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"Little Cyclone" Causes Heavy Damage in Chateauguay Valley; Crops Badly Battered

Strong Wind, Accompanied by Heavy Downpour Causes Thousands of Dollars of Damage in Howick, Aubrey and Surrounding Areas—Two Inches Hail Fall Near Beauharnois—Buildings Moved by Wind

A "little cyclone" struck hard at the farmers living in the east end of the Chateauguay Valley shortly after noon on Monday, causing thousands of dollars of damage to the crops, buildings, telephone and electric wires.

The most seriously affected were the crops which were termed literally as "slashed and threshed," by the high prevailing wind. Buildings were torn down and in one instance, it was reported, one building was moved from a farm, across a road over a fence and onto another farm.

Although the damages are reported as very heavy, many farmers reported on Tuesday afternoon that the crops were beginning to raise again of their own accord.

Monday morning's sultry and heavy atmosphere persisted until noon when heavy clouds appeared in the horizon. A strong wind which was followed by one of the heaviest rain storms in years began to rage in the eastern section of the Chateauguay Valley with Howick and its neighbouring areas the most seriously affected.

Huntingdon had some rain while Valleyfield reported only a slight variation in the temperature and it seems that the cyclone accomplished its destructive work only in Howick and vicinity. In Beauharnois, the Gleaner was told, upwards of two inches of hail laid low the crops and caused great damage to buildings, the telephone and electric lines.

The storm had its nucleus at Howick and vicinity, it appears. Some 30 telephone and electric poles were broken down and caused an interruption in the electric service from two to ten hours. Crews of men were sent to the affected regions in order to restore the service, at least temporarily.

Crops were completely blown down in Howick, Aubrey and Rang St. Laurent and Rang du Quarante, near Beauharnois. Four silos were reported as being torn down and building damages cannot be estimated.

According to a Howick resident the storm began to rage at about 1.30 p.m. and lasted only thirty minutes. Roofs were blown off two barns in the most seriously affected centre and it is said that a henhouse was blown from the river bank into the river with its contents. Trees fell over the telephone and electric wires. In Howick village a huge elm tree narrowly missed falling on a house, grazing it to a certain extent before it finally fell across the road. A carriage shed was also torn to matchwood.

A farmer near Aubrey reported that his tomato and tobacco crops which are practically his sole source of revenue were a total loss. He estimated the damage at about $1,000.

Some trees were also said to have fallen along highway No. 4, the Montreal-Malone route, near Ste. Martine and traffic had to be halted for more than one hour.

The power service was interrupted for some 40 minutes in Huntingdon on Monday afternoon due to damages to the power lines near St. Timothee. Trees and branches fell over the wires.

CITY MANAGER AT VALLEYFIELD IS FETED BY FRIENDS

In honor of his recent appointment as manager of the City of Valleyfield, Mr. Raphael Belanger, C.E., was tendered a banquet at the Salaberry Club. Some 200 business men and guests attended the gathering at which the principal speakers were: Mayor J. A. Larin, L. McGillis, Lt-Col. W. G. E. Aird, John Lowe, Dr. A. Deguire, Father L. Belanger, and the guest of honor.

Former Saloon Used as Church At Trout River

Altar Erected in U.S. and Canadian Parishioners Sit In Pews Over Canadian Soil—Lifetime Members

Canadians, members of the international parish of St. Bridget's Church at Trout River Lines heard mass on Sunday in an abandoned, border-straddling building, it was learnt on Monday from Rev. Joseph P. Heslin, pastor.

Father Heslin said he had arranged the service because of the new border regulations requiring passports for Canadian visitors to the United States which affect a large portion of his congregation.

The setting for the international service was a building which was once used as a saloon and poolroom. An altar was erected in that part which lies in the United States while Canadian parishioners sat in pews over Canadian soil.

The pastor also stated that he had directed an appeal to officials at Washington "to acquaint them with the unfortunate circumstances and consequences incurred by the new July 1st law."

By this law, it is impossible for Canadians to attend, without passports, church services, religious instruction and receive the Sacraments. The same law is binding in regard to visiting the cemetery next to the church.

Most of the Canadian families who are members of St. Bridget's Church have attended this church through a lifetime, he explained.

"Strange as it may seem," he said "while the Canadians are barred from their churches and sacraments and hearing the word of God, there is a sad paradox which might be a comedy under other circumstances, namely: that these same people, after being denied permission to have their spiritual hunger and thirst satisfied for not having passports, can, without passports have their physical hunger and thirst sated at the grill which straddles the border."

ARNOLD AND WATTERSON DUNDEE SCHOOL COMMRS.

Dundee Consolidated School Board election recently took place, when Wm. J. Arnold and Ernest Watterson were re-elected. The term of office is for three years. At a subsequent meeting of the Commissioners, Ernest Watterson was named chairman. The commission is presently made up of E. Watterson, chairman, Commissioners W. D. Fraser, Wm. Ferguson, Stewart McNicol and Wm. J. Arnold. Mr. Arthur Fraser is the secretary-treasurer.

Campaign For "Giving the Boys A Lift"

Appreciation Should Be Shown by Offering Soldiers A Ride

A member of the Canadian Active Service Force from the Huntingdon district, who was visiting here one day last week, was stating he would find it necessary to hitchhike his way back in order to get to Montreal in time to go on duty. The transportations didn't just work as they might and he had but a short stay. He was wondering if he would find any difficulty in getting a ride back. A young man in the uniform of the C.A.S.F. shouldn't have any difficulty in picking up a ride. Of course, there are always exceptions where boisterous youths are obnoxious, but in the vast majority of cases the presence of a young soldier should be entertaining company and motorists should see to it that at every opportunity they be given a ride. After all, these young men are performing a very necessary duty for the man driving the car and the latter should be grateful enough to give the soldier a ride when it is needed. In the same way we see no reason why the railways shouldn't give free transportation to members of the C.A.S.F. This may go through and we hope it does, although there is less likelihood of it going through as far as the New York Central system is concerned, it being an American concern. The Ontario-Quebec division of the Commercial Travellers' Association sponsoring a very commendable movement with their "Give the Boys a Lift" campaign. The plan originated in Windsor, Ont., where a number of travellers met and agreed to meet soldiers at designated spots when they were coming home on week-end leave. Then the following Monday when the travellers started out on their weekly rounds they picked up the soldiers again at designated spots and carried them to their destinations, or at least as far towards those points as was possible. That's showing appreciation for those who are giving directly in Canada's war effort and railways and civilians might well do likewise.

Alan Mann Leads Grade X At H'don High

Standing Based on Work Of Term and June Examinations—Lorne Van Vliet and Connie Salter Rank High

A list of the results of Grade X at Huntingdon Consolidated High School follows. The standing is based on the work of the term as well as on the June examinations.

Prize winners (Academic Course) 1, Alan Mann; 2, Lorne VanVliet; 3, Connie Salter. Class 1—(80% or over): Alan Mann; Lorne VanVliet. Class 2 (65%-79%) Billy Bowden; Gordon Cameron; Jean Grant; Jean Graham; Helen Harrigan; Douglas Lyons; Gladys McHardy; Beryl Moore; Connie Salter. Class 3, (less than 65%) Margaret Brown; Vincent Caza; John Gaw; Elizabeth Moody; Donald Robertson; Jessie Tannahill; David White; Marjorie Woodward.

General Course: Glen Allen; Jean-Paul Caza; George Kelly; Gerald Long; Douglas McArthur; Russel Paul; Billy Tannahill.

In the course of a few days, lists of marks will be sent to the various students by mail.

GIRL SUFFERS SERIOUS INJURIES IN ACCIDENT NEAR PORT LEWIS

Miss Gloria Lamarche, of Valleyfield suffered severe head injuries as well as external injuries about the body and face, following a car accident which occurred near Port Lewis on Tuesday afternoon. The injured was rushed to the Valleyfield Hospital where her condition is reported as serious.

Miss Lamarche, who accompanied Jacques Lapointe, also of Valleyfield the driver of the car, were on their way to Huntingdon when the mishap occurred. Apparently one of the tires on Lapointe's car blew out and caused the driver to lose control. The vehicle took a sharp turn and jammed between two trees. The door on the right side suddenly opened and Miss Lamarche fell out before the car came to a stop. She was picked up in a serious condition. Dr. C. St-Onge rendered first aid and rushed her to Valleyfield. Lapointe was uninjured.

Valleyfield's New Bridge Opened ...



Upper: The attractive new cement bridge that crosses the old Beauharnois Canal in Valleyfield makes a marked improvement to the entrance of beautiful Park Sauvé.

Centre: Mgr. J. D. Nepveu, of Valleyfield Cathedral performing the "Blessing Ceremony," at his left is Mr. Maxime Raymond, K.C., M.P.

Lower: Mayor J. A. Larin, of Valleyfiled, Mr. Maxime Raymond, K.C., M.P., Mrs. Raymond, who is about to cut the ribbons to mark the official opening of the bridge; Mrs. Larin, Mrs. Bélanger, little Miss Marie Bélanger, who presented Mrs. Raymond with a bouquet of roses and Mr. Raphael Belanger, City manager and Mr. Charles Codebecq, City clerk.

Thousands at Barn Dances Thro' Countryside in Season

"If a body meet a body, comin' thro' the rye." To the lilting strains of a square dance music orchestra this number is frequently heard in barns throughout the countryside. While a romantic moon shines down from a cloudless sky and the rays from it glitter on dozens of cars parked in the barnyard, hundreds of couples are "doing their stuff" to the tunes of a square dance orchestra. Now is heard pouring out of the barn as laughing young people dance gaily, the tune of "The Little Brown Jug." In time such well-known old tunes follow as "Turkey in the Straw," "Devil's Dream," "My Darling Nellie Gray."

And don't think these barn dances are not popular. The attendance figures show that they definitely are about the most popular outdoor sport for young people in the countryside—only the "outdoor sport" is in the barn. On July 1 it is reliably estimated that there were 1,100 people who attended the barn dance of Helm Bros. Here dancing opens about the middle of June and continues to about the middle of August. There is one dance a week as a rule, although there are some extra ones thrown in during the season. About 12 dances are held during the course of the season, with an average attendance of 500. This figured out shows a season's attendance of from 6,000 to 7,000 people attend the dances from the middle of June to the middle of August. At other points there are barn dances held also, although not on so large a scale. At Dundee Lines, Allan Morris' place draws many. Then there are dances held at Campbell Paul's and George Small's places.

XAVIER FOURNIER DROWNS NEAR VALLEYFIELD

Xavier Fournier, 38, father of three children, was drowned near Valleyfield on Saturday night when he fell from a dam frame under construction by Beauharnois Power Corporation. The body has not yet been recovered.

Mel Smith Gains Outboard Victory as 10,000 Watch 2-day Regatta at Valleyfield

There are not many sports outside of a bout of dominoes or a snappy round of Chinese checkers a fellow can indulge in when he has a broken leg, and driving tiny outboard motorboats at something like 40 miles an hour certainly wouldn't seem to be on the approved list. This particular pastime is the aquatic parallel of bronco-busting for thrills and time spent in mid-air.

But Mel Smith of Rougemont is of another mind about the business of fractured limbs. Two weeks ago at St. Rose he slipped off the dock and sustained a break just above his ankle. Last week-end he lugged the plaster cast aboard his little craft, and sent the mechanized toothpicks over the surface of St. Francis Bay at a mad clip to defend successfully the City of Valleyfield Challenge Trophy, given for the outboard driver with the highest number of points in the annual two-day Valleyfield powerboat regatta on Saturday and Sunday.

Smith captured the Class C and F events outright, and gained valuable places in the other events. He had to be helped out of his boat after every race, but consistently came back for each starting gun, giving an amazing display of skill and courage.

Although the inclement weather held the attendance down on Saturday, it was estimated that about 10,000 spectators saw the racing on Sunday, lining the banks on both sides up and down the long stretch. It was one of the most successful events in the history of the Valleyfield Boating Club, sponsor of the meet, which was sanctioned by the American Powerboat Association.

Dave Forman of Buffalo, N.Y., one of the top-ranking powerboat drivers from across the line, gave the crowd thrills aplenty in the professional events. Forman, driving Eaglet III, a new acquisition this year, shot his sleek craft over the water at 64 m.p.h. in one of the heats in the 225 hydro event. He swept all the heats in this class by a handy margin, cutting the powerful motor loose on the home stretch.

Forman thus retains the provincial challenge trophy, won last year with his boat Aguila.

J. Brunelle of St. Eustache was second in this race, followed by L. Le Brun of Montreal.

Two new Canadian records were set during Sunday's racing. George Van Vooghies, Fiskill, N.Y., professional driver, set a new mark of 46.44 m.p.h. in the class B hydros. The old record was 45.08. Later Bob Mang of Niagara Falls, N.Y., hung up a speed of 53.097 m.p.h. among the class F outboards, almost four m.p.h. better than the existing record.

One of the feature victories on Sunday afternoon was W. B. Hislop's win in the class B outboard for amateurs. Driving his first race, the Auburn, N.Y., youngster raced home ahead of Win Wickwire, Cortland, N.Y., and Ted Arnstein, White Plains, N.Y., two experienced performers in this group.

Dr. Paul Latour of Montreal, in his streamlined Meteore showed a good turn of speed to take the single engine, unlimited class, adding

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New Bridge is Inaugurated And Blessed

Large Concrete Structure Opened to Traffic on Saturday—Mgr. Nepveu, M. Raymond Officiate

The benediction and inauguration of the new bridge across the Old Beauharnois Canal at Valleyfield took place on Saturday afternoon at four o'clock.

Named the Jacques Cartier Bridge, the new concrete structure is about 200 ft. long and 40 ft. wide, and replaces the narrow bridge in the centre of Valleyfield. It was built by the federal government and inauguration of it was made by Maxime Raymond, K.C., M.P. for Beauharnois.

Mgr. J. D. Nepveu, curate at the Valleyfield Cathedral, officiated at the benediction, and Mrs. Maxime Raymond officially opened the bridge through cutting the ribbons. Little Marie Belanger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raphael Belanger, presented a bouquet of roses to Mrs. Raymond. Those who addressed the gathering were: Mgr. Nepveu, Mr. Maxime Raymond and Mayor J. A. Larin. The bridge was opened following the addresses, and later a lunch was served to the guests at the Salaberry Club.

In his remarks, Mr. Raymond congratulated the council on having had so much courage, but recalled that their efforts had been well rewarded by this bridge. He related the efforts of the council in securing the necessary grants for this work. In concluding, Mr. Raymond said that he was satisfied to know that he had been able to co-operate in securing the necessary grants for building the bridge, and he was looking forward to the day when he would be asked to attend at the official opening of a bridge which would unite Bellerive to Coteau-du-Lac.

A large gathering witnessed the afternoon's proceedings and delegations from the neighboring municipalities congratulated the council on having achieved such an improvement for the city of Valleyfield.

Nearly 300 Names Received For Military Training; Ormstown and Howick Fill Quota

Huntingdon, Ormstown and Howick May be Granted Privilege of Forming Home Defense Guard For Voluntary Military Training—Delegation Meets Officials in Montreal Today For Definite Action

Nearly 300 names have to date been received by the president of the Huntingdon branch of the Canadian Legion, B.E.S.L., C. M. Oney, for the privilege of training in Huntingdon.

A meeting of all interested was held at the County Building Monday evening at which Mr. Oney explained to the gathering that they had not as yet received full details in regards to this home training. Another meeting will be held next Monday evening at the Court House at which the prospective trainers will be informed of the result of the meeting the sponsors are holding in Montreal this afternoon with military officials.

Under the new Militia Act all men between 18 and 45 are eligible for home defence. Last week it was announced that if Huntingdon could sign at least 175 persons for home training, they may be granted the privilege of training at home instead of going away. The response surpassed the expectations, and Huntingdon citizens are practically assured that they may have their training at home.

When a delegation of citizens from Huntingdon, Ormstown, Howick and Beauharnois journeyed to Montreal to inquire into the situation they were informed that if they could secure enough citizens to form a home defense guard their petition would be taken into consideration. Howick and Ormstown have already enlisted the number required, while Huntingdon has surpassed its quota by more than 100.

A delegation consisting of C. M. Oney, president of Huntingdon Legion; Mayor D. Faubert of Huntingdon; D. Cameron, warden of Huntingdon County, and a few others, will meet military officials in Montreal this afternoon and inform them of the result of their campaign for the formation of a home defense guard for voluntary military training.

SEVEN WOMEN COMPLETE COURSE IN W.A.M. SERVICE

Seven Huntingdon women were awarded pins and diplomas Thursday evening at the conclusion of the eight-week course which was held at the Empire Garage, Huntingdon.

These women enlisted in the Women's Auxiliary Motor Service and followed the required eight lessons under the supervision of John Telfer, mechanic at the Empire Garage, and his assistant, Jack Donnelly.

The graduates are: Mrs. K. W. Hogle, Misses Jean Ruddock, Jean Smellie, Donalda Smith, Helen Shanks, Marjorie Rosevear and Myrna Wheeler.

These courses are sponsored by the Ford Motor Company of Canada and J. A. McCracken of Empire Garage, Huntingdon.

This is the second class of Huntingdon women to complete the course and enlist in the W.A.M.S. They were awarded pins and diplomas by Mr. Appleby, service organizer of the Ford Motor Company, at Montreal. Mr. Appleby passed the graduates with high honors and congratulated them on their efficiency

Youths Escape Uninjured as Car Capsizes

Girl Driver Loses Control Of Car Which Falls Into Campbell Creek—Break Window For Exit

Two youths had a narrow escape on Sunday night when the car in which they were riding capsized in the Campbell Creek, on the Laguerre River Road, near St. Anicet.

Apparently travelling at a fairly high clip, Miss Eveline Delisle, of Malone, N.Y., accompanied by Mr. MacRae Clouston, of Huntingdon, was the driver of the 1936 Oldsmobile coach, when she lost control of the vehicle as it approached the culvert near Angus Campbell's farm at about 10 p.m. that evening.

According to reports, the car left the road a short distance from the culvert and on nearing it, the vehicle overturned and fell into the slushy creek. The occupants, it was said, had to break the right rear window in order to get out of the car which was rapidly sinking in the muddy water. Both Miss Delisle and Mr. Clouston were reported as suffering from cuts and minor bruises.

Kyle's wrecker was summoned and the car was extricated from its precarious position early Monday morning, after three hours' work.

The radiator was badly damaged on the Oldsmobile, both front fenders, the right front wheel, the right side of the car and the top were badly battered.

INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS AT GATHERING HERE

A unique program will be held in Huntingdon on Saturday evening when some 70 veterans, locals and guests, will gather at the Log Lodge. The purpose of this celebration is for the Installation of Officers and Charter Presentation.

Chateaugay and Malone, N.Y., Valleyfield and Lacolle will send delegates to this gathering and it is expected that all the members of the Huntingdon Veterans' Association will be present.

The evening will open with a lunch at 7 o'clock, to be followed by the charter presentation to the Chateauguay-Huntingdon (Quebec No. 81 Branch) of the British Empire Service League.

Officers and members of the Quebec Provincial Committee of the Canadian Legion will be on hand.

Annual Mixed Doubles Held By the Valleyfield Tennis Club

The Valleyfield Tennis Club held their annual mixed doubles tournament a week ago Saturday afternoon. The following clubs were represented: Valleyfield, Huntingdon, Beauharnois, Chateauguay, Knights of Columbus, St. Timothee.

The first round was as follows: Mrs. E. Miller (B) and K. Mayoh defeated Miss E. McDonald (B) and L. Hampson (H); Miss R. Huneau (K) and C. Gardner (B) defeated Miss B. McCartney (H) and L. Gagnier (B); Miss E. Perry (V) and A. Patterson (B) defeated Miss M. St. Michel (K) and B. Butler (B); Miss F. Gardner (B) and P. Malouin (K) defeated Miss J. McAlpine (V) and E. Brossoit (K); Miss D. Sullivan (B) and W. Sullivan (H) defeated Miss D. Payne (H) and D. Whaley (V); Miss L. Perron (K) and P. Reynolds (V) defeated Miss B. Perry (V) and J. Tremblay (K); Miss M. Rousseau (K) and J. Cadieux (V) defeated Miss E. Hunter (H) and R. Proulx (V); Miss T. Cadieux (K) and C. Morse H) defeated Miss H. Marchand (B) and Y. Godbout (K) Miss E. Ross (V) and E. Pilborough (C) defeated Miss J. Cantamassa (V) and I. Tremblay (K); Miss M. Julian (St. T) and J. D. Cadieux (K) defeated Mrs. Leblanc (K) and A. McDougal (B); Miss G. Whitehead (V) and L. Leger (C) defeated Miss J. Hunter (H) and T. Waldron (V); Mrs. Renaud (B) and F. Houghton (V) defeated Miss A. Arrandale (V) and T. Brault (K); Miss A. Exley (V) and J. P. Julien (St. T) defeated Mrs. McCracken (V) and Mr. Rennie (B); Miss E. Luffman (B) and J. McCracken (V) (default); Miss J. Owen (C) and W. Renaud (B) defeated Miss O. Anderson (V) and J. Malouin (K); Miss C. Ross (C) and A. Leblanc (K) defeated Mrs. Degre (K) and C. Hartley (V).

Second Round

Mrs. E. Millar (B) and K. Mayoh (V) defeated Miss R. Huneau (K) and C. Gardiner (B); Miss E. Perry (V) and A. Patterson (B) defeated F. Gardner (B) and P. Malouin (K); Mrs. D. Sullivan (B) and W. Sullivan (H) defeated Miss L. Perron (K) and P. Reynolds (V); Miss T. Cadieux (K) and C. Morse (H) defeated Miss M. Rousseau (K) and J. Cadieux (V); Miss E. Ross (V) and E. Pilborough (C) defeated Miss M. Julien (St. T) and J. D. Cadieux (K); Mrs. Renaud (B) and F. Houghton (V) defeated Miss G. Whitehead (V) and L. Leger (C); Miss A. Exley (V) and J. P. Julien (St. T) defeated Miss E. Luffman (B) and J. McCracken (V); Miss J. Owen (C) and W. Renaud (B) defeated Miss C. Ross (C) and A. Leblanc (K).

Third Round

Mrs. E. Millar (B) and K. Mayoh (V) defeated Miss E. Perry (V) and A. Patterson (B); Mrs. D. Sullivan (B) and W. Sullivan (H) defeated Miss T. Cadieux (K) and C. Morse H); Mrs. Renaud (B) and F. Houghton (V) defeated Miss E. Ross (V) and E. Pilborough (C); Miss J. Owen (C) and W. Renaud (B) defeated Miss A. Exley (V) and J. P. Julien (St. T).

Semi-Finals

Mrs. D. Sullivan (B) and W. Sullivan (H) defeated Mrs. E. Millar (B) and K. Mayoh (V); Mrs. Renaud (B) and F. Houghton (V) defeated Miss J. Owen (C) and W. Renaud (B).

The Finals

Mrs. D. Sullivan (B) and W. Sullivan (H) defeated Mrs. Renaud (B) and F. Houghton (V).

Consolation Finals

Miss A. Arrandale (V) and T. Brault (K) defeated Miss B. McCartney (H) and L. Gagnier (B).

Supper was served in the clubhouse to 120 people. Lt. Col. W. G. E. Aird made a few remarks and thanked all who in any way had taken part in making the day a success. Then a presentation was made to Mr. G. Potter, who has been a member of the Valleyfield club for a number of years. To complete the day a dance was held in the club room after the games were finished and during the dance the winners were presented with their hard-earned prizes.

Questionnaire For Registry All Must Answer Next Month

What's your claim to fame? Or in other words, what are you capable of doing in order to help out Canada in her war effort? Canada wants to know and in order to learn what each and every citizen can do, Canadian residents will be asked to fill out a questionnaire some time next month during national registration. There are stiff penalties for not answering them properly so that citizens might well be warned to go over the questions carefully and make up their mind now as to the correct answer.

Of the questions, 15 are for men and women, three for men only and four special questions for women.

They embrace nationality, age, health, occupation, qualifications for other than regular occupations, education, antecedents, dependents, military service if any, unemployment, the number of languages a person commands and the connection, if any, that a registrant has had with farm life.

At the office of Hon. J. G. Gardiner, National War Services Minister, it was said there might be a minor amendment before the dates are set for registration. It has been indicated registration will take place over a four-day period some time about the middle of August.

The joint 15 questions follow:

1. Surname——; given names ——;

2. Permanent postal address (if away from usual residence when filling in card give name of usual residence)——;

3. Age last birthday——; date of birth——;

4. Conjugal conditions: single —— married—— widowed—— divorced——;

5. Of what dependents (if any) are you the sole support:——(A) father——; (B) mother——; (C) wife ——; (D) number of children under 16 years ——; (E) number of other dependents——; (F) do you contribute partial support to any one——.

6. Country of birth of: (A) Yourself——; place; (B) your father——; place——; (C) your mother——.

7. Nationality or country of allegiance: British subject (A) by birth? ——; (B) by naturalization?——; (C) foreign citizen?——; (D) if naturalized, in what year?——; (E) in what place?——; (F) if not British subject, to what country do you owe allegience?——; (G) if an immigrant, in what year did you enter Canada?——.

8. Racial origin——.

9. Language or languages: (A) Do you speak English?——; (B) French?——; (C) What other language can you speak, read and write ——.

10. Education: (A) Primary only ——; (B) primary and secondary ——; (C) Vocational training (business college, technical high school) ——; (D) College or university degree?——.

11. Is your general health (A) Good?——; (B) Fair?——; (C) Bad? ——.

12. If blind, deaf, dumb, crippled or otherwise physically disabled, state nature of disability——; if permanently disabled, are you in receipt of a pension?——; in respect of war service?——; workmen's compensation?——; old age or blind? ——; other?——.

13. Class of occupation: (A) Are you an employer of labor other than domestic?——; if so, state business ——; (B) Are you working on own account, but not employing labor? ——; if so, state business——; (C) Are you an employee? (1) Working at usual occupation——; (2) Working at other than usual occupation ——; (3) Unemployed——; (D) Others not working because pensioners, dependents, retired, independent means——.

14. Occupation or craft: (answer giving years of experience) (A) present occupation?——; (B) what is your regular occupation?——; (C) what other work can you do well? (D) if an employee, who is your present employer? Name——; address ——; nature of business, where employed?——; (E) if experienced in a skilled industrial occupation or profession, describe specifically the type or types of work in which you are specially equipped by training or experience——.

15. Unemployment: (A) how many weeks did you work in the

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The envious man grows lean at the success of his neighbour.—Horace.

Looking to the Future

NO MATTER how philosophically or how courageously one regards the scene of world conflict today, it must be conceded that without faith and courage the prospect is depressing. Only the brave, the believer in the triumph of justice and right, is qualified to estimate, at their true value, the opposing forces of good and evil.

It has been said that "the mills of the gods grind slowly." This cannot be denied, but how futile and disastrous seems the process as we view it today. With material gifts in abundance, with opportunities provided for education, travel, culture and comfort, the ingenuity, strength, thought and ambition of mankind are, perforce, tuned to the inherited and too long fostered arts of carnage and destruction. Ignorantly, carelessly, or with malice, we turn again and again to reshape our pruning hooks into spears and our plowshares into swords. This is following, not our own desires or the teachings of wise counsellors, but the traditions of those who themselves perished by the sword.

But youth asks, inquisitively and not insolently, if he must take up arms periodically in defence of himself, his home, his country. If man must always be prepared to use force to preserve the ways of peace. If it is expected by those who ask the question that the answer will be reassuring or consoling, there must be disappointment. Not yet has humanity found the way out of the difficulties. One day this will be discovered and followed.

There is no higher human loyalty expressed at such a time as this than to one's country. It is that loyalty which today is stirring and strengthening the hearts of the Canadian people and those peoples everywhere with whom they sympathize and with whom they have enlisted in a common cause. Feeling this loyalty the young men and women of today realize, or will learn to realize, that they have an unpleasant piece of work ahead of them which must be done, perhaps not in the way they believe it should be done, but in the hard way, the way which has been followed for countless ages.

It may be with feelings of bitter resentment that they will, for a season, and perhaps finally, close the door of opportunity, abandon fine hopes, or give up assured security, to lay all upon the shrine of the country to which absolute allegiance is pledged. Not for them, perhaps, are the blessings of peace. But that these hopefully may be preserved and safeguarded for those who have sought thus far to defend them, as well as for boys and girls who hope to share in this rich heritage, valiant youth will accept the challenge and the opportunity.

Let us remember that while the "mills of the gods grind slowly," they do grind "exceeding fine." That is the promise. Out of the turmoil, the strife, the suffering, the deprivation, good will come. It is with hope and faith that this hour is awaited.

Analyzing Agriculture

A VISITOR to The Gleaner office the other day was Dr. J. E. Lattimer of Macdonald College. During this week a number of dairy farmers in the district might have a visit from him for he is conducting a survey in this section of the province with respect to feed prices last winter and the winter before, and their relation to the price being paid for milk.

A philosophical man with an intense interest in everything that pertains to agriculture especially, Dr. Lattimer delights in using his analytical mind in ferreting from individuals information which will enable him to serve them. Like most men who have an extensive knowledge along his special field of study, he modestly states there is so much he has to learn yet about his work. But there is not a subject, certainly not in the agricultural lines, about which he has not considerable information and his own theories as to remedies for the ills of that particular field.

Dr. Lattimer, in conversation with The Gleaner, spoke of the magnificent agricultural area that is the Chateauguay Valley. He believed that the farmers in this area did not fully realize the wonderful agricultural district they had. And truly, the natural resources of this section leave nothing to be desired.

A number of subjects were touched on while Dr. Lattimer expounded his views in relation to them. While they were dealt with more fully than is chronicled here an idea of the views is obtained from the following pertinent remarks respecting the various subjects.

While one farmer maintained that the price of fluid milk is too high in comparison to butter, the fact of the matter is that the price of butter is all too low. In this connection it might be noted that it takes 24 pounds of 3½ per cent buttermilk to make a pound of butter.

It is gratifying to see an increasing demand for cheese in Canada. Canadian cheese should enjoy a continually widening market for its quality is away above even that from New Zealand. Asked why Ontario cheese was considered better than that from Quebec, Dr. Lattimer stated that Eastern Ontario's cheese-making area was larger than Quebec's area, and therefore the product was probably somewhat more uniform. When cheese got up to 19 cents it was the closest to the butter price it has ever been but, according to Dr. Lattimer, it should be twice as much.

His views on the price of milk being $2.05 are that it is a fairly good price if the farmer has enough milk to sell. He stressed quantity production, maintaining that the farmer who produces quantity stands to gain by 50 cents per hundredweight. A man who ships five cans of milk a day really isn't a milk shipper and should not be classed as such. He should be asked to take that milk off to some local market and not be classed with the other shippers.

Discussing the work of the agronomes, Dr. Lattimer thought they were doing much fine work. From his observations, however, he felt that many agronomes were wasting valuable time trying to help alleged farmers who had no interest in farming whatever, or of improving their methods. There are a surprising number of people on farms who have no right to call themselves good farmers, for they haven't the will or the interest to make of themselves such. In illustration of this he told of a conversation with one alleged farmer resulting in the latter finally saying, "No, I'm no farmer. I'm a carpenter. I came home to look after the homestead because it was necessary when my father died." There are many homesteads with many such people on them—not farmers nor will they ever be.

Farmers should realize that the present war is their war—their war for freedom of trade. Europe is our market for grain and should the Germans win it would have disastrous effects on their European market, even as it would for United States also. Canada, nor the United States, need not think they are self-sufficient in this matter.

Disapproval was expressed over that class of people who were buying farms, not to farm but merely to use as a vehicle in the buying and selling of stock. This movement is alarmingly disorganizing co-operative marketing. He spoke particularly of this situation in Eastern Ontario.

Dr. Lattimer will complete his survey in this district towards the end of the week at which time he will undoubtedly carry away vital facts which will enable him to give real aid to the committee reviewing the milk price situation in relation to the price of feed.

It's Bowling Time

FOR MIDDLE-AGED MEN past the stage of competitive sports of a strenuous character, there's nothing like a friendly game of bowling on the green to take their mind off troubles. That this is fully realized can be judged by the fact that the local bowling greens are enjoying a fair amount of activity this season.

One of the undoubted charms of bowling is that age is not a determining factor in the success of a player. The brawniest athlete can meet defeat at the hands of a veteran who can look back along the allotted span of years and, on the green, young and old assemble on equal terms.

The history of the game? Its story runs so far back, no one knows when the first chapter appeared. But one famous lawn bowling party back in England's history is brought right up to date by way of comparison in that then, as now, England stood in danger of invasion. You possibly recall your history which told of Admiral Drake skipping a game of lawn bowling at Plymouth Hoe. The Spanish Armada was approaching England in those days in the hope of invading it. But Admiral Drake insisted on finishing his game of bowling despite the fact that the vast Armada had hove into sight and was bearing down on England. The Admiral bowling enthusiast, though warned by his confreres to quit the game and take to sea to defeat the invading fleet, maintained there was plenty of time to finish the game and beat the Spanish too. That incident gave lawn bowling prominence in world events; showed that it took more than the approach of a hostile fleet to England's shores to break up a game of bowling on the green.

There is about bowling the splendid spirit of comradeship generally associated with clean and wholesome sport. For the player the chief qualification is a love of the game and an enthusiasm that will keep him in the open air for hours at a time in spite of all the mosquitoes in the world.

There's something about bowling that gets in the blood after one has learned all the little tricks of the game. When that stage is reached a bowler passes by with great difficulty a game in progress in which some player with a broad Scotch accent is bellowing out, "Ah want a guar-r-d here, Mac!"

Stop Thief

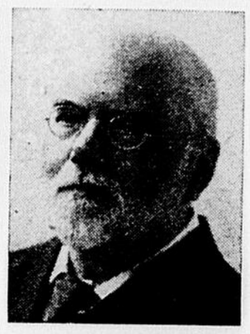
TUBERCULOSIS is a thief. He may steal a few months' pay. He may rob you of years of health. He may even take your life.

If discovered early, tuberculosis can be cured in a short time. When treatment is started late, it may take years to get the disease under control. To find tuberculosis early, you must not wait until you feel sick.

Don't wait until you feel tired all the time, until you have lost weight, until you have a cough that hangs on and on, or until indigestion bothers you. When you start ailing tuberculosis may be advancing. Let your doctor decide.

If you have lived in a home where someone was sick or is still sick with tuberculosis, you may have picked it up. You should find out before you get into trouble. Go to your doctor while you feel in good health. Get an X-ray of your chest to find out if you have tuberculosis. The X-ray will show it before symptoms appear. Being afraid to learn the truth may cost you your life. The advisory medical committee of the National Sanitarium Association states that early diagnosis is one of the most effective ways of reducing the tuberculosis mortality rate, which is greater than any other for people between the ages of 15 and 45 years.

YEARS ago people looked more to their churches for guidance and Christian leadership; to-day we believe they look more to the press for guidance, and all too many only listen to the radio for their religious instruction. If our lay members of parliament would spend more time in the study of economics than listening to and reading about petty politics they would enhance their minds and be more worthy of the offices entrusted to their care. The newspapers have their censors, the ministers their congregations, but the average member of parliament too often forgets his responsibilities to his country; his first thought should be economy and better legislation. Compulsory voting will perhaps be the ultimate solution for the election of our parliamentary members.



Chronology
- of -
Chateauguay, Beauharnois and Huntingdon Counties

From Manuscripts of
The Late ROBERT SELLAR

The Andrews on the English River were Scotch.

Our first mill was the ———, then that at Beauharnois or Howick. None of them sifted the meal or flour and we had to do that by hand, using punched sheep skin.

In answer to questions, Mr. Morrison replied:

I do not know how word came of the Americans coming down on the south bank. My impression is that some of the pickets saw them from the posts on the north bank, but it may have been Indian scouts. Word came in that morning, when two companies of MacDonnell's forcibles, Daly and Bruyeres crossed the ford and went to meet them. Cannot say whether MacDonnell went with them, but think not. He had been at the forward post. It would be about 11 o'clock when we, standing in front of the house, heard the first shots and immediately saw the French sedentary militia and some Indians running away—the blue tuques of the former flying in the wind. My father was so angry to see them running that he said he could fire on them. There was quite a lot of fire for a while and several on both sides fell. I understand the Americans fell back because they did not anticipate resistance, and finding it, supposed the woods to be full of Indians. The skirmish I understood to be with two companies of Purdy's advance. They made no road, but came through the woods in file. The woods below the blockhouse were pine, above hemlock. Except for falling trees there was no difficulty for woodsmen in getting through. Never heard of their having lost their way. Had they got to the ford unobserved, they might have carried the day, and, undoubtedly, it was checkmating them on the river bank that gave the victory to the British. Two of the men wounded died in my father's house, and were buried between it and the river. There was quite an entrenchment thrown up between our house and the river, to cover the ford. There was no fortification on the other side or at Grant's.

It would be about 1 or 2 o'clock when the firing began between Hampton and DeSalaberry. I am sure of that, because we had dinner after the firing on the south side and before that began on the north. It was a dry day but I do not remember whether it was bright or not. The river was not above average height, and the Fencibles had no trouble in finding it. I cannot tell why Hampton ceased his attack on DeSalaberry's position, but he did, and encamped on Cumming's farm that night. DeSalaberry expected them every moment to advance, and sent word to all the houses along the river to be ready to fall back and burn their buildings. Wood fires were kept on in every house, so as to have brands to set fire to all the buildings. It was the second day after the fight that my father was given $10 to go to the lines to find out where Hampton had gone. He got a good deal of information from a woman, brought from across the lines, I think by McClatchie.

The Fencibles were not French. There were a few, but the men were mostly from the Eastern Townships and New Brunswick. A good many were Irish. MacDonnell was not a striking looking man. He was of medium height. Ferguson and Captain Christie were fine looking officers.

I should say there were from my father's up to Allan's Corners the following force: Voltigeurs, about 500. They wore grey blouses. Devil's Own, 200, green coats with red facings. Fencibles, MacDonnell's battalion, 300 men, red coats with white belts. It was they who threw up entrenchment at my father's, made of logs and earth.

At Baker's was the main camp, but I cannot say how many were there. Two or three days after the fight a troop of cavalry marched past and went as far as the Portage. The Sedentary militia were of little account, being cowardly. Wright was captain of the company of which my father was lieutenant, but it was never called out, the men being of more use left in their homes. My father never got anything for his services.

The firing with Purdy lasted about one half hour, with Hampton an hour. I recollect how, boy-like, I was so much pleased with the volley fire of the Americans and the sputtering vollies of the Canadians in return that I regretted its cessation.

I made no mistake about Col. MacDonnell's position during the skirmish. He was where we are now and sent the men to checkmate Purdy's move. Had it not been for that, all would have been lost. I do not believe there was a man killed on either side where DeSalaberry was. He was a short, strongly built man, dressed in a grey coat, trimmed with some rough stuff like fur. I remember his going later in the season with a company of cavalry to the front. It was cold, frosty weather, and the horses being smooth would have difficulty in keeping their feet. They halted at my father's and the horses were put in the stable, while the men made up bundles of hay to take with them. They were only away a day or two. I do not know where Vallé lived.

I saw Sir George Prevost with his staff riding past. It was after the fight. We looked on him either as a coward or a fool.

John (I think was his first name) Simpson was brought out from settlement from Seigniory and built the grist mill at Beauharnois. It stood where Manning is, only well out in the channel. It was carried away by ice, on the St. Louis dam going, some 35 years ago. He also built a small mill at Howick, a saw mill on the south side of the river at Dewittville (whose owner I cannot recollect, but it might have been Johnson) and one for himself at the mouth of the Outarde, which was destroyed during the war.

For a long while after the war there was no travel beyond my father's, the bridges being all down. Mills may have prevented the road being re-opened for the sake of preventing his cattle of which he had over 100 grazing, straying. My father got the contract of re-opening the road, which would be about '20. The bridges were made of round sticks of timber.

You are right about Alex Ellice's son being drowned. He sailed for South America and was never heard of, though search was made everywhere. After the lapse of 21 years (I think) Edward succeeded.

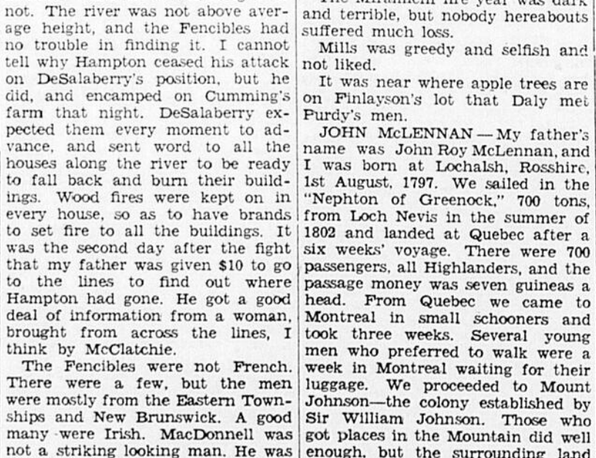
The Miramichi fire year was dark and terrible, but nobody hereabouts suffered much loss.

Mills was greedy and selfish and not liked.

It was near where apple trees are on Finlayson's lot that Daly met Purdy's men.

JOHN McLENNAN — My father's name was John Roy McLennan, and I was born at Lochalsh, Rosshire, 1st August, 1797. We sailed in the "Nephton of Greenock," 700 tons, from Loch Nevis in the summer of 1802 and landed at Quebec after a six weeks' voyage. There were 700 passengers, all Highlanders, and the passage money was seven guineas a head. From Quebec we came to Montreal in small schooners and took three weeks. Several young men who preferred to walk were a week in Montreal waiting for their luggage. We proceeded to Mount Johnson—the colony established by Sir William Johnson. Those who got places in the Mountain did well enough, but the surrounding land was so wet little could be done with it, and after several years' trial, the settlers began looking for better locations. In 1812 my father, accompanied by others, walked west to see the country. On reaching St. Remi, which was then quite a little colony of Americans, one of them, Walsh, hearing their quest, told them there was a tract of fine land nearby. Being able to survey, they agreed with Walsh (who also had a farm) to run a base line from the Seigniory, so that they would know where to go. He did so, and when Manuel ran the line many years after, he found Walsh's was absolutely correct. On consulting with a French notary, they were assured they would be quite safe in locating on the Seigniory, which would have to recognize their right to become tenants. That year, my father, Finlayson and McQuaig came on and they were the first settlers of the Scotch settlement.

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This Week in Ottawa

Unemployment Insurance Bill Meeting With Much Controversy—Wheat Policy to be Solved

The present session of parliament seems likely to last another fortnight or perhaps a little longer. Measures of importance to Canada's war effort are passing through the various stages of legislation and being placed on the statute books without undue delay but there is always chance of serious opposition arising to some particular bill which might lengthen the session. There is, for example, a certain element of uncertainty about the extent of the criticism which will be directed at the Unemployment Insurance measure.

The Unemployment Insurance Bill

There is no doubt that all parties in the House of Commons favor the unemployment insurance measure in principle. It is a form of social insurance which has been in operation in many countries of the world for years. Lloyd George introduced a measure in Britain in 1911, and it is considered to have been a stabilizing factor in the troubled days of 1921 following the last war. There has been a system of widespread application in the United States and results of experience in that country have helped the Dominion government to alter the bill passed by the Bennett administration in 1935. This act which was declared ultra vires by the high courts was framed by experts after careful study of insurance in vogue in different parts of the world and the act forms the basis of the present bill. However, as stated, there are changes and some of these are important. The bill attempts to meet present conditions. One of the questions that naturally presents itself is this: even if the measure is a good and necessary one, should it, on account of expenditure entailed, be introduced in war time? The minister of labor, Mr. Norman McLarty, told the House of Commons that the insurance system was necessary at this time to anticipate and in some degree counteract the dislocation that

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Other Editors' Opinions

Surely There is a Remedy

For the first time in history the United States border is practically closed to Canadians. This condition exists not for the reason that passports are required by Canadians to go into the States but from a recent ruling of the Foreign Exchange Control Board. This ruling prevents Canadians from taking funds, even the smallest amount, to the States unless an export license is first obtained, stating in detail the purpose for which they will be used. In other words, it is now impossible for residents of this area to go to Detroit for dinner, to visit friends and relatives or to see a show unless an export license is first obtained for the funds. We do not wish to criticize the Foreign Exchange Control Board as we feel, on the whole, they have done a remarkable job but we cannot help but feel that the latest ruling is not conducive to a friendly relationship between these two neighboring countries. Since the outbreak of the war, we have been made aware that it is our duty to bring United States Exchange into Canada by promoting a friendlier relationship with citizens of the States so the tourist trade will increase. Now comes the latest regulation which practically prohibits the intermingling of Canadians and Americans except in Canada. Surely to goodness this is a short-sighted policy on the part of the Board as it gives ardent isolationists in the States plenty of ammunition for argument. Imagine what would happen to our American summer cottage and permanent resident business if the United States passed a similar regulation preventing its citizens from bringing funds to Canada. The loss from such a move would cripple this district as well as having a bad effect on Canadian finances as a whole. We do think the easing up of this regulation would be of mutual benefit to both countries.

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The Weekly Newspaper

Some people seem to have the impression that the weekly newspaper doesn't cover the territory it serves in comparison to other media, such as dailies, magazines, etc. Recently the extension department of the University of Alberta made a survey of their youth training schools of the situation as existing in that province. Questionnaires were sent out and it was revealed that in the households the weekly newspaper held a decidedly strong lead over other kinds of publications. The survey revealed: 76.2% get the local weekly newspaper; 34.5% get a daily newspaper; 21% get a farm periodical; 27% get other periodicals. When a community or district has a substantially good weekly newspaper that concentrates on giving services people are entitled to, there is no doubt that advertisers can safely choose it as the medium to reach the people. The general run of weekly papers have long since got past the "hick" stage and serve their communities more than they get credit for.

—Swift Current Sun

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The Public and the Newspapers

Few people will dispute the fact that the public appreciates a newspaper which fights the people's battles. The people may not always take that newspaper's counsel, but the support and loyalty are there just the same.

We recently noted a case in Texas where members of the community raised a fund to support two newspapers which had been sued for libel in the course of a battle they were making for the public welfare. Citizens figured it was their battle the newspapers were waging and they decided to show it. The newspapers won the suit.

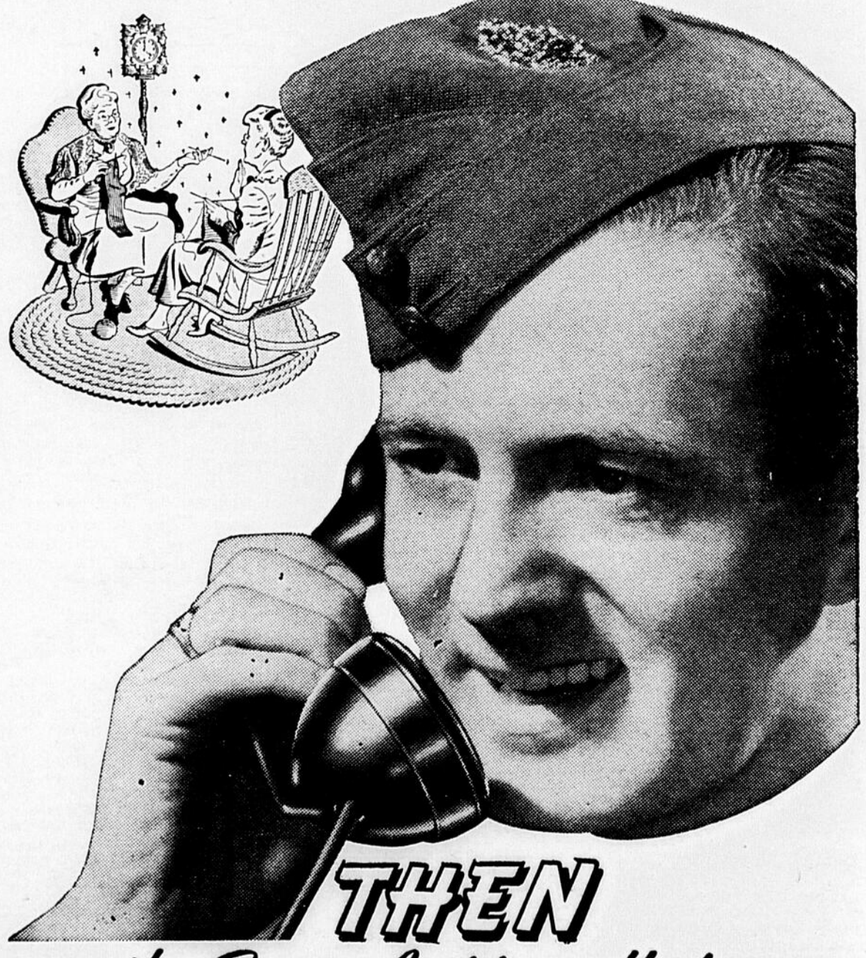
This is a somewhat unusual manifestation of public regard for a newspaper which has no axe to grind save that for the public good, but it is not an unusual situation, so far as independent, courageous newspapers have the goodwill of the thoughtful, fairminded residents of a community.

People in an area where there are newspapers supporting causes in the public interest and opposing causes against that interest need no reminder of how conditions would be if independent newspapers vanished overnight.

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Veal Turbans

1½ lbs. veal steak.
2 tablespoons grated onion.
2 tablespoons butter.
1 teaspoon salt
Dash pepper
1 egg
½ teaspoon sage
2 cups bread crumbs
Flour
3 tablespoons fat
1 cup water

Method: Wash the veal and trim off the fat. Cut into six pieces of the same size and oblong in shape.

Cook the grated onion in the 2 tablespoons butter for a minute or so then add them with the seasonings and the well-beaten egg to the soft bread crumbs. Put one-sixth of this mixture on each portion of veal. Roll up each piece and fasten with skewers or tie with string. Roll in the flour and brown in the fat which has been melted. When they are evenly browned, add the boiling water. Cover and bake in a moderate oven for about 1 hour.

Jellied Tongue

1 beef tongue
Water
Salt
1 small onion
1 sprig parsley
3 peppercorns
1 bay leaf
1½ tablespoons granulated gelatin
6 tablespoons cold water

Method: Wash the tongue in warm water. Place in a kettle and cover with water. Add salt (allowing 1 teaspon salt to 1 quart water). Add the onion, parsley, peppercorns and bay leaf. Bring the water to a boil and then simmer until the tongue is done—about 2½ to 3½ hours, according to the size of the tongue.

Remove the tongue from the liquid and skin it. Press the tongue into a round mould and prepare the jelly mixture.

Strain the liquid in which the tongue was cooked and measure and heat two cups of it. Soak the gelatine in the cold water for a few minutes and then add to the heated liquid. Stir until the gelatine is all dissolved and then pour it over and around the tongue.

New England Boiled Dinner

4 to 5 lbs. corned beef
Cold water
1 small cabbage
1 small turnip
6 small carrots
6 potatoes

Method: Cover the corned beef with cold water and allow to stand in this for 1 hour, then drain and recover with fresh cold water. Bring this water slowly to a boil and then allow to just simmer—it will take about 30 minutes to the pound to cook the corned beef tender.

Core the cabbage and cut into as many pieces as there are persons to be served. Slice the turnip. Pare or scrape the carrots and potatoes.

About one hour before the beef is done skim off as much fat from the liquor as possible and arrange the cabbage, turnip and carrots about the meat—cover and cook for 30 minutes before adding the potatoes, then continue cooking until the potatoes are tender. Remove the meat to a platter and arrange the vegetables around it. Serve with pickled beets or with ketchup.

Rolled Steak Roast

½ cup chopped onions
1 thin slice round steak (2 lbs.)
1 teaspoon salt
⅛ teaspoon pepper
½ lb. bacon
1 frankfurter

Method: Spread the onions over the steak, sprinkle with salt and pepper and place a layer of bacon strips over all. Lay a frankfurter across one end (or two if they will fit) and roll into a tight roll, tying with string. Place a few strips of bacon across the top of the roll. Place in a roasting pan with ¼ cup hot water. Cover and bake in a moderate oven for 1½ to 1¾ hours.

Ethics of Etiquette

Introduction by Letter

No one asks for a letter of introduction except from an intimate friend. And then, only when the occasion warrants it.

People who go from a small city to a large one; who go abroad for a season or visit a new part of the country; who, through circumstances, find it necessary to make the acquaintance of someone in business; such people may ask an intimate friend to write the necessary letter of introduction. The friend who recognizes the need for such a letter will not wait to be asked, but will offer it.

It is not bad taste, but unethical, to introduce by letter an individual of whom the writer knows little or toward whom the writer is not especially friendly. It is also bad taste to ask a letter of introduction from a person who is a mere acquaintance or whom one has not known very long.

The letter of introduction is more binding and entails more obligations than the ordinary introduction. That is why one should hesitate to ask for it, and why one should be sparing in one's offers to write them.

If you have a friend who is going to a distant city or a strange place where you have other friends, and if you are quite certain that it will be pleasant and agreeable for them to meet, you may offer to write a letter of introduction.

The letter itself should be brief, concise, and free from matters of personal or private interests. It is usually written in the presence of the person who is to be introduced, and is always handed to him or her unsealed. The person who receives it thanks the author and seals it in his presence.

Facts of Interest to Movie Fans

A Line on Hollywood . . . !

Ann Sothern going directly from a Catalina Island vacation to an Arrowhead Lake location . . . Eleanor Powell recuperating after a recent operation . . . Laraine Day starting a new amateur movie . . . Paul Whiteman saying good-bye to Judy Garland and Mickey Rooney after completing his role in "Strike Up the Band" . . . Wallace Beery sending souvenir postcards to friends from his location at Jackson Hole, Wyoming . . . Lew Ayres giving vivid detailed descriptions of his experiences during his South American tour . . . Katherine Hepburn arriving in Hollywood for "Philadelphia Story" . . . Nelson Eddy taking up the art of bicycling. His average is three miles per day . . . Hedy Lamarr on a diet . . . Ian Hunter, Billie Burke, Roland Young, Lynne Carver and Dan Dailey, Jr., off to location for "Dulcy" . . . Robert Taylor debating whether or not to shave off his newly acquired moustache . . . John Shelton delaying his cruise to Honolulu . . . . Virginia Weidler going "big time" when she was notified that she had been chosen as the ideal "Junior High School" girl . . . Greer Garson acquiring two Siamese kittens.

Dahlia's Whatnots

Irish Politics . . .

Dear old Ireland continues in the limelight as a possible base for Nazi operations against Britain. Not long ago a news story told us about a banquet in the German Embassy in Dublin where an official, on being asked what Germany intended to do with the Irish if the land were invaded and conquered, answered that the people were to be removed to Polish Silesia and their places filled by Protestant Germans. Now this sounded a little bit like a far-fetched yarn. But here's the reputable Ottawa Farm Journal corroborating the tale. Its reporter has interviewed Mrs. Wilson Broadbent, attractive auburn-haired Irishwoman wife of the diplomatic correspondent of the London (Eng.) Daily Mail. This lady, after several months spent in Ireland, affirms that the above story is authentic. The question was asked in jest, but the German official answered it in all seriousness, offending the guests who excused themselves and departed in wrath. Mrs. Broadbent believes that the Irish are definitely anti-German and that there is an understanding between de Valera and the British authorities as to action in case of an invasion, while troops are concentrated in the north.

There seems to be a difference of opinion in the press about Irish defence. "The Tablet," an English Catholic weekly, urges that England maintain as large a force as possible in Ulster ready for the Nazi offensive in Southern Ireland. But The Standard, foremost Eire weekly, insists on strictest neutrality, and claims that Eire can defend itself.

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His Holiness Pope Pius exhorts soldiers, though obliged to fight in their national army, not to harbor hate against their enemies. He also announces his support of the Petain regime in its work of reconstruction in France, and looks for the latter's fidelity to church interests.

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Jean Charles Harvey, most widely known of French-Canadian journalists and universally respected, has in his weekly paper, Le Jour, the news that Germany has broadcast an offer of complete independence to our province. We have only to rebel against Britain. But independence of Britain means dependence on Hitler's honor. Choose ye this day whom ye will serve. Can we continue adamant against Hitler's lovely attitude?

Matrimonial

McCoy-Younie

In the Howick United Church on Saturday, July 20, at four o'clock, the marriage took place of Miss Margaret Donalda Younie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Roy Younie, to Mr. James Brown McCoy, Huntingdon, son of Mrs. E. C. McCoy and late Mr. McCoy. Rev. Dr. E. H. Gray officiated, assisted by Rev. T. C. Cassidy, of Montreal. Ferns and a profusion of pink and white flowers decorated the church, the guest pews marked with snap-dragon. The organist was Mrs. Floyd Mattice, of Brockville. "At Dawning" was sung by Mrs. Wood, of Athelstan. Miss Ruth Younie was maid of honor and Miss Jean Younie, junior bridesmaid. Both are sisters of the bride. Dr. E. C. McCoy, of Montreal, was best man for his brother. Mr. David McCoy and Mr. Cecil Younie were ushers.

Given in marriage by her father the bride wore white printed mousseline de soie over satin, the dress made with long tight sleeves, a pointed yoke buttoned to neck, the skirt lengthening to a train. Her finger length veil was held in place with a band of white flowers. She carried an arm bouquet of Johanna Hill roses and baby's breath. Both attendants were dressed alike in mousseline de soie over satin, the dresses having short puffed sleeves and were floor length. The former wore blue and carried butterfly roses, and the latter pink, and carried a Colonial bouquet. Mrs. Younie, the bride's mother, wore a jacket dress of triple sheer crepe in Queen's blue with navy blue accessories and a corsage of pink roses and sweet peas. Mrs. McCoy, the groom's mother, wore black and white sheer with black accessories and a corsage of white sweetpeas and white roses.

The reception was held at the home of the bride's parents in Howick, where summer flowers and ferns were attractively arranged. The couple left later by motor for the Maritimes. The bride wore for travelling dusty rose crepe with embroidered jacket and white accessories.

Mr. and Mrs. McCoy will take up their residence in Huntingdon upon their return.

Out-of-town guests were Mrs. W. E. Cline and Mr. Jack Cline, Vancouver; Mr. W. Warne, and Rev. and Mrs. A. B. B. Moore, of Ottawa, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. MacDonald, of Massena, N.Y.; Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Mattice, of Brockville, Ont.; Mr. and Mrs. Ernest McCoy and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert McCoy, of Chateaugay, N.Y.; Mrs. George Stewart and Mr. Ross Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Corkran, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Staines, Miss Isabel Anderson, Rev. and Mrs. T. C. Cassidy, and Misses Aileen and Helen Cassidy, Mr. Donald MacDonald, Miss A. S. Alexon, Mr. and Mrs. Alan Smith and Mr. Angus Smith and Mr. McArthur Kelly, all of Montreal; and Mr. and Mrs. John Blachford, Mr. Frank Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Brown, Mrs. Alex. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Ruddock and Dr. and Mrs. Arthur White, of Huntingdon, Que. Dyof cojifoP

The Beaver

The Misses Edna Bustard, Montreal and Helen Bustard, of Athelstan were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Sutton.

Master Hugh Kerr, of Montreal; is spending his summer holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Cameron.

Rockburn

Miss Alice Priest, Miss E. Sutton and Mr. George Sutton of Frontier, N.Y., were guests on Sunday of Mrs. Abe Rosevear.

Mr. Frank Rosevear of Montreal is spending his holidays with Mr. Abe Rosevear and his other friends here.

Miss G. D. Herdman of Shawinigan Falls is visiting with friends in Rockburn and elsewhere during the holidays.

We are pleased to report that Mr. George A. Goldie is home from Barrie Memorial Hospital and making fine recovery.

Mr. George H. Douglas passed away very suddenly at Montreal on Saturday after an illness of some years. His remains were brought home to Rockburn Sunday and the funeral service was held on Tuesday in the Rockburn Church by Rev. E. J. White, and interment made in Hillside Cemetery. Previous to his illness, Mr. Douglas had made his home in Rockburn for most of his life and was a man possessed of very reliable qualities. He leaves his widow and eight children to mourn his loss. His mother, Mrs. Prevost, also survives, with several brother and sisters.

Chateauguay Basin

(Intended for last week)

The christening of the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie MacMillan was held in St. Andrew's United Church. Rev. Kenneth G. MacMillan, assisted by Rev. McKinley Rose, officiated. The child received the names Allan David.

Mr. F. E. Dickie returned to Taormina Farm on Wednesday, and he and Mrs. Dickie left on Thursday for Ottawa, Ont., and the Gatineau district.

Mrs. David Wright of Newport, Vt. and Mrs. E. Brown of Boston, Mass., Mrs. Charles McRobert and Miss Janet McRobert, Outremont, Que., were recent guests of Mrs. William Wright at Broad View.

Mrs. Robert Meldrum and Miss Viola Meldrum of Cote de Neiges, Montreal, Que., were guests during the week-end of Mrs. Charles Lang at Willow Mere.

Miss Miriam Wyse has returned from a delightful holiday spent at Winnipeg, Man.

Misses Edna Reid, Muriel Henderson, Selena Lang, Norma Jones, Geraldine Hammill and Donalda Gilbert of Group 74, Girl Guides, have returned from a two weeks' holiday spent at Huron Camp, Morin Heights, Que.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Wyse and Miss Miriam Wyse attended the funeral of the late Mr. David Rees at Montreal on Monday afternoon.

Mr. W. S. Richardson was the guest during the week of his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Colin MacKellar at Domaine Desteral, Ste. Marguerite, Que.

Mr. H. C. Jupp was elected mayor of the town of Chateauguay by acclamation. Messrs. Ovila Dupont, Ross Lang and the retiring mayor, C. D. A. Laberge, were elected to the council. Messrs T. H. Weller, J. F. Crepin and G. Soyez were elected last year. Mr. Rene Lussier is secretary-treasurer.

Dewittville

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Granton, of Notre Dame de Grace, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. James Ferns.

Matrimonial

Ironside-Rennie

The marriage of Mary Grace, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Rennie, of Huntingdon, Que., to Mr. Algoma Charles Ironside, B.A., son of Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Ironside, of Nanaimo, B.C., took place Saturday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock in the Huntingdon United Church, the Rev. J. H. Woodside, of Kensington, Que., officiating. Mrs. N. W. Sparrow played the wedding music and Mrs. E. Wood sang "Because" during the signing of the register. The church was beautifully decorated with hydrangea and blue delphinium.

The bride, who was given away by her father wore a floor-length gown of white sheer over taffeta fashioned with a full skirt and tight-fitting jacket fastened with a row of tiny buttons from the neckline to the waist, having long sleeves ending in points over the hands. Her finger-tip veil of tulle illusion was arranged with white gardenias and she carried a shower bouquet of bridal roses, cornflowers and asparagus fern.

The bridesmaids, Miss Edith Titcombe, of Lennoxville, and Miss Ruth Stark, of Huntingdon, were gowned alike in frocks of yellow sheer over taffeta fashioned on similar lines to that worn by the bride with short puffed sleeves. They wore matching flower hats with shoulder length veils and carried arm bouquets of blue delphinium and yellow daisies.

Mr. Gilbert E. Dryburgh, of Montreal acted as best man for Mr. Ironside and the ushers were Mr. Wallace Rennie, of Huntingdon and Mr. John G. Rennie, of Montreal.

Mrs. Rennie, the bride's mother, was gowned in a navy sheer with white accessories and wore a corsage bouquet of Johanna Hill roses.

The reception was held at the residence of the bride's parents, in Huntingdon, where decorations were carried out in yellow and white. Later Mr. and Mrs. Ironside left on a motor trip, the bride travelling in a frock of navy eyelet embroidery with white accessories.

They will reside in Nanaimo, B.C.

Out-of-town guests included: Mr. and Mrs. R. M. McCleery, Mr. Donald Rennie, Mr. David Monks, Miss Ruth Davison, Miss Marjorie Belyea, Miss Leonora Whitcombe, all of Montreal, Mr. Forbes McGill, of Cantic, Que., Miss Ellen Eyre, Yarmouth, N.S., and Mr. and Mrs. Griffiths, of Ottawa.

McCulloch-Good

The marriage of Miss Nelsie Berna Good, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Good, Beauharnois, Que., to Mr. Curtis Guile McCulloch, of Beauharnois, formerly of Westville, N.S., took place at St. Edward's Presbyterian Church in Beauharnois at 7 o'clock Friday evening, July 12th. Rev. Dr. J. D. Anderson officiated, assisted by Rev. A. Nimmo. The church was beautifully decorated with summer flowers and the guest pews were marked off with wreaths of sweet peas. The bride looked charming in a long gown of white starched chiffon embroidered with chenille over satin made on princess lines with a long train and a long veil with coronet of silver flowers and orange blossoms. She was given away by her father. The groom's gift to the bride was a three-strand pearl necklace. She carried a bouquet of pink and white carnations. Miss Frances Good, sister of the bride, was her bridesmaid and wore a long maize chiffon over satin dress and high turban and carried a bouquet of talisman roses. Miss Maureen Good, small niece of the bride, who was flower girl, looked sweet in a long blue and pink flowered taffeta frock and carried a nosegay of sweet peas. The bride's mother was dressed in a pearl grey flowered crepe with a corsage of deep red roses. Mr. Wilson McRae ably assisted the groom. The ushers were Mr. Ken. Good, Mr. Wm. Loucks and Mr. Robert Cairns.

At the reception afterwards held in Trinity Hall Clark Tennier, small nephew of the bride sang, "There'll Always be an England," which was heartily applauded.

Later Mr. and Mrs. McCulloch left on a motor trip to Westville, N.S., the groom's home. The bride travelled in a navy blue sheer ensemble with white accessories and a corsage of American Beauty roses. They will reside in Beauharnois.

Out of town guests were: Pte. John H. Good, Camp Borden, Ont., Mrs. Charles Tennier and Clarke, Pt. Colborne, Ont., Mr. and Mrs. Edward Smith, Sudbury, Ont., Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Clark, Montreal, P.Q., Mr. and Mrs. John Eamer, Miss Vera Eamer, Mrs. David Good, Mr. Alex. Good, Mr. Chas. Good, Miss McMartin, Cornwall, Ont., Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Cairns, Brysonville, P.Q., Mrs. Pearl McCartney, Helen and Linda, Dewittville, Que.

Dundee

Shower For Miss MacGibbon

Miss Alison Fleming, Mrs. Lyle Currie and Mrs. Thos. Stowell were joint hostesses at a miscellaneous shower given at the Fleming home on Wednesday, July 17, in honor of the approaching marriage of Miss Margaret MacGibbon. On Margaret's arrival she was escorted by Allson to a prettily decorated chair which had been placed underneath a large white bell and strings of tiny balloons.

A bridal party consisting of little Miss Evelyn MacGibbon as bride, Master Bernie Fleming as groom, the Misses Florence Ferguson and Kathleen Smellie as bridesmaids, Master Wayne MacPherson as best man, and Master Garth MacPherson as minister, then appeared in formal attire. Mrs. Lindley read an appropriate selection of poetry to the bride-to-be, after which the little people disappeared. Mrs. Harry McNaughton, accompanied by Miss Violet McNicol on the guitar, sang very sweetly an old favorite, "I Love You Truly." The members of the bridal party reappeared, each carrying a basket heaped with gaily wrapped packages which were placed in front of the guest of honor.

Margaret received many lovely as well as useful gifts for which she, in well chosen words, thanked those assembled and expressed the wish that they might visit her in her new home. After a delicious lunch had been served and a social hour spent, all departed for home, wishing the bride-to-be many happy years of wedded life.

Miss Margaret Leslie of St. Anicet spent the past week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gregor Leslie.

Mrs. J. D. Ferguson of Huntingdon and her son, Master Lloyd Ferguson, of Gaspe, Que., were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Myre.

Miss Lello Cameron, R.N., of Malone, N.Y., called on Saturday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. McGibbon.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hartley and family of St. Lambert were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Ouimet.

MISS NORMA LUNAN ELECTED PRESIDENT OF BADMINTON CLUB

Miss Norma Lunan was elected president of the Huntingdon badminton club at the annual meeting Monday evening in the club-rooms. Other officers elected were: Mrs. A. Cameron, vice-president; Percy Geddes, secretary, A Cameron, treasurer. Achille Bergevin was appointed chairman of the match committee and Miss Eliane Lasalle, chairman of the entertainment committee.

Treasurer W. E. A. Rowat, presented the financial statement for the past year which showed that the badminton club had enjoyed a successful year financially.

Following the business meeting, the newly elected officers decided that the fee to join the badminton club next season would not be changed. Plans were also made to sponsor entertainments this summer to raise funds to meet the club's obligations in the Fall.

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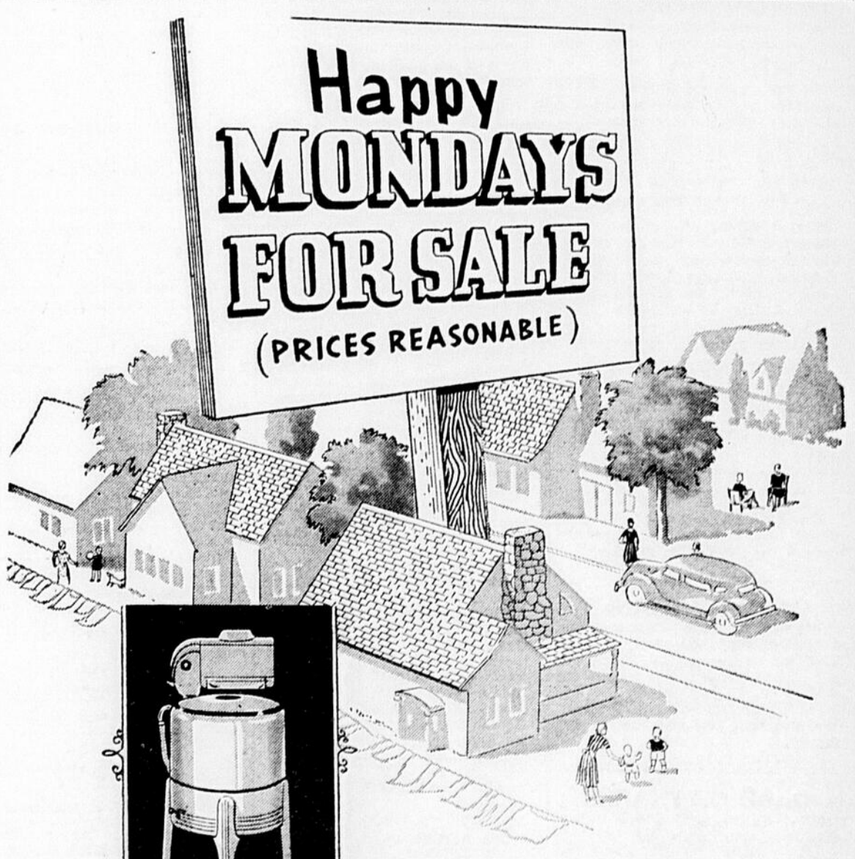

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"Now that Valleyfield possesses a new bridge uniting Victoria and St. Laurent Streets, something should be done immediately in regards to the Bellerive bridge which is in a very serious condition. The council should not wait until a tragedy occurs before having it repaired or replaced." Ald. J. A. Mallette asked that the council take some immediate action in connection with this situation, at the regular meeting of the Valleyfield council last Wednesday evening.

The increase in traffic in that section of Valleyfiled, replied Ald. Dumouchel of Bellerive warrant these improvements for the protection and safety of the population.

The bylaw to borrow the sum of $20,000 was read a first time at this session. This amount will be used to complete the municipal building on the Larocque Road.

A building permit was granted to Aime Haineault for the construction of a garage. The building of a store on Champlain Street by Mr. Eustache Langevin was acknowledged by the council.

The Shawinigan Water & Power Co. informed the council that it would cost $10,000 to install underground cables on St. Laurent St. The council decided to continue with the old system.

FOURTEEN RINKS COMPETE IN 'SPIEL AT ORMSTOWN

Fourteen rinks of members of the Ormstown Bowling Club and their friends entered for the play in the mixed bonspiel held last week. H. H. Chambers and his rink were the winners of the main event and the ladies of the team were presented with china cake plates; the gentlemen with decks of cards. In the consolation Leslie Ross skipped his rink to victory and the ladies were awarded lace doilies and the men linen handkerchiefs. The final games were:

Final—

Mrs. C. Barrington	B. McCartney
D. A. Barrington	Jerry Hebert
Mrs. H. Perry	Mrs. D. McIntyre
H. H. Chambers (skip)—14.	Maitland Patton (skip)—6.

Consolation Final—

Mrs. M. Storey	Mrs. A. Rember
J. S. Rutherford	W. A. Rice
Claire Finn	Mrs. Harold Kerr
L. R. Ross (skip)—10.	J. D. Hunter (skip)—8.

Kensington

Mr. Daniel Sullivan of Detroit, is spending some time at the home of Miss B. McCovic.

Miss Eleanor Desjardins has returned to her home after spending some time in Lacolle, with her grandmother, Mrs. Anne Fortin.

Mr. Williams and daughter Kay have returned to Montreal after spending the past month at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Desjardins.

Miss Agnes Quenneville of New York spent her vacation at the home of her mother, Mrs. Lois Quenneville, Trout River Lines.

Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Watson were Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Montgomery of Huntingdon, Mr. and Mrs. Fenton and family of Montreal.

CARD OF THANKS

The relatives of the late Mrs. Margaret Whyte wish to express their sincere thanks and appreciation for the many lovely gifts of flowers sent by her friends at the time of her funeral.—Mrs. (Dr.) Walsh.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank all many kind friends and neighbours for flowers and expressions of sympathy in my recent sad bereavement.—Mrs. Bert Sarver.

CARD OF THANKS

Excelsior Lodge No. 17, I.O.O.F., desire to thank those who donated flowers for Decoration Sunday.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for their many acts of kindness and sympathy during our recent bereavement, also for flowers. —Mrs. W. F. McDonald, Mr. and Mrs. Russel McDonald and family, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie McFarlane and family,

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks to our friends and neighbors for their many acts of kindness and sympathy during our recent sad bereavement; also for spiritual and floral offerings.—George and Edmund Sproule, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Finn, Mrs. Margaret Smith.

Born

Lemay—At Montreal, Que., on Friday, July 19, 1940, to Mr. and Mrs. Emile Lemay, née Antoinette Michaud, formerly of Huntingdon, a daughter, Marie Madeleine Pauline.

Stark—At the Barrie Memorial Hospital, Ormstown, Que., July 19, 1940, to Mr. and Mrs. Nicol A. Stark, Glenelm, Que., a son, (Garnet Allan).

Wattie—At St. Anicet, on July 5, 1940, to Mr. and Mrs. James Wattie, of Athelstan, a son, (Charles Lyle.)

Married

Brunet-Quesnel — At the Archbishop's Palace in Valleyfield on Sunday, July 14, 1940, Miss Donaldine Quesnel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Zenophile Quesnel of St. Anicet, to Mr. Angelbert Brunet, son of Mr. and Mrs. Aime Brunet.

Caza-Quesnel—At the Archbishop's Palace in Valleyfield on Sunday, July 14, 1940, Miss Clarisse Quesnel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Zenophile Quesnel of St. Anicet, to Mr. Alpha Caza, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hidalla Caza.

Ironside-Rennie—On Saturday, July 20, 1940, at the United Church, Huntingdon, Que., the Rev. J. H. Woodside officiating, Mary Grace, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Rennie, Huntingdon, to Algoma Charles Ironside, B.A., son of Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Ironside, Nanaimo, B.C.

Leblanc-Ricard—At St. Joseph's Church, Huntingdon, Saturday, July 20th, 1940, Rev. Father A. Pigeon officiating, Albina Ricard, of Huntingdon, to Jules Leblanc, of St. Anicet.

McCoy-Younie—At Howick United Church on Saturday, July 20, by Rev. Dr. E. H. Gray, assisted by Rev. T. C. Cassidy, Montreal, Miss Margaret Donalda, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Younie, Howick, to Mr. James Brown McCoy, son of the late E. C. McCoy and Mrs. McCoy, of Huntingdon.

McCulloch-Good—At St. Edward's Presbyterian Church, Beauharnois, on Friday, July 12, by the Rev. A. Nimmo, Nelsie Berna, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Good, to Mr. Curtis Guile McCulloch, Westville, N.S.

Quesnel-Caza—At the Archbishop's Palace in Valleyfield on Sunday, July 14, 1940, Miss Marie Rose Caza, daughter of Mr. Alphonse Caza and the late Mrs. Caza, to Mr. Albert Quesnel, son of Mr. and Mrs. Adrien Quesnel of St. Anicet.

Ricard-Lazure — At St. Joseph's Church, Huntingdon, on Saturday July 20th, 1940, Rev. Father Herve Charlebois officiating, Laurentia Lazure, of Huntingdon, to Domina Ricard, also of Huntingdon.

Ricard-Lepage — At St. Joseph's Church, Huntingdon, on Saturday, July 20th, 1940, Rev. Father A. Pigeon officiating, Madeleine Lepage, daughter of the late O. Lepage and Mrs. Lepage, of Huntingdon, to Arthur Ricard, Huntingdon.

Ritchie - Robert — At Russeltown Manse, on July 18th, 1940, by the Rev. Mr. Day, Mrs. Charles Robert, to Mr. Eugene Ritchie.

Trepanier-Deniger — At the Archbishop's Palace in Valleyfield on Sunday, July 14, 1940, Miss Simone Deniger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Phidelem Deniger of Clyde's Corner, to Mr. Etienne Trepanier, son of Mr. and Mrs. Etienne Trepanier.

Vallee-Leblanc—At St. Anicet, Que., on Saturday, July 13, 1940, Rev. Father J. A. Reid officiating, Therese Leblanc, daughter of Mr. Josaphat Leblanc and the late Mrs. Leblanc, to Mr. Elzir Vallee, son of Mr. and Mrs. Emile Vallee of St. Barbe.

Died

Chatelle—At Ville Lasalle, July 20, 1940, Louis A. Chatelle, aged 69 years.

Curran—At her home in Montreal, on July 12, 1940, Miss Elizabeth Curran, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Curran of Covey Hill.

Douglas—At Verdun Hospital, Montreal, on July 20, 1940, George Harold Douglas, in his 42nd year, and son of Mrs. Prevost and of the late Francis Douglas of Rockburn.

McDonald—At Trout River, Quebec, on Saturday, July 13, Findlay McDonald, beloved husband of Jessie Elder, in his 64th year. Interment was made at the Elgin Cemetery.

Sproule—At Montreal, Que., on Saturday, July 13th, 1940, Agnes Laura Head, beloved wife of George Sproule, of Franklin Centre, Que.

Dundee

Miss Victoria Kazulak of Huntingdon is spending a wek's vacation at the home of her mother, Mrs. Mary Kazulak.

It is reported that 15,000 yards of gravel in the gravel pit of Mr. Lyle Currie have been sold for construction work at St. Timothée.

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Upper left: Canadian Weekly Newspaper publishers and wives on the terrace of Banff Springs Hotel, overlooking the beautiful Bow River. Upper right: A snap taken by Mr. Walter Legge, Granby, in the conservatory at Banff Springs Hotel. Seated are: Mr. H. E. McCormick, "The Monitor," Notre Dame de Grace, Mrs. Sellar and A. L. Sellar of "The Gleaner," Huntingdon.

Lower left: Bears at Jasper Park Hotel are always commanding the attention of guests. Here may be seen three big black bears at the hotel dump.

Lower right: A stray big black bear that decided during the middle of the afternoon to ramble through the Jasper Lodge grounds, upset a garbage barrel, eats his toast, has as many as nine amateur photographers take his picture at one time and then goes for a swim.

Powerscourt

The Woman's Association met Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Ernest McHardy's with a very good attendance of members and visitors. The ladies enjoyed a very pleasant afternoon, after which the usual order of devotion and business was conducted by the president. Mrs. McHardy served lunch to the guests present.

Mr. and Mrs. Pedirs and son Lorne from Montreal, are spending their holidays with Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Wood.

Mr. J. McFarlane from Valleyfield, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Wood. Master Jackie McFarlane is spending his holidays at the Wood home.

Mrs. Greenaway, Mr. Dunlevey from Montreal, and the Misses Rogers from Ormstown, were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Ross.

Miss Anderson spent Monday in Ormstown with friends.

Mrs. Preston and Messrs. John and Eddie Morton from Westmount, were Sunday guests at the Koski home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Ross spent Monday in Montreal.

Misses Jean Koskie and Viola Gauthier spent a week with Mr. and Mrs. Sam. Henderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Myatt from Burke, N.Y., called on relatives here on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dear from Massena, N.Y., spent Sunday with Mrs. Harry Dear and family.

Mr. Lewis Dear and Miss Ruby Vallance from Massena, N.Y., were recent guests at the Dear home.

Little Miss Patsy Koski underwent an operation for the removal of her tonsils at the Barrie Memorial Hospital at Ormstown on Monday.

Miss Ellen Paterson spent Monday with the Misses Jean and Patsy Koski.

Mrs. Roy Farquhar and son William and daughter Mabel from Bangor, N.Y., Mrs. Lorenzo Farquhar from Constable, and Mr. John Anderson from Troy, N.Y., called on Mr. and Mrs. Lorenzo McClatchie on Monday.

Miss Margaret Hendrickson from Bridgeport, Conn., is visiting her brother and sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Wood attended the Rennie-Ironside wedding at Huntingdon on Saturday. Also the Younie-McCoy wedding at Howick.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Wallace and family attended the Rennie-Ironside wedding on Saturday at Huntingdon.

Present guests at the Koski home are Mrs. Perjiel, son Eddie and daughter Rosy and Miss Connie Preston, all of Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Jordon, Mrs. Monday and Mrs. Lerue and son from Montreal, called on Mr. and Mrs. Albert Rosevear on Sunday.

Obituary

The Late W. F. McDonald

The community was shocked to hear of the sudden passing of William Findlay McDonald on Saturday, July 13, 1940.

The funeral service was held on Monday, July 15, in the Elgin Presbyterian Church, one of the largest ever held in that church. The service was conducted by Rev. A. Nimmo of Beauharnois, assisted by Rev. Walter Ross of Moose Creek, Ont., Dr. Maclean of Huntingdon and Rev. J. Woodside of Kensington.

Interment took place in Elgin Presbyterian Cemetery. Pall bearers were: F. M. Pease, John A. Carr, Robert Rutherford, William Arthur, W. L. Carr and George D. Elder.

Flower bearers were: Cecil Pease, Wallace Douglas, Kenneth Rutherford, Robert Elder, John D. Elder and Vernon N. Elder. He is survived by his wife (nee Jessie Elder), one son, J. Russell on the farm, and one daughter (Ida), Mrs. J. Leslie McFarlane, and five grandchildren.

Relatives from a distance attending the funeral: Mr. and Mrs. Fred French, Ottawa, Ont.; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Laurence and family, Verdun, Que.; Mrs. K. B. McCallum, Lachine; Miss C. Laurence, Westmount, Que. There were many floral tributes.

Huntingdon Locals

Donates $50 to Fund

Dr. A. H. Maclaren of Calgary writes: "My recollections of the Old Academy are of the happiest," and with that statement encloses his cheque for $50 towards the renovation fund of the old school.

During the latter part of August The Gleaner will be publishing a special edition featuring the new High School building. In this issue will appear a complete list of the contributors towards the renovation fund. If you have not already sent in your contribution, will you please do so just as soon as possible. Remittances may be addressed to Mr. Neil Henderson, Jr., or to Adam L. L. Sellar, Huntingdon.

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Visiting in Ottawa

Mrs. J. Morris Hunter, accompanied by Miss Eleanor Anderson, is spending a few days in Ottawa, Ont., where Mr. Hunter is located with the R.C.A.F.

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Acknowledge Donations

The Huntingdon branch of the Red Cross wishes to acknowledge with thanks the following donations: Bridge Club for yarn, $5; Mrs. W. D. McCormick, $10; Mrs. William Muir, $5; also another member, Miss Ida Anderson.

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Red Cross Rooms Are Closed

The Huntingdon branch of the Red Cross Society announced this week that the Red Cross rooms on Prince Street would be closed until September 4.

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Mrs. John Telfer entertained in honor of Miss Ruth Miller on Tuesday evening, it being Ruth's 18th birthday and a farewell party as well, as Ruth is leaving for Montreal to train for a child's nurse on August 22nd. Covers were laid for twelve. The hostess served a delicious supper, after which a social evening was spent, all joined in wishing Ruth many happy returns of the day and a pleasant stay in Montreal.

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Mrs. E. A. Hutchison and little son Bruce, of Montreal, are spending a few days at the home of her father, Mr. W. H. Brown.

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Anyone having articles for the Huntingdon Red Cross are requested to leave same with Mrs. D. J. O'Connor.

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Miss Dorothy Wadley is visiting with her aunt, Mrs. Adam L. Sellar.

Obituary

The Late Mrs. George Sproule

On Saturday morning, July 13, 1940, there occurred at Montreal, P. Q., the death of Mrs. George Sproule, of Franklin Centre, Que., after a rather brief illness.

Deceased was in her 4th year and was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Michael Head of St. Antoine Abbé, Que. After her marriage to Mr. Sproule in 1920, she went to reside at Franklin Centre where she has since made her home.

Mrs. Sproule was known to all as a kindly neighbor and a true friend. Her sudden passing came as a shock to all. Surviving are her husband and son Edmund; two sisters, Mrs. Margaret Smith and Mrs. Edward Finn of Ormstown, a niece Miss Madeleine Finn, also of Ormstown and a nephew, Mr. John Smith of Montreal, Que.

The funeral service was held Monday morning at 10 o'clock at the St. Antoine Abbé church. Her pastor, Rev. Father Moreau officiating; Rev. Father A. Goyette of Ste. Martine, Que., a former pastor was also present.

Allan's Corners

Mrs. Andrew Strathan of Brandon, Man., was the week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Bryson and visited friends in the vicinity.

BREN GUN CAMPAIGN PASSES OBJECTIVE; $2,400 COLLECTED

The sum of $2,400 has been raised by residents of the County of Huntingdon in the campaign which was launched in June for the purpose of purchasing Bren Guns. Of this amount $100 will be used to defray expenses incurred and the net amount will be made payable to the Minister of National Defence.

The organizers of the campaign stated that the increase was largely due to late returns from the surrounding municipalities. It was also intimated that there are a few canvassers to hear from and that it would not be surprising if Huntingdon reached the $2,500 mark. Huntingdon's set objective in this campaign was in the neighbourhood of $1,000.

Howick

The Georgetown Bible Class held their Lawn Social on Friday evening on the church lawn. Despite the occasional showers the entertainment was largely attended. A varied programme of solos, songs, recitations, dancing by the Cullen children and a one-act play by the Bible class was presented, which were enjoyed by all. Candy and other refreshments were sold during the intermission. The proceeds amounted to $50. We are indebted to Miss Lucille Rose, Misses Eleanor and Barbara Orr, Messrs. Robert Ellis, Fisher and Revs. Nimmo and Flint for their aid in making the social a success.

Dundee

Mrs. Elizabeth McLennan a retired Missionary from China gave an address on her work in that country on Sunday evening in the United Church. The speaker traced the development of the Christian movement in China since four missionaries of the old Presbyterian church went there on their mission some 50 years ago. Despite setbacks and opposition from all sides said Miss McLennan the march of religion has gone forward during the intervening years since the turn of the century. Even the Japanese invasion in 1936 when an attempt was made to overthrow their work the missionaries continued on with indomitable courage and steadfastness of faith. Miss McLennan also related many interesting experiences in connection with her work in China and gave a vivid description of what Japanese air raids were like, as even the Mission compounds were not spared. The keynote of the address was a keen sense of optimism that even temporary setbacks would not daunt the spirit of the church to move forward toward its goal of bringing the Gospel to China. Miss McLennan spoke under the auspices of the Women's Missionary Society and was introduced by Rev. H. Lindley the church pastor who also extended the thanks of the congregation to the speaker for her address. A special offering was taken for Misisonary work which amounted to $6.60.

The Women's Association held a Food Sale at Fraser's Point on Saturday evening. Due to inclement weather the sale had to be held indoors at Mr. Arthur Fraser's house instead of on the lawn as previously planned. The president, Mrs. R. G. Steven reports that all but two articles of food were sold and the proceeds amounted to $28.

Mr. James Colquhoun who is a patient in the Montreal General is reported improving rapidly and expects to be home the first of the coming week pending the doctor's approval. Members of the family visited him on Sunday. The United Church Sunday School sent Mr. Colquhoun a bouquet of flowers last week as a remembrance during his sickness.

Mrs. Amy Scott, Mrs. D. S. Smellie and Mrs. N. D. McPhee motored to Montreal on Sunday to visit Miss Ina Smellie at the Royal Edward Institute.

Shawinigan Gross Sets A New Record

Returns For Half Year Top Eight Million Dollars

Shawinigan Water and Power Co. gross income for the first half of 1940 was the highest for any corresponding period since the company started operations in 1898, according to The Financial Post.

The sharp improvement in industrial operations in the territory served, especially in the newsprint field, brought gross revenue for the six months ended June, 1940, to nearly $8.1 millions, or at an annual rate of better than $16 millions. For the first half of 1939 gross amounted to better than $7.2 millions, or at an annual rate of around $14.5 millions.

The improvement in gross was not carried through to net. The increased volume of business brought about an increase in operating expenses of nearly $80,000. Power purchased jumped by $98,000, while general taxes advanced $45,000. Premium paid on foreign exchange to meet bond interest rose from $12,000 last year to $131,449 this year. An additional $100,000 was set aside for depreciation.

The most marked increase in expenses occurred in income taxes, included provision for excess profits tax. This charge for the past half year amounted to $504,571 or more than double that for the like period of 1939.

Despite the relatively heavy increase in taxes, the company was able to show a net available on the common stock of $1,133,722 or 52 cents a share. This was slightly larger than for the first half of 1939 and comfortably in excess of dividend requirements.

Comparative figures on the revenue and expense statement for the first half of 1940 and 1939 follows:

Statement of Revenue and Expenses

	1940	1939
Gross revenue ..	$8,065,652	$7,244,215
6 months ended June 30		
Less:		
Gen. exp., etc.	1,726,821	1,646,053
Power purch. ..	957,915	861,958
Water rentals..	235,271	239,819
Taxes	547,149	502,366
Net revenue	4,598,496	3,994,019
Less:		
Fixed charges.	1,928,752	1,876,004
Exchange	131,449	12,000
Depreciation ..	900,000	800,000
Income taxes .	504,572	198,945
Surplus	1,133,723	1,107,070

BEAUHARNOIS CLUB TO STAGE REGATTA

A lengthy and diversified program is promised visitors at Beauharnois this week-end when the annual regatta, sponsored by the Beauharnois Boating Club, will be held.

Mel Smith, Canadian outboard champion and winner of the Valleyfield trophy in that division last week, will be on hand, facing stiff competition from Frank Baker, C. Keough, E. Jacoby, D. Stewart and other noted American drivers.

In the grand free-for-all race, bringing together Dr. Paul Latour of Montreal with his streamlined craft Meteore, the ace American speedster Dave Forman of Buffalo with Eaglet III, Gerry Lanthier of St. Eustache and his boat, White Prince, in addition to several other entries, the racing is expected to provide one of the major thrills of the season.

Saturday's program scheduled for 1.30 p.m. will be devoted to local events. Rowboat and canoe races, and swimming events will comprise the first days' program. Sunday will see the powerboats in action including hydroplanes, outboards, runabouts, and a special race for boats powered with Ford motors. The first event will start at 1.00 p.m.

I.O.O.F. OFFICERS ARE INSTALLED AT VALLEYFIELD

Saturday evening last the Independent Foresters had on the occasion of the affiliation of Courts, Valleyfield No 523 and Courts Lasnier No 4381, as guests the following High Court Officers: High Chief Ranger, Honore Emond; High Vice Chief, Dr. H. Prudhomme; High Past Chief, W. Shannon; High Secretary, Henri Rochon; High Treasurer, F. W. Brown; High Counsellor, H. Bricault; Provincial Organiser, John McElroy.

Short addresses were made by the high officers explaining the many benefits of the Foresters. The following officers were installed into their respective offices by H. C. R. Emond, V.C.R. H. Prudhomme and H. C. H. Bricault:

C.D.H.C.R. Bro. Raoul Theoret; C.R. Bro. Wm. J. Shannon; V.C.R. Bro. H. Gauthier; R. Sec'y Bro. Geo. Crook; Fin. Sec'y Bro. W. Shannon; Treas., Bro. R. Green; S.W. Bro. H. Jones; J. W. Bro. Florian Rheaume; Orator Bro. Oliva Poirier; Organist Bro. Adolphe Rheaume; S. B., Bro. Florian Chasle; J.B., Bro. Thos. Crook.

It is expected that many new members will be added to the membership shortly.

GRADE X RESULTS AT ORMSTOWN HIGH

Results in the grade 10 examinations at Ormstown High School are as follows:

Class 1: Audrey McDougall.

Class 2: Thelma Todd, Barbara Orr, Florence Hingston, Ethel Glen, Cameron English.

Class 3: Russell McDougall.

Conditional: Douglas McDonald, Eleanor Taylor, Marjorie Hooker, Douglas Rogers.

BEAUHARNOIS EKE OUT CLOSE VICTORY AT HUNTINGDON

Beauharnois Blue Birds tennis aggregation eked out a close victory over Huntingdon on Tuesday by 4-3 in a regular tennis league match played at Huntingdon.

Both teams battled it out until the last set when the combination L. Hampson, Dr. Brisson of Huntingdon, bowed to B. Butler, J. A. Dagenais by 6-0, 6-4.

The losing team played their best games of the year that evening with Bernice McCartney stealing the show in the ladies' singles against Mrs. W. Sullivan, of Beauharnois. Miss McCartney's powerful back-hand drive netted Huntingdon some fine points in this contest.

Following are the results of the games:—

Rennie, 6-0, 6-0, vs. L. Stoddard; I. Hunter and E. Hunter, 6-5, 6-1, vs. H. Marchand and S. Leduc; B. McCartney, 6-3, 6-4, vs. Mrs. W. Sullivan; D. Payne and F. Cleyn, vs. L. J. Gagnon and Mrs. A. Renaud, 6-0, 6-3; W. Renaud and B. Sullivan, 6-5, 6-4, vs. Z. D'Aoust and C. Morris; C. Gardiner vs. W. Sullivan, 6-5, 6-1; B. Butler and J. A. Dagenais, 6-0, 6-4, vs. Dr. Brisson and L. Hampson.

Herdman

Miss Rosie Yorke and Master Roy Yorke returned to Montreal last Saturday, after spending three weeks at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Murdoth Rosevear.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Dixon, also Mr. and Mrs. George Donaldson, all of Verdun, are spending their holidays at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Royal E. Gamble. Mr. and Mrs. A. Smith and daughter Helen, and Mrs. M. Sawers of Montreal, were Sunday guests at the same home.

Mrs. Emma Gamble, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Gamble and son Ronald were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Cooper.

Mr. John Lowden and his mother, Mrs. Hariett Lowden, were Tuesday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Royal E. Gamble.

BURNSIDE YOUNG PEARLINE RANKS HIGH IN 305-DAY DIVISION

The secretary, Canadian Ayrshire Breeders' Association reports that during the month of July he received the reports of 127 cows and heifers which have qualified in the R.O.P.—56 in the 365 day division and 71 in the Honour Roll or 305 day division.

Forty-six of the 56 records in the 365 day division were made on two milkings-a-day.

In the Honor Roll or 305 day division 61 of the 71 records were made on two milkings-a-day.

In the mature class of this category Burnside Young Pearline, owned by R. R. Ness & Sons, Howick, obtained 10,895 lbs. milk, 459 lbs. fat and the average test was 4.21% fat.

Obituary

The Late Miss Lizzie Curran

The death of Miss Lizzie Curran occurred suddenly at her home in Montreal on July 12. The deceased, who was the third daughter of the late James and Theresa Curran, was born at Covey Hill, where she spent the earlier part of her life, moving to Montreal in 1908, where she lived until her decease.

She leaves to mourn her loss, two sisters, Miss Lucy Curran and Mrs. Laura Bremner of Montreal, and two brothers, John of Montreal and Albert of Covey Hill, besides several nephews and nieces.

The funeral service, which was conducted by the Rev. Mr. Day, was held in the Covey Hill United Church on Sunday. Interment was made in the Covey Hill Cemetery.

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Heinz Ketchup, large bottle	15c
Broadway Salad Dressing, 32 oz. jar	39c
McLaren's Stuffed Olives, 8 oz. bottle	23c
Large Jar Mustard	14c
Pure Lard, lb.	10c
Floor Wax, lb. tin	23c

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Large Crowd Attend Rally At Ormstown

Second Annual Rally of League of Sacred Heart Well Attended—Procession Feature Program

A congregation estimated at more than 3,000 took part in the second annual rally of the League of the Sacred Heart, which was held at Ormstown on Sunday, July 14. Canon J. Laframboise of St. Stanislas de Kostka, presided at the religious function.

The procession included delegates from Huntingdon, Ormstown, Howick, St. Anicet, Ste. Barbe, Ste. Martine, Valleyfield, Beauharnois, Ste. Philomene and many other points.

Special prayers for peace were heard that evening in order that world conditions might become settled.

At the repository, which was erected on the church grounds, two sermons were heard. Rev. Father A. Patenaude of Howick, spoke in French, while Rev. Father Pigeon of Huntingdon spoke in English.

Following the benediction of the Blessed Sacrament addresses were heard from the guests of honor, J. Hebert of Montreal, chairman of the League of Sacred Heart for Canada; and Rev. Father P. P. Belanger, S.J., of Montreal.

At the conclusion of the religious ceremony, Rev. Father T. Delage of Ormstown thanked the gathering for coming in such large numbers and from all points of the counties.

The Valleyfield band brought the evening to a close by rendering a band concert.

Questionnaire for ...

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past 12 months?——; (B) if out of work now, state number of weeks since last employed in any occupation other than worry performed in return for direct relief——; (C) are you totally incapacitated for employment?——.

Following are questions to be answered by men only:

16. (A1) Were you brought up on a farm?——; (A2) until what age? ——; (B1) Have you worked on a farm?——; (B2) How long?——; (B3) In what province or country? ——; (C1) Can you handle horses? ——; (C2) Drive a tractor?——; (C3) Use farm machinery?——; (C4) Can you milk?——; (C5) Are you able to do other farm work?——.

17. Is there any particular occupation in which you would like to be specially trained?

18. Defence services:

(1) Have you previously served in any naval, military or air forces? ——; if so, state: (A) forces of what country——; (B) approximate dates between which services performed ——; (C) unit——; (D) rank held ——;

(2) If retired or discharged, give reasons therefor——;

(3) Have you been rejected for military service in the present war? ——; (A) why?——; (B) where?

The following questions are to be answered by women only:

16. State length of experience (in years) if any in: (A) general farming?——; (B) truck farming? ——; (C) fruit farming?——; (D) poultry farming?——; (E) dairy farming?——; (F) business establishments?——.

17. Can you (A) handle horses? ——; (B) drive motor trucks?——; (C) drive an automobile?——; (D) drive a tractor?——; (E) use farm machinery?—— (F) milk cows?——; (G) do plain cooking?——.

18. Indicate here any qualifications or practical experience which you possess, not already described ——.

19. Do your circumstances permit you to serve in the present national crisis, by changing your present occupation to some other for which you are qualified?——; (A) where you can return home daily?——; (B) away from home?——.

BOY DROWNED AS CAR PLUNGES INTO BAY OF QUINTE

While playing at hide-and-seek with his little sister, Douglas Huffman of Belleville lost his life on Saturday afternoon when he was plunged into the Bay of Quinte in an automobile that sank to the bottom taking its child victim with it before the eyes of his mother and other relatives.

He was the son of Pte. John Huffman, now serving with the Hastings and Prince Edward Regiment overseas.

Mrs. Huffman, accompanied by her two children and a sister, Mrs. McCullough, Belleville, was taken to Rednersville by a relative, in the latter's automobile. The elderly folk were engaged in fishing off the Rednersville dock, while the children were playing about. The motor car was parked some 20 feet from the edge of the dock and left in gear.

Douglas while playing at hide-and-seek with his three-year-old sister, Doris, climbed into the parked automobile to hide. It is believed by authorities that the little lad leaned against the clutch pedal and released the clutch, thus allowing the car to roll off the dock, as the vehicle was found to be in gear when located in 20 feet of water of the dock. The car passed the horrified mother as it rolled into the bay. Mrs. Huffman having been sitting within five feet of the car as it rolled unmolested off the dock.

The screams of the woman soon brought assistance and men dived into the water in attempts to release the confined boy, but the pressure was too great. Robert Babcock of Rednersville, and Harry McCreary, Belleville, succeeded in breaking a window to relieve the pressure, but it was not until 30 minutes of effort that Mr. Babcock finally cut a hole in the top of the car and pulled the child to the surface. The car was later raised by two Belleville tow trucks.

An inhalator was rushed from Belleville and the firemen labored over the boy, until the lad was pronounced dead one hour and twelve minutes after the accident occurred. —Picton Gazette.

Mel Smith Gains ...

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to 2 Saturday victory in the inboard hydro event. Gus Fecteau of Montreal placed second in the opening day's card when he trailed T. Arnstein of White Plains, N.Y., to the finish in the class A outboard.

A few mishaps occurred during Sunday's program, but fortunately no one was injured. Driving Tony Patenaude's runabout, A. Myre of Valleyfield swerved to avoid another boat at the start of a race and was tossed overboard. The boat careened crazily across the bay at high speed, plunging straight for the embankment where the crowd scattered in confusion. It crashed headlong into the breakwater and the hull was splintered to matchwood.

Gerry Lanthier's powerful White Prince, a 225 hydroplane, shipped water while lying off the judges' barge, and sank close to the shore, putting the boat out of commission for the rest of the day. Lanthier luckily had finished his competitive racing for the afternoon.

Added to that there were a few spills in high speed turns round the buoys during the outboard racing, which gave the big crowd a bit of excitement. The drivers were fished out quickly and the boats recovered, waterlogged but otherwise undamaged.

Athelstan

We are glad to report that Master Neil Gray, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. Gray, is improving nicely, following his serious operation in the Montreal General Hospital last week. We wish the little lad a complete recovery.

Miss Helen Elder of St. Lambert, was home over the week-end.

Havelock

The Misses Georgina and Margery Atkinson of Holyoke, Mass., are spending some time with their uncle and aunt here.

LOUIS CHATELLE, MERCIER BRIDGE PROMOTER, DIES

Louis Chatelle, ex-mayor of Ville La Salle, died at his home Saturday after an illness of year's duration. Mr. Chatelle was a prominent citizen in Ville Lasalle and was well and favorably known by many in Valleyfield and in the Chateauguay Valley.

Mr. Chatelle played an important part towards having the Mercier Bridge erected. On one occasion when a great mass meeting was held at Ormstown with a view to bringing pressure to bear, so that the bridge might be built by the provincial government, with the federal government giving its consent to a navigable stream being bridged. Louis Chatelle appeared very much a man of the hour. Mr. Chatelle made an oration which one might feel no government minister would care to rebuff; in other words, it would be disastrous for a party to oppose him. It was really amusing when the late Hon. James A. Robb arose and opened his address by assuring the public they need not pity him after hearing Louis Chatelle, for he knew Louis for many years and as a worthy sales manager for McDonald and Robb. With this statement the audience howled with laughter, knowing that Mr. Robb was not put into an embarrassing position by Mr. Chatelle's remarks. Mr. Robb knew what Mr. Chatelle had been saying about the necessity of the bridge was all too true. Mr. Robb gave his approval to the scheme and we do not doubt but that the whole-hearted co-operation of Louis Chatelle, along with the late Hon. Honoré Mercier and the late Hon. James A. Robb had much to do with the bringing about of this much used bridge.

Mr. Chatelle, who was in his 70th year, was born and attended school at St. Isidore de Prescott, Ont. After completing his studies at Cornwall he became connected with the McDonald & Robb Milling Co., at Valleyfield, in 1903. Five years later he moved to Verdun and was commercial traveller for Western Canada Flour Mills until 1915. When McDonald & Robb absorbed Brunneau, Currie & Co., Ltd., wholesale flour firm, Mr. Chatelle joined the new company with which he remained until his retirement in 1935.

He was founder and first president of the Catholic Commercial Travellers' Association and was secretary-treasurer of the corporation which supervised the construction and maintenance of the Honoré Mercier Bridge. He was also a founder of the parish of Notre Dame du Sacre Coeur, Ville La Salle, and in the ten years when he was mayor he was twice elected by acclamation.

He is survived by his wife, formerly Anna Aubry and eight sons, Romeo Chatelle of Syracuse, N.Y.; Rev. Brother Auguste of the Sacred Heart Brothers, Granby; Albert, Jean, Gerard, Bruno, Paul Emlie and Gilles Chatelle of Ville La Salle, and two daughters, Rev. Sister Marie Louise Gilles and Miss Laurette Chatelle.

Hemmingford

Mrs. Jessie Soderstrom and son John of Pittsfield, Mass., arrived Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. McKay for a visit there and with other relatives.

Mrs. Halton Kennedy and daughter Myrna of Montreal, spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Smirle.

Mrs. C. C. Dean and daughter Margaret are spending ten days at the home of Mrs. Nesbitt in Buckingham.

Mr. Walter McNaughton and daughter Miss Bessie McNaughton, Mrs. J. G. McNaughton, Mrs. Morrison McCrea, Mrs. Margaret Lindsay of Ormstown, returned on Sunday from a four week's trip to Winnipeg.

Mrs. James Bell and son James of Valleyfield and Mr. and Mrs. George Cookman of Lacolle, were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. Chas. Seller.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Brogan, Mrs. D. O'Mera from Montreal and Miss O'Meara from Montreal and Miss were Sunday guests last Sunday at Mr. Henry Ouimet's.

Mr. Hugh Orr and Mr. Greer Orr from Providence, R.I., are visiting their brother, Mr. Frank Orr of Barrington and other relatives.

Mrs. W. F. Orr is spending a few days in Montreal with friends.

Mrs. Wanita Upton and son Walter spent a few days the past week at the home of her brother, Mr. Vernon Ellerton, in Hallerton.

Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Fitzsimmons of Toronto, Ont., are spending a week at the home of Mrs. Fitzsimmon's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Ellerton.

Miss Gertrude Keddy of Valleyfield, spent the week-end at the Colling's home.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Smith visited Mrs. Smith's brother, Mr. Ernest Norris at Granby, Sunday.

Miss Ann Reid and her friend, Miss Norma Hamilton of Mooers, N.Y., are spending ten days at Cedar Lodge, Lake Memphramagog.

Mr. and Mrs. George Disher, Misses Edythe and Muriel McKay, Mr. Geo. Dingle of Montreal, were week-end guests at the home of Mr. G. A. McKay.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Marshal and daughter Norma from Asbestos, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Petch.

Miss Margaret Laurie is spending her vacation with her grandmother, Mrs. Laurie in Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. Kaz. Dickow, Mr. and Mrs. S. Cooper and Bruce Cooper of East Angus, spent the week-end at the Reid home. Mrs. Cooper, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Reid, for a month, returned home with them.

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Goodfellow and sons David and John, are enjoying a vacation at Lake McDonald in the Laurentians.

Mrs. George Kenney visited her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Porter at their cottage in St. Eustache the past week. Mr. and Mrs. Porter accompanied Mrs. Kenney home and spent the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. George Winterbottom and sons Gordon and Dale of Beekmantown, spent Sunday at Mr. Russel Williams.

District News Notes ...

Ormstown

Meeting of The W.A. At Ormstown

A meeting of Mrs. Frank Smith's group of the Women's Auxiliary of the Barrie Memorial Hospital was held at the home of Mrs. J. Kerr, Monday, July 22, the following members attending: Mrs. J. Taylor, Miss Stubbs, Mrs. George Finlayson, Mrs. Peter Finlayson, Mrs. J. A. Smellie, Mrs. Peter Dickson, Mrs. Earl Sadler, Mrs. Allan English, Mrs. C. J. Bryson, Mrs. F. Smith.

Donations to the Barrie Memorial Hospital: Flogers—Mrs. R. C. Jarvis, Mrs. McNeil, United Church; fruit—Anonymous; vegetables—Mrs. and Miss Lang; electric fan—Anonymous; half dozen glass tea towels —Anonymous; $10—Mrs. H. Paxton, $10—Mr. eGorge C. McClintock.

On Friday evening Mrs. D. F. McIntyre entertained the members of the Women's Institute. Six ladies were present and enjoyed a pleasant and profitable evening.

Mr. and Mrs. George E. Cottingham are moving to town this week, having recently purchased the property of Mrs. R. E. Walsh on Victoria Street.

Miss Claire Simmons returned on Sunday to her home in Montreal, after spending a couple of weeks with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Rice.

Mrs. W. Victor Eliott, Ruth and Don of Moose Jaw, Sask., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm McNaughton.

Mrs. M. E. Lindsay returned this week from a month's vacation with her sister, Miss Agnes Campbell at Duluth, Minn.

Dr. and Mrs. C. A. Hoffman and two little daughters, Nancy and Justine, of Plainfield, N.J., spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Elder, before going to Port Lewis for a three weeks' stay.

Miss Melva Campbell left last week on a motor trip to Winnipeg where she will be the guest of her aunt, Miss Emma Campbell.

Miss Sarah Murphy, R.N., of Syracuse, N.Y., is spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Murphy.

Mr. and Mrs. Hiseman returned to Montreal on Friday after having spent a week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dougall McCaig.

Miss Anna Sills of Montreal is spending three weeks at her home here.

Franklin Centre

Mr. Egbert Bruce of Montreal is spending a week's vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bryce Bruce.

Mr. and Mrs. Lacey and son, Ronald, Mr. and Mrs. Boyle and Joan of Montreal, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Todd.

Mr. and Mrs. Tingley and family of Montreal were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Leahy.

The W.M.S. was held at the home of Mrs. J. F. Manning on Thursday afternoon. The afternoon was spent in sewing. A dainty lunch was served at the close of the meeting by the hostess, assisted by Miss Jean Manning.

Mr. and Mrs. Colin Baxter and Joan of Grand Cascapedia, and Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Bruce of Aubrey, were Wednesday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bryce Bruce.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Chartrand spent Sunday with friends in Valleyfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Tate of Westmount spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Rowe.

Mr. and Mrs. Earle McNiece and Marianna Smith of Montreal were Sunday evening guests of Mrs. Sharpe and family.

We are sorry to hear that Mrs. Jos. Smith is a patient in the General Hospital, where she underwent a very serious operation on Saturday morning. Latest reports are that she is doing as well as can be expected.

Mrs. J. Mills and Mrs. Stanley McNeil spent Sunday in Huntingdon, the guests of Mrs. Ada and Mr. William McCartney.

Congratulations are offered to Miss May MacMillan as the winner of the "popular lady" contest, which was held in the town hall the past week, sponsored by the Matthews' Show Company. May received a lovely china tea set, one fruit set, one glass water set and one glass cake plate.

Miss Ethyline Moore and Messrs. George and Fergus Moore of Hemmingford spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. N. M. Brooks.

Mr. Harold McGugan has returned to his home in Mystic, Conn., after spending some time with his sister, Mrs. J. F. Manning.

Trout River

Mrs. Mary Anderson has returned home after spending two weeks' holidays with her daughter, Myrtle, and family, of Hudson, N.Y.

Miss Ida Anderson received a cablegram from Commander K. M. Greig stating that he had been awarded the Distinguished Service Order, awarded for bravery at the evacuation of Dunkirk.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lawrence, Gerald, Bobby and Buddy Markey called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. Elder recently, Gerald and Buddy remaining for a week's holiday.

Miss Chrissie Laurence is spending some time with relatives and friends in this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. George St. Onge of Valleyfield (née Estelle Carriere) spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Adrien Carriere.

Mr. Harry Dean, who has been a patient in Malone Alice Hyde Hospital, is greatly improved and is staying with his son, Arthur, for some time, still having to make frequent visits to the hospital for treatment.

Mr. Dean has been down to Border several times and visited with his family.

Dundee

Little Miss Hugette Janson returned on Saturday to her home in Sherbrooke after having spent the past two weeks with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. G. Lando.

Aubrey-Riverfield

The Saturday evening concert in Riverfield Church Hall was in charge of the Akita C.G.I.T. group and took the form of a popular baby contest with five babies or small children three years and under competing as follows: Berta Orr, Sheila McCurdy, Eva Maryln MacFarlane, Shirley Hester Flint and Helen Craig, Berta Orr coming first with 700 votes. A very interesting programme was put on by the C.G.I.T. girls as well as by others, Mr. Geo. McArthur delighting the audience with several selections from Dr. Drummond, Mrs. Patrick with songs, Mr. Mervyn Craig and daughter Marion with violin and quitar selections, Helen Craig and Donald Flint with recitations. Ice cream and cake were sold at the conclusion of the evening's performance, the C.G.I.T. girls netting the nice sum of $38.00.

Saturday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar McKell were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sadler and three children of Flaxcombe, Sask., and Miss Enid Gilson of Rosemount.

Mr. and Mrs. R. McDougall and Buddy of Hawthorne, N.J., are spending their vacation at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ern. Reddick.

Miss Edith Nussey of Montreal, who recently underwent an operation for appendicitis, is convalescing at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Easton.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Stewart and sons, and Mrs. Patrick of Montreal, were Monday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Orr.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. E. Orr, Eric and Erskine and Mrs. John Orr were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Steele, Rockburn.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Stevenson and Bruce of Ottawa, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Bruce, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Graves of Ottawa, were Sunday guests at this home.

Roxham

Mr. and Mrs. John Fleming of Malone, N.Y., spent the week-end with Mrs. Ruth Wing.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Wing of Woods Falls, N.Y., were Sunday guests of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Smith.

Dr. Abram of Hemmingford, who is attending Mrs. John McClelland in her illness found her slightly better on his last call. Her many friends sincerely hope she will continue to improve. Sorry to hear that Mr. McClelland is in very poor health.

Mr. Frank Wallace spent the week-end with his family. Mr. and Mrs. Stephens of Montreal were Sunday guests at the same home.

Sorry to hear that Mr. Gilbert Fewster is ill with rheumatism and confined to bed.

Mr. and Mrs. John Smith and son Ross were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Whyte, Hallerton.

Mrs. Robt. Akester spent Wednesday with Mrs. John E. Smith.

Robson

Mr. H. Comber and daughter Miss Bernice Comber of Montreal, are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Sample.

Mr. Gordon Orr and sister, Miss Maybelle Orr of St. Lambert, are visiting at the home of their uncle, Mr. Robert Blair.

Mr. and Mrs. Alcide Dauphinais of Massena, N.Y., spent the week-end here.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Tolhurst and son Robert, also little daughter of Cartierville were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Whiteside Kearns.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Gosling motored to Sutton and spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Bradshaw.

Franklin Centre

Miss Gertrude Carson is spending a few days at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Wilson at Brooklet.

The Misses Helen and Lyla Brooks spent last week with their grandmother, Mrs. Wm. Steele.

Miss Luella Stevenson is at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Murdoth Rosevear.

Miss Doreen Jackson is a guest for a few days of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Jackson.

Miss Marjory Cook of Rochester, N.Y., spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Everett Tremblay. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rushford, Mr. and Mrs. John Rushford, of Churubusco, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hawley and family of Malone, were also Sunday guests at the Tremblay home.

Mr. Harry Prime of Carleton Place, Ont., is spending his holidays with Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Greenway.

Athelstan

Guests this week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bouthiller are Mr. and Mrs. Roy Boyer and family of Montreal. Other guests at the same home were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Burgess of Montreal, Messrs. Sylvester Galipeau and Lawrence Roy, Huntingdon, and Mr. and Mrs. P. Gasken and family of Montreal.

Work was started on Monday morning in connection with the building of the new bridge in Athelstan. The temporary bridge is being built farther down stream, entrance to same from the east side being through Mr. E. A. McHardy's property. Mr. D. J. O'Connor is the contractor.

Brysonville

Mrs. Charles Tennier and two children, Clarke and Ronald, of Port Colborne, Ont., spent a few days last week with her uncle, and aunt Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cairns.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Tilton of Cornwall, Ont., called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cairns on Wednesday of last week.

Messrs. Ivan and Burton Cairns of Montreal, are spending a week's vacation with their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sadler and family of Flaxscombe, Sask., and M. T. F. Ritchie and Mrs. F. S. Browne, of the Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Lang.

FETED



MR. RAPHAEL BELANGER, newly appointed manager of the City of Valleyfield, who was feted by friends at the Salaberry Club last week. He will take charge in September.

Tatehurst

Two Presentations at P.Y.P.S.

On Thursday evening the Presbyterian Young People's Society was entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alan Hooker. Misses Marjorie Hooker and Myrtle Forrester prepared the evening's program which proved to be very enjoyable. Following the opening exercises, Rev. White called Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Rember and Mr. and Mrs. James Greer, both couples very recently married, extending to them the good wishes of the society and welcoming Mrs. Rember and Mrs. Greer to the community. Mrs. White and Mrs. A. Hooker then presented each bride with a pyrex set as a token of esteem from the Society. Messrs. Rember and Greer very suitably replied to the presentations and extended an invitation to all to visit them in their homes. A social time was then enjoyed. A treasure hunt, previously laid, and leading the guests to every corner of the property caused much hilarity. Mr. James Greer being the first to discover the treasure. Several other outdoor games were played on the lawn during the evening. Mr. Alex Thompson, who recently enlisted in the Black Watch, was present at the meeting, and members of the P.Y.P.S. assured him their good wishes went with him, as he gave his services to defend their country. Lunch was served to thirty members and guests by the committee in charge. Mr. White extended a vote of thanks to the host and hostess for the use of their home and the meeting closed with the National Anthem.

Mrs. Mary McNeil returned home Friday evening after spending the past three weeks at Howick and Riverfield.

Mrs. Gordon Leney is visiting friends in Montreal.

Miss Thelma MacDougall spent the past week with Mr. and Mrs. Archie Marshall.

Miss Enid Gilson of Rosemount, and Miss Marjorie Sadler of Flaxcombe, Sask., were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alan Hooker.

Master Hooker Pearce of Dewittville, spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Earle Hooker.

Mrs. Salts and Billy of Montreal, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Hooker, Master Billy remaining at the Hooker home for several weeks.

Mr. John Whiteford, Mrs. Mary McNeil, Mr. and Mrs. Alan Hooker, Lyndon and Brian, motored to Maxville and Moose Creek on Sunday, attending church service and spending the day with Rev. and Mrs. Ross and Helen. Mr. Robert Ellis accompanied them as far as Maxville.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. Smith of Montreal were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Hooker.

Mr. and Mrs. Carson Wallace of Roxham spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gruer, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Gruer and Donald.

Miss Gertrude Brooks of Franklin, visited on Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Allan Cavers.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sadler, Marjorie, Boyd and Sterling of Flaxcombe, Sask., and Miss Enid Gilson called on friends in this vicinity on Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Marjorie Hooker is spending this week with friends in Montreal.

Miss Sybil McMullan is with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace MacMullan at present, having recently undergone a tonsil operation.

Mrs. William Perry of Covey Hill, was a guest last Wednesday of Mr. and Mrs. George Hooker.

Mr. Moorhouse of Arnprior, Ont., was a caller last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Hooker.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Ovans and Glen, Mr. Eddie Hooker and Ruth spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Ovans, Phillipsburg.

Mrs. Duchenay and family of Montreal, are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Edgar McIntosh and John.

Miss Ethel Cavers of Huntingdon, visited Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Ovans.

Miss Margaret Ferns of Kilbain, was a guest last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Scott. Mrs. Scott and Miss Ferns spent the week-end in Montreal, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Riddoch and Patsy. Miss Ferns remained to spend this week with her cousin, Mrs. Riddoch.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Cavers of Phillipsburg, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert MacDougall, Mrs. Moe, Sr., returning with them to celebrate her 88th birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Jarvis and Jack of N.D.G., were Sunday callers at the Upton home.

On Monday quite a severe storm struck this vicinity, the silo at the home of Mr. Robert MacDougall was struck by lightning, causing much damage. It is believed it will have to be totally repaired. Several trees in the neighborhood were also shattered.

Committees of the Upper and Lower Ormstown Group, Presbyterian Ladies' Aid are busy preparing in their various departments for a lawn social to be held on the church lawn on August 6th. Mrs. Robert Gruer is entertaining the ladies this week when definite plans will be completed.

Mr. and Mrs. Galbraith of Granby are visiting this week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Tate.

Masters Billy and Ralph Murphy of Montreal, are spending this week with Raymond Meikle.

Bled to Death From Biting His Tongue

Third Fatality in Grenville Family Due To Bleeding

Laurier Larocque, eight-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Larocque, Grenville, Que., died as the result of haemorrhage from what appeared a minor cut caused by biting his tongue. The boy, it is reported, was a "bleeder" or haemophiliac—a type in whom the blood will not coagulate, and who present a problem to the medical profession in such minor injuries as would readily heal in the average patient. It is understood that two youngsters in the same family have been previous victims to this oft-times fatal malady.

Laurier Larocque was playing at his home last Tuesday with his brother, when in some way he bit the tip of his tongue and caused it to bleed. The bleeding was stopped, and the child's father, returning from work in the evening, kept a watch on the boy. Through the night there was no sign of serious haemorrhage, but in the morning the serious bleeding started again The youngster was then removed to Dr. Smith's Hospital at Hawkesbury. Medical aid, however, was unavailing. Nothing could be done to remedy the condition and the boy died around 8 o'clock in the evening.

Surviving with his parents are three other children. — Lachute Watchman.

Howick

Mrs. Ellen Carmichael visited for a few days with relatives in Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Graves of Ottawa, and Mrs. Gay of Huntingdon, were week-end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Welch.

Mr. and Mrs. Mattice of Brockville, visited at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Cameron.

Mrs. Dawson of Montreal, was the guest on Sunday of the Misses Muir.

Mrs. W. E. Cline and Mr. Jack Cline of Vancouver, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Stewart.

Mrs. Jas. Robertson and daughter Laura, spent Sunday with friends in Montreal.

Miss Ethel Alexander of Montreal spent the week-end the guests of the Misses Logan.

Mrs. Robert Robertson and son Jimmie of Bainsville, Ont., are spending two weeks at the home of her mother, Mrs. Jas. Robertson.

The Howick lady curlers met on Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. W. F. Welch. Miss Etta Stewart, the president, on behalf of the lady curlers, presented Miss Margaret Younie with sterling silver tea spoons. A social evening was spent and dainty refreshments were served.

Covey Hill

On Sunday evening, July 14, a church rally for the Orange lodges of the district was held in the Union Church with Mr. J. Gordon Troyer, Presbyterian pastor, in charge of the service, while Rev. Mr. Duncan of Franklin Centre and Rev. Mr. Day of Russeltown and Covey Hill United churches also took part in the devotions. Mr. Troyer took occasion to welcome Mr. Day in a special way as having but just entered on the duties of his new pastorate here.

A large number of brethren from Franklin and Hemmingford were present, also members of the L.O.B.A. The congregation of about 180 persons recalled memories of a day when large families were the rule and church going was fashionable and the sight of well-filled pews was an inspiring one for the speaker. The church was suitably decorated with flags, streamers and flowers. Mr. Troyer exhorted his hearers to a faithful observance of Christian duties. Miss Cole presided at the organ and Mrs. Troyer took a solo part during the singing of "Onward !Christian Soldiers."

The marriage of Mrs. Robert, the former Miss Eliza Richard, and widow of the late Charles Robert, to Mr. Eugene Ritchie was performed at Russeltown Manse by Rev. Mr. Day on Thursday, July 18th. A sumptuous wedding supper was served at the bride's residence and in the evening a reception and dance was held.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Graham and son Gavin of Arundel, Que., are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Curran.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Lowden have moved to Huntingdon on account of Mr. Lowden's work.

The overabundance of moisture which partially spoiled the strawberry crop seems to have resulted in plenty of raspberries and blueberries. Monday's down-pour was accompanied in St. Chrysostome and further east by a wind which broke windows and unroofed barns and felled trees.

Mr. and Mrs. Heitner attended the wedding of their daughter Celia who was married to Mr. Mack Pronman in Montreal last Sunday.

Mrs. Geoffrey Parish of Windsor, Ont., and little son are guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Lowden.

Miss Effie Cole is spending several days in the city this week.

Kilbain

Mrs. Cassells and son Walter of Montreal, who have enjoyed their vacation at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Smythe, returned to their home on Sunday.

Miss Margaret Ferns is visiting with relatives in Verdun.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Smythe and daughter Penelope Ann were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Smythe.

Tatehurst

Mrs. Markgraf, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Murphy, Patsy, Billy and Ralph and Mrs. John McWhinnie of Montreal, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Meikle.

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HEARTS WALKING

Mrs. Harry Pugh Smith

"I know it dates me," Anne admitted to her friends, "but I'd rather climb stairs and run out to the alley with trash than to give up my old-fashioned big kitchen and my porch boxes."

Anne's flower boxes lined the railings on both porches of her flat and kept her busy nine months in the year. It was true she managed to have something in bloom from early spring to late fall, and she even grew radishes and lettuce and shallots in the box by the kitchen door.

Old Mr. Jacoby was sitting on the front stoop reading the afternoon paper when Anne came up the walk. He was seventy, a withered little old gentleman with a courtly manner. He "bached" as he expressed it, in two neat housekeeping rooms in the basement and looked after the furnace in the winter and the lawn in the summer.

"Good evening, Miss Anne," he called out. "Warmer today, ain't it? Ought to be fine for them Shasta daisies of yours."

Anne smiled. "And for your rheumatism."

"Nope," he said, "it's not so good. We ca nlook for rain within twenty-four hours."

Anne chuckled. "I'll carry my umbrella tomorrow."

Mr. Jacoby claimed that his trick knee was an infallible barometer of weather conditions. Some of the younger generation in the building made fun of his prognostications, but not Anne. She could never forget the daze she had been in when she moved her fatherless little brood into the flat, a daze in which nothing seemed real to her except that raw new grave where she had buried her carefree youth. It was Mr. Jacoby who brought up a huge bowl of hot soup which he had made himself, ignoring with fine courtesy the tears which slid down Anne's wan cheeks as she sat there at the kitchen table in her new widow's weeds, Janet on her lap, Berenice clinging to her arm, Jim trying to be manly though he was only ten.

"Don't worry about the future," said Mr. Jacoby then. "God will give you strength to meet each day as it comes."

It was trite counsel, and this intellectual age is disposed to jeer at such simple faith as Mr. Jacoby's, yet it had comforted Anne Phillips. It still comforted her.

She was smiling when she climbed the stairs to the second floor and unlocked her door. "Anybody home?" she called out, her usual greeting.

"Just me," came Janet's clear young voice from the farthest regions of the flat.

"Hello, dearest," Anne murmured, reaching for the apron she kept hanging by the panty door to slip over the smart black crepe dress which she wore to the store.

"Hello, Mums," said Janet. "Come on out and cool off. Supper's ready except the tea, and there's no use cracking the ice till Jim comes. I was going out after him but he telephoned that he'd drive in with Ruth."

Janet was lying back in one of the canvas deck chairs which the family moved about from porch to porch as desired, stretched out full length, her arm flung up above her head so that her face was in the shadow. There was dejection in the listless manner in which her long straight limbs were disposed. Anne Phillips felt the dawn of uneasiness. It was unlike Janet to droop.

"Tired?" asked Anne, trying not to sound like the overanxious mother who nags her children to exasperation by an excess of solicitude.

"A little," admitted Janet.

Her mother waited with that uneasy spot inside her steadily growing but, whatever troubled her child, she was not ready to discuss it.

"Have a hard day?" asked Janet.

"No more than usual," said Anne and laughed. "Mrs. Henry Leigh was in looking for a dinner dress. I turned the stock over for her, but nothing suited."

"It makes me sick, your having to grin and bear people like that!" cried Janet. "It would be different if you weren't a hundred times more refined than Priscilla Leigh or her mother will ever be!"

Anne flung her daughter a startled glance. "I don't mind being patronized by Jennie Leigh, Janet. I knew her when she lived with her folks back of their meat market and thought it polite to pass the toothpicks to company. Not that she doesn't deserve worlds of credit for the way she toned down her rough edges after she married Henry. Only she knows I know about them and that's why she can't keep from trying to impress me with the fact that I may have been born to the purple, but it's she who's wearing it now, tra la."

Janet winced. "And I used to think that breeding and the quality of your grain are what counts," she remarked bittterly.

"They are," said her mother.

"Oh, no, they're not, protested Janet "No one cares how vulgar you are inside if you can afford to go to expensive schools and run with a fashionable crowd. Priscilla Leigh would double-cross her best friend, but she'll be the most popular deb this season because her dad gives her gobs of spending money."

"I think," said Anne slowly, "that Henry is generous with his children about money because it's all he has to give them."

"You could have married him, couldn't you?"

Anne smiled. "He left that impression."

"But you preferred a struggling young physician."

Anne's freshly colored face sobered. Janet was more like her mother than either of the other children. Both she and Anne had firm cleft chins and lustrous dark hair. Anne was as slender as her daughter, and unless very tired she looked much too young to have a son of twenty-four.

"Yes," she said, "I distinctly preferred your father. You see, although Henry was well on his way to his first hundred thousand at that time, he was anything except a romantic suitor." She laughed softly. "I can't tell you what a relief it was when your father and I announced our engagement and Henry abandoned the pursuit."

"And then Mrs. Leigh caught him on the rebound?"

"More or less."

"She was his stenographer, wasn't she?"

"She was very pretty in those days," said Anne evasively. "Quite as gorgeously blond as Priscilla."

"And how she has got on!"

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CHAPTER IV

"It depends on what you want out of life," said Anne. "She was never the least in love with Henry. She was supposed to be quite wild about a young man who worked in her father's butcher shop. I think he's still working in somebody's butcher shop, although I doubt if Jennie Leigh has thought of him in years."

"There you are," muttered Janet, recalling Berenice. "Love doesn't last. In a year or so it doesn't matter whether you married for love or not, because, if you did, by then all the thrill has gone out like a light."

"The thrill didn't go out," said her mother with a catch in her voice.

Janet drew a long breath as if she had been granted a reprieve. "It didn't for you, did it?" she asked unsteadily.

"Never."

Anne laid her hand over her daughter's and Janet clung to it. "Thanks for being you," she whispered.

There were tears on her cheeks. Something has struck at her emotional roots, thought Anne, and had a fierce desire to gather Janet into arms and protect her from everything which menaced her.

"How about a little food for the man of the house? shouted Jim, flinging open the front door.

Anne was astonished to find that it was dark. "Heavens," she cried, starting to her feet, "we should all be starved!"

However, no one betrayed an appetite although there was a deliscious aspic salad and a plate of cold roast beef and baked potatoes which Janet had scooped out and mashed and then set in their shells at the last minute to brown with paprika and cheese. Jim usually ate as if his long, gaunt body were hollow, but not on this occasion.

"I met Howard's newest girl friend this afternoon," he announced abruptly.

"Helen Sanders?" inquired Janet.

Her brother nodded. Anne looked at him quickly. Jim was red clear down inside the collar of his soft blue shirt.

"Priscilla says that Helen is the prettiest girl and the worst snob that ever lived," remarked Janet.

"She's a spoiled brat who needs a good going over with a bundle of stocks," muttered Jim, but he still did not meet Anne's eye.

"Hi, Jim!" exclaimed a small piping voice from the direction of the porch. "Come and get me!"

"You bet!" cried Jim.

The interruption ended a disagreeable tension. Anne detected relief in Jim's face as if he was glad of an excuse to leap up from the table and from the disturbing topic of Miss Helen Sanders.

He got down on all fours and when with some assistance Danny mounted, his steed proceeded to buck and cavort around the dining table to Danny's vast delight. He was hiccoughing with laughter and Jim had about run out of breath when Danny's mother came to the rescue.

"I don't need to ask if my son is here as usual, making a nuisance of himself. You can hear him down the block," said Cathy Wood in her low slurred voice.

Jim picked up Danny and swung him high into the air. "Tell your old lady, Sonny, that the only thing we'd like better is twins just like you."

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WEEK AT OTTAWA

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would come when peace was restored, and the work on war industries came to an end. The men out of work, it is contended, will have something to tide them over until they get something else to do.

The labor minister also said that the measure would throw "a cloak of protection in some measure around 4,660,000 of our people." Those actuallly to be insured would according to actuarial estimates be about 2,100,000 but there would be the workers' dependents included in the benefits derived from the insurance system. Contributions to the insurance fund will aggregate $67,200,000 in 1941, of which $28,000,000 will be paid by employers, a similar amount by employees (those insured), and $11,200,000 by the government. The federal treasury contributed a sum equal to one-fifth of the total contributions of employers and employees, but the government also pays expenses of administration which in a project of such magnitude will be heavy. These expenses will amount annually to over $5,000,000.

Insured persons will contribute a prescribed amount per week according to amount of wages earned, and are entitled to benefits running from $4.08 to $12.24 per week if single and from $4.80 to $14.40 if married with dependent. One requirement for anyone to receive benefits is that he or she has contributed to the insurance fund for 30 weeks or 180 days within two years while in insured employment.

Complaints have been received from organizations of manufacturers who have asked careful study of the measure because of the heavy drain entailed from industry. Further complaints also have been registered by members of parliament representing constituencies where large portions of the population do not come within the operation of the act. Among employments excepted from the act are agriculture, forestry, horticulture, lumbering, logging, fishing, trapping, hunting trade and transportation by water and air. No person with wages above $2,000 annually will be insured.

National Registration

When the session is ended there will be no immediate rest for members of parliament because they will be assisting in the national registration program. The registration, which will take place some time in August, of all men and women in the country of the age of 16 years and over, is one of the essential features of the national mobilization Act which seeks to organize all Canadian resources in the most effective way to meet the menace overhanging this country. Everyone in the country except those below sixteen and a restricted number of exempted callings such as cloistered nuns, will be required to answer a number of questions which appear on a questionnaire. Severe penalties are prescribed for failure to register. the registration card or for not answering questions truthfully. It is felt in Ottawa that the registration is most important and most urgent. Time is its essence. Its primary objectives are to give military training to men of military age and to direct the whole war effort of the citizens of Canada into the most useful channels.

The Wheat Problem

Among the important problems facing the government at this time is what policy is to be adopted in regard to wheat. With a heavy carryover, a new crop about to be harvested, and the dislocation that the war has made in markets, the outlook very naturally is not bright. The question has been thoroughly discussed at Ottawa by the members of the wheat committee of the cabinet, members of the wheat board and other organizations, and with western members of parliament. The failure to answer any question on policy will soon be made known. The time is short as the new crop year begins August 1st. But the difficulties that the situation presents to those trying for a satisfactory solution may well be realised when it is considered how many factors that can be fairly reasonably gauged in time of peace, become most uncertain in time of war. As far as Europe is concerned, only Britain and Eire remain as certain markets until the cloud of Hitlerism is removed and peace restored.

Huntingdon Locals

Mr. J. W. Stark Confined to Bed

On Thursday, Mr. J. W. Stark accompanied Mr. and Mrs. George Dixon to Montreal. As they were about to park, Mr. Stark said he thought he would remain in the car. Mr. and Mrs. Dixon said themselves, there must be something wrong, else he would be the first one out and ready to go. It turned out he was tired and was suffering from a slight stroke in the right arm. When questioned about it he said he felt it the day before but it was alright when he left home. He was taken to an emergency hospital and after being in bed for a couple of hours was up and dressed ready to go. However, Mr. and Mrs. Dixon brought him home, and when arriving here found the arm again limp. He is now under the care of Dr. F. G. McCrimmon who believes with complete rest he will recover. Mr. Stark suffered a somewhat similar stroke a few years ago.

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Dundee Youth in the R.C.A.F.

Mr. Winston Armstrong, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Armstrong, Fort Covington, N.Y., left last week for Toronto, for training in R.C.A.F. as air gunner, having passed the necessary examination in Huntingdon when the Mobile Unit visited here. He is a graduate of the Fort Covington High School in the class of 1939, and during the past year took a post-graduate course at the Franklin Academy, Malone.

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New Immigration Official

Succeeding Mr. Noah S. McGarry as Immigration official in charge for this district is Mr. N. B. Ouillinan, Rock Island, Quebec. He has heretofore been an acting relieving inspector.

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Price of Haircuts To Be Advanced.

The price of haircuts is being advanced by all Huntingdon barbers. Amongst the new prices will be haircuts for adults, 35 cents, haircuts for children during the week, 25 cents, haircuts for children on Saturdays, 35 cents. Shaves will remain the same price, 15 cents.

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Solving New Border Problem at Trout River

When the new regulation requiring passports for Canadian persons entering the United States went into force, a Canadian kerosene dealer, unable to get his passport at once, was worried over how he could get his kerosene supply from Malone, N.Y. The Canadian drove his truck to the line at Trout River, while an oil truck was driven from Malone to the American side of the border. The oil passed from one country to another through a tube.

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Small Boy Fractures Arm in Fall

Master Melville Pollock, who is staying with his aunt, Mrs. Cruickshanks, had the misfortune to fracture his right arm in a fall early Friday evening. Melville fell only three steps on an outside stair, landing on a stone. Though the fall was not great for an active little boy, the injuries were nevertheless sustained.

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Chateauguay St. Roadway Is Hard on Cars

We all know the town will be having the roadway of Chateauguay Street repaved when it is decided the fills on the new sewer have sufficiently settled, but at the present time a very rough roadway confronts the users of same. If the paving is not likely to be done immediately, might we suggest a few more loads of gravel be acquired and the holes filled up. Garage men tell us the condition of Chateauguay Street is good for the automobile spring repair work. Evidently more than one person has broken an auto spring on Chateauguay Street.

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Lady Nearly Hit By Stray Bullet

The careless use of firearms by youths within the town limits continues. On Sunday morning a lady walking along the Athelstan road entering Huntingdon had a bullet whiz by her head. Messrs. George Munro and Charles Boyce saw what took place and they also saw who was doing the shooting. When the young lad was accosted by Mr. Munro he was told "plenty", and unless he is unusually dumb he will not likely be shooting off firearms in Huntingdon again. Firearms have always held an allurement for boys, but it is up to the parents to demonstrate how such firearms should be used and also where. The Town of Huntingdon has a bylaw which plainly states no firearms can be carried, let alone discharged, in Huntingdon. To carry a rifle or a shotgun in Huntingdon, it must be dismantled, that is, the barrel separated from the stock.

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Local Tennis Team Bows Again to Beauharnois

Huntingdon Chateau's tennis team journeyed to Beauharnois on Thursday and bowed to the Blue Birds by 6-1. The Beauharnois Red Birds were scheduled to play their first game of the season in Huntingdon last evening.

The invitation tennis tournament which is scheduled to take place in Huntingdon during the month of August will see the outstanding tennis stars of the district in action. The Walker Trophy will be awarded the winning combination.

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Perhaps a Sleepy Driver!

During the early hours of Saturday morning a car drove swiftly around the corner at J. A. Hunter's on Chateauguay St. Evidently the driver was not 100 per cent awake, for he slipped off the road, hit a fence picket and glazed an elm tree.

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Sidewalks Being Repaired

Many sections in the sidewalks which had been in need of repairs for a few years, are presently being taken care of by the town employees. In some places the breakage was so pronounced that new sections had to be put in. These repairs have been warranted for some time.

Win Easily in League Game With Valleyfield

Huntingdon girls increased their average in the girls' league on Thursday evening when they defeated Valleyfield Falcons girls' aggregation by the score of 16-3. With three regulars missing, Falcons had very little chance against the offerings of Eileen Herdman, who officiated on the mound for the winners.

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Game Halted in 4th. Due To Rain

Huntingdon Royals girls' team and Milleroches, Ont., girls' aggregation played to a 0-0 deadlock in an exhibition contest at the Royals' diamond on Saturday afternoon. The game had to be called at the end of the fourth frame on account of rain.

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Lady Bowlers Win Another Game in Mercier Tray Meet

On Thursday afternoon the Huntingdon lady bowlers succeeded in winning another game on the Mercier Tray, this time against Ormstown. The rinks were:

Ormstown—7	Huntingdon—15
Mrs. Mann	Miss M. Allen
Mrs. G. P. Osmond	Mrs. Martin
Mrs. Barrington	Mrs. Mackay
Mrs. McIntyre	Mrs. Kelly
Ormstown—20	**Huntingdon—19**
Mrs. McCaffrey	Mrs. Fawcett
Mrs. S. Osmond	Mrs. Sparrow
Miss Hunter	Mrs. Goundrey
Miss Hooker	Mrs. MacDonald

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Visiting in Huntingdon

Brother Jean Berchmans, son of Mr. Philias Daoust and the late Mrs. Daoust, formerly of Huntingdon, is spending a month's vacation visiting with friends and relatives in Huntingdon and vicinity. He is a nephew of Rev. Father Charlebois, vicar of St. Joseph's Church.

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Miss E. Bruce Entertained at Miscellaneous Shower

A group of friends and relatives gathered at the home of Mrs. Dan Moody on Tuesday evening on the occasion of a shower in honor of Miss Elisabeth Bruce, of Huntingdon, whose marriage will take place at the end of August. Decorations were carried out in pink and white. Mrs. Allan Farquhar played the wedding march. About 24 were present and the guest of honor was the recipient of many beautiful and useful gifts. Refreshments were served at the close of the evening.

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Visiting Here.

Rev. Father H. Aganier, of St. Chrysostome visited on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Barrett and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Barrette.

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Mr. Buster Damant, former teller at the Huntingdon branch of the Bank of Montreal, now with the R.C.A.F. at Toronto, visited with friends here on Saturday.

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Mr. Frank Furtado, former employee at Huntingdon Spinners Ltd., left last week for Sorel, Que., where he has secured employment.

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Mr. Bruce Kelly left Huntingdon Thursday morning for Toronto, where he has joined the Royal Canadian Air Force.

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Week-end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Phil J. Lefebvre were Mrs. G. Beaudin of Cantic, Miss Estelle Lefebvre and Mr. Tip Harvey of Montreal, and Mr. Remi G. Lefebvre of Quebec City.

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Messrs. Marvin Crawford and John Donnelly left last week for Toronto where they were accepted in the R.C.A.F.

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Rev. J. B. Maclean, D.D., has left for Hopewell, N.S., where he will spend his summer vacation.

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Dr. Clarence McCoy, Rev. T. C. and Mrs. Cassidy, Miss Aileen Cassidy, of Montreal, Mr. William Warne, of Ottawa, Ont., were week-end guests at the home of Mrs. E. C. McCoy. Rev. Mr. Cassidy preached at the morning service in the United Church.

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Miss Gladys M. Pelletier, Montreal, was a visitor with Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Ross over the week-end.

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Miss Frances Turner is at present visiting in Thurso, Que., where she attended the Meilke-Cochrane wedding on Saturday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey McBride and son, Lorne, spent the week-end at Valleyfield.

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Master Roger D'Aoust is spending his vacation with his grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Henri D'Aoust.

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Mr. W. Pierce Gould of Montreal is spending two weeks at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Arthur.

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Messrs Aaron Churchill and Fred Stewart of Covey Hill, were callers on Monday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Arthur.

Athelstan

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Rowat have received a letter from their son, Pte. Allan Rowat, telling of his safe arrival in England with his regiment, Les Fusiliers des Mont Royal.

Mrs. Albert Howden of Huntingdon, and Miss Laura King of Medina, N.Y., were guests of Mrs. Jas. Lavery on Tuesday.

Miss Bernice Fraser and Mr. Frank Thorpe of Riverbend, also called on Mrs. Lavery on Friday.

Mrs. Levi Robson of Valleyfield, was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ross last week.

Rev. W. H. Brown, who is connected with City Mission Work at Tyndale House, Montreal, conducted service here and in Elgin Presbyterian Church on Sunday.

Miss Carol Ross and Mr. Allister McCaig of Montreal, were week-end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ross.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. James Wattie was baptized by Rev. Leo Berthiaume at Herdman, on Sunday morning, receiving the name Charles Lyle. The godparents are Miss Grace and Mr. William Wattie, aunt and uncle of the baby.

Taken From The Gleaner Files

1930—10 YEARS AGO

Donald R. McCrimmon saves young man from drowning at Lake St. Joseph.

A crowd of 3,500 attend nomination day speeches at Ormstown, the federal candidates being D. J. O'Connor, Liberal, and Dr. J. C. Moore, Conservative.

Misses Elsie Sellar, Eleanor Miller, Jean Hunter, Ethel Kelly and Janet Cunningham were spending ten days at the C.G.I.T. camp, Magog.

More than a quarter of a mile is completed on the new Laguerre Drainage Canal.

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1920—20 YEARS AGO

T. J. Galipeau was attacked on King Street at night by two men and robbed of $15.

Local Orange Lodge held a church parade with 35 members in attendance.

Only five out of 45 failed to pass the Huntingdon Academy examinations. Miss Lena Marlin, who led her class, ranked fifth in the province. Helen Reid led in Grade 10, Ada Arnold in Grade 9, and Amy Hunter in Grade 8.

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1910—30 YEARS AGO

An earthquake was felt in the district for about one minute.

The N.Y.C. completed another siding to the west of the plank road, and which is about half a mile long.

The valuation roll for Huntingdon shows an increase in property tax of $2,875. In 1908 the total valuation was $425,920, while in 1909 it was $433,970. The 1910 figure was $436,845.

Ormstown

Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. MacDonald of Ormstown, Que., announce the engagement of their second daughter, Florence Helen, to Kenneth William Rutherford, only son of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Rutherford of Huntingdon, Que., the wedding to take place early in September.



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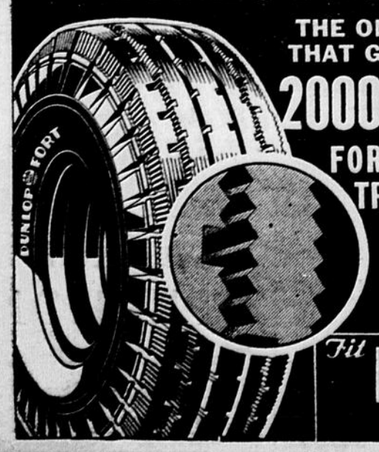
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News Presentation Reviewed At Annual Meeting C.W.N.A.

Abbreviation of News is Keynote of Discussions—Speaker Tells of Visiting in Disguise to Reveal Surprising Fifth Column Activities in West

At the Canadian Weekly Newspapers Association Convention just held in Calgary, Alta., decisions of importance to the portraying of news throughout the Dominion took .lst place in the discussions. The .hole trend of the convention was to strive towards producing better newspapers but to condense the reading matter into a more abbreviated form. The idea of having several drop headings to feature articles, it was unanimously agreed, might well be abbreviated to the main head and one drop, and in many cases eliminate the drop head. If this practice is adopted it will mean The Gleaner would have approximately one solid page of extra space to devote to solid reading matter. Whether the reading public would appreciate this mode of presenting news is not known, but in Regina, The Leader has adopted this system of presenting news. Some people do not care to read a half-column of reading matter when the principal facts can be gained through reading a well-written, informative heading. In any event, The Gleaner will adopt a conservative heading and eliminate superfluous sentences from its news reports.

The recording of personal news items has always been deemed excellent copy for the rural weekly newspaper, but the mode of presenting such items stands to come in for simplification of form in presentation. At an early date a change will be made in The Gleaner personal news columns whereby practically all the personal items will be segregated into two or three columns in place of being under separate headings. In other words, all the Athelstan personals would appear under the heading "Athelstan," followed by those from Aubrey. The items that would appear under the regular heading for Athelstan, Aubrey, etc., would be paragraphs of news interest other than personals. With the adoption of this form of news presentation it is believed the personal items will be condensed as to the amount of space required to print them, and that eventually the number will be considerably augmented.

Fascinating Address

The outstanding address of the convention was given by G. H. Lash of the Department of Information, Ottawa, who went to Calgary by air in order to deliver his pungent remarks as to what Canada was actually achieving in regards to "War Effort." His address was very intriguing. At its conclusion he informed us we could print it. A comprehensive synopsis of this address is to be prepared by the manager, C. V. Charters, of the Canadian Weekly Newspapers Association and forwarded to the weekly newspapers of Canada for publication. When this address is received we will publish it in The Gleaner and may we urge you to read it carefully; it will be full of meaty information that will interest every true British subject.

As. Mr. Lash took his seat, the Rev. Father Blanch, editor of The Saskatchewan Optimist, arose and gave a three-minute talk on Fifth Column activities in Western Canada. Father Blanch formerly belonged to Cornwall, Ont. In his remarks he told us that for six weeks he went about the Prairie Provinces disguised. His clerical collar discarded, he visited camps, bar rooms, dance halls and dives in order to see what was going on. He claims a close and intimate knowledge with a great number of Germans, Europeans, French-Canadians and English speaking folks in the West. To his amazement the Fifth Column activities in the West are not wholly amongst the foreign element. He told of being confronted by German folks after delivering public addresses tn Regina re Fifth Column activities; how the subscribers to his paper had refused acceptance of same, etc.

That evening Father Blanch talked with Ralph White, Kamloops; Editor Fraser of Kelowna, and the writer about his trips in Saskatchewan. The information he was imparting to us attracted the other weekly editors and for nearly an hour and a half he expounded upon his personal observations. This informal talk was certainly worth the time, effort and expense any publisher was put to in attending this convention. Father Blanch promised to send The Gleaner and La Gazette de Valleyfield information for publication that may serve Canada in fighting Fifth Column activities.

In concluding his brief talk on the convention floor, he urged every publisher to put forth every ounce of effort to exterminate Fifth Column activities and whenever symptoms of such forces were prevalent to convey the information, hazy as it may be, to the R.C.M.P.

Visit the Oil Fields

In the course of attending this 21st annual convention of Canadian Weekly Newspapers Association at Calgary, the entire party visited the Turner Valley oil fields. My observations of same were lost, as the driver we had took more time off to tell us about his personal accomplishments, and as a result missed getting us to the respective wells being viewed by the party. We were unfortunate in this respect, for the publishers, upon their return to the Palliser Hotel, were greatly taken with what they saw first-hand.

Calgary, as a city, is indeed a credit to the city fathers. On Friday afternoon the city fire chief drove Mr. and Mrs. Renaud of Beauce, Mr. D. R. Wilson of Shawinigan Falls, and the writer about the city for over an hour. We saw Calgary as one should see a city. Nothing was omitted that was of general interest, and the one arresting feature of Calgary is the great number of well-kept properties, practically all of which are surrounded by well-kept hedges. Calgary may have at one time been regarded as a boom town, but today it is a solid city with many fine buildings and firmly established business enterprises. The population of Calgary is now a little over 80,000. The fire chief told us that to date for 1940 the fire losses were under $16,000, which we believe speaks well for his department as well as for the city.

The City of Calgary gave a luncheon to the publishers and they had a unique way of entertaining their guests through the City sponsoring a municipal choir. The members of this choir sing at the City's functions, thereby making it possible for Calgary to exhibit its talent and at the same time save considerable in the way of entertaining expenses. Many cities across Canada might well adopt Calgary's mode of entertainment.

Gleaner in Newspaper Competition

At the close of the convention in Calgary the C.W.N.A. held their dinner party and presented the trophies to the winners in the various competitions. For the best weekly newspaper in Canada the award of the Mason Trophy went to The Brampton Conservator, while The Simcoe Reformer won the Amherstburg Echo Shield, emblematic of the best front page. This trophy was won by The Gleaner a year ago. For newspaper illustrations The Gleaner scored first place in both these competitions. The Brampton Conservator scored a total of 119 points while The Gleaner scored 97 for the Mason Trophy competition, and in the Amherstburg Echo competition The Reformer scored 95 points and The Gleaner 88.

The David Williams Cup for best editorial page was won by The Brampton Conservator, scoring 97 points, while The Gleaner scored 92 points. The Brampton Conservator devotes a whole page to editorial copy and editorial page features, while The Gleaner, on account of its size, is obliged to carry some advertising on this page. As to the character of our editorials, The Gleaner ranked in first place along with newspapers of Bowmanville, Brampton, Simcoe and Yarmouth, N.S.

The George Legge Memorial Trophy, emblematic of superior job printing done by a weekly newspaper office, was awarded to A. E. Dobbie, Smith Falls Record-News. The David Bean Memorial Trophy for the most unique and unusual piece of printing was won by our good friend, Walter R. Legge, Granby Leader-Mail. The sample of printing was that of a cardboard folder for holding a half-dozen golf tees. These golf tees are manufactured by Mr. Norman Clouston, formerly of Huntingdon. Several other trophies were awarded for competition among papers with smaller circulation than that of The Gleaner.

Only a few years ago few weekly newspapers were willing to enter the various contests. Today some 15 contests are held and practically every newspaper in rural Canada of any consequence is found being severely judged in its respective category. The results of the competitions have been most gratifying, for each year as the papers are reviewed and compared with those of previous years the progressive steps made in the way of compiling news, and its presentation is outstanding, let alone the marked improvement in printing.

Obituary

The late Mrs. Margaret Whyte

Margaret Anne Campbell, daughter of the late Captain Malcolm Campbell and his wife Elizabeth Greer and widow of the late Major Whyte, died on Sunday evening, July 14th in her 75th year. About 26 years ago she suffered the great affliction of total blindness. She was possessed of a fine mentality and of a most retentive memory, and had always been a great reader. After the first shock of blindness had been recovered from, she set herself most diligently to the learning of the Braille System and mastered it. She acquired a considerable collection of literature for the blind, and by the use of these books and through her radio and the kindness of friends who read to her regularly, she was able to keep well abreast of the events of the passing time as well as to cultivate her interest in the world of books. Those who knew her intimately count not but be struck by her patience and cheerfulness and gentleness of spirit. She had lived so long in her home that she knew every corner of it and managed to care for the house and to do her own work with marvellous efficiency. But it was a hard struggle. During recent months she showed signs of failing and at last these signs became ominous. The shadow of death was over her but it did not darken her spirit. When death came it was not unexpected by her friends or by herself—and to her it was not unwelcome. She had been lony ready for it and she would be the first to say concerning it, "Nothing is here for tears." Her patience and her cheerfulness and her hopefulness were based on deep religious convictions, and death meant for her the opening of the door of life. "Blessed are the dead which died in the Lord from henceforth." The funeral service, conducted by her minister, Rev. Dr. Maclean of St. Andrew's Church, was held on Tuesday, the 16th, and the burial was in Athelstan Cemetery in the Campbell family lot, where her father and then her mother were laid many years ago.

New Erin

Mr. Robert Sparrow of Winnipeg, Manitoba, was a recent caller on relatives and friends here.

Mrs. G. R. King and daughter Florence of Biggar, Sask., have left for home after visiting two weeks with Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Rankin.

After an absence of nearly eleven years Mr. Andrew D. Walsh of Helena, Montana, visited the home of his boyhood—this place is now occupied by Mr. T. Beauchamp. Andrew made a call on the oldest residents, viz.: Messrs. John McCarthy and M. W. Rankin. On this occasion he was accompanied by his sister Mary and his brother James of Huntingdon.

Mr. James McCallum of North Tarrytown, N.Y., Miss Ada McCallum of Montreal and Mr. Harry McCallum of Huntingdon, have been visiting the past week with their cousins Willard and Mary Walsh.

Mr. Arthur Rabideaux of Saranac Lake, N.Y., was here to visit his sister, Mrs. John Lefebvre. On Sunday they motored to Montreal, accompanied by Miss Annie Rabideaux and Mr. Fred Bissonette and son Wilfred of Huntingdon.

Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. Cameron were: Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Capsey of Bedford, Que., and Miss Marjorie Cameron of Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. René Daoust and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Daoust and family of Pittsfield, Mass., are spending their holidays at the home of Mrs. Paul Daoust.

Miss E. McCarthy of Montreal, is spending a week at her home here.

Visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. Douglas are Mrs. Henderson and Charles Henderson of Montreal.

Mrs. Alderic Chartrand, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Chartrand and family visited recently with Mr. and Mrs. E. Trepannier at St. Agnes.

Ormstown

Joint Meeting of W.M.S. and W.A.

On Tuesday afternoon in McDougall Hall, St. Paul's United W.M.S. and W.A. held a joint meeting. A large number of members and friends from both societies were present.

A bale valued at $75 was packed and sent to the Supply Dept. of Montreal.

The main item on the program was a very worthwhile drama entitled "Untouchables."

Mrs. Howard Elliot explained very vividly the meaning of the play and the parts were very well taken by the Misses Elizabeth Roy, Dorothy Cullen, Mildred McCormick, Janie Bryson and Beryl Hamilton. It told the power of Christianity.

After the play the W.A. had charge. A pair of woollen blankets which were donated by this Society to the Red Cross have been purchased and forwarded.

A very pleasing and pretty item was a song by Miss Eleanor Orr, who was dressed in a Spanish costume, the title being "Maid of Spain."

Mrs. Carmichael read current events. Musical selections were played by Miss Todd. A musical contest, guessing names of selections, in which Mrs. Howard Elliot was the winner was the last item. Afternoon tea was then served and a pleasant social hour was enjoyed.

Master John D. Cluff of Valleyfield has returned home after spending three weeks with his aunt, Mrs. George G. Winter.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Lang and little daughter Jean of Montreal, who are spending the summer at St. Anicet were Sunday guests of Mrs. M. Duncan.

Mrs. David MacLaren of St. Laurent, Que., is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. John Orr.

Mrs. Earle Rice and daughters Peggy and Ruth Ann of Windsor Mills, Que., were week-end guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James M. Winter, Sr.

St. Louis de Gonzague

Mrs. D. Hough spent a few days last week visiting with friends in Cornwall.

Mrs. James Wright of Montreal, is spending a few days at the home of her brother, Mr. Harold Symons.

Miss Ruby Goodfellow of Ormstown, spent Friday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Goodall.

Mr. Ubald Marchand of Montreal, spent the week-end at the home of his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Marchand.

The Rev. Father Leandre Pilon of Prince Rupert, Sask., is spending a month's holidays at the home of his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ildege Pilon. Being a visiting priest he sang the local High Mass on Sunday morning, after which several friends and relatives attended a dinner in his honor given by Mr. and Mrs. Pilon.

Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Paiement spent the week-end in Montreal visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Emile Laurin of Ste. Barbe, spent the week-end at the home of his father, Mr. Alexandre Laurin.

Owing to the shortage of peas one pea-huller was stopped at noon on Friday. The operators of the huller enjoyed a swim in the cool waters of Lake St. Francis at Hungry Bay during the afternoon. All the employees returned to work Monday morning completely refreshed after a strenuous week.

Little Miss Hugette Lepage returned home on Thursday after spending a holiday in Montreal with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Laframboise.

Several from this district attended the Regatta at Beauharnois last Wednesday and Thursday, and in Valleyfield on Saturday and Sunday.

Enjoying the Beauties of The Rockies With the Press

Representatives from the Province of Quebec at the Canadian Weekly Newspapers' Association convention held in Calgary were: Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Legge, and daughter of Granby; Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Wilson, Shawinigan Falls; Mr. and Mrs. Renaud, Beauceville, Que.; H. E. McCormick, The Monitor, Notre Dame de Grace, and Mr. and Mrs. Adam L. Sellar, Huntingdon.

Visit Beautiful Banff

After attending the convention in Calgary the Quebec delegation accompanied the convention party to Banff, Lake Louise and on the drive from Lake Louise over the new Columbia Icefield Highway to Jasper Park Lodge, thence to Edmonton and back to Calgary for the Stampede.

To cover 250 miles of Rocky Mountain country and visit the four outstanding resorts of Canada in the length of time placed at our disposal made it impossible to take in everything that was to be seen. True the C.P.R. and the C.N.R., who were our respective hosts, did their utmost to make it possible that we should see everything and enjoy ourselves. Our Canadian railways are certainly deserving of much credit for the alluring developments they have created in the Rocky Mountain resorts. The trains were loaded with people travelling to Banff, Louise, Jasper Park. These resorts certainly encourage passenger train travel and if the resorts are not profit producing they definitely develop passenger travel.

In regards to the C.P.R. palatial summer resort hotels we believe they cost the C.P.R. money, but in an indirect manner they yield profits to the railway. As for Jasper Park Lodge we were told that due to its less expensive type of construction and its unique type of summer hotel it meant a smaller staff was required to operate it. Jasper Park Lodge we believe operates on a profit producing basis.

When at Banff the press party, which numbered around 110 men and women, had no set programme and everyone was allowed to move about at their own sweet will and pleasure. Cameras were quite evident. Everyone was captivated with the beauties of the Bow River winding about below the Banff Springs Hotel. This palatial hotel was, in itself, ample to entertain and make the guests revel in its loveliness, and it along with nature's beauty makes it a superb beauty spot. The swimming pool was, of course, relished by many of our party who wished to be refreshed after the strenuous convention week. Little Carol Legge of Granby expressed herself as to how she liked the three resorts in this manner: "I like the Banff swimming pool best and the hotel, Lake Louise for its beautiful lake and hotel dining room view, and Jasper Park Lodge for its cabins, lawns and everything." This we feel is a very good expression for a 12 year old child to size up three such wonderful resorts, and in so few words.

Lovely Lake Louise

After being entertained to lunch at Banff by the C.P.R. we drove by bus to Lake Louise where we spent Saturday evening. As soon as we were allotted our rooms the cameras were again brought into play, each guest suggesting that their friends come to their rooms and see what a view of beautiful Lake Louise they had from their rooms. Truly the hotel management acquitted themselves with admiration for the press. Excellent rooms were accorded us so that everyone left Louise favourably impressed so that in due time they would spread the word of the beauties of Lake Louise to the four corners of the Dominion. After breakfast on Sunday morning four bus loads of newspaper men and their wives embarked to make the first convention party to traverse the Columbia Icefields Highway from Lake Louise to Jasper Park Lodge. This highway was to be officially opened on Dominion Day but due to a forest fire the highway had to be closed for a day or two and is to be opened later on in July. With well trained bus drivers who also acted as guides we left Lake Louise at 9 a.m. and by 1 p.m. we had travelled 80 miles to stop at the Chalet at the foot of the Athabasca Glacier. Eighty miles does not seem a great distance to travel in half a day, but bear in mind this highway travels up mountains and down mountains, as well as around mountains. We stopped every few miles to view some outstanding scene. Several places we viewed snow storms raging at the top of mountains. Here and there wild animals would attract our attention and so it was throughout the morning and afternoon as we made our bus trip from Lake Louise to Jasper Park Lodge.

Skiing in Summer Time

When at the Chalet at the foot of the Athabasca Glacier we were entertained to lunch by Mr. Frank Prendergast of the Imperial Oil Company. Before leaving for the afternoon trip we all went over to the glacier, made snow balls and saw the skiiers having a good time of it. It did seem strange to see skiing in summer time; people wearing summer clothes and good skiing under foot. The temperature of the air was around 50 degrees.

As we drove along the Columbia Icefields Highway our attention was directed to the end of a large lake. At the end of the lake was a glacier where two professional fancy skaters have a skating rink. The skaters spend the summer season at this spot, and skate every day.

Our convention party was to leave Jasper Park Lodge Monday afternoon for Edmonton and Calgary but the Quebec delegation were fatigued from travel so we remained over until Wednesday afternoon. The extra two days at Jasper made it most refreshing.

Tuesday afternoon found most people about Jasper Lodge enjoying a good rest only to be entertained by a big black bear that decided he should romp about the grounds and inspect garbage cans. As I sat on the verandah of our bungalow I saw the big black bear about a quarter of a mile away coming between cottages. I got my camera and went after him only to find he was coming my way. So why hurry? The gardeners told me to follow him. He would likely stop and upset some garbage cans, eat awhile and then go for a swim; and that is just what he did. When at one cottage he upset the garbage barrel and crawled into it. By this time about 20 people were gathered about and no less than were about 15 feet away from the bear. He almost posed for us, and after having his fill ambled off up the beautifully kept grounds, past the bungalow that was occupied by King George and Queen Elizabeth and into the water and swam across the narrows to the mainland.

Jasper Park Lodge can accommodate 600 guests, and when so patronized it takes upwards of 400 employees to accord service. All guests are accorded accommodation in bungalows. Therefore they have nearly 60 bungalows for sleeping accommodation. The grounds about these bungalows are kept in a state of perfection. Flowers are found in abundance. In order that they have all the plants they require in the spring two large green houses are used to grow the plants. During the summer months the green houses are used for the growing of flowers for dining room use and public places as well as vegetables. The flowers that grow about the grounds are left growing for the general satisfaction of the guests. The lawns are well cared for and during each minute of the 24 hours per day, 1500 gallons of water are sprinkled on the lawns. In the day time the water is used upon the lawns, about the bungalows whilst at night the water is applied to the golf course. With over 2,000,000 gallons of water used daily everything is kept fresh and green.

In order that our readers may gain a more vivid conception of Jasper National Park we suggest that you read another article which will appear in another column, or perhaps in next week's Gleaner.



Thinking Back ... and ... Looking Ahead

The Greatest Mistake We Ever Made Was to Think The Idea Which We Called Democracy Could Be Taken For Granted As We Took It For Granted

By DONALD C. MACDONALD

The British people are animated today by a simple faith and a quiet confidence. In one of his recent cartoons, Low has expressed their indomitable spirit which has risen with each set-back. He shows a British soldier standing on a rock, jutting out into the sea which storms in around his stand. With one foot forward, the butt of his rifle resting on the rock, the muzzle grasped in his right hand, while his left arm is raised with clenched fist as he watches the bombing-birds appear out of the murky sky. The whole is captioned, "Very well, alone!"

Very well, alone! It seems so terrifying, the very thought of it, when viewed from this distance. A little island harbouring a brave people, and facing a continent subdued and united against them. Yet in their simple faith the wait in quiet confidence. Very well, alone!

Their Simple Faith

During the last week I have realized anew the meaning of these two characteristics of the British people—their faith and their confidence—because of two letters. The first is one that I received from a Scottish friend, living in England, a woman quite well up in years, who knows what war means when it strikes with all the anguish of personal loss. Her two sons died in the last war, and since then, her husband, who was an army officer. The letter was written shortly after the evacuation of Dunkirk and tells how everybody was busy, for there were many wounded and thousands of refugees. Then she continues, "Nothing matters much though, of work or effort, so long as we endure to the end and wipe this foul stain of murder and tyranny and torture off the face of 'the world as God has made it' for us, so full of beauty and grandeur and now so polluted by the gangsters of Berlin. If you saw Britain now you would be proud I think, and glad it is an island fortress. We are fully alive to the peril but we are not afraid, for the end is sure, no matter how grim the struggle, how dark the days, how bitter the pain and loss. Truly we can all say, standing united as one family with closed ranks, 'the battle is not ours—but God's. And he will have the last word" .. for it is true that more things are wrought by prayer than this world dreams of, and it is the spiritual forces that will bring us victory over the forces of evil. Surely there was never a more wonderful answer to a people's day of prayer than the epic of Dunkirk!"

Their Quiet Confidence

There is expressed the simple faith of the British people. The second letter is one written by a woman air warden on the Essex coast to an American born in Britain, and later reproduced in the New York Sun. "France may be dead," she wrote about June 20, "but I doubt it, and even so, she did not die without taking a lot of stuffing out of the enemy. England will win all right, if the United States turns out the metal, and the Canadians and Co. mind the kids and train the airmen, we'll bottle that chap up and starve him out and finally kill him." There you have expressed without rancour or bitterness or hatred the job to be done. It is the mightiest task a people ever set their hands to, but they are quietly confident.

This same air warden from the Essex coast of Britain has something more to say that we might well ponder. In replying to this American born she wrote, "My dear chap, I do not know what you mean when you say that it is almost worse for you Britons over there than for us 'right in it.' I've never felt less worried about the war than I do now. It ceased to be a vast and dreadful catastrophe for mankind and has become a tremendous personal adventure. One you can't do much about; the other requires action, ingenuity, what courage one has, and everything one possesses. The engine ceases to sit paralyzed and works on all cylinders . . . Mind you, everyone who is not here is missing something. It may all end in blood and tears and death and tyranny (which I doubt very strongly and see no reason why) but now at the moment it has restored the Elizabethan England. The most constant regret I have is that father has missed it now it's here. I'm glad he missed the last three years of nightmare anticipation (it's been like living in a shed with a tiger cub and seeing the blasted thing grow in size and offensiveness every day) but now that the moment has come it's worth being alive to see."

The Challenge of Today

Over here where the tendency is to lament the horror of the times (and admittedly there is plenty of it) we are apt to forget the challenge. It is that challenge that the British people have risen as a man and woman to accept. It has greater dangers than man has ever had to face before, but there is also an exhilaration in life, which has taken on a new meaning and worth, even to the extent that people wished their loved ones could be with them to share in the experience.

Something of that same spirit has animated Canada of late weeks. But over here, in our sheltered existence where the cruel tide of events does not in the same way force the realities of the world in which we live upon us, there is much that we must reconsider.

Up till now we have taken our freedom for granted. While we worked on the farm or in the office, tended the machine in the mill or studied, we failed to realize that any fredom entails a great responsibility on the part of every one who shares it. That responsibility has seldom entered our heads. We have known nothing else but this freedom; we have it now, and of course we'll always have it—so we thought. It is true we shall always have it, if we are willing to preserve it, but that willingness entails a complete change in our outlook on life.

Life's New Outlook

Let me be more specific. For those of the older generation, who were born and grew up in the Victorian days (which may be said to have lasted 'till the Great War), ideas were formed on the basis of life in a peaceful and settled world. Christianity was the accepted religion of the day. Democracy was the accepted form of government and no one questioned the belief that it would spread over the whole earth. Today, Christianity is not an accepted but rather a disputed religion. And democracy has not only been discarded by most of the nations of the earth, but it is fighting for its very existence.

For those of us of the younger generation, there is also a need for a complete change in our outlook on life, but for a different reason. We have never known the peace and quiet of Victorian days that moulded the ideas of our parents. Born before the Great War, or during it, living through the dizzy prosperity of the twenties and now into the endless troubles of the thirties, culminating in this war, ours has always been a turbulent and unsettled world. It has also been a world with many illusions.

The greatest of these, which we shared with our parents and clung to with fervent idealism, was that the world had been made safe for peace and democracy, once and for all, and now we could devote our efforts to building a world the chief ideal of which was a more abundant life, the drive for more luxury and ease. But this could only be done if peace and democracy continued. Today, the former is gone, and the latter threatened, and it is to them that we have once again to turn our attention as we leave the concentration on o more abundant life for a later day in our life, or for our children.

Second American Revolution

A few weeks ago, a man in shirt sleeves, puffing a cigarette and pausing to grin at his little jokes, hiding his thoughts under a tired smile, made a momentous pronouncement in the city of Washington. The man was the President of the United States and he was speaking to his press conference. Mr. Roosevelt announced the intention of the administration to bring into effect universal, compulsory training for every boy and girl in the nation, conscription for military, industrial and agricultural training. He must have known that he was making the most significant statement of any president in modern times. In terms of life and thought and folkways he was proclaiming the second American revolution. For conscription, even though it is not entirely for military service, means changing the whole outlook of the American people, forcing them to accept at last the one thing they have always regarded as the symbol of the old world.

An Ideal of Service

That was for the United States, not at war. We are at war, and for us the change has already come. Last week the announcement came from Ottawa that in August there is to be national registration of manpower, and in turn classes will be called up for military training. Everybody, from the lowliest to the noblest, must prepare. It is possible, even probable, that conscription for military training may become a permanent part of our national life, not just a temporary war measure. We may regret the passing of that world that melted into the shadows last September, but that does not alter the fact that it is gone, gone beyond recall. It is now as distant as forgotten music. The ideal of a more abundant life in which we shared must be replaced by a new ideal of service, a harder and tougher way of life, or else we are going down under the hordes of harder and tougher people.

For the greatest mistake we made was to think that the idea, which we call democracy, can ever be taken for granted as we took it for granted. Democracy is not an accomplished thing, an established fact. And it never will be in the sense that we can assume its continued existence without our eternal watch. For democracy is a dynamic faith which has always had to do battle, and today with its back to the wall is battling for its very existence.

HIS MOVE

In the wee hours of a recent morning a group of grownup kids emerged from a restaurant, went into a huddle on a prominent corner at the direction of a lad whose fiery red hair waved in the breeze from the broken places of a crushed derby, and began to harmonize. Soon the deserted city canyon was ringing with the strains of "Here We Are Together!"

The young cop on the beat listened for a moment, then turned the other way and started down the street. "I guess I'll go down here and look for robbers," he said.—*Pittsburg Post-Gazette*

Pause... Refresh



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What's in the Wind

by PAULA DICKS

Our Guests . . .

It will not be surprising if the first generous outflow of honest hospitality offered by countless thousands on this continent has somewhat cooled down.

The hesitating policy of British authorities seems incomprehensible. In the face of an apparent deadlock, prominent American women have appealed to President Roosevelt to send mercy ships for British children—rich and poor alike. Actress Helen Hayes, Dorothy Canfield Fisher, writer, are on a Women's Committee to Send Ships for European Children.

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Monday night the radio stated that the British Committee of Women had cabled to the women of America to speed their efforts.

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Major-General Crerar, in a radio message Monday stated that Canada may become a last trench in the fight for freedom. He called on every fifth man to prepare at once to enter the struggle.

Meantime the under-cover controversy over the vanguard of the child exodus, representing the privileged class in England, rages wherever the subject is discussed.

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Miss McCready, Director of Household Science at Macdonald College, told the W.I. convention that only 7 per cent of all the people of Canada received incomes above $3,000 a year.

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If the Refugee Committee is responsible for incorporating some of the demands said to be made in relation to treatment of the "guest children" in Canadian homes, no wonder there is a lot of confusion and misunderstanding over the whole matter.

It is manifestly out of the question for Canadian families to provide better living conditions for these "guests" than they can provide for themselves and their own children. And it won't be good for the "poor dears" if any prospect is held out to them that conditions in Canada will be anything like they ever experienced.

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Indeed, I see no tragedy at all in the fact that here, now is a chance to let the young nobility find out how Canadian life really is lived.

Opinions Of Others

THREE ALTERNATIVES

(Yarmouth Herald)

The men of Canada have a choice in the matter of military training. They may:

1—Enlist in the Canadian Active Service Force for full time soldiering in Canada or overseas.

2—Join the non-permament active militia for part time training and two weeks in camp.

3—Await mobilization within six weeks and spend six weeks in camp.

These were the three alternatives outlined recently by Defence Minister Ralston, and they are listed in the order of preference as far as the Department of National Defence is concerned. Items 2 and 3 refer to Canada only. No person who does not enlist in the C.A.S.F. can be sent out of the country.

It remains yet to be seen what scheme will be erected here for those desiring to join the militia for service only in Canada, but once Yarmouthians are given an opportunity to join the militia and train at home (except for the inevitable period in camp which all men will have to experience), there should be a general response to Item 2 by those who do not desire full time soldiering.

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Howick Consolidated School

RECEIPTS:

Cash on hand, July 1, 1939	$ 5,017.19
Taxes collected	8,705.48
Interest, etc.	133.39
School fees	885.80
Government grants	3,528.50
Cash from books	236.36
	$18,506.72

EXPENSES:

Teachers' salaries	$ 7,146.81
Conveyance of pupils	4,136.80
Sec.'s salary	300.00
Deputy examiner	15.00
Caretaker	500.00
Fuel, light, etc.	549.33
Postage and stationery	60.19
Insurance	138.75
School books	408.90
Prize books	29.74
Scientific supplies	53.51
General expenses	194.31
Medical attention	10.00
School trustees on acct.	60.00
Repairs	162.17
Library books	22.54
Visual education	620.36
Playgrounds	381.30
Seats, etc.	521.83
Bond and interest	1,233.00
School trustees, 1939	98.00
Taxes overpaid	15.00
Cash on hand	1,849.13
	$18,506.72

ASSETS:

Cash on hand	$ 1,849.13
Arrears in taxes and int.	3,568.56
Land and buildings	33,628.71
Furniture	2,729.22
Deferred insurance	50.00
	$41,825.62

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The Ormstown Red Cross branch work room at the town hall will be closed during August.

Notice

My office will be closed this Thursday (July 25) in the afternoon as well as in the evening.

F. G. McCrimmon, M.D.

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Notice

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the following property:

23 high grade Holstein cattle, consisting of 4 spring milk cows, 12 due to freshen in August and this fall; 3 2-year-old Heifers; 3 Calves; 1 Bull; 2 Horses; Double Wagon; Hay Rack; Seeder; Mower; Grubber; Smoothing Harrows; Hay Tedder; Walking Plow; Double Sleighs; Hay Rake; Hay Fork Carriage and Steel Cable; Cultivator; Cutter; Pung Sleigr; Double and Single Harnesses; Clippers; Manure Spreader; Wheel Barrow; Milk Cans; Pails; Strainers; Forks, Chains, Shovels, etc.; About 32 acres of Standing Hay; 7 acres of Standing Grain; 6 acres of Corn.

Household Furniture — Kitchen and Dining Room Chairs; Kitchen and Dining Room and Centre Tables; Linoleum Rugs; Organ; 3 Couches (one mohair); Wash Stands; Dressers; Comodes; Bed Springs and Mattresses; Feather Beds and Pillows; Cushions; Radio; Victrola and Records; Electric Lamps; Birds Eye Maple Bureaus; Looking Glasses; Mirrors; 2 Sewing Machines (Singer and Domestic); Kitchen Cabinet; Steel Range; Dishes; Glassware; Complete Set of Dishes; Crocks; Fruit Jars; Pictures and Picture Frames; Lawn Mower; 2 Toilet Sets; All Kitchen Utensils; Book Case and Books; Writing Desk; Whatnot; Window Curtains and Shades; Sideboard; 4 Trunks; Suitcases; Oil Lamps; 16 cords of Dry Block Wood; 8 cords of Dry Stove Wood; a quantity of inch and 2-inch Lumber; Ladder; Brass Kettle; a quantity of Ice, and many other articles too numerous to mention.

The whole to be sold without reserve, also the farm, containing 100 acres, more or less; in a fine state of cultivation, with good Dwelling House and Outbuildings; located at Athelstan Village, in a fine location and a good dairy farm; easily worked.

TERMS OF SALE—Cash. Owing to the large amount to be sold this sale will commence at 12 o'clock noon, and will start on time.

F. J. DONNELLY .Auctioneer

Financial Statement

of the Board of School Commissioners of the Township of Hinchinbrook for the year ending June 30, 1940.

REVENUE:

Tax rate on valuation of $809,445.00 @ 6 mills	$4856.07
Arrears	2653.66
School fees	84.00
Interest on arrears	100.26
	$7693.99
Deficit for year	68.83
	$7762.82

EXPENSES:

Teachers' salary	$4925.00
Administration	691.27
Maintenance	593.69
Advertising	53.00
Chemicals	42.00
Sec.-Treas.' salary	154.16
Sec.-Treas.' bond	10.00
Conveyance	585.30
Books, etc.	175.11
Refunded taxes	267.80
Insurance	48.84
School fair	10.00
Loan and interest paid	1106.65
	$7762.82

RECEIPTS:

Cash on hand and in bank July 1, 1939	$ 848.84
General tax collected	3137.36
Arrears, 1936-37	368.42
Arrears, 1937-38	321.74
Arrears, 1938-39	1420.97
Interest on arrears	63.26
Fees	343.60
Temporary loan	500.00
Government grants	1434.25
Mutual Fire Ins.	35.00
	$8473.44

DISBURSEMENTS:

Teachers' salary	$4025.00
Administration	691.27
Maintenance	593.69
Advertising	53.00
Chemicals	42.00
Sec.-Treas.' salary	154.16
Sec.-Treas.' bond	10.00
Conveyance	585.30
Books, etc.	175.11
Refunded taxes	267.80
Insurance	48.84
School fair	10.00
Loan and interest paid	1106.65
Cash on hand and in bank, July 1, 1940	710.62
	$8473.44

ASSETS:

Arrears, 1937-38	$ 103.66
Arrears, 1938-39	624.96
Arrears, 1939-40	1718.71
	$2447.33
Arrears to be refunded	31.10
	$2478.43
Cash on hand and in bank	710.62
	$3189.05

LIABILITIES:

Temporary loan	$ 500.00
Net current assets	2689.05
	$3189.05

I have examined the books and vouchers of your Secretary-Treasurer and have obtained all the information and explanations required and consider that the above statement gives a true and correct view of the affairs of Board of School Commissioners of the Township of Hinchinbrooke, according to your books and the information given me.

PERCY CHAUVIN.
Athelstan, July 12, 1940.

The Gore

Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Henderson were Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Henderson, of Huntingdon, Mr. and Mrs. Sinclair and Jimmie, Mr. and Mrs. Jack White of Ottawa. Mrs. White and Jimmie Sinclair remaining for a week at the home of her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Henderson and Gerald motored to Brockville on Sunday and spent the day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. McCurdy. Mrs. Henderson remaining for some time with her sister.

Friday guests at the home of Mrs. Hattie Herdman were Mr. Wilbie Anderson, of Montreal, Mrs. Geo. Boyce and Betty and Mr. Ed Boyce of Athelstan, Mrs. Jane Burns, Mrs. T. A. Oliver and Mrs. Pat Lockerby of Chateaugay. Mrs. Burns remained for a day at the Herdman home.

Mrs. Walker Prescott returned to her home in Hampstead Tuesday evening having spent the week-end with her mother Mrs. Hattie Herdman. Although still confined to bed Mrs. Herdman is feeling some better.

Mrs. Osborne of Montreal spent Sunday with her son Jimmie at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Mason and Frankie were Sunday evening guests of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. James Dawson.

Mrs. Stratton of Montreal spent Saturday with Jessie and Dorothy at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Mason.

Mr. and Mrs. John Taylor, Eleanor and Ruby were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Taylor.

Miss Violet Anderson of Montreal was the week-end guest of her mother, Mrs. Sarah Anderson also Mr. and Mrs. Willard Anderson.

Miss Thelma Anderson is spending her holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Mort Manson, Doris and Norma were Sunday guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Anderson.

Mr. John McElroy of Montreal, head representative of the Foresters visited at the homes of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Mason and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Herdman on Thursday.

Mr. Melvin Graham, Miss Joyce Pugh, Messrs. Robert Lemure and Giles Baillargeon of St. Johns were Tuesday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Graham. On Thursday morning Melvin left St. Johns for Montreal where he joined the Grenadier Guards and is now stationed at St. Helen's Island.

Sunday guests at the home of Mrs. Bella McCracken were Mr. and Mrs. Tom Crook, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Crook of Valleyfield, Mr. Allen McCracken of Ste. Martine.

Miss Myrtle Dance of Montreal, is spending a week's holidays at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. Bella McCracken.

RE: ESTATE JOHN FINDLAY

The house, shop and lot belonging to the late John Findlay, in his lifetime of the Town of Huntingdon, merchant tailor, are offered for sale by the Executors,

Mrs. Lewis Kemp,
Malone, N.Y., and
Donald M. Rowat, N.P.,
Aldred Bldg., Montreal.

RE: THE ESTATE OF THE LATE DAME JANE BOYD

In her lifetime of the Parish of St. Malachie of Ormstown, widow of the late David McCartney.

All persons having claims against the above Estate or owing thereto are requested to file claims or make payments within 15 days to

John Robert Campbell and
Robert John Ethan McCartney,
Ormstown, Executors, or
Lucien Baillargeon, N.P.

Tenders Wanted

For operating the dining hall and tents at Huntingdon Fair. Tenders to be into the undersigned by August 10, 1940.

JOHN SMAILL,
Secretary.

Huntingdon Agricultural Society,
Division "A".

THE
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Chas. Lalonde, Jr.
The Gleaner Office

Jas. Holiday & Son, Dewittville
A. Beaudin & Son, Ormstown
Jack O'Neil, Valleyfield
L. J. Gebbie, Howick
The Post Office, Hemmingford
Gordon Bryson, Brysonville
George Robb, Aubrey
Henry Wilson, Athelstan

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Forestry Unit Will Recruit In District

Volunteers From All Sections of District to be Sought to Service With C.A.S.F. Corps

Volunteers from all sections of the Eastern Townships will be sought by the Canadian Forestry Corps, C.A.S.F., during the next few days, it was announced to The Gleaner by Lieut. F. Molyneux today.

The Canadian Forestry Corps, which had a distinguished record in the last war, will seek a different type of veteran from the ordinary C.A.S.F. unit. Its call will go out for millwrights, bush foremen, mill foremen, scalers, sawyers, plumbers, electricians, mechanics and expert bush workers between the age of eighteen to fifty years, with the offer of extra pay for qualified trades.

Brigadier-General J. B. White is Officer Commanding the Canadian Forestry Corps, with Major H. Dunlop Officer Commanding No. 2, Company, for which recruiting will be carried on in the Eastern Townships.

Headquarters of No. 2 Company are in the Westmount Barracks. Brigadier-General White commanded the Corps during the last war and many of the officers and men who served with him at that time have re-joined the unit for the duration of the present conflict.

Work of recruiting in the district will be in charge of Major Dunlop, acting with Lieutenant F. Molyneux.

Hemmingford Intermediate Pass List

The following is the pass list of pupils of Hemmingford Intermediate School, June 1940, given in alphabetical order:

Grade 10: Beattie Barr, Jean Gowdey, Huntley McKay, Betty McKay, Ruth Napper, Clarence Thompson.

Grade 10: Tom Cleland, Laura Cookman, Willis Hadley, Margaret Laurie, Ann Reid.

Grade 9: Tom Cleland, Laura Orr, Reginald Smith, Chesley Wallace.

Grade 7: Ann Brown, Moore Cleland, Edwin Keddy, James Laurie, Lois McArthur, Ross McNaughton, Ruth White.

Grade 6: Bruce McCanse, Barbara Laurie, Donald Reid, Barbara Walsh.

Grade 5: Norman White.

Grade 4: Kenneth Walsh.

Herdman

Mrs. Wm. Porter of Burke, N.Y., and daughters Gladys and Ora, were Saturday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Travisee and Mr. and Mrs. Otis Travisee.

Mr. Thos. McClatchie of Hemmingford was a caller on Friday of Mr. and Mrs. Otis Travisee.

Mrs. Ross King of Biggar, Sask., was a guest Tuesday and Wednesady of her aunt, Mrs. Albert Travisee.

Mrs. Floyd Mattice, of Brockville, Ont., and Mr. Roy Cameron of Howick were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Otis Travisee.

Mrs. Alice Wilson spent last Thursday in Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Mason were Tuesday guests of their daughter and son-in-law, Mr and Mrs. Otis Travisee. Glad to report Mr. Mason's condition is much improved.

Mr. John Anderson of Troy, N.Y., Mrs. Jessie Farquhar, son William, and daughter Mabel, of North Bangor, N.Y., and Mrs. Lorenzo Farquhar of Constable, N.Y., were callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Royal E. Gamble on Monday.

Mr. Charles Liffiton of Verdun, was a Sunday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Murdoth Rosevear. He was accompanied by his son Keith ,also Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Taylor, son Bennet and daughter Joan, all of Verdun, who remained to spend their holidays at the Rosevear home.

Modify Tolls For Trucks And Buses

Books of 60 to 100 Tickets Available at Lower Prices

The Provincial Cabinet has agreed to reduce tariff rates on 13 main toll bridges under the provincial control for truck and autobus operators. It was hoped that there would be a reduction for cars also but it seems that this is not being considered despite the continued complaints of motorists, particularly those living at summer resorts near Montreal and commuting every day and also permanent residents of the Island of Montreal who have to pay every time they leave or come on the island.

A list of the changes agreed to showed that truck and autobus operators may reduce the toll charges which range from 50 cents to $1.50 by buying books of 60 to 100-trip tickets at prices ranging from $6 to $100. The changes, scheduled to go into effect July 22, are "unofficial," the government spokesman said, until the necessary orders-in-council have been signed.

Single and round trip tolls for automobiles, trucks and autobuses remain at the same rate as those now in effect. Purchase of the books of tickets, however, reduce the charges considerably, the list revealed.

Operators of one-ton trucks may buy for trucking in a specified district a weekly book of 60 tickets for $6. The same operators may buy for $25 a yearly book of 100 tickets, good on all 13 bridges.

The books of 60 tickets will cost $9 for trucks weighing two tons or less, $12 for those of more than two tons and less than five, and $15 for trucks of more than five tons.

Cost of the books of 100 tickets good on all bridges the year around, was set at $40 for trucks of two tons or less, at $60 for those of more than two tons and less than five and at $100 for those of more than five tons.

Books of 100-trip tickets, good the year around on all bridges, will be sold operators of buses containing 25 passengers or less and following a set route. Operators of buses holding more than 25 passengers may purchase the books for $60.

The new list states that monthly books of 60-trip tickets available to automobilists for $3 may not be sold to taxi operators. The same ruling applies to semi-monthly books of 30 tickets which sell for $1.50.

Early varieties of apples such as transparents, duchess and astrachans are being picked in orchards in the Okanagan Valley of British Columbia, but it will be early in August before Ontario apples will be fit for consumption.

A wide variety of Canadian grown vegetables are now at their best to be served fresh or for canning.

"Your wife's a pretty good driver, isn't she?"

"She would be if the road turned when she does."

Teacher: "Who was the smartest inventor?"

Pupil: "Thomas A. Edison. He invented the phonograph and radio so people would stay up all night and use his electric light bulbs."

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Tourist Home,
Trout River, Que.
Comfortable Rooms - Excellent Meals - Dutch Kitchen
Afternoon Tea - Ice Cream
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Athelstan

Private E. L. Roy of Valcartier Camp spent the week-end with his parents.

HUNTINGDON RED CROSS LADIES
are holding an
Afternoon Tea
at the home of
Mrs. J. T. Ewart,
TUESDAY, JULY 30th
From 3 to 6 p.m.
Admission: 25c

Open Air **BINGO**
BENEFIT
Huntingdon Skating Rink
BANK OF MONTREAL LAWN
SATURDAY NIGHT

BARN DANCE

at Kelvingrove
Farm of T. C. Paul
4 Miles West of Huntingdon
THURSDAY NIGHT, JULY 25th
—MUSIC BY—
Texas Ramblers
Admission:
Gents 50c - Ladies Free
Refreshments on Sale

GALA BARN DANCE

Helm Bros., Huntingdon
FRIDAY, JULY 26th
Music by John Peel and His Band
Round and Square Dances
Fun For Young and Old
Admission: 50c Ladies free
Refreshments on Sale

BARN DANCE

At Kelvingrove
farm of T. C. Paul
Monday, July 29
Under the auspices of the Huntingdon Agricultural Society
Music by Max Rainey's Hi-Boys and Radio Rangers featuring round and square dances.
ADMISSION:
Gents 50c Ladies Free
Refreshments Sold

HUNTINGDON FAIR

SEPT. 12-13
Prize List Being Printed
WM. GRAHAM, President
JOHN SMAILL, Secretary

Important Bondholders Meeting

All Bondholders of the Windsor Silk Mills Ltd. are specially requested to attend a meeting at the County Building at 8 p.m. on
FRIDAY, JULY 26th
when business of a special nature will be placed before the meeting.
F. H. Hunter and D. Faubert,
Trustees

LAWN SOCIAL
The Brotherhood of St. Paul's United Church, Ormstown
will hold a Lawn Social on the
MANSE LAWN
- on -
Friday, July 26th, 8.15 p.m.
Mr. A. Lang of Montreal will deliver an address and the Ormstown Boys' Band will be in attendance.
Admission: 15c and 25c
COME ONE! — COME ALL!
ENJOY THE FUN!

LAWN SOCIAL
At the Home of Gordon Davidson, St. Agnes de Dundee
TUESDAY EVENING, JULY 30th
Under the auspices of the Managers of Zion United Church
Lunch and Program
Adults 25c - Children 15c

LAWN SOCIAL
A Social, under the auspices of the Rockburn Presbyterian Church will be held
Thursday Evg., Aug. 8th
on the lawn of Miss Dunsmore, Rockburn.
Should the weather be unfavorable, supper will be served in the church hall.
A Program will be presented after supper has been served.
Admission: 20c and 35c
Supper at 6 o'clock

RESERVE
Wednesday, August 7th
- for -
Chicken Supper
- for -
DUNDEE RED CROSS

RESERVE
Wednesday, August 14th
Red Cross Benefit Concert
Huntingdon

Chateaugay's IDEAL THEATRE

Thursday Only, July 25th
EDDIE CANTOR Starring in
"40 LITTLE MOTHERS"

Friday-Saturday, July 26-27
ROY ROGERS in
"YOUNG BUFFALO BILL"
— ALSO —
Two Reel Comedy
Serial - News

Sun.-Mon., July 28-29
"IF I HAD MY WAY"
Starring
GLORIA JEAN - BING CROSBY

Tuesday Only, July 30th
- DOUBLE SHOW -
Starting at 7.00 Fast Time
"KING OF LUMBERJACKS"
With JOHN PAYNE
SECOND FEATURE:
"LA CONGA NIGHTS"
Starring HUGH HERBERT

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RECRUITING OFFICER WILL BE AT:

HUNTINGDON ..... Thursday, July 25th a.m.
At the Office of Huntingdon Mills.
ATHELSTAN ..... Thursday, July 25th, p.m.
ORMSTOWN ..... Friday, July 26th, a.m.
HOWICK ..... Friday, July 26th, a.m.
HEMMINGFORD ..... Friday, July 26th, p.m.

O'CONNOR THEATRE
HUNTINGDON

Friday and Saturday, July 26-27, Saturday 2.30 p.m.



SHIRLEY TEMPLE - JOHNNY RUSSELL
News and Shorts

Sunday and Monday, July 28-29
"NORTHWEST PASSAGE"
An Historical Adventure in Technicolor
- featuring -
SPENCER TRACY - ROBERT YOUNG - W. BRENNAN
M.G.M. Shorts

Tuesday and Wednesday, July 30-31
Double Feature
"RETURN OF DR. X"
Mystery Drama
HUMPHREY BOGART - ROSEMARY LANE - WAYNE MORRIS
in the thrill you'll never forget.
- also -
"LAW OF THE RANGER"
Western starring
BOB ALLEN