

# City area teachers to quit but won't 'study'

## Sherbrooke Daily Record

### WEATHER

Snow, blowing snow and ice pellets today, Sunny and cold Friday. Winds easterly 25 gusting to 40 today. High today and low tonight at Sherbrooke 20 above and 15 below.

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### Teachers protest loudly

# Anti-strike bill passes



BEHIND CLOSED DOORS — Members of the Eastern Townships Association of Teachers met behind closed doors at Lennoxville High School last night to discuss what action

they would take on Bill 25. The teachers voted down study days but were in favor of mass resignation.

(Record photo by Gerry Lemay)

## TEACHERS VOTE TO BAR THE PRESS

One unanimous decision that members of the Eastern Townships Association of Teachers reached at their general meeting in the Lennoxville High School last night was to bar the press.

The meeting had barely opened when one member of the Association rose and said: "I see that there is a representative of the press here. Is this a meeting of PAPT members or is it an

open meeting?" Second vice-president Tom Wallace, who was chairing the meeting called for a vote.

"Judging by the editorials in the Record for the past few days, maybe we'd better ask them to leave," said another member at the back of the gymnasium. The statement was followed by applause.

Mr. Wallace asked for a show

of hands; the meeting was unanimous, and the press reporter Paul Waters and photographer Stan Loughheed—were evicted.

The Record reporter who settled down with a magazine in the school cafeteria to await the outcome of the meeting was later asked to leave the school.

"We would appreciate it if you didn't stay around at all tonight," he was told.

QUEBEC (CP) — The Quebec legislative assembly today gave third and final reading to a controversial bill designed to end strikes by 12,000 Roman Catholic school teachers in the province.

The assembly passed the measure by a vote of 53-35 after giving it clause-by-clause study for almost seven hours.

Opposition Leader Jean Lesage made a last-ditch effort to change the bill but his motion for amendment on

The bill, which now requires passage by the upper house of the legislature as well as final sanctioning by Lt. Gov. Hugues Lapointe, would order the teachers back to work within 48 hours of its enactment and extend their present collective agreements until June, 1968.

The measure, pushed by Premier Daniel Johnson, has aroused loud protests from Catholic and Protestant teacher groups in the province.

### ANNOUNCE STOPPAGE

On Wednesday night the groups — representing 56,200 teachers—announced that they plan a general one-day work stoppage Friday which would leave virtually all of Quebec's 1,500,000 school children without classroom instruction.

The central organization of Protestant teachers also said it was asking the lieutenant-governor to withhold assent for the bill—a request that could spark hot constitutional argument.

The strikes have been on for weeks in some areas, depriving a total of 285,000 children of classes.

Recent days have seen loud Liberal protests against the Union Nationale government's measure, backed by at least one threat from a union leader of a possible general strike in Quebec, and a chorus of protest from some organizations of parents as well as teacher groups.

One Montreal parent group said Wednesday night it plans a Friday "march" on the provincial legislature and wants parents from across the province to join in.

Through it all, Premier Daniel Johnson has stuck to his strike-ending guns.

He did announce what seemed to be comparatively minor amendments to the bill Wednesday night, but these did not mollify its angry opponents.

The bill is designed to establish what the government calls just and equitable salary levels for all teachers in the province and would forestall further walkouts pending the government's planned overhaul of the education system.

The legislation allows for maximum increase of \$1,000 in the annual salaries of teachers and a minimum of \$400, all under government-established salary ceilings.

Mr. Johnson and his colleagues have urged the need for the ceilings as a way of stopping a ruinous salary spiral in Quebec's public service.

They also have pressed the case for an end to the strikes in the six affected areas, as a matter of duty to ward the children involved.

The planned stoppage Friday would take the form of study sessions, a work-halting technique often used by employees who lack either the legal right or the desire to stage a formal strike.

### Smile for today

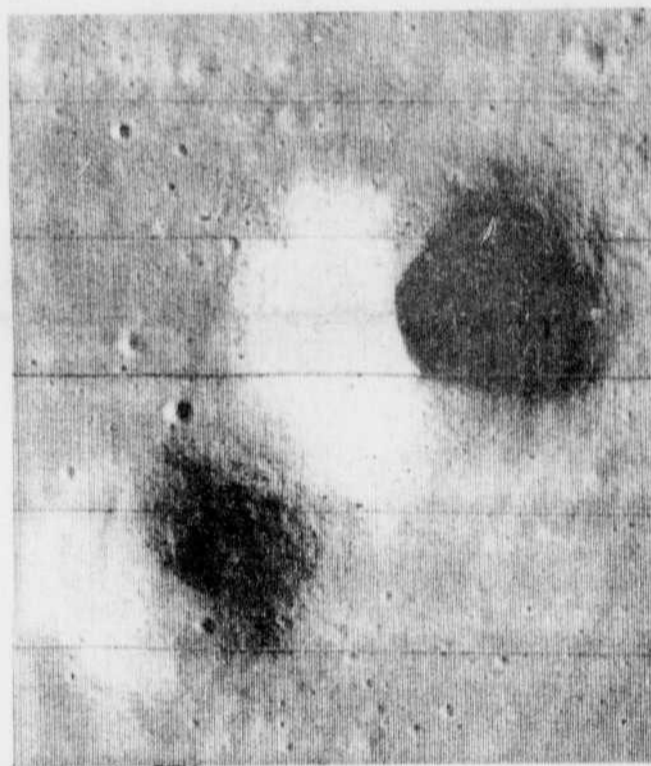
Early threshing is always a good remedy for wild oats.

## Sherbrooke C of C backs school bill

The Sherbrooke Chamber of Commerce has expressed approval of the government's adoption of bill 25 dealing with the current teacher's strike.

A telegram sent to Premier Daniel Johnson, To Education Minister Jean Jacques Bertrand and to Minister without Portfolio Marcel Masse, reads:

"The president and the members of the executive committee of the Sherbrooke Chamber of Commerce, which groups some five hundred and fifty businessmen and industrialists, desire to assure their entire support of the adoption and application of bill 25".



CLOSEUP OF MOON — This picture, released yesterday at Jet Propulsion Laboratory in Pasadena, Calif., shows an area of the moon approximately three-quarters of a mile square. It was made earlier in the day by Lunar Orbiter 3 and is an enlargement of a telephoto lens photograph. Area shown is in the Seas of Tranquility. (NASA photo via AP Wirephoto)

## Hees enters running for PC chieftainship

OTTAWA (CP) — Conservative MP George Hees today confirmed he will be a fourth candidate at the party leadership convention Sept. 6-9 in Toronto.

Long expected to run, the 56-year-old former cabinet minister formally put his name forward at a morning press conference.

Davie Fulton, an old cabinet mate, is the other principal committed contender for the job held for the last decade by John Diefenbaker, who has not said yet whether he will run again.

The two other dark-horse candidates already in the race are Hugh Horner, MP for Jasper-Edson, and a virtual unknown, John MacLean, a Brockville, Ont., businessman.

The press conference announcement by Mr. Hees was

almost a mere formality. Although he had refused to commit himself as a candidate until today, the former cabinet minister for the last three months has shown all the signs of a man running for the party leadership.

He has criss-crossed the country for speeches and appearances at party and other functions.

In his prepared statement, Mr. Hees said:

"I believe that I can unite the party into an effective, modern political force. I further believe that this united party will provide the country with the decisive and progressive government which the Liberal party seems totally incapable of doing."

"I have been a member of Parliament for 15 years. I have served as national president of the Conservative Association and I have held two cabinet posts. In these capacities and as a private citizen in business I have visited every part of Canada many times."

It did not say what ceiling should be put on interest, but recommended the government consider one. It endorsed extension of the Small Loans Act of 1940 to cover loans up to \$5,000 instead of \$1,500.

This same recommendation was made by the royal commission on banking and finance

(See "Low income" Page 7)

## Cloak, dagger activities on US campus is called a move toward 'Big Brotherism'



CIA CHIEF — Richard M. Helms is director of the Central Intelligence Agency. He was named to post June 3, 1966. (AP Wirephoto)

WASHINGTON (AP) — Senate Democratic Leader Mike Mansfield urged today that the Senate as well as the White House look into the Central Intelligence Agency's cloak-and-dagger operations among students.

"It's a move toward Big Brotherism if we get the government into everything," said Mansfield, a former Montana professor. He called the CIA's secret subsidy of the National Student Association "most unfortunate."

As signs of congressional concern increased, President Johnson stepped directly into the controversy, ordering a careful review of any government activities that might endanger integrity of U.S. educational groups.

He gave the mission to Nicholas Katzenbach, undersecretary

of state.

Katzenbach announced Wednesday that the president also directed key officials—including CIA Director Richard Helms—to outline a policy to guide federal agencies "in their relationship to the international activities of American education organizations."

### ACKNOWLEDGES LINK

Johnson acted one day after the administration acknowledged the 15-year financial link between the main U.S. spy agency and biggest college student organization. Meanwhile, rumors, reports, charges and denials followed heel on toe.

One charge, denied by NSA, was that NSA officers automatically received draft deferments. Another: that the CIA funneled funds to three other

student groups.

Administration officials argue the subsidy was needed so the NSA could afford to present the American view to counter Communist-financed youth groups abroad.

In the case's backlash, NSA official Robert Cutner reported an NSA exchange student was whisked out of Poland just before the group's financial link with the CIA was exposed.

He added: "If they had learned we were backed by the CIA they would have put him in jail and thrown away the key."

NSA leaders met in an atmosphere of gloom to decide what the organization could do to regain its standing in the academic world. Some board members saw little alternative but to shut the doors and go out of business.

## Consumer credit committee confident

OTTAWA (CP) — Senator David Croll is confident that most of his committee's recommendations on consumer credit controls will find their way onto the statute books of the federal and provincial governments.

The main recommendations, he told a press conference Wednesday when the recommendations were unveiled, are "to all intents and purposes, already a fait accompli."

The federal government is winning parliamentary approval

of Bank Act amendments which will require full disclosure of interest rates and service charges on chartered bank loans. Many of the provinces have, or are enacting, similar legislation in the provincial field.

This, the Liberal senator from Ontario said, will naturally lead to disclosure of true interest rates in advertising of consumer loan and credit facilities.

"Advertising cannot be far behind, and if they are smart the finance companies will

quickly clear this situation, up," said Croll.

He also expressed confidence that the Senate - Commons committee's proposal for low-interest long-term bank loans to low-income families, backed by government guarantees, will be acted upon.

### PROTECTS POOR

The purpose is to "take the poor people out of the hands of the money-changers and put them in the hands of lenders under government auspices," he

said.

The loans would be only for families with income of \$4,000 a year or less, would be limited to \$1,500, and would be granted only for purchase of equipment necessary to maintain family life.

Ron Basford (L—Vancouver-Burrard), Commons co-chairman of the committee, gave full credit for the work to Senator Croll. The Toronto senator first introduced an interest-disclosure bill in the Senate in

1960.

The main committee recommendation was:

"That every person, firm or corporation, including every chartered bank, carrying on the business of extending consumer credit, shall be required by law to disclose to the consumer the total cost of that credit, expressed both as a lump sum and in terms of simple annual interest."

Caught in the squeeze are revolving credit and other so-

called budget-plan accounts operated by some big department stores.

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Protestant teachers in Sherbrooke, Compton, Stanstead Counties and the Richmond-Drummond-Arthabaska school area decided last night they will not join their Roman Catholic and Protestant counterparts throughout the province in a study day tomorrow to protest the passage of the Johnson government's strike-ending Bill 25.

However, many of the Protestant schools in these areas will be closed tomorrow in any case for a normal mid-season break. Individual schools so affected have notified the parents concerned.

The decision not to hold a study session was taken at a general meeting of the 300-member Eastern Townships Association of Protestant Teachers at Lennoxville High School last night.

The press was barred from the meeting, and the decision was communicated to reporters this morning by ETAT president Mrs. Marguerite Knapp.

She said that the teachers did vote in favor of tendering mass resignations to become effective on June 30.

Lennoxville High is expected to be one ET school which will be open tomorrow because the mid-term break there was last Monday.

All Catholic schools in the area are expected to be closed. Frank Thibault, president of the Sherbrooke Catholic School Commission told The Record this morning that he had been informed that the teachers would hold a study day tomorrow.

Mr. Thibault called a meeting of the commission for 10 o'clock this morning.

Mrs. Knapp, who was at an emergency meeting of the PAPT in Montreal last night and was unable to attend the meeting in Lennoxville, told The Record that the holiday situation may have had some bearing on the teachers' decision not to walk off the job tomorrow.

There was feeling among the teachers, she said, that if a study day were to be called, it should not be called for a holiday day that was already a holiday.

The teachers don't want to lose their holiday, she said, and if the schools are already closed there is not much use in calling a study day.

Commenting on the passage of Bill 25, Mrs. Knapp said that already hundreds of telegrams have begun to flood the lieutenant-governor's office asking that he delay signing the bill.

She went on to say that the PAPT planned a massive rally of parents in Quebec City tomorrow.

"I don't know if the teachers will reconsider their stand on study sessions now that the bill has passed," she said, "but as it stands now, Protestant schools in the area will be open tomorrow except those that are on holiday."

## Job offers come in

QUEBEC (CP)—Gerald Nason, secretary-treasurer of the Canadian Teachers' Federation, said Wednesday job offers are being made to French-speaking teachers on strike in Quebec by associations in other provinces.

"It is assumed by the Quebec government that French-speaking teachers are captive in Quebec," he said in an interview. "I think Mr. Johnson (the premier) is making a mistake because every other province is starving for French teachers."

Teachers' associations in the nine other provinces had sent messages to their English- and French-speaking colleagues in Quebec offering moral and financial support, as well as jobs or efforts to find jobs for those who wished to leave the province.

A spokesman for the federation in Montreal said there are indications that a large number of teachers are interested in the job offers.

Telegrams were being sent out from all parts of Quebec province to teachers' associations across Canada expressing dissatisfaction with conditions here and accepting offers of relocation.

### COULD INVOLVE ALL

Mr. Nason said the Quebec government's handling of the strike could threaten "the rights of teachers everywhere in Canada."

The government bill to force the 13,000 strikers back to work had "deep implications" that the federation was studying closely.

He denied published reports that his organization is attempting to blacklist Quebec as a place for teachers to find work.



### Said a danger

OTTAWA (CP)—Rear-Admiral William Landymore, dismissed from the navy by Defence Minister Hellyer last July for internal opposition to armed forces unification, says Mobile Command is dangerous to Canadian democracy.

"If ever a commander of that command decided to set himself up to control this country of ours, he has a ready-made organization to achieve it," the former chief of Maritime Command told the Commons defence committee Wednesday.

"If a minister of national defence and a commander of Mobile Command got together, we could have a dictatorship overnight. As members of parliament decided to set himself up to control this country of ours, he has a ready-made organization to achieve it."

### Roberts resting

TORONTO (CP)—A quick recovery was predicted for Premier John Roberts as party officials denied Wednesday night that he might soon retire.

Elmer Ball, president of the Ontario Progressive Conservative Association, and Provincial

Treasurer Charles MacNaughton threw cold water on the speculative reports about retirement. Mr. Roberts, in hospital in London with an illness described only as "a serious internal problem," was reported resting comfortably.

### ECM warning

LONDON (AP)—Prime Minister Harold Wilson's trade chief warned Wednesday night of adverse economic effects if Britain enters the European Common Market, causing a stir during Wilson's visit to Bonn to seek more West German support for Britain's candidacy.

One member of Wilson's Labour party said Douglas Jay, president of the government board of trade, "completely demoralised the case for going into the Common Market" in a talk more West German support for

members of Parliament.

### Reds battle

MOSCOW (AP)—The Soviet Communist party accused Mao Tse-tung today of planning new attempts to provide a break in Soviet - Chinese relations. In Peking, more anti-Russian pronouncements were reported.

On Formosa, Nationalist China's official Central news agency said armed clashes between forces for and against Mao have spread from Tibet throughout the adjoining province of Szechwan, in southwest China.

### Go to people

OTTAWA (CP)—Senators and MPs take their prices inquiry to the people next week. Most of the people will be housewives, Committee and at Montreal N.D.G. Angry Consumers.

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<b>MONDAY THROUGH FRIDAY</b>	<b>10:00</b>	Herald of Truth
<b>Power For Today</b>	<b>10:15</b>	CBS News
<b>The Country Show</b>	<b>10:30</b>	1490 Club
<b>News</b>	<b>11:00</b>	Walter Cronkite Re- porting
<b>The Country Show</b>	<b>11:30</b>	1490 Club
<b>New England Over- night</b>	<b>12:10</b>	Sing Along With Mitch
<b>The Larry K. Show</b>	<b>12:15</b>	CBS News
<b>Your Social Security</b>	<b>12:20</b>	Alexander Kendrick
<b>UVM Extension Ser- vice Report (Tues- -day)</b>	<b>12:25</b>	Dateline Vermont
<b>News</b>	<b>7:00</b>	Dateline Vermont
<b>Daybreak Weather</b>	<b>7:05</b>	In Hollywood (CBS)
<b>The Larry K. Show</b>	<b>7:10</b>	Midway Music (Mon. Wed. Fri)
<b>Market Report (Fri.)</b>	<b>7:15</b>	Home Demo News (Tues.)
<b>Weather</b>	<b>7:20</b>	4-H Club News (Thurs.)
<b>Checkboard Daily</b>	<b>7:30</b>	CBS News
<b>News</b>	<b>7:35</b>	Ari Linkletter's House party
<b>Town Crier</b>	<b>7:40</b>	Sports Scoreboard
<b>Morning Report</b>	<b>8:00</b>	Trading Post
<b>Trading Post</b>	<b>8:05</b>	Morning Devotions
<b>Morning Devotions</b>	<b>8:15</b>	Today's News And You
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<b>CBS Morning Report</b>	<b>8:35</b>	Open Line
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<b>Bible Truths (Wed.)</b>	<b>9:55</b>	Dear Abbey
<b>Dear Abbey</b>		CBS News



## Name winners at card party in Lemesurier

LEMESURIER — Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Tuite held a card party at their home recently when cards were played at four tables.

Prizes were won as follows: Men's first, Roland Nadeau; second, Raymond Couston; third, Robert Jacques; fourth, Thomas Beattie.

Ladies: First, Mrs. Louis Dennis Bisson; second, Miss Edith Wilkin; third, Mrs. Adrien Goulet; fourth, Mrs. Robert Jacques.

A supper was served at midnight. Mrs. Joe Couston assisted the hosts.

**BLIND TYPISTS** trained by The Canadian National Institute for the Blind are employed in business and commerce. Your donations restore confidence, hope and self reliance to blind Canadians through CNIB service. The CNIB annual appeal for funds is under way now. Please give generously.

## HALVED DRUG BILL IS AIM

OTTAWA (CP) — The Commons drug prices inquiry wound up hearings Tuesday night with examination of Alberta government proposals aimed at chopping consumer drug bills by half.

Committee Chairman Dr. Harry Harley (L-Hallon) said he hopes to have a set of committee recommendations for the Commons by March 1, based on months of testimony and written submissions from industry, government and consumer sources.

The Alberta proposals, prepared by Dr. Henry B. Steele, associate professor of economics at the University of Houston, called for a general lowering of the patent, trade mark, tariff and other legislative barriers behind which Canada's drug industry operates.

Dr. Steele estimated that his prescription to inject price competition into manufacturing and retailing could reduce the annual drug bill of consumers by \$100,000,000.

Dr. Brand also challenged the argument that advertising alone can substitute for price competition in selling drugs.

Dr. Steele said he believes that is true.

"I don't believe that follows," replied Dr. Steele.

"I believe it does," commented Dr. Brand.

While doctors Brand and Steele differed sharply on several points, they were in agreement on one measure — drug agents should be allowed to advertise particular prescription drugs to the public.

Dr. Steele said this would help give the consumer a better chance of finding a cheaper place to have his prescription filled.

Key areas where at least 50 per cent could be saved are in less sales promotion, lower profits and removal of the federal sales tax, he said in reply to question from Dr. Lewis Brand (PC-Saskatoon).

### COULD WATCH PRICE

He also supported the suggestion of committee counsel A. M. Laidlaw that the prescription should be placed on the label of the drug container so the consumer could shop around for a better price on refills.

Dr. Brand suggested that price are cut drug firms will have to reduce quality controls.

Dr. Steele disagreed, saying that drug firms can't afford to cut quality controls because of the danger of getting a bad batch of drugs.

## JACOBY ON BRIDGE

HOW TO BECOME UTTERLY CONFUSED

When you miss five to the queen the finesse, play it superior to the drop. Your problem is not whether to finesse but rather how and when to finesse.

In general your plan is to take the finesse on the second round. The reason for this is that if the suit is going to break 4-1 then once in five times the singleton will be the queen and by postponing the finesse you may pick up that singleton queen.

After these preliminary instructions we present a hand for the Department of Utter Confusion. It tends to show that a little learning is apt to be dangerous.

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## Sutton Institute holds meeting

SUTTON — The meeting of Women's Institute was pleasantly entertained in the home of Mrs. C. Carr with Mrs. W. Westover as co-hostess.

The roll call was answered by each member giving a valentine to be sent to Shut-ins.

Report of nominating committee was given in part and it is hoped all offices will be filled by the March annual meeting.

Full reports will be given at that time by all conveners.

Interesting reports were given by the conveners of nutrition, home economics and citizenship.

Mrs. Westover gave an interesting account of her visit in Montreal with a W.I. member from England. They enjoyed seeing a display of Art and sculpture by the Eskimo, at a department store.

Plans were discussed regarding centennial projects. It is hoped final decision may be made at the March meeting.

Mrs. Patton appointed as a committee to plan the program for coming year: Mrs. L. Miltimore, Mrs. D. Mudgett and Mrs. Woodard.

Each member was dressed to represent a song. This proved to be amusing as the names of each song was guessed. Mrs. Vincent won the prize for the most original.

## Weekly activities at Stanstead College

The big news this week is the Winter Carnival taking place here this Saturday, February 18. Everyone is busy with carnival posters and snow sculptures. Events will get underway Saturday at 9 to 12 a.m., with outdoor activities to include ski races, log sawing, three-legged race, tug of war, chariot race and broom ball. There just might be a snow bowl too.

Lunch will be at noon and at one o'clock the guests, girls from Kings Hall, Compton, are due to arrive and will be welcomed by the band. Fred and Gardena Robertson are bringing their husky dog teams from Kimiluk Kennels and will have dog sled races.

At four o'clock a reception

## Spooner Pond Institute holds busy meeting

SPOONER POND — The meeting of the Women's Institute was held on Feb. 2 at the home of Mrs. E. Hutchings, assisting her were Mrs. W. Coles and Mrs. W. Parke's.

As this was Vice-Presidents' meeting the chair was taken by Mrs. H. Blanchard.

Mrs. O. Taylor, convenor of agriculture, read an article on the old favorite flowers and, as members wish to continue holding a competition on growing flowers, it was decided to try the new kind of Cosmos.

Christmas stockings will be sent again this year, with Mrs. Reia Noel and Mrs. E. Knowles cutting out the stockings. Mrs. E. Hutchings sewing them and members dividing into groups to fill them.

The new program, read for the first time by Mrs. Roy Hughes, met with approval.

A nominating committee chosen was: Mrs. A. Mallette, Mrs. O. Taylor and Mrs. E. Lyster.

A drawing on a quilt was held, bringing in a gratifying sum. Winner of the quilt was Miss Phyllis McLeod.

The regular drawing was won by Mrs. H. Blanchard.

Bingo was played, followed by a salad tea, served by the hostesses.

The next meeting will be held on March 2 at the home of Mrs. R. Fleck.

## Certificates, pins awarded by Beebe S.S.

BEEBE — At the morning service, at Wesley United Church, the Sunday School attendance pins and certificates of merit were given out, with Russey Wilson reading the name and Rev. P. Gaudine making the presentations.

Those receiving the bronze pins were: Cathy Costello, Randy Goodwin, Gary Goodwin and Barry Harrison.

First and second year pins and certificates: Kimberly Bean, Scott Cooper, Bonnie Mark, Neil and Lynn Troelstrup, Beth Wadleigh.

Third year bar: Randy Cooper, Gregory Goodsell, Cathy Goodsell, Diane Troelstrup.

Fourth year bar: Elizabeth Dezan, Judy Dezan, Cathy Dezan, Gregory Goodsell, Larry Lepitre.

Fifth year bar: Martin Dezan, David Dezan, Larry Lepitre.

Sixth year bar: Debra Beattie, Gary Cooper, Arthur Dezan, Maxine Dezan, David Dezan, Jeffrey Goodsell, Letitia and Bruce Laberee, Dorcas Rediker.

Seventh year bar: Arthur Dezan, Diane Rogers, Dorcas Rediker, Eighth year bar: Russey and Nancy Wilson. Ninth year bar: Russey and Nancy Wilson.

## Successful 500 party benefits minor hockey

BEEBE — A successful card party held on Feb. 4 at the Elementary School, was sponsored by a committee in aid of the minor hockey teams.

Five hundred was played at 11 tables. Winners were Ladies high: Mrs. Lillian Probert; men's high: Jack Kimpton; ladies' low: Miss Rachel Sheldon; men's low: Allan Bachelier.

The door prize was claimed by Mrs. Buster Bernais Georgeville, with Mrs. A. Rosa being the lucky raffle winner.

Refreshments were served to bring a pleasant evening to a close.

Another party is planned for Feb. 17.

MILLIONS READ

More than 75,000,000 copies of Leslie Charteris' The Saint novels have been sold throughout the world.

# GUIDE TO TELEVISION VIEWING

Listings supplied by each station and subject to change without notice.

<b>3—WCAX Burlington</b>	<b>5—WPTZ—Plattsburg</b>	<b>6—CBMT—Montreal</b>
<b>12—CFCF—Montreal</b>	<b>TBA—To Be Announced</b>	<b>8—WMTW—Mount Washington</b>

<b>THURSDAY</b>	<b>FRIDAY</b>
<p>8:00 a.m. Occasional Wife</p> <p>8:30 a.m. News, Weather Sports</p> <p>9:00 a.m. Beach for the Top</p> <p>9:30 a.m. That Girl</p> <p>10:00 a.m. Pierre Marton</p> <p>10:30 a.m. Weather</p> <p>11:00 a.m. News</p> <p>11:30 a.m. Huntley-Brinkley</p> <p>12:00 p.m. News</p> <p>12:30 p.m. Ski Trails</p> <p>1:00 p.m. Pulse</p> <p>1:30 p.m. News</p> <p>2:00 p.m. Rifleman</p> <p>2:30 p.m. Batman</p> <p>3:00 p.m. Beachhead</p> <p>3:30 p.m. F. Troop</p> <p>4:00 p.m. Ski Action</p> <p>4:30 p.m. News</p> <p>5:00 p.m. Daniel Boone</p>	<p>8:00 a.m. Today</p> <p>8:30 a.m. News</p> <p>9:00 a.m. Farm &amp; Home</p> <p>9:30 a.m. News</p> <p>10:00 a.m. Forest Rangers</p> <p>10:30 a.m. News</p> <p>11:00 a.m. News</p> <p>11:30 a.m. Popeye</p> <p>12:00 p.m. News</p> <p>12:30 p.m. Party Pig</p>

## About Television

By CYNTHIA LOWRY

NEW YORK (AP)—At the beginning of ABC's dignified tour of Britain's Hall of Kings Tuesday night, Joyce Carey was quoted as saying that if a visitor had but an hour to spend in London, he would send the person directly to Westminster Abbey.

Viewers watching Hall of Kings were treated to the next best thing—a lavish guided tour of the ancient abbey.

James Mason was chief guide, full of information and ready to quote prose and poetry at every tomb or plaque.

From time to time, Siobhan McKenna appeared to speak the words of Mary, Queen of Scots, Elizabeth Barrett Browning or Charlotte Bronte. Lynn Redgrave told in Queen Victoria's words, of the young queen's emotions during her coronation.

The 900-year-old abbey is certainly the most interesting mausoleum in the world. The color cameras lingered on the sculptured forms and faces of long-dead sovereigns and great persons.

### TOOK TIME

Perhaps there was a tendency to overdo some quotations from the poets, but room was found in which to squeeze passing mention of persons buried in the abbey who were neither kings, nor heroes nor men and women of the arts and sciences. There was Queen Anne's laundress, the first person in England to carry an umbrella, and someone identified simply as Long Meg.

### HATLEY —

Mrs. Nellie Hartwell has received word from Douglas Spafford, Livingston, N.J., of the death on Jan. 24 of his elder sister, Mrs. Donald McIver, the former Lucy Spafford. Mrs. McIver had been in ill health for a few months but was gaining and able to be out when she suffered a fatal heart attack.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Cote, Mansville, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Gemmill.

Bobby and Greg Dustin, Rock Island, spent the weekend with Mrs. W. D. Dustin and Miss E. Miller.

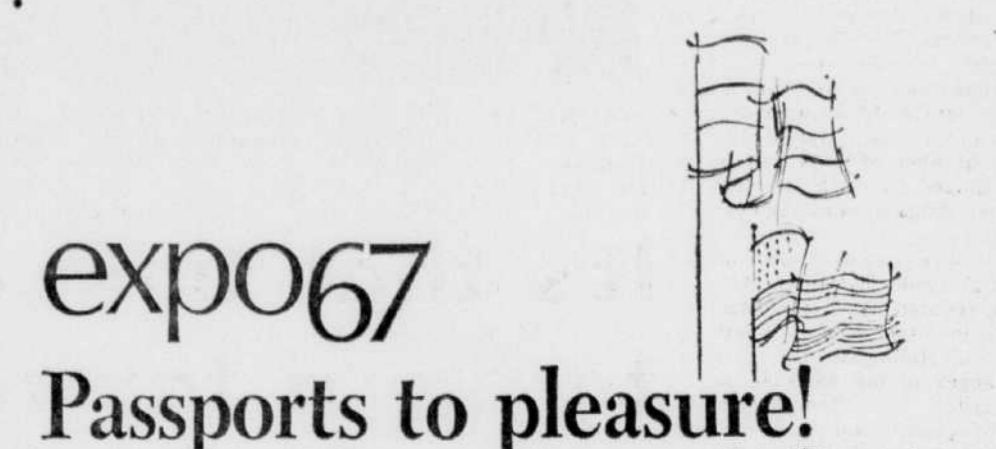
Mrs. Eleanor Belknap, Ayer's Cliff, is at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cyril Drew assisting in the care of her father, Mr. Harvey Drew.

### FOSTER —

Among those here to attend the funeral of Mrs. Royce Wing, Sr., from out-of-town were: Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Long and son, Stephen, Kitchen, Ont.; Mr. and Mrs. W. Long, Mr. and Mrs. G. Long, Mrs. A. Moon, Mrs. Della Wing, Mr. Donald Wing, Mrs. M. Briaux, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Knowles, Mr. and Mrs. David Evans, Mr. and Mrs. E. Board, all of Montreal, also several members from the Montreal School Board, and friends and relatives from the surrounding area.

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**At Grace Chapel Youth service planned**

Two Youth Organizations for girls and boys will join together this Sunday for a special youth service at Grace Chapel. Pioneer Girls and Christian Service Brigade are brother and sister organizations for girls and boys from 8 to 18 years geared to meet the needs of youth in this important ten-year growing span of their lives. There are about 400 units of Pioneer Girls in Canada and about 250 clubs of Christian Service Brigade. Many other churches will also be saluting the work during this month.

The local Brigade unit No. 2445 is composed of 60 boys divided into Battalion for boys 12 to 18 and Stockade for boys 8 to 11.

A Dad-Lad Banquet on Saturday evening will be the special feature to give recognition to the boys' work of the church.

Harry Brown of the Bible Christian Union will be the guest speaker and will challenge the boys and men out of his wealth of experience as a leader in the Brigade program. A number of boys will be recognized for work completed in the Brigade achievement program.

Frank Hatch is the Captain of Brigade Battalion 2445 and is assisted by Lieutenants Ron Rublee and Warren Heath.

Bill Hollingshead is the Chief Ranger of the Stockade and is assisted by Rangers Frank Buchanan, Earl Rublee, Don Duncan and Maurice Cutler.

The Battalion meets every Friday at 7 p.m. in the small gym of Lennoxville High School. The Stockade meets on Saturday at 6:45 p.m. at Grace Chapel. The clubs are open to all interested boys of the district.

**PIONEER GIRLS**

Pioneer Girls has 95 enrolled in five different sections in the local fortalice. The girls are led by 18 trained leaders, called guides. The program offers a complete weekday club program dedicated to the task of assisting the local church to win and train girls for Christian discipleship. The principles of Christian faith are related to every phase of a girls' life.

The Chief Guides in the local Pioneer Girls' program are: Forerunners (Kindergarten and grade 1, 2 Miss Evelyn Beckwith; Pilgrims (Grades 3-6) Misses Beryl Beckwith and Pauline Statton; Colonists (Grades 7-9) Mrs. Fran Hatch; Explorers (Grades 10) Mrs. Norma Gentry.

An Open House will be held in all five sections this Friday, Feb. 17 at 7 p.m. at Grace Chapel. All mothers and interested friends are cordially invited to view the regular program in operation.

**BRIEFLETS**

**LENNOXVILLE**  
 CARNIVAL Lennoxville Community Park, Feb. 25th, and 26th. Sat. P.M. Masquerade, broom ball game, ice dance etc. Sun. p.m. Races, fancy skating and hockey game. Refreshment booth opened. Free admission.

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SEE THE PRETTY INCOME TAX GUIDE — Micheline Gaudreau, Assessment Control Clerk at the District Taxation Office in Sherbrooke displays, with a knowing smile, those essential tools for effective Income Tax filing. (Record photo by Doug Gerrish)

**It's that time again to file a tax return**

Hey, gang, what time is it again? Regardless of who you are, or how you earn your keep, if you manage to get more than \$1,000 a year for your services, you must file that income tax. And right NOW is the time to do it before last minute cramps paralyze your comprehension.

Remember, if you put it off until after the final date, April 30, you may be fined. First thing you do is get a copy of the form you need for filing. Most of you by now will have received your copy from the federal government; hang on to it and use it for it has been codified and marked to correspond to your personal file in Ottawa.

It goes without saying that it is in your own best interests to use this form for efficiency and speed of service and of course an early refund, if you have one coming to you.

If you have not received your form from the government don't panic. It may be because you have never filed an income tax return or that you have changed address recently. If this is the case then just go to your local post office and ask for it.

The chances are very good that you, like most salaried persons, are using the T1 Short income tax form which this year has been completely revised.

**By CLAUDE LABRECQUE (Record staff reporter)**

The creators of the new T1 Short say that it is neater and much easier to understand and fill out than its father. "Tain't so," argue some who are used to the old form and must now learn the new. It may, however, be easier for the neophyte taxpayer.

The new model comes in two parts. First the Guide to the T1 Short 1966 which contains a large fold-out copy and marginal instructions. Then there is the real copy which you are expected to fill out and send to the regional income tax office.

The idea here is to use the guide and its copy as a practice sheet and then do it over neatly on the other official mailing copy.

To adequately complete the form you will of course have to have the T4 slips provided to you by your employer(s) for 1966. They are usually distributed by him no later than February 28.

Remember this is a bilingual province and regardless of what language you have been using in former years, you owe it to yourself and the government to use the language you best understand.

Be as thorough as you possibly can in answering the questions and filling out the blank spaces. If the form is incomplete it will be sent back to you for more precise

information, and of course this delay and trouble is not worth the time saved by being slipshod.

If some things stump you no matter how much you study the instructions then don't hesitate to get free professional advice from your District Taxation Office.

The number to call in Sherbrooke is 562-3834.

This office will be open in the evening from 7 to 9 on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, March 1, 2 and 3 for your convenience.

Meanwhile, concentrate.



**SNOW SHOE CLUB MEETS**

The Sherbrooke Snow Shoe Club met last night at their Prospect Street clubhouse to have luncheon, games and listen to guest speaker Gordon Ayers whose

**BCS to perform satire**

On Friday and Saturday, February 17 and 18, the Players' Club of Bishop's College School will perform the famous satirical Russian comedy The Inspector General by Nikolai Gogol, a play which has been chosen for the coming season by the Stratford Festival Players.

The first version, which was called The Government Inspector, was written in 1834. Gogol got his plot from Alexander Pushkin, who, while staying at an inn in the town of Nizhny-Novgorod, had himself been mistaken for a government official.

The play was shown to Tsar Nicholas, who was delighted with it and ordered its performance, which took place in 1836 and the play has held the stage in Russia and elsewhere ever since.

The play satirizes the small town officials who, hearing that a highly-placed government official is about to visit their district, go into a panic of setting their respective departments in order.

They assume that a young man staying at the inn is the official they so fear, and set out to wine and dine him and offer him sizeable loans of money.

The young man, actually a minor government clerk who has gambled away his money, happily goes along with the situation, and very nearly gets a bonus in the form of the Mayor's daughter as well.

The play is directed by Lewis Evans and staged by John Cowans, both of whom direct plays for the Lennoxville Players' adult community productions, and recently had a guest director in Howard Ryskman, a graduate of the School and now a professional actor on Montreal stages, radio and TV.

The cast is made up of 16 senior B.C.S. boys, and two more junior boys who carry the comic roles of the Mayor's sophisticated wife and daughter.

The leading roles of the so-called Inspector and the Mayor are played by Philip Fowler and Scott Abbott.

Curtain time is 8 p.m. The public is cordially invited. General admission, \$1. Students, 50 cents.



**C O F C SPEAKER** — Tonight's guest speaker at the Sherbrooke Chamber of Commerce dinner meeting at the New Wellington Hotel is Dr. Romul Eugen Vuia, chief engineer of Combustion Engineering. Mr. Vuia takes the place of W.H.D. Clark, president of the same firm, who was scheduled to speak tonight but was called away on a business trip to New York.

**Scotstown mayor is named**  
 SCOTSTOWN — (Special) — At the Town Council meeting held on Tuesday evening, Horridas Martel was chosen as mayor by the aldermen.

The 1967 Council consists of the following: Seat No. 1, Henri Choquette; Seat No. 2, Burns MacDonald; Seat No. 3, Louis Laprise; Seat No. 4, Findlay MacDonald; Seat No. 5, Normand Lapointe; Seat No. 6, William Ladd; Seat No. 7, Horridas Martel (who was elected Mayor).

The new secretary-treasurer, J. Ross MacDonald began his duties January 1, replacing F. M. MacDonald.

**LISGAR** — Mrs. Leslie Skillen spent two days with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey in Sherbrooke, to be near her husband, who is a surgical patient in the Sherbrooke Hospital.

**Gagnon-Lamothe case Judge to set a date for murder defence hearing**

Quebec City Sessions Judge Alphonse Garon is to fix a date February 23 for the voluntary statement of Jean Jacques Gagnon and Andre Lamothe accused of the capital murder of Henri Paul Chandonnet, a Sherbrooke restaurant operator, whose body was found in a shallow grave October 7, 1965.

At voluntary statement the accused may show cause why they should not be ordered to stand trial.

The two appeared for their preliminary hearing yesterday and the day previous into the Chandonnet murder.

All of the witnesses were heard Tuesday except for a prisoner Robert Roberge who was heard yesterday.

For the most part Roberge gave as testimony that he did not know anything, which caused the judge to remark: "A thing you know is that you do not know."

Roberge had been detained in court house cells until his appearance.

The court was forced to adjourn because the jail keeper had gone away with the keys to the cells.

The court was adjourned until Roberge could be freed.

It was the second day that would waive this the privilege. The special Crown prosecutors in the case, Roch LeFranc and Anatole Corriveau asked that a shorthand transcription of the coroner's inquest be entered against the two accused. The judge allowed the Crown to enter the transcripts as evidence against the two accused, but only after a lengthy verbal legal battle.

The defence objected to criminal statements made in the Boisvert, yesterday transcripts which were credited to both Lamothe and Gagnon.

**Gets three years on five theft charges**

A Sherbrooke man yesterday was sentenced to a total of three years in prison for five thefts and was pronounced not guilty by a 12-man Court of Queen's Bench jury of a theft of \$50 at the first trial of the St. Francis District Criminal sizes.

Robert St. Pierre was sentenced to three years for each charge to be served concurrently with the other sentences.

The jury found the accused not guilty on breaking and entering and stealing \$50 from a Waterville home.

Most of yesterday was taken up by the Crown and defence addressing the jury. The judge then instructed the jury.

The jury adjourned until after lunch when they returned with a verdict of not guilty on the Waterville charge. St. Pierre was sentenced on the spot for his entries of a guilty of breaking and entering for plea.

**Richmond RC parishioners honor retiring priest**

Over 400 parishioners of St. Bibiana's Parish, Danville, Rev. Father Armand Gauthier, pastor of St. Bibiana's Parish, Richmond, died Feb. 12 in the Ecole Notre Dame auditorium, to honor of Holy Family Parish, Richmond, Rev. Roland Bacon and his 45th Anniversary of Priest. Rev. Paul Authier, of the Seminary, Sherbrooke; Rev. G. Gauthier, minister of l'Eglise des Cantons de l'Est and Mrs. Doran; Rev. W. Walker, minister of St. Anne's Anglican Church, Richmond; and Mrs. Walker; Rev. Edna Litchfield, e.n.d., principal of Notre Dame High School, Richmond and many others.

The evening closed with the serving of refreshments prepared by Mrs. Robert Jean and her assistants.

Paul Delaney, warden of St. Bibiana's Parish, acted as master of ceremonies for the occasion.

Rev. Maurice Cloutier, present Pastor of Notre-Dame de Toutes Joies Parish, Asbestos, is to replace Rev. Gauthier as pastor of St. Bibiana.

**Four cars pile up**

BROMPTONVILLE — (Staff) — A four car pile-up that might have been caused by slippery roads occurred yesterday morning around 11:30 near the bridge in Bromptonville. Total damages are estimated at \$1,200.

The drivers of the vehicles were Jean Louis Julien, of Windsor, Aimeus Martin, of St. Philippe, Henri Chabot, of St. Francois Xavier de Brompton, and Lionel Dallaire, of Sherbrooke, police said.

The driver of the first vehicle, Jean-Louis Julien, was slightly injured.

**Translation said faulty**

City of Sherbrooke legal advisor Albert Rivard said yesterday that shorthand notes taken by a secretary to Sherbrooke Police Chief Edouard Moreau at last Thursday's police inquiry hearing show that Const. Jean Jacques Plante told the hearing he was instructed by Sgt. Houle not to investigate an alleged gaming infraction because "someone plays cards here."

The notes, in French, show that the pronoun "on" was used rather than "nous," Mr. Rivard said this should translate into English as "someone."

The Record reported the translation was "we," taken to mean senior police officers.

No official shorthand transcription of the hearing is being made.

**Guild donates \$100 to church at Bishopton**

BISHOPTON — The meeting of the Ladies' Guild met with Mrs. Arthur Leonard on Feb. 3 with three visitors.

The meeting was conducted by the new president, Mrs. Ernest Jenkinson.

It was decided to give the wardens \$100 for church funds.

Three ladies paid into the Birthday Box. Committees were appointed for the year.

Refreshments were served by the hostesses, assisted by Mrs. E. Jenkinson, Mrs. Lillian Gilbert and Mrs. Roy Betts.

The next meeting will be held with Mrs. Ernest Jenkinson on March 2.

**BEEBE**

Mr. Walter Smith has returned home after being a patient in the Sherbrooke Hospital, where he was under observation and treatment for several days.

**Says participation important for a successful centennial**

"I'm inviting you all to a birthday party, Canada's 100th birthday party," began guest speaker Gordon Ayers at the dinner meeting of the Sherbrooke Snow Shoe Club at their clubhouse on Prospect Street last night.

"I have found out that what determines whether a party is a swinger or flop depends on one thing, participation," said the Chief Inspector of Shop and Air Canada who spoke to members on Canada's Centennial.

Mr. Ayers said we should look back at our heritage and try and preserve it, we should also take stock of where we're bound for.

"Also this year should be one for making a bit of whoopee," he said.

He then outlined some of the major events and celebrations planned for 1967 such as the Centennial Train, the restoration of Fort Louisbourg, the distribution of coins and stamps to mark the event and the making of feature films.

Turning his talk to Expo he describe it as the "biggest show in Canada or anywhere."

Mr. Ayers closed with an appeal to our patriotism making the wish that this year we become a "united nation."

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**Lenten lectures**

ASBESTOS — (Special) — Church services at St. Aimé Catholic Church for the Lenten season, will be held Feb. 20 to Feb. 24 and again Feb. 27 to March 2. The Very Reverend Chanoine Demers issues an invitation to religious denominations to attend these evening retreats, with Father Paul Deschamps conducting the lectures.

Later a group of panelists, Dr. Richard Kimoff, Joe Cass, Walter Scott, Jim Reynolds and Harry Pilkington discussed such interesting topics as The Theory of Evolution and how we can tell we are really born again. Questions from the young people concerning these topics were answered.

It was a memorable weekend for all who attended.

**RANDBORO**

Mrs. David Jones, Mrs. C. R. Muncester, Miss Judy Muncester and Mrs. Wayne Kemp were supper guests of Miss Mary Muncester on Feb. 2, in Montreal, and attended the show, The Sound of Music, in the evening.

Mr. Ellis Jones was a recent guest of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Hasleton at Moe's River.

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Premier Dan should clarify remarks

Premier Daniel Johnson may have come under such pressure as a result of the teachers' strike in this province that he has lost his sense of proportion, and certainly his sense of humor.

Either this or he has let his indignation over the brush-off he received from the minorities in the last election warp his judgment to the point where he is ready to embark on a program of racial intolerance in Quebec.

Little else can be read into his declaration in the Legislature that his Bill 25 dealing with the teachers' strike would mean the end of "a good system elsewhere. It's the end of a period when the Anglo-Protestants have a better system or have the means to pay for a better system than ours."

If he means that the provincial government will attempt to bring the French educational system up to the level now enjoyed by the Anglo-Protestants, no particular objection can be taken to his remarks. There can be no argument against the belief that every child in

Quebec should have the best possible educational facilities.

But, unfortunately, another remark to the effect that the bill would "hurt some people for a while" might be taken as an indication that he plans to pull the Anglo-Protestant system down to the level of the Franco-Catholic set-up.

This is a proposal that is intolerable and totally unacceptable to the Anglo-Protestant minority. The superiority of the Protestant system, frequently acknowledged in the Parent report, is not an overnight development but has been a result of the willingness of Protestant ratepayers over the years to pay substantially higher realty taxes to provide the best possible school system.

Why the minority should be penalized for past sacrifices is something the Premier should be called upon to explain.

In the light of Mr. Johnson's remarks, the loud protests of the Protestant teachers against Bill 25 can be justified, even if some of the methods they propose to show their dissatisfaction leave much to be desired.

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Chinese fight and Canadian wheat

Most of the public interest generated by the unsettled conditions in Red China concerns the possible effects the near civil war may have on the world military situation and especially the war in Vietnam.

But among Canadians there may be concern over the future of wheat exports to China.

These massive wheat sales have proved of inestimable value to the Canadian economy and much of the optimism over the economic outlook is based on the assumption that these purchases will be continued in the future.

There is no question about China needing large quantities of Canadian wheat to feed its hungry millions for many years to come. But the great danger is that because of its internal disruptions, China may be unable to finance the purchases.

This disturbing factor arises at a time when there are indications that the bo-

nanza days of easy wheat sales in foreign markets may be coming to an end.

World wheat production is expanding and the United States has eased its controls over plantings in that country.

The danger is that countries having the ability to pay for Canadian wheat may soon become self-supporting and in some cases enter the export market, increasing the competition for the cash markets available.

As an alternative to building up domestic stocks to the danger level, Canada could consider huge giveaway programs to the have-not nations.

But there is a limit to which the taxpayer could be willing to compensate the wheat grower for his crops that would be given away.

Thus there is an urgent need that the Canadian Wheat Board tighten up its selling campaign now before other nations have the opportunity to capture such potential markets as do exist.

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All of us want to save money. Few of us do anything about it.

Visit by Minister would be welcome

Northern Development Minister Arthur Laing can be assured of a warm welcome if he decides to visit Sherbrooke during the next few months — at least from the members of the Eastern Townships Historical Society.

For Mr. Laing is head of the department charged with the preservation of historical sites and buildings in Canada and his proposed visit concerns the possibility of preserving the coach house on the property once occupied by Sir Alexander T. Galt, one of the Fathers of Confederation.

Mr. Laing has accepted a degree of re-

sponsibility, if not blame, for the events that led to the destruction of the Galt residence and offered as a substitute the erection of a suitable monument on the site.

But now he has indicated that he is prepared to study first hand the feasibility of preserving the still-existent coach house instead of erecting a monument.

Even if an engineering survey indicates that such action is impractical, a visit by Mr. Laing and his advisers should remove some of the animosity which has developed against him in this area.

'Valuta' is the thing

Russians seeking hard currency

MOSCOW (CP)—The Russians call it "valuta." In the dictionary its meaning is given as currency.

But when Russians use the word they don't mean just any currency, they mean hard currency, which doesn't include the Russian ruble.

Valuta — pronounced vah-loo'-tah—has begun to make serious inroads on the mentality and, apparently, the morals of growing numbers of Soviet people. It is like forbidden fruit: The more they can't have it the more they want it.

The reason they want it is simple enough. They can see that valuta goes further and fetches more exquisite things. Police determination to hold the line against bootleg trafficking in valuta is exemplified in the conviction in Leningrad of two Americans accused of black marketeering.

Buel Ray Wortham, 25, of North Little Rock, Ark., was sentenced to three years in a Soviet labor camp. Craddock M. Gilmour, 24, of Salt Lake City, Utah, received a 1,000-ruble fine. In addition to the

currency charge, Wortham was also accused of stealing a statuette from his hotel room.

The sentences came after a show trial well calculated to obtain maximum publicity in the West and, presumably, to discourage other tourists from engaging in the same kind of business.

WARNS CABBIES

Shortly after the trial, the Leningrad press came out with a warning framed for local consumption. It told taxi drivers and waiters they face heavy jail sentences if they accept foreign currency from tourists.

Though the taxi service had been warned last year about the practice, drivers were still being arrested. Currency deals brought shame on Leningrad, "and we cannot put up with this shame."

To foreign residents of the Soviet Union who got around, it has long been clear that Leningrad is the most wide open city as far as currency "speculation" — as the law calls it—is concerned. It is virtually impossible for a Westerner to walk down a

street of Russia's "window to the West" without being accosted by a lad in his teens offering to change money at an advantageous rate.

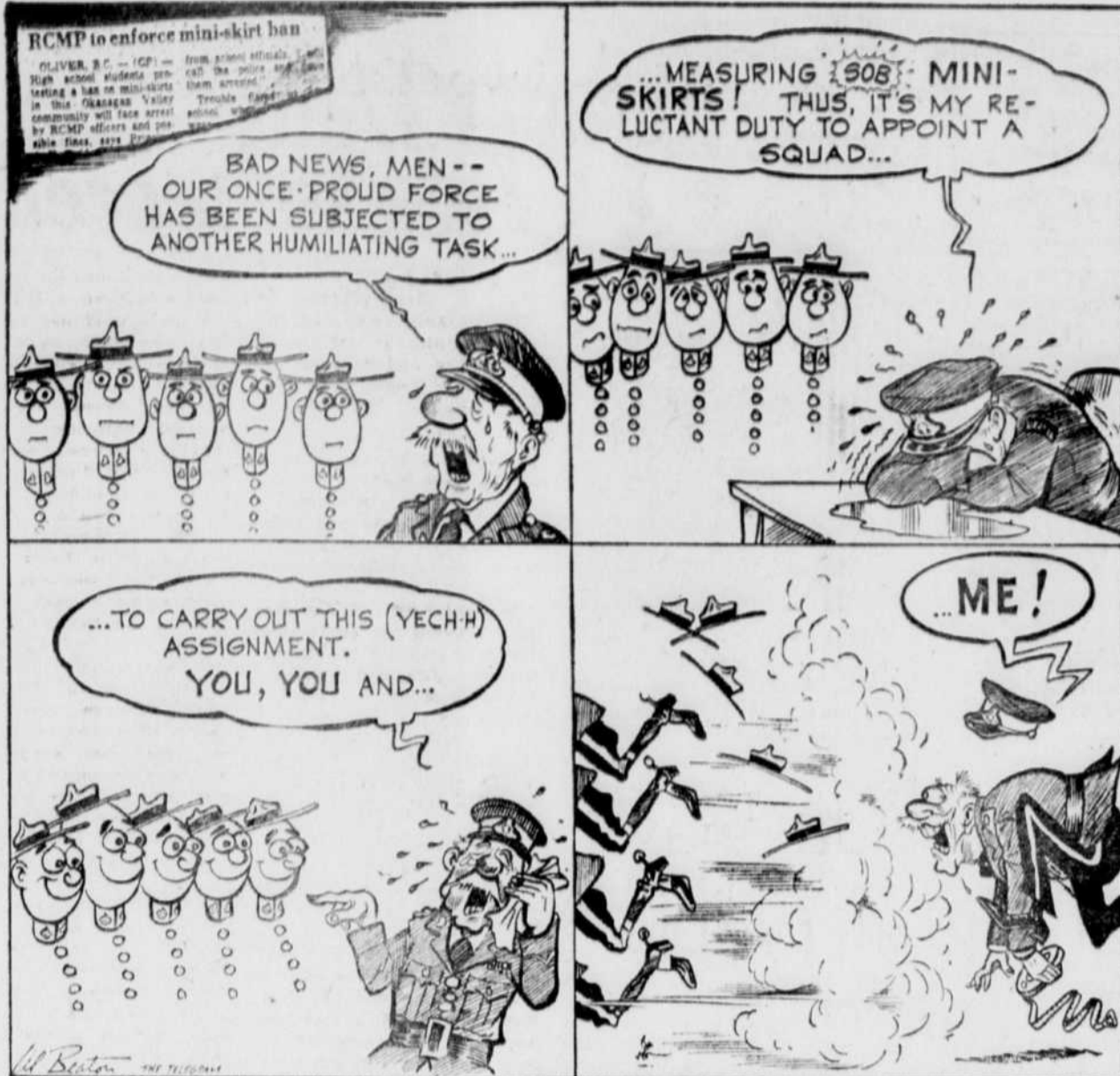
He may offer the tourist two rubles to the American dollar — more than twice the official exchange rate although the rate on the international money market is about three to the dollar.

In addition to dollars, he may be interested in buying bulletproof pens, records by popular Western recording artists, books or clothing.

It is no rare experience for a tourist to be stopped and offered an absolutely enormous price for the shoes off his feet or the coat off his back.

The police are increasingly vigilant. Last summer, a couple of plainclothesmen pounced on another Canadian and me as I passed him some innocent paperback reading material outside a Leningrad hotel.

KEEP LONG HOURS Most of West Germany's labor force works 42 hours a week.



Finnish foreign policy

Top priority given to keeping good relations with Russians

Finland pursues a neutral policy in foreign affairs but never forgets that it has Russia for a neighbor. In this story, John Best, Canadian Press Moscow correspondent, tells of a talk with Finnish Prime Minister Rafael Paasio.

By JOHN BEST

HELSINKI (CP)—When I asked Prime Minister Rafael Paasio to identify the chief element of Finland's foreign policy, I rather expected him to mention neutrality.

It was a bit surprising, therefore, when he said with out hesitation: "Relations with the Soviet Union."

"To the Finns, evidently, it's a matter of elementary prudence to give top priority to keeping on good terms with the Soviet colossus of 230,000,000 whose territory half-encloses this little country of 4,000,000.

Finland's preoccupation owes much to a painful memory—of the winter of 1939-40 when Russia attacked Finland over a territorial claim. The Finns more than held their own in the first months of the "winter war" but were finally failing to work out a policy "in keeping with the times."

The rest of the world applauded Finland's gallantry—and did nothing of any consequence to help.

From this experience the practical Finns have drawn a practical conclusion: The way to handle Russia is to be friends. If this means leaning over backwards to keep the Kremlin happy it's a small price to pay for freedom.

FINNS SUPPORT UN

The newspaper specifically mentioned the absence of criticism of West Germany in policy adopted at the party's congress here in December.

One area in which the Finns and Russians differ is support of United Nations peacekeeping operations. To hear Foreign Minister Ahti Karjalainen talk about the question you might think you were listening to Canada's Lester Pearson or Paul Martin.

The Finns have declared that financing of such operations should be a collective responsibility of UN members, an idea rejected by the U.S.S.R. which consistently refuses to pay its share of UN peacekeeping bills.

Kekkonen, who wields most of the power in Finland, is the chief exponent of the friendship — with — Russia credo. A genuine Finnish patriot, he is nevertheless "always looking toward Moscow nervously and apprehensively," says a foreign diplomat.

Kekkonen, 66, favored giving in to Russian territorial claims in 1939 and is reported to have said that if his advice had been taken the war would have been averted.

MOSCOW CRACKS WHIP

Some say he is too preoccupied with 1939 and that he sees Russia as more belligerent and dangerous than it really is. Yet the Soviets have ways of showing, now and then, that they keep a close watch on their northern neighbor and mean to keep it in line.

Five years ago, at the time of the Berlin crisis, Russia jolted the Finns with a note demanding joint military consultations to help cope with what it considered a possible threat to Soviet security.

The demand was withdrawn following urgent talks between Kekkonen and Nikita Khrushchev in Novosibirsk, Siberia.

Already, it is said, since

formation of the coalition less than a year ago, left-wing elements have taken to calling for a more "activist" foreign policy — meaning a more pro-Soviet brand of neutralism.

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TEN YEARS AGO

Mrs. J. A. York, past president of the Sherbrooke Hospital Ladies' Auxiliary and Mrs. Marcel Savard, president of the sewing committee of the Red Cross, have been named co-chairmen of the ladies committee for the forthcoming financial campaign scheduled for Feb. 23rd to March 9. The objective of the campaign this year has been set at \$10,000.

At a meeting of the executive of the Society held on Friday evening the following were named to head various committees: Mrs. Eugene Arnold, Mrs. P. E. Genest, Mrs. Raymond Provencher, Messrs. Fred Baldwin, Norman Welsh, Henry Delorme, Adolphe Besre, Maurice Cloutier, Mario Lambert, Robert Richard, Ernest Pelletier, Roland Codere, Amedee Roy, Henry Crochetiere, G. A. Graham and Albert Creteau.

FIFTEEN YEARS AGO

Travelling from coast to coast as field secretary of the Anglican Women's Training College, Toronto, keeps Miss Frances Gray in close touch with the Church's work in Canada. Next week she will pay her first visit to Sherbrooke and the surrounding district addressing groups of women, young people and teen age girls.

Miss Gray will address three meetings in St. Peter's Church Hall, one for High Schools girls at 4 p.m. on Monday, Feb. 18, another in the evening of the same day, at 8 p.m. when she will address a combined meeting of local Anglican W.A. members, and a third on the following day, Tuesday, when she will speak to the A.Y.P.A.

While in Sherbrooke Miss Gray will be the guest of Rev. and Mrs. A. V. Othwell.

TWENTY YEARS AGO

Rev. L. Bouthier, parish priest, was invested with the honorary title of Domestic Prelate by Msgr. Philippe Desranleau, Bishop of Sherbrooke, at a religious ceremony in St. Patrick's Church here last night.

Msgr. Bouthier received his new honor from Pope Pius XII after more than 30 years' service to the church, all in the Eastern Townships.

Head table guests at tonight's banquet will be Dr. M. E. Adams, Mayor of Magog; John T. Hackett, M.P. Ovila Bergeron, M.L.A., Blair Gordon, F. R. Daniels, John Peters, Ernest Sewell, John Boardman and other prominent business men. Oliver Tourigny is chairman of all the committees connected with the ceremonies.

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The PRAYER FOR TODAY FROM The Upper Room. If any man will come after me, let him deny himself, and take up his cross daily, and follow me. (Luke 9:23). PRAYER: Our Father, who art able to work for good and through all things, guide our thoughts and acts. In Thy strength, help us to overcome the evil that tempts us and master it with the good, which is a gift from Thee. In Jesus' name. Amen.

COMMENT



by Lubor J. Zink

OTTAWA — (TNS) — Last week's mini-budget debate in the Commons, which was in fact an exploratory foray into the economic nationalism vs. continentalism controversy, had three interesting side-shows.

One was the "Coyné (or Westbank) affair" before the finance committee of the House, the second an outburst over the Canada-U.S. autopact, and the third the lecture on economic and other matters given annually to the Government by the Canadian Labor Congress.

The Westbank affair, which started with a great publicity bang, fizzled out amid general embarrassment when it became apparent that it was no more than a boardroom fight over the policies and control of the bank.

Piecing together the evidence elicited by the finance committee, it now seems pretty clear that James Coyné, Westbank president and former Bank of Canada governor, triggered the whole uproar in the hope of discrediting his Toronto partners and securing personal control of the new bank (in which the Toronto group holds 51 per cent, of shares).

What apparently prompted Mr. Coyné to inject his personal ambitions into the political arena was the fuss created by the economic nationalists over the formerly Dutch and now American-owned Mercantile Bank of Canada.

Watching the rising tide of anti-American feelings during the finance committee's hearings of the Mercantile case, Mr. Coyné probably concluded that a mere hint of American interest in Westbank shares would play into his hands.

So, with a great flourish of patriotic fervor, Mr. Coyné charged his Toronto associates with plotting to contravene the terms of Westbank's charter. It is to the credit of the finance committee that it examined these charges dispassionately and rejected them as wholly unfounded.

The whole thing was fishy right from the start, for had Mr. Coyné's complaint been valid, he wouldn't have bypassed the Crown's administrative machinery, designed specifically to supervise and enforce the financial institutions' compliance with the law.

Mr. Coyné has thus no one to blame but himself for the loss of public esteem he has obviously suffered. No tears would be shed, I suspect, if he were to lose also his presidency of the fledgling Westbank he tried to dominate by riding the crest of emotional anti-Americanism.

Even Mr. Diefenbaker, who made unscrupulous use of the silly commotion for his own purposes, may not derive from it the hoped-for benefit of Dalton Camp's character assassination.

The overtones of economic nationalism which punctuated the abortive Coyné affair also sounded in a flurry of attacks on the Canada-U.S. autopact which its opponents denounce as a prototype of dangerous continental free trade arrangements.

Local dislocations aggravated by the wholly unconnected drop in auto sales, overall figures show that the Canadian economy is already deriving considerable benefits from the autopact.

So much so, in fact, that the U.S. car industry complains about holding the short end of the stick in the deal.

It would be a sad case of shortsightedness if the inevitable teething troubles of the autopact were to prejudice public opinion against further free trade experiments. Europe's Common Market experience shows how wrong the emotional status quo defenders are in the long run.

Union-boss mentality All one can say is that the CLC bully boys either have no notion of how an authoritarian state operates or do not give a damn for the public interests a democratic government must safeguard against selfish and ruthless pressure groups.

TEACHERS WORK HARD WINNIPEG (CP)—The Manitoba Teachers' Society found that its members worked an average of 51.74 hours a week in 1955-56. The load came to 9.31 hours each school day and 5.19 hours each weekend.

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**MANAGEMENT COURSE** — A course in management under the auspices of the Quebec Department of Trade and Commerce, had certificate awarding ceremonies at Vilas Industries, last Friday. Some of the participating foremen from left to right: Bert Chalifoux, Albany Felt; Lucien La-

france, J. J. Barker; Marcel Barre, Imperial Tobacco; Rodolphe Dube, Vilas; Leo Lacasse, Vilas; Jacques Guay, Course Moderator; Jules Lamarre, Vilas; Marcel Leduc, Vilas; Robert Dunn, Edmont Canada, Union Carbide, Visking Division, were also represented in the course.

(Record photo by Studio Elclair)

## Sweetsburg Court

# Two sentenced for breaking and entering

**SWEETSBURG WARD** — Staff — Real Forand and Gilles Laramie, who had both pleaded guilty to two charges of breaking and entering, and one of theft, were ordered to jail Monday by Judge Guy Genest.

Laramie, previously convicted on similar charges, was given three months concurrent in each case. Forand was ordered to two months concurrent in the local lockup.

**Bernard Piette, 22, Cowansville,** pleaded not guilty to a charge of criminal negligence. His trial date was fixed for February 28. Piette is free on \$950 property bail.

**Emile Lagace, Farnham,** pleaded guilty to a charge of disturbing the peace. He was fined \$25 and costs, or eight days, and was ordered to post a personal bond to keep the peace for two years, or spend thirty days in jail.

**Georges Bernard, 48, Farnham,** testified that he had paid Ruby Freiberg, alias Ruby Fry, \$1,000 in cash, on April 18, 1966, when Freiberg purportedly represented Centre d'Aluminium de Quebec, as a collection agent.

Bernard said that he had signed a contract with the firm for installation of aluminum clapping on his

home. He said that the contract amounted to \$3,300.

Bernard said that Freiberg told him that payment of \$2,000 would enable the company to deduct \$200 from the principal. Bernard said that he could only pay \$1,000 at the time. Bernard said that Freiberg said that this would entitle Bernard to a \$110 saving on the principal.

Crown prosecutor Claude Noisieux asked Bernard how the payment was made. Bernard replied, in cash. He said that he wanted to issue a cheque, but that Freiberg told him this was unacceptable.

Jack Lyons, 52, 2102 Goyer Street, Montreal, president of Centre d'Aluminium de Quebec, said, under examination by Crown prosecutor Noisieux, that all their accounts receivable were turned over to City Loan and Finance.

Andre Mignault, Manager of City Loan and Finance, said that Bernard's account showed a balance of \$2,914.50. He said that Mr. Bernard had been remitting monthly payments of \$55.

The preliminary hearing will continue in the fraud case, February 21.

Brian Badger, Knowlton pleaded guilty to a charge of leaving the scene of an accident. He was fined \$50 and

By JOHN McCAGHEY (Record Staff Reporter)

costs, or thirty days in jail.

**Guymond Dugas, Austin,** was found guilty on a charge of impaired driving. Judge Genest found that the

defence witnesses' testimony conflicted.

**Douglas was fined \$50 and costs, or thirty days, and saw his drivers permit suspended for three months.**

Ten individuals were found guilty of late filing of their

Federal Income Tax returns. Fines for the group totalled \$475.

Twenty-one individuals were found guilty of violations of the retail sales tax act. In all, they were fined \$1,100.73 and costs.

## Montreal youth group is hosted at Mansonville

**MANSONVILLE** — On Feb. 4, the Mansonville Youth Group of the United Church entertained as their guests Rev. Craig Zaehring together with young people's groups of the North Troy - Newport Center Party, the occasion being a party in honor of the Tuxis Rangers of St. Mark's United Church, Montreal, and their leader, Ainslie Young.

Rev. E. J. McDonald was the organizer and co-ordinator of the service, which was a fitting climax to Christian Youth Week.

A happy part of the service was the presentation to Ainslie Young of a plaque in recognition of his 15 years of leadership in the Tuxis Rangers.

On the wooden plaque was mounted a brass shield bearing the names of all young people enrolled in the Rangers during the period of Mr. Young's leadership.

Each group attending contributed 15 minutes to the evening's entertainment, the different items presented being humorous skits and musical numbers. Charades and other games were played.

Mr. Young, leader of the Tuxis Rangers, showed slides of a tour of Europe and England, taken by four members of the group during the summer of 1966.

At the close of the evening,

the Mansonville Group served refreshments to their guests.

Mrs. Keyworth George and Mrs. Glenna Smith attended a training session for Guide and Brownie Leaders, held in the hall of the Knowlton United Church on Feb. 4.

Friends here are sorry to hear of the death of Mrs. Cora Marsh.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Mizener attended the wedding of their granddaughter, Patricia Miller to Rene Cyr in Granby on Feb. 4th at St. Georges Church. Mr. and Mrs. George Mizener also attended the Cyr - Miller wedding.

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## Bilingual version of O Canada may solve Canada's national anthem problem

**OTTAWA (CP)** — A bilingual version of O Canada is gaining attention as a parliamentary committee begins work on a national anthem.

MPs feel privately that it could solve the sensitive problem now posed by different French and English lyrics.

The task of the Senate-Commons committee, which held its organizational meeting Wednesday, will be to study the subject matter of O Canada and report on it to Parliament.

Prime Minister Pearson has said he would like to see the anthem question settled by July 1, the 100th anniversary of Confederation.



**EXPLOSION** — Firemen battle a fire in an apartment house following an explosion

that is believed to have killed a girl and injured nine others

Tuesday night in the Montreal suburb of Mount Royal. (CP Wirephoto)

Lyrics ranging in tone from music hall to high church have been submitted to MPs in the wake of word that the committee would be established.

A dark horse may be a version by Jo Ouellet, a bilingual housewife and free-lance writer from Sillery, Que.

Her version combines English and French in the same lines and gets around the problem of translation.

The French lyrics written by Sir Adolphe Routhier in 1880 are considered unacceptable among some English-speaking Canadians because of religious and racial overtones.

**REPEATS PHRASE** — The English lyrics written by Robert Stanley Weir, an Exchequer Court justice from Montreal, in 1908 repeat the phrase "we stand on guard" five times in the first verse.

The anthem committee, comprising 12 MPs and six senators, elected Perry Ryan (L—Toronto Spadina) and Senator Maurice Bourget (L—Quebec) as co-chairmen Wednesday.

The committee set its quorum at seven, although attendance is expected to be much higher at most meetings.

Members of the sub-committee are the co-chairman, Lewis Brand (PC — Saskatoon), Bud Orange (L—Northwest Territories) and Charles-Arthur Gauthier (Creditiste—Roberval).

## Internal independence

# Great Britain to grant independence to six BWI islands by end of month

**CASTRIES, St. Lucia (CP)** — Six island territories in the British West Indies will be granted "independence in association with Great Britain" around the end of February.

The new status will be achieved by Antigua, Dominica, St. Lucia, Grenada and St. Vincent and three islands that form a single territory—St. Kitts, Nevis and Anguilla. Montserrat, another island on the road to limited independence, will continue under colonial status a little longer.

The new status means internal self-government such as Canada achieved 100 years ago, not complete independence as gained by the islands of Trinidad, Jamaica and Barbados in recent years. These islands have had virtual internal autonomy for some years.

These new "associate states" will still be dependent on Britain for external affairs and defence, as well as for financial assistance.

With populations varying from about 60,000 in Antigua to about 100,000 in St. Lucia, the islands have no more in-

habitants than a small city in Canada, with less income. The gross domestic product, or total value of all goods and services in a year, varies from \$209 Canadian to \$250 per person, about a tenth of the per capita revenue in Canada. With such meagre resources the islands are in no position to go it alone.

**ANXIOUS FOR FREEDOM** — However the West Indians want to join the ranks of free nations and take part in world affairs, regardless of their size. Barbados, with about 250,000 inhabitants and about twice the per capita income of the smaller islands, entered full independence last November and has already taken her seat at the United Nations.

In 1959, at the time of the formation of the abortive West Indies Federation, all the islands in it were granted virtual provincial status, with an elected legislative council and an administrator appointed from Britain. With the collapse of the federation after a few years, the islands reverted to colonial office dependencies but kept their local constitutions.

In recent years the islands have had virtual control over all aspects of internal government except the police force and the judiciary.

The attorney-general, who is an ex-officio member of the legislative council and the executive council, which is equivalent to a cabinet, was appointed by the administrator after consultation with the judicial and legal service commission, a body with membership from all the islands in the old federation.

**GRANTS WILL END** — Under the new constitution the local legislature probably will control appointment of all officials including the Queen's representative who will become governor-general. The

chief minister will probably be titled premier or prime minister.

John Compton, chief minister of St. Lucia, says: "Since 1951 we have had adult suffrage on this island and since 1956 a ministerial system. Finance and labor have been added to the ministries more recently."

"We had expected the islands to become independent under the federation, but that fell through. Now we are attaining virtual self-government."

But home rule presents financial problems to the islands. There will be no more grants-in-aid from Britain to subsidize the local governments. However the economy will continue to be subsidized through premium prices for bananas and sugar. St. Lucia, Dominica and Grenada depend heavily on export of bananas to Britain, while Antigua still depends on sugar in addition to her growing tourist trade.

**FEAR DUMPING** — A West Indies common market has been proposed and Barbados, Antigua and Guyana already are planning one among themselves. But tariffs on existing inter-island trade are so negligible that a West Indies common market offers little temptation to fear becoming dumping grounds for manufactured goods from the more advanced islands.

"We don't intend to join the existing proposed market," says Compton. "The terms will have to be changed considerably."

It will probably not be many years before these islands now gaining associate status will become fully independent, possibly under a new federation which is discussed in cautious terms from time to time.

Meanwhile the smaller islands are looking to Canada as a big brother within the Commonwealth and Canada is offering assistance where she can. At present she has promised \$75,000,000 aid to the British West Indies during the next five years.

"We foresee Canada playing a greater role in the Caribbean," says Compton. "We have the Commonwealth, a common language and a common heritage. Her motives in aiding us are not suspect in dealings with Canada we are treated as equals, not with disparagement."

"We are hoping for more trade with Canada, not just financial aid."

## MANSONVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Jersey, Mrs. Betty Klopfer and Mrs. R. Miller have left for Fort Lauderdale, Fla., where they expect to spend three weeks holiday.

Mrs. Ralph George Mrs. Ray Gardner and Mrs. John Barnett, attended the 81st annual meeting of the Montreal Diocesan W.A., as delegates from the St. Paul's branch of the W.A.

Rev. R. G. Albiston was in Montreal for a couple of days recently.

The Local Association of Girl Guides and Brownies held its regular meeting in the Staff Room of the Mansonville Intermediate School on Feb. 6. Brownie meetings will in future be held each Tuesday evening from 6:30 to 8:00 p.m. in the usual place. The Thinking Day program will be held on Feb. 22 at 6:30 p.m. in the Intermediate School Gymnasium, when refreshments will be served. Local Association meetings will, in future, be held on the second Monday of each month.

A Statement by John M. Keith, President, Imperial Tobacco Company of Canada Limited

# Rising Costs Force Increase In Prices of Tobacco Products

The prices of cigarettes and tobaccos to our wholesale distributors have been increased with effect from February 20th, 1967.

The retail prices should not increase more than 10¢ per carton of 200 cigarettes and proportionately on pipe and plug tobaccos, and fine cut tobaccos for "roll-your-own" cigarettes. Prices have not been increased on cigars, snuff or cigarette papers.

Price changes have been made necessary by increases in cost beyond our control:

- 1) The increased purchase price of the 1966 flue-cured leaf tobacco crop is averaging more than 10% over the 1965 crop. The added cost to us for the 1966 crop is estimated at more than \$4,000,000.
- 2) The recently announced increase of Federal sales tax from 11% to 12%, an effective 9% increase on the amount of tax that must be paid on all our sales, is estimated to cost us more than \$2,000,000 in 1967.

Most of the tobacco used in Canadian cigarettes is flue-cured leaf tobacco grown in southern Ontario and these tobacco growers, through their Marketing Board, control the number of acres planted. The result has been a tight market in leaf tobacco, aggravated for Canadian manufacturers by increased demands from overseas buyers, primarily due to the unresolved Rhodesian situation. Flue-cured leaf tobacco in Ontario has risen from an average of 56 cents a pound for the 1964 crop to 66 cents a pound for the 1965 crop and an average of 73 cents a pound for the 1966 crop so far. (The 1966 crop is still being sold.)

While manufacturing improvements have helped offset rising costs of salaries, wages, materials and services through the years, we could not entirely absorb these exceptionally large increases in the cost of our principal raw material, so that our price to distributors was increased an average of 2.4% in August 1966. Since then, continuing increases in costs, the further jump in leaf tobacco prices and the increase in federal sales tax have made the present price changes necessary.

It may be well to underline that our marketing expenditures for advertising and promotions in the last two years have been held at the same level despite similarly rising costs of materials and services.

To sum up the situation of the last two years:

- 1) Flue-cured leaf tobacco prices have advanced.....32%
- 2) Imperial Tobacco prices to distributors have advanced.....2.4%
- 3) Retail prices to consumer per package have advanced on average.....5%

Apart from the above, on every package of cigarettes, substantially more than half of the price you pay is tax levied by the Federal and Provincial Governments. The Federal tax alone on a package of 25 cigarettes is more than 25 cents.

I have attempted to describe in clear terms the realities facing the Company.

If you would like additional information on any of these points, please do not hesitate to write to me.

John M. Keith  
President

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## Personals

Head table guests at the Women's Canadian Club of the Eastern Townships' dinner being held at the New Sherbrooke Hotel on Friday, Feb. 17 will be: Mr. Nicholas Goldschmidt and Mrs. Goldschmidt, Mrs. J. A. Scott, Mrs. J. Thompson, Mrs. Hector McLeod, Mrs. Marcel Savard and Mrs. George Sylvestre.

Miss Ruby Kelly, London Street and Mrs. Gertrude Kelly, of Laconia, N.H., are spending the winter months on Treasure Island, St. Petersburg, Fla.

Mrs. Gerald Conger, of Ottawa, is spending several days at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert J. Drew, Courcelle Street.

## Today's recipe

### CHICKEN WITH CREAM SAUCE, CHINESE STYLE

Cooked this way, the chicken is moist, flavorful and tender. The sauce is delicate and delicious.

- 5 chicken breasts
- 1/4 cup chicken broth
- 1 cup milk
- 1 1/2 tablespoons margarine
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 1 teaspoon sherry
- 1/4 teaspoon monosodium glutamate
- 1/4 cup diced canned bamboo shoots
- 4 teaspoons corn starch
- Lettuce for garnish

Fill a heavy pot or Dutch oven with just enough boiling water to cover the chicken. Add breasts to rapidly boiling water, bring rapidly to boil, cover pot, remove from heat and let stand for 10 minutes. Remove chicken and chill 3 minutes in cold water. While cooling, bring water to boil again to boiling point. Return chicken to water, bring to boil, cover, remove from heat and let stand 10 minutes. At this stage chicken should be completely white. If still pinkish repeat process. Remove cooked chicken and chill again in cold water.

Separate meat from bones and cut meat in bite-sized pieces. Place on lettuce-lined serving plate and cover with the sauce. For the sauce, heat 1/4 cup of the chicken stock and add 1/2 cup of the milk, the margarine, salt, sherry, monosodium glutamate and bamboo shoots. Heat slowly. Mix corn starch with remaining 1/2 cup milk and stir slowly into liquid. Stir constantly until mixture thickens and just reaches boiling point. Pour over meat. Makes 5 or 6 servings.

## WIVES HOLD JOBS

Married women make up 41 per cent of the Swedish labor force.

## CONFIDENTIALLY YOURS

MONTREAL, February 16th — If your husband is approaching retirement (no matter what his age, he actually is, you know) ... drop this suggestion to him and he'll be impressed by your financial "genius". Suggest that he invest now in Scotia Bank Six-Year Savings Certificates from THE BANK OF NOVA SCOTIA. They deliver \$100 for every \$75 he invests, they're fully backed by the resources of the Scotia Bank and each one is personally registered in his name. So tell him not to wait until he gets his gold watch at retirement ... if he starts to save now, you'll both have the time of your lives at the time of retirement!

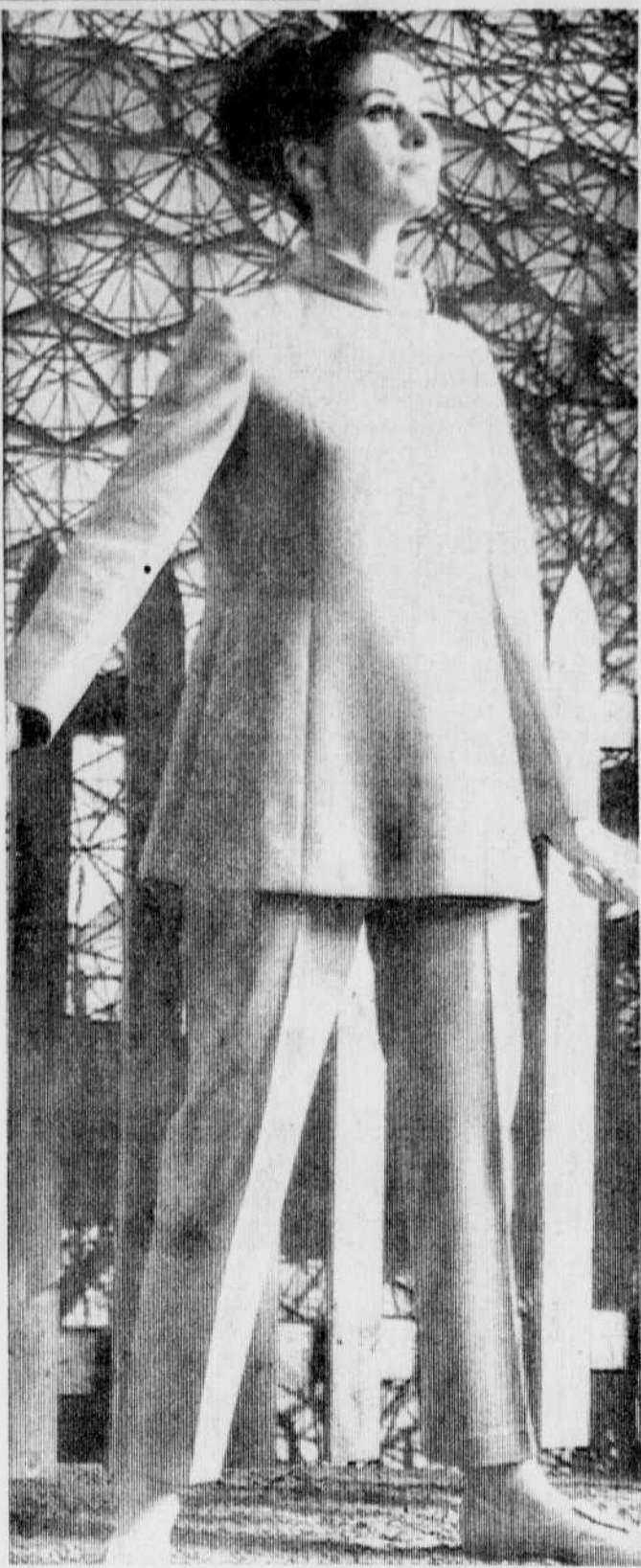
HERE'S SOMETHING YOU SHOULD KNOW ABOUT SARAKA®. A mild vegetable laxative that is the favourite of more and more Canadian families. I recommend Saraka particularly for older folk who suffer from irregularity because it's so easy on the system and so pleasant to take. A single spoonful of Saraka's tiny chocolate-covered granules, taken with water, expands to many times its original size to form a soft bulk that brings gentle and dependable relief. Saraka is made from a special formula developed by Pharmaco (Canada) Ltd. and is available at your favourite drug store.

GOING SHOPPING? Here's a shopping "special" you shouldn't pass up. Two very special wines by Brights — MANOR ST. DAVIDS CLARET and MANOR ST. DAVIDS SAUTERNE. By far the most popular in Canada, these table wines grace any table, add a glow to any meal. With fish, salad, chicken, pork — white meat of any kind — Manor St. Davids Sauterne, well chilled, is excellent. And what Manor St. Davids Claret will do for chops, hamburgers, hot dogs or meat balls and spaghetti has to be tasted to be believed. And both wines are deliciously inexpensive!

THERE'S SOMETHING FOR EVERYONE in Britain ... whether you enjoy the "swinging" life and revel in the new fashions, and smart discotheques ... or if you prefer the tranquil countryside, the traditions, the pomp and pageantry. Whatever your preference, I know you'll never forget your trip with BOAC. This summer BOAC offers you more transatlantic flights than ever before. You can choose from a total of 37 flights every week by BOAC with Air Canada, so there's almost certain to be a flight at the exact time to fit in with your holiday plans. With BOAC you can fly non-stop to London or stop over in Glasgow and Manchester at no extra fare.

I'VE FOUND A DETERGENT that doesn't frighten me! DOMINO BLUE POWDERED DETERGENT really is a powerful laundry cleaner to get out dirt and stains — but when I use it for delicate clothes and other synthetic fabrics Domino Blue Powdered Detergent treats them with kid gloves. At last — a tough but gentle cleaner! Naturally it's good — it's one of Dominion's own top quality low cost brands. It is only one of the many good reasons why more Canadians shop at DOMINION than at any other store ... and it's mainly because of the Meat!

Recommended Centennial Year reading: "GOD BLESS OUR HOME — Domestic Life in Nineteenth Century Canada" by Una Abrahamson, a gem of Canadiana.



ORANGE SPORTS SUIT, designed by Frankroy of Winnipeg and photographed with the United States Pavilion at Expo 67 in the background. The fabric is orange wool. The jacket, tunic-length, is slightly flaring with underarm fastening and a fencer's collar.

## Hairdo styles for all ages

Have you noticed that nowadays it's getting harder and harder to find a woman over 40?

The day of the silver-haired matron, with sombre clothes and old-world manners, is dying. The grandmother of today is a swinger. She's learned that blondes do have more fun — more than grey-haired old ladies, anyway. Those lines around her eyes and mouth are smoothed out by a magic potion from a bottle. And as for clothes — grandma will draw the line at miniskirts, but if she's kept her girlish figure, practically anything goes.

Fifty years ago, women who tried to look less than their age were frowned upon. But when a woman over 40 dyes her hair and kicks up her heels doing the watusi at a party, she's more likely to hear, "Isn't she marvellous?" than "Isn't she ridiculous?"

And she is marvellous. Bernard Shaw once commented that youth was wasted on the young. It's certainly too delightful a commodity to be limited to the teen years. Today's woman is learning to make that commodity last.

She is tired of being considered "over the hill" at the age when her husband is in the "prime of life." She's discovering that age is partially a matter of attitude and appearance and not just birthdays.

LOT GOING FOR HER The older woman has a lot going for her that her younger friends haven't got. She has learned graciousness, wisdom and maturity. Having raised her own family, she often understands youngsters better than they understand themselves.

Most women of 40 are aware of their potential and their limitations where dress is concerned. After 20 years of fads and fashions they have evolved a fashion style that suits them.

Their own mothers were doomed to a fashion Valhalla of navy blues, browns and dark greens once they left their youth behind. This was what fashion offered the "older woman." Today black is limited to teenagers and recent widows. Mature woman are looking more radiant than they've looked in years, in the latest prints and colors.

Even teen fashions are no longer limited to teenagers. Ten years ago, only a teenager would have wanted to wear yards of crinoline and spike baby doll shoes. They've not developed such an exciting sense of style that older folk are copying many of their fashions.

Put a skimmer dress on a teenager, a mother and a grandmother and it would be hard to judge who suited it best.

## Women's group

### D'YOUVILLE HOSPITAL L.A.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of d'Youville Hospital held its regular monthly meeting in the conference room of the hospital on Tues., evening, Feb. 7, at 8:00 p.m.

The president, Mrs. E. Fitzgerald, presided and was pleased to announce that a chariot had been donated to the hospital from the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Sherbrooke Hospital.

Mrs. Fitzgerald also stated that the Association of Hospital Auxiliaries of the Province of Quebec will hold a one day convention on April 6 at the LeBaron Motor Hotel and all members are invited to attend.

Due to the efforts of Mrs. C. Blais two professors have been engaged to tutor two young patients.

Mrs. L. Dubois reported that a new movie projector had been received and that several films were to be presented to the patients in the near future including a color film on Expo '67.

Four new volunteers started working in the hospital store, claimed Mrs. J. Murray, with this additional help a better service for the sick and aged will be provided.

Mrs. H. Derick agreed to relieve Mrs. Lambert in the organization of the library committee.

The most important project to date, was then brought up, the sale of African violets, to be held in the hospital on Sun. March 12, during hospital visiting hours. Mrs. L. Dubois will be in charge of the project. Plants may also be obtained from Mrs. D. N. Vaughan, 56 Academy Street, Lennoxville, Telephone 569-1980.

It is hoped this project will be successful in order that greater help and service may be rendered to the many patients.

Hostesses for the evening were Mrs. H. Derick and Mrs. S. Hansford.

### GRACE CHAPEL W.M. PRAYER GROUP

The February meeting of the Women's Missionary Prayer Group was held at Grace Chapel on Monday evening, the 13th, at 8 p.m. with Mrs. A. Hill in the chair. Mrs. B. Beck with led in devotions.

Mrs. F. Dix gave a brief testimony.

Mrs. W. J. Klink gave the report on the May Missionary

Conference, the theme to be, God and His World.

Mrs. Hill announced that the next meeting, on Monday evening, March 13, will take the form of discussion groups, on The Missionary's Aims.

Mrs. R. Kimoff, missionary secretary, gave her report and outlined the life and work of Doris Pitman, who is presently in Angola, Africa.

Prayer groups then prayed for special requests.

Mrs. R. Paulette interviewed Miss Anne Siemens, a missionary from India, who works among the blind. She represents the Ramabai Mukti Mission, located about 120 miles from Bombay. Miss Siemens pointed out that the mission has a school which educates girls who have been left homeless. Also the mission has a rescue home where unmarried mothers are cared for. She illustrated her work among the blind by showing colored slides of the work at the blind school. There are at present about 80 women and children at the mission home, these are instructed in Braille and handicraft. Miss Siemens is, at present, home on furlough and will return to India in the early summer.

A social time followed the close of the meeting, the hostesses being Mrs. H. Munkittrick, Mrs. T. Young and Mrs. D. Munkittrick.

### ST. ANDREW'S AFTERNOON W.M.S.

St. Andrew's Women's Missionary Society held the regular meeting in the church hall, Feb. 8 with Mrs. W. W. Laurison in the chair. Devotions were conducted by Mrs. E. Cathcart.

Mrs. A. McCombie read a very interesting article about the beginning of Protestantism in Canada. These were mainly French Protestants.

Of special interest at this time was the World Day of Prayer, held this year in St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church. Slides were shown in this connection by Mrs. A. McCombie, with commentary by Mrs. Laurison. This proved to be an interesting and effective way of showing the various ways in which offerings received from World Day of Prayer meetings are used in many parts of the world.

After the closing prayer by Mrs. Laurison, refreshments were served by Mrs. R. E. Nor-



MISS PATRICIA ELIZABETH TEEL and MR. ROBERT HAWKINS whose engagement is announced. Miss

Teel is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Teel, of West Shefford and Mr. Hawkins is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E.

Hawkins, Chateaugay. A September wedding is planned. (Photo by Bruce Field, St. Lambert)

## Cabinet minister serenades woman on 100th birthday

VANCOUVER (CP)—It's not every day you get a federal cabinet minister singing to you.

But then, it's not every day you celebrate your 100th birthday.

Labor Minister Jack Nicholson sang Happy Birthday to Julia Rooney at a party in the Normandy Private Hospital here Jan. 25. About 75 other old-timers staying at the hospital joined in the celebration.

Mrs. Rooney, a native of Guelph, Ont., got caught up in the excitement and joined in for a few of her favorite Irish tunes.

Plaques from the federal and provincial governments and special birthday greetings from Prime Minister Pearson were presented to the lively centenarian.

Mrs. Rooney was the youngest of 17 children and outlived all of her brothers and sisters and two of her five children. Her husband died some years ago. She has 12 grandchildren and 38 great-grandchildren.

She has resided in British Columbia for 26 years and until a few years ago was active in the IOOE and Catholic Women's League.

## For and about Women

### Hair additions essential to fashion-conscious

NEW YORK (CP) — False hair and false eyelashes are rapidly becoming essentials for fashion-conscious women.

Hair additions come in several styles — from a long "fall" to full wigs. They are also in both human and synthetic hair.

Especially popular is the long, swinging fall. It's the most versatile and can usually be managed by the wearer herself. For girls in their teens and 20s it is often merely added at the top of their own long hair to give extra thickness. Or it can create a long, shoulder-curl look on shorter haircuts.

For spring the wig house of Joseph Fleischer has introduced the little fall—a demi-wig that covers all but the very top of your own hair. Under it you can have whatever length haircut you prefer. The fall can be dressed to turn under or curl out.

The well-known fashion designer Oleg Cassini has also turned to the creation of a wig wardrobe, believing that hairpieces are part of the whole fashion picture. He, too, likes the fall for its versatility.

**SYNTHETICS CHEAPER** Both houses produce only human hairpieces. But the fashion press was also introduced to a new collection by David and David of synthetic wigs, curls and falls made of Celanese acetate.

These, naturally, are cheaper than human hair and have an added advantage for the budget-minded career girl or housewife. They can be hand-washed at home.

Human hair pieces should be dry-cleaned and it is better to have this done at your hair-dressing salon.

Obviously synthetic hairpieces cannot look as natural as human hair. But wigs and falls now have become as much a part of fashion that women no longer try to pretend that all that hair is their own.

Styling of false hair is naturally dictated by the seasonal fashions. This spring hair may be worn long or short. Bangs are on the way out. But if you have a facial structure that doesn't suit hair swept right back, you can brush loose strands softly across the forehead in an asymmetrical line from one high side almost to cover the eye on the other side.

Oleg Cassini showed this styling with the addition of a long, swinging fall set far back on the crown and sweeping to the shoulder.

At a New York luncheon for fashion editors, Clairor showed several spring hairdos. One was reminiscent of the pompadour but the hair swept back from a longer side cut to cover the ears.

For the younger girl, hair was either parted in the centre and drawn down so as almost to meet under the chin, and the same effect could be achieved with the natural hair drawn straight back and a demi-wig attached.

Kenneth, the noted stylist, sees a new-old look in short hair with the old marcel qualities. The result is springy waves, soft and full around the face. For those who like extremely short hair he suggests shaggy points on the sides and back centre. Long hair he turns up or under in fluffy movement all over the head.

Mr. Adrian of Charles of the Ritz is introducing a fawn cut. This is casual, young and feminine. The hair is cut at eye level, to enhance the eyes, and is brought forward on the cheeks. At the back it is a tapered shingle. To this you can add his new four-inch-length wiglet and comb it in with your own hair.

—Here's good Lenten news for you and your family. Packers' stocks of canned salmon are 35 per cent over a year ago. This high-quality protein food is now a good buy and easy on the budget. A pound of pink salmon sells today for about 20 cents less than red. Both are equally nutritious.

**MANNERS MAKE FRIENDS**

People often forget names. Never hesitate to ask someone's name.

**Questions readers ask**

Q—My family likes canned salmon in Lenten dishes. But isn't it scarce and very expensive?

**HAIR TO STAY**

Anchor your new postiche or fall the way the experts do. Make two or three pin curls with your own hair, crisscrossing each one with two bobby pins. Place the foundation of the postiche over them. Then pin the foundation to the curls first front; then back; then side and side. Firm and straight—that's the way your added hair will sit!

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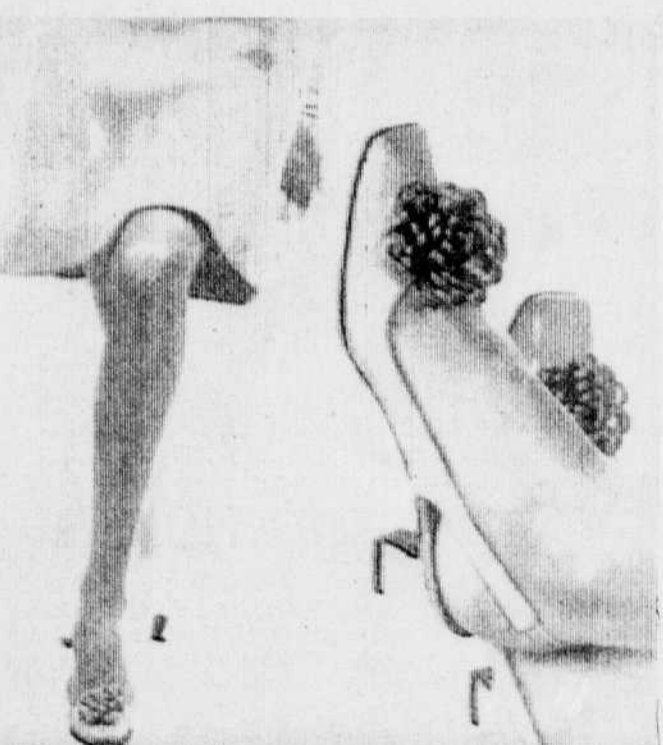
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SWISH SHOES — New spring shoes shown in Montreal Tuesday featured square toes, wedge heels, stylish T-strap



and silk rosettes. The shoes were in warm yellow and brown shades made up in shiny patent leather. (CP Wirephoto)

## Efficiency of working tools important to kitchen

TORONTO (CP)—If you are just beginning to organize a kitchen, it may help you to find your way through the hundreds of types of knives and pots and small appliances on the market if you remember you are looking for efficient working tools.

Consider whether it is the item that will do the job best, consider safety, sanitation, quality, your storage space, your needs and taste.

Dr. Elizabeth Upton, associate professor on the faculty of food sciences at the University of Toronto, says "I think these things are more important than following someone's rule that says you can't set up housekeeping until you have these five knives."

Buying individual pieces makes more sense in terms of efficiency and economy, Dr. Upton says.

"If you buy a set of saucepans, you will probably find you never use some and wish you had several of other sizes."

If you buy a set all the pieces will be copper clad or aluminum or steel and you will probably find you want a frying pan, for instance, in some other material.

"You get far greater flexibility buying separate pieces than purchasing in sets."

It is also economically sound to pay for top quality. The less you pay, the less

you're going to get. It is better in something like a hand rotary beater to choose one that fits your hand and pay \$7 than to pay \$2 and buy three or four over several years."

Dr. Upton adds, however, that the most expensive item is not necessarily the best one. "Easy cleanability is not always sufficiently looked at. The fancier a thing is, the

more it's going to catch dirt. These things are working tools, they're functional, and maybe if we looked at them that way it would help."

"Your own value judgments come in, too—do you like the feel of this beater?"

"People should see that a saucepan is well balanced. Some are handle-heavy and may tip."

"Safety is a feature you pay for."

By JEAN SHARP  
CP Women's Editor

## Polly's pointers

DEAR POLLY—Does anyone know how to keep the cotton dauber which stays on top of the liquid shoe polish from getting hard or how one can soften it?—MRS. A. O. T.

DEAR POLLY—If your child wears "peppy" loafers to school, insert dimes in the slits rather than pennies. They can be used for emergency telephone calls and so on. My children really like having this little emergency fund.—L.W.

DEAR POLLY—A tiny, breakable article can be safely mailed by making a slit in a nylon sponge and inserting the article before mailing in the usual way.—JOANNE

DEAR POLLY—Mrs. T. R.W.

## NEW NAIL TRICK

A base coat of pearl glaze nail enamel, followed up by a coat of rosy pink. A new look that's lovely for fingertips. Lustrous, glow from underneath effect that goes with practically any lipstick shade.

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**ARMAND PAMBRUN**  
The appointment of Armand Pambrun as Assistant to the Vice President and Assistant General Manager of Molson's Brewery Quebec Limited has been announced by Paul A. Côté, Vice President and Assistant General Manager. Mr. Pambrun was previously Montreal Sales Manager.

# Low income loan guarantees urged

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headed by Chief Justice Dana Porter of Ontario. That report recommended interest of one per cent a month or 12 per cent a year for loans up to \$5,000.

Senator Croll said the committee supports this, by implication, but the rate might have to be higher for normal consumer credit in order to attract investment money.

However, he said, the guaranteed bank loans for poor families should carry interest only sufficient to cover administration and insurance in addition to chartered bank prime lending rates. This would put such loans currently at 6½ to seven per cent.

The banks need not make money on such loans, Senator Croll said. They should provide the service, in return for making good customers of the borrower.

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# Revolving credit scathingly criticized

OTTAWA (CP) — The Senate-Commons consumer credit committee has scathingly criticized department store revolving credit accounts and said they should be brought under a general control of interest rates and service charges.

The revolving credit accounts — also known as open-end, cyclical, budget, or easy payment — permit shoppers to make new purchases on their accounts at any time and make department store revolving payments when billed monthly.

The committee said the difficulty is that the shopper does not find out until the monthly bill is rendered just how much the payments amount to, and no one has been able to figure out the rate of interest charged on an annual basis.

The rate is at least 18 per cent and possibly more, it said. The system has found favour with younger families.

**MAKES BUYING PAINLESS**

"The post-war pattern of younger marriages — with home ownership and a heavy mortgage even for families of limited income, and development of suburban shopping centres displaying a tempting variety of consumer goods — is obviously fertile soil for a system of buying which separates the pleasure of acquisition from the pain of payment."

The committee quoted an official of Simpsons & Sears Ltd. as saying 85 per cent of their credit business now is done on the revolving accounting system. The T. Eaton Co., and Hudson's Bay Co., have developed similar plans. Other retail chains, known as junior department stores, have entered the field.

"We have carefully weighed the arguments for and against the system, and because we are informed that its very existence would be placed in jeopardy by requiring disclosure of service charges to the customer in annual percentage rates, perhaps it is time to consider whether or not the advantages outweigh the disadvantages," the committee said.

The customer learns the details of his commitment not at the time of taking possession of the goods but at a later and unspecified date, when the bill comes from the accounting department. The game appears to be one in which all the cards are in the hands of one player."

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# Used cars a social problem

OTTAWA (CP) — Maximum interest rates and service charges should be fixed by law for sellers of used cars because the used car business has become a social problem, the Senate-Commons committee on consumer credit said Wednesday.

It did not suggest a rate but said governments should consider the problem.

"There is no group of consumers with so many unhappy purchasers who have made considerable sacrifice to gain possession of an article which turns out to be useless," the committee said.

"Yet no redress for their grievances is available."

A family might have to go on relief in order to pay an obligation that the family head signed to get an old car. In one case, a used truck purchased for \$650 was resold and a week later sold for \$25.

**USED CAR RATE IS HIGH**

"Finance companies normally charged higher interest rates for financing a used car purchase than for a new car. However, a new car purchaser was protected by the maker's warranty to maintain a good reputation. "But the purchase of a used car is a different proposition," the report said.

"The buyer is often entirely dependent on the dealer's word concerning the age and history of the car, and he must put his faith in the number of miles recorded on the speedometer."

The committee recommended provincial registry bureaus in which the history of every car on the road would be recorded, and to which buyers of used cars could refer. The job shouldn't be too complicated in this computer age, the report said.

The main problem was with the buyer of a used car who signed a waiver of the vendor's responsibility and gave a promissory note for payments. The note was usually sold to a finance company which assumed no responsibility for the worth of the car.

# Universalist women's group meets at Border

ROCK ISLAND — Mrs. Elsie Crows was hostess on Feb. 7 for the Derby Line Universalist Church Women's Society meeting.

Mrs. Crows, assisted by her daughter-in-law, Mrs. John Crows, served a dessert of pumpkin pie and coffee after which bridge and 500 were played.

Bridge winners were Mrs. John Crows and Mrs. L. H. Laythe and in 500 the prizes went to Mrs. Martha Webster and Mrs. Cora Walsh.

Another gathering is planned for March 7.

# BOLTON CENTER

Friends of Mrs. Anne Birch will be sorry to learn she is a patient in the B.M.P. Hospital, Sweetsburg. She is now convalescing in the Fuller Rest Home in Bromes.

**Committee agrees:**

**Farm machinery interest rates bear telling, too**

OTTAWA (CP) — Full disclosure of consumer credit charges on "buy now-pay later" plans should apply equally to farmers' purchases of machinery and supplies, the Senate-Commons committee on consumer credit said Wednesday.

"Finance companies and retail dealers calculate their own borrowing in terms of annual interest rates," the committee said in its report. "They are being asked to provide the same kind of information when they themselves are lenders instead of borrowers."

The Canadian Federation of Agriculture recommended that full disclosure legislation apply equally to farm supply and machinery companies.

"The recommendation is a reasonable one, and we support it," the committee said.



**OFFICER CADETS** at the Canadian Coast Guard College in Sydney, N.S., learn to read charts and use a ship's navigation equipment. Shown here from left to right are: Cadet Lawrence Beutley, Cadet Victor Bennett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Beutley, of Sherbrooke; Cadet Serge Desroches, E. M. Jenkins, acting head of the engineering section at the College; Cadet Serge Theoret, Cadet Alexis Fernandez, and Cadet Paul Bouillon, Rimouski. (Department of Transport photo)

# THE QUEBEC SCENE

## Mtl. manual workers return

MONTREAL (CP) — One of the City of Montreal's two crippling strikes ended Wednesday, but negotiations in the other were reported to have reached their lowest ebb.

On the bright side, 5,000 manual workers voted to accept wage increases ranging from 63 cents to \$1.22 an hour in a one-year contract, ending a five-day strike.

Some men returned to work immediately and started repairing traffic lights and fire hydrants that had been damaged by vandalism and by several days of cold temperatures.

Union leaders said all the workers are scheduled to be back on the job today.

The strike of 4,500 white-collar workers continued Wednesday and union spokesmen said direct negotiations were "getting nowhere." It has closed city hall, municipal libraries, recreation centres and other services and has slowed work in municipal court.

The new contract for the manual workers provides about 75 per cent of the increase retroactive to Dec. 1. The remainder will be paid starting Aug. 30.

The 63-cent increases apply to charwomen and ordinary laborers. Specialized workers get \$1.22 more.

## Sweeps seizure

MONTREAL (CP) — City police have seized 29,400 Irish sweepstake tickets with a sale value of \$102,900 and have arrested a man they called a major distributor of the illegal lottery tickets.

Sergeant Maurice Chartrand, who led the raiding party, said a 48-year-old man was arrested in his car Tuesday night.

Inside the car police found 15,600 tickets and 13,800 stubs which had been sold for \$48,300.

## Body recovered

MONTREAL (CP) — Police in suburban Mount Royal said the body of a young woman was found late Wednesday in the ruins of an apartment building which exploded and caught fire Tuesday night.

Eight persons were injured in the blast.

A police spokesman said it is believed the body is that of Francoise Clement, 18, a hospital clerk and daughter of a Postal



**STRIKE ENDS** — Manual workers employed by the City of Montreal were all smiles yesterday as they voted to accept a new wage offer and end their five-day strike. (CP Wirephoto)

# News flashes from around the world

LOS ANGELES (AP) — A flaming object, possibly a falling meteor or space object, disappeared over the Pacific Ocean late Wednesday night. The apparent fireball was seen by hundreds.

Horace Kean, deputy officer of the federal aviation agency, said "it wasn't an airplane."

Spokesmen for Vandenberg Air Force Base and the navy's Pacific range at Point Mugu said neither had fired a missile.

SEATTLE, Wash. — (AP) Ted Griffin, director of the Seattle Marine Aquarium, captured an undetermined number of killer whales Wednesday night after getting an assist from the U.S. Coast Guard.

The whales were captured in the Yukon Harbor area of Puget Sound.

"It looks as if we have two pods-two families-with 10 or more shales ranging from small to pretty good size bulls," Griffin said.

LISGAR — Mr. and Mrs. Graydon Heath, Danville, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Skillen,

# Financial report from Greenfields Ltd.

During the six months ended Dec. 31-66 (first half of current financial year) Rothmans of Pall Mall Canada Ltd. again established all-time records for sales and earnings, reports J.H. Devlin, President.

Net earnings of \$1,781,000 (\$1.37 per share) were 8.6 per cent higher than \$1,640,000 (\$1.26 a share) in the corresponding period a year earlier.

Income taxes were up 7.8 per cent at \$1,904,000. Sales increased 14.7 per cent from \$85,171,000 from \$74,259,000. Company's unit cigarette sales rose 13.1 per cent to 4,779 million.

Mr. Devlin notes that cigarette production by the tobacco industry for the six months ended Dec. 31-66 increased by 5.6 per cent.

Average tobacco prices for the 1966 crop will be approximately 10 per cent higher than for the 1965 crop and effective Jan. 1-67 the Federal sales tax was increased from 11 per cent to 12 per cent, says Mr. Devlin.

"It is felt the trade increased their December purchases anticipating a price change as a result of the tax increase," he declared.

Reflecting higher costs and lower selling prices, consolidated net earnings of Cominco Ltd. in 1966 declined to \$49,200,000 or \$2.95 per share.

from results of \$53,037,000 or 31.8 per share in 1965.

The results include accounts of the 69 per cent owned Pine Point Mines. Sales of \$224,600,000 were up 6.4 per cent from \$211,173,000 in 1965, but operating profit declined 3.7 per cent to \$83,600,000 from \$87,767,000.

Depreciation and depletion of \$15,700,000 compared with \$14,698,000. Income and mining taxes were down sharply to \$14,600,000 from \$22,848,000 while the minority interest in net earnings of Pine Point was \$8,700,000 versus \$4,045,000.

Indicated net earnings for the fourth quarter of 1966 amounted to \$12,300,000 or 74 cents per share as against \$14,637,000 or 88 cents per share in the like period of 1965.

Fourth quarter sales totalled \$54,000,000 versus \$59,273,000 and operating profit \$17,700,000 as against \$23,367,000.

Income and mining taxes of \$2,300,000 were down from \$4,848,000 and minority interest in Pine Point was \$900,000 versus \$1,545,000.

Net income of Trans Mountain Oil Pipe Line Co. in 1966 increased to \$10,400,000 or \$1.39 per share from \$9,326,543 or \$1.24 per share in 1965, according to a preliminary statement.

# The stock market today

(Courtesy of Greenfields Ltd.)

MONTREAL STOCK MARKET		NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE	
Previous Closing	11 a.m.	Previous Closing	11 a.m.
Abitibi	11 1/2	Amer. Tel.	58 1/2
Algonia	25 1/2	Amesbury	48 1/2
Aluminum	35 1/2	Bethlehem Steel	37 1/2
Argus Corp.	14 1/2	Borden's Co.	35
Asbestos	23 1/2	Chrysler	39
Bell Tel.	40	Comm. Solvents	50 1/2
Brazil	10	Cons. Edison	33 1/2
B. A. Oil	36	Douglas	57 1/2
B. C. Forest	42 1/2	Dupont	158
Can. Cement	40 1/2	Gen. Electric	37 1/2
Can. Iron	20 1/2	General Motors	74 1/2
Cdn. Aviation El.	9 1/2	Goodyear	45 1/2
Cdn. Breweries	7 1/2	Int'l. Bus. Mach.	433
Cdn. P. Railway	63 1/2	Int. Paper	28 1/2
Chemical	13 1/2	Int. Tel.	83
Cons. Paper	42 1/2	Johns-Manville	54 1/2
Cons. Smelters	33 1/2	Studebaker	61 1/2
Dist. Seagrains	37 1/2	Montg. Ward	22 1/2
Dom. Bridge	19	N. Y. Central	76 1/2
Dom. Foundries	21 1/2	Pepsi	84 1/2
Dom. Stores	19 1/2	Radio	49 1/2
Dom. Tar	18 1/2	Republic Steel	48 1/2
Dom. Textile	30 1/2	U. S. Rubber	44 1/2
Dupont	158	Std. Oil of N. J.	63
Famous Players	35 1/2	Studebaker	56 1/2
Ford "A"	125	U. S. Steel	46
Fraser	25 1/2	Woolworth	21 1/2
Gl. Lakes Paper	460		
Hawker Siddley	23 1/2		
Home Oil "A"	23 1/2		
Hudson B. Co.	16 1/2		
Hudson B. Mining	66 1/2		
Husky Oil	13 1/2		
Imperial Oil	60 1/2		
Imp. Tobacco	14 1/2		
Ind. Acceptance	24 1/2		
Int. Nickel	96 1/2		
Int. Utilities	27 1/2		
Int. Pipe	91		
Jam. Public Serv.	11		
Labatt	22 1/2		
Laur. Fin. "A"	5 1/2		
McMillan Bloedel	27 1/2		
Massey-Ferguson	26 1/2		
Molson's "A"	20 1/2		
Ogilvie	13 1/2		
Notanda	59		
Price Bros.	13 1/2		
Quebec Tel.	18 1/2		
Salada Foods	10		
Shell Cda A	25 1/2		
Shop & Save	13 1/2		
Steel Co.	22 1/2		
Trans. Can. Pipe	27		
Trans-Mt. Oil	17 1/2		
Triad Oil	2 1/2		
Walker	32 1/2		
West Coast Trans.	27 1/2		
Zeller's	26 1/2		
Bn. Cn. National	54 1/2		
Bk. of Montreal	60 1/2		
Bk. of Nova Scotia	68 1/2		
Cn. Bk. of Comm.	65 1/2		
Royal Bank	74 1/2		
Tor. Dom. Bank	62 1/2		
MINES AND OILS			
Alta. Gas Trunk	33 1/2		
Cassiar	10		
Central del Rio	12 1/2		
Denison	54 1/2		
Falconbridge	90		
Gunnar	138		
Hollinger	25 1/2		
Pink Addison	11 1/2		
Northern "A"	31		
Pine Point	55		
Queomont	5 1/2		
Rio Algom	24 1/2		
Sleep Rock	6 1/2		

# Produce Quotes

MONTREAL (CP) — Agriculture department quotations:

**Butter:** Current receipts tenderable 92 points 58; 93 points 59. Agriculture stabilization board selling price 61.

**Cheese:** Wholesale current f.o.b. Montreal: Quebec white 42½, colored 42½.

**Skim milk powder:** Spray process No. 1 in bags 18-19½; roller process No. 1 in bags 17-18; feed 15½-16; butter milk powder 12½ - 13½; whey powder 4-4½ cents.

**Potatoes:** Wholesale selling prices: Quebec 50¢ - 1.00; N.B. 50¢ 1.08-1.10; 10¢ 28-29; P.E.I. 75¢ 1.95, 50¢ 1.40, 10¢ 28.

# Montreal livestock market

MONTREAL (CP) — Prices for most classes of livestock were steady today compared with last week on the Montreal east-end market.

**Receipts:** 99 cattle, 31 calves, 1 hog; medium steers 25.75; Good cows 19.75-20.75; medium 18.75; common 17.50; canners and cutters 14.

Good weaners 36.50-42.50; medium 29.36; common 24.50-29.50. Grade A hogs 32.33.

Good lambs 27.28 per cwt.

# Brother talks

MONTREAL (CP) — Louis Sciotte was in good physical condition before his arrest by the provincial police Sept. 30, 1965. Mr. Sciotte's brother, Francois, 30, testified Wednesday.

He was giving evidence at the preliminary hearing of 11 police officers and four insurance company investigators charged with wounding Mr. Sciotte, 41, an insurance adjuster, with intent to maim.

Medical evidence presented earlier indicated that x-rays taken in November of the same year — after the prisoner was transferred from police cells to a hospital — revealed he had a total of 21 fractures to 15 ribs.

# SHOT KILLS TWICE

If a duck eats three to five spent shotgun pellets and retains them for several days it can die of lead poisoning.

# Births

**WILLIAMS** — James and Kathleen (nee Mills) proudly announce the birth of a son, John Charles, at the Hotel Dieu Hospital, on Tuesday, February 14, 1967.

# Deaths

**BAGNALL, Hilda** — At her late residence, on Wednesday, February 15, 1967, Hilda Bagnall, wife of John Bagnall and mother of Allan and Rita (Mrs. Al Barry). Funeral from Rosedale Chapel, 4911 Cote des Neiges Rd., at 2:00 p.m. on Friday, February 17th, thence to Mount Royal Cemetery. Please omit flowers, contributions may be sent to the Montreal Association for Retarded Children.

**FORBES, Dell** — Suddenly on Tuesday, Feb. 14, 1967, Dell Benson Forbes, beloved son of Mrs. Emma Forbes and the late Joseph Forbes and dear father of Violet (Mrs. Jack Burg), Phyllis (Mrs. Julio Tassy) and Warren, in his 65th year. Resting at Johnston's Funeral Chapel, 83 Queen St., Lennoxville, where the funeral will be held on Friday, Feb. 17 at 2:00 p.m. Ven. Archdeacon T. J. Matthews officiating. Interment in Malvern Cemetery.

**LE BARON, Mellie** — Suddenly at the Sherbrooke Hospital, on Wednesday, February 15, 1967, Mellie Woodrow, beloved wife of the late William Agon and the late Merritt Le Baron and beloved mother of William and Glen, in her 80th year. Resting at her late residence, North Hatley, Que., where funeral service will be held on Friday, Feb. 17th, at 2:00 p.m. Rev. James Brooks officiating. Interment in Redville Cemetery. Arrangements by the R. L. Bishop and Son Funeral Home, Tel. 569-8808.

# Card of Thanks

ALDRIDGE — I would like to express my brother and sisters a very special thank you to our brother, Lawrence and his wife for taking our Mother to his home in North Hatley, and taking care of her during her period of convalescence.

MRS. GRETA ALDRIDGE, Knowlton, Que.

BURNHAM — I would like to express my sincere thanks to all who helped me in so many ways during my recent illness. I would like to thank Dr. Hugh Miller, and The Sunnyside Rest Home who took such good care of me. To all who sent flowers, and so many cards, and to the kind friends who visited me, especially my children for their many acts of kindness. This is all too much for me to express in words how I feel and appreciate all that has been done for me. Thank you one and all.

MRS. NELLIE BURNHAM, Knowlton, Que.

WING — We wish to express our grateful thanks and deep appreciation to each and everyone for their many acts of kindness at the time of the death of our beloved wife and mother, Josephine Wing, especially to the Rev. Geo. Beach, the bearers, organist and choir.

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By-law No. 1676 forming a new zoning of the following lots on King street west near the City limits.

- 156, 156-19 to 24
- 156-14 to 16
- 157
- 159
- 160
- 162
- 163
- 164
- 160-1 to 160-4
- 162-1
- 162-2

Property owners of above mentioned lots who wish to oppose this by-law, must attend the meeting.

Property owners from adjoining zones can request to take part in the consultation by sending to the undersigned, within the next five days, a petition signed by at least twelve property owners of said adjoining zone.

H. P. Emond, City Clerk.

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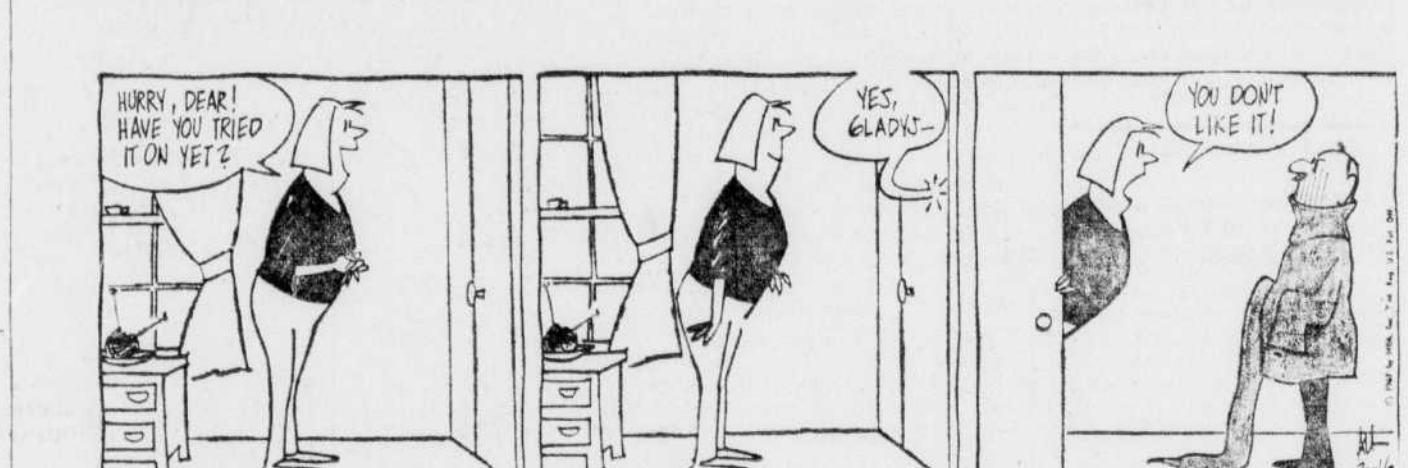
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Panel 3: "WHAT CREDITORS? I PAID MY BILLS, YOU PHONES... OVER AND OVER, I SUSPECT... NOW THAT I CAN'T SEE TO READ 'EM!"  
Panel 4: "YOUR CHECKS KEEP BOUNCING."  
Panel 5: "WE'LL HELP YOU SELL YOUR PLANTATION; YOU CAN LIVE IN LUXURY AND TRAVEL!"  
Panel 6: "NO! I DEMAND TO SEE SOMEONE I TRUST!"  
Panel 7: "WHY DOESN'T J.P. ANSWER MY PLEASES FOR HELP?"

### THE BORN LOSER



Panel 1: "HURRY, DEAR! HAVE YOU TRIED IT ON YET?"  
Panel 2: "YES, GLAD!"  
Panel 3: "YOU DON'T LIKE IT!"

### FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



Panel 1: "THE GIRL IN THAT HOUSE IS MY DATE! WHAT ARE YOU DOING HERE?"  
Panel 2: "SHE AND I HAVE SOMETHING IN COMMON I'M ALSO OF DUTCH EXTRACTION!"  
Panel 3: "I TELEVISION MARCONI. TERMS: CASH."  
Panel 4: "RICHARD MORIN, H.C.S. Marcel Cloutier & Associates, Bailiff's Office, 895 Marillac Street, Tel. 562-9276, Sherbrooke."  
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Panel 8: "36. Home Services BILL COUPLAND says: "If you've tried the rest, why not try the best?" For the best in painting and paperhanging Call 563-5375."  
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Panel 2: "I HOPE DINNY HEARD ME, I'M TIRED OF STOMPING AROUND OUT HERE!"  
Panel 3: "IS THERE ANY A BEING OF ANY KIND DON'T HEAR THAT HE WAS DEAF AN' BLIND!"  
Panel 4: "AND OLD FOODY WAS 100% RIGHT THEY'RE MOOVING ALL RIGHT!"  
Panel 5: "I THINK WE CAN TAKE 'EM!"  
Panel 6: "I DUNNO! IF IT WASN'T FOR TH GIRL, I'D SAY, LAY OFF."  
Panel 7: "BUT SHE'D BE A REAL PRIZE!"  
Panel 8: "SHE SURE WOULD! LET'S RISK IT!"

### L'IL ABNER



Panel 1: "REMEMBER, DISCO DICK FOSDICK! TURN OFF THE MUSIC AT 10 SHARP!—THAT'LL STOP THE DANCING!"  
Panel 2: "IF IT DOESN'T IVE-YE-GOT SOMETHING THAT WILL!"  
Panel 3: "YOU MUSTN'T SHOOT TEEN-AGERS! THEIR PARENTS WILL COMPLAIN!"  
Panel 4: "ARE YOU SURE, CHIEF?"  
Panel 5: "JUST TURN THE MUSIC OFF AT 10. IS ALL!"  
Panel 6: "WHAT AGONY FOR A LAWRENCE WELK FAN!!!"

### MORTY MEEKLE



Panel 1: "ISN'T IT AMAZING? 45 BILLION GERMS ON THAT LITTLE PIN! CAN YOU IMAGINE? 45 BILL..."  
Panel 2: "SO WHAT ELSE IS NEW?"  
Panel 3: "I THINK IT'S TIME I CAME UP WITH A NEW GIMMICK."

# OBITUARIES

## MRS. EDWARD BAILEY, OF SHERBROOKE

Formerly of Cookshire  
Mrs. Helen Learned Bailey died Jan. 22, 1967, in the Waterloo Hospital, where she had been taken on Nov. 18, 1966, after spending five weeks in the Sherbrooke Hospital.

The funeral service was held in St. Peter's Church, Cookshire, on Wednesday afternoon, Jan. 25, conducted by the rector, Rev. Martin Mate, assisted by Rev. J. D. R. Franklin, rector of St. Peter's Church, Sherbrooke.

Two hymns were sung, Abide with Me, and Unto the Hills, with Mrs. George Gill at the organ and the choir augmented by the members of Trinity United Church choir, of Cookshire.

The flowers on the altar were placed there in her memory by the Altar Guild.

Interment was in Cookshire Cemetery, beside her husband, who predeceased her on June 20, 1950.

The bearers were Douglas Learn, Lionel Pope, Kenneth Fraser, Colin Standish, John McKenna and Bill Kipling.

Relatives attending the funeral included: Mrs. Carroll Ives and Donald Ives, Lennoxville; Mrs. John Ross, Dollard des Ormeaux; Mrs. Ronald Learned, Cookshire; Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Learned, East Angles; Mr. and Mrs. Aiden Learned and Mr. Arthur Learned, Lennoxville; Mrs. R. J. Stevenson, Sherbrooke; Mrs. A. J. Buckland and Mr. Jim Buckland, Waterloo; Her niece, Mrs. John Jarvis, of Fredericton, N.B.; and her cousin, Mrs. L. J. Neff, of Fort Pierce, Fla., who were unable to attend. Many friends from the surrounding district joined in the services, paying respect to this charming lady.

A daughter of William Henry Learned and his wife, Alwilda Fisher, Helen Learned was born at Cookshire, Aug. 31, 1879, and was educated at Cookshire Academy. She was a descendant of Ebenezer Learned, who came to Canada from New Hampshire and settled in Cookshire in 1799.

She was married in St. Peter's Church, Cookshire, Oct. 28, 1904, to the late Edward A. Bailey. They lived for a few years in Wetaskiwin, Alta., and in Toronto, Ont., but were called home by the serious illness of Mrs. Bailey's father, who died at his home on Oct. 2, 1910. Mr. Bailey was employed by the Canadian Bank of Commerce, and everywhere they were located they had many friends, and were always active and helpful in all church and community affairs.

Mrs. Bailey's memories of the 1890s and early 1900s were of a happy, social life in Cookshire - horse riding, dancing, sleigh drives to skating parties, and to the hockey matches in the surrounding towns.

The deceased was a member of outstanding ability to a fine Dramatic Club, and a charter member of the Compton County Women's Institutes. She always kept her membership in the Cookshire branch and prepared many interesting papers for its programs.

After her husband's sudden death in Sherbrooke in 1950, Mrs. Bailey returned to Cookshire, where she resided until 1964, when she moved to an apartment in Sherbrooke.

Mrs. Bailey was predeceased by her brother, William, who died in Sweetsburg in 1959.

## MISS LUCY WEIR OF BISHOPTON

BISHOPTON — The sudden death of Miss Lucy Weir occurred on Jan. 24, 1967, at the home of her sister, Mrs. V.E. Welter, in the Town of Mount Royal.

Miss Weir was born on Nov. 5, 1889, in Brookbury, daughter of the late Edward Weir and Mary MacAuley. She received her education at The Institution for the Deaf and Dumb in Montreal and later moved to Bishopton, where she lived with her brother, Thomas, and was employed at the S.N. Bishop Casket Co. for many years.

Due to failing health, the later years of Miss Weir's retirement were spent at the home of Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Welter.

Surviving are two sisters, Catherine, Mrs. Welter, Town of Mount Royal, and Louise, Mrs. Wm. Gendron, of Sutton; two brothers, Thomas, of Montreal, and John, of Timmins.

and many other relatives. A sister, Susan, and two brothers, Edward and Joseph, predeceased her.

The funeral service was held from the Funeral Parlors on Jan. 26, at 10 o'clock, to St. Clement Church in Bishopton. The body was received by Father Rousseau, who also sang the Requiem High Mass.

The bearers were Oliver and Edmond Nadeau, Francois Belisle and Fritz Leonard.

Interment took place in St. Raphael's Cemetery, Bury, Father Rousseau and Father Breton conducting the committal service.

Those from a distance present were from Montreal, Sutton, Sherbrooke, Scottstown and Garthby.

## MRS. DAVID BYRNE, OF EAST ANGUS

EAST ANGUS — The death occurred on Monday, Jan. 9, 1967, at Scottstown, in her eighty-second year, of Mary Jane Beattie, wife of the late David E. Byrne. Her death followed a period of failing health, when she had been in a nursing home for the past two and a half years.

The deceased was born in Levesque, the second in the family of eight children of the late William Beattie and his wife, Jane Gillander. On Feb. 15, 1911, she was married to David Elliott Byrne, son of the late Edward Byrne and his wife Ellen Elliott, Lennoxville.

They resided on a farm on the Spring Road, Lennoxville, until December 1942, when they sold their farm and moved to East Angus, where Mr. Byrne predeceased her in December 1946.

Mrs. Byrne devoted herself to her home and family. In her earlier years she had taken an interest in the work of the Women's Institute. She was a charter member and willing worker in the Ascot branch and later joined the East Angus branch.

She leaves to mourn her loss, her two daughters, Gladys, Mrs. Leslie Wilkin, and Isabel, Mrs. Lawrence Kinnear, a grandchild and a sister, Mrs. M. A. Beattie, all of East Angus; another sister, Mrs. William Hutchinson; a brother, Johnstone Beattie, of Lennoxville; and other relatives.

Following prayers at Johnston's Funeral Home in Lennoxville, conducted by Archdeacon T. J. Matthews, the funeral service took place in St. George's Church on Jan. 12. Rev. Jacob Rogers, of Lennoxville, and Rev. Donald Eustace, of East Angus, officiated. Two hymns were sung by the choir, What a Friend We Have in Jesus and Safe in the Arms of Jesus.

The bearers were Lewis Ross, Thomas Beattie, Gordon Robinson, Leon Fleck, Wesley Beattie and Kenneth Kinnear. Interment was in Malvern Cemetery, Lennoxville.

Relatives who attended the service were from Richmond, Theford Mines, Kinnear's Mills, Lemessier and East Angus.

## REV. TOM BARBOUR, OF ENFIELD, CONN., AND BALDWIN'S MILLS, QUE.

ENFIELD, CONN. — Rev. Tom Barbour, 56 years of age, died suddenly at the Springfield Hospital, Mass., on Tuesday, Jan. 24 where he was rushed following a heart attack at the parsonage in Enfield, Conn., where he had been pastor of the Congregational Church for the past two years.

Mr. Barbour was born in Newton, Newfoundland, son of the late Pierce and Minnie Russell Barbour. Before entering the ministry he taught near the G-entell Mission at Newton. He received degrees in Science and Theology at McGill University in Montreal.

It was while he was attending McGill University that he served for two summers, 1936-1937, as student minister of the Baldwin's Mills and Heathton United Churches.

He was so impressed with Lake Lyster at Baldwin's Mills that he later built a cottage there, and for many years, with his family spent his holidays. There he enjoyed fishing, working on his cottage and teaching children how to water ski behind his motor boat.

After a three year pastorate in Farnham, Que., he enlisted in the Canadian Army and served as Chaplain in Canada and England.

In 1946 Mr. Barbour went to the United States. He received his Masters degree in religious education at the Hartford Seminary, Conn., and began his ministry at Southwick, Mass., later going to Quincy, Mass. He went to New Britain, Conn., in 1952 and served at South Church for 13 years. During his years in that city he was particularly concerned with the young and elderly. On March 2nd, 1963 he received a Red Feather pin for leadership in youth and senior citizens affairs. He was cited particularly for his work with the Greater New Britain Community Council survey of senior citizens.

Mr. Barbour also served as a incorporator of the Boys Club, the Y.M.C.A. and the New Britain General Hospital. He was a member of the Mental Health Association Family Service and the Connecticut Society of Gerontology. He was a member of the Senior Citizens Committee of the Greater Hartford Council of Churches and Moderator of the General Association of Congregational Churches.

He took up his duties as pastor of the Enfield Congregational Church in 1964.

Last summer he was dean of a Windjammer Conference on a schooner out of Camden, Maine, in which 28 senior high school students around the state participated. This was a project of the United Church of Christ.

Besides his wife Gwendolyn (Lane) Barbour, he leaves a son, Navy Third Class Petty Officer Paul D. Barbour, a daughter, Miss Carolyn L. Barbour, a freshman at Olivet College in Michigan, and a sister, Mrs. Cluny Way, of Newton, Nfld.

The body was cremated at Springfield, Mass., and the ashes were interred at Crystal Lake Cemetery, Stanstead, Que., on Jan. 27. Rev. Geoffrey Joyce, minister of Centenary United Church, Stanstead, South United Church, Rock Island, officiated.

Those present were from Montreal, Sherbrooke, Lennoxville, Baldwin's Mills, Heathton, Angus, officiated. Two hymns were sung by the choir, What a Friend We Have in Jesus and Safe in the Arms of Jesus.

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Mr. Waters was born in Middlesex, England, on Sept. 24, 1875. He came to Canada in 1905 and resided at Kingsbury and Richmond. He was predeceased by his wife, Martha Loney, in 1914, and three children, William, Ethel and Edward.

Survivors are his daughter, Mrs. N. Zorick, of Gravenhurst, Ont., a son, James, of Sherbrooke, and a grandchild.

The funeral service was held at Storie's Funeral Home of Monday, Jan. 2, 1967, Rev. R.A. Cameron, of the United Church officiating. Interment was in St. Andrew's Cemetery, Melbourne.

Mrs. Eddie Mastine is a patient in the Montreal General Hospital, Room 1335.

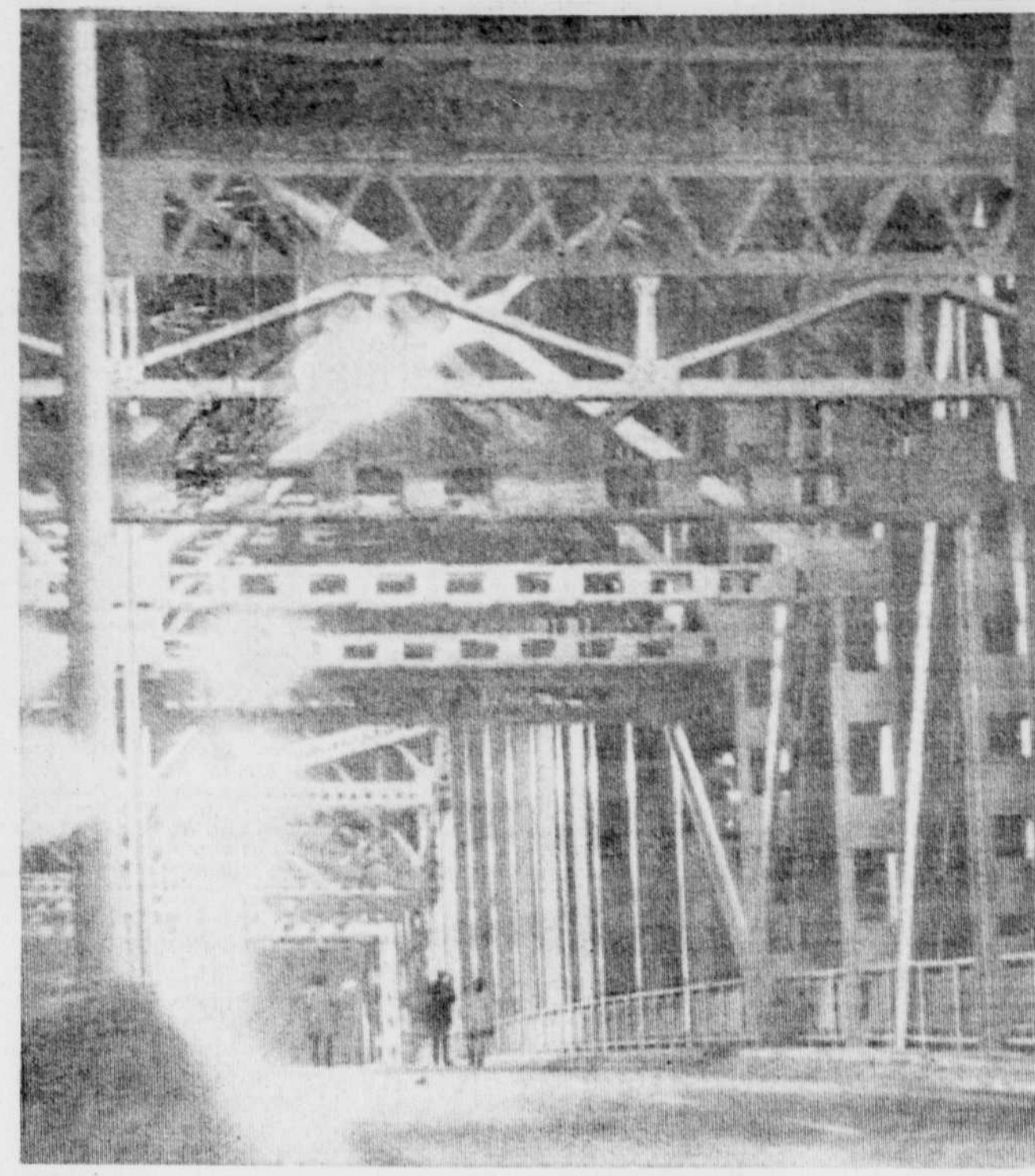
Mrs. Donald Smith is with her mother, Mrs. Avon Stock and Mr. Stock in St. Jean.

Mrs. Edith Learmonth, East Angus, was an overnight guest of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Jamieson.

Mr. Rufus Jamieson spent a weekend with friends in Montreal.

Mr. Wm. MacRae, Mr. Eric MacRae and Mr. and Mrs. David MacRae were in Sherbrooke to visit Lynn MacRae, who still remains a patient in the Sherbrooke Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Nugent, Lennoxville, were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Lowry.



"SKYWAY DRAMA" Traffic on Hamilton's Skyway bridge was held up last night when a man high in the maze of steel threatened to jump. His wife was one of the group seen here, who persuaded him to come down. He was later taken to hospital. (CP Wirephoto)

# Will construction industry pause during centenary year?

TORONTO (CP) — Canada's vital construction industry, running fast during the last six years of strong over-all growth, found itself panting for breath in 1966.

Now, the question is whether it will get its second wind in 1967 or have to pause for a breather.

While 1966 figures still are not complete, it appears likely the industry's total business will fall short of early predictions.

It had been expected the total value of construction in 1966 would rise 14 per cent to \$11,200,000,000 from 1965's \$9,900,000,000.

By December, however, some industry sources were suggesting the increase would be only 10 per cent, to \$10,900,000,000.

No matter which figure is closer, a disturbing factor for the industry is that half the improvement comes from higher prices — so the real gain will amount to only five to seven per cent, well under the 10 per cent - a year increase the Economic Council of Canada says is needed.

Tight money policies instituted to curb inflationary pressures have been blamed generally for the uncertainties that have developed in the industry, especially in housing.

But many businessmen have said concern about the squeeze on corporate profits, rising costs and taxation is causing a serious re-examination of a lot of projects that had been scheduled for a go-ahead signal.

Despite these factors, Armand Trotter of Quebec City, president of the Canadian Construction Association, has predicted a further increase for the industry in 1967 because demand continues strong in all categories.

He told an economic outlook seminar at the University of Toronto in late November that construction spending in 1967 would probably reach about \$12,000,000,000, a gain of seven to nine per cent.

Again, however, about half would be eaten up by higher prices, and in making the prediction Mr. Trotter noted wryly that construction men by nature are born optimists.

Hardest hit by tight money has been the housing segment of the industry. Bank of Canada statistics show that, to the end of August, housing starts had dropped to 86,109 from 97,600 in the similar 1965 period.

INTEREST RATES UP — For all of 1966, starts are expected to total only about 135,000 units, compared with 166,000 in 1965.

Sparked in part by a late-year increase in the interest rate on mortgages under the National Housing Act to 7 1/4 per cent from 6 3/4, some improvement in the picture is forecast for 1967.

Not much, however — only about 20,000 additional starts are expected in 1967, although economists generally agree Canada needs at least 200,000 a year.

The third annual review of the economic council, published in November, pinpointed housing as a dangerous pressure spot in the economy, warning that housing shortages could become acute in several metropolitan areas and that rising rents following the lack of accommodations could become a powerful factor in rising living costs.

Predictions about construction's course in 1967 have been carefully hedged with talk of the uncertainties involved.

Pessimists point to the anticipated continuation of tight money for some months, an end of Expo 67 and centennial spending and a cautious assessment of immediate business prospects in some sectors as factors indicating a slowdown.

Others, however, note generally buoyant demand, with particularly strong leads coming from major power developments such as Churchill Falls and the Nelson River.

They also argue that the end of such major jobs as Expo will merely free badly needed resources for use in other areas.

Whatever the outcome, 1967 probably will see a renewed emphasis on building some effective long-term planning into the industry so its growth rate will achieve a more stable pattern, instead of swinging violently from trough to peak as it has in the past.

That was an important part of the economic council's third review and it hit a tender nerve in the industry. "There's been a lot of talk about this before," says one construction official. "But every time we were either in a recession and so worried we couldn't think about anything else, or in a boom and so busy we didn't have time to think about anything else."

"Maybe this time the slowdown has scared enough people to make them think about the future."

## Special Youth Service held by Montreal group

BROME — On Feb. 5 a special Youth Service was held at St. John's Church. It was conducted by members of the Montreal Youth for Christ organization.

Ron Marr, director of the organization and Youth editor of the Evangelical Christian Magazine, Outlined Youth for Christ in Montreal.

Later he delivered an inspiring and challenging sermon. Two solos were rendered by vocalist, Miss Ruth Cole.

A hymn - sing was led by Brian Cummins, with Miss Evelyn Miller at the organ. Mr. Cummins played two hymns on his accordion and joined Miss Cole in a duet.

The service closed with prayer by the rector, Rev. J. W. Davidson. The open offering was donated to the work of Youth for Christ.

GENERAL NOTES  
Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Davidson were overnight guests of Rev. and Mrs. Alan Cameron, Chomedey on Feb. 4. On Sunday morning Mr. Davidson was the guest preacher at St. Simon's Church, Chomedey and at St. Bartholomew's Church, Bromeau.

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