The first day of Spring is one thing and the first Spring day another.
— Henry Van Dyke.

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Third of Red Cross Objective Is Reached

Weather and Road Conditions Have Slowed Up Country Canvassers

Progress in the Annual Red Cross Campaign for funds has reached a little better than a third of its objective of $3,000, the sum to date being $1,023.10. The campaign is running past its time and will have to be continued until a better return can be made. Weather conditions and country roads have slowed up the canvass in the rural areas and it may be a week or more before all reports are in from some of these areas. There are still a few more reports to come in from the town districts and the committee hopes that these canvassers will soon complete their work and turn in their reports.

Huntingdon has always managed to reach the objectives set and it is still the hope of the committee that the objective of $3,000 will be reached before the campaign has to be closed. The following are the contributions received since the last report was made.

Athelstan, Que. Canvasser: T. J. Graham—
$10.00—Mrs. Carrie M. French.
$5.00—Bruce Elder.
$3.00—Mrs. Marion Reese, Alice Wilson.
$2.00—Percy Chauvin, John D. Elder, Clifford McHardy, Clarence French.
$1.75—T. J. Graham.
$1.25—Johnnie Wattie.
$1.00 and under—John Maither, T. S. MacFarlane, Archie Hampson, Harold Wattie, Clark Sloan, George Clausson, James Willocks, Donald N. Racine, Mrs. David Watson, William Beattie, Alex. Duheme, Clifford French, Nelson Legault, Ulric Desrosiers, Fred Roy, Bertie Shearer, Norris Herdman, W. Anders, Mrs. Emile Desrosiers, Lindsay Watson, Helen French, Thos. Foers, Omer Richer, Ken Hamilton, Stanley Clausson, Champlain Milk Co., Alex. Arnold, Joe Roy, Josephine Larche, Garnet Green, Fred Hutchings, Thomas Arnold, William Hendrickson, Mrs. Edmour Galipeau, James Elder, Mrs. Mina Lavery, Rev. David Mawhinney, MacFarlane Bros., Alcide Duval, Emma Irwin, Everett Donnelly.

Wellington St. Canvasser: Geo. L. Collum—
$20.00—Mae L. O'Connor.
$5.00—Geo. L. Collum.
$3.00—Earl Elliott.
$2.00—Leo Leahy, John R. Walsh.
$1.00 and under—Jacques Fortin, Lawrence Holmes, Sherman Wattie, Mabel Wattie, William Taylor, Eddie Wells, Armand Caza, Wilfred Laplant, Daniel Moriarty, Mrs. Jas. Kelly, Alphonse Cote, Kenneth McNair, Earl Fournier, Peter Arnold, Robert Donnelly.

Powerscourt Canvasser: George H. Atcheson—
$3.00—Carolyn M. Ross, Thomas S. Ross, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Wallace.
$2.00—Geo. C. Taylor, Elvin M. Wood.
$1.00 and under—Bella Anderson, John Patenaude, Mrs. John Koski, Wm. Stewart Ross, Wm. Sykties, Ernest Atcheson, Erskine Morris, G. McLean, Rosamond Simard, Ernest Boucher, Albert Rosevear, Mrs. Christina Henderson, G. S. McClatchie, Eldon R. Ross, John A. Scriver, John McGowan, Louis Bergevin, Russell Myatt, Mrs. Wm. Myatt, W. A. McHardy, Edna Swanston, Mr. and Mrs. Mathew Wallace, A. W. H. Lirkassen, Simon Rjauer, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wallace.

Glenelm Canvasser: Wm. O. Dawson—
$5.00—Dave Levine.
$2.00—R. J. MacFarlane.
$1.00—Wm. McIntyre, A. K. Stewart, Jas. Tallon, M. Carrigan, Jas. Steele, Alex. Bergevin, W. O. Dawson.

Boyd Settlement Canvasser: C. E. Dahms—
$5.00—Mrs. H. L. S. Patterson, Gordon Ferry.
$3.00—Chas. Blachford.
$2.00—C. E. Dahms, Alex. Evans, F. R. McGregor, Fred McCaffrey.
$1.00—R. G. Todd, Cameron McGregor, S. W. Flynn, Wm. Arthur, J. E. Robson, John Clark, Douglas Moore, Morris Smith, Clarence Ouimet, Angus McNaughton, Douglas McNaughton.

Brook Road Canvasser: Philip Gold—
$5.00—Rev. J. C. Marcil, Clarence Johnson, Cecil Johnson, Albert Lumsden.
$2.00—J. Dunn, Stanley Hamilton, Jamieson Bros., Donald Hamilton.
$1.00—Lionel Grey, Wm. Jamieson, W. W. Jamieson, Mrs. Clarence Johnson, Mrs. Adrien Varin, Maurice Leggatt, The Nestelrovy.

Howick High School Boys Win Provincial Hockey Championship 2nd Consecutive Year



These are the members of the Team:—
Left to right:
Seated—Ross Brown, Donald Ness, H. W. Welburn (Principal), Jack Tennant, R. G. Smith (Coach) John Logan, Billy Welburn.
Standing — Billy Ness, Elmer Black, Charles Tennant, Bruce Cairncross, Gordon Gilmore, Rollie Ness, François Desgroseilliers, Brodie Templeton.

Inset is Gilbert Tennant, who was absent when photo taken.

The two Cups are: The QAPSB Trophy; the Robert Larivière Trophy.

Saturday, March 20th, marked another highlight in the sports achievements of the H.H.S. boys. Having won the local title and coming through two rounds of regional eliminations our boys were scheduled to play against Drummondville High School, the other finalists in Provincial Championship game of the school league organized by the Quebec Association of Protestant School Boards. As defending champions, our boys proved that they deserved to retain the cup for another year. When the Drummondville boys skated out onto the ice they looked impressive enough, but the Howick boys quickly showed themselves masters of the situation with two quick goals within a few minutes of the opening whistle. With speed and smart play they led all the way, to win 8 to 2. Everyone played his part well: the forwards were flying and backchecking, the defense were very effective, and Jackie Tennant turned in a starry performance in the nets. The Howick boys demonstrated that with boys from the farm, being in good physical condition is a year-round asset. The game featured fine sportsmanship and no unpleasant roughness was in evidence. The game was capably handled by Mr. R. Blinco, former N.H.L. player.

After the game the boys of both teams, together with the boys from Knowlton High and Richmond High, who had played for the Senior Championship, were taken from the Granby Arena to Granby High School where they were guests at a dinner given by the Q.A.P.S.B. Mr. Robert Flood, President of the Q.A.P.S.B., Mr. A. W. Lang, Executive Secretary, and Mr. W. H. Baglow, chairman of the Athletic Committee were at the head table with the principals and the coaches. These gentlemen congratulated the boys and presented the trophies. Brodie Templeton, the captain of our team, received the cup on behalf of our team and responded to the presentation in a brief but capable manner.

Leadership Course to Be Held at Ormstown

A leadership course will be held at Ormstown High School, in the near future. The course is being sponsored by various groups in the Counties of Chateauguay and Huntingdon.

The purpose of the course is to encourage people to consider the social and economic problems of their communities and to make them aware of the important part they play in community life. To give individuals confidence in expressing their thoughts with ease and vigour and to create a spirit of genuine fellowship. To develop the talents for leadership inherent in those present, so they can use them more effectively in the community and private activities. In order that those taking part in the course can gain as much as possible from the experience, most of the content is left to the discussion of the students. However, it is expected that there will be a demand for some of the following, to mention only a few: Planning and organizing community projects; Public Speaking; Planning meetings and leading recreations and Discussions on Leadership Qualities.

During the course there will be two open nights on which the public will be asked to attend and judge for themselves the achievements that have been attained by the students. Special speakers will be present as well.

Many Donors Needed For Blood Donor Clinic April 13

The Building of Blood Banks Is Now An Important Red Cross Health Service

The Committee of the Blood Donor Clinic is meeting on Monday evening at 8 p.m. in the Customs Office, Prince Street, to finalize plans to hold the Huntingdon Blood Donor Clinic on April 13th in the Legion Hall, Fairview Road, Huntingdon.

The objective of this Free Blood Transfusion Service is to provide adequate supplies of whole blood, plasma and transfusion equipment free of charge to all Canadian Hospitals on the understanding that this advantage will be passed on to the patients. A blood donor will be sent a card giving his blood grouping and information about his Rh factor. These cards should be carried by him at all times for his protection in care of accident or illness. Such information eliminates delay and might be of great value in an emergency if he were to require blood.

Plans for expansion of the Blood Transfusion Service for 1954 are now being worked out by Headquarters. The total objective for 1954, is to be set at 85,000 bottles. There is no doubt but that the objective will be reached. The new potentials, the industries and areas which the Red Cross were unable to cover during 1954, plus the additional interest created by appealing for "Blood for Gamma Globulin", should all add up to more and better blood donor clinics. The local Committee is appealing to the residents of our Community to give the April 13th Clinic their usual generous support.

A donation takes approximately 45 minutes from arrival to departure from the Clinic. The amount of blood taken is 380 c.c. — not 500 c.c. as during the war. A donation is not a painful operation at all. A small local anaesthetic is applied so you can't feel the needle.

Donations are listed on the donors' cards given to them, and special buttons after the 3rd, 6th, 10th and 20th donations.

Whole blood is needed as well as plasma. Whole blood is vital for haemorrhages in child-birth, for many operations, accidents and other illnesses. Plasma is used only for shock, burns and emergencies.

All the blood donated will be used. If the whole blood donated has not been used 2 weeks after the donation, it will be converted into plasma.

Anyone wishing to donate blood at the April 13th Clinic who has not been approached by a canvasser may have his or her name placed on the list by calling Mrs. E. Rottensten, telephone 2307, or Miss Frances Walker, telephone 389, Huntingdon. Donors must be between the ages of 18 to 65 years.

The Huntingdon County Hospital is a member of the Red Cross Free Blood Transfusion Service. All patients requiring transfusions in the Hospital will receive them free of any charge. This is made possible through the generosity of volunteer donors.

Queen's Scout Recognition Ceremony at Moyse Hall, McGill University

Peter Fox, Huntingdon, and Six Valleyfield Boys, in Honour of Their Achievement, Received Certificates From Hon. G. Fauteux, Lt.-Gov. Of Quebec

135 Queen's Scouts from twenty districts thrughout Quebec province received certificates at a special ceremony in McGill University's Moyse Hall on Saturday evening, March 20. The Scouts who attained the Queen's Scout Badge in 1953 attended with their parents and scoutmasters.

Huntingdon

Peter Edward Fox, son of Mr. and Mrs. James R. Fox, Huntingdon along with many others received his certificate from the Queen's representative in Quebec, Lt. Gov. Gaspard Fauteux.

Mr. William Atkinson is Scoutmaster of the 1st Huntingdon Boy Scout troop.

Valleyfield

The following boys from 1st Valleyfield troop, under the leadership of Scoutmaster R. D. Henderson, received their certificates at the special ceremony on Saturday: Katsumi Akamoto, George Felszegi, David Gault, James Laing, Robert Peters, John Rider.

Programme

A very interesting programme was arranged for the Queen's Scout Recognition Ceremony. The National Anthem opened the programme, followed by greetings by the chairman, Mr. G. Robley Mackay, Provincial Commissioner. A pageant "The Queen's Scout Badge" was presented by a troop of Montreal Boy Scouts. Following this, the boys sang "The Boy Scout Day."

The big moment began with the introduction of Queen's Scouts and their Scoutmasters, and the presentation of certificates by His Honour the Lieutenant Governor of Quebec.

Mr. Rhys M. Sale addressed the assembly.

"O Canada" closed the evening's programme.

Pageant

The story and tableaux of the life of the late Lord Baden-Powell was wonderfully portrayed by a troop of Montreal Boy Scouts, beginning with the scene of a scout camp with the Scoutmaster telling the boys how Scouting began. During the night one of the boys had a dream, and this dream as outlined in the tableaux and story started with Baden-Powell appearing in the camp, telling the boys how he began life as the younger son of a clergyman and of his education at Charterhouse school and his life in the Cavalry. There was a scene during the seige of Mafeking, South Africa, where B-P had a troop of boys who acted as his messengers. Next the beginning of Scouting at Brownsea Island Camp where B-P had been taking a number of city boys for a taste of real country life, and where he taught them the elements of the life of a scout.

Then there was a scene at Balmoral castle where the late King Edward VII knighted Baden-Powell, and last of all a grand rally of flags of all nations in Unity with the Boy Scout Association.

The interest of the onlookers was intense, the Moyse Hall was crowded with the 131 Queen's Scouts, their parents and Scoutmasters.

The Lieut.-Governor of Quebec Province gave a short witty address and complained that the boys had sabotaged him because they only shook hands with the left hand, but he was able to save his right hand for other duties.

Guest Speaker

Rhys M. Sale, president of the Canadian General Scout Council and president of the Ford Motor Company of Canada as guest speaker stressed the great need for leaders in Canada. He noted the "tremendous opportunities" and spoke of the responsibilities that go with them.

Mr. Sale was introduced by Queen's Scout Keith Marchildon, of St. Aloysius' Troop, and was thanked by Queen's Scout A. D. MacKenzie, of Noranda, Que. Mr. Fauteux was thanked by Queen's Scout Andre Martinelli, of the 11th Montreal (McGill) Troop.

Jim Robb Honoured For Work at McGill

James Alexander Robb, outgoing president of the McGill Students Society and chairman of the Student's Executive Council, was hailed as "one of the outstanding student leaders in the history of the campus" at the annual student's awards banquet, held Friday night, March 19, in the Sir Arthur Currie Memorial Gymnasium.

His citation was one of the highlights of the evening, during which the special speaker was John T. Hackett, QC, first president of the Student's Society.

Mr. Robb, third year law student and graduate of Huntingdon High School, who has devoted seven years to student activities culminating in his election to the highest campus post, received an "executive award." This award is given to those who have "discharged executive responsibility in an outstanding manner.

James Robb is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Robb, Huntingdon.

SETS RECORD

BRUCE MINES, Ont., (CP)—Albert Grigg was elected by acclamation for his 35th term as mayor of this town near Sault Ste. Marie. Now 80, Mr. Grigg's record is said unique among Canadian municipalities.

Jean Paul Bisaillon Braves Most Valuable Player

VALLEYFIELD — Jean Paul Bisaillon, brilliant left wing of the Valleyfield Braves, has been chosen the most valuable player to the local team during the Quebec Hockey League season by a panel of sports writers. Bisaillon's reward for this feat is the Canadian Schenley Gold Skate, which is to be presented to him following the fourth playoff game at Valleyfield Arena next Sunday between the Ottawa Senators and the Braves.

Cliff Foley, plant manager of the Canadian Schenley distillery here, will present the trophy.

Bisaillon won the award after a close fight with André Corriveau, Valleyfield's star right wing. Points awarded to Bisaillon totalled 4,900; to Corriveau, 4,750. The latter won the trophy last year when it was first presented. Third in line this year was Gordie Haworth with a total of 4,400 oints.

The 1954 winner reached his decisive point total last Sunday at Shawinigan Falls during the game between the Braves and the Springfield Indians. Valleyfield have been playing at Shawinigan during the latter part of the season.

The Canadian Schenley Gold Skate consists of a gold-plated skate on an ebony base. The winner also receives a $100. Canada Savings Bond.

Police Do Good Work Tracing Thefts

Arrest Made of Suspect in Series

Apparently the thieves who broke into Lefebvre & Son Reg'd. tailor shop, have been making a regular business of this pastime. When Provincial Police arrested Gerry Goselin in Montreal, it was 4 a.m. on Tuesday, March 16th, he had just returned from Cornwall, Ont., where he had broken into several places. In the station wagon he was driving, he had four television sets which turned out to belong to different owners in Cornwall. Cornwall police were notified before they even knew of the break-ins and they quickly were able to locate the owners of the sets.

It was back on the night of February 18 and 19th that the series of thefts were traced to Goselin. During that night he stole a gas stove from the G. McArthur store in Howick and this was found the next morning in the store of George Dagenais of Ste. Martine. However, a Frigidaire, two batteries and a water pump and motor were missing from this store. Evidently the thief thought he liked these articles better and left the stove in exchange. The same night attempts were made at breaking into two Ormstown stores. One was the Camile Boyer Grocery Store and the other Laurier Gatien Furniture store. At the latter the proprietor, who lives at the store, thought he heard a noise and put on the lights in the store, this evidently scared the thief away. Also on that same night, Traffic Officer Ernest

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Easter Seals Drive Off to Good Start in First Week

Committee Hopes Response Will Keep Up Throughout Entire Campaign

For the first week, a very good response is being made to the appeal on behalf of the Easter Seals campaign. This campaign is for funds for crippled children and adults and to date the Huntingdon Rotary Club reports having received a total of $214.00. Something like 5,000 letters containing the seals were sent out throughout the Counties of Chateauguay and Huntingdon and the local committee hopes it will get a good response to them.

It is a most worthy cause to contribute to and already the Rotary Club has supplied several wheel chairs to crippled persons, either on loan or as an outright gift. If anyone knows of any crippled person who may be in need of assistance and living within the two counties, the Huntingdon Rotary Club will be glad to know of it. The following is a list of contributors to date:—

$1.00:— Wm. R. Wilson, Edmund Lefebvre, Osias Saumier, A. Nadeau, Aristide Beauchesne, Charles Ferry, Kerr Neily, Wendel Waldie, Mrs. E. C. McCoy, John Rennie, John McCrow, D. E. Black, Keith Robb, John Robinson, Roy Angell, James Tillotson, Stanley Peddie, Hollis Rowe, J. Carson, John Wattie, W. R. Rutherford, Elzear Lalande, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Gauthier, C. H. McLean, Bernard Picard, Reginald McCrow, David Baird, C. L. Sparrow, Rosario Lanctot, Mrs. R. Baird, Irene D'Aoust, Rufus Come, Anonymous, Mrs. F. Mattice, E. Roger Leduc, Willard Anderson, Mrs. M. E. Hamilton, George Lalonde, Matthew Vanhorne, Ernest Robinson, Maurice Patenaude, R. Villeneuve, Irvin McWhinnie, Robert Milne, Miss Mary McKeegan, Tom Vine, Medard Lecavalier, Finlay Ross, Jean Brunet, Dr. J. E. Caza, L. H. Holmes, Garnet Barrington, Richard Proudfoot, E. D. Goslin, F. A. Rowe, John Honsinger, Miss Mary Lowrey, Anthony Smaill, Paul Forget, A. P. O'Reilly, Rosairio Taillefer, Mrs. F. G. Braithwaite, Mrs. M. Gay, Mrs. P. J. O'Connor, J. H. McCracken, Albert Lumsden, Mrs. Bertha Leggett, Geo. L. Platt, Mrs. Margaret J. Ewing, J. B. L. Leduc, Miss Laura Robertson, Rene Yelle, Louis Pilon, F. S. Rugar, Jos. Moneyenny, Fred D. Stevens, W. W. Elliott, R. Bruce Ness, Mrs. John Barrington, Donald Roy, E. A. Fennell, Lloyd Sproule, Arthur

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Howick Y.P.S. Play Runner-up In Drama Finals

Marion McKell, William Templeton Win Acting Awards

The Howick Y.P.S. Players, who with their play 'The Happy Journey', last week won the Drama Festival of the Montreal Presbytery Y.P.U. competed in the Montreal-Ottawa Conference finals on Saturday night, March 20. Competing against them, at the Cedar Park School Auditorium, were the Algonquin Y.P.U. players from Dundas Grenville Presbytery, with their production of 'Overlaid'.

The adjudicator, Prof. C. W. Hall of Macdonald College, after giving the audience a thorough analysis of the merits of both productions and of the performances of the individual actors, awarded first prize to the Algonquin players with 'Overlaid', and individual awards as best actors to Marion McKell and William Templeton of Howick. Professor Hall reviewed both plays and he remarked that his choice had been a hard one to make. In point scoring, of a possible 100, only three points separated the two plays. Such a close decision speaks well indeed for both plays and the Howick group is to be congratulated on an excellent performance. Particular praise is due to Mrs. Lila MacFarlane for an outstanding job as director of 'The Happy Journey'. Although seriously hampered both in her selection of actors, because of the relatively small group at Howick, and further by bad weather and poor roads, which curtailed the number of rehearsals, Mrs. MacFarlane did a wonderful job in a short time.

Excellent direction and a high standard of acting were evident in both plays. The play 'Overlaid' offered a rather better opportunity to display dramatic ability, but lost a great deal as far as audience appreciation was concerned with its unnecessary use of strong language and general tendency to play up friction and disharmony in the home in which the action was portrayed. The levity and happy atmosphere of 'The Happy Journey' made for a much more enjoyable play, although not as suitable a vehicle for dramatic expression.

The action in the play 'Overlaid' took place in the kitchen of a farm home. On stage as the play opened were an old man and his middle-aged daughter. The old man, obviously eccentric, is listening to a grand opera on his radio. As the play unfolds the disharmony and strife in the household quickly becomes apparent. An insurance salesman appears and announces to the old man that his life insurance policy has matured and he is to receive twelve hundred dollars. The old man demands the cash at once and goes into a long and somewhat foul description of how he will spend his money on a spree in New York. His daughter stands by in horrified amazement, as he rants on. After the insurance agent leaves she remonstrates with him over his spendthrift schemes. The old man demands to know how she would have

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New Organ For St. John's Church

Heard For First Time Last Sunday

St. John's Church, Huntingdon, has recently installed a new organ in the church and on Sunday, March 21st, it was played for the services for the first time. The congregation is particularly proud of this addition to their church and deeply appreciate the efforts of Junior Guild of the church, the members of which worked hard to bring it about.

A fund was started several years ago by the Senior Guild, but it did not grow very fast due to other commitments. However, the Junior Guild was formed two or three years ago and they resolved to work hard to see the new organ was bought and installed in the church. Through these years they have worked at putting on dinners and other forms of entertainment as well as by catering to parties of various kinds. The money raised in this way has been carefully placed in the organ fund together with that handed to them from the Senior Guild. Several friends of the Junior Guild came to their assistance and made contributions to the fund and at long last sufficient for the purchase of the organ has been raised.

It is a Minshal Electric Organ and its cost was $2,850. It is a great improvement over the previous one and its music was greatly enjoyed by the congregation at the services on Sunday.

For some two weeks before the arrival of the organ, the men of the congregation worked very hard in the evenings and well into the early hours of the morning, preparing the place where the organ would be located. They did a fine job and deserve to be congratulated for the time and effort they extended.

Special praise is due the members of the Junior Guild for their long and untiring efforts to achieve their goal and they can rest on their laurels of having accomplished their set purpose.

Thanks are due the many kind friends who came forward with contributions which helped to cut down the time required to raise the fund.

The church has a very fine choir today and with the new organ, the musical portion of the services should be greatly enhanced.

Ownership of Chateau Is Changed

New Management Took Over on Friday

While it has been rumoured for some weeks past that The Chateau would change ownership, this did not take place until Friday, March 19th. The new owner is Mr. Norbert E. Barnabe of Montreal. In charge of the hotel is Mr. A. Carisse, who is the manager and is already busy meeting the people and becoming acquainted.

Mr Barnabe, was at one time manager of the Alexandria Hotel, at Ottawa and Quebec manager of John Lablatt. He owns the Barnabe Automobile Sales in Ville St. Laurent. Mr. Carisse will be resident here, but Mr. Barnabe will visit from time to time. No changes are planned for the time being, the hotel will be operated on the same basis as formerly.

The Gleaner was unable to reach Mr. A. Latendresse, the former owner to learn of his plans, but it is understood that he has been ordered to take a rest.

McDonald & Robb Have Been Established 73 Years

Business Has Expanded From Local to Provincial And to Export

The following is an address given by Emmons McDonald, President of McDonald & Robb Ltd., Valleyfield, Que., to members of the Richelieu Club and guests at a recent meeting. It has many interesting facts in relation to the history of McDonald & Robb Ltd. flour mill and should serve to revive old memories.

Wheat

Although some wheat, 20 to 30 million bushels, sown in the fall is grown in Ontario and used for pastry flour such as Snowflake, the largest quantity is grown in the West and it is of this wheat I will refer in this address.

The wheat is sown in the spring and harvested in the fall by means of combines. The farmers haul it to the country elevators where the agent classes it for grade and later ships it by rail to either Ft. William, Churchill or Vancouver. An interesting point is that the rail charges to Vancouver are still the same as forty to fifty years ago being held at that level by the agreement made with the C.P.R. at the time they built their Transcontinental line and that they have not been increased so that Vancouver had a considerably lower freight. Passing Winnipeg en route to Ft. William each car is sampled at Winnipeg where the Grain Inspector Department has a very large laboratory and grading office. Their grade is final and if the elevator agent has graded the wheat too high, you can see that his company stands to lose money after paying the farmer on the basis of his gradings.

The car of wheat continues to Fort William, Port Arthur where there are large elevators which clean the wheat of seeds, other grains, straw, etc. The wheat is then either loaded into cars for shipment to Montreal, Halifax, St. John, Three Rivers, Quebec or loaded into boats for Eastern Canada — or the Bayports of Goderich, Owen Sound, Sarnia, Middland, etc. to Prescott, Montreal, Sorel, Three Rivers or to Canadian Mills.

If for export as wheat, it is, when sold, loaded into Ocean Vessels sailing to all parts of the world.

Since 1939, the sale of wheat is entirely the duty of the Canadian Wheat Board, grain companies acting only as agents of the Board. Technically all wheat is the property of the Wheat Board even the wheat for which we have paid and have in our mill and if the price changes, the Wheat Board obliges us to adjust the difference with them. Their price is set daily at 1.15 Winnipeg Time and is a price in the Elevators at Ft. William. The farmers have for the past few years been on quota and receive a first payment on delivery of their wheat and future payments until the crop is completely sold. Until about three weeks ago, the Wheat Board quoted the same price to Vancouver, Churchill and Fort William but because of the different freight to Vancouver that I mentioned earlier, they now quote different prices and reduced the Fort William price 7 cents a bushel in an effort to have here more by the East, Vancouver being booked to capacity.

Flour Milling

The Canadian Flour Mills naturally form an important part in the sale and use of Canadian wheat. The total capacity of the milling industry is slightly over 200,000 bags per day. The capacity of the Canadian Flour Mills is three times the domestic requirements and as a result their export sales are very important to the success of the milling industry. The mills are constantly endeavouring to sell flour in most countries of the world and as our flour is milled entirely from quality Canadian wheat, Canadian Export Flour establishes a standard in other countries which obliges their mills to use a percentage of Canadian Wheat in their mill mixes. The mills are distributed all across Canada but the seven large mills operate approximately 75% of the capacity. Ontario has the largest number of mills but most of them are of medium capacity. Apart from Ogilvie, St. Lawrence, we are the only mill in Quebec doing domestic business. In my opinion, the most favourable locations are at Port Colborne and Montreal. Montreal is best located for Export via the Atlantic as they can bring the wheat direct from Fort William by water and every 8 months, load directly the Ocean Vessels. Flour mills usually grind various grades of wheat selecting it to meet their established flour standards. The wheat received at the mill is cleaned, washed and prepared for the mill. Naturally, it is tested in mill laboratories for protein, moisture and other qualities to know where to start.

It is then moistened to a necessary humidity to facilitate the removal of the Bran and Millfeeds. The milling process is then one of grinding and sifting, through steel rolls and sifters which separate the unmilled portions from the flour. The first step endeavours simply to break the wheat open and then continues until all flour is removed from the wheat. Approximately 70% is flour, 30% feeds. To Flour we now add certain chemicals to improve the colour, dough quality and also vitamins. We use entirely Mercks' vitamin products believing we should encourage a local industry.

The flour is packed in various types of bags, paper, cotton, jutes and printed cotton. The paper bag is the most popular with bakers and it is in some respects more satisfactory as mice attack paper less and also humidity affects the flour very little in paper sacks. These variety of packages doubled by some being enriched and others not, does create inventory problems.

McDonald & Robb Limited

Our Company was started by my grandfather about 1880 and I have an old lease of 1881 giving James McDonald land and water rights to operate a flour mill. My grandfather was accidentally killed in the mill a year or so later and in 1882 my grandmother took Mr. James Robb in partnership and he was manager until his political work took too much time. In the meantime my father and his brother had assisted him after they finished school and the business grew and expanded from local sales to cover the province and some export. In 1925 the mill was burned and rebuilt double the capacity. It was also incorporated at that time into McDonald & Robb Limited. As some remember, our office for many years was in front of the City Hall. In 1949 we moved it to the mill and it makes for better operation particularly as many local deliveries are by truck. Our wheat, except for Snowflake, is all high grade Western Wheat, some bought direct from high protein areas in Saskatchewan. During the 73 years we have been in business I believe we have built a high reputation for both our company and products. We are fortun-

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Ste. Agnes

STE. AGNES—Socially speaking, this past week has been a very busy one at school. On Wednesday afternoon, the Sunbeam Mission Band held a candy sale in the Primary Room, with their leader, Mrs. L. D. Fraser supervising the details. A little over $3.00 was cleared from this venture.

On Thursday afternoon, the Public Speaking Contest sponsored by the local Women's Institute took place. Nine took part in the contest and spoke on various topics in the different grades. The speaking this year was more of an impromptu nature, as only one rehearsal was held to determine the exact timing of each pupil.

Grades I and II gave choral readings and a few recited short poems. The W.I. donated a small sum to this class with which a suitable treat will be bought by Mrs. Sutton and given to the youngsters.

On Friday afternoon, the Projector arrived, complete with screen and one roll of film. At time of writing, the Commissioners have not actually purchased the machine, but it is safe to say that they are thinking pretty seriously about it, and the next day or so should see the transaction completed.

On Friday night, the card party sponsored by the teachers took place. There was a marvellous response to the party, and "500" was played at 17 tables. Our American friends were very much in evidence, and the teachers and Board of Commissioners are grateful to them for their support.

Prizes went to: Ladies' 1st—Mrs. Ethel Hadder of Bombay, N.Y., Men's 1st—Mr. Dick Barlow of Bombay, who is in service with the U.S. Navy. Consolation prizes to Mrs. Jos. Platt and Mr. Kenneth Caldwell. Two very beautiful potted plants had been donated by Folleigh Farm through the courtesy of the gardener, Mr. Ted Robinson and these were drawn for door prizes. The first one went to Mr. Hugh Ferguson, Dundee, and the second one to Mr. Purvis Hamilton, Trout River.

Following lunch, a short 10 minute film on sports was shown by Mr. Charles Fraser on the new Projector. The picture was extremely clear and the sound excellent. One could hear many complimentary remarks throughout the audience, and it would seem that the purchase of a projector for use in the school and community had met with majority approval.

These card parties have been planned with an eye to raising money for film rental and to purchase shades for the upstairs windows. The sum of $36.70 was taken in on Friday night, and another party is planned for March 26th, which is also a Friday night.

The sentiment of the group was aptly expressed by one lady at the close of the party as she was leaving to go home, "We had a lovely party, and if nothing unforeseen happens, we'll all be back on the 26th", and so say all of us!

Mission Band

The regular monthly meeting of the Sunbeam Mission Band was held on Sunday morning, March 7th, in the Sunday School room, with the leader, Mrs. L. D. Fraser in charge. The members are learning two new hymns—"Round the World", which expresses the Mission Band purpose and a new offering song—"Gifts of Love." Several donations were brought in for the Towel Kits for Korea, but members are still bringing in their gifts, so that anyone who forgot to bring theirs in this time are reminded to bring them along to the April meeting. The collection amounted to 49c, and birthday pennies were brought in by Jean Fraser, Anne Fraser and Barry Fraser and amounted to 15c.

The election of officers for the new year took place at this meeting and resulted in the following slate of officers for the year 1954: President, Jean Fraser; Vice-President, Anne Fraser; Secretary, Betty Fraser; Treasurer, Karen Elder. A service for the new officers was held, following the detail from the Mission Band Handbook.

Mrs. Fraser told a story from the Study Book, "The Round Window," about Kenji, a little Japanese boy.

W.A. Notes

The regular meeting of the Woman's Association will be entertained on Wednesday afternoon, March 31, at the home of Mrs. Wm. McPherson with Mrs. McPherson, Mrs. Wm. Leslie and Mrs. Hugh Cameron as joint hostesses. Mrs. Wm. Leslie will lead the devotional exercises, and the roll call will be answered with a tip for caring for house plants.

A panel discussion is being arranged, with Mrs. J. G. Fraser as moderator, and Mrs. W. D. Fraser, Mrs. Lyle Currie, Miss Thelma McMillan and Mrs. Vernon Elder as members of the panel.

School Notes

Miss Upton, the helping teacher sent out by the Department of Education, was at the school during all of last week. She divided her time pretty evenly between the two rooms, teaching, overseeing and offering helpful suggestions when the occasion arose.

Takes Part in Operetta

Mrs. Gloria (Currie) Campbell again took part in the women's chorus of the Gilbert and Sullivan operetta, "Patience," when it was presented by the Cornwall Operatic Society on Monday night, March 8, in the Cornwall Collegiate and Vocational School auditorium.

Gloria says that she thoroughly enjoys the experience derived by association with this Operatic Society, and looks forward with anticipation each year to taking her part in the presentation of the excellent operettas by the famous English composer-playwrights.

Miss Denise Vaillancourt returned to her home in Alexandria, Ont., on Saturday after spending a few weeks with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbrod Marchand.

Mrs. Clara Borjis of Manchester, N.H., and Mr. Charles McGibbon of Malone, N.Y., visited their sister, Mrs. Mary Davidson on Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Quenneville and family of Valleyfield have been recent guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Quenneville.

Mr. and Mrs. James Robson and Beverly visited with Mrs. Robson's father, Mr. W. C. McGibbon on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McPherson of Valleyfield spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gregor Leslie.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. E. Platt were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Moore of Ellenburg, N.Y.

Mr. John Elder of Athelstan was a recent guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Elder.

Miss Carolyn Moore of Malone, N.Y., spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jos. E. Platt.

Miss Dawn Elder spent the week-end at the home of her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Lyle L. Currie in Fort Covington, N.Y.

OBITUARY

THE LATE JOHN McGIBBON

On Wednesday, March 17th, at Syracuse, N.Y., death came suddenly but peacefully to John McGibbon, in his 65th year.

The deceased was born in Westville, N.Y., Nov. 15th, 1888, a son of William and Anna Stark McGibbon. In early life he married Miss Edith Armstrong and the family lived for many years at Westville, after moving to Massena, N.Y., where the late Mr. McGibbon was an employee at the Alcoa Aluminum Company.

Although not in robust health for several years, Mr. McGibbon had not been confined to bed, and prior to his death was able to be about as usual. It is thought that he must have suffered a heart attack from which he failed to rally.

Funeral services were held on Friday afternoon, March 19th, from the Phillips' Memorial Home in Massena, N.Y, Rev. O. W. Thomas, pastor of the First Methodist Church officiated.

The pall-bearers were, Mr. Herman McGibbon, Mr. Keith McPherson, Mr. Bill McCabe and Mr. Everett Armstrong. The body was placed in the vault of Pine Grove Cemetery to await burial in the Westville Cemetery in the spring.

The late Mr. McGibbon is survived by one son, Leon of Crown Point, N.Y., and one daughter, Bernice (Mrs. Frank Costello) of Syracuse, N.Y.; two sisters, Mrs. Mary Davidson of Ste. Agnes and Mrs. Clara Borjis of Manchester, N.H.; two brothers, Charles McGibbon of Malone, N.Y., and Raymond McGibbon of Manchester, N.H., also five grandchildren.

The late Mrs. McGibbon predeceased her husband on April 11, 1953.

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It's when talking of international affairs that he really comes into his own. He doesn't see big changes this year but "feels it may be differentiated by substantial eventualities". Never give the ambassador a gift, he cautions. Instead, make him "the recipient of a presentation".

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Round Byre AND Ring

By Frank Napier



WILLOXTON MISTY

Record Making Veteran Ayrshire Cow

Condolences and Felicitations

Many friends of W. K. ("Ken") Pope, Manager for the past 14 years of the Bank of Montreal, will regret to learn that he will shortly be leaving Huntingdon for Watford, Ont. On the other hand, however, they will doubtless congratulate Ken on his promotion.

Watford is situated in Lambton County, about half-way between London and Sarnia. Also in one of the best livestock districts of Western Ontario.

Milk Shippers Meeting

It was a long drawn-out affair, held in the hot, stuffy Court Room of Huntingdon County Building. That is the special meeting of the Huntingdon Branch of Montreal Milk Producers' Association, held during the evening of Friday, March 19.

The meeting had been called as for 8 p.m. and by that time a considerable number of interested people had assembled. However, the meeting was not convened until almost 9 p.m., by which time every available regular seat had been filled, plus a number of other seats which were brought in. In addition, a considerable number of people were standing in both the room and the hallway. A conservative estimate of the attendance would be that there were around 250 people present. In addition to those from the Huntingdon area there were several others from the Ormstown, Howick, etc., districts.

The meeting was chaired by W. McClatchie, President of Huntingdon Branch and he called on Leon A. Beaudin, Agronomist, Quebec Department of Agriculture, to lead the discussions. Mr. Beaudin explained, in effect, that the chief objective was to have explained the respective Provincial and Health of Animals Division Bangs test plans. He therefore introduced Dr. J. M. Veilleux, D.V.S., Chief, Veterinary Branch, Quebec Department of Agriculture.

Bangs Disease

Dr. Veilleux devoted more than half of his hour and a half discourse in explaining the various phases of Brucellosis or Bangs disease, its ramifications, economic aspects, etc. In that respect we might venture an opinion, that, while we have a very high regard for Dr. Veilleux's ability and status as a Veterinary Executive, we believe he might have cut that part short and have therefore devoted more time to his Department's Bangs test plans in general. It surely must be that most milk producers in this long time cattle and milk producing district are, or should be well acquainted with Bangs disease in general.

Calfhood Vaccination

Dr. Veilleux also dealt at considerable length with Calfhood Vaccination, during which time he quoted numerous United States Veterinarians. All, of course, apparently being in support of his own and his Department's beliefs and policies with respect to Calfhood Vaccination. His comments and quotations reminded this writer of the many abortive discussions between the Joint Dairy Breeds Committee and the then Veterinary Director General. That is, long after Calfhood Vaccination had been in vogue in Ontario, under the aegis of the Ontario Veterinary College, with such eminent veterinarians as the late Drs. MacGillivray and McNab (former Presidents of the O.V.C.) in active personal support of the Ontario plan. Also before the Rt. Hon. James G. Gardner, Minister of Agriculture, and Dr. G. H. Barton, Deputy Minister, finally gave official approval to the Ontario plan, likewise to same being applicable to the rest of Canada. Since then Dr. Childs, Veterinary Director General, and Dr. Mitchell, Dominion Animal Pathologist, have given their support to the Calfhood Vaccination Plan. In fact most of the forward steps that have been made in Canada in recent years have been the result of constant collaboration and cooperation on the part of Dr. Childs and the Bureau of Animal Husbandry of the United States.

However, none should gainsay Dr. Veilleux's assertion to the effect tha t with Calfhood Vaccination should be combined a general policy with respect to the testing of other members of the herd, herd management and the cooperation of the owners of these herds.

The Quebec and Federal Plans

Dr. Veilleux finally explained the Quebec Provincial Bangs-test plans. In that respect he subsequently stated, in effect, "There is not a single herd in the Huntingdon area that cannot be cleaned-up within 2 or 3 years."

Dr. R. Nadeau, D.V.S., District Supervisor, Health of Animals Division also briefly explained, the Canada Department of Agriculture's Bangs Test policy.

Urged Area Plan

P. D. McArthur, President, Montreal Milk Producers' Association, disclosed that the Executive Committee of that Association had been and still is discussing its recent, presently drastic order with the heads of the Montreal Board of Health. So far, however, without any appreciable favourable result. They had been informed, he said, that the regulation concerned had been on the Statute Books for some 15 years, although same was never enforced until now. He had therefore asked: "Why start now?" and had received the answer "Too much milk".

Mr. McArthur also discussed the Bangs test and Calfhood Vaccination in general and at the same time quietly jibed Dr. Veilleux on his attitude with respect to the latter.

Finally, he suggested that steps be taken towards evolving a Bangs-test Area plan.

By that time the midnight hour had been reached and so after a few questions had been asked of and answered by Drs. Veilleux and Nadeau, and Mr. McArthur, the meeting dispersed. Without any summing-up of the plans offered and without any motions or recommendations.

What, Now?

We are not presently aware whether the Executive Committee of the Huntingdon Branch of the Montreal Milk Producers' Association is planning to take any further steps with respect to giving some further guidance to their members. It should be reasonable to suggest however, that they call another meeting to more fully discuss ways and means of not only clarifying the Bangs test plans at their disposal but also give some leadership in that respect. In other words, give the necessary guidance to these members. In that respect it is suggested that a preliminary step in that direction might be a joint meeting of not only the Executives of the Huntingdon Branch but also of the Executives of the district purebred cattle Clubs—Ayrshire, Holstein and Jersey.

Record-Breaking Ayrshire Veteran

According to The Ayrshire Cattle Society's Journal (of Great Britain) the Ayrshire cow Willoxton Misty (69398) has created a record which ranks as amongst the most noteworthy in the annals of the Ayrshire breed. In 14 officially tested lactation periods she has produced a total of 200,074 lbs. milk, 8,365 lbs. butterfat, average test 4.18%.

Bred by John and William Templeton of Willoxton, Mauchline, and now owned by William Templeton of Syke, Mauchline, Willoxton Misty was born on July 15th, 1934. She was sired by Willoxton Victim (35192).

Outstanding Yearly Records

She commenced her first lactation on 11th. November 1936, at 2 years, 129 days of age, and during that lactation period she produced 12,990 lbs. milk, 527 lbs. fat, at an average of 4.06%, in 266 days.

Thereafter, with unfailing regularity she has produced calves within 12 to 14 months of each other. Her lactation records have also been consistently good, her highest being after calving on 14th. December 1950 (at 16 years, 162 days of age) when she gave a total of 20,026 lbs. milk, 803 lbs. fat, at average of 3.97%.

Her previous best was in her lactation commencing 25th August, 1946 (at 12 years, 40 days of age) when she yielded 17,211 lbs. milk, 726 lbs. fat, at average of 4.22%.

Outstanding Reproducer

In addition to her record production of milk, Willoxton Misty has also bred exceptionally well and her daughters give indication that they are following in the footsteps of their illustrious mother. One of her daughters, Syke Moss has recently qualified for the Ayrshire Cattle Herd Book Society's (of Great Britain) new 150,000 Pound Milk Club. Two others, Syke Fanny and Syke Beauty will probably qualify very soon for the 100,000 Pound Club of that Society. Another daughter, Syke Misty, by an unfortunate piece of bad luck missed qualifying for the 100,000 Pound Club by a mere 25½ gallons.

Wonderful Advertisement

Says The Ayrshire Cattle Society's Journal:

"Willoxton Misty, now in her twentieth year, provides a wonderful advertisement for the Ayrshire breed, as she possesses all the desirable qualities—longevity, regular calving, consistent production and good conformation. Despite her years, she is still very fit and fresh and continues to give a very satisfactory daily milk yield."

We are not presently aware of the extent of the Kindred of Willoxton Misty in Canada. However, R. R. Ness & Sons, have on several different occasions imported Willoxton and Syke-bred animals. It is therefore quite possible that several such were Kin of Willoxton Misty.

New Canadian Stamp Issues

The Honourable Alcide Cote, Postmaster General, has announced the Post Office Department will issue four new design stamps, on April 2. One stamp will portray a likeness of Her Majesty, Queen Elizabeth II, and the other three stamps will depict Canadian wildlife.

The stamp portraying Her Majesty, the Queen, was engraved from a photograph supplied by the Dorothy Wilding Portraits, Limited, of London, and will be a 5c denomination. This stamp will be blue in colour and will be an ordinary issue, reprinted and used for several years. The same design in other values will be issued later.

A 15c black stamp will illustrate a gannet in flight against a night sky. The design for this stamp was created by Laurence Hyde, of Ottawa. The gannet was selected as an appropriate symbol for the 15c stamp which is used extensively for airmail. This stamp will also be an ordinary issue for long term use.

A grey coloured 4c stamp will illustrate a walrus and a blue coloured 5c stamp will illustrate a beaver. These two stamps will be short term commemorative issues. They are being issued in support of Canada's National Wildlife Week with the intent that they emphasize to all the importance of securing and restoring the wildlife resources of Canada. The designs for these two stamps were created by Emanuel Hahn, R.C.A., Toronto, Ontario.

All of the above described stamps are being engraved and printed by the Canadian Bank Note Company, Ottawa.

Beaver

BEAVER — Mrs. James Hutchings, Freddie and Lyndon, Athelstan, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Watterson.

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Cameron and Mary Jean were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Premo, Misses Genevieve and Nellie Colquhoun and Mr. and Mrs. T. McHugh, Massena, N.Y., on March 17.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Maitland Platt and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Platt on Tuesday afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. James Lang, Howick; Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Outhet, Okotoks, Alberta.

Mrs. Lisle Watterson is a patient in the Barrie Memorial Hospital, Ormstown. Mrs. Watterson's neighbors and friends wish her a speedy recovery.

Little Miss Gail Watterson is home from the Huntingdon County Hospital enjoying perfect health again.

Miss Lucy Thomson, Montreal, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Leslie.

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Cameron and Mary Jean were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Vaugh, Westville, N.Y., on Sunday.

Aubrey - Riverfield

AUBREY-RIVERFIELD — The Riverfield Evening Auxiliary met at the home of Mrs. W. G. Brown in Howick, Tuesday evening, March 16. The president, Mrs. Aubrin Reddick, conducted the meeting. Mrs. Floyd Gruer and Mrs. Kenneth Allen were in charge of the programme. Thirteen members responded to the roll call. After the close of the meeting, refreshments were served by the hostess and a social hour was enjoyed.

Misses Aneta Milne and Janet MacLeod, Messrs. Harry and Paddy Maguire, of Montreal, spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Finlay Milne.

Beauharnois

Pot Luck Supper

BEAUHARNOIS — A Pot Luck Supper was held on Tuesday evening, March 16, in St. Edward's Presbyterian Church Hall at six o'clock. The Hall was decorated in traditional St. Patrick's Day colours. The buffet table held beautiful spring flowers and candelabra with green candles. Joint missionary organizations shared in the service which followed.

Mrs. H. Graham spoke of the splendid work done by the Auxiliary Mission Band leaders, and introduced Brian Smith who was the leader for the worship service. Beginning with a call to worship, followed by the singing of a hymn, Nancy Malcombe read from Scripture, Matthew 28. John Sweezey also read from Matthew. A Prayer for the Children of Canada was offered by Marion Kemper; for the Missionaries, by Kirk Monovan; for Children of All Lands, by Heather Calhoun, and Evening Prayer by Clifford Gregory. The class sang "God's Children Live in Many Lands". The collection was taken up by Dougie Calhoun and Brian Kemper. The offertory prayer was said by Brian Smith. Mrs. Graham thanked the Mission Band for their wonderful contribution to the service.

She then introduced Miss Margaret Kennedy, Missionary on furlough from the Bhil Field, Jabat, India. Miss Kennedy had dressed Karen McCallum, Heather Calhoun and Betty Gwyn in costumes of the three groups which represent the families with whom she comes in contact in her work. While adding pieces of silver jewellery to each of the costume wearers, she explained the meaning and purpose behind its usage. The children were entranced by the teller and by the stories of another land. Every word was listened to with interest and overwhelming eagerness. Karen MacCallum thanked Miss Kennedy for her generosity in giving of her valuable time to them, saying they would never forget the stories, and would remember Miss Kennedy in their prayers. This part of the service was brought to a close at eight o'clock.

The Evening Auxiliary and Women's Missionary Groups held a service in the Church. Mrs. Graham offered a call to worship after the singing of a hymn and responsive reading of Psalm 67. The collection was taken up by Mrs. W. Loucks and Miss Rachel Page. The Chairman called upon Miss Coles, President of the Montreal Presbyterial, to introduce Miss Kennedy. Miss Coles spoke highly of the work and enthusiasm of this now well known missionary. Miss Kennedy had coloured slides to help illustrate the country and the people of India. As always, Miss Kennedy held her audience with pure enunciation, interesting and heart warming topics delivered with vitality and enthusiasm. Mrs. H. S. Spencer thanked the speaker for bringing such a clear vision of her work, workers and surroundings in India, and that Canada was fortunate in having such a worthy ambassador. The meeting closed with the benediction. Both sessions were well attended.

Curling

Mrs. J. E. Sullivan's team representing the local Club in the Coca-Cola competition held at Valleyfield were defeated by a small margin by Howick and Lacolle teams. Other members of Mrs. Sullivan's team included Mrs. M. R. Reany, Mrs. O. Smith and Mrs. A. Kokko.

Social and Personal

Miss Janet Turnbull attended the Basketball and Football Prom at Lower Canada College on Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Demers held a cocktail party for Mr. and Mrs. Job on Monday evening. Mr. and Mrs. R. Job are leaving Beauharnois to take up residence in Niagara Falls, Ont.

Lacolle

LACOLLE — Mrs. John Robinson celebrated her 91st birthday on Friday, March 19. Several of her neighbours called, and others sent her greetings. Mrs. Robinson is in fairly good health and enjoys visitors. All wish her many more years of enjoyment.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd McFadden of Noyan were supper guests on Tuesday at the home of the Misses E. and M. Fosburgh.

F/L Lachlan Vanvliet, R.C.A.F., Halifax, N.S., motored to the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Vanvliet on Saturday last, where he will spend two weeks furlough.

We are sorry to report that Mrs. George Vanvliet is a patient in the Western Division of the Montreal General Hospital. A speedy recovery is hoped for.

Mrs. John Vanvliet entertained several ladies at a Canasta Party on Thursday evening. Two tables of Canasta were played. The high prize went to Mrs. Albert Morin and low prize to Mrs. M. MacLeod. The hostess served delicious refreshments at the close of the evening.

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Editorial Notes...

Financial Problems of Protestant Schools

THE Quebec Association of Protestant School Boards have recently submitted a brief to the Quebec Royal Commission of Inquiry on Constitutional Problems concerning Problems of Protestant Education in Quebec.

For some years now the Protestant schools have had their problems, especially in the matter of financing. Certain changes were made whereby the Provincial Government came to the aid of the schools and relieved them temporarily, at least, of some of their troubles. However in the interim, new problems have arisen and these now require more revision in the education act and of finances. One difficulty stems from the fact that Quebec has two school systems and the Protestant system is in the minority. In some parts of Quebec, the fact that this is so works great hardship on the Protestant system in view of the small number of properties from which taxation can be derived to pay the expense of operating schools.

This latter problem affects all school Boards to greater or lesser degree. The brief recommends that the education sales tax be made province wide and the revenue from this be paid over to both Roman Catholic and Protestant schools in proportion to their enrolled school population. It is further recommended that all real estate property taxes be put into one pool and divided among the various schools on the basis of enrolled school population. This is recommended for more equitable distribution than now can be obtained for a number of reasons.

Many factors have caused the present situation and these factors continue to add to the burden. In the case of real estate, many Protestants do not own their property, but are renters. Oftentimes, the property is owned by someone of the Roman Catholic faith and the taxes for such go to the Roman Catholic School district in which it is situated. Thus the children of the renter are educated in a Protestant school for which no taxes are received. This is one instance. Transportation has to be maintained to bring children to the schools and oftentimes the homes are remote, many miles having to be travelled in order to do this. This is due to the minority situation, but it all makes Protestant education much higher than that of the Roman Catholic who is more closely settled. Teachers are paid much higher salaries today than was the case a few years ago. More equipment is needed and the cost is much higher.

We have all known for some time that our schools need more money if they are to do the job that is demanded of them in the present day. In most cases, taxes have been raised to a point where the taxpayer feels he is paying high enough, but they have probably not reached a peak. However, if some of the suggestions made in the brief were followed, it may prevent increase in the local tax rate as the distribution of available funds should be on a more equitable basis. The old system of taxation may have served its purpose years ago, but time is here to modernize the set-up and make changes that will fit today's needs. Probably these suggestions would not solve the problems, but it seems to us they would go a long way to help. A step that helps, is a step in the right direction under any system. In any event the march is forward, we cannot go backward and under present day conditions we must face the advanced cost of modern methods and modern ways.

Supporting The Appeals

THREE appeals are before the public of Chateauguay Valley at this time and none of them should be passed over lightly. We, of the Chateauguay Valley have earned a reputation for supporting worthwhile appeals to the uttermost limit and making a success of all drives on their behalf. But lately we have been letting down badly.

The three appeals to which we refer are: The Annual Red Cross Campaign for Funds, The Easter Seals Campaign and The Red Cross Blood Donor Clinic. All are worthwhile appeals and have been well supported in other years. Each has its place in our community and each has served our community at some time or other. This service can only be carried on to the extent of the support we are willing to give. It is hard to give to everything and there are a number of calls these days, but sacrifices often brings returns. By this we do not mean that every donor will be rewarded in dollars and cents, but there is certain satisfaction in helping others less fortunate than ourselves and we none of us know when we may need a helping hand. Giving to these appeals may seem like giving money out of our pockets for no good reason, that is we do not receive anything for it. But if what we give helps someone else, helps save a life, restores another person to good health, or gives some person a start in life, then that donation has been worthwhile. We are being Christians in the true sense of the word and all of us like to believe we are good Christians. This being the season of Lent, we are supposed to be willing to make sacrifices, could there be any better way of making a sacrifice than that which we know is going to help someone else?

The Red Cross helps everyone who is in need and the rich and the poor can be in need if disaster strikes. When disaster of any kind strikes, it respects no one. One of the greatest lessons to be learned about this was shown in the last great war. The rich were stripped of their riches and reduced to paupers to live in concentration camps and become displaced persons in the aftermath.

The Blood Donor clinic is something that most everyone can attend and it actually costs them nothing in money. They are giving precious blood that may save a life or restore a sick person to health. Only the individual can give this, it is entirely in his or her hands. They must present themselves for the gift in person, it cannot be annonymous.

The Easter Seals Campaign does its work in providing to make the lot of the crippled person a happier one. If you have any doubts on the matter, try placing yourself in the position of a handicapped person and imagine what you would do. Suppose you lost an arm, a leg, two arms, two legs, or were incapacitated in some way, how would you carry on your former way of life. Yet these people can and do carry on normal occupations when they receive the help they need. They don't ask to be a drone of the human resources, they want to be independent the same as their more fortunate brothers. By buying Easter Seals you can help them to live independently and more happily.

The administration of any one of these appeals in the hands of honest people who are giving of their time and efforts that the appeals may be a success. They can only hope that the people will support the appeals by giving as generously as possible. It is hoped that everyone here will support at least one of these appeals, if not all three.

Should We Break All Ties

WE are proud of Canada and we are proud of the position it holds in world affairs. Opinions expressed in Canada have a far reaching effect all over the world today. We should not lose sight of the fact that much of the diplomatic training that Canada has had comes from the influence of the British Commonwealth.

For this reason, we feel just a little disgusted when announcement is made that the crown in the insigna carried on the cap badge of the RCAF members is being left off and an eagle substituted. We feel disgusted also when flag designs are mentioned that cut the ties between us and Great Britain. The Queen is only a figurehead today, she is no longer a ruling monarch, but just the same we are proud of our Queen. She is our Queen, for she is Queen of Canada, as well as Great Britain. The crown stands for our affiliation with Great Britain, but it does not affect our ability to stand on our own two feet and look after ourselves. Sure we should have a flag of our own, but does it need to be so distinctive that we do not recognize those who are near to us? It is the Royal Canadian Air Force, does an eagle make it Royal, or is the crown more emblematic?

There may be some who are of the opinion that we owe Great Britain nothing and we need have nothing more to do with it and should cut all ties and resemblances so that we can forget there ever was an England or British Isles. We prefer to think that we still need Great Britain and in many ways. We believe it would be catastrophic to drop out of the British Commonwealth and that is what many would want us to do. These purely distinctive Canadian ideas will certainly lead us to that end. We say leave the crown on the insignia, or why make all the fuss when the Queen pays a visit here. Why all the pomp and ceremony if we do not believe in what we are doing. Why did the people go out of their way to see the Queen when she visited this country if they did not believe in it. In the face of all these things, the removal of the crown from such insignia approaches an insult to one we profess to respect. The bigwigs of the government should investigate this change to greater extent than has been the case so far. They should also be very careful in their choice of a Canadian flag. It should be remembered that never before did so many owe so much to so few. The boys of the RCAF will know what is meant by that, if they served during the blitz of Great Britain, even if some others have so soon forgotten.

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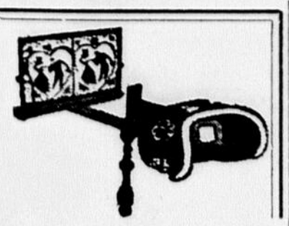
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1917

May 3

Ormstown—The programme at the Young People's meeting last week was provided by the young men. A debate proved an interesting feature, the subject, Resolved: that 100 acres of land without stock or implements is a better start for a young man than an annual salary of $1200.00. For the affirmative were: MacKay Anderson, Wallace Younie and Cameron McDonald; for the negative: Howard Elliott, Donald Black, and John D. McEwen. The judges were Rev. A. Mathews, Rev. D. N. Coburn and Principal A. W. Lang, who rendered their decision in favour of the affirmative. Mr. Heath rendered a piano solo, which was heartily encored, and Mr. Percy Osmond sang a solo, accompanied by Mr. Heath.

Beauharnois — The steamer "Beauharnois" arrived on its first trip Thursday evening. It is stated that a second steamer is to run between here and Montreal this summer.

Huntingdon—Frank Hunter reports an unusual sale of seed wheat at the mill. The high price of flour is inducing the sowing of an extra breadth.

For the month of May, the Borden Company are paying $2.31 for four percent milk, and $2.21 for three percent.

Changes continue in the village: J. H. Demers, tailor, purchased the house on Lorne Avenue owned by the late Mrs. Alex. McMillan, reported price $1,900.00; and F. Lefebvre, tailor, the property owned by T. S. Gardiner on Chateauguay Street, occupied by the Chinese laundry, for $1200.00, and the late John Caine property for $600.00.

May 10

Howick—The village council intends to build 200 yards of cement walks where the present sidewalks are not worth repairing.

Beauharnois—The houses are being numbered in town now. This will make it easier for strangers to find their way.

Valleyfield—On Saturday evening, the Bellerive Quadrille Club held a dance in the Gault Institute in aid of the Red Cross Society. The hall was beautifully decorated and a large crowd attended. The music for the occasion was under the leadership of Mr. J. MacLay, and everyone seemed thoroughly satisfied. The proceeds, after defraying expenses, amounted to about $100.00.

Huntingdon—David A. Macfarlane, Trout River, has bought the farm, adjoining Lake Street, from Alfred Lanktree for $6,700.00.

May 17

Ormstown—Work has commenced on the new cement walk over the creek and along the Episcopal Church property, raising the walk over the hollow is quite an improvement.

Howick—Two carloads of coal arrived last week, and no two previous cars were ever emptied more quickly than those.

D. Craig is erecting a new bakery on his own premises, and when completed, he will vacate the property rented from Mr. John Cunningham.

Huntingdon—That long waited for improvement, the crossing and sidewalk to the Post Office, has at last been supplied and gives satisfaction. What about placing the post office box for the accommodation of those who reside west of Bouchette Street?

At the meeting of St. Andrew's Ladies' Aid held at the home of Mrs. T. B. Pringle, the result of Mr. Sullivan's survey of the old burying ground was considered. He found encroachments on the western end. It was resolved to go on with the work of converting it into a park, and trees have already been planted.

The entertainment given last week by the Young People of St. John's congregation had several novel features, among them, a spelling match, in which Mrs. W. Hunter remained victor, Madam Wonder (Miss McIntosh) told fortunes to the satisfaction of all those who consulted her, and there was a constant catching of fish. Mrs. S. Robinson sang and Miss Wilson gave a recitation. The food, candy and ice cream had lots of customers. It was an enjoyable affair.

Howick—D. Ness and T. Kerr of Tullochgorum are the latest purchasers of autos, and Mrs. Ness, who had a previous high reputation for skill in handling drivers, has quickly become an expert with her Overland; whilst Mrs. T. Kerr is not far behind her at the wheel of her McLaughlin.

Hemmingford — The plow, the spade, the hoe, and the garden rake are much in evidence in the village just now, and it looks as if the people of Hemmingford had solved the problem of the high cost of living. Ground that had only grown weeds for many years, is being placed under tillage, and vegetables should be plentiful and cheap this fall.

Ormstown Exhibition

Memorial Arch — The Memorial Arch was built to commemorate those from the Ormstown District who fell in World War I. The fund that was raised to build the Archway, was contributed to by the people of Ormstown. It makes an imposing and beautiful entrance to the Fairgrounds, and serves as a reminder to all who pass under it that Ormstown remembers its sons and the sacrifices they made.

Prize for Lady Drivers—A pair of sterling silver bonbon dishes presented by the Shawinigan Water and Power Company as first prize in the contest for the best lady driver in the Beauharnois District was competed for at the Ormstown Fair, June 9-12, 1948.

The Week At Ottawa...

OTTAWA -(CP)- Canadians will learn Tuesday, April 6, just what federal taxes they will have to pay during the coming year.

That's the date Finance Minister Abbott has set for presentation of his ninth and almost certainly his last, budget.

There appears very little chance of tax cuts. Tax changes in the budget of course are kept secret beforehand, but indications seem to be that the general level of taxes will stay about the same. There could be, however, some shifts in the way the money is raised.

The budget, outlining the government's money-raising and spending program for the fiscal year starting April 1, will provide means for raising record peacetime revenues to meet spending of at least $4,500,000,000, and perhaps as much as $5,000,000,000.

The peacetime record budget was $4,462,000,000 for 1953-54, which Mr. Abbott tabled in the Commons, Feb. 19, 1953. The all-time high of expenditure was in the war year of 1943-44, when $5,322,000,000 was spent.

Prime Minister Returns

Prime Minister St. Laurent returned from his world tour to a tumultuous welcome at Ottawa's Rockcliffe airport, and brought with him a message of optimism — and a Hawaiian lei for his wife.

The 72-year-old prime minister, looking rested after his six-week trip to 11 world capitals, gave a preliminary report to the Commons the day after his return. He received a standing ovation from all parties in the House, while Mrs. St. Laurent watched from the galleries which hadn't been so crowded since the last budget was brought down.

Mr. St. Laurent said the Asian democracies feel that Canada is "taking on increasing importance in world affairs" and that her influence is "always apt to be helpful for stability and peace."

He did not divulge what he discussed with world leaders or what impressions he gathered from each one, except in Korea. He said President Syngman Rhee, with whom he dined, "is not too firmly convinced that the (U.S.) State Department is always right, but I did not get the impression that he was going to do very much about it." Rhee has often threatened to attack North Korea in an attempt to re-unite the country.

The prime minister concluded: "I invite you not to complacency, but to a feeling that what is being done at the present time is of sufficient value to make it worthwhile to continue doing it."

New PC Blood

The Progressive Conservative Association of Canada met here last week for its 100th annual meeting, gave party leader George Drew a vote of confidence and injected some new blood into its top echelon.

It gave Mr. Drew a vote of confidence in his party leadership during the first day of the two-day meeting, and then elected George Hees, 43, member for Toronto Broadview, as the president of the association to succeed George Nowlan, 56, member for Annapolis-Kings, N.S.

The twin themes of party re-organization, and renewed efforts to win the next general election, ran through most of the speeches and decisions. The next election is not expected for another three or four years.

Housing Legislation

Works Minister Winters announced the proclamation of the government's new housing law, which boosts the loan ceiling from $10,000 to $12,800 for a single house, and raises the maximum interest rate from 5¼ to 5½ per cent.

The new legislation went into effect March 22 after three months going through legislative processes in parliament. It is considered by the government as one of the major pieces of legislation in the current session.

While it makes loans more expensive, it extends the time to pay, and cuts the amount of down payments on new homes. It opens the mortgage-lending field for the first time to chartered banks and the Quebec Savings Bank.

It cuts the down payment on the first $8,000 of house cost to 10 per cent from 20; and raises it to 30 per cent from 20 on the remainder, up to a fixed lending ceiling. Under this system, a $12,000 house for instance would require a down payment of $2,000 — including $800 on the first $8,000, and $1,200 on the remaining $4,000.

These are for house loans under the government's Central Mortgage and Housing Agency. Under the federal plan lending values would be judged solely by the government housing agency.

Gas Pipelines

The next two or three years should see big pipeline construction to move gas from southern Alberta to the east, and from the Peace River area to the Pacific.

Mines Minister Prudham forecast the construction program as the commons started consideration of his departmental estimates. Mr. Prudham said natural gas reserves have been increasing at an unprecedented rate in the last year.

There seemed little doubt, he said, that the next two or three years "should witness a very large pipeline building program with gas eventually moving eastward from Southern Alberta to supply Central Canada, and gas moving from the Peace River area to supply Vancouver and the Pacific Coast area of the United States."

Mr. Prudham listed natural gas with oil, coal, electricity and perhaps atomic energy as the keys to developing natural resources. He expressed hope that the United States tariff policy will favor continued import of Canadian base metals.

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Weekly Review



A Fair Bargain

By LEWIS MILLIGAN

Seventeen Canadian textile mills have been forced to close down as a result of adverse conditions in that industry, and Dominion Woollens and Worsteds, Limited, at Hespeler, Ontario—the largest mill of its kind in Canada—was threatened with the same fate. In an effort to avoid this, the company proposed that an on-the-job vote of its employees be taken to decide whether they would accept an 8½ per cent cut in take-home pay to enable the mill to carry on in the face of competition with imported textiles from countries with low wage scales.

If the employees endorsed the wage cut, it was proposed to set up an independent board, composed of union, management and a neutral authority, to review conditions each month and determine whether operating results justified removal of the emergency measure.

The vote was taken and the proposal was rejected by a narrow majority, 218 to 201. While the vote was being taken the Textile Workers Union of America, (CIO) without consulting the local union, sent men to the entrance of the mill to distribute hand-bills urging employees to turn down the cut.

As a result of the vote the company announced a 25 per cent layoff affecting about 150 employees. But the local union took another vote of its members and the proposal for the wage cut was endorsed.

So far as the company was concerned the situation was one in which it had to find some way of reducing costs of production or go out of business. Since wages were the chief cost it seemed reasonable that a reduction in that item should help the company to meet competition from low-wage countries, and thus keep its 459 union workers as well as salaried people in employment. The employees will get less money but "half a loaf is better than no bread," and three-quarters and more of a loaf is still better, and the workers, on second thought, evidently decided to accept the sliced loaf.

The situation at Hespeler is an example of what will happen to all industries if unions persist in regarding collective bargaining as a one-way-street, with perpetual demands for higher wages and other benefits which have added to production costs.

These in turn have increased the cost of living, reduced the purchasing power of wages, priced their products out of the markets and the union workers themselves out of employment.

A collective bargain should mean an agreement arrived at between two parties for the benefit of their mutual interests, which should include the interests of the general public who are asked to buy the goods produced. In the long run, it is the consumer who has to foot the bill for the bargain, and if he refuses to pay or cannot pay the increased price of the goods offered, then the bargain is a bad one for all concerned.

It might be argued that to pull the plug out of the wage reservoir is just as bad as overflowing it, but there should be no need for either if foresight and common sense are used in bargaining. No one wants to see a reduction in wages if it can be avoided, but the unions themselves, by resorting to strikes, have not only reduced the annual sum total of wages but have pulled out the plug and left their members without any wages at all for months at a time in many instances.

Some day the unions or the workers themselves may wake-up to the fact that the strike is a self-inflicting weapon.

The right of a union to close down a plant and impoverish its members is utter nonsense. And it is the utter negation of collective bargaining, the purpose of which should be to promote the combined interests of industry and its employees. That is the sensible bargain which the Hespeler mill workers have finally accepted.



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Barrie Memorial Notes

The Barrie Memorial Hospital has received and acknowledged the following Annual Memberships: $10.00—Mrs. David Tate, Ormstown; Mr. John Carmichael, Riverfield; and Mr. Wm. McK. English, Ormstown; and the following donations: $40.00—Mr. and Mrs. John Smellie, Howick; $35.00—Mrs. Florence Belle Hinman, Ormstown; magazines—Mrs. Robert Milne, Dewittville.

Mrs. Alfred Greig, Ormstown, was convener of the sewing group on Thursday, March 11.

Education Week

High School and Community observed Education Week — March 7-13—in the following manner: Doctor J. M. Paton, Executive-Director of P.A.P.T., addressed a large congregation at St. Paul's United Church on Sunday, March 7. An attractive window display appeared again in Osmond's Store on Main Street. The school held a Parents' Day on Thursday, March 11. Grade Nine published a special edition of the Ormstownian entitled "Ormstown District Schools 25 Years Ago", and Young Parents' Club issued a committee report on "Making Homework More Effective."

A Senior Girls' district contest was held at Ormstown High School on Wednesday, March 3, to determine a finalist for the McGill Alumnae Association Public Speaking Contest. Lillian Dickson of O.H.S. competed against candidates from Howick High and the Gault, Valleyfield. Eva MacFarlane of Howick won district honours.

School Board

The Chateauguay Valley School Boards held their spring meeting at Ormstown High School on Wednesday, March 10. Following a business meeting the Boards heard two guest speakers from Crane Limited and Imperial Oil of Canada. The subject was "School Heating Problems".

Class Trip

On Thursday, March 18 senior students made an educational trip to Montreal. During the morning, Biology Classes visited the laboratories at McGill University while the Grade IX history students inspected the Chateau de Ramezay and the McCord Museum. During the afternoon Students saw Shakespeare's Julius Caesar now showing at the Kent Theatre.

Young Parents' Club

Young Parents' Club announced its next general meeting on Tuesday evening, March 23, at 8.15. Miss Phyllis Bowers, lecturer in Primary Methods at Macdonald College School for Teachers, addressed the meeting. Miss Bowers spoke on "Building Security in Children".

C.V.T.A.

The Spring Meeting of the Chateauguay Valley Teachers' Association will be held on Thursday, March 25, at Howick. Guest speaker will be Doctor K. R. Willis, Supervisor of Schools for Stanstead County.

Leadership Forum

The community is reminded that a Leadership Forum will be held at Ormstown High School during the Easter Vacation. Descriptive pamphlets will shortly be distributed through the community and surrounding district. The Forum, sponsored by local Farm Forums, gives every evidence of providing valuable assistance to people from sixteen to sixty who recognize the vital importance of effective individual participation in the ongoing life of the community.

School Museum

Following a series of Museum displays at Ormstown High over the past several years, the Student Council is giving serious consideration to setting up a permanent museum in the school. The School Board, upon being approached, consented to have a large glass display cabinet built so that articles loaned or donated to the High School Museum may be safely kept under lock and key. Within the next few weeks the community will be kept in close touch with developments. Such a project should answer a long-recognized need in this district. It is hoped that with general adult support the undertaking will prove a source of mutual pride both to school and community.

Ormstownian

The March 31st issue of the Ormstownian will be prepared jointly by the Home Economics and Agricultural classes of Ormstown High School.

Cpl. Marion McLaren of St. John's Que., and Cpl. Glenn Giles of Toronto, Ont., spent the week-end with Miss Myrtle Cullen, Pleasant Valley, recently.

Miss Elaine Meredith spent the week-end with friends in Quebec City recently.

Miss Allison Hooker, of Montreal, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Hooker.

Mr. and Mrs. Eastwood, Town of Mount Royal spent Sunday, March 14 with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Eastwood.

Miss Marion Swan returned from the Barrie Memorial Hospital the past week and is recuperating at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hodges of Brighton, Ont., spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Gartshore.

Miss Lorraine McOuat spent the week-end of March 12 in Montreal visiting her cousin, Miss Roberta Brown.

Mrs. R. E. Walsh was a guest the past week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Munroe, Macdonald College.

Miss Myrtle Cullen has returned home after spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. Douglas MacLeod, Hamilton, Ont.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Rodger of Lacolle were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Barrington.

Mr. and Mrs. Earle Steinbarge, of Massena, were recent guests of Mr. Archie Cameron Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Argyle Cameron and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Bryson.

Miss Marjorie Craig, of Montreal, spent the week-end with Mr. W. Craig and family.

Miss Margaret Kennedy, presently of Montreal and on furlough from the Bhil field, Jabot, India, was an overnight guest recently of Mr. and Mrs. Alan Hooker and family.

The February meeting of the W.A. of St. James Church met at the home of Mrs. Sutton.

The March meeting of the W.A. of St. James Church met at the home of Mrs. H. Parkinson. After the devotional period the ladies worked on quilt blocks.

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Allan's Corners

Brysonville Community Club News

ALLAN'S CORNERS — Another "Club" was held on Friday evening, March 12, in the Community Hall with a very good attendance. Mr. Harold Merson of the table committee was in charge of the card game. Those receiving prizes for highest score were as follows: Ladies' 1st—Mrs. Helen Peddie; Gents' 1st—Mr. Melman Stacey; Ladies' 2nd—Miss Sandra Elliott; Gents' 2nd—Mr. Larry Cowper.

Lunch was served by the North Brysonville group and dancing enjoyed. Music was supplied by Wilson's Westernaires.

It was announced that another "Club" would be held in two weeks.

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W.A. and W.M.S.

BROOKLET—A joint meeting of the W.A. and W.M.S. of Rennie's United Church was held Friday, March 12, at the home of Mrs. Geo. Leggett with ten members present. Mrs. Fred Elliott had charge of the devotional exercises.

A crokinole party, with maple sugar and taffy as refreshments, was planned to be held in Herdman Town Hall on Friday, March 19. During the work period, several of the ladies engaged themselves in working on a quilt. The meeting closed with the repetition of the Mizpah. Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess, Mrs. George Leggett, assisted by Mrs. Maurice Leggett and Miss L. Patenaude.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Elliott and Mr. Norman Elder spent Sunday, March 14, at the Sutherland home, Dundee.

Miss Florence McCormick of Saranac Lake, N.Y., spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Francis McCormick recently.

Mrs. James Harrigan, Mrs. Julia Cazan, Mrs. Joseph Cowan and Mr. Earl McCormick, all of Chateaugay, N.Y., spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Francis McCormick.

Beauharnois

Guide Association

The Guide Association held a very successful Tea on the afternoon of Saturday, March 13, in the Beauharnois Intermediate School auditorium. The Brownie Pack and Guides assisted serving tea. The Brownies also entertained the audience with singing a group of three songs: "Little Cottage in the Woods", "I Found a Peanut", and "Frere Jacques".

The children sang well and heartily, receiving a nice ovation. Miss Frances Hulne and Miss Dorothy Turnbull played. The waltz from Fleidermause and To a Wild Rose, and celebrated Hungarian Dance were charmingly done and very much enjoyed by everyone. Guide Commissioner Mrs. Fred Willows was present as were Captain Martha MacKellar, Lieut, Joyce Hunter, Captain Marion Monovan, Tawny Owl Mrs. D. C. Currie, and Brown Owl Mrs. Gerry Gwynn.

Council Meeting

HUNTINGDON COUNTY COUNCIL

The quarterly session of the Huntingdon County Council was held on Wednesday, the 10th of March, 1954. Members all present, except Councillor Fortin.

The Warden Andrew W. Elder in the chair for the opening of the meeting.

Councillor Turcot was appointed Warden of the County for the next term of office.

Councillor McNaughton was appointed Pro-Warden for the next three months.

The Secretary-Treasurer was authorized to write the Quebec Municipal Commission for their approval of the renewal of the outstanding notes of the County, for the next twelve months, and pay the interest on same.

Councillor Ellerton and Perron were appointed County delegates along with the Warden.

The arrangement made with Louis M. Parent for furnishing Fuel Oil to the County Buildings, be ratified until further notice.

The Secretary-Treasurer read the list of properties to be sold for arrears of taxes.

A petition from ratepayers in Hemmingford Township and Hemmingford Village was read.

Robert Reid was appointed Special Superintendent to prepare a Proces Verbal on the following branches of the Little Montreal River, which are Branches "C, D" Odell east and Odell West.

The financial report was read and accepted and a vote of thanks was extended to the Auditor W. L. Carr and to the Secretary-Treasurer for their excellent work.

The collection roll on the Spring Creek was read and homologated and all costs ordered paid and then collected from the interested parties.

The following bills were ordered paid:—

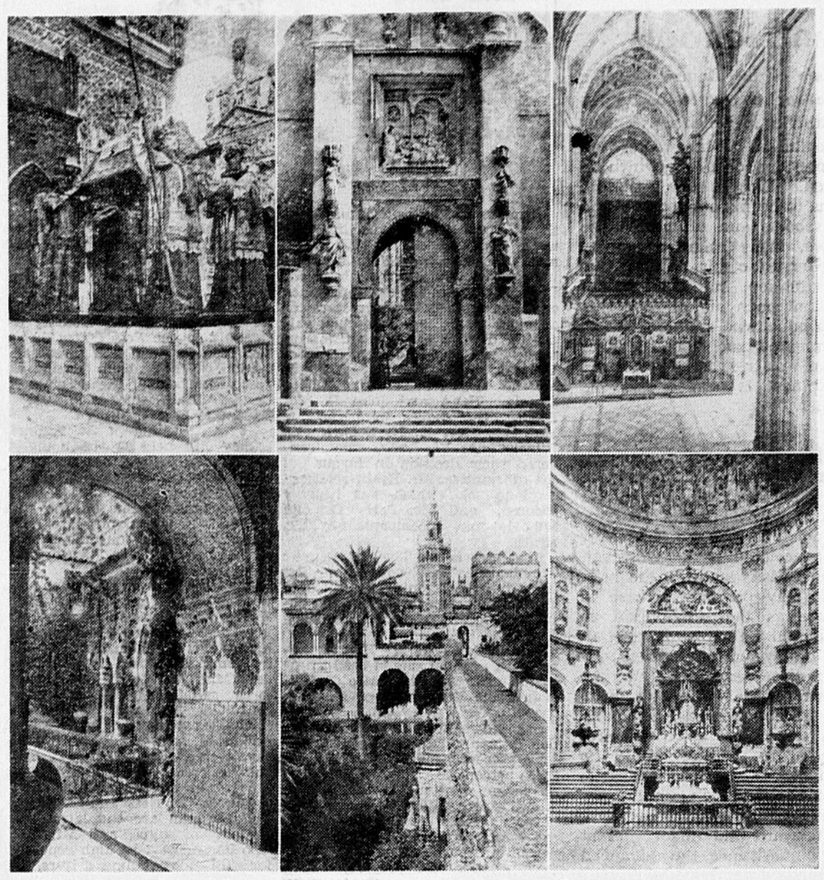
E. J. Holm $85.86; Huntingdon Agricultural Soc. Div. A. $500.00; Huntingdon Agricultural Soc. Div. B. $500.00; Caribonum Ltd., $1.79; James O'Hare $3.00; John Rennie & Co. $45.23; E. C. Martin, Sec'y-Treas.: $69.85; Dawson Bros. $38.15; The Huntingdon Gleaner $5.61; Laberge & Lalonde $4.79; E. J. Holm $47.12; The Bell Tel. Co. $7.97; Office Stationers $4.34; The S. W. & P. $16.84; P. Deniger $5.40; Mrs. M. A. Barrett $1,025.50; Imperial Oil $174.42; The Bell Tel Co. $13.52; Phil Deniger $7.20; Imperial Oil Co. $110.16; Fonds de Construction Hospital Ste-Justice $100.00; Departmet du Drainage $3,656.00; Manning & Wilson $10.00; Edmour Castagnier $1.50; W. L. Carr $100.00.

Dewittville

DEWITTVILLE — Mrs. George Gilker of New Richmond, Que., visited recently with her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. D. S. McColm.

Mr. and Mrs. Doug. Bruce of the C.I.L., Cornwall, Ont., visited over the week-end at Cattos; also Miss M. Betts of Montreal is spending a few days at the same home.

INTERESTING SIGHTS IN SEVILLE, SPAIN



Robert Sellar visited Spain and Portugal recently, and while there, he saw many interesting sights. The **top row** of photographs contains different views of the beautiful Cathedral of Santa Maria in the Spanish city of Seville. The photo on the left is of the tomb of Christopher Columbus — the tomb is made of a ton of copper resting on the shoulders of four kings who represent the four provinces of Spain. The Pardon Gate whose bronze door is 900 years old may be seen in the middle photo. In the photo on the right, the interior of the Cathedral may be seen — some of the stone columns are 119 feet high.

In the **lower** series of photos, are various views in the beautiful European city. On the left is a picture of one of the attractive patios of the Alcazar — a fort built by the Moors many centuries ago. The Tower of the Cathedral of Santa Maria can be seen in the middle photo which also presents another view of the garden of the Alcazar fort. The right-hand picture shows the Royal Chapel of the famed Cathedral with the tomb of San Fernando.

Athelstan

ATHELSTAN—Mr. Arthur Tully, Winnipeg, has been a recent guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Tully, Ridge Road. Mr. Tully flew from Winnipeg on business connect-with the T.C.A. and also visited New York, etc.

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Rockburn

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Trainer, of Chateaugay, N.Y., were visitors on Friday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Trainer.

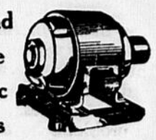
The monthly meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society was held at the home of Mrs. S. McNeil on Thursday evening, March 11th.

Mrs. Waller conducted the meeting, assisted by Mrs. R. Barr. The usual work period followed after which a delicious lunch was served.

Feminine Fashions To Cost Less

Feminine fashions will cost less this year, is the finding of a survey by "Wall Street Journal". The forecast is based on the opinion of some five thousand experts on what women want and what they are going to do. Prices are expected to be from ten to twenty percent below a year ago, applying to everything from mink coats to aprons for the kitchen. The year "will see some snappy changes in styles — hemlines and necklines will approach each other and shirts and skirts will break out in a rash of color. Nevertheless, and here we quote, 'The experts think the females in your family will buy fewer duds than in 1953'."

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Ladies Aid

ROCKBURN — The monthly meeting of the Ladies Aid Society was held at the home of Mrs. S. McNeil on Thursday evening, March 11th.

Mrs. Waller conducted the devotions, assisted by Mrs. R. Barr. The usual work period followed, after which a delicious lunch was served.

Social Notes

Mr. and Mrs. John Dickenson, Montreal called on her aunt, Mrs. M. Oliver, on Saturday.

Mrs. W. G. Gibson is still enjoying life in Florida, Miss Rosamond Dexham is the guest of her nephew, Maurice Goldie in Southern California and Mrs. Murray Blair has been visiting relatives in San Francisco and Oakland going on to Los Angeles where she expects to remain for some time.

Mrs. Harold Frier was delightfully surprised when she returned home from a visit on Wednesday evening, March 17th to find her home filled with many friends and neighbours, who had come to help her celebrate her birthday. Cards and dancing were enjoyed and all departed wishing Mrs. Frier many more birthdays.

Dr. A. S. Reid returned home on Friday after attending the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church held in Toronto.

Mrs. George Douglas, a "shut-in" resident of Rockburn was the recepient of many cards and good wishes on the occasion of her birthday, March 18th.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Henry of Edmonton, Alta., spent the week-end at the home of her father, Mr. Jno. Oliver.

Rev. D. and Mrs. Mawhinney of Athelstan were recent guests of Dr. and Mrs. A. S. Reid.

Sorry to hear Mr. Melford Oliver had the misfortune to fracture the bone of his right arm while sawing wood Friday.

Mr. Brown of the Presbyterian College preached a very impressive sermon in Rockburn church on Sunday afternoon.

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Nitro

NITRO — Friends of Mrs. G. Harrigan are sorry to know she is in the Barrie Memorial Hospital. All wish her a speedy recovery.

Miss B. Maither spent the past week-end in Nitro with Mrs. E. Maither on Kent Avenue.

Mrs. C. Seguin has returned home from the Hotel Dieu Hospital, Valleyfield.

Mrs. D. Collins of East Farnham, Que., is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Paige on Riverview Avenue.

The service in the Nitro Church on Sunday, March 21st was conducted by Rev. W. New of St. Mark's Anglican Church, Valleyfield.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Hodge and son, Brian spent a recent week-end in Bury, Que., with Mr. and Mrs. W. Atkins.

Hemmingford High School Notes

On St. Patrick's Day, students helped Miss McCaig to celebrate her birthday. A three-tier white cake, beautifully decorated with white icing, green cherry shamrocks and "17" candles, was presented to her from the Frontier Inn. The pupils of Grades V, X and XI had the honour of each receiving a lovely piece of her cake.

On Wednesday about 100 students accepted the invitation from Langois' Academy to attend the St. Patrick's Plays which were put on by their English speaking students. We enjoyed their presentations immensely.

The school received a magnificent gift from Jimmy and Marion Fergusson's parents—a set of the National Geographic Magazines from the past 20 years. These will prove very useful to the students. Our thanks to Mr. and Mrs. Fergusson who also donated many good books to our School Library.

Hemmingford

OBITUARY

THE LATE MRS. LENA BELLE ORR

Mrs. Lena Belle Orr died March 15th, at the Civic Hospital, Ottawa, Ont.

Funeral service was held on Wednesday, March 17th, from St. Andrew's United Church, Hemmingford, Que., the Rev. W. Holmes officiating.

The floral tributes were numerous and beautiful.

The pall bearers were Messrs. William Napper, Henry Davis, Arthur Kyle, Lester Seller, John Emerson and Malcolm Brown.

Flower bearers were Messrs. Lloyd English, Frank Pelletier, Melville Hill and Hugh Orr.

The deceased was the wife of the late William John Orr of Barrington, Que., and leaves to mourn her loss eight sons, five daughters and twenty-one grandchildren; one sister, Mrs. W. Caldwell and a brother, Mr. William English.

Roxham

ROXHAM — Cpl. and Mrs. Andrew Kennedy, Patty Lee, and Pfc. Edward Gerlich, Long Branch, N.J., spent the week-end of March 13th with Mr. and Mrs. Halton Kennedy of Hemmingford and Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Akester and family. Mrs. Kennedy and Patty Lee are remaining with her parents for two months prior to leaving for Arizona where Cpl. Kennedy will be stationed for one year.

Mr. and Mrs. Halton Kennedy, Cpl. and Mrs. Andrew Kennedy, Patty Lee, and Pfc. Edward Gerlich were Saturday guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Akester and family.

Miss Elsie Akester of Montreal spent the week-end with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bennet, from Lacadie, Que., were guests of Mrs. Ruth Wing.

Recently Mrs. Harold Wallace spent a few days at Chateauguay, Que.

Mr. Glen Hadley spent the week-end with his grandmother, Mrs. L. Akester.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Sweet of Mooers, N.Y., were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Fewster.

Recently Miss Myrtle Smith had her tonsils removed and has been convalescing at her home. She has now returned to her work in Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Dey were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Fewster.

Mr. John Hegger spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Smith.

Mrs. Robert Hadley, Mrs. Jessie Hadley, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Radley were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. Shaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bartlett and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Clelland were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Akester.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Akester, Brenda and Bonnie, Montreal, were Sunday visitors at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Akester.

Brooklet

Crokinole and Sugar Party

BROOKLET — On Friday evening, March 19th, a very successful and entertaining crokinole and maple sugar party was held in the Herdman Town Hall under the auspices of the Woman's Association of Rennie's United Church. During the early part of the evening, crokinole was played downstairs at nineteen tables, after which, everyone was invited upstairs to partake of taffy on snow and all that goes with it. Gross proceeds amounted to $41.90. The committee in charge would like to thank all who in any way helped to make the party a success.

Following is a list of the winners of the various prizes donated: Ladies' 1st—Mrs. Wallace Barr, 2nd—Mrs. Hazel Farquhar; Men's 1st—Ronald Elder, 2nd—Kenneth Dunn; Ladies' Consolation—Mrs. Ronald Williams, Men's Consolation—Walter Levers.

Children: Girls' 1st—Judy Graham, 2nd—Dawn Graham; Boys' 1st—Donald Erskine, 2nd—Stanley Erskine; Girls' Consolation—Joanne McNalley; Boys' Consolation—Harold Wilson.

Door prize—Mrs. Mervyn Graham; Chair Prize—Kenneth Dunn.

Social Notes

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Arthur and family spent Sunday at the home of Miss Thelma McMillan, Dundee, Que.

Master Robert Green and Miss Janice Green of Chateaugay, N.Y. are spending a few days with Mrs. Les. Arthur.

Mr. Earl McCormick of Chateaugay, N.Y., is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Francis McCormick.

Mr. and Mrs. John Furey and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Arthur, Boyd Settlement.

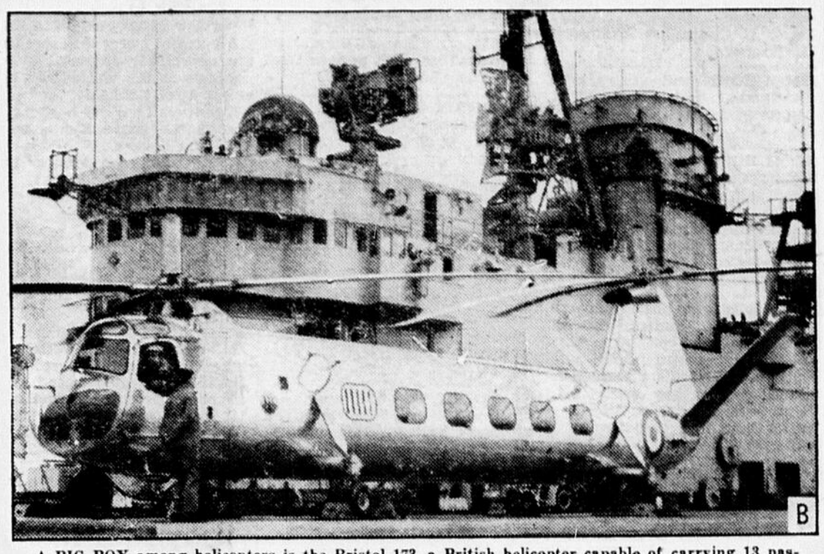
Mr. and Mrs. Dan Leahy spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Francis McCormick.

Mrs. Howard Hunter and Mrs. Thomas of Malone, N.Y., were dinner guests on Friday of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Wilson.

Mr. Chester Wilson spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Thompson of Malone, N.Y.

Messrs. John and Pete McCormick of Chateaugay spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Francis McCormick.

Flattop Experiments with Kingsize 'Copter



A BIG BOY among helicopters is the Bristol 173, a British helicopter capable of carrying 13 passengers and luggage or 2,500 lbs. of cargo, pictured here carrying out take-off and landing tests from H.M.S. Eagle, Britain's biggest and latest flattop. Object was to find out how the kingsize, twin-rotor "eggbeater" performed at sea and in the confined space of the carrier.

Mother Who Has Had 25 Says Every New Baby Easier

LEDGES, N.B., (CP)—Mrs. Heliodore Cyr, 42, has had 25 children in her 26 married years and wants more.

"Every new baby is easier," said the placid brunette. "After having so many it is easier to handle them."

The latest, Diane, was born recently in a Fort Kent, Maine, hospital 12 miles from the border.

Her advent evened the score at nine boys and nine girls. Seven of the children have died. There are no Cyr twins or triplets. All were single births.

All but one live at home in the 11-room farmhouse. Auburt 24, the eldest, is married and has a home of his own.

The other children are: Philip, 21, Raymond, 19, Lillian, 18, Reo, 17, Jeanine, 16, Mary Bertha 15, Carmel, 14, Reginald, 13, Alfred, 12, Amanda, 11, Florence, 10, Norman 9, Lawrence, 8, Lousella, 7, Gilda, 6, and Priscilla, 5.

Farmer Cyr raises beef, pork, poultry, cows for milk, buckwheat flour, oats, potatoes and hay.

Although they buy only 50 pounds of meat a year, food costs run to $50 or $60 a week. Most of the bread is home-baked, a lot of it for school lunches.

60 Meals a Day

Mrs. Cyr serves 60 meals a day in the big kitchen. The family eats 15 pounds of butter a week, a case each of tomato juice, tomatoes and canned corn.

They go through 200 pounds of flour and 100 pounds of sugar a month.

The family eats at two tables when everyone is home for dinner—with Minneau and Pete, the cats, hanging around for handouts.

The 400-acre farm has electricity but no luxuries. The family has a big deep freeze for food storage. There is a piano, which three girls play, and a guitar, which several can strum.

There are nine bedrooms, some with two beds.

Papa Cyr, 47, cuts timber as the financial mainstay of his big brood. He also makes 500 pounds of maple sugar each year, half of it for his own family.

Many of the clothes are handme downs given the Cyrs. Lillian, who will be married in June, bought her first store coat last year, when she began to earn money.

This year Jeanine and Mary Bertha had their first store coats, earned by potato-digging.

Shoes a Problem

Keeping the family shod is a big problem.

"It takes a lot of shoes for weekdays and Sunday wear", said Mrs. Cyr. "And overshoes and rubbers. There is always someone in the family that needs some."

When she goes to town shopping, the children give Mama Cyr lists—nylons, a notebook, a suit, skates, a shirt.

"I will buy the most important with what money I have", she tells them.

The Cyrs now get $75 a month in family allowance.

Rats Give Pupils Lesson in Eating

The use of white rats in school demonstrations to change the dietary habits of children was reported on by Lucille Bridges of Boston, executive director of the New England Dairy Council.

Speaking to a luncheon of the Associated Milk Foundations in Toronto Miss Bridges said the animal feeding demonstrations had been responsible for the best results in the council's educational campaign in the schools to increase consumption of milk.

The demonstration consists of placing a pair of white rats in a cage and leaving them with an upper grade or high school teacher for a six-week period. One rat received no milk for the first three weeks, and the children watched the growth process of both rats.

"They note very quickly that the rat on a poor diet is irritable and nervous. When diets are switched they see the smaller rat pick up weight and lost the nervous characteristics," Miss Bridges said.

In one class where there was an animal feeding demonstration it was found that the number of children who drank milk climbed from 7 to 17, she said.

"Mention My Name"

"Will you mention my name?" said the obscure man to the reporter. He was anxious to see himself in print, and was afraid he might be overlooked.

"I shall give a donation," said the pompous fellow, as he drew out his cheque book, "but be sure and see my name is on the list of donors." He did not believe in doing good by stealth.

"Be sure and see that my name is among those who helped to make the meeting a success," insisted the lady who was giving details of the gathering. She was so afraid she might be left out when the little world in which she moved read of the affair in the local press.

This cry of "Mention my name!" is a reflection of the restless desire for publicity. It indicates the love for getting into the limelight, the method by which many a nonentity gradually becomes well-known to the public. The name becomes familiar, but if you ask what such a one has done to be thus singled out, you are baffled. It is the fruit of industrious self-advertisement.

"Mention my name" is a typical cry of this age. To push into the forefront and to clamour for recognition is symbolical of the place-hunter and the opportunist. "It pays to advertise," we are told, and it pays those who are determined at all costs to become prominent. Their fame rests upon the reiteration of their name in public. Their speeches are made with an eye upon publication. Their donations are given with an intention to exploit Charity. They reverse the old caution, "be seen but not heard." They want to be both seen and heard in every possible way. Is it not better to allow others to push you forward rather than to strive to secure notice yourself?"

There was a crushing retort concealed in the parable directed against publicity-lovers who "south the upper seats at the feast." In the sequel they endured the mortification of seeing the modest preferred before them. It happens today, many a time, that those who strive for the conspicuous positions receive rebuffs and mortification. Perhaps they are too thick-skinned to notice it, but it is obvious to disinterested observers. "A pushing fellow, and even snubs don't seem to daunt him," is the comment.

"Mention my name!" cries the advertiser of self. Why not try to bring to notice the "other fellow" who is often passed by because he is too modest to get into the limelight. You will find, if you look carefully, that these "sky violets" of life are often the ones who are most worthy of notice. Let us amend the slogan.

"Let not thy left hand know what thy right hand doeth," is sound counsel. Unselfishness desires no "praise of men". Good deeds, performed without ostentation, bring their own reward—the approbation of conscience.

CHURCH VANDALS

BRANTFORD, Ont., (CP)—Vandals who entered First Baptist Church here raided the organ loft, smashing some of the pipes and stealing others. The severe damage was disclosed by Rev. Cyril Squires, who called it "sacrilege."

The "Ice Dam" Menace To Home and Purse

The term "ice dam" may be unfamilar to you but the condition it represents is all too familiar. You may never have noticed what snow and ice can do to the roof of your own house — and you may be mystified in the spring if you discover that the paint below the eaves of your house is peeling — giving due warning that expensive trouble is brewing.

The formation of an ice dam, is dependent upon certain weather conditions and the way the roof is constructed. Let's say that a layer of snow blankets your roof. Outdoors, the temperature may be well below freezing, but indoors the warm air coming in contact with your roof, may cause some of the snow to melt and trickle down toward the gutters. Here, it may find its avenue of escape blocked by drains and gutters clogged by dead leaves and an ice barrier. As a result, the pool of melted snow backs up and ventually finds its way beneath the shingles and into the walls of your house.

This is only the beginning of the trouble that can ensue. Once such destructive moisture forces its way into the walls of your house, it can disfigure inner walls and ceilings, rot structural members and cause extensive damage. Actually, you owe peeling paint a vote of thanks because it reveals the presence of a hidden destroyer in your home.

It's important, naturally, to remedy such damage, but it's even more important to eliminate the possibility of future trouble. There are several ways to safeguard your home in the future.

The method most widely used consists of installing metal flashing beneath the shingles from the gutter upward to a point beyond the danger line. While this does not impede the formation of an ice dam, it does prevent moisture from invading your walls.

Another protective device consists of specially designed electrical heating units on the roof at points where ice dams are likely to form.

Adequate insulation in the roof area, of course, also aids. It blocks the unnecessary escape of furnace heat, thus preventing the premature melting of snow.

If you live in a house that is subject to such a problem, your only choice is to take measures that will protect your home and your purse against such hazards . . . If you're planning to build, however, remember that the "pockets" formed by certain angles of your roof, and by gables and dormers, eventually result in ice dams. Prepare in advance to avoid the trouble they may cause.

MAGISTRATE'S WARNING

Sydney, N.S. (CP) — Two men caught stealing coal from cars on the steel company line near here were sentenced to 30 days in jail. Magistrate Madden warned that future offenders might expect terms of three to six months.

Plastic Sap Bags

There was never much romance to Canada's maple sugar industry for the man who had to tap the trees, hang the buckets, gather the sap, and convert it into appetizing syrup and sugar. These operations entailed too much hard labour.

Research and the use of mechanical power now makes it possible to somewhat reduce that labour. A light-weight power driven auger is available to do the tapping operation, and a new plastic sap bag promises to greatly lessen the work of hanging a bucket or sap container on the tree and in gathering the sap.

A manufacturing firm in Vermont has developed a vinylite plastice sap bag, to take the place of the metal sap bucket now in use, and is studying the possibility of manufacturing and distributing them in maple sugar areas in Canada.

When empty a score or more of these plastic sap bags can be carred over one arm. A reinforced eyelet at the top, slipped over a small hook on the spile, hangs them on the tree, where they remain until the end of the season. One side of the bag is made long enough to provide a flap that hangs over the top as a cover.

A small tab, with a finger hole grip, on each bottom corner, permits the bag to be swung up to either side and the sap emptied into a gathering pail, without removing the bag from the tree.

At the end of the season the bag is turned inside out, sponged clean or washed in a washing machine. The empty bags are then hung up on pegs through the finger grips to be stored in a small compact space until the next season.

The manufacturer states mechanical tests have been given these bags, equivalent to 20 years of actual use and there has been no deterioration. It is also claimed that experiments over several years in Vermont have shown that the sun's rays through the plastic ont only prevent development of bacteria in the sap but destroy them and stop souring of sap.

The Department of Agriculture, Ottawa, is making arrangements to try out a number of these bags in local sugar bushes next spring.

6,000 CHICKENS BURNED

JERSEYVILLE, Ont., (CP)—Fire destroyed a three-storey chicken house on Carm Pickfield's farm near Hamilton, destroying about 6,000 chickens. No one was home at the time of the fire, the origin of which was unknown.

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1949 FORD; 1936 Dodge. Apply 75 York St., phone H'don. 2587.

10 YOUNG PIGS four weeks old. Jean Godet, St. Anicet, phone H'don. 2875.

GOOD QUALITY loose hay. Apply John Harrigan, Huntingdon, Que.



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10 TONS of baled hay. Gerard Carriere, Port Lewis, phone H'don. 2746.

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2-STOREY HOUSE. Good terms. Apply Adrien Brisebois, phone H'don. 2627.

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HORSE BLANKET, on March 17, short distance from Dineen's barn. Finder please call H'don. 644.

Property For Sale

7-ROOM HOUSE, oil furnace, drilled well, garage and garden. Apply: Harold H. Daniel, 103 Wellington St., Huntingdon.

6-ROOM HOUSE with garage, near church and schools. Apply: J. P. Galarneau, 36 York St., Huntingdon.

7-ROOM HOUSE and bathroom, oil heating system, front porch enclosed and rear sun porch. With extra land for building lots, garage and shed, situated 66 Dalhousie St., Huntingdon. Apply: Mrs. Leo Leahy or J. E. Myers, Executors, phone H'don. 2988 or 444.

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8-ROOM solid brick house, large basement, hot water heating, vacant. Apply 5 Lorne Ave., Huntingdon.

6-ROOM HOUSE, two sun-porches, garage. Excellent condition. Apply: Mrs. John G. Rennie, 28 Henderson St., phone H'don. 5156.

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Likewise all persons having claims against the above Estate are respectfully requested to file same with the undersigned on or before April 15th, 1954.

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$12.00:— James Crawford.
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$3.00:— Dr. M. R. Stalker.
$2.00:— Dr. A. A. White, Alex Fawcett, Noel Foisy, Mme A. Reid Brosseau, A. A. Tannahill & Son Reg'd., Bruce Elder, E. E. Shufelt, W. G. McGerrigle.
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Born

EMOND — At the Barrie Memorial Hospital, Ormstown, Quebec, on March 16, 1954, to Mr. and Mrs. Louis Emond, Ormstown, Quebec, a daughter.

LABERGE — At the Barrie Memorial Hospital, Ormstown, Quebec, on March 15, 1954, to Mr. and Mrs. Victor Laberge, St. Louis de Gonzague, Quebec, a daughter.

MARCIL — At the Barrie Memorial Hospital, Ormstown, Quebec, on March 21, 1954, to Mr. and Mrs. Roch Marcil, Ste. Martine, Quebec, a daughter.

REIFFENSTEIN—At the Western Hospital, on Wednesday, March 10, 1954, to Mr. and Mrs. C. Frank Reiffenstein of Chateauguay Heights, Que., a son.

ROY — At the Barrie Memorial Hospital, Ormstown, Quebec, on March 19, 1954, to Mr. and Mrs. Gilles Roy, St. Antoine Abbé, Quebec, a son.

Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. T. Harold Stevenson of Franklin Centre, Quebec, announce the engagement of their daughter, Ethel Lorena, to Norman William Stacey, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Stacey of Aubrey, Quebec. The wedding will take place in April.

Died

BAXTER—Suddenly, at Bedeque, P.E.I., on March 19, 1954, Reverend James Baxter, brother of Fred Baxter, of Barrington, Quebec, and the late Arthur Baxter.

BUCHANAN — At the residence of his son, Ralph Buchanan, Valleyfield, Quebec, on March 20, 1954, Thomas Charlton Buchanan, husband of the late Clara Elizabeth Simpson, and father of Mrs. T. Godsell (Retia), Leonard and Ralph, in his 83rd year. Interment Mount Royal Cemetery.

GREENSHIELDS—At Royal Victoria Hospital, Montreal, on March 23, 1954, William Greenshields, Bois de la Roche Farm, Senneville, Que., aged 75 years. Resting at Vallee Parlours, Ste. Anne de Bellevue. Funeral 2.30 p.m., Thursday, March 25, Union Church, Ste. Anne de Bellevue.

LEGAULT — At Montreal, Quebec, on March 19, 1954, Louis Legault, husband of Antoinette Patenaude (late of Ormstown, Que.,) aged 52 years. Interment Hawthorne Dale Cemetery.

MacGREGOR — At her late residence, Huntingdon, Quebec, on March 17, 1954, Isabella M. Cowan, wife of the late Robert Smith MacGregor. Funeral service from Kelly Funeral Home, Huntingdon, on Friday, March 19.

McGIBBON—Suddenly at Syracuse, N.Y., on March 17, 1954, John McGibbon, son of the late William and Anna Stark McGibbon, in his 65th year.

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"Sayest Thou This Thyself?"

Fourth in a Lenten series on the theme: "Questions along the Road to Calvary" Mr. Beal preaching.

7.00 p.m.

Annual Bible Society Service in St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church.

Wednesday, 8 p.m.—Mid-week Lenten Service: St. John's Anglican Church.

Everybody Welcome

In Memoriam

BROWN — In loving memory of a dear wife and mother, Lulu V. McComb, who passed away March 30th, 1953.
Ever remembered by
Your husband, son and daughters.

BRUNET — In loving memory of my dear husband, Toussaint, who passed away March 25th, 1950 —
"The month of March is here again,
One by one our loved ones leave us;
Dearer to me than words can tell
Was my dear husband I loved so well.
Wherever I go, whatever I do,
My dear husband I'm thinking of you;
I shall meet my loved one again.'
Sadly missed by
His loving wife and children.

HERDMAN—In loving memory of a dear husband who passed away suddenly March 23, 1952.
The stars are brightly shining
Upon a silent grave.
For in it lies a precious one
But whom I could not save.
At night when all is quiet
And while sitting all alone
There comes that same old longing
If he only could come home.
My heart still aches with sadness
And my eyes fill up with tears
Only God knows how much I have missed him
Through the past two years.
Always remembered by his wife, Etta.

HERDMAN—In loving memory of my dear Dad who passed away March 23, 1952.
So often I look at his picture,
He is smiling, and seems to say
"Don't grieve, I am only sleeping
We'll meet again some day."
Lovingly remembered by daughter Stella

HERDMAN—In loving memory of a dear Dad and Grandpa, who passed away so suddenly March 23, 1952.
There is still an ache in our hearts today,
That countless years won't take away,
A place in our hearts only memories can fill,
We miss you dear Dad and always will.
Sadly missed by daughter Eileen, son-in-law Bill and grandchildren

HERDMAN—In loving memory of a dear grandfather, Samuel Herdman, who passed away March 23, 1952.
"A cherished smile, a heart of gold,
Had the dearest Grandad the world could hold.
Happy memories fond and true,
From us, who thought the world of you."
Sadly missed by Maureen and Shirley

VARIN—In loving memory of my dear husband, Armand Varin, who passed away April 2, 1953. Fondly remembered by his wife and family and grandchildren.
"Gone but not forgotten."
Clara Varin

WINTER—In loving memory of a dear husband and father, William C., who passed away March 24, 1951.
Fondly remembered by wife and family

Cards of Thanks

I wish to thank my friends and relatives for remembering me on my birthday with cards and gifts.
Millie Douglas.

We extend to all our kind friends and neighbours, our most sincere and heartfelt thanks for the thoughtfulness and sympathy shown us in our dark hours of anxiety and sorrow in the loss of our loved one; for messages of sympathy, flowers, telegrams; also those who so generously gave of their time and cars, and to those who in every other way came to our assistance.
Mr. and Mrs. Norman Shaw and David.

My sincere thanks to Dr. McCrimmon and staff of the Huntingdon County Hospital, also relatives, neighbours, friends and the ladies of the Kensington W.A., also United Church W.A. for gifts and cards sent during my stay in Hospital.
Mrs. W. D. McCormick

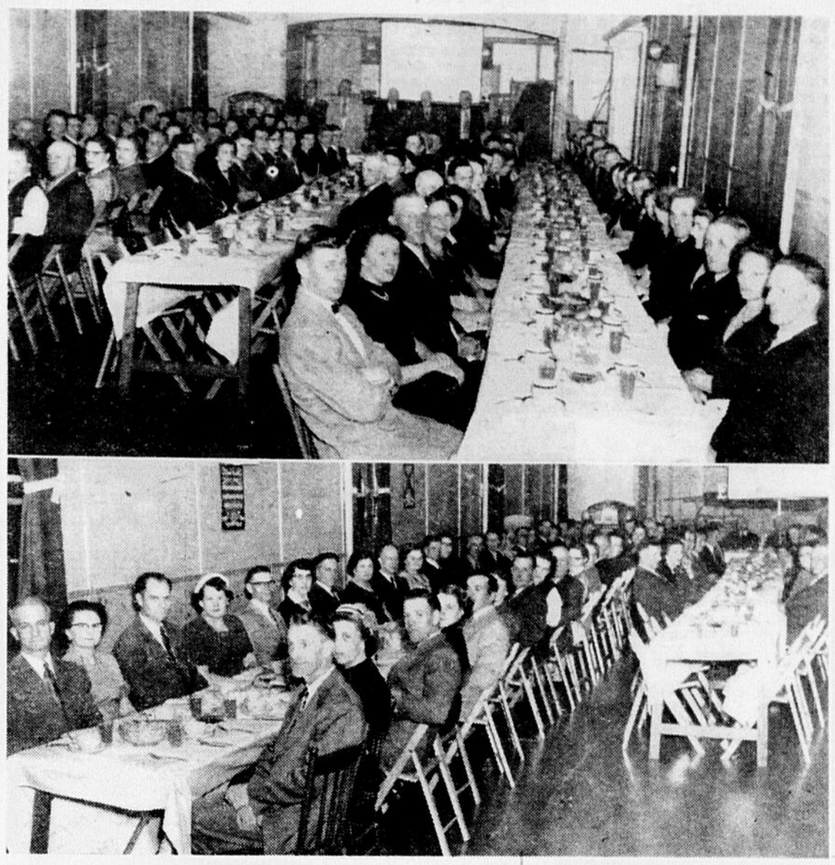
My sincere thanks to Dr. McCrimmon, the matron, Mrs. Wright, and all the nursing staff of the Huntingdon County Hospital; also my relatives and friends who so kindly remembered me with cards and visits during my stay in hospital.
Arthur Gagnon.

Allan's Corners

Mrs. Frances Lindsay and Mrs. Arnold McIntyre and boys of Huntingdon were recent callers at the home of Mrs. Helen Peddie.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Tannahill were Sunday guests at the home of their son-in-law, daughter and grandson, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Peddie and Malcolm of Howick, Que.

MILK SHIPPERS GUESTS OF F. C. MOORE'S MILK TRANSPORT



The above photographs show the gathering of milk shippers who were guests of the F. C. Moore Milk Transport to celebrate twenty years' service to the milk shippers by the transport. The gathering was held at the Legion Hall, Huntingdon, on Monday evening, March 22nd. A turkey supper was served and films were shown after the supper. It was a gala occasion and all enjoyed themselves immensely.

Huntingdon Locals

Farm Implement Demonstration

On Tuesday evening, March 16, a good attendance was present at St. Joseph's Parish Hall where a Cockshutt farm implement sponsored by J. O'Connor, took place. A moving picture was shown which depicted ancient and modern farm equipment. Door prizes were won by Jim Walsh, Huntingdon, and Oliver Leblanc, Lee's Corners.

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Meeting in High School

A meeting under the auspices of the Agricultural Chemicals Limited was held in the auditorium of Huntingdon High School on Tuesday evening, March 16. Special speakers were present and two movies were shown to the audience. One film illustrated the importance of the phosphorus in agriculture, and the effects produced by the use of fertilizer; in one of the films, the cleanliness of the laboratory, and the mining and manufacture of fertilizers were shown.

Speakers of the evening, included Mr. George Moore, an Agricultural Chemicals Ltd., man from Boston, Mass., and Mr. Leo Gamache, head salesman for the district charge. Mr. Gregoire of Sherbrooke, Quebec, operated the movie projector. N. J. Fennell, B. A. Rankin and L. McArthur-Kelly were sponsors of the meeting.

Five bags of phosphate fertilizer were won by Mr. Briere of Ormstown.

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Compensation for Ex-Servicemen

Canadian Navy, Army, Air Force and Merchant Marine, etc., ex-service men and women who were prisoners of war during any part of World War II are reminded that they must file their claims for the compensation voted on their behalf, by March 31, 1954. After that date no further claims will be considered as the date now specified was in extension of the original date for the filing of such claims.

Huntingdon Branch No. 81, Canadian Legion B.E.S.L. will gladly assist and advise any eligible veterans in this district who have hitherto neglected to file their claims.

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Bank Manager Leaving

Mr. W. K. Pope, Manager of the Huntingdon Branch of the Bank of Montreal, received word the past week that he is being moved to Watford, Ont., which is located between London and Sarnia. Full particulars are not yet to hand as to when the change will take place, but will be announced in this newspaper when known.

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Spring has arrived . . .

Spring arrived in Eastern Canada at aproximately 11:00 P.M. Saturday, March 20, and in Huntingdon, with a series of cold rainy showers and sudden outbursts of snow and sleet. The temperature, not at all expecting of Spring, was not high; in fact, it was rather cold. It seemed more like the middle of winter than the beginning of Spring, and the presence of so much snow discouraging.

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Easter Seals in Action

Dr. W. G. Attridge, Supt. Agencies Sun Life Assurance Co. of Canada, was the speaker at the regular luncheon meeting of the Huntingdon Rotary Club, on Monday. He took as his topic "Easter Seals in Action," and gave outlines of the organization works under sponsorship of the Rotary Club. The financial set-up and all aspects of the workings of the Easter Seal fund had been investigated by the Rotary to make sure that it was a worthwhile organization and deserving of support. They had been quite satisfied with their findings and Mr. Attridge assured the local members that the fund was in charge of honest people who desired to see that the most good was done with the money collected.

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Notice

The Red Cross are pleased to announce that they now have a hospital bed and mattress and also a wheel chair for the use of the people of Huntingdon County. If needed, please contact Mrs. Gladys McHardy or Miss Gwen Fawcett.

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Hospital Notes

The Huntingdon County Hospital has gratefully received and acknowledged the following Annual Membership: $10.00 — Mr. Alex Robb, Huntingdon.

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Evening Auxiliary

The monthly meeting of the Evening Auxiliary was held on Thursday evening, March 18th, with fifteen members, Frances Rennie presiding. Florence Reid reported on the play "Dotty and Daffy" and gave a financial statement to date. 240 pounds of clothing for Korea were shipped to Toronto in February and a letter of thanks was received and a receipt for $24.00 for shipping charges. Elva Moore resigned as 1st Vice President and Anne Boyd, 2nd Vice President accepted this office. Ruth MacNaughton was appointed Press Secretary to replace Anne Boyd. Frances Rennie read a report of the Annual Presbyterial held in St. James United Church, Montreal, on February 17th and 18th. $15.00 was voted to the Supply Committee to be used as needed. Two crib quilts were quilted during the evening.

Keitha MacIntosh, assisted by Ruth C. Stark had charge of the devotional program. Following a "Quizz" on our knowledge of South America, Keitha MacIntosh gave an account of the work among Protestant groups there, based on a chapter from the Study Book "Where'er The Sun."

Refreshments were in charge of Dorothy Stewart and Margaret McCoy.

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Mr. and Mrs Allan Goodfellow of Plaster Rock, N.B., spent the week-end at the home of Mr. Edwin Goodfellow.

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Mrs. Clayland Smirle, Montreal, was a guest of Mrs. A. A. Cleland on Saturday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Forrester, Huntingdon.

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Mr. and Mrs. Robert Smith of Kenistino, Sask., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Angus MacNaughton and relatives.

Fourth Annual Open Bonspiel Of Huntingdon Curling Club

B. L. McGerrigle and Rink of Ormstown, Winners of Chateau Trophy

The Fourth Annual Open Bonspiel sponsored by the Huntingdon Men's Curling Club was held in Huntingdon commencing Monday evening, March 15, and ending Saturday night, March 20. 44 rinks were entered, including one from Perth, Ontario.

The President of the Men's Curling Club, Mr. E. C. Martin, presented the Chateau Trophy to the winners of the Main Event, Mr. B. L. McGerrigle, of Ormstown, and also presented prizes to the runners-up and the winners of the Consolation Event. Mr. W. K. Pope presented prizes to the rink composed of E. C. Martin, (skip) Bob Boisseau, Dennis Long, and Howard Kelly (Huntingdon).

B. L. McGerrigle (skip) and the other members of the Ormstown rink: Dr. J. A. Davidson, C. Dickson, and A. Brunet, also received prizes of cameras, inaddition to the honour of winning the Chateau Trophy.

Bob Auger of Beauharnois and his rink (R. Bonneville, E. Bonenfant, and W. Lafleur) received club bags. Archie Roy of Howick and the members of his rink (K. Roy, C. Kerr and Ken McRae) were the recipients of electric alarm clocks. The E. C. Martin rink of Huntingdon received electric heating pads.

Monday, March 15th, 6.30 p.m.

St. Johns	Huntingdon
A. Barabe	D. McGerrigle
C. Newman	D. Higginson
P. Brault	C. Faille
"Pat" Ross (Skip)—13	E. Goodfellow (Skip)— 7
Ormstown	**Valleyfield**
A. K. English	M. Lalonde
Jas. Hunter	W. Atkinson
D. Thompson	H. Whitehead
E. Rennie (Skip)— 6	W. Colquhoun (Skip)— 6

8.30 p.m.

Beauharnois	Huntingdon
J. Marchand	H. MacRith
G. Dickner	R. Morrison
G. Charette	W. Tannahill
R. L. Boisvert (Skip)— 8	Geo. Collum (Skip)— 7
Howick	**Huntingdon**
K. Roy	I. Minnie
C. Kerr	G. D. Elder
Ken McRae	W. K. Pope
Archie Roy (Skip)— 9	A. A. Antoine (Skip)— 3
Beauharnois	**Lacolle**
G. Bouchard	C. Cahill
A. Wootten	W. Fewster
A. Kokko	W. Bernhardt
W. F. Monovan (Skip— 5	Geo. Hood (Skip)—11

Tuesday, March 16, 6.30 p.m.

Montreal West	Huntingdon
H. C. Kuhn	Bobby Boisseau
A. E. Hayden	Dennis Long
H. Routledge	Howard Kelly
E. A. Holtzman (Skip)— 3	Erle C. Martin (Skip)—11
Montreal West	**Ormstown**
D. McDonald	H. Ross
M. Carleton	M. Barrington
R. Craig	H. J. McMahon
Stan Ferry (Skip)— 6	Geo. McAdam (Skip)—13

8.30 P.M.

Ormstown	Pointe Claire
Dr. J. A. Davidson	R. Mathews
C. Dickson	A. Portelance
A. Brunet	G. Biggs
Burry McGerrigle (Skip)—12	G. Lecompte (Skip)— 3

Wednesday, March 17, 6.30 p.m.

Huntingdon	Cornwall
B. Rankin	A. S. Taylor
D. Moody	G. Julien
R. Rowat	F. Thomas
Dan Murphy (Skip)— 9	A. V. Whitham (Skip)—13
Heather (Montreal)	**Huntingdon**
Tom Fisher	E. Rankin
C. Rae	C. Brown
Ray. Benoit	E. Goodfellow
W. Y. Soper (Skip)—13	C. Faille (Skip)— 2

8.30 p.m.

Valleyfield	Howick
Les Bole	W. Brown
C. Bridcut	H. Farquharson
Bert Campbell	P. Peddie
S. Butt (Skip)—10	D. A. Ness (Skip)—11
Huntingdon	**Beauharnois**
G. D. Elder	R. Bonneville
C. Laberge	Ed. Bonenfant
L. Cappiello	W. Lafleur
R. Johnson (Skip)— 3	Robt. Auger (Skip)—16
Aubrey	**Huntingdon**
J. Nussey	F. Cleyn
M. Robb	A. Fawcett
Ron. Reddick	G. F. Dixon
Keith Robb (Skip)— 8	J. A. Blake (Skip)— 7

Thursday, March 18th, 6.30 p.m.

Cornwall	St. George
D. Higginson	Gord. Richards
Dr. Wilson	O. Raab
G. Julien	Jim Burrows
D. P. Leushner (Skip)—10	Geo. McKeeman (Skip)
Town of Mount Royal	**Valleyfield**
Roy Lewis	F. Nuttall
Jas. Newman	W. Amos
Harold Walsh	M. Cluff
Billie Campbell (Skip)— 6	J. D. Cluff (Skip)—13

8.30 p.m.

Ormstown	Fertile Creek
A. McCaffrey	S. Kerr
L. Osmond	Edwin Brown
S. Roy	C. Kerr
Dr. J. W. Mills (Skip)	Glen Whyte (Skip)
Huntingdon	**Ormstown**
K. Ferns	C. P. Burke
C. J. Kyle	A. McDermott
M. Duke	R. Geddes
R. L. Tinker (Skip)— 7	F. Primeau (Skip)— 4
Beauharnois	**Aubrey**
A. Morin	A. Black
C. Lagden	L. Orr
W. Kilgour	L. Allen
Ed. Elliott (Skip)— 7	And. Allen (Skip)—14

Friday, March 19th, 6.30 p.m.

Beauharnois	Huntingdon
L. Montpetit	D. McGerrigle
Hector Charette	G. MacMillan
A. Turnbull	G. P. Elder
Zenon Daoust (Skip)— 9	Geo. Collum (Skip)— 8
St. George (Montreal)	**Huntingdon**
W. Towler	L. Sparrow
N. Lane	G. Whyte
I. Guilbord	I. Heath
A. Rus. Burrows (Skip)— 9	W. Tannahill (Skip)— 9

8.30 p.m.

Perth	Valleyfield
J. Finnegan	Fy Winters
E. Barr	W. White
H. Dube	E. Burgess
Dr. J. L. Walsh (Skip)—11	A. Nuttall (Skip)— 5
Lacolle	**Huntingdon**
F. Lamb	W. Hogg
F. Derrick	C. Brown
P. Montpetit	D. Goodfellow
L. Hadley (Skip)— 9	Geo. Goodfellow (Skip)

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The Toastmasters' Area Speech Contest

VALLEYFIELD — On Saturday, March 20, the Toastmasters' Club from Montreal and Three Rivers assembled with the Valleyfield Toastmasters' Club at the Larocque House for the Area Speech Contest. It was Ladies night and the evening started with dinner at 6.30 P.M. The Charman was Mr. Farrell Vogelle Area Governor.

Mr. Marc Viau of Valleyfield was toastmaster for the contest.

Winner of the Contest was Mr. Ken Burns of the Laurentian Club in Montreal. Mr. Burns has been a toastmaster for seven years and is Deputy Governor of the Laurentian Club.

Others taking part in the contest were Jack Carver of the St. Lawrence Club, Pierre Rousseau of the Laviolette Club and Hal Moore of the Valleyfield Club.

During the period when the results of the judging were tabulated, Mr. Jack Fothergill, Area Educational chairman, conducted a-Topic Session. Subjects ranged from the Valleyfield Braves to Thoughts about Spring, also at the Headtable were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sadler. Mr. Sadler was Area Governor for 1953.

Couples Club

The Couples Club of the United Church held their monthly meeting in the Church Hall, Saturday evening, March 20.

The Rev. D. G. Gault opened the meeting with a short devotional period. This was followed by a singsong led by Jim Wallace with Betty Stewart at the piano.

Dr. C. L. Roman, the guest speaker, was then introduced by Jim Cooper. His subject was "Of Things Past and Present" in which he related experiences in his Medical Career and how the advancement in Medecine had been so great since he started into practice — How pneumonia and other diseases are so well controlled now with the use of the new drugs; — When it was not uncommon to have an epidemic of typhoid fever in days gone by and yet one never heard much about the disease now.

He spoke of his long connection with the Montreal General Hospital and he also mentioned how he and Mrs. Roman had both served overseas in the First World War.

Bill Sexton thanked the speaker for his very interesting and inspiring talk. A word game was the next item on the programme entitled, "It pays to increase your vocabulary."

Refreshments followed which consisted of a variety of pies and coffee.

The meeting closed with the singing of "The More We are Together."

Social Evening

A very successful social evening of Bridge, Cribbage and "500", was held by Bayview Rebekah Lodge No. 46, on Tuesday evening March 16th, in the United Church Hall, Valleyfield. The prizes were won by:—

Bridge:— 1st., Mr. Jim Bell, 2nd., Miss Mary Johnson, Consolation, Miss A. Lowe.

"500":— 1st., Mrs. D. McPherson, 2nd, Miss Annie Moore, Consolation, Mr. T. Clifford.

Cribbage:— 1st., Mr. Ernie Brownlee, 2nd, Miss Barbara Crockett, Consolation: Mrs. Jas. Brownlee.

Door prize: basket of groceries, Mrs. W. Wallace.

Drawing: Television lamp:— Mrs. Jas. Brownlee; Embroidered Guest Towel: Mr. Bill Evans.

The evening was enjoyed by all and very delicious refreshments were served by the Committee.

Oddfellows Entertain

The Independent Order of Oddfellows Encampment No. 1, under the joint chairmanship of John McLeod and Norman Holland entertained the inmates of the Old Folks Home Maisonneuve, on Friday evening, March 19.

Mr. Holland, the guest entertainer on the programme, gave a talk on "Viewing old Montreal."

The list of entainers were Peter W. Breese pianist and humourist; Romeo Morency, baritone; Florence Ash, soprano; Miss Levitts, pianist; Mrs. E. Frampton, vocalist; Jeanine Boisvert, ballet dancer; Harry Jones, magician; Jack Doyle, guitar and Wm. McCarthy, accordion.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm Shannon attended from Valleyfield, Mrs. Shannon being one of the soloists on the programme.

St. Patrick's Day

The St. Ignatuis Guild held a very successful St. Patrick's evening on March 17th, in the Knights of Columbus Hall.

Mr. C. E. Zeagman was Master of Ceremonies for the evening. A programme of Irish music had been arranged with Mrs. Baldwin as accompanist.

They played Bingo and refreshments were served at the close of the evening. A large crowd attended.

Anniversary Bonspiel

The 50th Anniversary of the Quebec Curling Association is being held at the Seigniory Club the 22-23-24-25 of March. Forty-two rinks are taking part in this Bonspiel.

Those who are attending from the Valleyfield Ladies Curling Club are Mrs. C. Gordon MacPherson, Mrs. W. Allen Walsh, Mrs. C. S. Jones, Mrs. Dale Vander Voort.

Driver of Car is Boss

If you're a passenger in a car, you can help the driver and have a more enjoyable trip yourself if you'll follow these rules:—

(1) Don't open the rear windows. It creates a draft on the back-of-the neck of those in the front seat.

2) Don't lean forward and breathe down the neck of the driver. Just sit back and speak loudly enough to be heard clearly in front.

(3) Keep small children from climbing over into the front seat, from standing behind the driver, clutching at the back of the seat and blocking his rear vision.

(4) Don't turn on the overhead light at night unless the car is stopped. It will blind the driver.

(5) Don't shout instructions or say anything which will distract the driver, make him nervous or take his eyes off the road.

(6) If you're the "navigator", give directions far enough in advance so that the driver can make the turn easily.

(7) If driving conditions are bad, let the man at the wheel decide whether to push on or stop.

When you're a passenger, remember that it's the driver of the car who is the boss.

Designer of Flaming 20's Chanel Makes Comeback

Biggest headline of current Paris fashions openings is the come back of Chanel after 15 years' retirement. Not since Dior launched his New Look, have fashion circles on both sides of the Atlantic been so excited.

Chanel, now only known to many American youngsters for her famous perfume, No. 5, brought to the "flaming 20's" an even Newer Look than Dior's of the 40's. She lowered the waistline, shortened the skirt, flattened the hourglass figure into the paper doll, stripped off trimmings to make way for great hunks of ostentatiously fake "costume jewellery." For more than a decade she held top place in the Paris fashion hierarchy, occupied today by Christain Dior.

Of the many legends that sprang up regarding the beginning of her meteoric career, few are so picturesque or so interesting as the truth. It was "Charlie" Ritz American importer and international fashion animator.

This is how "Charlie" liked to tell it: Gabrielle Chanel and her sister had come up from Auvergne to open a tiny hat shop in Paris. The teenage Gabrielle, who had a way with horses, had persuaded the owners of deluxe stables which housed the mounts of Paris glamour debutantes that a girl-groom would be an attractive novelty. And so it was Gabrielle in chic riding togs, who brought round the young ladies' horses and helped them into the saddle for their early-morning rides in the "Bois."

"Charlie" Ritz hired a horse from the same stables, the plunky little groom interested him, and he went to visit the hat shop. Then, one season, Charles Ritz bought too many bolts of some new patterned wool-jersey, an imaginative French tricot designer was trying to launch.

His clients, conditioned to rich silks, velvets, and broadcloths, thought it was too much like winter underwear and left most of it on his hands. He gave it to Gabrielle.

She fashioned it into headhugging bonnets and draped turbans, ran up some tubular pullovers to match, showed them to her smart amazons, who loven them—and thus launched the sweaterline and the furore for Jersey of the "beige decade."

Chanel was soon running four businesses: couture, textiles, costume jewellery, and perfumes.

The little peasant girl from Auvergne became "Coco" to scores of intimates, many of whom still wore their royal crowns.

Like Dior, Chanel personally supervised every detail of her 32 workrooms housed under one roof. Once when she had designed a collection she was persuaded by her "staff officers" to go away for a short rest while they completed its execution.

World War I prepared women to accept the untrammeled standardization proposed by her—masses of women had got into uniform for the first time, many of them were military heroines and glamour was connected with the costume. Thus Chanel dressed "flaming youth" for its revolt against tradition.

Will she be able to adjust her sights to the changed rhythm of the 1950's? Time and her new clothes will tell.

Wiggle Your Toes For Oxygen

How does wiggling the toes "reawaken" feet that have "fallen asleep"? Radioactive isotopes have given the answer.

Studying ways to control faulty blood circulation, particularly in bed-ridden persons, British doctors injected a solution containing radioactive, salts into the veins of patients' feet. With a Geiger counter, a device that records radioactivity, they traced the movement of the salts in the blood, through the feet and legs.

They found that a person lying down doubles the speed of blood flow in his feet if he wiggles them back and forth for two minutes. This restores oxygen to the extremities, and ends the tingling sensation of "sleeping feet". It eliminates the occasional danger of blood clots in bed patients.

Vancouver Ready For Empire Games

VANCOUVER,—If the thousands of visitors to Canada this summer include Vancouver, B.C., in their travel plans they will be able to see many of the world's outstanding athletes in action.

The British Empire and Commonwealth Games, second only to the Olympic Games as the largest international sports spectacle in the world, will get under way here July 30 and continue through to August 7.

The 700 contestants will travel from Australia, New Zealand, South Africa, Northern and Southern Rhodesia, the Gold Coast, Nigeria, Kenya, England, Scotland, Wales, Northern Ireland, Hong Kong, Malaya, Pakistan, Jamaica, Trinidad, Fiji, Bermuda, Barbados, Canada and other British countries.

The Duke of Edinburgh, who has become well-known as a sports enthusiast and holds a number of cricket, polo and yachting trophies, will attend the "Games." His keen enjoyment of sporting events was evident when he accompanied Princess Elizabeth on the Royal Visit to Canada and the United States in 1951.

The stadium will be completed about May 1 and will be the largest and most modern in Canada with accommodation for 35,000 spectators.

Local CNR tourist officials estimate that Vancouver will play host to more visitors in 1954 than in any previous year in its history. They suggest that travellers intending to see the "Games" make their arrangements early to assure travel and hotel accommodations.

Animal Food Is Fit For Humans

A plant used normally only to feed animals may soon be a valuable addition to human diet. It is a corn-like cereal plant known as teosinte, cultivated in many parts of Mexico and Central America. The outer covering of its small kernels is hard and inedible, and so it has been used as human food in times of famine or by the very poor.

In Guatemala, nutritional scientists find that it is much richer than corn in food value. Teosinte contains twice as much of an important protein component known as methionine, lack of which is responsible for poor nourishment in parts where people live mainly on vegetable diets. It contains also a far greater amount of nitrogen than corn, wheat, rice, barley or oats.

New Dress Laces Are Very Strong

LONDON, (CP) — Demand for dress laces has been mounting recently and the newest laces, while light, graceful and delicate in appearance, are nevertheless stronger than many other fabrics.

For 1954, the lace makers of Nottingham have perfected a type of lace never before made in Britain. This is a re-embroidered lace, very much like a needle-run type. Made by machine, the lace is re-embroidered with a heavier thread on a hand-guided machine, achieving a raised "three-dimensional," or encrusted, effect.

Fine Chantilly laces, mostly in novel designs, will be on view at the British Industries Fair in May. An unusual two-toned effect is gained in some of these by a pattern in a contrasting lighter tone.

241-Year-Old Clock

YORK, England (CP) — A grandfather clock which has spent nearly 100 of its 241 years in Australia now is ticking away the hours in the corner of the Georgian room at the York Castle museum.

The remarkable timepiece, still in fine condition, was made by Thomas Tompion, the 17th-century "father of English watchmaking," and is probably the most valuable single exhibit in the museum.

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Special Stage Show at the Huntingdon Theatre Next Thursday

A special stage show will be presented on the Huntingdon Theatre stage next Thursday evening, April the 1st at 8 o'clock. "Bordertown Jamboree and Amateur Contest", featuring the Prairie Rangers in Person, stars of Apex Records, and the Melody Kings Trio, appear in a two hour and a half programme. A feature of the show will be eight splendid comedy numbers by Shorty and Half-Pint, kings of comedy.

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FRIDAY, APRIL 2nd
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Sunday night, March 28
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PARENTS' NIGHT and ANNUAL MEETING
- in -
LEGION HALL, HUNTINGDON
Friday, March 26th
Dinner at 7 p.m.
Program and election of Group Committee.
Collection will be taken to help defray expenses.
R. D. MacLEAN, Secretary WM. R. WILSON, Chairman

Annual Meeting
of the
Huntingdon Breeders' Club
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Tuesday, March 30th.
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Huntingdon Home and School Association

The monthly meeting of the Huntingdon Home & School Association will be held in
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- on -
Wednesday, April 7th
Details of program next week's Gleaner.

Mrs. LILLIAN LEVINE, Pres. *W. R. WILSON, Corr. Sec.*

Leadership?

APRIL 18th to APRIL 23rd

will be the week for some young and old to become leaders of various groups and organizations.

A Leadership course will be held at the Ormstown High School from April 18 to April 23. This course is open to anyone from 17 years up, ladies and gents. Living accommodation and food are provided for. If you are one of those wishing to acquire Leadership call—

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Recipes

FOREIGN COOKERY

Who does not like to get a new recipe? If it comes from a far off country you feel you have something really special. The home economists of the Consumer Section, Canada Department of Agriculture suggest that the best way to get a foreign recipe is from a person who is used to making it. You will really enjoy making up dishes from such recipes if you are told or shown how to make them by someone who is an old hand at it. That is quite possible today. Everyone is travelling more and even if you are not, so many new Canadians have brought their recipes into our communities that you can get them first hand. That is one of the reasons that foreign dishes and meals are so much more popular just now. You have probably served one or more of these dishes yourself fairly recently. If you have not, perhaps your reason for not trying one is that it calls for so many ingredients and that it takes so much time. That is the big difference between the recipes in North America and those in Europe. Anyone who has been to Europe recently will tell you that the time element is noticeable. The European housewives are not concerned with shortcuts. You do not see the number of pre-packaged foods over there that are in all our stores. It does not seem to occur to them not to make almost everything at home. Actually, it is variety of ingredients and the long cooking together that gives foreign food the wonderful flavour that no shortcut methods can quite duplicate. Of course many Canadian housewives just could not spend so much time preparing a meal. But it is a great pity not to try these special dishes occasionally. When you get a few you really like, you will probably want to make them a part of your family meal pattern.

Cooking in a cabbage leaf is a new idea to most Canadians, but it is a very old northern European custom. The Arabs practised a similar custom and if you have any Danish or Finnish friends, you will find that they serve filled cabbage leaves quite frequently. They call them "cabbage rolls". Since most of the recipes have been handed down in families from generation to generation, there can be almost countless combinations for the filling. The following recipe for Cabbage Rolls from the home economists of the Consumer Section, Canada Department of Agriculture is one you will want to try for lunch or supper some time soon.

Cabbage Rolls

12 large cabbage leaves
1 green pepper
1/3 cup chopped onion
1/3 cup chopped celery
2 tablespoons fat
2 cups chopped cooked spaghetti or macaroni or cooked rice
1½ cups sausagemeat (¾ pound)
1 cup tomato juice

Wash cabbage leaves and cook, covered, for 3 minutes in a small amount of boiling salted water. Drain and dry on a towel. Seed and chop green pepper and sauté with onion and celery in fat for two minutes. Add the spaghetti and sausage meat, blending well. Put about 1/3 cup stuffing on each cabbage leaf and roll up, starting from base of leaf. Place in single layer in greased baking dish. Pour tomato juice over the rolls and make in a moderate oven, 350°F., forabout 45 minutes. Yield: six servings.

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Hemmingford

World Day of Prayer

HEMMINGFORD — The annual World Day of Prayer was observed this year in St. Luke's Anglican Church with Mrs. Robert Hadley, Mrs. Harry Warner and Mrs. Malcolm Brown as leaders. Mrs. Petch gave a very brief but interesting address on the origin of the World Day of Prayer and what the collections are used for. Special prayers were given by Mrs. Aylmer Hadley, Mrs. Cecil Jackson, Mrs. Ernest Moore, Mrs. Holmes, Miss Dorothy Curran and Miss Cora Sellers. There was a very good attendance.

Y.P.S.

The Presbyterian Y.P.S. met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Allan Fisher on Saturday evening, March 6, with twenty members present. Games were much enjoyed. Jimmy Kyle, the president called the business part of the meeting to order. Everyone enjoyed the delicious refreshments and a most hearty vote of thanks was extended Mr. and Mrs. Fisher for their hospitality.

St. Luke's W.A.

St. Luke's W.A. met in the Church Hall on Wednesday afternoon, March 10, with a good attendance. Fourteen members and seven visitors were present. Rev. Andrews opened the meeting with prayer and Mrs. Robert Hadley, vice-president was in the chair. A letter was read from the secretary of the M.D.W.A. asking this Branch if it would be convenient to hold the Annual Deanery meeting in May instead of October as is the usual custom. The annual Spring Time tea was discussed and it was decided to cancel this event due to other activities about this time. The President reported on the recent dance and Shrove Tuesday card party. Both these events were very successful. A vote of thanks from the Women's Institute was extended to the members for the use of the Hall dishes for the school dance and card party. During the afternoon, two quilts were quilted on, blocks pieced, etc. Meeting closed with prayer, followed by refreshments served by Mrs. W. P. Fisher, Mrs. Barks and Mrs. Cecil Jackson.

The community extends sincere sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. Norman Shaw and son David in their great sorrow in the death of a loving son and brother, Kevin. Funeral was held from St. Luke's Anglican Church on Sunday afternoon, March 14.

W.A. Meeting

The W.A. of St. Andrew's United Church, Hemmingford, held their monthly meeting on Wednesday evening, March 10, at the home of Mrs. Douglas Laurie with Mrs. Robert Reid acting as co-hostess. The members were received by Mrs. Laurie and Mrs. Reid and invited to watch television while waiting for the meeting to commence.

Miss Ethel Williams conducted the meeting which opened with a devotional period, read by Mrs. Harry Warner. The business at hand included giving embroidery work and sewing to various members to complete during the summer months for the annual fall bazaar.

A frigidaire was recently installed in the Manse by the W.A. The members were thanked by Mrs. (Rev.) William Holmes for their decision in this matter. After the close of the meeting, a delightful social period followed. Refreshments were served while the members gathered around the huge fireplace with its crackling logs. This visit to the Laurie home brought vividly to mind the prize-winning article written recently by Mrs. Laurie in which the home speaks to the reader telling its history.

The Mizpah benediction was pronounced by the members before leaving.

Mrs. Mabel Keddy spent a few days recently with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Alan Maynard, Champlain, N.Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Holmes were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Holmes, Huntingdon, Que.

The Top Shelf

By BENJAMIN BEVERIDGE

Hardly a child gets beyond its third year without learning the nursery rhyme, "Mary Had a Little Lamb". But very few adults know who wrote it.

The author's name was Sarah Josepha Hale, who included the lines in her "Poems for Our Children" in 1830. She was no feminist, but she advocated education for women all through her career and was herself the first woman to become editor of an American magazine. She was responsible for the national observance of Thanksgiving Day in the United States. The nursery rhyme first appeared under the name of "Mary's Lamb" in "The Juvenile Miscellany".

"Mary Had a Little Lamb" were the first words ever spoken over a talking machine. Edison said them himself in 1877 when he was trying out his phonograph.

All this brings to mind some other firsts. The first known book to be printed from movable type was the Bible, by Johannes Gutenberg in Germany in 1455. The first book in English was a history of Troy in 1474, printed in Flanders by William Caxton, who in 1475 printed "The Game and Playe of Chesse", and who in Westminster in 1478 printed England's first book — "Dictes and Sayings of the Philosophers". The first printing press in the New World was established in Mexico in 1544.

It won't be all Shakespeare at the Stratford, Ont., Festival this ear—Sophocles' "Oedipus Rex" is also to be played—but James Mason and Douglas Campbell, of London's Old Vic and the Edinburgh Festival, are not new hands to their roles. Since Alec Guinness played in the inaugural festival last year so that he could keep in touch with his theatre audience, Mr. Mason has the same thing in mind; and it won't be difficult because the Stratford stage, built to recapture the Elizabethan atmosphere of the play, reaches right out into the audience, being in one place only five feet from the spectators, and never more than 50 feet away. There are 15 rows of seats encircling the stage in this theatre-tent which has a capacity of 1,900 people.

The "theatre" is somewhat unique, made up of a cement base and a roof consisting of three-and-a-half tons of canvas. Engineers are trying something new this year and will move the two main interior tent poles to the outside, and add two steel towers at the marquee end of the theatre, from which the centre-top of the tent will be suspended.

Rehearsals commence May 17, and the performances (with supporting cast, principally Canadians) will begin June 28. During the eight weeks there will be 22 performances of "Measure for Measure" and "The Taming of the Shrew", and the 16 performances of "Oedipus Rex" will make a total of 60 shows. There will also be 12 matinees in all.

Since Dr. Arthur R. Ford, editor-in-chief of The London (Ont.) Free Press, was given such a unique citation by the Canadian Managing Editors Conference at Windsor, for his 50 years of meritorious service to Canadian journalism, I went back to his book, "As the World Wags On" (Ryerson) to revive some of the admiring memories I have of that great newspaperman. It is a book that only Arthur Ford could have written, since there is no newsman alive in Canada today who hob-nobbed quite so much with such people as Sir Sam Hughes, Lord Bennett, Sir John Willison, P. D. Ross, Howard Ferguson, and other such stalwarts of the earlier part of the century, the golden era of young Canada.

It sharpens my appetite for a forthcoming Ryerson book called "A Reporter Reports", by Dr. Ford's friend, I. Norman Smith, associate editor of The Ottawa Journal.

(Incidentally, Robert Ford, for the past several years Canada's charge d'affaires in Moscow, is a son of the veteran journalist.)

I do not think I am partial to "name dropping", but Ruth Draper, the American monologist has just given what she calls her "Farewell Broadway Performance" in New York—very near where she was born 70 years ago—and I am moved to recall the first and only time I had the entrancing pleasure of meeting her.

It was in Toronto some years ago that I fell under the spell of this charming lady who has travelled across the world entertaining millions with her eloquent performances of pantomime, alone on the stage with the simplest of props—a few scarves and some exotic hats—interpreting the foibles, the pathos, the joys and loves of all manner of people. No yogi or ballerina has quite been able to match Miss Draper's expressive gestures of hands and arms, and she has long since become the queen of her particular theatrical art. Not even Dr. Frank Guy Armitage was so eloquent in his readings of Dickens. And the pity of it all is that there is no one quite able to replace her as a straight elocutionist, that are having disappeared—except for this one instance—with the Chatauqua shows.

On the same evening I talked with Ruth Draper, I also met Rosita Forbes, the young adventuress who had crossed the Arabian Desert and wrote her first book about it. And Miss Forbes was enraptured by the elocutionist as much as I was.

Lacolle

Irish Night at Lacolle

LACOLLE — Firsts appear to be the order of the day for Lacolle's English speaking Catholics. Last fall a mission, was organized and the pastor, Rev. Canon Lafortune, decided to invite an English speaker as well as the French fathers.

In this, he was most fortunate in securing the services of Rev. Fr. Laframboise of Ottawa.

Inspired by this, the idea of an English speaking group was born. A get together from time to time was suggested and someone mentioned St. Patrick's Day as a suitable occasion.

Now the ball started rolling. The pastor started a study club with regular meetings, and a choir was formed under the able leadership of Mr. F. Messier. People were really interested and the big day finally arrived.

On Wednesday, March 17, in the parish church, Mass was celebrated by the pastor at 5 P.M., and a stirring sermon was preached by Fr. Laframboise who returned for the occasion. The choir directed by Mr. Messier and Mrs. Paré, the organist, rendered a few suitable hymns.

At 6.30, the congregation assembled at the Hotel L'Hermine where a delicious turkey dinner was served.

The dining hall was beautifully decorated under the direction of Mr. Wm. Bernhardt and members of the committee. Seated at the head table were Canon Lafortune, Fr. Laframboise, Mr. and Mrs. Q. J. Delaney, Mr. and Mrs. A. Young, Mr. D'Arcy McGee and Miss McGee.

Mr. Delaney acted as Master of Ceremonies. Toasts, to 'Our Queen and Country', were proposed by Mr. McGee and to 'Ireland', by Mr. Young.

Short addresses were delivered by Mr. Delaney, the reverend guests and Mr. Young.

A general singsong was headed by Mrs. Paré at the piano, and solos were rendered by Mr. R. Delisle, Mr. Delaney, Mr. Messier, Mrs. Paré, Mr. Gerald McCarthy and Mr. Keegan of the U.S. Immigration.

Among the nearly one hundred present were out of town guests from Huntingdon, Phillipsburg, Hemmingford and Montreal.

Mrs. Malcolm Brown recently spent a few days in Montreal with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. R. Elliott, St. Lambert, Que.

Nitro

Whist Drive

NITRO — A Whist Drive sponsored by the Nitro Parent-Teacher Association was held in the local Protestant Church on Monday, March 15. Although there were only ten tables playing, everyone enjoyed himself, and it was suggested that a similar drive be held again shortly.

There were plenty of prizes, some donated — a door prize went to Mrs. R. Martin of Nitro; highest scores to Mrs. S. Taylor and Mr. Douglas Montgomery; second highest to Mrs. B. Clarke and Mr. Walter Henry; third highest, after considerable cutting of cards, went to Mrs. W. Phene and Mr. W. Ramsay. Captain T. E. Heron was the winner of the raffle drawn during the evening.

Some of the ladies of the Parent-Teacher Association served refreshments, after which Mr. W. Sexton, chairman of the Association, thanked all who contributed to the success of the evening and said a few words on the work of the local P.T.A.

Letters to the Editor

March 22, 1954

The Editor,
The Huntingdon Gleaner Inc.,

Dear Sir:

When the Annual Meeting of the Huntingdon County Hospital is held on April 9 this year, the present Board of Governors expect to be able to turn over to the community the new wing complete, together with a fair complement of operation room and laboratory equipment, **free of debt.** Further equipment will be added as funds become available.

This places the community in a very favourable position as far as health services are concerned, and should afford a measure of satisfaction to the people of the district. However, for this institution to render the full service that it is capable of, it is necessary that the patient income, together with the grants from the Provincial Government cover operating expenses. If our Hospital bills were fully paid promptly by all patients not classified as indigents, this could be accomplished. Unfortunately, they are not, and some steps must be taken to correct this situation. This is a condition that is becoming too general. While in Charlottetown, P.E.I. recently, I found the following advertisement in the daily paper:

Prince Edward Island Hospital
NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC
Accounts Receivable

Owing to the increasing cost of maintaining standard hospital services, the Trustees of the Prince Edward Island Hospital find it necessary to take steps to enforce collection of their many overdue accounts. Individual notices will go out shortly and all persons affected are asked to co-operate by arranging settlement of their accounts promptly and so avoid the embarrassment of legal proceedings.

Initial Payment

To avoid further accumulation of unpaid accounts, the Trustees have also decided to instal the system in operation in practically all hospitals of a size comparable to our institution, namely, the payment of a satisfactory deposit by each patient on entering the hospital. Any unused portion of the deposit will be returned to the patient on discharge.

It is felt by the Trustees that, by each patient paying according to his accommodation, it will help avoid a further increase in the present rates.

The Trustees would point out that the hospital is operated on a non-profit basis. There is no annual maintenace campaign. The salaries of all paid employees and the cost of the many necessary supplies are dependent on the payments made by the patients.

With a change in the name of the institution, I felt that it could apply word for word to the situation here. Those responsible for the management of this institution have no desire to deal harshly with anyone, but they have the responsibility to those whose money made this institution possible, to keep it solvent, so that it can continue to render the service for which it was built.

Unless our accounts receivable are considerably reduced, it may be necessary to adopt plans similar to those noted in this advertisement.

(Signed on behalf of the Governors)
Gilbert Macmillan,
Chairman.

Wedding

SLOAN-TANNAHILL

At the home of the bride's parents, at three o'clock, Saturday afternoon, March 6th, Muriel Edith, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. G. Tannahill, Huntingdon, Que., was united in marriage to A/S Lt. Walter S. Sloan, R.C.N., son of Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Sloan, Rockburn, Que., Rev. R. S. Beal officiating.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was attended by her sister, Mrs. E. J. Richey of Syracuse, N.Y. Mr. Clark Sloan acted as groomsman.

Following the wedding ceremony, a reception was held at the Legion Hall, Huntingdon, where a delicious lunch was served by the Ladies' Auxiliary. Later the happy couple left on a brief honeymoon trip, before the groom left to take up his post at Pensacola, Florida, where his bride hopes to join him shortly.

Out-of-town guests were from Syracuse, N.Y., Lacolle, Que., Covey Hill, Que., Cornwall, Ont., and Montreal.

Powerscourt

POWERSCOURT — Mrs. E. M. Wood returned on Thursday from a four week's visit with her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. "Bill" Hay in Los Angeles, Calif. The trip going and returning was made by plane.

Miss Dorothy Taylor was a week-end guest of her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Scriver at Brosseau Station. She attended a performance of the "Wizard of Oz" in His Majesty's Theatre and thoroughly enjoyed it.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wood were Mr. and Mrs. Jacobs and children and Mr. and Mrs. Angus Duncan and two children, all of Verdun.

Spring has arrived but judging by the weather one would not know it. We are promised three more weeks of this weather which is not very encouraging to those who engage in sugaring operations.

Mr. and Mrs. Manley and family of Dannemora, N.Y., were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Russel Myatt.

Tatehurst

W.M.S. Meeting

TATEHURST—On Thursday afternoon, Mrs. Robert Ovans entertained the Upper and Lower Ormstown branch of the Presbyterian W.M.S. During the afternoon, a quilt was completed and some blocks made. Several members read verses from the Scriptures and Mrs. Margaret Sutton led in prayer. Mrs. Eddie Hooker gave the monthly report. The hostess served tea and delicious refreshments to about 20 ladies, the tea table centred with beautiful spring flowers. Mrs. Booth and Mrs. Howarth of Huntingdon were among the guests.

Mr. Earle Hooker, president of the Chateauguay-Huntingdon Holstein Friesian Breeders, attended the Annual Provincial meeting of the Association held last week in Montreal. Mr. Hooker visited Miss Lois Hooker and Mr. and Mrs. K. K. Pearce, St. Laurent.

Mrs. K. K. Pearce and Hooker of St. Laurent, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Hooker, the occasion being Mr. Hooker's 82nd birthday.

Birthday

On Wednesday, March 17, Mrs. Neil Sangster observed her 91st birthday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Neil McCaig. Mr. and Mrs. James Cullen and Mrs. Sam Cullen were dinner guests and she was remembered with calls and numerous cards. Her daughter, Mrs. Stanley Logan is in Florida and was unable to be present.

Covey Hill

COVEY HILL—Mr. Charles Robinson and son Stuart of Montreal spent the week-end at their summer home here.

Mrs. Kenneth Sample is able to resume teaching duties after suffering a sprained ankle in a nasty fall.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Lowden and Linda were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Allan Sutton and Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Lowden.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Lowden and Linda, Mrs. Allan Sutton, Wayne, Shirley and Patricia were Sunday callers on Mr. and Mrs. Albert Labelle, Ormstown.

Mrs. John Barr's many friends on the Hill are glad to know she is steadily improving after being confined to bed with pneumonia.

Master Wayne Bourdon, Lacolle, was a recent guest of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Bourdon.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Blair, Franklin, were Friday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fergus Moore.

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How and Why

A Column for Boys and Girls

By Harold Don Allen

12: OBEYING THE LAW

Tommy was in trouble, there was no denying that. He had run out into the road outside the school without looking. Two cars had nearly hit him before he had gotten back to safety. He might have had a very serious accident. Mr. Reid, the Principal, had been walking down the School steps when it happened, but it had not been he who first reached Tommy after the boy's lucky escape. The Safety Monitor who looked after the School crossing was already there. Mr. Reid and the Safety Monitor agreed that Tommy had been very foolish. Mr. Reid said he would come to Tommy's class later, and they would talk over what had happened.

When Mr. Reid came to the classroom that afternoon, Tommy was surprised to see that he didn't look at all cross. Mr. Reid told Tommy that running out onto the busy roadway had been very foolish, but he wasn't going to punish Tommy. He was going to let him see how he had made a mistake.

Mr. Reid asked the class if they remembered their School's rules of Safety. Of course, they did. They themselves had helped make the rules when the Safety Council was formed.

There wasn't to be pushing or shoving on the stairs. They knew that when one person pushed, it meant that others might fall and be hurt. It was the same with throwing rocks or ice. You could easily hurt someone else, without meaning to. Mr. Reid agreed that that was why those rules had been made, and why they were so important in the School.

There were other rules, too. Boys and girls were to cross the road where the Safety Monitor stood, and only when he said it was safe to go. At other crossings, the children were to look both ways, and walk carefully to the other side. Mr. Reid explained that rules like these were meant to keep each boy and girl from causing accidents to himself.

Tommy agreed that he had been foolish to "take a chance". Mr. Reid told him again that Safety Rules had been made for the good of everybody. Tommy saw that some of the rules were meant to keep himself out of trouble and others were to keep him from causing accidents to other people in the School.

When Mr. Reid had left, Miss Kent, Tommy's teacher, asked the class to think of other rules they knew about. Peter told her of rules that told the man in the automobile how he was to drive. He said that the driver would have to pay money, a fine, if a policeman saw him breaking this rule. Miss Kent agreed, and explained that such rules were LAWS.

Henry said that it was against the law to steal things. Miss Kent told the class that that was a very good example of a law. People who take things that do not belong to them are punished, she pointed out.

Miss Kent asked the class if they knew how the laws were made. Paul suggested that the police made them. Miss Kent told him that that was not right. The policemen is there to help us and to protect us and to see that we and everyone else obey the law, she said. He sees that we don't steal and he sees that no one else steals from us. But he does not make the laws about stealing. He does not MAKE any laws at all.

Susan said that her father had been talking about a Judge who had sent a man to jail. Did the Judge make the law, she asked. Again Miss Kent said no. The judge is the man who decides whether or not you have broken the law. He decides whether you will be punished, and what the punishment will be. But he does not make the law, he just studies and knows what the laws are.

The class was quite puzzled and confused. When Bobby suggested, "The country makes the laws", Miss Kent smiled and said that that was "the best answer yet". She explained that it was not the country that made laws: it was really the people.

Once, Miss Kent told the class, all the people of a country could get together and decide what the laws were to be. That was thousands of years ago. Now countries are far too big for all the people to meet in one place. And making laws takes so much time that people would be able to do little else. So people now get together and choose one person to make the laws that they want. Throughout the country there are hundreds of people chosen that way. These are the people who make the laws. They are people that we choose when we VOTE. It is their job to make the rules that everyone wants.

Miss Kent told the class that it really wasn't as simple as that. Cities and towns made laws. Countries made other laws. But the rules were meant to keep people from doing anything dangerous or foolish either to themselves or to anyone else.

Henry said that the country's rules were very much like the Safety Rules of the School. Miss Kent agreed. But she explained that the School rules that they had learned were just Safety Rules; the country had to have rules to keep people safe in every way from all kinds of dangers. She pointed out that wise people don't just "obey the law" to keep from getting caught and punished: they follow the law because they know that rules are made for the good of them and their neighbours. She said that our laws usually tell us the best way to live.

Miss Kent said she would take the Geography lesson next day to tell the class more about the many ways in which laws are made in a rules are not for just a class or a school, but for 15,000,000 people. And that story will be your HOW AND WHY column next week.

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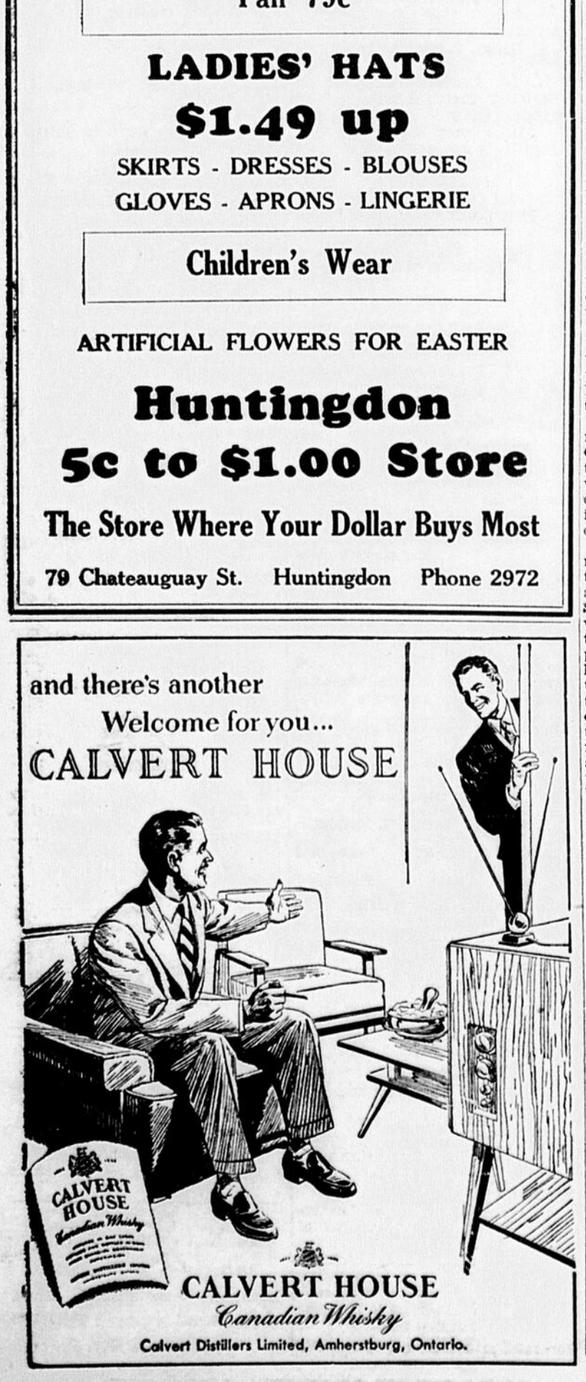
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Covering The Sports

HOCKEY

Braves Down Saints 3-1

Valleyfield Braves moved into fifth place in the Quebec Hockey League Wednesday night, March 17, at a Q.H.L. games played at Valleyfield, by turning back Sherbrooke Saints, 3-1.

The victory gave Valleyfield a one-point margin over the Saints and moved them to within one point of the fourth-place Quebec Aces.

Jean-Paul Bisaillon gave the Braves the lead in the first period when he converted passes from Bingo Ernst and Larry Kwong. Veteran Kitoute Joannette made it 2-0 early in the second, with Kwong again assisting. Bruce Cline added a third counter less than a minute later.

Bert Griesebrecht scored Sherbrooke's only goal on a pass from Gerald Ehman midway through the second period.

Gerry Cotnoir handled 23 shots in the Sherbrooke goal while Andre Payette and Paul Leclerc, who shared the Valleyfield net duties, had 27. Payette gave way to Leclerc in the third period after being injured in the second session.

Referee Ching McDonald handed out 15 penalties, including six majors, three to each team.

Sherbrooke: Goal, Cotnoir; defense, Palamar, Hay, Bownass, Ehman; forwards, McLean, Dube, Irving, Stankiewicz, Podolsky, Bruneteau, Rawlyk, Johnson, Malo, Giesebrecht.

Valleyfield: Goal, Payette; defense, Ernst, Irvine, Collins, Needham; forwards, Bisaillon, Joannette, Corriveau, Bougie, Thomson, Kwong, Cline, Leclerc, White.

Referee: McDonald; linesmen, Anderson, Reynolds.

First Period

1 Valleyfield: Bisaillon (Ernst, Kwong) 15.00
Penalties: Bownass 4.03, 8.30, Palamar 6.06, Hay 17.22, Corriveau 19.08, Collins 19.24.

Second Period

2 Valleyfield: Joannette (Kwong) 5.12
3 Valleyfield: Cline (Thomson, Needham) ... 6.25
4 Sherbrooke: Giesebrecht (Ehman) 10.50
Penalties: Hay 3.17, major 7.58, Collins, minor and major 7.58.

Third Period

Scoring: None.
Penalties: Ernst (major) 6.52, Johnson (major) 6.52, Needham (major) 14.19, Rawlyk (major) 14.19.

Saints Defeat Valleyfield 3-2

Sherbrooke, Que., (CP)—A goal by Ed Stankiewicz at 7.17 of a sudden-death overtime period on Thursday night, March 18, gave Sherbrooke Saints a 3-2 victory over Valleyfield Braves and moved them into a fourth-place tie in the Quebec Hockey League.

First Period

1 Sherbrooke: Johnson (Irving, McLean) 10.41
Penalties: Collins 3.36, Hay 19.44.

Second Period

2 Sherbrooke: McLean (Johnson, Bownass) 10.00
3 Valleyfield: Joannette (Corriveau, Irvine) 15.42
4 Valleyfield: Irvine 16.30
Penalties: Malo 6.25, Needham 6.25, Ernst, major, 14.23, Podolsky, major, 14.23, Bownass 14.34, Stankiewicz, major and misconduct, 18.20, R. Leclerc, minor, major and misconduct, 18.20.

Third Period

Scoring: None.
Penalties: Needham 2.50, Irvine, misconduct 19.50.

Overtime Period

5 Sherbrooke: Stankiewicz (Rawlyk, Bownass) 7.17
Penalties: None.

Indians Down Braves 7-4

Springfield Indians raved to a 7-4 victory over Valleyfield Braves in a Quebec Hockey League played at Shawinigan Falls on Sunday night, March 21.

The victory failed to give Springfield a playoff berth, but prevented Valleyfield climbing into fifth place in final standings.

The game qualified as a home game for Braves who agreed to play their final league contest at Shawinigan.

Delphis Franche got three of the Indians' goals, pumping home two in the third period and one in the second.

First Period

1 Valleyfield: Needham (Corriveau, Bisaillon) 6.55
2 Springfield: Horvath (Franche, Atanas) 9.20
3 Springfield: Bobenic (McMurdy, Tottle) 11.01
4 Springfield: McMurdy (Bobenic, Powell) 11.55
Penalty: McNab 5.44.

Second Period

5 Springfield: Atanas (Franche) 3.17
6 Valleyfield: Irvine 5.59
7 Springfield: Franche (McNab, Horvath) 16.38
Penalties: None.

Third Period

8 Valleyfield: Corriveau (Bisaillon, Joannette) 13.29
9 Valleyfield: Bisaillon (Joannette, Corriveau) .. 14.01
10 Springfield: Franche (Horvath) 15.37
11 Springfield: Franche (Atanas, Leir) 19.30
Penalties: None.

HOCKEY

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Burchell, Royals	31	59	90
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Gravelle, Ottawa	45	41	86
Powell, Quebec	22	55	77
Moore, Chicoutimi	28	47	75
Blair, Ottawa	28	43	71
Litzenberger, Royals ..	31	39	70
Irving, Sherbrooke	25	39	64
Buchanan, Chicoutimi .	29	34	63

Ormstown

Curling

ORMSTOWN — Messrs. Armand Brunet, A. A. McCormick and Alan Hooker participated in the Kingston Bonspiel last week when the rink was skipped by Mr. Pierre Brunet, formerly of Ormstown. They were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Davis, Mr. and Mrs. N. Colligan, and Mr. Pierre Brunet while in Kingston and called at Le Moines Point Farm, managed by Mr. Brodie Ness.

Mrs. Burry McGerrigle, Mrs. George McAdam, Mrs. Boyd Campbell and Mrs. Bert McCartney are attending the Bonspiel being held this week at the Seigniory Club.

Mr. Burry McGerrigle skipped his rink to victory on Saturday evening to win the Men's Bonspiel held at Huntingdon last week.

Tea

On Wednesday afternoon, the weekly tea and cards were held in the Club rooms. Card prizes were awarded Miss Janet McCaig and Mrs. Stuart Osmond. Mrs. Derby presided at the tea table and the hostesses were Miss Margaret Rodger, Mrs. A. A. McCormick, Mrs. H. McAdam and Miss Janet McCaig.

Shower for Bride Elect, Miss Eleanor Snow

Mrs. Harold McCaig was hostess on Saturday at a miscellaneous shower given in honor of Miss Eleanor Snow of Montreal, whose marriage to Mr. Murray McEwen takes place in the near future.

The living room was tastefully arranged, the decorations being pink and white. Under a prettily decorated parasol, the gifts were placed and the guest of honor was escorted to the place of honor to music supplied by Miss Dorothy McCaig. The gifts were opened and admired and Eleanor expressed her sincere appreciation. Dainty and delicious refreshments were served by the hostess to thirty-six ladies, bringing a happy event to a close.

St. Patrick's Tea and Food Sale

On Saturday afternoon, a St. Patrick's Tea and Food Sale was held at the Ormstown Presbyterian Church under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid. Although the weather was most unfavourable, there was a good attendance. The church hall was tastefully arranged in keeping with St. Patrick's. Net proceeds for the afternoon amounted to $76.

Sugar Social by St. Paul's Brotherhood

A very successful taffy party and entertainment sponsored by the Brotherhood of St. Paul's United Church was held Wednesday, March 17 in MacDougall Hall.

Through the courtesy of the C.P.R., Mr. Meloche and Gerald Duncan, films were shown of Canada from Coast to Coast, also a film of Cedar Lodge at Lake Memphremagog, where Gerald was a member of the Leadership group and he explained the film. The president, Mr. Clifford Sproule, introduced Mr. Meloche, while Rev. I. Johnson introduced the Cedar Lodge film. The president thanked Mr. Meloche and Gerald for the films which were most interesting and informative. While the taffy and lunch were being prepared, music was furnished by the Duncan brothers and Howard Reid on the violin with Mrs. A. Marshall at the piano. There items were very much appreciated.

St. Paul's W.M.S.

The March meeting of St. Paul's Woman's Missionary Society was held on Tuesday afternoon, March 16, with Mrs. A. A. McNeil presiding. Mrs. Frank Martin conducted the devotional period, the theme being "The Church in the house." Others taking part were Miss E. Maw, Mrs. H. B. Patton and Miss Black. A hymn was sung and Mrs. Martin closed this period with prayer. Because the W.M.S. delegates were unable to attend the Montreal Presbyterial on account of the storm, Mrs. Arnold Bryson sent a detailed report which was read by Mrs. Archie Marshall. During the work period, two quilts were put on frames and some quilting done. After a short business period, the president, Mrs. A. A. McNeil closed the meeting with prayer.

Barrie Memorial Notes

The Barrie Memorial Hospital has received and acknowledged the following Annual Memberships: $10.00—Mrs. Agnes McClenaghan, Ormstown; Mrs. Ina Gebbie, Howick; Miss Jean Ritchie, Howick; and the following donations: $10.00—Anonymous; and books—Mrs. Nareau, Montreal.

Social Notes

Miss Stephanie Ward and Master Stephen Ward of Lachine, are visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Bryson this week. Mrs. Hugh Ward is spending a few days at the Seignory Club.

Birthday

On Monday, March 22nd, Mrs. John McWhinnie observed her 82nd birthday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Archie Marshall. Friends and relatives called on her during the afternoon and enjoyed an informal tea.

Mrs. Caldwell of Huntingdon, spent the week-end with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. John Rodger.

Glenelm

GLENELM—Mr. T. McLeod, who occupied the pulpit at Kensington United Church on Sunday last, continued the Lenten series with "The Christian View of Stewardship". The theme, text was "All things come from Thee and of Thy own have we given Thee". Christian Stewardship can be summed up in one sentence, "I know what God has given me. I know what He needs, so gladly I give Him back a part of what is His anyway."

Next Sunday, the fourth sermon in this Lenten series is "The Christian View of Conscience".

Mrs. I. Duff of Montreal visited recently at the home of Mr. D. Brown.

Mrs. A. Watson is spending a few days with her son, Mr. Clarence Montgomery in Huntingdon.

The Misses Evelyn and Merle Brown and friend, Miss Edith MacCallum, who are all teachers, spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Brown.

March is still giving us a taste of winter. We look forward to a Spring-like day ere long.

Howick High School Notes

Our skating rink is setting a record this year, we think. There is still plenty of ice and although it is rather rough the younger children, who are less demanding in the quality of their ice, are still having a good time skating and playing on the ice.

Students' Council have decided to sponsor again this year the McLean-Hunter Subscription Campaign. The representative will come to the school on April 28, to organize the campaign with the students.

Now that the hockey season is over, undivided attention will be given to studies. Spring term exams for grades 10 and 11 will begin March 29, and will constitute a preview of the finals in June.

A general meeting of the C.V.T.A. will be held at our school Thursday, March 25. The two speakers of the evening will be Mr. Linton Armstrong of Lachute, who will speak of Group Insurance for teachers, and Dr. K. R. Willis, Supervisor of Stanstead Central School Board, who will speak on problems concerning the curriculum in our schools.

Without a doubt, the most noteworthy event of the past week for Howick High School was retaining the Provincial Hockey Championship and bringing back the cup for another year. Our boys have given a very fine account of themselves again this year and they deserve a great deal of credit. In the three games of the play-off series they scored 21 goals, while allowing only 5 to be scored against them. We wish to express our appreciation to the parents and friends who were loyal enough to make the trip to Granby to support our team, and special thanks are due to Mr. Bruce Ness, Mr. Robt. E. Ness, and Mr. R. Ross, who helped to provide transportation for the boys of the team.

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World Day of Prayer

AUBREY - RIVERFIELD — The World Day of Prayer was observed locally at Mrs. Edgar McKell's home. About 25 ladies attended and the worship service was conducted by Mrs. Math. McKell and Mrs. T. E. Robertson. Mrs. Ronald Reddick gave a vocal solo. After a delicious tea, Mrs. James Angell thanked Mrs. McKell and the other hostesses.

Social Notes

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Outhet of Okotoks, Alta., have been visiting the Allen families and other friends.

Miss Esther Craig is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Craig.

Rev. Frank Carey will be spending a few days in the vicinity early in April and will give the address at Howick United Church, Sunday, April 4.

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Hemmingford

HEMMINGFORD — The W.M.S. of St. Andrew's United Church, Hemmingford, held their Annual St. Patrick's Day Tea on the afternoon of Wednesday, March 17, in the Church Hall to a record attendance. The members and friends were received by Miss Jennie Wilson assisted by Mrs. William Holmes. The president, Mrs. Harry Warner opened the rogramme by welcoming those present and Mrs. Emmet Cleland acted as accompanist. Mrs. Edward Walmsley led the gathering in singing popular Irish songs and later sang a solo. Little Miss Carol Pelletier charmed her audience with tap dancing and members of the Carrie Biggers School presented the Highland Fling. Mrs. Douglas Laurie gave a reading depicting incidents in a rural post office. Later refreshments were served by the ladies of St. Andrew's assisted by members of the St. Andrew's C.G.I.T. Mrs. Harry Warner thanked all those who contributed to the success of the occasion.

Chateauguay

St. Patrick's Tea

CHATEAUGUAY — A very pleasant afternoon was enjoyed by members and friends of the Woman's Association of St. Andrew's United Church on Tuesday afternoon, March 16 then the President, Mrs. G. S. Adams and her executive were hostesses.

The hall was tastefully decorated for the occasion, in honour of St. Patrick, with shamrocks, golden harps and other Irish emblems.

The guests were received by Mrs. Adams, Mrs. Peter Fernandez and Mrs. S. C. Hill.

A short musical programme, of lilting Irish melodies played by Mrs. Louis G. Smith in her inimitable manner and three songs charmingly sung by Mrs. Lee Gilbert "Macushla", "Bandermeer's Stream" and "Love has Eyes" accompanied by Mrs. H. P. Rowell, delighted the audience.

The guest speaker, Miss Shirley Brett of Montreal, the well-known C.B.M. Commentator gave a very interesting talk about the trip she had taken late last Autumn as guest of the Four Wings of the R.C.A.F. stationed in Europe. She had been invited to visit Air Force men their wives and children and the Air women. She flew to England by Transport Plane, North Star. While in Nottingham, she visited a school which the Canadian children are attending, there were 16 children from the Province of Quebec. She could only distinguish between the Canadian children and the others by the hockey sweaters they wore. They had acquired an English accent but all were eager to hear news of the "Alouettes" and the "Canadiens."

In Baden-Baden, Germany, the Canadian children attend a German school, the Headmaster is a German, and the Air Force children are becoming quite fluent in speaking German. A class of six year-olds sang, very sweetly "Silent Night" in German, for Miss Brett.

The schools on the continent suffer from lack of text books, but this is being remedied.

In Zweibrucken, Germany where number Three Wing is stationed, there is a new barracks building and a school-room like any modern one at home is provided on the Station. The Ontario School Curriculum is used.

As well as visiting and talking with the wives of the men stationed in England Miss Brett had a like opportunity at Metz in France, and Zweibrucken, Germany. She found they were adapting themselves wonderfully well living as they were under all kinds of conditions and circumstances.

Many of the families lived in Trailers, due to the housing shortage, others shared homes with German families. They talked to Miss Brett about the weather, food and keeping warm.

In France the milk is brought in from Holland. Coal is expensive, $50. a ton, and is sold in very small quantities. Fuel is scarce in Germany.

The Air women are doing a fine job and at the same time are getting everything out of life, they are great travellers and take advantage of every opportunity offered of seeing the country.

Miss Brett was introduced by Mrs. Adams and thanked by Mrs. J. R. Dickenson who also expressed appreciation to Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Gilbert and Mrs. Rowell for their contributions to a pleasant afternoon.

Refreshments were served under the convenership of Mrs. Henry Cassidy, assisted by Mrs. Duncan MacInnis-Rae, Mrs. R. B. McGregor, Mrs. C. H. Grimes, Mrs. Charles Rowe, Mrs. Edward Moore, and Mrs. J. H. Murphy.

Sacrament of Baptism

At the close of the morning service in St. Andrew's United Church, on Sunday, March 21st, 1954, the sacrament of baptism was administered by Rev. R. H. McColl, to the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Felix McLaughlan, Riverside Drive, who received the name John.

Historical Note

St. Andrew's Church, Chateauguay Basin, Que., was dedicated and formally opened for worship on March 20th and March 27th, 1910. Rev. George A. MacLennan, B.A., conducted the first service.

Red Cross Branch Re-organized

The Chateauguay Branch of the Canadian Red Cross Society has been re-organized with the following officers:

President: Dr. Roger Thibert; Vice President: Jean Yves Lord; Treasurer: Mrs. Roger Thibert; Secretary: Mr. Aubert Pellascio-Morin; Feminine Group: President: Mrs. Ernest Pellascio-Morin; Vice President: Mrs. Jean Yves Lord.

A Flash Campaign directed by Mr. René Dupont was conducted during the week-end and the results to date are satisfactory.

Personals

Mr. Gilbert Folliott of Lachine, Que., and his sister Miss Ruth Folliott of Montreal, were Sunday guests at the home of Mrs. David Lang and Miss R. McFarlane.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Peter Reid with their sons of Hemmingford, Que., were guests on Sunday of Mr. William J. Reid and Miss Edna Reid.

Franklin Centre

The Weather

FRANKLIN CENTRE — The few early springlike days caused many to commence sugaring; a couple of good runs of sap started off the season's work, but since then we have returned to winter weather and spring seems to be still in the future.

W.M.S. and W.A.

The joint meeting of the W.M.S. and the W.A. was held at the parsonage on Thursday afternoon with a good attendance present. Mrs. James Manning opened the meeting, Mrs. Inez Brooks led in prayer and Mrs. Keith Dunn read the scripture lesson. An article on Christian Stewardship was read by Mrs. Fred Stevenson. Plans were made to hold an evening service on May 5th. Rev. R. S. Beal of Huntingdon will be guest speaker and coloured slides of Missionary work shown, the Junior choir to take part in the singing.

The W.A. held their meeting with Mrs. Morrison Brooks taking charge in the absence of Mrs. Clarence Dunn.

After the usual opening exercises, discussions on several matters took place. It was decided to cater for the Montreal group, touring through this district in "Apple Blossom Time", further and final plans would be made at the next meeting. The Travelling Apron was passed on to another member and more articles were brought in for the Fair Booth. It was also decided to have the water piped from the parsonage to the Basement kitchen. Each member brought a green article of clothing which was exchanged and worn during the social period in honour of St. Patrick. Mrs. J. Travis served delicious refreshments at the close of the meeting.

Social Notes

Mr. and Mrs. John Dickenson of Montreal spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Dickenson; Mr. Wm. LeClaire and son, Dick, of Chateaugay, N.Y., spent Saturday at the same home.

Mr. Stanley Moneypenny and Miss Irene Farley of Montreal spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Moneypenny Sr.

Dr. and Mrs. W. G. Leahy of Montreal spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Dan Leahy.

Mrs. M. DuMesnil, of Montreal is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cassidy.

At the Thursday evening service Rev. Irving Johnston of Ormstown preached a very inspiring sermon, much enjoyed by all present. The Rev. W. Edwards of Howick will conduct the service this week.

Mrs. Ray McMillan, Pat, Linda and John spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hope, Allan's Corners, Que.

Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Brown and family of Ormstown, Que., were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Morrison Brooks.

Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Moneypenny, Lois Ann, Norman and Richard spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fergus Moore and family.

Aid Parents in New Friendships

EDMONTON, (CP)— Immigrant children are showing their parents how to make friends in Canada, says a visiting authority from The Netherlands.

Mrs. H. M. Evers of The Hague, on a Canadian tour, found that the children of Dutch families were the first to make friends. They became chummy with Canadian kiddies "the first day they arrived as they have a way all their own of understanding each other immediately."

As the only woman member of the advisory committee to the Netherlands immigration service, Mrs. Evers is visiting Canada to study the circumstances of Dutch families who come to this country to live.

Besides reporting her findings to the immigration board on her return, she will also prepare other Dutch families for their journey to Canada.

Contented Settlers

Mrs. Evers, who came to Canada with 475 settlers from her homeland, said that most new Canadians she has visited are "quite content" despite a hard time in the beginning.

Language difficulties, lack of housing and loneliness were cited as the chief bugbears. Some immigrant families are living in cramped quarters unknown in their native land, she said.

Mrs. Evers hopes to gather information that will make more pleasant the lot of other Dutch women who come here with their families.

Besides her immigration work, she is a member of the international board of the YWCA, the International Couucil of Women, the International Corporation of Dutch Country Wives and the Associated Country Women of the World.

Reduce School-Leaving Age

By Lewis Milligan

The system which compels youths to remain at school to the age of 16 is said to be causing serious trouble in New York high schools. A committee set up by the Board of Education to study the matter has reported that in some high schools so much time and attention is given to under-16 delinquents that little time is left for normal students.

The committee found numerous examples of "vandalism against school property, private property and pupils' personal possessions; theft, forgery, obscenity and vulgarities; disruption of classes, throwing of food, turning on of gas, and interference with firedrills, as well as truancy and cutting classes." Many of those responsible were youths of 15, who were said to be simply putting in time until they reached 16 and were free to leave.

To deal with this situation the committee recommended special classes in high schools for problem pupils; special custodial schools where the worst offenders could be sent on a 24-hour basis; power to compel parents to come to school to discuss the misbehavior of their children; legislation to make parents responsible for property damage caused by their children.

A similar situation seems to have arisen in Britain where the school-leaving age was raised from 14 to 16 by the Labor Government. Juvenile delinquency is reported to have increased enormously in recent years.

I have not noticed that this has been attributed to the advanced school-leaving age, but that has no doubt been a factor. Youth is the same in all countries. We know from our own experience that the age of 15 was a critical one in the fixation of character and especially in choosing an occupation in life.

Under the present system it is an age of indecision for many youths who feel that they do not have to choose until they leave school. In the brief meanwhile they are liable to become wayward and irresponsible to work off the excess of energy and wild ideas which come to them at that period when they are neither man nor boy. In the old days it was at that age that lads were apprenticed to a trade, and that system not only gave them some definite aim in life, but the definite period of training turned out the highly-skilled craftsmen for which Britain was noted in the nineteenth century. Even where the apprentices did not follow their trade in after years, the discipline and practical experience made men of them. The basic training was a valuable asset in self-education for entrance into business and the higher professions.

In this machine and factory age it is claimed that there are not the same opportunities or the need for apprenticeships in skilled trades, and one of the reasons for extending the school age was to reduce the number of "two-thirders" competing in the labor market. That is a selfish and shortsighted reason.

In recent years there has been a shortage of skilled workers, and employers have had to depend largely upon skilled immigrants from the old countries. The school-leaving age may have been responsible for that situation.

The idea that every boy should go through high school has produced a spate of white-collar workers and brainless zoot-suiters who should have been put to work in their early teens. I fully agree with the suggestion of one commentator who said: "A much simpler, and much less expensive answer to the problem would be to reduce the school-leaving age to 14, with nobody past that mark remaining in school unless his ability and behavior warrented it. High schools in U.S., as in Canada, are wasting millions trying to educate hoodlums who neither can, nor want, nor deserve to be educated."

Seek Moss For Use In Perfume Making

Montreal (CP) — Canada soon may export tree moss to perfumers in France for use in the manufacture of perfume.

A perfumer at the famous flower centre of Grasse in southern France, George Fuchs said here recently that residents in Alberta and British Columbia are considering cultivating moss on the bark of trees for export.

Canadian beavers are already working for the perfume industry by yielding a substance from their glands called castoreum used to "fix" perfume essence.

Another, and very popular fixative is ambergris a whale product worth $1,000 a pound and found mainly in the Azores. Other fixatives include musk from wild goats and civet from civet cats, found in Tibet and Ethiopia.

Pure perfume essence, worth $600 a pound, comes from the heads of white pasmine or other flowers. The perfume is distilled by water, fat impregnation or by gasoline.

The gasoline method is most commonly used to bring out the semi-solid essence found in the sweet waxes in flowers. However, when the pork or beef-fat method is used, the fat is spread on a tray with the flowers and after 60 days is beaten with alcohol to yield the scent.

After the alcohol has absorbed the perfume it is evaporated, leaving the concentrated essence.

Woman Builds Fine Tudor-style House

KELOWNA, B.C. (CP)—A Tudor-style, two-storey house on the shore of Okanagan Lake south of here was designed by Miss H. M. Duke and built with her own hands after six years' work.

She said when she started it she had no knowledge of construction but she was determined to own a home of her own. Aside from the necessary cement work such as footing and chimneys, the work was done entirely by herself.

Her artistic talent is also shown in her watercolor paintings which have been displayed at a number of exhibitions.

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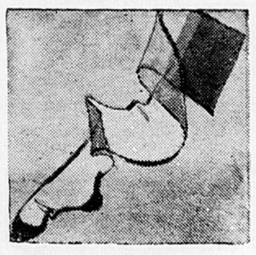
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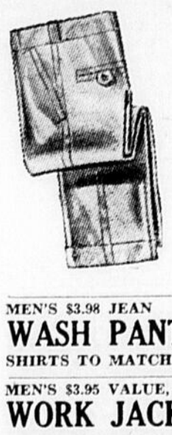
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Howick

Curling News—
B of C Trophy

HOWICK—Dr. Mills' rink from Ormstown won the District Bonspiel at Howick on Saturday, March 20th for the Canadian Bank of Commerce Trophy. 36 rinks competed in the playdown.

MAIN EVENT
Finals

Ormstown	Aubrey
L. Osmond	A. Black
Gordon Winter	Lloyd Allen
A. McCormick	Ron. Reddick
Dr. Mills	K. Robb
11	7

CONSOLATION EVENT
Finals

Beauharnois	Howick
R. Maison	Jas. Crawford
C. W. Kilgour	A. Peddie
D. Browning	A. Roy
M. Reany	R. B. Ness
7	8

Rinks from the Ladies' Club have visited Ste. Anne's, Heather, Town of Mt. Royal, Huntingdon for friendly games and report these as being most enjoyable.

Social and active members enjoyed a friendly afternoon together on March 13, curling and playing cards, followed by afternoon tea.

Games are continuing on the mixed bonspiel. With the exception of one or two games, the playing during three days has resulted in close scoring all the time.

Mrs. K. McRae, Miss Helen McCartney scored an 8-end in a game of doubles.

W.M.A.

The March meeting of Howick United W.M.A. was held at the home of Mrs. Fred Allen on Tuesday afternoon at 2 p.m. Over twenty ladies were in attendance and answered the roll call with a verse containing the word "Life." Mrs. A. Bennie led the devotional, basing her talk on the life and ministry of Christ. This was followed by prayer.

Thirty-two ladies attended the World Day of Prayer service which was held in Georgetown Presbyterian church. This included the societies of Knox, Howick United and the Georgetown ladies.

Mrs. Allen reported on Supply work, and articles for overseas are to be brought in to the April meeting. Mrs. Clarence Kerr read a letter from Rev. Donald Morrison. Envelopes for Thankoffering meeting were distributed and at this meeting plans are being made to hear a record on Dr. Robertson's work entitled "New Frontiers on Missions", fuller details at next meeting. All members having books which are being read are asked to bring them in at our April meeting. All secretaries reported.

A very worthwhile poem was read by Mrs. Cram and enjoyed by all. Mrs. Younie had charge of the study chapter, the first part of which was taken by two of the members in the form of a little dialogue, the whole discourse proving very interesting.

Meeting closed by repeating the Mizpah benediction.

Georgetown W.M.S.

The March meeting of the Georgetown W.M.S. was held at the home of Mrs. Wilfred Watson on Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Mrs. W. E. Logan took charge of the devotional period, also reading the first part of the study, 'Who is my Neighbour'. Mrs. Arthur Kerr read the first chapter from the new study book, 'Where'er the Sun' which proved very interesting, telling of a church service and work with the Chinese and in Korea. A cup of tea was served, and a social half hour spent at the close of the meeting.

Evening Auxiliary

The Georgetown Evening Auxiliary met at the home of Mrs. Geo. Arbuthnot on Wednesday evening with 18 members present.

Mrs. Peter Peddie presided. The meeting opened with the singing of a hymn. The devotional period was taken by Mrs. Murray McCartney and Mrs. Clifford Brown. During the business meeting, it was decided to send $15 to the Supply Secretary. One new member, Mrs. Ross Moore, joined the group. Miscellaneous articles were brought in and wool given out for knitting. Mrs. Raymond Anderson reported on a meeting held recently at the Ormstown Presbyterian Church, at which Miss Margaret Kennedy was the guest speaker. Mrs. Wilburn Anderson read from the new Study Book. The meeting closed with singing and the repetition of The Lord's Prayer in unison. After the meeting, some time was spent quilting. Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by the food committee.

Social Notes

Mr. and Mrs. Outhet of Okotoks, Alta., spent a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Allen. They also visited with other friends.

Mr. and Mrs. K. Currier of St. John's, Que., were the guests on Friday of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sutherland.

Mr. Albert McCaig, Ormstown, Que., visited on Thursday with a number of old friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Kendrick, and son Fred, of Verdun, Que., were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Henderson.

Mrs. D. McColm and two children and Mrs. T. Goundrey of Dewittville, visited at the home of Miss Martha Goundrey. Mr. and Mrs. L. Stewart of Montreal West, were Sunday callers.

Howick Y.P.S. ....

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him spend the money. She breaks down and admits that her one desire is to buy a suitable family burial plot. In the final moments of the play the old man relents and gives his daughter the money to buy the burial plot, forgetting his planned trip to New York.

While offering a rather novel theme for a one-act play, one cannot help but feel that this play is by no means enhanced by the use of bad language and foul description, as was used in the production on Saturday night. All of us realize that life has its darker sides, but no work of art; and a play is indeed a work of art; is in any way improved by the introduction of that which is considered obscene and blasphemous. Certainly no group from a church organization is justified in the use of obscene language under any circumstances whatever while under the sponsorship of the United Church of Canada. To many of those in the audience this one factor greatly detracted from their enjoyment of the play.

The set was well designed and properties were excellent. The acting ability of both leading characters was unquestionably good. The cast included Harold Healy as Pop, Norma McKinley as Ethel, Doug Bennet as Mr. Bailey, and was directed by Doug Bennett.

The Howick production 'The Happy Journey' was a masterpiece of good direction. The action throughout was smooth and rapid and the performances by Marion McKell and William Templeton were indeed worthy of their awards as best actress and actor.

The first scene of this one-act play takes place in the home of a family about to leave on a motor trip back in the days before the self-starter. The second scene the action takes place as the old car travels along on the journey to another town. The principal characters are the mother and father and two children. The play was presented without any properties whatever, but the excellent acting of the players conveyed perfectly to the imagination the impression of a journey by car with the whole falimy in those days when cars were not the comfortable speedy vehicles they are today. The happy father, proud of both his car and his family, was played by Leslie Orr; the kind-hearted but firm mother was played by Jean Templeton; the shy daughter, Marion McKell, and the exhuberant young son, William Templeton; the service station attendant, Murray Templeton; and Beulah, Mrs. Murray Templeton.

Between the performances of the two plays, a skit by members of the Macdonald College Green and Gold Review was very much enjoyed by the audience.

It is hoped that there will be an opportunity to present 'The Happy Journey' locally some time in the near future.

Police Do Good...

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Leduc was in Howick for the purpose of getting a prisoner and it was in the early hours of the morning. He noted a station wagon on the street which aroused his suspicions and he jotted down the license number. It was well he did, for this is what gave the lead that broke the case and led to the arrest of Goselin on Tuesday morning.

A further sequel to this took place on the night of March 5 and 6th, when the Laurier Gatien store was again broken into and a television set stolen. All of these have been attributed to Goselin. He was brought to Huntingdon on Thursday morning for detention. The Frigidaire has been recovered.

This case was investigated by Chief L'Heureux, Det. A. Crevier and Traffic Officer Ernest Leduc, the latter being of the Provincial Police. They did a good job of following up the meagre clues provided and by close watch on events were able to piece the case together to trace the guilty party.

Fourth Annual....

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Saturday, 6.00 p.m.
Semi-Finals

Bob. Auger, Beauharnois 8 vs. Archie Roy, Howick, 5.

B. L. McGerrigle, Ormstown, 7, vs. E. C. Martin, Huntingdon, 6

Final Main Event

B. L. McGerrigle, Ormstown, 7, vs. Bob Auger, Beauharnois 3.

Final of Consolation Event

Archie Roy, Howick, 11, vs. E. C. Martin, Huntingdon, 2.

Winners of the Saturday Night Draw at the Curling Club the past week were: Mrs. Thos. Vine, Huntingdon, $25.; MacKie Cluff, Valleyfield, $10.; Mrs. Jean Ferns, Huntingdon, $5. Special on Final of Bonspiel: Mr. W. H. Hughes, $5.; Ladies' Curling Club, $5.25.

New TV and Piano

Curling in Huntingdon today is a far cry from yester-years when the Huntingdon Curling Rink was first erected. In those days one could not think of travelling a couple of hundred miles to participate in a bonspiel such as the men's bonspiel of the past week in Huntingdon. Today travel is different, as well as accommodations, etc., and a team from Perth, Ont., was entered in the local 'spiel last week. Huntingdon Curling Club is also a lot different — today it boasts of three fine sheets of artificial ice and comfortable club rooms; however, the expenses involved in maintaining such a centre are high and one must cater to visiting curlers and make their visit enjoyable — in this way more entries are received for bonspiels and more revenue is added to the club's coffers. An active committee at the Huntingdon Curling Club is working hard to bring the facilities of the club to a par with those of larger towns and cities and in the course of the past week two steps were taken in this direction — installation of a TV set and a new piano. For active members between games and especially for social members, the TV set is a decided attraction — the club had a piano of sorts, but the new one is considered a sound and worthy investment.

Kilbain

KILBAIN — Mrs. Thos. O'Connor spent the past week with her daughter, Mrs. George Leroux, in Valleyfield.

The Altar and Rosary Society of St. Bridget's Church, Trout River gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roch Dupuis with a number of women from this vicinity attending. A very pleasant evening was spent by all.

Athelstan

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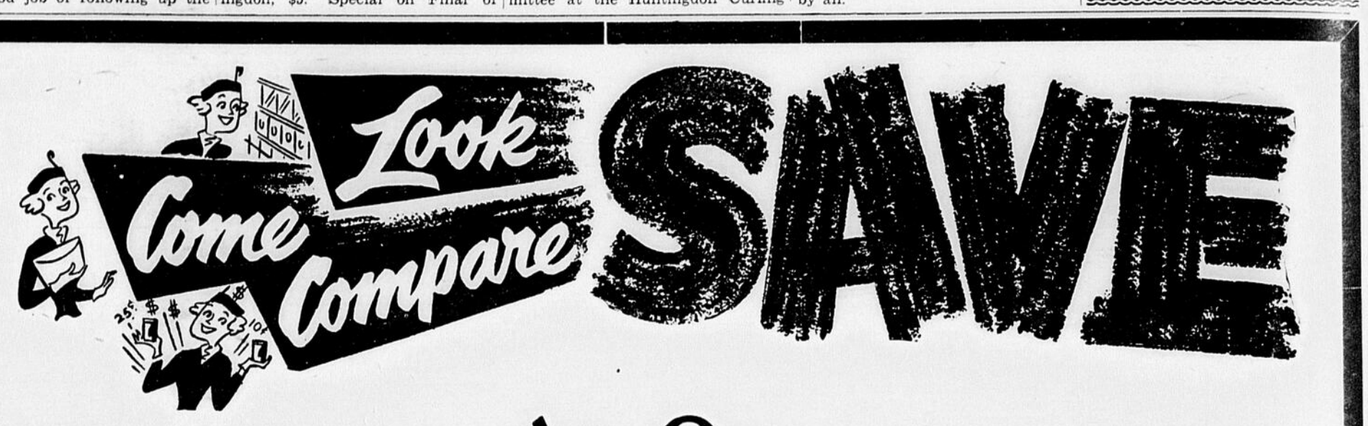
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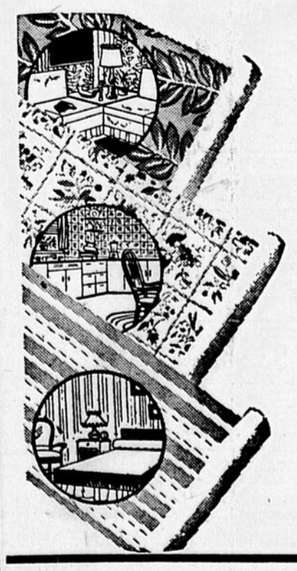
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