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Ladies' Auxiliary Of County Hospital Annual Meeting Shows Another Successful Year

The Annual Meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Huntingdon County Hospital was held in the Masonic Hall on Monday evening, January 30, with approximately seventy-five members and guests present. In the absence of the president, Mrs. Lucien Galipeau due to illness, Mrs. Gordon McCrimon, Vice-President, conducted the meeting and welcomed those present. The meeting opened with O Canada followed by a prayer given by Rev. R. Beal.

The Secretary, Mrs. Nelson White, reported that four general meetings were held alternately in St. Joseph's Parochial Hall and the Masonic Hall and five executive meetings were held during the year. The By-Law with regard to the usual annual meeting date of March was amended by motion to read that in future the Annual Meeting will be held in January, thereby having new officers installed in time for the annual meeting each year of the Quebec Hospital Association.

Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. Douglas Burns reported that twenty-nine letters were written during the year and invitations sent out for four general meetings and expressed thanks to the following ladies for helping address cards for these meetings, Mrs. Leon Beaudin, Mrs. Gerald Brisebois, Miss Rita Kerby, Mrs. John McCallum and Mrs. Clifford McGee.

Ways and Means, Mrs. L. McCallum reported that her committee had a most successful year. In June, the annual Tea and Art Exhibit was held. At the Huntingdon Fair the Ladies Auxiliary sponsored two booths, in one a Parcel Post brought in excellent results, in the other a Rest Booth was installed. Tag days were also held. In Dec. a Food Sale and the usual Dec. Tea were held and the results were gratifying. The total amount of this committee's efforts amounted to $958.98. A special thank you was tendered to Mrs. Mae O'Connor and her Parcel Post Committee for their time and success in this project and to Mrs. F. Napier and Miss E. Lasalle for their help at the December Food Sale.

Refreshment Committee — Mrs. Rose Primus stated that this committee served refreshments on the following projects throughout the year — on Hospital Day, the June Tea, the Ice Cream Bar at the Fair, the Christmas Tea and at the General Meetings and the Annual Meeting. Mrs. Primus also gave a list of all the items at present in the Auxiliary cupboard.

Service Committee — Mrs. Kay Williams stated that one of the first duties of this Committee was the purchasing of articles for the use of the Auxiliary personnel as follows: 1 doz. Card Tables, 1½ doz. tablecloths, 8 doz. teaspoons, 5 doz. salad forks, 1 doz. sugar spoons, 8 doz China cups and saucers, 8 doz. tea plates (7"), 2 doz. cake plates, 1 doz. sugar bowls, 1 doz. cream pitchers, 2 large teapots, three Travel Cart or Shop on Wheels" smocks with Auxiliary crest for the use of members, three doz. Auxiliary crested Christmas cards to be placed on patients' trays at Christmas. For the Hospital — this Committee purchased one "Travel Cart" for the Auxiliary and for the Mea. Trays; 2 laundry hampers, 2 more dressers for patients' use, 1 patient lifter, 1 walker, 1 roller, 3 mirrors for Doctors', Matron's and Sewing Rooms, 1 stainless stool for surgeons' use and 1 zig-zag sewing machine for mending purposes. The Nurses' Residence has been further enhanced by the purchase of a new rug, radiator cover and shelves, coffee table, linoleum for bathroom, new couch with two accompanying maple chairs. The Hospital Board very graciously gave us permission to install the above fittings and also half of the above account would be met by the Board, for which the Committee herewith thanks the Board of Management. China replacements were also made for the nurses' private use. Renovation was made to the hospital verandah with the following being purchased — folding doors, 3 bench seats, seat cover material, rug, hassock, drapery material, track for drapes, 2 lamp shades. Donations — 1 teapot Mrs. G. Lefebvre; 2 lamps, Mrs. L. Galipeau and daughter Mrs. Sweeney; foam rubber for the benches, The Hospital.

First Baby of the Year: twin sons were born to Mr. and Mrs. E. Robidoux and silver mugs were presented to the parents with their sons' names engraved on same.

Christmas — twenty-five gifts were wrapped for the members of the hospital staff and twelve gifts given to the patients, the halls were decorated and trees trimmed, serviettes and candy baskets were donated by the Committee at this time. The Hospital Board requested the Committee to purchase new Christmas decorations and gave grant for same.

Mrs. Williams expressed thanks to all who helped this committee in any way with a special thanks to the help of Nurse Cook, Messrs. Brown and Elder at Christmas time and to her co-conveners, Mrs. K. G. Cameron and Mrs. George Lefebvre.

Shoppe on Wheels — Mrs. Wm. Goodall reported that $130.00 had been given to the treasuer and that the ladies had paid two visits a week to the hospital throughout the year. She thanked all those who had so faithfully visited with the cart and those who remembered it with donations. Mrs. Goodall also expressed appreciation for the Auxiliary smocks which were purchased for this use and for the carrier.

Membership Committee — Mrs. Frances Rennie stated that for the year 1960 there was a total of 735 paid up members and one Life Member. Of this number 224 were new members and 14 were men, lost 156 members, 76 of these did not wish to renew, 19 moved away, 4 ill and elderly, 3 died during the year and 1 became Life Member. Mrs. Rennie expressed thanks to all canvassers and a special thanks to the president, Mrs. Galipeau without whose help this total would not have been reached.

Publicity — Mrs. Nelson White stated that reports of all public events, general and executive meetings were published in The Gleaner as well as advertisements of these public events. Mrs. White, on behalf of the Auxiliary thanked Mr. A. L. Sallar for his continued interest and co-operation in publishing reports of its various endeavours.

Sewing Committee — Mrs. Albert Godin, on behalf of Mrs. Lucien Galipeau, convener, reported that sewing sessions continued throughout the year with each church sending a group of ladies to the hospital each Wednesday afternoon from 2 to 4. A total of fifty-eight ladies came to sew. Four sewed at home There were 546 new articles made, 262 mended, 91 made at home, 570 new articles given out, a total of 899 articles made and mended. Mrs. Galipeau expressed deep appreciation to the Board of Governors for redoing the sewing room so that work was more pleasant and convenient and also thanks to the conveners of each church, the ladies and Mrs. R. Morrison for making this work so worth while.

Treasure Chest — Mrs. R. Morrison's report showed receipts of $360.16, expenditures of $265.60 with cash on hand $94.56. She reported a youth bed and mattress had been purchased for the children's ward. Mrs. Morrison also expressed her appreciation for the help of Mrs. Galipeau and Mrs. Bourgon for the children's table at Christmas, to all the knitters and sewers.

Dr. F. G. McCrimmon at this point addressed the gathering as follows:

I am pleased to have the privilege of expressing, on behalf of the Medical Staff of the Hospital, our sincere thanks to the Ladies of the Auxiliary for their continued work on behalf of the Hospital.

During this past year the Ladies maintained their high standard of contribution both in work and in donations of equipment. During this year, besides the work in sewing and other projects, the Auxiliary donated to the Hospital a Patient Lifter, a Walker and new furniture for the Nurses' residence and for the Hospital proper. They spent a lot of time and money on fixing the front porch and have donated innumerable other goods and services.

On a few occasions recently I have heard the thought expressed that now that The Quebec Hospital Insurance Plan is in effect there is no further need for the Ladies' Auxiliary or other bodies contributing to the Hospital. This thought is entirely incorrect. While the Province will pay, after its approval, the running expenses of the Hospital and a depreciation allowance on furniture and equipment, there is no provision for depreciation of buildings and fixed installations. The Hospital's only earned income for items not covered by the Plan is 40% of the extra charge made for Semi and Private accomodation, the Province taking the other 60%. It thus will be at least as dependent as formerly on the generosity of its benefactors, its Annual and Life Members, and most notably, the Ladies' Auxiliary.

On behalf of my colleagues and myself, I wish you continuing success in your good work and, again, our sincere thanks.

Mrs. Rupert Hawley, Matron of Hospital, spoke a few words of appreciation for the Auxiliary work, mentioning the renovation and new furniture on the front porch which adds to the comfort of the hospital and public as well as to its appearance, the carrier and patient lifter which are so simple to operate, Mrs. L. Galipeau and her committee for the excellent work done in keeping up the mending etc., the Service Committee for Christmas gifts and decorations, to Mrs. Morrison for time and effort and purchasing items for the children's ward. Mrs. Hawley also read a letter of thanks from the nurses for the renovations at the nurses' residence.

At this point Mrs. McCrimmon read a letter of thanks from Mrs. Galipeau, retiring president, especially thanking the Board of Governors for their co-operation

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On Fact Finding Tour

DR. E. C. McCOY

Dr. E. C. McCoy of Vancouver was recently named to head a commission of four members of the Canadian Medical Association detailed to study prepaid and tax-supported medical care plans in Australia and New Zealand. Dr. McCoy left Vancouver by plane on Thursday of the past week.

The commission is a fact-finding tour prompted by political agitation for government health schemes, first introduced in Canada by the Province of Saskatchewan. Dr. Peter Banks of Victoria will accompany Dr. McCoy as representative of the British Columbia Medical Association.

Dr. Quentin of Sherbrooke (formerly of The Barrie Memorial Hospital, Ormstown) will meet Dr. McCoy in Sydney, Australia. After the Australian conferences, the other two members of the commission will return to Canada while Dr. McCoy and Dr. Quintin will go to New Zealand to represent Canada at a British Commonwealth Medical meeting.

Included in the itinerary for Doctors McCoy and Quintin will be a four-day stopover in Fiji and five days in Hawaii on the return trip, also four days in Tasmania. Mrs. McCoy will meet her husband in Fiji and go on to New Zealand with the party. She will also spend three days in Hawaii and return with them to Australia, for three days. Dr. McCoy will spend three weeks in Australia after returning from New Zealand.

Dr. McCoy is a brother of Jim and David McCoy of Huntingdon.

Ormstown Evening Adult Group Observes 25th Anniversary

On Thursday evening at the January meeting of the Evening Adult Group, a special program was prepared for the 25th anniversary meeting.

To this meeting were invited all ladies of the church and all members of the original group.

Mrs. Alvin Gruer presided and extended a welcome to all present.

Mrs. Alan Hooker, president at the time of the organization led the devotions, following the theme "Worship". Psalm 122 was read followed by prayer.

A beautiful quartet, "The Cross Shall Be My Guide" was sung by Mrs. S. Thompson, Mrs. M. Tannahill, Mrs. Donald McEwen and Mrs. Harold Kerr with Mrs. Lindsay Cullen, accompanist.

The president introduced the guest speaker, Rev. W. Brown of Georgetown - Riverfield Presbyterian Churches. He chose a fitting text from the Book of Job "days should speak" and reviewed the possibilities of time well-used.

Mrs. Brodie Brittain thanked the speaker on behalf of all present.

Mrs. Donald Hooker who was responsible for an item from Glad Tidings, gave a New Year Message in keeping with the first meeting of a new year and some of the objectives of the Women's Missionary Society.

The roll call was answered with a verse containing the word "hope", and the names of the charter members of the Society were called. Miss Marion Swan, the first treasurer, was present, and the first secretary, Mrs. Armand Robert (Marjorie Greer) read the annual report for 1936, the first year of operation. Mrs. Lindsay Cullen gave some highlights during the past 25 years.

A brief business meeting was conducted when some necessary business was attended to, including the delegates named to attend the annual meeting of the Montreal Presbyterial, held this year in the First Presbyterian Church, Verdun.

Dainty refreshments were served in the Church Hall by Mrs. Harvey Forrester, Mrs. T. Begbie, Mrs. Nelson Hooker, Mrs. Ivan Rember and Mrs. Alvin Gruer.

Miss Mabel Elvidge, president of the Afternoon Auxiliary, expressed thanks for the invitation to attend this interesting meeting.

Mother And Seven Children Lose Home In Fire

A mother and her seven young children lost their home and a good portion of their belongings in a fire on Sunday morning. The house is situated on Route 52 and was owned by Theophile Vaillancourt, while the mother who rented the home was Mrs. Travis Howarth.

The fire was first noticed at about 9.30 and Mr. Archie Lewin and two other men and Mr. Flynn and some other neighbors helped to fight the fire. The only water available was in the house and it soon became filled with smoke making it impossible to go. Some of the furniture was taken out, but bedding and clothing were lost. All the family got out safely and were housed at nearby homes. It is suspected the fire started from an overheated stovepipe and this started a fire in the partition. Despite the efforts of people around, the building could not be saved.

Mrs. Howarth and the children have been living in the house, while Mr. Howarth stays in Montreal. As the family is not too well off financially, the Council was asked to assist them at this time. Mr. L. M. Kelly, who is a councillor was called and arrangements were made for the family to occupy a house on the Gore. It was found later that there was no water at this place and a house owned by Mrs. Bertha McGowan was secured and what remained of the belongings were moved there and stoves set up to heat the building. Mr. Dave Rennie moved the belongings in his truck. Meantime many people around gathered up various articles of furniture, dishes, etc., contributed a supply of food and clothing and the Red Cross supplied blankets and diapers for the babies, in order to make these people comfortable. Other offers and donations were still being received on Monday.

The house belonged to Mr. Vaillancourt and was a total loss. The insurance had just run out and had not been renewed, thus there is no insurance to cover the loss. In addition there was about $500 worth of furniture stored in the house belonging to Mr. Vaillancourt's daughter and this was lost also.

It was a very pathetic case all around and a great loss to all.

No Election In Town Of Huntingdon

There will be no election in the Town of Huntingdon, this year, as the retiring alderman in the two wards were re-elected by acclamation.

Nomination meeting was held on January 25th for the East Ward and the West Ward. Aldermen who were retiring in these wards are as follows: East Ward — R. Leduc and J. Walsh; West Ward — J. D. McGerrigle and A. C. H. Picard. As there were no nominations in the West Ward and the two retiring aldermen decided to stand for re-election, they were declared re-elected by acclamation. In the East Ward however there were three nominations, those of retiring aldermen and for Mr. Leo Legault. Later the same day Mr. Legault withdrew his nomination and Messrs Leduc and Walsh were declared elected by acclamation.

The membership on the Town Council will therefore remain the same for another year. Next year Mayor Paul Lefebvre will be on the retiring list and also the aldermen for the South Ward, Messrs. J. S. Gaw and A. Trembiay.

Did You Vote For "Miss Huntingdon"?

There are only three more weeks to vote for "Miss Huntingdon". Among the five selected young ladies — Miss Brisebois, Miss David, Miss Mahoney, Miss Murphy and Miss Renaud, only one will be elected, the one who will have sold the most tickets. Please encourage them by buying your ticket, or booklet, from one of these young ladies, from whom one will be chosen on February 25th at the Huntingdon Chateau.

Your vote will also give you the opportunity to win one of three beautiful prizes: 3 pce bedroom set, worth $250. — donated by Marchand Frères, — a second prize of a 5 pce kitchen set, from Empire TV where Mr. Henri Grégoire is the manager, and a third prize: a movie-camera, given by Fortune Drug Store. As you can see, all these prizes are most interesting, and surely everyone would like to have the chance of being a winner.

Huntingdon School Boy Curlers Enjoy Trip To Quebec

On January 26th, the Huntingdon High School Boys Curling Club left for Quebec City. The opening ceremonies for the Province of Quebec School Championship took place at the Quebec Winter Club at 2.30 p.m.

The boys played a total of 7 games during the 3 days. Although they were not too successful, it was a very worthwhile experience in sportsmanship. On Jan. 27 the boys attended an informal luncheon courtesy of the Province of Quebec at the Legislature Building. They had the pleasure of meeting Hon. Paul Guérin-Lajoie, Minister of Youth, Welfare and Education.

On Jan. 28, an informal luncheon was held at the Victoria Curling Club courtesy of the Canadian Bank of Commerce. At 6 o'clock a dinner was given at the Winter Curling Club. Mr. H. Y. Young from the Department of Education was the guest speaker. On Sunday, the Huntingdon boys went on a tour of Quebec City.

The Huntingdon Boys wish to thank all the people who made this trip possible.

Ladies District Bonspiel For Moore Trophy At English River

The Ladies District Bonspiel was held at the English River Curling Club on January 17th, 18th and 19th, when nineteen rinks participated. Games were curled on both English River and Aubrey ice. Owing to mild weather Tuesday afternoon, two games were curled on Howick's artificial ice. Meals were served in English River Club.

A Lacolle rink skipped by Mrs. S. Fewster and supported by Mrs. P. Killick, Mrs. O. Cookman and Miss N. Bois won the main competition, with Mrs. S. Dickie's rink from Valleyfield as runners-up. Mrs. Dickie was supported by Mrs. E. McFarlane, Mrs. G. Soucy, and Mrs. A. Smith.

An Ormstown rink skipped by Mrs. M. Fearn in the absence of Mrs. A. McMahon and supported by Mrs. T. Hughes, Miss M. Roy and Mrs. B. McGerrigle as substitute lead won the consolation event. Runners up being Mrs. M. Hope's Ormstown foursome, Mrs. R. Campbell, Mrs. V. Begbie and Mrs. I. Hamilton.

Following the finals on Thursday afternoon, Mrs. Roy Angell, president of English River Ladies Club presented the trophy and prizes. Afternoon tea was served.

First round of games were: Huntingdon 5 vs Lacolle 10; Ormstown 12 vs. Valleyfield 13; Ormstown 9 vs Aubrey 6; Ormstown 8 vs Howick 14; Huntingdon 6 vs. Ormstown 12; Lacolle 10 vs. Ormstown 11; Lacolle 12 vs. Valleyfield 13; Huntingdon 10 vs. Ormstown 8; English River 12 vs. Howick 6; Aubrey 13 vs. Howick 9.

Semi-Finals (Main) Lacolle (Fewster) 9 vs. Lacolle (McGill) 6; Valeyfield (Dickie) 8 vs. English River (Reddick) 6.

Finals—Lacolle 11 vs Valleyfield 8.

Consolation Semi-Finals—Ormstown (McMahon) 15 vs Huntingdon (Duke) 1; Ormstown (Hope) 12 vs Howick (Smith) 4.

Finals—Ormstown (McMahon) vs Ormstown (Hope) 9.

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Mr. and Mrs. Finlay Milne were dinner guests of Mrs. Jean McCaig, Ormstown, it being the occasion of her eightieth birthday.

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Misses Joan Dillon and Anne Purdy, Ottawa, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Stacey.

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Mr. and Mrs. Harold Robertson and family were Sunday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Adam McNeil, Ormstown.

Huntingdon Agricultural Society Ends 1960 With Surplus On Year's Operations

The annual meeting of the Huntingdon Agricultural Society Division "A" was held at the County Building, on Thursday evening with a fair attendance present.

Mr. Henry Wallace, Vice-President, was in the chair and the minutes of the last annual meeting were read by Secretary Leon Beaudin. No business arising from the minutes, the Financial Statement was read.

The statement showed that the Society ended the year 1960 with an operating surplus of $2,155.67. The total revenue was $10,077.25 and the total expenditure $7,921.58. It was considered by all that the Huntingdon Fair had been quite successful and the Society had had a good year. The bank loan had been reduced and the interest paid on the mortgage. All prize money had been paid and accounts met. The statement was passed without comment.

The chairman in his remarks said he was acting in place of the President, H. Rick, who was presently in hospital and had been for some time. He is slowly improving, but it may be some time yet before he will again be able to take an active interest. He thanked Mr. Rick for his work in connection with Huntingdon Fair and also all the other officers, directors and committees. He said he felt the Society had had a very good year and expressed the hope that another good fair and year was in store for 1961.

The chairman conducted the election of officers which is in accordance with a new ruling from Quebec. The following slate of officers was proposed from the floor: Henry Wallace, Carl Wheeler, Mrs. E. Bernhardt, Mrs. W. A. Jamieson, Mathew Wallace, Dave McCoy, Dan Murphy, Doug. McGerrigle Sr., A. Antoine, B. Rankin, Grant Whyte, Armand Pinsonneault, George Davies, R. MacDonald, W. B. Hope, Bruce McKellar, Ross Irving, Spencer Gavin, Louis Plante, A. Rankin, Stanley Reid, W. MacDonald, Mervin Graham, Sherman Robb.

This slate was accepted and the following officers were named to office: President, Henry Wallace; First Vice-President, Carl Wheeler; 2nd Vice-President, Mrs. W. E. Bernhardt. The secretary-treasurer, Mr. Leon Beaudin was rehired at an increase in salary.

It was decided to pay another $500 on the bank loan and thus reduce the indebtedness outstanding by that amount.

There was a discussion on the dates for the 1961 Fair, but this was finally left to a Directors' meeting as there were several matters to settle before the dates could be decided. It is likely the dates will be in August.

There being no further business the meeting adjourned.

Thieves Again Visit Ormstown Take $3,500 Worth Of Goods

Ormstown was visited once again by thieves and this time the electrical store of B. L. McGerrigle was entered and goods stolen to the tune of $3,500.

It was during the night of January 24th—25th and the thieves gained entrance through a cellar window. This window had bars across it and these were pried off. They then went through the cellar and into the store above. Here they helped themselves to radios, television sets, tubes and small parts and also a small amount of money in the cash drawer.

Mr. McGerrigle had been at the store about 8.30 in the evening and everything was all right then. Mr. Dave Lasalle who has a tailor shop first noticed something amiss the next morning and informed Mr. McGerrigle. Mr. McGerrigle promptly called the police and Insp. Nadeau of Montreal arrived and is carrying on an investigation into the robbery.

It was a very cold and windy night and it is likely that very few people would be around.

There is no burglar alarm at the store and it is one of the lock-up type. However, Mr. McGerrigle carries burglar insurance and the loss will be covered by this.

Several Calves Stolen From Farmers' Barns In This Area

Several farmers in this area have reported the theft of calves stolen right out of their barns, the past week.

Paul Riendeau of R.R. 4, Ormstown had four calves stolen from his barn on the night of Friday — Saturday, January 27th. — 28th.

Someone entered the barn of Joseph Platt, Dundee, on the night of January 25th — 26th and stole two calves. The same night one calf was stolen from the barn of William Leslie in the same area.

Provincial police are investigating these thefts.

The Story Of Aluminum Is Interesting One As Told By James Hagen

Mr. James Hagen, Massena, N.Y. and who originally came to Valleyfield, Que. from his native land, Scotland, addressed the Rotary Club in Huntingdon, on Monday. The address was of historical character referring to the discovery of aluminum. Mr. Hagen is presently the Chief Industrial Engineer at the plant of the Aluminum Company of America at Massena. He located in Massena in 1934. The Massena plant presently employs 3,000 hands.

Mr. Hagen stated that Aluminum has been a known metal for only about 150 years, for it was in 1808. Sir Humphrey Davies made the discovery, but it was twenty years later when a Sweedish scientist actually produced aluminum. It was not until 1848, that a German scientist managed to produce aluminum in particles as large as pin heads.

In 1855 Henry St. Clair de Ville, a French scientist, produced the first bar of aluminum and had it placed on exhibition. Napoleon was so taken with the light metal that he made a move to have the metal produced in quantity with a view to having armour made out of it. In the course of four years the price of aluminum dropped from $90 a pound to $17 a pound. The idea of aluminum armour did not prove satisfactory and only four suits of such armour were made.

It was one Charles Martin Hall, who as a boy became so keenly interested in Aluminum. During his boyhood days he studied all he could about the metal and on entering college in 1880, he devoted until his graduation in 1885 practically all his available time to the study of Aluminum. Upon graduation he continued his study of electrolisis but could not obtain sufficient heat. The product was eventually produced and the price dropped from $8 a pound to 65 cents a pound.

The Cleveland Aluminum Bronze Co. were interested in the development of the production of aluminum, so they engaged Hall for $75 a month. Hall required $750 to pay for his patents but this money he did not have. At the end of six months the Clevelent Aluminum Bronze Company severed connections with Hall.

Capt. Hunts of the Pittsburg Testing Company was keenly interested in the work of Hall and so a group of four interested young men formed themselves into a company and who in turn provided the funds with which to set up a small plant in order to get into production. On good days they managed to make as much as 50 pounds of aluminum metal valued at $6 a pound. However they were unable to find a market for their product so dropped the price to $4 a pound and still no buyers. A manufacturer of iron tea kettles was approached, but due to his being an old man, he was not interested in the new metal. He co-operated by loaning the group some of his patterns with which to make a kettle. The first aluminum kettle was presented to the old man. He admired it, but showed no interest in the making of aluminum kettles. He finally gave the first aluminum kettle to a stenographer in his office.

Aluminum was made into sheets, with the hope some manufacturer might be persuaded to use aluminum in such a form for processing into manufactured products. No interest in the metal was then evident. A plant on an enlarged scale was then built in New Kensington, Pa. In this plant they started making kettles. The response was such that one man ordered 2,000 kettles. This man was engaged and in turn it was his duty to market the products. So it was, in the 1920's, aluminum products were being marketed from house to house. Unfortunately, inexpensive pots and pans made of poor aluminum were also being marketed.

In 1930 the first Pullman car was started. Alcoa founded the Massena Alcoa plant which then covered the area of two football fields. A strong alloy was manufactured and during World War 2 this was the only plant that could make strong sections that might be required for air planes, etc. Such were made for the U.S.A. and France. During World War 1 the production of Aluminum was 159,000 lbs but by World War 2 the production was up to 327,000,000 pounds Alcoa plant represented an investment of $300,000,000 and that of the United States Government represented $450,000,000. To-day there are seven producers of aluminum.

In Canada, the first Alcoa plant was founded in 1901 at Shawinigan. In 1926 the Arvida plant was made a reality. The price of aluminum in World War 1 years was 16 cts. a pound and to-day it is 26 cts. a pound. To-day Canada is a major producer of aluminum actually having a surplus, whilst there is a shortage in the United States.

13-Year-Old Wins Senior And Intermediate Trophies; Barbara Cieszewski, Junior Champion

On Saturday, January 21st, Diane Beaulieu won both the Senior and Intermediate Championships of the Valleyfield Figure Skating Club. Runner-up in the Senior event was Georgette Julien, and runner up in the Intermediate event was Annette Mathieu, followed by Lise Gauthier Patsy Woodhead, and Philippe Randell.

Barbara Cieszewski won the Junior Championship, runner-up being Francyne Dumouchel, followed by Micheline Leduc and Jocelyne Chatel.

Diane Beaulieu and Philippe qualified for the Senior Pair Trophy, and Barbara Cieszewski and Jocelyne Chatel for the Novice Pair Trophy.

Judges in the Club Championships were Mr. R. French, Chairman of the Eastern Canadian Judges Bureau, Mr. E. T. Stanger and Miss Dawn Ward.

26 Members Have Passed Beginners' Tests This Season.

An outstanding number of skaters have qualified for their Beginner's Tests this season, the latest ones to pass being, Suzelle Baillargeon, Marie Jose Leduc, Lucie Menard, Nicole Paquette, Christine Buttress and K. C. Haffey.

Coming Events:

24th February, Friday night, 6.15 P.M., Parents Night — no charge everyone welcome.

19th March, Sunday 2 P.M. and 8 P.M.—1961 Iceorame.

25th March, Saturday morning, Pee Wee, Midget and Elementary Championships.

Provincial Border Dispute Looms Over Islands In Lake St. Francis And St. Lawrence

CORNWALL (CP) — Butternut, Hog, Grass, Ross, Camerons and Stanley, extra-territorial islands in the St. Lawrence River, are causing controversy again.

The residents are clamoring for a definite demarcation line to confirm them as either Ontario or Quebec.

Confusion over the 223 acres, among a group of about 10 small islands in a widening of the St. Lawrence called Lake St. Francis, goes back to the days when Quebec and Ontario were one in the Province of Canada.

Seeking to solve the 120-year puzzle, the residents have presented their case to lands minister J. W. Spooner of Ontario.

His department will confer informally with Quebec to find out if the matter is of sufficient importance to warrant formal meetings.

In 1851 and 1853 descriptions of the boundaries of the areas were set down but they are of little help.

In 1851 the county of Glengarry, in what now is southeastern Ontario, was defined as extending to the middle of Lake St. Francis and the middle of the main channel of the St. Lawrence.

In 1853 the county of Huntingdon in Quebec was described as including all islands nearest the county and opposite it.

The 20-mile stretch of Lake St. Francis involved has about 10 islands on it, all belonging to the St. Regis Indians.

But the Indians have not had a pow-wow on the property for some time and it is the owners of 40 cottages who lease the Indian land who have decided they want the matter settled.

The cottage owners have been paying taxes to the Ontario township of Charlottenburgh but numerous misunderstandings have resulted.

Even Mayor Nick Kaleb of Cornwall has complained he was stopped by Quebec game wardens in Ontario waters. No one knows whether hunting and fishing licences should be issued by Ontario or Quebec.

Federal officials shy away from the dispute. —The Gazette.

BIG AND TOUGH

VICTORIA (CP) — The Canada Goose should be named the country's national bird, says Dr. Carl Guiget, director of the provincial meseum. It is big, tough and adaptable and "a harbinger of spring and winter."

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HURTEAU — At the Huntingdon County Hospital on January 30, 1961, to Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Hurteau, Huntingdon, Que., a daughter.

LEAMAN — At the Huntingdon County Hospital on January 25, 1961, to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Leaman, Huntingdon, Que., a son.

MORRISON — At the Sweetsburg Hospital, on January 20th, 1961, to Mr. and Mrs. Dale Morrison, (nee Hooker), a son.

Died

COFFEY — Suddenly at Huntingdon, Que., Harriet M. Coffey, on January 30th, 1961, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Coffey.

ENGLISH, — Suddenly at his residence, Ormstown, Que., on January 26th, 1961, Ralza A. English, aged 68 years, husband of Edith Sproule. Interment Ormstown, Que.

Correction

FELKER — At Hartford, Conn., on January 6th, 1961, William E. Felker, elder son of the late Fred E. and Susan Sangster (McBain) aged 67 years.

PEASEY. — At Huntingdon, on January 20, 1961 Emily Haines, widow of the late Charles Peasey and mother of Winston of Huntingdon. Interment, Mount Royal Cemetery.

Cards of Thanks

We the residents of Aubrey Village wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation to all our friends and neighbours for the help rendered during the Aubrey Curling Rink fire.

Donald E. Black.

Our sincere thanks to all relatives, friends, neighbours for their visits, flowers and other acts of sympathy during our recent sad bereavement in the loss of our little William Labrie.

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CHURCH CALENDAR:

Feb. 1—Woman's Association

Feb. 3—Explorers, C.G.I.T., Jr. Boys' Club

Feb. 8—Aft. Aux. W.M.S.
Church at Worship
10.30
Service of Worship
and
Mission Band

Wednesday, February 8th

The ANNUAL MEETING of the Congregation at eight o'clock.

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Sexagesima — 2nd Sunday before Lent

9.30 a.m. — H.C. St. James
11.00 a.m. — M.P. St. Johns
2.30 p.m. — E.P. Christ Church, Franklin Centre

"By Love, Serve One Another"

Card of Thanks

I wish to express my sincere thanks to Dr. McCrimmon, Dr. Lefebvre and Dr. Cameron, nurses and staff of Huntingdon County Hospital for their care and kindness to me during my stay in the hospital. The many visits, gifts and cards were deeply appreciated.

Paul Bouchard.

In Memoriam

RING — In loving memory of a dear sister, Ella Rice, who passed away one year ago —
"Asleep in Jesus".

Willie and Ethel.

TOWNS — In loving memory of Ann, who was taken from us February 5th, 1943 —
"Memories are like stars that shine
Made to last till the end of time
Quietly remembered thru the years
With loving thoughts and unseen tears."

Mrs. Fred Towns.

BURNS — In loving memory of a dear mother and father, who passed away, Mother February 2nd, 1944 — Father, September 17th, 1935 —
Resting where no shadows fall
In perfect peace, you await us all
God will link the broken chain
As one by one we meet again."
Terribly missed by,

Martha, Lillie and Bob.

FARQUHAR — In loving memory of a dear husband, Lester Farquhar, who passed away February 2nd, 1953 —
"I who loved you sadly miss you
As it draws another year,
In my lonely hours of thinking
Thoughts of you are ever near."
Sadly missed by your loving wife

Hazel.

Quebec Is Wooing Numerous Campers

Montreal. (CP). — Summer vacations may be far from the minds of most people now, but the Quebec government is taking another look at its holiday spots.

In recent years a growing number of vacationers have got the bug for camping out.

Other provinces have been quick to come to the aid of these tourists — and so winning new friends and dollars — but Quebec, despite having some excellent natural camping sites, has not done much in this field.

Provincial Parks

Would-be campers in Quebec can get a government booklet outlining the location and facilities of seven provincial parks. Ontario, by comparison, gives tourists a brochure with directions to get to 67 provincial parks. Manitoba offers campers more than 20 recreational areas.

"I don't know where the Roads Department has built tourist picnic sites," said a provincial tourist official recently. "Last summer I took my family for a picnic in the Eastern Townships and we happened to stumble across a beautiful provincial picnic ground near Rock Island.

"I've worked in the tourist department for more than 20 years without knowing there was a picnic site in that area."

Quebec is now reorganizing its tourist Department in the hope of attracting more of the ever-increasing numbers of campers.

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WINNERS IN THE MOORE BONSPIEL

The photo on the left is of the players in the Lacolle and Valleyfield rinks who took part in the Moore Bonspiel, in which the Lacolle rink defeated Valleyfield. Shown kneeling, Lacolle rink — Miss N. Bois, Mrs. P. Killick, Mrs. S. Fewster, Mrs. V. Cookman. Valleyfield, standing — Mrs. A. Smith, Mrs. S. Dickie, Mrs. E. McFarlane, Mrs. Fewster was Lacolle's skip and Mrs. Dickie for Valleyfield — score 11-8 for Lacolle. The photo on the right is of two Ormstown rinks who completed in the Consolation event. Kneeling — Mrs. B. McGerrigle, Miss M. Roy, Mrs. T. Hughes, Mrs. M. Fearn; Standing — Mrs. I. Hamilton, Mrs. V. Begbie, Mrs. R. Campbell and Mrs. M. Hope. The rink skipped by Mrs. Fearn won against the rink skipped by Mrs. M. Hope by a score of 11-9.

- Huntingdon Locals -

W.M.S. Meeting

The January meeting of St. Andrews W.M.S. was held in the Manse with Mrs. Grant, Mrs. Mennie and Mrs. McArthur as hostesses.

Although the day was extremely cold 17 were present.

Mr. Grant led in the devotional period, taken from Luke 22nd Chapter showing how great our need is for the intercession of our Saviour and the prayers of our friends and then led in prayer.

The President thanked Mr. Grant and asked the members to make prayer, the vital part of our work; Prayer for our ministers, our prayer partners, all members of the W.M.S. and all Missinary workers and work. Mrs. McColm read the list printed in Glad Tidings of those for whom we are asked especially to pray.

Letters of thanks were read from Miss Jean McNaughton, Mrs. Leatherdale, Hospital visitor and a request from the convener of the courtesy committee of the Montreal Presbyterial for a donation to the committees work. It was decided that $10 be sent to this fund.

The Treasurer reported that allocation had been exceeded and donations sent to the Chinese Mission and to Miss Margaret Kennedy's work on the Bhilfield India. A donation from Mrs. A. A. Clayland was received. Mrs. Brown, convener of the programme committee read, a list of the names of the members responsible for the study periods and devotions during 1961.

Mrs. Reid took the study period giving an outline of the life and work of each of our prayer partners Miss Goertzere and Miss Hermanson, she dwelt especially on the work in the Chinese Mission in Montreal and in Formosa. Mrs. McCleery thanked Mrs. Reid for her interesting address and the meeting closed.

Delicious refreshments were served by the hostesses.

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W.C.T.U. Study Course

The Temperance Study course sponsored by the Woman's Christian Temperance Union returns from County Judges.

Grade 1 to 4—Meredith MacDougall, Donne Sproule, Joanne Arnold, Donne Hayter.

Grade 5 to 8—Wendy Cruickshanks, Roberta MacDougall, Jimmy Sproule, Jean Sproule.

Grade 8 to 10—Linda Cullen, Joyce English, Marguerite MacDougall, Karen Evans.

64 pupils wrote in the course, 40 from Huntingdon getting certificates. They will all get prizes, or awards for their effort.

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Rotary Club Has Good Record of Attendance

President George Thompson of the Rotary Club announced on Monday, that the membership attendance record indicates that the local club ranked in 12th position amongst 52 clubs of comparable size. The attendance showed that the Huntingdon attendance was 85%. The Monday meeting saw all members present with the exception of Norbert Bourgon who is presently in Jamaica on holidays and W. U. Hughes who is hospitalized in Sarasota, Fla. If all organizations in this area could arrange to emulate the attendance achievements of service clubs, the organizations would not only be much more active but achieve a tremendous amount of good toward their respective objectives.

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Afternoon Program

On Sunday, February 5th, the Knights of Columbus are holding a bingo for their welfare works. All are invited to pass a nice afternoon and also have the opportunity of winning prizes. The winners of a game will each receive a cash prize. There will also be a special game, the tenth on your card, for which the winner will receive the sum of $25.00. Let's tell everyone, that all may come and enjoy a pleasant afternoon at the Knight's of Columbus Hall, Dalhousie St., at 2 p.m.

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Junior leagues Huntingdon

This year again, the organizers have continued the Inter-School-League, which has existed for two years. This is the third year, and it is again a success. This year St. Joseph School is on top after 3 games, winning over the other teams. Incidentally, it's good to mention, that the other teams did not make it easy for St. Joseph's team, they gave a very good performance and tried hard to take over. Since beginning of the league, St. Joseph School did not loose one game.

Here is the latest standing.

Teams	G	W	L	P
St. Joseph School	3	3	0	6
Ormstown H. School	3	2	1	4
N. Dame du Rosaire	3	2	1	4
H'don High School	3	0	3	0

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Ladies Curling Club

The winners at the bridge on Thursday afternoon, were Miss Mabel MacMillan and Miss Elianne Lasalle. The hostesses were Mrs. Gordon McLean, Mrs. Ivan Heath and Miss Norah Shanks.

On Tuesday afternoon, a double rink from Howick defeated two local rinks here, so were able to take the Challenge Cup home with them.

The club is having a Friendly Competition on Tuesday, February 7th. Following the afternoon games, the presentation of prizes will take place during a tea served by the associate members and to which all active and associate members of the club are invited.

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First Lamb

Mrs. William Kakebeeke, of Kensington, called the Gleaner Office on Monday, January 30th, to say their first lamb of the new season had been born that morning. She believes this to be quite early and was quite pleased. Mrs. Kakebeeke is in charge of the sheep rearing on the Kakebbeke farm and quite proud of the results she obtains

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Harold Higgins, Auctioneer, At Salon Agriculture

Mr. Harold Higgins, Auctioneer, informed The Gleaner that he has again been chosen to be Auctioneer at the Salon Agriculture, at the Show Mart in Montreal, this year. It will be remembered that Auctioneer Higgins obtained some very good prices for beef cattle sold at this Fair. He will be selling the beef cattle that will be on exhibition by young breeders and also a number of sheep. All will be prize animals.

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Has Completed Course

Mr. Emery Latrielle of Huntingdon, who operates a floor covering shop on Bouchette St., has recently completed a course taken in Montreal for all types and designs of Floor and Wall covering. He gained a knowledge of the latest methods and improvements in this type of work and is ready to put them into effect. The course was under the auspice of the Dominion Oilcloth Co.

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Mothers' Polio March

On Friday evening of the past week, Mothers were out in full force to collect for the Legion March of Dimes Polio Fund. It was a cold night but nothing daunted the Mothers made their rounds and with good success. The exact amount of the fund collected has not yet been totalled, but we understand it compares favourably with the previous year.

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Huntingdon County Hospital acknowledges annual membership from Mr. W. C. Tully, Mr. George Beattie, Mrs. Agnes Hanna and Mr. Norman Kerr.

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Correction

In this column last week, it was stated that Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Bourgon were spending a holiday in England. This was in error, they are holidaying in Jamaica.

Obituary

The Late Antoine Roy Jr.

The relatives and many friends of Antoine Roy were saddened to learn of his sudden death on January 9th, 1961.

Born in Cazaville, on February 24th, 1897, he was united in marriage to Albina Carriere in 1919.

The funeral was held at St. Anicet Church on Thursday, January 12th, Requiem Mass was sung by Rev. Paul Deguire, P.P., and the Valleyfield Cathedral Choir.

Pall bearers were his nephews, Wilfred Slyman, Romuald Hurteau, Armand Bayard, Romeo Hurteau, Alcide Caza, Lucien Hurteau, Alfred Caza and Gerard Lazure.

He leaves to mourn his loss, his widow, one son Leo, daughter-in-law, granddaughters Danielle and Linda, sisters Mrs. Marie Louise Bayard and Mrs. Telesphore Hurteau, several nieces and nephews.

Two brothers and two sisters predeceased him.

A well known and jovial man, he will be sadly missed in this community.

Main Event

G. McWhinnie, B. Royle, M. Smith, C. Younie (skip).

Runner-up

N. McWhinnie, M. Craig, U. Gruer, R. Ness, (skip).

R. B. Ness and Dr. W. Watson skipped the consolation rinks.

Another mixed will be held in two weeks. During the evening, shower gifts for the club were opened, providing many of the little things needed around the kitchen.

Dr. Donald Elliot, U.S. and friend Mr. Lorne McArthur, Trochu, Alberta, spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Elliot.

Cattle thieves are plaguing farmers again. Mr. Gordon Lang lost a young calf several weeks ago, and last week three more six months old.

Friends of Miss Fanny Lett were shocked to hear of her sudden death on Saturday, January 28th. She had mentioned recently not feeling well, but had continued to do the housework as usual. Miss Lett lived on the farm, with two brothers, Charles and James, both retired from active work, and all of them in their eighties. A kind, hospitable person, loved by all the neighbours, she will be sorely missed.

For Your Information

By The Health League of Canada

Here is a note of interest from the Health League of Canada for those opponents of fluoridation who still claim the practice is dangerous because fluoride, in sufficient quantity, is poisonous. Some 200,000,000 human beings suffer from endemic goitre yet the smallest fraction of them are Canadians. Why? Because our government had the foresight to make possible the addition of iodine to salt. Iodine is also a deadly poison yet millions of people use iodized salt several times daily without ill effects. In a similar vein, science has proved conclusively that the addition of fluoride to water in the proportion of one part per million is not harmful and will definitely reduce tooth decay by at least 60%.

Howick

HOWICK — 32 rinks entered the District Bonspiel for the Bank of Commerce Trophy. The weather was frosty, but the roads were open, and games were played on schedule with finals at Howick on January 26th. Those running through to finals were two Howick and two Ormstown rinks.

Trophy Winners

S. Varin, Geo. Menard, Oakley McRae, Elmer Black (skip).

Runners-up

Jack Taylor, Granet Barrington, Cecil Younie, A. M. Ness (skip).

Consolation Winners

J. Beaudreau, Dumas, Boyd Campbell, Father Lavigne (skip).

Runners-up

Theo Greggain, Archie Borland, Archie Hughes, Dr. Stalker (skip).

Cpl. Donald Sutherland and son Douglas from Trenton, Ont., spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sutherland.

A good old fashioned party for the neighbours in that district was held at the home of Mrs. R. B. Tolhurst, on Tuesday evening. 24 were present and enjoyed playing card games, checkers and crokinole. Several ladies assisted Mrs. Tolhourst and Mrs. Bradley with the entertainment and refreshments.

Mrs. R. Stewart and Mrs. W. K. McRae skipped on the Whitehead games at Huntingdon and brought the trophy home. Beauchateau will play at Howick this week.

As usual a club mixed bonspiel proved to be one of the jolliest events of the winter, both for spectators and curlers. Sixteen rinks played during Friday night, Saturday afternoon and finals Saturday night. Hot dogs and coffee were served both evenings and the kitchen brigade was kept busy supplying the demand for seconds. Mysterious parcels, contents unknown were selected by the winners. They contained pickles, olives, kleenex or butter. One enterprising lead selected the president's purse which was lying nearby. The fun the prizes provided, proved that in these mixed bonspiels, the game is more important than the prize.

Hemmingford

St. Andrew's United Church

HEMMINGFORD. — Sunday, January 29th, was observed by the United Church in Hemmingford as "Christian Youth Sunday". At St. Andrew's Church, members of the C.G.I.T. and Y.P.U. took a leading part in the 11 a.m. service and performed their duties very reverently. The call to worship and invocation were read by Marguerite Latour, the Responsive Reading by Carol Smith. Shirley Warner gave the prayer and Charles Clark the Scripture Reading. Mrs. K. Murray gave the sermon and members of the Y.P.U. assisted in taking up the Offertory. The theme of the service, "Into all the world together", was ably portrayed by the two groups of young people taking part.

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C.G.I.T. Conference

Three girls from Hemmingford, Isabell Wallace, Carol Pelletier and Mary McNutt, attended the annual C.G.I.T. Conference held on Saturday and Sunday, January 28th and 29th, at Wesley United Church, N.D.G. There were some 350 girls attending from all parts and Miss Barbara Warner took part in the leadership of the Conference.

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Three M. Club

On Saturday evening, January 21st, this Club journeyed to Lacolle to try their hand at curling. They were the guests of the Lacolle Curling Club and all enjoyed the friendly games played. Returning to the home of Mr. Earl Orr, a short business meeting was held and refreshments served.

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St. Andrew's Y.P.U.

The first meeting of the new year was held on Saturday evening, January 21st. It took the form of a skating party. Following an hour's enjoyable exercise on the rink, members returned to the Church Hall for the business meeting and hot chocolate. Games were played in the hall for the remainder of the evening. Mr. Ronnie Lee was present as Counsellor and the Rev. K. Murray.

Bridal Shower

A surprise shower for Miss Dorothy Curran, whose marriage to Mr. John Clark takes place on February 4th, was held at the home of Mrs. Gordon Hill. Co-hostesses with Mrs. Hill were Mrs. B. Dumas (Mooers Forks), Mrs. Glen Clark and Miss B. Warner. Some twenty-seven guests were on hand in the prettily decorated pink and white room, when a surprised Dorothy walked in. Seated under the pink and white umbrella she was presented with a kitchen shower, everything in gleaming white, chrome and stainless steel. Dorothy thanked her friends very sincerely for the beautiful gifts and their good wishes. The Hostesses served refreshments and a happy afternoon was enjoyed by all present.

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News from Ormstown

EXHIBITION CENTRE
COVERING THE ACTIVITIES OF THE "LITTLE ROYAL"

Ormstown Theatre Has Record Crowd

ORMSTOWN — In September of last year Mr. John Green of Montreal undertook the operation of the Denis Theatre, owned and formerly in charge of Mr. and Mrs. Emile Beaulieu.

Mr. Green has been showing a double feature each week-end, when four showings of excellent programs have been given.

"Carry On Nurse", shown this past week-end drew a record crowd and such an attendance would give promise of a local show indefinitely.

Ormstownians appreciate the calibre of the programs presented, and such shows should draw a sufficiently satisfactory audience to encourage the manager in his endeavour.

"The Nuns Story" is on the bill for next week-end and this has proven to be an oustanding attraction in some other areas.

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Farm Forums

The Upper and Lower Ormstown Farm Forum Group met on Monday evening, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Hooker, when Messrs. Kenneth Campbell and Clifford Sproule were the official hosts.

Following a general discussion on the topic of the evening, "How Much Am I Offered?", Mrs. Bert Peddie recorded the findings.

Games of Euchre and a social time followed when ladies' prizes went to Miss Henrietta Tate and Mrs. Alvin Gruer and gent's prizes to Bert Peddie and Eijnar Neilsen.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Gruer invited the group to their home for the next forum.

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Aubrey Curlers Entertained

The Ormstown Curling Club entertained four mixed rinks from Aubrey on Saturday evening.

An Ormstown rink skipped by Bill Fearn emerged the high scoring rink with Keith Robb's Aubrey rink the runners-up. Ron Reddick and his Aubrey rink qualiifed for special prizes.

Card prizes were won by Mrs. William Kilgour and Mr. John Hueston.

Refreshments were served by the committee in charge.

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John Deere Show

The John Deere Show, held on Tuesday, January 24, at the Show Rooms at Bill Hooker's was well attended in spite of extremely cold weather. A French show was presented during the afternoon and an English show in the evening.

Several colorful films were shown, featuring the introduction of a new generation of power. This film was shown to the six thousand dealers gathered last August in Dallas, Texas. A film which gave the history of the beginning of the Company was also shown, John Deere being one of the oldest companies with the manufacture of the first steel plow.

Several prizes were given at the show and the lucky winners at the French show were: M. Gustave Gendron, Dominique Simon, Henri Paul Legault, Alfred Chartrand and F. Lemieux.

Prize winners in the evening were: Master Bobby McEwen, who won the children's prize and made the drawings for the other prizes.

Ladies: Mrs. Robert McNeil and Mrs. Robert Barr.

Men: Messrs. John Wallace, Ray Vaincourt and Dawson Rice.

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Mrs. Mary McNeil and Mrs. A. Hooker visited on Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. J. Harry Nussey, Huntingdon.

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Shower For Miss Lorna Robert

Mrs. Leslie Cavers, Mrs. Glen Ovans, Mrs. Gordon Green and Mrs. Allan Cavers were joint hostesses at a miscellaneous shower given at the home of Mrs. Leslie Cavers in honor of Miss Lorna Robert, whose marriage takes places in the near future.

After the gifts had been opened Lorna expressed her sincere thanks.

Games were enjoyed and delicious refreshments were served by the hostesses.

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Mrs. K. K. Pearce of Dewittville, visited on Sunday with her aunt, Mrs. William Perry.

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Mr. and Mrs. Preston Hooker and Mrs. R. Morrison of Huntingdon spent Wednesday of last week in Cowansville and visited Mr. Dale Morrison and Bruce and called on Mrs. Dale Morrison and Greig at the Sweetsburg Hospital.

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Mr. and Mrs. M. Bisson of Port Daniel have been visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Bisson.

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Mr. Gordon Green is spending a few days in Calgary where he is attending the annual meeting of the Charolais Breeders.

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Mr. and Mrs. Harold Robertson and family of Riverfield, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Adam McNeil.

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Dr. and Mrs. Clifford Smith of Montreal, were guests on Saturday of Mr. and Mrs. Allan Cavers.

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Mr. and Mrs. John K. Dickson have returned from Vancouver, B.C., where Mr. Dickson was attending the Annual Convention of the Dairy Farmers of Canada at the Hotel Vancouver.

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Women's Auxiliary of B.M.H.

ORMSTOWN — The regular Monthly Executive meeting of the Barrie Memorial Hospital, was held in the Hospital Board Room on January 16th, at 2.30 p.m. Mrs. Wm. McClintock presided and there were 13 members present.

The first baby born in the Hospital in 1961 was a baby girl, daughter of Mr .and Mrs. Herbert Hadley of Hemmingford and she received the silver spoon donated by our Auxiliary.

A letter from the Quebec Association of Hospital Auxiliaries was read by the secretary, Mrs. Mervin Barrington. The Quebec Hospital Association is holding their annual meeting in The Queen Elizabeth Hotel, Montreal, on April 19-21 inclusive. Auxiliary Day will be April 20th. The Official Delegates appointed are Mrs. B. Brittain and Mrs. Mervin Barrington. Observers who were appointed were Mrs. B. McCartney and Mrs. O. Goodall. Two more observers are to be appointed.

Reports were given by the Chairmen of the various Committees.

The Annual Meeting of the Women's Auxiliary of the Barrie Memorial Hospital will be held in the Hospital Board Room on Monday, February 27th, at 2 p.m. All committees are asked to have a written annual report.

The next Executive Meeting will be held in the Board Room on February 6th ,at 2.30 p.m.

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Annual Vestry Meeting
St. James' Anglican Church, Ormstown

The Rector, the Rev. P. Raymond Stote presided at the Annual Vestry Meeting of St. Jame's Church, on Wednesday Evening. After the reading of the minutes Mr. Wm. Frost, the Treasurer gave the Parish Financial Report. Reports from the Men's Group, the Fellowship, the Concession Group and the Guild — W. A. were also read.

The Elections for 1961 were as follows: —

Mr. Robert Furey, appointed Rector's warden.

Mr. Arthur Henderson elected People's Warden.

Mr. Wm. Frost — Treasurer.

Mr. Clifford Moore — Vestry Clerk.

Delegates to Synod — Harold Parkinson, Clifford Moore.

Substitute Delegates — Dr. J. A. Davidson, W. J. McGerrigle.

Chairman of Sides — Dr. G. Sutton.

The Council of Vestry is made up of the Rector, Wardens, Treasurer, Vestry Clerk, the President or representative of each of the Societies and from the Congregation at large, Mrs. J. A. Davidson, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Cooper and Mr. Harold Parkinson.

Choir Director — Mr. Leigh Coffin.

Secretary for Montreal Church — Mrs. Dixon.

Secretary for Forward Day by Day — Mrs. R. Cooper.

The Meeting accepted a share of $200.00 for the Diocesan Budget, with the willingness to give another $50.00 if funds can be made available.

Plans were discussed for the painting of the Church Roof, repairing of the Stained Glass Windows, and providing suitable parking area for cars.

75 Copies of the New Prayer Book have been bought and Hymn Books to match are to be ordered. Donations toward these will be appreciated by the Treasurer.

Votes of Thanks were extended to the ladies of the Parish for their splendid work, to Dr. John Whitehead for publishing the St. James' Parish Notes and to all the officers of the Church for their satisfactory work during the past year.

Town Of Huntingdon To Receive Traffic Safety Award

The Town of Huntingdon has been named in awards for Highway Traffic Safety, by the Province of Quebec Safety League. Huntingdon comes under the head of towns with a population of 5,000 or less is honored for the distinction of having completed the year 1960 without a fatal accident.

The presentation of the award will be made on the occasion of the Province of Quebec Safety League's 38th annual meeting to be held on February 16th, at the Sheraton-Mount Royal Hotel, in Montreal. President Philippe Hurteau of the Safety League said: "Good traffic law enforcement starts at the top with the Chief of Police determined to do a good job". He added: "that too many citizens regard the police officer as a friend when they need protection from robbery or assault, but have a different attitude when receiving a traffic ticket."

Nitro

NITRO — A number from Nitro attended the Burn's Supper held in the Presbyterian Church Hall, in Valleyfield, on January 24th, Tuesday evening at 6.30. A delicious dinner was served by the ladies. The guest speaker Rev. Wilkie of Montreal gave a very interesting talk on R. Burns and enjoyed by all, then followed an entertainment of solos and songs.

Friends of Miss Arlene Halliday are sorry to know she is sick at home with the chicken pox.

The Service in the Nitro Church on Sunday, January 29th, was conducted by Rev. J. Hood from Ormstown.

Mrs. Halliday and Mrs. C. Paige enjoyed a game of bridge at the home of Mrs. B. Cambell in Valleyfield.

Miss H. Swartz and P. Swartz of Chateauguay spent the past week-end at their home here on Laurier Avenue.

Mrs. R. Underwood of Montreal, spent the week-end here with her family.

Mrs. B. Clarke spent a day in Montreal last week.

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C.A.L. Bowling League
Five Pins
League Standing

	Points
1—H. E.	70
2—Chiefs	64
3—Lab	56
4—Rockets	48
5—Braves	46
6—Alouettes	28

Big Ten

	G.P.	Aver.
R. Dandurand	42	222
O. Leduc	39	217
J. P. Reynolds	29	214
A. Frechette	44	213
M. Chatigny	45	211
J. P. Guimond	44	211
J. Laberge	44	210
H. Quenneville	38	206
W. Fung-A-Ling	44	205
R. Swartz	43	203

High single—M. Poirier 341
High triple—M. Chatigny 846.
Weekly Prize—
Week Ending January 27th, 1961.
With Or Without Handicap
R. Dandurand 278.

DUCK PINS
League Standing

	Points.
1—Flyers	87
2—N/C Aces	80
3—Ramblers	64
4—Bombers	59
5—Maintenance	44
6—Woodpeckers	26

Big Seven

	G.P.	Aver.
H. Quenneville	45	140
A. Lascelle	45	135
G. Leboeuf	44	135
J. Fenlon	44	135
A. Frechette	40	135
P. Quenneville	27	132
W. Fullerton	45	130

High single—H. Quenneville 205.
High triple—W. Fullerton 525.
Weekly Prize
Week Ending January 27th, 1961
With or Without Handicap
H. Quenneville 201 9 210

HEMMINGFORD LADY CELEBRATES NINETY-FIFTH BIRTHDAY

Shown above is Mrs. Edward Cowan of Hemmingford, Que., seated before her cake, on the occasion of her 95th birthday and surrounded by relatives and close friends. Left to right they are as follows: Mrs. Alister Somerville, Mrs. Russell Williams, Mr. W. McKay, Miss E. Spearman, Mrs. W. McKay (daughter), Mr. W. Cowan (son), Miss D. Upton, Mrs. G. McKay, Mr. R. Hayden, Mr. G. McKay, Mr. W. Woods. An account of the celebration appeared in the last issue of The Gleaner.

Financial Statement

Huntingdon Agricultural Society

Balance Sheet

As at November 30, 1960

ASSETS

CURRENT			
Cash in bank			104.20
Accounts receivable			177.35
Grants receivable			
Provincial Government	500.00		
County of Huntingdon	500.00	1,000.00	1,281.55
FIXED			
Grounds and buildings			18,493.59
			$19,775.14

LIABILITIES

CURRENT		
Accrued interest on mortgage	194.80	
Bank loan	2,000.00	2,194.80
LONG TERM		
Mortgage payable		4,500.00

NET WORTH

Capital as at December 1, 1959	6,245.47	
Plus: Adjustment — outstanding checks as at November 30, 1959	2.50	
Adjustment — accounts receivable as at November 30, 1959	5.00	
Expropriation by the Provincial Government	4,671.70	
Net revenue for the period	2,155.67	
Capital as at November 30, 1960		13,080.34
		$19,775.14

STATEMENT OF REVENUE AND EXPENDITURES.
FOR THE PERIOD ENDED NOVEMBER 30, 1960

REVENUE

MEMBERSHIP FEES		
Year 1960	590.00	
Year 1961	298.00	888.00
GRANTS		
Provincial Government — regular	640.00	
Provincial Government — special	1,500.00	
Provincial Government — Breeding stock	132.08	
County of Huntingdon	500.00	
Municipalities	440.00	3,212.08
EXHIBITION AND FAIR		
Entry fees and stall rents	278.90	
Rentals of space and concessions	770.00	
Gate receipts	1,763.50	
Donations for prizes	2,023.52	
Advertising in "Prize List"	803.50	
Proceeds of raffle and dance	333.50	
Sale of salvage	4.25	5,977.17
		$10,077.25

EXPENDITURES

EXHIBITION AND FAIR		
Sundry salaries	380.50	
Installing and moving tent	209.00	
Prizes and trophies	3,313.71	
Badges and ribbons	120.01	
Registered Breeding stock bonuses	132.08	
Judges	126.50	
Entertainment	230.00	4,511.80
GROUNDS AND BUILDINGS		
Repairs and maintenance	751.37	
Electricity and telephone	200.19	
Insurance	346.95	
Interest on mortgage	270.00	
Supplies	254.15	1,822.66
ADMINISTRATION		
Printing, office expenses and advertising	723.69	
Salaries secretary and assistant	445.00	
Auditor	85.00	
Interest and bank charges	167.56	
Travelling expenses	46.76	
Canadian Trotting Association	12.25	
Amusement tax	12.67	
Flowers	56.10	
Miscellaneous	38.09	1,587.12
		7,921.58
Net revenue for the period		2,155.67
		$10,077.25

MARCEL QUESNEL, L.S.C., C.A.,
Chartered Accountant

CHATEAUGUAY VALLEY HOCKEY LEAGUE

HOWICK 5, CLYDES 3

The weather was cold, but tempers were hot at the Ormstown Arena Wednesday night, January 25th.

Fist fights broke out at different intervals and in the second period there was a stick-swinging duel. For a time the spectators thought they were watching a sword fight.

Half way in the second period the coaches talked the players into getting down to playing hockey; from this time until the end of the game, both teams played good hockey. Howick won 5-3.

First Period

1—Howick: R. Allen (A. McEwen) 2.07
2—Howick: Bates 5.40
3—Clydes: L'Heureux (Pilon) 15.00
Penalties: Bates 14.38; Tennent, L'Heureux 16.05; Pilon 17.10; Duheme 19.13; Allen (major) 19.13.

Second Period

4—Clydes: Lefebvre (Pilon, L'Heureux) 3.31
5—Howick: McKell 12.43
Penalties: Sunday, Allen, 9.00; Lefebvre, 9.26.

Third Period

6—Howick: Cairncross 4.58
7—Clydes: Lefebvre (Pilon, L'Heureux) 9.58
8—Howick: Bates (Allen, Cairncross) 13.35
Penalties: None.

HOWICK: Goal, Primeau; defence, Templeton, Bates, Logan, Elliot, Morrison; forwards, Brown, Tennant, Cairncross, Allen, McEwen, Dave Watson, Don Watson, Craig, McKell.

CLYDES: goal, Galipeau; defence, Bobby Sunday, Riel, Howard Duheme; forwards, Pilon, Gardiner, Harold Duheme, Murphy, L'Heureux, Lefebvre, Curran, Davies.

Referee: Jackie Taylor, Billy Steele.

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CLYDES 2, HOWICK 1

A large crowd was on hand Friday night, January 27th, at the Huntingdon County War Memorial Arena to see a return match between Huntingdon Clydes and Howick in which Clydes won 2-1.

This was a very hard played game by both teams, which was very thrilling to watch. In the first period Howick scored an off-side goal which was disallowed and caused much argument for some time.

First Period

No score.
Penalties: Bobby Sunday 18.03.

Second Period

1—Clydes: Pilon (L'Heureux) 2.47
2—Clydes: Davies (Pilon, David) 11.05
Penalties: Pilon, Tennant, 3.03; Harold Duheme, 4.04; L'Heureux, Logan (major and minor) 9.45; Morrison, Davies, 9.45.

Third Period

3—Watson (McKell) 4.39
Penalties: McEwen, 7.43; Lefebvre and McEwen, 13.23; Pilon, Elliott, 17.11; Bates, 19.50.

Clydes: goal, Galipeau; defence, David, Bobby Sunday, Billy Sunday, Rotley; forwards, Murphy, Davies, L'Heureux, Boyer, Lefebvre, Harold Duheme, Pilon, Curran.

Howick: goal, Primeau; defence, Templeton, Logan, Bates, Elliott, Morrison; forwards, Tennant, Cairncross, Allan, McEwen, Dave Watson, Don Watson, Craig, McKell.

Referee: Bernard Primeau and Jackie Taylor.

Results of last week's games
Wednesday, Jan. 25th
Clydes 3, Howick 5
St. Antoine 5, Bombers 2.
Friday, January 27th
Bombers 1, St. Antoine 10
Howick 1, Clydes 2

COMING GAMES
Wednesday, Feb. 1
St. Antoine vs. Howick
Bombers vs. Clydes
Friday, February 3
Bombers vs. Howick
St. Antoine vs. Clydes

LEAGUE STANDINGS

	P.	W.	L.	T.	GF.	GA.	P
Clydes	5	4	1	0	33	16	8
Howick	6	4	2	0	24	12	8
St. Antoine	7	4	3	0	28	24	8
Bombers	6	0	6	0	12	45	0

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JUNIOR HOCKEY

The Town Junior Hockey League got under way on Monday evening at the War Memorial Arena with two games being played. In the first game Junior Clydes were too much for David's Devils and romped to a seven to one win. The second game between Port Lewis and the Rink Rats was close and hard fought all the way, the Rink Rats winning out with two third-period goals. The Port Lewis team played with only seven players and by the fine team effort they put on Monday they will be a contender all the way when they have more players.

In an exhibition game played after the Junior League the Blue Bombers defeated the Sad Sacks 11 to 8. The Bombers had a good practice and the Sad Sacks haa an evening's fun. Next Monday the Town League will be in action again. Games starting at 6.45. David's will play Port Lewis at 6.45 and Rink Rats will play Clydes at 7.45.

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Wesley Knox Church

ROBSON — Members of the C.G.I.T. and Y.P.U. took part in the Service at 9.30, Sunday morning, January 29th, when "Chistian Youth Sunday" was observed at Wesley Knox Church. The Call to Service and Invocation was read by Mary Hebert and the Responsive Reading by Susan Deery. Wilma Clark gave the Prayer and Charles Clark the Scripture Reading. The Sermon was given by Mrs. K. Murray. Members of the C.G.I.T. and Y.P.U. assisted in taking up the offering.

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Ladies Aid And A Shower

The members of the Ladies Aid met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Curran on Friday evening, January 27th, for a very pleasant evening. The occasion, a surprise shower for Miss Dorothy Curran, daughter of one of the members (Mrs. Keith Curran), whose wedding to Mr. John Clarke will take place on Saturday, February 4th. When an unsuspecting Dorothy accompanied her fiancé to deliver a parcel she was ushered in to a tastefully pink and white decorated room to the strains of the Wedding March played by Mrs. Emmett Cleland. Some twenty guests, members of the L.A. were awaiting her.

Presenting Dorothy with one of the latest styled floor lamps with the individual focussing lights, Mrs. A. Stewart spoke of the many services she had performed for them. She reminded members of the afternoon one of their number had come happily in to the meeting, announcing she was the proud possessor of a beautiful new granddaughter. It was this granddaughter who was shortly to be married herself and all the members of the Ladies Aid had subscribed to present her with a lasting token of their love and best wishes for her future happiness.

Mrs. K. Murray then presented Dorothy and John with a matching table lamp from the Ladies Aid Branch and added her best wishes also. When John and Dorothy had expressed their thanks and appreciation refreshments were served with Mrs. Keith Curran pouring tea and Mrs. Willis pouring coffee.

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Annual Church Meeting

On Monday night, January 23rd. the Annual Meeting of the Wesley-Knox United Church was held at the home of Mrs. H. Gilmour, Russelltown. There was a very good attendance of Church members and as the reports were read, those present were pleased to learn of the favourable state of Church affairs. Various projects were discussed for the coming months and certain changes proposed. These will be reported on as they occur.

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Mrs. Nellie Tolhourst and Mrs. Hazel Bradley were guests at the Emmett Cleland's on Thursday afternoon, January 26th.

INDIAN WOODCUTTERS

KENORA, Ont. (CP) Lands and forests department officials hope a pulpwood cutting operation by Indian youths in this area will lead to timber contracting operations by the youths. Indian leaders in the area encouraged the youths to obtain contracts to cut wood on crown lands.

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EIGHT room house in Huntingdon, 39 Prince Street, lot size 75x126 feet. For information call CO. 4-5764 or contact R. E. McWhinnie after 6 o'clock.

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6. Room and Board

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7 Help Wanted

LADIES who would like to earn extra money in your own neighborhood selling Avon Products: territory now open in Godmanchester, Ormstown, Howick and Huntingdon Please write to Mrs. Rita Geradeau, P.O. Box 940 Beauharnois, Que.

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11 Lost

WILL THE PARTY who took the overshoes by mistake from the dance at the O'Counor Hall Friday night, please return to Roy Clark, 24A King St., Huntingdon, Phone CO. 4-5205.

15 Wanted

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NOTICE

Province of Quebec
Municipality of the Town of Huntingdon

PUBLIC NOTICE

Public notice is hereby given that Mr. John R. Walsh, Carpenter, and Elie Roger Leduc, Electrician, both of the Town of Huntingdon, have been elected to the office of alderman for East Ward, No. 3. by acclamation.

Given at Huntingdon, Que., this 26th day of January, 1961.
(Signed) E. C. MARTIN,
Returning-Officer

NOTICE

Province of Quebec
Municipality of the Town of Huntingdon

PUBLIC NOTICE

Public notice is hereby given that Achille C. H. Picard, Farmer and J. Douglas McGerrigle, Caretaker, both of the Town of Huntingdon have been elected alderman of the Town of Huntingdon, West Ward, No. 2, by acclamation.

Given at Huntingdon, Que., this 25th day of January, 1961.
(Signed) E. C. MARTIN,
Returning-Officer

Dental Notice

My office will be closed until the end of February.

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The Rockburn Beavers Hit Maclean's Magazine

In the January 28th edition of MacLean's Magazine, appears an article by Ken Johnstone of Rockburn, entitled "The Beavers and I." It will be remembered that some time ago, the Gleaner published a story on the Beavers who built a dam where Mr. Johnstone lives at Rockburn. It will also be remembered that someone either trapped or killed one, or all of the beavers. Mr. Johnstone sent notice of these events to the Gleaner and they were published. A warning was also issued to leave the Beavers alone as they were quite an attraction for Rockburn. The story in MacLean's gives a full account of these beavers and the various happenings until their demise. As the full knowledge of what actually happened to cause their leaving Rockburn is not given, the supposition is that one or more were killed, one was killed and the others left for a safer domain.

The story makes interesting reading because it is of local interest and many people felt quite badly that someone should want to spoil this attraction of wild life in action. We have too few such attractions left these days as there is always someone who cannot leave a thing alone.

In the summer time there are many squirrels in the trees in Huntingdon, who become quite tame and will run to the houses to pick up a nut or a morsel. However there are those who would see them dead and quite frequently these little creatures are found after some sort of accident. No doubt they become too fearless of man which is against their usual natural instinct.

Dewittville

DEWITTVILE — On Thursday, January 26th, the Woman's Christian Temperance Union met at the home of Mrs. R. A. MacIntosh with a good attendance of members. The roll call was answered by a verse from a hymn. Mrs. MacIntosh took the numbers of cards and letters sent to shut-ins, she also reported on the Work Committee. Mrs. Beattie read a letter in Tidings from our Provincial President, Mrs. J. B. Moore of Cowansville and Mrs. F. W. Martin and Miss I. Holiday read acknowledgments from the Supt. Montreal City Mission for the boxes sent to them in December, also a money donation. After further business was discussed the meeting closed with pledge and Aaronic Benediction. Delicious refrsehments were served by the hostess.

Havelock

HAVELOCK — Saturday guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. Buchanan, were Mr. John Leplame of Champlain, N.Y. and Constable Henry Kelly of Plattsburg, N.Y. Mr. and Mrs. Bert Allen of Huntingdon were Sunday guests at the same home.

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Of Many Things

By AMBROSE HILLS

The Curse of Unemployment

There is no general understanding of how unemployment hurts the economy. Too many people believe that the only persons hurt are those who are out of a job.

Recently, the owner of a furniture store pointed out how unemployment affects the buying of many others. "It's not the ones who get laid off that affect me most," he said. "It's the three or four neighbors who quit buying when one guy gets dropped."

Another said, "With the politicians shouting business crash and that Russian hammering on the table with his shoe, how can anyone think of furniture?"

Unemployment is Canada's most serious problem for the very reasons outlined by these worried furniture dealers. Aside from the suffering of the individual laid-off, there is the lack of confidence large lay-offs prompt.

The solution to unemployment is not nearly as complicated as is generally thought. Get business booming again and unemployment will disappear. Business can't boom when products must be priced too high; and prices cannot come down while wages and taxes go up.

Some political courage is going to be required. Wage rates must be held in check. Tax rates must not go up — indeed, there ought to be massive reductions. Social services should be reduced or held at their present level. Business should be encouraged to further automation and streamlining. Whatever is required to make Canadian products competitive in world markets must be done — and soon.

If action is taken promptly all will be well. The Canadian economy is relatively sound. The storm warnings are clear, and there is time to batten down the hatches and trim the sails.

Some action has already been taken by the government at Ottawa. Not enough, and not explained to the people with the clarity required. Nevertheless, enough was done to illustrate that the government knows what is needed. They may go further in the next budget.

Unemployment is a curse more serious than many people realize. Its evils should be fully explained. Then the nation would be ready to accept the rather painful surgery required to cure it.

IRISH TOP ARABS

At one time the Arab horse was considered the best of all breeds, but now Irish-bred steeds are more favoured. The Book of Knowledge suggests that the introducton of the rifle made it less necessary for the Arabs to rely for life and liberty on the swiftness of their mounts, hence their quality was allowed to deteriorate.

Valleyfield Legion In Provincial Playdowns

On Saturday, January 21st, the Annual Canadian Legion Curling Bonspeil was held in Howick. Valleyfield Branch was represented by: Chap. Larcho, Lead—from Navy; Marc. Delisle, 2nd—from Air Force; Larry Soly, 3rd—from Army; Sam Butt, Skip—from Navy.

The 3 branches of the service were represented.

The above team eliminited three consecutive clubs and won the McGregor Trophy, the emblem for the District Curling.

1st game—Valleyfield 7—Ormstown 6; 2nd game—Valleyfield 9—Caughnawaga 1; 3rd game—Valleyfield 7—Chateauguay 6.

This last game was played with an extra end and a remarkable shot was played by the skip, Sam Butt with his last rock, and which won the game for the Valleyfield branch.

The Valleyfield team will represent our City in the Provincial play-down in Lachute, Que., for the Provincial trophy.

The winners wil represent the Province of Quebec in the British Columbia Canadian Legion Curlers.

REGULAR MEETING
Huntingdon W.I.
at the home of
Mrs. A. W. Perkins
on
TUESDAY, FEB. 7th
at 2 p.m.
Roll Call—A Valentine verse.
Programme—Report of semi-annual at Montreal.
Quiz
Mrs. W. H. MIDDLEMISS, Pres.
Mrs. CHAS. REID, Secretary

The Annual Meeting
of the
MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE CO. OF ST. JOSEPH OF GODMANCHESTER
will be held on
Wednesday, Feb. 8
at 2 o'clock p.m. in the
COUNTY BUILDING
WILBER T. ARTHUR, Pres.
D. O. TAYLOR, Sec'y.

Royal Canadian Legion
Huntingdon Branch
No. 81
St. Valentine's Dance
FRIDAY, FEB. 10 th
LEGION HALL,
Fairview Road
LEGIONNAIRES DANCE ORCHESTRA
Door Prizes Admission 50c
Spot Prizes
Dancing from 9 p.m.

ROYAL CANADIAN LEGION
Huntingdon Branch No. 81
REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING
THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 9, 1960
at 8 p.m.
LEGION HALL, FAIRVIEW ROAD
JOHN A. THOMPSON, President *W. MURRAY, Secretary*

NOTICE

After February 1st, my office will be located on Wellington Street West, at the corner of Churchill St., Telephone No. CO. 4-5016. I will be in attendance at this office on Mondays 2.30 to 6 p.m.

Everyone is welcome

H. Alister Somerville, M.P.P.

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New Erin

NEW ERIN — Mr. Grant Cameron of Alexandria, Ont., spent the week-end with his mother, Mrs. Margaret Cameron and brother, Mr. Douglass Cameron.

Mr. Edward Starr, Miss Diane Starr of Montreal, were week-end visitors of their mother, Mrs. C. L. Starr. Mr. and Mrs. M. Jackson of Ottawa, Ont., were Sunday over-night guests at the same home.

Miss Margaret Moodie who has spent several weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Allan Hunter has returned home to Montreal.

JERSEY RECORD

DUNCAN, B.C. (CP) — A Jersey cow, Eastwood Victor's Hope, has produced a record 780 pounds of fat in 305 days. The cow, owned by local resident D. C. Morton, has qualified for a Canadian Jersey Club gold medal.

Championship Tournament.

Best of Luck to our Legion Curlers.

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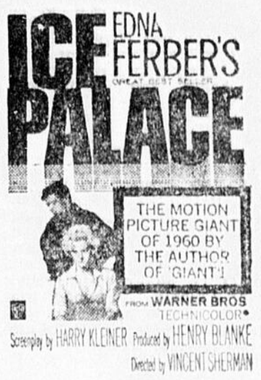

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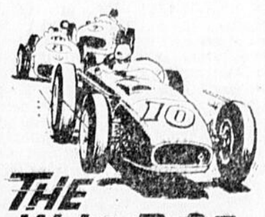

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BETTER SEED

REGINA (CP) — More Saskatchewan farmers are sowing better seed. The annual survey by the agriculture department shows 34 per cent of samples from 290 farms were poor enough to be rejected. This compares with the eight-year average of more than 42 per cent.

OWN VERSION

NIPIGON, Ont. (CP) Erwin Rajala, a local resident who believes Canada should have a distinctive flag, flies his own version from a 50-foot pole. The flag includes red and white triangles and a green maple leaf.

MILITARY WHIST
Thursday, February 2
8.15 p.m.
MASONIC HALL,
Huntingdon
Under the auspices of Pioneer Rebekah Lodge No. 1
ADMISSION: 50c
Door and Game Prizes

The Annual Meeting
of the
MUTUAL FIRE INS. COMPANY OF ORMSTOWN
will be held in the
TOWN HALL
Wednesday, Feb. 8
at 1.30 p.m.
RUSSELL KERR, President
A. A. McNEIL, Sec'y.-Treas.

Come Dancing
FRANKLIN INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL
Friday, February 3
from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m.
Music by:
Wilson's Westernaires
Sponsored by Franklin Young Peoples

MILITARY WHIST
Wednesday, February 8
8.15 p.m.
LEGION HALL,
Huntingdon
Sponsored by Ladies' Auxiliary Canadian Legion
ADMISSION 50c

— BINGO —
under the auspices of the
KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS
at their Hall, in Huntingdon
Sunday, February 5th
at 2 p.m.
10 GAMES FOR $1.00
Last Game Prize $25.00
Proceeds for Parochial and Charitable purposes

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to be held in the TOWN HALL,
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FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 10
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Sponsored by Huntingdon Rotary Club
TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 14, 1961
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Boy Scout Activities

The Chateauguay Valley District held a Troop Leaders Basic "A" Wood Badge Training session at the Canadian Arsenals Recreation Centre, Nitro, Que., on Saturday, January 28th.

This training session was under the guidance of Allan Locke and George Shearman of Pierrefonds and Montreal West, respectively members of the Provincial Wood Badge Training Team.

There were twenty-eight adult members of the Scouting family of this District in attendance, there were leaders from the following Troops: Beauharnois Boy Scouts and Sea Scouts, Chateauguay Boy Scouts and Sea Scouts, Frontier Troop Franklin Centre, Hemmingford, Huntingdon, Nitro and Valleyfield, also Group Committee members from Valleyfield and Franklin Centre.

The Chairman of the Nitro Group Committee Don Maclean gave an address of welcome to all in attendance. District Council Chairman Vic Welburn gave a short address thanking all who attended the course as training is of vital importance to all in the Scout Movement.

The District Commissioner Bill Sexton and his staff thank all Adult Leaders who attended this course.

The Nitro Ladies' Association and Girl Guides put on a marvelous spread for dinner, who were thanked by Rev. Barnes, A.S.M., of Frontier Troop on behalf of all present.

This was the first course of this type of training held in the Chateauguay Valley District within the last five years, and all who were in attendance agree that it was a day well spent, and gained more knowledge on Leadership, and hope to apply same in their own Troop meetings.

Lacolle Loses In Silver D Competition

Mrs. Gerald Roy, Chairman of Zone 3, for first stage playdown in Silver D. Competition, reports that 10 clubs participated, namely Huntingdon, Valleyfield, Ormstown, Howick, Lacolle, Bedford, Sutton, Sherbrooke, Lennoxville and Danville.

Each center played to a winner, Ormstown being the winner of centre 8, Lacolle won over Howick in centre 9, and also won their game with Ormstown.

Sutton defeated Bedford in centre 14 but lost to Danville centre 7. Sherbrooke defeated Lennoxville centre 6 then won their game with Danville. Lacolle and Sherbrooke met at St. Lambert on January 4th and Sherbrooke won.

Mrs. B. Holtham skip of the Sherbrooke rink with Mrs. McPherson. Mrs. LaFlamme and Mrs. Smith represents our zone in Montreal on February 12 and 13th for the Silver D. Championship.

We all wish Mrs. Holtham and her rink the best of luck and hope they are as successful as our Lacolle Champions of last year.

Raymond Campus Again Arrested On Bad Cheque Charge

A short time ago a young man was arrested in Huntingdon, for passing bad cheques and ordering goods on a bogus account. He was also found in possession of a sawed-off shotgun. He was sentenced to time done in jail at Valleyfield for this offence. During the meantime, this man, Raymond Campus, has been back in the business in the Montreal area and through Det.-Sgt. F. Wilmot, who was asked to make enquiries in the case, campus was arrested on January 18th, and pleaded guilty in Montreal. He was sentenced to two years imprisonment. He had tried to pass some cheques through a local bank and that was how he was recognized.

If You Hit And Run

What happens if you hit and run? The real-life confession of a car driver who did provides one frightening answer, as reported in the February Reader's Digest.

The incident took place at twilight, a time that can make driving conditions bad and distances hard to judge. The central figure in the story, happily married and a successful business man, accidentally hit a ten-year-old boy on a bicycle. Convinced that he had killed the child, he drove away from the scene in absolute panic, in the hope that salvation lay in concealing his part in the accident.

A radio broadcast revealed that the child actually survived the accident, but was nearly run over again while waving and crying for help. His condition was serious and the police were seaching for the hit-and-run driver.

The man eventually gave himself up to the police—and to a nightmare. He was sent to prison for a year and was sued by the child's parents. His wife had to sell his business and their home to meet the amount awarded. His son could not continue his education. His marriage eventually broke up.

The true tragedy was bared when he asked a policeman what would have happened if he had stopped at the scene of the mishap. "Why, nothing," he answered. "It was an accident. It was as much the kid's fault as yours."

QUEBEC LEADS IN HYDRO

The province of Quebec is now the largest producer of hydro-electric power of all the provinces. According to the Book of Knowledge it has about one-half the installed capacity of the whole country.

Successful Dance In Aid Of Dixville Home

The Dewittville W.I. held a very successful dance on January 27th in O'Connor Hall in aid of the Dixville Home for retarded children. Mrs. Cameron Bryson acted as Mistress of Ceremonies and to honor "Robbie Burns" birthday, sang a number of Scotch songs. Mr. Mac Ruddock was also called upon to speak in his jovial manner as a true Scotchman and rendered a few numbers.

A number of novelty dances were held and prizes were as follows:

Spot dances — Olivette Quesnel and Alcide Leblanc, Mr. and Mrs. Cameron Stewart.

Lucky Chair — Lawrence Prevost.

Chinese Auction — Ross Brown (purse); Andred Poirier (3 lb. box chocolates); John Kilgour (Pillow cases); Andred Poirier (scarf); Ellen McKellar (slip).

Auction—Norris Herdman (live duck).

The members of the Dewittville W.I. wish to express their sincere thanks to those who donated gifts and money, to W.I. groups, etc., and special thanks to Mrs. Mae L' O'Connor for donating the use of the hall and to the public for making it a success in supporting this worthwhile cause.

Teatime Topics

Manufacturers of furniture say that furniture should be closely examined before it is purchased.

"Don't be afraid to examine it, pat it, move it about and sit in it," advises the Canadian Furniture Manufacturers' Association.

Things to look at include the underside of chairs, backs of dressers, how legs are joined and if arms wobble under pressure.

If buying upholstered furniture just don't stand there and look.

"Take off your coat and sit down. Make yourself comfortable. Squirm around, cross your legs, take up a reading position. After all your considerations of price and value, there's one most important factor that governs choice—comfort," say the manufacturers.

Although sofas carrying varying price tags may look alike, they have differences. The higher priced sofa has more detailing on the back, tailoring is neater and there is extra welting on the arms and front.

Fabric accounts for the major price difference. A large sofa with four loose back and seat cushions may need as much as 10 yards more than a three-seater without loose cushions.

The upholstery fabric can account for as much as $150 difference in price. A suite with a basic fabric grade might cost $200 but the same suite with a top-grade fabric might cost $350.

When you pay more for a sofa group or bedroom suite you get sounder contruction, better materials, attention to details of joins and seams and a choice of more authentic design treatment, say the manufacturers.

Serve Hot or Cold

Dishes that can be prepared in advance are certainly helpful for the few hectic weeks before Christmas. Here's ham loaf that can be made in the morning, leaving the afternoon free for shopping or addressing cards. It can be served either hot or cold.

Hearty ham loaf: 1½ pounds ready-to-eat boneless minced ham; ¾ lb. fresh ground pork; 3 eggs beaten; ½ tin cream of celery soup right from the tin, ½ tsp. each of sage and dry mustard; 1 cup bread crumbs.

Mix all the ingredients and pat into a two-quart buttered loaf pan. Bake at 350 degrees for 90 minutes. Slice and serve hot or cold with sliced pumpernickel or French stick.

Food and Color

Think food coloring is a modern invention? It's not. Food coloring dates back to about 1860 when an Englishman grew bored with the whey-colored cheese he made. He began adding anatoo, a dye made from the seeds of a small South American tree to produce a yellow-orange color.

Anatto is still used to color our butter, but yellow butter has been produced for centuries. City dwellers preferred the yellow butter because it appeared richer than the lard-color butter they had used.

Because the natural coloring is frequently destroyed during modern processing, edible food colorants are added to some foods.

One British firm sells food colorants to 68 countries including Canada.

Sterilizing Soil

Those pots in the oven may not contain food. Soil for house plants can be sterilized quite easily in the kitchen by placing a pan of moist soil in a 200-degree oven for at least half an hour.

If you prefer to do your work outdoors, place six inches of soil on a metal sheet. Heat over a fire, stirring frequently so that the bottom layer won't burn.

A third method suggested by horticulturalist H. Bailey of Ontario's agriculture department is known as the hot water method. Pour enough boiling water through the soil to heat it to 170 to 200 degrees. Drain to the right moisture content before using. If the soil just holds together when you squeeze it, you have the right moisture content for potting. The sterilization provides protection for plants against many diseases.

A good soil mixture can be made by mixing seven parts compost or good garden soil, two parts organic matter (well-rotted leafmold or peat), one part well-rotted manure and two parts building sand. The experts advise adding about half a four-inch pot of superphosphate to every bushel that you prepare. If the soil is low in fertility, add one-quarter of a four-inch pot of complete fertilizer and the same amount of superphosphate for each bushel. Mix well.

Teaching Manners

One group of delegates at the Canadian Conference on Children at Ste. Adele, Que., decided schools have been forced into taking more than their share of responsibility. An example, they said, was the school teaching manners to children who should have learned them at home.

Study groups concluded that the best place for children was in their own home even if the home was not equipped with the appliances which have become status symbols. Warmth and affection were the requisites of a home, they said.

HUNTINGDON BRIEFS

The Mardi Gras Dance being sponsored by Huntingdon Rotarians on February 14 in the Gai Lounge of Chateau Huntingdon promises to be one of the social highlights of the season. Tickets are being sold by the Rotarians and to date the response to the advance sale has been excellent.

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Several thousand dollars worth of merchandise stolen from a St. Chrysostome store the past summer recently turned up in Toronto with the result that at least one person has been arrested. On Wednesday of the past week B. L. McGerrigle of Ormstown discovered his store on Lambton St. had been broken into merchandise valued well up in the four figures was stolen. Let's hope the Ormstown loot is recovered soon and that police don't have to go as far as the Queen City to find it.

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Mr. D. C. Rivett spent the past week working with Messrs. Morrison and Remillard at the Canadian Bank of Commerce on an annual inspection visit. Mr. Rivett will be remembered by many as a former accountant at this Huntingdon bank.

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Hockey fans and friends of Russell Moore of Dewittville will be pleased to know he is recovering satisfactorily from an operation performed on January 25th at the Montreal General Hospital. Russell complained of shortness of breath in November and after being examined in Huntingdon by Dr. McCrimmin, was sent to the General for further tests. Last Wednesday he spent 6½ hours on the operating table in the care of Doctors Reid and Scott, the former being well known in Huntingdon and a cousin of Mr. Chas. Reid. Some years ago Russell's brother Freddy underwent heart surgery also performed by Dr. Reid. Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Moore visited their son on Sunday and report that although he is suffering considerable pain, he is cheerful and on the road to recovery. He is in Room 1513, 15th floor, Montreal General Hospital.

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Hit and Run

Ken ("Shell") Ferns was the unfortunate victim of a hit-and-run accident in Huntingdon late Monday afternoon. Mr. Ferns had completed a business transaction at the Laberge & Lalonde store, Chateaguay St., and as he left the building and stepped onto the sidewalk he caught a glimpse of a brown flash bearing down on him (eyewitnesses estimate the speed at between 45 and 50 m.p.h.) and the next instant he was hurtled into the air. Mr. Ferns landed on the pavement and suffered a rather painful injury to his shoulder and other bruises. As yet the second party involved had not been identified. The latter is described by Ken Ferns (modified version) as a big brown police dog tearing along like heck on the sidewalk after a car that was speeding up the street. Ken's friends are still laughing about the "hit and run in Huntingdon" but they are willing to lay odds that the dog has more bruises than Ken has. Those who saw the collision say the dog flew up higher in the air than Ken and gave a louder yelp of surprise.

Ladies' Auxiliary ....

(Continued from page 1)

during the year and to all those who helped make the past year such a success.

Mrs. Mae O'Connor addressed the group signifying that after hearing the annual reports of the various committees there was no doubt that Mrs. L. Galipeau had led a very successful Auxiliary year.

At this juncture Mrs. Francois Cleyn presented for the nominating committee the new slate of officers for 1961. Mr. Gilbert Macmillan read the slate to the gathering and on motion were adopted as read. The following is the new slate for 1961: President, Mrs. F. Gordon McCrimmon; 1st. Vice-President, Mrs. Anthony M. Guerin; 2nd. Vice-President, Mrs. Kay Williams; Secretary, Mrs. Nelson White; Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. Douglas Burns.

Mr. Macmillan spoke a few words of appreciation on behalf of the Board of Governors for the excellent work done by the Auxiliary and the togetherness of such a large group of all denominations and from different parts of the district. It is a very well organized and a very necessary group.

The new president, Mrs. F. Gordon McCrimmon, took the chair and after a few words announcing that the Annual Spring Convention will be held at the Queen Elizabeth Hotel, Montreal on April 19 to 21st. incl., the meeting was brought to a close.

The following is the financial report read by Mrs. George Lefebvre for Mrs. Norbert Bourgon who is on holiday at the present time:

Financial Statement March 14/60 to Jan. 17/61

RECEIPTS

Bal. on hand March 14/60	$916.25
Life & Annual Memberships and donations	771.10
Other donations	68.00
Shoppe on Wheels	130.00
Refunds and credit	83.7.
Interest	22.74
June Tea, Drawing, Art Exhibit	293.75
Booths at Fair and Tagging	772.13
Sale of sewing cabinet	30.00
Dec. Tea and Food Sale	137.92
Total	$3,225.60
Bank balance	478.99
less o/c	60.17
Total on hand Jan. 17/61	418.82

EXPENDITURES

Transportation Re: Furn	$19.90
Booth's Florist	17.34
Webber's (Silver Cup)	8.50
Postage	60.28
Gleaner	116.70
Simmons Ltd	342.00
Ass. of Hosp. Auxiliaries	28.63
Grant's Bakeries	4.22
Singer Sewing Machine	161.14
Greenshield	79.98
Linen Hamper	73.95
Cassidy's	84.39
Doll to raffle	25.00
Washing of Hall floor	6.00
Legion	3.50
Patient Walker	114.10
Folding doors, Benches, etc. for porch	257.64
Dishes for nurse's res.	24.77
Rent of Booth and Masonic Hall	25.00
Ice Cream at Fair	42.55
Christmas Gifts for patients and staff	50.00
Ballons and decorations	10.96
Dressers	239.00
Cassidy's Dishes	210.70
Greenshield	70.20
Patient Lifter & Roller	311.00
Furniture for nurse's res.	334.00
Mirrors	6.95
Silver Cups	7.14
Shelf for nurse's res.	22.02
Rug for nurse's res.	45.60
Exchange on Am. Fund & Phone calls	3.62
Total	2,806.78
Balance on hand	418.82
	$3,225.60

Africa's No. 1 Problem

Leaders of the new Africa, anxious to modernize their countries, find that their No. 1 problem is the past in the form of the existing tribal system. Citizens of these countries (16 joined the United Nations in 1960 do not think of themselves as Congolese, Nigerians or Tanganyikans, states an article in the Reader's Digest; they think of themselves as members of tribes Baluba, Lunda, Yorubas, etc.

The inexperienced, groping, understaffed new independent governments are faced with the difficulties of combining a democratic system with a tribal setup. It is all too easy for the old warfare of spear and assagai to get translated into a warfare of votes and parties, and if political parties base themselves on tribes, sooner or later civil war becomes likely or even inevitable.

Yet the tribal system constitutes the perfect welfare state and has always provided social stability for its members. All tribesmen are given shelter, food and comfort whenever needed; broken marriages and crimes are rare. Elders fear modern influence on their tribal stability and resent the prospect of a change in their way of life.

Nationalist leaders are full of hope and optimism for a brave new Africa with schools and hospitals, roads and hydro schemes. But if even a part of their schemes are to materialize they will have to convince the ordinary tribesman that he will have to work a lot harder than in the days of colonialism. He will have to pay more taxes, not less, if he wants all the schools and hospitals he has been promised, and it is not going to be easy to sell this to primitive people who have looked upon the coming of independence as the answer to all their problems.

"Miss Canadian Textiles" To Be Chosen Next Week

Textile Queens representing dozens of communities in eastern Canada will be in Montreal next week competing for the title of "Miss Canadian Textiles." The lucky miss will be crowned during the eve of the three-day Canadian Textile Conference which opens at the Queen Elizabeth Hotel, February 7.

Besides reigning over numerous conference events, this "Queen of Queens" will be presented with a complete wardrobe of the latest Canadian fashions' in addition to a wide variety of textile products.

Chosen from hundreds of contestants during regional "Textile Weeks" and other pre-Conference activities at centres in Ontario, Quebec, and the Maritime Provinces, the grand finalists were selected for their appearance, intelligence, and personality. All share a keen interest in fashion, while some have modelled, designed and even made their own clothes.

After competing in town, area and regional finals, the contestants vieing for the "Miss Canadian Textitles" title are: Idola Simard, "Miss Magog"; Bernice Barrington, "Miss Huntingdon"; Micheline Boudreau, "Miss Granby"; and Karin Schneider, "Miss Galt".

Judging the contest will be: Gerald Fitzgerald, "Fitz" of the Montreal Gazette; Suzanne Piuze, fashion editor, Le Petit Journal, and Christine Donaghy, "Pajama Pattie" of CFCF-TV.

Miss Simard, 22, of Magog, competed with "Miss Sherbrooke", "Miss Coaticooke" and other contestants in a regional semi-finals recently, to win the right to represent the Sherbrooke area of Quebec's Eastern Townships. Born and educated in Magog, she is employed as an airline stewardess.

Miss Barrington, 22, who represents the Huntingdon area, is an office worker. Born and educated in Ormstown, Que., she is active in community sports and a former majorette of the town band.

Miss Bourdeau, 22, is a production worker in a Granby Textile plant. She is also a sport enthusiast and an award-winning dancer.

Miss Schneider, 18, representing textile communities in western Ontario, is Rumanian born, and came to Preston, Ont., at the age of six. She models and sells hats in a Galt millinery store and was a contestant in the "Miss Canada" contest.

The Canadian Textile Conference, February 7-8-9 is expected to attract more than 1,500 representatives from all sections of the Canadian textile industry. International experts on all phases of industry business, representing France, England, Australia, the United States, and Canada, will be in Montreal for this event.

Meeting Proposes Caisse Populaire in Huntingdon

About 30 Huntingdon businessmen met at St. Joseph's Parochial Hall on Tuesday from 8 to 10.30 p.m. to discuss the possibilities of opening a branch of the Caisse Populaire in Huntingdon. Leon Beaudin, local agronomist, acted as chairman. Mr. Primeau, manager of the Caisse Populaire at Ste. Martine, was in attendance and he explained the banking and insurance methods of business carried out in Caisse Populaire branches. The latter was accompanied by Father Dulude of Ste. Martine.

The first Caisse Populaire was at Levis and was founded in 1900 by a Commodore Desjardin who had $26. with which to start his banking business. Since then more than 120 branches have been formed in Quebec province.

The proposal at present is to rent a building in Huntingdon. Mr. Gerald Dumouchel, manager of Huntingdon Theatre and until recently manager of the Quebec Liquor retail store here, has been asked to be manager of the Caisse Populaire but as yet has not given an official reply. Shares in the proposed Huntingdon branch would be offered to the public for five dollars each.

Among the 30 interested people attending the meeting were Guy Lefebvre, Notary Claude Pilon, Mr. Simoneau of Bijouterie Luxor, Mr. L'Ecuyer of Fortune Drug Store Reg'd., Raoul David, Earl Fournier, Rodolphe Billette, Mr. Proulx of Notre-Dame School, Jean Brunet, Yvon and Denis Frederick, Roch Dumouchel, Leon Beaudin and G. Dumouchel. Representatives from the Bank of Montreal and the Canadian Bank of Commerce were also in attendance.

Huntingdon Red Cross Reports Good Year At Annual Meeting

The annual meeting of the Huntingdon Branch of the Canadian Red Cross Society was held on Friday evening, January 27th, at the County Building, with the President, Mr. L. M. Kelly, in the chair.

Reports of the various committees were given. The Blood Donor Clinic was very good. Mrs. R. W. Rowat will be in charge this year and the date of the next clinic will be announced later. Nursing and First Aid had a very successful class with twenty-two graduates.

Disaster and Relief Committee had a very busy year. Several families in this district who had lost everything in fires, were supplied with clothing, blankets, etc.

The poor report was on the Work Committee. It has been almost impossible to get sewers and knitters and there in an urgent need for such. There is much work to do in these lines and supplies will be furnished to any women who will volunteer their services for sewing and knitting. This can be done in their homes, if only the women wishing to do same will signify such intention. If there are any women who would care to do this needed work, would they contact the secretary, Mrs. Louis Roy. Mrs. Roy would then make the necessary arrangements.

Mr. L. M. Kelly was appointed the official delegate to the annual meeting of the Society to be held in Montreal.

The financial campaign for 1960 was excellent with $2,765.62 being collected.

The officers elected were: L. M. Kelly, President; Donald Fraser, 1st. Vice-President; Lyle Graham, 2nd. Vice-President and Mrs. L. Roy, Secretary-Treasurer.

Interest In India Aroused By The Gratton's Visit To Huntingdon

Keen interest was shown by St. Johns' Congregation in the visit of the Rev. Peter D. Gratton of Srinagar, Kashmir, India.

A well filled church heard the story of the Anglican Church in the Kashmir Valley in North India, next door to Russian Turkistan.

Local interest was created because Dr. Minnie Gomery, daughter of the Rev. Henry Gomery, one time Rector of Huntingdon, had spent 50 years of her life doing Medical and Christian work at Anantnag, about 35 miles from Srinagar. Mrs. McGee, a niece of Dr. Minnie Gomery and granddaughter of the Rev. Henry Gomery, came to Huntingdon for the occasion, being the guest of Mrs. Gerry Lalonde, a friend and college mate.

Tape Recording Made

At the morning service, Mr. E. E. Brown made a tape recording of Mr. Gratton's address, including the Rectors' Introduction, organ music and the last hymn. So the information given by Mr. Gratton is still available.

Pictures of the life and people of India prove most fascinating.

About 50 from St. John's Huntingdon, and from St. James' church Ormstown, keenly enjoyed the afternoon meeting in St. John's Hall at 3.30 p.m.

The coloured scenes of Kashmir Valley were breath taking and the photo studies of the Muslims, Hindus and Christians were fascinating.

Mrs. Gratton is to be highly congratulated on her splendid photography.

One of the pressing needs in the Kashmir Valley is to develop the woollen industry. Leadership in this work and in the developing of co-operatives is eagerly sought.

It is hoped Mrs. Gratton will be able to show the pictures again in the district.

Mr. Gratton is already being asked to address another gathering here.

The Enthronement And Reception For The Archbishop Of Montreal

The Rev. P. R. Stote, Mr. Michael Tinker of Huntingdon and Mr. Leigh Coffin of Ormstown attended the very colourful Service of Enthronement of His Grace, the Lord Archbishop Dixon of Montreal, as Metropolitan of the Ecclesiastical Province of Canada, which includes the Dioceses of Montreal, Quebec and Newfoundland, Nova Scotia and Fredericton.

The Rev. Dr. Eric Jay, one time chaplain to the Archbishop of Canterbury and now Principal of the Montreal Diocesan Theological College preached the sermon, outlining the history and duties of the Archbishop and Metropolitan.

One of the most interesting events in connection with the enthronement was the Reception in Fulford Hall at Anglican House, which gave those attending the chance to chat with friends and to meet the six Bishops, the three Archdeacons of the Diocese, the Venerable Archdeacon Naylor, of Montreal, the Venerable F. Morris of Clarendon and St. Andrew's and the Venerable I. M. Lidstone of the Archdeaconry of Bedford.

Quick Canadian Facts

1. Who was the first white man to go overland to Canada's Pacific coast?
2. Golf was first played where in Canada?
3. Since World War Two has Canada's foreign aid totalled $1.5 billion,, $2.7 billion, or $4.5 billion?
4. The average factory wage in Canada in 1944 was 71 cents an hour. What was the 1959 average?
5. In 1959 U.S. exports to Canada has a value of $3.8 billion. What was the value of Canadian exports to the U.S.?

ANSWERS: 5. $3.1 billion. 3. It has exceeded $4.5 billion. 1. Alexander Mackenzie, in 1793. 4. The 1959 average wage was $1.73 an hour. 2. In Montreal in 1873; the Royal Montreal Golf Club is North America's oldest.

(Material prepared by the editors of Quick Canadian Facts, the pocket annual of facts about Canada.)

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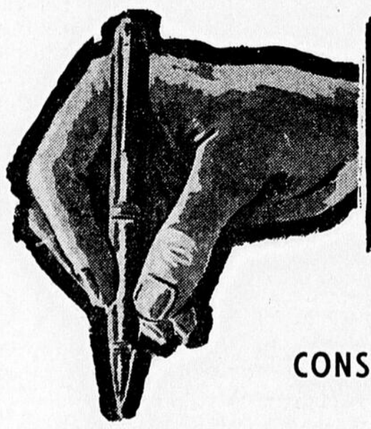

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Ladies Broom Ball??

Are you interested Ladies? It's wonderful exercise as well as being a lot of fun. It has been suggested this might be arranged for a Saturday afternoon if enough are interested. If you are call Shirley Robbie at OXford 2-9147.

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Maple Home & School

Don't forget the Home & School Meeting on Wednesday February 8th, at 8 p.m., at Maple School. This meeting will take the form of a parent-teacher night.

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Christian Youth Week

The Sunday morning service of Maplewood Presbyterian Church at Maple School was in charge of Mr. R. A. Griffiths and his Church School and was a fine example of what Youth can do in the Church. Lorna Lord, Allison Bertwhistle, George Neal and Bob Kerr took part in the ser- B. Wakefield who told the chil- B. Kakefield who told the children's Story and Mr. G. McKee who spoke on "The Church's Challenge to Christian Youth."

The ushers were: Brian Storey, Donald Tattrie, Gary Tattrie, Bob Brown, Bradley Tucker and James Harvey.

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Baby Shower

Mrs. Jane Jackson of Lockhart St. was the guest of honour at a surprise shower at the home of Mrs. Bishop on Colville St. Jane was taken much by surprise when she arrived at Mrs. Bishop's home to find a dozen of her friends from the Canasta Club there to greet her.

Jane was the recipient of many lovely gifts, including an Electric Sterilizer, from her friends.

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Birthdays

Happy Birthday to Michael Barry of Cardinal St. who was six years old on Saturday. Michael had his friends in to help him celebrate.

Happy Birthday to Gregory Tucker of Cardinal St., who will be six years old on Thursday, Feb. 2nd.

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C.P.O.A. Bowling League

Womens Bowling Team Standings as of Jan. 25th.

Choppers	42
Shamrocks	39
Rockets	38
Sputnicks	37
Clovers	34
Aces	26

High Single for the week Kay Malizia 160

High Triple for the week Kay Malizia 441

Men's Bowling Standings as of Jan. 30th.

Jets	73
Skid Kids	66
Vampires	58
Hot Dogs	55
Turkeys	54
Duffers	30

Schedule for February 6th.

Alleys 7 & 8, Turkeys — Duffers

Alleys 9 & 19, Hot Dog — Skid Kids.

Alleys 11 & 12, Vampires — Jets.

PRUDENTIAL PREVIEWS

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Billy Taylor

Route Boy:
Lindsay Powell

Twins Baptized

For the first time in his career Rev. John Buck of St. George's Anglican Church baptized twins. They were the daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Suttner. The ceremony took place on the 29th at the beginning of the morning service. The girls were given the names Mary Carroll and Florence Catherine.

Godparents are Mrs. Fischer, Dawson Creek, B.C., and Mrs. Johnston, Chateauguay; Mr. F. Vower, Chateauguay; Miss Bulcroft, Montreal, and Mrs. Jeffrey, Winnipeg, Manitoba.

After the service a small reception was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Suttner.

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The Mothers March on Polio will be held on Wednesday, Feb. 1st .Turn on your porch light as an indication you wish to contribute.

The Home and School Association of Maple School will be holding games at Vetville Hall on Feb. 13th.

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There will be a general meeting of the town council of Chateauguay Center at 8 p.m. on Feb. 6th at Ecole Modele.

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Mrs. Paas formerly of Prudential, has returned from the frozen Northlands, temporarily, and will be visiting friends and relatives in and around Prudential during her stay.

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Some young ladies are interested in joining a car pool for transportation into Montreal. Their phone number is OX. 2-9923.

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Bowling News

High triple, season. — L. Morrow, 491, women; B. Soles and J. Williamson, 541, men.

High single, season. — M. Petrilli and L. Morrow, 184, women; Joe Petrilli, 236, men.

High triple, weekly. — E. Lepoidevin, 416, women; F. Waugh, 466, men.

High single, weekly. — M. Petrilli, 171, women; Joe Petrilli, 191, men.

Prize winners. — E. Lapoidevin, 416, women; S. Salvatore, 434, men.

High single, M. Petrilli, 171, women; F. Smith 178, men.

High average. — L. Morrow, 108, women; J. Williamson, 137, men.

Teams	W.	L.	Pts.
Bears	32	25	76
Lions	33	24	75
Beavers	30	27	70
Tigers	29	28	68
Rams	25	32	59
Buffaloes	22	35	51

Ready To Take Ship To Port If Assured No Action Taken

When a group of Portuguese rebelling against the dictatorial rule of Premier Antonio de Oliveira Salazar decided to draw attention to their plight they hatched a plot that caught the imagination of the world.

With machine-guns and other weapons packed in their luggage, they board the luxury liner Santa Maria at Curacao, Venezuela, and set of on a Carabbean cruise. Once at sea, they stormed the bridge, killing an officer, and took command of the ship.

Led by Capt. Henrique Galvao, the rebels offered a challenge to "all the fleets of the world" and followed a zig-zag course that for a time baffled search planes and ships.

They had put ashore the body of the officer and some injured crew members and messaged that all 650 passengers were safe.

In Portugal, the government described the Galvao group as "just outlaws."

Said Galvao in a message, "We consider the ship the first liberated piece of Portuguese territory. We will never surrender or stop in the face of all the fleets of the world."

Ready to Negotiate

But by week's end, Galvao had told U.S. navy officials he was ready to bring the Santa Maria into "any selected Brazilian port" to land the passengers. In return the U.S. gave assurances it would take no action against the Santa Maria if Galvao carried out his agreement to release the passengers — including 42 Americans.

Portugal, Britain's oldest ally and partner in the North Atlantic alliance, has been ruled for the last 32 years by Salazar. But Umberto Delgado, the opposition leader who fled after polling a surprising 25 per cent of the vote when he contested the 1958 election again a Salazar appointee, has taken responsibility for the ship seizure and called for support from Western democracies.

The difficulty is that the firmness of Salazar's grip on Portugal makes it difficult for popular feeling to find any reflection in diplomatic conduct. There simply is no rival regime for diplomats to recognize in preference to his.

Airmen Released

President Kennedy had a dramatic opener for his first press conference since taking office. He announced Russia was releasing two U.S. flyers shot down last July, 1. Others aboard the plane died in the crash.

The president indicated the move to free them was made by the Russians without asking any concessions on the part of the U.S.

The airmen — Capts. Freeman Olmstead and John McKone — were delayed by bad weather at Goose Bay, Labrador, but finally arrived in Washington to be greeted by President Kennedy and their wives.

Tiger Shoot

In India, visitor Queen Elizabeth watched her husband drop "a very sturdy" tiger with his first shot at a royal hunt arranged near Jaipur.

Before the body was cold, animal lovers in Britain and some newspapers rapped the couple for the incident.

In reply, The India Express said those who criticized the Queen and Prince Philip don't know much about tigers — or Indians, either.

Indians, the paper said, regard hunting tigers "as a sport and often a necessity" and Britons who believe it is slaughter of dumb animals " are wholly out of touch with general Indian opinion."

Higher Qualifications

The woman who guides Canada's immigration policy says the simple qualifications of good intelligence are no longer enough for immigration to this country.

Immigration Minister Ellen Fairclough, in a speech at Guelph, Ont., said that technical skills had become a necessity for any immigrant who hoped to find a place in Canada's present industrial economy.

It was in the light of this necessity and the "hard core" of unemployment among unskilled workers that the government had taken steps to expand technical and vocational training facilities.

Fifty years ago Canada needed farmers and bush workers. But now she needs technicians.

"We are doing a great disservice to the immigrant and to our own community when we bring to this country people who lack any kind of craft, skill profession."

More Stormy Weather

Bitter cold and some more snow was the rule for Canada and the northern United States east of the Rocky Mountains, hampering efforts to dig out from under the blizzard that had walloped the eastern seaboard the week before.

In Prince Edward Island, an anxious night of waiting ended for parents when a school bus, with 19 students and a driver aboard, was found. All were unhurt but mighty hungry when found. The bus had stopped in heavy drifts near Souris.

On Canada's prairies temperatures plunged to 30 below zero and cases of frostbite were common. Sharp winds made the cold even worse.

Enters Convent

Yvonne Dionne, 26, a member of the world-famous quintuplets, entered a convent at Baie St. Paul., to become a postulant of The Little Franciscan Sisters.

Died

EVANS. — Suddenly, at Toronto, Ont., on January 25, 1961, Mr. A. C. Evans of Vetville, Chateauguay, father of Eric Evans of Chateauguay Park. Interment in Verdun, January 28.

MARCHAND — At Chateauguay Centre, January 29th, 1961, aged 87 years, Maria Brunet widow of the late Dr. Zotique Marchand. Interment Parish Cemetery.

McMAHON, — At Verdun, on January 26th, 1961, aged 73 years, Ida Lemieux, beloved wife of the late Michael McMahon of 3214 Verdun Ave., Interment Chateauguay Cemetery.

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Another cold week is over. Let's hope it is near the end of this cold spell for awhile. Please call me if you have any news. Something must be happening even in this cold weather. So let me hear from you soon: OX. 2-6634.

We would like to welcome all newcomers to our midst.

Vi and Pete Bedard entertained Pete's sister and brother-in-law from Casselman, Ontario, for the week-end it was nice to have them bowl with us on Friday night. We hope they enjoyed themselves and come again.

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Bowling

Odd Balls	65
Red Caps	64
Cupids	62
Chatters	49
Molsons	33
Odd Balls	21

Week's high. — L. Single, H. Gilbert, 122; L. High Triple, P. Mizener, 312; M. Single, B. Mulvaney, 143; M. High Triple, D. Mizener, 406.

Season's high. — Lad. single, C. McInnes, 175; Lad. triple, P. Mizener, 382. Men's single, Reg. Minson 202; men's triple, Stan Cahill, 465.

We are very proud to announce Mary Faulds won the Dow Award this week with a high single of 162. Congratulations Mary, nice work. Let's keep it in the Terrace League for a while yet.

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Mrs. Grant has asked me to remind the ladies of St. Andrew's Women Aux., Group 5, there will be a meeting in the Church parlor on Feb. 6, 8:15 P.M.

There also will be a Coffee Party in the Memorial Hall at St. Andrew's Church on Thursday, February 9, at 10:00 a.m. Everyone is welcome, so come out and meet new friends. Anyone wanting transportation phone OX 2-3174 and arrangements can be made.

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Gardenia and Market St. played broomball on Sunday afternoon with Gardenia winning 8 to 4.They are still interested in playing any teams in the projects call Stan Cahil, OX. 2-2147.

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The Terrace men are trying to form a club to meet and get together once in a while. They are trying to find out what the people in the project are most interested in doing so they will be holding a meeting in the near future for ladies as well. So watch this column for further news.

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Please don't forget to leave your porch light on Feb. 1st, for the Mothers' March on Polio.

The Maple Home and School are going to run a military whist on the second Wednesday in March. So keep this date open. It will be to raise money to help get some of the things we need to further the education of our children which will be decided at our next meeting.

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Mrs. Mumford had her daughter Joyce and son Wee Willie, home for a week with her, from Cornwall, Ontario. They left on Sunday.

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The following is a list of names of those who volunteered to act as Class Mothers for Maple School: Grade 1, Mrs. Young and Mrs. Walker.

Gr. 1 B: Mrs. Bates and Mrs. Millett.

Gr. 2: Mrs. Hutton and Mrs. Babbitt.

Gr. 3: Mrs. Black, Mrs. Mumford.

Grade 3: Mrs. King and Mrs. Ritchie.

Gr. 4: Mrs. Harvey, Mrs. Staplay.

Gr. 4: Mrs. Bullivant.

Gr. 5: Mrs. Cahill and Mrs. Mizener.

Gr. 7: Mrs. Cooper.

Gr. 8: Mrs. Neal.

Gr. 8B: Mrs. Tester.

Gr. 8: Mrs. Bickerstaff and Mrs. Lalonde.

The classes that are missing have as yet no Class Mother. It is hoped to fill the vacancies at the next general meeting.

CALENDAR CONFUSION

The arrival of a New Year calls to mind the discussion in the Book of Knowledge of the various calendars which have been in use throughout the world. Neither the Roman calendar nor its successor, the Julian calendar, coincided with a true year. As time went on confusion resulted. It was not removed until Pope Gregory introduced his calendar in 1582 and established the year at 365 days 5 hours 49 minutes 12 seconds. However, England did not adopt this calendar until 1752 and when it came into force eleven days had to be dropped to make it work.

HEART OF MOSLEM

Mecca is known the world over as the centre of the Moslem religion and the birthplace of its founder, Mohammed. The Book of Knowledge describes it as one of the capitals of Saudi Arabia, an ancient city which has seen little outward change since its foundation.

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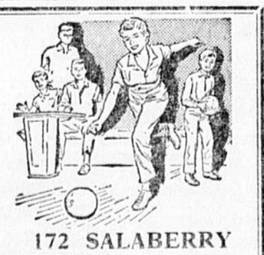

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Chateauguay Sea Scout and Cub News

(By Brian Walsh)

General Scout News:

There has been some misunderstanding regarding the correct names of the various Scout and Cub Units in Chateauguay. To clear this matter up, you must understand that all scouting in Chateauguay is under ONE Group Committee. The Cub Packs should be known as follows: 1st Chateauguay Beaver Pack, 1st Chateauguay Cheetah Pack, 1st Chateauguay Panther Pack and 1st Chateauguay Eagle Pack. The Scout Troops should be known as follows: 1st Chateauguay (unnamed) Troop, (Sea Scouts), 1st Chateauguay "Gordon Troop ,Sea Scouts), and 1st Maple Troop (Scouts)ê As you will note by the above, the original Sea Scout troop formed in Chateauguay as not been named, but will be on Friday, Feb. 3rd. The two Sea Scout troops are going to make a troop pennant or flag. Paper forms were handed out to the Scouts for the Father and Son Banquet to be held on February 24th.

Sea Scout (unnamed) Troop — Skipper E. H. Reilly — The Sea Gull Crew has picked Rickey Stanford for Quarter Master of their Patrol Box. The Loon Crew has also picked a boy for their Patrol Box and he is Robert Sproston.

The Campsite picked by the boys on Mr. Reg. Holmes' property is being worked on. The scouts have already cut and cleared an area and put up a front gate.

Gordon Troop — Temporary Skipper, Mr. Wm. Yarnell — on Thursday last, January 26th, the scouts spent the whole session on tenderfoot work. A few of the scouts will be invested next week. On Sunday afternoon, January 29th, the Skipper, Wm. Yarnell, accompanied by four scouts, Patrol Leader Frank Elin, Terry Dunn, Scout Grohe and Brian Walsh hiked to Mr. Reg. Holmes' farm, mentioned above, to see if a suitable campsite could be located for Gordon Troop.

Beaver Cub Pack Akela — Jack Jupp.

George Vonbeckman received his homecraft and swimmer's badges. David Lepine received his collector's badge. Wayne Davidson received his house orderly badge.

Cheetah Cub Pack — Tom Stockdale.

Steve Harvey of the Heights, aged 10, of the White Den, has passed his first star. Michael Gruszazynski of Prudential, aged 10, of the Yellow Den, also received his 1st star. Russell Hynes, Chateauguay Gardens, of the Yellow Den was invested into the Cubs on Friday, January 27th. The cubs were handed forms which are to be filled out by their parents for the coming Father and Son Banquet.

Group Committee Progress — Chairman, Dick Pratten.

This is to remind those interested that Scout Week will be held from the 19th to the 26th of February. During this week the Father and Son Banquets will be held. Yes, I said Banquets. This year there will be two, one for the two Sea Scout Troops and Beaver and Cheetah Cub Packs at St. Andrew's Memorial Hall, the Basin and the other for the Maple Scout Troop and the two Cub Packs of that district at St. George's Hall, both on February 24th.

Lord Baden-Powell of Gilwell founded Scouts, Cubs, Girl Guides, Brownies and other organizations. His birthdate is on February 22nd. during Scout Week.

The boys will be paying the two dollar fee for swimming next Thursday.

Chateauguay

Legionnaires Defeat Parkview

First to take up the Legion challenge for broomball competition was a team from Parkview. The game was played on Sunday and the Legionnaires won with a score of 2-1. Both goals were scored by Hans Vandervoude, "the flying Dutchman". Eager for further play the boys are now awaiting more calls in answer to their challenge.

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News Round-Up

Sympathy is extended to Mr. Harry Williams of the Heights on the death of his father which occurred on Monday.

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Get well wishes to Mrs. Tony Reid, also of the Heights, who has just returned home from the hospital.

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Legion Notes

A sleigh ride and dance has been planned for Saturday, February 4th (weather and snow conditions permitting) with a bean a wiener supper following. This is the first effort of Entertainment Chairman Mark Snow, so give him a helping hand by attending. Mr. Snow is open for suggestions as to entertainment in the coming months and would welcome calls at OX. 2-8352.

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OBITUARY

Mrs. Marchand Passes

Many an older person in Chateauguay will hear with regret of the passing of Maria Brunet, aged 87, wife of the late Dr. Zotique Marchand of Chateauguay Centre on January 29th.

Wife of a devoted and dedicated doctor who served Chateauguay and surrounding areas for many years, never refusing the call regardless of the hour, Mrs. Marchand is survived by five daughters, Lucille (Mrs. Maurice Laberge) wife of the Provincial Deputy, Therese (Mrs. Rene Dupont), Marie Estelle (Mrs. D. A. Magnant) of New Jersey, and Germaine, a sister of the Congregation of Notre Dame; four sons, Blaise of Quebec City, Yvon and Guy of Chateauguay and Laurent of Sorel, Que. The funeral will be held from the J. R. Reid & Sons Funeral Home, Normand Blvd., with service at 10 a.m. in the Chateauguay Centre Church today, Wednesday, February 1st, thence to the Parish Cemetery. Sympathy is extended to the family from all of Chateauguay.

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Chat-A-Way Sewing Circle

Miss Rhoda McFarlane of Salaberry Blvd., the Basin, was hostess to the Chat-A-Way ladies on Tuesday, January 24th. The ten members present enjoyed a reading by Miss McFarlane entitled, "The Ideal Parson". The afternoon drew to a close with the serving of refreshments.

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Farewell to Doc and Jan

Dr. John Pittaway, his wife Jan and their small family of Trudeau Avenue, the Heights, will be leaving shortly to take up residence in the United States, where they hail from. During their short stay in Chateauguay of little more than a year they have made many friends, the "Doc" being a familiar figure at the Legion and Jan a member of the Ladies' Horseshoe Group and other groups. So when Jan was hostess as she thought to the Horseshoe girls last Tuesday, Jan. 24th, she was surprised to find herself the guest of honour. Mrs. Marika Vandervoude and Mrs. Marge Schurman had arranged a "surprise" complete with more

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St. Andrew's Church Annual Congregational Meeting

(By Mrs. M. McCutcheon)

The annual Congregational Meeting of St. Andrew's United Church was held on Monday, January 16th, in the Memorial Hall. Reports of the various departments and organizations were presented

The Christian Education Committee reported the formation of a Mission Band. During the year the Y.P.S. was disbanded and a new Youth Group known as the Hi-C was organized. This activity is for boys and girls fourteen to seventeen years of age. When the need arises a Young People's Union of the United Church of Canada will be formed for the age group of eighteen to twenty-five years. In 1960, nineteen bibles were presented to pupils going into the Senior Bible Class.

The C.G.I.T. Department reports a progressive year. Highlights of the year were a wiener roast and hike, a visit to St. Joseph's Oratory and a sleigh ride followed by a Carol Service at the Davidson Nursing Home. Christmas decorations and favours made by the girls were appreciated by the patients at the Home. Supt. Violet Longley reported that the aims and purposes contained in the C.G.I.T. program were becoming evident in the lives of the girls.

The Explorers Group activities for the year were many. Apart from regular explorations, the Group enjoyed a skating party and hike at Beaver Lake on Mount Royal. A picnic ending the Spring season was held at the Summer home of Councellor E. L'Ecuyer on Lake St. Francis, where the girls swam and played games. At the annual bazaar, the girls managed the fish pond and during Christmas season they took part in the C.G.I.T. Vesper Service in the Sanctuary.

The newly formed Mission Band includes in their programme, handicrafts, stories and games and are looking forward to a happy year.

Elaine Rowell, organist and choir leader, in her report expressed thanks and appreciation to the Minister, the Session, the Committee of Stewards and members of the Congregation for their help and encouragement during the year.

The ever active Women's Association enjoyed a most successful year. Their activities, too numerous to list, included visits and gifts at Christmas to patients of the two nursing homes in Chateauguay

Mrs. Marie E. Davies, President of the Women's Missionary Auxiliary, reported satisfaction with the year's result and said it was gratifying to know that they had exceeded their Allocation again this year

One hundred and twenty-four children are presently enrolled in the Baby Band. The children and their mothers were entertained during September in the Memorial Hall by the ladies of the Missionary Auxiliary

Mr. Stan Best, Chairman of the Property Co-Ordinating Committee expressed appreciation of the excellent co-operation shown by all groups and officers during the year.

The Committee of Stewards reported the complete re-decoration of the Sanctuary which included the lengthening of the Altar Rail and refinishing of woodwork and pews, replacement of the church hot water supply tank, improvement of lighting in the choir loft, a new supply cupboard installed in the outer church office, new flashings on the sanctuary roof and many more items of repair and maintenance.

Cubmaster Jack Jupp of the Beaver Pack reported that 26 boys are active at present and that a happy year has been enjoyed.

David H. Reid, Superintendent of the Sunday School, expressed thanks to the Staff of the School saying that without their enthusiasm and industry the work of the Sunday School could not be accomplished. As at December 31st, there were 217 children enrolled.

The Rev. Douglas S. Brooker, Minister of St. Andrew's asked for God's continued blessing on the work of the Church.

Chateauguay Bowling Results

Dow tournament winners for the week of Jan. 23 to 28:

Robert W. Little, 484; Marcel Genest, 470.

Men's highest triple: Jean R. Jerome, 489; Robert W. Little, 484.

Men's highest single: Armand Beausolell, 200; M. Caron, 200.

Ladies' highest triple: Mrs. A. Beliveau, 456; Miss T. Pitre, 413.

Ladies' highest single: Mrs. A. Beliveau, 165; Mrs. Francine Montpetit, 150; Mrs. C. Gariepy, 146; Miss T. Pitre, 146.

This week's drawing winner, No. 484899, R. Touzel.

Annual Vestry Meeting St. George's Church

(by M. McCutcheon)

There was a good attendance at the Annual Vestry Meeting of St. George's Church, which took place on Monday, January 23rd, 1961.

After reports were received from the various Church organizations Rev. John Buck appointed Mr. Earl Wakefield, Rector's Warden, and Mr. F. Lunn was re-elected as People's Warden.

Other Church Officers were elected as follows:

Mr. E. Spencer, Treasurer; Mrs. F. Lunn, Vestry Clerk; Mr. John Blake, Senior Sidesman; Mr. Bruce Whitehouse, Building Superintendent; Mr. P. Styles, Mr. F. Berry, Lay Delegates to Synod; Mr. W. E. Morgan, Alternate; Mr. F. Berry, Mr. W. Bailey, Auditors; Mrs. J. A. Garrett, Assistant Treasurer; Mrs. D. Mizener, Envelope Secretary; Mr. C. Schofield, Membership Secretary; Mrs. E. Wakefield, Reservations Secretary.

The meeting voted that a Board of Management should be set up with the following membership — the Church Corporation (Rev. J. Buck and the two Wardens) Mr. E. Spencer, Mr. R. D. Mosher, Mr. O. H. Bradley, Mr. John Friedlander and Mrs. Helen Airlie. Secretary — Mrs. R. W. Little. The Board will be meeting monthly.

Coffee and refreshments were served by the W.A. following the business session.

Top left photo shows Wallace Black, Chateauguay Basin taxi driver who crawled on cracking ice in the sub-zero weather experienced Sunday to rescue a man and his wife from a watery grave when their car plunged through the ice near the site of the new Chateauguay bridge. Shown with Mr. Black is Police Chief Rousseau who is holding [illegible] of the expectant mother who was in the car with her husband when the ice gave away. On the extreme right is Mr. Norman McCabe who, with Mr. Black, located a ladder and also went out on the ice and is also a hero of the dramatic rescue. Top center shows the rear of the 1957 Consul sedan emerging from the water, being winched up by Handfield's tow truck which is above on the new bridge. Bottom left shows the car almost out of the water and one can see the driver's door on the opposite side is open, through which Mr. and Mrs. Johannes Blochowiak of Verdun escaped death. Bottom right shows the car breaking through the ice as it was being pulled to the Basin bank of the river. Pat Wilkins, Chateauguay Gleaner photographer, took the picture of Mr. McCabe; the others were taken by a resident of Chateauguay, Mr. Gerald S. Adams, 190 Salaberry Blvd., The Basin, who has been a subscriber to this newspaper for many years.

Death Takes A Holiday As Car Plunges Into River

(By M. McCUTCHEON)

At 4.05 p.m. on Sunday, January 29th, a car driven by 31 year old Johannes Blochowiak of 4615 Wellington St., Verdun, plunged into the Chateauguay River under the new bridge being constructed. Mr. Blochowiak managed to free his 21 year old wife and himself from the car as it sank to the bottom of the river. Mr. Wallace Black of Salaberry Blvd well known taxi driver, who was driving by and Mr. Norman McCabe of Riverside Drive, who was walking with his wife noticed bobbing heads in the open water. A ladder from a nearby construction shed was pushed across the ice by the men and as Mr. Black crawled along it to the open water, Mr. McCabe held it down on the ice. Mr. Black succeded in hauling the woman to safety and the man was able to pull himself onto the ladder. The wet shivering half frozen couple were taken to a nearby hotel and treated by a Doctor for shock and chill.

The car a 1957 Consul was taken from the river on Monday by employees of Handfield's Garage, who used a special hook and crane. Chateauguay Police conducted the investigation. When telephone on Monday, at noon interviewed by the Gleaner via time, Mrs. Blochowiak, an expectant mother stated that she had suffered no apparent ill effects, but was just leaving for a checkup by her own Doctor.

Mr. Black did not think of the danger involved in going to the aid of these people and is to be highly commended for this act of bravery. Mr. McCabe who assisted in the rescue, slipped off for home before anyone managed to take his name and to him we also say "well done".

What's Your Opinion?

by Pat Wilkins

What Time Should Teenagers Be Allowed to Stay Out to at Night?

Mrs. Ann Kennedy, 48 Edward (mother of 4 — three of them teenagers)

I am a "square". During school they do not go out at all during the week, unless there is something very special, and their homework is done first. On a Friday or Saturday I expect them home by 12 midnight, and I always know where they are, and very often we provide the transportation.

Rene Belanger, 149 Robert. Age 18:

If they go to school they should be home around 9 p.m. during the week, and by 11 p.m. at week-ends. I am not at school myself, but am usually home by 11 p.m.

Wayne Fountain, 82 Spring Crest, Colonia: Age 15:

During school days not later than 10.30 p.m. and at the week-ends not later than 12 midnight. On week-days I have to be home at 9 p.m. unless there is something special. I am still at school.

Louise Airlie, 16 Mountain. Age 18:

It depends strictly upon their age and where they go. During school days they should be in by 9.30 p.m. At week-ends if they are 15 and under 11 p.m. Over 15 and up to 17 at midnight to 12.30 p.m. and over 17 and working, should be old enough to know when to come in.

West End Bowlarama To Help March Of Dimes

Mr. Shanker of West End Bowlarama informed the Gleaner that starting Monday, February 6th, a special promotion to help the March of Dimes will be held for one week at West End Bowlarama. Every afternoon from Monday to Friday from 1 to 6 for every person who bowls 3 strings, West End Bowlarama will donate the cost of one string to the March of Dimes.

Girls' Hockey Make Interest In Colonia

Girls Hockey

Saturday at 1 p.m. 22 enthusiastic girls turned up at the rink to try their hand at hockey, with Mrs. Shirley Robbie in charge. The girls were divided up and played a practice game. The girl's in red defeated the girls in blue 3-2.

Referees were Mr. Ken MacKenzie and Mr. Ross Chamberlain. Teams will be made up next Saturday, so if you are interested in organized hockey and are over eleven (11) years of age, call Mrs. Shirley Robbie at OXford 2-9147 or come to the rink on Saturday at 1 p.m. Mrs. Robbie has had 30 girls register now but can still work with several more.

Coaches will be — A. Robbie, Mr. Howarth, Mr. Jordan, Geo. Neil, Earl Mudd.

Mrs. Robbie wishes to thank Don Crawford and the Men's Association for the use of the rink and the equipment.

Fire Again Strikes In Chateauguay

Again fire has hit the area. This time it was The Colonia Development Construction Office and Warehouse on Colonia Ave. It broke out at noon on Wednesday and was burned to the ground in a very short time. The below zero temperatures and high winds that day, didn't help of course.

Chateauguay Aquatic Club News

(by Rex Langman, C.A.C. paddler)

Movies at L.R.C.C. Training

The movies held at the Lachine Racing Canoe Club were a success and were very interesting. Jim Massman, who is the coach of the paddling team which went over to Rome, was the commentator and pointed out many interesting facts about the paddlers and the boats which our overseas paddlers use.

At this point the boys have found out what strict training does, so I think if the C.A.C. wants to win, the juvenile and the juniors should start a strict training plan, not later but right now. If we don't we'll never win or even reach the finish line in the regattas which are fast approaching.

Representatives for Boys and Girls

Billy Lakkan and Mary Lee were picked to represent us at the meetings which the C.A.C. holds every once in a while. These two will do a good job in expressing our thoughts at the meetings, so anyone with a problem or an idea about our club see Billy or Mary.

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C.A.C. Dance on February 4

The next dance to be held at the C.A.C. will be on February fourth.

Well folks I made a boo-boo. The money made from the dances as for the buses which will take us to and from the regattas and not for new boats. So S-O-R-R-Y.

New Process of Food Preservation: Instant Everything!

Recently, at an experimental factory in Scotland, an astonished visitor ate a delicious meal of steak, French-fried potatoes, peas and raspberries — all of it previously stored for 20 months without refrigeration or preservative! The food, kept in hermetically sealed wrappers, had been drained of its water content by a striking new process called Accelerated Freeze-Drying.

Said to be the greatest breakthrough in food preservation since the invention of the tin can, freeze-drying allows food to retain 95 to 100 percent of its original flavour. And when dunked in water it resumes its original shape, reports Reader's Digest in an article.

The process makes it possible to store fresh food in any climate without refrigeration for a virtually unlimited length of time. For these reasons, and because of the great reduction in bulk and weight of freeze-dried foods, AFD products have been used by more than 200 expeditions in jungles, deserts and mountains.

For family use, a housewife could store a month's supply of this food on an open pantry shelf. More than 100 items of fresh foods have been prepared successfully by the Scottish factory, in addition to freeze-dried cooked dishes such as roast beef and steak and kidney pie which are ready for eating after only five minutes in hot water.

The U.S. Army expects this new type of ration to supplant current field rations within the next few years. The future of freeze-dried foods in the home is probably every bit as bright.

MOTHERS MARCH ON POLIO — TONIGHT FEBRUARY 1st

Above are the tins that the canvassers will have with them when they make their door to door calls tonight. Be ready for your canvasser and do your part. The following are the canvassers for Colonia area. (Photo by Larry Cowper)

St. Charles St. Mrs. Robbie.
Colonia Ave., Mrs. Packar.
New Duquette St., Mrs. Vawer.
Duquette St., Mrs. Darker and Mrs. Lalonde.
Horsnell, Charles Dickens and Circle Road, Mrs. Birtwhistle.
Spring Crescent St., Mrs. Parsons.
Lemoyne St., Mrs. Parkin.
Theberge St., Mrs. McKernan.
Craik St., Mrs. Smith.
Colville St., Mrs. Hughes.
Cardinal St., Mrs. Kemp.
Lockhart St., Mrs. Roy.
Lang Ave., Mrs. Moore and Mrs. Crawford.

C.C.R.A. Meeting Next Week You Are Requested To Attend

(by Mrs. Barbara Fraser)

The Chateauguay Center Recreational Association formerly known as the Prudential Home Owners' Association, will be holding the meeting for election on Monday, February 6th at 8 p.m. at the Chateau-Gai Motel.

At a meeting held on January 23rd the following nominees were chosen:

The office of President: Bert Taylor.

1st Vice-President: Graham Mc Culloch, Dan Le Poidevin, B. Soles.

2nd Vice-President: B. Soles, Graham McCulloch.

Secretary: Frank Smith

Treasurer: Mr. Lamonde.

Area representatives: Area 1: Frank Waugh, Barbara Fraser; Area 2: Joe Petrelli, Art Claude; Area 3: Bill Hill, H. Hawks, Ted James, Mr. Laplante; Area 4: Dan La Poidevin, John McDonald, Fred Hunter; Area 5: Mr. Smith, Vivian McEnroe; Area 6: John McDonald, Pete Gray.

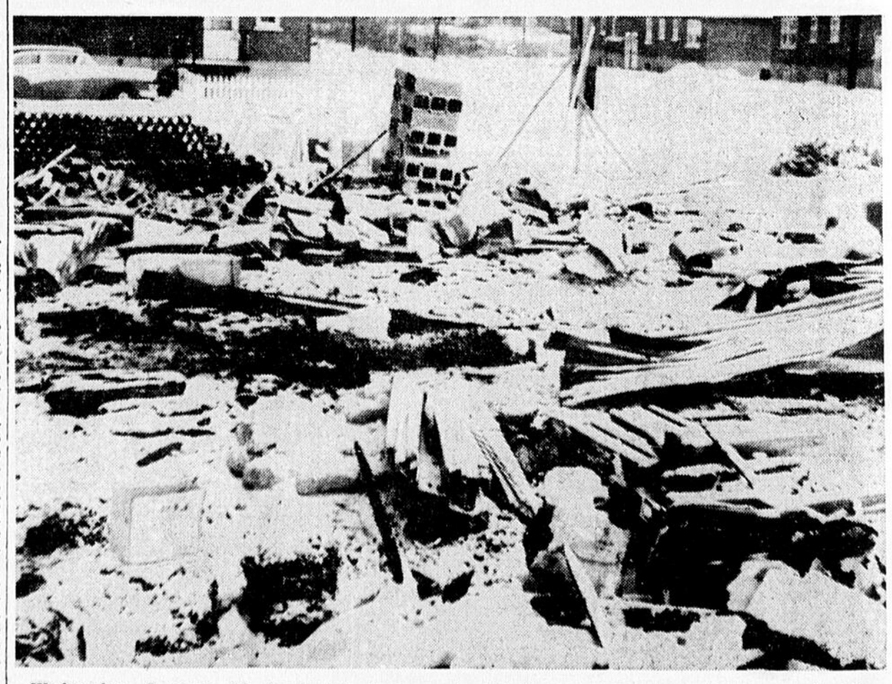
Any errors or omissions are purely unintentional. It was ruled at the end of the January 23rd meeting that any further nominations are to be handed in, in writing at the beginning of the February 6th meeting; after which elections will be held. Remember, your vote is every bit as important as the next person's. Each and every one of you, by voting, by voicing your opinions, can effect the policy of the incoming administration.

As a member, each one pays a yearly membership fee and as such have the unquestionable right to have a voice in the financial and policy affairs. This can only be done by nominating and voting for the persons you believe will best represent the will of the majority for the betterment of the majority.

At the meeting for nominations only twenty-seven were in attendance and this figure includes the executives. Surely, with the large membership existing there are more than twenty-seven people interested in having a voice.

Go to the meeting and vote, don't leave it to the person next door, or the neighbour down the street.

FIRE LEVELS COLONIA DEVELOPMENT WAREHOUSE



Wednesday, January 25, fire started around noon in the warehouse and contractors office on Colonia Ave. With the high winds that we had last Wednesday it was no time at all until the wooden building was completely in flames and hope of saving anything was fruitless. Loss was estimated at $4000 to $5000. (Photo by Larry Cowper)

Historical Notes Gleaned From "Sellar's" History

In no more mischievous form did these national aspirations show themselves than in the opposition to the settlement of the wild lands of the province by immigrants. Not only were grants refused to open them by roads, but votes to provide the new settlements with means for the administration of justice and registry offices were rejected. East of the Richelieu were populous settlements of intelligent and energetic men who were unrepresented in the house. In 1823 the council sent down a bill to give them 6 members. Papineau declared that the interests and feelings of the inhabitants of the townships did not correspond with those of the French Canadians, and therefore he would not consent to allow them a voice in the legislature. The bill was killed by an amendement that would have added 12 French Canadian members. A proposal to unite with Upper Canada was voted down on the ground that such union would endanger the peculiar laws and institutions of Lower Canada. So determined was the opposition to union with the upper province, that the money required to build a canal between lakes St. Francis and St. Louis was steadily refused. From the year 1807 it was the avowed purpose of the house of assembly to retain the province of Lower Canada as the exclusive inheritance of the French Canadians and the demand was that seigniors who had vacant lands should be compelled to concede and the parish system be extended to the townships, so that the children of the habitants might find homes for themselves. This in a hundred forms and under innumerable pretences, Neilson Papineau, Viger, and Cuvillier endeavored to accomplish. To prevent the extension of the parish system to the townships however, every governor was resolute, and in 1826 the matter was set at rest by the Canada tenure bill, passed by the Imperial government, which declared the tenure of all land outside the seigniories to be that of free and common soccage, and gave power to the owners of seigniories to convert the tenure of unconceded lands. This act, received with shouts of chagrin by the disaffected, really saved the townships, and their settlement proceeded apace. But if the King could give the people of the townships assurance that they should enjoy their properties under English law, he could not give them representation, and until 1830, while Papineau and his followers were declaiming against the tyranny of being taxed without representation and of the preciousness of self-government, the 80,000 English-speaking settlers between Salmon river and lake Memphremagog had no more to do with the making of the laws or the spending of the taxes they paid than the trees they were industriously hewing down. The sentiment that denied the townships representation was at last the means of giving it to them to a partial extent. A scheme was prepared by the house for Frenchifying the province and in order to ensure its passage by the council, a few members were allotted the English settlements. Under this act, the old counties were swept away and new ones with French names substituted. Huntingdon was blotted out and Beauharnois, Laprairie, and L'Acadie took its place. It was the same everywhere. The old English names of the counties were superseded by French ones. So far as regarded the Old Countrymen of old Huntingdon, they found themselves electorally no better off under the new name than the old one, for the act provided for only one polling-place and it was located at the town of Beauharnois, from 30 to 50 miles distant from the bulk of them.

The new distribution of seats increased the French representation and emboldened its leaders, who now defied the executive and succeeded in bringing the business of the province to a standstill by refusing the supplies. For their conduct they could give many plausible reasons. Like all irresponsible bodies, the legislative-council had deteriorated, and charges of filling offices with incompetent relations, of passing bills favorable to private interests, and of conniving to conceal frauds upon the revenue, could be substantiated. With all its faults, however, this fact must be recognized, that but for the council the townships would not have been settled, and that the existence of an English-speaking element in Quebec is due to it. Under all the ostensible reasons given by the agitators, the councillors recognized that their true motive was the subversion of the crown, and to thwart them they lent their influence to the successive governors. Had the imperial government conceded the demand upon which the agitators finally concentrated their strength, that of an elective council, the English element would have been wiped out. To sticklers for constitutional rights, like Sir James Mackintosh, it seemed monstrous that the will of the majority in Lower Canada should not prevail, overlooking the fact that the majority were clamoring for the constitutional powers in question with the object of wrenching the province from England and of expelling the English people from within its bounds. Was the Imperial parliament going to grant constitutional powers to the Lower Canada legislature which would enable it to undo on the floor of its house all that Wolfe had effected on the plains of Abraham? A majority of the members at Westminister saw this, and refused the demand; they were denounced as despotic by men, able and generous, who carried their theories of self-government to that extreme that, on the same principle, the victor in a fair fight would restore to the vanquished weapons to renew the battle.

There were a few among the English who, while acknowledging the service the councillors were doing the minority, could not let it condone their conduct otherwise, and who, therefore, to a certain extent supported Papineau in his demands by favoring the reform of the council. Then the American element in the townships, which at that time was large and influential, sided with him, in the belief that his success would lead to annexation. This blatant Yankee element in their midst, whose resolutions were quoted by the French agitators as representing the English sentiment, annoyed the Old Countrymen greatly, and they followed with meetings and resolutions declaring their determination to uphold British connection. Such a meeting took place at Huntingdon in 1833. It was announced to be held in the schoolhouse on the south side of the river, but so large was the attendance that it was made an out-door meeting. The speakers did not mince matters, and the sentiment of the brawny men who stood thickly around, clad as they had left their work in the bush, was shown by their shouts and exclamations to be that they would fight to the death in resistance to the threatened attempt to take the province from under British sway. The meeting, like all the others then held in the townships, refutes the popular notion that the causes of the rebellion in both provinces were identical. It is safe that had Lyon McKenzie been a resident of Montreal instead of Toronto, he would have shouldered a musket to put down rebellion instead of leading one.

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St. Andrew's Notes

Five new Stewards were dedicated at morning worship on Sunday, January 29th, at St. Andrew's United Church. Following the installation to office and the close of worship, the Rev. Douglas S. Brooker, minister, invited the congregation to come forward and greet the men installed to Office of Steward, who were Messrs. Richard W. Chave, J. K. Colligan, Donald Y. Lang, Stephan Stanford and Walter M. Whalley.

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The Rev. Douglas S. Brooker and Mrs. Brooker entertained at a Manse Tea on Sunday afternoon, January 29th, from 3 to 5 p.m. for the Stewards and their wives.

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Please make a note of the Coffee Break which is being held at the Memorial Hall, on Thursday, February 9th, under the auspices of Group 5. Anyone desiring transportation may make arrangements by calling OXford 2-2174 as soon as possible.

Explorers Enjoy Day on Mount Royal

A chartered bus left St. Andrew's United Church on Saturday morning at 10 a.m., carrying 29 excited Explorers and 4 Counsellors bound for Mount Royal and a day of fun. Upon arrival the girls hiked from Beaver Lake to the Chalet. Following lunch in the Chalet Restaurant they hiked back to Beaver Lake where they enjoyed skating until 3 p.m. Counsellors Aileen Grimes, Enid L'Ecuyer, Margaret Oliver and Dorothy Smith then ushered the girls aboard the bus for the return trip.

The next Teenage Dance will be held at The Heights Recreation club, on Saturday, February, 18th, from 8 p.m. to 11 p.m. This is a Valentine "dress-up" dance (jeans and heavy boots not permitted). Ted Gosse and his band have been engaged. Teenagers will remember Ted from last year, and are assured of some good music.

A suggestion was made that parents might be coming along to this dance too. This is not the case, teenagers. This particular dance is for teens and teens alone. Admission is 50 cents — 75 cents double.

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News Round-Up

Miss Alice Reid, R. N. of the Catherine Booth Hospital in Montreal, was a guest of Mrs. Stanton Jack, Smith St., during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Richardson, Orchard Avenue, the Heights, were recent guests of Mrs. Fraser Armstrong in Sherbrooke, Que. Mrs. Richardson then proceeded to Lennoxville, where she enjoyed a visit with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Richardson, returning to her home on Friday.

Sympathy is extended to Mr. Syd Mitchell from friends and former neighbours of Dupont Terrace on the sad loss of his father.

Sympathy is also extended to Mr. Frank Castle of Taylor Ave., the Station, who suffered the sad loss of his brother Walter, this week past.

Mr. and Mrs. William Roberts have returned to their home in Rawdon, Que., following a stay at the home of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. L. Roberts, Oliver Avenue, the Heights.

Mr. Alex McCabe of St. John Blvd., the Station, has returned to his home following a 10 day stay at Seven Islands where the temperatures dipped to 40 below. Hope you had your red flannels with you Alex.

Sorry to report that Mrs. Bert Suckling of Trudeau Avenue, the Heights, has been stricken with illness. Best wishes are extended to her.

Mrs. Ozzie Saunders of Oliver Avenue, the Heights, has returned to her home following another stay in the Mayfair Hospital at Montreal. Every good wish for better health Frances.

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Hockey:

On Monday Jan. 23rd. The Gardens Canadians' Pee Wees coached by Jack Patterson, piled up 5-2 points againts the Parkview Panthers. Score getters were Denis Larivée and Cliff Meisner getting two points each and R. Thornburg getting the single.

Saturday's game for the Pee Wees againts the Prudential Warriors was lost to the Warriors 9-1. Craig McDowell got the single point for the team.

The Gardens Canadians' Bantams coached by Al Round on Monday Jan. 23rd. played against the Parkview Hawks. The Bantams won this game 5-0. Good work boys.

On Saturday the 28th. the Bantams played the Prudential Warriors and this game was tied three all. Score getters for this game were Bruce Appleton; Ronnie Thornburg and J. Bossard.

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Broomball:

Wednesday saw quite a few of our men out playing broomball. The teams were made up with eight men on each team, some turnout considering it was one of the coldest nights we've had. Good work fellows.

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Festival:

The Pie XII School had a festival over the weekend and on Saturday morning hockey games were played. In the afternoon races were held. All sorts of races were run on the ice, front and backward races, relay races and almost anything you can think of.

Our own John Dudley won three first prizes and his brother Bobby was second for two of the races.

On Sunday a masquerade was held and the many costumes were lovely.

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C.H.O.A.:

The Chateauguay Home Owners Association will be having their meeting on Wednesday Feb. 8th. at 8.30 p.m. in the Julius Richardson School Cafeteria. Refreshments will be served after the meeting.

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Modern Bowling League:

Team Standing:

Clubs, Capt. P. Gagnon	64
Diamonds Capt. A. Bonetto	52
Spades Capt. M. Couture	49
Hearts Capt. N. Gosselin	45

Ladies High Triple for the evening went to Gerties Hughes with 321 and Ladies' High Single to Mona Bailey with 132.

Men's High Single and High Triple taken by Reg Annesley with 187 and 463.

Ladies Afternoon League:

Last Wednesday's High Single and High Triple was taken with highs of 167 and 360 by our champ Myrtle Murphy. Lovely bowling Myrtle. A new member for our team on Wednesday will be Mrs. Huot of St. Francis Blvd. We hope you'll enjoy the team Mrs. Huot.

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Petty Thieving

Last Sat. morning Jan. 21st. one of our neighbours Mrs. J. Green of Lang Ave. had money stolen from her milk bottles. One cannot imagine anyone stooping so low but then it happens often. However we can all take the warning and make sure we don't leave any money in our bottles in the future.

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The Women's Auxilliary, group No. 5, of St. Andrew's United Church will be holding their meeting on Monday Feb. 6th. at 8.15 p.m. in St. Andrew's Church Parlor.

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On Feb. 9th. The Women's Auxilliary will hold a Tea at 10.00 a.m. in Memorial Hall of St. Andrew's United. Everyone is welcome and anyone in need of transportation may phone OX 2-2174.

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Pat Kennedy of Edward St. home now recuperating from her operation. Pat arrived on Wednesday and will spend some time at home before going back to school. Get well soon Pat.

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Birthdays:

Happy Birthday to Mr. Sarto Hanney of Lang Ave. who celebrated his birthday on Tuesday Jan. 24th. Mr. Hanney had friends at his home on Tuesday evening to help him celebrate.

Birthday wishes also to Mr. John Green of Lang Ave. who celebrated his birthday on Wednesday Jan. 25th. Happy Birthday John.

Two of our small fry on Lang Ave. had birthdays on the same day, Friday Jan. 27th. Happy Birthday to Danny Cadieux who was two and a Happy Birthday to little Donna Flaherty who was one year old.

Also wish to extend birthday wishes to a friend who lives in Chateauguay Terrace, Mrs. Pat Linehan of Gardenia Ave., who celebrated a birthday on Friday Jan. 20th., Happy Birthday Pat.

WEST END

Correspondent:
Mrs. KENNETH SMEALL,
20 St. Louis Rd.

Route Boy:
EDDIE SMEALL,
20 St. Louis Rd. OX. 2-6190

Smoke continued to spiral from chimneys as the temperature kept at an all time low. Everyone agreed it was very healthy weather, but on second thought, who wants to be healthy if you have to freeze.

Your new Gleaner Carrier boy is Eddie Smeall, younger brother of Clifford who has served you in the past.

Hockey News

Pee Wee League — Three games were played this week, on Tuesday, January 24th, Thursday 26th and Saturday, January 28th.

Tuesday saw the West End Jets play the Warriors with a score of 5-2 for the Jets. Barry Pingel and Ivan Schlereth both scoring twice and Scott Cushing scoring the other goal.

Thursday saw the West End Jets play the Warriors with a score of 4-2 for the Jets. Barry Pingel scoring the first two goals, third Laroceque, with assist from Larry Gee, fourth Ivan Schelereth.

Saturday afternoon saw the West End Jets defeated when they played the Heights and the score was 4-0 for the Canadians.

Bantam League

Tuesday saw the West End Rockets play the Warriors with a score of 5-1 for the Rockets. First goal scored by Richard Savoury with assist from Crepin, second goal Dougie Walker with assists from Billy Hulshoff and Woodhouse, third goal Gagnier with assist from Crepin, fourth goal Crepin with assist from Stewart Cotton, fifth goal Crepin, unassisted.

Thursday saw West End play Prudential with a score of 6-1 for Prudential. Stewart Cotton scored the only goal unassisted. This game is being contested and a letter has been sent to the President of the Minor Hockey League Assoc. as a player on Prudential team is over age.

Saturday saw the Rockets play the Red Wings with a tie game of 4-4. Stewart Cotton shared honors with no one and scored the four goals. Congratulations Stewart, keep up the good work.

Crepin's Sporting Goods in the Village kindly donated six hockey sticks to the West End team.

The money collected at the games by our zealous "pot shakkers" is being put to good use. Chest Protectors and gauntlets are being purchased for the Pee Wees.

Nice to see Dougie Campbell off sick list. The team misses you and hopes it won't be too long before you can join them.

Broomball

A Broomball game was held on Sunday afternoon between West End and Prudential with a score of 4-0 for Prudential. There will be another game next Sunday.

Bowling

Scores on Friday, January 20th.

High Single — Ladies — Mrs. Pacholka 118.

High Single — Men — Mr. A. Campbell 152.

High Triple — Ladies — Mrs. R. Stapleton 335.

High Triple — Men — M. G. Willsmore 391.

Scores for Friday, January 27th.

High Single — Ladies — Mrs. Renaud 123.

High Single — Men — Mr. W. Cummings 170.

High Triple — Ladies — Mrs. W. Roy 361.

High Triple — Men — Mr. Lefebvre 376.

The Bob Cats won first section of Bowling. Counting this week there are thirteen more weeks of Bowling.

A petition is being circulated to have an English Catholic Church in Chateauguay. Mr. S. Mackey of 127 St. Louis Street, OXford 2-4673 is in charge of canvassing this development.

Anyone interested that has not been contacted please get in touch with Mr. Mackey.

Dates to Remember

Monday, February 6th is the meeting of the Ladies Division of the West End H. O. Assoc. This will be held at the home of Mrs. Syd Mitchell, 150 St. Louis Street at 8.15 p.m. Don't forget to bring a friend or neighbor.

Wednesday, February 8th, is the big night at Molson's. Hurry and get your tickets — same can be had by calling Pat Wilkins at OXford 2-6424. This promises to be lots of fun so come on and join the party. Everyone has no doubt received a circular explaining this event, thanks to Ricky Brown who went from door to door with the circulars.

The next Home & School Meeting for Maple school is Wednesday, February 8th. All parents who have children attending this school are invited to attend.

The next Council Meeting will be held Monday, February 6th, in the old red brick school building near Bourcier's Bakery.

Social Hi-Lites

Many Happy Returns of the day to David Moore of 119 St. Louis Street, who will celebrate his birthday on Friday, February 3rd.

Sincere Sympathy is extended to Mr. and Mrs. Syd Mitchell of 150 St. Louis Street on the recent loss of Mr. Mitchell's father, Mr. S. M. Mitchell of Verdun.

Happy Birthday Greetings to Brian Cushing of St. Louis Street, who will be six years old on Saturday, February 4th.

Deepest Sympathy is extended to the family of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jones of St. Louis Street. Mrs. Jones' grandfather, Mr. R. Ratchier recently passed away.

Thanks one and all for phoning in the news — Don't forget every little item makes the paper that more interesting. OXford 2-6190 is the number to call.

In 1958 one-quarter of provincial governments' revenues came from gasoline taxes, vehicle registration and license fees and fines for traffic infractions; average taxation was $107 per vehicle.

Canada's first prime minister, Sir John A. Macdonald, was born in Glasgow and emigrated to Canada with his family when he finished his schooling and was was five; when he was 15 he had articled to a lawyer at Kingston, Ontario.

VETVILLE

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LENNIE LARMOUR
61 CRAIK ST.,
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On Tuesday, January 24th, the Vetville ladies held their weekly games in the Community Hall at 2.00 p.m. with a very good attendance. Mrs. Y. Johnson of Caen Apartment Building was Convener.

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The weekly card party (Whist) for residents of Vetville was held on Wednesday, January 25th, at 7.30 p.m. in the Community Hall. Owing to illness, Mrs. S. MacKenzie was unable to attend. Mrs. T. Hextall of Dunkirk Apartment Building kindly acted as convener.

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Coming Event — On Saturday, Feb. 4th, at 2.00 p.m. The Vetville Men's Club games will be held in the Community Hall.

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Mrs. R. Mitchell entered the Montreal General Hospital on Wednesday, January 25th, for examination and treatment, and is at present in Room No. 1313.

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Mr. E. J. C. Jones of Somme Apartment Building returned home to Vetville, from the Queen Mary Veterans Hospital, in Montreal, on Thursday, January 26th.

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Mr. J. Banks of Dieppe Apartment Building returned home to Vetville, from the Queen Mary Veterans Hospital in Montreal, on Friday, January 27th.

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Mr. Matt Will of Dunkirk Apartment Building at present in Queen Mary Veterans Hospital, in Montreal, has our best wishes for a speedy return to Vetville.

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Mr. J. Jackson of Vimy Apartment Building, was taken ill on Friday, January 27th, and after doctor's examination was taken to the Queen Mary Veterans Hospital in Montreal for further examination and treatment. He returned to Vetville Friday evening.

On Sunday, January 29th, Mr Jackson again required medical attention and the doctor arranged to have Mr. Jackson enter the Q.M.V. Hospital for further treatment. We wish to thank Major R. Mitchell and Mr. D. Finlayson of Vimy Apartment Building for their kindness and aid to Mr. Jackson.

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Mr. H. Woodgate of Arras Apartment Building, entered the Queen Mary Veterans Hospital, in Montreal, on Saturday, January 28th, after examination by D.V.A. Doctor of Chateauguay, Que.

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On Thursday, January 26th, the bus supplied by Dominion Stores for residents of Vetville left the Community Hall for Ville LaSalle at 2.30 p.m. as usual.

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On Friday, January 27th, the bus supplied by Steinbergs for residents of Vetville left the Community Hall for Ville La Salle at 9.00 a.m. as usual.

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On Friday evening, January 27th, the Dawn Wayne Enterainers of Montreal, entertained the residents of Vetville with music and dancing including folk dancing by the audience in the Community Hall. An enjoyable evening was had by all.

On Sunday, January 29th, the Protestant Church service was held in the Community Hall at 9.00 a.m. The service was conducted by the Rev. John Allan of Maplewood Presbyterian Church of Chateauguay with Mrs. J. Miller as pianist. During the service the Rev. Allan expressed deep sympathy of all the members of the congregation towards Mrs. Evans and her family.

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All residents of Vetville were shocked and saddened by the news of the death of Mr. A. C.

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Birthday

A surprise birthday party was given to Mr. J. Roberts, 151 St. Aubin, on Saturday, January 21st, by his relatives and friends. A very enjoyable time was had by all.

Get Together

Mrs. J. Roberts of 151 St. Aubin, held a house party at her home last Wednesday evening, January 25th, in which fourteen ladies attended (neighbours and friends). A wonderful evening was spent, and they decided to have a get together once a week, each taking a turn in their home. A very good idea, it sure will pass the winter along.

Welcome back

We wish to welcome home Mrs. Bessie McDonald, 156 St. Aubin, who has recently returned from a trip to Scotland after visiting her family.

Mrs. M. Grant of 100 Hillsdale Drive, spent a few days in Montreal, visiting friends.

Mrs. M. Whealon, 119 Sheraton Drive, had as her guest for a few days, her sister, Miss Martha Joncas from Changler, Gaspe.

Sorry to hear that Peter Atkinson, 87 Hillsdale Dr., received a cut over his eye which required a few stitches, at the hockey game on Saturday night. Your friends wish you well soon Peter.

Church News

At St. Geoge's Anglican Church on Sunday, January 29th, at the morning service, a very large congregation witnessed the baptism by the Rev. John M. Buck, of the twin daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sutter, 55 Prince, Chateauguay Centre. First twin was named Mary Carol. Godmothers were Mrs. R. Johnstone and Mrs. W. Fischer. Second twin was named Florence Catherine. Godmothers were Miss F. Bulcroft and Mrs. M. Jeffrey Godfather for the twins was Mr. F. Vawer.

The Rev John M. Buck told the congregation he liked to be able to have a baptism so the congregation and children could witness it, and that was the first set of twins he has baptized. Afterwards the layreader, Mr. J. Thatcher, preached on theological education which was very interesting.

Teen Type

WAYNE FOUNTAIN
OX. 2-2440

Basketball

Our Chateauguay Senior Basketball team was host last week to a team from B'nois and registered a 25-20 win. Keep up the good work girls.

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Hockey Games

On Monday night the Garden Canadians defeated the team from Parkview by a score of 5-0. Rex Langman, goaler for the Canadians, put in another spectacular performance as he stopped every shot that Parkview could throw at him. Keep up the good work Rex.

On Saturday two games were played and it seems that it was a pretty even day as both ended in ties.

The Garden's team came from behind and tied with the Prudential Warriors 3-3. Ron Thornburg, Bruce Appleton and John Brosseit were goal getters for the Gardens.

The Heights and West End played to a 4-4 tie. The West End team has really picked up in strength since the beginning of the season and are now one of the strongest teams in the league.

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A Sleigh Ride will be held on Saturday, February 11th starting at 7.00 p.m. People will meet at St. George's Church and return there afterward for beans and wieners and hot chocolate. There will also be dancing, so come one, come all. It'll prove to be a very enjoyable time. By the way, the price is 75c each.

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On Saturday, January 28, a dance was held at the Chateauguay Heights Recreation Club. As usual this dance was a success and teenagers hope that these dances will continue.

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Sox Hop

Hey folks, don't forget the Sox Hop on February 3. Please remember to take your shoes off even if you're not going to dance.

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Chatter

Marilyn Gray was seen bowling on Saturday and it seems that she didn't do so well. Remember Marilyn, practice makes perfect.

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COLONIA KIDDIES ENJOY SLIDING

Above shows a group of kiddies enjoying a slide on Colonia's natural hill at the top of Lang St. between Lang and Craik Sts. This is a very popular spot after school and on Saturdays. The above photo was taken on Saturday. (Photo by Larry Cowper)

BADMINTON CLASSES HELD AT MAPLE SCHOOL

Saturday mornings finds a group of Grade 8 and 9 students back at school to play badminton under the direction of Mr. Bob Gardner. Above are in front, l. to r., Julie Kaiser, Donna Birkwhistle, Carol Morgan, Caroline Purdy, Carol Normans; back, l. to r., Mr. Bob Gardner, Brent London, Brian McGee, John Allen and Brian Archer.

CHATEAUGUAY PARK

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Park's New Pharmacy

The new Pharmacy that opened last week on the St. Jean Baptiste Blvd., near St. Marguerite Blvd., will be a welcome addition to the Park for many people. Now instead of a long wait for medicine or drugs when in a hurry, it will be easy and without walking distance to make the necessary purchase. The new store is lovely and bright and the owner, Mr. I. Elimeleck, is a very congenial and pleasant and has been a qualified Pharmacist for years and will give any presciptions his personal attention. Welcome to our community Mr. Elimeleck.

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Bon Prince

The Bon Prince that burned down last week has really been a loss to many and was really missed over the week-end. Everybody will be happy when it will be rebuilt.

Movies

The movie on Saturday, February 4th, for the children, in the basement of the Marie Vianney Church, will be an English movie. The time is 2.30 in the afternoon, admission fifteen cents per child.

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Get Well Wishes

We were happy to hear that our young friend Lynn Spencer is home from the hospital. Barbie is happy once more. Get well soon Lynn.

We'd like to say "Hi" to six-year-old David Swan who came home from Lachine General Hospital, Tuesday, January 24th, after having his tonsils out. David's throat is still quite tender but otherwise doing fine. How is the ice cream and jello David? Guess you'll be sorry when your throat is all better, then back to what most children think are uninteresting meals.

We wish Mrs. R. Tremblay a speedy return to good health. Mrs. Tremblay has not been feeling well for some time now.

We are sorry to hear that Mrs. Mitchell of Vetville is in The Montreal General Hospital. Even though she's in hospital she can't stay idle, she's busily knitting the sock slippers for the people who called and ordered them. We understand you'll be home this weeks, Mrs. Mitchell, here's hoping you will be feeling well again soon. You are missed by everyone and we wish you a speedy recovery.

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Sympathy

We would like to extend our most sincere sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. Eric Evans and family, Chateauguay Park, on the death of Eric's father, Mr. A. C. Evans. Mr. A. C. Evans whose home was in Vetville was on a holiday in Toronto visiting his daughter and family when he suffered a heart attack. His sudden death was quite a shock to his family as he seemed to be so well lately. The body was brought back for burial in Montreal. The funeral was on Saturday, January 28th.

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Sox Hop

Don't forget, Teenagers, the Sox Hop this Friday, February 3rd. Don't forget to bring your membership cards.

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March of Dimes

Don't forget folks to leave your porch lights on, on Wednesday, February 1st as the Mother's of the Park will be around for the Mother's March of Dimes.

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Sandra Watson spent a most pleasant week-end visiting Mr. and Mrs. Hartley Arthur in Huntingdon. Sandy is sporting a lovely new bulky knit sweater.

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Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Dickson were pleased to have Mr. and Mrs. R. Besson and daughter on Sunday, January 29th.

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Birthday Greetings

Happy Birthday greetings are extended to Mr. George Neil who celebrated his birthday Thursday January 26th. We wish you all the best George.

PORTER RETIRES

WINNIPEG (CP) L. W. Pease, senior member of the CNR sleeping car porters, in Western Canada, has made his final run into Winnipeg. He was with the CNR for 40 years.

Vetville

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Evans of Dieppe Apartment Building. Mr. Evans passed away suddenly while he and Mrs. Evans were visiting their son and his family in Toronto. Comrade Bert had a heart attack on Wednesday, January 25th, and was taken to the D.V.A. Sunnybrook Hospital in Toronto and died shortly after admission. He was a member of the Royal Canadian Legion Branch No. 108 Chateauguay, Que., and very prominent in all activities in Vetville. The funeral service which was held in Verdun, Que., on Saturday, January 28th was well attended by Vetville residents. The Royal Canadian Legion Branch No. 108 was represented by Mr. G. F. Meilleur of Vetville, who is liaison officer between the Branch and our veterans. Our sincere sympathy to Mrs. Evans and members of her family.

REPOSE

So, "Our Bert" has gone before!
'Tis hard to believe — no more
Will we see his cheerful face.
But He who knows, and who bore
Our burdens; will grant His Grace.

"Bert" has left the memory,
Of pleasant things: a melody
That will linger. Grant, dear Lord,
To us Thy tranquility;
And the peace it doth afford.

Farewell "Bert". Your race is run.
You kept the faith; a "well done"
Is your reward: We remain—
To hold the torch. To each one
Strength, Lord! 'Till we meet again.

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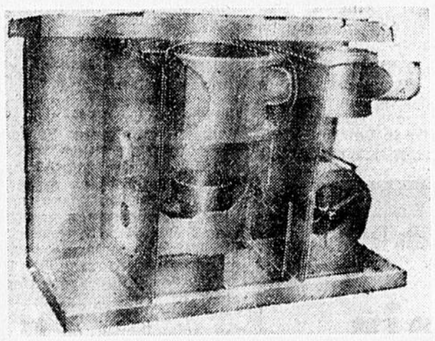

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Editorial Notes

On School Matters

IN this issue will be found excerpts from an article entitled "The High Cost of Quitting School", published in a recent issue of The Star Weekly Magazine. We suggest that our readers study this article for it contains much which is important in view of present day conditions. It is a matter that this newspaper has harped upon continually in the past and has tried to bring attention to. This newspaper has urged that vocational guidance should become a permanent part of the school curriculum.

The article has its main theme around today's students leaving school too soon. Many reasons are given for this, but it is believed that something should be done to keep our boys and girls in school through all stages. It is realised, of course, that this is not as easy as it sounds. However, more effort should be made to have our children obtain education of some type which will befit them for a career of some sort by which they may be assured of employment.

It is pointed out that much of the unemployment of today can be traced to too many students from our schools being thrown into the ranks of the unskilled. It is here where vocational guidance and training could come in and this may mean setting up a vocational section in our schools. While our schools have advanced, they have not advanced sufficiently with the advance of our age. A few years ago there was employment for the unskilled and lesser educated persons, but in this day of automation many of the unskilled jobs have been taken over by machines. Just as an example: It is almost unheard of today to set a number of men to work with picks and shovels to dig ditches or make excavations of any kind — it is now done by machines. This is only one example of unskilled labour losing out and the age of automation taking over. Nevertheless, for those who leave school at the Grade seven or eight stage, even this form of employment is denied. There are any number of such examples where the age of automation has cut into the field for unskilled labor.

It is therefore that in order for our boys and girls to be gainfully and continually employed, they must become skilled at something. Those who are academically inclined will no doubt go on to higher seats of learning until they have acquired the foundation of the career they are seeking. They will be quickly absorbed on account of their education facilities. It is for those who for some reason cannot learn, refuse to learn, become too lazy mentally and become a menace to others around them, and other types, that something must be done. It is certainly evident that none of this type are academically inclined, but they should not be thrown out onto the world to become a scourge on the labor market and to themselves. This is where vocational guidance and training should be started in our schools at an early stage. Those in charge of teaching our children can gain a fairly accurate idea of what a child will do after a few years. We believe that the time has come when those children who will not do well academically, should be given a chance in other directions, or in other words find the child's best bent and guide him or her along that course. In this manner the child may be taught skills for which there would be more interest and greater future advantages for earning a living in this fast moving world. A girl might make a very fine secretary, receptionist, stenographer, etc. A boy may be a good carpenter, plumber, garage mechanic, etc., but would never make the grade in higher spheres of learning. By segregating these students we would be assisting them to become skilled in some sphere of usefulness, instead of them having to seek opportunities among the unskilled which are now a drug on the labor market. We would be getting to the solution of the unemployment problem. The main purpose of our schools is to turn out human beings who will be useful in our way of life and of benefit to our society. If they do not accomplish that, they have not wholly fulfilled their purpose. Yet we cannot blame our schools, for they are doing a real job with what they have to work with. They have no special facilities with which to train those who do not come up to academic standards. In most cases these are left to drift along until they have completed the term required for attending school and then they drop out.

It is a matter for parents and all who have an interest in education to look into the matter and try and remedy the situation. There must be co-operation on the part of everyone. Employers too can be of assistance as some already have been.

Don't Look For Too Much In Next Federal Budget

IF you are thinking in terms of tax reductions when the next Federal Budget is brought down probably some time in March, better brace yourself for a surprise. The recent run-down of estimates for the next fiscal year 1960-61 would seem to indicate that we are in for at least a stay-as-we-are tax structure, or even some increases.

The total estimate for those expenditures which might be called fixed expenditures for the next fiscal year will be at an all-time high and much higher than was thought when an accounting was made at the last regular budget.

The trouble is that things have gone awry during the present fiscal year and have upset all the Government figuring. The government at one time was planning for a small deficit, but now in its replanning it is looking to a real large deficit. It is not hard to find a reason for this, there are many of them. First we can take unemployment which is not only costly on account of the planning that is being done to alleviate it, but because great inroads are being made into the Unemployment Insurance Fund. National Health schemes are also going to take a big bite out of revenues and this is partly contributed to by the entrance of Quebec into the plan. There are several other reasons for the large expenditures. Also to be taken into consideration are the unseen expenditures which come about during the year and which cannot be budgeted for in advance.

It is hardly likely therefore that we can look for any tax reductions for the next year. More than likely we may be asked to dig down more deeply to take care of the increase in expenditure which cannot be avoided if our present standard of living is to remain at the present level.

Tax increases will not help the situation as far as the general economy goes, in fact they may bring hardships. The one and only thing at this time which could materially change the picture for the better would be a large upsurge in the employment situation from less jobs to more jobs. There is no doubt that with the opening of spring that the unemployment situation will change as people return to seasonal jobs once again. However, this is not likely to bring the upsurge that is needed, but every little will help.

If more employment can be provided and those now unemployed could return to their jobs, then we would see a different picture. In a case like that, tax reductions would help as more money would be passed into the hands of the people to spend on the things they want and need. Business could expand along the lines it wants and this would provide more jobs. Our trade with other countries is being gradually expanded and more of our goods are being sold, but this process is very slow and it will take time before we can see the benefit of even a small effort. This seems the only way in which we shall overcome our unemployment problem. It may be we shall have to curtail some of the business we do with other countries in order to protect our own economy. This also could have the effect of improving the unemployment situation. By allowing less products to come in from other countries we would create a greater demand for our own. On the other hand it could work in reverse by our not selling so much of our products and thus amounting in the end to the same thing. It thus simmers down that what we need more than anything today are more markets for our products. Only this will give a more permanent solution to unemployment by making more jobs and more people employed.

Another Rash of Crime

OVER the last period of time the district covered by this newspaper has had a fair size portion of crime of all kinds. Even in the past few weeks The Gleaner has reported some very serious cases of robbery with violence as well as lesser crimes. In the more serious cases it would appear that those responsible for the crimes are from outside points. Could this be a trend of the times?

Montreal has started a crackdown on crime in that metropolis and has engaged experts to advise the police force of that city as to how to cope with expansion of such. To some extent there has been a less number of reports from that city and this would seem to indicate the criminals are laying low to see what happens and are therefore not as bold as they were. This of course could lead to them seeking other fields where they are less likely to be suspected and may account for an upsurge in our area. These people live by a life of crime, it even could be called a profession with them. That being the case, if they cannot work in one area, they must find another that will prove lucrative.

Sudden swoops into such an area as this could be just as profitable as in the city. It would be fairly reasonable to say that these ventures here are not taken in haphazard fashion. There is no doubt that someone somewhere has given the tip-off to what would be a good thing and how it could be pulled off successfullly. Those responsible for these robberies go to great pains to conceal their identity and thus make it hard for them to be traced if they are successful in getting away.

Ormstown seems to have been a centre of attention in the new rash of crime, with a hold-up with violence and the breaking and entering of a store and a considerable amount of loot taken. While it is not known for sure, it is believed that these are jobs by criminals from out of this area and these kinds of cases are the hardest to trace. We have been fortunate in the past that many such jobs have been cleared up, even though it may have taken several months to do. For this, much credit is due our policemen in the area. However, the citizens can do much to help in these cases by being as observant as possible and trying to get as good a description of the criminal as possible. Sometimes even the slightest little thing gives a good clue to those responsible. In times of such stress, it is hard to be cool and collected so as to be observant.

Our advice is that all people take proper precautions with their property be it business or private. In business it is good to keep at least one light burning during the night as this gives the police a chance to observe anything undue that might take place within. Private citizens should see that their places are kept properly locked and to view strangers with suspicion until they can be vouched for by identification or some other means. Police phone numbers should be in a conspicuous place near the telephone, in case they should be needed. Time saved counts against the escape of the criminal. If you see anything suspicious going on, notify the police, in that way crime may be prevented.

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MEMBER AUDIT BUREAU OF CIRCULATIONS

The Week In Quebec

QUEBEC (CP) — The Quebec Government has introduced in the Legislative Assembly its long-promised bill proposing the establishment of a Royal Commission to inquire into the province's education problems. The measure was given first reading.

The text of the bill has not been released and the exact terms of the proposed commission are not yet known but Youth Minister Paul Gerin-Lajoie, its sponsor, said the commission will inquire into education at all levels and into academic as well as financial questions.

It is generally expected in Quebec the commission's job may take up to three years to complete.

While expansion of primary education facilities is chiefly a financial question, the problems of secondary and university education are complex and the subject of heated controversy in the province.

The government is expected to put off any decision on demands for the establishment of new universities until the commission has studied the over-all education picture and set down basic principles which will serve as guide posts to the government in launching its education reform program.

Next week Premier Lesage meets with the rectors of all six Quebec universities and one of the points believed on the agenda for discussion is the proposed Royal Commission.

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The Quebec Government has appointed Louis-Philippe Gagnon, widely-recognized as a game expert and one of the province's finest performers with a fly rod, to take up the post of Assistant Deputy Game Minister.

Mr. Gagnon, Superintendent of Provincial Game Parks since 1942, has been largely responsible for the organization of the renowned Quebec Fishing Reserves. His promotion occurs at a time when the Quebec Government is overhauling the administrative machinery of the Game Department.

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The Union National Party has announced that it will soon form local associations in all 95 constituencies of the province.

The decision was taken by Party Leader Antonio Talbot in conjunction with a Liaison Committee which has been formed to prepare the forthcoming leadership convention expected in June or September.

Party organizers said the idea is to get local opinions and suggestions for the party's reorganization.

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The Quebec Winter Carnival was inaugurated Thursday by Premier Jean Lesage who took time off from his work at the Legislature to join a merry crowd of 10,000. Mrs. Lesage was with him, wearing a raccoon coat as was Mr. Lesage. Both joined with Bonhomme Carnaval — the jovial snowman who symbolizes the gay carnival spirit — in waving to the crowd and getting the fun underway.

Carnival activities, which draw thousands of tourists every winter, will keep the city hopping until Mardi Gras, Feb. 14, when they wind up.

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Montreal will have its subway. The Provincial Legislature, from which all municipal powers flow, appeared disposed to approve Montreal's demands for authorization to go ahead on the project, in the planning stage for many years.

The Bills Committee of the Legislative Assembly — a kind of clearing house for private measures which later go to the Legislature for final discussion and disposal — passed the subway project and generally took a sympathetic attitude toward many of Mayor Jean Drapeau's proposals to expand the city's area and to increase its powers to deal with some local problems.

Premier Lesage and Mr. Drapeau appeared to get along well. Mr. Drapeau said, when the committee wound up its week-long study of the bill, that Montreal was off to a great new era of development.

Unquestionably, what had made the Montreal administration happiest was the authorization to build a subway. It was considered a foregone conclusion that the legislature would endorse the committee on this point.

Dahlia's Whatnots

Someone has said that a person can make noble resolutions just as well on a rainy day in August as on a frosty New Year's Day. Truly the motivation may have more sober sense on the former day and more fleeting remorse on January 1st.

Ostensibly with a view to the improvement of our Canadian society, a professor in one of our western universities broadcast early this month a list of resolutions interpersed with comments. Part of his radio work is that of a critic so he cannot in fairness resent some criticism of these resolutions. Some of them are so surprising that it is difficult to judge whether he means literally what he says or is speaking in a vein of sarcasm in order to drive home a point. For instance, he would have us resolve to conform in a greater degree, for with conformity society would be easier to handle.

This is astonishing. Conform? Created with brains to reason, spirits to aspire, surely we do disservice to society if we are so indolent or weak as to give unquestioning support to questionable usages practised or condoned in the group of society to which we belong. We are being continually warned by prominent thinking men, leaders in education, writers, and clergymen of every church, that conformity is ruining our North American society. Last month at their annual meeting the Catholic bishops of the United States issued a criticism of the trend towards conformity and the lack of individual decision. Let us look at conformity in a homely setting. If you decide to buy a new suit for that wedding reception, nobody can criticise you for your choice of conforming to the prevailing style, provided it is not freakish. But if your husband needs a new overcoat more, and your budget cannot be stretched to cover both, the hour for nonconformity has come and, of course, you'll wear your old suit to that reception. Just tell that traditional snob, "Mrs. Jones," the story of the two old suits. A woman ruefully donned the first old suit, which had seen several seasons, to attend a social function. In the crowd of guests she heard a voice behind her say, "They wore well, didn't they?" Wheeling around, she met the smiling face of Eleanor Roosevelt wearing the other old suit, a duplicate of her own.

Another resolution suggested by the professor is that on being introduced to a person, you at once call him by his first name, emphasising your spirit of camaraderie by a vigorous handshake. The use of first names in a friendly group is a pleasant custom, but their number is so much smaller than that of family names that their general use might, under some circumstances, lead to confusion. However, if the idea appeals to you, and if after trying it, your new acquaintance seems to be looking down on you from his "ivory tower," do not despair. Perseverance may work wonders.

When you take your leave, try nicknaming him, for example, Dick for Richard, Bill for William. Should he appear sulky, and keep his right hand in his trousers poket, it is just possible you have hurt his hand a little; then merely give him a powerful slap on the back. When you meet again the chances are that he will have had time to sort out the symptoms of your brand of democracy, and be prepared to co-operate. He will probably be calling you Johnnie or Tommy or whatever pet name suits your case, and will be displaying his own attitude of good fellowship by jolly pokes and nudges on your fraternal frame.

Joking aside, one notes that persons occupying the highest stations in life are called by their first names only. Her Majesty the Queen as Elizabeth and His Holiness the Pope as John. This applies to bishops also, Bishop Dixon signing his name to a letter to the press as, John, Montreal. Incidentally, people were surprised to hear the Archbishop of Canterbury and an American bishop address each other by their first names; the two prelates were warm friends. Again, and contrariwise, distinction, whether from excellence or infamy, makes for disuse of first names; we seak of Churchill and of Hitler.

Another resolution indicates a rare trustfulness on the part of the professor; he advises us to leave politics to the politicians and not trouble our heads about such matters. But is not this the road to Communism, with autocracy at the top giving orders to the people? If only we could persuade the men to cease bothering with politics it might be woman's opportunity. The women could forge ahead and demonstrate how Canada should be run. Such a revolutionary change would improve the Canadian economy to a great extent. The women, with the enthusiasm of beginners, and determined to close the gap between exports and imports, one of Ottawa's biggest headaches, would themselves stop smuggling goods into the country from the United States, and would rescind that regulation which permits shopping sprees of 48 hours duration in American territory. These measures would give an impetus to the Canadian textile industry and save a sizeable amount on salaries for Customs officials.

Obviously, while women were engaged in lawmaking, organizing, and campaigning, the men would have to do most of the cookery. Now, it is a well known fact that amateur male cooks nearly always specialise in fried eggs, and thus many more millions of eggs will be used if Canada becomes a matriarchy, and more and larger poultry plants will be operated. The expansion of the textile trade and poultry-keeping will furnish work for large numbers of people now idle, and hence the taxpayer will be saved a good deal of money now spent on unemployment insurance.

Before we "leave politics to the politicians" entirely, mention might be made of Dr. Toynbee's views. He is the noted historian who is now giving a course of lectures in Montreal. Speaking on the idea of a world state government by a federation of all countries, he declared "There has never been a time when the world needed a Messiah more than now."

The professor has a resolution for clergymen to the effect that

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The Week At Ottawa

OTTAWA, (CP) — The government calculated last week it will need about 6.3 per cent more money to run Canada's business in 1961-62 than had been slated for the fiscal year that ends March 31.

The $400,159,262 increase estimates tabled last Feb. 4 means that for the fourth consecutive year the Diefenbaker administration has set records in government spending. The previous record was set in 1943-44 when wartime budgeting reached $5,322,253,000 under the Liberals.

Bare essentials for 1961-62 will cost Canadians $6,730,328,182.

Estimates made at this time last year had forecast spending for the current fiscal year of $6,330,168,920. But revised estimates tabled before Christmas boosted that figure to $6,570,000,000.

Apart from the essentials provided for in Finance Minister Fleming's estimates are expensive government measures forecast in the throne speech. These could push spending over 7,000,000,000 mark.

Major Problem Ahead

The big problem shaping up for Mr. Fleming now is to prepare a budget that will give him all the money he wants.

In two or three months, when he announces his tax and fiscal plans, the minister will have to dredge the extra financial resources out of a sagging economy or budget for another deficit.

The former seems unlikely since tax revenues are already lagging because of the present economic slowdown and its companion unemployment.

Another deficit budget would be the fifth in succession for his government. His supplementary budget speech last Dec. 20 forecast a $286,000,000 deficit for the current fiscal year and brought the four-year total to $1,347,000,000.

Yet the latest estimates are to a great degree determined by factors over which the government has no control. Large increases forseen in social welfare costs are inevitable under fixed statutes and automatically increase in proportion to growth in population, increased numbers of old age pensioners and extension of hospital services.

Pay increases — the first in three years for civil servants and members of the armed forces — boosted the total payroll estimates to $1,390,106,101, up $90,140,738 from the current fiscal year.

The main welfare programs add up to $1,668,533,157 — a boost of 9.8 per cent. The largest item here is a $103,000,000 rise in the federal share of the hospital insurance program to a total $270,000,000 due mainly to the entry of Quebec into the plan.

A Special Tax

Old age pensions are expected to rise by $16,570,000 to $606,570,000. These pensions, though part of total government spending, are excluded from budgetary expenditures. They are financed by special three per cent taxes on personal and corporation income and a special three per cent sales tax.

By paring costs elsewhere, the government was able to hold the increases in controllable items to some $56,500,000, offsetting some of the added payroll costs.

A few departments showed sizable drops. Agriculture was down $33,529,390 to $172,181,953; labor was down $12,002,806 to $33,879,953; and external affairs down $10,548,818 to $88,069,729.

The biggest single item in the estimates is for defence department. Up by $23,508,395 to $1,620,500,661, it represents 26 per cent of the total expected cost of government.

The transport department's budget is up 12.4 per cent to $254,630,578. More than $20,000,000 has been added for construction of airports and the start of a 15-vessel shipbuilding program. Part of the increase is also absorbed in higher administrative costs and the federal share resulting from Quebec's entry into the Trans-Canada highway program.

A major part of revenue will go to support the finance department. The proposed budget is $1,453,910,484. About half of that amount is the cost of carrying the national debt.

But above all the outlays forseen in the estimates there are routine supplementary estimates and a few special ones that might put a big dent in Mr. Fleming's budget.

Will Boost Fund

In the throne speech, the government said it plans to strengthen dwindling unemployment insurance fund. The fund's advisory committee has recommended that the government replenish it with $131,000,000. The government has announced no decision on this.

No provision has yet been made for increases in veterans' pensions which the throne said would be "substantial," or next vinter's cost of the municipal winter works program — a $30,000,000 item this year.

As well there has been no provision for a new jet interceptor for the RCAF aid defence command to replace the aging CF-100.

Despite the record cost of government and increasing difficulty in finding the sources from which such vast sums will come pressure has been mounting for some dramatic injection that will catapult the economy back into high gear.

Urges Expansion

In a brief to the senate's special committee on manpower, Claude Jodoin, the top spokesman for Canada's organized labor movement, said the answer was to spend on a massive scale.

"The big, new, massive push the economy needs can come only from a big, new, massive expassion in the public sector of the economy," he said.

The brief urged more spending on hospitals, schools, universities, roads, parks, recreation centres, housing, slum clearance, urban development, public development, conservation of resources and child welfare service.

To get the money for such projects, the CLC's advice to the federal government was simple: go in the hole, in the red, plan for deficit financing, not forever but long enough to get the economy on its feet and growing once more.

Inflation would not result, the brief maintained.

"The economy is not running at full blast — far from it," said Mr. Jodoin. "If we can put its idle plant and idle men to work, it can produce the extra goods and services to meet the extra money demand created by deficits.

"It will not be a case of more money chasing the same quantity of goods, but of more money providing a market for the extra goods the economy is perfectly capable of producing," he said.

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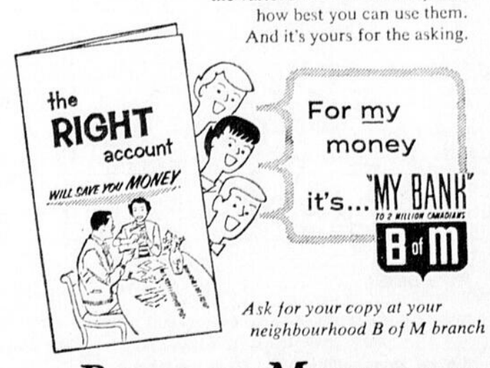

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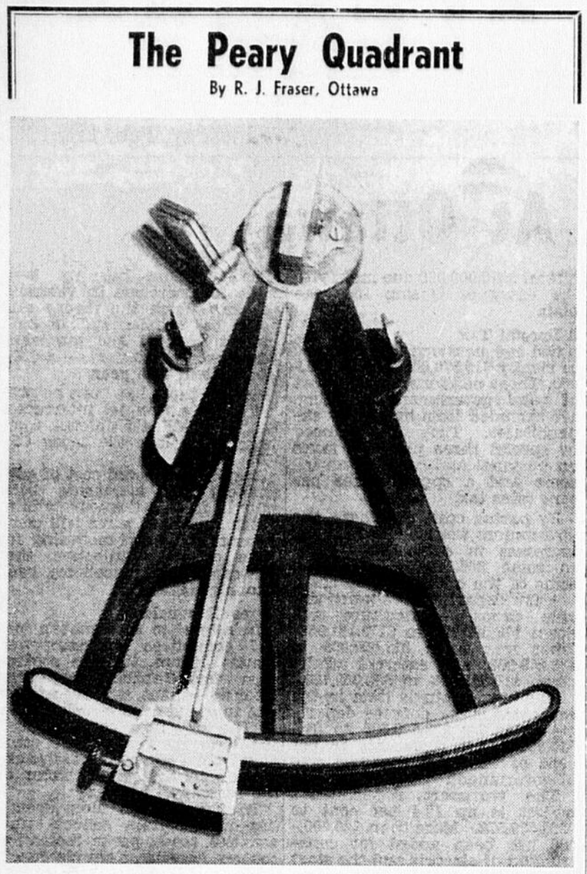
The Peary Quadrant

By R. J. Fraser, Ottawa



There hangs on the wall of my den what has come to be known as the "Peary" quadrant, a 150-year old navigating instrument reputed to be the one of its class to have been carried closest to the North Pole.

The quadrant is one of a not-so-long succession of sun and star observing instruments, from which have evolved the precise refined modern sextants, with their various adaptations for use on land, sea and in the air. It succeeded a 15th-17th century instrument known as the astrolabe. Samuel de Champlain, a "geographer royal", used an astrolabe when he explored and sketched and mapped the Richelieu and Champlain region in 1609. Four years later he lost it when crossing a portage of the Ottawa river near Renfrew. This historic fact came to light when, two hundred and fifty years later, the year of Confederation, a farmer's plough turned up the astrolabe. Long in the possession of an American citizen, efforts are being made to have it returned to the Royal Ontario Museum, Toronto.

Columbus used an astrolabe; so did Sir Francis Drake. Apparently it was the first instrument for measuring altitudes of sun and stars at sea. It had a complicated arrangement of planes and graduated circles, and could be held in a navigator's hand on the unstable deck, unlike its predecessors. These were the ancient mural circles and meridian circles, the latter an improvement over the former, having both a telescope and crosswires. They were both unwieldly and cumbersome for measuring astronomical distances and required permanent stationary bases on land. Another mariners' aid of this kind in use in the 16th and 17th centuries, New England settlement days, much cruder and simpler for measuring the sun's altitude, was the Cross-staff, or fore-staff.

The astrolabe of Champlain's time was followed by the reflecting quadrant for navigation, whose invention is credited to the English mathematician and astronomer, Sir Isaac Newton (1642-1747). He used it for his planetary measurements and contemporary mariners adapted it for star and sun sights at sea. There have been others for whom priority of invention or design have been claimed, mathematician and mechanician John Hadley of England (1682-1743) who produced a similar instrument in 1730, whilst a less distinguished scientist, Thomas Godfrey of Philadelphia, is said to have come up with a closely resembled design, what probably began as Newton's navigating instrument, and with slight modifications eventually developed into the modern sextant, was commonly known as "Hadley's" quadrant.

The "Peary" instrument, herewith photographed, is considered by some to be more correctly termed an octant, having a graduated arc an eighth of a circle, or forty-five degrees, though it can measure by double reflecting mirrors an arc of ninety degrees. Different makers varied the extent of the arc, with this one in particular being fifty degrees of the circle and graduated to one hundred, the ratio still being two to one. The frame is of ebony, the graduations and numbers on the arc and vernier are engraved on ivory, and the metal part are of old brass. It has three coloured sun shades of different densities for the protection of the observer's eye, but unlike the modern sextant it has no telescope, but instead has a "peep" sight, a tiny aperture for the eye, also fitted with a little circular coloured glass.

When Captain Robert Edwin Peary, USN, made his final discovery voyage and sled trip to the Pole, in 1909, he wintered his ship "Roosevelt" at Cape Sheridan in north latitude 82-30, only seven and half degrees from his ultimate destination. Thus this old instrument has the distinction of being the one of its class used closest to the North Pole, for any vessel that penetrated the Arctic Ocean beyond that latitude since the Peary expedition would be equipped with modern sextants designed to meet high latitude navigational requirements.

The following year, 1910, now a half-century ago, the writer helped evplore and chart portions of the Eastern Arctic and Hudson Bay and his little schooner was partly manned by several members of Peary's "Roosevelt" crew, including Captain Thomas Gushue ("Black Tom o' Brigus"), who had been the "Roosevelt's" mate under Captain Bob Bartlett of Arctic fame, and cabin boy Bill Pritchard whom Peary set ashore at Etah in north Greenland to guard his ship's coal supply and who about the same time became the guardian of a "gum-drop cache" of Peary's notorious rival claimant, Dr. Frederick Cook. Another of the polar expedition crew was George Percy of Brigus, Newfoundland, one of six with whom the writer made a snowshoe and sled journey over snow trails, eight hundred miles, for twenty-eight days in 1911, from the shores of Hudson bay to the nearest end of steel a few miles from Winnipeg.

Two years later, again in company with Captain Thomas Gushue, our little ship was crushed in the ice and sank under us, opposite Rupert's House, where the French St. Lawrence adventurers, Radisson and Groseilliers, had led Prince Rupert's Scots and Orkneymen to the establishment of the first fur-trading post of the Hudson's Bay Company, in 1670, exactly where, under Scotch "Chief Factors", it still functions as such to this day.

The "Peary" quadrant was given me by "Black Tom o' Brigus". Because I was the youngest of that party which was sent sailing north fifty years ago to chart the "Hudson Bay Route", I believe I am the last living today. The quadrant is in demand by at least one museum. It may eventually end up amongst other dusty relics. But it now becomes the possession of an exploring Arctic geographer's son, John Keith Campbell Fraser, M.A., Ph.D., great-great-grandson of one of the Inverness-shire pioneers to first settle in the Indian Lands of Dundee.

Valleyfield

January Meeting Ladies' Federation of Valleyfield United Church

VALLEYFIELD — Call to Worship by the President, Mrs. R. D. McEachern. The Scripture was read by Mrs. H. N. Riley followed by a Devotional talk exemplifying the Scripture. Mrs. McEachern talked briefly on 'Our Work as Women in the Church' giving examples of early women such as Mary, Priscilla, and Dorcas who worked much the same as we. There were questions asked among which was: Is the work of the Church today any less urgent than it was in Jesus' time? Are we as women giving our time and our best?

The minutes of the December meeting were read and the treasurer's report given. Final arrangements were made concerning the Spaghetti Supper to be held on Saturday, January 28;

Mrs. E. J. Bernhardt was called on to read the new slate of officers, and election was held.

The President then called on Rev. W. C. Pelletier to install the officers for 1961 and 1962.

Past President, Mrs. R. D. McEachern; President, Mrs. J. R. Bell; 1st. Vice, Mrs. H. N. Riley; 2nd. Vice, Mrs. R. D. McEachern; Secretary, Mrs. A. Chaplin; Treasurer, Mrs. C. S. Jones; Christian Stewardship, Mrs. W. J. Seagers; Christian Citizenship, Mrs. W. C. Pelletier; Supply, Mrs. H. Barnes; Literature, Mrs. G. Luney.

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Manse Committee — Mrs. T. Crook, Mrs. H. Montgomery.

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Mission Band — Mrs. R. D. McEachern, Mrs. D. D. McFee, Mrs. H. T. Coombs.

Baby Band — Mrs. C. McCuaig, Mrs. W. Graeber.

Missionary Monthly & Observer — Mrs. H. Montgomery.

Nursery School — Mrs. H. Beggs.

Press — Mrs. R. D. McEachern.

Library — Mrs. J. D. McDonald.

Mrs. J. R. Bell, the newly installed President then took the chair and spoke a few words to the ladies present.

New business followed including Group Planning for the year. At the close of the meeting refreshments were served by the hostesses, Mrs. J. Bell, Mrs. H. Riley, Mrs. A. Chaplin, Mrs. S. Jones and Mrs. R. McEachern.

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The senior class of Gault Institute held a card party on the evening of Thursday, January 19, 1961, the proceeds of which will go toward the class trip to New York City, in April. Bridge, 500 and cribbage were enjoyed by over one hundred persons. There were also a home cooked food table and white elephant table.

For the past few weeks, grade eleven students have been selling tickets for the raffle of a radio. The winning ticket drawn at the card party belonged to Miss Monique Corval. Mrs. D. Smith won the door prize.

During the prize giving, refreshments were served. Everyone enjoyed themselves and needless to say the large turnout pleased all of grade 11.

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Mrs. Radley Norton of Montreal was a weekend guest at the home of Mrs. D. N. Montgomery.

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Mrs. F. G. Mills of Montreal was a guest at the home of Miss Anne Wilson for a week.

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Mrs. Bruno Cormier of Montreal visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Cordy, last Friday.

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Miss Barbara Barnes, who is attending Carleton College, Ottawa, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Barnes.

United Church Activities

Miss Maureen Hamilton was elected Chief Explorer of the Explorer Group of Huntingdon United Church at their regular meeting at the Masonic Hall last Friday afternoon. Others elected to office included: Miss Nina Caldwell, Keeper of the Log and Miss Catherine Blake, Keeper of the Treasury.

The C.G.I.T. Group of Huntingdon United Church held their regular weekly meeting in the Church Hall last Friday afternoon. The girls continued their annual Mission Study and during the Business Meeting made plans for their annual Affiliation Service with the Woman's Missionary Society.

The Rev. Robert Beal returned from Kingston, Ontario, last Wednesday evening where he had been attending a two day Conference on "The Church and International Affairs". He will give a report of the Conference at the morning service of worship at Huntingdon United Church, on Sunday.

Maple Leaf Grange

February 7th: There will be a "Cracker Barrell" discussion on Cuban Affairs. Lecturer Allan Hunter is arranging this program with a view to better understanding of this fateful situation which is uppermost in our minds today. Come prepared with questions and answers as this should prove an interesting meeting.

February 3rd.-4th and 5th; All members and friends are urged to visit our Neighbouring Town of Malone to join with them in their First effort to promote good clean sport and fun for the Youth of the surrounding communities. Also to support the Grange Queen and Regional King, who will be appearing on the floats at the parade, and to support the Pomona Grange Float. The Ball, when the State Grange Queen will be crowned the Queen of the Winter Carnival will see a number of Huntingdon Citizens in attendance and all are requested to phone in immediately for tickets. This not only boosts our Grange, but the Huntingdon Community at large.

Franklin County Pomona Officers School which was held at Malone Grange was very successful and the delegation from Maple Leaf was as always very well received. It is good for any organization to see the Young people interested and at work for the good of their fellowman. We are proud and happy so many attended.

Dont Forget The Contests And Projects And Enter Early.

Dahlia's Whatnots

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they refrain from preaching sermons that agitate or alarm their nearers. He says the office of the church is to stabilize and relieve us. But are there not some mentalities which require to be alarmed before they can be stabilized permanently?

The author of the resolutions comments on reading. One of his opinions is that poetry is more suitable reading for girls than boys. It is true that in comparing the amount of poetry written by women with that by men, it is less, but we must remember that for centuries the opportunities of women to become literate, not to say educated, were scanty, often negligible. But still, the mass of poetry, epic, narrative, pastoral, ballads, sonnets, songs, hymns, and psalms, outpoured by masculine genius, would seem to prove that men other than poets, and also boys, can find pleasure and profit in the refining influence of poetry. There was an era when the recitation of "The Boy Stood on the Burning Deck" was often a feature of school concerts, but when presented by a little miss, were she ever so winsome, it never seemed quite so popular as when performed by a vigorous boy with fiery force flushing his features.

To end on a pleasant personal note, the professor confided to his radio audience that he was resolved to go in for gardening this year. One reason given was, "My hands are too beautiful." It is to be hoped that some kind friend will persuade him to wear gloves when gardening. We cannot have too many beautiful hands and we need more gardens.

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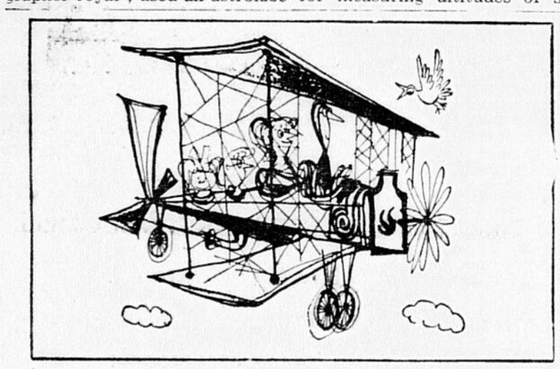
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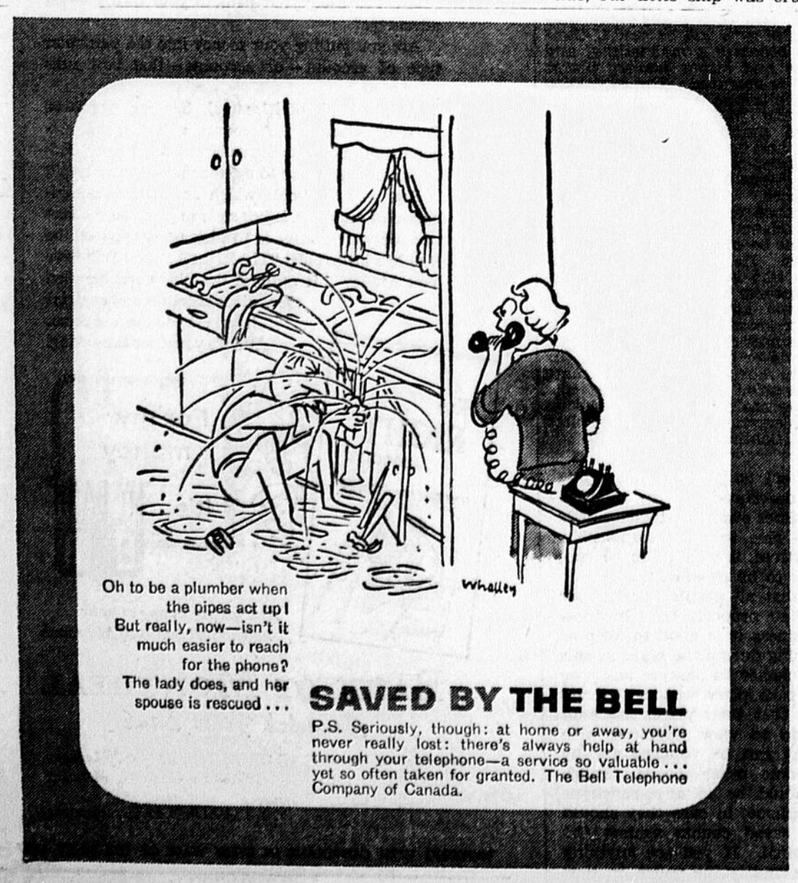

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The High Cost of Quitting School

(Reprinted From The Star Weekly Magazine)

Editor's Note
The Gleaner has been asked by several persons interested in education, to reprint excerpts from the following article—"The High Cost of Quitting School", which appeared in the January 28th, 1961, edition of the Star Weekly Magazine. It is quite timely and merits some study by everyone for it could prove quite vital to our economy:

by JOAN MORRIS

On the basis of past performance, which is useful in judging more than racehorses, it's possible to make several safe—but disturbing—predictions about the 425,000 or so Canadian youngsters who are now in their first year at school.

If current trends continue:
- More than 142,000 of these children will drop out before reaching high school;
- Another 142,000 will quit between the first year of high school and junior matriculation;
- Only about 60,000 of those who obtain junior matriculation will reach their senior year of high school;
- Of these, barely 35,000—or less than nine per cent of this year's new crop of students—will graduate.

What of all the others—the so-called school drop-outs? Who are they? What are their prospects in a society where education is becoming more vital than ever before? Why are so many children leaving school and, finally, how can this situation be corrected?

The immediate effect of Canada's high rate of school drop-outs is that thousands of untrained teenagers—at least 100,000 this year alone—are added annually to the nation's labor pool. Only those who have completed senior matriculation or vocational courses of some sort stand a good chance of finding steady jobs. The others, because of their inadequate education, face a lifetime of sporadic unemployment, frustration and unhappiness.

If the personal penalty is great, there are wider implications to consider. As Michael Starr, federal labor minister, has said, "If the present rate of drop-outs from Canadian schools continues, with its adverse effects on the economy, it can't help but affect every individual, industry and business establishment, in fact every organization in this and future generations". The effect is twofold. In the first place, untrained teenagers are increasing the number of unemployed. Secondly, those who fail to develop their full intellectual potential are robbing the country of its most precious natural resource—brain-power.

The real tragedy here is that it's not only the poorer students who leave school early. According to a recent survey by the Bureau of Statistics ,about 80 per cent of pupils with above-average I.Q.'s quit before completing high school. At a time when an increasing supply of better-educated man-power is urgently needed, such a statistic adds up to a national disgrace.

In this age of automation and technology, when training and skill are so necessary, those without them can't hope for anything but the increasingly few unskilled jobs that remain. Labor Minister Starr warns that "occupations in the semi-skilled or unskilled category—those for which the early drop-out from school must to a large extent compete—now account for only about 31 per cent of all jobs". The department of labor predicts that, if present trends continue, two-thirds of the country's workers will be unskilled or semi-skilled, competing for one-third of its jobs.

Many of the jobs that formerly the unskilled youth could have taken have now vanished. One Toronto boy who left school while in Grade 7 got a job setting up pins in a bowling alley, until an automatic pin-setter was installed; his next job was at a car-washing service, but it too lasted only a short time before his work was taken over by machines. At the moment he is drifting between short-term laboring jobs, with no permanent employment goal in the future.

As the demand for the unskilled decreases ,the need for trained workers, technicians and high school graduates is increasing rapidly. A personnel manager with General Electric says his company seldom requires a worker for general laboring, but wants someone with special training. "The fellow with the 'something extra' gets the nod every time. All industries are becoming more selective".

The National Employment Service has found that, despite a high rate of unemployment among unskilled teenagers, skilled jobs are going unfilled. Obviously, then, there's a serious discrepancy between what industry needs and what our educational and training systems are producing. Clearly, too, what was adequate yesterday in the way of education is becoming less and less adequate today. According to A. H. Brown, federal deputy minister of labor, "This lack of balance between the qualifications of our work force and the requirements for manpower potential could be a danger to our future industrial development and a barrier to full employment".

What future is there for the youngster who does quit school?

One indication is that even in 1955, when jobs were fairly easy to find, those who hadn't gone beyond Grade 8 accounted for two out of three of Canada's unemployed, while others with only one or two years of secondary school were out of work almost as often. Today, when jobs are much scarcer, the untrained teenager faces long periods of unemployment between short periods of work.

A study done by the U.S. department of labor showed that high school graduation and vocational training have proved their worth in the types of jobs and the steadiness of employment secured by the teenagers. Nearly 33 per cent of girl graduates, compared with only four per cent of the drop-outs, had first jobs as typists, stenographers, or bookkeepers; drop-outs were more likely to find jobs as waitresses or salesclerks. Even more revealing, the rate of unemployment was three times higher among drop-outs than among graduates.

The teenager who leaves school early not only will land the less interesting and less secure jobs, but he'll lose out also in salary. In terms of hard, cold cash, it pays to stay in school. Each year of high school adds about $230 a year in starting wages, while senior matriculation counts for $466 more per year. At the age of 30 it's estimated that the high school graduate makes 30 per cent more than the non-graduate.

Dr. E. F. Shefield, of the Canadian Universities Foundation, suggests another requirement. "We would be a long way towards solving the problem of school drop-outs if the calibre of our teachers was higher", he says. The crying need is for better high school teachers; children become bored by poor teachers. An inadequate teacher can make a student dislike not only the particular subject he teaches but school itself; a good one can inspire and guide his students—some to a graduation day they thought they'd never see.

But the whole blame can't be put on our educational system. The attitude of the student's parents toward education is important in deciding whether or not he or she remains in school. In fact, responsibility for equipping youth with the proper attitudes and motivation towards school and work begins with the family. Many experts feel that when parents fail to instill these attitudes they need look no further for the main cause of their son or daughter dropping out of school.

In some homes, school is dismissed as a place where the child can spend his time until he's old enough to go to work; in others, an education is regarded as both a privilege and a necessity. Some parents, ignorant of the current employment problem, thinking still of the 40's when any able-bodied person could get a job, encourage their children to leave school as soon as they can "to get an early start". It is not true to the same extent as it was in the "hungry 30's" that children have to leave to earn money to help the family. However, in some homes, finances are so strained that it is difficult for the family to provide the additional money needed for the clothes and extras the student must have.

Our educational system and the student's family must share the blame for the large number of school drop-outs; so must our culture. Ours is a culture that emphasizes material possessions, the acquisition of goods, money in the pocket, and "living it up". Given glimpses through T.V. of a hitherto unguessed-at adult world, the teenager is often eager to leave school to share in the delights of a car, personal freedom, and deceptively rosy adult experiences.

"Earning their own money may look like true independence to the 16-year-olds", says C. A. L. Murchison, commissioner of the Unemployment Services Commission. "If they get jobs when they drop out of school, the chances are that they'll be temporary and relatively poorly paying jobs. And the chances are that 10 years from now, probably with wives and families to support, these young people will still be doing unskilled jobs, if they're employed at all".

It is obvious that if we are to keep children interested in school, we must have an educational system that is suited to the individual child's needs and abilities—and to the demands of the times. It should be possible to design courses of instruction which can be interesting and of substantive value to at least some of the young people who do not make headway within our existing system. Several high schools in Ottawa, for example, are now offering as many as five courses (rather than just one fixed curriculum) to meet the varying needs, and to keep youngsters in school.

As long as only a limited choice of education is available, some children (not defective but of limited learning ability) won't be able to make the grade and will drop out. Studies show that these children in the I.Q. range from 75-95, produce far more than their share of juvenile delinquents, of school discipline problems, and of school drop-outs. These children with limited learning ability must be provided for when educational revision is discussed. The loss to society of their intellectual potential is not as great as the loss of the top-class students who don't complete senior matriculation, but in terms of their personal satisfaction and their work career their problem is as acute.

Industry is also concerned about the number of untrained youths seeking jobs. Most employers now urge youngsters applying for jobs to return to school. The Bell Telephone Co., for example, works with the schools in counselling and helping those teenagers who they feel should have further training. In addition they hire some of their office staff on a part-time basis, enabling the girls to continue their schooling while earning money.

There are few social problems that affect all of us, directly or indirectly, to the extent that the school drop-out problem does. At stake are the security and happiness of thousands upon thousands of our youth; at stake too is the economic equilibrium of our society. Through careful planning and the co-operation of schools, government and industry, a better future can be assured for the hundreds of thousands of Canadian youngsters who are just beginning the long and vital process called education.

Franklin Centre

FRANKLIN CENTRE — On Monday evening, January 16th, a very impressive Ceremony was held in the Franklin Intermediate School's Auditorium when the Cub and Scout Masters were "Invested". The Cub Master, Mr. Stanley Currie and Assistant Cub Master, Mr. Billy Stevenson were "Invested" by Mr. Wm. Sexton D.C. of the Chateauguay Valley District, assisted by Mr. Earl Way D.C.M. and Mr. H. Wall Clarke A.D.C. Scout Master, Mr. Walter Currie and Assistant Scout Masters Rev. Allan Barnes and Mr. H. Wall Clarke were Invested by Mr. Wm. Sexton D.C. assisted by Mr. Ed. Burgess D.S.M. Mr. Victor Welburn, president of District Council of Chateauguay Valley District presented Mr. Glenn Waller, Chairman of the Frontier Group Committee with the "Charter". Lunch was served by the ladies of the Frontier Group Committee.

The "Light Bulb Drive" held on Saturday, January 21st, was a decided success. The bulbs were all sold before the district had all been canvassed. More bulbs have been ordered and the drive will be continued next Saturday. If anyone has Cubs' or Scouts' Uniforms, not in use would they please get in touch with Mr. Walter Currie or Rev. A. Barnes.

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The Anglican Church Vesper Meeting was held on Monday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Towns. The financial standing of the Church, Guild and the Cemetery were found very satisfactory. Cemetery donations have been so far very generous, work on same is expected to commence in the spring. The same officers were re-elected also two new "Sidesmen". Some of the ladies of the Guild helped with the refreshments, which were served at the close of the meeting.

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The W.M.S. and W.A. held their meeting in the Church Hall on Wednesday afternoon. The joint Worship Service opened with the Theme "The Bible" conducted by the president and members. The Scripture Reading was from J. B. Phillips Translations. At the business period it was decided to send 2 quilts and some children's clothing to Dixville, Que., for retared children. The quilting will take place in February. A dress has been ordered which is to be sent to the Supply Secretary in Montreal.

The W. A. opened their meeting with a fair attendance of members present, one new member joined the society and one visitor was present. The Menu was planned for the Teachers' Association Supper in February. Plans were made for the Congregational Supper on January 26th. It was discussed about the advisability of appointing a Literature Convener. Some other matters were discussed but left to be settled until after the Congregational Meeting.

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The Senior C.G.I.T. Group met at the home of Merle Dunn on Saturday afternoon. The meeting opened with their Purpose followed by their business meeting at which final plans were made for the Convention, which is to be held on Saturday, the 28th. Different Projects for the coming months were reviewed. The Treasurer read her "Report" which is to be presented at the Congregational meeting on the 26th, inst. The girls filled out their "Evaluation Forms" which took up all their spare time. Mary Dunn and Merle Dunn conducted the "Worship Period". The Theme was Temptation. The meeting was dismissed with "The More We Get Together. Merle Dunn served refreshments and Sheila Wilson thanked Mrs Keith Dunn for her hospitality.

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Mrs. Howard Blair held a quilting party on Monday evening for the benefit of the W.I. Eight members were present and enjoyable social work hours were spent in this good cause.

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A Skating Party and a Record Hop, sponsored by the Students' Council was held at the school on Friday night. A good time was had by those present and hot dogs and soft drinks were sold during the evening.

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Mrs. Nelson Patenaude of Malone, N.Y., was visiting in this community last week.

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Chicken-pox is still going the rounds at the school; every day or so, one or two drop off from the attendance roll for six or seven days.

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Miss Barbara Blair, N.I.T. at the Queen Elizabeth Hospital, Montreal, spent the week-end with her aunts, Mrs. Clarence Blair and Miss Cora Blair.

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Miss Thelma Sutton, R.O.N. of Montreal, was home for the week-end. Mr. Barry Hyndman

Covey Hill

Mrs. Wellington Potter of Covey Hill, Mrs. Frank Borden of of Lachine spent the week-end at the same home.

Brainardsville, N.Y., spent Thursday in Malone, N.Y., visiting friends.

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Mr. and Mrs. Paul Laroche spent Sunday in Beauharnois.

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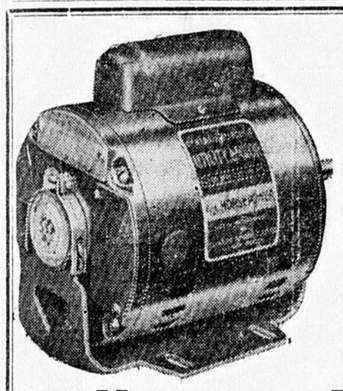

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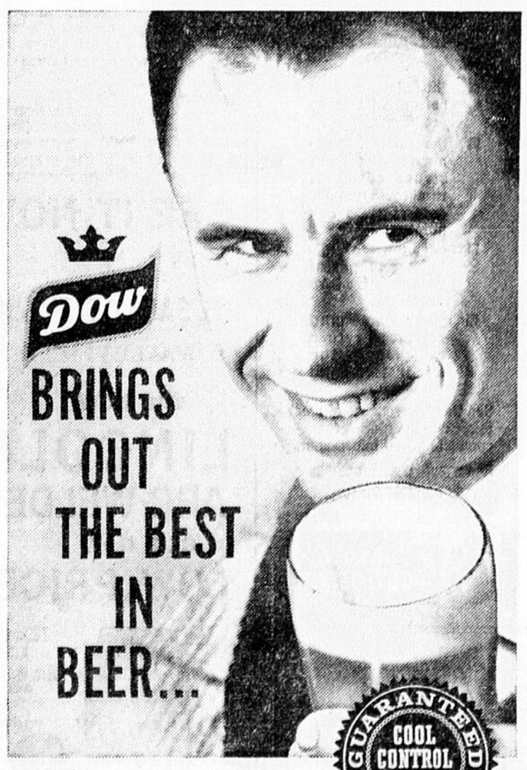

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W.M.S. Meeting Held

ATHELSTAN — The January meeting of the Presbyterian Woman's Missionary Society was held Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. H. W. Waldie. The President, Mrs. George McIntyre presided. The Worship Service was conducted by Mrs. Green and Mrs. Waldie. This group accepted their committment for 1961. It being the same as for the past two years. An invitation o meet with the United Church Woman's Missionary Society for the World Day of Prayer, February 17th, was read and accepted. This meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Reese, at 2.30 o'clock. The annual reports of the Secretary and Treasurer were read and accepted. Mrs. Tully had charge of the lesson for the day and gave a most interesting article on the life of Mary, the mother of Jesus, one of the women of the Bible, mentioned in the New Testament. A letter was also read containing the Christmas message from Rev. George Malcolm and his wife Margaret (the former Margaret Nimmo) who are at present in Wingham, Ont. This year's letter being somewhat different from those received from them, from their Mission field in Trinidad, where they have served for the past few years. The Malcolms are at present home on furlough. The meeting closed and a delicious hot supper was served by the hostess.

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Mr. Peter Tully arrived at Dorval Air Port, on Thursday last, from Florida, where he recently enjoyed a short holiday having accompanied W. H. Waldie to Hollywood by motor. The trip down was most enjoyable as were also the sightseeing trips in and around Hollywood. One place visited that was of special interest to Peter was the McArthur Dairy Farm, where a herd of 1000 milk cows were seen. The milk bottling process was most fascinating to watch. Mr. Waldie remained in Florida, where he will spend the next few weeks.

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Mr. and Mrs. Donald McEwen and family of Ormstown and Mr. Clarence Anderson of Chateaugay, N.Y. were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Hamilton.

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Mrs. C. C. Reed of Montreal spent a few days this week with her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Barwick. Other recent guests at the same home were Mr. anl Mrs. Arthur Barwick and daughter Beverly of St. Lambert.

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Powerscourt

POWERSCOURT — For quite some time now the floor of the "Old Covered Bridge" has been in dangerous condition, on account of broken boards and loose spikes, a constant worry to motorists. Now, despite the severe cold weather, workmen have arrived to make the necessary repairs. It is to honed that the job will not take too long, otherwise many folks will be inconvenienced.

Week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Ross were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Millard of Rosemount, Que., and Mr. Phil Carrigan of Athelstan. They helped to celebrate Linda's eighth birthday.

Mr. Stewart Ross and May accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Morris McLean to Montreal on Thursday.

Lacolle

LACOLLE — This week, January 29th to February 5th, is known throughout most of the Christian world as Christian Youth Week. It is a time set aside by the World Council of Churches as a time to call youth to go into all the world together for Christ.

On Sunday, February 5th, at the United Church in Clarenceville, Lacolle and Henryburg special services will be held to sponsor Youth Week. The guest speaker at all services will be Miss Margaret Quigley, Girl's Work Secretary for the Council of Christian Education. Miss Quigley's topic for the day will be "The Church as a life job."

Along with Miss Quigley several of the young people will take part. The service will be led by the student minister, Mr. Kent Garrett.

Obituary

The Late Mrs. H. C. Kelly

On January 19th, 1961 Mrs. Hannah C. Kelly, widow of William P. Kelly, passed away at Winnipeg, Man. in her 95th year.

Interment took place at Huntingdon Protestant Cemetery January 24th.

Surviving are: one son Mr. Russell W. Kelly, of Calgary. Two daughters Miss Myrtle Kelly of Winnipeg and Mrs. Mabel Macleod of Toronto; seven grandchildren and seven great grandchildren, a brother Mr. Frank Sparrow of Winnipeg and a sister Mrs. Annie Meyers of Montreal West.

Franklin Centre

FRANKLIN CENTRE — The United Church Congregational Meeting was held in the Church Hall, on Thursday evening, January 26th. Owing to the severe cold weather and sickness the attendance was not as large as usual. After supper the meeting was held. Mr. James Manning, Secretary-Treasurer, read the minutes of the last meeting and gave his report, which was followed by reports from each of the six organizations in connection with the church. It was a very successful meeting indicative of a very good year for the Church, financially and otherwise.

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Mrs. James Manning, Leader, and Mary and Merle Dunn, Sheila Wilson and Carol Towns attended the Provincial Senior Girls and Leaders, C.G.I.T. Conference at Wesley United Church on Saturday. The Theme was "Into All The World Together. They all enjoyed the conference, then, after the Banquet, accompanied by Mr. James Manning and Margaret attended Cinerama.

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Mr. and Mrs. James Brooks and two sons, of Montreal, spent Saturday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Brooks and Russell.

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Mr. and Mrs. John Barr celebrated their 45th Wedding Anniversary on Thursday, January 26th, at their home in Montreal. The following relatives from here attended: Mrs. Clarence Blair and Miss Cora Blair, Mr. and Mrs. Fergus Moore of Covey Hill. Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Dickenson, Miss Audrey Dickenson, Mr. and Mrs. Merrill Lindsay of Ormstown and Mrs. Wilson from St. Chrysostome.

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Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Sherrington of Dorval, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Sherington, Sr.

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Mr. and Mrs. Earl McNiece, Mrs. E. B. Smith and Miss Annie Waddell of Montreal, spent the week-end with Mr. John and Miss Libbie Waddell.

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Mr. Bruce Cleland of Montreal spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bryce Bruce. Sunday guests at the same home were Mr. Willard Greig, Kathie and John of Cairnside and Miss Hazel Bruce of Montreal.

Dundee

DUNDEE — Last Wednesday evening three calves were stolen around St. Agnes de Dundee. Mr. Jos. Platt had a six week old heifer calf and a two week old bull calf taken from his barn. The same evening Mr. Bill Leslie had a young calf stolen as well as a good radio from his stable. Police are investigating.

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Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Platt and four children spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hart of Grande Ligne, Que.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Platt also Mr. and Mrs. Harland Platt and Linda motored to Ottawa, on Sunday, to visit with Mrs. Phyllis Forbes and daughter Sharon.

Miss Dawn Elder of Montreal spent the week-end at her home in St. Agnes.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Young, Gregory and Allison also Mrs. A. H. Fraser recently motored to Montreal, where they spent the day with relatives and friends.

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The School Commission and teachers of the Dundee Consolidated School held a very successful card party in the school last Friday night. Prizes went to Mrs. Scanlan of Bombay, N.Y. and Mr. James Arnold in winning the most games. Consolation prizes went to Mrs. Hilda Holden of Fort Covington, N.Y. and Miss Dawn Elder. Mrs. Jos. Platt won the travelling prize. One of the prizes was donated by Mrs. Lucien Quesnel of St. Agnes.

EMPLOYEES WITH LONG EMPLOYMENT RECORD

MacDonald and Robb Ltd. of Valleyfield, gave a supper recently for employees with long years of service at The La Lanterne Restaurant in Valleyfield. The occasion was the 80th birthday of Pierre Proulx who has been with the company for 61 years. Sitting from l. to r.: Emmons McDonald, 34 years service; Pierre Proulx, 60 years; Lionel Robb, 31 years; Standing: Tom Crook, 45 years; Paul Grenon, 25; C. Vinet, 16; R. Rousseau, 44; A. Duhé, 34 and René Daignault, 19 years.

(Photo Peter Rozon.)

Hemmingford

Red Cross Group

Students at Hemmingford High School have long been members of the Red Cross and are very active in raising funds for their good works. Their President is Doreen Kyle; Vice-Pres., Shirley Warner; Secretary, Wilma Clark; Treasurer, Mary Hebert, with Advisor, Miss Ann Northup. On Friday evening, January 27th, they held a dance at the school which was quite well attended and enjoyed The music was supplied by Fishers' Orchestra.

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Baptism

On Sunday, January 29th, at St. Andrew's United Church, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Ellerton was baptized during the morning service by the Rev. K. Murray. She received the names Carmen Irene.

After the service Mr. and Mrs. Ellerton entertained some 27 guests to dinner.

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Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Jim Laurie on the arrival of a baby daughter, 8 lbs 10½ ozs, at the Barrie, on Saturday, January 28th. Both very well, indeed. Mrs. Laurie's mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Mathews and her sister Bliss, visited her on Sunday afternoon.

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Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Hill spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Duncan of Ormstown

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Broomball Matches

Boys. — Hemmingford High 2 vs. St. Roman's High 1 For Hemmingford: Bobby McFarlane 1, Jack Brennan 1; For St. Roman's Serge Sabourin 1.

Girls. — Hemmingford High 0 vs. St. Roman's High 0.

Basketball

Hemmingford High played away this week at Huntingdon and lost. Scores: Boys. — Huntingdon 85 vs Hemmingford 34; Girls. — Huntingdon 31 vs. Hemmingford 18.

The Pee Wee Hockey League

The juniors have played three matches this week in order to get through the second half of the programme and on to the play-offs while the ice is still good. Scores as follows:

Thursday, January 26th: Black Hawks (coach Ron Lee) 8; Yves Bourdon 2, Hubert Boulerice 3, Alan McKough 1, Stewart Cleland 2, vs. Red Wings (coach E. Keddy) 3; Dale McNaughton 1, Bobby Lussier 1, Denis Williams 1.

Saturday, January 28th. 2 p.m. — Maple Leaf (coach J. Laurie) 4; Bobby McFarlane 2, Michael Dumouchel 1, Rhett Gilpin 1; vs. Red Wings 3; Bobby Lussier 1, Dale McNaughton 1, Gerry Patenaude 1.

Saturday, 4 p.m. — Black Hawks (coach Ron Lee) 4; Yves Bourdon 1, Stewart Cleland 1, Hubert Boulerice 1, Gerald Brennan 1; vs. Rangers (coach L. Keddy) 1; Jack Brennan 1

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Athletic Association

On Sunday evening, January 29th, the A.A. who sponsored the Ice Carnival last Sunday and the senior hockey match, married men vs. single, at night, urged the single men to seek their revenge. To no avail! The score: Married men 16; Single men 2.

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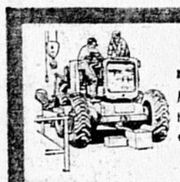

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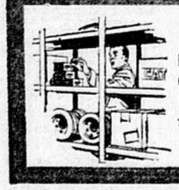

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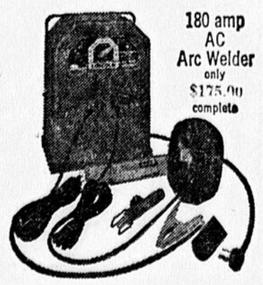

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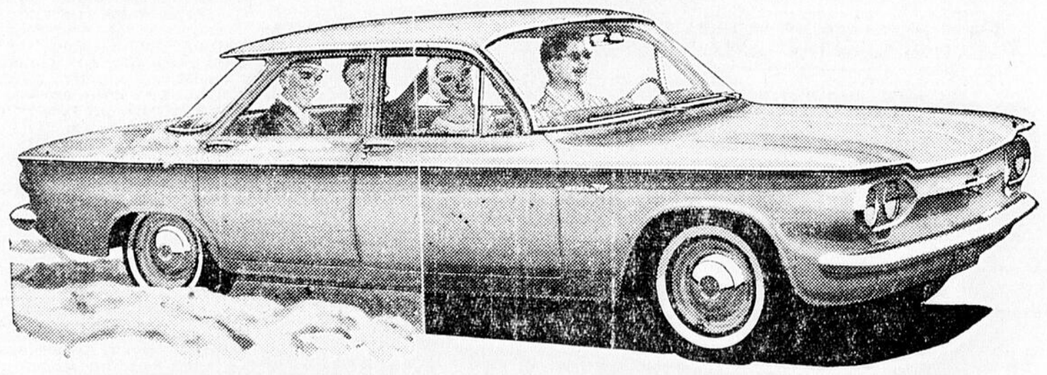

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