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With The Churches

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UNITED CHURCH

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Shawville United

After being closed for three weeks for re-decoration, Stark's Corners United Church is to be re-opened, on Sunday with special services next Sunday Afternoon and evening. In the afternoon at 3. p. m. the Pastor Rev. A. F. Fokes will be in charge of the service, and the guest speaker will be Rev. T. W. Geach of Campbell's Bay. At this hour there will be a dedication of the lighting system recently installed. These lights were installed by Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Dean in memory of their daughter, Amy, who passed away some years ago and who was a faithful member and worker in that church for years. It is expected that the members of the choir of Shawville church will be present to lead in the singing and to furnish special numbers.

The services in the evening will b in charge of Mr. Wm. E. McDowell of Shawville, student in theology at Queens University, and this service will provide an opportunity of seeing the new lighting system at work.

Shawville church services will be at 11.00 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. with the minster as preacher. Services will also be held in union with the Sunday school at 1.30 p. m. at Zion.

Clarendon United Church

Services will be held at the usual times on the Clarendon field. In the morning, Yarm 11 a.m., Radford Sunday School at 11 a. m. In the afternoon Bristol 2 p. m. and Wesley 3.30 p. m. In the evening Radford at 7.45. The sermon"Great men of the Bible." The minister Mr. J. A. Bryson will preach at all services.

All Are Welcome

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CHURCH OF ENGLAND

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Parish of Clarendon

June 5th is Whit sunday. The Book of Common Prayer was first authorized for use on that Sunday in the year 1549. On this 400th anniversary of the English Prayer Book the Lord Bishop of the Diocese has given permission for a special service of thanksgiving to take place in the churches of this diocese.

On Sunday this form of service of thanksgiving will be used in the Parish of Clarendon. We shall join with other congregations of the Anglican Communion throughout the world in a sincere expression of thanks to God for our heritage in the Prayer Book.

Services in the Parish of Clarendon are as follows: St. Paul's 11.a.m. Holy Communion; 7.30 p.m. Evening Prayer. St. Luke's, 2.00 p. m. Evening Prayer. Holy Trinity, 3.15 p. m. Evening Prayer.

Confirmation classes will be held in the near future. Anyone contemplating confirmation is asked to inform the Rector of his or her intention.

Mr. A. E. Lawrence is in charge of services in the parish of Portage du Fort on Whit Sunday. The services of Morning Prayer at St. Alban's, Parkman, 11.00 a.m. and St. George's Portage du Fort, 10.30 a. m. D. S. T.

Parish of North Clarendon

Special services for Whit sunday June 5th in the Parish of North Clarendon will be— Charteris 10.00 a. m. Sunday school; 11.00 a. m. Holy Communion. North Onslow 1.30 p. m. Evening Prayer. Greermount 3.30p.m Evening Prayer. Thorne Centre 7.30 p. m. Evening Prayer. The theme of these services wlil be The Spirit and the Prayer Book as well as marking Whit Sunday, the coming of the Holy Spirit, they will mark the four hundredth Anniversary of the Book of Common Prayer, which then brought a common usage in Prayer in the Church of England.

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WESLEYAN METHODIST CHURCH

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Twelve hours of live, spiritual activity. Ten o'clock Bible school, Morning Worship at eleven, Children's Missionarv Band in th afternoon, Evening prayer service at seven, conducted by the young people, the Evangelistic service at seven thirty and the Vesper-hour until ten, makes a full day at the Wesleyan Methodist Church. Each department of the Sunday-school, young peoples' and children's work is under capable leadership and those who look for a place of cordial friendliness, deep spirituality and live activity will find it in worshpping with us.

The Mid-week services are also a source of blessing with the Tuesday evening prayer service at eight Women's Prayer and Missionary Group, meeting this week at the Garrison home; the Friday evening Young People's meeting in the church at eight and the Sunday services as mentioned above.

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Mr. Perley Richardson of R.R.1, Shawville attended the All-Eastern Ontario Holstein Fair in the Coliseum at Ottawa and, while there, purchased the pure bred Holstein, North Star Dinah No. 739084.

ENGAGEMENT

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Mayhew—Cone

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Mayhew announce the engagement of their dughter Muriel Emely, to Mr. Roy Emmrson Cone, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Horace Cone. The marriage will take place early in June.

Smiley— Bretzlaff

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Smiley wish to announce the engagement of their daughter, Marion Kathleen to Carmen Ernest Bretzlaff son of Mrs. Bretzlaff and the late Charles Bretzlaff. Marriage to take place on June 25th at Holy Trinity Church, Radford.

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White Lilacs decorated St. John's Anglican Church in Quyon on Saturday, May 21st. for the marriage of Florence Henrietta, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Daugherty, North Onslow, and Lyle Harry Bronson, only son of Mrs. Harry Bronson, Quyon and the late Mr. Bronson.

The ceremony was performd y Rev. J. B. Owen and the music was played by Miss Reba Hutchison, Miss Bernice Gordon sang "I Love You Truly".

The bride was given in marriage by her father. She was attended by Miss Betty Edgil of Ottawa as bridesmaid.

Kenneth Ross was best man and the ushers were Ronald Dowe and George Stephens.

The Bride wore a floor length satin gown, and finger tip veil of tulle illusion. She carried a bouquet of Briarcliffe roses.

A luncheon was served at the home of the brides parents, after which they left on a motor trip.

On their return Friday a reception was held in the Town Hall with over two hundred present.

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PERSONAL MENTION

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Mrs. Hillis Graham, of Wyman, attended the National Farm Radio Forum Conference on Saturday.

Miss. Eleanor Campbell, Wyman, was a guest of Miss. Roberta Telford for the week-end.

Mr. Bill Beckett, Niagara Falls, N.Y., visited Miss. Matilda Beckett for the past week.

Mrs. T.H. Beckett is visiting her daughter, Mrs. S.J. Succimarra, in Peekskill, N.Y. for a month.

Miss. Shirley Hamilton and Miss. Millicent Brooks, of Syracuse, N.Y., spent the week-end with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Hamilton.

Miss. Hazel Milliken spent the past week-end at the home of Miss. Adeline Brown of Bristol Ridge, Que.

Mr. and Mrs. J.E. Stevenson and Mr. George Stevenson spent the week-end as guests of Mr. and Mrs. M.C. Caron, Grand Mere, Que.

Mr. nd Mrs. Norris Horner and Mrs. Langford visited Mr. and Mrs. Harry Farrell in Toronto over the week-end. Mrs. Farrell is a daughter of Mrs. Langford.

Sgt. J.E. Horner, Mrs. Horner and their children, of Hull,with Mr. and Mrs. Syd. Barclay spent the Victoria Day holiday at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Horner.

Mr. and Mrs. J.E. Stevenson attended Convocation Exercises at McGill University on Monday, May 30th, when their son, George, received the degree of Bachelor of Science in Agriculture.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. (Bev) Howard and Judith, aged 2 of Guelph visited Mr. Howard's father Mr. G. A. Howard Mrs. Howard and Judith will spend two weeks in th vicinity and will be with her father Mr. Norman Dods, Maryland.

Mr. and Mrs. R.W. Hodgins were pleased to have a visit Saturday night last from their son-in-law, Ses. Richards, when he accompanied their son, Ulric, of South Porcupine on a visit. The two arrived via the city of Toronto, where Ulric had attended the Mining Convention, as a delegate. The visit was opportune as it coincided with the 77th birthday Sunday of his father.

The Pontiac County delegates, who attended the National Farm Radio Forum Conference at Macdonald College on Saturday, May 28th were; Mrs. H. McCord, Charteris; Mrs. Ted Hodgins, Murrell's; Mrs. Secile Sly, Starks Corners; Mrs. August Rose, Austin; Mrs. Melvin Stewart, Elmside; Mrs. Lindon Graham, Elmside;; Mrs. Walter Kilgour, 7th Line; Mrs. Harry McCleary, Shawville W. Mr. Garth Graham, Wyman; Mr. Elwyn Jay, Campbell's Bay and Mr. Norville Wilson, Heath Road.

Corrects Ottawa News Story

The Editor,
"The Equity",
Dear Sir:

In their reports of last Friday's Pontiac Teachers Local Association's Spring Conference held at Shawville High School and Pine Lodge, yesterday's editions of the "Ottawa Journal" and the "Ottawa Citizen" both carried quite an erroneous, garbled and sensational report of the day's activities. From comments I have already received, these reports, especially the one in the "Citizen", have created a very false impression of the purpose and value of a conference, which proved decidedly worthwhile and which, of course, did not convene with the object of raising teachers' salaries in the Protestant schools of Pontiac County.

The unfortunate thing about such newspaper reports is that the false impresssions they leave can never be entirely removed; nevertheless, because of the wide circulation of "The Equity" among the Protestants of Pontiac, I should deem it a gesture of goodwill towards our Teachers Association if you would publish in full the report that I am enclosing with this letter. I believe this report to be an honest account of the activities of our Spring Conference.

Yours truly,
"John A. Tolhurst"
President,
Pontiac Teachers Local Association.

(EDITOR'S NOTE: For full story on the Teachers confernce, please see the back page.)

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Spring Formal

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Shawville's youth came into its own on Friday night when the Teen-Timers Club held its first formal ball. The affair, sponsored by a club of young people of High School age, was widely publicized and carefully planned. Preparations were in progress weeks ahead for the much - heralded "Formal" and there was much scurrying about among the "Juke Box Set" for evening gowns or the wherewithal to make them. Young men, by special dispensation, were permitted to attend informally and most of them did.

The general effect was more than pleasing to those of us in the critical forties, who appeared either as guests or as patrons and patronesses. To say that Shawville's young womanhood, divorced from the currently popular sweater - slacks combination and attired in flattering bouffants and vari-colored satins were pleasing to the eye would be a statenent unfair in its modesty.

Those in charge of the dance were more than pleased with the attendance, those who attended and by the financial success of the undertaking. They were even more pleased with the evident enjoyment with which the up-and-coming generation entered into the festivities.

A raffle was held in connection with the event and the winning tickets for this were drawn by Mr. and Mrs. James C. Gordon. Mr. Gordon is a popular member of the Shawville High School staff. Also assisting in the arrangements were Mrs. May Armstrong, Mrs. Bert Stark and Mr.and Mrs. Harper Rennick.

The winning ticket on the electric washer was held by Iva Robinson of Waltham, Que. The radio was captured by Gerald E. Graham of Renfrew, Ont. and the electric iron went to Joan Pirie of Shawville.

Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Gordon, Mr. and Mrs. Clare Jacques, Mr. and Mrs. Ken. Smyth, Mr. and Mrs. John Howard, Mr. and Mrs. Alwyn Dale, Mr. and Mrs. Grant Eades, Mr. and Mrs. D.W. Noseworthy, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Connelly, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Dods, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Mitchem, Mr. and Mrs. Mel. Kehoe, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Smith, Mr. Allen Young and Miss. Eileen Armstrong, Mr. Bill Horner and Miss Sexsmith, Mr. Sterling Hobbs and Miss Rosamond Smith.

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Local People at National Forum Conference

A delegation from the Farm Forums of Pontiac county attended the meetings of the National Farm Forum Council held at Macdonald College, Ste. Anne de Bellevue, on May 27th and 28th. Representatives from all provinces, except British Columbia were present to further plans for the coming Forum season.

Highlight of Friday's session was a banquet at which John Fisher C.B.C. Roving Reporter, was the speaker. He stressed the importance of developing our latent resources and talents to prevent emigration of Canadian talent to the U.S.A.

Speakers included Dr. Corbett, Director of the C.A.A.E., Ralph Staples retiring.

Joe Galway, National Secretary of Farm Forums and the Rev. Dr. Cody, Director of Extension at St. Francis Xavier College, Antigonish, N. S. Dr. Coady has recently returned from a conference at Washington, D.C., whre plans have been prepared and will be sponsored by the American government for the development of the backward areas of the world.

Five Million Members in Women's Institutes

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The Quebec Women's Institutes are an affiliated society in the international organization, the Associated Country Women of the World. The latter organization recently held an executive meeting in London, Eng., and members in this province will be interested in hearing the tribute paid the Associated Country Women of the World by a distinguished man. Replying to a letter of congratulation sent him on his elevation to the peerage, Lord Boyd Orr said in part, "You spoke of the interest I have shown in your work. Your Association is, in my opinion, one of the most important organizations for creating a strong public opinion in favour of applying modern science to create ideal home conditions".

Representatives from 15 countries were able to attend this meeting. Among them was Grafin Leutrum, Germany, president of the Deutcher Landfrauenverband. This society was accepted as a constituent society of the Associated Country Women of the World last fall. The Indiana and Ohio Farm Bureau and the Federated Women's Institutes of Natal, Pondoland and Grigualand were accepted as new members at this meeting. Approximately 70 societies in 25 countries are now affiliated in the Associated Country Women of the World with a membership that totals 5 million women.

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Shawville Women's Institute

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Shawville Women's Institute met at the home of Mrs. A.H. Horner on Monday, May 9th, with the president, Mrs. G.G. McDowell, presiding.

Letters of thanks were read from Mrs. Hawley and Mrs. Harvey for personal parcels received. Mrs. B.C. Horner, Mrs. Garrison, Mrs. L. Dale and Mrs. L. Corrigan offered to send the next parcel to Mrs. Hawley.

The list of exhibits for the Fall Fair was read and discussed and Mrs. Brough and Mrs. B.C. Horner were appointed delegates to attend the convention at Fort Coulonge on Tuesday, May 10th.

Arrangements were made for a telephone bridge to be held Thursday, May 12th. Prizes for this event were donated by several of the members.

In order to raise funds for the Institute, the members were divided into 4 Groups, each Group to raise $25.00 by October 1st. Conveners of Groups are: Mrs. Drummond, Mrs. J. Gordon, Mrs. E.C. Hodgins and Mrs. C.J. Caldwell.

Mrs. L. Corrigan was appointed delegate from the Shawville Institute to attend the convention at Macdonald College in June.

A very pleasant part of the programme for the evening was the presentation of a Life Membership to Mrs. A. Draper, a valued member of the Shawville Institute for many years.

Mrs. Jacques, convenor of Health and Welfare read two very interesting papers on Hodgkins Disease and Polio after which refreshments were served by the hostess Mrs. A. H. Horner, Mrs. L. Dale, and Miss Irene Shaw.

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Clarendon Women's Institute

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The Clarendon Women's Institute held their May meeting at the home of Mrs. Walter Kilgour on Wednesday evening. The president being ill, Mrs. Selesley Howard acted in her place.

Mrs. Harry Hodgins gave a splendid report of the convention held at Fort Coulonge Tuesday, May 10th.

The ladies decided to buy a pair of blankets for the Hodgins family, who lost their home by fire. Mrs. Lloyd Connolly, convener of Agriculture, gave a paper on, "Makes You Healthy". This was followed by a contest, Mrs. A. Dagg being the winner. The meeting closed by singing the national anthem, after which lunch was served by the hostess assisted by Mrs. D. McDowell.

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Bristol Busy Bees Institute

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The Bristol Busy Bees held their regular meeting on Thursday. May 12th, at the home of Mrs. R. Wilson with 17 members and 5 visitors present. Mrs. Claude Young presided, assisted by Mrs. E. Findlay, secretarv.

Mrs. Alex Drummond, convener on Agriculture, was in charge of the programme and gave an interesting paper on the "Culture of Celery".

Mrs. Roland Russell gave a report on the convention held at Fort Coulonge.

It was moved that we send $7.00 to the County for the adopted child. Plans were made to hold a picnic in June at the Experimental Farm at Ottawa. A "Cookie Contest" was held and this was won by Mrs. R. Wilson.

Refreshments were served by the hostess, Mrs. R. Wilson, assisted by Mrs. E. Findlay and Mrs. Jas. Glenn, joint hostesses.

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SPORTS-&c

by A SIXBIT CRITIC

John Lardner, as you probably know, is a son of the one-and-only, the late and still lamented Ring W. Lardner. He greatly resembles his old man in personal appearance. Sometimes he writes very much like him as well. (And in our book there is no higher praise to be heaved at a writer on sports.)

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In a recent issue of NEWSWEEK, John has a very witty column in which he tells how the late Joe Jacobs has achieved immortality by having his name and sayings—two of them— included in the latest edition of the classic "Bartlett's Familiar Quotations."

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Joe Jacobs, in case you fail to remember, was a noted manager of fighters, better known in ring circles as "Yussel the Muscle", who was around and about back in the days when pickings in the box-fight racket were a lot jucier than they are at present—or than they are likely to be for some time, in our opinion.

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"Yussel", of course, is just a Yiddish nickname which any boy named "Joseph" might wear. But Jacobs gained the tag of "the Muscle" through his own unaided achievements, and it bespoke his matchless skill in the gentle art of "muscling in" and grabbing himself a piece of any fighter who looked to be on his way to fame and fortune, principally the latter.

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Some of Jacobs' methods in the muscling process would hardly have won him high honors in the Boy Scouts, or even Honorable Mention in a Church Sewing Circle. Still, he generally got his man, and always got the dough, and vent down to his grave famous as one of the sharpest operators where "every man for theirself" is the first rule of conduct.

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The first of Yussel's many notable sayings to be included in Mr. Bartlett's collection is his "We was robbed," a remark he was wont to emit almost unfailingly any time a referee's decision went against one of his battlers.

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Still, in spite of John Lardner—and Bartlett—thinking it worthy of preservation, we personally have never rated it as higher than possibly Grade B Plus. Long before Joe Jacobs was around it was a widespread custom of fight managers to use the plural instead of singular when speaking to one of their hired help; in fact, "Go in and battle him kid, he can't hurt US" ante-dated Yussel by many years.

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But the second specimen of Joe's dicta which Bartlett has included really deserves to be embalmed in the records; and Lardner tells how he, personally, was present when it dripped from the Jacobs' lips. Joe, like many of his ilk, was a renowned opponent of early rising and open-air exercise. Although he wasn't the author of the famous epigram, "Any guy who gets up before three P.M. is a night-watchman", he might well have been.

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However, one October day, some miscreant persuaded Jacobs to journey out to the Detroit Ball Park to see a World Series game. The afternoon was on the chilly side—in fact it was so cold that the fans stayed away in droves. For some four innings the shivering Jacobs sat in the windy Press Box where he was an invited guest. Then somebody asked him what he thought of the Great American pastime.

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Yussel's reply was short, pithy and to the point. Unclenching his store teeth from the cigar they were chatteringly attempting to clench, Joe said, bitterly, "I shoulda stood in bed." Then, looking neither to the right or the left, he took his departure and headed, presumably, for the warm quilts.

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So now Joe's "I shoulda stood in bed" is in Bartlett—and our thanks to John Lardner for telling us they are there, and reminding us of the circumstances which prompted its utterance.

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As you have probably noticed, we have been somewhat dilatory in predicting the outcome of the King's Plate in detail. There is a reason for this. We hope that our pickings will reach some of you too late to take action on, to your later regret.

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Still, duty is duty, so here goes. And to make up for our tardiness we are going to give you a choice, not only of horses, but of selectors. First, here are the views of a friend who has been picking them and playing them, man and boy, for nigh on forty years; and with such notable success that he still works hard at his trade every day.

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He is no piker. He picks you not only the winner, but the place and show horses as well. He sees them coming in: 1, BUNTY LINE; 2, EPIC; 3, SPEEDY IRISH. He has so much faith in all three that he's going to play them that way, and we only hope he doesn't wear tight shoes as it's a long walk home.

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As for ourself, we look for GEM THIEF to take it all; and we'd be prepared to wager all our wealth we're right, the only trouble being that they don't have wickets that take anything under two-dollar bets.

How To Get A Good Credit Rating

For some time the Globe and Mail has been reprinting items which appeared in the Toronto Globe just 100 years ago. From the issue of May 12, 1849, comes this item, which should be of interest to many, especially those in the printing and publishing business.

A New Fact Disclosed

We were not aware until recently that the books of newspaper publishers are consulted, to quite a large extent, by people in business to ascertain the pecuniary standing of persons. Debts for newspapers come due once a year; and persons who pay up regularly are regarded as prompt men, and worthy of confidence. To ascertain whether a man is good, they find out what paper he takes and contrive in some way to peer into the account. A shrewd observer of human nature said in a newspaper office lately: "Give me a printer's book, after all, to tell whether a man's good. They're a complete thermometer, sir, a credit thermometer. We always know a man to be bad if he doesn't pay the printer."

To which we can only add that, while the advice given is indubitably sound, many printers wonder why, even after the lapse of a century, so many fail to accept it.

Parting of Ways

At 7:30 p.m. Monday, F. E. was crossing the street when he was struck by a car. Mr. E.'s right leg was fractured and his shoulder was travelling west on Wisconsin Avenue badly bruised.—New Holstein Reporter.

WHAT GOES ON IN THE WORLD

by Norman Blair

GREAT BRITAIN

In certain Conservative circles pressure is said to be exerted toward "whitewashing" Franco's Spain by rescmption of normal diplomatic relations between London and Madrid. American military authorities have been pointing out the advantages of having Spain as a partner in the Atlantic defence system, and some Conservative leaders are taking the same view.

But such an idea is stirring up considerable dissent among the laborites, who consider it little short of a crime that Franco Spain should be pardoned without being in any way reformed, or that the nation which has suppressed all trade unions and crammed its jails with political prisoners should be considered as a possible ally with the west.

"Britain and America protest when countries in Eastern Europe disregard the code of civil liberty," thundered The New Statesman and Nation editorially. "What semblance of moral and social integrity would remain to the Atlantic Pact if it included Fascist Spain?"

But where Spain is concerned there are other considerations which weigh with the British Government, in addition to American military views. For instance, reports have been circulated in London that one of Spain's top generals has offered the United States its choice of any air base it wants in Spain, with practically no strings attached.

But would Spain be of any real value as in ally, in case of future war? That is to say, of more value than as a neutral. The Spanish army is large but badly equipped. The transport system is chaotic, all railways having gone without major repairs since the civil war. And all the millions the United States would have to pour into that country in order to bring it to anything like real effectiveness might better be spent, in the opinion of many, in strengthening Britain and France's defences.

But the basic question goes much deeper than this. To the great mass of labor and liberal opinion in western Europe, Spain is a major touchstone of the West's real purposes, as one writer puts it. Therefore, are the nations of the Council of Europe, whose charter eulogizes "individual freedom, political liberty, and the rule of law," going to admit as a partner into their midst a still unrepentant ally of Hitler and Mussolini?

On the answer to that question a very great deal might depend—more than most people think.

ISRAEL

Although flushed with victory, at least temporary, over their Arab enemies, and regarding their admission as a nation among nations, thoughtful citizens of Israel are worrying over the threat of communism.

The economic position of the new nation is by no means strong. Although, so far, there are only a few thousands unemployed, first demonstrations of people demanding work and failing to find it have occurred at Hakirya and other places, and signs of possible future trouble are plain to be seen.

The pressure of mass immigration on cumulative wartime shortages is sending the cost of living index constantly higher. Nearly 60,000 immigrants are living in camps. All ships that can be accommodated at Haifa, Tel Aviv and Jaffa are being unloaded; but few of these go away fully loaded.

This is because the year's citrus crops have been disappointingly small. The export of potash from the Dead Sea has not been resumed. And the cracking towers and storage tanks of the Haifa oil industry stand silent and idle.

To close the export-import gap Israel counts on two major sources of aid—the tourist industry, and huge voluntary contributions from world Jewry. When asked if he thought American Jews would continue indefinitely to subsidize Israel, one banker replied, "They must, and they will." Israel prefers not to think what would happen in case of a United States depression, a waning of Zionist enthuisasm, or an international crisis which would cut off Zionist funds.

But we may be sure that some of the deep thinkers among the Internationalist Communists are thinking of such things very deeply. Thinking—and just waiting for the Day!

GERMANY

The peace of Europe, according to British Foreign Secretary Ernest Bevin, depends on the solution of the German problem; and for the first time in four years Germans, of both the East and the West, feel that they are strong enough to influence that decision.

The Council of Foreign Ministers is now meeting in Paris, and the sessions are pervaded by a sense of the importance of German national aspirations and political tides.

Rightly or wrongly, many millions of Germans are convinced that their country is ready to get into the saddle and resume its place in the grand parade. For the moment they do not appear to be looking any farther than toward the reunion of East and West Germany, and the consequent emergence of a united nation which would be one of the first poewrs of Europe, and which could have a decisive effect on the outcome of the struggle against Communism.

A united anti-Communist Germany of some 65 million people could tip the scales of the cold war in favor of the Atlantic nations. That same country, drawn into the Russian empire,, would place the Soviet frontier west of the Rhine and put the Western nations on the political and military offensive. And—like it or not—whether a united Germany can be induced to "face West" permanently, is the primary problem facing Bevin and his American and French associates at the Paris meeting.

It seems to most of us what might almost be termed a "screwball" situation that we should be, in a sense, catering to the nation which twice within a quarter century set the whole world in flames. But then, it makes just about as much sense as a lot that happens in this seemingly cockeyed world.

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1949 SHAWVILLE FAIR TO RUN 4 DAYS

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Shawville Fair, this year, will be bigger and better than ever before, which statement, by itself, calls for little in the way of effort. The matter of giving truth to the statement, however, calls for a strong, active and united effort of all our people and every agency that has a part in building towards the success of this major community effort.

The foregoing is the consensus of opinion of those responsible for the operation of the 1949 fair as voiced to-day by R.W. Hodgins, secretary of the Agriculture Association.

Mr. Hodgins announced a four day fair for Pontiac to take place from Wednesday, September 21st, to Saturday, September 24th, inclusive.

"The 1948 fair was the first Class "B" fair held in Pontiac" said Mr. Hodgins, "and the appreciative remarks we have heard - and are still hearing - from fair visitors and from the many officers of the Federal and Provincial Governments, who have learned of it, cause us to think that this first Class "B" fair was a success. They inspire us to give an 100 per cent effort in making the first 4 day fair in Pontiac's history something that we all may be proud of".

It had been hoped to make some interesting announcements of things already accomplished in 1949, but shortages of material and skilled construction labour have delayed the erection of a building.

The secretary stated, however, that the coast is clearing, things are looking good and although the Federal Election may lead some away from home duties, (unless, peradventure, he, himself is elected by acclamation), yet our speechmaking and our listening to speeches will be but a part time duty and all concerned will keep the Agricultural Society ball rolling along the main line to magnificent success.

Plans for 1949 include the painting of the Agricultural buildings and the making of other required improvements. The Junior shows for 1949 will be much improved over those of last year. Already the lists are being prepared for these. An extra list for the Women's Institutes, Ladies' Departments, Poultry, Grain and Vegetables is also being prepared.

Any prospective new exhibitors requesting a list of prizes will receive a copy of the 1948 list, plus changes, within a few days.

Now is the time for exhibitors to start thinking of what they wish to show in the lines of ladies' work, roots, grains, poultry and livestock and the Fair Board offers its every co-operation. Enquiries should be adressed to R.W. Hodgins, Secretary, Shawville, Que.

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Mrs. James Francis Rennick Dies at North Bay, Ontario

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A highly respected resident of North Bay, Ontario and a former resident of Onslow, Quebec, Mrs. James Francis Rennick, 68, is reported as having died in hospital, Sunday, May 22nd, after a lengthy illnes.

Her body rested at the family residence, 1189 Cassells Street, North Bay, where a service for the family was held on the Tuesday afternoon following her death. This service was followed by rites at the Wesleyan Methodist Church. Rev. I.C. McIntyre officiated and interment was in Terrace Lawn Cemetery at North Bay.

Mrs. Rennick, whose maiden name was Albina Alexander, was born at Onslow, Quebec, and she was married at Bristol, Quebec, about 49 years ago to James Francis Rennick. They made their home in Shawville for a time before moving to North Bay 25 years ago. Mrs. Rennick devoted her main interests to her home and family and she was a member of the Wesleyan Methodist Church at North Bay.

She is survived by her husband, one daughter, Mrs. T.M.F. Gerry, of Vancouver, B.C., three sons, Manson, of Sudbury; Clarence and Carl, both of North Bay, and 15 grandchildren. She is also survived by her three brothers, Robert and William Alexander, Calgary, Alberta, Thomas Alexander of Quyon, Quebec, and her three sisters, Mrs. W.J. Kinch of Ottawa; Mrs. M. Wingate of Seattle, Washington and Miss. Maggie Alexander, also of Seattle.

Pallbearers at the obsequies were Harper, Horace, George and Dalton Rennick and Clifford McDowell, all of whom are nephews of the deceased, and Joseph C. Harkins.

Out of town relatives, who attended the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. Manson Rennick, Sudbury; Mrs. W.J. Kinch, Ottawa; Thomas Alexander, Quyon; Mr. J.A. Rennick, Shawville; Mr. and Mrs. Harper Rennick, Shawville, and Mrs. Eva Tracy, Sudbury.

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CARDS OF THANKS

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We wish to extend our very sincere thanks to our friends and relatives, who by their many acts of kindness and lovely floral tributes helped to ease the recent loss of our beloved son and brother, the late Russell Cyrus Hodgins.

The Family.

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We wish to extend our grateful appreciation to the friends and neighbours, who aided us by their thought and sympathy during the loss recently of our beloved mother.

The Eades Family

RUSSELL CYRUS HODGINS

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The death occurred Thursday, May 12th, at the home of his father, of Russell Cyrus Hodgins, 27 year old son of Vincent Hodgins of the Fifth Line of Clarendon Township. The deceased had suffered an illness of two weeks from pneumonia.

Rev. D.W. Noseworthy conducted the funeral services, which were held in the afternoon of Saturday, May 14th at St. Paul's Anglican Church in Shawville.

The deceased left him surviving his father and mother; two brothers, Ivan of Austin and Clarence at home; two sisters, Mrs. Edgar Connelly (Eleanor), of Shawville and Doreen at home.

During the service, Mrs. Alex Kilgour sang the solacing "Does Jesus Care".

The pallbearers at the parting tribute were Gerald Hodgins, Harland Hodgins, Royce Hodgins, Keith Brownlee, Elvyn Corrigan and Hawley Elliott.

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BRISTOL SCHOOL BOARD

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May 28th, 1949

Bristol School Commissioners held their regular meeting on the above date. Present, Chairman McCredie and Commissioners McNeill, Graham and Young.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and on motion of Comm. McNeill were adopted as read.

On motion by Comm. Graham, the following accounts were approved for payment: Mrs. Gordon Roy, $10.50; Ivan Beattie, $25.00; 5c to $1.00 Store, Shawville, $2.77; Selwyn Smith, $10.00; Leonard Stanley, $25.00; W.A. Hodgins Store, $1.00; Equity Office, $6.07; Norris Angus, $24.00; W.A. Orr, $7.00; Jackie Thomas, $10.00; Allen Wormke, $10.00; H.A. Kelley, Wyman, $8.33; W.A. Hodgins Store, $6.70; George Pirie, $17.50; John McNeill, $5.00; Erwin Laughren, $39.50.

Motion by Comm. McNeill that the Secretary-Treasurer's bond be accepted.

Motion by Comm. Young that Mr. Ed. Edmonds be appointed Deputy Examiner. Motion by Comm. Graham that we adjourn.

BRISTOL SCHOOL BOARD
W.P.L. Smith, Sec.-Treas.

Elmside Women's Institute

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Mrs. George Herman was hostess to the Elmside Women's Institute on Monday, May 16th. There were 14 members and three visitors present.

After opening the meeting by singing the ode and repeating the creed, the minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

It was decided to hold a bee to clean up the larder at Bristol School Number Nine.

Mrs. Fulford and Mrs. Ballantyne gave the report of the convention, which had been held at Fort Coulonge.

A bus trip to the Experimental Farm was discussed.

Mrs. Pirie, Convener of Agriculture, had prepared a paper entitled, "Ways to Improve One's Garden", which was read by Mrs. Laughren.

Reports of the conveners were, "Hamilton Area W.I. Stresses Adult Education"; "Uses for Wax" and "What a Child Remembers". The roll call was answered by "My Favorite Vegetable".

Mrs. Storie invited the members to her home for their June meeting.

The singing of the National Anthem brought the meeting to a close. Mrs. George Herman, the hostess, served dainty refreshments.

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Meet Again June 8th

The Elmside Women's Institute will meet at the home of Mrs. Joseph Storie on Wednesday June 8th, at 2.00 o'clock in the afternoon.

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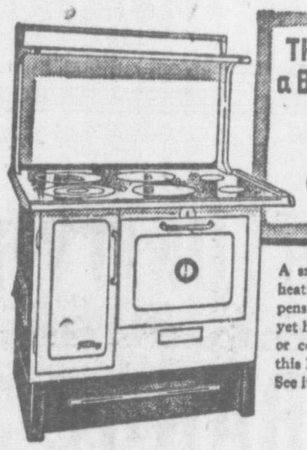

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"-Where Credit is Due"

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The Shawville Horticultural Society is to be warmly lauded this week on the fine appearance of the park grounds at the memorial to those, who served in the Great War of 1914 - 1918. The memorial is situated near the eastern end of the village and forms an appropriate "V" at the intersection of No. 8 Highway and a village street.

The project, originally planned and executed by the Canadian Legion, was later adopted by the Horticultural Society and it has performed its undertaking with great credit.

To-day, graceful and beauteous tulips stand in proud array along the V-shaped flower bed that surrounds the memorial proper. Other small beds of the same flowers complete the picture and the proud bearing of the blooms seems to remind one of the proud ranks of men, who marched away from here to do battle for this land of ours.

Other plants will bloom in their turns as the summer season progresses and a constant and pleasing showing is assured.

Mr. James C. Gordon is the president of the Horticultural Society, Miss. Irene Shaw is its treasurer and Miss. Catherine Woodley is the secretary.

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AIR FORCE DAY

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The Arnprior R.C.A.F airport will open its gates to thousands of visitors on Saturday, June 11th. The occasion is the annual national observance of Air Force Day and the public is warmly invited to attend the Air Force "Open House", either at Arnprior or at any of the other Air Force stations.

The people of Pontiac have an especial interest in the R.C.A.F. project at Arnprior, not only because of its proximity, but because the Arnprior station maintained an emergency landing field at Quyon, Que. Parts of a crashed aircraft can, in all probability, still be found in the bush near Pine Lodge, where one of the writer's comrades at Arnprior cam to an untimely death.

Speaking on the subject of "Air Force Day", Hon. Brooke Claxton, Minister of National Defence, announced the invitation to the public in a press conference.

"This will be our third annual Air Force Day, and all Service members are hoping for even greater interest than in the case of the two previous events," said Mr. Claxton. "The main purpose of Air Force Day is to acquaint the Canadian public with the function of the R.C.A.F and the activities of its flying and technical personnel. Above all, we want the Canadian people to meet the men of the R.C.A.F., to see how they live and work, and to understand the constructive and important tasks they perform.

The display at Arnprior will feature a showing of Canada's one and only Flying Wing, the odd-looking tailless aircraft.

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50 Years Ago
This Week

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as reported in the Equity of June 1st, 1899.

The Sparling poisoning case was the sensation of the day 50 years ago and the courtroom at Bryson was packed to the doors, when Mrs. Edward Sparling stood trial for the alleged paris green poisoning of her husband. The principal witness was John Steele, with whom the couple had lived since their marriage a year previous. Jurymen chosen for the trial were Thomas Burns, Chichester; William Alexander, Bristol; Thomas Letts, Calumet Island; Henry Meredith, South Onslow; William Farrell, Otter Lake; Martin Davis, jr., Bristol; James Cotie, Portage du Fort; James Amm, South Onslow; James Wilson, Leslie; James Lee, Chapeau; James Bergin, jr., Allumette Island and Joseph Valilee of North Onslow. The case was continuing at the time of publication.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hodgins entertained Mr. Robert Hodgins of Carp, Ontario and the Ottawa Journal referred to Ven. Archdeacon Naylor as "Archibald" Naylor to the tune of a soft aside from the Equity. The first thunderstorm of the season struck the district with some violence and a heavy crop of hailstones was the only result reported. The Equity published a picture of George Murphy, Sheriff of Eastern Assiniboia and the son of Edward Murphy of Portage du Fort. Master Arthur Dale rescued an unknown young lady from a dip in the slides at Bryson and D.H. Campbell, of Maple Ridge offered a pure bred Shorthorn bull calf at $25.00.

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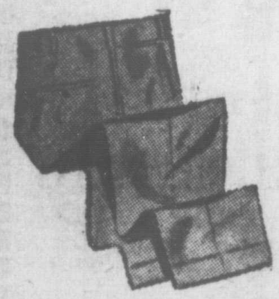

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IN MEMORIAM

—o—

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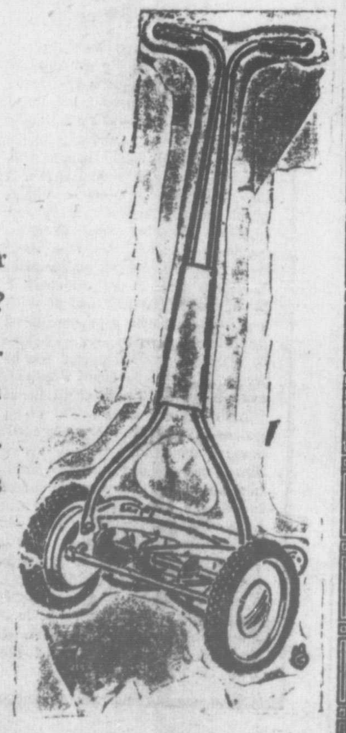

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DO YOU KNOW about TRAVEL RATION REGULATIONS?

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1. The allowance for pleasure travel during the current ration period of November 16th, 1948, to November 15th, 1949, is $150 U.S. per person ($100 in the case of children under 11 years old).
2. A Form H permit, obtainable at any bank, is required to take out of Canada amounts exceeding $10 U.S. or $25 U.S. and Canadian funds.
3. Special allowances are granted for strictly business travel where your application is certified by your employer.
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Farrell Family Returns From South Porcupine

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A former Shawville family, that settled years ago in South Porcupine, Ontario, has returned home and likes it. The last few days have been busy ones for the family of Thomas Farrell as they visited old friends, speedily made new ones and got themselves settled.

The Farrells had been popular residents of the northern town as evidenced by the news stories that have appeared in the Timmins Daily Press recently. According to the Timmins paper, Mrs. Farrell, an active participant in the work of the Ladies' Orange Benevolent Association for a number of years was the recipient of an address and a presentation from the lodge on the occasion of her leaving. The address was read by Mrs. Blanche Fraser and the presentation consisted of a piece of McBrine luggage. The social hour at the meeting brought forth a cake suitably decorated with "Good Luck Sister Farrell".

Mrs. Farrell was also entertained by the Rebekah Lodge No. 172 and the Past Noble Grands' Club of the same lodge.

A farewell party was held for the couple in the Canadian Legion Hall and was attended by 200 friends. Ivan Horner, Andy McGinn and Jason Cunnigham were in charge of the arrangements. Mrs. Farrell was presented with a purse of money and corsage and Mr. Farrell received a well filled wallet. This presentation was made by an old friend of the Farrells, Mrs. Wilson Rayner.

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Clarendon School Board Minutes

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May 26th, 1949

The Clarendon School Board met on the above date: present, Chairman Dagg and Commissioners Morley Hodgins and Lee Hodgins.

Minutes of the last meeting were read and approved on motion of Commr. Lee Hodgins.

Motion of Commr. Morley Hodgins that Rev. D.W. Noseworthy be appointed as Deputy Examiner for the June examinations with Rev. A.F. Fokes as assistant.

Motion by Commr. Lee Hodgins that the following bills be paid; Hodgins Lumber Co., $27.61; Imperial Oil, $9.69; McCredie's Garage, $16.82; R.P. Eades, $5.99; Moyer School Supplies, $37.25; Chas. Russell, $164.00; Thos. Murphy, $50.00; Arthur Dagg, $25.00.

Motion by Commr. M. Hodgins to adjourn.

"E.L. Dean"
Acting Sec'y-Treas., pro. tem.

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Quyon	Monday	A.M. June 6
Shawville	Tues.	A.M. June 7
Campbell's Bay	Wed.	Juen 8
Sheenboro	Thurs.	A.M. June 9
Chapeau	Thurs.	A.M. June 9

Sacks and twine are now available.

N. A. Drummond,
Agronomist.

WARNING

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SYNOPSIS

The story thus far: Virginia Ames leaves her home in Washington immediately after receiving a letter from her fiance Phil Lawrence, urging her to come to him. Crossing the Arizona plains by stagecoach, and within a hundred miles of Santa Bonita, where Phil has a ranch, the stage passengers are held up and a money box addressed to a man named Barron at Santa Bonita is stolen. A cameo pin is taken from Virginia but that is all; the bandits let her keep her letter. Lt. Jim Randall, whom Virginia once knew and loved, escorts the stage from Lannasa. Baron, who joins the group at Lannasa, accompanies them on the 70-mile trip to Santa Bonita. Halfway there they are stopped by Apaches, apparently bent on mischief.

CHAPTER III

Jim Randall surveyed his position with challenging eyes. It wasn't pleasant. His force was bottled up in a small clearing. The terrain was rough. Trees and brush and rocks formed dense walls which could have concealed a thousand Apaches.

He didn't like it. His mind was uneasy. He had the officer's fear of leading his command into a trap.

Jim watched the Apache warrior pause at the water's edge and signal with his lance. He gave a start when he saw the second Indian ride from cover. There was somethi s about this warrior that marked him. He sat on his droopy pinto pony with a definite dignity, a fine figure of a man. His wace was dark and impassive and intelligent.

Scarlett at his side muttered in awe, "Natchi!"

Jim felt a quiver of excitement run over his muscles. Natchi! Natchi himself! Leader of a marauding band that had cut a bloody, fiery trail through southern Arizona and New Mexico and down into northern Mexico. Head of a raider band which had eluded the army with the ease of a phantom cavalcade.

The two warriors rode out into midstream and halted before the whitemen. Natchi was in his prime; his body lithe and muscular. He was naked to breech-clout and moccasins and cartridge bandolier across his chest. A head-band held back his jet-black hair. His face looked cast in bronze, an impassive mask. It was one of character, the character of treachery and savagery.

Mel Scarlett talked guttural Apache, using sign language, too. Natchi answered, his voice throaty and gripping.

The scout interpreted. "He says you, the man with the blue eyes, arrested his son Bunato. You hid him away in the white man's fort."

"Tell him," Jim said. "Bunato stole white man's horses and must be punished."

It was while Scarlett interpreted that the third warrior appeared and silently joined them. The Apache chief talked long, and before he had finished the fourth Indian rode from cover and entered the stream. When Natchi's voice stopped, Scarlett said:

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"He wants to know how his son will be punished, Lieutenant." Then, his voice uneasy: "I don't like this, sir. They're up to something. Four against us now, and here comes another. Looks like a trap. Did you notice those rifles?"

Jim Randall nodded. "All sharps. And brand-new. Plenty of cartridges too. It's trouble all right."

The fifth warrior had appeared and was easing toward them. The two white men betrayed no sign that they noticed the ruse. But the situation was danger-filled. Jim said:

"Ask him if he sees that soldier kneeling behind that fallen tree."

The answer came quickly. Scarlett interpreted, "He says he does, Lieutenant."

"Good. Tell him that soldier is a sharpshooter. Tell him he has his rifle trained on the space between the eyes of Natchi. Tell him if one more warrior comes to the stream, the soldier will shoot."

Natchi's face remained expressionless as he heard the interpretation. He studied the officer's face with smoldering eyes. Then he made a sign. His warriors turned their horses and rode from the water, then on into the screening brush. Natchi remained alone.

Scarlett said, "He says the man with the blue eyes is a fox."

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"Tell him Natchi is a wolf. Tell him his son must go to prison until the second winter ends. Tell him it is bad medicine for an Apache buck to steal white men's horses."

Natchi's face grew hard and cruel as Scarlett spoke, and his voice was bitter when he answered.

The scout interpreted. "He says the white man's law is not for the Apache. And that the man with blue eyes should know that the wolf is stronger than the fox."

"Ask him where he got those rifles."

Scarlett obeyed. Then said, "He won't tell, sir. But he says he has many such rifles—more than you have."

"Tell him my soldiers shoot straight and fast," Jim said.

(Continued Next Week)

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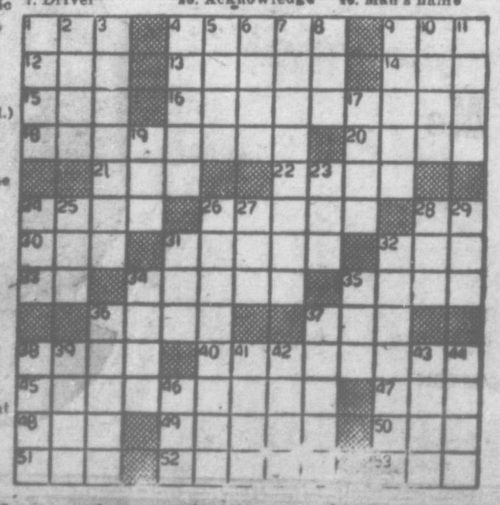
Merry Menagerie—By Walt Disney

'I warned you—always eat from the OUTSIDE in!"

CROSSWORD PUZZLE

ACROSS
1. Hummingbird
4. Wooden shoe
9. Decompose
12. Guided
13. Crimped fabric
14. Girl's name
15. Self
16. Disposed to take offense
18. Revolver
20. Otherwise
21. Seize
23. Crooked (dial.)
24. Long journey
26. Cast iron for making pots
28. About
29. Obstructed the view
31. Punctuation mark
32. Couple
33. English letter
34. More certain
35. Sleigh
36. Market
37. Cap
38. Time measure
40. Insect
43. Exact opposite
47. Pasture
48. Freeze
49. Careening
50. Vetchlike plant
51. Color
52. Camps
53. Cereal

DOWN
1. Fish sauce
2. First magnitude star
3. Embellished
4. Second team
5. Metric land measures
6. Ignoble
7. Driver
8. Half score
9. Firearm
10. Burden
11. Yarn
17. And ten (suffix)
19. Tree
22. Liquor
24. Article
25. Edge
26. Ship's window
27. Palm leaf
28. Acknowledge
29. Dense mist
31. Mongrel
32. Acrobat
34. Hindu garment
35. Recompense
36. Muffled
37. Trials
38. Filament
39. A single time
41. Norse god
42. Bird's home
43. Weird
44. Alleviate
46. Man's name



Answer elsewhere in this issue

They're Rolling the Waves on Rollers—Director Betty Hand rehearses members of her roller-skating troupe aboard the liner Washington in mid-Atlantic. En route to Europe for a 12-week tour, they are the first roller-skating troupe ever to undertake an extended overseas engagement comparable to major ice shows.

TABLE TALKS

by Jane Andrews

From the time the first of your "garden truck" is ready to use right up until you've picked the very last string bean you have the makings of wonderful plank and platter dishes.

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Such a dish is practically a whole meal—meat, vegetables and mashed potatoes—all cooked together on an oak plank or oven platter. Oven time is short and hot—375F or 400F usually; so it's best to choose meats that cook quickly, such as steaks, lamb chops, ham, weiners or fish.

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The planks are 10 by 14 inch ovals, an inch thick, and you can buy them in department or hardware stores. But if you have a nice block of oak around your place, your husband or son can smooth it with steel wool and make your plank for you. Ask him to make a scooped-out place at one end with three grooves leading to it to drain meat drippings.

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Before using a plank for the first time be sure and brush it with oil or melted, unsalted shortening, and warm in a slow oven—the same as you'd pre-heat a new frying pan or waffle iron. After that, the only care it needs is washing and drying.

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Here's one combination that I think you'll like. Arrange lamb chops on the plank, and oil the wood around them. (Plank should always be completely covered with food, or well oiled, to prevent charring.) Put in a 375F oven for 10 minutes, to brown the chops on one side.

Meanwhile, cook asparagus in a small amount of boiling water, and pressure-cook potatoes for mashing. (If you haven't a pressure cooker, you'll want to start the potatoes boiling well ahead of putting the meat in the oven, of course).

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Now turn the chops; border them with asparagus and mashed potatoes. Return the plank to the oven for 15 minutes. Now put the whole thing on the table and serve, with any sort of sauce or relish you fancy. There are those who claim that it's all imagination to say that "planking" lends a flavor all its own—but I don't think, after you've tried it, that you'll agree with that.

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Here's a cake that can be eaten just "as is," or cut in squares and served with whipped cream. The recipe came to me from a woman out west who's famous for the table she sets. She calls it:

MAHOGANY CAKE

1 cup thick, sour cream
2 cups sugar
4 eggs
2½ cups flour
2 level teaspoons soda
1 heaping teaspoon baking powder
½ cup cocoa dissolved in 1 cup boiling water
1 teaspoon vanilla
½ teaspoon salt

Method. Beat eggs. Add sugar and cream. Next the flour, baking powder and salt, sifted together. Mix well. Next add dissolved cocoa, which has been cooled, and lastly the soda, which has been dissolved in vanilla. Bake in a moderate oven for about an hour. This can be cut in squares and served with whipped cream.

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Does the cooky jar show signs of getting empty again? Foolish question, if there happens to be "young-'uns" around the place. I think they'll go in a big way for what another noted cook calls:

DOUBLE DATERS

1¼ cups brown sugar
1 cup shortening
¼ cup sour milk
1 level teaspoon soda
2 cups oatmeal (ground)
2 cups flour

Filling

1 cup dates
1 cup sugar
1 cup water

Boil filling until thick; cool

Mix cooky ingredients in order given (creaming sugar and shortening). Roll, then cut in rounds or any desired shape. Spread filling on half of cookies, then place another cooky on top of each and pinch edges together. Bake in a moderately hot oven.

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Which will have to be all for just now, but I'll be back again next week.

The two survivors of a shipwreck, a seaman and a stockbroker, had clambered on to a raft.

"If a ship doesn't sight us soon," said the seaman, "we'll starve."

"Don't talk nonsense!" snapped the stockbroker. 'I've got plenty of money."

ANNE HIRST
Your Family Counselor

When a girl falls in love with a married man, she is a pathetic creature indeed. She swallows every statement he makes about his wife. She pictures him as the martyr in a marriage where he is always "misunderstood." She feels complimented that he chooses her for his confidante, and draws her own conclusions — usually, it must be said, to the detriment of the wife who sits patiently at home.

One wife tells her side of the story::

"Your advice to 'WAITING, Anne Hirst, was excellent. But as the wife she might have been writing about, I'd like to say this:

"I really feel sorry for the girl. That she is in love with my (?) husband, I don't doubt. But what she doesn't know is that she is not the first one he has professed to love. Every time he has become infatuated with a girl, he has talked of a divorce. Rather than make a scene, I brush it off with, 'Go ahead, if you want to. 'But he has never gone ahead, and probably never will.

"Does this girl think that after nearly seven years together, we have nothing but disagreements? It is true we have our troubles. But there have been many, many wonderful days of joy and happiness which cannot be overlooked.

"We have no children it is true. But she has known us only a year, or she wouldn't have said it was because I didn't want them. I have lost two children, God only knows how it hurt.

"Girls who fall in love with married men only ask for heartbreak. They don't seem to realize that, if these men really loved them, they would wait till they were free before telling of their love-not subject them to anxious waiting that may only hamper the girl's chances of finding someone who could offer more than, 'maybe if I get a divorce.'

"This is the other side of the story—which this girl could have found out if she had been the 'good friend' she claimed to be.

"I sincerely hope this will help any girl who lets herself fall in love with a married man, and is left 'waiting'.

These words should surely make any girl in such a situation stop andwonder.

Aside from the ignominy of dating a man who has a wife, she should question what sort of man is this who tells her only one side of his story. Who never confesses his other light o' loves, but allows her to believe she is the only one in the world who ever appealed to him. Who has not the slightest intention of divorcing the patient wife who forgives and forgives and takes him back again and again, with a new hope rising everytime in her heart.

How foolish are these emotional creatures—and how evil the men ho tempt them!

To "The Wife:" Whether the man involved is your husband or some other wronged woman's, your revelation should warn every girl who thinks a married man is in love with her

She is, as you say, only asking for heartbreak—Thank you warmly for your letter.

"What would his wife have to say to me?" That should be the problem of every girl who dates a married man. Anne Hirst's long observations of such sad affairs can be useful. Write her at Box 1, 123 New Toronto, Ont.

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DRAPERY FIXTURE. Six-way drapery fixture makes small windows look larger, wider and higher and can be adjusted to suit each problem. Non-rusting, off-white enamel finish is sprayed on and baked for permanence. Steel rod can be changed in size from 16¾ in. to 24 in., thus adding two feet to width of window. Projection from window can be adjusted from 2½ in. to 5¾ in. allowing drapes to hang straight despite venetian blinds or radiators.

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CHRONICLES OF GINGER FARM

by Gwendoline P. Clarke

There was something different about that heat wave we endured last week from any we had had before. Did you notice it? Unless you were outside quite a bit you probably wouldn't. I mean there was no shade. No possibility of standing under a tree for a minute to get away from the scorching sun because on the trees there were no leaves, and so — no shade. Of course, as I write, things have changed — a few days can make a lot of diflerence. Now, the trees and shrubs are once again spreading their welcome, protective foliage. How wonderful it is to have trees! You know, an Ontario heat wave without shade makes me think of the Western prairie. Hot, blistering sun — and for miles and miles, not a tree in sight. So often out West I used to long for a tree — just one tree — where one could sit for a few minutes enjoying the shade and the cooling sound of wind rustling the leaves.

Well, we may not have appreciated that spell of unseasonable heat but Mother Nature seemed to like it. The newly sown spring grain came up before it was hardly in the ground; bare cherry trees almost blossomed overnight; welcome rhubarb made its appearance and was ready just as we had finished the last of our winter fruit supply. We also managed to get our garden in and I am hoping it, too, will share in the quick growing season.

Our garden could have gone in sooner but I had to wait until our men were through seeding. Oh yes, I could have done it myself, except that any time I tackle the job alone I never get the rows straight — even though I measure distances between rows very carefully and have a string line to guide me—maybe it is because the rows are so long. Anyway, to avoid justified criticism afterwards, I wait for Partner to help me with the job. Now when the garden comes up I won't hear scathing comments such as — "Crooked as a snake-rail fence . . . how can you hope to scuffle rows like that . . . if I couldn't put in a garden straighter than that I'd eat my shirt!"

So you see what I mean . . . Of course I also prefer straight rows in a garden but when I get hold of a hoe to scoop out the seed rows it seems to go every which-way. I wonder what would happen if I had to plough a straight furrow!

Incidentally, our Honey was a great help in putting in garden. As soon as a nice, cool, moist furrow was scooped out Honey would flatten herself out in the middle of it. And then, no sooner was she chased out of it than I would turn round and find her running off with a packet of seeds. Reproved again she would look at us sideways as much as to say — "Well, what can a fellow do?" Probably at that moment Black Joe would appear and then chasing the cat would solve Honey's problems for the time being.

On the whole putting in garden is a nice job . . . one has only to look up to see a clear-cut view of "the mountain" — the sandpits at the brickyards breaking and intensifying the dense green of the hills and fields. How we should miss it if the earth should suddenly open and swallow our "mountain" — or, to give it what I believe is its true geographical description — the Niagara Escarpment. And then, in the garden, we have the song of the birds. We have so many birds around here — nothing very rare perhaps — but because many of our belong to a common species does not make their joyous singing any less pleasant to listen to. Blackbirds and orioles vie with each other in song, with the cheery bob-o-link and song sparrow joining in. Yes, our birds provide us with a music festival of the air.

One day as I listened to a bird singing, I recalled a poem of Wordsworth's that I loved as a child although it used to make me feel I wanted to hide some place and cry — it has such a lilting sadness. If any farm readers get a little fed up with farm life at times, look through any collection of poems and you will probably find the one I have reference to — "The Reverie of Poor Susan". Read it, and imagine yourself as Susan, walking through Wood Street, on your way to work, as she probably was — and think what it would mean to hear "in the silence of morning the song of the bird".

Well, I seem to have run out of space — and I had quite a lot to say about birds — and cats, but maybe I'll get around to it next week. For the present I'll leave this question with you — can we keep both cats and birds? I say yes — but only if you love them both. 'Bye for now . . . more next week — I hope!

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Sally Annes Get a New Look—Women of the Salvation Army won't be wearing those quaint, blue bonnets, right much longer. The Army recently adopted a trim, navy blue felt hat, left. The stiff old-fashioned chapeau was made with a high arch in back to fit the "bun" of hair women wore at the nape of the neck. Up-to-date-looking Sally Annes agree it's definitely passe now.

TEST YOUR I. Q.

Do You Know Your Vowels

Here's a little vocabulary Quiz that you shouldn't find too hard —maybe. The missing words in the following little tale—words which you should be able to guess from the context, each contain all the five vowels,—A, E. I, O, U, just once. How many of those words can you supply?

When through, take a look at the correct list, printed upside-down underneath.

As a rule, a man who occupies a (1.——) position of relative (2.——) is not called in by the president of the company in a (3.——) capacity. John Doe, however, was an exceptional young man, enjoying a splendid (4.——) for being upright in his (5.——), (6.——) in his speech, precise and never (7.——) humorous but not (8.——) quiet and (9.——) in his way of life, sociable enough but not (10.——). Although his parents had been in rather (11——) circumstances John had received an excellent (12.——) and soon (13.——) his classmates in achievements. For all these reasons he was justly a (14.——) with all his fellow workers who, after considerable (15.——) on their part, had finally been able to show him their trust when they (16.——) him to speak for all of them. They knew he would exercise all posible (17.——) so that the interview with the boss—who was inclined to view offenses as (18.——) — would be conducted without any (19.——) for either party and thus the (20.——) of the unjustly accused co-worker attained.

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Why Don't They Tell The Folks?

One fundamental principle both of good business and of good public relations is to keep your customers or public informed in advance of any change in policies or charges which may affect them.

Here's what happened to one savings bank depositor, says a writer in The Financial Post.

Mystified by a 25-cent charge in his bank book for each of the last two months, this depositor asked the bank to explain it last week. The accountant informed him that all the Canadian banks had agreed to a new arrangement for the service charges which became effective on Jan. 1, 1949. In his case the charge was because he went one cheque over the free limit allowed in each month. Had he known he could have avoided this charge. He still has not received any notification nor seen any sign announcing the change.

No one will deny that the banks should be able to make a reasonable charge for their services. But surely if they change the "rules"—i.e. the basis for the charges—they should notify their customers at the time and post the new schedule prominently in the bank offices. That is only good business practice. It would avoid that distasteful feeling that "They tried to slip one over."

Modern Etiquette

By Roberta Lee

Q. How long before the appointed date of a wedding should the invitations be mailed?

A. From two to three weeks in advance.

Q. When leaving, is it better for a dinner guest to thank his hostess for having him to dinner or tell her how much he enjoyed the evening?

A. Tell her how much he has enjoyed the evening.

Q. Should the host and hostess always provide new decks of cards for a bridge party?

A. Yes, always, and for a poker party, too. To throw out a soiled dilapidated deck of cards would be about the same as if the host were unshaven and wearing a soiled, wrinkled shirt.

Nerve Wracking

The fellow was in very bad shape. His nerves were really shot. He went to a doctor and the doctor told him he was a nervous wreck.

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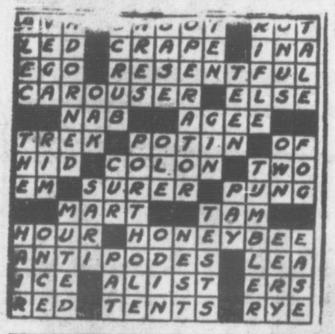
Answer to Crossword Puzzle



The SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

By Rev. R. Barclay Warren

Jesus Sentenced to Death
John 19: 1-16

Golden Text: "Christ . . . when He was reviled, reviled not again; when He suffered, He threatened not. I Peter 2:21, 23.

The Jewish religious leaders had decided that Jesus was worthy of death because he blasphemed in saying that he was the Son of God. But being a subject people, they were unable to carry out the death sentence. So they led Jesus to Pilate, the Roman emperor. Pilate examined Jesus and announced, "I find in Him no fault at all." But the infuriated leaders would not accept such a verdict. Pilate sought to evade the issue by sending Jesus to King Herod of Galilee who was in the city that day. But Jesus was returned. Then he sought to placate the wrath of the accusers by scourging Jesus, determining them to release him. But that failed. According to custom, he offered to release a prisoner. Whom would he release—Jesus, or Barabbas, a murderer? To his dismay, they chose Barabbas. Pilate was troubled. His wife warned him, 'Have nothing to do with this just person, for I have suffered many things this night in a dream because of him." He presented Jesus before them as a harmless man, crowned with thorns. But they would not relent.

In desperation they threatened. "If thou let this man go, thou are not Ceasar's friend." Pilate understood. If he did not yield to their demands, they would report him to Ceasar. His record would not stand the scrutiny of the firm emperor. He had mingled the blood of Galileans with their sacrifice. He must choose between Jesus and what appeared to be his self-interest, between right and selfishness. He chose the latter. Washing his hands in professed innocency, he delivered Jesus to be crucified. Gentile and Jew had collaborated in sentencing to death God's well-beloved Son.

Tradition says that the Jews on a later occasion complained of Pilate's conduct. On his way to Rome to answer for his deeds, he committed suicide.

Some have sought to excuse Pilate on the ground that he was a tool of Providence to carry out God's plan. But Pilate was a free moral agent. His sin was not necessary for our salvation. The glaring fact is that there are Pilates all about us: men and women and youth who are placing self before Jesus Christ. Jesus said, "Whosoever will save his life shall lose it; and whosoever will lose his left for my sake shall find it." Matt. 16:25.

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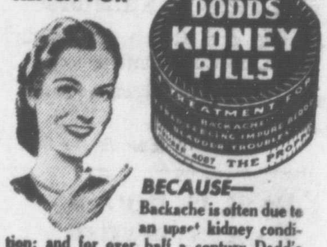

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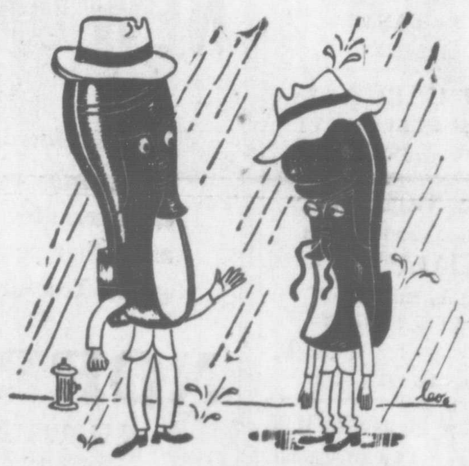

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Chas. Tucker, Former C.P.R. Station Agent Dies after Long Illness

Charles A. L. Tucker, of Shawville, Que., retired C.P.R. station agent, died Saturday morning, after a brief illness. Mr. Tucker was in his 67th year.

Born at Westmeath, Ontario, he was the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. George R. Tucker. He entered the employ of the Canadian Pacific when in his early manhood and served with it a total of 42 years as station agent. He was for five years at Kazubazua, Que., and thirty-seven at Shawville, retiring in 1945.

He was married in 1909 to Miss. Beatrice Carruthers of Danford Lake, Que., and she pre-deceased him in the year 1921.

Mr. Tucker was a Past Master of Pontiac Lodge, No. 40, A.F. & A.M., under the auspices of which the funeral was held. He was interested in local sports and activities and, when his health permitted, was usually to be found at his front gate, where he exchanged pleasantries with those who passed.

Surviving him are his only son, George, of Shawville, one brother, Howard, of Ottawa, and one sister, Mrs. John Croskery, of Renfrew, Ontario. His one daughter, Elleda, died in 1935.

The funeral service was held on Monday afternoon at the G.L. Hynes funeral home with the Rev. A.F. Fokes, of the United church conducting the service. Rev. Mr. Fokes spoke from the text, Amos 5:8, "Seek Him, who turneth the shadow of night into morning". The hymns sung were, "Unto the Hills", "Jesus, Keep Me Near the Cross" and "Rock of Ages". At the funeral home and at the grave side, the impressive rites of the Masonic order were also obsrved with W.M. Edwin Alexander in charge. Interment was in the village cemetery, the pallbearers being Edgar, Lee and John Hodgins, Albert Manary, Leslie Dale and Sandy Henderson.

Among the friends attending from a distance, were Merle and Melvin Tucker, George Croskery, Selesly Dale and W.E. Haves, all of Ottawa, and Mr. and Mrs. Noble Carruthers, of Inglewood, Ontario.

Former Resident, Mrs. Alex Nicholson Passes at Nairn Centre

The burial took place on Saturday at Norway Bay cemetery of Mrs. Alex. Nicholson of Nairn Centre, Ont., a former resident of Shawville and the Knox section of Bristol.

The late Mrs. Nicholson, who was in her 97th year, died at the home of her daughter on February 23rd after a lengthy illness and the body was brought to Ottawa from Nairn Centre and placed in the vault.

She was born in the state of Texas, in the U.S.A. and was married there to Mr. Nicholson. They later came to Canada and lived in Shawville from 1900 until 1910 and in Bristol from 1910 until 1919. They then lived in Ottawa for awhile, Mrs. Nicholson removing to Nairn Centre on the death of her husband in 1930.

Surviving her are one son, Charles, f Ottawa, and one daughter, Mrs. J.H Dagg of Nairn Centre.

The funeral service was held in udbury being conducted by the Bapist minister there, and Rev. A. F. Fokes of Shawville read the interment service at Norway Bay Cemetery.

Doctors Announce Week-end Medical Services

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Teachers Conference

At a noon luncheon held at Pine Lodge in conjunction with their Spring Conference on Friday, May 27th, the members of the Pontiac Teachers Local Association heard a very informative and interesting address byMr. H.R.W. Goodwin, Guidance Counsellor of Westhill High School, Montreal, on "Standardized Tests", including Intelligence, Aptitude and Personality Tests. The address was followed by a question period largely concerned with the possible use of such tests, especially the Intelligence Test, in the public school grades. Mr. Goodwin was introduced by Inspector C. Howard Aikman, of Ottawa, and thanked by Mr. James Gordon.

Mr. John Tolhurst, president of the Association, was toastmaster for the luncheon. After "The King", Mr. Wilmer Graham proposed a toast to "Education" and Mrs. Kenneth Smith responded. Dr. S.E.McDowell, member of the Protestant Committee of the Council of Education for the Province of Quebec, spoke briefly. Several references were made at the uncheon to the decision of the Protestant Committee to award Miss. Clara Strutt, of the Shawville High School staff, the First Degree of the Order of Scholastic Merit for outstanding service to the teaching profession.

The morning and afternoon sessions of the Conference were held at the Shawville High School and were attended by almost every member of the Association. After a few words of welcome by Mr. Gordon, Mr. Tolhurst conducted the business meeting with Miss. Beulah Findlay assisting as Secretary-Treasurer. Tentative plans were made for holding the Fall Conference at Campbell's Bay Intermediate School in October. A publicity committee cosisting of Miss. Arline Kilgour, Miss Beulah Findlay and Mr. James Gordon was appointed. A thorough discussion of th coming June examinations in Grades Four to Seven followed.

After the business session, members of the Shawville High School Grade Two gave a Rhythm Band demonstration.

Miss Ellen Bronson gave a report on the Delegates Conference of the Provincial Association of Protestant Teachers held in Montreal in February and attended by Miss Bronson and Mr. Tolhurst as delegates of the Pontiac Teachers.

The salary scale, thoroughly considered at the Delegates Conference, adopted by the executive of the Provincial Association in March, and strongly supported by the High School Principals Association at its May Conference in Buckingham, was discussed, together with the Canadian Teachers Federation plan for Federal Aid to Education that would help so much to make the new salary scale feasible. A resolution supporting the recent work of the Provincial Association and the Principals Association with regard to the new salary scale passed unmimously.

Mr. R. W. Hodgins spoke briefly on possible school activities in conjunction with the Agriculture Society's Fall Exhibition at Shawville. The possibility of an inter -school track meet at the Fair was considered and a committee of Mrs. Kenneth Smith, Miss. Margaret Campbell, Mrs Russell True, Mr. Allan Young, and Mr. Tolhurst was appointed to discuss this with the Agriculture Society

Inspector Aikman addressed the teachers very briefly on their statistical reports for the 1948-49 school year.

Light refreshments were served at the close of the conference, under the supervision of Miss Frances Sexsmith.

Bridal Showers for Miss Grace Palmer

Miss Grace Palmer of Starks, who is to be a June bride on Saturday, has been honored by a number of showers during the past two weeks.

In Ottawa she was given a shower by 20 young women in the Common rooms of Laurentian Terrace, where she resided for the past few years.

At this shower, she was presented with a silver casserole dish and matching set by her friends resident in the same building.

The young women of the department of Patents and Copyrights where she has been employed for some time, also met in one of the offices and presented her with many beautiful and useful gifts in a miscellaneous shower. On her last day in the office, the staff met with her, and Mr. G. W. Casselman, superintendent, made an address, and presented her on behalf of the staff with a silver tea service and matching candle holders.

Last Saturday about 60 friends gathered at the home of Mrs. Clarence Little, where many choice gifts were received in a miscellaneous shower; and one group present gave her a pressure cooker. The address of presentation was made by Miss. Norma Smart. The hostesses were Mesdames Clifford and Earl Fulford, Mrs. L. Dean and Mrs. V. Smiley.

At all of these events Miss Palmer spoke fittingly of her sincere gratitude for the gifts received from her many friends, and dainty refreshments were served.

Mrs. Edgar Hodgins Pupils in Recital

The pupils of Mrs. Edgar Hodgins in piano, gave a recital in the United Sunday school room on Monday evening before a gathering of parents and friends. Nineteen pupils in all gave numbers in popular and classical styles, the ages running from five to fourteen. The numbers given showed careful training had been received by the pupils and that many showed evidence of talent.

The various numbers were announced and explained by Mrs. Hodgins and, at the close of the evening, a presentation was made by one of the pupils on behalf of the class to Mrs. Hodgins. This was in the form of a silver covered dish. Mrs. Hodgins thanked the group in a few well-chosen words for their kindly remembrance.

Those appearing on the program were as follows; Catherine Horner, Boyd Brownlee, Joyce McCagg, Diane Hodgins, Evelyn Dagg, Billy Smart, Hugh McCagg, Sylvia Gibson, Janey McDowell, Marie Draper, Gladys Sparling, Wilmot Horner, Joyce Kilgour, Carol Stephens, Elizabeth Hodgins, Dorothy Hodgins, Gwen. Armstrong, Doreen Armstrong and Stanley Horner.

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