



# Global Excel expansion focused on worldwide growth

By Gordon Lambie

It would be hard for anyone who has passed through Lennoxville to miss the fact that Global Excel Management (GEM), the health insurance claims management company located at 73 Queen Street, is in the middle of a significant expansion project. Asked about the project and what it means for the company and the people of Lennoxville, Patrick Slama, Vice President of Finance and Technology with GEM, explained that the work is a mix of consolidating a series of different property purchases over the years and giving the corporate headquarters of a worldwide business a little more breathing room.

"This building started out as someone's house," Slama said, recalling that the first expansion was taking place when he got started at the company 22 years ago. "As we've grown over the years it wasn't always easy to build one build building all at once so, opportunistically, we've bought other buildings beside us."

Though those various expansions and purchases, the Vice-President said that GEM has filled up almost all of the space that was available to it in the current location. Following an extensive

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# Sajjan highlights diversity as a defence asset



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Canada's Minister of National Defence, Harjit Sajjan, accompanied by Marie-Claude Bibeau, Minister of International Development and La Francophonie and Member of Parliament for Compton - Stanstead

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Bishop's College School (BCS) was host to Canada's Minister of National Defence, Harjit Sajjan, on Saturday afternoon. Accompanied by Marie-Claude Bibeau, Minister of Inter-

national Development and La Francophonie and Member of Parliament for Compton - Stanstead, Sajjan held a town hall meeting with a small group of students and community members in the school's chapel. Sajjan's visit followed the release of the country's new

Defence Policy, entitled "Strong, Secure and Engaged," and was meant to give the general public the opportunity to share issues of concern with the minister.

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# Children's thoughts on Christmas



## THE SCOOP MABLE HASTINGS

*"Then the Grinch thought of something he hadn't before! What if Christmas, he thought, doesn't come from a store? What if Christmas...perhaps...means a little bit more!"*

**Dr. Seuss, How the Grinch Stole Christmas!**

On Saturday, December 2, I had the pleasure of interviewing a small group of children on the topic of Christmas. Ranging in ages from 6 to 11, these six girls had a lot of wisdom to share. I began by asking the girls how they would feel if Christmas came with no presents under the tree. "If Christmas came without ribbons. It came without tags. It came without packages, boxes or bags?"

"I don't think presents really matter," said Danika Robinson. "The holidays are more about family."

"If I didn't get any presents," shared Chloe Hirst, "I might feel a bit sad but I wouldn't judge my parents if they couldn't afford to buy presents. I would get them something and feel the same joy in giving as I do when I receive."

"Well," stated Kate Eldridge (the comedian of the group), "if there weren't any presents I would be a lot heavier than I am now because I would surely be stress eating to get myself through the trauma!"

I then asked the group about family traditions...

"My family always waits to decorate the tree until everyone is home and we can do it together," shared Emilie-anne

Sherrer.

"Together, my Dad and I always put up the handmade decorations that I have made over the years," said Danika Robinson.

"We watch Christmas movies together," said Alexis Eldridge.

It was right about that time when Kate decided to share another thought...

"Our family tradition has always been to get up early, run down the stairs and open our gifts but, my Dad is too old and heavy to run down the stairs now so, we have to walk and not hurry so fast."

"The Elf on a shelf is our another of our family traditions," said Emilie Anne Sherrer.

I asked the girls what they could do to help those in need during the holiday season and they had some great ideas.

"If you take the time to give a little something; a smile, a cake, a show of respect and care for another," said Chloe Hirst, "it can make all the difference. If you give and then that person gives and the next person gives, it creates a chain reaction and so many smiles," she added.

"I would ask Santa to bring love, food and clothing for the homeless or those in need," said Danika Robinson.

Chloe also suggested, "Peace, respect and happiness."

Dakota Paige said that she would ask for everyone to have a family and for there to be peace and no more wars.

Alexis Eldridge thought that the world needed more candy and that we should encourage everyone to PARTY!

By the end of our conversation thoughts were still being exchanged and questions shared. Who invented Christmas? Who came up with the Santa Clause idea? Had anyone ever seen a homeless person?

The girls then gathered around the youth centre Christmas tree for a photo as friends do and somewhere in the distance, I thought I heard Dr. Seuss laughing and a Christmas favorite dancing through the air...

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Welcome, welcome dahoo damus  
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## Global Excel expansion

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renovation of the main building a year and a half ago, Slama said that the expansion came up as an alternative to carrying that renovation through to the various secondary buildings that the company has acquired over the years.

"Our needs are changing, so instead of investing in our older buildings we've decided to expand our now global corporate headquarters," he said, explain-

ing that GEM has really played into the "global" part of their company name recently by buying up companies around the world. "(The expansion) is going to give us more space, it's going to give us room to grow, and it's going to give us much better facilities for our employees."

The vice-president, who is also responsible for facilities, explained that the new construction will see the current main building joined to a second

structure by a glassed-in central atrium that will serve as a lunch and lounge area for the whole facility. While providing more room and better services for the company's 325 Sherbrooke and area employees, Slama said that the expansion also makes room for the headquarters to grow as GEM coordinates its different regional offices.

"We have to interact with all these different offices now," he said, affirming that, "This is going to stay our global headquarters as we expand around the world."

While coordinating the company's growth around the world is a task in and of itself, Slama noted that one of the more unique challenges facing the expansion is the fact that there is a stream that runs through the middle of the new atrium.

"When we initially tried to expand sideways along Queen Street we were told no because a stream that comes from way behind us passes between the building here around AFT and out into the river," The vice-president said, explaining that although the water is normally completely hidden inside a large

subterranean pipe, the work currently underway has revealed it for all to see. While the company initially talked about moving the pipe, ultimately it will simply be encased in concrete and left beneath the floor of the new atrium.

Speaking of Global Excel in general, Slama noted that the work being done in the Lennoxville headquarters is not as widely known as one might expect because of the fact that the general public is not the company's main clientele. While the company is well known for its local sponsorship projects and philanthropic efforts, he said that people don't necessarily know where that money is coming from. At the same time, however, he argued that the service that GEM is working to provide managing health insurance claims consistently on a global scale is more important now than ever before.

"People are becoming more and more mobile and they want the same company to be able to cover them no matter where they go," Slama said, stating that GEM wants to be the "one stop shop" in the healthcare market around the world.



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*The current main building of Global Excel Management*



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*The architect's vision of what the new structure will look like*



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## Sajjan

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After a brief introduction by BCS' Head of School Tyler Lewis and another from Bibeau, Sajjan almost immediately began to take questions, the first of which asked what the Defence Minister feels is the greatest threat facing Canadians today.

In response to that question, Sajjan put his focus not on external threats but on the way Canadians treat and consider one another. He argued that the country needs to continue to accept diversity and argued that a nation which spends too much time looking for threats within its own citizens and residents will soon fail to see anything else.

"How we live together adds to our own security," the minister said, "I am confident that we have something to offer to the world; we can be a beacon of hope."

Sajjan also pointed out that some of

the most significant threats that Canadians face on a regular basis come from Mother Nature rather than some foreign agency, but he added that it is still important that the country have a strong defensive policy.

"We have to be strong in Canada," he said. "There is no alternative."

While in the area, Sajjan visited Sherbrooke's two armouries in order to meet with Reservists and Cadets from the region. One of the stated purposes of the visit was to emphasize the Government of Canada's commitment to ensuring reservists are well integrated into the armed forces as a whole, with sufficient numbers trained, prepared, and equipped to be ready to contribute to operations at home and abroad. The minister stressed the fact that the Reserve Force is an integral component of the Canadian Armed Forces (CAF) and Reservists are vital links to hundreds of communities across Canada.



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*Sajjan held a town hall meeting with a small group of students and community members in the school's chapel*

# Refrigerated Bleu Blanc Bouge rink ready for use

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days. Although temperatures are expected to reach 4 and 7 degrees Celsius today and Tuesday, skaters will be able to have their first skate of the rink's second season, provided by the Montreal Canadiens Foundation.

Pierre Tremblay, President of the

City's Sport and Outdoor Committee says that despite the expected warm temperatures, the ice reached a solid thickness for use today. The City will use its judgment to protect the ice if warmer weather is announced at the beginning or at the end of the winter, but there is no question of keeping it closed despite

the temperatures currently announced. The City wants to keep the refrigerated rink as long as possible and has increased its operating budget to \$125,000 rather than the \$45,000 originally planned.

The city's other outdoor rinks should be ready shortly before the school break.

The refrigerated Bleu Blanc Bouge outdoor skating rink at Élie-Dufresne Park near Centre Sherbrooke Center, (formerly Place Belvédère) opens today, Monday, despite the high temperature announced for the coming

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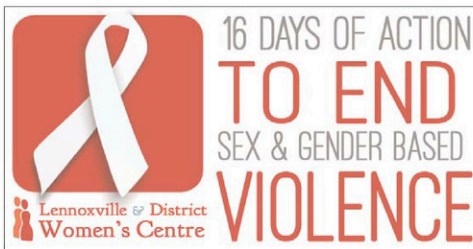
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# Over-policed and under-protected:

## The situation of black women in Québec and Canada



By Zoë Constantinides

On October 25, 2017, Black feminist writer and activist Robyn Maynard galvanized students at Champlain College - Lennoxville with her talk on the startling realities of anti-Black racism in Canada. Students and members of the public were stunned to hear about the persistence of anti-Black sentiment, discrimination, and violence in a country celebrated for its diversity and tolerance. Maynard highlighted our collective blind spot about our racist past and present, asking for a show of hands by those who had been taught in high school about Canada's extensive participation in Black slavery. In a crowd of over two hundred, only about five hands went up. The Underground Railroad? Check. Slavery in the US? Check. But most of us never learned that Canada practiced slavery for over two hundred

years. This basic distortion of history supports our misconception of Canada as a welcoming, egalitarian, and just nation. We don't need a #BlackLivesMatter movement, the story goes, because Black lives have always mattered here.

In her book, *Policing Black Lives: State Violence in Canada from Slavery to the Present*, Maynard not only unveils anti-Black racism in Canada; she also shows the ways the continuing mistreatment of Black people by our federal and provincial institutions is heavily gendered. No surprise here when we know that Black men in Canada—just as in the US—are disproportionately subjected to police stops, unmotivated identity checks (“carding”), arrests, police violence, and severe prison sentences. Maynard shows that black women and trans women in Canada have also been targets of inexcusable police violence, offering several examples, including some close to home.

It was reported that in 2012, two police officers dragged a Black twelve-year-old girl off a city bus in Ville St-Laurent after she asked the driver for directions. The Société des Transports de Montreal claimed she was “acting in an arrogant manner.” Witnesses objected, citing the

officers’ “excessive use of force.”

In 2014, 26-year-old Majiza Philip was assaulted by officers when she attempted to communicate with a friend who had been detained in a police car. The officers broke her arm in the altercation and denied her medical care, instead taking her to the station, handcuffing her to a chair, questioning her for hours, and filing trumped-up charges. Eventually she was released, taken to hospital, and the charges were withdrawn.

These cases are disturbing; however, the majority of state violence experienced by Black women happens in the private sphere and is harder to see: surveillance, control, and sanctions by police, social assistance, and border agents are part of the “mundane ‘everyday’ displays of power” that enforce an ongoing “violent relationship of domination.” At the same time, Black women are less likely to be believed or defended when they speak out about discrimination, domestic violence, and sexual assault. This hypocrisy creates a tragic paradox by which Black women in Canada are “over-policed and under-protected.” It almost goes without saying that the same principle applies to Indigenous women (see Val D’Or) and other women of colour in Canada (though each group faces distinct challenges and should not be conflated).

In the context of the Townships, notably less diverse than nearby Montreal,

the Black population is nevertheless growing. From 2011 to 2015, the top five countries of origin for immigrants in Quebec and the Estrie were China, France, Haiti, Algeria, and Morocco. Since 1992, the Bishop’s/Champlain Refugee-Student Sponsorship Project has sponsored dozens of refugees, mainly from Africa—Rwanda, Dominican Republic of Congo (then Zaire), Ethiopia, Sierra Leone, Liberia, Burundi, Sudan—and Central Asia. Since the region welcomes immigrants and refugees with such goodwill, it must also be responsible for ensuring newcomers, as well as second- and third-generation migrants, enjoy the full dignity, liberty, and protections that Townshippers generally take for granted. Doing so involves acknowledging the unique obstacles racial minority groups face when navigating state institutions, including health care, education, social assistance, public transportation, and law enforcement and recognizing that human rights abuses often happen quietly, gradually, and behind closed doors. None among these populations are more vulnerable than the women, including trans women, who face routine institutional scrutiny, surveillance, indifference, and invisibility.

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Majiza Philip had her arm broken by police officers while being arrested in November 2014. Her complaint to the Police Ethics Commissioner was dismissed.

## Holiday activities in the ET

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# EDITORIAL

*It is difficult to imagine how American society can recover from the instabilities that have been increasingly sewn into its very structure.*

## A quiet revolution



MIKE McDEVITT

As the political class gazed mesmerized at the continuing antics of the American President and the criminal investigation lapping inexorably at his door, The Republican majority in the United States Senate shadily rammed through its final version of the long-promised 'tax reform' the party has been clamouring for ever since a black man first sat down in the White House. All that remains, then for a revolutionary takeover of the American economy by a few, fabulously wealthy heirs and executives, is for the two Houses of Congress to mesh their equally squalid versions of this theft and have their crazy distraction-in-chief sign the thing.

The president, whose own financial presence will be enhanced immensely by the 'reform', will finally see a legislative victory that aligns with his vague but insistent campaign promises and the Republican Party will have delivered a hefty gift to its paymasters.

The most prominent feature of the tax reform consists of massive tax cuts that exponentially benefit large corporations and the extremely wealthy. It eliminates the estate tax, encouraging the influence of inherited wealth and magnifies the already obscenely disproportionate amount of political power concentrated into a very few hands. For those at the bottom end, a mild reduction of personal tax will be more than made irrelevant by reduced services, subsidies, and support. In essence, the rich will get richer and the poor will get poorer at an even faster rate than they already are.

The logic being used to sell this larceny rests in the oft-discredited predictions of Reagan-era 'Trickle Down Economics', which says that reducing the tax rates of corporations encourages

them to invest additional resources into their businesses, creating jobs and growing the economy. In many cases, this can be the case, but unfortunately, in many of America's largest corporations, particularly in the once dominant manufacturing sector, the kind of investment needed is in technology that will replace more existing jobs than it will create new ones. In other sectors, reduced taxes are transferred directly to investors, keeping stock prices high, executives wealthy, and lobbyists extremely busy.

Meanwhile, the across-the-board tax reduction is in line to create a federal deficit of at least one trillion dollars that, thanks to the new tax code, will land of the shoulders of the least well-off, whose individual tax breaks are scheduled to end within a decade. Meanwhile, these same people will be paying more for health insurance, if they can afford it at all, medicines, social services, and the armed forces, to just scratch the surface. Meanwhile, Mr. Trump has cooperated nicely by reducing consumer and societal protection in areas like banking, the environment, safety, and just about anything else one can name that actually makes government worthwhile.

In political terms, the implications of this 'reformed' tax structure are long-ranging and virtually irreversible. In the first place, it places the health and management of the American economy firmly in the hands of financial elites that has seen very little profit in serving the public good. Its operating principle is permanent, unfettered economic and technological growth. It is a model that has served western society well, if one discounts the suffering imposed by famine, disease, warfare, environmental destruction, and, increasingly, the erosion of individual liberty, tolerance and privacy. Oh yeah, and unlimited growth is ultimately impossible in a limited context.

The American working class, which has been corralled by a perverted sense of patriotism and an almost religious abhorrence of social endeavour in favour of 'individual' effort, has been taught to work feverishly against its own interests and has seen its influence in society – and its control over its own lives – diminish to almost non-existence.



Not too long ago, a man working a full-time job – almost any job – could afford at the very least the put minimum food on the table and a roof over his family. A household would have a phone, and usually a television. Phones were indestructible and could only be used for talking. A summer job could usually cover a year's university tuition and basic needs and ambitions were relatively easy to achieve for most. Today, a family with two-full time workers often can barely make ends meet and increasing necessities (computers, mobile phones, etc) place an ongoing burden of family budgets. These are often expensive items that must be regularly updated as more and more of modern life becomes almost impossible without them.

As the poorest in American society become increasingly vulnerable and left-behind, history has shown that it will be much easier to direct suspicion and fear upon the 'other,' who, in a society as diverse as is America's, will always be readily available and susceptible to demonization

As we look upon the dismaying circus swirling around the current occupant of the White House, the minions who bowed before his madness have been rewarded for their obsequiousness with a golden gift and some legislative armour around which to wrap it. As a result, those who have suffered the most through the great changes in American life have been abandoned once again and left even more vulnerable to the de-

mands of a ruling class that sees their labour as a commodity and as overhead to be reduced.

It is difficult to imagine how American society can recover from the instabilities that have been increasingly sewn into its very structure, Undoing the damage this Administration and this Congress have inflicted on the country is not going to be an easy task and electing those who want to do so is going to be even more challenging. It is also going to be extremely difficult to cage the raging anger that has been set free in the current political climate. Right-wing, nationalist, racist, and other undemocratic tendencies have gained a legitimacy unimaginable just a few decades ago and the systematic destruction of public confidence in a free press has left even those who want to be informed confused and without direction. Meanwhile the very electoral system has been proven to be compromised and vulnerable to relatively easy and inexpensive manipulation by anyone whose interests might lead it to want to.

Tales of doom and destruction are not rare in today's world, but the steady dissolution of such a dominant force as the United States is a marvelous, if frightening, thing to watch. The country is turning in on itself, reverting to an absolute oligarchy, and causing great distress among both allies and enemies as it wields the world's greatest destructive force without clear or reliable objectives. The Soviet Union lost the Cold war. Russia won it. We weren't ready for that.

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# Local Sports

Gallagher went in alone to score his 13th of the season 1:01 into the third. Tomas Plekanec's assist moved him into a tie with Dickie Moore for 13th place in Canadiens all-time scoring with 593.

## Byron hat trick, Gallagher scores 100th goal as Canadiens clip Red Wings 10-1

By Bill Beacon  
THE CANADIAN PRESS  
MONTREAL

It was only two weeks ago that the Montreal Canadiens looked to be in a downward spiral.

They had gone five games without a win, during which they had scored only seven goals.

All that changed when star goalie Carey Price returned after missing 10 games with a lower-body injury for a 3-0 win over Buffalo on Nov. 25.

Now they've won five in a row, climbed into a playoff position and, as their 10-1 win over the Detroit Red Wings on Saturday night attests, they are pouring in goals.

"I don't think anyone was ever too worried," said speedy winger Paul Byron, who paced the Canadiens with his first career hat trick. "This group works way too hard not to be rewarded.

"Sometimes bounces don't go your way. Sometimes you just miss your shot a bit. Sometimes you run into a hot goalie. This group is pretty strong mentally and we knew it was a matter of

time before they start going in.

"You're not going to score 10 every night, but if we focus on not giving up goals, with Carey in net, I think we have a chance to win every time we play."

It was the second game of a back-to-back meeting. Montreal won 6-3 in Detroit on Thursday night.

Nicolas Deslauriers, Jacob de la Rose and Daniel Carr each got his first goal of the season, while Charles Hudon, Jordie Benn, Andrew Shaw and Brendan Gallagher, with his 100th career goal, also scored for the Canadiens (13-12-3). Alex Galchenyuk had four assists, a single-game career high.

"To climb out of that hole to get back over 500 again is a good feeling for the group," said Byron. "I think everybody here had worked pretty hard to get better and jell more as a team."

Montreal outshot the Red Wings 34-23, scoring five in 25 shots on starter Petr Mrazek and five more on nine shots against Jimmy Howard, who entered the game at 13:43 of the second period. Price has allowing only six goals in five games since his return.

"Today was just embarrassing," said Wings defenceman Niklas Kronwall. "I don't know another word to describe it.

"From the top guy to the last guy, not only did we embarrass ourselves, we embarrassed the organization."

Luke Glendening scored for the Red Wings (10-12-5), who saw their winless run reach seven games (0-4-3), their longest spell without a victory since Nov. 4-19, 2013.

The Canadiens struck twice in 32 seconds in the opening period.

Byron picked up a pass from Galchenyuk at his own blue line and raced in alone to beat Mrazek to the top corner at 5:22 and Deslauriers was left open in front to fire in a Byron Froese feed from behind the net at 5:54.

Byron went alone again to score inside the near post 1:51 into the second frame.

De la Rose scored shorthanded as he completed a two on one with Deslauriers with a tap-in at 4:58. It was a first goal in 50 games since April 11, 2015 for de la Rose.

"I don't try to think too much about

that but obviously it was relief," the 22-year-old Swede said. "You want to score goals, so it's a good feeling."

Hudon picked the top corner from close range on a power play at 13:43 and that chased Mrazek.

Byron got his third of the game with a low shot from the slot at 15:38.

Gallagher went in alone to score his 13th of the season 1:01 into the third. Tomas Plekanec's assist moved him into a tie with Dickie Moore for 13th place in Canadiens all-time scoring with 593.

Benn scored on a blast from the left circle at 6:15.

Glendening ended the shutout bid when he poked a puck in at 9:46. Carr got it back at 11:52 as he elected to shoot on a two on one. Shaw's long wrist shot eluded Howard at 16:26.

Defenceman Shea Weber returned after missing six games with a lower-body injury, bumping Jakub Jerebek from the Montreal lineup. Forward Jonathan Drouin missed a second game with a lower-body ailment.

Detroit had Martin Frk back after missing eight games with a groin injury.

## Bishop's decides on McBrine to be new Director of Athletics and Recreation

Interim AD will assume full responsibilities in January 2018

By Dylan Konecny

Bishop's University has made the decision to move current acting interim director of athletics and recreation Matt McBrine to the position full time in the new year. McBrine, the current director of university advancement, has been serving in dual roles since former athletic director Jean-Benoit Jubinville stepped down from the position in August 2016. He will be assuming full responsibility for the department starting in January 2018.

McBrine attended Bishop's from 1991-1996 earning a BA while studying Economics, Business and French. During his time at Bishop's, McBrine was also a varsity athlete playing on the Gaiters football team. The native of Fredricton New Brunswick served for 12 years as Bishop's manager of alumni relations from 2000-2012.

While serving as the interim athletic director, McBrine has helped oversee the football team's hiring of head coach Cherif Nicolas and transition to the AUS

conference, and the promotion of the women's hockey team to varsity status.



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**Death**



**Dorothy (McGee) Montgomery**

Passed away peacefully at Grace Village, Sherbrooke, Quebec, on Friday, December 1st, 2017, in her 97th year. Dorothy McGee, beloved wife of the late Garth (Jack) Montgomery. Dorothy is survived by her son, Brian Montgomery (Nancy), also her grandchildren, Brent, Jordan and Danica (Matthew Nutbrown), as well as several nieces and nephews. She was predeceased by her brother Ashton, and sisters Doris (Pierre Sarrasin), Hazel, Evelyn (Jim Joyce), and Irene (Francis Paige).

Resting at the Cass Funeral Home, 3006 College, Sherbrooke, Quebec, where friends may visit on Tuesday, December 5th, 2017, from 1 to 2 p.m. followed by the funeral service at 2:00. Interment in Malvern Cemetery. We would like to sincerely thank the staff at Grace Village for the compassionate and professional care given to Dorothy. In lieu of flowers, donations to the Dr. W.J. Klinck Foundation, 1515 Pleasant View, Sherbrooke, Quebec J1M 0C6, will be gratefully acknowledged by the family.

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**Death**



**James Lachlan Stalker**  
May 18, 1957-  
Nov. 28, 2017

Passed away on Tuesday, November 28, 2017. Predeceased by his parents Lachlan Stalker and Thera Ball and also by his loving grandparents Frank Stalker and Mina Welch. He leaves to mourn his uncle and friend Clayton Stalker, his brothers and sisters John Stalker (Diane Buzzell), Heather Stalker, Harold Stalker (Lisa Doyle), Debbie Stalker (Gerry St-Laurent), Helen Begin (Michael Jones), Robert Begin (Helen Mitchell), Lisa Begin (Chris Sylvester) and Elizabeth Begin. He also leaves to mourn numerous nieces, nephews, cousins, aunts, uncles, along with many lifelong friends.

Visitation will take place at Cass Funeral Home, 295 Principale St. S., Richmond, on Tuesday, December 5, 2017 from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. and on Wednesday, December 6, 2017 from 12:00 to 1:00 p.m. A graveside service will be held immediately following visitation on Wednesday, December 6th at the St. Andrew's Cemetery, Melbourne, Quebec.

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**In Memoriam**

**HODGE, Eva** - Forty years ago a wonderful mom and grammie left us. She is missed and always remembered. We love you.

Missed by  
**Her daughter, Joan (Lawrence) and FAMILY**

**In Memoriam**

**SANBORN, Floyd** - In loving memory of a dear Father and Grandfather who passed away 28 years ago December 4, 1989.

*When God led you in for warmth,  
It was a cold and bitter evening.  
It was then He closed your eyes  
And whispered, "We are leaving."  
Your pain was sudden and silent.  
It ran deeper than any of us knew.  
Your faith was strong and abiding  
And we will never stop missing you.*

In loving memory,  
**ERIC and BEVERLEY  
DANNY and ERIKA**

**Card of Thanks**

**WINTLE** - The family of the late Mary Wintle would like to thank Rev. Reg Jennings and Mrs. Ann Clark for their memorable words and music. Our grateful thanks are extended to the Congregation and UCW of Trenholm United Church for their many kindnesses. The condolences and support given to us at this sad time by our wider circle of family and friends is also much appreciated.

**LLOYD, SHEILA CHARLES,  
ANTHONY MARILYN and FAMILIES**

**In Memoriam**

**STUART, William (Bill)** - In loving memory of a wonderful husband, father and grandfather who passed away on December 4, 2016.

*A golden heart stopped beating,  
Hard working hands at rest,  
It broke our hearts to see you go,  
God only takes the best.  
They say that memories are golden,  
Well maybe that is true,  
But we never wanted memories,  
We only wanted you.  
Your life was love and labour,  
Your love for your family true,  
You did your best for all of us,  
We will always remember you.  
We sat beside your bedside,  
Our hearts were crushed and sore,  
We did our duty to the end,  
'Til we could do no more.  
In tears we watched you sinking,  
We watched you fade away,  
And though our hearts were breaking,  
We knew you could not stay.  
Our lips cannot speak how we loved you,  
Our hearts cannot tell what to say,  
But God only knows how we miss you,  
In our home that is lonely today.*

Greatly missed by  
**YOUR FAMILY**

**Datebook**

**MONDAY, DECEMBER 4, 2017**

Today is the 338th day of 2017 and the 74th day of autumn.

**TODAY'S HISTORY:** In 1639, Jeremiah Horrocks observed the first recorded transit of Venus, which occurs when Venus passes directly between the sun and the Earth.

In 1881, the first edition of the Los Angeles Times was published.

In 1945, the Senate formally approved United States participation in the United Nations by a vote of 65-7.

In 1991, Pan American World Airways (commonly known as Pan Am), went bankrupt and ceased operations.

In 1992, President George H.W. Bush ordered 28,000 U.S. troops to Somalia.

**TODAY'S BIRTHDAYS:** Thomas Carlyle (1795-1881), essayist/historian; Samuel Butler (1835-1902), author; Lillian Russell (1861-1922), actress; Rainer Maria Rilke (1875-1926), poet; Francisco Franco (1892-1975), Spanish dictator; Wink Martindale (1933-), game show host; Jeff Bridges (1949-), actor; Marisa Tomei (1964-), actress; Fred Armisen (1966-), actor/comedian; Jay Z (1969-), rapper/entrepreneur; Tyra Banks (1973-) model/TV personality.

**TODAY'S FACT:** The United States embassy in Mogadishu, Somalia, evacuated in January 1991 due to increasing violence in the Somali civil war, has never been reopened.

**TODAY'S SPORTS:** In 1997, Golden

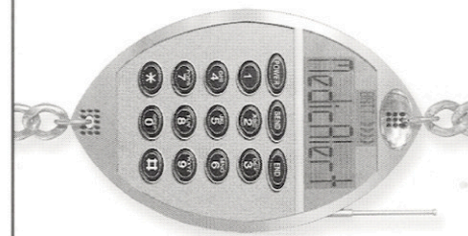
State Warriors star Latrell Sprewell was suspended by the NBA for one year after choking the team's coach, P.J. Carlesimo, during a practice on Dec. 1, 1997.

**TODAY'S QUOTE:** "Life is like playing a violin solo in public and learning the instrument as one goes on." - Samuel Butler

**TODAY'S NUMBER:** 2,454 - days American journalist Terry Anderson was held hostage in Lebanon. Anderson was abducted on March 16, 1985, and was the last American hostage to be released, on this day in 1991.

**TODAY'S MOON:** Between full moon (Dec. 3) and last quarter moon (Dec. 10).

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# Friend or tenant?

Dear Annie

MONDAY, DECEMBER 4, 2017

**Dear Annie:** My friend bought a condo in Florida. She wants me to come stay for a week while she is there but thinks she needs to charge me \$350 to stay with her. Why would a friend need to charge you if she is there, too? If I chip in for some food, what am I paying \$350 for? Is this fair? — Feeling Used

**Dear Feeling Used:** It does not seem right to me to ask that of a friend. If it were a vacation rental and you were splitting the cost, sure. But this is a condo she owns, and she's invited you to come visit. Perhaps the strain of the cost of the condo was more than she fully realized it would be; that's the only plausible explanation I can think of for her charging a fee. Regardless, treating friends like customers is no way to pay the mortgage. If she is looking to make \$350 a week off houseguests, she should open a bed-and-breakfast.

**Dear Annie:** I read the letter from "Family Matters," whose son and daughter-in-law have not yet invited her to their new home, and I related completely. You are absolutely right; giving the benefit of the doubt is very important in this situation, and I love what you had to say. But time may not change much, either. I have a similar situation. My son and daughter-in-law spend virtually every holiday with her family.

I have also gotten very blue over this and felt very slighted and had my feelings hurt. But I finally

decided that is completely pointless. Dwelling on hurt and anger breeds more hurt and anger. My husband and I have started our own tradition of combining Christmas and Thanksgiving and having a family dinner at our home between those holidays. We try to plan it early and give all of our family members time to work it into their holiday schedules. I don't ever fix turkey and dressing, because it's a lot of work and everyone's had it recently. So the meal is simpler, which saves work and stress, leaving time to enjoy the day. I invite everyone to bring a dish, but I let everyone know it's not necessary.

My perspective has changed. I no longer focus on being slighted or alone with my husband during the holidays. It's our time to do what we want and give to others through charity or goodwill. Our dinner with the family is all about stress-free fun — enjoying the family, the grandkids and the day, guilt-free. I have a much better attitude, I get to host in my own home, and I get to make our own tradition. And there's a lot less work. It's fun, and I am all about fun at this age. Happy holidays! — Working on Me

**Dear Working on Me:** Your good spirit is contagious. Thanks for serving up some perspective with an extra helping of holiday cheer.

Send your questions for Annie Lane to: dearannie@creators.com.

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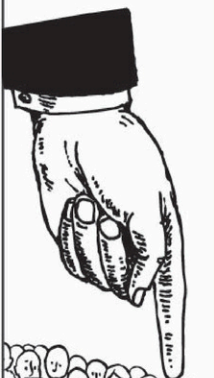
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**We hope we can continue to rely on your support, as it remains very important for the success of our Christmas basket campaign.**

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### CELEBRITY CIPHER

by Luis Campos

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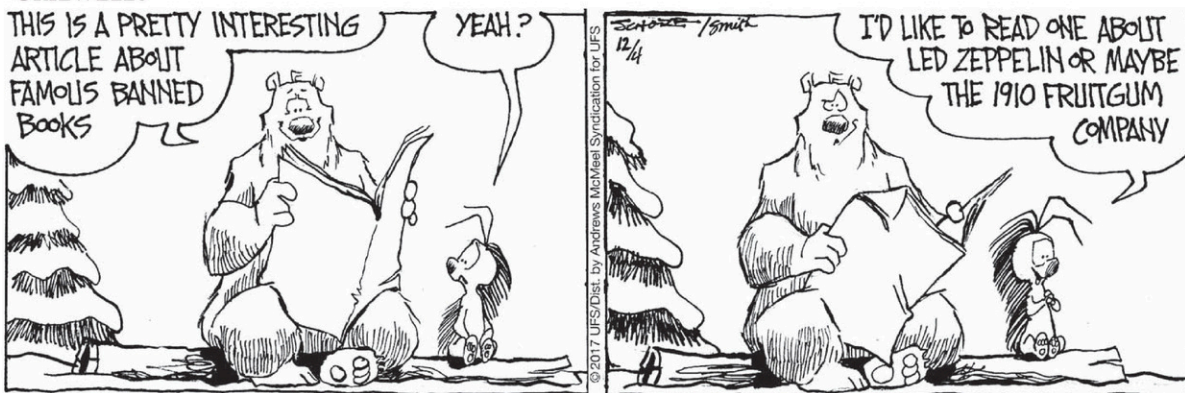
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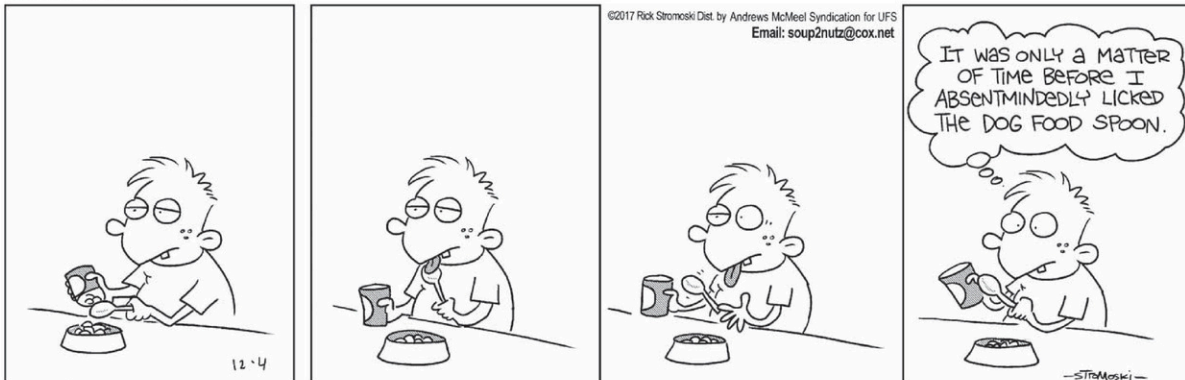
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**PUBLIC CONSULTATION MEETING DRAFT BY-LAW NO. 2 ON MINOR EXEMPTIONS IN THE BOROUGH N° 3**

**TO ALL PARTIES INTERESTED IN DRAFT BY-LAW NO. 2 ON MINOR EXEMPTIONS IN THE BOROUGH N° 3**

**NOTICE** is hereby given by the undersigned:

**THAT** subsequent to the adoption, by resolution, at the Borough n° 3 Council meeting held on November 28, 2017, of a draft by-law bearing the number 2 on minor exemptions in the Borough n° 3, a public consultation meeting will be held at the Borough n° 3 Office located at 150 Queen Street in Sherbrooke on December 12, 2017, at 4:30 p.m., in compliance with the provisions of the *Act Respecting Land Use Planning and Development* (CQLR, chapter A-19.1);

**PURPOSE OF THE DRAFT BY-LAW**

**THAT** the purpose of the draft by-law is to:

- Clarify the provisions of Zoning and Subdivision By-law No. 1200 that may be the subject of requests for minor exemptions, the criteria for analyzing such requests, and the process for the approval of a request for exemption.


**THAT** during this public consultation, the Chair of the meeting will explain the draft by-law as well as the consequences of its adoption and also hear parties who wish to speak to this subject;

**THAT** the draft by-law does not contain provisions that require approval by referendum;

**THAT** this draft by-law may be consulted at the Clerk's Office at 191 Du Palais, Sherbrooke, or at the Borough of Lennoxville Office at 150 Queen Street, Sherbrooke, during regular business hours.

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MONDAY, DECEMBER 4, 2017

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**SAGITTARIUS** (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) — Partnership issues should be addressed head-on. Be willing to compromise and to do the necessary legwork to bring about positive change. Romance will bring you joy and improve your life.

**CAPRICORN** (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) — Look for exciting ways to improve how you do your job, take care of your responsibilities or handle your money. Keeping up with technology will encourage better results in your everyday routine.

**AQUARIUS** (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) — Sharing the load will help you get a project done on time and enjoy doing it. Speak up and take action to make a difference.

**PISCES** (Feb. 20-March 20) — An emotional situation will arise if you don't choose your words wisely. Look for unique ways to help others without hurting your bankbook or your health.

**ARIES** (March 21-April 19) — Gather information and learn from the encounters and experiences you have dealing with others. Take the lead if you want to get things done your way. Business trips look promising.

**TAURUS** (April 20-May 20) — You may

want to help others, but do so smartly. Don't let emotional spending lead to a budgetary shortfall. An unusual partnership will provide a learning experience.

**GEMINI** (May 21-June 20) — Sort out any differences you have with others, especially if they concern money. Taking the lead and making adjustments to ensure that more money is coming in than is going out will set a good example.

**CANCER** (June 21-July 22) — A discussion with someone you work with or deal with at a government agency or institution will turn emotional. Know your rights and have your paperwork in order.

**LEO** (July 23-Aug. 22) — Don't overspend on your living space or dubious investments. Put more time into self-improvements that don't cost too much or focus on your relationships with your children, loved ones or parents.

**VIRGO** (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) — Trust your emotions. If something doesn't feel right, back away. Don't believe everything you are told or take a risk that could lead to injury or a personal loss.

**LIBRA** (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) — Make last-minute changes or travel arrangements or plans for end-of-year festivities. A shopping spree will lead to bargains. Meet a friend for lunch and catch up.

**SCORPIO** (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) — Make changes at home that will inspire you to enjoy the festive season. An unusual project should be shared with someone you find comforting and supportive.

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# Spend more time discussing defense

By Phillip Alder

Charles I, King of England from 1625 to 1649, said, "Never make a defense or apology before you be accused."

A bridge player never has to make a defense until he loses the auction. In practice, that happens on 50 percent of deals, but most pairs spend perhaps 5 percent of their discussions on defense. This is backward. If you defend well, you will be successful (unless the rest of your game stinks!).

If you wish to read a book on the subject, "Defending at Bridge — a First Course" by Bill Treble (Master Point Press) is a good starting point. There are eight chapters, seven ending with eight example deals and one with 10. Treble uses fourth-highest leads and standard signals (which are easier than upside-down).

In this example, how should East-West play to defeat four hearts after West leads the club ace?

North's hand is well worth his jump-lead of four hearts.

East's job at trick one is to signal whether he does or does not have the club queen, the honor touching the two promised by West's lead (unless East has a strong desire for a particular shift). That is usually done by playing the high-

North 12-04-17			
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♥ A Q 10 9			
♦ A Q J 10 7			
♣ 5 3			
West			East
♠ K J 10 8 4			♠ 9 7 6
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♣ A K 7 4			♣ Q J 6 2
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♠ Q 5 3			
♥ K J 8 7 6			
♦ 5 2			
♣ 10 9 8			
Dealer: North			
Vulnerable: Both			
South	West	North	East
1♥	1♠	1♦	Pass
		4♥	All Pass
Opening lead: ♣ A			

est spot-card he can afford. However, when he has the queen and jack, he can make his signal even clearer by tabling the queen — top of touching honors when one cannot win the trick.

Now West should continue with a low club to put his partner on lead. Then East can shift to a spade, which establishes four tricks for the defenders: one spade, one diamond and two clubs.

# CROSSWORD

**Across**

- 1 Knight's "shining" protection
- 6 Elegant
- 10 WWII servicewomen
- 14 Car body style
- 15 Mennen shaving lotion
- 16 Get one's ducks in \_\_\_
- 17 Devotee of singer Gloria
- 19 Heavy book
- 20 Buck or doe
- 21 Beluga yield
- 22 Viewed to be
- 24 Precise price
- 27 Mineral springs
- 30 Believer's suffix
- 31 Five-time Wimbledon champ Björn
- 32 Portion out
- 34 "Westworld" network
- 35 Bon Ami alternative
- 39 Mata Hari story, e.g.
- 43 Simplicity

- 44 The "I" in TGIF
- 45 Family car
- 46 Disney's "\_\_\_ & Stitch"
- 48 Above-the-street trains
- 50 Chapter in history
- 51 Garden purchase from a Lowe's rival
- 56 Truck capacity
- 57 Coffee order: Abbr.
- 58 Image to click on
- 62 Gadget's rank: Abbr.
- 63 According to the U.S. Census Bureau, it's 63 for retirement
- 66 Slugger Sammy
- 67 Earth orbiter
- 68 Wafer brand
- 69 Jacob or Esau
- 70 Choice word
- 71 Not reached, as a goal

**Down**

- 1 Scored 100 on
- 2 Went up
- 3 Sound-off button
- 4 Wagner work
- 5 Striped-shirt wearer
- 6 Happen as expected
- 7 Buyer's proposal
- 8 BART stop
- 9 Hammer or screwdriver
- 10 Nixon Era scandal
- 11 Pleasing smell
- 12 Tailed celestial body
- 13 31-Across, by birth
- 18 Rainbow shapes
- 23 Poetic "always"
- 25 Credit in a footnote
- 26 "Dancing Queen" group
- 27 Place for valuables
- 28 Not guilty, for one
- 29 Gift for the poor
- 33 Skillet for folded egg dishes

- 34 Growth chart nos.
- 36 Green stone
- 37 Banned apple spray
- 38 TV warrior princess
- 40 It's often followed by .pdf
- 41 On the summit of
- 42 Old U.S. gas brand
- 47 Swearing-in words
- 48 Timeless, in verse
- 49 Women's links gp.

- 51 Lift up
- 52 Televised as we speak
- 53 Soccer great Lionel
- 54 Black-and-white cookies
- 55 Marketing gimmick
- 59 Period "before the storm"
- 60 Look at lasciviously
- 61 Without ice, at the bar
- 64 TV loud-soft control: Abbr.
- 65 Bearded antelope

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