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WEATHER

SNOW
Forecast: Fair and cold today; followed by strong northeast winds with moderating temperature and snow late tonight and Wednesday.
Temperatures — yesterday: Maximum 6, minimum 2. Year ago: Maximum 20, minimum 1.

THE PAPER OF THE EASTERN TOWNSHIPS

SHERBROOKE, QUEBEC, TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 19, 1946.

CITY EDITION.

CLAIM RUSSIANS BOUGHT BLACK MARKET URANIUM

World News In Brief

Shawinigan Falls, Que., Feb. 19.—(C.P.)—Two firemen were injured and damages estimated at \$250,000 were caused early today in a fire which gutted three buildings and damaged a fourth in the commercial centre of this town, 90 miles northeast of Montreal.

Cairo, Feb. 19.—(P)—Premier Ismail Sidky Pasha's new government won a vote of confidence from the Chamber of Deputies last night while students continued demonstrations demanding withdrawal of British forces from Egypt. The vote was 105 to 3, with 78 abstentions. The Saadist party, headed by Sidky's predecessor, Mahmoud Fahmy Nokrashi Pasha, declined to vote.

Chungking, Feb. 19.—(P)—The troubled situation in Manchuria, caused by the extended stay there of Russian troops and by activities of forces friendly to the Chinese Communists, caused a special conference here between Central Government officials.

Wang Shi-Chieh, Foreign Minister just returned from a Nanking conference with President Chiang Kai-Shek, conferred last night with Chang Kai-Neau, director of Economic Affairs for Manchuria, and Chiang Ching-Kuo, the generalissimo's elder son who is special Commissioner of Foreign Affairs in Manchuria.

Nuernberg, Feb. 19.—(P)—Soviet prosecutors told the International Military Tribunal today that 632,253 residents of Leningrad perished of hunger during the 900-day siege of Russia's second largest city by the German army.

Washington, Feb. 19.—(P)—Proponents of the proposed St. Lawrence seaway and power project today called another United States government official as a witness to further their case before a Senate Foreign Relations subcommittee.

Claude R. Wickard, former Agriculture Secretary, now administrator of the Rural Electrification Administration, headed a list of "favorable" witnesses as the committee renewed consideration of legislation to authorize the seaway's construction.

Cairo, Feb. 19.—(C.P.)—Ancient jewels, the splendor, importance and value of which compared with those found in the tomb of King Tutankhamon have been discovered by Professor Pierre Montet during excavations in the Tanis region, in the eastern reaches of the Nile delta.

The 21st dynasty tomb of a general of the reign of King Psous in Neh has been unearthed intact with all its contents in a state of good preservation.

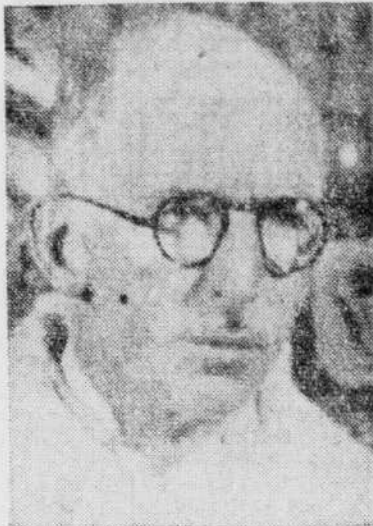
20-30 Years Required For Recovery Says Jap Premier

By RUSSELL BRINES
Tokyo, Feb. 19.—(P)—Premier Kijuro Shidehara predicted today it would take "20 or 30 years" for Japan to rebuild and added that swift restoration of foreign trade was essential for the crushed nation's livelihood.

The Premier's remarks were made in an interview with Robert McLean, president of the Philadelphia Evening Bulletin and of the Associated Press; Norman Chandler, president and publisher of the Los Angeles Times; and Benjamin McKelvey, Associate Editor of the Washington Star.

Treasured Key To Atomic Power Is Spotlit As Spy Ring Probe Continues

— Royal Commissioners —



Justice Robert Taschereau



Justice R. L. Kellock

These judges of the Supreme Court of Canada are conducting the secret enquiry into the espionage charges.

TRADE PARLEY TO CUT TARIFF CALLED BY U.N.O

21 Countries Named to Committee to Prepare Conference at Year's End — Economic Council to Meet in May.

London, Feb. 19.—(P)—The United Nations Economic and Social Council, concluding its initial London session, has agreed to summon an international trade conference for the latter part of 1946 and to hold its next meeting in New York May 25.

Lead of the United Nations bodies to adjourn, the council appointed committees last night to start work immediately on the trade conference, the refugee problem, control of narcotics, and relations with such specialized agencies as the World Federation of Trade Unions, the American Federation of Labor and the International Co-operative Alliance.

Countries named on the committee to prepare for the trade conference, originally proposed by the United States, were Canada, Australia, Belgium, Luxembourg, Brazil, China, Cuba, Czechoslovakia, France, India, Netherlands, New Zealand, Peru, Poland, Britain, Russia, the United States, Yugoslavia, the Soviet Union, Byelo-Russia and Colombia.

The trade conference would discuss reduction of trade barriers, establishment of an international trade organization and international plans for increased employment.

relayed it to Foreign Minister Shigenori Togo. Togo took the message to the palace sometime later. (Hostilities began at 3:25 a.m., December 8, Japanese time.)

Legislatures In West In Session

By The Canadian Press
The three Prairie legislatures will be in full swing today with opening of the Manitoba House following continued sittings of provincial legislatures at Regina and Edmonton. Little chance of major legislation being dealt with is seen at the Manitoba sitting, called mainly for the voting of supply.

22 AMERICANS BEING SOUGHT FOR TREASON

Suspects Will Be Returned to U.S. to Face Tribunal as Soon as Evidence Obtained—Four Already Held.

Washington, Feb. 19.—(P)—Attorney General Tom Clark disclosed today that Justice Department investigators in Europe are on the trail of 22 Americans suspected of wartime treason.

Mr. Clark said the Justice Department "is determined to bring every single American who played the Axis game swiftly to trial. No effort will be spared because we must show the world that we are not sloppy sentimentalists where the crime of high treason is concerned."

"As soon as evidence has been obtained," he added, "each of the suspects will be returned to the District of Columbia to face a United States tribunal."

Eight Americans, including the poet Ezra Pound, were indicted in 1943 in connection with alleged propaganda broadcasts.

Mr. Clark said four of these are held by the United States Army in Europe—Edward Delaney of Olney, Ill.; Douglas Chandler of Philadelphia; and Robert H. Best of New York City. Best was nabbed by army intelligence in Austria last week.

Fear Big Toll In Explosion

New Orleans, Feb. 19.—(P)—A terrific explosion, followed by fire, levelled a three-storey apartment building in the downtown residential area here today, killing an undetermined number of persons and injuring a score of others.

Montreal Report Provides Direct Link Between Espionage Enquiry and Government Probe Into Past Transactions of Eldorado Gold Mines, Ltd.

By STUART UNDERHILL
Canadian Press Staff Writer
London, Feb. 19.—(P Cable)—Prime Minister Mackenzie King has been in communication with Prime Minister Attlee regarding the leakage of secret information in Ottawa but the British Government leader does not intend to make a statement on the matter, he told the House of Commons today.

Ottawa, Feb. 19.—(P)—Uranium, the treasured key to atomic power, came to the forefront of Canada's bizarre spy ring inquiry today with a Montreal report that Soviet agents had sought to buy \$500,000 worth of the rare element from "black market" sources, but failed to get it out of the country.

The report was published today by the Montreal Gazette and tended to confirm persistent reports here that atomic bomb data headed the list of information being sought by the spy ring, said by authoritative sources to be guided by Moscow.

The Montreal report lacked official confirmation here—as have many other reports arising in the wake of the inquiry—but it was recalled that a high source told The Canadian Press Sunday the ring was seeking "anything in which a spy would be interested."

The story provided the first direct link between the spy ring inquiry and the government investigation into past transactions of Eldorado Gold Mines, Ltd., the uranium-mining company which was expropriated by the government two years ago to safeguard the source of the element.

The Eldorado inquiry, being conducted by J. Grant Glasco, Toronto accountant, was launched nearly a year ago and one report said it resulted from information that some uranium had fallen into unauthorized hands. Reconstruction Minister Howe, the minister responsible for safeguarding the precious element, said he knew nothing of uranium reaching unauthorized persons.

Some months ago Mr. Howe confirmed a statement by Tass, the official Russian news agency, which denied reports that the Soviet had bought any shares in the Eldorado Company.

"As far as we can learn the Russians were never interested in purchasing Eldorado stock," said Mr. Howe. "We do not think they ever tried to make a purchase and certainly they never did buy any."

The name "pitchblende," for the rare ore in which uranium is found, became taboo in official Ottawa during the war. Knowledge of the big Canadian pitchblende deposit on Great Bear Lake, site of the Eldorado mine, was commonplace before the war, but following government expropriation of the property mention of the deposit was on the "hush-hush" list.

Black Market Organization Centred On Halifax Docks

Halifax, Feb. 19.—(P)—A huge waterfront theft ring stretching from the Halifax docks into inland Canada and involving hundreds of thousands of dollars worth of merchandise has been uncovered by Royal Canadian Mounted Police, it was disclosed here today.

Steel Workers Report To Work Again



For the first time since January 21, steel workers at Pittsburgh return to their jobs. White House mediation ended the nation-wide strike of the C.I.O. United Steel Workers Union.

LOAN DETAILS ARE DISCUSSED WITH BRITAIN

Before Amount Arrived at Total Owed U.K. by Canada for Mutual Aid and Troop Supplies Must Be Calculated.

Ottawa, Feb. 19.—(P)—Loan discussions between Britain and Canada have passed the stage of formal meetings and now have reached the point where some details are being worked out, it was learned today.

It was understood that the talks have not reached the stage where a definite amount can be set to cover Britain's probable needs from Canada during the next few years.

Before the amount can be arrived at, it was learned, representatives of the two governments will have to calculate how much Britain owes Canada as a result of the termination of mutual aid last September.

The amount that Canada owes Britain for services and supplies to Canadian troops overseas also will be determined.

British food contracts with Canada are also said to enter the picture, Canada's Agriculture Minister Gardiner recently returned from the United Kingdom where he discussed food contracts with British Government officials. On his arrival here, he said any announcement on future contracts would be made simultaneously in London and Ottawa.

Sir Wilfrid Eady, member of the British Treasury and head of the British loan delegation, said recently Britain had imported two-thirds of her foodstuffs prior to the war and likely would continue to make heavy imports, if she could obtain the money needed to stabilize her foreign exchange position during the transition period.

HEARING RESUMED AT SWEETSBURG

Sweetsburg, Feb. 19.—(P)—Preliminary hearing was set to re-open here today following evidence submitted last Tuesday in the case of James Pearson, 60, a farmer from Iron Hill, charged with failure to provide the necessities of life to an imbecile, Fred Stone. Judge Anatole Gaudet is presiding over the hearing.

QUEBEC SESSION RESUMES TODAY

Quebec, Feb. 19.—(P)—Hon. Adolphe Godbout, leader of the Liberal opposition, will resume debate on the 1946 Throne Speech today when the second session of Quebec's 22nd Legislature resumes its sitting after the weekend.

Premier Duplessis is scheduled to wind up the debate later this week after other leaders in the Assembly have spoken on the Address. Should the motion for adoption of the Address be carried unanimously before the week is over, members will begin the study of a few of the 11 bills the government introduced for first reading last Thursday.

THREE CHARGED IN ESPIONAGE AT ELDORADO

Accused Boris Pregel of New York Claims Credit for Much of Early Development of Atomic Energy.

Toronto, Feb. 19.—(P)—Credit for much of the early development of atomic energy was claimed by Boris Pregel of New York City, charged with conspiracy along with two other men on a count involving more than \$500,000 in a letter read to a court here yesterday.

The New Yorker did not appear on the charge and John Robinson, special crown counsel, said a warrant had been issued for his arrest, but he cannot be extradited on the charge.

The other two, Carl E. French, former secretary of Eldorado Mining and Refining Company, Ltd., and Marcel Pochon, a French scientist, were remanded to April 8 on bail of \$3,000 each.

Pregel, who claimed Eldorado is indebted to him and companies with which he is associated for an amount "substantially exceeding \$1,000,000," had an agreement with Eldorado for exclusive sales agents rights for uranium and radium products in the United States and Canada. After the letter was read Mr. Robinson said he "definitely disagreed" with its contents.

Meanwhile, J. Grant Glasco, Toronto accountant who was appointed by the Federal Government as an investigator after the firm was seized by the government in January, 1944, said last night he did not care to comment on a Montreal Gazette story.

The Gazette said: "A Russian plot, the buying of more than \$500,000 worth of virtually 'black market' uranium in Canada to bring about the successful culmination of its atomic bomb espionage conspiracy has been uncovered."

Nation-Wide Phone Strike Crisis Eased

New York, Feb. 19.—(P)—A strike of long distance telephone operators in Philadelphia was settled today, removing the threat of an immediate country-wide sympathy telephone strike, but the possibility of a country-wide walkout for higher wages still was in the cards.

Peter J. Mann, federal conciliator, said at Philadelphia the American Telephone and Telegraph Company and representatives of the independent Federation of Long Lines Telephone Workers had reached an agreement on the issue of promotions and that 1,000 striking operators would return to work.

At Memphis, Tenn., John A. Moran, president of the Federation of Long Line Operators, announced earlier he would call a sympathy work stoppage of long distance operators if the Philadelphia strike was not settled within 24 hours.

However, Joseph A. Beirne, Federation president, said a majority of the 30 independent unions in his group favored a strike of its claimed 250,000 members in support of wage demands. This issue remained independent of the Philadelphia strike.

The troubles in the telephone industry came as the country's most crippling strike—a four-week long walkout of 750,000 C.I.O. steelworkers—was drawing to a close. More than half of the strikers had been ordered back to their jobs as companies accepted the agreement with the C.I.O. U.C.W. to increase wages 18 1-2 cents an hour. However, the return to work was expected to be gradual with normal operations not expected until next month.

The walkout of operators in Philadelphia resulted from a dispute between the local 205, Federation of Long Lines Telephone Workers and the American Telephone and Telegraph Company over the promotion of three employees.

The threatened strike call by the N.E.T.W. follows demands by the union for wage increases of \$10 a week, a minimum hourly wage of 65 cents and a return to the 40-hour week. The N.E.T.W. represents local and long distance workers on strike nearly a month at aid manufacturing and the research employees of the American Telephone and Telegraph system.

The return to work out the total idle because of labor disputes to approximately 1,050,000, the lowest total in a month.

Elsewhere along the labor front, new wage increase recommendations were made, 18 cents hourly for 450,000 shipyard workers and 30,000 C.I.O. farm equipment workers on strike nearly a month at the International Harvester Company plants.

ADJOURNMENT MOTION DENIED NAZI COUNSEL

No Recess Whatever Between Prosecution and Defence Granted in Trial of 22 Germans at Nuernberg.

Nuernberg, Feb. 19.—(P)—The international military tribunal today denied defence motions for a three-week adjournment in the war crimes trial of 22 Nazi leaders on completion of the prosecution case.

Lord Justice Sir Geoffrey Lawrence, president of the tribunal, said the members felt sufficient time already was available for preparation of the defence and explained that defence counsel would be able to absent themselves from the courtroom much of the time during the remainder of the prosecution for such preparation.

The denial of any recess whatever came as a surprise, since even the prosecution, in opposing the request for a three-week recess, had suggested an adjournment of two or three days or possibly even a week.

Sir Geoffrey said the tribunal would hear arguments on questions involving the trial of six Nazi organizations indicted as criminal groups as soon as the Russian prosecutors completed their case.

Anglo-French Church Role Reviewed By New Cardinal

Vatican City, Feb. 19.—(P)—The Roman Catholic Church, with traditional pomp and ceremony, paid tribute today to 32 new cardinals who were raised to the purple yesterday at a precedent-setting consistory.

The cardinals will go to Pauline Chapel tomorrow to select birettas and rings, brought there by Msgr. Toraldo di Francia, keeper of the wardrobe. They will then proceed to the Hall of Benediction, on the next floor, for the ceremony of the imposition of the birettas. One by one, the new cardinals will prostrate themselves before Pope Pius XII and kiss his foot. The Pope then will make a speech which will be broadcast by the Vatican radio.

Representing Canada at the Vatican ceremonies are Rodrigue Cardinal Villeneuve of Quebec and Canada's new cardinal, James Cardinal McGuigan, of Toronto. Appointment of Cardinal McGuigan, Canada's first English-speaking churchman of that rank, also marked the first time the Dominion had had two cardinals at one time in the Sacred College.

Cardinal McGuigan was the senior archbishop of the Empire trio and to him fell the task of acknowledging receipt of the birettas.

He congratulated his two brother cardinals and added: "The Cardinal Archbishop of Sydney comes from a land which my own claims as a sister dominion. The Archbishop of Westminster arose from a country which all the overseas British Dominions love as their Motherland. He is the divinely-appointed ruler of the church of God in the



CARDINAL MCGUIGAN

metropolis of the far-flung British Empire whose citizenship we are proud to enjoy.

"Speaking for myself I realize it is through no merit of mine that this sacred dignity has been conferred upon me. The generous act of the Holy Father is intended as a recognition of the role of English-speaking Catholics side by side with their French-speaking brethren in the building up of the glorious Canadian church. "I am happy to give the assurance that the Catholics of Canada, whatever their race or tongue, may have, are of one heart and one mind in love of their ancient faith and loyalty to the See of St. Peter."

Sonja Henie Starred In New Film 'IT'S A PLEASURE' At Premier Tomorrow



Sonja Henie, who appears in Technicolor for the first time in International's new musical extravaganza, proves to be as lovely a dancer as she is a skater.

Sonja Henie makes her Technicolor debut in 'It's a Pleasure,' which begins tomorrow at the New Premier Theatre.



tin, a hot-tempered hockey player, played by Michael O'Shea. When Don is barred from professional hockey for slugging a referee, Chris gets him a job with Buzz Fletcher's ice show, and Chris and Don are married.

But Buzz's wife, Gale, lets her heart stray to Don. Her interference wrecks the promising career. Chris is setting up for him. Don disappears, believing himself in hazard to his wife's career. She, concluding he has run away with Gale, tries to forget him and goes swiftly up the ladder of success.

INSTITUTE AT LENNOXVILLE HELD SESSION

The February meeting of the Lennoxville Women's Institute was held in the club room. Mrs. A. E. Abercrombie presided and after the usual opening and roll call correspondence was read, including New Year greetings from Mrs. Dow and a reminder for the women of Canada to remember the control of prices.

Mrs. B. A. Hill, convener of education, read a very interesting article on February being an exceptional month. Mrs. F. Glass reported \$19.50 from the recently held card party and thanked all who aided in making this a success.

Members were sorry to learn of the serious accident suffered by Miss F. I. Drummond, president of the Belvidere branch, who fell and broke her leg, and is a patient in the Sherbrooke Hospital.

A nomination committee composed of Mrs. F. Glass, Mrs. J. E. Jamieson and Mrs. J. Stafford was named to draw up a slate of officers for the next meeting for the New Year to commence in April. Mrs. Abercrombie reminded all conveners to have their annual reports completed and bring or send them to the annual meeting in March. Three new members were enrolled at this meeting.

After adjournment Mrs. C. E. Stirling and Mrs. H. L. Wallace served refreshments.

ASCOT W.I. Mrs. F. Desruisseaux entertained the members of the Ascot Women's Institute at her home in Lennoxville, where they held their February meeting.

Through the kindness of Mr. T. Majury, who brought the members by bus, there was a good attendance. Mrs. W. S. Richardson presided. Letters were read from Mrs. Dow and Mrs. Smallman, provincial executives, also from Mrs. Conley, county president. Mrs. Majury reported on boxes sent to sick and shut-ins. Mrs. J. A. Woodward reported on social service work. It was with regret that this branch heard of the serious accident of Miss F. I. Drummond and a token of remembrance will be sent to her in the Sherbrooke Hospital.

The sum of \$5 was voted to the fund for the blind and \$3 to the Save the Children Fund. Mrs. D. McEnea reported some additional prizes for the school fair list. Mrs. T. Majury, in home economics, gave some methods on stretching the butter ration and a recipe for oatmeal bread. Reports were heard on national and international relations and welfare and health.

Mrs. N. L. Cameron, publicity convener, read an article of tribute to Mrs. A. E. Abercrombie from the 'Federated News.' Mrs. Richardson reported that sewing and knitting on hand for the local Red Cross must be completed and sent to the room as soon as possible as the work is to be sent to headquarters by March 1.

A nomination committee, consisting of Mrs. T. Majury and Mrs. W. A. Henderson, was named and a programme committee of Mrs. D. Savage and Mrs. L. Butler to draw up a slate of officers and a new programme for the next meeting which will end this year's work.

Mention was made of the Lennoxville and Ascot Community Association and members urged to assist in this work. Following adjournment a salad tea was served by the hostesses, Mrs. Desruisseaux, Mrs. G. Moynan and Mrs. W. A. Henderson.

General Notes At the weekly social evening held by the Men's Own Club in the Gertrude Scott Hall, Lennoxville, the bowling winners were Messrs. L. McEnea, G. Lane, A. Matthews and F. Porter, to whom prizes were given by Mr. Wharram.

At a special meeting held by the Lennoxville Red Cross branch, Mrs. E. W. Gilbey was elected to act as secretary-treasurer for the branch due to the resignation of the recently elected treasurer.

FROST VILLAGE Mrs. J. Luce has sold her property to Mr. Percy Jones, of Waterloo.

Mrs. Gerald Martin has been visiting her sons and their families, Mr. Eric Martin and family, in St. Rose, and Mr. Harold Martin and family, in Montreal.

and engaging Henie is revealed. O'Shea gives conviction to the part of Don, which gives him his most liberal opportunities to date. Marie McDonald, as the alluring Gale, plays the femme fatale to the hit. Newcomer Bill Johnson, playing the role of Buzz, impresses favorably in his initial picture. There is fine support from comedian Gus Schilling, from Iris Adrian, Cheryl Walker and Peggy O'Neil as a trio of skating troupers, and from Arthur O'Leary.

The other picture is 'Crime, Inc.' which is a melodrama that is as exciting as it is authentic in its revelation of gangster methods and machinations. Most of the material used in the story is factual, being based on Martin Mooney's sensational expose of the 'Crime Syndicate' when as a crime reporter on a New York newspaper he published a series of articles that led to the appointment of a special prosecutor to run down the big boodle racketeers. It will be recalled that Mooney was sent to jail when he refused to divulge to the Grand Jury the source of his information.

The drama concerns the efforts of a crime syndicate to shatter other racketeers into its organization or else wipe them out.

As Cardinals Created



This photo shows the Pope conferring the traditional red hat on the new cardinals who included Cardinal McGuigan, of Toronto. From their benches at the side, one by one, the cardinals approach the throne, kneel before the Pontiff, who holds out the hat. The hat is never worn.

OFFICERS ARE APPOINTED BY CHURCH GROUP

At the annual meeting of the Holy Name Society of St. Patrick's Parish held in the church hall following high mass on Sunday, G. S. Sampson was re-elected president. Other officers elected were:

First vice-president, E. N. Holham, K.C.; second vice-president, Clovis Buzzell; treasurer, J. A. Lary (re-elected); assistant treasurer, M. A. Bryson; secretary, J. Keville Doherty (re-elected); assistant secretary, John Corcoran; marshal, E. Galvin; chaplain, Rev. Father L. Tierney. Counsellors are J. S. Mooney, J. G. Russell, A. J. O'Boyle and John Woodgate.

Mr. Sampson presided at the meeting at which reports for 1945 were submitted. An increased membership was noted. On Thursday, members of the executive will meet to arrange a program and other business for the year.

FULFORD

Mr. and Mrs. S. Zenilskiz entertained friends from Montreal over a week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Mooney were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Eben Fessenden.

BOY SCOUT NEWS



St. Andrew's Scotchmen The St. Andrew's Troop met on Friday and instead of the usual meeting enjoyed a sleigh drive. The boys brought their girl friends with them and a good drive was enjoyed by all in spite of the intense cold. After the drive a feed of baked beans and hot rolls with cocoa awaited them. Several games were played and a campfire was held. The meeting was under the direction of Skipper Stan Locke. The thanks of the troop are extended to Miss Eva Humphries for her help in looking after the refreshments.

St. Pat's Irishmen St. Patrick's Troop met in the school with District Scoutmaster Doug Racey in charge. Instruction and games comprised the evening's programme and good progress was made.

St. Peter's Troop The meeting opened with flag break at 7:15 and was under the leadership of Skipper Earl Turner. Treasurer, Sixteen Scouts were present and a new recruit was welcomed into the unit in the person of Jim Bangs. He was received into the Fox Patrol. The main item of the evening was a treasure hunt. The Scout sleigh drive will take place next Friday evening and girl friends of the boys are welcome.

Lennoxville Troop The 1st Lennoxville Troop met as usual on Thursday night under the capable leadership of Skipper Sid Spanswick. Frank Hicks, provincial secretary, paid a visit to the troop and conducted several training games. There were seventeen boys present to enjoy a programme of instruction and games.

CITY FIRST IN PREVENTION OF FIRE FOR YEAR

Fire Director Percy Donahue announced this morning that Sherbrooke had captured first place in the Provincial Fire Commission's Class B rating for fire prevention work during the past year. This class covers cities of 25,000 to 100,000 population, in the province of Quebec. Three Rivers ranked second and Verdun third. Fire Director Donahue added that Sherbrooke was 6th in the Dominion and that 29 firsts were obtained by this province out of 53. In addition to this, Quebec Province took second place for the number of reports transmitted to the committee of judges.

Leo Thibault is chairman of the civilian committee for fire prevention work, which deserves much credit for this honor won by Sherbrooke for the first time.

CARDS OF THANKS We wish to express our sincere thanks to our friends and neighbors for all the kindness and sympathy shown during the illness and death of our dear father and grandfather, also to the Rev. Harold Church; the bearers, organist, choir and to those who sent flowers and loaned cars, and helped in any way.

MR. AND MRS. GEORGE HODGE AND FAMILY. MR. AND MRS. PERRY BISHOP. MR. AND MRS. LEO CUTTING AND FAMILY. MR. AND MRS. FRED TYLER AND FAMILY. MR. AND MRS. JOHN CUTTING AND WARREN. MR. AND MRS. FRED SPRUCE AND WAYNE Costiok, February 16th, 1946.

IN MEMORIAM DOWNES - In loving memory of our dear father and mother, George and Phoebe Downes, who were called away on February 18, 1942, and Jan. 22, 1938, respectively. Always kept in fondest memory by their family: MISS INEZ DOWNES. MRS. BERTHA DILLON. And Family. MRS. FLORENCE LOVING AND Family. MR. AND MRS. HARRY CUMMINGS AND Family. MR. AND MRS. WILLIAM DOWNES AND Family. MR. AND MRS. HAROLD DOWNES.

IN MEMORIAM LOCKWOOD - In loving memory of our dear mother and grandmother, Mrs. John Lockwood, who passed away February 19th, 1945. Oh for the clasp of a vanished hand And the sound of a voice that is still Ever remembered by MR. AND MRS. JAMES LOCKWOOD. Daughter and Son-in-law. MR. AND MRS. SYDNEY LOCKWOOD. Son and Daughter-in-law. MURRAY, MARY AND RETA. Grandchildren.

IN MEMORIAM SMITH - In loving memory of a beloved mother, Emma Elizabeth R. Smith, at rest eleven years, passed away February 19, 1934, and dear father, passed away on January 26th, 1938; also our dear brother, William James Smith, September 21, 1944. Memories are treasured none can steal. Death is a heartache none can heal. Some may forget you are gone. But we still remember no matter how long. Sadly missed by your children, MR. AND MRS. G. W. MEAKIN, Montreal, Que. MRS. KATE TAYLOR, Cookshire, Que. MR. E. T. SMITH, Windsor, Ont. AND GRANDCHILDREN.

IN MEMORIAM LOCKWOOD - In loving memory of our dear mother and grandmother, Mrs. John Lockwood, Cleveland, Que., who entered into rest on February 19th, 1945. Treasured memories are all that are left. Of one we loved and will never forget. The dearest soul the world would hold. With her cheery smile, and a heart of gold. Of those who knew her, all will know how much we lost one year ago. Ever remembered by HER DAUGHTER, ANNIE HEALY AND Grandchildren. MYRTLE, LESLIE AND HARVEY, Danville, Que.

FINANCIAL NEWS

Stock quotations are supplied by Greenshields & Co., of which J. J. Bell is local manager.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

Table with columns: Open, 11 a.m. and stock names like Amer. Tel. & Tel., Anaconda Copper, Bethlehem Steel, etc.

MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE

Table with columns: Open, 11 a.m. and stock names like Asbestos Corp., B. A. Bank Note, Bathurst Paper, etc.

MONTREAL CURB MARKET

Table with columns: Open, 11 a.m. and commodity names like Abitibi, Abitibi Pfd., B. C. Packers, etc.

BOYNTON

John T. Potter, of the R.C.A.F., has returned from overseas and has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Kene and other friends.

Mr. E. J. Asbury and daughter, Connie, were in Rock Island one day.

Several families in this neighborhood have been shut in with the prevailing epidemic of the grippe. Edsel Bean, a member of the U.S. armed forces, was visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hibbard.

Mrs. Margaret Mosher and Breaky, Wallace and Coleen Mosher spent a day in Rock Island.

Mr. J. E. Asbury, of St. Johnsbury, Vt., spent a week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Asbury.

Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Keene accompanied Mr. J. T. Potter to Sherbrooke en route to Montreal to receive his discharge.

BIRTHS

LYNCH - At the Sherbrooke Hospital, on February 17, 1946, Dora O. Lynch and Mrs. Marcus D. Lynch (nee Jessie Lyster), a son, Edward Franklin Lyster.

DEATHS

CAFSEY - At Frelighsburg, Que., on February 18th, 1946, Dora O. Bockus, beloved wife of Leslie Capsey, in her 74th year. Funeral service at Bishop Stewart Memorial Church, Frelighsburg, on Wednesday, February 20th, at 2 p.m. Interment in St. John's, Que. Jernie's Funeral Home.

MARTIN - Entered into rest on February 18th, 1946, at Colwood, B.C., Edith May, wife of the late John Martin and daughter of the late David Inglis and Amanda Jones of Foster, Que.

QUINN - Passed away at her late residence, Beebe, Que., on Tuesday, February 19, 1946, Hattie E. (Churchill) beloved wife of the late Thomas Quinn in her 89th year. Funeral service at 2:30 p.m. Thursday, February 21st, at Wesley United Church, Rev. A. Lovelace officiating. Interment in the family lot at Beebe, Que.

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SMYTH - At the residence of his sister-in-law, Mrs. Selvia Smyth, Magog, Que. Matthias Smyth of Drummondville, Que., in his 67th year. Funeral service will be held at St. Luke's C. Magog, on Wednesday, February 20th at 2 p.m. interment in Pine Hill Cemetery.

MONTREAL LIVE STOCK MARKET

Montreal, Feb. 19.—Quality was plain and prices steady today on the livestock markets. Receipts: Cattle, 52; sheep, 4; hogs, 291; calves, 185. Medium quality steers sold for \$11.50 to \$12.50 and common were \$9 up. Heifers ranged from \$7.50 to \$11.50. Good butcher cows were \$9 to \$10, and common kinds, \$7 to \$8. Canners and cutters were \$6 up. Good bulls brought \$9 to \$10 and bologna bulls were \$7.50 to \$8.50. Veals ranged from \$11 to \$16.50. Light grasses and drinkers were \$9 to \$10.50. Sheep were \$4 to \$9. Hogs were slow and sold mostly at \$19.25 for grade A, some going at \$19. Sows were \$18 to \$18.25 dressed.

DUNKIN

Miss Geraldine Smith, of Highwater, Mrs. Charles Newell and Robert and Shirley Newell, Real Beaulac and Yvon Bombardier, of Mansville, gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Aiken, on Saturday evening to celebrate the birthday of their daughter, Gloria. A pleasant evening was enjoyed and refreshments including a large birthday cake were served.

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City Revenue At All-Time High; Net Surplus \$18,970

Increased Expenditures In Past Year More Than Offset Gain In Municipal Revenue

Although the revenues for the City of Sherbrooke reached an all-time high of \$1,795,918.08 during 1945, increasing expenditures more than offset the gain in income with the result that the annual financial report submitted to the Council by City Treasurer H. Maurice Cormier last evening showed a net operating surplus for the year of \$18,970.04. This compares with a surplus of \$27,370.04 in 1944, \$79,480.77 in 1943, \$114,091.78 in 1942 and \$73,548.80 in 1941. Total expenditures for the year were \$1,776,948.04. This latter figure includes all operating expenditures, debt services—interest and sinking fund—grants, depreciation and maintenance of the utility services.

As usual a substantial deficit was registered on general administration account, the figure this year being \$569,256.70, but this was more than offset by surpluses of \$475,394.08 in the Electric department, \$13,287.85 in the Gas department and \$94,544.21 in the Waterworks. The revenues, expenditures and surplus or deficit of the various departments in detail follow:

Revenue	Expenditure	Result
General administration	\$616,241.75	569,256.70 D
Electricity	895,502.73	475,394.08 S
Gas	126,460.59	18,287.85 S
Water	157,713.01	94,544.21 S
Total	1,795,918.08	18,970.04 S

To partially offset the deficit of the general administration account, contributions totalling \$540,000 were made by the utility services, reducing the deficit on general administration to \$29,256.70. Of this, \$452,000 was taken from the Electric department, bringing its net surplus to \$23,394.08, \$6,000 was transferred from the Gas department to cut its profits to \$12,287.85 and \$82,000 was transferred from the Waterworks.

The importance of the utilities profits to the municipal financial set-up is stressed by Mr. Cormier in his report, the total contributions of these three departments to the general funds being equal to 16.5 mills on a taxable valuation of \$2,931,665. In other words, lacking these profits, the municipal taxation rate would be 27.5 mills on the dollar instead of the existing rate of 11 mills.

A slight increase was noted in the actual and per capita debt during the year. As at December, 1944, the funded debt amounted to \$5,430,590, while during the year debentures due and paid off totalled \$272,500, being divided as follows: General administration, \$193,650; workers' dwellings, \$10,850; electricity and gas, \$62,000, and water, \$6,000. New bond flotations during the year were \$393,000, under the following by-law: By-law 646, \$220,000; by-law 647, \$98,000, and by-law 648, \$75,000. This brought the total funded debt at the end of 1945 to \$5,551,000. To be deducted from this figure were liquid sinking funds on hand amounting to \$1,116,420.75, leaving the net debt at \$4,434,579.25 as compared with \$4,388,705.78 on December 31, 1944. On a per capita basis this represents an increase of 53 cents in the per capita net debt which was \$105.95 as compared with \$105.42 in 1944.

During the year the value of the municipal assets increased \$406,409.07 to \$13,291,257.94 from \$12,884,758.87 on December 31, 1944. The sinking funds continue in a highly satisfactory position, the actual amount on hand, \$1,116,420.75, showing a surplus over statutory requirements of \$207,431.62, the statutory requirements being \$908,989.13.

Collections continue to provide a bright feature, 95 per cent of the current levy of \$769,405 for real estate and school, business, rental, poll and professional taxes for 1945 being collected by the close of the year, while total collections, current and arrears, were 102.65 of the current levy. Arrears of taxes reached \$15,169.26 of consolidations made under provincial legislation during the depression years. Of the total charges of the Electric and Gas departments, \$1,097,035, the collections in 1946 amounted to 101.6 per cent, while in the Water department collections were 99.8 per cent of the current charges.

The report indicates that the time is approaching when some action will have to be taken to maintain a balanced budget. While the population increased fifteen per cent over a five-year period and revenues gained \$273,201 or 18 per cent, expenditures increased even more rapidly, jumping \$327,779 or 22.6 per cent.

COMPARATIVE FIGURES OF REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES — A PERIOD OF 5 YEARS

POPULATION	1941	1942	1943	1944	1945
Total Current Revenue:	34,904	37,269	38,188	38,942	40,134
Finance Department:	518,390.41	536,440.10	543,300.25	587,307.97	616,241.75
Waterworks:	134,074.62	138,401.13	140,290.39	149,079.80	157,713.01
Electric Light and Power:	782,871.88	822,816.33	838,479.14	861,904.43	895,502.73
Gas:	87,381.03	93,724.97	103,848.42	115,157.63	128,460.59
	\$1,522,717.94	\$1,591,382.53	\$1,631,978.20	\$1,713,949.83	\$1,795,918.08
Total Current Expenditure:					
Finance Department:	893,882.32	908,525.82	1,000,331.96	1,105,809.39	1,185,498.45
Waterworks:	62,293.20	61,781.42	57,380.68	61,102.54	63,168.80
Electric Light and Power:	418,310.40	429,764.90	405,033.29	418,425.81	420,108.05
Gas:	79,683.22	89,274.52	89,751.50	101,242.35	108,172.74
	\$1,449,169.14	\$1,477,290.75	\$1,562,497.43	\$1,686,579.79	\$1,776,948.04

Results after all operating expenses, grants, depreciation, debt retirement and interest charges have been deducted:

Department	1941	1942	1943	1944	1945
Finance Department:	375,491.91 D	372,085.72 D	450,971.71 D	518,001.42 D	569,256.70 D
Waterworks:	17,814.28 S	82,675.02 S	82,909.71 S	87,977.26 S	94,544.21 S
Electric Light and Power:	369,561.48 S	393,052.03 S	435,445.85 S	443,425.81 S	475,394.08 S
Gas:	7,697.81 S	10,450.45 S	14,006.92 S	13,915.28 S	18,287.85 S
	\$73,548.80 S	\$114,091.78 S	\$79,480.77 S	\$27,370.04 S	\$18,970.04 S

PERIOD OF 5 YEARS

Category	Amount	Percentage
Revenues: Increase	\$273,201	18%
Expenditures: Increase	\$327,779	22.6%

NYLON SALES VERY CALM IN LOCAL STORES

The expected bridgehead at local hosiery counters did not materialize today as nylon stockings went on sale for the first time since the war. Sherbrooke women did not lose their heads and for the most part kept in line. For weeks the sales problem has haunted store managers as they prepared to stand off women ready to go almost any length to get a pair of hose the charm of which has been said to have no equal while wearing like the proverbial iron horse.

Retailers devised various methods—besides holding their breath—to cope with the situation. Some stores decided against having any hose on the counters at all. Old customers received cards beforehand permitting purchases on N- (for Nylon) Day. This priority system was popular but not general. The most stores here did not even put up a call or a sign. If you were in the know, the call was subconscious and you were at the barricade at the earliest hour.

Store clerks in the Maritimes took the first onslaught from stocking and women, the stores in that time zone opening earlier than elsewhere.

As time marched on the battle shifted westward, to Montreal and Toronto and Ottawa, then to the Prairies, Winnipeg, Regina, Saskatoon, and on to Calgary and Edmonton and the department stores of the Pacific Coast in Vancouver and Victoria.

SEVERAL HURT IN ACCIDENTS IN THIS CITY

Three men were injured, one woman was struck by a car and another man was overcome by gas fumes in a series of accidents here. Working near a pan of gasoline with an acetylene torch in his garage on King Street West, Leo Paul Desrosieres, 167 8th Avenue, suffered burns to the face and hands yesterday afternoon when the gasoline became ignited by the torch and then set fire to his clothes. Two of his employees, Gerald Veaneau, 21-B Banks Street and W. Jean, 2 Bowen Avenue North, also suffered burns when they attempted to aid Desrosieres in moving the burning pan of gas outside.

The three men were taken to St. Vincent de Paul Hospital by the Radio Police while the fire, which began in the office when Desrosieres tried to remove his clothes, was extinguished by members of the local Fire Department under the supervision of Director Percy Dorahue.

Mrs. Alfred Rousseau, 9 Quebec Street, was struck by a car at 11:30 last night at the corner of Depot and King Streets. The car, driven by E. S. Hetherington, of Cookshire, was turning onto Depot Street at the time of the accident. Mrs. Rousseau suffered shock and lacerations to the head. She is 61 years old. Fernand Lamontagne, 23 Galt Street, was rescued from possible asphyxiation yesterday afternoon, by his cousin, Roland Lamontagne, while repairing a gas valve in the home of J. N. Boisvert at 30 Marquette Street. Lamontagne was working in a confined space when the gas fumes rendered him unconscious. His cousin, noticing him lying on the floor, removed him from the spot, thereby saving his life.

CEASE WORK ON RUSSIAN ORDERS
It is reported that Canadian Ingersoll Rand Company has received notice from the Department of Reconstruction to stop work for the time being in the filling of orders for Russia, but no confirmation or denial of this is forthcoming from authorities at the local Ingersoll plant. Several Montreal firms have been definitely notified to cease work on Russian orders, but no reasons for this move can be ascertained as yet according to a story appearing in a Montreal paper.

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New Zealand Is Proud Of Its Social Security, Obtained By 7 1-2 p.c. Tax On All Incomes

By D. McINTOSH
"My name's Wilson. Come in." The New Zealand High Commissioner to Canada three wide the door of his room in the New Sherbrooke Hotel and extended his hand in greeting to the member of the press.

A middle-aged, hearty Scot, who wears horn-rimmed glasses, David Wilson was in Sherbrooke yesterday to speak before the local branch of the Canadian Institute of International Affairs.

He tossed aside a copy of A House Without A Key, a Charlie Chan mystery, and settled back comfortably on the bed, shoving aside two small matching valises labelled "D.W." "So you'd like to know something about New Zealand? Well, here goes."

And Mr. Wilson proceeded to talk about New Zealand. Strictly speaking, New Zealand is not a socialist country, as so many people believe; the vast majority of industry is privately owned and by and large it is only the public services that the Labor government has taken over. Mr. Wilson said, "And many were taken over by the state even before the Labor government came into power," he added.

"New Zealand is most proud of its social security," declared Mr. Wilson. It is broader than anything of its kind in the world and insures a reasonable standard of living by supplying, for instance, free hospitalization; and free maternity—it costs nothing to have a baby in New Zealand," he added.

"How do you pay for all this?" we asked. "By a seven and a half per cent tax on all income, whether salary, wages or dividends."

Speaking briefly of New Zealand's 40-hour week in all industries, Mr. Wilson went on to explain that industry-wide compulsory unionism and compulsory arbitration of disputes has worked extremely well and cut down chances of loss of man-hours through strikes. "But there is no note of compulsion struck; compulsory unionism and arbitration are accepted as a matter of course," he stated. Many dairy industries, in particular the butter industry, are co-operatively owned by farmers, who are guaranteed a price by the government, which buys from the farmers before it sells on the world market. Mr. Wilson said in reply to a query concerning co-operatives.

"What if there is a deficit?" "It is made up by the government. In a good year when a profit accrues the reserve is placed in the dairy account to offset a bad year," Mr. Wilson replied.

Mr. Wilson, a native of Enchant (he speaks with a slight, enchan-

Government Conciliator In Sherbrooke To Study Strike

Cyprien Miron, a conciliator of the Provincial Department of Labor, has arrived in Sherbrooke to study developments in the strike of shop employees at the Canadian Silk Products where 140 knitters of nylon hose are demanding an almost ten cent per hour increase in wages. Mr. Miron will confer with Romeo Vallee, president of the committee which is representing the workers in the negotiations, and with the management of the S.S.P.

R. Hermigny, representative of the Conciliation of Catholic Workers of Canada, is arriving from Quebec today to follow up on the development of the stoppage of work on behalf of his organization. The Full Fashioned Hosiery Workers Association of the Canadian Silk Products is affiliated to the Catholic Workers' Confederation.

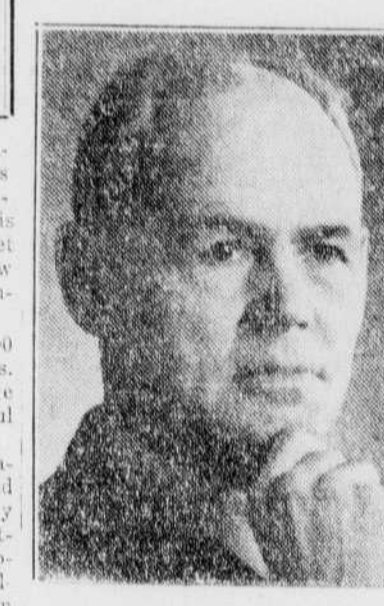
Yesterday morning picketers lock up positions at entrance gates to the Drummond Street plant and since then have refused admittance to all but department heads and management. The twenty-two office workers of the company are not on strike, but have not been allowed through the picket line. Today gates were locked, and picketers firm. Yesterday morning, one member of the press got through, however.

The strike involves five hundred, about three hundred men and two hundred women. Knitters are asking 90 1/2 cents to \$1.08 per hour, depending on gauge and sections for knitting nylons. A time study based on these rates would make the price of knitting nylons 75.6 cents to \$1.16 per dozen. The company has offered \$1.01 cents to \$1.01 per hour for knitting the hose, which brings the price to 67 cents to \$1.11 per dozen, depending on gauge and sections.

Spokesman for the employees claim that in 1929 knitters of silk stockings were making from sixty to eighty-five dollars per week, and the cost of living then was lower than that of today. Also, the knitting of the nylon stockings today demands more skill than that required to knit the silk stockings seventeen years ago, which were inferior in quality and style to nylons.

It is also claimed that in another company of equal importance engaged in the same work as the Canadian Silk Products in Sherbrooke, where the cost of living is the same, employees receive eleven per cent higher wages.

OBSERVES BIRTHDAY



DR. W. W. LYNCH, who is today receiving congratulations on the occasion of his birthday.

CITY BRIEFS

St. Peter's A.Y.P.A. will present a comedy "To Many Relatives" in the Church Hall, Feb. 23rd and March 1st, 8:30 p.m. Adm. 55c.

Watch for opening: Tots' Town, The Children Store, 63a Wellington North.

Dr. A. N. Hamel, Dentist, 17 Wellington North, after a long absence, has re-opened his office.

Dr. H. S. Ellis will conduct his office with Dr. McKenna, Suite 116, in His Majesty's Bldg., 85a Wellington St. North.

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VETERANS: ATTENTION! Have you any War Trophies? Bring them to William St. Armoury for the War Trophy and Weapon Display, 21st and 22nd Fens, of Floor 1453, and they will be called for. All Trophies will be insured.

WILFRED SMITH RETIRES AFTER LONG SERVICE

After thirty-five years service with the Canadian National Railways, J. A. Wilfred Smith, district freight agent with that company, is retiring, it was learned today. Mr. Smith, who has held his present position since April 21, 1938, first joined the service of the railroad in 1909 when he entered the employ of the Canadian Pacific at Montreal. Ten years later he transferred to the Canadian National Railways at Montreal and some years later came to this city. Just prior to coming to Sherbrooke he was chief district freight agent for the Canadian National.

Mr. Smith, who retires at the end of this month, has for a number of years been a member of the Sherbrooke Rotary Club, the local Chamber of Commerce and the Sherbrooke Curling Club. His successor has not yet been announced.

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VERDICT GIVEN IN ROCK FOREST ACCIDENT CASE

A verdict of accidental death was returned this morning in the case of Gerard Belanger, 19-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. John Belanger of Rock Forest, who was killed early yesterday afternoon when struck by a freight train in the vicinity of his home. Belanger, who suffered from parietal epilepsy, was sent on an errand to Little Lake Magog and was in the act of crossing the tracks when the train struck him. The engineer of the train stated that he usually "blew his whistle at

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INJURED IN FALL

Ayer's Cliff, Feb. 19.—Mrs. George Hunter, 70, of this place, who fell on the icy street near Lundberg's Garage on Sunday afternoon, is in the Sherbrooke Hospital today suffering a broken leg.

DIES IN STORE

Joseph Brochu, of 95 St. Louis Street, died suddenly at about 11:45 o'clock this morning shortly before being admitted to the Hotel Dieu. According to information received, Brochu was passing Dawson's Auto Parts store on Wellington Street South when he was stricken.

DIES SUDDENLY AWAITING X-RAYS

Delphis de la Fontaine, of Collinsville, died suddenly in the waiting room of the St. Vincent de Paul Hospital yesterday while awaiting X-ray examinations. He was accompanied by his son, Claude, and was seized with a heart attack.

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DOROTHY DIX

Beauty Only Skin Deep

Unattractive Girls Can Make Selves Appealing And Popular

A girl asks: "How can life be made more bearable for a fat and ugly girl?" Perhaps there is no more tragic figure than the teen-age girl who longs to be slim and glamorous and who realizes that she is short and stubby and homely, without a vestige of beauty in her whole make-up.

To these ugly ducklings I would say a word of cheer. I would like to impress upon them the fact that while there is no miracle-worker who can turn Plain Jane into a living picture, no woman in these days need stay the way nature made her.

PLASTIC SURGEONS PLENTIFUL Let's take the case history of my unhappy correspondent who feels like committing suicide every time she looks into the mirror. Well, before she reaches for the poison bottle let her study her assemblage of features and see what's the matter with them.

Of course, in these days when the living skeleton is the standard of feminine pulchritude, it is a sore affliction for a girl to be fat, but she needn't go around carrying excess poundage and wearing stylish suits if she will put herself in the hands of a gland physician and count her calories and take enough exercise.

And then there are clothes, which make the woman, for in a woman's appearance we never distinguish between herself and what she has on. When we say a girl is pretty, nine times out of ten we are really complimenting her hat and her dress.

So, my dear little correspondent, don't mourn as one without hope because you are homely. Make yourself over, and remember that there is one compensation that a girl has for not having been born in America. She will never have to listen to people say: "How she has faded!"

The Record will be pleased to receive any letters to this Dorothy Dix column. These will be forwarded to Miss Dix who will answer them as quickly as possible.

CLEVELAND Mrs. W. Harris, of Lachine spent a few days with her sister. Mr. Arthur Smith and his son, Albert, spent a few days with relatives in Montreal. Mr. and Mrs. F. Monahan and family, of Lachine spent the weekend at Mr. Astell's. Her many friends will be sorry to hear that Mrs. Thomas Astell is very ill.

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In The Women's Sphere

WOMEN'S CLUBS

FRIENDLY CHRISTMAS CLUB

The February meeting of the Friendly Christmas Club, which met at the home of Mrs. Lloyd Spafford, was a birthday party in honor of the president, Mrs. Carl Ball.

Cards were played at three tables. Prizes were won by Miss Laura Holtham and Mrs. Robert Reed.

On behalf of the members of the club, Mrs. V. Holtham expressed their appreciation of the devotion and loyalty of fourteen years as president, and presented Mrs. Ball with a beautiful silver sugar and cream service and tray.

The club welcomed a new member, Mrs. G. Daine.

The next club meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. V. Holtham, on March 6.

PLYMOUTH CHURCH W.M.S.

Mrs. W. G. Cross presided at the February meeting of the W.M.S., held in Plymouth Church Hall, the devotional period being conducted by Mrs. George Lothrop.

Following the adoption of the minutes and the financial report, it was decided to hold a rummage sale on Friday, March 29.

On motion of Mrs. F. S. Rugz, seconded by Mrs. T. F. L. Cohoon, and carried, the regular meeting will be held on March 21 instead of March 14.

It was announced that the Women's World Day of Prayer will be held on March 8, time and place to be named later.

Further announcement was made that the "Elery Read" Mission Band, for children from six to twelve years, would be started on Sunday, February 17, with Mrs. J. Dorrian and Mrs. Newman Hunter as leaders.

A chapter from the study book on Africa, entitled "The Ministry of Healing and Social Welfare," was interestingly reviewed by Mrs. A. Norman Flint, Mrs. J. Dorrian and Mrs. W. S. Sutherland.

Mrs. J. Smith sang the solo "Gloria," by Buzze-Pecora, and after the offering was taken up the meeting closed with the Mizpah Benediction.

VICTORIAN ORDER OF NURSES

The monthly meeting of the Victorian Order of Nurses was held in the Child Welfare Clinic rooms, with the first vice-president, A. C. Skinner, in the chair. The minutes of the last meeting were read by Mrs. G. A. Sirois, secretary.

In the absence of the acting treasurer, G. A. Sirois, Mrs. W. B. McCaw, a member of the finance committee, read the financial report covering the month of January.

The receipts for that month amount to \$671.25, the main items of which are nurses' fees, donations, subscriptions, Child Welfare Clinic, etc. Expenditures totalled \$907.45.

The latter include nurses' salaries, automobile upkeep, rent, insurance and sundry items.

Miss Hattie O. Empey, nurse-in-charge, reported a very heavy case load for the nursing staff during January. She submitted the following report: New patients admitted, 131; old cases, 178; total, 309. Visits, total, 987; confinements, 13; visits re maternity cases, 178; visits re new born babies, 234; visits to soldiers' families, 19.

Nursing staff during January, 1946, Miss Hattie O. Empey, nurse-in-charge; Misses M. A. M. Drummond, Pauline Cote, Lucille Beaudet, and Olivette Roy.

The annual meeting which was to have been held on February 12 has been postponed to March 13 on account of Miss Elizabeth Smellie being unable to attend until the latter date.

Since the January meeting the death of the Reverend G. Elery Read, D.D., president of the Sherbrooke branch, has occurred. The following resolution has been passed by a standing vote, those present bowing in reverential silence:

"Resolved that the members of the Sherbrooke branch of the Victorian Order of Nurses, assembled in monthly meeting, place on record their deep sympathy with Mrs. Howard Aikman, Mr. Douglas E. Read and Mr. Stanley E. Read and their families in the bereavement they have sustained in the passing of their father, Reverend G. Elery Read, D.D., who for ten years held the office of president of the Sherbrooke branch of the Victorian Order of Nurses. Under his wise and inspirational leadership the Sherbrooke branch of the Order has made steady and gratifying progress. In his passing the Order has lost a generous benefactor and able administrator and a dear friend the memory of whom will be cherished by all who associated with him. As already testified, Dr. Read held a unique position in the life of the City of Sherbrooke; he held the love and respect of its citizens to an extent enjoyed by no other man today and by few who had gone before him. A man, to Dr. Read, was God's creature who was here to be loved by his fellow-man and to be helped if he were in need."

Social and Personal

Dr. H. E. McKenna has left to spend a few days in Montreal, and will leave later for Chicago and New York.

Friends of Miss Marion Hunter will be pleased to hear that she has returned to her home in Milan, France, after a long stay in the Sherbrooke Hospital.

Friends of Miss Elizabeth McKay, of Cookshire, will be pleased to hear that she has returned to her home from the Royal Victoria Hospital, Montreal, where she has been a patient for some time.

Lieut. and Mrs. W. J. Daniels and their son, Michael, of Sherbrooke, are spending a two weeks' holiday in Hamilton, Ont., where they are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Slater at their home, 987 Main Street East.

Mrs. J. M. J. and Mrs. J. Dorrian undrained the members of the Women's Missionary Society of Plymouth Church at a meeting following the month of meeting held in the church hall with Mrs. W. G. Cross presiding. Tea was poured by Mrs. Jencks.

The Brempion Road Community Hall was the scene of a delightful Valentine party when the St. Francis Young People's Society substituted a gala event for their regular meeting.

Mr. Warren Ross, the club's social convener, introduced games and contests in which all members and their guests enthusiastically participated. Prizes were awarded in several events, the winners including Mrs. S. Billing, Mr. M. Page, Mr. Bryce Billing, Mr. Garth McLeod, Mrs. D. A. Ross and Mr. and Mrs. Milton Brown. Later delicious refreshments were served, the convener being ably assisted in his pleasant hospitable duties by Mrs. L. Clark and Miss Wilma Wallace.

The Valentine bridge given by the Quebec Epsilon Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi in the Mayfair Room at the New Sherbrooke Hotel was an outstanding success.

The numerous guests were graciously received by Mrs. George Carr, social sponsor, and Mrs. B. C. Howard, president of the chapter. Miss Marguerite Heinerich, treasurer, ably fulfilled her duties at the door. Ticket convener for the bridge was Miss Frances Brodeur and the Misses Marion Libby and Margaret Montgomery were in charge of advertising. Mrs. Gerald Spafford, vice-president, with the assistance of her committee, the Misses Joyce Richards, Marguerite Cotton and Jean McLeod, was in charge of the decorations.

The St. Valentine's theme was carried out most effectively throughout the room, the walls being decorated with old-fashioned nosegays, each one tied with white ribbon having tiny red hearts attached. These were attractively centered on large red hearts. Red and white streamers of crepe paper, held in place by large red cupid, added to the color scheme. The table prizes, boxes of chocolates attractively wrapped in white paper and tied with red ribbon, were displayed on a central table covered with red crepe paper bordered with paper doilies, giving it a dainty lacy effect. A lovely little Valentine Lady, gaily dressed in ruffles and lace, also stood on the table and carried a large, red, heart-shaped basket. Needless to say, this lovely lady was the center of attraction. During the evening three pairs of silk stockings, donated by Mrs. Carr, were and the lucky winners were Mrs. A. M. Edwards, Mrs. C. Meloche and Mr. Guy Crevier. As a climax to the evening's activities, a delicious box lunch was served. Each box was daintily wrapped in white paper centered with a red heart. Table centerpieces in red, trimmed with white doilies, to which were attached tiny white ribbon bows, left with the addition to the decorations. Miss Alice Strickland, food convener, and her valued assistant, Mrs. Helen Barclay, were responsible for the refreshments. Members of the chapter assisted in serving. It was largely due to the efforts of the social chairman, Miss Marion Libby, who was unable to attend owing to illness, that this social event was a great success. The proceeds of this bridge are to be donated to the Canadian Red Cross, for supplying equipment for Red Cross military lodges.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Miller Hall left this morning en route for St. Petersburg, Fla., where they will spend some time at the Huntington Hotel.

The Merry Maids of Trinity United Church Sunday School, celebrated St. Valentine's Day at a jolly evening party, held at the home of their teacher, Mrs. W. E. Hodge, London Street. Games were organized by the president, Miss Barbara Stringer, assisted by Miss Barbara McDonald and Miss Evelyn Chesbro. The hostess was assisted in entertaining her youthful guests by Mrs. C. Coates. Refreshments were served and it was announced that the cash door prize donated by Mrs. Hodro, had been won by Miss Dawn Hyatt.

Among the many happy celebrations arranged in honor of St. Valentine's Day was a very successful card party given by the Women's Auxiliary of the Canadian Legion Branch 10, at the home of Mrs. R. Gosselin. After enjoying their games, the fortunate winners, Mrs. J. Neale, Mrs. George Beauregard and Mrs. Trueman, were presented with prizes, each gift being daintily wrapped in red and white and decorated with cut-out hearts. There were also two additional prizes, Mrs. W. Webb holding the lucky number. Later delicious refreshments were served by the hostess, Mrs. Gosselin, with Mrs. S. Dixon and Mrs. L. Sharon assisting. The proceeds from the pleasant social gathering were most gratifying.

TOMFOBIA

The sudden passing of Dr. R. O. Ross came as a shock to his many patients and friends here, where he will be greatly missed. The deepest sympathy is extended to Mrs. R. O. Ross and family in their bereavement.

Mr. Lawrence River is shut in with the prevailing influenza. Mrs. Nattie O'Leary is not feeling as fast as her many friends would wish.

Pie, Gordon Carpenter was in Newmarket, Vt., calling on friends.

Mrs. Isabella Gosselin was a guest of Mrs. J. Manning. Mr. Arthur Gosselin has been confined to his bed with an attack of the flu.

Mr. Luther Hitchcock was a dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lowrey.

Mr. Henry Doolak was a caller at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Lowrey.

Pie, Gordon Carpenter, who recently arrived from overseas on the "Lava Parley" is a guest at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Carpenter. He spent four years in England, France, Belgium, Holland and Germany.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Carpenter are ill with the grippe.

Mrs. Lyman McIntyre is visiting her cousin in Lennoxville.

Mr. Charles Clark was a week-end guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Tioehurst and daughters were calling on Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Carpenter and Pie, G. K. Carpenter one evening.

Miss Florence River was calling on Mr. and Mrs. Lee Brown, in Beche.

Pie, Raymond Dutton, who recently arrived from overseas on the Queen Elizabeth, is visiting his mother and brother, Mrs. D. Dutton and Mr. Roy Dutton.

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Stanbridge East, Feb. 12.—The annual meeting of the Ladies' Aid combined with the congregational meeting of the various official boards of Stanbridge East United Church was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Fortin.

Mrs. S. Davitt, secretary of the Ladies' Aid, gave a report of the activities of that organization during 1945, which showed a prosperous year with a substantial balance on hand, according to the treasurer's report.

The election of officers for the Ladies' Aid resulted as follows: President, Mrs. E. L. Hodge; vice-president, Mrs. G. A. Fortin; secretary, Mrs. T. S. Davitt; treasurer, Mrs. F. L. Corey; solicitors, Mrs. T. Husband and Mrs. F. Corey; sunshine convener, Mrs. Ida Hawkins.

The Ladies' Aid were pleased to welcome a new member at this meeting.

The meeting closed in the usual way, with all participating in a profitable year in 1945. Delicious refreshments were served by the ladies of the congregation.

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7:30: Toronto Trio.
7:45: Talk.
8:00: Dinah Shore.
8:30: Citizens' Forum.
9:00: John and Judy.
9:30: Fibber McGee and Molly.
10:00: Leicester Sq. to B'way.
10:15: CBC News Roundup.
11:00: Young Women's Choir.
11:30: Night Music.
12:00: CBC News; Sign Off.

WEDNESDAY MORNING

7:30: CBC News; Music.
8:00: CBC News; Music.
8:15: Devotional Period.
8:30: March Past.
9:00: News Roundup.
9:05: Homecoming in N.Y.
9:30: Daytime Classics.
9:45: Music While You Work.
10:00: Music for Young Folks.
10:30: Consumers' Information.
10:35: Piano Interlude.
10:45: Concert in Cameo.
11:00: Fred Waring's Orch.
11:30: Soldier's Wife.
11:45: Lucy Linton's Story.

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON

12:00: News.
12:15: Road of Life.
12:30: Fern Broadcast.
1:00: News.
1:15: The Happy Gang.
1:45: They Tell Me.
2:00: Big Sister. Quartet.
2:15: Swing Matinee.
2:30: Pop Concert.
3:00: A Women of America.
3:15: Ma Perkins.
3:30: Pepper Young's Family.
3:45: Right to Happiness.
4:00: Modern Minstrels.
4:15: News.
4:30: Modern Musicians.
4:45: Music for Strings.
5:15: Interlude.
5:30: Robinson Family.

WEDNESDAY EVENING

6:00: 940 on the Dial.
6:15: CBC News.
6:30: Serenade.
6:45: BBC News, Commentary.
7:00: Out of Space.
7:30: Queen City Quartet.
7:45: Midweek Review.
8:00: Jolly Miller Show.
8:30: Through the Years.
9:00: String Orchestra.
9:30: Curtain Time.
10:00: News.
10:30: Let's Play Chess.
11:00: Johnny Long's Orchestra.
12:00: News; Sign Off.

Gillette Launches "Look Sharp!" Ads in 61 Newspapers

Always strongly supporting the power of continuous newspaper advertising, the Gillette Safety Razor Company of Canada, Limited, has now launched a new campaign for Gillette Blue Blades in 61 English-language newspapers. While Dominion newspapers have been carrying Gillette advertisements regularly, the present campaign marks the Company's greatest promotion in this field since pre-war days.

"This new, aggressive campaign heralds the Gillette Safety Razor Company's return to full peacetime production," J. I. Stampleman, president, said in Montreal. "Once more we can supply our vast civilian markets with virtually our entire production of blades, shaving cream, and razors."

The newspaper promotion places advertisements for Gillette Blue Blades in daily papers regularly and often, reaching a total circulation of 2,101,545.

Gillette's Cavalcade of Sports will continue to broadcast the major boxing bout of the week every Friday night over 30 stations of the CBC's Dominion network. Broadcasts of the World Series and the Kentucky Derby likewise form a part of the varied, year-round promotion of Gillette Blue Blades and other shaving products.

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Experienced men—Guaranteed work
ELECTRIC POLISHER TO RENT
J. Beaudoin
216 Vimy St. Phone 4478-J

ATTENTION:

If you want a taxi for travelling outside the City of Sherbrooke, please call 1918-W. All passengers are insured. Roger Laine, 174 Short Street.

AYER'S CLIFF

W.I. card party in Odd Fellows' Hall, Friday, February 22nd. Benefit of the hot lunches for school children. 25 cents.

MELBORO

The Young People's Union meeting was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Nelson one evening with an attendance of fifteen members. The president, Ernest Wil-

FOR COUGHS COLDS—

YOU CAN'T BEAT
BUCKLEY'S MIXTURE
By George McManus.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Public Notice is hereby given that the Municipality of Bernierville Village in the County of Mercantile, in the district of Arthabaska, will apply to the Provincial Legislature at its next session, to obtain the following powers:

To borrow a sum of twenty-two thousand dollars at "Le Caisse Populaire" if possible, or elsewhere, at a rate not exceeding 3 1/2%, to help "Marceux Brothers" in the Village of Bernierville, to rebuild their manufactory burned in the beginning of January, 1946.

Bernierville, February 19, 1946.

LUCIEN DROLET, K.C., Attorney for the petitioner.

CHLT - 7:30 p.m.

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The Doctor Says

PROBLEM CHILD IS A SUBJECT FOR PSYCHIATRY

By William A. O'Brien, M.D.
Child psychiatry, one of the newer specialties in medicine, is concerned with the problems of children who do not show satisfactory growth and development. Problems vary from mild complaints of nervousness, difficulty in feeding, bed wetting and petty lying, to violent behavior, delinquency and actual mental disorder.

Every physician encounters problem children in his practice. In treating these patients, parents and physicians would like to believe these children will outgrow their difficulties, but experience has shown that many do not outgrow them. In fact, many nervous and mental diseases in adults develop out of these ex-

Are You Overtired



Whether you overwork, worry or expend your energies in the social whirl, the result is the same—chronic fatigue or nervous exhaustion. Your nerves and bodily organs are also tired so that digestion fails and you lie awake at nights unable to sleep.

Perhaps there is nothing that can so definitely help you as Dr. Chase's NERVE FOOD. Many people find this to be the case. Why not benefit by their experience.

Ask for the new economy size bottle of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food
60s.—60cts.
180s.—\$1.50

OVER 100 MILLION BOTTLES SOLD! VERY EFFECTIVE FOR MONTHLY PAIN

Lidia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound DOES MORE than relieve monthly pain when due to female functional periodic disturbances. It also relieves accompanying weak, tired, nervous, cranky feelings—of such nature. Pinkham's Compound is a uterine sedative—one of the most effective medicines you can buy to relieve such symptoms.

Here's Quick Relief from SINUS PAIN

3-Purpose Medicine Helps Clear Out Congested Sinus Areas

ONE best way to get relief from torturing sinus pain is to clear congestion from nasal passages and give sinuses a chance to drain. A few drops of Vicks Va-tro-nol in each nostril is usually enough to bring this comforting relief.

clear out pain-causing congestion and (3) soothes irritation. Many sinus sufferers say it's best relief they've found. Try it!



"Thanks to you, Grandpa Kruschen . . ."



My Backache Gradually Disappeared

Could any woman tell a happier story about backache than this:
"About 6 weeks ago I started having awful pains in my back. At times I could not straighten myself and I got depressed and worn out. I could scarcely carry on with my household duties and everything was being neglected. It was then I saw a Kruschen advertisement and I decided to give Kruschen a trial. I started by faithfully taking a small teaspoonful in hot water in the morning, and in three weeks—my word, what a difference! The pains gradually disappeared and though I am now 46, I really feel years younger."—Mrs. H. M.

There is always a cause of backache and in many cases it can be traced to toxins or poisons which stay in the system instead of being eliminated. And that is where Kruschen saline treatment can be of real help to you. Kruschen is a balanced combination of mineral salts . . . and its action is to help your organs of elimination. By taking Kruschen faithfully for a few weeks . . . as Mrs. H. M. did . . . many people have found joyful relief from wearisome backaches and rheumatic pains. The Kruschen saline treatment costs so little to try . . . Use it in your own case. Kruschen has helped others. Why shouldn't it help you? All drug stores have Kruschen at 25c. and 75c.

THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson



ANSWER: San Antonio, Texas.

NEXT: The world's old-age insecurity.

periences in infancy and childhood. Child psychiatry is based upon the belief that there is a cause and effect in every problem encountered. The cause or causes may be difficult to find, but search will often provide clues.

Surroundings Important
Problem children always should be studied in their family setting. All members of the family should be interviewed, so the causes of the tension can be found. Recent advances in medicine justify the belief that emotional stress has greater influence on health and disease than was previously suspected. All problem children should be given a thorough physical examination. Some will not show any physical abnormalities. Others may show some minor condition which makes the child self-conscious. Unhappiness often is caused by unkind remarks about physical defects made by unthinking persons.

The problem child's mental development should be studied, also his ability to make reasonably good adjustments to life's problems. While the services of a clinical psychologist are of value, most of us, by using tables of development, can tell how our children compare with other children of their age and development.

Family Quarrels Hurt
What are the sources of tension in the average home as they affect children? Parents who do not get along and quarrel a great deal, cause tension in their children. Children may imagine that their parents do not love them, and sometimes this is real fear. Older children may feel they are unwanted in the family group.

There is a time in every child's life when he likes to be consulted about family matters. Failure to observe this interest in family

BURY
Pte. Ivan Thompson, who returned home about a month ago from several years' service Overseas, has now gone to Germany in charge of some German prisoners.

DUNKIN
Mr. Loren Fuller and family spent a day in Glen Sutton with Mrs. Fuller's mother, Mrs. Annie Seales.

FARNHAM
Mr. Manson Catterson, of Montreal, spent a week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Catterson, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Williams, of Montreal, spent a week-end with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Williams, and family.

Paratrooper Sheldon Davis spent a week-end in Saranac, N.Y., visiting friends.

Miss Hazel MacKenzie, of Montreal, spent a week-end as the guest of Rev. and Mrs. W. R. LeGrow and family.

Mrs. Ira Scott, of Piapot, Sask., was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. T. French.

Lord Aylmer Chapter I.O.D.E. Hears 1945 Reports At Annual Meeting

Richmond, Feb. 18.—Reports of the excellent work done by the members of the Udoohus Lord Aylmer Chapter, I.O.D.E., were presented at the annual meeting.

Mrs. George Walker, the regent, presided, and after the formal opening, the minutes were read by Mrs. J. S. MacNaughton.

The first order of business was a notice of motion, which was presented at the January meeting, stating that the fees should be raised to five dollars, and this amount should include "Echoes." After some discussion, it was decided to move an amendment to this motion as follows: "That the fees be raised to \$1.50, and this amount is not to include "Echoes." The amendment was carried.

Mrs. Norman Holland, of Montreal, was nominated as national councillor, and Mrs. George Walker and Mrs. T. P. Ross as Provincial councillors.

Three war brides, who had been invited to attend the meetings during the year 1946 as honorary members, were welcomed by the regent and Mrs. George Chamberlin. The guests included Mrs. Lorne Ross, Mrs. Edgar Fee and Mrs. John Lyness.

The educational report, Mrs. C. E. Manning reported that several books had been purchased for the library in the Mount St. Patrick Convent.

The minutes of the last annual meeting were accepted as read. Mrs. J. S. MacNaughton read the treasurer's report and Mrs. C. R. Boast's annual report.

Following the reading of this report the nominating committee presided over the election of officers. Mrs. J. S. MacNaughton was appointed chairman of this committee.

The officers for the year 1946 are as follows: Honorary regent, Miss E. Mathias; honorary first vice-regent, Mrs. M. K. MacKenzie; honorary second vice-regent, Mrs. William Ross; honorary third vice-regent, Mrs. C. H. Farrar; honorary fourth vice-regent, Mrs. George Chamberlin; regent, Mrs. George Walker; first vice-regent, Miss M. Harkom; second vice-regent, Mrs. Harry Hardy; secretary, Mrs. C. R. Boast; treasurer, Mrs. J. S. MacNaughton; educational secretary, Mrs. C. E. Manning; "Echoes" secretary, Miss Hoquard; standard bearer, Mrs. A. E. Fee; councillors, Mrs. George Chamberlin, Mrs. A. A. Macartney, Mrs. K. G. Nourse, Mrs. T. P. Ross, Mrs. C. Delaney, Mrs. D. N. Desmarais and Miss Florence Davis.

The newly re-elected regent appointed the conveners and committees as follows: Child and family welfare, Mrs. L. F. Somerville; Empire and I.O.D.E. committee, Mrs. A. MacRae; Girl Guides, Miss Isabel Salway; Empire study, Mrs. T. P. Ross; war services, Mrs. George Ewing; ex-service personnel, Mrs. C. R. Boast, Mrs. C. Delaney and Miss Edith McCourt; war charities, Mrs. George Walker, Mrs. George Ewing and Mrs. J. S. MacNaughton; ways and means committee, Mrs. C. Spence, convener. Mrs. A. E. Fee, Mrs. A. A. Macartney, Miss Florence Davis, Mrs. L. Woods, Mrs. A. Blais, Mrs. W. L. Pope and Mrs. C. R. Boast.

The memorial fund committee, Miss M. Harkom and Mrs. Harry Hardy; joint conveners, Mrs. C. E. Manning, Mrs. T. P. Ross, Mrs. C. Delaney and Mrs. R. Bedard.

The recent expressed sincere appreciation to Mr. A. A. Macartney, manager of the Bank of Montreal, and Mr. Morin, accountant, who audited the treasurer's books, also the Melbourn Town Council for the free use of the

Melbourn Town Hall for the chapter meetings. The meeting closed in the usual form. Refreshments were served by Mrs. A. Marchand and Mrs. William Wheeler.

The annual report follows: "The achievements of the members of Udoohus Lord Aylmer Chapter have been admirable and the co-operation magnificent. The Imperial Order of the Daughters of the Empire is the largest patriotic organization of women in Canada, and we are proud to be members of this loyal organization which has done such outstanding work during the past years of war.

The membership of the Chapter is one hundred, four of these members live out-of-town, six are employed in the afternoons and are unable to attend the meetings, and four are partially confined to the house. That leaves eighty-six members who should attend the meetings, yet the average attendance at the meetings this year has been only nineteen.

"In memoriam: One of our members passed away during the year, Mrs. Frank Birkett. Cards of sympathy were sent to bereaved members. A wreath was placed on the soldiers' monument on Remembrance Day.

schools, Princess Alice Fund, Provincial bursary and calendars.

"The Empire study consisted of interesting items read at four of the Chapter meetings. The study undertaken was the historical sketches of Quebec and the Yukon.

"Child and family welfare: Milk was supplied to the lower grades in St. Francis College High School. Donations were made to the Children's Memorial Hospital and the Labrador Voluntary Educational League.

"Fifty-four members subscribed to "Echoes." Reference was made at the meetings to the many interesting articles in this magazine.

"The ex-service personnel convener, Mrs. C. R. Boast, is a member of the Town Rehabilitation Committee, and two of the members serve on the Soldiers' Welcome Home Organization. Several members attended the memorial service held on Remembrance Day.

"There were thirty-four Guides enrolled at the beginning of the year. Twelve resigned and seven new members joined. Twenty-four meetings were held during the year. Several proficiency badges and service stars were awarded. Udoohus Lord Aylmer Chapter sponsored a sleigh drive and refreshments for the local community.

"We wish to extend our sincere appreciation to the Sherbrooke Daily Record for giving publicity to our work, and to Mr. M. Lodge for announcing our activities on the screen.

"An interesting paper was given by the convener, Mrs. A. MacRae, entitled "The Work of the Government in India." Donations were made to St. Helena School and the Nasik Hospital.

"Endowment Fund: Our regular donation was made to the Endowment Fund.

"The reports thus far reveal that the peacetime work of our Order has been splendidly maintained.

"Our war services convener, Mrs. George Ewing, reports that regular shipments have been sent to headquarters. It has been through the untiring efforts of our war services committee that such commendable results have been accomplished. The committee did the buying, distributing and shipping, which meant constant plan-

ning on their part. The number of knitted articles sent to I.O.D.E. headquarters were 388, valued at \$285.75. The British clothing report includes ten knitted articles and five quilts, a total value of \$33. Twenty-four ditty bags valued at \$84, were included in the shipments.

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"Our ways and means committee has been very active under the capable leadership of Mrs. C. Spence. The following activities were sponsored: Food sale, \$356.60; May tea, \$51.00; afternoon tea at Street Fair, \$14.30; benefit picture, \$58.05; tag day at local fair, \$180.53; afternoon tea at the local fair, \$84.37; silver tea, \$61.50, making a total of \$486.25.

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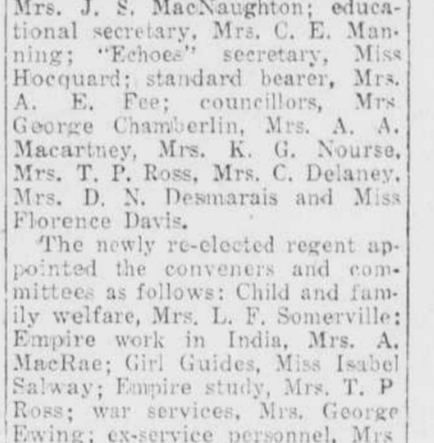
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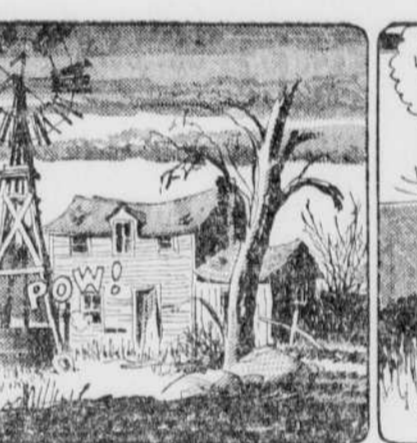
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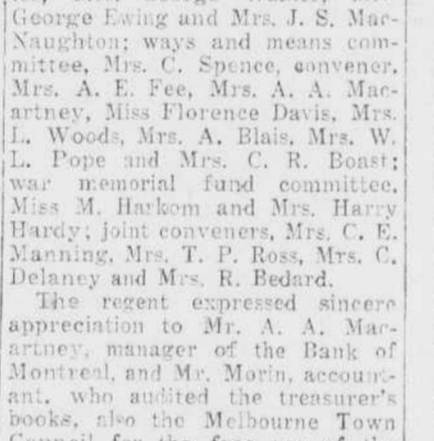
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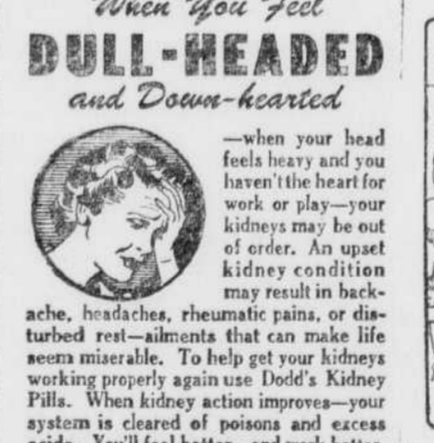
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WHY HAVE SORE FEET?



THE KILLER IS IN THAT GULLY, IT'S RIP!



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KING OF THE ROYAL MOUNTED.



By Zane Grey.

HABITANT TRIO CLIMBS IN NATIONAL CIRCUIT SCORING

Blake, Lach, Richard Find Range; Durnan Still Tops Puck-Brakers

Montreal, Feb. 19. — (C) — Montreal Canadiens won three out of three games in National Hockey League play during the past week, and it remained to Montreal players to show the most sizeable gains in official league statistics released today. In the upper brackets, Hector (Toe) Blake, and Elmer Lach added six points each, while further down, Maurice Richard—third member of the Habitants' first string line—added seven.

Blake and Lach were in a tie for eighth position last week, and this week jumped into a fifth place tie with 37 points. Blake has 24 goals and 13 assists, while Lach has nine goals and 28 assists—his 28 assists being tops in the league. Richard is ninth place with 19 goals and 14 assists for 33 points—equal to Doug Bentley of Chicago Black Hawks and Don Gallinger of Boston Bruins.

Ahead of the two leading Montrealers, Gaye Stewart of Toronto Maple Leafs and Clint Smith of Chicago Black Hawks are deadlocked for third place. Stewart did not figure in the only game Toronto played, and continued with 27 goals and 12 assists, while Smith has 19 goals and 20 assists for 39 points each.

Bill Mosenko of Chicago is in second place with 16 goals and 24 assists for 40 points, while far out in front in first place is Max Bentley of Black Hawks with 30 goals and highest goal total this season—and 22 assists for 52 points. Bentley did not figure in scoring in any of Chicago's three games last week.

Bill Durnan, Montreal goalie,

continues to lead in the goalkeeping department with 70 goals against in 29 games, giving him an average of 2.414, while Walter (Turk) Broda of Toronto is second with an average of 2.500—10 goals against him in four games. Paul Bibeault who has served both with Montreal and Boston, and Harry Lumley of Detroit Red Wings are almost neck-and-neck, although Bibeault has a slight edge. Bibeault has allowed 75 goals in 26 games, for an average of 2.885, while Lumley has passed 110 in 38 games for an average of 2.888. Lumley is the only goalie to play all games to date.

Shutout King is Durnan, with four, while Lumley, Bibeault and Frankie Brimsek, also of Boston, have two each.

The Chicago Black Hawks lead in penalties with 274 minutes, including two misconducts, in last time. Runner up for this leadership is Montreal with 260 minutes, including one misconduct. Individual leader in penalties is Jack Stewart of Detroit who has spent 53 minutes in the box.

The leaders: G. A. P. — Miss in G. A. P. —

M. Bentley, Chi.	30	22	52	2
Mosenko, Chi.	16	24	40	8
G. Stewart, Tor.	27	12	39	2
C. Smith, Chi.	19	20	39	2
Blake, Canadiens	24	13	37	2
Lach, Canadiens	9	28	37	28
DeMarco, Rangers	18	18	36	8
Kaletka, Chicago	16	19	35	17
Richard, Can.	19	14	33	35
D. Bentley, Chi.	15	18	33	12
Gallinger, Boston	12	21	33	16
Milamill, Chicago	15	15	30	21
Taylor, Toronto	19	10	29	12
Horeck, Chicago	15	14	29	26
Warwick, Rangers	13	15	28	15
Laprade, Rangers	11	15	26	0
E. Bruneteau, Det.	15	10	25	11
Cain, Boston	13	12	25	4
Carveth, Detroit	12	13	25	8
Dumars, Boston	17	7	24	2
Smith, Boston	9	14	23	12
A. Brown, Detroit	15	9	24	25
Apps, Toronto	13	11	24	2
Schmidt, Boston	10	14	24	17
Bodnar, Toronto	8	16	24	10
x—One misconduct.				



Photographed at the first Winter Sport Festival, held on Sunday afternoon and sponsored by the St. Jean d'Arc Parish Sport Committee, the above group includes, left to right: John Basset, Jr.; Hon. J. S. Bourque, Provincial Minister of Lands and Forests; Adolphe Besre; J. A. Therrien, chairman of St. Jean d'Arc Sport Committee; M. Pednaik, Ald. Paul

Hamel, Ald. Armand Fisette, Ald. Alphonse Trudeau, Antonio Provancher and Joseph Chateaub. An approximate 400 parishioners turned out to witness and participate in the festivities. Skating races for children seven to fifteen and two hockey games featured the afternoon's activities. In the first game, Racine school defeated Bromptonville in the first.

game of the Midget League played off by a score of 6-1 while the married men formed two teams, called the Good Men and the Bad Men, which participated in the second game, the Bad Men winning 2-1. Hon. J. S. Bourque faced the first puck in the midget game prior to which he made a short address, wishing both teams the "best of luck."

Some thirty-five prizes were presented at a social meeting held in the parish hall last night which were donated by Hon. Mr. Bourque, Maurice Gingues, M.P., Jean-Paul Perrault, Codere Ltd., and many other local merchants. Father Albert Gravel, parish priest, congratulated the members of the sport committee of which J. E. Therrien is president.

Sherbrooke Places Four In Top 14 Of Provincial League Marksmen

Montreal, Feb. 19.—(C)—Tony Demers, right-wing of St. Hyacinthe Saints, continued to lead Provincial Hockey League scorers in official statistics released last night. Demers has been out of play for a week with a broken leg, but still leads the list with 48 goals and 32 assists for a total of 80 points. His nearest opponent is Herb Carnegie of Sherbrooke Rangers who has 42 goals and 25 assists for 67 points.

The leaders: G. A. P. —

T. Demers, St. Hya.	48	32	80
H. Carnegie, Sher.	42	25	67
Bourdon, Vieville	24	36	60
Bastien, St. Hya.	24	34	58
Bouchard, Vieville	21	28	49
Desroches, Lachine	22	26	48
P. Hebert, Vieville	19	28	47
Lauzon, St. Hya.	16	28	44
O. Carnegie, Sher.	17	25	42
LaBarre, Sher.	14	28	42
Young, Drumville	27	14	41
Trainer, Drumville	17	24	41
B. Morin, Lachine	15	21	36
Gagnon, Sherbrooke	3	33	36

KNOWLTON AND WATERLOO WAGE 1-1 STANDOFF

In their last regular meeting before playoff time, the Waterloo Hockey Club and the league-leading Knowlton aggregation fought to a 1-1 tie.

With but a few minutes remaining in the first period, Mitchell was left uncovered just long enough to take Irwin's pass and blast the puck past Wilson to put Waterloo one up.

As the halfway mark of the second session, Wiken, rugged defender on the Knowlton line, started down the ice like a tornado with Blackwood trailing. He split the defence cleanly and with only Lucia to beat check to pass to Blackwood, who had the Waterloo goalie beaten all the way.

Boxing

By The Associated Press

Boston — Jack (Spider) Armstrong, 128½, Toronto, outpointed Timony (Buddy) Hayes, 127½, Boston, (10).

Holyoke, Mass. — Mark Lockman (Kid Chicken), 158½, Pittsburgh, outpointed Jerry Fiorello, 160, Brooklyn, (10).

Providence — Ralph Zamelli, 144, Providence, outpointed Maxie Beizer, 147½, Montreal, (10).

New Haven, Conn. — Nathan Mann, 190, Hamden, Conn., outpointed Freddie Schott, 212, Paterson, N.J., (10).

Baltimore — Freddie Ruseo, 133½, Rahway, N.J., outpointed Frankie Carlo, 131½, Philadelphia, (10).

Montreal — Ralph Walton, 137, Montreal, outpointed Chic Berardo, 135, Mexico, (10).



LAST SHOWING

TONIGHT at 8:30 P.M. AT THE ARENA ICE CYCLES OF 1946

Gen. Adm.: \$1.00; Res. Seats, \$1.50; Box Promenade and Ringside Seats, \$2.00.

Tickets on sale at Oscar Bourque's Tobacco Store, King St. W.

E.T. BADMINTON MEET SLATED FOR DANVILLE

A group of some of the best badminton players in the Eastern Townships will assemble in Danville on February 23 to participate in the Danville invitation badminton tournament which will consist of mixed and men's doubles.

Play will get underway at 2 p.m. Players from Bishop's University, Sherbrooke Regiment Armory, Windsor Mills, Asbestos and Danville will compete in this first venture sponsored by the Danville Badminton Club.

Plenty of action and keen competition is anticipated when such top-flight players as B. Harley, of Sherbrooke, L. Hollinger, of Bishop's, and M. M. Stewart, of Danville, clash.

G. K. Clark, president of the Danville Badminton Club, along with his executive committee, has worked hard to make this tournament a success and if proven successful it will no doubt be made an annual affair.

A dance will be held in the evening, at which the presentation of prizes will take place.

Britain Seeks To Rebuild Hockey With Canadian "Amateur" Imports

By JACK SULLIVAN Canadian Press Staff Writer

London, Feb. 19.—(C)—Canada is the only source of supply for the British players needed to revive Britain's post-war hockey setup, "and that's where we are going to get them," says Frank Gentles, a member of the British Ice Hockey Association.

Interviewed in his book-lined Pall Mall office, the tall silver-haired chairman and managing director of the Greyhound Racing Association, said he is convinced the country is "all set" for senior-league hockey. "We packed stadiums before the war and we can still do it."

He was in Canada recently and talked to Mervyn (Red) Dutton, boss of the National Hockey League, and members of the Canadian Amateur Hockey Association and believes the B.I.H.A. will be able to import about 150 players without seriously disrupting the Dominion's hockey manpower supply.

He has ambitious plans for the game in this country, calling for a six-team league and a post-season series between the two clubs each from Britain, Canada and the United States.

The American clubs, he said, would be from the Eastern United States Hockey League.

There is only one hitch in his plans and that is the government still has use of his Harringay (London) Arena, requisitioned during the war. "When it is de-requisitioned, I'll have something to go on," he said, adding, "then I'll be able to go to Canada with an open mind and talk to C.A.H.A. officials." He will visit the Dominion as an executive member of the B.I.H.A. and "not as a private promoter."

Canadian "imports" would be in Britain six months of the year. "Their two-way passage would be paid and also their expenses while they are in Britain." Queried about the amateur status of the players, he produced a C.A.H.A. rule book and read excerpts showing he would not be over-stepping the line. "This was our procedure before the war, and it should be okay now," he said.

Several "talent scouts" in Canada for his Harringay club—"Just Percy Nicklin of Winnipeg who was my general manager before the war and who still has the job. He's my man."

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BROME

Mr. Hugh Jackson was in Cowansville on business.

Mr. E. W. Patch was in Sutton for a time.

Mr. Charles Shufelt was in Sutton for a short stay.

Miss Jacqueline Miller, was an overnight guest of her friend Miss Barbara Jean Armstrong, in Knowlton.

Little Miss Sheila Frizzle has gone to visit her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Frizzle.

Masters John Ruyf and Jack Chamberlain were in Foster one day.

Miss Norma Osborne is ill at her home with the jaundice.

Mr. Arthur Shekdon, of Mansonville, spent three weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Palmer.

Mr. Walter Booth, of Farnham, was a guest of his mother, Mrs. Mary J. Fletcher.

Mrs. E. H. Chamberlain has returned from spending two days visiting her husband, at Gould Station.

Mrs. Murray Davis and child, of Knowlton, were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Frizzle.

Mr. James Brisland was in Montreal to meet his grandson, Pie. Lorne Brisland.

Mrs. C. C. Patten and daughter, Miss Lorna Patten, of Sutton were in Brome and spent a day.

Mr. Walker Booth, of Farnham, was a visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Libby.

Mr. I. Pelletier, of Cowansville, was a visitor in Brome.

Mrs. E. W. Ray was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. Smith and Miss Gertrude Smith, in Waterloo.

Much sympathy is being extended to Mr. C. H. Knott and family in the death of their wife, mother and grandmother Mrs. Knott, who passed away at her home at East Farnham, in her eighty-fifth year. The funeral service was conducted on February 8, at Trinity Church, Cowansville, and was largely attended by friends and relatives. Interment was made at Sweetsburg.

Mrs. Harry Daigneault spent a day with her sister, Mrs. J. P. St. week-end with Mrs. Fullers

RANDERS IN EXHIBITION TONIGHT

Sherbrooke Randers will play an exhibition game tonight in Windsor Mills against the E.T. Intermediate League Windsor Mills Paper Makers.

Randers' next scheduled Provincial League match here is slated for Sunday, Feb. 24.

TONIGHT'S GAMES E.T.I.H.L.

Windsor at East Angus.

E.T.I.H.L.	P	W	L	D	F	A	Pts
Windsor	15	12	2	1	115	55	25
Sherbrooke	15	12	2	1	105	55	25
E. Angus	12	3	9	0	82	84	8
Asbestos	11	3	8	0	43	82	6
Richmond	13	2	11	0	59	110	4

Amant, in Knowlton.

Mr. G. G. Wedge was a business visitor in Sutton one day.

Mr. Milton Peters, of Montreal, was a guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Peters.

Randers' next scheduled Provincial League match here is slated for Sunday, Feb. 24.

The Misses Roma, Dorothy and Genia Jones were in Foster for an afternoon.

Mrs. Henry Daigneault was a visitor in Sutton one day.

The farmers and dairymen are putting in their supply of ice, which is of excellent quality.

BRIGHAM

The Red Cross group held its regular February meeting in the Ladies' Aid Hall, with the vice-president, Mrs. Cedric Dougall, in the chair. The regular routine business was transacted and refreshments were served by the hostesses for the afternoon, Mrs. Cedric Dougall, Mrs. T. E. Smith and Miss Helen Dougall. Finished work brought in consisted of thirteen pairs of boys' socks, ten girls' vests, three pairs of boys' mitts, two navy scarves, five pairs of boys' rompers and one boy's sweater.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Fuller and son, Cecil, of Cowansville, spent a day with their sister, Mrs. J. P. St. week-end with Mrs. Fullers

Overhead Smash

London, Feb. 19.—(Reuters)—Wimbledon, famed London tennis centre, will still bear war scars when the all-England championships are held there at the end of June.

A portion of the centre court will be roped off because of a bomb crater. There are still piles of masonry, sandbags and broken glass lying around, although every effort will be made to tidy up these evidences of the war before the tournament.

BRAKESHOE TIES SUPER-HEATER

In the latest epic industrial hockey struggle Brakeshoe and Superheater tied 2-2 at the Arena.

Bob Cabana scored both Brakeshoe goals after O'Connor and Marceneau had sent Superheater into the lead on two occasions.

Lineup: Brakeshoe: Goal, Spanswick; defence, Huot, F. Cloutier; centre, Cabana; wings, Bisson, Aray; alternates, T. Cloutier, Cardin, Bellevue, Plamondon, Williams.

Superheater: Goal, Fouquet; defence, Hodge, J. Crease; centre, O'Connor; wings, Marceau, Bessant; alternates, Atto, W. Crease, Crois, Buck, Winstanley.

JUNIOR PLAYOFFS DISCUSSED

At a meeting of the Sherbrooke Junior Hockey League last night under the chairmanship of Emmett Kenalty, play-off plans were discussed and the number of games agreed upon.

The 35th Battery has decided to drop out of the play-offs, leaving St. Pat's and St. Charles Seminary, defending champions, to battle it out in a 2 out of 3 series.

It is hoped that the finals will begin this week but no further announcement was forthcoming last night.

mother, Mrs. H. Elliott.

Mr. and Mrs. P. M. McCrum and family were guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Brock, in South Bolton.

Mrs. C. F. Thomas and Mr. Raymond Thomas spent a day in Mont

Tigers Picked To Cop P.H.L. Title; Allan Cup Aces Scrap For Fourth

By PIERRE LE MOYNE Canadian Press Staff Writer

Montreal, Feb. 19.—(C)—The Provincial Hockey League schedule is drawing to a close and Victoriaville Tigers—a team with a balance of young blood and experience—are called to outpower Sherbrooke Randers, Lachine Rapides and St. Hyacinthe Saints in the play-offs.

(Note to Sherbrooke fans: This story is a CP dispatch—Sports Editor.)

Stock of the fourth-place Saints is down considerably with the loss of "dead shot" Tony Demers, who broke his right leg a week ago. It was a similar accident that put Demers temporarily out of hockey five years ago when he was a star rookie with the National League Montreal Canadiens, and for the first time this season had been hitting his full stride with 48 goals and 32 assists for a total of 80 points in 32 games.

After staging a close race for fourth position all winter with Shawinigan Falls Cataracts and Quebec Aces, Valleyfield Braves have—for all practical purposes—bowed out of the Quebec Senior Hockey League playoff picture.

Cataracts and Aces are in the favored position now to tackle the league-leading Montreal Royals and the second-place Ottawa Senators in what promises to be a saw-saw struggle of the most fierce kind before a contender emerges to represent Quebec Province in the Allan Cup playoffs.

Aces, who still hold the Allan Cup which they won two years ago, were hard-hit by the loss of Lionel Bouvrette, their star goalie, who was hailed throughout Canada as the best amateur netminder.

The accident which put Bouvrette out of hockey—perhaps for good—gave a playing opportunity to Jean Marois, a naive Quebecer, who first earned hockey fame in Ontario, starting for St. Michael's College in Toronto, and performing in a few games for the National Hockey League Toronto Maple Leafs.

Marois, one of the top all-around athletes in the province, turned to skiing this year until Aces called on him for help, and he has done well so far with two victories in as many games.

If Aces remain in fourth place until the end of the schedule, they will meet Royals, who have already clinched the league championship, in the first round of the Q.S.F.L. playoffs and should prove a formidable opponent in a short series. They have beaten Royals three times on Quebec ice and once in

Montreal this season. Incidentally it's a strange thing that Valleyfield, whose players control by a wide margin the leading positions in the individual scoring race, should be one of the two teams left out of the playoff picture.

Hull Volants, who a month ago had given up hope of climbing out of the cellar, have already started a reorganization campaign for next season with the appointment of Allie Garland as new coach. Garland, who built up a solid reputation as coach of the University of Ottawa, replaces Bob Gerstin whose sole worry from now on will be the money angle.

CURLING

In the competitions for the Webster Doubles and Bradley Trophies held recently at the Ladies' Sherbrooke Curling Club, Mrs. Herbert McCallum and Mrs. David O'Keefe captured the Webster Trophy while Mrs. Nelson Lothrop and Mrs. S. Howcroft annexed the Bradley Trophy awarded to the runner-up rink.

The competing teams and scores follow:

Mrs. Whalen	Mrs. Richardson
Miss Haight	Mrs. Holt
Skip—6	Skip—5
Mrs. McPherson	Mrs. Howcroft
Mrs. Mooney	Mrs. Lothrop
Skip—2	Skip—5
Mrs. Racey	Mrs. McManany
Miss Todd	Mrs. Salls
Skip—5	Skip—4
Mrs. Barlow	Mrs. Goyette
Mrs. Morgan	Mrs. McCallum
Skip	Skip
Mrs. Morgan won by default.	
Mrs. O'Keefe	Mrs. W. S. Rolf
Mrs. Kinkead	Mrs. Loken
Skip—5	Skip—7
Mrs. Hatch	Mrs. O'Keefe
Mrs. Johnston	Mrs. McCallum
Skip—4	Skip—6
Second Round	
Miss Haight	Mrs. McCallum
Skip—3	Skip—4
Miss Todd	Mrs. Morgan
Skip—6	Skip—0
Mrs. Loken	Mrs. Lothrop
Skip—5	Skip—7
Semi Finals	
Miss Todd	Mrs. Lothrop
Skip—5	Skip—6
Finals	
Mrs. McCallum	Mrs. Lothrop
Skip—8	Skip—5

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