

# It's progress or else — Mayor

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### NEW WMA EXECUTIVE

Retiring Westmount Municipal Association president J. H. Richer (right) greets his successor, R. L. Hunter prior to the annual Spring meeting Tuesday night. Looking on is new association vice-president C. Aspler.

## Fears loss of Atwater Park land to Montreal

Now that the smoke has blown away following the Tuesday night session of the Westmount Municipal Association — it looks like progress or else.

But there is also more than ample evidence that some localites don't like it. Agree to the multi-million dollar complex at Atwater avenue or we may lose the whole thing to Drapeau — that was the underlying tenor of the words let fall by Mayor C. H. Drury.

"We will become a shopping centre for the people of Verdun, St. Henry and Point St. Charles" commented the opposition.

Since a WMA-sponsored questionnaire showed some 97 per cent against annexation to Montreal, progress appears to have the inside track at the moment, even if under duress and force majeure.

### West End Plaza is main topic

While the Mayor, and citizens discussed or debated such topics as annexation, the Westmount Centre Project, Dorchester widening and expropriation, Metro, and Westmount Park work attention focused mainly on the \$22,000,000 West End Plaza.

Plans released last week call for a 30-storey shopping, apartment, office building project on the site of the former Atwater Park, 80% of which is in Westmount.

Mayor Drury stated that in spite of some of the "unpleasant attributes" of the project (he referred specifically to the loss of a view of part of the river for some residents) "the development must be carried out with a minimum of delay if Westmount is not to drop back."

Westmount might even lose the entire site through transfer to the City of Montreal, he said. "In fact, representations, so far unofficial have already been made to Quebec for the transfer. But, as yet, no action by Quebec has been taken."

### Tax rates

Mayor Drury added that, "unless the tax base in this city is broadened and redevelopment of outmoded areas continued, the tax rate will reach a figure so much above that of Montreal that annexation by Montreal might appear to be most desirable."

Additional annual revenue from the project will amount to about three-quarters of a million dollars. "The cost of this development, in excess of \$22,000,000, will produce a very substantial revenue which will help in future — when it is added to the taxable roll and does its part to increase revenue by widening the tax base rather than increasing the mill rate," he declared.

The Mayor's comments brought a mixed reaction from the audience. Real Estate Developer Robert Cummings, Aberdeen avenue, argued that according to the recently issued annual report the city's financial position was excellent.

Ten, fourteen or sixteen storey buildings within the limitations of the master zoning by-laws would bring in sufficient revenue, he said.

"The developers, not the city, actually benefit from the plans," he declared.

He urged Council to call a city-wide referendum on the rezoning. "It is not something that

should be decided by the six, eight or ten people that are entitled to vote on the rezoning but by every citizen in Westmount."

### Meeting highlights

## Dorchester park is studied

Mayor C. H. Drury said Monday that City Council may build a park on expropriated land near Dorchester.

He told Municipal Association members that "the excess of land adjacent to the new Dorchester street and our private bill to expropriate (mentioned in the last news letter) will give the city

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the ability at the appropriate time to create additional park space, but there is much undecided at present."

Retiring president J. H. Richer reported that results of an annexation poll conducted recently by the WMA show that out of the 6,000 ballots received, 97.3% were opposed to joining Montreal. About 41% of Westmount householders returned the questionnaire.

### Question period

This parallels a poll conducted by The Westmount Examiner in February, following what were termed "take over threats by Montreal." In the survey, 98.1% of the ballots favored autonomy. About 25% urged closer co-operation, however, between Westmount and Montreal and other island municipalities.

The Association elected R. L. Hunter president to succeed Mr. Richer. Elected to succeed retiring vice-presidents Robert W. Coristine and J. Murray Savage, were Mrs. John Porteous and Charles Aspler.

Members-at-large elected to serve on the civic nominating committee which selects candidates for mayor and alderman were M. S. Robertson and J. W. Knox.

### Next week's weather

By ERIC NEAL  
MAY 16 TO 23

Although mainly sunny this week, nights could be quite cool. Days warm with morning mists or dews. A wide temperature range probable, with some nights down to 30°F, but days up to 75°F or 80°F.

Quite warm and sultry through the middle of the week. Some risk of evening thunder-showers with hail. Morning drizzle in the Laurentians, possibly some freezing rain. Snow flurries in all the north.

Improving generally to end the week. Lilac, honeysuckle, also choke cherries and wild plums in flower.

Pleasant and quite warm for the weekend, but nights cool with risk of frosts.

## Rotary elects new officers

W. M. Reay, controller and director of Nesbitt Thomson and Co. Ltd., has been elected president of the Westmount Rotary Club. He takes office July 1, beginning of the Rotary year.

A graduate of Kings School and Westmount High, Mr. Reay



W. M. Reay  
... president-elect

is a nine year veteran with the local Rotary Club. Currently vice-president, he has been prominent in the club with his work on the Youth Service Committee and Scholarship Committees.

He is honorary treasurer of the Queen Elizabeth Hospital and a former chairman of the Quebec District Investment Dealers Association of Canada.

Other officers elected were L. J. Stuart vice-president, A. Spiers secretary, J. Burke, treasurer, and J. K. Lemmon, Sgt.-at-Arms.

## City seeks tenders for \$1,999,000 bond issue

Westmount is this week calling for tenders for the sale of City debentures to a total value of \$1,999,000. Public notice of the sale was inserted yesterday in the Quebec Official Gazette.

These non-callable debentures will be issued in denominations of \$1,000 each. The first block of \$1,200,000 will be redeemable on May 1 1994.

A second block of \$799,000 will be dated May 1, 1965 and are redeemable in 1974.

Interest, according to the city resolution, will be not less than 5% per annum nor more than 6%.

Tenders will be received at City Hall up to June 1 when they will be opened at a special sitting of city council.

It was explained that the city will require about \$2,000,000 in cash by June 30, primarily for public works, Dorchester expropriation, and the new police and fire station under construction.

### Two weeks ahead of schedule

## Pool to open on Saturday

Westmount's everpopular swimming pool opens Saturday, two weeks ahead of schedule. No ceremony will mark the occasion except perhaps a gigantic splash from hundreds of local youngsters straining at the leash ever since the advent of warm weather. Original opening date was June 1.

Doors open at 9:30 a.m. A pool schedule is still being drawn up by the recreation department but it is expected that the facilities will remain open until 9:45 p.m. each evening. While daytime use is generally divided into hour per-

iods for different age groups under 16, the period from 5 to 6 p.m. is usually reserved for adults. A general swim would follow from 6 to 7:30 p.m. with adults only from 7:30 to 9:45.

Traditional Sunday hours are 1:00 to 6 p.m.

Last year the pool far surpassed all other recreation features in popularity. Between opening June first and closing September 28, attendance totalled about 80,362 in the first full year of operation.

Participants in pool activities must carry the standard (Continued on page 4)

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Announcement



**L. MACKAY SMITH Jr.**

The appointment of L. Mackay Smith Jr. as President is announced by L. M. Smith, Chairman of the Board.

Mr. L. Mackay Smith Jr. was formerly Vice-President and Controller of the firm.

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**C. B. Purves at scientific meet**

C. B. Purves, Hudson avenue, Westmount, chairman of the Department of Chemistry at McGill was among 46 department chairmen and professors from 26 colleges attending a two-day scientific symposium this week at the Armstrong Cork Company's general office in Lancaster, Pa.

C. A. Kinkler, professor of chemistry also represented McGill.

A total of 24 papers prepared by the company's research department in the fields of chemistry, chemical engineering and physics were presented at the meeting.

**Open Door Society plans event, May 22**

The Open Door Society, a voluntary organization to encourage general acceptance of children of mixed racial background, will hold an inaugural fund raising party on May 22 at the home of Prof. and Mrs. M. Oliver, 631 Grosvenor avenue.

Gord Sinclair of CFOX will conduct an auction, refreshments will be served and entertainment provided.

**This Week in Westmount**

by VALENTINA RAHR

Westmount members of the Citizenship Committee of the Montreal Council of Women, were hostesses at the reception after the presentation of Canadian Citizenship papers to New Canadians this week. In her welcoming address which was delivered in French and English, Mrs. Dunne, The Boulevard, said: "On behalf of the societies and the Montreal Council of Women, which represent over 100,000 women, who are interested in all phases of community effort, I congratulate you on successfully completing the various steps leading to the granting of citizenship in Canada."

"The certificate you are receiving today is a symbol and official acknowledgment of your citizenship. In this respect the

right to vote is now yours, and is your most important privilege and duty. But to become a full citizen in a democracy it means to take part as members of groups, whether local, professional or others, according to the needs and wishes for one own's welfare and for the welfare of others."

Judge Jean Deguire presided over the Court during the presentation of citizenship papers. Members of the Montreal Women's Council who were hostesses included: Mrs. A. W. D. Swan, president; Miss Helen Guiton, Mrs. J. H. Dunne, Mrs. W. V. Dorothy George, Mrs. J. Low-Beer, Mrs. V. Rahr, Mrs. M. Abbott, past president.

Falling Poles, electric wire

damage, shattered window-panes trees and branches felled to the ground, potted plants upturned, drying laundry outside carried away for blocks, were some of the results of the heavy winds in Westmount this week.

Wedding Bells this week for Lt. D. Harrison and Miss Beverley Anne Ross . . . Royal Montreal Regiment, St. Catherine west, annual ball on Saturday attended by uniformed escorts accompanied swankily frocked ladies . . .

Selwyn House student Jan Wyllie, and son of author John Wyllie, one of the winners in the Royal Commonwealth Society essay contest. Awards were presented by the Duke of Devonshire . . . CNR President Donald Gordon, Edgehill road, attending official ceremonies of the opening of a new electro writer network this week . . . R. Keyserlingk, Cote St. Antoine road, predicting the loosening of Krenlin's group on Soviet Bloc countries due to the Moscow-Peking rift . . . Telephone and mail campaign to interest residents in Westmount this week to make official protestations against towering buildings in this area . . . Miss Winnifred Wilson, gay in light blue summer coat and velvet flowered hat . . .

**Injunction hearings re-open Wednesday**

Hearings on the petition to annual Westmount's zoning by-law amendment which permits construction of the \$20,000,000 Westmount Centre complex will re-open Wednesday. Magistrate Court Judge Victor Chabot is expected to receive written arguments from both counsel for the City of Westmount and for the petitioner, Mrs. Diana Martin.

The petition contends that rezoning to make way for the high rise project was carried out illegally. It states that notice to the electors-proprietors was given seven days before the enactment instead of the statutory eight day delay.

Two other points in support

For your own peace of mind learn all you can about cancer. Write or call your local unit of the Canadian Cancer Society. All information supplied is completely free, if you are over 35, have a regular physical check-up. Remember, if you should get the disease, that your chances of a cure are good — and increasing all time.

of the petition are still to be discussed. The petition contends that, because the zoning affected two separate zones, two notices should have been sent for two separate meetings.

The final contention is that all of the elector-proprietors in zones R4 and C4 should have been called to the meeting, but only a portion were actually notified.

**Obituary**

**William M. Wilson**

Funeral services for William M. Wilson, 64, former manager, administration planning of Northern Electric Company Limited were held Saturday at 11 a.m. from the D. A. Collins Chapel, 5610 Sherbrooke street west. Interment was in Mount Royal Cemetery.

Mr. Wilson died at the Royal Victoria Hospital May 6 following a brief illness. He is survived by his wife, the former Bennetta Long whom he married in 1923.

Born in Dundee, Scotland on May 9, 1900, Mr. Wilson received some of his early education there before coming to Canada in 1910. He continued his education in Canada and the United States, later taking extension courses at Sir George Williams University.

Mr. Wilson was employed by the Grand Trunk Railway as an office boy and junior clerk from 1913-1916. He joined Northern Electric in May 1920 as an accounts payable clerk. He subsequently worked in various accounting positions and was appointed personnel superintendent of the company's telephone division in 1943. In 1947, he was appointed senior accountant in general accounting and later chief methods accountant. His appointment as manager, administration planning, industrial and public relations came in 1957. He held this position until his retirement in May 1962.

During the first World War he served as a gunner with the 8th Army Brigade CFA and saw service in England, France and Belgium. He was discharged on his return to Canada in April 1919.

He was a member of Northern Electric branch of the Royal Canadian Legion, and a life member of the Northern Electric Council Telephone Pioneers of America.



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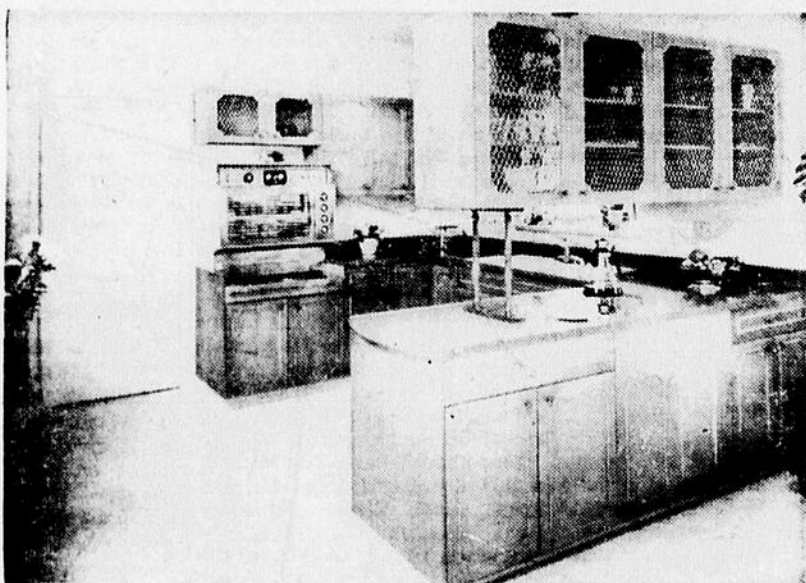
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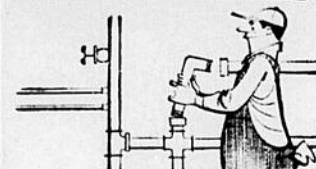
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## Rotary Carnival set June 16-20

The Westmount Rotary Carnival will be held from June 16 to 20 this year at the Municipal Skating Rink, Rotary President E. E. Mills announced this week.

At least 50 members are now busy with the planning. By opening night they will have been joined by at least 500 volunteers from all over the island.

This year there will be some 30 booths, featuring games of skill or chance, bingo, a fish pond and novelty booths. A 1964 automobile will be drawn for—tickets and available from Rotarians or at the carnival. Other prizes include dolls, lamps, blankets, hampers, and many more items. Last year about 12,500 prizes were given away.

The carnival is strictly an amateur production. No professionals are engaged to assist members. It represents Rotary's only appeal for contributions for its charitable projects.

Members of the carnival executive committee are: E. E. Mills, L. J. Stuart, W. F. Close, J. P. Burrows, P. R. Gosling, R. MacKay and J. W. Glen.

## Mrs. M. Norris selected for study group

Mrs. M. H. Norris, assistant to the accountant at the Bank of Montreal's Claremont avenue and Sherbrooke street branch, has been chosen to attend the B of M's staff study group for senior women bankers.

The course will be held from May 19 to 29, and Mrs. Norris is one of 14 women bankers from across Canada selected to attend. Mrs. Norris, who has been assistant to the accountant since 1962, joined the B of M in Verdun, in 1946, as a typist-clerk.

The study group is the second of its kind to be given by the B of M and is designed to recognize the growing role being played by women in the daily operation of the bank.

Lectures, workshops and discussions are planned to prepare the ladies for further responsibilities at their branches and to acquaint them with the bank's operations at more than 935 branches in Canada.

The course will be held in the B of M's new staff training centre in the new 34-storey C-I-L House building in the heart of downtown Montreal.

## Rotary plans two trips for elderly

Westmount Rotary's "Golden Age" committee, headed by D. White, have lined up bus trips and luncheons for the residents of Father Dowd's Memorial Home. They will visit Dieppe House at St. Hilaire on Thursday, May 14, leaving Montreal at 10:30 a.m.

Also planned is a bus trip for members of the Westmount Friendship Club to visit Hemmingford for the Apple Blossom Festival on May 20, leaving Victoria Hall at 10 a.m.

## Rink becomes a playground

The Artificial Ice Rink will again be used as an indoor playground this summer. It will contain shuffleboards, badminton and basketball courts and will be available for roller skating from time to time, recreation department officials announced.

Last summer, unseasonable temperatures and above average rainfall led to the rink being used in this manner for the first time. "Without the building, a useful summer program would not have been possible," the officials said.



### INSPECTION

Squadron Leader D. V. Tempest, officer commanding the 104 Communications Flight at the St. Hubert RCAF base, reviews cadet members of the No. 1 West Montreal Squadron at their annual inspection Monday at the RMR.

### In No 1 Squadron Inspection

## Borris Grek is top Air Cadet

Over 200 observers turned up Monday night to witness the annual inspection of the No. 1 (West Montreal) Squadron, Royal Canadian Air Cadets held in the Royal Montreal Regiment Drill Hall.

Squadron leader D. V. Tempest, officer commanding the 104 Communications Flight at the RCAF base at St. Hubert reviewed the 71 cadets on parade and praised the squadron for its performance.

He later presented the Tud Hope Trophy for the most proficient cadet in all subjects on the training syllabus to Cadet Flt. Sgt. Borris Grek.

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Most proficient cadet in navigation was Cadet Sgt. Jack Ramanowski who received the Pathfinders trophy.

Cadet WO I. S. Brown, won the Westmount Trophy for the cadet voted most worthy by his fellow cadets.

Cadet Flt. Sgt. David Waddell, received the Commanding Officers Trophy for the cadet who has shown the most progress over

### SHOCKING FISH

FORT WILLIAM, Ont. (CP) — The regional fish and wildlife service plans to conduct a survey of the fish population, using a 117-volt electric fish checker. Electrodes are placed in the water and any fish swimming between them is stunned, counted, then released to recover. Main purpose of the survey will be to evaluate trout population in district streams.

## Closings announced

Westmount City Hall and the Public Library will be closed Monday, May 18, in observance of Victoria Day. The Atwater Library, 1200 Atwater avenue will be closed both Saturday and Monday.

There will be no garbage collection on that day. Collections normally scheduled at that time will be made on Tuesday May 19.

The Westmount Examiner office will be closed all day Monday.

## Fake bank inspectors

Westmount Police this week urged residents to look out for fake bank inspectors, who have apparently returned to this area.

An elderly woman depositor at the Royal Bank branch at Victoria and Sherbrooke was a recent victim of the racket, losing \$960.

She told police that she received a call from a man posing as a bank inspector who asked her to help an investigation of account frauds by withdrawing \$950 from her own account.

The man picked up the money, promising to redeposit it within an hour or two. It was the last she saw of it.

Last Friday a depositor at the Royal Bank branch at Papineau and Mount Royal avenues was similarly tricked out of \$1,600.

Westmount Police warned all depositors approached in this manner to check with their bank managers and notify the police.

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## We Say Educational regimentation

IT is pleasant to hear from Mr. Wirtz, secretary of labor in the Johnson cabinet, that young people should be kept at school compulsorily until they reach the age of eighteen. The idea is that this would reduce the working force and thereby lower the number of people who are unemployed.

The reason this suggestion is received favorably is that it is nice to know that they have such silly people in high places in the United States. From time to time Canadian statesmen, so-called, propose something that is weird and nonsensical. Such people need company and to this distinguished company of Canadians Mr. Wirtz is now nominated.

The idea of keeping young people in school against their will until they reach the age of eighteen would not do the children any good.

There is a certain amount of schooling that every individual must take. He must, if he is of any intelligence at all, be able to read and write and do sums. Then there are other youngsters either unable or unwilling to go any further. These are better out trying to earn their living, or partially earn their living, than sitting in school waiting for that day when the calendar says they're sixteen and they can tell the teachers and the principal that they're off on their own.

If the leaving age is raised to eighteen, there will be an expense to the taxpayer, which is bad enough, but the real problem is that there will be an increase in the number of young people requiring psychiatric treatment. A compulsory idleness is an evil under any circumstances. Sitting in school learning nothing and not wanting to learn anything is compulsory idleness.

Mr. Wirtz, bless his political soul, did direct at-

## YOU SAY Assistance helps Temple

Sir, During the course of the past several years, it has been my privilege to serve as President of Temple Beth Shalom. Working with me and the cause of our Congregation have been men and women of enthusiasm and dedication to the cause of our people, community and country. We have been very much assisted in our efforts by the wonderful co-operation which we have received from you and your paper.

Please accept our grateful thanks for your generous and invaluable assistance to us during the course of the past years, and more particularly the most recent one.

**H. Wolfe,**  
President

attention to the fact that many jobs today require more training than did similar jobs a generation ago. But compulsory schooling rarely makes for skill. The man or woman who requires the skill for a job and has the ambition will acquire the necessary qualifications without regimentation by the educationists.

A popular feature of the Westmount Municipal Association Open Meeting Tuesday night was the question and answer period. Association President R. L. Hunter answered some of the queries and directed others for further study by the WMA executive.

A sampling of questions and answers follows:

**Q.** How much has the widening of Dorchester cost up to date?

**A.** About \$4,000,000.

**Q.** Has the Association considered the possibility of promoting low cost dwellings in lower Westmount, like Prospect House, for elderly residents who want to end their lives in Westmount?

**A.** We'll refer the question to an executive meeting.

**Q.** Has any thought been given to the increased population of schoolchildren from the new developments? With both Kings and Queens Schools closed is there adequate room for an influx?

**A.** Unfortunately, Westmount is now a member of the Protestant School Board of Greater Montreal so the question is entirely outside our sphere.

**Q.** What plans or sketches or other information concerning the West End Plaza were submitted to City Council before May 4, date of the first reading of the re-zoning amendment?

**A.** (Mayor Drury) Comprehensive plans covering all facets were submitted to the city engineers for study.

**Q.** Has City Council inquired into the financial ability of the West End Plaza

## Pool to open . . .

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recreation department identification card which is required for admission to all local facilities.

Cards issued last year are still valid. New residents and others who wish to use the facilities for the first time may obtain one at the Artificial Ice Rink, Monday through Friday from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Applicants are required to furnish two pictures of themselves 1½ x 1½, together with proof of residence in Westmount.

## At WMA

# Question period is popular

developers?

**A.** (Mayor Drury) I have made a personal inquiry and found their financial abilities to be sufficient.

**Q.** In order to increase membership, would the WMA consider arranging for the club dues to be paid at branches of certain banks?

**A.** We don't want to put

the association in the same category as the metered gas companies, but we will consider it.

**Q.** Is there an overall plan for the development of lower Westmount?

**A.** The Bland Report issued in 1960 outlined a master plan of sorts, but it is impossible to foresee all changes.



**Hon. C. M. Drury**

OTTAWA — On two occasions last week, opposition parties in the House called for confidence votes in an effort to bring down the Pearson government. On both occasions, the tests were won by the government, as they were on seven previous occasions since the beginning of the current session of Parliament.

## Special to to the exam

Because these votes of confidence arise at frequent intervals, I thought you may be interested in learning how they come about and what they mean exactly.

During each session of Parliament, the opposition gets a number of opportunities to bring down the government. It can vote it out of office during the debate on the speech from the Throne and during the budget debate. It can also vote it out on any of the six supply motions introduced by the government.

## Supply motions

In order to have estimates approved for each of its de-

# Your MP reports from Ottawa

partments, the government must first begin by introducing supply motions. The first covers six departments; the next four cover three departments each and the last one covers all remaining departments. This year, for instance, our first supply motion came up on April 20. It enabled us to introduce estimates for the following departments; agriculture, external affairs, northern affairs and natural resources, citizenship and immigration, labour and public works. Last week, our supply motion concerned estimates for my department, the postmaster general and the department of transport.

Now, on each occasion, opposition parties take this opportunity to introduce amendments to the government motion. Last week for instance, the main amendment sought to overthrow the government on the basis that it had not found ways to improve the low water level on the Great Lakes. This may seem to be a strange reason to invoke to beat a government out of office, but it is actually what happened. It was defeated by a vote of 141 to 78. Between now and the end of the current session, there will be four more votes of this kind. Each time, the opposition will pick a subject — keeping it secret until the last minute so as not to forewarn the government side.

## Other votes

There are other votes taken in the House from time to time. Each legislation introduced by the government may be submitted to a vote. But even if a particular piece of legislation is voted down in the House, it does not affect the government's tenure of office. Neither do votes taken to reverse a ruling handed down by the Speaker of the House.

By actual count, there has been an amazingly high number of votes taken in the House since the liberal government took office a year ago. During the 1963 session, they totalled 45 in all. So far this year, we have had 16. Needless to say, we have won them all. I would imagine that there will be many, many more before we are able to complete our program for the current session.

**Hon. C. M. Drury, MP**  
Minister of Industry



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### NEARLY PACKED

Part of the near capacity crowd of over 400 who turned up Tuesday night at Victoria Hall for the annual Spring meeting of the Westmount Municipal Association is shown. Retiring president J. H. Richer (in left foreground) is conducting nominations for two members-at-large to serve on the civic nominating committee.

## Rotary 'adopts' Colombian boy

The Rotary Club of Westmount has financially "adopted" Jose Cantonio Fonseca, a 9 year old Colombian boy through Foster Parents' Plan, Montreal. They will contribute \$16 a month for the child's support for at least a year.

Monthly letters are being received from overseas, both original and translation. In it a Foster Child may describe how it feels suddenly to have shoes on

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his feet, a mattress to sleep on instead of a dirt floor, and the comfort of a full stomach. He always reports on his progress at school. Letters from his Foster Parent, both original and translation, are treasured.

Jose Antonio will now be able to go to school. He is one of a large family ridden by a poverty which crushes body and spirit.

**Father in jail, Mother earns \$5.00**

Jose Antonio has three brothers: Hernando (8), Paulo (2) and Alvaro (10 months old) and two sisters: Hilda (3) and Maria Leonor (1). Their father, Manuel Fonseca, is a mason by trade. He is in jail now because he accidentally hurt a man in a fight and now it is the mother, Maria Helena Fernandez, who tries to support the children by working as a laundrywoman. She is not too experienced at the work and in any case the many poor women compete for it fiercely. The mother get about two days a week and earns \$5.00 a month. This is supplemented by a dole of \$4.00 a month from charity . . . in other words, the whole family has barely 30¢ a day to live on.

Most of the money is spent for food, as you would expect. It buys no more than the poorest and cheapest food and not too much of that. They eat corn soup, bread and drink aqua de panela, water flavored with brown sugar. Soap costs about 60¢ a month and candles another 60¢. Fortunately they don't, at present, have to pay rent. The owner of the place where they live, in pity on their misfortune, has let them stay in his house rent free.

The family lives in barrio Benjamin Herrera, in northern Bagota. They have one room with a rusted tin roof, walls of unfired brick and a floor of the naked earth. In it are two shaky old beds and a crib. They have no blankets and huddle under old clothing at night. The room is damp and fetid. There is no electricity, no light, no water, no washing place, no toilet. In a corner of the room they have a small charcoal burner where the mother prepares the day's ration of corn gruel.

### 3 NEW HOUSES

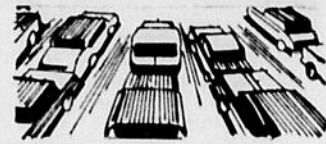
Westmount Council has approved the redivision of lot on Kensington avenue into three new lots. The owner of the property, John Minty, proposes to construct three terraced houses, sketches of which were approved by the Architectural Commission on April 1.

## Archdeacon Naylor to retire

Well-known West End rector and long-time Examiner religious columnist, Archdeacon R. Kenneth Naylor, of Trinity Memorial Church, has announced his retirement after 24 years as a rector. Archdeacon Naylor began his career in 1906 with a teaching post at McGill, later at the Montreal Anglican Diocesan Theological College, then went to the Protestant School Board of Greater Montreal, a period as farmer-parish priest in Rawdon, and his appointment as rector of Trinity Memorial.

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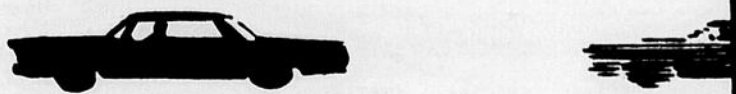
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## WHS graduation event scheduled for May 22

By MARCY PELLY

May twenty-second is a big day at Westmount High. In the morning will be the traditional assemblies at which the out going Students' Council President is presented a gavel and the awards and presentations, such as the prizes for the Vox Ducum Literary and Art Contest, and the athletic crests are made.

In the afternoon of the 22nd is the graduation ceremony followed by a tea. Students then leave by bus for dinner on St. Helen's Island. They return to the graduation dance, a movie, and the parties afterward. These festivities last all night.

As usual at the end of the year, there are the windings up of most clubs and activities. The Vox Ducum, school yearbook is interviewing candidates for next year's staff. The Purple'n'White school newspaper has chosen its executive for next year: Dwight Druick Editor; Sherry Lynn Simon Assistant Editor and Barbara Baig Junior Editor. The last issue for this year which is

being professionally printed, should be out early next week.

On Tuesday the Alumnae and the Old Boys Associations came to the school to hold assemblies for the girls and boys. The main purpose of these assemblies was voting for the annual Award of Honour which is presented each year to the boy and girl in the graduating class who are elected by their fellow (grade II) students at the one best combining the qualities of scholarship, leadership, and sportsmanship.

Miss Wren, who is retiring after working for the Westmount School Board for 42 years, was presented a gift.

## Wheelchair donors sought

Mrs. Evelyn G. Opal, president of the Montreal Association for Multiple Sclerosis, a victim of multiple sclerosis herself, has received many requests from MS patients who are desperately in need of wheelchairs. Mrs. Opal is appealing to the public.

Is there anyone — anywhere — who had a wheelchair in their attic or basement which is not in use — would they donate it to help a handicapped person who cannot afford to buy their own?

For further information please call Mrs. Opal at 484-9028 or 482-4269.

## Unity to hold 'Whist' May 25

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Unity Boys' Club of Westmount will hold a "Military Whist" at the Club, 1090 Greene Avenue, on Monday, May 25, starting at 8:00 p.m.

A large number of prizes will be available for distribution to the winning tables and refreshments will be served.

The funds derived from the 'Whist' will be used exclusively for the benefit of the Unity Boys' Club. The Ladies Auxiliary during the past ten years have rendered many valuable services and donated much needed materials and equipment. All the kitchen utensils, plates, cups, saucers, knives,

forks and spoons are some of the contributions made by the Auxiliary as well as a generous amount of table games and physical equipment. They also provide the transportation for the annual trip to the Granby Zoo, this year, taking place on June 25.

The group has also been called upon to render catering services at the Annual Father and Son and Mother and Daughter Banquets and other seasonal dinners and luncheons.

Supporting the Ladies Auxiliary at their annual Military Whist means a big support for the boys and girls of the community.

The Executive of the Unity Boys' Club Ladies Auxiliary is as follows: President: Mrs. A. Laflamme. Vice-President: Mrs. M. Warren. Treasurer: Mrs. L. Curtis. Secretary: Mrs. F. Everett. Telephone Secretary: Mrs. F. Kitchen. Past President: Mrs. D. Norris, and Mrs. B. Moore, Mrs. Y. Melanson, Mrs. E. Norris and Mrs. L. Rountree.

### VE 2 CUB RADIO CLUB

Larry Coote, a member of Arthur Strange's Radio Club at Unity was recently awarded a C.W. (Morse Code) proficiency Certificate at the Annual Inspection of the Royal Canadian Corps of Signal Cadet Corps. Another member of the Club, Wayne Buckingham teamed with Larry Coote to win the Wireless Trophy. Both boys are enrolled in the Radio Course currently being conducted at the Unity Boys' Club.

### SPORTS NEWS

The Club is busily engaged these days in signing up players for the forthcoming season in baseball, softball and track and field. Peter Dawson, Gary Repta and Allan Bechard are assisting Boys' Worker Chuck Tyler in organizing these sports. Baseball will be competitive with the U.B.C. Bantam Champions defending their City of Montreal Bantam Title, the Softball team will play inter-club and also participate in a Club House League while all the tracksters will be preparing for the Eleventh Annual Unity Boys' Club Track and Field Meet which takes place at the Westmount Athletic Grounds on Saturday, May 30.

### TICKETS FOR CIRCUS

It's not too late to sign up for the trip to the Maurice Richard Arena on May 19, for the big Hamid-Morton Circus. Free transportation and free admission is available to anyone in Westmount and St. Henry that would like to go. Everyone is asked to pre-register at the Club.

### GRANBY ZOO

There is waiting room only now for anyone wanting to go to the Granby Zoo on Thursday, June 25. The trip is sponsored by the Club's Ladies Auxiliary.

## Loyola awards John McManus

John McManus, a senior St. Leo's Academy student, was this week awarded a four-year Loyola Scholarship for next September.

In all 355 boys representing 81 different schools competed in the recent combination scholarship-entrance examination.

John McManus was one of eight winners.



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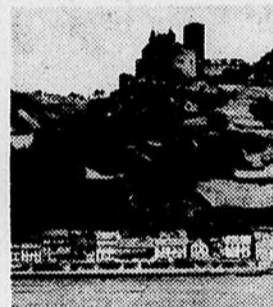
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## A history Westmount students started No. 1 Squadron during 2nd War

The history of No. 1 Squadron dates from the earliest days of the Second World War, when the students of Westmount High School voted in favor of being associated with the RCAF.

Through this Air Force interest, a group of Westmount citizens, led by Major Hugh M. Scott, M.C., G. (Bunny) Foster and S/L H. P. Illsley, brought the wishes of these students to the fore. These men were anxious to be of service to the fighting RCAF and made representations to the Department of National Defence, especially through the good offices of the late Mayor Walter A. Merrill, Q.C., who had many interviews with Air Minister Power.

At this time the idea of an Air Cadet League was beginning to take shape and embryo squadrons were already functioning at Vancouver and Port Hope under the Cadet Services of Canada.

### Helped form Air Cadets

The Westmount sponsors played a leading part in discussions leading up to the formation of the Air Cadet League of Canada and were later rewarded when this squadron was designated as No. 1. It is interesting to note that the first president of the new organization was George B. Foster, K.C. DFC, and the Commanding Officer was S/L H. (Pete) Illsley, the former of the RAF and the latter a veteran of the RFC, both these and many other gentlemen more than eager to serve their country again.

The continuing interest of the original C.O. is evidenced by the fact that he has since served as Provincial Chairman in Quebec and more recently, National President. This energetic C.O. gathered around him a group of efficient officers, many of them ex-RAF and was backed by this same group of prominent citizens on his civilian committee.

The unit, then called No. 1 (Westmount) Squadron, proceeded to operate through the support of an active committee and public spirited organization, which raised funds for uniforms and equipment. Due to these efforts, the Squadron flourished and grew to encompass all senior schools in the City of Westmount and its

peak war time enrollment numbered over 600 cadets.

A record number of No. 1 graduates served in Canada's armed forces, in which many of them later gave their lives for their country. Meanwhile, others returned from active duty and served as officers of the revitalized No. 1 (West Montreal) Squadron, as it was renamed to encompass a larger part of west-end Montreal. The new squadron, reactivated in the Fall of 1947, was sponsored by the Air Force Veterans Association, Quebec Branch 84 of the Canadian Legion.

With a strength of over 150 cadets, a fine trumpet band, and a group of all ex-RCAF officers and instructors, the new unit showed all the same signs of matching the achievements of its predecessors.

The Commanding Officer of this rejuvenated squadron was the former W/C W. G. (Wally) Conrad, DFC, and bar hero of the Battle of Britain, followed by S/L Hugh S. Greene, who was an Air Cadet with the original squadron. The Civilian Committee is headed by Mr. A. Ross Grafton, a former instructor of the Westmount Squadron, ex-RFC, who has also served as Chairman of the Quebec Provincial Committee.

### RCAF careers for many

As was true in the war years, many fine youths from No. 1 saw a career in the RCAF and are serving their country in time of peace. An example of this is the story of ex-cadet John Stuart, who completed his college education at Royal Military College, Kingston, now serving as a S/L pilot. The example of this cadet who graduated from No. 1 in 1949 was soon to be followed by many other youths from this, and many other, squadrons across the country.

In 1952 this unit was awarded the AOC's trophy instigated for squadron proficiency in the Quebec and Ottawa Valley area. As No. 1 grew with age, so did the rewards, as many cadets from this unit represented their country on the exchange program. In addition, our trophy case reflects many first and second sport shields attained at summer camps.

Once again in 1958 the squadron, under the command of S/L John H. Barnes, also a former cadet and RCAF officer, won the coveted AOC's trophy and, at this point in the Squadron's history, was being awarded an average of three Flying Scholarships per year. Following his tenure of office the squadron was commended by S/L Ian S. McDonald, both of whom now serve as active Directors of the Quebec Provincial Committee.

The immediate past Commanding Officer, S/L A. J. Yowe, took over from S/L Ian S. McDonald and, during his tenure of office, Cadets F/sgt. Gerald Preston won the Canadian Pacific Airlines Award, a trip to Hawaii, F/sgt.

Peter Donheyer won the Banker Bates Trophy for Best Exchange Cadet and F/Sgt. Donald Barnes topped the RCAF Flying Scholarship candidates for the Tud Hope Trophy. Unfortunately, this trophy was won by a civilian pilot for the first time since the trophy was originated in 1950. It is worthy of note that this squadron has never had a Flying Scholarship failure, while each candidate has passed with an easy margin.

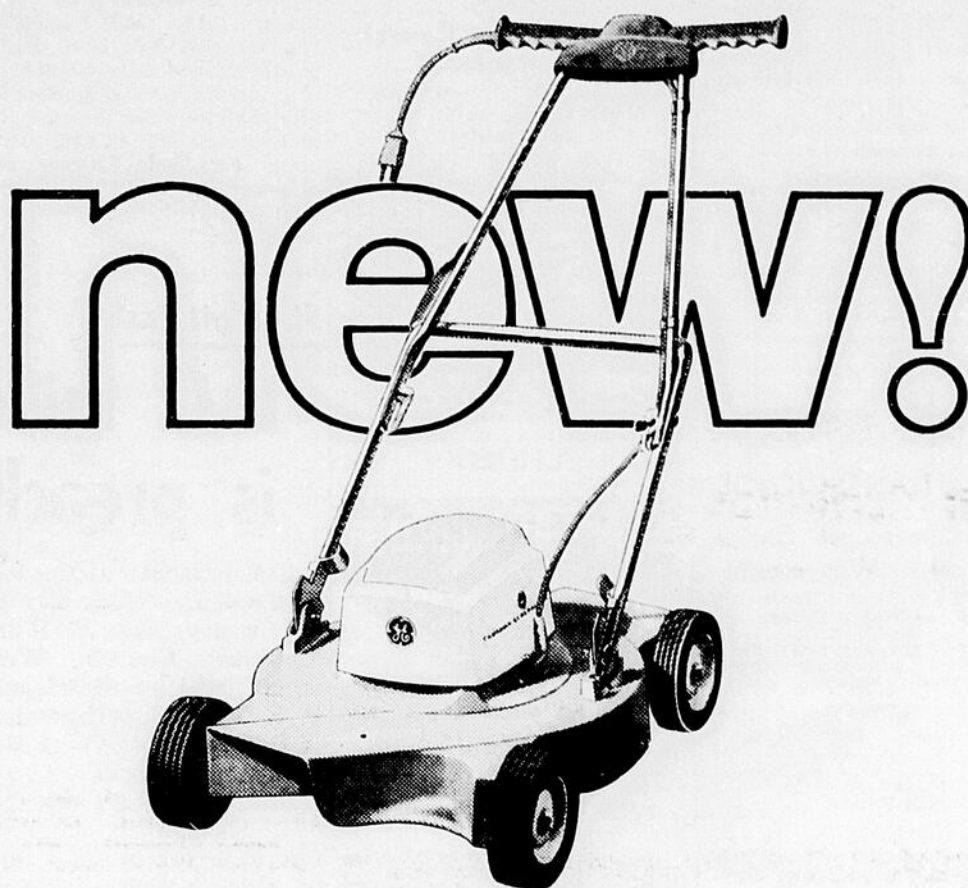
## Police will 'firmly' enforce dog by-law

Westmount Police said this week that they intend to "firmly enforce" the law which requires owners to keep their dogs on a leash in public places.

In spite of a recent new letter article urging dog-owners to cooperate, the departments has reported an increased number of complaints about dogs, it was noted.

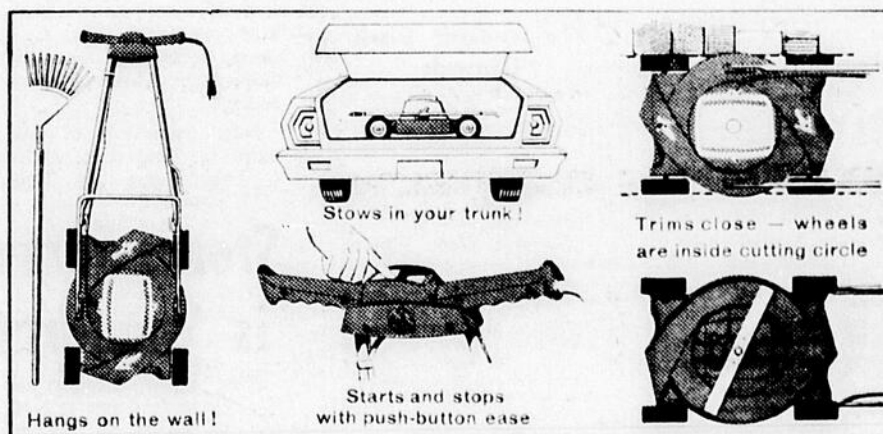
Regulations state:

"If any dog, while not in the company of its keeper or a member of its keeper's household, is found in any public place, or on any private property without the consent of the owner, occupant or possessor of such private property, the keeper of such dog, as well as the person who caused such dog to be in such place, shall be deemed to have infringed this by-law."



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**WHITSUNDAY**  
8:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist  
10:15 a.m. Mattins (said)  
11:00 a.m. Sunday School  
11:00 a.m. Solemn Eucharist  
7:00 p.m. Evensong

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Sunday, May 17th  
**WHITSUNDAY**  
8:00 a.m. Holy Communion  
9:30 a.m. Mattins with Sermon  
11:00 a.m. Holy Communion and Sermon  
Morning Preacher: Archdeacon P. R. Ellis  
Sup't. Columbia Coast Mission  
7:30 p.m. Evensong with Sermon  
Preacher: The Rector

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**EMBER DAY**  
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11:00 a.m. Junior Sunday School and Nursery

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Sunday Morning, May 17th at 9:30 a.m. Charge to the Confirmants and Blessings by Rabbi Dr. Harry J. Stern.

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**FAMILY WEEK CONCLUDED**  
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Sunday, May 17th  
11:00 a.m. MORNING WORSHIP  
Sermon "THE EVER PRESENT GOD"  
- Rev. R. Douglas Smith, D.D.  
- Evening Services Withdrawn -

Organist and Choirmaster:  
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Dir. of Christian Education:  
Miss Beatrice Maclean, B.A., M.B.E.

Sunday, May 17th  
11:00 a.m. Church School in Westmount "Y"  
11:00 a.m. MORNING WORSHIP AND SERMON  
The Minister will preach (No Evening Vesper Service until the Fall)  
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**Christian Science**

**Bible discussion sermon theme**

When the Bible describes human existence as a dream, is this meant as poetry, or should it be taken literally? This question will be gone into at the services in Christian Science churches this Sunday, in the weekly Lesson-Sermon entitled "Mortals and Immortals." The text will be taken from Ephesians: "Awake thou that sleepest, and arise from the dead, and Christ shall give thee light." Relevant selections from "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy will include: "Mortal existence is a dream; mortal existence has no real entity, but saith 'It is I.' Spirit is Ego which never dreams, but understands all things; which never errs, and is ever conscious; which never believes but knows which is never born and never dies."

**St. Matthias'**

**B.C. mission leader is preacher Sunday**

The preacher at the 9.30 a.m. and 11 o'clock services on Sunday, May 17 in St. Matthias' Church, Westmount, will be Archdeacon P. R. Ellis, Superintendent of the Columbia Coast Mission.

One of the activities of this Mission of the Anglican Church is the use of a fleet of ships which visit outposts along the west coast

**Bird lovers re-elect Mrs. G. Montgomery**

Mrs. George H. Montgomery, Westmount avenue, was this week re-elected president of the Province of Quebec Society for the Protection of Birds at a meeting held Monday at the Atwater Library.

Other officers elected were: Dr. I. A. McLaren and M. D. Spencer, vice-presidents, Miss G. E. Hibbard, honorary treasurer, and Miss R. S. Abbott, honorary secretary.

New members of the board were: J. Boulva, J. E. Brennan, G. Lebrun and J. W. Robinson.

**Storm damage is 'moderate'**

The week-end storm which brought gale-force winds, gusting at times to 80 miles an hour, across the city caused only "moderate" damage in Westmount, city officials reported.

Three small sections of the city lost electrical power for short periods. The winds uprooted small trees on the mountain and scattered branches along the streets but police reported no accidents as a result.

What is cancer? The Canadian Cancer Society tells us it is a group of diseases characterized by the disorganized growth of abnormal body cells. These cells can be identified by observation under a microscope. The cause of this behaviour remains unknown.

**Fair can bring together the two cultures, Pratt tells St. Matthias' group**

John Pratt, former mayor of Dorval and former member of the Federal Parliament, addressed the Women's Association of St. Matthias Church yesterday noon on the subject of the Expo '67 and saw the World's Fair as an opportunity for the bringing together of "the two main language groups of this country in a gigantic task, involving tremendous co-operative effort, and offering the hope of even greater reward in achievement and mutual understanding."

By chance his words had extra weight, as he spoke in a church whose front door had been damaged by an FLQ bomb a year before less one day.

Pratt, star of the World War Two Navy Show, had his past paraded before him by his introducer, Mrs. V. Wilson-Smith,

who (it must be admitted) startled the audience as well as the guest-speaker with the playing of a recording of John Pratt's feature 1939-44 song "You'll Get Used to It" and reading a poem written for the occasion.

The speaker covered the gamut of the fair, from its inception to the present moment in its construction - with a concluding emphasis on the theme "Man and His World."

Executive members of other women's groups in Westmount were among the special guests.

**Westmount Baptist**

**'Quest for Life' sermon topic**

"The Quest for Life" will be the subject of the morning sermon by the Minister, the Rev. Harold J. Balsdon, at Westmount Baptist Church. At 7:30 p.m. his sermon topic will be "Religion and Youth."

The Church School meet on Sundays at 10 and 11 a.m. The 10 a.m. class is for seniors and the 11 a.m. for primary and juniors.

The mid-week meeting of the church is on Wednesday at 8 p.m., for Prayer, Praise, and Bible Study - the Gospel of St. John.

The CGIT meets on Friday at 7 p.m. and the BYPU on Friday at 7:45 p.m.

**Temple Emanu-el**

**Religious school graduation tomorrow**

**SABBATH SERVICES:** Friday evening, May 15 at 8 p.m. Dr. Harry J Stern will preside and students will participate in the worship and setting forth brief addresses from graduation theses.

Members of the 1964 Graduation Class: Carol Abelson, Leonard Bellam, Maxianne Berger, Melissa Conn, Jacqueline Elkin, Carol Frankel, Linda Gomborg, Arnold Izenberg, Deborah Izenberg, Allan Jassby, David Jacobs, Evelyn Kirschberg, Julian Lebensold, Agnes Majorovits, Doreen Morris, Murray Perlman, Judith Roston, Joan Segal, Ruth Sevack, Catherine Shavick, Sherry-Lynn Simon, Mark Young, Ricki Zinman, Ellen Zion.

Certificates will also be awarded to the following post-graduates - Leonard Baltin, David Caplan, Ilana Cooper, Marvin Fox, Robert Malen, Karin Marks.

Reception will follow the worship in the Grover Auditorium.

**SHABUOTH AND CONFIRMATION SERVICES:** Sunday morning, May 17 at 9:30 a.m. Charge to the Confirmants and blessing by Rabbi Dr. Harry J. Stern. Confirmation reception follows the worship in the Grover Auditorium.

Members of the 1964 Confirmation Class are the following: Donna Mae Benjamin, Paul Harris Benjamin, David Bowman, Betty Brauer, David Isaac Bruck, Nancy Bruck, Fredric Leon Carlsley, Gerald Cukierman, Julia Hazel Davis, Frank David Engels, Mark Engels, Judy Filo, Frances Lee Fisher, Marlene Suzanne Fisher, Mark Lindsay Green, Denise Jean Grossman, Sharon Gubbay, Mark David Handman, Mary Louise Kelsey,



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# Complete text of Mayor's address

It is indeed a pleasure to again address your association. Last year at the time of this meeting, we had just finished the most unpleasant bombing incidents and I, along with everyone, am most thankful there have been no further atrocities of this type.

This is a time of change Federally, Provincially and municipally. Change inevitably means upset. The corollary to change is progress. No change of necessity means a minimum of progress. The image of Westmount to many is a quiet residential backwater where people are able to live a continuing life without interruptions to their pattern of living.

I agree this has a great deal to be said for it. Unfortunately the impact of changes and developments outside your city forces changes in the City of Westmount whether we like it or not.

What are some of these changes?

- The continuing growth of Greater Montreal with its concurrent increase in traffic as a result, the widening of Dorchester and other arteries.

- The construction of Metro with its terminus at Atwater and St. Catherine—as a result the increase in land values adjacent to the terminus and the change of a somewhat depressed area to one suitable for major developments.

- The continual aging and deterioration of some areas,

resulting in a static or reducing taxable value as evidence of the aging in the city we have had to carry out major renovations to following facilities in a relatively short period Library, Power House, Police and Fire Station, Corporation Yard, Victoria Hall.

- The Steadily increasing costs of wages and salaries, and the expanded services and facilities demanded by the public, resulting in an ever-increasing budget and consequent increases required in revenue.

The City of Montreal has an announced and aggressive policy of annexation which results in special attention being given to this problem.

These are only a few of the changes — each one of you, I know, could add many more to those mentioned.

Having in mind that change, in many cases, causes misunderstanding, mistrust and in some cases, hostility one may ask where does the city council fit in this picture?

Prior to this point — who are your council?—six members and a Mayor, nominated by this Association and elected by the citizens at large — men whom your Association must obviously have considered able to discharge their responsibility — and who by their election are given a mandate to act.

### 'A few lumps'

What do they get for their

activities? Certainly public recognition, a sense of achievement, the satisfaction of public service, and from time to time what are currently known as a few lumps. The council is ready to receive its accolades when they happen, and certainly is ready for its lumps. With reference to lumps a recent article by Norman Vincent Peale quoted Theodor Leschetizky as saying "We learn much from the disagreeable things people say, for they make us think; whereas the good things only make us glad."

Now to the Council's position in these changes — the Council must by its mandate consider what it considers the best interests of the city at large, while trying to minimize the difficulties and problems of those adversely affected by the changes. The council must have in mind not only the current situation but must try and look forward and anticipate the future. At the same time the Council must try and respect the wishes of the public. In many cases these requirements are conflicting and efforts are made to try and resolve the conflicts.

Let's look at a few examples —

### Park looks bombed

Westmount Park which currently looks as if it had been bombed. No major work has been done on it since it was originally built 66 years ago. At that time I might add the change from a natural park to the state it has been in for many years caused substantial controversy. As major work was required it was decided it should be done for a long period ahead. As there are no park experts on the Council, after some search the best consultants we could find were engaged. Their recommendations were reviewed, considered acceptable to Council, and passed on to the public. As a result of general public reaction, the whole situation was again reviewed in detail, including meetings with your executive. As a result the plans for the first phase were revised slightly, including a 20% reduction in the width of the paths, and phase II and phase III which included many of the so-called formal features, have not been adopted by Council pending further study and submission to public opinion.

I might also add that the question of park facilities adjacent to the two new proposed complexes — Atwater Park and Westmount Centre — has been raised. With deference to the developers of Atwater Park area I use this term instead of West End Plaza to avoid confusion in names. The excess land adjacent to the new Dorchester street and our Private Bill to expropriate (mentioned in our latest news letter) will give the city the ability at the appropriate time to create additional park space but there is so much undecided at present.

Obviously firm plans for park space cannot be made, but it is certainly being kept in mind and will be carefully considered. It must also be kept in mind that the demolition of 103 houses on Dorchester street partly offsets the additional population in the proposed apartment blocks. In addition the new expressway between the CPR tracks and

St. Antoine street, recently announced, will undoubtedly result in the tearing down of many houses and will consequently reduce the participation in Stayner Park.

Assuming all these demolitions take place, the loss of inhabitants will amount to some 1500 while the two centres proposed would increase the number by some 2500, a net increase of about 1000 persons. All these facets are being considered and projected into the future, prior to any action.

### Plaza must be developed

What about West End Plaza, the Atwater Park development? The area currently is a parking lot partly in Montreal shortly to be the West End Terminus of Metro. It must be developed. If the City of Westmount does not see to it that their portion is appropriately and economically developed, the whole land area would probably be subject to transfer to Montreal. In fact representations, so far unofficial, have already been made to Quebec for the transfer, but so far no action by Quebec has been taken. The cost of this development in excess of \$22,000,000, will

produce a very sizeable revenue which will help in the future when it is added to the taxable roll and does its part to increase revenue, by widening the tax base rather than increasing the mill rates.

In considering the appearance of this building and its impact on the surrounding area, many hours of consideration and discussion were spent by council and the architectural commission and it had to be considered in the

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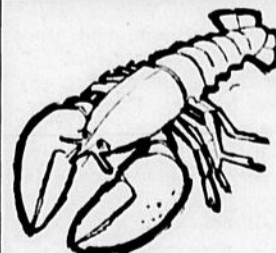
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*Social & Personal*

The guest speaker at the dinner meeting of Altrusa Club of Montreal to be held in the Windsor Hotel, Tuesday, at 6.30 p.m., will be Mrs. B. H. Valia of India.

Committee chairmen will present their reports.

Oasis Temple No. 46, Daughters of the Nile will hold their stated monthly session in Victoria Hall, Sherbrooke street west, Westmount, May 18, at 7.30 p.m. Mrs. E. J. K. Reid will preside at the meeting.

Mrs. George Daly of Aberdeen avenue, chairman of the Building Committee for the Roman Catholic Chapel at Verdun Protestant Hospital, informs us that following the Blessing of the new St. Paul's Chapel at the Hospital on Sunday, May 17, Mrs. Graham Watt Coghlin and Mrs. J. B. Handfield will preside at the tea table for the reception. They will be assisted by Mrs. Edgar Reynolds, Mrs. Paul Casey, Mrs. Eric Joy and Mrs. John Hellyer.

Local nurses graduating from the Montreal General Hospital on May 8, were: Miss Leslie Crump, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth L. Crump, 7 Parkman Place; Miss Sally Guard, daughter of the Surgeon-in-Chief of the Hospital, Dr. Fraser N. Gurd and Mrs. Guard, 3180 Westmount boulevard and Miss Suzanne Kelly, daughter of Dr. J. J. Kelly of the Department of Anaesthesia, Montreal General Hospital and Mrs. Kelly, 423 Roslyn Avenue.

At the reception which will follow the blessing of the new St. Paul's Roman Catholic Chapel in Perry Pavilion of Verdun Protestant Hospital on Sunday, May



**WESTMOUNT GRADUATES:** The 74th graduating class of the Montreal General Hospital School of Nursing was held May 8 in Livingston Hall, when 106 nurses received their diplomas. Shown in the photograph, left to right: Dr. Fraser N. Gurd, surgeon-in-chief of the Hospital; Mary B. (Sally) Gurd; seated, Leslie

Crump, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth L. Crump, who received the 'Jennie Webster' prize for the highest aggregate standing in the special services during the three-year course; Suzanne M. Kelly and Dr. J. J. Kelly of the department of anaesthesia, of the Hospital.

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**Cat Fanciers Assn elects new slate**

Miss Margaret Goodbody was elected president of the Montreal Cat Fanciers Association at the group's annual meeting held recently in the Windsor Hotel. Other officers are: Honorary president, Mrs. Frances Diorio; vice-presidents: Mrs. S. B. Earle, Miss Margaret Ewins, Mrs. Ian Morgan; corresponding secretary, Mrs. John Graham; recording secretary, Miss Una Wardleworth; directors: Mrs. Patricia Morganti; Misses Audrey Allin, Agnes Ewins and Madeleine Levason.

Donations from funds raised by the Montreal Cat Fanciers annual Cat Show were made at the meeting to representatives of other animal welfare organizations. A cheque was given to the St. Antoine street Clinic of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, for the

17, Mrs. Graham Watt Coghlin of Earnscliffe avenue, and Mrs. J. B. Handfield of Westmount will preside at the tea table. They will be assisted by Mrs. Paul Casey, Edgemore avenue, Cote St. Luc, Mrs. John Hellyer of Somerled avenue, Mrs. Edgar Reynolds, Sherbrooke street, west, Mrs. Leonard Hynes and Mrs. Eric Joy.

Among the out-of-town guests at the Harrison-Ross wedding which took place on Saturday were Mrs. William Sweet, of Camden, South Carolina; Mrs. Frederick Hand and Miss Cornelia Hand, of Shrewsbury, Mass.; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Goudreau, of Toronto; Mr. and Mrs. Howard Griswold, of Milton, Ont.; Dr. and Mrs. Dudley Ross, F.O. and Mrs. Michael Kochan, of St. Adolphe de Howard, Que.; F.O. Ralph Awrey, of Downsview, Ont., and Mr. and Mrs. James Gregory, of Kitchener, Ont.



**MRS. BETTY KADER, 5766 Leger avenue, Cote St. Luc, chairman for Pythian Sisters Annual Tag Day, Thursday, May 28. All funds raised are used for the maintenance of Forward House, a non-sectarian Social Rehabilitation Center for discharged mental patients. Catering to the needs of over 700 patients a month, Forward House has now been moved to Girouard avenue, where Pythian Sisters purchased a large duplex which is being converted to meet the needs of increased programming and larger attendances. There is no charge to patients using the facilities of Forward House.**

**Hospital Chapel to be blessed by Bishop Whelan**

The blessing of "St. Paul's" Roman Catholic Chapel, situated in Perry Pavilion of Verdun Protestant Hospital, will take place Sunday, May 17 at 3 o'clock. His Excellency, Lawrence P. Whelan, Auxiliary Bishop of Montreal, will be assisted by Rev. Donald Feron and Rev. Geo. Thoms of Verdun, and Rev. Emmett M. Johns, newly appointed Roman Catholic Chaplain to the Hospital. Rev. Charles Cahill, Chaplain of St. Mary's Hospital will preach the sermon. The Nurses of St. Mary's Choir will also take part in the Service. English speaking Roman Catholic patients, staff and members of the community have been invited to attend.

Mrs. George Daly and her Roman Catholic Committee have, in co-operation with the Chapels' Committee of the Hospital Auxiliary and Franco Consiglio, architect, been responsible for providing a Chapel where patients may worship in surroundings of their own communion, and the English speaking Roman Catholic

*Approaching Marriages*

The approaching marriage of Suzanne, daughter of the late Auguste Mathieu, QC, and of Mrs. Mathieu, of Westmount, to Mr. Lawrence (Larry) J. Guilboard, son of Dr. and Mrs. T. Ivan Guilboard, has been arranged to take place quietly on Saturday, May 23, in St. Monica's Church.

**IN THE Women's Realm Silver Cross Mothers**

The closing meeting of the Silver Cross Mothers RCAF (Remembrance Association) will be held on Monday, at 2 p.m. at the YWCA, 1355 Dorchester boulevard, west. Report of the National Convention will be read.

**Summerlea WCTU**

Members and friends are invited to attend the meeting of the Summerlea WCTU on Thursday, May 21 at 1.30 p.m. which will be held at the home of Mrs. M. Allan 855-51st avenue Lachine.

A devotional period will open the meeting followed by the business conducted by the President, Mrs. John Loveridge. A social period will be held at the close of the meeting.

Community has been most responsive in its contributions towards this goal. This is the third of four separate chapels to be completed for worship. The Protestant Chapel was dedicated a few weeks ago — the Jewish Chapel in December past, and the Orthodox Chapel, now close to completion, will be dedicated very shortly.



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## WCTU contest winners listed

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## Fashions



Off to a resort, as a prelude to Spring use, is this suit in mohair tweed that comes in pale rose or soft blue, plus that big favorite—white.

The jacket line is essentially simple, a narrow A-line, front and back.

The skirt is straight, with pockets slashed into the side seams.

Worn with the outfit is a blouse to match in crinkled crepe with cap sleeves and an ascot tucked into its V-neck.

### May Tea

The monthly meeting and May tea of the Women's Auxiliary of the Queen Elizabeth Hospital of Montreal will be held Wednesday May 20 at 2 p.m. The president Mrs. S. D. McMorran will preside.



MR. and MRS. P. C. SHAW, West End couple who recently celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary at a banquet and reception in the Laurentian Room of the Sheraton - Mount Royal Hotel. Married in St. Jude's Church by Canon J. J. Willis, the couple have three children, seven grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

## Troubles in Quebec

The Quebec Revolution, by Hugh Bingham Myers — Harvest House Limited, 109 pp. \$2.00 paper — \$4.00 cloth.

The Quebec Revolution is the fourth volume published by Harvest House in the French Canadian Renaissance Series.

The author a typical English Canadian was educated at a western university. In 1958, he attended Laval University in Quebec to study French. He married a French Canadian girl and has two children, has lived through the "revolution" and gathered information, and background material interesting to both English- and French-speaking Canadians.

The book contains a summary of incidents from the regime of Maurice Duplessis, the Natural Gas Scandal, where Rene Levesque took such an active part, to the Donald Gordon episode.

This is a factual book, depicting the various incidents in Montreal and the Province, such as the bombing of mail boxes, etc., bringing to mind many of the events which have happened in the past few years during the "Quiet Revolution."

An interesting book, but one from which one must draw his own conclusions.

Millicent Hickmore

### UCW spring meeting

The United Church Women of St. Andrew's United Church, Westmount, will hold their spring meeting in Hutchison Hall on Tuesday, at 8 p.m. The speaker will be Mrs. Kenneth G. MacMillan. Her subject — "Let's Look at Ourselves." Feature initiation service for CGIT will also take place.

Hostesses will be Miss Marguerite Cheyne and members of the Lydia Fellowship Unit, together with Miss Gladys B. Watson and members of the In His Steps Unit. It is hoped that all members will try to be present.

### MGH blood clinic

The Women's Auxiliary of The Montreal General Hospital is sponsoring a Red Cross blood donor clinic on Wednesday afternoon, May 20, from one to six o'clock in the Out-Patients' Department, 2nd floor, Pine avenue entrance.

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light of being contiguous to an area in Montreal where density and height considerably greater than that proposed by the current By-Law Amendment is permissible, as well as the fact that it was adjacent on two sides to two massive structures — the Mother House and the forum.

It will block some peoples' view of a part of the river. My own personal view is included, but nonetheless your Council is of the opinion that it is in the best interests of the city at large that the Atwater Park development and that of Westmount Centre be carried out in the general form proposed with a minimum of delay.

This change with some of its unpleasant attributes means a forward move. If it is not carried out, Westmount will not stay where it is — it will drop back.

Unless the tax base in this city is broadened and redevelopment of outmoded areas continued, the tax rate will reach a figure so much above that of Montreal that annexation by Montreal might appear to be most desirable.

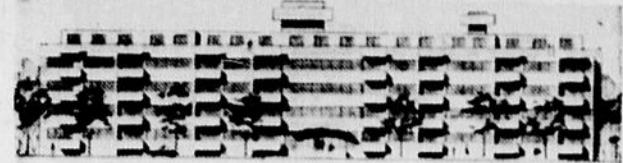
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To be specific with some figures, the net addition to our tax roll after taking into account losses from demolitions amounts to some \$30,750,000. An amount in excess of 20% of our total present valuation. The additional annual revenue amounts to in excess of ¼ million per year including business taxes of which is net. This amount is in excess of 27%. Taxes billed including business tax but not school tax.

In presenting the proposed amendment to the Zoning By-Law, affecting Atwater Park, having in mind opinions expressed on the occasion of the By-Law Amendment for Westmount Centre, certain

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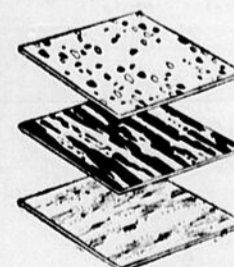
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# Westmount honors top athletes

The Westmount Recreation Department honored its athletes last night, presenting trophies and crests to outstanding players in the various leagues and divisions, to the leading scorers and the championship teams.

Attending to honor the youngsters and present the awards were Mayor C. H. Drury, Alderman F. W. Gross, commissioner of Parks and Recreation, Aldermen P. M. McEntyre, D. N. Byers, C. P. Beaubien, I. S. Backler, and former Mayors J. C. Cushing, R. L. Campbell, ex-alderman H. G. Seybold, City Manager N. T. Dawe, and Ken Reardon.

The 8-Man Tackle Football Outstanding Player Award went to Carlos Araujo.

Overwhelming choice of the coaches, Carlos, a rugged two way player, played for the Mules, 1963 Champions.

Carlos came from Venezuela three years ago. He is fourteen years of age and a seventh grade student at St. Leo's Academy.

He also won the League scoring Championship with fourteen touch downs in eight games.

## Craig Shannon gets 25 goals

Awarded the trophy and crest as outstanding player in the Pee Wee Hockey League was Craig Shannon.

One of four players transferred from the Mosquito League to the Pee Wee League because of exceptional ability, Craig was a tremendous asset

to the Brones, who won the Pee Wee Championship.

Ten year old Craig is a student of the Priory. His record for the Season was twenty-five goals and ten assists in eighteen games.

Hard work paid off for this year's selection in the Pee Wee category. Combining his scoring ability with fine team play and good sportsmanship David Tunis is well deserving of the award. He led the Brones to the Championship and also played on the All Star Team. Dave is twelve years of age and is a student at Westmount High School.

Winner for the second successive year in the Bantam category, also a winner in his Mosquito year, Dave Beasant continues to display excellent qualities.

His smooth skating and play making ability and leadership make him a standout. Dave has had seven years of organized hockey. He is fourteen years of age and is a student at Westmount High School.

This year's award in the Midget category goes to a goaler. John Inglis was mainly responsible for his team's position in the well balanced Midget League. His goals against average was 2.41 for the Season; holding the opposition to three goals in four playoffs games.

John also played several games with the Maroons in the Senior League. He is sixteen years old and a student at St. Leo's Academy.

## Touch Football champions

Mosquito League winners of

Touch Football crests were the Argos:

Christopher Smith — Captain, Stuart Gall, Henry Araujo, David McCammon, David Edgell, David Dick, Marc Ville-neuve, Joseph Aspler, Bruce Fenton, Douglas Morison, Scott Jameson, Derek Hellyer, Alan Ansell — Coach.

Touch Football Champions in the Pee Wee League were the Cougars:

Jimmie Soltys — Captain, William Follette, Terry Higgins, Ronald McRobie, David Holmes, James Cook, Jerome Griffiths, Lawrence Aspler, Derek McKibbin, Walter Schmidt, Doug, McJannet, Michael Ormos, Scott Jameson, Melville Michaels — Coach.

Touch Football League Champions in the Bantam League were the Stampeders:

John Culley — Captain, Bruce Kert, Patrick McMullon, Roland Caouette, Ramon Araujo, Derek Murphy, Gord Norris, Jimmy Dodge, Bradley Syvret.

Inter-Playground Touch Football Champion was Stayner Park:

Richard Atherton — Captain, Roger Harte, Sigmund Radoman, Gordon Norris, Neil Fernandes, Desio Fernandes, Phil Lecouffe, Robert Virgo, Pierre Boulanger.

Crests also went to Touch Football League Referees:

Harvey Alter, Doug Muncy, Frank MacLeod, Bradley Syvret, Wayne Barrow, pevin Cooper, Thomas Deliva, John Closs, Gordon Norris, Kevin O'Halloran, John Shayer, Robert Harte, Lee Davis, Phil Lecouffe.

## Tennis champions

Mayor C. H. Drury presented trophies and crests to the 1963 Tennis Champions:

Boys' Singles — Richard Bonte.

Ladies' Singles — Miss Rita Dumas.

Men's Singles — C. W. Aikman.

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Men's Doubles — C. W. Aikman, P. U. Theuss.

## Softball champions

Softball League Mosquito Champions were the Jets:

Stuart Cooper — Captain, Michael Newton, Bobby Tanner, George Gaty, Randy Skelton, Douglas Collier, Abbie Schacter, Lawrence Shrage, Peter Roberts, Pierre Leclair, Robbie Driscoll, Christopher Smith, Richard Brott, Martin Cukerman, Kelly Cavanagh.

Softball League Pee Wee League Champions, were the Giants:

Phil Lecouffe — Captain, Michael Bourke, Mitchell Wolfe, Dwight How, Stanley Jabolonski, James Bonar, Robert Swaffield, Frank Common, Ozzie Hamburg, Mike Young, Tony Stapleton, Stuart Cooper.

Softball League Bantam Champions were the White Sox:

David Beasant — Captain, Jean Caouette, Peter MacLean, Brian Hoffman, Louis Sauve, Gerald Fortin, Richard Atherton, Andy McCammon, Geoffrey Scott, Kevin Cooper, Grant Sherriffs, Henry Rosenhek.

Inter-Playground Softball Champion was Prince Albert Park team:

Graham Lorimer — Captain, Jim Dodge, Mike Radoman, Bruce Norris, James Cook, Barry Cartwright, Carlos Araujo, David Patrick, Frank Boleska, Raymond Araujo, Bruce Hill, John Boudreau, Derek Murphy.

Crests went to Softball League Umpires:

Roger Harte, Harvey Alter, Wayne Barrow, Jon Churcher, Wm. MacDonald, Ronald Soltys,

John Walker, Jim Harbottle, Neil Fernandes, Grant Sherriffs, Kevin Cooper, Gordon Norris, Kevin O'Halloran, Derek Murphy, Mike Clapham, Stuart Cooper, John Shayer.

Recreation Department 8-Man Tackle Football League Champions were the Mules:

Gordon Norris — Co-Captain, Lawrence Crouch — Co-Captain, David Walker, Clifford Smith, Louis Sauve, Brian Vaux, Robert van Elslande, Philip Chapman, Jimmy Dodge, Carlos Araujo, David MacKinnon, David Kent, Tom Spiegel, Kevin Cooper, Graham Lorimer, Chris Frankowski, Shawn Molloy, Cammy McFadden — Coach, Paul Hamilton — Coach.

## Hockey champions

Mosquito League Huskies won the Canadian Hockey Club Trophy:

Gary MacLean — Captain, Geoff Parkinson, Geoff Collier, Ian Ferrier, Geoffrey Milne, Stephen Reid, Jacques Ouimet, Barry Lupovich, Bruce Fenton, Ian Fraser, Doug, McJannet, Timothy Clapham, Peter Fitzpatrick, Eric Foch, John Beasant — Coach, Gilmour Beasant — Coach.

Pee Wee League Brones won the Mayor Roy L. Campbell Trophy:

Stuart Cooper — Captain, James Cook, Tom Deliva, Brian Norman, Jon McManus, Charles Simco, Billy Dunlop, Drew Williamson, David Tunis, Norman Ashe, Terry Higgins, David Astrof, Phelps McIlvaine, William Lewis, Craig Shannon, Dick Dunbar — Coach, Ian McCrae — Coach.

Bantam League Leafs were trophy winners:

David Patrick — Captain, Robert Johnson, Dougal Dunbar, John Culley, Frank Cobbett, Alan Kennedy, William McMaster, Sigmund Radoman, Wayne Colomb, Kevin Cooper, James Copland, Harvey Alter, Philip Chapman, Bill Musto — Coach.

Midget League Mustangs won the Russ McConnell Memorial Trophy:

Jim Rayside — Captain, Lee Davis, Jimmy Spielman, Ian Patrick, Jim Hewitt, Stephen LeBlanc, Jimmy Hotton, James Klein, John Smith, Alistair Miller, Hon Ying N. G., John Inglis, John Donnelly, Robert Hamilton — Coach.

Leading Hockey Scorers were:

Mosquito: Doug, McJannet, Huskies.

Pee Wee: Ivor Black, Huskies; David Tunis, Brones.

Bantam: David Beasant, Bruins.

Midget: John Shayer, Badgers.

Hockey Referees were: Wayne Barrow, David Beasant, Garry Bowden, Ronald Brambell, Michael Clapham, Kevin Cooper, James Dodge, John Donnelly, Brian Hoffman, Barry Josephson, Hugh Laws, Doug, Muncy, Darrell Munro, George Musto, David Patrick, John Shayer, Grant Sherriffs, Robert Swift.

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## Mrs. G. Daley helps with Verdun Chapel

The blessing of St. Paul's Roman Catholic Chapel, situated in Perry Pavilion of Verdun Protestant Hospital will take place Sunday, May 17 at 3 p.m. Mrs. George Daley, Aberdeen avenue, in co-operation with the chapel's committee of the hospital auxiliary and Franco Consiglio, architect, has been responsible for providing a chapel where patients may worship in surroundings of their own communion.

His Excellency, Lawrence P. Whelan, Auxiliary Bishop of Montreal will be assisted by Rev. Donald Feron and Rev. Geo. Thoms of Verdun, and Rev. Emmett M. Johns, newly appointed Roman Catholic Chaplain to the Hospital. Rev. Charles Cahill, Chaplain of St. Mary's Hospital will preach the sermon. The Nurses of St. Mary's Choir will also take part in the Service. English speaking Roman Catholic patients, staff and members of the community have been invited to attend.

This is the third of four Separate Chapels to be completed for worship.

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changes in procedure were followed. Your executive were fully aware of, and in general agreement with, the proposal. A News Letter was sent out shortly after the first reading of the By-Law to all rate-payers.

A period of four weeks was allowed from first reading to the public meeting of affected proprietors and ample time is available to hear and answer all comments by interested citizens. Second and third reading, if given will only be carried out after Council has thoroughly considered all views expressed.

One other change which people find disturbing is that of changing zoning by-laws. Why are they changed a relatively short time after they were originally made? The answer is simple — The By-Laws are made for general development and cannot be hoped to fit a very large development as well as medium and small structures. Accordingly it is anticipated that in the case of a major development, a by-law change is essential and it is this fact that gives Council control of the general nature of the development.

While the Council is being criticized by some for presenting to the public their recommendation for the two high-rise projects, Westmount Centre and Atwater Park, it does not appear to be generally known that the height of buildings under the former by-law was reduced from 10 storeys to 6 storeys on Sherbrooke, the north side of Western, and Greene and Victoria avenue shopping areas.

This means that the development taking place today between Wood and Mount Pleasant avenues would have been 10 storeys in height, whereas it is now restricted to 6 storeys. When the new Zoning By-Law was adopted in March 1963, the Council provided that high-rise buildings would be restricted to the southeast and southwest areas of the city and that no high-rise massive development would be permitted in the central residential area.

Let me pause a minute and

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## Tony Blair heads new Hobby Show executive

Enthusiasm is still running high after the closing of the 1964 — 27th Boys' and Girls' Hobby Show held at the Westmount YMCA.

April 1 to 4. The Executive of the 27th Show were pleased with the results — and well they should be, with just over 760 different exhibits with many more youngsters participating than last year. Attendance figures to see the show were increased about fifty per cent, with over 500 persons seeing the Pet Show, Exhibits and Closing Ceremony.

## Tennis course available

The Westmount Recreation Department will hold tennis instruction periods during the months of July and August for boys and girls 10 to 16 years of age, it was announced this week. The program is open to Westmount residents only.

Instruction periods will be of two hours duration and will be held two mornings per week on week days. The Registration fee is \$3.00 per player for the two month period.

Professional instructors supplied by the Province of Quebec Lawn Tennis Association and under the direction of Lucien Lavender and Harry Eastbrooke will be doing the teaching.

Players must have their own racket and three marked tennis balls. It would also be appreciated if all players dressed in white. Tennis shoes are absolutely necessary. Registration fee must be paid by Friday, May 29, at the Recreation Department Office, at the Artificial Rink.

The Gymnastic Competition for Westmount youngsters only, was added to the Show this year and was very well received. The purpose of the competition was to stimulate a greater interest in gymnastics and to permit youngsters to compete at their own level of development. Youngsters who had previously competed in AAU Meets were not allowed to participate in this event. We hope that many more Westmount youngsters will compete next year.

The last meeting of the 1964 Hobby Show Council was held Saturday, May 9. The group made an extensive evaluation of the Show and elected the 1965 — 28th Hobby Show Executive. They are:

General Chairman — Anthony Blair  
Vice Chairman — John Bradley  
Secretary — Martha Fraser

### SEEK NEW ROLE

Until recent years, the main function of rural towns was to provide services for the surrounding farm population. With the farm population diminishing, however, the role of the towns has to expand. If it doesn't, the towns too will fade as the farm population diminishes.—Altona (Man.) Red River Valley Echo.

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# To WMA Complete text of Mayor's address

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read you part of a letter dated November 14, 1910 —

The Mayor and Aldermen of Westmount.  
Gentlemen.

Your refusal to allow me to build an apartment house on Greene Avenue has not surprised me in the least. It is in accordance with your sour and bitter turn of mind and antiquated mental capacity.

With the exception of Mr. McClelland you are a lot of selfish narrow minded bigotted shortsighted old mummies and the laughing stock of the whole country and I fail to see how the latter gentlemen can sit in such atmosphere.

When I return from my trip in the spring in spite of your old despetic by-laws, I shall build by flats and I dare you to interfere.

It is high time that Montreal should absorb you, at least here in this council one can find a few new with some common sense to talk with.

I wonder if the council has changed?

Metro — how will it affect Westmount and what about the \$75,000 offered and so far neither accepted nor rejected the City of Montreal?

The effect of a rapid transit system I think is self-evident. With a station within walking distance of the majority of the citizens in Westmount it will reduce travelling time downtown, substantially. Parking for 1,000 cars is provided in the plans for Atwater Park and for another 1,000 in Westmount Centre which should look after those who wish to travel part way by automobile.

The offer of \$75,000 finally resulted from a request by the City of Montreal to change our intermunicipal boundary in such a fashion that the whole of Atwater Park would be included inside the City of Montreal. The reasoning was given that this could be a Westmount contribution to the costs of the subway. This suggestion was not accepted, needless to say.

At later meetings with Montreal it was pointed out that the Metro would be operating at a deficit and that Montreal citizens, including those in N.D.G. would be paying for the deficit while the citizens of Westmount would be using the facilities and making no contribution to it. This seemed basically unfair, so an estimate of the deficit was obtained from Montreal, and Westmount has offered to share in the forecast deficit to the amount of \$75,000 a figure proportional to the respective valuation rolls of the two cities concerned. This figure was of course subject to review after the first payment, having in mind the actual deficit and the situation at that time. So much for the \$75,000 which I consider concrete evidence of Westmount's willingness to "bear her share."

#### Stand pat

Another threatened change is that of annexation. This must be considered in light of charges that the suburban municipalities only wish to preserve the status quo and stand pat.

As you know, the City of Westmount has aligned itself with the majority of suburban municipalities on the Island in the Intermunicipal Coordi-

nating Council. This organization, as its name implies, is one which — while vigorously upholding the principle of local government strongly believes in a policy of intermunicipal cooperation.

On April 23, following a meeting at the St. Laurent City Hall which I attended, — the ICC issued a statement of principle which received wide coverage that night and the following day in all newspapers and on all radio and television stations. That declaration made it abundantly clear that the suburban municipalities, for from favoring a stand-pat, status-quo attitude, are desirous of cooperating with all concerned to achieve a solution to intermunicipal problems in the Montreal region.

Precisely what is the position of the suburban municipalities.

Well, let me quote one sentence from the ICC statement: "The Intermunicipal Coordinating Council will endeavor to demonstrate . . . that it is possible to devise a workable system of intermunicipal coordination which serves the basic administrative, economic and social needs of the region as a whole while safeguarding the democratic rights of its component communities.

I think you'll agree there's no stand-patism about that position. Nor is there in the following remark, also contained in the statement. "No purpose will be served by the adoption of rigid postures designed to score political marks." Quite the opposite of a stand-pat attitude.

The suggestion that the suburban municipalities seek to maintain the status quo is equally false. The statement of April 28 established quite the contrary. In clearcut terms, the suburbs have made it clear that they favor an intermunicipal system based on cooperation and coordination, although they do reject capitulation and control.

Allow me to spell out, in more specific terms, some of the thinking of suburban municipalities.

We believe, first of all, that the maintenance of local government is essential, that it is the foundation-stone of democratic govern-

ment in Canada and that serious thought should be given to its possible extension to gigantic urban areas such as the City of Montreal itself.

Secondly, the suburbs believe that certain problems which affect two or more municipalities are problems of a district nature. They can and should be solved by organisms functioning at that level. The best examples I can cite are on the Lakeshore and on the South Shore where groups of municipalities act in unison — on a voluntary basis — to work out common problems.

The third point is that problems whose scope is broad-

er — I mean such matters as mass transportation, major arterial highways and planning — can and should be solved by an organism functioning at a regional level. Now the Island of Montreal is not a region, properly speaking. The Montreal region extends beyond the arbitrary borders of the Island to points North, West, East and South. We must provide for coordination of certain services so that the entire region — not only its core — will be served. And, once again, we believe that such system can and should be voluntary in character.

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