

BELL BACKS OFF LISTING DECISION

MONTREAL (CP) — Bell Canada has backed down on its previously announced decision to charge business customers extra money for listings in the English section of the Montreal yellow pages.

The company said last month that business subscribers would be listed free in French, but would have to pay to be listed in English.

But a Bell spokesman said Wednesday the customers will continue to get free listings in both English and French sections of the 1979 directory.

Bell had said earlier it was only trying to comply with Bill 101, the province's language legislation which states, among other things, that French must have priority in commercial advertising.

The company was criticized by English-speaking businessmen who felt they were being deprived of a free service available in other provinces.

THE WEATHER

A light disturbance coming from the Great Lakes will move across Quebec from west to east today and Friday. It will spread cloud and some snow. Accumulation will be insignificant. Friday - a moderate northerly circulation will settle over the province and the weather will be fair, windy and cold over our western regions while cloud will persist over the east, where it also will be windy.

Today cloudy with light snow beginning in the morning. Accumulation less than 2 cm. High near minus 14. Low tonight minus 22 to minus 25. Friday clearing. Winds moderate and cold. High minus 15 to minus 18.

Record Highlights CHALLENGE CUP

The Team NHL - Soviet Challenge Cup is shaping up in everybody's mind as the ultimate test of world hockey supremacy, and the Soviet team is gearing for tonight's Madison Square Gardens opener as if Siberia was waiting for the losers. According to Terry Scott, that's going to make all the difference in the opening tilt, which he gives to the Russians. Not only that, Terry says, but the confrontation has been all but ruined by the greed and self-interest of certain people who can't seem to see the writing on the wall which first began appearing in 1972. Page 11.

SPOTS AND DOTS

Knowlton's own Philippe Hamel, B.C.S.-B.U. activist, militant and young Conservative, begins his column in today's Record with observations on Tory MP David Crombie's recent pronouncement that Quebec and the rest of Canada should be ready to talk. He says the whole kerfuffle is just a matter of semantics, and urges us to pay less attention to word games. Hamel, now working for the Pro-Canada Committee in Montreal, is in an ideal position to comment on some of the things coming down these days. Page 4.

MOUSQUIRI TOURNNEY

The 16th annual Mousquiri Tournament for atom-class hockey players has enjoyed an illustrious history and this year it's a bigger financial operation than ever. Nick Fonda's story appears on Page 3.

CAMPUS CHATTER

Want to learn about the facts of life? No, not that, but more useful talents, such as dealing with banks, credit companies, the government and all those other agencies in life which can reduce the strongest soul to quivering nerves. Nelson Wyatt describes a Champlain program aimed at solving some of the mystique of twentieth-century life. Page 3.

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Isn't it a shame that secrets are either too good to keep or just not worth repeating?



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Quebec credit woes predicted



MARC LALONDE
...releases report

OTTAWA (CP) — Claiming he was not trying to frighten Quebecers, Justice Minister Marc Lalonde released a report Wednesday implying an independent Quebec would have difficulty trying to borrow abroad.

But the report, prepared by Douglas Fullerton, a former financial adviser to Quebec Liberal governments, provides no statistical evidence to show Quebec would experience problems borrowing.

Fullerton told reporters Quebec currently faces no problems borrowing because international financiers do not envisage Quebec separating and feel confident the federal government would assist the province should it encounter difficulties in repaying loans.

But the impact of separation on Quebec's creditworthiness would be traumatic, he said.

"Its impact... would be massive and negative; the only unknown is just how difficult things would become."

Lalonde released the report as part of a series entitled Understanding Canada. Each report is designed to show Quebec separation would be economically damaging to the province.

Fullerton's report says Quebec has incurred heavy risks by borrowing heavily abroad because of the fluctuating Canadian dollar. As the dollar drops, the actual size of the debt increases.

But borrowing while the dollar is low could prove to be a bonanza to the province if the Canadian currency improves on world markets.

A companion study on the flow of cash in and out of Quebec was included with the Fullerton study.

This second report, prepared by the federal finance department, concludes Quebec-based Canadian financial institutions are not under-investing in Quebec.

For example, there was a net inflow of capital by Quebec's chartered banks of \$600 million during the second quarter of 1978. That figure does not include capital flows generated by the banks' head offices or international operations, the study says.

Premise false, Morin says

QUEBEC (CP) — A federal study which implies the impact of separation on Quebec's credit-worthiness would be "traumatic," is a false statement based on a false premise, Intergovernmental Affairs Minister Claude Morin said Wednesday.

Morin told reporters Fullerton's report only considers the situation of a completely isolated independent Quebec, not the associated state the Parti Quebecois government envisages.

He also warned the province is capable of distorting its future prospects by using information filtered through an unrealistic premise.

Morin told reporters even provincial opponents of the PQ government admit its administrative competence and that potential investors need not accept federal propaganda on the issue because the party platform clearly outlines the government's position.

Fullerton's study argued that Quebec currently faces no problems borrowing because international financiers do not foresee its gaining independence and feel the federal government would aid the province if it had difficulty repaying loans.

He said, however, that the impact of separation "would be massive and negative; the only unknown is just how difficult things would become."



CLAUDE MORIN
...denies trauma

QUEBEC, ONTARIO HYDRO SEEK VERMONT CONTRACT

By JASPER MEYERS

SHERBROOKE — Even as Hydro Quebec is preparing to reopen negotiations March 1 which could lead to the sale of power to utility companies in Vermont, it seems that Ontario Hydro has offered Vermont and other states a vast supply of power to satisfy future power needs.

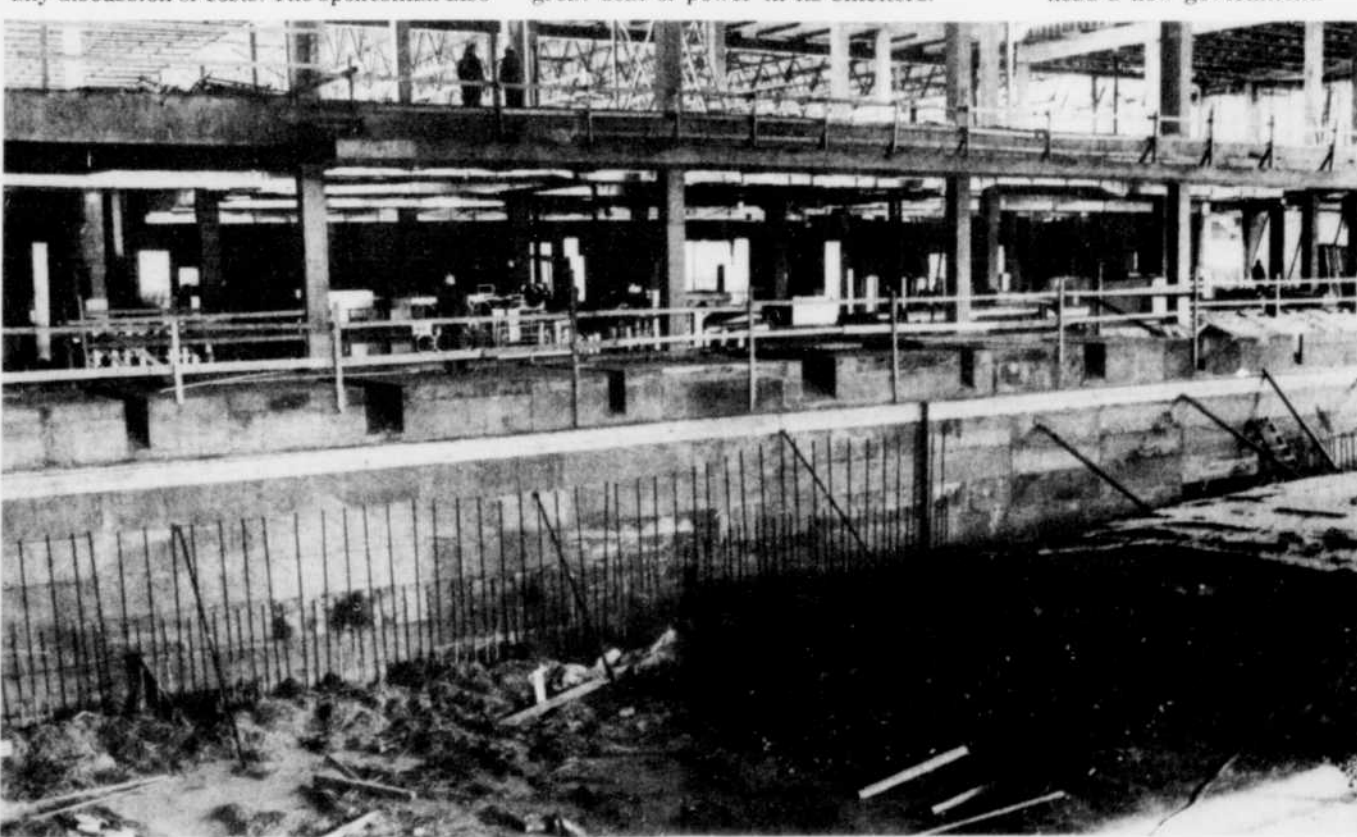
In an article published on Friday, February 2 in the Barre-Montpelier Times-Argus, it was stated that Ontario Hydro's offer involved at least 1,000 and perhaps as much as 4,000 megawatts. The article claimed that the cost of power from Ontario Hydro was higher than that available from Quebec, but that one of the advantages of the Ontario offer was its guarantee of constant supply.

Quebec, on the other hand, had apparently been able to offer a supply of power that might be cut off during periods of high demand in the province, but at a lower price. The Times-Argus said that Vermont's two largest utilities and a consortium of municipal utilities are all extremely interested in pursuing the Ontario Hydro offer.

When reached for comment, a spokesman for Hydro Quebec in Montreal said it was impossible for anyone to claim that at this point the price offered by Ontario Hydro was higher than that proposed by Hydro Quebec, since at this point the negotiations between Vermont and Quebec had not yet involved any discussion of costs. The spokesman also

pointed out that it is incorrect to speak of the Hydro Quebec offer as limited by the right to restrict power during certain months of the year, because when Vermont first approached the provincial utility for a possible deal its request was stated clearly as being for 55 megawatts for only 10 months of the year - from February to November. Negotiations are expected to take on a more detailed form involving the discussion of price when negotiations resume in a few weeks.

A spokesman for Ontario Hydro in Toronto replied to the main claims of the Times-Argus article by saying that last September it had sent letters to 23 American utility companies offering power deals, and that one of these had been the Vermont Electric Power Company in Rutland. He stated that Ontario Hydro had so far not been involved in negotiations with Vermont, and had not received a reply to state a favourable response to their proposition. In response to the Times-Argus' interview with a Vermont utility spokesman that Ontario Hydro was suffering from extensive overextension of its power industry, the Ontario Hydro spokesman said that they are interested in extending their market after decreases in demand due to hefty rate increases, public response to government campaigns to conserve energy, and to a slowdown in the industrial sector, for example the strike by Inco, which uses a great deal of power in its smelters.



'Quelle piscine...'

It doesn't look like much now, but this is the Olympic pool at the Université de Sherbrooke's new sports complex currently under construction. Yesterday, reporters and photo-

graphers got a first-hand look at progress on the centre, and work is proceeding smoothly, according to those in charge.

Photo - Bruce Porter

Bakhtiar slams religious slogans

TEHRAN (AP) — Prime Minister Shahpour Bakhtiar vowed today never to surrender to Ayatollah Ruhollah Khomeini as hundreds of thousands marched through Tehran shouting support for the religious leader and Mehdi Bazargan, his nominee to head a new government.

Bakhtiar condemned the Shiite Moslem patriarch for "putting people in the streets and giving them slogans they don't even understand." He challenged the ayatollah to form a legitimate political party to seek control of the government. But he ordered the army to stay out of sight during the demonstration and to go into action only if violence developed.

Khomeini called for a massive turnout to keep up the pressure on the prime minister to give way to Bazargan, a longtime political foe of Shah Mohammad Reza Pahlavi named by the ayatollah Monday to head a new provisional government.

Organizers of the demonstration mustered thousands of volunteer marshals to control the crowds.

The organizers said that

1,000 air force and army men joined the march, many with their families, to show their loyalty to Khomeini and their defiance of their commanders' pledge that the 430,000 men of the armed forces would defend Bakhtiar's government.

Speaking to a news conference as the demonstrators assembled, the prime minister said he was ready to talk with Bazargan, an old associate in the opposition to the shah, "to find solutions to the problem of unity."

"Despite his extremely strong religious character," he said of his rival, "he is a logical man, and it is a pleasure to talk to him."

Bakhtiar disclosed he met with Bazargan about 10 days ago, shortly before the ayatollah returned after more than 14 years in exile.

Gov't proposal withdrawn, McGill dean says

MONTREAL (CP) — The Quebec social affairs department has agreed in principle to withdraw a proposal which McGill University feared would limit its acceptance of out-of-province medical students, says Dr. Samuel Freedman, dean of medicine at McGill.

In an interview Wednesday, Dr. Freedman said the government has agreed to allow McGill and the three other universities in Quebec which have medical faculties to work out their own plan to allocate postgraduate students, as they had done in the past.

While certain details remain to be worked out, the major point is that there will be no "quotas" on out-of-province students, he said.

The government had proposed last month to reduce the number of non-Quebec interns and residents at hospitals and medical faculties connected with McGill, the University of Montreal, Laval University

and the University of Sherbrooke. McGill is the only English-language university of the four.

Since most out-of-province students come from elsewhere in Canada or from the United States, where the language is English, McGill would have felt the brunt of the cutbacks.

In proposing the plan last month, Jean-Claude Deschenes, deputy social affairs minister, called on McGill to "give precedence in its choice of candidates to interns and residents from Quebec." But he denied that there was any discrimination against McGill, and objected to the university's claim that the Quebec government was placing a "quota" on English-speaking students.

The government, which supports medical education through grants and subsidies, said it merely wanted to be sure most of its money was going to Quebec students.

Arena financing 'national concern'



IONA CAMPAGNOLA
...arenas needed

OTTAWA (CP) — Canadian hockey players could be shut out of their own national sport if the government does not help professional teams in this country, says Sport Minister Iona Campagnolo.

Defending her offer to give \$18 million to four cities to help them attract National Hockey League franchises, Mrs. Campagnolo said in an interview that the government is trying to ensure the survival of hockey as a Canadian sport.

"The cabinet considers it a matter of national concern that only three teams (in the

NHL) are Canadian," she said Wednesday.

Her decision to give Hamilton, Winnipeg, Edmonton and Quebec City money to build NHL-sized arenas stirred controversy in the Commons this week and drew charges that she was helping professional sports at the expense of amateur sports.

Progressive Conservative Bruce Halliday, who represents the southern Ontario riding of Oxford, said Campagnolo's mandate was to support amateur sports, fitness and recreation. But she had cut \$5

million out of those programs at the same time she was offering \$18 million to professional hockey.

Saskatchewan New Democrat Les Benjamin blasted the government for helping "millionaire hockey players" when it is cutting programs for the poor and elderly.

"Let them provide their own damn rinks," he said Wednesday.

REJECTS CRITICS

Mrs. Campagnolo rejected such criticism, saying professional hockey must prosper if amateur hockey is to survive. She attacked

Conservatives as unpatriotic and said they should support extension of the NHL in Canada because it creates jobs.

According to Mrs. Campagnolo, the survival of Canada's national sport is at stake.

United States colleges are churning out high-calibre hockey players, and within 10 years it is likely the U.S. will limit the number of Canadians playing on professional hockey teams there. The NHL now has 14 U.S. teams.

"We must recognize that this is a matter of real

business and finance

Advertising inspires milk sales

CALGARY (CP) — High-powered advertising and new nutritional research are regaining markets for milk, the annual convention of the Alberta Dairy Farmers' Association was told Tuesday.

Officials said extensive advertising campaigns had increased per-capita milk consumption in Alberta 10 per cent over the last three years, reversing 12 years of decline.

Advertising agency president John Francis said the association's promotion committee concentrated its campaign last year on teenagers, "the age at which

people make a decision to stop drinking milk."

The campaign, he said, portrays milk as a fashionable beverage and "makes it possible for a young person to order milk without fear or ridicule."

Convention delegates were also told that milk is making gains in its battle against some nutritional theories that discourage milk consumption on the grounds of its cholesterol content.

Prof. A. E. Harper of the University of Wisconsin department of biochemistry said many people have shown a "tendency to oversimplification" in at-

tributing heart and other diseases to diet.

UNFAIR INDICTMENT
In particular, he said, "milk has been indicted unfairly" with regard to its cholesterol content.

Even applying the standards of heart associations, Harper said, the 32 milligrams of cholesterol in a glass of milk are only 10 per cent of the recommended daily intake.

The mistake made by many nutritionists, he said, is linking two trends as cause and effect: dietary changes since the early 1960s and an increase in cardiovascular disease and cancer since

then. Harper said the proportion of fats in the North American diet has risen, although cholesterol intake "hasn't changed appreciably" since 1913.

The rate of deaths from cardiovascular disease also has risen, he added, but that death rate is probably due to the different age mix of the population.

In 1900, four per cent of the U.S. population was over 65. Today, 10 per cent of the U.S. population is above that age.

"We do have a high incidence of degenerative diseases. Heart disease and cancer are our major health

problems. "But I think we have to twist this around and suggest that the improved health that we have achieved through improvements in the diet have resulted in such a high proportion of people living long enough to develop such diseases."

When the higher proportion of elderly people in the general population is factored out by looking at specific age groups, he said, the death rate from cardiovascular disease has declined since 1930 and the cancer death rate has shown only a "relatively slow" increase.

Cyclist liked countryside, started dairy

LONDON, Ont. (CP) — A bicycle ride through London early in this century led to the formation of Silverwood Industries Ltd., now the country's largest Canadian-owned dairy organization.

Albert Edward Silverwood of Lindsay, Ont., cycling through to bicycle races in

other southwestern Ontario districts, liked the lay of the land and decided to settle here.

In 1903, at age 27, he opened a small egg-and-poultry-buying depot on behalf of Flavell's Ltd. of Lindsay. The tiny depot grew during the next 75 years into

a major dairy, food and consumer goods manufacturer and distributor in six provinces.

The company is now controlled by top management and employees.

Under an agreement signed last September, the Silverwood family turned

over its controlling interest to Excelsil Corp., a management group headed by Eric Findlay, chairman, president and chief executive officer.

Excelsil is to pay the Silverwood family \$3,231,440, the agreed purchase price of

\$3,731,440 less \$500,000 which the family group is lending the Excelsil as startup funds.

FEARED TAKEOVER
Dorothy Lawrence, 75, daughter of Silverwood's founder and oldest surviving Silverwood, said the family decided to sell its interests to management to prevent a possible takeover by an outside company.

Her son, Edward Lawrence, assistant treasurer, also said the sale was the family's best route to take.

"We felt we'd be better off out of the company and our money diversified in other areas."

Another major consideration was that nobody was coming up in the family to carry on ownership, Lawrence said.

Donald Silverwood, a grandson of the founder and the last male in the Silverwood lineage, was chairman and chief executive in 1970 and 1971, but left to start his own housing development business in California.

"We just ran out of men in the family," Lawrence said.

business briefs

Habits make cheaper groceries

TORONTO (CP) — Consumers can help slow the rise in beef prices by buying alternative meat products and showing more flexibility in their supermarket shopping habits, the Retail Council of Canada says.

Recent rises in retail beef prices have been caused by wholesale costs that have climbed steadily over the last six weeks, Tim Carter, council vice-president, said in a release Tuesday.

Supplies of beef are not meeting consumer demand. Significant increases in supply are not expected for more than a year as cattle producers rebuild herds.

German tank production underway

MUNICH (AP) — Mass production of the West German Leopard II tanks began Wednesday and was offered to countries buying an earlier version, including Canada.

Krauss-Maffei of Munich said they plan to make about 1,800 of the tanks before 1986, costing about 2.5 million marks (\$1.35 million) each.

The new version of the tank has been offered to countries which bought Leopard I, a company spokesman said. These include Canada, Italy, Belgium, the Netherlands, Denmark and Australia.

Agricultural prices....

MONTREAL (CP) — Agriculture Department quotations Wednesday:

Butter: Canadian Dairy Commission car lots basis Montreal and Toronto buying prices: 92 score: \$1.31; 93 score: \$1.32; selling price \$1.32. Average wholesale-to-retail price: \$1.39 1-5.

Cheese: white: \$1.33 1-10; colored: \$1.33 2-5. Concentrated products: Skim milk powder: spray No. 1 in 50-lb bags: \$0.78-0.80; feed: \$0.43-0.45. Butter milk powder: edible spray: \$0.55-0.60.

Eggs: Wholesale price to retailers in dozen cartons: A extra-large: \$1.00 7-10; A large: \$0.94 8-10; A medium: \$0.87 6-10; A small: \$0.64 6-10.

Average wholesale price to distributors supplied by the Quebec Federation of Egg Producers: A extra-large: \$0.98; A large: \$0.92; A medium: \$0.85; A small: \$0.62; A peewee: \$0.33.

JANUARY JOBS

OTTAWA (CP) — Statistics Canada reported these actual job figures for January compared with the previous month and a year earlier (estimates in thousands):

	Jan. 1979	Dec. 1978	Jan. 1978
CANADA			
Labor Force	10,789	11,011	10,342
Employed	9,812	10,140	9,365
Unemployed	977	870	977
NEWFOUNDLAND			
Labor Force	190	192	179
Employed	153	159	148
Unemployed	37	33	31
PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND			
Labor Force	47	50	45
Employed	41	45	39
Unemployed	6	6	5
NOVA SCOTIA			
Labor Force	343	349	318
Employed	300	314	281
Unemployed	43	34	37
NEW BRUNSWICK			
Labor Force	260	276	252
Employed	226	243	217
Unemployed	33	33	35
QUEBEC			
Labor Force	2,766	2,837	2,699
Employed	2,439	2,540	2,366
Unemployed	327	297	333
ONTARIO			
Labor Force	4,165	4,242	3,958
Employed	3,850	3,965	3,646
Unemployed	315	278	312
MANITOBA			
Labor Force	469	476	451
Employed	437	447	415
Unemployed	32	29	35
SASKATCHEWAN			
Labor Force	414	429	396
Employed	388	408	371
Unemployed	26	21	25
ALBERTA			
Labor Force	963	951	906
Employed	915	915	856
Unemployed	47	36	50
BRITISH COLUMBIA			
Labor Force	1,174	1,207	1,137
Employed	1,064	1,104	1,024
Unemployed	110	103	113



Left to right: Jacques Dionne, Vice-President of The Royal Trust Company, Montreal; Gilles Girard, new director of the

Royal Trust Sherbrooke branch and John Matthews, Executive Vice-President of Royal Trust Corporation, Toronto.

Royal Trust names new Sherbrooke director

SHERBROOKE (FJM) — John Matthews, executive vice-president of regional operations for Royal Trust was in Sherbrooke on Tuesday, February 6, for the installation of Gilles Girard, the recently appointed director of the Sherbrooke branch of the Royal Trust, in his new post.

Mr. Matthews has roots in the Eastern Townships; he graduated from Bishop's University, his son attends Bishop's College School, and his father, retired Anglican Bishop Timothy Matthews, lives in Lennoxville. Mr. Matthews joined Royal Trust in 1960 and served with the company in Winnipeg, Vancouver, and Montreal before being appointed to his new post in Toronto last year.

Royal Trust's net profit for 1978 was \$26.3 million or \$1.65 per share, compared to a profit of \$18.3 million, or 1.16 per share, for 1977, and the stated earnings for the last quarter were over \$7 million, a 14-per-cent increase over the same quarter in 1977. Mr. Matthews said he did not feel that the Royal Trust's increased profits were to any

considerable extent due to the relative increase in the sales of houses in the province of Quebec during the last two years. He stated he was sorry that so many people and concerns had felt the need to move elsewhere during that time.

The Royal Trust has recently completed a reorganization of the company, a process which began in January, 1976, and ended on December 15, 1978, when the final transfer of stocks occurred. A holding company called the Royal Trustco based in Ottawa, has been formed in order to direct five subsidiary companies representing the rest of the old Royal Trust operations. These subsidiaries are the Royal Trust Company, based in Montreal and responsible for Quebec, the Royal Trust Corporation, which handles operations in the rest of Canada, the Royal Trust Bank, operating 17 banks in Florida, the Royal Trust Company of Canada Ltd., serving Europe, and Computel, the Royal Trustco's computer operation in Ottawa.

Retirement-age legislation unwieldy?

OTTAWA (CP) — Two major business organizations said Tuesday they see no reason for the government to create retirement-age legislation and warned that speedy changes, permitting widespread early or late retirement, may be unwise.

The Canadian Chamber of Commerce and the Canadian Manufacturers Association called for caution in a joint submission to the special Senate committee on retirement age policy.

"At the present time, we do not believe that a case has been made for legislative action in Canada," the groups said.

"Furthermore, we believe that the current market forces, including collective bargaining, have provided satisfactory options to most employees and employers."

Competitive prices on the way?

OTTAWA (CP) — The government introduced legislation Tuesday it says will lead to more competitive prices for consumers while reducing deceptive advertising in the marketplace.

Warren Allmand, minister of consumer and corporate affairs, made the comment as a bill amending the Trade Marks Act was given first reading in the Senate.

Food and beverage profits up

TORONTO (CP) — Profits in the food and beverage industry have been grossly overestimated by the federal government's inflation monitoring agency, the president of the Grocery Products Manufacturers of Canada said today.

David Morley said revised figures issued Tuesday by the centre for the study of inflation and productivity confirm his group's contention that "earlier assertions of rapidly increasing food industry profits are completely invalid."

Daily Gleaner sued

FREDERICTON (CP) — A suit against The Gleaner by 10 former newsroom employees will be heard in New Brunswick Supreme Court Feb. 21 and 22. The date was set Tuesday.

The 10, the bulk of the newsroom staff at the time, were fired in August, 1978. They allege they were dismissed without any or sufficient cause and without sufficient notice.

DEADLINE FOR METRIC HOME PLANS MAY 1

FREDERICTON (CP) — An official with the Central Mortgage and Housing Corp. (CMHC) warned home builders Tuesday not to take lightly the company's May 1 deadline for converting all new home construction plans to the metric system.

"We're dead serious about the first of May," said Robert Player, general manager for the Atlantic region. "There's not going to be any change with that policy."

He agreed the switch to metric would "hurt a little bit—but only for a few months if we get on the bandwagon and go with it."

The warning was an apparent reference to the company's earlier deadline of Jan. 1, 1978, which was postponed.

The pitch was part of a crash course given representatives of the New Brunswick construction industry in the first of a series of nation-wide seminars on the latest conversion to the metric system from the old imperial system of measurement.

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the townships in focus

Campus chatter by Nelson Wyatt

Pam Blanchette, Jane Loisele, Maggie Belford and Roger Cote have a new project — they want to inform the Champlain-Bishop's campus community, as well as any member of the general public who would be interested, about the facts of life.

Contrary to your first impression after reading the first paragraph, the Champlain College quartet are not planning an update on the birds and the bees. Rather, what they hope to do in a series of weekly workshop sessions is to try and help people to learn how to tackle some of the many problems that they are likely to encounter the first time they get pushed out of the home nest and are forced to fend for themselves.

Titled "The Facts of Life", the workshops will cover such subjects as banking and credit cards, budget preparation, coping with bureaucracy, consumerism, nutrition and personal management. The first workshop, on budgeting, was held this afternoon in the MacKinnon Lounge at 1:30.

The idea for the workshops, says organizer Pam Blanchette, came out of a desire to help students after continually seeing them get caught up in and occasionally strangled by the red tape that is an integral part of the bureaucracy that makes our society run. Pam recounted how she would sometimes go to the bank only to behold the sight of some student who was unable to fill out something as simple as a deposit slip because he or she didn't know how. Confreres Jane Loisele and Maggie Belford shared the same concern and after a few discussions on the idea with Animator Roger Cote, the foursome proposed the plan for the workshops to Student Services Director Gerry Cutting, who received it enthusiastically. She added that while the idea had been brought up before, this was the first time that it had managed to make it off the ground.

Pam says the logistics for the workshops began back in late November and following this, the group arrived at their format of an informal presentation, capped if possible, by a slide show on the topic of the week. She also said that while they would be drawing on their own experiences for the course, they had done a great deal of research into the subjects so that they would be on solid ground.

"It's been a tremendous learning experience for all of us," Pam concluded, "and we're very happy about being able to pass on the information that we have."

The workshops, free of charge to those who attend, may be expanded next year depending on the response. The 45-minute sessions will be held every Thursday at 1:30 in the MacKinnon Hall lounge.

We were perusing the Daily Bulletin the other day and another novel course caught our eye. Seems that a cardio-pulmonary resuscitation course will be given February 10, 11, 17 and 18 between 10 a.m. and 4 p.m. A card, diploma and use of text is included in the \$25 fee for this course, recognized by the Quebec Heart Foundation. For registration or further information, call Cath. Bayne at 565-7254.

The Club de Squash Estrie is holding the third annual Eastern Townships Open championships this weekend from Friday at 6 p.m. to Sunday at 5 p.m. in the Sports Complex. This is a Squash Quebec-sanctioned tournament, so it should be interesting.

The entertainment beat has turned up a couple of winners this week. The American Film Theatre part of the Bishop's-Champlain Cultural Series, will be presenting Luther at 7 p.m. tonight in the Centennial Theatre. This fiery play-on-film stars Stacey Keach in a role set in the Reformation period in a story of one man fighting against the established order to defend his rights and principles. Individual tickets are \$2 for the general public and \$1.50 for students. They are available at the Centennial Theatre box office between 1 and 5 p.m. weekdays.

The Bishop's-Champlain Cultural Series also presents the Viennese ensemble, Les Menestrels, on Tuesday, February 13 at 8:30 p.m.

With more than 70 instruments of the Middle Ages and costumes and scenery that range in description from the poetic to the erotic and the religious in character, they will be providing a vivid interpretation of music from the 13th to the 16th century. Tickets for Les Menestrels' performance are now on sale at the Centennial Theatre box office or at the Centre Culturel at the Université de Sherbrooke.

Have you ever been singing in the shower and had the feeling that all that great talent and those golden notes were going to waste? If so, the University Singers may be for you. Professor Howard Brown tells us that the Singers are interested in some participation from both campus folk and general public. If you're interested in raising your voice in song with this talented local group, contact Professor Brown at Bishop's (569-9551, extension 288). Practices are on Mondays at 7:30 p.m. in MacKinnon Hall.

The Bishop's University Film Society (BUFS) will be offering a varied — to say the least — program over the next couple of weeks. If you feel lucky, as the saying goes, the third of the Dirty Harry cop epics will be screened on Wednesday, February 14 at 7:30. Titled, "The Enforcer" and starring Clint Eastwood and his .44 magnum revolver, the flick will cost a paltry \$2 for the general public and \$1.50 for tots under 14. BUFS president Greg Coulter also tells us that the Woody Allen smash "Annie Hall" will be shown at the BUFS stomp grounds in the Centennial Theatre on February 18, with two screenings at 6:30 and 8:30. Finally, while the Film Society usually likes to avoid going into the red with its show, this weekend's film fare is guaranteed to put them in the blue. "Barbara Broadcast" and "Expose Me Lovely" will be shown (or exposed, whichever the case may be) on Sunday night with the first film being screened at 6:30 and the second at 8:30. As usual, prices for the films are \$2 for adults with kids being admitted for... well, maybe you better leave the kids at home this time. Ahem.

Bishopton Carnival underway

BISHOPTON (CR) — The annual Bishopton Winter Carnival begins tonight, with a pool tournament and card party at the Catholic Church, 7 p.m. Tomorrow night, the carnival itself opens at 6 p.m. with ice competitions and rope-skipping. On Saturday morning, there will be a peewee broomball tourney, sleigh rides for children 14 and under from 2 until 4, and intermediate hockey at 2 p.m. Saturday night, there is an adult sleigh ride at 7 p.m., followed by a dance in the church hall at 9 p.m. Admission is \$2, and the canteen is open Saturday afternoon with a beer and liquor licence.

The coronation of the most beautiful man and woman in the crowd will take place Saturday night as well, and on Sunday, girls' broomball gets underway at 1 p.m. Sliding competitions and men's broomball follow at 2, and at 7 p.m. Sunday trophies and prizes will be awarded. An amateur hour gets underway at 8.

Mousquiri tourney boosts Richmond

By NICK FONDA
RICHMOND — For the 16th year in a row, Richmond is hosting a provincial tournament for Atom category hockey teams. The Mousquiri Tournament has attracted two fewer teams than last year, but has become an even bigger financial enterprise than in 1978, when the event celebrated its 15th anniversary.

"We have 62 teams representing virtually every corner of the province," explained Michel St. Germain, president of the organizing committee and general manager of the Richmond Chamber of Commerce.

"As in previous years we have teams in four categories, Double-A, A, B and C. The categories are determined by the size of the town or city from which the team originates on the theory that a large population base results in a more powerful team."

"What is new this year is the invitation class," continued the tourney spokesman. "Teams from Richmond, Charny, Versailles, Nicolet and Coaticook are going to be competing for the Claude Roy Trophy which is being presented for the first time this year. Claude Roy was born in Richmond in 1954 and from the moment he began playing organized hockey at the age of eight, showed tremendous potential. He won numerous trophies and scoring championships and was named Rookie of the Year when he began playing Junior hockey. He was killed in an accident in 1977 and the trophy was named in his honor."

Unlike the first tournament held in 1964, this year's event is not being run on a shoestring budget. In all, the tournament is costing more than \$25,000.

The money comes from a variety of sources: sale of souvenirs, advertising space on the programs, and ticket sales, but what really makes the tournament run are the contributions of individuals and small businessmen.

"We couldn't possibly put on this type of event without the help of the community," said Mr. St. Germain.

"While some help us out financially, many more contribute their time, energy and talents. This year some 125 people are helping out with everything from cooking to refereeing to providing entertainment. It's the people who give so freely of their time and energy that really make this show run."

The most notable difference between this year's tournament and last year's is the presence of Labatt Brewery. Some might question the presence of a beer bar at a hockey tournament for 16-year-old kids.

"It's the adults who are drinking and not the kids," commented the tournament spokesman. "In the past we've had problems with people bringing alcohol into the arena. This year we have a small bar set aside and those who want to drink, do it there, and not in the rink. Also, Labatt's contributed a couple of thousand dollars to the tournament and we appreciate that donation."

The tournament is an expensive adventure, but usually manages to do a little better than break even. Last year it brought in several hundred dollars and this year, if all goes well, will generate about \$1,000 for minor hockey in Richmond. The real benefit falls

to local merchants, in particular the hotel and restaurant owners. This year, as in the past, for the 10 days the tournament is on, local hotels are fully booked and participants are shunted as far as Sherbrooke for lodging and accommodation. One organizer commented, "the tournament is as important to Richmond as the Winter Carnival is to Quebec City."

For the kids the tournament means a trip away from home, possibly a day or so out of school. Extracurricular activities, souvenirs, personal invitations and notes of thanks after the tournament all help make the event a memorable one. Tournament organizers point out that having fun and playing a good game are stressed much more than winning. In fact Mousquiri, the tournament mascot, comes on the ice at the end of every game to congratulate the losing team rather than the winners.

Despite their tender age the kids put on a rather good show. Vociferous and gesticulating parents cheer on their children with the fervor of South American soccer fans. Coats, boots and empty soft drink cans often litter the ice at the end of a game.

The kids themselves play with a lot of heart and seem to treat every game like a Stanley Cup final. The tournament ends February 11 and for \$1.50, offers good entertainment value.



Mousquiri greets a young competitor, who appears ready to send the cake sailing.

For Richmond, the tourney is a much-needed boost during the winter months.

Townships talk

Dom Tex, unions near accord

SHERBROOKE (FJM) — Although complete agreement on wage increases has not yet been reached, negotiations between Dominion Textiles and several thousand of their employees in the province of Quebec are proceeding smoothly, according to Michel Dufour, public relations spokesman at Dominion Textiles, and Claude Gingras, technical adviser at the Sherbrooke office of the CSD, with which all the local Dominion Textiles employees are affiliated. The 1500 company workers at the three Townships mills will have the legal right to strike on February 18, but negotiations should be completed by that time.

Asbestos, Magog awarded grants

QUEBEC (JD) — Asbestos and Magog have both received grants from the provincial Ministry of Fish, Game and Tourism for last year's maintenance of tourist information booths on the edge of town, \$1,500 to Magog and \$900 to Asbestos.

Windsor-Richmond CLSC offers info

RICHMOND (FM) — The Local Center of Community Services (C.L.S.C.) for the Windsor-Richmond area has published a new handbook of community services which lists the names, addresses, offices, and goals of local organizations, clubs, political parties, and projects. Anyone who wants a copy of the handbook can acquire one by phoning 845-2792 in Windsor and 826-3781 in Richmond.

Canada Works projects announced

WINDSOR (FM) — Canada Works Projects, in conjunction with the Local Center of Community Services (C.L.S.C.) of Windsor-Richmond are offering a special set of services for people who are sixty years of age and over in the region, from February 12 to June 15. People in the aforementioned age group who need help with shovelling snow, window washing, house-cleaning, and similar chores will be able to have access to the services offered by phoning 845-2792.

North Hatley hockey banquet

A casserole supper will be held for the benefit of the North Hatley Minor Hockey Association, from 5:00 to 7:00 p.m., Saturday, February 17th, 1979, at the Community Hall in the village.

Tickets are available from the players, their parents, the coaches, or at the door, at a cost of \$3.25 for adults and \$2.00 for children.

Grenier gets Joffre job

SHERBROOKE (FJM) — The local firm of Dorilas Grenier Ltd. should begin reconstruction work on the Joffre Viaduct in about two weeks, since demolition on the part of the viaduct which collapsed about three weeks ago will have been completed by that time. D. Grenier Ltd. submitted the lowest tender of \$1,755,000 for the work after the consulting firm of Lemieux, Royer, Donaldson, Fields, and Associated estimated the job at \$1,954,475 on August 30, 1978.

Sweetsburg Ward

Rapist draws six months

SWEETSBURG WARD (JM) — Jean Dion, of Adamsville, who earlier pleaded guilty to counts of rape on a female who was not his wife, assault causing bodily harm on the person of his wife, and breach of a probation order was sentenced to six months by Judge Guy Genest.

Legal aid lawyer Pierre Gibeau cited the psychiatric report prepared by Dr. Pierre Gagne prior to suggesting six months would amply serve the interests of justice. "The report indicates my client was in an extremely nervous state caused by excessive physical and mental strain compounded with a deteriorating marriage," Gibeau said. "He has always worked and has never lived off society, therefore I feel six months, with a recommendation for Waterloo, would be more than ample. He has been detained for two months which is the equivalent of four months."

Crown attorney Claude Noisieux said he saw the defendant in his office

shortly after the commission of the crimes and said the sentence suggested by the defence would be adequate if it was followed by a probation order which would prohibit Dion from communicating with his victim or her family.

"Six months, concurrent, on each count," Judge Genest said. "You will be bound over to keep the public peace for two years following your release and you will have to report to a probation officer within 72

hours and monthly for the first six months on a schedule he will establish. You are also forbidden to communicate directly or indirectly with your victim and her family."

Howard White, of no fixed address, renounced his rights to a bail hearing and defence lawyer Claude Hamann entered a plea of guilt on behalf of his client. Crown attorney Noisieux said the youth broke into a dwelling in Mansonville and

stole some cognac which he attempted to sell to his victim's brother. "He has been held for one week in preventative detention and I feel another two weeks would be ample in his case," Noisieux said.

Judge Genest sentenced White to two weeks firm imprisonment.

Domtar, union dispute wages

SHERBROOKE (FJM) — Two meetings of several hours yesterday failed to resolve disagreements between the Union of pulp and paper workers of East Angus, and the management of the Domtar mill. The main point at issue between the two parties involves a dispute over wages; the union has asked for an increase of 47 cents per hour on a one-year contract, an increase of 7 per cent, while Domtar management has made an offer of six per cent over the same period of time. At the same time, the union is seeking the payment of a \$600 bonus in installments starting when the new contract is ratified, while the company is offering a bonus of \$300. In the long run the union would like to establish a three-year contract with annual wage increases of six per cent. Domtar's proposal is for a contract involving annual increases of four per cent combined with a system of profit-sharing. The union is at the moment categorically refusing the inclusion of profit-sharing in a contract.

Thieves plead guilty

SHERBROOKE (FJM) — Yvan Chartier, Andre Fecteau and Serge Blanchard pleaded guilty yesterday in reply to a charge of the theft with violence of \$7,400 from Mr. and Mrs. Agnès Desrochers, both in their late 70s, of St. Elie d'Orford. They changed their plea after an interruption in their trial before superior court Judge Georges Savoie. They also pleaded guilty to charges of using of firearms and disguises.

Sexual offender sought

SHERBROOKE (FJM) — A man in his forties is being sought by police after he made his way into St. Vincent de Paul Hospital last night and sexually molested a young woman who is being kept in traction for a back problem. He was able to escape as hospital employees closed in on him. It was later discovered that the man had also stolen a small quantity of cash from a number of other rooms in the hospital.

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SPOTS AND DOTS

Kerfuffle over Crombie statements was mere word game

BY PHILIPPE HAMEL

MONTREAL — At a neighborhood party on New Year's Eve I was taking part in the good cheer, which usually marks this auspicious occasion, when a pequisite acquaintance of mine ambled up to me and exclaimed "did you hear that David Crombie came out in favor of sovereignty-association tonight? It was in the news". Admittedly I hadn't and expressed my doubts on his interpretation. The following day, regretting somewhat all the good cheer of the previous night, I received two more phone calls bearing the same news.

Having met David Crombie (former mayor of Toronto, now MP for Rosedale) but once, I had categorized him as an intelligent man with a sincere concern for his country. It would seem now contradictory that he would advo-

cate the negotiation of sovereignty-association. The confusion stemmed from an interview he had with Bruce Phillips on CTV's Question Period which was aired on New Year's Eve.

I contacted Mr. Crombie's executive assistant in Ottawa, Donna Marie Aruso, for a transcript of the interview. My premonitions were right; his statements had been taken out of context and twisted to imply all the wrong things.

Yes Mr. Crombie had indeed said that "I think anybody who refuses to negotiate is silly. There is no danger in talking." But the key word throughout the interview was not negotiating but talking. In his own words "to not talk creates illusions in other people's minds about what you really think and to suggest that the only way you can

solve people's problems is not to talk about them defies everything I understand in the world."

The press and government were quick to jump down his throat. The Montreal Gazette editorialized: "In fact, even Mr. Clark's own party is visibly confused. That was most recently demonstrated when freshman MP David Crombie said publicly that he would negotiate sovereignty-association with Quebec." (8/1/79) L. Ian Macdonald added that "his observations were politically naive, if not politically stupid". At no point in the interview did Mr. Crombie say he would endorse the breaking up of Canada.

Most of all he is not a fool: "I have no doubt that the pequistes are interested in separating from Canada". It seems that the future of our coun-

try has been reduced to word games. Sad, isn't it? Mr. Crombie is but one example of people who think we should sit down and talk this over rationally. In a subtle manner this country is being divided into armed camps, the good guys versus the bad guys. Is Pierre Trudeau actually the Scarlet pimpernel reincarnated? Hardly.

In this great age of communications we seem bound more than ever from getting our message across. The polarization increases daily. So what if we defeat one referendum? Does that mean the problem is resolved? Some people will gain personal glory, but many others will harbor deep-rooted bitterness. Who said federalism couldn't be renewed to the point where a new constitution could pull the rug of Levesque's sovereignty-association right from under his feet?

At this point I would even endorse shuttle diplomacy. The discussion for a new deal should be rich with diplomacy and done step by step. Nothing will be resolved by having the awesome shadow of federal government ready to squash anyone who steps out of line. God, where is Kissinger when we need him?

The Pepin-Robarts Committee report is a step in the right direction. These people have crossed the country and heard a lot of frank discussions. Yet their report is a bugbear to the federal government, bitter medicine they must swallow and are — hopefully — duty-bound to act upon.

In retrospect the turmoil over Mr. Crombie's statements was silly. He had the right idea all along. Words

are mere tools for the expression of ideas. If this country is destroyed over the interpretation of words, then we didn't deserve Canada to begin with.

For those interested in the subject, the Council for Canadian Unity will be sponsoring a symposium on "Canada, Quebec, Today and Tomorrow". It will be held at the Chateau Frontenac in Quebec City Feb. 22-24, 1979. Among the highlights will be a luncheon with the leaders of federalist provincial parties: Claude Ryan, Liberal; Rodrigue Biron, Union Nationale; Camil Samson, "Les Democraties". Group reservations can be made with Mrs. Pam Dunn, Council for Canadian Unity, 2055 Peel Street, 10th floor, Montreal, P.Q. H3A 1V4. Registration is \$40 which includes three meals.

Big gap

Honestly, we don't see why there's so much opposition to Sports Minister Iona Campagnolo's decision to give Hamilton, Edmonton, Winnipeg and Quebec City the bucks to build NHL-sized arenas.

The ostensible reaction is that whatever goes toward professional sports comes out of the amateur sports budget, but surely there's little, if any connection?

Admittedly, there's a nationalist angle to her motivation; as she says, there are only three Canadian teams in the NHL and when the WHA and the NHL merge in the fullness of time, there we'll be with seven Canadian teams and seven fine arenas.

If the government proposed to fund professional sports, we would take vigorous exception, because professional sports are big business, every bit as big as the automobile industry. But that isn't what Ms. Campagnolo wants to do. She sees the funding of arena revamps as the means by which regions may acquire first-class sports facilities for amateur sports, and we agree with that. For a young hockey player to skate on the same ice as Les Canadiens is one of the bigger lifts in life, and it gives amateur sports that extra shot always needed to keep organizers and participants coming back.

There's another aspect to this whole thing that worries us, though. It is said the federal government now funds about 75 per cent of all amateur sports in Canada, and those in the know say this could hit the hundred mark if private industry — professional sports included — doesn't chip in time, money and promotional expertise.

There are those who will decry commercial participation such as Labatt's helping out the Mouskiri tournament in Richmond, but surely this is narrow-minded sophistry. If the job has to be done, someone has to do it, and if nobody else will fill the vacuum, who can blame the breweries and cigarette companies for trying?

There's an enormous gap in the country between pro sports and the little-league volunteer-participation level, and if Canada is to become a truly well-rounded nation of participants and spectators, this gap must be filled.

If grocery stores can sponsor broomball teams, why couldn't other firms follow the example of the Royal Bank and sponsor affairs like their cross-country ski clinics, not just with money, but with promotional expertise? In a free-enterprise society, it makes a good deal of sense.

JAMES DUFF

Reform conference provided Trudeau's election platform

OTTAWA (CP) — The two-day federal-provincial conference on constitutional reform helped build an election platform for Prime Minister Trudeau in the campaign due to be called this spring.

Trudeau said after the close of the conference Tuesday night that he still has to make up his mind on the timing of the election.

But the conference provides him with a chance to appeal for a popular mandate to finish the job of reforming the country's political system.

In addition, he can reinforce such a national-unity campaign by picking up a line he used against Quebec's Rene Levesque during televised portions of the meeting.

He warned the Quebec premier that he would use a federal counter-referendum in that province if Levesque's planned plebiscite on sovereignty-association left that issue in any doubt.

He served notice on Levesque that he would use the power to stage a counter-referendum, under a bill now before Parliament, to ask

the Quebec people plainly: "Do you want to separate or not want to separate?"

The federal Progressive Conservatives have opposed the referendum legislation strongly.

CITES OPTION
Trudeau said at a news conference that one of his options is to fight the election on the need to complete tentative agreements

reached on a range of divisive issues.

With Manitoba's Sterling Lyon the lone holdout, the other five Progressive Conservative premiers are on public record supporting at least one of Trudeau's constitutional reform proposals.

In particular, Richard Hatfield of New Brunswick was a strong supporter of Trudeau's plan for a constitutional charter of human rights and William Davis of Ontario carried Trudeau's argument for transferring the constitution to Canada from Britain after more than 50 years of failure to agree on that move.

Lending weight to the potential of the conference as an election springboard for Trudeau was his own

performance as chairman during the televised second day.

There were times—in debate with Levesque, when expounding on his government's flexibility, or when pleading for progress towards reform—that Trudeau sounded like he was running through a dress rehearsal for the campaign to come.

Lyon, while standing against the key reform ideas, said there was little point in negotiating with Trudeau when his term of office is running out.

A national election should precede any further conference, Lyon said—a demand that Trudeau later smilingly accepted as pressure to seek a new mandate.



Snow removal during the days of the horse and sleigh was a difficult operation. The snowroller, pictured above, was more common in villages, due to its size, and often two teams of horses were used to pull it.

Rural roads were divided into districts of approximately two to three miles long. Tenders were taken each fall by local municipal councils; the conditions of each application were possession of a roller and snow plough.

The advantage of a roller, usually four feet in diameter and 12 feet wide, was that it packed the snow hard enough to

carry traffic on the road surface. The wind would keep the snow off the road and keep it from building higher with each snowfall.

The plough cut two tracks, each 18 inches wide, along the road. The depth was controlled by the teamster who used two handles to raise or lower the plough blades. Use of the plough alone would create high snowbanks along the roadsides.

By spring time, the plough would be used more to gradually cut down the depth of snow. Many farmers used their disc-harrows to chop up the snow so that the sun could melt it more quickly.

Washington Merry-Go-Round

Irascible U.S. envoy challenges foreign policy

by Jack Anderson and Les Whitten

WASHINGTON — Malcolm Toon, the irascible 62-year-old American ambassador to the Soviet Union, has achieved what might seem to be impossible for the professional diplomat. In just two years on the job, he has managed to alienate his colleagues in the State Department, Kremlin leaders and even Soviet dissidents.

It's not as if Toon were some bumbling amateur envoy, a political appointee being rewarded for campaign contributions with a prestigious ambassadorship. He is a professional, a career diplomat with more than 30 years in the Foreign Service, much of it in Eastern Europe.

A tall, athletic, gray-haired non-smoker, Toon is apparently as conservative in his politics as he is in his dress. Although considered an anti-Soviet hardliner — so much so, in fact, that the Russians were reluctant to approve him as ambassador — Toon has turned out to be surprisingly cool to the Soviet dissident movement.

Recent State Department cables confide that Toon's attitude toward the dissidents has stirred complaints. One, for instance, quotes a letter from Robert Bernstein of Random House publishers, who visited the Moscow embassy. He pleaded with Toon to open the embassy doors to dissidents. But Bernstein came away with the impression that "in 1979 we will pay lip service" to the

idea but that Toon's "heart isn't in it."

Another cable reflects the concern of two senators who recently visited Moscow, S.I. Hayakawa, R-Calif., and Malcolm Wallop, R-Wyo. "The senators," reports the cable, "claim the embassy has discouraged Americans from making contact with dissidents in order to maintain good relations with the Soviets."

Under Toon's predecessor, Walter Stoessel, Soviet dissidents enjoyed frequent and close personal contacts with American embassy officials. Although the dissidents claim they were always careful not to discuss sensitive political matters, even these innocent exchanges, say our sources, were broken off when Toon took over.

Lyudmila Alexeeva, a prominent dissident who eventually fled Russia to escape prosecution, recalled inviting some embassy friends to a Christmas celebration. One of them explained that Toon had forbidden the Americans to go. "The official said they were embarrassed and ashamed but they could not break these orders," Alexeeva told our associate Tom Rosenstiel.

State Department sources claim Toon has not changed the policy on dealing with dissidents. The ambassador, they say, has merely attempted to get the contacts on a more orderly basis by having them cleared

with him first. Whatever the reason for the change, both dissidents and State Department officials feel that it was done to mollify the Kremlin.

Toon's actions coincided with a Soviet crackdown on the dissident movement. The net result, say our sources, has been a drying up of potentially important contacts. Toon's coolness toward dissidents apparently hasn't improved his stock with Soviet leaders. Once he had to break through a security cordon at a diplomatic reception in order to deliver a letter from President Carter to Leonid Brezhnev.

In contrast, Soviet ambassador Anatoly Dobrynin is a favorite in Washington. He has a shy cordial charm that has won friends in high places. He is considered a decent, civilized person who sincerely believes in better understanding between the superpowers.

He has easy access, therefore, to American leaders. He can see the highest officials on short notice or reach them on the telephone. He can also backslap on Capitol Hill like a veteran politician.

There are seldom any witnesses to his confidential conversations with American officials. The White House has learned that Dobrynin habitually misquotes these conversations in his dispatches to the Kremlin. But U.S. officials don't quite know what to

do about it.

The White House can hardly complain without jeopardizing intelligence methods. A complaint about some specific misrepresentation might reveal our eavesdropping techniques.

The White House is also reluctant to offend Dobrynin. Although he tells one story to American leaders and another to his Kremlin superiors, Dobrynin is more reasonable and understanding than any past Soviet ambassador. The White House, therefore, doesn't want to cut off this channel of communication.

As for Toon, he was Henry Kissinger's choice for ambassador to Moscow. His actual appointment was delayed by the Soviets' hostility until the Carter administration took over. Toon's sponsorship by Kissinger, coupled with his crusty demeanor and his independent thinking, hasn't made him popular with his new bosses in Washington. They regard him as a hard-liner and a grandstander who doesn't like to take orders.

Toon, meanwhile, is acting like a short-timer whose tenure is about over. He has been granting more press interviews and keeping a higher profile — moves that might land him an important post-retirement position in private business.

Letters

Some greeting

Editor:

When I read the headline, Schreyer booed in Quebec City, which appeared on the front page of February 2nd, Sherbrooke Record, I thought, what a greeting for our new governor-general. After reading it, my thoughts were, where have respect and manners gone? Booed for showing consideration for both French and English alike?

Likely there were people attending the carnival, who understood neither French nor English, that were just happy to be there.

I am referring to those who have not been in Canada long enough to have

learned French nor English, providing they were allowed the latter.

I turned to the Editor's page and at once saw Swine by James Duff.

After reading the article, my opinion — He has summed it up well.

Manners start in the home, at a tender age.

If dissatisfied people turned a thought to a verse in the Good Book, "Do for others what you want them to do for you", it would bring peaceable settlements with respect.

M.M.,
Stanstead

Beebe-Graniteville Pastoral Charge hold congregational meeting

BEEBE — The annual congregational meeting of the Beebe-Graniteville Pastoral Charge of the United Church of Canada was held on January 30 in the parlor of Wesley United Church with a small attendance, the weather being very bad for people who had far to travel.

Rev. R. Rennie, minister, presided over the short session with Rev. Ralph

Rogers as recording secretary. Rev. Rennie opened with prayer, followed by the reviewing of the printed forms, which had been handed out on the weekend, thus enabling interested persons to make a thorough check in advance of the meeting.

Members of the Session retiring in 1980 are Mrs.

Sylvia Bronson, Lawrence Goodsell, Ross Carter and Malcolm Elliott.

Life members - John Emslie and Mrs. G. Beane; 1980 Stewards - Graniteville and Beebe churches - Mrs. L. Hand, Harold Emslie, Harold Taylor, Mrs. F. Young and Mrs. R. Eryou. Trustees - Beebe: Harold Taylor, W.B. Haselton, Malcolm Elliott, Rev. Ralph Rogers; Graniteville trustees: Mrs. R. Bachelier, L. Hand, Mrs. L. Hand, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bullock.

Presbytery representative: Mrs. Margaret Mosher; alternates - Mrs. E. Miller, Mrs. B. Wilkinson; Representative to the Youth Planning Board - Miss Nancy Phaneuf.

Nominating committee - Mrs. C. Nutbrown, Mrs. Opal Johnston and Mrs. Charles Bullock.

The minister's report was checked over and Rev. Rennie made some comments on this, also the visiting committee report showed that many sick, shut-ins, elderly and others had been visited, which proved this to be a worth while project.

The membership in the Sunday school is small but they all attend regularly. At Christmas time a small play was put on at the church service; following the service, lunch was served to the

Sunday school pupils. Each child was given a gift from the decorated tree and all attended the White Gift service in Rock Island. Thanks were expressed to the faithful teachers and helpers.

The Wesley church choir showed a very active year, taking part in two cantatas and also in the combined services. One member, in the person of Mrs. Janie Somerville has been a member of the choir for 61 years. Congratulations were extended to her. Harold Taylor is director and Miss Viola Moranville, organist.

The financial report showed a very profitable year, following payments of all commitments and a substantial balance.

The Memorial Fund of the Church has been very well reimbursed by relatives and friends of deceased loved ones.

Community Friendship convener sent cards to shut-ins at home and in hospitals, floral arrangements to members in hospitals, sympathy cards to bereaved families, as well as Christmas cards; some phone and house calls were also made.

A resume of the activities of Unit one were presented, as well as the report of the press and publicity convener. All the reports were

accepted and approved.

Permission was granted to purchase a new music stand for use in the choir, with amount to be taken from the Memorial Fund. This received the approval of the members, and will give immediate attention.

The bulletin board, which was damaged, came under discussion, but it was decided to wait until spring before making a decision on repairs, etc.

Executive members for 1979 - president, Mrs. Lexie Rogers, 1st Vice-pres. - Mrs. Opal Johnston, 2nd vice-president, Mrs. Sylvia Bronson, treasurer - Mrs. B. Wilkinson; secretary - Press and Publicity, Mrs. Eunice Aulis.

Unit two - U.C.W.'s financial statement showed they were very active holding dinners, card parties and food sales. Donations were made to many causes, including Memorial Fund, flowers for Easter, Christmas plates and the official church board.

Executive members being - president, Mrs. Elenor Young, vice-president, Miss Leona Shepard; treasurer, Mrs. Freda Hibbard; secretary, Mrs. Dorothy Archer; devotional leader, Mrs. Gladys Chartier; sunshine committee, Mrs. Arlene Ewan; publicity, Mrs. Alice Rediker and Mrs.

D. Archer.

Graniteville church showed a very, very busy year for a small membership group. Many fund-raising projects viz: sale of quilt, card parties, a travelling apron, two food sales, Round Robin, teas, cakes made regularly and sold at card

parties.

Donations were made to the Church board, allocation, memorials, gifts were given to a family who has left the area, and those in hospitals, assisted Beebe U.C.W. with dinners, combined services and World Day of Prayer Service.

Executive members for

1979 are: president, Mrs. Madelyn Bullock; vice-president, Mrs. Audrey Parrish; treasurer, Mrs. Lois Leney; secretary, Mrs. Dorothy Archer.

At the termination of this combined meeting, Rev. Rennie voiced his thanks to all and gave the closing prayer.

Library members hold meeting

COOKSHIRE — A meeting of the library members was held at the home of Mrs. Donald Standish, with 14 in attendance.

A report was given by Mrs. Standish which showed there were 26 family memberships, and that new books for seniors, teenagers and children had been purchased. The total number of books taken out had been 1380, showing an increase of 109 books over the previous year.

The treasurer's report of Mrs. Bernard Hodge showed the amounts of money spent for new books, and for other requirements, leaving a good balance in the bank.

The members were reminded that a 5-cent charge per week is made for books kept out over two months.

It was stated that a number of books had been given to Island Brook and to the Cookshire Elementary School, with thanks received for these donations.

A paper was passed around on which the members could write the

names of new books they would like to be purchased this year.

The election of officers then took place, and the same ones were re-elected as it was thought they had done a very good job. They are as follows: president, Mrs. Donald Standish; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Bernard Hodge; Book committee for seniors, Mrs. Charles Cruickshank, Mrs. Rodger Heatherington, Miss Esther Frasnorth; teenage, Misses Trudi Gill, Gwen Irvine, Susan Townsend; children's books, Mrs. Donald Parsons.

Arrangements were then made for money to be made available for the purchase of new books.

It was decided to have the yearly fees remain the same, \$2.00 per family. A discussion was held re the type of books to be purchased and those to be discontinued.

The library will be closed from March 1st-21st.

Following adjournment, light refreshments were served.

Mission Circle meets

SUTTON — The Olivet Baptist Mission Circle met at the Baptist Parsonage on January 18. The President Mrs. H.H. Woodard welcomed the eight members and one visitor. The meeting opened by all reading the hymn in unison, "Standing at the portal of the opening year", which was followed by prayer.

The Devotional exercises were taken by Mrs. Charles Lawrence, reading from Good News for Modern Man, Ephesians 2:4-10 verses. The theme was Grace and good manners. Jesus was full of grace and lived by grace and his efforts were to do the Father's will.

The study chosen by Mrs. O.H. Baker was an article by Bob Berry, Why I believe we are living in the early stages of the churches greatest era. God has provided churches in the Western world and elsewhere with the necessary resources to complete the missionary

task. In Canada a large number of people have volunteered for ministries around the world.

The Prayer requests by Mrs. Roland Gibson were for Canadian missionaries in Christian Education and Sunday School teachers, also for new missionaries who are going overseas and for the Task Force for evangelistic work in India.

The Newscast was given by the President. The Canadian Baptist Magazine is widely distributed and in two months last year there were 800 new subscribers. It is hoped that every Baptist member will be a subscriber to help celebrate the 125th Anniversary of the magazine.

The President read a letter from the Divisional Director Mrs. C.W. Stearn, giving dates for coming events in Missionary endeavors.

A short business session followed and a social hour was enjoyed.

Fishing, Hunting and Conservation

by Real Hebert

Today, The Record begins a weekly column concerned with keeping readers up to date on issues relating to fishing, hunting and conservation in the Eastern Townships, written by Real Hebert, long known for his interest in the outdoors and especially for his familiarity with what the Townships have to offer.

We hope interested readers will send us their opinions, commentaries and questions about subjects discussed in these columns. From the mail we receive, we'll be choosing one name every week, to receive a free set of Mepps lures from Breck's Sporting Goods.

Since we are now in the middle of winter, it is appropriate that we begin this series with some notes on ice-fishing.

The popularity of ice fishing as an outdoor winter activity is increasing, and the Townships, with their many accessible lakes, are proving no exception to this trend. The lakes on which ice-fishing is allowed are divided into two categories governed by different regulations.

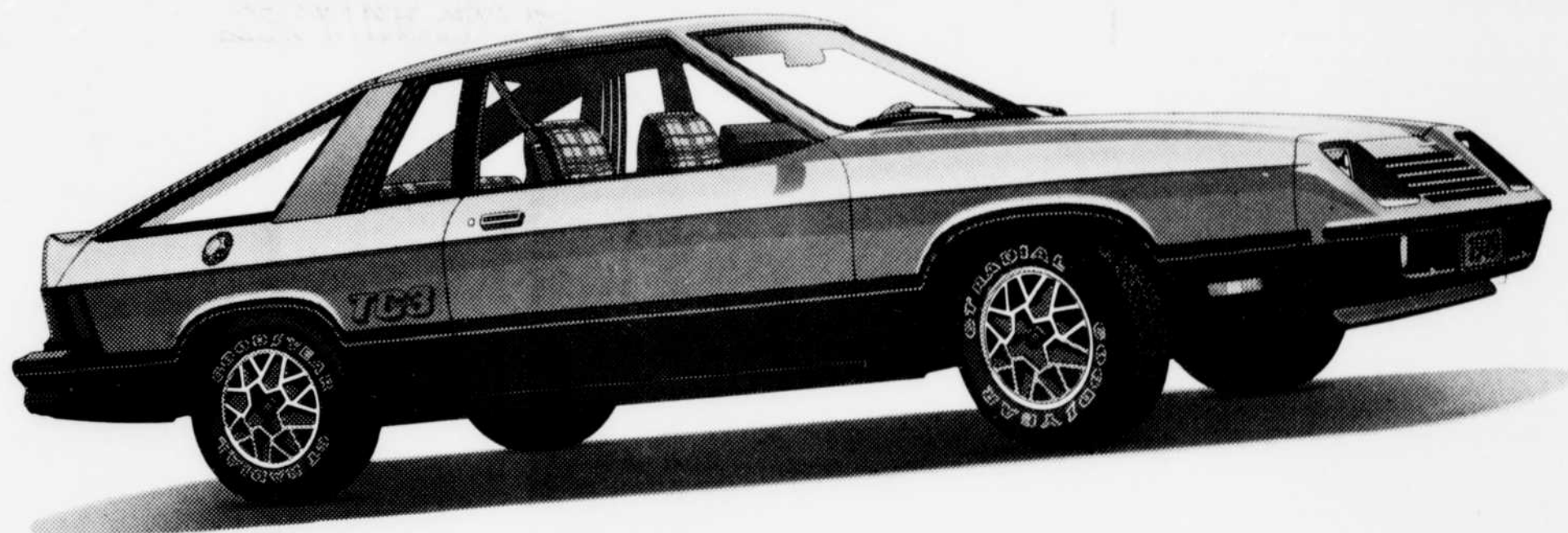
In the first group, ice-fishing is permitted from the time the lakes freeze over in the fall until the ice melts in the spring or until April 27, whichever comes first. In this group of lakes it is illegal to fish for speckled trout, rainbow trout, brown trout, gray trout, and landlocked salmon.

Fishermen must follow the regulations laid out for limitations on daily catches of other species by the Department of Tourism, Fish and Game. This set of rules applies to the following lakes: Memphremagog, Orford, Massawippi, Lovering, Magog, Brompton, St. Francois-Xavier, Stoke, Silver, Elgin, Lambton, Miroir, Moffat, Trois Lacs (Asbestos), and William, as well as the Magog River from Lake Magog to the St. Francis River. In the second category of lakes, ice-fishing is permitted from December 20 to March 31 and all species of fish may be caught, within the limits set by the department mentioned. The lakes comprising this group are the following: Silver, Gilbert, Libby, Long, Malaga, Nick, Parika, Peasley, Trouser, Trouserleg, Webster, Montjoie, Claire, Drolet, Erl, Megantic, Aylmer and St. Francis.

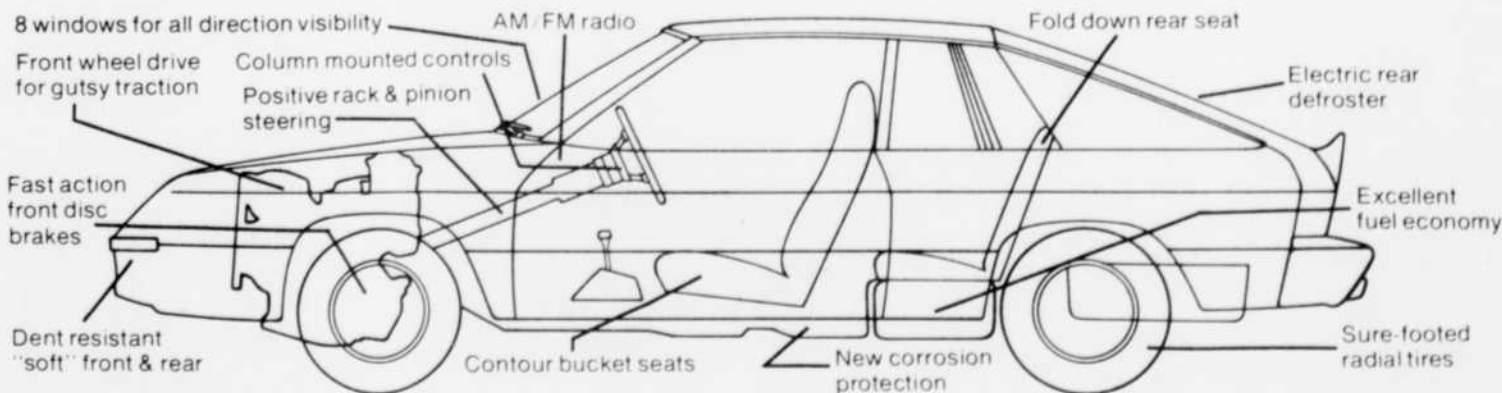
Ice fishing is not permitted on lakes not mentioned in either of these two categories. In closing, we remind you that this year it is not necessary to buy a fishing permit, except if you are not a resident of the province.

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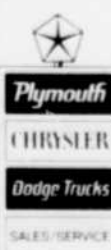
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Andrea Lynne

Andrea Lynne Morin, 15-month-old daughter of Cheryl Ann, and Stephen Morin of Sherbrooke. She is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Morin, also of Sherbrooke, and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Porter

of Melbourne, great-granddaughter of Mrs. Malvina Porter of Richmond and Mr. Charles Smith of the Wales Home, Richmond.

ACW meeting

LENNOXVILLE — The regular monthly meeting of the A.C.W. was held on February 2nd, with 18 members and one guest present, and President M. Durrell in the chair. In the absence of Mrs. C. Burt, prayers and devotions were conducted by Mrs. E. Matthews. The meaning of Candlemas Day was explained. This festival observed on the second day of February, commemorates the Presentation of Christ in the Temple. St. Luke Ch. 2 and the Collect for Candlemas Day were read, followed by prayers for relatives and friends.

The Secretary read the minutes of the previous meeting, and the Treasurer reported a satisfactory balance.

Mrs. D. Barnett attended funerals, received calls, and assisted fire victims in January.

Mrs. M. Durrell reported that she is now being assisted by Mrs. E. Matthews in the J.A. and that they are currently involved in a project on Life in Western Canada. The J.A. Coffee Party will be held on St. Patrick's Day, March 17. Mrs. B. Jones sent get-well and sympathy cards, and has received notes of appreciation.

After the Wednesday communion service during Lent, A.C.W. members will review the book "Something's Happening Here", compiled by the Diocesan Council for Social Service.

Mrs. B. Hewitt introduced the guest speaker, Rev. Heather Thomson, who was ordained January 7 and is presently Protestant Chaplain at AGRS. Following the theme, "Year of the Child", she described her work with teen-aged students who are struggling to find their own identity. She serves as a Christian presence in the school with freedom and flexibility to be accessible when needed, to give ear, and be a friend to students and staff. The children know they can talk over their problems and these are many and varied. They may be family related, school related, or social problems. Rev. Thomson is also involved in school activities, field trips, and in emergencies that might arise. As a person, a teen-ager is important and parents should give more time to their children, whether both parents work or not a factor.

Mrs. M. Durrell thanked the speaker for clarifying her position of chaplain, and said it was reassuring to parents to know someone is there to hear their problems.

At the conclusion of the meeting, refreshments were served by Mrs. E. Smith and Mrs. L. Weston.

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Ladies Aid meeting

HUNTINGVILLE — The Ladies Aid met at the home of Mrs. Norrey Bonnallie on January 16 for their regular monthly meeting.

Mrs. Clifford Spaulding welcomed the guests and members expressing her wishes. We all had a Merry Christmas.

The meeting was opened with the Lord's Prayer and a poem called "Mercy".

Mrs. Bernice Sewell led the devotions reading "The Year of the Child" by Ruth Peel.

Minutes of the December meeting were read by the secretary, Mrs. Myrtle Bradley, and approved.

Mrs. Howard Crosby, treasurer, gave a very satisfactory report on finances.

The Sunshine Committee said they sent oranges to the Grace Christian Home and nine Christmas boxes were taken to the shut-ins. Mrs. Spaulding thanked members for the home-made food they gave for the boxes.

A get-well card was signed by the members for Mrs. Lyonnais, who is ill.

The members set a date for Saturday, May 26th, to hold a flea market in the community hall.

The program was a drawing won by Mrs. Harold Aldrich.

Roll call, answered by ten members, was: Tell a funny joke.

The meeting was closed with the Mizpah benediction. Lunch was served by the hostess and a social hour enjoyed.

Birthday wishes

Love and best wishes are extended to Mrs. Irene Flanders, formerly of Bury, now in residence at the Wilkin Nursing Home, 12 Warren St., Lennoxville, and to Mrs. Ella Burgess of Bury, who will both be observing their birthdays on Sunday, February 11.

Anniversary congratulations

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Martin, Ayer's Cliff, on the occasion of their 62nd wedding anniversary on February 14.

Doctor speaks in Rock Island

ROCK ISLAND (DB) — The Fellowship Hall of the Stanstead South United Church in Rock Island was filled on Thursday evening, Feb. 1, when ladies of all ages and a few men came to hear Dr. R. Paulette of Sherbrooke speak and show films.

Before Dr. Paulette's arrival, Miss Susan Mastine of the Alexander Galt Regional School Board said it was through adult education that we were able to have such a busy surgeon as Dr. Paulette come to speak.

Dr. Paulette was introduced by Miss Mastine and he said he felt right at home here in Rock Island as his parents were one time residents here before moving to Sherbrooke. He was pleased to have his wife with him this evening.

Dr. Paulette's topic was "Breast Cancer," and he

explained as he showed the film how a lump can develop and what signs to look for. The most important point was to have regular examinations, as the earlier it is discovered the better chance the doctor has to diagnosis and start treatment.

One in 15 females will develop breast cancer during her life time. It can also be found in men, but is very rare.

He went on to show on film and explain the different operations and what was involved.

There was a question and answers period in which several people asked questions and Dr. Paulette explained the answers very clearly.

Dr. Paulette was thanked by Miss Mastine. It was a very interesting evening.

Free coffee was available throughout the evening.

Ann Landers says

Woman dreams of butcher

Dear Ann Landers: I am a happily married woman but you'd never know it if you could tune in on the dreams I've been having lately.

In the past three weeks I've dreamed about romantic interludes with the butcher at the supermarket, the young man who came to fix the TV, my next-door neighbor (he's old enough to be my father), two movie stars and a United States Senator.

So help me, I have never had an affair and am not interested in having one. My husband is wonderful and I would never cheat on him.

In the morning when I get up, I remember my dreams vividly and am filled with guilt. What does all this mean? What can I do about it? Please give me some guidance. I am — Afraid To Go To Sleep

Dear Afraid: Dreams are uncensored thoughts and desires that run loose in the subconscious. Freud said they are the disguised fulfillment of suppressed wishes. Robert Louis Stevenson once wrote, "We all have thoughts that would shame hell." Some of these feelings come out in our dreams.

But it's how we conduct ourselves and not what we dream that counts. So — relax, honey, and get a good night's sleep.

Dear Ann Landers: I'm 17 years old and flat-chested. I don't mean small. I'm like an ironing board and it has made me very self-conscious.

I've heard about a doctor in town who gives silicone shots. Are there any side-effects? How much does it cost? — I Got Plenty Of

Nuthin'
Dear U. Got: If the legal authorities hear about the doctor, he will be in serious trouble. Silicone shots for breast augmentation are illegal. This is a dangerous procedure. Some deaths have occurred because of it. Silicone implants, are however, a safe procedure when done by a competent plastic surgeon. Consult your family doctor — when you are 19.

Are your parents too strict? Hard to reach? Ann Landers' booklet, "Bugged By Parents? How to Get More Freedom," could help you bridge the generation gap. Send 50 cents in coin with your request and a long, stamped, self-addressed envelope to Ann Landers, P.O. Box 11995, Chicago, Illinois 60611.

Ontario cracks down on welfare

TORONTO (CP) — The Ontario government often goes to amazing lengths when it suspects a woman receiving family benefits is living with a man, says a lawyer who fought a recent case with success.

Dick Gathercole, a lawyer with the University of Toronto's community legal assistance service, said the government will "check computers to find out what address" the man uses on his driver's license.

"Or they will phone his employer to determine whether or not she and the children are included in his OHIP coverage, and they'll rely on neighbors."

Gathercole's client, single parent Patricia Warwick, a recipient of family benefits, was involved in a two-year court battle that pried into her sex life and relationship with a male friend and his family. She says she moved into the house to care for the children in exchange for free rent.

ALLOWANCE CUT OFF
The provincial government immediately informed Mrs. Warwick by letter that her mother's allowance had been cancelled because she was no longer "living in the circumstances of a single person."

Mrs. Warwick fought back because "I thought I was doing some good by helping someone else keep his family together and I ended up cutting my own throat." The

Ontario Court of Appeal sided with her and ordered the government to reinstate her as a family benefits recipient.

The provincial benefits branch of the ministry of community and social services still insists, however, that a woman living with a man under any circumstances is ineligible for support for herself and her children.

Critics say the province continues to cut women off benefits when it finds evidence that a man is living at the same address, and in some cases, the evidence

consists only of reports from neighbors and former friends.

"I've seen cases where the government's cases consisted of a piece of paper with hearsay evidence from a neighbor," said Hugh Atwood, a lawyer with a community legal service.

CASES DIFFER

"I have seen cases where there is no doubt in my mind that it is an economic union," Atwood said. "But I have also seen cases where I was just amazed the government felt they were justified in doing this."

"What we object to and have been fighting is where the proof is only sexual or social in nature. A woman should not be forced to become a nun to get family benefits."

June Callwood, an author and civil-rights activist, said the rule "assumes a woman living with a man is a prostitute."

"Besides being insulting and patronizing to women and an invasion of privacy, it reflects the kind of attitude that society has to poor women."

Equal status paramount, feminist educator says

HALIFAX (CP) — The problems of overpopulation, food shortages, decent housing and proper child care can never be solved until women's issues are dealt with, Dr. Margaret Fulton, president of Mount Saint Vincent University, said recently.

"We will never change the imbalance of poverty and injustice in the world until women are educated to their rights and become responsible participating members of society and not just second class citizens," she told the Rotary Club.

She said the reinforcement of structures limiting the freed freedom of women in world society also limit the development of the race into a more human global society.

"As long as the United Nations and other world conferences are dominated by men we can expect the continuation of our

current world social problems."

Women's issues remain a low priority with government, she said.

As an example, when the government report on the Advisory Council on the Status of Women was raised in the Commons, Prime Minister Trudeau admitted to not having read it, she said.

Dr. Fulton said Canadian women are far from achieving equal pay for equal work as Statistics Canada figures reveal.

Women are only slowly gaining any real acceptability at the decision making levels of society, she said.

"Because our social structures are designed by men, for men, it is virtually impossible for women to gain real political status."

Indian tests protested

NEW DELHI (Reuters) — New Delhi newspapers say virginity tests are being carried out on Indian immigrants arriving at London airport.

Three morning newspapers carried front-page reports on a complaint by the London-based Indian Workers' Association (IWA) that a 35-year-old New Delhi woman was given a vaginal test for virginity.

In London, the home office said gynecological examinations helped immigration officers to identify women trying to enter the country illegally as brides for Indians already there. But Prime Minister James Callaghan told Parliament the issue is being investigated.

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Card Parties

BEEBE — A very successful card party was held in the diningroom of Wesley United Church on January 20 at 8 p.m. when 17 tables of 500 and one table of Canasta were in play.

500 winners were: Men's high, Murray Gilbert, low, Charles Bullock; Ladies' high, Mrs. Connie Keet, low, Mrs. Joyce Slade; Ten no trump - Roger LaFontaine; Skunk, Guy Bousquet.

Canasta, 1st, Mrs. Jean Hartley, 2nd, Mrs. Doris Elliott.

Mrs. Jean Hartley and Mrs. Doug Douglas were seated in the marked chairs, each being awarded a prize.

The camera was awarded to Mrs. Lena Young, while Mrs. Eunice Aulis claimed the cake.

Door prizes went to Mrs. Dodie Farrow, Mrs. Edwarda Baker, Mrs. Irene Johnston, Nicky Keet, Mrs. Madelyn Hartley, Mrs. Opal Johnston, Mrs. Lillian

Probert, Mrs. Betty Douglas, Mr. Bernal Gustin, Miss Priscilla Keet, Mrs. Knetha Reeves, Harold Taylor, Mrs. Candy Keet, Cote, Mrs. Vivian Moulton, S. Nutbrown and Mike Cote.

At the termination of the games, refreshments were served by the committee, this being a joint project of unit one U.C.W. and Beebe branch Women's Institute, with proceeds going to the Butters' Foundation in Austin.

Those attending were from Magog, Georgeville, Lennoxville, Hatley, Derby Line, Vt. and the surrounding area.

SUTTON — A 500 card party was held in the Fraternal Hall on Friday night, January 20, sponsored by Golden Rule Rebekah Lodge No. 20.

Cards were played at eleven tables, prizes going to the following ladies: Mrs. N.

Jones, Mrs. Rancourt, Mrs. J. Elie, Messrs. Lucien Lefebvre, Lloyd Cooke and Henry Brazeau.

Door prizes were claimed by David Mason, James Robertson and Mrs. Lillian Miltimore.

A delicious lunch was served by the committee in charge and a social hour spent.

BEEBE — A very successful card party was held on Jan. 27, in the diningroom of Wesley United Church, with 17 tables in play, sponsored by Unit two.

Winners in 500 were: Ladies 1st, Mrs. Erema Taylor; 2nd, Mrs. Betty Douglas. Gents 1st, Murray Gilbert; 2nd, Charles Lawton.

Canasta 1st, Mrs. Jean Hartley; 2nd, Mrs. Doris Elliott; Ten no Trump, Murray Gilbert; Skunk, Mrs.

Joyce Slade.

Lucky cups were held by Mrs. Annette Sheldon and Ken Bryant. Decorated cake went to Mr. Mark Nelson of Waterville.

Door prizes were claimed by Mrs. Candy Cote, Doug Douglas, S. Nutbrown, G. Hetherington, Ralph Rogers, Miss K. Baker, Mrs. Sharon Prince, Mrs. Evelyn Marlow, Mrs. Maureen Keet and Mrs. Gwen Doucette.

At the termination of the games, refreshments were served by the committee.

Another party will be held on Feb. 10, at the same place.

WATERLOO — A first card party of the New Year to be sponsored by St. Luke's Church Women was held on Sat. evening, Jan. 27 when 500 was played at 15 tables. Prizewinners were Mrs. Robert Denault, Doreen Gibbs, Ardell Mason, Glenna

Martin, Mabel Healy, Georgeanne Duranleau, G. Jolin, Anita Hanna, David Mason, Maurice Whitehead, Gladys Cook, Mary Sanborn, Anita Langlois, Ron Tryhorn, Mrs. A. Chagnon, Ola Streeter, Hildred Gibbon, George Allen, John Gibbon, Gisele Juteau, Loys Heatherington, Alice Ashton, Mary Emmett and Mrs. Philip Denault.

The lucky number for the door prize was held by Mrs. Robert Denault.

Tickets were sold on a box of cosmetics, this being won by Mary Sanborn.

Another party is planned to be held in the Church Hall on Feb. 10, when a good attendance is hoped for.

The ladies wish to thank all who show interest in this undertaking.

DUNHAM — A successful card party of seventeen tables was held in the

Dunham United Church Hall, Saturday, Jan. 27, sponsored by the C.B. Land C.B.'ers Club of Cowansville.

Prizes winners were: 1st - Ladies, Mrs. M. Nelis, Gents, Peter Harvey; 2nd, Mrs. R. Childhouse and Armand Gendreau; Consolations: Marie-Ann Nelis and Lloyd Harvey.

Door prizes were awarded to Donald Wightman, Mrs. Elsie Doherty, Antonio Gaudreau and John Hall.

There were two special drawings from tickets sold on a blanket and a set of towels, winners being - blanket, to Leighton Carter and the towels, Miss Janice Harvey.

The floating prizes, given for winning all ten tricks in a no trump bid, went to Mattie Nelis and Gladys Campbell.

The members of the C.B.'ers Club wish to thank all and anyone who helped in any way - use of the card

tables from the Golden Agers, or individuals, those who donated prizes, food, gave of their time, and a special thanks to those you came to the card party on a stormy night.

WATERVILLE — On Tues., Jan. 30, an enjoyable evening was spent playing 500 in St. John's church hall.

Ladies' prizes went to Joan Smith, Dulcie Burnell and Vivian Moulton, Frank Nelson, Stewart Nutbrown and Byron Labonte were the lucky men.

Paul Maheux, Audrey Cunningham, Hilda Nelson and Stewart Nutbrown drew for the 10 no-trump prize, Audrey held the highest card.

Door prizes went to Sue Nichols, Albino Marancin, Russell Nichols, Winnie Sylvester, Margaret Hoyer and Archie Moulton.

The A.C.W. wishes to

thank everyone who furnished lunch and prizes.

The next card party to be on Feb. 13 at 8 p.m. Come and join us!

ROCK ISLAND (DB) — Mrs. Bertha Corbett of Rock Island invited twelve ladies to her home on Tuesday afternoon, January 30, for a few friendly games of 500.

Each lady gave a donation which will be turned over to the senior citizens travel fund.

Mrs. Kate McCune held the high score for the afternoon, while the prize for low score went to Mrs. Geneva Lyons.

Light refreshments were served by the hostess, Mrs. Bertha Corbett, assisted by the co-hostess, Mrs. Gladys Hunter.

Several more ladies have offered their homes for more friendly card parties, in aid of senior citizens travel fund.

Jacoby's bridge

NORTH 2-8
♦ K 10
♥ K 6 3
♦ J 5 2
♠ A K J 9 3

WEST ♦ Q 8 7 6 4
♥ 10 9 8 2
♦ A 10 8
♠ 2

EAST ♦ J 2
♥ 7
♦ K 9 7 6 4
♠ Q 10 8 7 5

SOUTH ♦ A 9 5 3
♥ A Q J 5 4
♦ Q 3
♠ 6 4

Vulnerable: North-South

Dealer: South

West North East South
1♦ 2♦ Pass 1♥
Pass 4♥ Pass Pass

Opening lead: ♦2

spades, but maybe he hasn't and the hand will collapse if East captures the ten with either the queen or jack. Now I will show you a line of play that is sure to succeed as long as all five trumps aren't in one hand."

Here is the Professor's sure-thing play.

He wins the club and draws trumps while discarding one club from dummy. East's best discards will be one club and two diamonds and we assume they will be made.

Now comes the key play. South leads his second club and plays either the nine or jack while West will surely throw away a spade.

East is in with the first defensive trick and a serious headache.

A club lead is obvious suicide. A spade lead will give South three sure spade tricks and allow him to get rid of one of his diamonds on a high club.

Finally a diamond lead will make it possible for South to set up dummy's jack for one spade discard while another spade will go on a high club.

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(Do you have a question for the experts? Write "Ask the Experts," care of this newspaper. Individual questions will be answered if accompanied by stamped, self-addressed envelopes. The most interesting questions will be used in this column and will receive copies of JACOBY MODERN.)

By Oswald Jacoby and Alan Santag

The professor was holding forth on the use of ARCH.

He explained: "That lead was surely a singleton. West surely has five or six spades. His overall wasn't much in any event, but this West likes to bid whether he has a bid or not."

"How can I make ten tricks? I can win that club, draw trumps, lead a spade and play dummy's ten if West plays low. West should have both queen and jack of

Crossword

ACROSS

- 1 Jesus monogram
- 4 Wet ground
- 9 Little devil
- 12 Sturdy tree
- 13 Fertile spot in a desert
- 14 Rowing blade
- 15 Native metal
- 16 Bears
- 17 Man's garment
- 18 Less
- 20 Asiatic mountains
- 22 Enclosure
- 24 Trojan mountain
- 25 Innocent
- 28 Lots
- 32 Briny expanse
- 33 Young man
- 35 Frost a cake
- 36 Small island
- 38 Gallic affirmative
- 39 Songstress
- 40 Smith
- 40 Man's name
- 42 Drip-dry (2 wds.)

DOWN

- 44 Graduate of Annapolis (abbr.)
- 45 Poetic preposition
- 46 Equine
- 49 Elephant dentin
- 53 I possess (contr.)
- 54 Army group
- 58 Sound of a dove
- 59 By birth
- 60 Test for fit (2 wds.)
- 61 Horse food
- 62 Gross
- 63 National Product (abbr.)
- 63 Odor
- 64 Spanish gold
- 1 Social club (abbr.)
- 2 Jackrabbit
- 3 Swerve
- 4 More rancid
- 5 Fight
- 6 Fool
- 7 Actress
- 8 Farrow

Answer to Previous Puzzle

TOYS TOUR
ICIC AVON ARNO
BAR LENDING GRAD
SAUCER PEG
ONTO EERIE
PILOT NODDING
LOIS AWLS SUR
INS DYAD HERE
NIPPIER TIE NET
KASHA DEAR
ONS AMOUNT
CHINAWARE NEE
AONE URS IVE
TENS MAST TIN

- 8 False (prefix)
- 9 Jot
- 10 Post
- 11 President (abbr.)
- 19 Environment agency (abbr.)
- 21 Radiation measure (abbr.)
- 23 Stockings
- 24 Sometime salt ingredient
- 25 Information bureau (abbr.)
- 26 Cozy home
- 27 Texture
- 29 Teller of tall stories
- 30 Outer (prefix)
- 31 Visible
- 34 Gold symbol
- 37 At all
- 39 Russian city
- 41 Passes law
- 43 Ascertain bearings
- 46 Spirit
- 47 Not odd
- 48 Honk
- 50 Eight (Sp.)
- 51 Bellow
- 52 Child's toy
- 55 Curve
- 56 Change color
- 57 Man's nickname



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PROVINCE OF QUEBEC CITY OF MAGOG BY-LAW NO. 713 TO PROPERTY OWNERS
entered, on February 1st, 1979, on the valuation roll then in force in this City as regards of a taxable immovable situated in the whole municipality.

PUBLIC NOTICE
is hereby given by the undersigned city clerk, THAT at its regular meeting held on February 1st, 1979, the council of this City has adopted by-law No. 713 entitled "By-law decreasing a loan of \$90,000.00 for the installation of a lighting system of the football field at 'Parc de l'Est', and for which the object and the use of funds are sufficiently described by the title and more fully described in the said by-law.

THAT the property owners among the ones hereunder affected who were of full age and Canadian citizens at the date of February 1st, 1979, if it's the case of physical persons, or that shall satisfy within the prescribed delay to the requirements of paragraph 3 of article 399 of the cities and towns act, if it's the case of corporations, commercial partnerships or associations can request that the by-law No. 713 be subject to a secret vote according to articles 399 to 410 of the same act.

THAT the demand shall be according to the procedure of registration provided by articles 398a to 398d of the cities and towns act and that for the purpose of this procedure the persons qualified to vote upon the by-law shall have access to a register held for their intention, from nine o'clock to nineteen o'clock, on Tuesday and Wednesday, March 6 and 7, at the City's office situated at 7 Main Street east, at Magog.

THAT the required number of registered demands in order that by-law No. 713 be submitted to a secret poll is two hundred and ninety-eight (298), and failing such number, the by-law will be deemed to have been approved by the persons qualified to vote.

THAT any person qualified to vote upon the said by-law can consult the by-law in question at the office of the City, during regular office hours and during registration hours. THAT the result of this consultation by the procedure of registration will be announced on Wednesday, March 7, 1979, in the hall reserved for the council meetings of this City, situated at 7 Main Street east, at Magog, at 19:00 o'clock. GIVEN at Magog, this second day of February 1979.

Jean-Paul Lange, c.m.o., City Clerk

AUSTIN — The February meeting of the Austin W.I. was held in St. Luke's Hall, Magog, on Thursday afternoon.

Motto: A person who remembers what he was taught at his mother's knee, was probably bent over it.

Roll Call: Name your first school and teacher, and tell a short story of your early school days.

The 1st vice-president, Mrs. Reg Coates presided and welcomed all members and three visitors.

The Collect was repeated in unison.

Roll call was answered by 16 members. Some old school books were on display and commented on some dating back to 1906.

The minutes of the November meeting and the Christmas Party were read. Correspondence was also read, including a letter from Mrs. C. Slangen, Brome Co. Pres.

Treasurer reported a good balance on hand.

Convenors' reports: Agriculture and Home Economics were absent.

Education: Mrs. C.J. Bryant read an amusing article on Politicians.

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PROVINCE OF QUEBEC CITY OF MAGOG PUBLIC NOTICE
BY-LAW NO. 714 TO THE RATEPAYERS OF THIS MUNICIPALITY

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to you by the undersigned clerk of this municipality, that the municipal council of this municipality has, at its regular meeting of February 1st, 1979, passed by-law No. 714 to change the day of the regular meetings of the council which were held on the first Thursday of each month, to be held in the future on the first and third Mondays of each month.

The details of said by-law are fully given in the by-law itself of which every interested party may take communication at the office of the City of Magog, during office hours.

Magog, this 2nd day of February 1979.
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WI Meeting

Publicity: Mrs. D. Patterson reported sending usual reports to newspapers, and read an article from Federated News.

Citizenship: Mrs. G. Mitson commented on the installation of the new Governor-General as viewed on T.V.

Health and Welfare: Mrs. D. Jenks gave her annual report. She had sent 52 cards, flowers and cash donations for In Memoriams.

Pennies for Friendship: Miss L. Pike read an article from Federated News, on what "Pennies" were used for.

Mrs. L.G. Taylor reported that Mrs. G. Birks, a former W.I. member had died.

A card will be sent to Mr. Birks when address is known. Moved and seconded that a cheque be enclosed in the Get-well cards to be sent to Messrs Alan Robinson and Harry Smith. Mr. Robinson underwent surgery and Mr. Smith had a leg amputated. Mrs. Smith and Mrs. Robinson are W.I. members and are on the branch executive.

Mrs. Patterson read the program for 1979-80. The hostesses were added. This will be sent to Mrs. Knights in Sutton for printing.

Myrtle Rebekah Lodge

LENNOXVILLE — The regular meeting was held in the Masonic Hall, here, on Jan. 17. Noble Grand, Sister Dorothy Geddes cordially welcomed the members.

Col. Harry Burt, Dept. Commander, Dept. Council Patriarchs Militant Vermont-Quebec, was escorted and introduced by Sister Jessie Purcell and given the honours. Sister Geddes congratulated Col. Burt on his elevation to this high office.

A donation was given to the IOOF Planning Board. The members decided to hold a card party on Thursday, March 8, in the Masonic Hall, Belvedere St. A date was set for a Bazaar on June 6.

Sister Doris Elson reported

St. Paul's Guild meets



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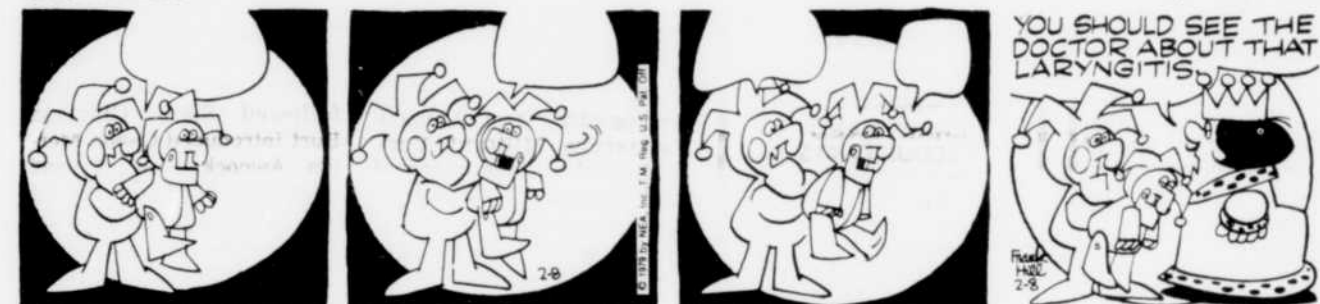
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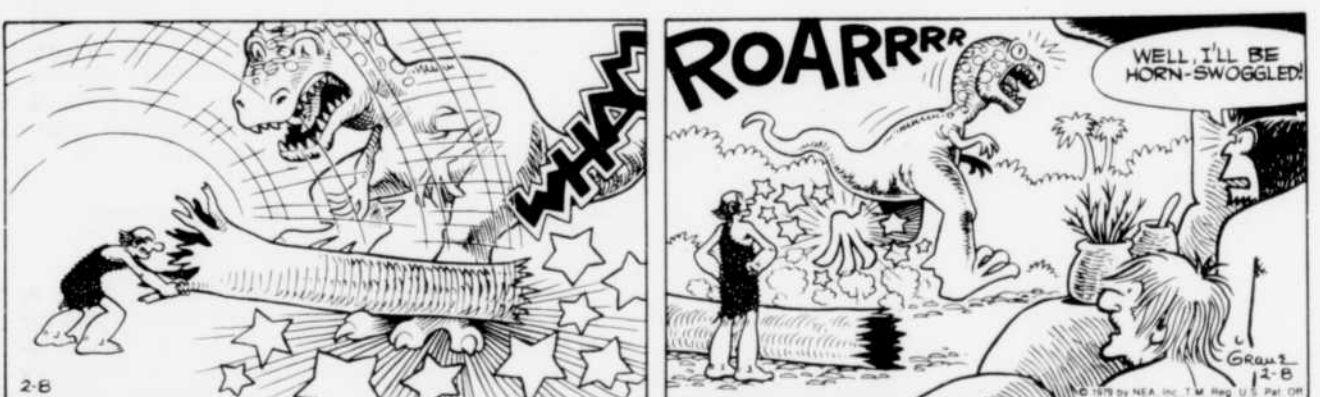
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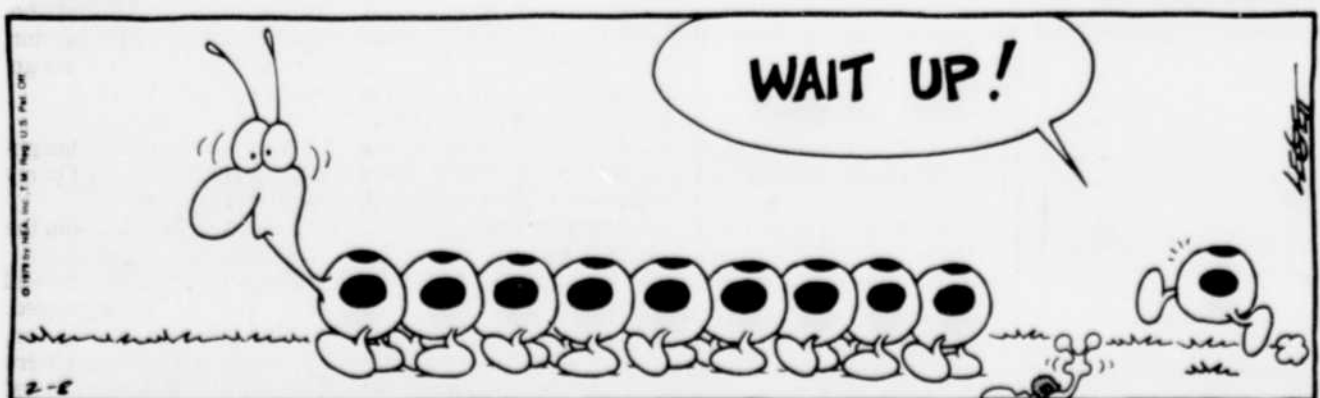
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- 5) Jeopardy!
- 8) \$20,000 Pyramid
- 12) Flintstones
- 12:25 p.m.
- 9) A La Ferme
- 12:30 p.m.
- 9) Les Coqueluches
- 3) 6) Search for Tomorrow
- 5) Password
- 7) A Vous De Jouer
- 8) Ryan's Hope
- 12) Street Talk
- 1:00 p.m.
- 3) News
- 5) CBC News
- 5) Hollywood Squares
- 7) Personnalite
- 8) All my Children
- 12) Definition
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- 6) Bob McLean
- 1:10 p.m.
- 3) Across the Fence
- 1:30 p.m.
- 9) Nouvelles
- 3) As the World Turns
- 5) Days of our Lives
- 7) Cinema: "Le Droit d'aimer"
- 12) McGowan & Co.
- 2:00 p.m.
- 6) Edge of Night
- 8) One Life to Live
- 12) Alan Hamel
- 2:30 p.m.
- 9) Cinema: "La Grande Java"
- 3) Guiding Light
- 5) Doctors
- 6) Beyond Reason
- 3:00 p.m.
- 5) 12) Another World
- 6) Take 30
- 8) General Hospital
- 3:30 p.m.
- 3) M A S H
- 6) Celebrity Cooks
- 7) Au Bois De Florence
- 4:00 p.m.
- 9) Bobino
- 3) I Dream Of Jeannie
- 6) Charlie Chaplin
- 5) Little Rascals
- 7) Monsieur Tranquille
- 8) Krofft Superstars
- 12) Mad Dash
- 4:30 p.m.
- 9) Es-Tu D'Accord?
- 3) Bionic Woman
- 6) Friday After School
- 5) I Love Lucy
- 7) Nouveaux Tannants
- 8) Gomer Pyle, USMC
- 12) Family Feud
- 5:00 p.m.
- 5) Odd Couple
- 6) Partridge Family
- 8) Get Smart
- 9) Cinema: "La Riviere Des massacres"
- 12) Price is Right
- 5:30 p.m.
- 3) My Three Sons
- 6) All in the Family
- 5) Jogan's Heroes
- 7) Parle, Parle, Jase, Jase
- 8) News
- 6:00 p.m.
- 3) 5) News
- 6) City at Six
- 8) ABC News
- 12) Pulse
- 1:10 p.m.
- 3) Across the Fence
- 1:30 p.m.
- 9) Nouvelles

FRIDAY

- 5) All Star Secrets
- 6) Mr. Dressup
- 7) Sans Detour
- 12) It's Your Move
- 11:00 a.m.
- 9) Terre Et Moissons
- 5) High Rollers
- 6) Sesame Street
- 7) La Mijoterie
- 8) Happy Days
- 12) Community
- 11:30 a.m.
- 3) Love of Life
- 5) Wheel of Fortune
- 7) Petits Bonshommes
- 8) Family Feud
- 9) Point De Vue
- 12) Rocket Robin Hood
- 11:45 a.m.
- 7) Les Satellipettes
- 11:55 a.m.
- 3) CBS News
- 12:00 p.m.
- 3) Young and the Restless
- 6) Coronation Street
- 5) Jeopardy!
- 7) 9) Nouvelles
- 8) \$20,000 Pyramid
- 12) Flintstones
- 12:25 p.m.
- 9) A La Ferme
- 12:30 p.m.
- 9) Les Coqueluches
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- 5:30 a.m.
- 8) Celebration
- 6:00 a.m.
- 5) 700 Club
- 6) PTL Club
- 12) University of the Air
- 6:30 a.m.
- 3) Sunrise Semester
- 12) Morning Exercises
- 7:00 a.m.
- 3) Friday Morning
- 5) Today
- 8) Good Morning America
- 12) Canada A.M.
- 8:00 a.m.
- 3) Captain Kangaroo
- 7) Petits Bonshommes
- 8:15 a.m.
- 7) Fanfan Dede
- 9) Lassie
- 8:45 a.m.
- 7) Nouvelles
- 5) Mike Douglas
- 5) Phil Donahue
- 6) Thought for Today
- 7) A La Bonneheure
- 8) Good Day!
- 12) Romper Room
- 9:05 a.m.
- 6) Good Morning
- 9:15 a.m.
- 9) 100 Tours De Centour
- 6) Friendly Giant
- 9:30 a.m.
- 9) Passe-Partout
- 6) Quebec Schools
- 12) What's Cooking
- 10:00 a.m.
- 6) Boite A Lettres
- 5) Card Sharks
- 6) Caanadians Schools
- 8) Everyday
- 12) Ed Allen Time
- 10:15 a.m.
- 9) Virginie
- 10:30 a.m.
- 9) Magazine Express
- 3) Price is Right

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French PM will stress relationship

PARIS (Reuter) — French Prime Minister Raymond Barre steps into a diplomatic and political minefield today when he starts an official visit to Canada.

At the same time Prime Minister Trudeau has counselled France not to give support to Quebec separatism, warning that Canada might break up, thereby doubling United

States reality and power. Barre will seek to avoid offending Trudeau's government while underlining the special relationship between Quebec and France.

To achieve this, Barre's program has been meticulously designed to give equal weight to his visit in Ottawa and Quebec where he will be the guest of Premier Rene Levesque. He will be in Ottawa Feb. 8-9 and then will spend four days in Montreal and Quebec City. In interviews before his departure Barre said he will

seek to expand economic and diplomatic co-operation between Canada and France. While Quebec and France have a special relationship, he would not

seek to intercede in the political debate between Ottawa and Quebec City. This will be the first top-level official French visit to Canada since 1967.

Iran oil cutoff sparks swap deals

OTTAWA (CP) — Several oil swap deals are in the offing between Canadian and U.S. companies to cushion the blow of strikes which have cut the flow of Iranian oil.

They carry the blessing of Energy Minister Alastair Gillespie who said in an interview Wednesday they are a "way of providing security" for Canadian refineries.

Several oil exchanges have already been concluded between Canadian and U.S. companies in the last year and an energy department official estimated they amount to about 80,000 barrels a day.

The latest swap was arranged Jan. 16 by BP Canada Ltd. and Petrofina with U.S. firms but was not linked to the Iranian crisis, a National Energy Board

spokesman said. The NEB must approve any exchange of this kind.

Basically, the swap involves western Canadian oil exchanged for U.S. oil for Eastern Canadian refineries. The amounts traded must be equal.

MAY RATION

The Iranian oil problem has hit the U.S. particularly hard and Energy Secretary James Schlesinger told

Congress Wednesday that imposed conservation measures will be necessary. Gillespie has said the Canadian situation is serious but manageable. Oil stocks had fallen in eastern Canada but he did not expect rationing, at least for several months.

A Gulf spokesman in Toronto said in an interview Wednesday a major oil shipment from Kuwait is

expected today at Gulf's Point Tupper refinery in Nova Scotia, averting a serious problem there.

The company only had enough oil for a few more days operation before the shipment, he said. The tanker chartered by Gulf, is bringing 2.3 million barrels to Point Tupper, enough for six more weeks of operation.

The company is still looking for alternative sources of supply because of the Iranian crisis, he said.

CONSIDERING SWAP

Gulf is considering a swap which would channel Gulf oil from Western Canada through the Interprovincial Pipe Line to the Chicago area. U.S. oil acquired from Africa would be diverted to the Point Tupper refinery.

Obituaries

JAMES A. BELLAM of Sawyerville James Anthony Bellam passed away at the Sherbrooke Hospital on Jan. 18, 1979, in his 80th year.

Mr. Bellam was born in East Clifton on June 4, 1899, only son of the late Alfred and Viola (nee Blair) Bellam. He was married to Louise Bishop on June 4, 1925 and they spent most of their life on the farm in East Clifton, where their six children were born. They moved to Sawyerville to retire, where his wife passed away in 1971 and he carried on alone for several years. He was living at the Second Mile Senior Centre until entering the hospital.

Surviving are his three sons, Gordon of Lennoxville, Ross and Wayne of Sawyerville; three daughters, Gwendolyn (Mrs. George Diamond, Trenton, Ont.), Beulah (Mrs. Donald Annesley, Moose Jaw, Sask.), Diana (Mrs. Marvin Williams, Mississauga, Ont.); his three daughters-in-law, three sons-in-law, as well as 16 grandchildren and 6 great-grandchildren. There are also several nieces and nephews and one sister-in-law. His only sister, Aldora Parkinson, predeceased him in 1976.

A Masonic Service was held on Sat., Jan. 20. Prayers were held at the Sawyerville Funeral Home on Sun., Jan. 21st at 2:15 p.m., thence to the Sawyerville United Church for the funeral service, conducted by Rev. Gordon Simons. With Mrs. Clinton Smith as organist, the choir sang, "Lead Kindly Light" and "Abide With Me".

The bearers were all old neighbors of the deceased: Garnet Williams, Crescent Bain, Roland, Russell, Victor and Robert Blair.

Interment was in the East Clifton Cemetery.

The many floral arrangements and donations for memorials bore silent tribute to the esteem in which the deceased was held. He will always be remembered for his cheery outlook on life. He always had a smile and joke for everyone, and he will be greatly missed by his family and friends and all who knew him.

IRA WILLIAM THAYER of Fitch Bay

A highly respected and much loved person, Mr. Ira William Thayer entered into peaceful rest at the age of 65, in the Sherbrooke Hospital on Sunday, January 28, 1979.

Funeral services were held at St. Matthias Anglican Church in Fitch Bay on January 31st at 2 p.m. Rev. O. Merriman of Stanstead officiated.

Spring interment will be held in Apple Grove Cemetery, Ogden.

Bearers were Arnold and Donald Thayer, Rock Island and Stanley and Roland Thayer, London, Ont.

Ira was born in Georgeville on September 2, 1913, the first-born son of Williamina (Hutchdon) and Charles Thayer, and a brother to Clarence and the late George Thayer.

He lived with his parents on their farm until the death of his mother, then moved in 1962, to the home of his brother Clarence in Fitch Bay, where he resided until his death.

Survivors left to mourn are his brother, Clarence, nephews, Arnold, Stanley, Donald, Roland, and Charles Thayer, nieces, Joyce, Marie, Candy, Helen, Heather, Kathy and Joyce; great-nephews and nieces, Janice, Betty, Linda, Katrina, Richard, Stanley Jr., Theresa, David, Rae Ellen, Mathew, Bethany, Leslie and Susan.

Those attending the funeral from a distance were from Newport, Georgeville, London, Ont., Mansonville, Magog, and many from the Three Villages and Fitch Bay.

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Card of Thanks

BELLAM — We would like to sincerely thank all our friends and relatives who were so kind and helpful at the time of our father's death. Special thanks to the staff of 2nd Mile Senior Centre and to those who sent flowers, donations, food, cards of sympathy and to those who called at the funeral home. We thank Rev. Simons, Dr. Lowry, Dr. Taylor, Dr. Jacques and the nurses who attended him at the Sherbrooke Hospital. Your kindness will always be remembered.

THE FAMILY OF THE LATE JIM BELLAM

LOISELLE — Mrs. Theodore Loiseleur wishes to express her sincere appreciation to her relatives and friends for their kind expressions of sympathy during her recent bereavement.

MRS. THEODORE LOISELLE

LOWE — I wish to express sincere thanks to friends and neighbours for their help and thoughtfulness at the time of the death of Mrs. Doris Hollyfield. A special thank you to Bob and Alice Mayhew for all their help, to the staff on the 4th floor of the Sherbrooke Hospital, to Dr. Ferenczi, to Dr. Lowry for his continued care, to Everett and Gordon Boynton for their kindness, to the bearers, to Rev. Westman and to those who visited, sent flowers, cards and donations. Your kindness is appreciated.

(Mrs. Clifford Lowe)

TALBOT — My sincere thanks to Dr. Ferenczi, to all the nurses and girls who did so much for me while I was in the hospital, to all those who sent me cards, letters and made phone calls, to all my friends and new friends who called on me, for all flowers and plants from my friends, nieces and nephews and to my good neighbour, Mrs. Beauregard and others. God bless every one.

ALMA TALBOT

THAYER — We would like to thank Dr. Ross and Dr. Dougan and the nurses of the Intensive Care Unit of Sherbrooke Hospital, for the care of Ira Thayer. Thanks also to the relatives, friends and neighbours who visited him while he was hospitalized and to those who sent cards, flowers, food and donations. Thanks to the Rodrique family for the money collected from his friends in Fitch Bay which will be donated to the Sherbrooke Hospital and for the donation to the Canadian Cancer Society in Ira's name. Your kindness and thoughtfulness will always be remembered.

CLARENCE THAYER ARNOLD and JOYCE THAYER and FAMILY STANLEY and MARIE THAYER and FAMILY DONALD and CANDY THAYER and FAMILY ROLAND THAYER DAVID and HEATHER MYERS and FAMILY DENNIS and HELEN ROBILARD and FAMILY CHARLES and JOYCE THAYER BERNARD and KATHY HARTY

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FARMERS WIN FEW POINTS

WASHINGTON (AP) — Protesting U.S. farmers are claiming a few small victories — fresh water and propane for their campers, a promise of new government hearings and an apology from the agriculture secretary for suggesting some of them were motivated by simple greed. "I think things are beginning to work out," said Gerald McCathern of Hereford, Tex., a leader of the American Agriculture movement. "They're beginning to understand that we're not a bunch of hoodlums."

City officials allowed farmers to bring in water and propane to cook their meals and heat their campers encircled on the Mall. But, concerned about liability in the event of accidents, they turned down the farmers' offer to use their tractors to clear the streets of a 14-centimetre snowfall.

Federations added to debt—Rousseau

MONTREAL (CP) — Constant battles between the Olympic organizing committee and international sports federations helped the cost of the 1976 Montreal Games skyrocket to \$1.27 billion, says the diplomat who headed the committee.

Roger Rousseau, now ambassador to Venezuela, told a provincial inquiry into Olympic costs Wednesday that each of the 21 federations had demanded as many seats as possible at their respective events.

"The International Olympic Committee has a rule by which television revenue for the Games is divided among the federations on the basis of the number of seats at their events," he said. "Each federation tries to get as big

a piece of the cake as possible."

But he added that disputes between the organizing committee and the federations were not unusual and the International Olympic Committee acted as referee.

He also said that the committee, which had five members with no Olympic experience, were babes in the woods when they began their work three years before the Games started. "We were beginners," he

said. "We were in the forest and every day we kept finding new costs."

In July, 1973, the committee produced a budget of \$60 million for the personnel and services to run the Games—half the final cost.

News Briefs

Medicare card law eased

QUEBEC (CP) — Quebec law requiring the presentation of medical-care cards in all provincial hospitals won't apply for children, the elderly or emergency cases, Social Affairs Minister Denis Lazure said Wednesday. "The regulations will provide for exceptions and we intend to be flexible when applying this law," the minister said after introducing the legislation in the national assembly.

Air controller hearings bore

MONTREAL (CP) — As the federal inquiry into bilingual air communications in Quebec dragged through a third day of technical testimony Wednesday, even one of the three inquiry commissioners couldn't stifle a yawn. The issue of French in the air is serious to the 25 participants at the hearings, but the subject matter can be tedious.

Gens want expulsion probe

QUEBEC (CP) — The Association des Gens de l'Air has called on federal Justice Minister Marc Lalonde to establish a public and impartial inquiry into the expulsion of six Quebec students from an air traffic controllers school.

The association, which lobbies for greater use of French in Quebec's aviation industry, said Wednesday that the six were among a group of 16 French-speaking Quebecers enrolled in the federal government air traffic control school in Cornwall, Ont.

Archambault strike continues

MONTREAL (CP) — A prisoners' strike at nearby maximum-security Archambault Institution has apparently encountered no opposition from the administration and led to no violence.

The administration refused to give details of the situation Wednesday, but a spokesman said he was not aware of any new developments.

Levesque denies financing errors

QUEBEC (CP) — Premier Rene Levesque has denied the Parti Quebecois is violating Quebec's law forbidding political parties to accept donations from corporations and other organizations.

Liberal House leader Jean Noel Lavoie asked Levesque during question period in the national assembly Wednesday whether charges would be laid against the PQ for breaking the financing law.

Lazure replies in welfare war

QUEBEC (CP) — Social Affairs Minister Denis Lazure fired a verbal shot in the direction of Ottawa Wednesday, heating up debate over whether the federal or the Quebec government is to blame for recently-imposed limits on social welfare benefits in the province.

Speaking during debate in the national assembly, Lazure said Quebec had no choice but to cut back on its planned increases in welfare payments, because Ottawa had already cut some of its own programs.

Less French in secondary

OTTAWA (CP) — There are more elementary but less secondary school students studying French as a second language, says a Statistics Canada study released Wednesday.

The study on the teaching of French as a second language outside Quebec since the beginning of the decade shows more than 1.5 million students in English schools study French as a second language.

Drug smuggling still lucrative

WASHINGTON (AP) — The United States has reduced drug smuggling but much more remains to be done, says the head of a House of Representatives narcotics control committee.

The White House official told the committee Wednesday that the U.S. Coast Guard seized two million pounds of marijuana, with a street value of more than \$6 billion, during the last half of 1978—nearly three times more than in the same period of 1977.

Ottawa in brief

Wednesday, Feb. 7

Prime Minister Trudeau said he is happy businesses are making increased profits but added that the money should be used for the benefit of consumers and workers as well as shareholders.

Postmaster-General Gilles Lamontagne said he is unhappy with a federal tribunal's ruling that the post office must rehire two letter carriers suspended after being charged with trafficking in marijuana.

Sport Minister Iona Campagnolo said the government will help four cities expand arenas to National Hockey League size only if the arenas are available for amateur sport as well as professional.

Trudeau joined other world leaders in calling for clemency for former premier Ali Bhotto of Pakistan who has been sentenced to death.

Conservative Leader Joe Clark challenged Trudeau to call an election as the Gallup Poll showed that support for the Liberals and Conservatives was almost even last month.



DANVILLE

An English Mass will be celebrated in the Carmelite Chapel, Danville, on Sunday, February 11th, at 10:15 a.m. Everyone Welcome.

DANVILLE

The Catholic Women's League will hold their monthly meeting on Monday, February 12th, at 8:00 p.m., at the home of Mrs. Gerry Element.

LENNOXVILLE

Sherbrooke County Women's Institutes Quarterly meeting will be held February 14, 1979, in the club room Lennoxville town hall, at 10:30 a.m.

RICHMOND

St. Anne's Church Ladies, Richmond will hold their annual Valentine Salad Bar Tea, St. Anne's Parish Hall, Sat., Feb. 10, 3:00 p.m. Salads, home made rolls, cakes and squares. Usual sales tables. All welcome.

WATERVILLE

500 Card Party in St. John's Church Hall, Waterville, Tues., Feb. 13, 8:00 p.m. Everyone welcome.

LENNOXVILLE

Monday, February 12, regular meeting of the Lennoxville Ascot Historical and Museum Society, in the Gertrude Scott Hall, Lennoxville United Church at 7:30 p.m. "Economic History of the Eastern Townships." Speaker will be Prof. R.F.J. Barnett. New members and guests welcome.

KNOWLTON

The Valentine Luncheon Card Party scheduled at Knowlton United Church on Feb. 13 has been postponed.

KNOWLTON

Knowlton Golden Age Club is sponsoring a Winter Carnival Card Party, Legion Hall, Thurs., Feb. 15, 2:00 p.m. Prizes, door prizes, refreshments. Benefit St. Edouard and Knowlton Academy School Committees and Knowlton Lions Club.

BROME

500 Card Party, Friday, Feb. 9, 8:00 p.m., Brome Hall. Prizes and refreshments. Sponsored by Church Warden.

LENNOXVILLE

Oysters, baked beans and ham supper, Fri., Feb. 9, 5:30 p.m., at the Army, Navy and Air Force, The Hut, 300 St. Francis St.

LENNOXVILLE

Annual meeting of the Army, Navy and Air Force, The Hut, Wednesday, Feb. 14 at 8:00 p.m. Active only.

EAST ANGUS

Valentine Card Party and Salad Tea on Monday, February 12th at 2:30 p.m. Cultural Center. Food sale table, prizes, auspices A.C.W. Adm. charged.

BISHOPTON

Maxwell Lodge is sponsoring a Valentine Tea, Feb. 13, 2:00 - 4:00 p.m. Everyone welcome.

LENNOXVILLE

The Covenant Players of California will perform during the 10:00 a.m. service at St. George's Church, Sunday morning, Feb. 11. All are welcome.

News of church or charity events will be carried as a free service (ONE TIME ONLY) on Tuesday and Thursday each week. Mail information to: "The Crier," c/o Sherbrooke Record, Box 1200, Sherbrooke. All notices must be signed, carry phone number of the sender and received at the Record 2 days previous to publication. No brand or manufacturer names or dances accepted. No admission prices will be printed but "Adm. Charged" may be used.

sports

Listless Beavers out-manned by Cornwall 5-1

SERGE BOISVERT
...nets lone Beaver tally

By GUS HAIG
CORNWALL — Perhaps the elderly Cornwall fan summed up the plight of the Beavers as they were soundly drubbed 5-1 by the Cornwall Royals last night: "There are many men," he stated, "but there's only one Mann."

Indeed, the absence of Jimmy Mann had a lot to do with the outcome of the contest as the Royals soundly whipped the Sher-

brooke club in every facet of the game. It wasn't so much that the Beavers were scared of their opponents (the Royals are the most penalized team in the league), but more a case of their being hesitant to mix it up without the rugged Mann waiting in the wings.

Coach Ghislain Delage was surprisingly mild-mannered after the debacle, which saw his club spoil a glorious opportunity to pull ahead of the Verdun Eperviers, who were in the

process of getting bombed by Shawinigan.

"Give Cornwall some credit," Delage said. "They played extremely well, especially their defence. It's the best I've seen them play all year. We tried like hell and what more can you ask for?"

The game was, in a word, DULL. In the early going, the Royals Dave Allison levied a cheap shot against the Beavers' Pierre Tremblay. This is significant only by the fact that

there was no retaliation by Pete's teammates, hence Cornwall had things their way for the rest of the evening. The line of Guy Perreault, Robbie MacKenzie, and Norman Beck stirred the listless crowd of 1,878, Beck missing on two excellent scoring opportunities. At 6:58, the Royal's exciting Bobby Crawford beat Corrado Micalef. A scant 49 seconds later, Brian Fontaine redirected a Crawford shot to make it 2-0. After that, the Beavers went into a co-

ma, managing one threat. Alan Haworth sailed in all alone, only to lose control of the puck as he made his move. To point out the ineffectiveness displayed by Sherbrooke they managed ONE shot on net in the last ten minutes of the period. The second produced little action too. Fontaine notched his second of the game before the Beavers finally beat Cornwall goalie Ron Scott, Boisvert converting a Rejean Cloutier shot with a mere two ticks of the clock

remaining.

The Royals jumped on mistakes by the Beavers' thinned defensive corps. Rod Willard and Mark Thomas put things out of reach, not that the Beavers were reaching too strenuously. Fortunately, for Sherbrooke the two clubs square off tomorrow night here at the Palais. Game time is 8 p.m. One man's bet is that Jimmy Mann will be in uniform for the locals. Should be interesting. BEAVERS BANTER: The

stars chosen for last night's game were Crawford and Haworth. Yvan Charbonneau replaced Micalef in the final stages of the third period. Mario Chartrand sported the 'C' on his sweater last night; regular captain Kenny Johnston resumes skating today. Robbie MacKenzie stopped a shot with his foot last night and the foot was swollen to twice its normal size afterwards. Hull visits the Palais Sunday afternoon, game time 2 p.m.

Terry Scott
ON SPORTS

I won't promise to eat this column smothered in Russian salad dressing if I'm wrong but mark me down as one who concedes the first game of hockey summit '79 to Team Soviet.

Apart from the fact I'm convinced the Soviets will unveil a few new wrinkles to temporarily confound Team NHL, the prediction is actually based on pure logic — we have a history of losing the first one.

All of you will remember the 7-3 opening shocker at the hands of the Soviets in 1972 but some of you may have forgotten that Team Canada lost its first Canada Cup confrontation 1-0 to the Czechs in 1976 before rebounding to win.

And if Team NHL plays true to form and loses tonight's opener, I'll wager that you can also expect a collective gnashing of teeth and wringing of hands across the nation. Then, we'll reach into the closet and drag all the clichéd excuses out of mothballs.

Except this time they've taken away every available crutch and our so-called hockey giants are going to have to make it on their own merits or lack thereof.

Oh, we have injuries that will prevent some of our finer talent from displaying their wares, but so do the Soviets. If the NFL is so thin on reserves that it can't discover suitable replacements, it has no right to claim it is a world hockey power.

We can carp, too, that three days offer little time to obtain the cohesiveness needed for such an important series. But let's remember the players have been strategically chosen so as to keep regular units intact as much as possible.

No longer can we mutter that the series was staged at the wrong time of the year because with more than half the NHL season gone, our guys should be at the peak of their physical stamina. And unlike the Soviets, we haven't had to travel thousands of miles to get to New York, nor spend months adjusting to the time zone.

Even the refereeing — long a sore spot in our international competition — figures to be favorable since we'll be playing under NHL rules and two of the games — including the final one — will be presided over by NHL officiating teams.

So, if we're mauled by the Russian bear in Game One, let's resist the urge to shower the air with bitterness, like some of the nauseating post mortems from previous encounters.

I don't want to hear comments like the one uttered by Bruins' coach Don Cherry after the Soviet Wings downed his club 5-2 a few months ago: "Put up \$5,000 and we'll play them again. Then we'll see what happens."

In spite of the crass greed which has invaded the sports world, I'm still naive enough to believe that the group assembled to tangle with the Soviets are motivated more by the pride in upholding their profession than the lure of big bucks.

And I certainly don't want to listen to sour grapes like those expounded by Walt McKechnie, who, after roughing up a few Soviets at last year's world hockey championships, announced that he did it because he disliked everything they stood for.

Unless McKechnie, or any other NHLer is a graduate in political theory, he'd be far wiser to keep such irrational statements to himself.

Similarly, one finds it hard to fathom comments such as the one made recently by the Gazette's Al Strachan. To wit: "These people aren't really hockey players. What they do with a game can never be described as play. There is no joking at a Soviet practice. There is no fun in the game and no room for enjoying the lifestyle."

The observation is indicative of a collective failing we have in our view toward hockey combat with the Soviets — we cannot separate political ideology from the game itself.

If you really want to vent your frustrations should the NHLers fail to fulfill your expectations, why not direct them to the owners and NHL moguls, who, in their lust for expansion dollars, have so diluted the game that we stand on the brink of losing our supremacy.

Yes, they're the same people who have deprived Canadian hockey fans from watching this series in their own rinks because they couldn't resist the lure of selling a bill of goods to the Americans. Why, the CBS network has even agreed to telecast one period of the second game on its Sports Spectacular program.

But even if the NHL lords win a few converts from the latest hockey classic, how are they going to keep them glued to their set when the mighty Blues face off against the Canadians?

We've been sold down the road and now they're trying to farm out the only real thing that still whets our appetite as hockey fans. In fact, the Americans are already proudly referring to the NHLers as Team USA.

But I'll make one last prediction. Just as they did after losing the first game of previous series, Team NHL will surmount all obstacles and bring home the Challenge Cup. Because when the chips are on the line our guys have proven that their hearts grow three sizes larger than normal.

McGill nips Gaiters

LENNOXVILLE (GH) — John Swan's goal at 18:36 of the third period proved to be enough as the McGill Redmen held off the Bishop's Gaiters 3-2 in QUAA hockey action last night. Dave Moritsugu, and Barry Ross were the other McGill marksmen, while Larry Ring and Richard Wennberg replied for the Gaiters. Wennberg's goal came as the Gaiters had pulled their goaltender Steve Davies in favor of a sixth attacker. The goal came at 19:54 of the third, but was not enough. Davies was sparkling for the Gaiters facing 43 shots, while Sylvain Charbonneau handled 29 directed his way in the McGill nets. The Gaiters next play Chicoutimi on Saturday at Bishop's. Game time is 1 p.m.

Who's number one?

Challenge Cup starts tonight

NEW YORK (CP) — A mixture of moods prevailed among officials and players awaiting tonight's opener of the first Challenge Cup series between Team NHL and the Soviet Union.

Some Soviet officials claimed the outcome is unimportant. They saw the three-game series as simply another step towards the goal of retaining their hockey titles in the world championships in April and

the 1980 Winter Olympics. President John Ziegler was confident his National Hockey League had struck a vein of gold. He estimated that the series will generate more than \$3 million in income when you add up all the advertising dollars plus the gate receipts.

Strict security precautions were in order for the game at Madison Square Garden to prevent anti-Soviet displays by dissidents.

QMJHL roundup

Robert Mongrain scored four goals to lead Trois-Rivières Draveurs to a 15-4 trouncing of Laval Nationals in one of four Quebec Major Junior Hockey League games Wednesday night.

Quebec Remparts outscored Hull Olympiques 10-7, Cornwall Royals defeated Sherbrooke Beavers 5-1 and Shawinigan Cataractes downed Verdun Black Hawks 10-2.

Ernest Boutin, Pierre Aubry and Michel Leblanc each added two goals for the Draveurs, with singles from Daniel St. Laurent, Pierre Lacroix, Michel Normand, Jean-François Sauve and Benoît Laporte. Gordon Donnelly, Louis Filion, Alain Grenier and Gilles Hamel each scored one goal for the Nationals.

Kevin Lowe led the Quebec attack with three goals, while Guy Riel, Jacques Chouinard, Ghislain Gaudreau, Dave Pichette, Rene Labbe, Jean-François Brisson and Yvon Beauchamp each hit the mark once. Jean Poulin had two goals for the Olympiques, with the others by Jean-Pierre Viens, Luc Locas, Claude Lafontaine, Michel Galarneau and Charles Tuplin.

Marc Audisio led the Cataractes with three goals, while Alain Labelle and Mike Kennedy each scored two, with singles from Eric Morin, Sylvain Cote and Sylvain Boutet. Normand Aubin had both goals for Verdun.

Log-jam prolongs Ladies Curling finals

By BRUCE PORTER

LENNOXVILLE — The 1979 Quebec Ladies Curling Association Senior Championship which was to have finished last night, didn't. Two victories apiece by Beauchateau and Glenmore forced a three-way tie with Victoria for the provincial title which will be decided at 9:30 this morning.

The Victoria team, skipped by Gwen Gibson, held a one-game edge over their closest opponents going into the closing rounds of the round-robin competition Wednesday and took a single triumph over Lachute in morning play.

Glenmore and Beauchateau won their morning matches against Jonquiere and TMR respectively, setting the stage for lots of speculation as the last games ap-

proached. Glenmore beat Lachute by two points to register their fifth win of the event while Beauchateau pulled out a thrilling 8-7 triumph over Victoria with one point in the final end.

For the Beauchateau rink skipped by Madeleine Gamache, the seventh-round win over Victoria gave them five consecutive matches after losing the opening pair of contests.

And while Beauchateau was rolling up an impressive line of victories, North Hatley's foursome skipped by Eddie Hatrick also rebounded from early defeats to get four straight wins to place second behind the tied leaders.

The closing banquet was held as scheduled but the three skips were called upon to draw numbers and get the tie-breaking action un-

derway at 8:30 p.m. Glenmore's Aggie Maier drew the bye into the finals, meaning Victoria and Beauchateau would clash again within the span of six hours.

It looked as though Gamache's rink was still rolling from their earlier win as they picked up three quick points in the first end. Gibson's foursome replied with a three-ender in the following sequence and didn't look back from there.

Victoria led 6-3 before the Beauchateau ladies scored one in the fifth end and continued to build up their advantage with one- or two-point ends until they finished the ninth, ahead 12-4. Gamache gracefully conceded the last end to send Victoria into the final at 9:30 a.m. today against Glenmore in Lennoxville.

ROUND 6
Eddie Hatrick, North Hatley 13
Mary Whitehead, Pointe Claire 8

Gwen Gibson, Victoria 8
Leona Entwistle, Lachute 6

Madeleine Gamache, Beauchateau 11
Fran Gick, Town of Mt. Royal 9

Aggie Maier, Glenmore 9
Yvette St. Pierre, Jonquiere 7

ROUND 7
Eddie Hatrick, North Hatley 15
Fran Gick, Town of Mt. Royal 9

Madeleine Gamache, Beauchateau 8
Gwen Gibson, Victoria 7

Mary Whitehead, Pointe Claire 9
Yvette St. Pierre, Jonquiere 3

Cross-Country clinics held

This past weekend, a team of qualified cross-country ski instructors and racers from Bishop's University went "on the road" to present two cross-country ski clinics to elementary school children in the Eastern Townships. Equipped with numerous pairs of skis, boots, poles, and wax, and sponsored by a grant from the Royal Bank, the four ski instructors brought an afternoon of instruction excitement, and fun for over 100 children in both Richmond and Cookshire.

Head Instructor Mike Laurence, commenting on the Royal Bank - Junior Olympics program, said that, "The clinic was a real success this year. We were able to reach children who, due to bad weather and lack of transportation, were unable to attend a similar clinic held last winter at Bishop's University. Conditions were ideal."

In addition to Laurence, who is a physical educator at Champlain Regional College, other instructors involved were Glenn Nesbitt, outdoor specialist with the Lennoxville District School Board, John Shuter, a Bishop's University student and instructor with CANSKI, and Richard Hovey, a student at Champlain Regional College, Lennoxville. All felt the weekend to be a real success and are avidly looking forward to next year's clinic. Bruce Coulter, Athletic Director, Bishop's University was responsible for clinic organization and administration.

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COWANSVILLE (TS) — Sixteen-year-old Monique Raymond of the Cowansville swim team is coming ever closer to the pot of gold at the end of the rainbow.

Representing Cowansville at the recent Quebec Cup series of swim meets in Montreal, she placed 10th in the 100-metre breast stroke and 13th in the 200-metre.

But if one excludes swimmers invited to the meet from outside the province, her ranking jumps to fifth and seventh respectively.

At the Quebec Cup, for instance, she swam against four of the finalists from the last world championship, including Canadian champ Robin Corsiglia.

Raymond's next target is the Canadian championship held at the end of March in Winnipeg. Before that, however, she'll participate in the provincial championship for "A" swimmers on Feb. 16-18 in Quebec City.

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UCW Meetings

KINNEAR'S MILLS — The U.C.W. held their first meeting of the New Year at the home of Mrs. Murray Nugent with Mrs. Ronald Jamieson presiding. Mrs. M. Nugent led in devotions on the theme, "The Claiming Prayer". The hymn "In Christ There is No East or West" was sung with Mrs. Nugent at the piano.

Several letters of correspondence were read which included thank you notes for Christmas gifts etc. It was discussed ordering hasti-notes for sale. Routine business was transacted.

The next regular meeting will be held again at the home of Mrs. Nugent.

As the ladies met in the morning, at the noon hour all gathered in the diningroom where a sumptuous meal was served.

SAWYERVILLE — The regular meeting, followed by the Annual meeting of the U.C.W. was held on Jan. 17 in the Church Hall and opened with devotions by Mrs. H. Lassenba, who gave a reading, scripture passage and ending in prayer. 14 members answered the roll call.

119 visits had been made to sick and shut-ins. Several thank you notes and cards were read.

Church - two poinsettias purchased for the holiday season; Kitchen - supplies purchased. Cheer - sent eleven cards; Cradle Roll - two babies' names added, Sharlean Walker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Walker and Christopher William, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Yeandel of La Salle.

Mrs. H. Lassenba brought in the slate of officers. President, Mrs. Alton Fowler, 1st Vice-Pres., Mrs. James Thompson; 2nd Vice-Pres., Mrs. H. Lassenba; Treasurer, Mrs. Donald Laroche, Recording Secretary, Mrs. Douglas Mackay; Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. Alpha Lowry. Devotions - Mrs. H. Lassenba, Stewardship - Mrs. M. Scholes, Church - Mrs. Alice Wilson and press, Mrs. Wilson.

Cheer - Mrs. Francis Williams, Kitchen - Mrs. A. Fowler, Friendship and Visiting - Mrs. D. Laroche, Work - Mrs. C. Phillips and Christian Education - Mrs. Phillips, Cradle Roll and Membership - Mrs. Lloyd Morrison, Manse - Mrs. Gordon Smith, Nominating - Mrs. L. Morrison and Mrs. F. Williams, hostess list Mrs. G. Smith, Rep. to Presbytery, Mrs. C. Phillips, Rep. to Stewards, Mrs. D. Laroche, Rep. to Trustees Mrs. D. Mackay.

Mrs. H. Lassenba took the chair for the annual meeting and thanked the retiring President for her work during the past year. Mrs. E. McCallum thanked all for their support and help during the year and wished the U.C.W. a good year ahead.

The reports were then given for the past year. Program - in Feb. packed 41 boxes for the elderly, April, report on Presbyterial meeting held in Stanstead by Mrs. Phillips, May - cleaned the church, June - Barbara Matthews spoke and showed slides on the North Shore, Aug. - held a picnic and a contest was held. Sept. - turkey supper, Oct. - held a social evening for family and friends, Dec. - Annual Christmas party for seniors.

The Treasurer's report showed several donations given and for the work of the congregation with a satisfactory balance on hand.

The secretary's report - The U.C.W. held ten meetings with an average attendance of 14. We have 16 members and ten honorary members. 712 visits were made to sick and shut-ins. 203 cards were sent, one baby added to Cradle Roll, three members were lost through death. The Second Mile Senior Centre was given the Observer. A devotion period was held each meeting.

We joined with other ladies for the World Day of Prayer service. New hymn books were purchased and bear In Memoriam inscription labels. In May, several ladies were guests of the Birchton U.C.W. A delegation attended the Presbytery meeting in Stanstead. In June Mrs. B. Matthews spoke and showed slides on the North Shore with Island Brook and Cookshire U.C.W. as guests.

The President and several others attended the Fall Rally held in East Angus. The morning service on Oct. 22 was conducted by the U.C.W. A wreath was placed at the cenotaph on Nov. 11th. The Church Boards and Sunday School were given support. The mitten tree yielded 188 knitted articles.

Church - Plants or flowers in church every Sunday. Several were bought for the church at different times from the flower fund. 20 plants were given at Easter and three at Valentine.

Work comm. report showed \$273.50 of work sold at the fall supper and over \$150.00 during the year.

The new officers and executive were installed by Mrs. Lassenba with a service of dedication for the United Church Women.

The meeting was turned over to the new President, Mrs. Fowler, who was welcomed to the chair.

Some hymn books need repairs and Mrs. Robert Griffin and Mrs. Phillips was asked to look after this. The Valentine boxes will be filled at the home of Mrs. Griffin. The hostess list is to be left the same as last year. A donation was voted to help a church member who had lost everything by fire. Mrs. Alpha Lowry and Mrs. Francis Williams were ap-

Friday, Feb. 9

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Conditions that have a direct effect on your career or work could suddenly shift from time to time this coming year. Be on your toes and ready to take full advantage of them.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) Hastily agreeing to do something for another is no excuse for performing irresponsibly. It's better for you to let the person know you can't follow through. Find out more of what lies ahead for you in 1979 by sending for your copy of the all-new Astro-Graph Letter. Mail \$1 for each and a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope to Astro-Graph, P.O. Box 489, Radio City Station, N.Y. 10019. Be sure to specify birth sign.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) Your hunches will have a strong influence on your outlook today. Unfortunately, they aren't reliable. You'd better think twice before doing anything.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) If your views aren't readily accepted today, don't push them on your associates. You might open a hornet's nest you aren't prepared to cope with.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) You're going to need allies in order to achieve the goals you've set for yourself today. Be careful how you seek their backing.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Though some of your ideas are clever today, you may not have the necessary know-how to implement them. Coworkers won't be too happy if you mess things up.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Mind your own business today. People won't welcome anyone butting into their affairs and will let you know in no uncertain terms.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) You have a stubborn streak today. It could get you into trouble when you refuse to go along with the experience of others and leap into the unknown.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) It's not like you to lack a game plan before tackling a task. You'll suffer the consequences of poor work today because, chances are, you won't be organized.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Trying to keep up with free-spending friends may put a hole in your budget bigger than you bargained for. Do your thing, not theirs.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) Your mind has a tendency to jump ahead of itself today. This could place you in embarrassing situations. Swallow your pride. Figure ways to back out gracefully.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Someone who puts his confidence in you will be disappointed if you broadcast his secrets. Keep a tight lip, or else have excuses ready.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) You might have extreme difficulty relating your ideas to a practical, workable plan today.

pointed to work with others for the World Day of Prayer Service.

The Observer will be given the Senior Centre again as a gift. A motion was passed to renew the carpeting in the church. Donations were made to the Board of Stewards and the Trustees. The meeting closed and all enjoyed a delicious supper.

RICHMOND — The general meeting of the Richmond and Melbourne U.C.W. of Chalmers Church was held on Wednesday, January 10 with 15 members present.

Bernice Beattie opened the meeting, then called on Isobel Dykeman to conduct the devotional period. The hymn "A charge to keep Have I" was sung, then Isobel continued with the service for the installation of Officers for 1979 and closed with a prayer.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. Several notes of thanks were read for Christmas visits and remembrances and also some phone calls of thanks reported. Isobel Dykeman reported she had received a call from the Sunday School teachers thanking the group for supplying candy for their Christmas party. The treasurer's report was read and approved.

Unit reports showed all Units had helped with gifts, refreshments and assistance

at the Wales Home birthday party.

New London Unit packed 14 boxes for Wales Home residents at Christmas time. The Evening Unit had a pot luck supper for members and guests and an auction sale at their December meeting.

All units and committees handed in their annual reports at this meeting. Mrs. W. Moreland reported for January that 38 Wales Home and 32 local calls had been made.

It was suggested that a note of thanks be sent to Mr. Elmer Crack, who has supplied the Christmas tree for the Church for several years.

The U.C.W. Presbyterial annual meeting will be held in Chalmers Church this year and we had a request to change the date from April 11 to April 13. It was moved by Isobel Dykeman and seconded by Aline Healy that we have the annual meeting on April 3rd and the Thank Offering Service on April 4th, as planned. This is to be an evening meeting with a program.

Bernice Beattie announced that Miss Ruth Lanigan is making up the duty lists for 1979 and they will be available shortly.

Renewal lists for Observer were given out and should be returned to Eileen Perkins early in March.

An executive meeting was

held on January 3rd, when dates were chosen and verified for a Harvest Supper on September 19 and a Christmas Bazaar and Tea, November 24. It was also decided that each unit should take the devotions and make tea at two meetings a year. Members to supply cookies as usual.

The meeting was adjourned and the Mizpah Benediction repeated, after which tea was served and a social time enjoyed.

WATERVILLE — The members of the Waterville U.C.W. held an afternoon meeting in the Church Hall with 16 members attending.

The meeting was opened by the Pres. Mrs. Ed Ball leading in the reading of the Purpose.

Due to the absence of Mrs. K. Spafford, the Devotions were prepared by Mrs. Ed Ball who chose Beauty as the theme of the service. She was assisted by Mrs. J. Grey who read the scripture taken from the Book of Job, ch. 38, verses 19-34.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The treasurer Miss Edith Swanson gave her report. The sum of \$100.00 was given to the Cecil Butters' Fund.

Committee leaders and officers read their annual reports.

Mrs. Clifford Burton conducted the service for the

installation of officers for the year 1979 which is as follows: Past President - Miss Margaret Swanson; President - Mrs. Ed Ball; 1st Vice Pres. - Mrs. John Grey; 2nd Vice Pres. - Mrs. Max Surjadinata; Secretary - Mrs. Clifford Burton; Treasurer - Miss Edith Swanson.

Devotions - Mrs. Kenneth Spafford, Social Convenor - Mrs. Charles Smith; Flowers - Mrs. Kenneth Gemmell; Community Friendship - Mrs. Ralph Kinghorn; Supply & Welfare - Mrs. Glenn Scott; Nominations - Mrs. Alton Cunningham; Programming - Mrs. Max Surjadinata.

Programming for the coming year was discussed. Mrs. Surjadinata had numerous books from which programs may be taken. Each member is to prepare a program.

The dates were set for the year's fund-raising events which are: Food sale, Friday, March 16; Spring Luncheon and Bazaar, Thursday, May 10; Turkey Supper, Saturday, September 8; Rummage Sale, Thursday, September 21, and Friday, September 22 and the Christmas Tea and Bazaar, Wednesday, November 7.

The President closed the meeting with a prayer, and a social hour followed, when refreshments were served by the hostess, Mrs. Clifford

Burton, with Mrs. Carl Gustafson presiding at the tea table.

MANSONVILLE (MB) — The first meeting for the Mansonville U.C.W. in 1979 was held on Jan. 18, in the United Church Hall, with 11 members present.

Mrs. Mary Jewett, acting as chairperson, opened the meeting by welcoming everyone, and asking Mrs. Mary Bailey to lead in worship.

She chose a theme from the observer entitled Nothing for Nothing but you kept your faith, and asked Mrs. Nichols to read from the Bible, John 21: 1 to 8.

The Roll Call was answered by Our happiest remembrances of 1978. Mrs. Jewett then called for a report of the Nominating Committee which was given by Mrs. Marguerite Ommerli as follows:

President, Mrs. Mary Bailey; 1st Vice-Pres., Mrs. Gilda Clark; 2nd Vice-Pres., Mrs. Bertha Nichols; Secretary, Mrs. Maud Clark; Treasurer, Mrs. Ruth (Fullerton) Bailey. The slate of officers was accepted as read.

The new President, Mrs. Bailey, assumed the chair. She deferred the naming of committees to next meeting. Correspondence and new business followed, as well as a special thanks to the new officers for accepting their

office. Seven subscriptions for The Happenings were paid for this year.

A program of interesting table games followed, led by Mrs. Bertha Nichols.

A delicious lunch served by hostess Mrs. Mary Jewett, included a special birthday cake for Mrs. Kathleen Barnett and Mr. Herman Ommerli, whose birthdays were in January.

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Best wishes for improved health are extended Miss Thelma Mills of Melbourne, by her many friends here. All regret that Miss Mills was hospitalized in the Sherbrooke Hospital for some time and is now a resident at the Wales Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Egilbert Raiche of Drummondville were recent visitors at the home of their sons, Mr. and Mrs. Gilles Raiche and Mr. and Mrs. Rene Raiche.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerard Marcotte of Ulverton were visiting their daughter, Mrs. Rene Raiche and Mr. Raiche.

Sympathy is extended the relatives of the late Miss Myrtle Dyson of Richmond whose death occurred recently in the Wales Home.

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