G. Edward Tremble, of Montreal, spent several days at Christmas with her husband and son, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. A. Orr.

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Life-giving Assets Kept On Deposit by Blood Bank Opening at Houston, Texas

Dr. D. G. Henderson, Laboratory Director at the Jefferson Davis Hospital at Houston, a Son of Mr. and Mrs. Neil Henderson, King Street, Huntingdon, is Bank President of This Unique Experiment

A health bank where blood is the only asset, the only type of deposit, where loans are made and paid in blood, is opening in Houston.

Sixty pints of blood are being gathered for the bank. Original stockholders are donors.

The bank's vaults are at Jefferson Davis Hospital.

Valued at $2100

Sixty pyramid-shaped flasks contain the fluid. The bank's liquid assets are valued at $2100.

The bank is being organized to save lives in Houston. Anyone may be a borrower.

There is no high interest, no cosigners, no favoritism necessary. There is only one string. The borrower who uses blood to recover from disease must replace that blood to repay the bank and keep its tssets stable.

A relative may pay the bank, if the borrower desires. The capital stock on hand must be constant must remain the same year in and year out.

All Types on Deposit

Transfusions may be made on 30 minutes notice, perhaps less. Every type of blood will be on deposit.

No donor has to be hunted, no delay is necessary.

Hereafter, a patient near death or suffering may obtain a loan at the bank. It costs him nothing. His relatives must replace the blood at a later date.

There is no 30 nor 60 nor 90-day due deadline. The bank officers expect the loans to be paid in fairly close proximity to date of loan.

Benefits are Cited

"Eighty per cent of cases where blood is transfused have proved, in large hospitals, clinically beneficial," says Dr. J. H. Stephenson, hospital superintendent.

"Of these, 7.6 per cent actually resulted in saving of lives," adds Dr. D. G. Henderson, laboratory director.

Dr. Henderson is bank president, Dr. Stephenson chairman of the board. They get no salary, no interest. Dividends are the better health of boys and girls, men and women.

Former Huntingdon Boy



DR. D. G. HENDERSON, Laboratory Director at The Jefferson Davis Hospital at Houston, Bank President of unique experiment.

put a drop of a "can't clot" chemical, sodium citrate.

Rules for Depositors

There are two rules for depositors. Before giving blood, they must have an empty stomach—the deposit is best three hours after a meal—and there must be no alcohol in the donor's anatomy!

The bank also will have a special department where will be kept blood from persons who have recovered from certain diseases.

This will be used only to aid persons suffering from that disease. When injected, its "antibodies" join in fighting the ailment and the patient has a ready ally.



Patient Jerry Pavlicek prepares to give his donation to the "blood bank" at Jefferson Davis Hospital. Dr. D. G. Henderson is injecting the needle into Mr. Pavlicek's arm, while Technician Neville Crute aids in preparing the "deposit."

None Wasted

Blood is kept in bottles in the refrigerated vault from four to six weeks. It is tested every day. None is wasted.

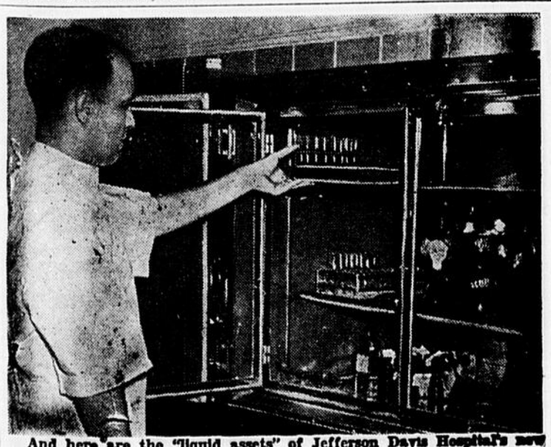
If any becomes less desirable for transfusing, it is used in laboratory work. Blood will be used daily as a tonic, hereafter, in Houston, Dr. Stephenson pointed out.

Measles, whooping cough, almost every disease, however minor, is quickly responsive to injections.

Tested, Classified

After blood has been taken from a donor, it is tested and classified. There are four main types of blood and all kinds will be available at the Jefferson Davis bank.

From five to 10 people may be bled daily to keep the bank's assets level. No volunteer depositors are necessary as the bank's stockholders already have been designated.



And here are the "liquid assets" of Jefferson Davis Hospital's new "blood bank," a bank doctors hope will save countless lives in Houston. Dr. D. G. Henderson, laboratory director, makes a daily inspection of the "deposits."

Ready in 10 Days

The bank now is assembling its assets. It will open formally in about 10 days. Daily books will be kept.

Approximately one pint is the average deposit. People making deposits of blood do not get pale, suffer ill effects.

"If a person eats a good steak or dinner and drinks one quart of water after giving a pint of blood, that blood will be regenerated and replaced in two days," says Dr. Henderson. Which makes the bank's possible asset limitless.

The blood is kept in temperatures from 38 to 42 degrees.

Into each flask with the blood is

Persons giving blood for transfusions, in the past, have charged from $25 to $60, Dr. Stephenson said. Many volunteers gave blood free but professional transfusers made the charge.

The bank does away with this charge. It's greatest benefaction, Dr. Stephenson and Dr. Henderson believe, will be in the prevention of delay in emergency.

Drawing accounts will be open in a few days on Houston's health bank, the only one of its kind in these parts.

U.S. Campaign of 1812 to Capture Montreal

(From the Historical Booklet by the late Robert Sellar, to be Run in Weekly Instalments)

The first stage towards Montreal was leaving Sackett's Harbor for Grenadier island, a distance of a few miles, which, owing to storms, was accomplished with difficulty. The choice of that island for rendezvous was designed to confirm Prevost's belief that Kingston was to be attacked. On the 29th October all was ready for the next stage, to reach Bush creek, 20 miles farther down the river, where the cavalry and field artillery, who had gone forward by land, were to be in waiting to be ferried to the north bank of the St. Lawrence. Again the winds were against the boats, and it was not until the 2nd November that the embarkation of the army began. On the evening of the next day they encamped at Clayton. The British were kept informed by their spies of what was going on, and Lieut. Mulcaster with several small gunboats was watching for an opportunity to attack when Chauncey, with a much superior force, appeared. Mulcaster then sailed to Kingston, confirming the news that the expedition was not designed to attack that place, but was bound for Montreal.

On the 4th November the flotilla ought to have been under weigh, but bungling had kept back part of the supplies and the day was lost. On the 5th there was no further excuse for delay. The flotilla emerged from French creek, opposite Gananoque, and streamed downwards. Neither before nor since has Old St. Lawrence been the scene of a grander spectacle. There were nigh 350 boats, bearing an army of over 9000 men, with a large contingent of sailors and pilots for the management of the boats. The procession, five miles long, was gay with flags and uniforms, the choruses of the boatmen and the music of fife and drum adding joyous exaltation to the faith of all on board that this armada of the inland seas was sweeping onward to assured victory. It was a charming day, the Indian summer having set in, and such progress was made that before sunset 40 miles had been covered. That night the army encamped at Morristown opposite Brokville. Next day was spent on the sail to Ogdensburg, which was neared at dark. The batteries of Fort Wellington at Prescott were greatly feared. Colonel Pearson was there in command anxiously awaiting the coming of the flotilla. He sent an officer, lieut. Duncan Clark, to Brockville to watch. On the evening of the 5th Duncan caught a glimpse of the boats which seemed to him to fill the river. Seizing a farmer's horse he galloped to Prescott with the news. Next day the redcoats expected to see the invader, but did not sight the advance boats until dark. It was taken for granted day-break would begin the fight and the little garrison slept beside their guns. The day wore away without a boat coming. This was due to Wilkinson's caution. Instead of running the gauntlet at once, he had on nearing Ogdensburg signalled the flotilla to tie up. Next morning the ammunition was loaded on carts and every man not needed to manage the boats marched with them along the U.S. bank to a bay 2 miles below Ogdensburg, where the boats would pick them up next morning. This delay caused the 7th to be lost which was the more deplored by the U.S. staff from its being warm and fine. The boats remained tied up all day awaiting the dark. When the moon set they rowed rapidly down the stream, when it was proved the fear of the guns of Fort Wellington had been unwarranted. As the long procession of boats began to steal past, hugging the south shore as closely as possible, a noisy canhonade was opened, but the guns were either badly pointed or the range was too long for their caliber, for not a boat was hit, though one chance shot killed a sailor and wounded two. Two boats, laden with artillery and provisions, ran aground, and were with difficulty got off, which together with landing a body of troops on the Canadian bank delayed the flotilla sailing that day, the 8th Nov. Landing troops on the north bank was owing to spies having sent word that the British had planted batteries wherever the river was narrow.Colonel Macomb was landed on the Canadian side with 1200 men to clear the bank of them. This caused skirmishes which invariably ended in the fleeing of the gunners into the bush after spiking or concealing their guns. That night the flotilla tied up at the narrows, 6 miles below Waddington having made only 8 miles. Here the cavalry and artillery, who had kept moving onwards on finding the flotilla did not overtake them at Bush creek, was found waiting, and it took much time to ferry the cavalry to the Canadian bank; the guns were taken on board, and so the 9th was wasted, the flotilla making no progress. The farmers who dwelt on the north bank of the river, when questioned by their unwelcome visitors, magnified the dangers they would meet —the terrors of the rapids, the batteries that would rake their boats wherever the river was narrow, the bands of Indians prowling in the woods, the lack of forage. These stories so impressed the Americans that it was decided to strengthen the cavalry, and so next morning General Brown with his brigade of infantry was detailed to accompany them along with two companies of artillery.

This formidable force found few obstructions in their march along the road that skirted the north shore of the St. Lawrence. Shots were occasionally exchanged with riflemen hid in the woods and two or three rude blockhouses, erected to shelter the relief guards, were burned. Trifling as their losses were, they confirmed the Americans in their delusion that redcoats were concealed in the bush and were there in force. Wilkinson scattered, by means of the troops he landed, a proclamation assuring the Canadian farmers he had not come to make war upon them but to subdue the King's forces, and if they would remain quietly at home, they would be protected in their persons and property. This had no effect. The farms that lined the Canadian bank of the St. Lawrence were owned by United Empire Loyaliste or their descendants, and Wilkinson's threat, if found in arms they would be treated as enemies, did not frighten them. They kept up a guerilla or rather a predatory warfare on the Americans as they marched along and, when the British troops finally did come, joined their ranks. The promise about respecting their homes was not kept, for the American soldiers, under both Macomb and Brown, harried cellars, barns and stables ruthlessly, making no compensation for what they took. With a few exceptions, the farmers saved their horses and cattle by concealing them in the bush. The forage they had saved for winter feed, the U. S. cavalrymen used. What the commissariat officers bought they paid for in Mexican silver dollars.

The day after he passed Ogdensburg Wilkinson received a message from his agent there, that two armed schooners had arrived at Prescott, accompanied by several open boats filled with soldiers, and his belief was that they would follow and try to do what harm they could to the flotilla. On passing Point Iroquois, where there is a short rapid, a musketry-fire was suddenly opened on the flotilla. The assailants were a body of farmers, under Captain Munro, who kept on shooting until a strong body of Americans was landed, when they disappeared into the bush. Fine weather continued. The 9th was sunny but, from trivial causes, the flotilla was hindered, and made only ten miles. On tying up for the night reports from spies told that the British had perfected arrangements to obstruct by batteries the running of the Soo rapids. Wilkinson ordered the flotilla to stay where it was until the shooting of the rapids was made safe, so he directed Brown to march early next morning and clear the bank of the enemy. Brown, an energetic and brave man, set about his task at daylight and found it troublesome. There was a British force of over a thousand farmers waiting at Hoople's creek, but when their commander, Major Dennis, learned the strength of the Americans he sought cover and let them pass. Throwing aside the obstacles that had been placed on the road, Brown hastened on, for he had learned great quantities of provisions and ammunition had been landed at Cornwall, awaiting the opening of the route to Kingston. This he hoped to capture, but the Glengarry farmers disappointed him. In re-

When Brown got as far as Barnhart island he sent a trooper to Wilkinson with a despatch telling him the rapids were clear and to come on at once, as it had begun to rain and the men had no tents. The letter was handed to Wilkinson early in the forenoon and found him in perplexity over evidence that the British had overtaken him. Early in the morning three boats flying the British flag had been sighted coming down the river. They were the gunboats in which Mulcaster had pursued from Kingston. Two were merely scows with a 6-pounder in their bows. The third was larger, with a 24 and 32 pounder. They opened fire. On the Americans sending ashore two heavy cannon whose shot reached them, they drew out of range. Next came sounds of firing from the woods on the north bank, showing the British were in touch with McComb's troops. There was still daylight enough to make the trip over the Soo rapids and the flotilla got under way. When it had sailed a few miles Wilkinson changed his mind, saying it was too late to shoot the rapids, so the gunboats tied up at Cook's Point, and the flotilla in the bay on the other side of the point. Mulcaster with his gunboats anchored as near as was prudent, firing an occasional shot that always fell short. On the river bank redcoats were several times sighted and there were skirmishes with the American rearguard, entailing a few casualties. The nearness of his foe troubled Wilkinson, for a strong British force could follow and attack the rear of that part of his army that, to lighten the boats, would have to march along the road on the north bank of the St. Lawrence to join the flotilla at the foot of the Soo rapids. In the big logbuilding where Cook kept tavern Wilkinson took up his quarters and had a night of it with boon companions. Scouts reporting a considerable body of British regulars encamped in a pine grove three miles west, every precaution was taken against a night attack; the soldiers slept on their arms and strong patrols covered the camp. The night, however, passed without alarm.

(To be continued)

RINGS WRONG BELL

The fire was no fire, but a wedding, and the bridegroom spent his wedding night in jail. This all came to light when Judge John V. Brennan, in recorder's court at Detroit, convicted Clifford Grantham, 21 years old, a truck driver, of turning in a false fire alarm at 3.20 a.m. Patrolman Raymond Torston testified that while he was standing in the shadows at the intersection he saw Grantham walk to the fire alarm box and pull the alarm. He locked Grantham up in the police station. Grantham stoutly denied the charge. He said he was merely walking by the box after having had a couple of drinks with friends. He then disclosed that the previous afternoon he had been married. "Was your bride with you?" asked Judge Brennan. "No," said Grantham. "Our house is not ready yet, and we did not plan to start living together until Saturday night." Judge Brennan gave him the choice of a $50 fine or 30 days in jail.

Keeping it Dark

The country minister was giving the milkmaid a lift home in his car, and when he came to her house he set her down. The girl started to thank him.

"Oh, don't mention it," said the clerygman.

The girl blushed and replied, "All right, sir—mum's the word."

Man is Jailed Following Family Quarrel at Cazaville

Cartier Shoots Brother-in-law in Knee Early Christmas Evening—Lapierre Taken to Hospital Where His Condition is Considered Serious

A shooting accident which might have had more serious consequences occurred a few miles north of Cazaville on Christmas evening when Willie Cartier shot his brother-in-law, Rene Lapierre in the left knee.

According to reports, Lapierre, accompanied by Cartier's brother, Fred Cartier, paid a friendly visit at the Willie Cartier residence at Cazaville on Sunday afternoon. After an exchange of words, an argument arose between Lapierre and Willie Cartier and a fist fight ensued.

Lapierre was thrown out of the house and threatened through a broken panel in the door, his brother-in-law to come out and finish the fight. The inevitable happened and Cartier pulled out a 12 calibre gun from a rafter and aimed at Lapierre. He was struck in the left knee.

Approximately fifteen minutes later, Lapierre finally gathered enough strength to enter the Cartier home and a neighbor was then notified of the accident. Dr. Claude St. Onge of Huntingdon was summoned as well as the provincial authorities.

After examining Lapierre, Dr. St. Onge ordered the patient to the Hotel-Dieu hospital in Valleyfield as the victim had lost a great quantity of blood.

Cartier was taken into custody at the Valleyfield jail where he will await trial which will likely come up on Thursday, January 5th.

Lapierre was given a blood transfusion immediately after being admitted at the hospital. Although his condition is serious, Dr. O. E. Caza, chief surgeon at the hospital, stated yesterday that Lapierre was resting comfortably and hoped for a recovery.

Chateauguay Basin

A highly appreciative audience attended the choir concert of the United Church on Wednesday evening. The programme consisted of Christmas Prelude and organ solos by Miss Patience Reid. The choruses rendered by the choir and audience were, "O Come All Ye Faithful." "While Shepherds Watch their Flocks by Night." "O Little Town of Bethlehem" and those by the choir, "Good King Wenceslas." Over the Fields of Bethlehem and Angels we have Heard on High and Silent Night. The last one by the altos and soprano.

The Chrristmas reading by Rev. McKinley Rose was greatly appreciated. Mr. Herbert Buzzell, of Abbotsford, Que., "Canadian Tenor" was the guest artist. His voice is rich and mellow and rendered "The First Christmas Morn," "Glory to God in the Highest" in an excellent manner. The church was beautifully decorated with evergreens and candles in each window and the singing of the choruses was heightened at times by singing in the candle light. Miss Patience Reid was the capable accompanist and the success of the evening is due in a large measure to her efforts.

The town of Chateauguay has attained to another birthday, as it was on December 20th, 1912 that the town was granted its charter.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Dickenson and Mr. H. J. R. Dickenson were Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Pilborough at Westmount, Que.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Richardson entertained at a family gathering on Christmas day.

Mr. and Mrs. Russel Clinton and daughter Joan, of Westmount, Que., were week-end guests of Mrs. Peter Reid, at Riverview.

Miss Margaret J. Watt and Miss Rhoda Macfarlane are spending their Christmas holidays at their respective homes.

Miss Jean Marshall, a former resident of this town and a teacher on the staff of the Edward VII school, Montreal, has retired owing to ill-health. She will reside with her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. H. Bluck, at Edmonton, Alta. Her many friends trust with the change, she may find a measure of health.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Graham Douglas of Montreal, were guests during the week of Rev. and Mrs. A. M. Rose at the Manse.

Mrs. James Kerr and Miss Jean Kerr, who spent Christmas day the guests of Mrs. N. E. Jack have returned to Montreal, while Miss Elizabeth Kerr left on Sunday night for Cleveland, Ohio, where she will be the guest of Mrs. Andrew Sharpe.

Mr. J. Stewart Craik of Montreal, was a guest during the Christmas week-end of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Craik and Mrs. A. E. Esdon.

Miss Edith Brerton and Miss Madge Reid, Montreal, were guests during the week-end of Mr. and Mrs. John Wylie.

St. Louis de Gonzague

The community was saddened by the death of Mrs. Alex. Laurin on Saturday morning. The funeral was largely attended on Monday in the Parish church. Much sympathy is felt for Mr. Laurin and the family.

Mr. Charles Tait, and Mrs. Geo. Tait were Monday evening guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Goodall.

Messrs. Harold, Laurie and John Symons were dinner guests on Monday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Glen, Brysonville.

Midnight mass was celebrated in the Parish church on Saturday night.

Miss Gertrude Laframboise, of Valleyfield was a week-end guest at the home of her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Lepage.

Mr. and Mrs. Brossoit and family of Beauharnois were Monday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gustave Sauvé.

Mr. and Mrs. George Gardner spent Christmas at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Kelly, Huntingdon.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Howden spent Christmas in Farnham.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Greig, of Montreal were Christmas guests at the home of her mother, Mrs. Jas. Howden.

The Knox church held their Christmas service on Sunday. The church will be closed until April 1, 1939.

Miss Robena McCaig, of Montreal, was a week-end guest at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Archie McCaig.

Miss Janet McCaig of Shawanaga, Ont., is visiting this week at the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Tait and Mr. and Mrs. Donald McCaig.

sponse to an urgent call they hurriedly hastened to Cornwall, and as each cart was loaded took the road to Martintown, into which 150 rumbled before nightfall. The Americans occupied Cornwall without resistance.

DUNDEE

Miss Irma Farley of Cincinatus, N.Y., and Miss Grace Farley of Massena are spending their Christmas holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Farley.

Miss Jean Fraser is the guest of her sister, Mrs. John Smallman.

Miss Helen Smallman is home for the holidays.

Miss Elva Fraser recently underwent an operation for appendicitis in the Montreal General Hospital. She is reported to be improving rapidly and is expected home soon.

Powerscourt

Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dear were Mr. and Mrs. John Dear, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Dear and daughter Mildred, Mr. Lewis Dear, and Miss Dorothy Alden from Massena, N.Y., Mr. Arthur Dear, Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Tolan and daughter, Christina, and Miss June Maloney from Burke, N.Y., also Messrs. Ernest and George and Miss Gertrude Dear and Mr. and Mrs. Russell McDonald and son Billie.

Mr. and Mrs. Sandy Sutton and family and Miss Marie Furness of Burke, N.Y., were Monday guests at the Dear home.

Mr. Alex. Wallace of Toronto spent the Christmas holidays with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. McCracken and family and Mrs. Henry Rennie, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Rennie and family celebrated Christmas on Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Wallace and family.

Misses Carol Ross from Montreal and Nora Wood from Howick spent the Christmas holidays at their homes here.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Blair and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Blair of Franklin and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Earl of Chateaugay were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. McClatchie on Monday.

The school here closed for the Christmas holidays, the teacher, Miss Crutchfield is spending the holidays at her home.

Christmas was observed in different homes each spending the holidays with relatives ar entertaining friends in their own homes. Rev. Mr. Woodside gave a Christmas sermon on Sunday and special Christmas music was furnished by the young people of the community.

Leach Adds Another Victory At Expense of V'field Tigers

Howie Grant, M. Smith and M. Levine Tally For Huntingdon in League Fixture at Valleyfield—Houle Stars in Nets

Huntingdon skated off the ice in the second game of a double-header played at the Valleyfield arena on Monday evening with another victory. Before hostilities, Valleyfield Tigers who met Huntingdon that evening, were temporarily secure in third position with a one-point margin over the Leach aggregation. They even stated before game time that they would beat the visitors by a huge score. Such was not the case, however, as Huntingdon scored a decisive victory over the Tigers by the score of 5-3.

Temporarily forgetting the holiday feeling which predominates everywhere at this time of the year, and the nonchalance it brings forth, Huntingdon started off with a bang and practically knocked the Tigers off their feet with their smart combination plays.

The team that lacked the necessary "umph" around the nets, according to Manager Lucien Leduc of the Tigers, showed a smart finish around Rapin and beat him on five different occasions.

Mike Levine, who patrols the right wing on the "kid line" with Howie Grant at centre and Mons Duke on the left boards, scored Huntingdon's first counter in the initial stanza on a well-laid pass from Howie Grant.

The second period was the fastest of the game and both teams displayed some smart plays but Huntingdon again took the lead on a timely goal by Merle Smith. Tigers counted their first marker of the evening late in this middle frame following a mix-up in front of Houle in the Huntingdon nets.

Howie Grant scored the nicest goal for Huntingdon in the third period when he drew Rapin out of his nets and flipped the puck in the twine. Smith and Howie scored the fourth and fifth goals for the visiting team late in this period while the Tigers succeeded in beating Houle twice.

This victory placed Huntingdon in third position, one point ahead of the Tigers and three points behind Bellerive of the same loop.

Houle was the star for the winning team on Monday evening and should he continue to display such brilliant form in future games, he will undoubtedly bring the Leach six in first place within a few weeks.

Moco lost their first contest of the season at the hands of the Bellerive six in the first game played at Valleyfield that evening. The score was 6-0.

The Huntingdon line-up was as follows:—Houle, goals; C. Grant and J. C. Lefebvre, defence; H. Grant, centre; M. Duke and M. Levine, wings. Alternates: "Red" White, B. Boyd, B. Campbell, M. Smith.

Dundee Joins Indoor Baseball League at Fort Covington

Popular Winter Sport Recently Inaugurated With Seven Teams—Players Anticipate Successful Season

A new form of indoor pastime has recently been inaugurated in Fort Covington with the forming of several teams to play indoor baseball or dart-ball. Several of the local boys who belong to the sporting fraternity have formed a team also and have joined the league. Games are played on Tuesday night of each week. Teams in the league include Methodists, Merchants, Officers, Juniors, Presbyterians, Roman Catholics and Dundee. The number on a team may vary from 7 to 12. The game is played somewhat the same as baseball except that in place of throwing a ball the players endeavour to throw a pointed feather dart at a rectangular board hung on the wall at a distance of twenty feet from the playing position. The playing board has a miniature baseball diamond inscribed on it with home plate in the centre and first, second and third bases ranged around the outside. The object of the game is for a player to place a dart in the section marked home run if possible or failing that perhaps he may make one base hit at first base or even a two or three bagger. If the player hits certain sections of the board he is automatically out. Generally speaking the same rules of outdoor baseball apply to the indoor wall game. Those who play from this section report the game to be very interesting and affords them an excellent form of winter pastime.

MacDonald College Notes

Final plans for the course in co-operation at Macdonald College have been completed and a strong programme has been prepared. Stress will be laid on economics, co-operation, accounting, and the organization and operation of cooperatives and credit unions.

The staff will include W. F. Chown, J. E. O'Meara, E. D. Bonyman, W. A. Brown, of the Dominion Department of Agriculture; H. C. Bois and Marc Hudon of the Co-operative Fédérée in Montreal; J. I. Brown of Canada Packers Ltd; Anth. Charbonneau; R. P. Charbonneau, W. C. McDougall and W. J. Tawse. Lectures from the staff of Macdonald College will include Messrs. Brunt, Heimpel, Lattimer, Maw, Murray, Ness and Summerby. Dr. J. F. Booth, Head of the Department of Agricultural Economics at Ottawa, Mr. W. H. J. Tisdale, Assistant Manager of the Canadian Co-operative Woolgrowers Association, and Mr. J. J. Harpell of the Garden City Press will each be present for one lecture. General supervision of the students' recreational activities will be the responsibility of R. Alex. Sim of the McGill University Extension staff.

Brooklet-Herdman

McKay School Results

Class IB—Miel Usereau, 91.

Class II Jr.—Jean McKay, 93; William Dawson, 91.5; Herbert Pringle, 87.5; Donald Nickolson, 87;

Class II Sr.—Merl Pringle, 89; Roy Douglas, 88.6; Walter Douglas, 87.6; Lewis McKay, 87.1; Harriet Daoust, 82.7.

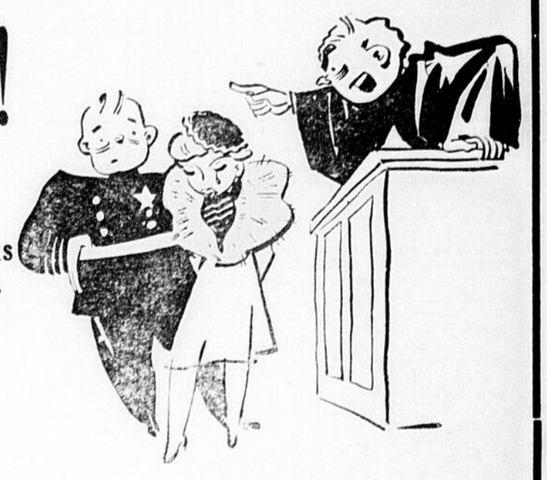
Class III Jr.—Gladys Pringle, 88.9; Olive Farquhar, 86.4; Stewart McKay, 81.5.

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Manual Training at Ormstown High School

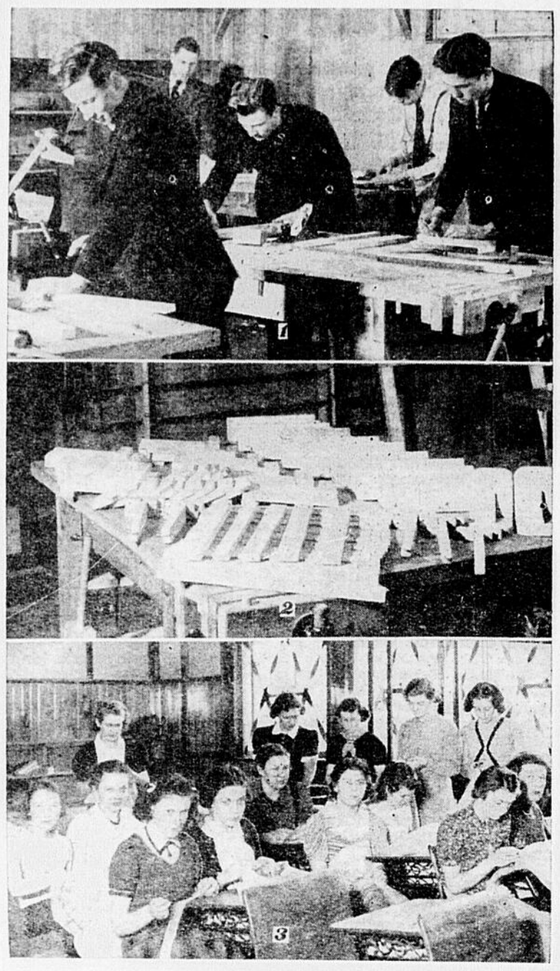
Last Spring the Ormstown School Board began to consider the introduction of manual training and domestic science as a means of making the school of greater use to the community. A committee was appointed under the chairmanship of Mr. R. E. Walsh to study the matter thoroughly and to visit centres where such courses were taught. The committee visited Macdonald College, where it met Dr. Brittain, Dean Laird and Professor Heimpel; and some of the Montreal schools, where both subjects are taught in the elementary classes. As soon as the consolidation agreement was settled, the scheme took more definite shape. Arrangements were made to send Mr. R. L. Baglow to the Ontario College of Education Vocational School at Hamilton for a Summer Course and Mrs. M. E. Lindsay was appointed domestic science teacher.

Since the Course of Study at present does not provide for woodwork above Grade Eight and as the present accommodation at the Ormstown High School would not permit the teaching of the full domestic science course as now outlined, it was necessary to draw up temporary outlines for both subjects. These were approved by the Department of Education in August and the building committee began at once to make provision for the new classes. The cost of such work as carried on in Montreal would have been prohibitive, therefore special plans were drawn for the benches and other fixtures so that they could all be made locally. In the woodworking shop, each boy was provided with the essential tools — a plane, saw, chisels, square and awl—while other wall tools were provided for the whole class. In this way the cost of the experiment was greatly reduced.

The courses have been in operation sinve September. They are compulsory for all pupils from Grade Six to Grade Eleven, these being formed into four groups of boys and four of girls. The size of the average class is fifteen, although one of the woodworking groups increased to twenty and had to be divided. Each has one period of an hour and a half a week, which is all that the time-table at present will permit.

So far the experiment has proved most satisfactory. The pupils are enthusiastic, the projects completed so far are varied and useful—the pupils made all the costumes and stage properties for their recent Christmas concert, and the boys have recently been making screens for the school windows—and the increased registration in Grades Eight and Nine is most gratifying. While the scheme is still in the experimental stage, it is expeeted to develop a standard of work that will in a few years make such courses acceptable as options for the High School Leaving Certificate.

Manual Work Included In Curriculum At Ormstown High School



—Gleaner Photo and Engraving.

Although most of the time at Ormstown High School is taken up by the ordinary courses which are featured in all High Schools in the Province of Quebec, nevertheless, Ormstown has a certain number of fixed hours each week for the development of manual work by students. Upper photo (1) shows some of the senior pupils busily engaged at carving and cutting in their work-shop. This room contains more than nine double work benches and the students are under the supervision of Mr. Baglow. (2) Some of the elementary projects by the pupils. Note the smart finish of these projects. Lower photo is a group of girls in the High School during the sewing class. Mrs. Lindsay is in charge of this course and the girl students are learning in school a course in sewing which is not featured in very many of our schools in the Chateauguay Valley.

What's in the Wind

by PAULA DICKS

Stocktaking.—

Prize to Ivan Heath for Bright Thought of Week: To avoid the annual Christmas Card Menace how about getting them printed by the thousand with standard message: "Merry Xmas and Happy New Year" and fill in 1939-40-41-42-43, five years ahead. The recipient could file the card away and just take a look at it once a year. When time is up he could send a reply: "Your Xmas card dated 1939-43 has expired. Please renew at once."

The pincushion on my dresser appeared to be suffering from leaky valves and showed other signs of age. Deciding that a thorough examination was required I began the operation by emptying the contents on a newspaper. Then I discovered the resting place of lost needles. In the course of possibly twenty years, 140 of the headless objects had buried themselves in the bran.

McDonald & Robb's 1939 calendar carries a reproduction of the old Jesuits' Mill at Caughnawaga. The artist, Paul Caron, was born in Montreal, son of the organist, J. O Caron and Mary Corinne Fraser. He was educated at Lower Canada College and attended Art Classes at Montreal Art Association. Caron is famous for his Canadian winter scenes with French atmosphere and background.

"The spirit of true art can become general and permeate society only when a lot of people are enjoying art as a pastime, without any hope of achieving immortality. I would rather have all bank presidents and economic experts able to make their own Christmas cards, however ridiculous the attempt may be, than to have only a few artists who work at art as a profession."

From the book, "Importance of Living" by Lin Yutang, famous Chinese author and world traveller.

New Year's Revolutions.—

Hon. M. B. Fisher naturally feels that his attitude towards Education in Quebec has been vindicated by the Hepburn Report. It is useless however, to look for unanimous opinion on the subject, especially from those whose efforts are criticised by implication, if not by direct censure.

Things are right back at the point reached at the beginning, when resignations were called for and indignantly refused. Says Mr. Fisher:

"I have been ferociously attacked from many sides, because of my persistent efforts towards reform in our schools."

Just how vicious such attacks have been may be imagined from the picture given by Miss Catherine McKenzie when she addressed the meeting in Huntingdon Academy last summer. She said:

"This winter I have had plenty of fights with people in authority and no less a personage than the Chancellor has made the remark that I am a damned obstinate old woman, because I didn't agree with him on this Survey Committee. They (the Committee) are all people of good-will and want to do what is best for us. I think the Bishop of Quebec and Mrs. Shaw knew enough about the schools of Quebec and nothing would surprise them. But the others, and particularly Mr. Hepburn, were accustomed to things on a much higher plane.

Miss McKenzie was also criticised for her speech in Huntingdon and it was charged in the Press that she was giving out advance information as to the Survey Committee's Report. At that, it appears she did give a pretty accurate preview—and no harm done that I can see.

For instance glaring defects to be remedied:

(1) Too narrow a curriculum. Too much book learning demanded and not enough skill of hand. Our people are not devoted to learning but will and must use their hands. Our schools have not the means of training hands and brains together.

(2) Better health inspection and physical training in both urban and rural schools necessary.

(3) Better enforcement of school attendance. Too much illiteracy among Protestant children.

(4) Cheaper and better books available but less teaching from text alone.

(5) Better salaries for teachers.

(6) Better training for teachers. At present teacher is a bird of passage with a defective education herself. Our communities are too separatist. They prefer to take back the daughter of their own people with her very limited experience of the world.

"I think a good teacher should know the world and should know the wickedness of the world so she can discover it in her pupils and in herself." Mr. Hepburn remarked:

"There are some things I cannot go back to Ayrshire and tell, one thing is what you pay your teachers and their age."

(7) The Committee found a great absence of variety of books and opportunity for reading books for pleasure in our school libraries. The use of books for delight in reading can only be acquired by easy access to books. They should be in the most convenient place and libraries should be attractive and comfortable.

(8) Fewer High Schools and better ones. Elementary School for six years; Junior High School three years; and Senior High School to Grade 12. Junior High School would promote the sort of vocational training that suits the child. From Senior High Schools pupils would branch off to further education they are fitted for.

(9) More attention paid to subjects that extend the amenities—music, the arts, pictures; group piano lessons, etc. More games and sports to develop use of muscles that co-ordinate body and mind.

(10) Better training for teachers—more selective—so that we have people with personality and courage who will come out into the remote parts and spread enlightenment into far places. Teachers must be trained in skills necessary to our daily life.

Miss McKenzie declared that such changes would be hard on teachers as it was always difficult to alter old ways. Particularly difficult would it be to change the minds of School Boards.

School Craft.—

Item 1 of Miss McKenzie's list, re hand work, is getting direct attention already in some schools. Ormstown High School is doing great work. Reforms that don't wait for the higher-ups are sure to be on the up and up. Now the following appears in Lachute Watchman:

"An item of general interest is reported from the business session of the School Commission, who decided at this meeting to adopt manual training as a subject on the school curriculum immediately following the Christmas recess. Ten benches and necessary tools will be purchased and Mr. Crawford Anderson, a present member of the staff who has practical training in this department, will supervise the classes."

New Year's Message to Our Critics, Friendly and Otherwise.—

Always glad to receive suggestions and ideas as to what to put in this column—and to leave out. Sorry to have to be reminded that I haven't devoted any space to the activities of Charlie Petch. This can be easily remedied if he will write me amusing stories or comment at any time.

The Adult Education story on Nov. 30th has caught attention in Truro. And that's a compliment, because Nova Scotia is the hotbed of intellectual uplift and social reform. Hector Cutten, of National Dairy Council, writes: "It is rather a coincident that I should have your little article on Adult Education. I had only Sunday prepared a manuscript to deliver at Home & School Improvement Association, which meets early in January. So now I am going to pick all I can, with your permission, from your article. A week ago tonight Prof. A. B. McDonald of St. Francis Xavier College delivered an address in Clifton Church Hall on Study Clubs and Credit Unions.

The Blairs of Athol.—

"It is another co-incident that you write about the Duchess of Athol. I have a letter partly written to her and am awaiting the result of the election. I believe she is as crazy as a March ground squirrel. She owns, but does not live in, the castle of my maternal ancestors, the Blairs of Blair Athol.

In the 16th Century a Rev. Blair erected in Williamsburg, Maryland, the first College in America, named the College of William and Mary, after the King and Queen of the day.

The enclosed picture of Blair Castle was sent to me a few years ago. The castle is open at a shilling a person in summer. The Duke and Duchess are too poor to live in and keep it up. The Blairs, here, came to Nova Scotia in 1779 from New England States. Evidently her (the Duchess') wild Scotch blood wants a war. Well! some few million people are alive because of Chamberlain's policy, right or wrong. Why worry about the "Checks." They are disappointed because they could not have a fight. "P.S.—Radio just states that the Duchess of Athol was beaten by 1500 votes."

Wooster, Mass: I always read your article in the Gleaner and enjoy it very much.—R.S.

Happy New Year!

Dahlia's Whatnots

Whereas Resolved

New Year's Day must actually be the oldest of annual festivals, even though it may not have been always observed as such for the six thousand odd years of recorded history.

Resolve to be thankful for large good things and small bad ones, for big onions, small bunions, a long-tempered husband, a wide view from the kitchen window, living so far from the road that the tramp does not call, or so near the road that you can call to the mail-carrier.

It has been said that so long as a man is kicking, even though pinned to the ground, he isn't licked. So, if he has sufficient moral kick to resolve to do better, his case is not entirely hopeless.

A Conversazione

I attended one the other evening. It was held in the kitchen of a farmhouse. There were seven persons present when it started, but two left early, one to hear how Farr was defeated in the noble profession of prize-fighting. The proceedings were conducted by four of those remaining, two of whom were natives of England, one of New York but with a predominating strain of English in his system while the fourth was of Ulster's orange-and-blue persuasion and a Baltimore lawyer's persuasiveness. These four conversed all the time and debated nearly all the time. Two of them waved their arms occasionally, when words were too weak to express their sentiments fully. The listening was done by the Scotch half of the fifth person present. Their ages ran from sixteen to upwards of the alloted span. There was no formal applause but the programme was interlarded with hearty bursts of laughter, provoked by humorous rhymes or witty reasons. Did they gossip? Strange to say, considering that four belonged to the sterner sex, they did not. Did they discuss automobiles. Stranger to say, they did not. They discoursed on sailing-ships, the Jews, charity, relief, fraud, co-operative factories, smoking, alcohol, the Crown jewels, Government extravagance and incompetence in relation to public buildings, and taxation. And "a good time was had by all."

Never say "fail"

If you find that they can't do anything with you at home, why not try an agency for the Crisp-Ever Burn-Never Electric Toaster! This is an appliance peculiarly adapted for demonstration by the homeless, hungry salesman during the early part of his agency, while his commission is still in the offing. He is bound to be treated to toast wherever he is allowed to demonstrate.

To Legislate To Educate

The Educational Survey Report recommends that a harmlessly small number of women be appointed to the Provincial Committee, to the Greater Montreal Board, and to the nine District Boards. I am wondering how this recommendation will stand the weather.

Our moral and educational defects, speed mania, lack of self-control, and flouting of decent convention in our amusements, call to mind the words put into the mouth of an illiterate man who applied to the foreman on a piece of roadwork for a somewhat responsive job. The foreman asked him if he could read the directions on the signpost, to which the aspirant replied, "I know how far, but not where to."

A map of South America in a Daily Star with the products printed across each country made me think what an improvement it was on the map drawing of my elementary schooldays. Then we wasted our time printing the names of unimportant capes and bays which were soon forgotten. The Cape of Good Hope was one cheerful exception and Fundy always had a sound of profundity and sank deep into my childish memory. The modern history texts are much more interesting than before, being devoid of the long lists of unimportant dates of regimes of kings or governors. It is indeed true that the present High School course of study fails to fit young people for anything but the university. More than one practical man of business has told me that he never understood his arithmetic exercizes till after he had left school and transact business dealings. How many we meet who with little actual proficiency in school subjects can estimate mentally at a marvellous speed, far faster than many a "schoolma'am can compute on paper! Perhaps too little time is left for simple mental problems. What fine practical business heads some of those old pioneer grandfathers from Scotland had! Accounts and business forms had no terrors for them. One elderly man I know who amuses himself by propounding a couple of "posers" to youthful students. They stand open-mouthed, squirming around, with eyes rolling heavenward as though imploring assistance from some occult source outside of their own poor little scholastic experience.

One question is: A frog at the bottom of a well 20 ft. deep jumps up 2 ft. every day and falls back 3 ft. How long will it take him to get out.

The second question is: If a herring and a half cost a ha'penny and a half, how many can you get for elevenpence. The fish-market, herrings and frogs' legs and all, seem a Chinese problem to the young mind.

But reading is the most important subject of all, for by it you can learn any other subject, and yet as I listen to junior pupils to-day I wonder if it is not the most badly taught of all, through a mishandling of the excellent combination of the word and phonic methods. Many children continue the habit of the word method long after it should be dropped, because young children's memories are so fresh? Thus you find them memorizing the reading at the sight of a certain picture, instead of learning to read by phonic sounds. This, of course, turns out equally wretched spellers.

SKATERS INJURED

Miss Lillie Leslie and Mr. Edgar Lefebvre, both of Huntingdon, were injured while skating at the Huntingdon Skating Rink on Monday afternoon.

Miss Leslie injured her back when she fell on the ice. She had to be carried off the ice and was given medical attention. Mr. Lefebvre, who fell on his skate, suffered a deep gash in the left hip and was taken to Dr. H. R. Clouston for treatment. They are both reported as recovering rapidly.

Letters to The Editor

THE BUSINESS OF LIVING FOR 1939

The Editor,
Huntingdon Gleaner.
Dear Sir:

The business of living is one in which each and every one of us is engaged in, whether we wish to or not we must carry on. In the record book of that business, the thing called Time writes an indelible daily record of our credits and liabilities. The old year will soon be passed and the day marked January 1, 1939, will soon appear on our calendar. As truly as the sun rises on that day, so will this business of living have to be carried on into the new year as it has been done in the year that has fled. Every morning of our lives, as we rise to meet a new day there stretches before us a challenging road with new opportunities, requiring renewed courage, faithfulness, hopefulness. In this work-a-day world every normal person whether he be a wise man or a knave will have to encounter some of the hard facts as well as the easy as they tread down the pathway of the New Year. To be able to seek solutions of our problems or lighten our burdens will require sincere determination as our earnest resolve and not merely wish thinking to lead us to the goal that we ought to reach. But let us have the right spirit of hopefulness about our power to make a real effort to live up to our good resolutions which without sincere determination is only a form of self-deception.

One New Year's day resolution which might be well to adopt is that we will do our best to clear our minds of prejudice in our attitude towards other people and not jump to conclusions too quickly until we have made a sincere attempt to have a sympathetic understanding with those with whom we come in contact. Let us not say "My first impression is always right", but let us remember that we are all bundles of inconsistent qualities and therefore should not be too certain in passing judgment on anybody. Let us be philosophical in our judgments and not forget that every one of us stands in need of being judged charitably.

BYSTANDER.

Huntingdon, Que., Dec. 27, 1938

Sports Editor,
Huntingdon Gleaner, Inc.,
Dear Sir:—

It is quite obvious from the tone of "Jack's" letter, published in the last issue of your paper, calling the proposed open-air rink at the Huntingdon Academy a tom-foolery and ridiculous idea, is the view taken that this rink will be detrimental to the Huntingdon Arena financially.

There are a few well founded facts that are in favour of a school rink which some are surprised has not been maintained in the past similar to the one at St. Joseph's School. First, the Aacademy rink is not intended to be used for Senior School Hockey matches which are always played in the Arena but for the use of out of town boys and girls during the noon recess and are unable to skate at the Arena before returning home by bus in the afternoon which leaves the school immediately after classes are dismissed. Second, School hockey teams can be formed and played at any time on this rink, thus not interfering with the older boys practicing at the Arena which at present, is only available for two hours a week—one hour in the early evening, just when the boys should be at home having their supper or doing their home work. The other hour is Saturday A.M. when many of the boys have returned home for the week-end. Thirdly, No physician will hesitate in saying that outdoor skating is far more healthier exercise on account of the damp atmosphere in enclosed rinks, especially if one is susceptible to colds.

Perhaps there will be objections and criticism to the rink which has been maintained, without the extra cost of water, but with quite a lot of labour which has been given freely by all interested, on the river just above the City Gas & Electric dam. Many boys and girls of St. Joseph's and the Academy have been enjoying themselves immensely during the day and until late evening, playing hockey and skating and at the same time doing their health a world of good.

Surely having an open air rink at St. Joseph's and the Academy is not trying to "buck" the Huntingdon Arena and will in no way effect its finances and at the same time give enjoyment and pleasure to many of the young children, at present, deprived of a little skating in Winter.—GILL.

December 27th, 1938

Sports Editor,
The Gleaner,
Huntingdon, Que.
Dear Sirs:

Jack and Bill are to be commended for their good wishes toward the skating rink, but I still think they are wrong. Why not wait until they see how the tickets sell before hollering? Was the skating rink built to teach the kids to skate and play hockey—or was it the outcome of the demand for better facilities by those who learned their skating on ponds, creeks, rivers, flooded fields, etc.? Are the future Howie Morenz' and Lionel Conachers' those who are allowed to play hockey under supervision—for two hours a week, or are they the kids who become a nuisance on the town streets about October with their hockey sticks and whatever they find on the roadway for a puck? My idea is that the players the people crowd the rinks to see are those who were at it morning, noon and night wherever there was a patch of ice.

Can the skating rink give the necessary practice time for stick handling and shooting for the schoolboys—if so, why some of the queer practice hours we have had in the past?

Now Jack and Bill don't you worry—the more boys and girls you have on every little patch of ice in the country, the more the skating rink will profit. You ought to bless them instead of cursing them.

As to the waste of water for this town—ooh, la, la! and fooey! 100 gallons of water per person, per day, is ample for all needs for town use. But if you will take what this town wastes over and above that amount, —I mean absolutely wastes and runs uselessly down the sewers in just two days—you will have enough water to make the ice on the skating rink, the Academy rink, and St. Joseph's School rink one foot thick and have enough water left over to flood them all half an inch twice a week till the middle of March.

Lastly, Jack and Bill are worried about health of the children—since when have Canadian boys and girls had to worry about the Canadian outdoors? Some people really prefer that air to that in the skating rink dressing rooms.

CITIZEN.

Opinions of Others

REGULAR ATTENDANCE AT CHURCH SERVICE IS BENEFICIAL

(Bowmanville Canadian Statesman)

Attendance at divine service every Sunday, at least until the end of the year, is the purpose of a movement in the United Church of Canada, which cannot fail to have a beneficial effect upon Canadians. Members of the congregation of this particular church are being asked to pledge themselves to this act of worship.

Dr. H. A. Kent, Principal of Queen's Theological College, Kingston, in his address at St. Paul's Church anniversary here Sunday morning presented some challenging statements to "those who profess to live right in the sight of the Lord, but yet do not enter into the temple to worship."

Recently the Montreal Gazette printed an editorial on the value of church attendance which presented many points in support of the view that there is the greatest value in attendance at divine worship. Among the many reasons given for attendance are the following:

"In attempting to appraise such attendance we are admitting that we are moral and spiritual beings whose higher nature is open to good influence, if such influence can be found. Well, the Church seeks to provide this sort of influence and it is the only public teacher that makes a sustained, deliberate and systematic effort to provide a cultural environment for our moral and spiritual life. It does this in the name of God and invites the world to take advantage of the uplift that it offers.

"The sincere church goer identifies himself with this age-old unbroken succession of God's people who have honored God with their worship and have honored themselves by seeking to know and serve Him. How can the individual who desires his own highest good and the highest good of mankind, fail to identify himself with this unbroken, historic fellowship which throughout the ages has sought to grasp the hand of God and be uplifted by His power?

. . . . "For the sincere soul the effect of public prayer and sacrament cannot fail to increase his dependence upon God, his realization of the love of God, his personal knowledge of God as Father and Friend. One does not say that private prayer will not yield similar results, but experience clearly shows that these ends are intensified when the believing people of God meet as a worshipping family of God, intent upon realizing the goodness and love of their Heavenly Father . . . It is one of the natural laws of life that we are influenced by our environment and also developed by such influence — the musician by the company of musicians, the statesman in association with other legislators, the artisan in touch with his fellow-craftsmen. Surely the worshipper of God has his spiritual life quickened, his realization of God intensified, his dependence upon God strengthened as he approaches the divine presence in company with the devout people of God."—

PUTTING CANADA FIRST

(The Financial Post)

One big stumbling block to the national leadership which Canada so urgently needs is the ganging-up of Premiers Hepburn and Duplessis—their refusal to place national weal ahead of personal or provincial considerations.

Canada must seek, and has a right to find, aggressive national leadership at Ottawa. She has an equal right to expect something more than petty, personal provincialism from the executive heads of the two senior partners to Confederation.

The Toronto Globe and Mail is to be commended for its outspoken editorial campaign directed toward these two provincial premiers. In urging these two leaders to put national well-being ahead of narrow political self-seeking, the Toronto journal is not overstating the case when it suggests that the eventual alternative is national bankruptcy.

"Mr. Hepburn must share some of the blame for the attitude of the Westerners who talked of secession. They pinned it on him directly, although his sympathy for the farmers is well known. But they and the rest of the country can let bygones be bygones and make a fresh start from here if leadership in the right direction, which Mr. Hepburn and Mr. Duplessis can provide, is forthcoming.

"Talk of disunity is injurious. Talk and action in behalf of unity are what the country must have. If public men would cease using the platform as a forum for the airing of petty grievances and jealousies and turn to the grave problems of State there would be hope for the country.

"Sometimes conditions have to reach a crisis to bring an awakening. They are at that stage in Canada. They are too serious to permit individual obsessions to stand in the way of solution. It is time Mr. Hepburn came to the realization that there is a larger purpose to serve, for all public men and newspapers to see the need of preserving the national virility.

"He and his friend, the Premier of Quebec, have been accused of ganging up against the Federal Government and the rest of Canada. Let them gang up to rescue Canada from dissolution and financial destruction.

"The power of the two central provinces in provincial affairs is undeniable. It can be used for good as well as evil. Mr. Hepburn can serve the people of Canada to his lasting credit by leading the provinces in a co-operating movement to save the nation and its resources."

Sooner or later the people of both Quebec and Ontario will rise to destroy leaders who put petty provincialism before the best interests of the nation as a whole. Meanwhile grave and irreparable damage may be done.

With the Munich peace as a background, the time is clearly ripe for national leadership of a type this country has not seen in a generation. Such leadership, if coupled with a measure of self-discipline on the part of the Canadian people, can lead the way to achievement in peace greater than any thing the country could have accomplished had she been forced to go to war.

A first step in such a programme is for Mr. Hepburn and Mr. Duplessis to forget alleged or fancied grievances and turn their great energy and ability to giving Canada a new vision and faith in its destiny.

Kilbain

Mr. and Mrs. John B. Murphy and family of Cornwall, Ont., visited with relatives here over the holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Smythe of Montreal spent the Christmas holiday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Smythe.

Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Ferns, Christmas day were Mrs. Tom Ferns, Huntingdon, Miss Viola Lucas, New York, Mrs. and Mrs. George Ferns and Mrs. Kruger, of Cleveland, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Wagner and son, Jason of Brushton, N.Y., spent the holidays at the home of Miss Agnes Reardon.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Boyer and family of Malone, N.Y., spent Christmas day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Murphy.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Wagner, Miss Ada Reardon and Mr. and Mrs. E. Bannon were callers on Monday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Farley, Dundee.

School closed for the holiday on Friday afternoon, with a rendering of Christmas dialogues, recitations and songs, which was followed by unloading of the tree and exchange of gifts between teacher and pupils.

The many friends of Mr. Donald Ferns will be glad to hear that he is favorably recuperating from his recent operation. Mr. Ferns returned on Saturday.

DUNDEE

Miss Cora B. Elliot of Castleton-on-Hudson, N.Y., the Misses Margaret and Mabel MacMillan of Kensington and Huntingdon respectively are holiday guests at the MacMillan home.

The usual number of family reunions were observed over the week-end. Some celebrated the event on Saturday while others observed the date on Monday. Special Christmas messages were delivered in the local churches on Sunday morning. Mr. George Moore of the U. C. College, Montreal, assisted Rev. J. H. Lynn at the morning service in the United Church, while in the evening Mr. Moore was the guest speaker at a special Young People's service.

Mr. Moore was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Watterson while in the community but spent Sunday with Rev. J. H. Lynn and Mrs. Lynn.

What Goes On In Every Home

Watch in your own home how The Huntingdon Gleaner—or any other good newspaper—is read. Possibly the weather for the day or the morrow is a first matter of interest; and perhaps the main headlines on the front page are scanned; but it is a pretty safe thing to say that women readers will turn very early to the advertisements of local firms which advertise fashion items, food items, and other offerings related intimately to current needs and desires.

Every woman knows what she wants—not perhaps in the precise form or color, or variety or manner, but certainly in the main matters of her desire or need. This applies to clothes, hats, shoes, food items, beauty preparations and many items pertaining to home furnishing. And so women are eternally on the watch for information—and for temptation! They are swiftly perceptive of the advertisements which present and propose the things of their desire or need. And obviously it is those retailers who advertise to them who stand the best chance of their custom.

It is the same in the case of men. Few men buy impulsively. When they leave home each day for their place of employment, it is not just to get rid of their money. What they buy is, mainly, something whose purchase has been planned—clothes or other forms of apparel, hardware items, motoring sundries, shaving and other bathroom needs, and so on. Men, like women, have been reading, advertisements in line with their ripening desires and intentions, and of course they go in largest numbers, to those retailers who have been informing them and soliciting their custom.

All of us, instinctively, go where the light is, not where the darkness is. Advertisements are light, and so they attract the buyers to those stores which they illumine.

The way to get business is to ask for it. Can the truth of this statement be successfully disputed? And here is another equally true statement: The public buys from those who invite its custom.

The Huntingdon Gleaner

The Chateauguay Valley News and Advertising Medium

The Year '38 Passes in Review

JANUARY, 1938

—Dr. H. R. Clouston and C. M. Oney receive Coronation decorations.—Local curlers compete in Edinburgh Trophy events at Montreal rinks.

—Forrest Lamont, Athelstan born opera singer, dies in Chicago.

—Lady curlers officially open season with mixed competition.

—Sale of more than 900 cars in district during 1937 revealed by Gleaner survey.—J. M. Leehy receives G.M.C. trophy for outstanding salesmanship.

—Hon. M. B. Fisher announces $291,000 spent on Huntingdon County roads in 1937.

—Train strikes sleigh near St. Remi; occupant escapes serious injury.

—Wm. Rea, local milk dealer, passes away in Huntingdon.

—R. Hay and Eleanor Moody elected to executive of St. Andrew's Society.

—Local youth breaks through Chateauguay River ice, unhurt.

—Rev. T. J. Watson, Georgetown, offered Toronto pulpit. Fire destroy three barns on Rutherford farm, Gore Road.

—Rev. St. Aubin passes away at Ste. Philomene.

—American rinks capture Gordon International Medals in Montreal bonspiel.

—About 150 children attend skating party at Huntingdon rink.—Surplus of $3,064.88 announced by Montreal Milk Producers' Association.

—Gala sport day held in Valleyfield.

—Ormstown Rebekahs install officers; Sister Alice Farquhar in charge.

—Godmanchester Township announces $200 surplus for 1937.—Achille Picard named president of Godmanchester Farmers' Club.

—Bill Durnin stars in Chateau-Shawinigan broomola game.

—W. L. Carr and J. K. Dickson named directors of Montreal Milk Producers' Ass'n.

—Mayor Billette returned by large majority in Valleyfield municipal election.

25—Dr. A. T. Bazin, formerly of Ormstown, appointed head of Surgery at McGill University.

26—U. S. announces importation of 181,915 head of Canadian cattle during 1937.

27—Famous Honeymoon Bridge at Niagara Falls collapses before ice jam.

28—Lord Atholstan dies in Montreal.

29—Lindsay Chambers, Huntingdon boy, takes part in Sonja Henie's Hollywood Ice Revue on country-wide tour.

—J. W. McConnell assumes presidency of Montreal Daily Star to replace the late Lord Atholstan.

FEBRUARY

1—Junior Curlers' Association formed at Howick.

2—Candlemas day—and the sun shone.—Ormstown curlers win Quebec City Trophy.

3—City Gas and Electric Co. purchase 300,000 feet of Adirondack silver and yellow birch.—Huntingdon defeats Malone at badminton, 10-6.

—Charlie Gavin, auctioneer, recalls days gone by.

7—Mrs. Daniel has narrow escape due to escaping gas.

—Icy roads cause many injuries.

7—St. Malachie council has balance more than double that of last year. Godmanchester county council gives vote of confidence to its secretary-treasurer.

8—Harry Rochoe, Franklin Centre, found guilty of attempted murder.

—Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Grant observe 50th anniversary.

9—W. G. McGerrigle, Ormstown, enters half a century as competing member of Ormstown club.

10—Rev. T. J. Watson of Georgetown Presbyterian Church accepts call to Toronto church.

11—Committee appointed to investigate possibility of building new Huntingdon Academy.

12—K. Chalmers dies at St. Lambert.

14—Gleaner Photo gets wide publicity.—David T. Ness of Howick sworn in as Justice of the Peace for the district of Beauharnois.

15—Huntingdon Curling Club Bonspiel opens with largest entry in years.

16—Gleaner unusual news story competition opens. W. R. Wilson appointed secretary-treasurer of Hinchinbrooke.

17—Miss Agnes Elliot of Howick dies as result of burns when clothes caught on fire.

18—Mr. and Mrs. J. Milne observe 60th wedding anniversary.

19—Record breaking crowd witnesses fancy skating exhibitions of Montreal Winter Club at the Huntingdon Rink.—Quebec, Aubrey and Huntingdon rinks win trophies at Huntingdon Curling Club Bonspiel.—Donald Ivan Bowden decorated at Montreal for life-saving act.

21—John Greer elected President of Parish Mutual.

24—Howick Curling Club bonspiel opens.

25—Barn, sawmill and garage burn at St. Stanislas with $15,000 damages.

26—Architect looks over Academy building with a view to making an estimate for new building.

28—Hon. M. B. Fisher, Provincial Treasurer, to deliver budget speech to-morrow.

MARCH

1—Hon. M. B. Fisher presents balanced budget before Quebec Legislature.

2—M. McNaughton elected vice-president of Holstein-Friesian Association.—Rev. J. B. Maclean elected Moderator of Montreal Presbytery.

3—Huntingdon County council sells land for taxes.—Mrs. W. Merson elected president of Huntingdon Women's Institute.

9—Henry E. Wilson of Hinchinbrooke elected warden of H'don county.

10—All but three H'don Academy teachers re-engaged.

12—H'don curling club wins International trophy from Saranac Lake.

17—Hemmingford school wins county contest for beautiful school grounds.

18—Huntingdon Academy Junior Choir again wins trophy at Quebec Musical Festival Competition. Public meeting held to discuss possibility of building new Huntingdon Academy.

22—Chateauguay River goes on annual spring rampage, flooding the highways and holding up traffic.

24—Jack Smellie's sugar shanty destroyed by fire.—H'don Skating Rink reports successful season.

25—D. J. O'Connor re-elected president of Huntingdon Board of Trade.

28—Mrs. J. W. McGill elected president of H'don Ladies' Curling Club.

30—Engineer makes survey in Huntingdon to determine reason of flooding of cellars in spring.

APRIL

2—Explosion causes $45,000 damage at Canadian Bronze Powder Works, Valleyfield.

3—District motorists fined at Malone for driving cars with 1937 markers.

4—Municipal and water tax arrears discussed by Huntingdon council.

7—Quebec Protestant Education Survey Committee visits the district school commissions.

8—Scouts hold banquet at Ormstown.

9—Valleyfield decides to have markets three days a week.

11—Women's Institute announces garden competition for children.

12—Farmers' Telephone Co. decide to spend $8,000 on improvements.

13—I.O.O.F. present 25 year jewels to Brothers J. McEwen and Geo. Munro.

14—Taxpayers of St. Joseph School, H'don, decide to change teaching staff.—Felix Murphy of Ormstown seriously injured in car accident at New Erin.

17—Large attendances at Easter Sunday services.

20—D. M. Rowat elected president of Chateauguay Valley Jersey Cattle Club.

21—Norma Lunan elected president of Badminton Club.

24—Church and civic authorities gather at Chateau to honour Father A. Pigeon on occasion of his 25th anniversary of priesthood.

25—Huntingdon council defeats proposal to have restaurants stay open until 2 a.m. instead of midnight.

27—Seek to make historic site of "Soldiers' Cemetery" near Athelstan.—Gen. Hampton believed to have buried soldiers there as he retreated from battle of Chateauguay in war of 1812.

29—Roberta McDermid wins spelling bee at H'don Academy.—H'don branch of Montreal Milk Producers seek higher price for milk during summer months.—A. Fawcett elected president of Bowling Club.

30—Ormstown Exhibition purchases four acres of land to accommodate expanding show.

MAY

1—11th anniversary of the Huntingdon United Church observed.

2—Council defeats motion to allow restaurants to remain open until 2 a.m.—First softball meeting held to organize a Southwestern Quebec Softball League.

3—Dr. M. R. Stalker elected president of Ormstown Curling Club.

4—Brief but sharp earthquake felt in Huntingdon.

6—Fourteenth Annual Convention of the Chateauguay-Huntingdon Women's Institute in Howick.

7—Montreal Cottons Bowling Club held banquet at Chateau.

10—A. A. Lunan, B. W. Allen presented with Life Membership Certificate at meeting of Chateauguay Masonic Lodge.

11—R.C.M.P. capture "illicit smugglers of alcohol" on Montreal-Malone highway.

14—Meeting of the Huntingdon County Clydesdale Breeders' Club held in County Building to discuss plans for H'don Fair.

16—European conditions discussed by Rev. N. Rawson at H'don United Church meeting.—James Ruddock and Matthew I. Rankin re-elected as councillors for Township of Godmanchester.

15—Ormstown Presbyterian church held a farewell service for Rev. Walter Ross.

19—Shawinigan Cooking School conducted by Miss Dion in O'Connor Hall.

23—Hemmingford Group wins in Chateauguay-H'don W. I. drama contest finals.

26—Many visitors at Ste. Martine Convent for display of handicrafts.

27—Citizens fête N. W. Sparrow of the Bank of Montreal on his 25 years of service as manager here.

29—Montreal Fire Chief Charles Laparé, killed in collision near Valleyfield.

31—First Reforestation experiment inaugurated at Dundee by John Fleming on farm owned by Mrs. Jessie Vass.

JUNE

3—Mayor Philorum Billette of Valleyfield died suddenly at Hotel Dieu.

5—Ontario-Quebec Weekly Newspapermen visit Northern Ontario Mining Area at Timmins and surrounding places.

6—Huntingdon votes in favour of Daylight Saving Time.

7—Official opening of Ormstown Exhibition by D. E. Black, M.P.

9—Dr. J. E. Caza elected director of the Association of French-Canadian Dentists of North America.

11—William Leamon, H'don Academy pupil, drowned at Dewittville.

14—Mrs. C. E. Petch presides over the 25th Annual Convention of the Quebec Women's Institutes, held at Macdonald College.

16—Huntingdon Badminton Club presents play in O'Connor Hall.

18—Montreal Salvation Army Band presents a concert in Ormstown Arena.

20—Dr. H. R. Clouston delivers address in Halifax, at the Canadian Medical Association's annual meeting.

21—Meeting of Ministerial Association in Franklin.—Graduation ceremonies held in Huntingdon Convent.

22—Disastrous fire at Covey Hill Corners.

23—Thirty-eighth Annual Convention of the W.C.T.U. of H'don-Chateauguay Counties in Ormstown.—Fire causes $200,000 damage at Valleyfield Coated Paper Mills Co. Ltd.

25—Third Annual Rally of Presbyterian Young Women's Auxiliaries in Athelstan church.

28—45th anniversary of Pioneer Rebekah Lodge No. 1.

JULY

2—Annual picnic of the Athelstan Presbyterian congregation.—Annual Farmers' Picnic at Cairnside.

4—Many Canadians attend the International Good-Will celebration in Malone.—Seven Valleyfield people injured in accident on Westville road.

5—Over 30 representatives present from Eastern Ontario and Quebec at Presbyterian Leaders' Conference.

7—C. M. Oney elected president of the Chateauguay-H'don Veterans' Association at their annual meeting.

10—Oddfellows hold Annual Decoration Day Service. Dr. Maclean delivers address for the thirtieth consecutive year.

11—Council decides at meeting to seek a Government grant for sewer and road work.

12—Revision made of Huntingdon's valuation roll.

13—Chief Ovila Claude dismissed as Valleyfield Police Head by Council.

15—Six Maple Leaf Lacross players of Verdun badly injured in car wreck near Howick, when returning from Ormstown.

16—Large attendance from Huntingdon and Ormstown at First Decoration Day Service held by Valleyfield Lodge No. 11.

17—Meeting of the Huntingdon Agricultural Society to appoint judges and make plans for H'don Fair.

19—Construction Company must complete re-dredging of Laguerre Canal. Work day and night is necessary.

20—R. E. Cogland, outstanding producer of West Quebec branch of Canada Life Assurance Co., honoured in St. Johns, Que.

22—Miss Lottie Bowron of Victoria, B.C., grandaughter of the founder of Huntingdon, visits friends in Huntingdon.

23—Montreal Maroon Girls play a Softball Exhibition game with Huntingdon-Dundee girls.

25—Council appoints committee to deal with damages claim.

26—Roland Clermont of Valleyfield drowns in Beauharnois Canal.—July meeting of the Frontier Ministerial Association.—Address on cremation by Rev. E. H. Gray.

30—Huntingdon Boy Scouts return from camp at Tamaracouta.

31—Official opening of Sauvé Park in Valleyfield by Hon. M. Duplessis, accompanied by all the ministers of his Cabinet.

AUGUST

1—Rev. A. F. Pollock of Ormstown United Church announces his resignation.

2—Margaret Kelly leads Grade XI in the announcement of Academy examination results.

3—Chateauguay Valley Good-Will Shopping Club is inaugurated.—45th annual meeting of Pomological and Fruit Society Growers of Quebec.

4—Report of inspector shows that the milk sold by Huntingdon dealers is of high grade.

5—Intense heat wave sweeps the district.

6—Forty-fifth anniversary sale of R. R. Ness & Sons held at Burnside, with 38 head of cattle selling at an average price of $260.

8—Past President of the Montreal Business and Professional Women's Club addresses picnic gathering of Chateauguay-Huntingdon Women's Institutes.

12—Clarence Blair awarded prize for best kept farm in township of Franklin.

13—Large crowd at Valleyfield regatta.

15—Twenty-ninth annual Valleyfield Fair opens.

20—Members of Fifth International Convention of Agricultural Economists visit Huntingdon district and are impressed with farms.

22—Gleaner is awarded the Legge Memorial Trophy for best exhibit of printing at Canadian Weekly Newspaper Association Convention at Vancouver, B.C.

24—New buses secured for transportation of pupils to the Huntingdon Academy.

26—Farewell social held at Ormstown for Rev. and Mrs. A. F. Pollock.

28—Brothers of the St. Viateur congregation are welcomed to St. Joseph's School.

SEPTEMBER

2—Fourth annual Hinchinbrooke School Fair largely attended.

4—Valleyfield War Memorial unveiled.

5—More than 3,000 cars pour through Trout River over the holiday week-end.

6—Huntingdon town council sets tax rate at 15 mills.—Hinchinbrooke sets tax rate at 3½ mills.

9—105th annual Huntingdon Fair attracts big crowd and has an increase in number of exhibits.

10—More than 200 Scouts take part in big Scout Rally at Ormstown.

14—Formal opening of Huntingdon Academy is held.

16—Gleaner softball team wins championship of town league.

21—The Gleaner issues a 46-page special newspaper to mark the 75th anniversary of its founding.

23—District field meet is held at Ormstown.

24—Howick Ayrshire Calf Club's annual show at Riverfield is real success.

26—Montreal Milk Producers discuss problems at meeting at Ormstown.

28—C. W. Scriver, native of Hemmingford, dies at Montreal.

OCTOBER

1—The Young People's Unions of the Montreal Presbytery of the United Church of Canada hold Convention here.—Annual rural Teachers' Convention is held at Huntingdon Academy.—Clydesdale Horse Show at Ormstown, sponsored by Federal and Provincial Departments of Agriculture.

3—Newly organized Ormstown Women's Institute holds meeting at Ormstown.—Town Council issues warning to reckless bicycle drivers.

5—Miss Christina Durnin wins the hundred dollar cash prize of the H'don Good-Will Shopping Club.

8—Tenth Annual Sectional Meeting of the South Shore District of Montreal Presbyterial, held in Rockburn.

8—Ormstown, Valleyfield and Howick High Schools meet at Annual Field Day.

9—Many attend recital at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church.

10—Representatives of the Department of Agriculture put on demonstrations in County Building on Rug and Weaving Arts.

11—The D.D.G.M. visits local Masonic Lodge.

12—Local Ayrshire breeders win many prizes at National Dairy Show in Columbus, Ohio.

14—The Annual W.C.T.U. Rally is held at Franklin.

17—Work begun on $30,000 sewer here.

19—More than a million and a half pounds of tile being made in H'don Skating Rink, to be used on sewer work.

20—Montreal experts visit H'don to form a Model Yacht Club.

23—Local United Church Ministerial Association secure Dr. J. L. Bates for their Missions talk.

24—New barn of Mr. James Murphy completely destroyed by fire.

28—Four Huntingdon women meet tragic death in Lachine Canal.—Annual meeting of District No. 12, I.O.O.F. held in Ormstown.

29—125th Anniversary of the battle of Chateauguay commemorated near Howick.

30—Valleyfield I.O.O.F. Lodge No. 11 celebrates 60th anniversary.

NOVEMBER

5—Annual meeting of the Huntingdon-Ormstown Holstein Breeders' Club in H'don County Building.—H'don Academy loses first game to Macdonald College.

6—Huntingdon Hockey team lose first game in the Intermediate Hockey league.

7—Chateauguay St. sewer discussed at council meeting.

10—Frontier Ministerial Association held final meeting of the year.

11—War veterans and school children take part in Remembrance Day parade.—Rev. W. S. Hatcher delivers address.—Annual Armistice Day banquet at the H'don Chateau—Hon. M. B. Fisher and Lieut.-Col. E. L. M. Burns speakers.—Impressive service—funeral service of Mrs. A. Pigeon in St. Joseph's Catholic Church.

14—Athletic Club meeting in O'Connor Building.—Opening of Athletic Club in Huntingdon.

15—Local breeders win honours at Royal Winter Fair.

17—Curling Club hold big Stag Party in O'Connor Hall.—Five people injured in car collision on Montreal-Quebec highway.

18—Howick-H'don Ayrshire Club meet to discuss plans for Annual Banquet.

21—Mysterious old scow finally brought up from the bottom of Lake St. Francis.

22—Provincial Gov't to keep Montreal-Malone Highway open during winter months.

23—Boy Scouts collect toys for Xmas donations.

25—Car loaded with 300 gallons of illicit alcohol found in ditch near Havelock.—Annual Howick-Huntingdon Ayrshire Club Banquet at the H'don Chateau.

26—Montreal, Huntingdon, Valleyfield Lodges hold meeting in Ormstown.

27—84th Anniversary of Presbyterian Church in Valleyfield.

30—Live Stock Breeders' Association hold meeting in Ormstown—Freedom of the Press attacked, when Mr. Aimé Laurion, Editor of the Gazette de Valeyfield is expelled at a Council Meeting.

DECEMBER

1—"Open Night" in Ormstown High School.

2—James M. Wallace, re-elected president of Montreal Milk Producers' Association.—Annual Meeting of Howick Y.P.S. to elect new officers.

3—Two reading circles organized by H'don Women's Institute.

4—Donald C. MacDonald, former Ormstown High Scholo student appointed lecturer by the Associates for Anglo-American Understanding.

6—Heavy rains greatly appreciated by farmers of Chateauguay Valley.

7—Meeting of the Directors and Committeemen of the Live Stock Breeders' Association for the Dist of Beauharnois.—John Normand, former Bank Teller held up at Timmins.

8—J. W. Alexander, former well-known principal at Ormstown passes away.—Pioneer Rebekahs honor Mrs. Ethel Dawson.—Dr. H. R. Clouston elected president of New Medical Association for the District of Beauharnois.

10—Work started for the erection of fence on Chateauguay St., between Shell Oil Station and Lower Bridge.

12—Ormstown Curling Club Stag Party a great success.

14—Dundee Co-operative receives $1,000 provincial government grant.

15—Choral Society present Christmas Concert in O'Connor Hall.

16—First Ormstown Troop hold second Annual Xmas campfire.

17—St. Luke's Dramatic Club of Hemmingford present plays in the district.

NEW MANAGER



The Canada Life Assurance Company announce the appointment of George C. Girard as Manager of their West Quebec branch located at St. Johns, Que. Since August, 1934, Mr. Girard has been District Manager of that organization.

His original connection with the Company was made at Montreal in November, 1919, where he was Cashier of the Quebec Branch. In March 1929, he was appointed Assistant Branch Secretary and Office Manager.

Mr. Girard moved to the Company's Home Office in Toronto in 1931 to become Travelling Auditor, and in August, 1934, was appointed District Manager of the West Quebec Branch.

The Gore

Correction:

Omitted from Gore School Results last week: Class II Jr.—Jean Anderson, 96.

The Christmas Tree presented by the Gore-Herdman schools in Herdman Hall on Tuesday evening was very successful. The lengthy and varied program consisting of songs, dialogues, recitations and dances was exceptionally well done and showed that all had been well coached in their parts. Proceeds from the sale of home made candy amounted to $8.35. Door receipts $34.75.

The Gore school closed on Thursday. The teacher, Miss Christina Ritchie, presented each child with a gift and a bag of candy and she in turn was the recipient of many beautiful gifts. Miss Ritchie is spending the holidays with her parents at Dewittville.

The Misses Roberta Ruddock and Grace McCartney of Macdonald College are guests at their homes during the holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ruddock, Harriet and Roberta were guests on Saturday of Mr. and Mrs. Ken. McIntosh, Dewittville.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Mason and Marion spent Christmas Day with Mr. and Mrs. Archie Chisholm, Fertile Creek. On Monday they were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John McDougall, Ormstown. Miss Jonete McDougall returned home with them and is spending a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Anderson entertained at a family Christmas dinner on Friday evening.

Among those who spent the week-end at their homes were Misses Violet Anderson, Edna Todd, Thelma and Eleanor Anderson, Messrs. Melvin Graham and Willis Anderson.

Master Roy Levinshulme is spending this week in Montreal.

Mr. Charlie Henderson was a week-end guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Neely, Ottawa, visited over the week-end at the home of Mr. Duncan Neely.

Mr. and Mrs. Earle Henderson and family spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Oliver, Ormstown. Accompanied by Mrs. W. H. Henderson they spent Christmas Day with Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Henderson, Huntingdon.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Anderson and family, Malone, were guests on Christmas Day of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Anderson.

Mrs. John Gauthier and family spent Christmas Day with Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Henderson.

Mr. Fred Henderson attended the family Christmas dinner held on Monday at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Barrington, Huntingdon.

Mr. Robert Howe is spending a few days at Brockville, Ont.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer McMillan visited on Sunday at Mrs. Myrtle Cruickshank's, Huntingdon. Miss Edith Cruickshank returned with them and is spending a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Anderson and family were Christmas Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. McAdam.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Anderson, Donalda and George spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. John Goodfellow and family, Dewittville.

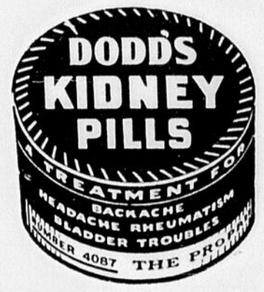
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gamble, Erskine and Harold, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Anderson, Lola, Bobby and Helen were Christmas Eve visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Erskine.

Riverfield

The annual Christmas entertainment and supper of Riverfield Presbyterian Sunday School was held in the church hall Wednesday evening. After the supper was served a short programme of Xmas cards and recitations by the children, when Old Santa appeared in all his pomp and glory and a well-laden tree of gifts for the old and young were distributed by Santa and his helpers.

The Misses Lena Reddick, Beulah Gruer, Elsie Angell and Reta Robertson spent Christmas at their respective homes, also Miss Esther, Joyce and Ivy Terry spent Christmas with their grand-mother, Mrs. Henry Bennie.

Mr. and Mrs. A. McCurdie and daughter Sheila spent the Christmas holiday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Robertson.



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Fat "	4.0%
Fibre, maximum,	9.8%

Ingredients

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Guaranteed analysis

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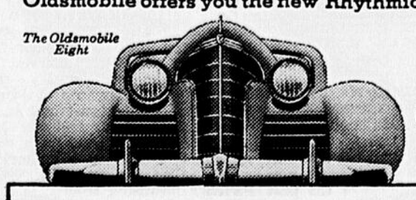


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25 pigs, feeders, any weight, cheap. Also one driving mare, rising 6, sound. Will exchange for wood or cattle. Dalton J. Ross, Athelstan. Phone 633-4.

2 fresh Holstein cows. R. Benoit, Ridge Road.

2 young Holstein cows, one fresh, other to freshen shortly. John Quenneville, Huntingdon.

For Sale or Exchange

Grim Evaporator, gathering tank, storage tank, 200 buckets and spouts, all Grim. Cheap for cash or will exchange for a horse. Rufus G. Kelly, Phone 110, Huntingdon.

2,000 Cedar pickets, 7 or 8 ft., and some electric poles. Exchange for heifers or cows. Wm. Leblanc, Tel. 624-1-2, Huntingdon.

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ARE YOU THE MAN?

Reliable man, between 25 and 50 years, with car, needed immediately to hand out FREE Soap in nearby rural route and supply established demand for Everyday Necessities including Spices, Extracts, Baking Powder, Soaps, Medicines, Mineralized Stock and Poultry Tonics. Farm experience helpful. Selling experience not necessary. Beginner must be satisfied with $30.00 weekly at start. Credit furnished. Write immediately, The J. R. Watkins Company, Montreal, Que., Dept. Q-H-1.

Capable farm hand at once. Apply stating wage expected. Ph. 644 4-2, Huntingdon.

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Excellent farm, on shares, all equipped. References required. Thomas Dupree, Ft. Covington, N.Y.

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Silver watch, pull chain fastener, on Wellington St. between Mrs. Fallon's and W. E. Lefebvre's. Finder will be rewarded. Gleaner Office, Box 9000.

TAXI SERVICE
Day and Night
WALTER LEFEBVRE
Phone 145 Huntingdon

Notice

On and after January 1st. 1939, until further notice, my office will be Pinsonneault's house, opposite Rouson Garage, Howick Village, Front Street.

DAVID T. NESS, J.P.
M. V. L. Issuer.
Howick.

Notice

COMMENCING ON
JANUARY 2nd, 1939
our store will close Tuesday and Friday nights at 8 o'clock.
James Holiday & Son
Dewittville, Que.

Notice

Have your saws sharpened and gummed at my shop on Bouchette St. Also all kinds of repair work in wood. W. J. McCartney, Phone 218-W, Huntingdon.

Re: Estate ROBERT FREDERICK GAMBLE, in his lifetime of the Township of Franklin, Farmer.

All persons having claims against the above Estate are respectfully requested to file the same without delay with the undersigned.

Mrs. DOROTHY GAMBLE,
on behalf of the Estate,
or DONALD M. ROWAT,
Aldred Building, Montreal.

Brysonville

The following news item appeared in the Brysonville news in the Gleaner on December 21st: "Mr. J. D. Bryson has finally consented to accept the nomination as a candidate for mayor, on being pressed to do so by both French and English electors of the Parish of St. Sacrement." This statement is not true as Mr. Bryson has not consented to accept the nomination as a candidate for mayor for the parish of St. Sacrement. The item mentioned above which appeared in the Gleaner on December 21st was not sent in by the regular Brysonville correspondent and the party who sent it in admits that he was misinformed.

PROVINCE OF QUEBEC
District of Beauharnois
In the Magistrate's Court

ERLE C. MARTIN, advocate in good standing with the bar of the Province of Quebec, of the Town of Huntingdon, district of Beauharnois, plaintiff.

R. A. DUNN, of the town of Noranda, district of Hull, defendant.

The Defendant R. A. DUNN is ordered to appear within one month.

Salaberry de Valleyfield,
this 13th day of Dec., 1938.
OSTIGUY & SANTOIRE,
C.M.C.

PROVINCE OF QUEBEC
School Municipality of St. Anicet No. 2

Public Notice is hereby given that on Friday, December 30th, 1938 at the hour of one o'clock in the afternoon, a Public Auction will be held for the sale to the highest bidder of School No. 2 of this school municipality. The sale to be held on the premises of School No. 2. Conditions of Sale: Cash.

By resolution of School Board and recommended by Department of Public Instruction, Quebec.

Given at St. Anicet, this 17th day of December, 1938.

JOHN J. FINN, sec.-treas.

Notice

Notice is hereby given, by these presents, that the City of Salaberry of Valleyfield will apply to the Legislature of the Province of Quebec, at its next session and ask that a law be passed to the following purposes, to wit:

To authorize the said City to pass a by-law exempt from the approbation by the electors proprietors to allow the said City to borrow the sum of $35,000.00, in order to pay the floating debt the above Corporation owes and has contracted during the year 1938, due to unemployment;

To amend its Charter so as to strike out articles 35 and 36 which declare that the functions of Recorder, Clerk and Treasurer of the City are permanent;

To strike out paragraph 12 of article 4 of its Charter which gives a definition of the word "contract";

To strike out the last part of article 148 of the Charter, granting certain power to the mayor, the president of the Police Committee or to the treasurer, to accept the payment of certain fines or penalties, for the amount they think proper and reasonable;

To have the Legislature declare valid, exigible and due the taxes imposed and levied in virtue of the resolutions passed and adopted by the Council of the said City, during the respective years of 1930, 1931, 1932, 1933, 1934, 1935, 1936, 1937 and 1938, and also to have the Legislature declare—in order to avoid any doubt on the interpretation of the Charter—that the duties and taxes that the Council of the said City, in virtue of the Charter, as it now exists, may impose and levy, may be imposed and levied either by a by-law or by a resolution, in virtue of articles 120 and 121 specially of the said Charter, provided that the said duties and taxes thus imposed and levied by resolutions do not extend beyond the current year, then and there, and this, notwithstanding any general and special law to the contrary and notwithstanding the judgment rendered and delivered by the Recorder's Court of the said City, in a case bearing number 14023 of the records of the said Court where the City of Salaberry of Valleyfield is plaintiff vs. J. Lionel Perron, defendant, to the contrary.

Salaberry de Valleyfield, the 27th December, 1938.

(Sgd.) J. A. LARIN, Mayor
CHARLES CODEBECQ, City Clerk.

The Attorney for the City of Salaberry de Valleyfield, Ludger Codebecq.

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The Chateauguay Valley News and Advertising Medium

The Week at Ottawa

Trouble Between Federal Administration and Premier of Ontario Breaks Out in A Rash—Preparations For Visit of Royalty

By Spectator

The feud between Mr. Hepburn, Premier of Ontario and Mr. Mackenzie King has for the time being quieted down. What its future course may be depends no doubt on the intentions and health of Mr. Hepburn but it looks as if the party firemen were putting out the blaze. The leadership of Mr. King was endorsed loyally and whole-heartedly by the caucus of Ontario Liberal representatives gathered at Ottawa early last week. These representatives were Ontario Liberal members of the senate and commons and unsuccessful candidates in Ontario constituencies. But there was no declaration of war on Mr. Hepburn passed at the caucus. The course decided upon was to placate the discordant elements, to isolate the feud between the leaders as a doctor might try to isolate a foreign substance in the body and prevent its influence from spreading. Perhaps in time with proper handling the foreign substance might dissolve innocuously. A committee of peace and goodwill was selected by the caucus and this committee will report to the general caucus of the party to be called when the session opens. Thus the rumblings of party discord which were loud enough a couple of weeks ago have fallen to a faint echo. That is, for the time being. To what extent they may be revived later on depends on Mr. Hepburn.

One thing is quite clear: Mr. Mackenzie King, however uncomfortable the feud may have made him, is firmly settled in the saddle of federal Liberal leadership. The caucus in January is sure to form a solid phalanx behind him. There is always the possibility that when Mr. Hepburn returns from his trip to Australia where he will study banking and finance in that Dominion he will discharge some more darts at the federal government. But from present indications the main body of federal is not likely to be diverted from present loyalties.

The Coming Session

Immediately before a session there are always rumors floating about of possible legislation. Many of these rumors may be very far astray. It is surmised that legislation will be confined as much as possible to major problems as it is hoped to have prorogation before the arrival of the King and Queen in May. Unemplayment and national defence measures will undoubtedly occupy much of the time of parliament, as these questions reflect, in the minds of many people, the most crying needs of the hour. A large works program is suggested, but there is always talk of this kind at the opening of a session, and the truth will not likely be known until the Speech from the Throne is given. Parliament is likely to hear a good deal of the relative merits of government and private arms manufacture. The report on the Bren Gun enquiry which will be tabled early in the session will probably be used in the discussion. There will, in any event, be strong advocacy of strict supervision of profits in the case of private manufacture of munitions of war.

During the Christmas season things are very quiet about parliament hill. From the 22nd to the 29th no cabinet meetings are being held. At the last meeting announcement was made that the Canadian government acknowledges the rights of Italy over Ethiopia. A month ago the British government gave a similar recognition. Ireland, Australia and South Africa have also recognized the King of Italy as the Emperor of Ethiopia. Only Russia among European countries has held back. One of the reasons for Canada's action was that there should be no embarrassment of Premier Neville Chamberlain when he visits Rome next month, in an effort to effect an Anglo-Italian accord and to further the campaign for the appeasement of Europe.

At the same meeting announcement was made that the Dominion government had named a commission to study with an American commission already appointed and to report on the plan to construct a highway through British Columbia and the Yukon to link with Alaska roads. From the United States standpoint it would obviously be of advantage to have that country joined by road with its Northern territory of Alaska. The Canadian commission is to study the facts but not to recommend action. The Premier of British Columbia, Mr. Pattullo has "repeatedly emphasized the import and beneficial results which, in his opinion would follow from a decision to construct a highway which would unite the road system of British Columbia and the Yukon territory with that of Alaska", says the government announcement.

A highway such as that proposed would probably be the most picturesque motor tourist thoroughfare in the world.

Immigration

The motion passed in the British house of commons to encourage "in concert with Dominion governments" migration to the Dominions, presents one of the most baffling problems which confronts all countries of small population and wide territory. On the one side there is in our case the unemployment situation which cannot be aggravated by too great an influx of immigration. On the other there is the menace of the overcrowded and land hungry sections of the world, and the added moral force for peace which countries like Canada would have if they were more fully populated and had their economic strength more fully developed. The British partner in the commonwealth is not seeking to impose its will in the slightest way on its partner nations. It is simply pointing its finger at the shifting political storm clouds in the world's sky and suggesting that when the Dominions consider the time ripe the migration problem can be discussed among the partners.

Rockburn

The Christmas service in Rockburn Church Sunday afternoon was a most happy one. The beauty of the building was enhanced by the quiet decorations of evergreens, the parts taken by the children were well rendered, and the pastor's address drew the attention of those present very pointedly to the fact that all these outward "charms and wrappings" must only serve to draw and keep our thoughts on Him Who is the Centre, the Gift, and the Giver of all.

The school concert given Thursday evening in the Church Hall by the teacher, Mrs. Wilson, assisted by Mrs. G. A. Goldie, was fine. The program was most enjoyable and well presented. Rev. E. White opened the evening with a few well chosen remarks, after which Mr. Gibson presided. Following the program the tree was stripped by Santa, and Mrs. Wilson received many useful and pretty gifts, as did the children. During the evening, Mr. W. Levers presented the School with the Junior Red Cross Flag, in tribute to the work accomplished for that organization by the children, and was received with hearty applause. The proceeds amounted to around $10.00 and the affair closed with the National Anthem.

The Misses Agnes and Frances Lawson spent the Christmas week-end with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Pollock. Frances returned to Montreal on Monday but Agnes will prolong her visit.

The Misses Alice and Margaret Sloan and Master Jack Sloan are at home from Ormstown and Athelstan respectively, for the holiday season.

Miss Isabel Lindsay is the guest of her parents for a few days before returning to Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. George Lindsay spent the Christmas day with Mrs. H. Ferns at Dewittville.

Miss Dunsmore went to Huntingdon last week to remain some days with friends there.

Mrs. Patterson of Huntingdon is is a guest at the home of Mrs. W. Jamieson.

Miss Beryl Oliver returned from Detroit on Wednesday after a visit of three months there with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. William Oliver.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Pennington of Hull are spending the holiday season with friends in Ormstown and Rockburn.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Maither and family were guests Christmas day of Mr. and Mrs. M. Shattuck in Burke, N.Y.

We are pleased to report that Mr. Ronald Williams is recovering now from his serious illness of the past three weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hoyer were very pleased Monday to be called to the phone to hold conversation with their son, George, now resident in Blackfalds, Alberta. Mr. Hoyer said their son's voice reached them as clearly as if on the home central.

Covey Hill

Mr. and Mrs. P. Laroche, whose marriage took place last week are residing in Mr. L. A. Waddell's farmhouse.

Mr. A. Lowe was the recipient last week of a handsome calendar from his cousin in Yorkshire. It is published by the Yorkshire Post, one of the most influential newspapers in England. The photographs all shire scenes, include beautiful pictures of churches, old arched stone bridges, and a lovely one of a flock of sheep.

The Presbyterian W.M.S. was entertained by Miss V. G. Semple at the annual meeting held last Friday, this being an all-day meetir Ten ladies were present, consi able sewing was accomplished, and a bale of quilts, flannelette garments, mittens, etc., was packed to be sent to the Supply Secretary in Montreal. A financial report was received from the treasurer, Mrs. W. A. Churchill, showing a credit balance. The election of officers took place, the only change made being to appoint Miss M. Brisbane as Welcome and Welfare Secretary. The appetizing hot dinner served by the hostess was much enjoyed.

Miss Irene English of Ormstown is spending some time at the home of Mr. W. A. Churchill.

Messrs. Walter Beattie and James Gilliland, and Mr. Geo. Hooker and sons, Earle, Preston, Nelson and Alan, all of Ormstown, were guests at "Cornerstones" on Monday.

Mr. McLean being away in Nova Scotia, owing to his mother's serious illness, the Presbyterian service last Sunday was taken by Mr. Fletcher, who has distinguished himself by winning a scholarship and various college honours. His address on Christmas, marked by original thought and eloquent delivery, deprecated the modern frivolity of its celebration. Mr. Fletcher is a native of Co. Antrim, Ireland, and had the pleasure of exchanging reminiscences with a fellow country-woman, Mrs. Wm. Day, who was present at the service.

Local admirers of Riverfield's dramatic prowess are anticipating the performance of the play, "Eyes of Love" in the Town Hall on Saturday evening.

On Sunday afternoon when Mr. Elmer Robert was driving his sister, Mrs. Ernest Vaillancourt, her husband, and two tiny children, the auto skidded on the icy road, throwing the occupants out headlong. Mrs. Vaillancourt had an eye very badly bruised, and her husband, striking his head on a stone, sustained a cut on his forehead which called for six stitches. Mr. Fletcher returning from his service on the Hill, and Mr. Mac Orr came to their assistance and conveyed them to Dr. Abran's office. The accident, which occurred near Mr. Kenneth Houle's house, left the automobile badly damaged.

Miss V. G. Semple is spending a few days with friends in the city.

Huntingdon Locals

United S.S. Christmas Tree.—

On Wednesday evening of last week the annual Christmas tree and entertainment of the United Church Sunday School was held in the lecture room of the church. A bounteous supper was served to the children from attractively arranged tables, with decorations which added greatly to the Xmas atmosphere. An entertainment given by children is always enjoyed by parents and friends and this year was no exception. With Rev. J. H. Miller, D.D., acting as chairman a programme was given in which everyone did exceptionally well. After the programme Santa Claus arrived and soon distributed the gifts from a well laden tree. A Sunday previous was observed as White Gift Sunday when the children brought their attractively wrapped White Gifts to the church to be sent to Montreal for distribution for Christmas.

Mr. Irvin Laberge of Syracuse, N.Y., is spending the Christmas holidays at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Laberge.

Miss Isobel McEwen is spending one month's holidays at the home of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. R. McEwen.

Mr. Frank Scerbo spent the Christmas holidays with his brother in Utica, N.Y.

Mr. Bernie Dawson, of Camp Borden spent the week-end here visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Dawson.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Hampson, and sons Doug., Larry and Don, were Christmas guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hampson.

Misses Etta and Anne Pardellian, of Montreal, were week-end guests at the home of Misses A. and J. Rankin.

Miss Eleanor Hunter, of McGill University, Montreal, is spending the Christmas holidays at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Hunter. Mr. Neil Morrison, of Montreal, was also a week-end guest at the same home.

Mr. George Lefebvre, of McGill University, Montreal, is spending the holidays at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Lefebvre.

Visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Phil. J. Lefebvre over the week-end were: Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Beaudin, of Lacolle, Que., Miss Estelle Lefebvre and Mr. Tip Harvey, of Montreal, Mr. Remi Lefebvre, of Three-Rivers, Messrs. Marc Lefebvre, of University of Montreal, Arthur, Denis and Robert Lefebvre of Valleyfield Seminary.

Miss Lucille Gervais spent the Christmas holidays visiting with relatives in Montreal.

Mr. Mederic R. Primeau, of Montreal, spent the week-end visiting with friends in Huntingdon and at his home in St. Anicet.

Mr. George Ellis spent the Xmas holidays with his parents in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Wylie, of Westmount spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Cogland.

Mr. Reggie Macrow spent the Christmas week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Macrow.

Mr. and Mrs. Heaton Thompson, of Notre Dame de Grace, Montreal, were week-end visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Hunter. Miss Doris Reddick, of Albany, N.Y. was also a guest at the same home.

Dr. Donald McCrimmon, of Montreal, spent the Christmas holidays at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Cluff of Montreal were week-end guests at the home of Mrs. Wm. Black.

Mr. Cecil Tedstone, of LaTuque, Que., spent the week-end at his home here.

Dr. Stanton Smaill of Montreal, spent the Christmas holidays at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Smaill.

Miss Ena O'Hare of Montreal spent the week-end at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey McBride, and son Lorne, spent the week-end visiting relatives in Valleyfield.

Mr. Leslie Beattie, of Montreal, spent the week-end visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Goundrey.

Miss Antoinette Michaud, of St. Jerome, Mr. and Mrs. René Michaud and family of Ste. Martine and the Misses Donnegan spent the Christmas holidays at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Michaud.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Barrington, Mr. and Mrs. James Barrington, of Montreal, spent the week-end at the home of Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Barrington.

Mr. Everett Oney of Montreal spent the week-end at the home of his brother, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Oney.

Mr. John Rousselle, of Quebec City spent the week-end at his home here.

Misses Helen and Norah Shanks, Norma McNally, of Montreal, Mr. Cameron Shanks, Arvida, Que., spent the Christmas holidays at the home of Mrs. Alex. Cameron.

Miss Jeanne Boulanger, of Montreal spent the week-end at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Napier of Ottawa, Ont., were week-end guests at the home of Mr and Mrs. John Telfer.

Mr. Meryl McWhinnie of St. Hyacinthe spent the week-end at his home here.

Miss Margaret Kelly of Macdonald College is spending the holidays at her home.

Messrs. Gordon and Jack Kirby spent the week-end with their parents in Montreal.

Miss Elsie MacFarlane, of Montreal is a guest at the home of Miss Robb.

Miss Sadie Miller of Fort William, Ont., and Miss Eleanor Miller, of Shawinigan Falls, Que., are spending the holidays at the home of Rev. J. H. Miller, D.D., and Mrs. Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Ferry, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Willock and daughter Joyce, and the Misses Ruth and Olive Ferry spent Christmas at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Ferry.

Mrs. James I. McWilliams and daughters, Joyce and Margaret of Rapide Blanc are spending two weeks with Mrs. McWilliams' parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. I. Rankin.

Week of Prayer Services.—

Next week, commencing Tuesday, January 3rd, Prayer Services will be held in the different churches in Huntingdon as follows: Tuesday, January 3rd, St. John's Anglican Church, subject, "Prayer, Reasonable and Efficacious". Rev. Dr. Miller will be the speaker. On Wednesday night, January 4th, the services will be held in the United Church. The subject, "For the Persecuted". Rev. Dr. J. B. Maclean will give the address. The last service will be held in St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church on Thursday night, January 5th. The subject, "World Peace". Speaker for this service will be the Rev. W. S. Hatcher, B.A. All these meetings will commence at 7.30 p.m.

On Tuesday, December 20th, St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church S.S. held its annual Christmas Tree A delicious supper was served to the children early in the evening, after which a short programme of songs, recitations and playlets was presented by the Sunday School pupils.

In the recent elections held in the United States, Mr. Geo. E. Rice, of Spencer, Mass., was elected on a republican ticket. Mr. Rice is the cousin of Mr. Elzear Lalande of Huntingdon.

(Extract from Canadian Gleaner, Thursday, Dec. 27, 1888.)

The rare event of a marriage celebrated in public took place in the Methodist Church, being the second within its wall. The pews were filled with interested onlookers, and the ceremony, performed by the Rev. J. Armstrong, passed over smoothly, and amid a joy peal from the bell the happy couple, Thomas Gardiner, Dewittville and Miss Rennicks, of this place, walked out man and wife amid the congratulations of their friends.

According to the Gleaner and T. S. Gardiner on the same day the water was so high in the Chateauguay river the main street was flooded and row boats were in use on the street. The cellars of the various places along the street were filled with water.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Austin of Malone, N.Y., and Miss Noëlla Lemay of Montreal, were week-end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. Laberge.

Rev. Sister Mary Helen of Montreal is spending a few days the guest of her sister, Mrs. W. E. Lefebvre.

Rev. Sister Lucy of Narni, and Rev. Sister Mary Ida of Montreal are guests of their mother, Mrs. C. Fallon, this week.

A special service was rendered in St. Andrew's Church on Christmas day. The program was as follows:

Morning Service—Organ Prelude, Pastorale from Sonata No. 1, Guilmant; Holy, Holy, Holy; Invocation; Hymn 171; Scripture, Matt. 2:1-12; Anthem, The First Christmas Morn, Ernest Newman; Prayer-and-Lord's Prayer (sung by choir); Hymn 173; Intimations and Offering; Organ Offertory: Behold, a rose is blooming, J. Brohms; Anthem (Boys' Choir), Infant Holy, Infant lowly, Polish carol; Sermon; Anthem, The Infant Jesus, Pietro Yon; Prayer; Hymn 730; Benediction Three-fold Amen; Organ Postlude: In dulci Jubilo, ancient carol arranged by R. L. de Pearsall.

Evening Service—Organ Prelude, Priere a Notre Dame from the Gothic Suite, L. Boellmann; Doxology; Invocation; Hymn 177; Scripture: Luke 2:8-19; Hymn 170; Prayer; Hymn 172; Intimations & Offering; Organ Offertory: Allegretto Grazioso, Berthold Tours; Anthem: Behold, a Virgin shall conceive, T. Smith; Sermon; Prayer; Hymn 173; Benediction; Vesper Hymn: Lord, keep us safe this night, B. Steane; Organ Postlude: Prelude & Fugue in B flat, J. S. Bach.

Miss N. Shanks presided at the organ.

Quarterly Meeting
of the
Chateauguay-Huntingdon Veterans' Association
will take place on
THURSDAY, JAN. 12th
in the
COUNTY BUILDING,
at 8.00 p.m.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to sincerely thank all who so generously helped at the time of our fire. We wish them all a Happy New Year.

Mr. and Mrs. Adrien Lalonde.

Chateauguay's IDEAL THEATRE

Thursday Only, Dec. 29
Metro Goldwyn present
JUDY GARLAND and FREDDIE BARTHOLOMEW in
"LISTEN DARLING"
Also Showing Disney Cartoon and Sports

Fri.-Sat., Dec. 30-31
Special Western Picture
GENE AUTRY in
"MAN FROM MUSIC MOUNTAIN"
Supported by the popular comedian SMILEY BURNETTE
Also episode 5 of "Flash Gordon's Trip to Mars", Popeye the Sailor", "The Jeep", Fox News.

Sun.-Mon., Jan. 1-2
BOB BURNS starring in
"ARKANSAS TRAVELLER"
Also showing 2-reel comedy
Pat Rooney in "Up In Lights" and Merry Melody Cartoon

Tues.-Wed., Jan. 3-4
Look! Here is a dandy double show!
The WEAVER BROS. in a Hilly Billy story
"DOWN IN ARKANSAW"
Second feature
"ILLEGAL TRAFFIC"
starring J. CARROLL NAISH

Coming, Thursday, Jan. 5
"YOUTH TAKES A FLING"

SCHINE'S MALONE THEATRE
Program Week Beginning Thursday, Dec. 29th

THURSDAY-FRIDAY, DEC. 29-30
DONALD O'CONNOR and BILLY COOK in
"TOM SAWYER DETECTIVE"
- Also -
BRUCE CABOT and BEVERLY ROBERTS in
"TENTH AVENUE KID"
Friday Ten-O-Win $180

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 31
JOHN HOWARD and HEATHER ANGEL in
"ARREST BULLDOG DRUMMOND"
- Also -
GENE AUTRY in
"RHYTHM OF THE SADDLE"
Screeno $61 - Serial - News
Midnight Show "Down on the Farm" with the Jones Family. Also Big Stage Attractions.

SUNDAY-MONDAY, JANUARY 1-2
JACK BENNY and JOAN BENNETT in
"ARTISTS AND MODELS ABROAD"
Cartoon - News

TUES.-WED., JANUARY 3-4
JANET GAYNOR and DOUGLAS FAIRBANKS, Jr., in
'THE YOUNG IN HEART'
- Also -
LUCILLE BALL and JAMES ELLISON in
"THE NEXT TIME I MARRY"
Wednesday U-Win $67 (Possibly)

HOCKEY
HUNTINGDON SKATING RINK
FRIDAY, DEC. 29th
Exhibition Game
ST. TIMOTHEE
- vs. -
HUNTINGDON LEAGUE
League Fixture
TUESDAY, JAN. 3rd
VALLEYFIELD MOCO
- vs. -
HUNTINGDON LEAGUE
Puck Faced at 8.15 p.m. Sharp
Admission: 25c and 15c

Dancing
2—Special Nights—2
FRONTIER INN,
Hemmingford,
New Year's Eve., Dec. 31st
New Year's Night, Jan. 1st
Decorations - prizes.
Admission Free.
Frontier Inn Orchestra

NEW YEAR'S DANCE
The Aubrey Curlers will hold their Annual New Year's Dance on
Monday Evening, Jan. 2nd
—In the—
TEMPERANCE HALL, Howick, Que.
Admission 75c. Ladies free.
Lunch Free
Music—Bert Sarver's orchestra

DANCE
WILFRID LEFEBVRE HALL
Franklin Centre
Friday night, Jan. 6, 1939
9 p.m.-2 a.m.
Admission: 35c. Ladies free.

New Year's Dance
Friday, Dec. 30
Temperance Hall Howick
under the auspices of the Howick Curlers
Music by:—
Bert's Melody Boys
Admission: Gents 75c, ladies free.
Refreshments will be served

Palace Theatre
FORT COVINGTON, N. Y.
Friday-Saturday, Dec. 30-31
GENE AUTREY in
"GOLD MINE IN THE SKY"
Sunday-Monday, Jan. 1-2
Matinee Sunday 3.00 p.m.
WALTER HUSTON as
"RHODES"
Empire Builder-Jungle Conqueror-Diamond Master

O'CONNOR THEATRE
HUNTINGDON
Friday-Saturday, December 30-31, Saturday 2.30 p.m.



Tuesday and Wednesday, January 3-4
"TOO HOT TO HANDLE"
CLARK GABLE as a newsreel cameraman, WALTER PIDGEON as his professional and romantic rival and MYRNA LOY as an aviatrix.
If you'll turn on the radio somebody will be talking about this picture; if you pick up a magazine you see it in big headlines so why not see the film?
- Also -
"MARCH OF TIME"

Friday-Saturday, January 6-7, Saturday 2.30 p.m.
"THE GLADIATOR"
JOE E. BROWN - JUNE TRAVIS - DICKIE MOORE
The College Professor makes Joe a human test tube and a hero for a day. From one howl to another as he becomes a scientific experiment.

New Year's Eve
GALA PARTY
- at -
THE CHATEAU
Huntingdon, P.Q.
Saturday, Dec. 31st
Good Music - Favors for Everybody - Excellent Food.
Make your reservation early — Number limited.
Tables will be kept until 6 o'clock p.m. only if not paid in advance.
Admission: $1.50 per person