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By Brodie Snyder

It is unfortunate, in many ways, that the coming election campaign will be fought out largely on the budget question, for there are many more important matters that might well occupy the attention of the candidates.

The budget is about as satisfactory as it could be. It will be defended by the Liberals on the ground that it provides for the needs of the majority of Canadians even though the party had to modify a few Liberal traditions to make it so. It will be attacked by the Opposition because it steals some of the Conservative thunder.

Meanwhile some of the really "big" questions confronting this country will receive scant attention in the free-for-all grab for power.

For example, more strict regulation of foreign capital is needed. We would like to hear what the candidates intend doing about the depletion of the forests.

Our five great sources of wealth are our wheat, forests, power, manufacturers and the tourist. Three of the five are largely dependent on the conservation of the forests: rapid depletion of the forest dries up the streams, reducing power for electricity. It is necessary to leave the woods uncut for a mile or two back on either side the streams to prevent the two quick melting of the snow. When land is cleared, the snow melts quickly, there is high water in the river for a short time, then rapid lowering of the water mark, finally insufficient water to operate the mills and power plants.

We are the greatest manufacturers of newsprint in the world; we are the greatest potential manufacturers of power in the world; and that abundant and cheap power should make us one of the greatest manufacturing nations in the world. Wipe out the forests, however, and the country is robbed of all those great potentialities.

Great immediate wealth, with no concern for the welfare of the country one hundred years from now, seems to be the concern of the Federal and Provincial Governments in granting forest leases to foreign capitalists.

Is Canada's vice-regal system a costly and unnecessary furbelow upon the ship of state?

The question is again being raised in parliament, particularly in view of the controversy raging at the present time, as to whether Canada's next governor-general should be a native of the dominion, or a member, as in the past, of the British aristocracy, possibly of the royal family.

Conservative and Progressive members in the House of Commons, have joined forces in an assault upon the cost of maintaining two official residences for the governor-general, the one being Rideau Hall here, where His Excellency spends most of his time, when not traveling; and the other the historic citadel in Quebec city.

The opposition guns are particularly trained upon the latter structure, and upon the disclosure that in the last four years, nearly \$250,000 has been spent in renovating and maintaining it and that in that period, the governor-general has occupied it for a total of less than two months.

Not only does the maintenance of two such elaborate establishments tend to produce snobbishness and flunkeyism in social and political circles, it is charged, but the expenditure of such large sums of money at a time when unemployment is widespread throughout the dominion, is bound to create burning discontent and possibly to sow the seeds of bolshevism.

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BORDER LINE CAUSES MUCH CONTROVERSY FOR FIRE DEPT.; LOCAL MEN SHOW COURTESY

Deacon Road, North of Van Horne, in Montreal, But Chief Willis and His Men Put Out Fire—Fire in Stop and Shop Store, Also Out of Boundaries of Outremont., But Local Men Give Aid.

A good natured race to the box was indulged in last weekend, with the Outremont Fire Department under W. V. Willis, and the north-end station of the Montreal Fire Brigade, both responded to a joint summons at 11:40 A.M. resulting when the Stop and Shop Grocery store, 381 Bernard avenue, caught fire. After the brigades arrived almost simultaneously, with Chief Willis and his men a little in the lead, owing to the fact that in the panic ensuing when the blaze was discovered, some one rung in the Outremont alarm box first, through in reality the fire was actually on City of Montreal Territory.

Chief Willis had run out one stream when it was discovered that the fire was the property of the north-end firemen. The very best relations exist between the two fire departments, and Chief Willis, with the usual ceremonies and courtesies demanded by the circumstances, withdrew his department, with all the honours of war.

"My fire is tomorrow, perhaps!" Chief Willis joked, as he turned his red racer homeward bound. The damage sustained by the Stop and Shop is reported as slight.

Second Blaze

A second case of pulling the wrong box occurred on Sunday last, which brought out Chief Willis and the men of the Outremont Fire Department, when an alarm from Box 46 was sent in as a result of a grass fire on Deacon Road, north of Van Horne avenue. The fire was found to be on City of Montreal territory, but out of courtesy to the City Fire Brigade, Chief Willis extinguished the fire without bothering his confreres of the Montreal Brigade; a thought that was undoubtedly appreciated since most fire departments dislike grass conflagrations.

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JEWISH RABBI AT FAIRMOUNT- ST. GILES

The meeting of the Young Peoples' Society of Christian Endeavor at Fairmount St. Giles lecture hall on Monday evening last was of a very unique character; the speaker was Rabbi Stern of Temple Emmanuel Westmount, who spoke on "How to promote larger sympathies between Jews and Christians"; the hall was well filled, and the message of the Rabbi was of great value, as he appealed to his audience to put the emphasis on the essentials in which Jew and Gentile agreed, rather than on the opinions in which they disagreed; he was listened to with rapt attention, and seemed perfectly at home in the Christian meeting. Miss Pybus occupied the chair, and Mr. Basil Howell and Mr. Ernest Winrow took part in the meeting; the Orchestra was present and led in the service of praise. The Rabbi was introduced by Rev. Dr. Dobson, who spoke of the influence exerted on the world by the little land and nation of the Jewish people, especially in music, poetry, painting, philosophy, finance, statesmanship, and most of all in religion; the Jews had given the world the scriptures of the Old and New Testaments; Rev. Mr. McFarlane placed emphasis on the fact that "Jesus the Great Head of the Christian Church" came of the Jewish race after the flesh; the meeting closed with a prayer asking for the blessing of God, the Father, to be upon Rabbi Stern, his congregation and the Jewish people everywhere.

Officers for the coming year were elected at a meeting of the Town of Mount Royal Branch, Women's Conservative Association of Montreal and District held Tuesday at the home of the chairman, Mrs. M. St. Alphonse. These are as follows: Honorary chairman, Mrs. John Scott; chairman, Mrs. M. St. Alphonse; first vice-chairman, Mrs. C. C. Hoyt; second vice-chairman, Mrs. A. R. A'Bear; third vice-chairman, Mrs. T. W. Tetley; secretary, Mrs. W. G. H. Cam; treasurer, Mrs. G. Limpicht. Mrs. A'Bear and Mrs. Cam were appointed delegates to the convention to be held June 4, with Mrs. Tetley and Mrs. D. M. Towle as alternates. After the meeting, tea was served, those presiding at the table being Mrs. John Scott and Mrs. Cam.

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NEW CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL
A sum of \$40,000 over and above the sale price of St. Patrick's School for Boys on La-gauchetiere street west to the Canadian National Railways at \$375,000, was appropriated for the construction of the new Thomas D'Arcy McGee High School, corner of eanne Mance street and Pine avenue, at a meeting of the Pedagogic Commission of the Catholic School Board held Tuesday afternoon.
This will mean a new high school in a district adjacent to the North End and Outremont.

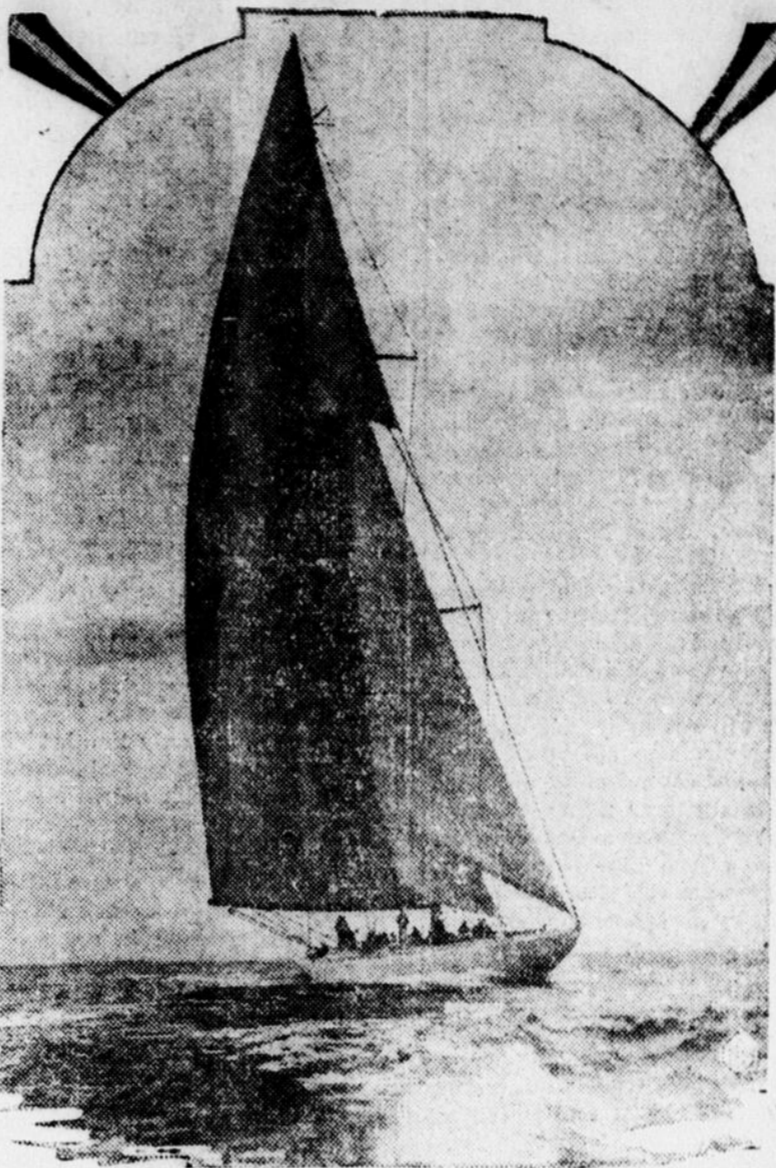
NEW HOSPITAL FOR HEBREWS

That the city will grant a piece of land for the erection of a home for Jewish incurables, thereby fulfilling a promise previously made to Ald. Seigler, was an announcement made by the latter. Ald. Bray, chairman of the city executive, addressed a letter to the representatives of Laurier ward, declaring he was pleased to confirm information already conveyed to him by Mayor Houde to the effect the municipal authorities are willing to cede to the Hebrew Consumptive Aid Association a piece of land for the erection of a home for incurables.
Commenting on this matter, Ald. Seigler said the new building will fill a long-felt want of the Jewish community of Montreal. The land in question, situated in the north end of the city, comprises an area of about 180,000 square feet. In the course of a few days, added Ald. Seigler, a committee will decide on the size of the hospital and adopt the necessary steps to go ahead with the project.

MRS. J. W. SCOTT NEW PRESIDENT

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READY FOR THE SHAMROCK V



The principal contender for the distinction of defending the America's Cup against the challenge of Sir Thomas Lipton's Shamrock V, the trim Enterprise, is here getting her first spin under the command of Commodore Vanderbilt.

Stop Street Approved

Chief George B. Baker of the Outremont Police reports favourably upon the new stop signs posted along all street intersections with the three recently declared boulevards.

"We find the public are cooperating with us in this respect quite satisfactorily," Chief Baker told The Examiner. "We have made no arrests," he said, "since it is our intention to educate the public with respect to the stop sign. It is working out with satisfaction everywhere, and motorists generally seem to approve of the innovation, and are giving satisfactory cooperation to my department in enforcing the law."

Hebrew Political Club of Montreal

To celebrate the opening of the new South Shore Bridge, the Hebrew Political Club of Montreal is holding a Musical and Dance at the Annex Ball Room, 224 Fairmount avenue west, on Saturday, May 24th, at 8.30 P.M.

Don't miss this opportunity to hear these great vocalists: Irving Silver, Sally Aronoff and Bella Kravitz.
Prominent people have been invited to attend this function.

Board of Management of North Branch held Service

A delightful supper gathering of the members of the Board of Management and the secretaries of the North Branch of the Y.M.C.A. with their wives was held recently.

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OUT. POLICE INVESTIGATE SUICIDE CASE

While walking over the Outremont mountain, Sunday afternoon at half-past five o'clock, accompanied by his two boys, F. H. Hodgson, 20 Marcell avenue, Outremont, came upon the dead body of a man, lying in the bush territory located between the two cemeteries. The dead man had a bullet hole above the heart, while a 22 calibre revolver lay on the ground at his right hand. Mr. Hodgson, horrified by his discovery, rushed to the Outremont Police Station and reported the find. Police hurried to the scene and the body was searched for papers and identification marks. The body was turned over to the Morgue authorities at Montreal. It was finally established by the Outremont Police working on the case, that the dead man was that of George Muirhead, 1242 St. Mark street, who had been reported missing from home in the city papers since the 12th of May. The Coroner's Jury returned a verdict of voluntary destruction while in temporary mental depression. The late Mr. Muirhead was in his 61 year. He was unmarried.

GARDEN CITY DEVELOPMENT PLAN FOR TOWN OF MT. ROYAL 'OWN YOUR OWN HOME' SLOGAN

Will Attempt to Make Community Centre Within Reach of Modern Class — Buildings Started — London, Ont., Has 85% Home Owners, While Montreal Shows Up Poorly.

The recent Montreal Health Survey in its great report stressed the importance of healthy homes, but unfortunately present housing conditions are such in Montreal that the home idea as defined in the survey is very far from being a fact, for it cannot be said that the flat type of dwelling, with its lack of air space and light, and which houses the great bulk of the people, is conducive to bringing up of families in a healthy and happy manner. Because of this prevalence of the flat system home owning is very much at a discount in Montreal, as is shown by the fact that less than 10 per cent of the inhabitants own the places they live in. Compared with other large urban centres—such as Toronto with its 55 per cent, Hamilton with its 65 per cent, or London with its 85 per cent of home owners, Montreal shows up very badly. What is still more significant is that less than 5 per cent of the workers of Montreal are home owners, meaning that the great bulk of the population have no fixed stake in the community.

Many reasons have been advanced for this shortage in self-owned houses but until recently no serious attempt has been made to meet the shortage, which under present conditions must be done on a large scale to be successful.

This means that for about \$6,000 a man will be able to purchase a fair sized cottage that is built on a lot of 50 feet frontage and 100 feet depth, facing a well constructed street with cement sidewalks. With the property being within easy distance of the social centre of the town, almost every desired facility is provided in the way of education, religion, recreation and entertainment. This is a pleasing picture, and yet it is a fair one of what the development will eventually mean in the lives of those who participate in it.

Wide Open Spaces
The property, which is part of the general plan of the Town of Mount Royal, is admirably located for a garden city, being within easy distance of any part of Montreal. It contains upwards of 240 acres, or 1,200 lots, so that there is no need for congestion, in fact, the conditions of sale are such that crowded dwellings are impossible, neither is there opportunity for exploitation and speculation. The purchaser must live in the house he buys.

As a first step in the Mount Royal development, twenty sample cottages are now under construction, and as soon as the ground can be made ready 100 cottages will be built. When these are completed, and the public have shown a desire to purchase, a second hundred cottages will be erected, and so construction will go on until the whole of the property is built upon—of course in strict compliance with the plan already made and accepted by the authorities.

Though the development, which is known as the Mount Royal Gardens, thought and study, and only possible of achievement by a large outlay of

WELL KNOWN DRUGGIST DIED ON TUESDAY

The death occurred on Tuesday of Mr. Howard Fraser, for many years a druggist on Fairmount avenue, after a brief illness. The funeral service will take place at his late residence, 269 Desmarais Blvd., Verdun, this evening at 8.30 P.M. Internment will be at Coaticook.

MAN KILLED ON ELEVATOR

Wooden Shaft Blown Down
By Sudden Squall of
Wind

Crashing to the pavement below, when the wooden elevator shaft on which he had been working, in connection with the new apartment block in course of erection at the corner of Stuart and Vanhorne avenues was blown down by a sudden squall of wind that suddenly blew across the city last Saturday shortly after noon day, Emile St. Pierre, 30 years of age, 3407 Colonial street, Montreal, sustained a compound fracture of the skull. The injured man was rushed in an ambulance to the Royal Victoria Hospital, but death ensued Monday morning. The body was taken to the Morgue where the Coroner's inquest took place the same day. A verdict of accidental death was returned.
Another workman, A. St. Marie, 6244 Chambord street, engaged with the victim on the temporary elevator shaft, erected in connection with the new apartment block by the contractors, Kahan and Nathans, was also hurled to the street below when

CANON TROOP COMING TO NORTH END

Rev. Canon Osborne Troop, M.A., formerly rector of St. Martin's Montreal, will preach in Fairmount-St. Giles Church, corner of Bernard Ave., and Stuart, Outremont, on next Sunday evening at 7.30 P.M. Canon Troop comes direct from Richmond, Virginia, where he has been holding special evangelistic meetings; since the beginning of the year, he has held a series of meetings in Toronto and Winnipeg, for deepening spiritual experiences; the subject of his message on Sunday evening at Fairmount-St. Giles will be "The Larger Experience of God". Strangers and visitors are cordially invited to this evening service.

CHILD'S EYE CUT IN FALL
When she fell on a piece of broken glass in her home, shortly before nine o'clock Friday night, four-year-old Nora Boron, of 4338 St. Urbain Street, suffered a severely cut left eye. The child was removed to the Montreal General Hospital, where an operation was performed.

The Young Peoples Society has arranged for an open meeting for Monday next, May 26th, at 8 P.M. when the Rev. W. J. Johnston will give his popular address on "The Spiritual Significance of Victor Hugo's Les Miserables."
All friends are cordially invited. The Rev. Mr. Johnston will leave in a few days to assume new work in Toronto.

the shaft crashed in the wind storm, but only sustained slight injuries and was able to walk immediately after the accident.

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CERTAINLY IMPROVING

Today we tap the socket for our music, heat, light and power. Tomorrow we will tune our thought-waves and communicate with China.

Today we burn millions of tons of coal to keep things moving. Tomorrow we will can the heat from the sun, and open the can on a cold day.

Today we travel sixty-miles an hour on the rails and much faster in the air. Tomorrow we will be going two thousand miles a minute through a tube.

Two thousand years ago they were very much concerned over the younger generation. Today we are worrying over the same problem.

Centuries ago the tribes were always fighting each other. Today we are doing this same thing on a larger scale.

Egyptian tombs prove that the lipstick is thousands of years old. Today it is looked upon as a modern method of making a mummy look like a live one.

In science we progress; in styles we resolve; in comforts we improve, but we have not learned the way to get on with each other.

Almost every day we have a scrap with some one. Every twenty-four hours we have a word war with somebody. Quite often we lose our heads completely and utter or get a straight jab.

We are wonderful people in the head, but our hearts need improving. We are fire-eaters, even in our family circle.

The financial resources of a man may be great, his social position good, and with all these happy surroundings he will fight the waiter, quarrel with his neighbor or misuse his own body just to get even.

If this be true, is it not reasonable to expect that nations made up of men will continue to quarrel and fight?

But every day, in every way, we are improving this situation. All over this country there are thousands of men meeting, once, twice and often three times a week, to get better acquainted and have a firmer understanding.

Every night of the week, thousands of men are meeting in the various fraternities and clubs and learning to like each other more.

We study to conquer all the material subjects, but the most important subject is the subject—Man.

I am convinced that the various organizations, clubs and fraternities are doing more to civilize man and make him neighborly than we think.

—The Silent Partner.

The Week's Sunday School Lesson

Specially Prepared for the Examiner by the Press Pulpit

Lesson for May 25, 1930.

JESUS DESCRIBES THE FUTURE OF THE KINGDOM
Matthew 25: 1-13.

Golden Text—"Take ye heed, watch and pray, for ye know not when the time is."—Mark 13: 33.

One of the many reasons why Jesus retains his place as the supreme teacher is that His psychology is so unflinchingly correct. This parable is the world's supreme picture of spiritual preparedness. Though the illustration is wholly oriental, it is vivid to any mind and the phrase "foolish virgin" is current vernacular in the English language.

Jesus picked a familiar and dramatic picture. That was part of His act. A good teacher will not devote too much time to explaining it. One can hardly translate it into our modern life. If a girl was to be a bridesmaid at a church wedding and came to the vestry door after the procession had started up the aisle, that might parallel some of the picture, but not quite all. The thing that Jesus wanted to convey is that to meet a spiritual emergency we must be spiritually prepared.

For many years this parable was taken to indicate a reference to a visible second coming of Christ. It was connected with some kind of judgment here on earth. Of recent years the most scholarly and devoted

of men have doubted that this is so. It does not seem to harmonize very well with the whole picture which Jesus has given us of love and the overcoming of the world by the power of God working through spirit-filled hearts. We cannot of course know all the future, but it would appear much more of a victory of the cross if eventually Jesus were crowned king by reason of triumphal spiritual forces rather than by physical force.

Another reason why we may hesitate to accept His "return in force" is that it is a little too much in line with that type of imperialism which characterized the thinking of the earlier disciples. They expected this of Jesus even before the cross and resurrection. It seems to be the same desire deferred. Be all this as it may, we are absolutely sure that we are in genuine present need of spiritual preparedness. Consider the state of the person who habitually practices prayer. Now prayer is a thing that must be learned. The art of unselfish prayer, understanding and reverent, is a very great art indeed. If now to such a person comes a crushing sorrow, that resource will carry him through triumphantly. He was prepared and

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the preparatory process was extended, not something called into action at the last possible moment.

There are demands of life that come suddenly, and if they find us unprepared we have failed. Marriage is one of life's greatest tests. If marriage is viewed as a romantic, biological experience, as a very prevalent school of writers now seem to see it, then it is doomed to the "failure" that some of these people think it is. Marriage is not basically a physical not hold through thick and thin, because the physical tie does Marriage that is rooted in the spiritual sort of unselfishness, the courageous and cheerful sharing of mutual responsibilities, the conception of life as having a spiritual goal, does stand the test. It is really for better or for worse. The spiritual will do what nothing else will. Furthermore, the spiritual ideal in marriage will bring along with it joys in home life and in reliable sons and daughters that Bernard Russell and his school of thought know very little about.

It is very important that modern Canadian church people, younger and older, should learn the importance of "growing in grace." Conversions, no matter how sound and genuine, will not save us. There is something of progression about the whole matter of salvation. He that endures to the end shall be saved. Perhaps we ought to talk more of salvation by endurance. At any rate there is a continuous element in being saved and the one fine moment will not suffice for the later crises unless there are added many moments and days of preparation. We must use whatever means of grace there are at our disposal in order to be ready when the time comes. By worship, by prayer, private and public, by times of retirement and times of tireless service, we must build up our souls so that when the crisis comes we may be found ready. It is bad to be without spiritual resources at any time. It is tragic to be lacking such in the hour of real emergency and crisis, and it is terrible to stand outside the door of opportunity and know that you cannot now enter. Your opportunity has come and gone and you were not ready for it. Jesus was using a common enough illustration for a tremendous truth. Heavy penalties have to be paid for carelessness in this matter.

Five virgins in the story were wise—they had spiritual or moral reserves. Five were foolish—they were living upon the frayed-out extremes of good conduct. There was nothing in reserve. When the opportunity suddenly came, those with the reserves marched joyfully in, while those who were in moral poverty were shut out. It looks very hard, but it is just, it is the only way in which a moral world can be operated. Our task, therefore, is to build in the solid moral reserves against the hour of temptation and in preparation for the day of opportunity. Life cannot be built up on impulses; only careful planning produces character.

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Palace Attractions

"THE RETURN OF DR. FU MAN-CHU," now being shown at the Palace theatre, is a clever combination of those elements which go to make up a completely satisfying entertainment. It has conflict and mystery, love interest and smart situations. As the sequel of the first picturization of that intriguing character, Dr. Fu, it proves superior in construction to its predecessor. Its high spots are more perfectly timed, while its dialogue is better and the credulity of the audience is not so strained. The picture opens with the funeral of Dr. Fu and this is a fascinating Oriental ceremony with much audible weeping and wailing in a richly caparisoned chamber of death. Only, of course, there did not happen to be

any one dead, for the poison which ended Dr. Fu in the previous picture was only dope from which he recovered on the third day. So, not having undergone the inconvenience of an autopsy, the still living Dr. Fu recommended his chief occupation—the wiping out of his remaining "enemy." The engaging character of Dr. Fu seemingly could not be in better hands than that of Walter Oland, while the suave and accomplished O. P. Heggie makes of the role of Inspector Smith, who outwits the wily Chinese in an extended battle of wits, a remarkable and convincing performance. Jean Arthur and Neil Hamilton are attractive in the role of lovers, while Evelyn Hall infuses the part of Lady Agatha with life and authority which make it stand out clearly from among other minor roles.

At Outremont Theatre

"The Grand Parade," a Pathe picture story of minstrel life in which an elaborate minstrel show plays an important part, will be seen at the Outremont, Saturday till Tuesday. In the cast of many favorites are featured, Helen Twelvetress and Fred Scott, playing in the leading roles. The story deals with a minstrel singer who wins success, but through the influence of an evil woman, sinks to the dogs. He is salvaged by a boarding house slavey, and she succeeds in making a man of him. There is tremendous drama in the development of the theme, and the climax is one of unsurpassed interest. The highlights of the picture embrace songs, jokes, dancing and music and a grand parade of artists, together with a pignantly beautiful

story, that will appeal with powerful effect to every picture fan. Gary Cooper is seen in "Seven Days Leave", his second all-talking picture. He is starred as the soldier-hero, the lanky Canadian of the "Black Watch", who is adopted as her son by a pathetic Scotch charwoman of London. He plays the part admirably, and of course looks every inch the hero, that he has come to be in the eyes of movie audiences everywhere. With war-time London and the trenches in Flanders as the background for the story, the interest is well accentuated and sustained to the finish. Beryl Mercer is featured in support of Garry Cooper, she, a character actress with years of stage experience and silent and talking pictures successes to her credit.

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NORTHWARD AND Y.M.H.A. MEET IN OPENING BASEBALL TILT AT ATWATER PARK TONIGHT

"Snooker" Ruvinsky Back Behind the Plate for Blue and White — Bud Weiser Now In Charge — Champions Ready to go Minus Jimmy Travers.

Plans for the opening of the amateur ball season this evening are completed and twilight start of the loop at Atwater Park between Northward Indians and Y.M.H.A. will mark the first evening game to open the schedule in many years, the opening clash for the past five seasons always being staged on Victoria Day.

Tonight's tilt will bring together the two teams that met in the play-offs last season and with the 1929 finalists boasting of stronger line-ups the start of the schedule promises to bring out a keen battle. Northward will be minus its twirling ace in Jimmy Travers, who is with the Irish nine, but Freddy Gibson is expected to fill the shoes of the sterling right-hander. Gibson jumped into the line-light as a high class heavier in the play-offs last fall when he turned back the Blue Sox, 6 to 1, allowing one hit for his second appearance on the mound during the scheduled season.

Bud Weiser is managing the Blue Sox this season and the dynamic leader has rounded out a smart outfit with a few of last year's juniors turning in impressive work in pre-season workouts. Weiser's pitching trio of Hy Leibson, Syd Gardner and Joe

Caplan appear in better shape than at any other year's start.

Ruvinsky Back "Snooker" Ruvinsky has been signed to do catching and the former star backstopper who is back in the league after four years of independent competition, will fill a spot that has been more or less of a weak hole in the club.

The schedule for games is still held up owing to the league being unable to secure the field for nights required, but the dates will be known before the Thursday game. Shamrock Grounds will be the scene of a few fixtures on Sunday afternoons when the Montreal Royals are on the road, and doubleheaders will no doubt be staged at the north end field. Alexandra Park, the scene of many a hectic game in the old league will also be used for a few tilts on Sunday.

The five-Club loop looks to be heading for a good year with all entries boasting of stronger line-ups. C. N. R. will have a few new faces, while Columbus with Neil Ellard and Jimmy Travers as its star battery, should make a great fight for the pennant. The Winged Wheelers with many star hockey players from Ontario on their line-up should be right in the title fight all season.



THRU' THE SPORT SIEVE

By Bobby Forster

The Schoolboy Classic

This has been a memorable week for local schoolboys, who have hopes that their legs will carry them upwards in the track and field world. All this week various schools have been holding their annual athletic meets, and the winners are all looking in the same direction, the McGill Interscholastic Track and Field Meet and the Canadian schoolboys championships, which will be held at the Molson Stadium in another week's time.

Seven years ago this event was held here for the first time, and since then it has shown a wonderful development, and is now the classic of the year in this country.

Sponsored by the McGill Board of Physical Education it has done a lot to stimulate track and field athletics, not only in Montreal but all over Eastern Canada. Their aim seems to be to "get 'em young and teach 'em plenty", and results are very apparent.

Not so long ago Hamilton sent along a wonderful collection of runners and fieldmen, and they hung up a lot of records. Vic Pickard, an Olympic man was in this crowd, McBeth, Ray Lewis, and dozens of others who have shown their worth in major competitions. Yet, their records have not been lasting.

Others have come along and bettered their performances, athletes who were in the midget class when they were due to graduate.

Carl Crummer, of Kingsville is the latest sensation and he is likely to go further than many of his talented predecessors. Last year he broke five schoolboy records in his first appearance here, and next week he will be back for more, on the hunt for further honors.

Montrealers are showing the results of proper coaching, too, and the results of their track and field education when in the lower classes are now becoming evident. Other provincial points, too, are showing their interest, and send along fine representatives, "dark horse" entries who deserve plenty of consideration.

Probably over 125 athletes will be here from out-of-town schools, coming from near and far. The Maritimes will send along a goodly number of men, Ottawa and Hamilton will have large contingents, while from as far West as Windsor there will be schoolboy athletes on hand, swelling the total participants well towards the five hundred mark.

McGill has started something that is growing bigger and better every year, and those in the hunt for Olympic men of tomorrow well know where to look for their future material.

Old Man River Conquered?

Cartierville paddlers are doing a lot of guessing these days, trying to decide how much work they will have to do against the currents of the Back River this summer. The new Montreal Light, Heat and Power dam, seven miles down the river, is going to relieve their upstream burden, but to what extent it is hard to fathom, for with the flood gates still wide open the old Back River surges along just about as swiftly as it ever went.

To our way of thinking paddling around Cartierville is by no means all pleasure. Ease up a trifle a bit offshore from the boat club, and before you know what has happened you are coasting along merrily past Belmont Park. What a paddle back!

Times will soon change, the Cartierville boys claim, as soon as the high water subsides and somebody closes the gates on the dam. Then the paddlers will not tear themselves apart on the upward lap of the racing course, and come ambling home on the current. They will have to keep dipping strenuously both ways.

The new dam is to raise the water some twenty-six feet down Ahuntsic way, and from Cartierville to that spot the natural drop in the river is twenty seven and a half feet, so there will be still a foot and a half drop in this seven mile stretch. Surface water will still show current, but go down a few feet and there will not be the fast water of other years.

At least that is how the mathematicians around Cartierville figure things.

Starting the paddlers, especially in the small shells, has been the bane of the officials' existence for a long time past at the divisional regattas. It takes considerable jockeying to get them all lined up in the face of the stiff current that in other years swept past the bridge, and the paddlers do not relish it any more than the officials.

When the piers of the old bridge are torn away there should be a noticeable difference in the current, too.

All in all things should boom around the Back River Club, for from now on it looks like less work and more play for the boys in the boats at Cartierville.

idea, as the best method of raising funds for this work. The "Scouts" have lined up a program that will be hard to beat, so that all that remains is the support of the public.

The first concert will be held at what is considered the largest hall in the North End, the Y.M.H.A. Auditorium on Mt. Royal avenue, at the corner of Park avenue. This show will be given on Tuesday evening, May 27th, at 8:30 P.M. The second show will be given at the Southwestern Y.M.C.A., in which is considered the largest hall in Verdun, on Wednesday, May 28th, at 8:15 P.M. The admission price is placed well within everyone's "pocketbook"—35c each.

The Rover Scouts are asking you to patronize their plays and in so doing do YOUR good turn for the day. Tickets can be bought at any one of these two halls.

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TWO RECORDS SMASHED; TWO OTHERS TIED

By Syd Feldman

The Fourteenth Annual Field Day of Strathcona Academy and the Outremont Public Schools was held last Friday at the Molson Memorial Stadium. Despite uncertain weather in the morning the afternoon loomed bright and clear with only a slight chill in the air. The track was somewhat slow but despite this fact two records were broken and two equalled. The outstanding performance of the day was the record-breaking leap of Bernard Ziff who sailed over a height of 4 feet 11 1/2 inches in the Junior High Jump. This mark equals the Interscholastic record for the same class.

Another brilliant performance was that of Bernard Latt who ran the Senior 220-yard dash in 24 4-5, equaling the school record. The remarkable part about this race was that Latt had to come from behind to win.

A. Schrier broke the record for the 75 yards, 6 years and under, while N. Cuke equalled the school record for the same distance in the ten and under class. In the 100 yards, 11 and under, A. Sugden equalled the record of 13 3-5 sec.

For the first time in the history of the meet two boys tied for the E. W. Sayer Cup and Medal for the Senior having the greatest aggregate of points. Each boy had twenty-one points.

The Robert Neville Junior Cup was won by Melville Hamer, the Old Boys' Cup for the Mile by Gordon Lambert, Grade XI, the Principal's Cup for the Senior Relay, Grade VIII, the Inter-Class Cup and the Inter-School Relay Cup, and Norman Cuke the C. E. Ployart Cup for the Public School boy making the greatest number of points.

Rover Scouts Plan Annual "Good Turn" Drive

The Rover Scouts of this city are planning an annual "good turn" drive to benefit the various Children's Institutions throughout the city. The first of these will be held on May 27th and May 28th, in the form of a concert.

This concert will consist of 2 one-act and 1 three-act plays to be presented by well known local amateurs.

MUSICALE AT ST. COLUMBA'S

Program Arranged by Miss Doris Hemingway for Wednesday Afternoon

For the closing meeting of the Women's Guild of St. Columba Church, is being held on Wednesday afternoon in the Parish Hall (corner of Notre Dame de Grace and Hings-ton Avenues), Miss Doris Hemingway, L.R.A.M., A.R.C.M., late of the D'Oyley Carte Opera Company, has arranged the following programme:

Trio, Scherzo, Mendelssohn. Miss K. Hilliard, L.R.A.M., Mr. H. Norris, Mr. A. P. Grigg.

Songs—(a) Clorinda, Orlando Morgan, (b) Linden Lea, Vaughan Williams, (c) Cherry Ripe, air. Liza Lahmann. Miss Doris Hemingway, L.R.A.M., A.R.C.M.

Violin—(a) Romance, D'Ambrosio, (b) Waltz, Brahms-Hochstein, Mr. Marry Norris.

Trio, Andante, Mendelssohn, Miss K. Hilliard, L.R.A.M., Mr. H. Norris, Mr. A. P. Grigg.

Song—Johnnie, Stanford, Miss Doris Hemingway, L.R.A.M., A.R.C.M.

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Songs—(a) The Night Has a Thousand eyes, (b) Wind Flowers, (c) Rain in the Night, Miss Doris Hemingway, L.R.A.M., A.R.C.M.

Violin—(a) Andantino, Martini-Kreisler, (b) Elisentanz, Popper-Halu, Mr. H. Norris.

The programme will commence promptly at 3 o'clock after which afternoon tea will be served. Admission fifty cents.

The Rover Scouts have being doing their "good turns" throughout the year by entertaining at the various Children's Hospitals in this city. The "Rovers" wishing to elaborate on their work have chosen the concert

D. SILVERSTONE COPS FENCING CHAMPIONSHIP

Earned Spurs At Annual Meet at Young Men's Hebrew Assn.

The Y.M.H.A. Fencing Club closed a year's activity on May 18th, 1930 in the presence of a large audience, with the championship going to David Silverstone. Harry Henneman tied for first place and lost to Silverstone by five hits against two. S. Gitterman third. There were ten entries which were divided into two pools.

Pool 1		B.W. H.A.	
D. Silverstone	4	2	
E. Averback	2	8	
H. Henneman	2	8	
B. Peckarsky	1	13	
W. Whiteman	1	14	

Pool 2		B.W. H.A.	
M. J. Mendelsohn	2	4	
S. Gitterman	2	4	
I. Henneman	1	6	
J. Waxman	1	7	
J. Lessor			(default)

The first three of each pool went up to the final. The final pool was the most interesting of the afternoon. The various fencers having practiced steadily throughout the year put their best efforts forward. It was evident to the more experienced fencers who were present in the capacity of Judges that the fencing club has made remarkable progress in the space of a year's time.

Final Pool		B.W. H.A.	
D. Silverstone	4	7	
H. Henneman	4	7	
S. Gitterman	3	10	
M. J. Mendelsohn	2	4	
I. Henneman	2	12	
E. Averback	0	15	

The final bout of the afternoon was between D. Silverstone and H. Henneman who tied for first place. Five hits were to decide the issue. It was Silverstone's bout with the score of five hits against two.

Acting as Referee was Marcell Boulin. Judges were Marcell Rondeau, R. W. Baillie, L. Smith and Henry Silverstone.

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The bridge will be closed to the travelling public between the hours of 8 a.m. and 4 p.m. on Saturday, the 24th instant.

A limited number of automobiles will be provided near the entrance to the bridge at Lafontaine Street and also near the South Shore entrance for the use of the public, particularly elderly persons and children. In order to transport them to the Pavilion on St. Helen's Island, between the hours of 8 a.m. and 4 p.m. This service will be free of charge.

These buses will be available at the Pavilion on St. Helen's Island between the hours of 2 p.m. and 4 p.m. to provide similar transportation back to Lafontaine Street and the South Shore entrance. Also free of charge.

Persons arriving by these buses will be directed to the stairways leading to the East and West sides of the Pavilion and find their way by means of the mezzanine floor and lower ramp to St. Helen's Island.

The foot path on the West side of the bridge will be available for the public to reach St. Helen's Island from the City, and the foot path on the East side of the bridge will be available for the public to reach St. Helen's Island from the South Shore. Persons returning from the Island to the City will do so by the foot path on the East side of the bridge, and those returning from the Island to the South Shore will do so by the foot path on the West side of the bridge.

These foot paths will be available strictly for foot passengers only, and no baby carriages, bicycles or vehicles of any kind whatsoever will be permitted.

Invited guests, who must arrive between the hours of 10 and 11 a.m. at the North or South end of the bridge, will present their admission cards to the Toll Collectors, and there will be handed a parking check in duplicate, one being retained by the chauffeur and one by the guests.

Owing to limited parking space and the necessary arrangements for proper traffic regulation, every automobile must be in charge of a chauffeur or driver, who must remain with the car until it leaves the bridge at the conclusion of the ceremony.

Automobiles of invited guests approaching from the City will proceed, as will be directed, to the Pavilion, where the guests will alight and the automobile proceed to the South end of the bridge, where the chauffeur or driver will be directed to the parking space allotted to his car.

Automobiles of invited guests approaching from the South Shore will proceed to the Pavilion on St. Helen's Island between the hours of 10 and 11 a.m., and similar transportation will be provided to take these guests back to the pavilion from the Pavilion between the hours of 1 and 2 p.m.

The general public requiring parking space for automobiles will obtain same under the direction of the Civic and Municipal Authorities at both ends of the bridge.

City Police, whose assistance is generously offered by the City Authorities, together with the Harbour Police, will endeavour to direct and maintain traffic in good order and safety, but the Commissioners earnestly desire the co-operation of the general public, who are requested to proceed to their places as directed by the Traffic Officers as quickly as possible.

Attention is called to the regulation that it is strictly prohibited to climb on any part of the structure of the bridge, the approaches, or the Pavilion on St. Helen's Island.

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There is a civic ordinance that provides for the stopping of all vehicles twelve feet beyond the rear of a public tram not in motion. But the "get-my-smoke" fraternity, tailing the comet up Park avenue are either sublimely ignorant of such a law; or else the statute is a matter for supreme indifference on their part.

Incidentally, citizens travelling up Park avenue, have a sort of half-formed suspicion that there is in existence certain public funds that annually dissolve at an uninterrupted pace in remuneration of a specific type of public servant, who is, in addition, uniformed and provided with

costly and dependable automotive equipment, with which he is expected to patrol, run-down and arrest those who violate the traffic laws, and blatantly and criminally endanger the lives of law-abiding citizenry.

Plenty of Worry

What is the life of a mere citizen, anyhow? The sheik-haired moron who stamps madly on the "joy stick" gets a huge kick out of making 'em hop. He is anti-social. He's the worst type of killer, because he endangers life and limb wantonly—unconditionally. He's a step even below the gunman or gangster, who at least, has the scant courtesy to put his victim "on the spot" first. A gunman has to be paid to do a "job". The speed psychopath is only remunerated by the reaction he gets from aggravated deprecations.

Of course, there is a remedy for all this. It is a very obvious remedy. That is the reason why law-abiding citizens are going to make it their business to find out why that remedy which they themselves have created, and duly subscribe to in hard-earned tax monies, is not only not functioning along the dangerous, neglected length of Park avenue! but is nowhere to be seen.

To the thoughtful citizen the absolute absence of speed traffic supervision along Park avenue, and the flagrant monopoly of the artery by a host of crack-brained, irresponsible auto-drivers, can only be explained by either one of two alterna-

ELEVENTH YEAR OF ACADEMY ARE GIVEN BANQUET

The Annual Banquet given by the Tenth Year of Strathcona Academy to the Graduating Class was held on Friday at the Fairmount-St. Giles Church and proved to be a huge success.

The pupils were addressed by the Chairman of the School Board, Trustee J. F. Roy, after which supper was served by the Ladies Auxiliary of the Church.

After the meal Joseph Harrison read the Class History, tracing the development of this year's Graduating Class through their High School course.

He was followed by Madeleine McFarlane who rendered the Class poem and Margaret Grace who read the Class Prophecy.

To Kathleen Porter fell the task of reading the Valedictory and this she did in a very capable manner.

Mr. W. A. Walsh, the Principal, addressed a few words to the pupils, after which the Banquet was over.

Among those seated at the head table were:

Gretna Laird, (Chairman), Trustee W. J. Collins, Mrs. W. A. Walsh, Trustee H. C. Cockfield, M.A., Mrs. J. F. Roy, Trustee J. H. A. Mackay, Miss A. E. Allen, Mr. W. A. Walsh, Mrs. H. R. Cockfield, Trustee J. F. Roy, Miss M. C. Hay, Mrs. J. H. A. McKay.

Alternative suppositions: Either the officers paid and equipped for this duty are sitting in the station houses consuming "old shag", or else there are motorcycle "cops" parading Park avenue.

MacVICAR MEMORIAL CHURCH NOTES

The awards in connection with the recent Temperance Essay Contest were announced in MacVicar Sunday School last Sunday as follows:—

Senior with Honours: (1) Dorothy Milling, (2) Edna Christensen.

Intermediate: Jack Hart, Ross Kyle, Ronald Jackson, Victor Sinclair, Ross Wood, Hazel Grant, Hazel Sonne.

Junior: Ella Hamburg, Eva Matthews.

These awards will be presented to the winners on Sunday afternoon.

The Young Peoples Society of Christian Endeavour has completed

the Tennis Courts at Willowdale and playing will begin Saturday, May 24.

There is still room for more members interested in tennis and application can be made at the Tennis Courts on Saturday.

Special Patriotic Services will be held in MacVicar next Sunday. Dr. Potter will preach at both services, 11 A.M.—"Victoria and the Kingdom." 7 P.M.—"Royal Women."—Special music.

On Friday, May 30, Mr. Sebastian of this city will give a moving picture travelogue on Sunny Italy accompanied with some recent comedy pictures. This event will be open to the public in MacVicar Memorial Lecture Hall, St. Viator avenue, corner Hutchison street.

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BY ORDER

T. W. HARVIE,
General Manager.