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Westmount Plans Large Programme Of Public Works

Improved Traffic Signals, Street Paving, Snow Removal Equipment and Safety Zones Head List — Over Eighty-four Thousand Dollars to be Expended — Epidemic of Contagious Disease Referred to By Council — Spring Sign Seen in Daylight Saving Item.

Within the next few months, the City of Westmount will plunge into a program of public works. Improved traffic signals, street paving, better snow-removal equipment and the installation of safety-zones will be undertaken, and improvements of various natures will be effected.

\$84,332 was set aside and earmarked for this purpose at Tuesday night's council meeting. A complete list of the works to be undertaken by the city is as follows:—

Completion of the Summit Steps leading to Summit Crescent; repaving of St. Catherine street and repairing sidewalks, between Bethune avenue and Glen road; repaving of the entire section of St. Antoine street (north side, west of Atwater avenue) within Westmount's boundaries; repaving of Murray avenue between Cote St. Antoine road and Montrose avenue.

Equipping of tennis courts in Westmount Park, Murray Park, Devon Park and Selby Park with flood lights; purchase of a new snow-loader, thus increasing to three the number of units of snow-clearing equipment of this type.

Installation of automatic, traffic-operated traffic lights — similar to the one already in operation at the intersection of Atwater avenue and Dorchester street — at Sherbrooke street and Greene avenue, Sherbrooke street and Metcalfe avenue, and Sherbrooke street and Claremont avenue; establishment of a safety zone, with flashing beacon and raised concrete platform, on the north side of Sherbrooke street at the corner of Victoria avenue, and widening of roadway at this point so that vehicular traffic will not be "bottle-necked."

This is quite an extensive and comprehensive program, and is indicative of a progressive attitude in matters of civic improvement and public safety.

Alderman B. Panet-Raymond drew the Council's attention to the epidemic of contagious diseases — mostly mild cases of German measles — now raging in the city and, while he offered no criticism of the board of health, he urged that the municipal medical officer be asked to do everything possible to prevent spreading of the epidemic. Mayor John Jenkins, concurred. Ald. Panet-Raymond also pointed out that the Catholic schools had not taken advantage of the city's medical inspection system to the fullest extent, and he suggested that these schools be requested to take precautions similar to the Protestant schools.

Council adopted an amendment to the city's "nuisance" by-law banning the establishment of undertaking parlors within 100 feet of any building used as a dwelling. It was decided that daylight saving time would be in effect between Sunday, April 26, and September 27.

A standing resolution of sympathy was adopted with respect to the death of the mother of Mayor Joseph Beaubien, of Outremont.

Westmount To Pay More Says "Met" Commission

Westmount will have to contribute larger amounts to the coffers of the Metropolitan Commission, and to the deficits of the three bankrupt municipalities, Montreal North, Pointe-aux-Trembles and St. Michel, it has been revealed in a statement issued by the Commission.

A six percent increase in assessments has jacked up the value of Westmount land properties to \$72,886,246, an increase of \$1,347,540. This will result in a considerable increase in the dues of the city to the above mentioned benefactors, which amounted to \$35,140 at the previous valuation.

For 1934, the city and the 14 suburbs were assessed a total of \$565,769 by the commission, \$55,440 being ear-marked to meet the deficits of the three insolvent municipalities, and \$10,319 going towards administrative expenses of the commission. Montreal's share was \$454,208. That of Westmount was \$85,140; the increase in its land values will see its share increased this year, as will Outremont, which was assessed \$22,434 for 1934, and Verdun, which was assessed \$22,192 for 1934. Mount

PARENT-TEACHER ASS'N HEARD DR. J. B. SCRIVER

Child Specialist Addressed Roslyn Avenue School Group Monday Evening

Addressing the Roslyn Avenue School Parent-Teachers' Association Monday evening on the subject, "What the school can do for the health and safety of our children," Dr. Jessie Boyd Scriver stressed the importance of proper care of school children by parents, and pointed out that proper co-operation between parents and teachers was a necessity in assuring that children be properly cared for.

Thoughtlessness on the part of parents in allowing their children to attend school when symptoms of colds were shown often resulted in the outbreak of epidemics, Dr. Scriver said. She scored the practice of keeping the children at home and allowing them to go to the movies, when they should be kept in the house and treated for their colds.

The responsibility of parents in the pre-school period was important, the speaker asserted. Children should be taught proper health habits. Proper food and sleeping habits were important, she said, as well as personal cleanliness.

In addressing the meeting, Dr. Scriver divided her subject into three sections; the school, the board of health and the parents.

Speaking of the school, she said that care of the building was important, in addition to the need for proper lighting, ventilation and humidity. Although play-rooms had been established in some schools, she felt that there still existed a great need for them. There was congestion in many of the schools where no real play-room had been set aside.

Important, too, was proper seating accommodation. All these factors were important, not only from the viewpoint of the pupils but from that of the teacher, whose work it is to teach the children the proper manner of thinking.

Improvements in medical attention provided in the schools in the

Banquet Shortly At Tudor Hall

A representative group of Westmount High School "Old Boys" met recently for the purpose of forming the Westmount High Old Boys' Association.

The aims of the association will be the granting of prizes and scholarships for academic and artistic pursuits; graduate welfare work, and to foster athletics and sportsmanship.

Among those who met to discuss the proposed association are: Don Smith, Elliot Frosst, A. E. Walford, Herb Murphy, J. Aird Nesbitt, Wilson Beckett, Walter Markham, Boyd Robson, James Anglin and H. H. Worsfold.

For the purpose of launching the association an inaugural banquet will be held on Friday, March 27th, at 7 p.m. at Tudor Hall, of James A. Ogilvy's.

All Old Boys interested are asked to call Miss Lawlor, at Westmount High School; Walter Markham, Jr., at the Federated Press, or Wilson Beckett at Brown, Montgomery and McMichael.

The proposed association has the active support of the Westmount School Commissioners and of the teaching staff of Westmount High School.

It is hoped that a large number of Old Boys will turn out to support the movement. The officers for the inaugural year will be elected at this banquet.

LOCAL RESIDENT BURIED TUESDAY

John M. Kilbourn Was Former Secretary Of Merchant's Bank of Canada.

The funeral took place Wednesday of John W. Kilbourn, a Strathcona avenue resident and former secretary of the old Merchant's Bank of Canada.

Son of the late John M. Kilbourn and the late Maria Antoinette Bishop, Mr. Kilbourn was born in Owen Sound in 1873, and was educated at Upper Canada College. He joined the staff of the Merchant's Bank at Owen Sound in 1888, and after serving in various branches of the bank he was moved to the Montreal head office in 1894, and was appointed secretary of the bank in 1907, which position he held until the bank was absorbed by the Bank of Montreal in 1922. Since that time Mr. Kilbourn had been attached to the secretarial department of the Bank of Montreal.

In 1899 he married Winnifred E. Moore, daughter of the late Dr. Moore of London, Ontario, who predeceased him in May, 1924.

Mr. Kilbourn was a member of the Montreal Club, the St. James Club, the Mount Royal Club, and the Kanawaki and Royal Montreal golf clubs.

He is survived by two brothers, F. H. and George S. Kilbourn, of Owen Sound, and one sister, Mrs. Douglas M. Neene, of Toronto.

L.C.C. Old Boys Elect Officers

T. Roger McLagan was elected president of the Old Boys' Association of Lower Canada College at the annual dinner of the school Friday night. Other officers elected were Graeme Gorrie, vice-president, T. W. Gilmour, secretary, and Alex Smith, treasurer.

A film showing Dr. C. S. Fosberry founder of the school, during the last part of his term here, and some of his doings since in England, was shown by Walter Downs and Aubrey Burnett.

V. C. Wansbrough, present headmaster, reviewed the activities of the school, and Allan Calder, retiring president, spoke of the years' activities of the Old Boys' Association.

past few years were noted by the speaker, who recalled that not so many years ago the rate of examination was as much as 28 pupils in eight minutes. Today that had changed, and each pupil was thoroughly examined and a record kept. There was more co-operation today between the school physician and the family doctor.

Regarding the work of the board of health, Dr. Scriver said its object was to do the greatest good for the greatest number.

A. Sidney Bruneau, president of the association, was in the chair. The vice-president is Mrs. F. G. Charters.

GETS FIRST PENSION CHECK AT 109



At 109, most of the thrills of life long have passed, but one welcome one remained for Mrs. Sarah Isaac, when, as shown here, she received her first pension check from the state of Michigan. Dr. Philip A. Callahan, chief of the Michigan Old Age Assistance Bureau, is making the presentation. Mrs. Isaac was born in Chatham, Ont., but has lived in one Michigan county, Allegan, for 104 years.

WESTM'T WOMEN PLAN MISSION DOCTOR SPOKE CHARTER DAY LUNCH AT ST. ANDREW'S W.M.S.

The Annual Charter Day Luncheon of the Westmount Women's Club will be held on March the thirteenth at one o'clock in the Rose Room of the Windsor Hotel.

The guest speaker will be the Rev. F. H. Wilkinson of St. James the Apostle Church. The Madeline Wynne Orchestra will be present, and will render musical selections.

Better Business Bureau Warns Household Here

"But it just cannot be so; he was such a nice clean-cut young fellow and several of my personal friends and neighbors had bought tickets from him, before he ever called on me. Why, I saw their names on the counterfoils of the book! You don't mean that I can tear up my two tickets and say good-bye to my four dollars? You don't mean that there never was any automobile? Just what do you mean?"

The protests and anxious queries came over the telephone to the office of the Better Business Bureau, in the voice of a woman, goaded by a skeptical husband to "find out what it is all about."

And she found out. As kindly as possible, but very definitely, it was explained to the unfortunate victim that personable young men, selling raffle-tickets from door to door, even in staid Westmount, are not always what they seem and that a telephone call before purchase is worth three after good money has been handed over for a little printed slip, which is just so much paper and printer's ink.

Hard times have not diminished this and other forms of "raffets" in greater Montreal. On the contrary, unemployment has sharpened the wits and tightened the belts of a number of bright young men, to the point that they either "think one out" for themselves, or fall ready victims to professional racketeers, on a percentage basis. They know the town and the temperament of the people, which unfortunately, is still generally seasoned with the "something for nothing" idea, and the rest is easy.

It is common practice to "write in" a few reputable names on the counterfoils of ticket-books, so that when Mrs. B. reads that Mrs. A., Miss K. and dear motherly Mrs. C. have all bought tickets, she at once decides that everything must be perfectly all right. But she never thinks of telephoning the organization under whose aegis the tickets for the raffle are being sold.

Even when this precaution is taken, she often finds out that, while the little gamble in charity's sweet name is indeed sponsored for church or social service work, the majority of the gross revenue goes in "commission" or "campaign expenses."

The late Mr. T. P. Barnum's immortal utterance ancient suckers remains unchanged: "There's no one born every minute." Which is not a pleasant thought, but a lamentably true fact.

For, the foregoing is only one of the many rackets worked in Canada's greatest city, which from time to time has run the gamut of practically everything in this line from "gold mines" to "gold bricks", for which its smiling citizens have exchanged hard-earned coin of the realm. The files of the Better Business Bureau contain established facts which would put to shame the most exciting chapters of any "get rich quick" book of fiction.

LOCAL CLUB HEARD JOS. JENKINS SAT'Y

Maintaining that the Welsh are not a pure race, but a somewhat strange mixture of many different bloods, Joseph Jenkins, former president of St. David's Society addressed the St. George's Club Saturday at their regular weekly luncheon.

Mr. Jenkins told the club that the Welsh were part Iberian akin to the Spanish of that strain some part Celtic, Saxon, Anglo, Dane, Roman and Norman.

In the chair was C. F. Jones, Dr. S. Hand thanked the speaker, Tom Edmonds sang.

SIR FRANCIS FLOUD WILL ADDRESS GROUP

The regular meeting of the Young Men's Canadian Club will be held Monday at the Queen's Hotel at 6.15 p.m., at which Sir Francis Floud, K.C.B., High Commissioner in Canada for the United Kingdom, will be the guest speaker. Sir Francis will take as his subject "Relief of Unemployment in Great Britain."

Tickets for this event may be obtained from the usual ticket agents of the club, or from the Banquet Manager of the Queen's Hotel. Anyone desiring further information should communicate with Paul Coffey, Sec'y-Treas., at Walnut 4281.

Old-Timers Met At "Y" Tuesday

Tuesday night was "Old Timers" Night at the Y.M.C.A.

Bill Cooper and his old timers took the Yanigans into camp four games out of six in a hot and exciting volley-ball tussle.

The Old Timers lined up as follows:—

Bill Cooper, Captain; Wm. Taylor, G. R. B. Watt, W. F. Brass, H. Whiston, F. H. Mackechnie and Jas. Scruton who came all the way from Toronto for this important match.

The Yanigans, all new men this year, were as follows:—

A. J. Barnes, R. B. Miller, D. L. Adams, R. J. Hamilton, W. H. Spearman, L. W. Townsend and R. R. Krebb.

FOSSILS REVUE

The Fossils Club of Westmount are holding their Annual Revue on the evenings of March 13th and 14th in Victoria Hall, Westmount. This is the eleventh show to be staged by the Club, the proceeds from which are used to aid underprivileged boys to attend summer camp.

The production is under the capable direction of Charlie Moore, and rehearsals have been under way for quite some time. A dance will be held following the Friday night performance at which Jack Bain and His Orchestra will provide the music. Tickets may be obtained from Fossil members or at the Westmount Y.M.C.A.

KING'S SCHOOL GROUP TO MEET

Dr. Mary Childs, Noted Specialist, To Address Gathering Monday, Mar. 16.

The second meeting of the King's School Parent-Teacher Association will be held Monday, March 16th, when Dr. Mary Childs, Director of Health of the Council of Social Agencies, will address the gathering, taking as her topic "Health in Schools."

Dr. Childs was one of the first women graduates of McGill University, and has had many years experience in the field of child health and welfare. In her address, Dr. Childs will lay special emphasis on the contagious disease question, what the dangers are and what can be done about it.

Following Dr. Childs' address, Mr. George Smith, director of Physical Training and Athletics in Westmount will talk on "Sports and the part they play in the school curriculum."

The meeting will be opened to discussion following the addresses. A large attendance is looked for, and any parents of King's School pupils who do not belong to the association are cordially invited to attend in order to get introduced to the work and aims of the society.

12 Birthdays In 52 Years

Fifty-two years of age, Fred M. Taylor, superintendent of the Westmount City Hall, celebrated his twelfth birthday Saturday.

Impossible? No, not at all. You see, Mr. Taylor is one of those unfortunate born on the twenty-ninth of February.

Mr. Taylor, who was born in Southampton, England, in 1884, once had to wait eight years for his birthday — from 1896 to 1904, since 1900 was not a leap year.

Mr. Taylor came to Canada 25 years ago. His mother was born on Christmas and his father on St. Valentine's Day. His eldest brother, William H. Taylor, of Liverpool, England, just missed being a "leap year baby," having been born on February 28. Another brother was born on Christmas Day.

The late Frank H. Taylor, widely-known Canadian prospector and mining promoter, who died in Vancouver six years ago, was Mr. Taylor's brother.

TEA AND MUSICAL Under the auspices of Stanley Women's Association, with Mrs. A. R. Ketterson and Group No. 1 in charge, a Tea and Musicales was held on Wednesday in Franklin Hall Memorial.

A program was presented by Mrs. Esther McLean, soprano, Mrs. James Brodie, contralto, and Mrs. Arthur Laing, reader.

Ice Carnival And Hospital Linked At Rotary Lunch

Dr. C. K. P. Henry, of the Montreal Children's Hospital, Spoke to Members on "Industry and Medicine" — W. Northey and Past-president Stan. B. Cayford Described Coming Ice Carnival to Benefit Institution — Details of Event — Action Urged.

Linking up the coming ice carnival with the regular weekly luncheon topic, the Westmount Rotary Club had as their speaker Wednesday at Victoria Hall, Dr. C. K. P. Henry, of the Montreal Children's Hospital, who took as his subject, "Industry and Medicine". In addition, W. Northey and past president Stanley B. Cayford addressed the members with regard to the proposed ice-carnival, and outlined the work of the various committees in connection with it.

JOHN KEARNEY HEADS GROUP IN HOSPITAL DRIVE

Elm Avenue Resident in Charge of Special Names Committee for St. Mary's Hospital Campaign.

Under the chairmanship of John D. Kearney, Elm Avenue, President, preliminary work by the Special Names Committee of the St. Mary's Hospital Drive commenced Monday morning.

Consisting of 60 workers, the Special Names Committee have the task of contacting the leading citizens of Montreal and adjoining municipalities, and will be responsible for approximately \$90,000 of the total required fund of \$230,000.

Mr. Kearney pointed out that "Care of the poor of the community is certainly a worthy charity, but much greater is the care of the sick poor."

Including many Westmount residents, the members of Mr. Kearney's committee, with the vice-chairmen who also act as team captains, are:—

Leo Reynolds, vice-chairman; E. T. Reynolds, E. C. Farrell, Maurice Shea, T. J. Ryan, J. Corley, E. P. Wright, John Mulcair, Fred Eagan, L. D. Hicks, and B. M. Winegar.

T. H. McEvoy, vice-chairman; Dr. J. K. Carver, L. I. McMahon, Ald. O. J. Callary, Ald. Dave Rochon, R. E. Meagher, F. H. Phelan, J. J. O'Grady, and J. P. Doherty.

E. J. McManamy, vice-chairman; R. Butler, A. Laverty, E. H. Reilly, R. Plimmsoll, T. P. Slattery, Walter Elliott, Norman Smith, K. McArdle, W. Stanford and William Hushion Jr.

C. E. McKenna and P. C. Casey, vice-chairmen; E. D. McCaffrey, Bernard Holland, John Whitelaw, J. F. Casey, J. A. Casey, Dr. Arthur Donohue, George Kannon, Desmond McNamee, F. McGillis, R. A. Harries, John McVey, George McVey, Kevin O'Connor and Fritz Quinlan.

E. C. Moore and W. M. Phelan, vice-chairmen; Cecil Macnaughton, W. J. Hushion, M.P.; W. H. Nolan, John O'Neil Gallery, and D. Leo Phelan.

H. R. Mulvena, K.C., vice-chairman; Joe Joy, F. W. Hackett, Maurice Tremblay and Errol Coughlin.

Westmount Police Plan Own Radio Installation

Westmount Police Cars cruising the streets of the city, and talking by short wave radio with their parent station on Stanton Street, is not the idle dream of a modern Jules Verne writing a thriller, but will be an actuality in a short time, according to an announcement made by Percy E. Jarman, general manager of the municipality, following Tuesday night's meeting of the Council, when funds were voted for the purpose.

The most modern police radio system will be built for the municipality and six radio-equipped police cars will cruise the streets of the city, an added protection to residents' property and person.

The Westmount Police transmitter will be located in No. 1 station, and the cars will also carry sets. At the present time, the station is linked in with the Montreal, Radio Police system, and when necessary, Westmount Police cars are contacted through the department's signal system.

When the new Westmount station is constructed, however, the department will be able to transmit information by radio direct to its own patrol cars, either relayed Montreal messages of information telephoned or otherwise brought to the attention of Westmount Police headquarters.

Westmount is the first city in the vicinity of Montreal to decide to institute its own police radio system — other suburban municipalities make use of the Montreal police department transmitter, telephoning their emergency calls to Montreal police headquarters where they are sent out by radio to the patrolling cars.

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Westmount Wanderings
Physical Education Display
 Many local residents will be interested in a representation of physical education through the ages at the Royal Victoria College, tonight and Saturday afternoon. The entertainment has been elaborately prepared and is divided into the following periods: Greek and Roman, French, German, Swedish, Gay 90's, and Modern. The entertainment is being presented by the Alumnae, McGill School of Physical Education, and practically every gym teacher and almost all graduates of the school are participating. Mrs. J. F. Forman, prominent west end resident, is general convener.

St. Mary's \$250,000 Drive
 Shining brightly as a beacon in the night has been the work of our hospitals during the years of depression. Wards filled, staffs working long hours, resources taxed to the breaking point, only the generosity of the public and the loyalty and devotion of their staffs kept them equal to their task.

St. Mary's, in common with hospitals all over the country, has stretched its finances to such an extent that they must be replenished without delay if its charitable work in the community is to continue. Last November, the hospital took on a much larger burden of community hospitalization, when the new 200-bed hospital was opened, and operating costs consequently increased rapidly. Last year

there was a deficit of \$50,000. It is obvious that if the service St. Mary's is rendering to the community is to continue unimpaired, financial assistance by the public must be forthcoming. Seventy per cent. of the cases treated at the hospital are charitable, and there is little likelihood, under the circumstances, of the annual deficit being reduced for some time to come.

The appeal for funds — the campaign that is being staged from March 21 to March 31 — will, we know, meet with a wide and willing and generous response locally.

To Tender Banquet
 Westmount Conservatives are shortly to tender birthday parties to R. S. White, M.P. and Mrs. John Scott, who will celebrate their eighty and eighty-first birthdays, respectively, on the fifteenth and twenty-first of this month. Mr. White is the oldest member in the House of Commons, the only member now sitting who sat under Sir John A. Macdonald. Mrs. Scott, although active in Tory ranks, has been better known for her feminist activities. She is one of Canada's best known women speakers and writers, and has contributed to many newspapers and magazines. It is intended to have Conservative leaders in both the Federal and Provincial spheres attend the party. Residents of Notre Dame de Grace will join with the residents of Westmount in extending best wishes to Mrs. Scott and Mr. White.

Athletics, we regret to note, are still being over-emphasized in the leading institutions of higher learning. A University of Minnesota student has dislocated a vertebra while making a difficult play in a pool game.

"Correspondent is Struck with Number of Autos in Cairo." Back here, one is enough.

"Ethiopians Capture 53 Italian Trucks." That'll make it quieter on the Eastern Front.

The annual coal shortage ought to be getting under way any day now.

EXAMINER FORUM
 In Which
 Subjects of General Interest Are Discussed

NOTE:—The opinions expressed in these columns are not necessarily those of The Examiner and this newspaper does not accept responsibility for them. They are published for their general interest, variety and originality of treatment.

By HOWARD S. ROSS, K.C.

The district committee of the Congress of the U.S.A. announces that a serious study will shortly be made of the alarming crime situation in Washington. They will try to learn why this great city should have the record of more than eighty murders during the past year. In proportion to population only two cities in the country surpass it in wanton killings, and the district attorney promises a thorough investigation. A large number of these murders remain unsolved which further adds to the seriousness of the situation.



Michael Williams, of New York, born at Halifax, Nova Scotia, editor of the Commonwealth Catholic Weekly, was chosen as the recipient of the Catholic Action Medal for 1935. The medal is awarded by St. Bonaventure's College in New York to a lay person for leadership in some department of Catholic action.

The California Walnut Growers' Association, handling over 85% of the local walnut crop, has just erected one of the largest industrial structures of its kind in the U.S.A. The building covers about three and three-quarter acres near Los Angeles, and will handle the cooperative's entire output.

Advertisement in the North China Star: HARD-EARNED DOLLARS should be carefully nursed. Don't THROW THEM AWAY in rash speculation. If you have saved \$100, put \$30 in the bank and invest \$10 in the STATE LOTTERY.

Japan heads the list of buyers of munitions materials in the U.S.A. Next comes Great Britain. Italy comes next with Ethiopia at the bottom of the list, she having bought only 83 trucks, no doubt for war use, during the past four years.

During the past eight months, Italy and Great Britain have bought the equivalent of about one quarter of all copper smelted last year in the U.S.A. France bought more rags than any other country. While Italy purchased nearly 149,000,000 pounds of cotton, Great Britain bought half again as much, and Japan two and a third times Italy's purchase. Italy took 324 trucks and busses, Great Britain 1,208, but Japan purchased 5,709.

The Agricultural and Chemical Institute of Vienna has announced a laboratory-produced liquid meat which is soon to be marketed commercially. It has all the nutritive value of meat and may be spread on bread or thinned into soup with hot water.

The best agricultural year since its inception has been announced by the Soviet Union. Their 1935 total grain crop will amount to about 90,000,000 tons; cotton, 1,500,000 tons; sugar from beets, 1,500,000 tons, and equally favorable crops of flax, tobacco, tea, grapes, and other fruits. Apparently the vast and cumbersome mechanism of collective farm management in Russia is at last beginning to work. People in other countries will not so readily congratulate them unless they use these products of the Soviet in their own country.

The Commission Government in Newfoundland looks largely to Co-operative development for the economic recovery of the Island. W. D. Beveridge of the Scottish Department of Agriculture has been appointed by the Government to the position of director of co-operation.

naked form of Stan Zubrowski, who lay hideously still. I picked up the wriggling Scotchman, and down the cliff we went in an avalanche of sand. The Taylors never noticed us until we were at their elbows. Stan was dead. Pete had come upon him, espied the raw purple puncture—such a tiny one—behind the ear, and run home to their cottage for his dad. It would have been a shocking discovery for a grown man to make, and Pete was a barefooted kid. Still, he was a gritty one and a surgeon's son at that, and for the moment it didn't occur to me why he should be on the verge of crying. The doctor enlightened me: "That hole means an hour since Bill was out yonder with his." I gasped. "But this can't be Bill's doing!" I protested.

"I shouldn't have thought it could. Accidents do happen, though. He was there and he was shooting—shooting at turtles in the water—and it's possible one of his shots ricocheted and came this way and killed this poor fellow. At any rate, that's how it's going to look—and there's a deputy sheriff on his way here this minute, from Riverhead."

"Yeh, that ole—never mind what Pete called Mrs. Dorcas—'phoned 'em Bill was 'killing' dear little birds and endangering people's lives!"

"Where's Bill now? He'll know if he shot this way."

"Yeh; but if he says, he didn't, who'll believe him? He's off in his car. Started when he came in, before we heard she'd phoned—and, naturally, before Pete stumbled upon this."

"Wouldn't the bullet show if it was fired from his 22?"

"Not necessarily. Having struck bone it may be too defaced to show anything. Besides, who else could have been around with a 22? They'd have had to be up in those bushes—"

At that I caught my breath and told him what the Scotchman and I had been doing.

"For the Lord's sake," the doctor exclaimed, "if there's a fresh trail up there, put him back on it!"

All this while the stubborn little dog had been pulling like a tractor to get back. Pete came along. Worried though he was on Bill's account, this was big stuff for a boy of 12 years old. It was less than 20 yards to the very nearest bushes on the sand hill's sloping end—and among them the Scotchman picked up the scent or a scent, at once. He led us straight inland, then turned down that slope with his thick screen of willows.

I could think of no reason why YARD,

Letters to the Editor

Editor:—
 Dear Sirs:
 If that was a woodpecker the lady on Roslyn Ave. saw, then it was a woodpecker I saw on Sunday last, and I had told several people I had a cedar wax-wing eating my bit of fat, hung in a lilac bush for any who wished to enjoy same. My bird book seems to be missing at the moment, but the bird in question was smaller than a robin, dark grey with white rings in two even rows around his wings and tail and a very red but small cap; as this was not a "top knot" and I thought all woodpeckers (and their cousins) had tops; however, when I read of the lady on Roslyn Ave. it made me realize that my supposed waxwing, did hammer at the chunk of ham rind while clinging to it—and his movement was decidedly that of a woodpecker. I had noticed that someone had long been enjoying this hospitality, but never before have I actually seen a bird touch it; the sparrows seem to prefer crumbs; this one last Sunday clung there for 15 minutes, and it did not surprise me, as I have seen them as early as January in the country only 30 miles out, and assumed that they just stay all winter if there is a good feeding place—and Westmount Park offers many inducements.

The lady on Roslyn may be glad to have confirmation as I've noticed for many years, Montreal is a bit skeptical of Westmount's "first robin" story, that began more years ago than I'd care to admit.

Yours very truly,
 OLD TIMER

LOCAL RESIDENT WAS BURIED ON MONDAY

The funeral took place Monday of Lady Louisa Kennedy, Edgehill Road, who was one of Westmount's oldest residents.

Rev. Gilbert Oliver, rector of St. Matthias Church, officiated at the service, held in the William Wray Chapel on University street. Interment was in Mount Royal Cemetery.

The chief mourners were two daughters, Mrs. H. C. Kennedy, of Montreal, Lady Ames of Boston; two sons-in-law, H. C. Kennedy and Sir Herbert Ames; four nephews, W. Alan Kennedy, Leslie H. Kennedy, T. K. Kennedy and Julian Scott, and one niece, Mrs. William McPeat.

Among those present were: Dr. A. H. Gordon, Dr. W. F. Hamilton, F. P. Shearwood, representing the Engineering Institute of Canada, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Gardiner, Mrs. A. L. Robertson, P. J. Thompson, William Cam, D. Stairs, J. A. Jamieson, William Mainguy, W. F. Chalk, Thomas McPeat, R. J. Pollock.

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CALVARY CHURCH NOTES

On March 7th the W.M.S. and the Mission Circle will unite in a social evening with a musical program in the church parlour, at 8.15. Special features include a Talent-Table with home cooking and fancy articles. The proceeds will be in aid of the Mission Fund.

The service this Sunday will be of an unusually interesting character. On Sunday morning at eleven o'clock Dr. Florence Murray, of the Hamueng Hospital, Korea, will speak. Her address will be of great interest in view of the present condition in the East. The minister, Rev. T. W. Jones will conduct the service. The Sunday School and Men's Own Brotherhood will be held at the usual hours.

The evening service at 7.30 will be attended by the members of "The Lodge of Antiquity" of the Masonic Order. This Lodge holds the unique position of being the oldest Masonic Lodge in Canada, and holds the numeral rank No. 1 on the register of the Grand Lodge of Quebec.

The subject of the sermon to be delivered by Bro. Rev. T. W. Jones will be appropriate to this occasion: "Treasures of Antiquity for the enrichment of Posterity." Brothers of other lodges and fraternal societies are invited to attend.

The young people's society will meet on Monday at 8.15 in a study of the lives and labours of social pioneers.

The Women's Missionary Society will take charge of the Wednesday evening service at 8.15 p.m., providing a program in keeping with the missionary cause and the Lenten period of the church year.

On Thursday and Friday March 13th and 14th the Square Circle Club will present "Plantation" a different kind of minstrel show.

This is the third annual show of this group—and the high standard already set by the group assures all who can attend of a clean, rollicking, enjoyable program. The show will open both nights in the church hall, Greene avenue entrance, at 8.15 p.m. Curly, the yodeling cowboy and other artists will assist in the program.

Weekly Short Story
SLEUTH HOUND
 By CHARLES MCGUIRK

That Saturday the Scotchman took me for a walk up the beach toward Wading River. I was supposed to be taking him, on a ten-foot leash—but you can imagine which of us led the way and pulled. As we went by her cottage Mrs. Dorcas quavered out at us:

"I wouldn't go far in that direction! It's dangerous! That dreadful Merrihew boy is in the marsh with his dreadful gun!"

We thanked her and went right on. She quavered something more, about telephoning to some one; we pretended not to have heard any of it. Mrs. Dorcas was forever jitters over imaginary perils. She would shudder at the Scotchman—"such a quarrelsome little fellow!"—her own dog being a meek spaniel.

As for young Bill Merrihew, she knew very well that he was not only level-headed and responsible but an expert rifle shot. Often, week-ends, he would go out into the marsh with his target .22 and pot the old snapping turtles that murder wild ducks that drop in there. Nobody was in any conceivable danger from his shooting; but Mrs. Dorcas had been fussing about it until other women cottagers had grown nervous.

Her real anxiety was suspected to be that her niece Imogen preferred Bill to some youth with a lot of money. She never asked Imogen out to visit her any more

when Bill was likely to be around.

We passed the broad marsh and I saw him, far back into it. Just beyond it, where you come to the sand cliff again, there is a cluster of big bolders that the boys from the farms round about sometimes use as a bath house; and among these we found Stan Zubrowski stripping for his customary Saturday swim.

Stan was the son of a Polish farmer who sold the cottagers eggs and vegetables. He was all right, except nights when he came down to the beach with a few friends and a keg or two. Then he might grow noisy. Only the week before he had disturbed us all after midnight, beating up a fellow reveler who had resented Stan's attention to his girl.

The Scotchman liked Stan fine, so we stopped and passed the time of day with him. I remember he was in high spirits. He was going to get married soon, he said.

We went on a couple of miles along the lonely shore at the foot of the cliff. One of us trotted in the water's edge, roader at fluttering sandpipers, nosed through the driftstuff at tide mark. He was fain to be unleashed—but we were having altogether too many differences over ripe dead fish. Coming back, he found a delicious spot where somebody had stepped on an extra ripe one. This was a wayfarer after his own Scottish heart! If I wouldn't let him roll in the mess, would I at least let him follow these fragrant footsteps?

It was all right with me until they left the beach, apparently, and went up a greasy gully that beached the sand cliff. Then it wasn't; but he whimpered and strained his leash and harness in his efforts to make me see reason.

I thought how little fun he had, compared to other cottagers' dogs that were allowed to run loose more. I got mushy about it and said, "Okay, laddie! Play hound for once, if you want to!" and suffered him to tug me up the gully—he sniffing and rowl-rowling and putting on the airs of a wolfhound on the trail of a Dillinger.

Half way up he climbed out of it and tugged me up to the cliff top. There, always sniffing, he plunged into the bushes and headed toward the marsh again. It was tough going. The leash kept getting tangled, the horse-briars tore my trousers. But he was enjoying himself so, I hadn't the heart to back out with him. I wondered whom we were trailing—some child picking blueberries, very likely. Then, nearing the marsh, we came to a place where I could see down to the beach on ahead.

What I saw was trouble—trouble among those bolders. Our neighbor Dr. Taylor was there with his boy, Bill Merrihew's juvenile idolizer Pete, and was bending over the

At eleven o'clock tomorrow morning, the Junior Congregation service will be held. The sermonette will be: "Jewish Loyalty", based on the book of Esther.

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A musical program of Palestinian Hebrew songs will be rendered by Miss Beile Vineberg.

Tonight after Divine Services a Purim reception for parents and children takes place in the Lecture Hall. Mrs. M. Margolick and School Committee in charge.

School entertainment and Masquerade Sunday at 3 o'clock under the direction of Miss Frances Katz and Temple players.

Annually on Purim the Sisterhood practices the custom of distributing food to needy Jewish families. Members are therefore requested to send in donations of food or monies to the Temple without delay. Committee in charge: Mrs. Eva Lightstone, W. N. Carin, J. Wiener.

On March 18th the symposium between Jewish and Christian youth will take place at the Central Branch of the Y.M.C.A., Drummond St. Miss Anna Clark and Mr. Hart M. Devenny will represent the Y.M.C.A., and Mr. Abram Klein and Lawrence Marks for Temple Emanu-El Centre, who will discuss "Is Canada Doomed?"

TEMPLE EMANUEL NOTES

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Westmount Baptist Church Notes

During the pre-Easter Sunday mornings Rev. Mr. Johnston is presenting a series of Sermons entitled: "Heart-satisfying Answers to Mind-staggering Questions."

Sunday he will answer the question:—"Is There Power to See it Through?" The evening sermon bears the title: "Let Us Start Something". The address is based on the amazing adventure of two young men.

On Sunday evening, March 22, the Virginia Jubilee Singers will participate in the evening service and on the following Monday they will give a Sacred Concert under the auspices of the Young People's Union.

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH NOTES

At the morning service Sunday, Mr. J. W. Beaton, general secretary of the Y.M.C.A. will address the congregation, taking as his subject, "A Layman Looks at Missions." Mr. Beaton has recently returned from the Orient, where he has had ample opportunity of observing the work and effects of missionary activities and institutions.

At the evening service Sunday, Mr. Donald Burns, of the United Theological College, will preach, taking as his topic, "Greater Love or why Self-Sacrifice?"

day, and called his father. A new truck also was going over the edge but Bird tied it to trees with ropes and finally pulled it out.

The hole, now about 40 feet in diameter and nearly full of water, was still widening today. Bird sounded it and played out 90 feet of line before striking bottom. It is within 30 feet of the family's back door, but the farmer said he would not move.

Shaar Hashomayim Church Notes

The Children's Library opened Sunday with Miss Fay Gilbert, appointed by the Graduates' Society, as honorary Librarian. The library will be open from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. every Sunday.

A Joint Meeting of the Women's Auxiliary of Shaar Hashomayim and the Ladies Auxiliary of the Spanish and Portuguese Synagogue will be held in our Auxiliary Hall on Wednesday afternoon in celebration of the Purim Festival. The program will include a Paper on Purim, by Mrs. Saul Hayes; "The Jew in Rome" by the Lion Fouchtanger, will be reviewed by Mrs. C. J. Gross; and "Current Events" by Mrs. Alton Goldblum. Members and friends are cordially invited to attend.

The Annual Luncheon of the Auxiliary will be held on Wednesday afternoon, April 22nd. The program will be announced.

The Purim Masquerade will be held on Sunday afternoon, and if a sufficient number of children attend in fancy dress, something very special in the nature of a Purim Treat will be provided. Children are asked to notify us as to whether they intend coming in masquerade so that we can make arrangements for this special treat.

The old gardener straightened his back and almost shouted: "Wooden ones!"

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PARENTS HEARD MISS MACEWEN SPEAK TUESDAY

Librarian of Children's Library Addressed St. George's School Group.

Stressing the importance of permitting a child to make its own choices in literary and recreational fields, Miss Violet Mary MacEwen, librarian of the Montreal Children's Library, addressed a gathering of parents at the residence in The Chateau of Mrs. W. B. Mitchell, Tuesday afternoon. The reception was held for parents of children attending St. George's school.

A child may be encouraged in reading, but the discovery of the pleasure of it must be left to the child itself, declared Miss MacEwen. Reading is the most thorough and certain way of arousing intellectual curiosity, and no better way exists to develop culture and broadness than by extensive and intensive reading.

Of all the worthwhile things that can be given to children, nothing is of greater value to them than a taste for reading, and the aim should be to get them to look upon reading as one of the greatest pleasures. Parents cannot begin too early to lead children to look upon books as something that will open new worlds to them, and the reading habit may be started by providing picture books.

Miss MacEwen discussed various types of reading for children, and made a plea that they be given books about children in other countries. She also said poetry was very important for young children, and that they should be given as much of it as possible.

In their reading, children should be given a large variety from which to select, since it is important that the child shall make his own choice.

A library plays a highly important part in the life of a child, Miss MacEwen declared. Being a large collection of books, thoughtfully chosen, it allows the child to make his own selection. While in the library, and reading there, children are freer than anywhere else, since there are no standards to which they must conform. The more books, the freer choice, the better, she said.

R-M-R Notes

Under the chairmanship of John McLaughlan, a card party was held in the association rooms Wednesday. Prizes were donated for Bridge and "500". Refreshments were served.

President Carpenter has announced that every Wednesday will be Association night, and arrangements have been made for the use of the Bowling Alleys. Kings and Dart games have also been installed for those interested in these pastimes.

Members who hear of sick cases are earnestly requested to phone names and addresses to John McLaughlan or Harry Whiteman. In this connection, the committee is most anxious to obtain details of cases of sickness or disability of ex-member of the regiment so that proper steps can be taken to get in touch with them. This sick committee is already functioning well, but it needs the names and addresses of additional ex-members of the regiment to enable it to work to the fullest advantage.

BESSBOROUGH I.O.D.E. IN ANNUAL MEETING

Mrs. J. H. Lang Named Regent, Many Fine Reports Were Received.

At the fifth annual meeting of the Earl of Bessborough Chapter I.O.D.E. held at the home of Mrs. C. P. Monks, the report showed various activities. School fees had been paid for a boy and girl at Westhill High, and carefare for a girl. Subscriptions were given to various bursaries and funds.

Eighty-four articles of clothing have been made by the Chapter for the Royal Victoria Hospital. A soldier's family of ten has been provided with clothing, etc., during the year, and at Christmas a basket containing toys, food, and clothing were given. Two layettes have been provided; magazines and playing cards have been sent to Ste. Anne's Military Hospital and the Better 'Ole, and parcels of clothing to the Canadian Legion and Navy League. Total disbursements amounted to \$121.95.

Officers elected for the coming year are: Honorary regents, Miss M. F. Mackenzie and Mrs. J. H. Lang; regent, Mrs. C. P. Monks; first vice-regent, Mrs. A. E. Watts; second vice-regent, Mrs. George Winch; secretary, Mrs. E. V. Webster; treasurer, Mrs. L. G. Beesley; educational secretary, Mrs. W. R. Moore; Echoes secretary, Miss Stella Monks; standard bearer, Miss Freda Winch.

DESCRIPTION OF ART OF PIPING GIVEN TUESDAY

Miss R. B. Blanchard Addressed Women's Art Society in Stevenson Hall.

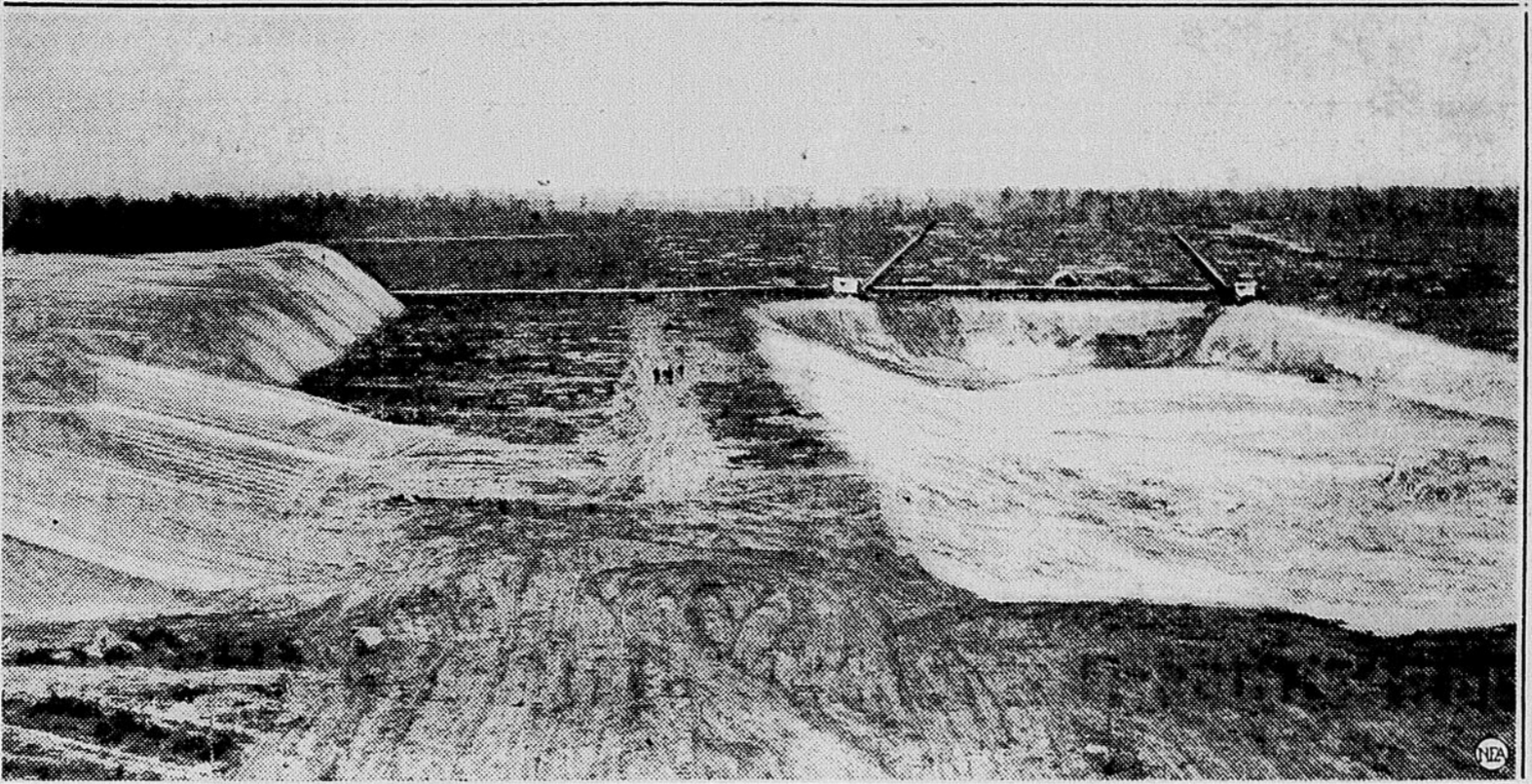
Speaking before the Women's Art Society in Stevenson Hall, Tuesday afternoon on "Bamboo pipes, the art and craft of making them and playing them," Miss R. B. Blanchard outlined the history and development in England of the Pipers' Guild, from an idea of Margaret James adopted some ten years ago, to teach school children how to make and play pipes.

Miss Blanchard described the revival of this ancient art, and lauded it on both its educational and recreational values. The Pipers' Guild had a threefold purpose, she said — the making, decorating and playing by each man of his own instrument. Miss Blanchard pointed out that ten years ago, Miss Margaret James conceived the idea of showing school children how to make and play their own pipes, and did her own early experimental work with bamboo.

From that small beginning, widening out to a school in the Cotswolds, the idea had penetrated almost every corner of England until now there was a Pipers' Guild, having definite rules, and numbering several hundreds.

Miss Blanchard explained how the pipes were made, and then with the assistance of five pupils from The Study, and three adults, she provided a fine pipe concert, embracing Old English airs for treble and alto and for four tenor pipes; country dance tunes, and French and German folk songs. The pupils were Eleanor Leggat, Penelope Chipman, Audrey Bovey, Elizabeth Macdonald and Joan Stanger, and the adults, Miss M. Strawbridge, Miss E. Mitchell and Miss H. Laing.

FLORIDA CANAL UNDER WAY AS FUND WAR RAGES



While the future of the embattled Florida Canal project depends on whether further appropriations for it will be made in Washington, this excavation scene, revealing progress made since U. S. army engineers launched work last September, shows how the huge 200-mile ditch to bisect North Florida will appear when completed, with spoil banks at extreme left, then the berm or shoulder, then earth slopes and top of the canal channel. For several months, using mules, shovels, tractors, scrapers, and steam shovels, 6600 men have been moving 100,000 cubic yards of sand every 24 hours.

What The Summer Camp Can Do For Your Girl

by Major R. T. Lafond, B.A., L.L.B.

It would be well for parents to understand that camp is no longer only a recreation-furnishing medium for the summer months, but a place of education and character building. It is the greatest educational movement of the 20th century and should be a part of every girl's training.

Apart from the social aspect, which plays an important part in modern life, camp is the place where a girl discovers her aptitude; develops perception and purpose which leads her through life making her a leader and not a follower.

Camp trained girls are taught never to despise wholesome knowledge however useless it may seem at the time, and in this way acquires experience, and a broad and open mind which is the formation of a lofty human character. Campers have been acknowledged to be superior to other girls in all walks of life as they are more intelligent, more resourceful and sturdier in health and character.

The modern summer camp is the best devised method for a girl's development, not only does it develop her physique as no gymnasium can, but it teaches girls to be healthy, and more important still, how to remain so. Another important aspect is the attention the backward child receives. In no other place does a child receive such sympathy and understanding. She soon acquires full confidence in herself and develops a vivacious and winning personality besides perfect health.

One must understand that camp life is built around what is known as "Camp Spirit". This is a system which brings out the best in every human being. Thoughtfulness for others, willingness to do small tasks which may be allotted to them, and always cheerfulness, which is seldom difficult, considering the pleasure girls have in all their camp activities. So to really understand this, one must live this life and derive the happiness and satisfaction which is a by-word at camp.

Outside the question of economy, many parents object to camp for the following reasons: They consider that because they have a summer home their children have adequate outdoor exercise; That the family ties are too strong to brook separation; That they take great interest and delight in supervising every detail of their children's life. One cannot but admire parents for these laudable sentiments, but, the question is, how many parents are in a position to fulfil these self-imposed obligations properly? Many parents, through ill health, or social duties find it impossible to do as they had planned and it is the child who suffers from the omission. Here we often find that the child who remains with her parents during the summer often takes little rest, lacks proper play, has too much attention from adults, keeps late hours, goes on tiresome shopping tours, retires too late.

It would be well for parents to realize that eventually separation takes place however one struggles to prevent it and when the parents have had the supervision of the child all during the scholastic year, what better than that the summer be a real holiday for both.

Being together with other girls of her own age is excellent for the youngster who is often an only child used to being constantly with her parents or grown-up people. At camp she must "give in" to others, and in this way learn to be one of a social unit and as such, soon finds out her relative importance not the valuation set upon her by her adoring parents.

The equipment of the camp today is one of studied excellence. Buildings vary in different localities but in the main are very similar, the general scheme being a

COURT VOIDS \$10,600 AWARD AGAINST CITY

Odd Method Of Computation By Jury Nullifies Damages Suit

The Court of Appeal has declared null and void a judgment of the Superior Court ordering the City of Westmount to pay Agnes Cornish the sum of \$10,600 as compensation for injuries received in a fall on icy pavement.

The judgment was nullified on the grounds that the methods used by the jurors in ascertaining the amount due was outside the law. Unable to agree on a sum, the jury had taken the average amount of the jurors' various decisions. Their decision would doubtless have been accepted, but for a somewhat too talkative foreman, who revealed the method of determining the amount when giving the jury's decision.

"While a court has no right to ascertain what has gone on in the jury room when the jury are deliberating," said Mr. Justice Barclay, delivering judgment of the Appeal Court, "when the foreman of the jury announces in court, before the verdict is received, the method by which they have arrived at the amount, and that method is not one recognized by law, such a finding should not receive the seal of approval of this court."

When the jurors had filed back into the courtroom after their deliberations on the evidence, the foreman announced 10 of the 12 were for awarding damages, and read the amount each juror wished to accord, such 10 figures totaling \$106,000. Informed by the presiding judge nine jurors had to agree upon a sum, the foreman replied:

"I thought we would average that amount. I did not know we had to agree on a sum."

The presiding judge repeated a sum would have to be agreed upon by nine jurors, whereupon the jury retired again and on their return for the second time, the foreman announced:

"The amounts sub-divided and averaged \$10,600—nine to three."

Mr. Justice Barclay said: "Unfortunately for the respondent (Cornish) the jury said enough to destroy all the work that they had done, and the verdict submitted on that basis should not have been received. The individual sums given, added together, amount to \$106,000, which, divided by 10—being the number of jurors who had awarded some amount to the plaintiff—comes to the sum of \$10,600 upon which they decided."

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Letters from the following contestants were drawn from last week's replies and they will receive their passes in today's mail:

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WOULD BAR RADIOS FROM AUTOMOBILES

St. Louis. — The proposal to prohibit use of radios in automobiles within the city limits has aroused a controversy here.

Ald. John J. O'Connor, who made the suggestion, says he expects "plenty of heat" because of his stand, but is "convinced that auto radios constitute a hazard to public safety."

Maj. Albert Bond Lambert, police commissioner, has endorsed the anti-radio proposal.

and the jury, when they went back to the room the second time, did precisely what the foreman had informed the court he thought he was allowed to do, when they first came before the court, namely, that they could average the amount."

His Lordship then observed that the court had no right to enquire into the secret of the deliberations of the jury room, but added:

"It may well be that in many cases the jury do average and subdivide the amounts reached by the individual members of the jury, in order to arrive at a compromise verdict, and that, when the court knows nothing about this proceeding, it may confirm such a verdict, but when the method adopted has been declared, the confirmation of such a verdict would, in my opinion, be not only an approval of the verdict but an approval of the method adopted in arriving at the verdict.

"Even if one should hesitate on this ground alone to disturb the verdict," Mr. Justice Barclay continued, "there are other features in this case which indicate that there was more than a mere averaging of amounts. Nine of the jurymen came to the conclusion that there was no contributory fault; three came to the conclusion there was contributory fault; and it is perfectly clear that included in the 10 whose amounts were averaged is at least one of the jurymen who was in favor of contributory fault, and the amount has been averaged, not on what he would have given to the plaintiff, but on what he considered the total damages before any deduction was made for contributory fault. The answers of the jury must be taken as a whole and, when they came back, no change was made in any of the other answers. There were still three of the opinion there was contributory fault."

The verdict was therefore set aside and a new trial ordered.

WESTMOUNT HI-Y CLUB VISITED CHINATOWN

Fifty members enjoyed their first Chinese meal Wednesday evening in their visit to the local Chinatown. Ivan Wong of the Chinese United Church; David Liu and Ben Chiu, Students in Medicine at McGill; and Dr. Li of Royal Victoria Hospital introduced the boys to the handling of chop sticks and the mysteries of Chinese cooking.

Principal Morgan of McGill University will be the guest speaker at the annual Hi-Y Father and Son Banquet next Wednesday evening at 6.30.

Rev. Fred H. Wilkinson, Rector of St. James the Apostle, will be the guest speaker at the Hi-Y Mother and Son Banquet on April 1st.

The Spring Hi-Y Dance will be held in the Argyle School on Friday, Mar. 20th. Howard Simpson's Orchestra will be providing the music.

The Hi-Y Club is entering a Y.M.C.A. Financial Campaign team of 10 members in the annual which opens on March 18th. Jack K. H. Murray, Coach.

REV. DR. A. SMITH SPECIAL LENTEN GUEST SPEAKER

Dominion-Douglas Pastor Will be Featured at Wesley United Church.

Lenten guest preacher for one week, beginning next Monday night at 8.00 o'clock sharp in Wesley Hall, N. D. G. ave., will be the Rev. Dr. A. Lloyd Smith, of Dominion Douglas United, Westmount. At the invitation of Wesley Church Session, he has been released by his own Session to assist Revs. B. B. Brown and R. B. Hallett in a week's special Lenten evangelistic services. Every night next week beginning at 8.00 o'clock, for five evenings up to and including Friday Dr. Smith will present various phases of the Gospel doctrine centering around the Cross of Jesus Christ.

Rev. A. Lloyd Smith is a preacher of marked ability and of evangelical fervor, who has been recognized in many large centers as an exceptional exponent of the deeper spiritual life. Wesley Church invites the public to share in this season of fellowship an inspiration in commemoration of the suffering and triumph of our Lord over sin and the grave. Mr. Brown ventures to hope that Wesley Hall will be so crowded that the Church will have to be opened for the services. A feature of the this week of worship will be congregational singing led by the Rev. R. B. Hallett.

Next Sunday morning at 10.15 in the Parlour Rev. Mr. Hallett will lead a prayer fellowship, preparatory for the public worship. The sermon theme of the morning at 11.00 by Mr. Brown will be "Reckless Daring for the Cause".

The Old Time Village Choir will hold their monthly rehearsal in Wesley Hall at 8.30 p.m. next Sunday, when in song and story the choristers will radiate good cheer and good will. At 7.30 worship, Mr. Hallett will preach on the topic "Misunderstood".

The End Men in the show this year are:—Al Rogers, Harold Edwards, Ronald Stephen, Art West, Cyril Costello and Colin McClements.

RADIO ARTISTS GUEST STARS AT MINSTREL SHOW

Plans Progressing for Annual Event of Calvary Church Square Circle Club.

The Third Annual Minstrel Show to be presented by the Square Circle Club in Calvary Church Hall on Thursday and Friday evenings, will be the biggest yet staged by the Club.

"Curly" the Yodelling Cowboy, will be the featured guest artist, and many other radio stars will be with him in the show, including Bert Eason, Jim Conway, George Wright, Art Bryan, Phil Begier and Bob McLaughlan. Mrs. McLaughlan, well known soprano, will render some song selections.

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SOCIETY PAGE

Social & Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Frosst, Forden avenue, have left for a motor trip to the Southern States.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil McDougall, Rosemount avenue, have returned from a stay in Mexico City.

Mr. and Mrs. Trower, Westmount Boulevard, have left for Ormond Beach, Florida, where they will remain for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. John L. Gilmour, Grove Park, returned on Tuesday from the West Indies, where they spent the past month.

Mrs. Charles L. Phillips, of Baltimore, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Denny A. Hanson and Mr. Hanson, Atwater avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Harvey Roy, Forden Crescent, sailed on Wednesday to spend three weeks in Havana, Cuba.

The Fossils Club of Westmount, held its annual formal dance on Saturday evening in the ball room of the Mount Royal Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Lowe, Kensington avenue, have sailed by the Seminole for Florida and are returning the middle of March.

Mrs. Francis Hankin and Miss Mollie Hankin, Murray Hill, are leaving on April 1st, for Bermuda.

Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Moisan, Westmount Boulevard, have returned from spending some time in Bermuda.

Mr. and Mrs. St. George Harvey, Roslyn avenue, and Miss Louise Harvey left on Thursday for Arizona, where they will stay for a short time.

Miss Edith Shuter left on Monday for New York, whence she sailed on Wednesday by the Queen of Bermuda, to visit her sister, Mrs. N. V. Hutchings in Bermuda.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Berliner, Westmount avenue, sailed last week from New York, by the Carinthia for Nassau, the Bahamas.

Dr. Florence Murray of Hamheung, Korea, arrived in town on Monday to be the guest of Mrs. H. H. Lang, Metcalfe avenue, for a fortnight.

Mrs. E. C. Goodhue, has returned to her home in Sherbrooke, after spending several months visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. C. Nutter, Grosvenor avenue.

Mrs. Martin P. Murphy, Chestnutfield avenue, has cancelled her afternoon tea which was to have been held on Tuesday afternoon, on account of illness.

Mrs. Guy Suckling and her small son, Dorchester Street West, have returned to town after spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Kaine, in Quebec.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Ouellette, Westmount avenue, have left for Ormond Beach, Florida, where they will spend the remainder of the winter.

Mrs. F. M. Stevens, Argyle avenue, has returned from Saint John, N.B., where she was called owing to the death of her mother, Mrs. H. S. Bridges.

The Right Rev. and Mrs. Lennox Williams returned to Quebec on Monday morning, after spending several days in town the guests of their daughter, Mrs. Vaughan, Murray Hill.

The marriage took place on Saturday, February 29th, in Guatemala City, of Mr. Ralph G. Whitrod, secretary of the Sun Life Assurance Company in that city, to Miss Ursula Wyneken.

Dr. and Mrs. J. C. Meakins, Rosemount avenue, who are at present in Detroit for the convention of the American College of Physicians, are expected home tomorrow.

Mrs. Samuel Bronfman, Bevedere Road, honorary treasurer of the Women's Auxiliary of the Jewish General Hospital, was hostess at a tea in honor of the charter members of the auxiliary, yesterday at the Montefiore Club.

Miss Margaret Hervey was the convener of the fashion show of by-gone days held at St. Stephen's Church, Wexford Park, on Saturday. This was a special feature of the first Lenten tea of the Women's Associates of the church.

Mrs. J. S. Rambau, Sherbrooke street west, and Miss Edith Ellis are in Florida where they expect to stay for six weeks. They are at present in Jacksonville, where they are guests at the Hotel Seminole.

Miss Fuller, O.B.E., of St. Faith's Mission of Bishop's Messengers in the diocese of Brandon, who has been the guest of her cousin, Mrs. Robert Callander, has returned to her home in Swan River, Man.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Sidney Dawes and Miss Joan Dawes, Cedar avenue, arrived in New York on Tuesday by the Berengaria from Garmisch-Partenkirchen, Germany, where they went to attend the Olympic Games.

Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Moisan, Westmount Boulevard, who were in Bermuda and have lately been in New York, are now at the Bellevue-Biltmore in Belleair.

Florida, where they will spend two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Brenner and Miss Helen Brenner left on Tuesday for Sea Island, Georgia, where they will spend the remainder of the winter. Mrs. John Rogers, of Winnipeg, accompanied her parents.

The marriage of Ethel Elizabeth Margaret, daughter of Mr. John Ritchie, 95 Arlington avenue, to Mr. Neville Norton Campbell, took place on Saturday, February 29th. The Rev. Lawrence Clare officiated.

Mrs. E. Littler and Miss Katherine Littler, Windsor avenue, have returned from a three weeks' cruise to Havana. They were passengers on the Empress of Australia, which docked in New York.

Dr. and Mrs. C. G. Sutherland, Upper Belmont avenue, are spending this week in Detroit, where Dr. Sutherland is attending the convention of the American College of Physicians. They will return to-morrow.

Arthur S. Vernay, of London, England, the explorer, who will give an illustrated lecture of "Tales of Tibet" at the Ritz-Carlton Hotel, on Friday evening, May 1st, will be the guest of Chief Justice and Mrs. Greenshields during his stay in Montreal.

The regular monthly meeting of the St. Matthias' Women's Guild will be held on Tuesday at 3 p.m. Following the meeting Mr. William Coakie Hall will deliver a lecture entitled: "Forty years with Flowers—what we had, what we might have had, what we have, what we will have."

The patrons for the annual Twenty Club formal dance, being held in aid of charity at Victoria Hall on Friday evening, March 27th, are Mr. and Mrs. Colin W. Webster. The committee in charge will be Miss Eleanor Moore, Miss Kathleen McIntosh, Miss Virginia Wright, Mr. Stuart Martin, Mr. Jerry Chesley and Mr. William Kertland.

Mrs. Samuel Marson was at home on Sunday afternoon at her residence, 400 Kensington avenue, to members of the women's division of the forthcoming campaign for St. Mary's Hospital. Assisting Mrs. Marson were Mrs. D. J. Coulson, Mrs. Joseph W. McAnally, chairman of the women's division, Mrs. J. J. McGovern and Mrs. W. J. Dundin, assistant chairmen. Mrs. Marson is honorary chairman of the women's division.

At the marriage of Miss Edith Wood, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William A. Wood, to Mr. James Harold Roberts Guthrie, son of the late R. H. Guthrie, of Toronto, and of Mrs. Guthrie, which took place on Thursday evening, March 5th, at six o'clock in Calvary United Church, the bride was attended by Miss Margot Seely as maid-of-honor, and by her sister, Miss Mila-Margaret Wood, as junior bridesmaid. Mr. Albert C. Guthrie was best man for his brother and the ushers were, Mr. Arthur Guthrie, Mr. William Wood, Mr. Austin McBride and Mr. G. Allan Ross, jr.

Miss Phyllis Hume, Eastern Divisional Secretary, Girl Guides, who came to Montreal to attend the annual meeting of the Provincial Council Girl Guides last week and was the guest of her aunt, Mrs. J. Alex. Hutchison, Elm avenue, has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hand, Argyle avenue, announce the engagement of their daughter Marian Hildred, to Mr. Arthur Hervey Dingman, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Dingham, of Toronto. The marriage will take place early in April.

Miss Agnes MacPhail, M.P., who is coming from Ottawa to be held in her honor by the Canadian Alliance for Women's Vote in Tudor Hall, on March 7th, will be the guest of Miss Francis-Wood, Sherbrooke Street west, during her stay in town.

Bazaar Will Be Held To Aid Summer Camp

The Jewish Laurrentian Fresh Air Camp will hold its annual bazaar at Victoria Hall on Tuesday, March 17th.

Operated for the benefit of underprivileged mothers and their young children, the Camp will devote all funds raised in the bazaar to furthering their work. The event will be under the sponsorship of Mesdames N. Adilman, J. Cohen, L. Crestohl, J. Kushner and H. Schiller. The president of the organization is Mrs. Samuel Leopold.

Franchot Tone's father has won several awards for chemical discoveries.

SCENE FROM "FORGOTTEN MEN"



This thrilling war film starts Monday at His Majesty's Theatre for a continuous daily showing 1 to 11 p.m.

"Forgotten Men" War Thriller, At His Majesty's

For one week only commencing Monday, March 9th the management of His Majesty's theatre will present the official and authentic World War picture "Forgotten Men," the showing of this picture will be continuous from 1 P.M. until 11 P.M.

"Killed in Action. These three words which brought tragedy and misery into thousands of homes all over the world during the weary months of the World War, spelled the end of the trial for hundreds of cameramen who made possible this authentic picture.

Many of the best scenes in "Forgotten Men," were taken from cameras shielded from harm by the lifeless bodies of their owners. Fully 150,000 feet of film from which "Forgotten Men" was compiled was obtained from men who gave their lives that posterity might have a visual record of the World War.

One scene in particular in the picture is illustrative of the British cameramen. Looking for all the world like two groups of boys throwing stones at each other, there are seen British and German tossing hand grenades in each other's direction. At first they are seen from a distance, then the action is brought closer and closer until suddenly the scene is brought to an abrupt termination, another cameraman had given his life that mankind might know the horror and brutality of War.

Immediately after the battle of the Argonne, a cameraman was reported "missing in action." He was believed to be dead, two days later a bedraggled creature came crawling into camp, leaving a trail of blood behind him, he was taken to an emergency hospital where he lingered for several days and then died. The film in his camera was developed and showed that although mortally wounded he had continued to grind out pictures showing the Germans in retreat, some of them stepping over his body. These unbelievable scenes will be shown in "Forgotten Men" which will be shown in Montreal for the first time at His Majesty's theatre for one week only, commencing Monday afternoon, March 9th, at 1 P.M.

Leroy Goldsworthy is proving himself a brilliant big leaguer with Canadians after many seasons in the minors and, most amazing of all, little Aurel Joliat is just about as great as ever. Howie Morenz is so good with the Black Hawks that he may get all-star mention for the first time in three seasons.

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By F. G. H.

It is about time that people are awakening to the fact that the present school system is antiquated. A good many years ago my father advocated vocational schools instead of the present cut and dried system of education. Just during the past week, which was educational week in Canada, has the matter been brought to the attention of the public and discussed, although some such system is in force in England at the present time.

During our own school days we will remember that certain pupils were not brilliant in their studies; but, after having left school, we find that they have excelled in different lines of business and professions, an example which proves the fallacy of trying to teach the child something to which he is not attracted. When we follow our inclinations and make use of our talents, we usually succeed.

I know a young woman who was very clever with the saw and hammer. She took a course in the Thomas Manual Training School located in Detroit, Michigan and became a most capable teacher of manual training. In another case we find just the antithesis. A young lady graduated from a large American college. One of the studies in her course was short story writing; but after four years' study she was not able to write one short story. What a waste of time when she might have been making a study of something for which she was especially adapted! Today children are sent to school to learn a smattering of everything under the sun, about half of which will be useful to them. It is most important to learn thoroughly the essentials: reading, writing, arithmetic, grammar and history and geography. Of course, history can be included in reading. But when it comes to teaching music and drawing or art, domestic science, manual training to those who abhor the work, it is absolutely a waste of time.

There are some girls who like to sew above all things, some like to make hats, some want to teach school, others may like cooking (but teach practical ways of cooking, short cuts to economy and family budgeting under the subject of cooking). And some boys are interested in manual training, some in electrical work, some like agriculture, etcetera.

It is not necessary to employ psychologists to study the child to find his natural bent. Give it a little time and opportunity to discover a hobby, watch the child at play and you will find the secret of the child's future.

There is no reason why educationists cannot go into a bundle and arrange a new system of public school teaching and, in the elementary grades, include in the curriculum, the things which will start the child on his career. It will be saving of time and money and make school life so much more interesting for the child. Instead of being forced to study, forced to learn something which is distasteful to them, they will find, also, that the disposition of children will be improved. Instead of them being cross and irritable, I think it would create a happier generation. In my opinion, it is an experiment well worth trying. For are not the children of today the men and women of tomorrow? And it is our serious mission to try to make the world a better place in which to live.

PHYSICAL EDUCATION THROUGH THE AGES

In aid of a Training School in India, the Alumnae of the McGill School of Physical Education will present "Physical Education Through the Ages" at Royal Victoria College tonight and Saturday.

FASHION NOTES

One of the smartest dinner hats of the season was seen recently on Norma Shearer, Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer star. The hat was moulded to the head and fashioned in its entirety from gilded coat feathers. The feathers were arranged in a manner that served to frame the face like a gold, wind-blown bob. Miss Shearer wore the hat with a gold lame dinner gown, featuring one long sleeve.

Silk-corduroy gloves, gauntlet length, are the latest thing for evening wear, according to Jean Harlow, Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer star. She recently purchased a series of these accessories in colors to match her evening gowns. The material is almost velvet in appearance, slightly corded. Some of the gloves feature jeweled trimming.

MANY CAUSES GIVEN I. O. D. E. ASSISTANCE

Edith Cavell Chapter Reviewed Activities of Past Year at Annual Meeting.

The Edith Cavell Chapter, I.O.D.E. paid High School Fees for the son of a war veteran, sent a donation to the Florence Nightingale International Memorial Scholarship Fund, and contributed to the Jubilee Cancer Fund, and St. Helen's School, Poona, India, during the past year.

The sum of \$64 was given to provide milk for undernourished children at Lansdowne School, and cod liver oil supplied to the child welfare clinic in Verdun. A donation was made to the I.O.D.E. child welfare dental clinic. Three hundred knitted articles were distributed to the Child Welfare Association, Royal Edward Institute, Canadian veterans, Imperial veterans, Anglican Council of Emergency Relief and the Victorian Or-

der of Nurses. About 100 I.O.D.E. calendars were disposed of. The chapter again sponsored sale of poppies in the English hospital. A wreath was placed on the cenotaph and poppies on trees in the Road of Remembrance in memory of the nursing sisters who gave their lives in the Great War. Refreshments were served to the Navy League cadets one evening after drill.

The meeting recorded regret at the loss by death of one of the members, Mrs. F. H. Mackay. Officers elected are: Honorary Regent, Miss M. Hersey; honorary vice-regents, Miss Scott Cavell, London, England, and Miss E. Frances Upton; regent, Miss M. A. Hall; 2nd vice-regent, Miss M. Nixon; secretary, Mrs. F. Adams; treasurer, Mrs. H. Pollock; educational secretary, Miss L. Sutton; Echoes secretary, Miss J. Rutherford; standard bearer, Miss G. Colley; councillors, Miss A. Des Brisay, Miss C. Bullock, Miss E. Strumm, Miss E. F. Upton and Miss A. Campbell.

Maureen O'Sullivan and Loreta Young inspired Sir John Lovett to recreate his painting, "Girls in the Sunshine," which was destroyed in a fire?

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"The Hollywood Ballet" Coming To His Majesty's

One of the greatest concert events of this season will take place at His Majesty's theatre on Wednesday and Thursday, April 1st and 2nd when the management of the theatre will present for the first time in this city "The Hollywood Ballet", coming here direct after their New York engagement.

In perfecting an internationalized type of modernistic ballet, Hollywood has entered a new field of the arts with notable success. The Hollywood Ballet company which will appear at His Majesty's theatre for two days only is the outgrowth of attempts to provide the North American continent with a distinctly universal dance interpretation of dramatic material.

Famed for motion pictures which bring most of the best in music and drama within the scope of millions, the film capital now offers its vast resources of individual talent to a form of expression that has been the forte of European heretofore.

With wide experience in dramatic technique, costuming and lighting, the Hollywood troupe provides exceptional features of staging ballet. In addition, the individual performers have been selected from the ranks of world's foremost choreographers.

Following in its own individual manner in the footsteps of other ballets, the Hollywood Ballet will make a trans-continent tour after its new engagement which will

take in the Metropolitan Opera House on March 23rd, and Montreal will be the first city to be visited on their initial trans-continent tour.

The Company made its inaugural appearance before huge throngs at the Hollywood Bowl last fall. Marcel Silver and Aida Barona, producers of the spectacles have surrounded themselves with the very best dancers available and the programme which will be given in Montreal will be of the highest and next quality.

Appraised by critics and the public as the most brilliant effort of recent years to bring new life and scope to the imaginative field of the dance, the Hollywood Ballet company will bring with them more than 400 costumes, the scenic and special electric lighting effects which they will also bring with them at a cost of approximately \$100,000.

The engagement here in Montreal will be for two days only, commencing Wednesday, April 1st. Mail orders are now available at the theatre.

AT WESTMOUNT



Margaret Sullivan who will be presented in "So Red The Rose," with Randolph Scott and Walter Connolly starting Sunday for three days at the Westmount.

DELIGHTFULLY ROMANTIC COMEDY!



Jean Arthur and Herbert Marshall in "If You Could Only Cook," which is now playing at the Westmount United Theatre until Saturday night, and which opens for three days at the Seville on Sunday.

FRED PERRY'S MISSUS



Beautiful Helen Vinson who has a featured role in "Transatlantic Tunnel," which stars Richard Dix, now playing at the Seville until Saturday.

Marshall, Arthur Charming In "If You Could Only Cook"

The world would be a pretty drab place if it were not for jovial, fun-filled personalities like Herbert Marshall, Jean Arthur, Leo Carrillo and Lionel Stander, stars and principals of Columbia's new romantic comedy, "If You Could Only Cook," which opened at the Westmount on Wednesday for the balance of the week, and which starts at the Seville on Sunday.

Together, with the very helpful direction of William A. Seiter, who knows a comedy situation when he sees one, and some exceptionally amusing dialogue from the joint pens of Howard J. Green and Gertrude Purcell, they make the film a sparkling and happy thing.

Marshall has always been adept at comedy. He is an artful actor, with a voice that falls easily on the ears and a manner that generally gives him command of whatever scene he happens to be playing. But in this picture he gets a run for his money, in the shape of the gleeful Miss Arthur, who makes her boy as a full-fledged star. This is a young lady who can deliver a line with the best of them. She and Marshall put on a charming duet that will have you grinning from start to finish.

In a nutshell, the story concerns a disgruntled millionaire, who is about to marry a girl he doesn't love, and a broke, out-of-work young lady who meets him on a park bench. Thinking him a fellow member of the army of the unemployed, the girl invites him to go with her and answer an advertisement for a married couple to serve at butler and maid. On the spur of the moment, he accepts; and, pretending to be married, they get the job.

Of course, a millionaire betrothed to a society girl can't go off and be a butler without things happening, especially if that same millionaire falls in love with another girl with blue eyes who knows how to cook.

Leo Carrillo, as the big-shot racketeer and epicure in whose home the unmarried "married couple" is employed, does some of his best work to date. His appellation as the best-loved bad man on the screen holds true. Lionel Stander, the buzz-saw voiced poet of "The Scoundrel," is outstandingly funny as Carrillo's henchman.

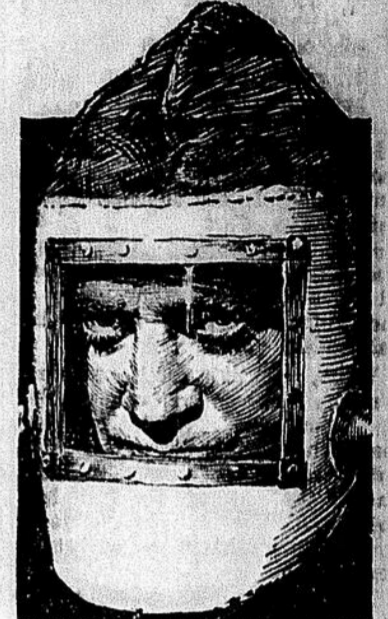
Mike Karakas, pitched into the opener for Chicago Black Hawks, committed the season's biggest theft right off the bat. He stole Lorne Chabot's job. By the time the veteran Chabot, Vezina Trophy winner last season, was ready for goading duty, Karakas was an institution.

And Frieda Inescourt does very well in a small role, as the girl Marshall is engaged to marry.

"If You Could Only Cook," to add it all up, is as delightful a comedy as has come this way in many a moon.

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A St. Patrick's Luncheon has been arranged to take place in Trinity Hall on March 17th, by Group 2, of Trinity Memorial Women's Association.

The luncheon, which will start at 1 P.M., will be embellished by a program of music and elocution. Rev. F. H. Wilkinson, M.A.B.D., will address the gathering.

Selections will be rendered by: Miss Phillis Rowell, pianist; Mrs. Percy Hall, elocutionist; Mr. Win. Hill, soloist.

The convener, Mrs. R. A. Greenleaf will be assisted by Mrs. J. E. Church, Mrs. A. J. Goodenough,

MUSIC

The annual musicale of the Women's Missionary and Church Union, of the First Baptist Church, (Dorchester and Guy Streets), is being held this afternoon, at three P.M. The artists contributing to this recital are: Miss Frances Smart, contralto; Mrs. W. McLeod Clarke and Arthur Davison, violinists.

Mrs. F. G. Sharpe and Mrs. Edgar Neville are the accompanists.

Richard Manning, tenor, gave a most enjoyable song recital before the Cote des Neiges and Snowdon Women's Club, at the Windsor Hotel recently. German and English songs made up a great part of his program, the outstanding ones being: Rutland Boughton's "Immortal Hour," Wagner's "Tracume," and Brahms's "Wie Melodien."

Edna Masie Hawkin was a most sympathetic accompanist.

Mr. Manning will be soloist at the meeting of the Dominion Douglas Literary Society on March 20th. Mrs. Franklyn Hoedson, the well-known pianist and organist, will be accompanist.

The Dubois String Quartet are holding their fifth recital of chamber music, in St. Sulpice Hall, on Wednesday evening.

The "Tuesday Musical Club" of St. Lambert, will meet March twenty-fourth. John Cook, pianist; Alfred O'Shea, tenor and Polyka Gyrfas, violinist, are the artists assisting in this program.

The Montreal Symphony Orchestra, directed by Douglas Clarke, gave a splendid concert on Sunday. The main item of the program was Brahms's Fourth Symphony, it was beautifully rendered and much appreciated by a most enthusiastic audience.

Bach's Fifth Brandenburg concerto, written for solo violin, flute, pianoforte and string orchestra, was played with great understanding and beauty.

Mrs. H. McCready, Mrs. S. J. Griffin, Mrs. T. Robertson, Mrs. H. A. Cobbett, Mrs. R. M. Mitchell, Mrs. F. Edwardson, Mrs. W. W. Haldimand.

EDMUND LOWE WEARS SUIT THAT BROUGHT HIM LUCK

For the opening sequence of Columbia's "Grand Exit," Edmund Lowe wore a business suit which he originally purchased for use in "Let's Fall in Love" two years ago. The actor considers the suit a good omen. He wore it when he first played opposite Ann Sothern, and "Grand Exit," showing at the Westmount on Sunday, represents their screen reunion.



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ON THE AIR COMMENT ON CURRENT Radio Programmes and Stars

By Jack Hirshberg

AN INDICTMENT

"I get a kick out of radio mainly because it makes me behave," says Frankie Fay, radio's new topnotcher appearing currently with Rudy Vallee. "From the microphone you go straight into people's homes, and when visiting, you must act as nicely as you can."

It seems peculiar that a sophisticated man of the realms of broadcast comedy should abide by the primary rules of etiquette, while experienced producers in charge of child radio entertainment continually show utter ignorance of their existence. Yet such are the conditions facing the dial twister in the case of the much ballyhooed ethereal antics of Little Orphan Annie, Dick Tracy and the Famos mob.

Although dedicated to a listening audience of tender age, it is many a moon since Annie's adventures were suited to childish ears, and the bloodcurdling massacres of the comic strip detective have never been especially suited to the juvenile nerve.

For some time protests against these programs were limited in number, but of late frantic mothers have swamped production officials with biting complaints in ever increasing volume.

TUNEFUL TRUPE... Despite program listings to the contrary, NBC still carries the Bestor rhythms at half past midnight each Monday and Thursday. It remains for the Peed Street satirizer to introduce a fresh idea into the stale run of dance band announcements; and his cheery banter with Patsy Kane as they introduce their respective numbers is something worth dialing in... Alexander Gray, original star of "The Dearest Song," is set for a return to radio next Thursday eve, when he joins Charles Hanson Towne and Mark Warnow's orchestra in a new series through CBS. Grey will take the air at 8, running in opposition to Rudy Vallee. It looks like a suicidal move... Rudy, incidentally, is now observing his eighth anniversary on the air, having first faced a microphone early in 1928 at the Heigh Ho Club, New York...

AERIAL ADDENDA... Howard Petric, veteran member of NBC's Radio City announcing staff, has just been declared winner of the BBDO 1936 award for good announcing... Al Johnson has climbed another step in the ladder of success, and is now being referred to as "Your Honor". He has just been made Mayor of Encino, a suburb of Hollywood.

TUBE TALK... Walter Downs entered the ranks of accepted actors this week. His maiden article, dealing with home movies is soon to be published in an American magazine... Bobby Marlowe, remembered locally for his clever marionette act in a recent edition of the Chez Maurice revue, was killed several days ago in an automobile crash near Chicago. He had just turned 21... The Canadian Broadcast Company is doing a fine job with its Sunday night "Questionaires". Here's an air-cast that's truly different.

DIAL DELIRIUM... Ruth Etting, who annually swears she intends to retire for good, will end her latest self-imposed exile this Sunday afternoon when she joins Russ Morgan's orchestra to serenade fans of the Magic Key... Benny Davy's newest time, "You Started Me Dreaming," was released last Thursday and plugged by Vallee and Bestor the same evening. Benny was in town only a few months ago when he appeared as headliner at Loew's... Kenny Baker and Johnny Green both signed long-term contracts yesterday morning, and are now permanent fixtures on Jack Benny's Sunday night funfests. Baker is under contract to Mervin Leroy, of the movies, and recently made his screen bow in "King of Burlesque"... Wallace Beery's name flashed across the continent again this week as he told Detroit representatives of the news associations.

AT WESTMOUNT



Ann Sothern and Edmund Lowe play with fire in "Grand Exit," which opens a three day engagement at the Westmount on Sunday.

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Kibitzers And Loafers Victorious In Westm't "Y" Basketball Saturday

Chizzlers And Bunglers Come Out Second Best In Fast Tussles—Scoring Began Immediately In First Game—Jeffries Pocketed Ball In First Few Minutes Of Play—Small Took Ten Points In Each Half Of Second Game—Team Standing.

Saturday afternoon, the Bunglers and the Kibitzers, of the Westmount "Y" Winter House Basketball League, met in a fast and fine game which resulted in a 32-25 win for the Kibitzers.

The play was taken up swiftly by both teams from the first peep of the whistle, the Bunglers using all the man-power available to effect early scoring. Jeffries, Chief Bungler, basketed the ball almost before the first echoes of the whistle had stopped going round and around the gym, and repeated his act, adding eight points to the Bunglers' tally in the first half of the game.

Webb, a new Kibitzer, and Wright, playing forward, notched up four points each for their team, and Banks threw in his lot with two. Galley tossed in three, and by the end of the first half, both teams were playing somewhat slower than they had at the beginning.

The second half was a riot of fast basketball, in which the Bunglers pulled a couple of fast ones on their opponents. Cook and Lightfoot tallying up seven points before the Kibitzers were up to what was going on.

The Kibitzers came out with a seven point lead on their adversaries, turning the tables neatly. They had been at the bottom of the league, and the Bunglers had been at the top.

In the second game, the Chizzlers bowed to the Loafers first to the tune of 45-20. The first half was a slow, cautious encounter, which nevertheless resulted in a slew of tallies. Berger, Harris, Lynes and Novinger notched up twelve points for the Chizzlers, by the Loafers went them a few better, and with the aid of Small, who scored ten points, notched up eighteen points in the first half.

Novinger scored 6 points in the second half, and MacPherson got two on fouls for the Chizzlers. Small again ticked off ten points, and Walker and Kertland added on 8 and 7 respectively.

Both teams played good steady

basketball, but Small was undoubtedly the deciding factor in determining the outcome of the tussle.

Team standing in the league now stands as follows:

Team	W	L	P
Bunglers	2	1	4
Loafers	2	1	4
Chizzlers	1	2	2
Kibitzers	1	2	2

CURLING COMMENT

By "SANDY"

Holding a 49-32 lead as the result of its first half victory in the Centenary Cup, Heather Club went on to win by the same margin in the last half Saturday at Royal Montreal, holding Outremont to a 40-40 draw in three games.

This victory marked the tenth occasion since the trophy has been put up that the Heather Club has carried off the honours.

Rinks of both clubs turned in a fine brand of curling before a large crowd. Mowatt, of Heather, skipped his rink to a 20-9 win over S. R. Burrell, but F. J. Turnbull erased the lead by a shot when he outpointed A. K. Cameron's quartet, 20-8. The last of the three games went to A. L. Robertson's Heather team 12-11 against R. C. Binning, ending the match all square.

Ten games were contested in the two rounds for silverware at Heather. The winners were H. K. Knight and Dr. S. O. McMurtary.

Saturday's scores were as follows:

CENTENARY TROPHY At Royal Montreal

Outremont	Heather
J. S. Lang	F. A. Allan
W. A. Hastie	G. Simpson
A. W. Bremner	H. W. Munday
R. C. Binning	R. L. Robertson
(Skip)—11	(Skip)—12
A. T. Dummett	W. L. Burnie
J. Lockwood	R. W. Allan
E. Richardson	A. C. Wood
S. R. Burrell	O. Mowatt
(Skip)—9	(Skip)—20
E. J. Lutz	Dr. R. Edmison
G. H. Sharpe	A. A. Stewart
Col. T. Pugh	W. J. Muir
F. J. Turnbull	A. K. Cameron

SPORT ODDITIES



(Skip)—20 (Skip)—8
Total..... 40 Total..... 40

Westmount "Y" Notes

TUESDAY'S RESULTS

Metropolitan Trophy
Royal Montreal vs. Heather
At Royal Montreal
Heather Royal Montreal
Dr. E. M. Morgan Dr. A. L. Wilkie
C. R. Vail A. D. Fry
C. J. A. Cooke C. J. Hodgson
Dr. W. H. Smyth J. G. Ross
(Skip)—11 (Skip)—11
D. R. Foster J. B. Brown
W. L. Burnie E. H. Smeed
E. E. Hutchison A. Williamson
W. D. Lawrence E. E. Duckworth
(Skip)—5 (Skip)—21
C. M. Allen S. J. de La Haye
F. A. Allan G. E. D. Corneil
A. W. Allan J. F. Jewell
A. R. Roberts J. F. Wright
(Skip)—11 (Skip)—9

At Heather
Heather Royal Montreal
H. B. Hyman F. E. Gillett
Dr. H. R. Griffith H. B. Stewart
J. M. Norton D. Languedoc
W. L. Sinclair H. R. Barnard
(Skip)—7 (Skip)—8
H. J. Cameron W. E. Macfarlane
Dr. R. Edmison Dr. C. Morris
Dr. McMurtary A. Snowdon
G. Dow G. M. Suckling
(Skip)—7 (Skip)—10
A. R. Dewar W. T. Owens
C. A. R. Duffin A. Barry
R. B. Ross, jr. A. Hutchison
T. Clarke G. E. Cheese
(Skip)—10 (Skip)—9

WEDNESDAY'S RESULTS

At Heather
Kensington Trophy
H. J. Cameron W. B. Cayford
J. G. Stenhouse F. W. Baridon
P. E. Bizzey R. T. Andrae
G. Hunter W. S. Campbell
(Skip)—12 (Skip)—7
L. Lefebvre A. D. Newell
Dr. Morgan M. C. Martin
C. A. R. Duffin Dr. Edmison
C. M. McKergow Dr. McMurtary
(Skip)—13 (Skip)—12

Friendly Matches

F. A. Allan A. G. MacKay
T. Clarke W. L. Burnie
A. W. Allan A. R. Roberts
H. K. Wright W. D. Lawrence
(Skip)—8 (Skip)—15
G. Falconer A. H. Clark
G. A. Wood J. McKee
O. Mowatt J. B. Stewart
S. B. Cayford W. J. Muir
(Skip)—9 (Skip)—7

The Yotmot Club (Intermediates) held a very successful party Saturday evening. Social games, led by Mr. Harold Betts, helped the boys and girls to get acquainted. Mr. and Mrs. Kneeland, who acted as patrons, entered wholeheartedly into the dance, and Mrs. Lewis saw that everyone enjoyed the splash in the pool. Miss Peggy Beall and her friend served the refreshments. Mr. and Mrs. Leatham father and mother of Eddie, the popular Yotmot president, also dropped in for the evening. The party broke up at 11.15, every one having had a good time.

Annual Gym Exhibition
Preps, Juniors, Intermediates and Seniors, Boxers, Fencers and Gymnasts, are getting ready for the annual Gym Exhibition to be held at the "Y" on April 3rd and 4th.

The Preps are preparing for a

Junior Olympic Game, under the leadership of Mr. H. C. Patterson. It is expected that the boys will all turn out regularly for the spring training.

Hobby Show
The Montreal Boys and Girls Hobby Show will be on April 15, 16th, 17th and 18th, at the Central Y.M.C.A., 1441 Drummond St.

Hobby Show Booklets and further information may be obtained at the Westmount Y.M.C.A.

Life Saving
The Life Saving Class got off to a good start Tuesday and will meet every Tuesday, 4 to 5 from now until the Easter holidays, when tests will be tried in the Central Y.M.C.A. pool.

Fencing
The Fencing Club are planning for another Olympic Dance at the "Y" on April 17th with Gordon Rathey's orchestra.

Every Monday and Thursday 5 to 5.30, will be Water Polo practice. Regular Senior School swim

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Wesley United No. 2	12	7	5	-	14
Westmount Pk. United	10	5	5	-	10
St. Simon's Anglican	8	3	5	-	6
E. Scott Pres.	10	3	7	-	6
Queen Mary Road United	10	3	7	-	6
Calvary United	10	2	8	-	4

The climbers were about to tackle a difficult stretch in the lake district. The leader, turning to the novice of the party, said: "You're green at this job, aren't you?" "Am I?" said the beginner, with a glance at the rock-face. "I feel pure white."

Local Ladies Down Champs

The Lady Champions of Montreal, the Maroons, bowed to the Westmount Royals, junior champs locally to the tune of 4-2 in an exhibition game Tuesday night at Westmount Park. A huge crowd lined the boards, and kept roaring in excitement, adding zest to the contest.

A somewhat unusual feature was that Fry, goaler for the Royals, played for the Maroons, and Wall of the Maroons for the Royals. Aided by Misses Rennie, Ward, Black and Parry, Fry was outstanding for the Maroons.

Royals were led by playing-manager Stewart, who scored 1 and assisted in two goals, and Guy, who tallied two.

In the first period, Guy marked up the first tally by some fast work and faster thinking. Maroons took command of the play after this goal, and effectively checked any further scoring by the enemy. This was the only goal notched up in the first period.

Stewart tallied the most spectacular goal of the game in the second period by doing a wild solo flight through the enemy lines and putting in a fast corner shot that sunk the rubber. In the final session the Maroons put up a tough fight, but lost another goal to Royals. They managed to sink two, however, bringing the final tally to 4-2.

The line-up:

Maroons	Royals
Fry goal	Wall
Rennie def.	Beery
Kenny def.	Ferrier
Ward centre	Guy
Black for.	Allingham
Parry for.	Stewart

Maroon's subs: Nicholson, Jones, Wright, MacDonald and Groves.
Royals subs: Bensen, Randall, Lindsay, McNivan, Rafferty.

daily as usual, 5.30 to 6.

Water Polo
Under the leadership of Howard Marcou and Howard Dawson, the Senior School members were introduced to some of the fundamentals of Water Polo Monday. Prof. Beare of McGill will be out Monday 5 to 5.30.

Junior Clubs
Kamp Kanawana 1935 Movies and 4 reels about China were shown at the Junior Club Supper last Friday night. Regular weekly supper and Junior Club meet tonight. Hobbies and swimming club at 8.

It hasn't been a terrific year for Charlie Conacher and Harvey Jackson and the reason is they have been checked harder than ever before. Johnny Gottselig and Paul Thompson of Chicago, who don't play on the same line, have jumped into the front line with Conacher and Jackson.

Westmount "Y" Won Title In Intermediate Basketball

Lost Second Contest Monday But Margin In Initial Encounter Carried Locals Through—Have 64-62 Margin On Round Score—Conklin, Stocky Forward, Led All Scorers.

The championship of the Intermediate "B" section of the basketball league went to Westmount "Y" cagers Monday night, for although they lost 37-40 on their home floor they defeated the North Branch team 64-62 on the round score.

Carrying a five-point lead from their 27-22 win over the Northenders in the first game, the Westmounters managed to maintain a slim margin for the greater part of the game. They were three up at half time with the score reading 18-16 in favor of the North Branch boys.

Hall was high scorer for Westmount "Y" sinking two baskets and one free throw in the first session and scoring another two in the latter half.

Grindley also showed to advantage, getting three baskets towards the close of the encounter to save the series for the home team. Eaves also contributed materially to the final count with two baskets and two free throws, while Loucks added five points.

Conklin, North Branch's stocky forward, spent a large part of the evening sinking free throws, getting seven in all, three in the opener and four in the final half. He also added three baskets, to bring his scoring total to 13, the highest on either squad for the game.

Struthers and Irwin accounted for the majority of the other points scored by last night's winners, the former making four baskets and two free throws and the latter an equal number of major scores and one free throw.

The teams:
Westmount "Y"—Crombie (c), 5; Eaves (f), 6; Loucks (f), 5; Grindley (f), 6; Falconer (d); Hall (f), 7; Eagles (d), 2; Davidson (d), 2; Corbett (d), 2.

North Branch—Conklin (f), 13; Struthers (f), 10; Wilkinson (f); Mocklaier (f); Irwin (c), 9; Wigley (d), 1; Roberts (d), 4; Dubuc (d); Mason (d), 3.
Referee: Malis.

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