

Margaret's (In)Decision Tops 1955 News Stories

Princess Considered Best World News; Pearson In Canada

Princess Margaret was the top world news personality of 1955.



PRINCESS MARGARET
Top Personality



L. B. (MIKE) PEARSON
Newsiest Canadian

Canadian daily newspapers, asked by The Canadian Press to choose the world's newsiest figure of the year, picked the Queen's sister by a more than 2-to-1 margin over President Eisenhower, their second choice.

Their selection was a direct reflection of two spectacular news events — the princess' decision not to wed Peter Townsend and the president's heart attack. These stories also topped the poll for the year's biggest news breaks.

Newsiest Canadian was L. B. (Mike) Pearson, the country's minister of external affairs. Mr. Pearson thus resumed the spot he occupied through four years — 1950-53 — until displaced last year by swimmer Marilyn Bell.

Miss Bell was second this year, finishing well ahead of Walter Mulligan, Vancouver's deposed police chief, Hon. C. D. Howe, Conservative leader Drew, Maurice Richard, Premier Bennett of B.C., and Fisheries Minister Sinclair were others in the running. World figures who drew votes included Russia's Khrushchev, U. S. Foreign Secretary Dulles, Sir Winston Churchill and Pope Pius.

Women's Group Holds Meeting

Kingsey Falls—The December meeting of the Brownleigh-Kingsey Falls Woman's Association was held in the United Chapel. Devotionals opened with a Christmas carol followed by the Christmas story as recorded by St. Matthew. The Lord's Prayer was repeated in unison.

Election of officers was postponed until the January meeting. Several members brought or sent in their pennies for missions. These amounted to \$12.70, with others to hear from.

A lighted Christmas tree was admired by the children present and lunch was served, bringing the last meeting of 1955 to a close.



Just A Dutch Stroll — F/O I. R. Ferguson, East Angus, Quebec, and Mrs. Ferguson take a walk in The Hague, Holland, before he plays a hockey game with the RCAF Flyers against a Dutch team. F/O Ferguson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Ferguson of East Angus. (National Defence Photo)

St. Laurents Plan Quiet Holiday Family Visits

Quebec—Prime Minister and Mrs. St. Laurent this week will take part in a series of family visits much in the same fashion as their Christmas Day celebration.

Mr. St. Laurent arrived here Saturday in time to join his wife at their Quebec home to prepare for the Christmas holiday.

The couple attended midnight mass with other parishioners of Saint-Coeur-de-Marie parish, near the family home on fashionable Grande-Allee. They went to bed almost immediately after church and rest up for Christmas Day. Christmas itself was spent in visits to the homes of the three

children living in Quebec. In the morning they went to the house of their elder son, Renault, where they opened presents with Renault's five children.

Then they left for lunch with their daughter, Marthe, the wife of Dr. Mathieu Samson, and her four children. For supper, the prime minister and his wife visited their other son, Jean-Paul, his wife and four youngsters.

In each of the homes they distributed gifts to the children and were on the receiving end of some presents themselves. For the older girls among the grandchildren, there were dresses that Mrs. Samson and her mother picked up on a shopping junket to New York. The boys got hockey equipment and toys as well as clothes.

Mrs. St. Laurent returned home with an English china breakfast set, perfume and powder, and an electric vegetable warmer. The prime minister received, among other things, pajamas, a sport shirt for golfing and fishing, and a magazine subscription.

During the day they put through several calls to Montreal to chat and exchange greetings with their two daughters there. They talked on the telephone with Mrs. Hugh O'Donnell and Mrs. Frank Lalerty and the two children of each.

Mr. and Mrs. St. Laurent returned home about 10 p.m.

Dramatic Changes Feature Ford Company Operations

New York—(P)—The Ford stock registration dramatizes how the motor company has almost completely changed its personality since the days of Henry Ford the First.

In 10 years Henry Ford II has scrapped many of the business practices that made his grandfather a symbol of an earlier business era.

Inviting the public to come and buy 60 per cent of the voting stock in the company which Grandpa had spent huge sums to make a strictly one-family show is just the last in a long list of breaks with the past.

Henry I startled businessmen of his day by offering to pay his workers \$5 a day. But he also stubbornly resisted unionization of his plants as long as he could.

His grandson startled today's elder generation of industrial executives by becoming the first head of a corporate giant to take preliminary steps towards a guaranteed annual wage.

The first Ford success at publicity. He made the tin lizzy as cheap as possible and said that the jokes about it would sell the car. At any rate, the cars did sell.

The present management uses every trick of the trade to ballyhoo its models.

Henry I preferred his cars to stay a dignified black. Henry II has borrowed every color of the rainbow and made up a few more of his own.

But it was in the field of business management that the youngster made the biggest break with the precepts of his grandfather.

The founder ran a one-man show. He hired good brains just as he hired good workmen. But the vital decisions were his own and often they seemed arbitrary. There was little or no delegation of responsibility and authority. Henry I had little truck with the precepts taught in the business administration schools.

Henry II changed all that. In 1946 he brought in men who revamped Ford management from top to bottom. They installed an accounting system, a cost system and a system of controls. And they established a line of responsibility and authority throughout the vast Ford empire.

The old man had to have partners to help him get started in 1903 on a capital outlay of only \$28,000. But he hated the thought of having anyone tell him how

to run the company—specifically to try to stop him from plowing back most of the earnings into growth rather than handing them out as dividends to his partners. So he bought the partners out in 1919 for \$106,000,000 and went it alone.

Now Henry II is inviting what could turn out to be several hundred thousand partners to join him, as buyers of the 10,200,000 shares the Ford Founding is selling in January.

Eisenhower Illness Was Big; Vancouver Scandal Picked In Canada

Two stories rich in human interest top the list of world news events for 1955.

Princess Margaret's decision not to marry Group Capt. Peter Townsend was picked by telegraph editors of Canadian daily newspapers as the story of the year.

Voting in a Canadian Press poll, they selected President Eisenhower's heart attack, as close second in news impact.

The editors were asked to choose the top six world and Canadian stories.

Their selections:
World — 1. Princess Margaret's decision; 2. Eisenhower's illness; 3. Salk vaccine; 4. Churchill's retirement; 5. Peron downfall; 6. Geneva Big Four talks.

Canadian — 1. Vancouver police scandal; 2. Richard riots; 3. Grey Cup show; 4. Marilyn Bell's channel swim; 5. Connon's filibuster; 6. Banff snowslide.

Announcement of the Margaret-Townsend romance, announced Oct. 31 was the nearly unanimous choice for top spot, with the president's illness a close second.

Interest in science generally, and particularly medical news, is reflected in choice for third place of the April 12 announcement of the Salk vaccine's effectiveness. Churchill's retirement and Eden's succession, April 5, marked the close of a great saga in world affairs and appealed to the editors as slightly newer than Peron's ousting from Argentina Sept. 9.

Puzzling moves by the Soviet high command, beginning with Malenkov's demotion and continuing through two Geneva conferences in July and November, rounded out the top six world stories.

The Vancouver police scandal, which began last spring and continued through a still-unfinished commission investigation, heads the list of Canadian events. Montreal riots March 17, sparked by suspension of hockey player Maurice Richard, too! second place over the Grey Cup show put on by Vancouver—and the winning Edmonton Eskimos—as the game was played in the west for the first time.

Marilyn Bell, whose conquest of Lake Ontario took second place to Hurricane Hazel in the Canadian list in 1954, was represented again this year when her July 31 channel swim was selected as fourth best Canadian break. The successful Conservative filibuster in the Commons, forcing limitation of the Emergency Powers Act, drew slightly more votes than the July snowslide on Mount Temple II, which seven youths were killed.

Other Canadian stories mentioned included Saskatchewan storms and floods, plans for the first Canadian atom power plant,



DWIGHT EISENHOWER
Illness Was Big Story

the TLU-CCL merger, Gen. Simonds' retirement, the Pearson trip to Moscow, Robert Saunders plane crash death, the Dempsey political squabble, and the Nicolet landslide.



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THE BLUE SILK DRESS

By Sally Sandusky Eads
NANCY POWERS counted her egg money, then put it into the teapot and set it on the mantle. There was more than enough to pay for that pretty blue silk dress she had tried on at The Style Shoppe. Cyrus would be mighty proud when he saw her in that dress. He was going to town right after dinner to try to swap cars with Tom Newell, but Cyrus would have to pay boot. Nancy hoped the boot would not be too much, because Cyrus had his heart set on having that almost new car for them to drive to the New Year's Party.
 She glanced at the kitchen clock. "My goodness! Cyrus will soon be here for his dinner."
 When Nancy saw Cyrus walking slowly down the snow-covered



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 path toward the kitchen door, she said, "Somethin' musta happened." He looked tired, and disappointed. She hoped somebody else hadn't traded for Tom Newell's car. Well, she wouldn't ask for awhile.
 "What's the matter, Cyrus Powers?" she asked when he had finished eating.
 "Nothin' Nancy, only I've decided ag'inst tradin' for Newell's car. I'll have the old one greased and washed, and it'll look pretty good, agoin' to the New Year Party."
 "Cyrus Powers, you know better'n that," Nancy accused. "You was proud when we was young, and you've not changed. Why, you used to take me to the Parties in the finest rubber tire buggy in the county. Your horses always matched your buggy in looks, and you still want a good lookin' turnout, when you go some place."
 Cyrus laughed. "And I had the prettiest, best dressed gal of all."
An Old Story
 Nancy smiled. She'd heard that before. She started clearing off the table. "Cyrus, tell me the truth. Why did you change your mind about tradin' for that same-as-new Ford car?"
 "Nancy, you're too inquisitive. But the truth is, I had Bud Carter take my bank book to town this mornin' and have it balanced. We lack fifty dollars havin' enough boot money. I could borrow it, but that would worry you and me both."
 "Uh-huh," Nancy reached for the teapot and laid thirty-three dollars on the table in front of Cyrus. "Now, get to town and trade for that car before somebody else beats you to it."
 "No, Nancy. That's your dress money." He pushed the money away from him.
 "Shucks! I don't want a new dress. Get goin' before I spill dishwater on you."
A Good Cry
 After he was gone, Nancy sat down and woman like, had a good cry. It had been so long since she'd had a new dress, but she wanted Cyrus to have the car he'd set his heart on.
 She mended and pressed an old dress to wear. Late in the afternoon, she went to the barn and fed the cattle and horses, and milked the cows. Then she locked up the chicken house. It was getting dark when she saw Cyrus coming into the driveway. She wouldn't get to see the new car until morning.
 Cyrus was laughing when he came in. "I found a place in town where they paint cars while you wait, and fix them to look like new. They said our car was in good shape." He was holding something behind him.
 "You don't say! Cyrus, what's that you're holdin' behind you?"
 He grinned and set a dress box on the table. "Since we only had a paint job to pay for, I knew we could afford something else for the party."
 Nancy took off the box lid and lifted out the blue silk dress. She smiled, then her face crumpled. Cyrus really had wanted her to have the dress. She mustn't cry.
 "Cyrus," she scolded, "I told you to get the Newell car . . . But you can't trust a man to do as you tell him."
 Cyrus grinned, again. A Happy New Year Grin.

ABBOTSFORD —
 Const. John Buzzell, R.C.M.P., Valleyfield, is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Buzzell, and accompanied them to Waterloo on Christmas Day where they were guests of Mr. and Mrs. I. Slack.
 Mrs. George Forbes of Montreal, was the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Gordon Thomson, and Mr. Thomson.
 Miss Gladys Buzzell of Montreal, was a week-end guest of her brother, Mr. Herbert Buzzell, and Mrs. Buzzell.



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Bernard Pinard

Member of the Provincial Parliament for Drummond County

TOGETHER

By Shirley Sargent

AS ALICE DANFORTH moved from the sink, she saw the big calendar turned to December and the latent happiness within her swelled like a balloon. She hugged her secret to herself, glad now that she had kept it from Jed. What better way to start the New Year? Of course, if Jed had been here in Weed these last two months, she couldn't have kept it, but he had been gone on sales trips for the company. She walked into the living room to study their wedding portrait taken just three years ago.
 Jed's expression was radiant. He was a tall young man with dark hair and warm brown eyes while Alice, herself, was slight with honey blond hair and a smile that lent her beauty. How happy they had been, Alice thought, when they had come to the town of Weed. The first year and the second year. It had been only recently that Jed had exhibited the restlessness that culminated in his transferring to the sales staff.
 It had been only recently that Alice had paid particular attention to Weed's snow-covered parks, to its horsey schools and its pervading air of "typical" as she had walked its broad streets. When they had first come to Weed, she had had little time for anyone but



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Jed; lately she had treasured every friendly greeting, every evidence of belonging. And soon, she wondered, will my interests narrow down again?

Jed arrived home too late and too exhausted to go to the parties they had been invited to. There were tired lines in his face, especially around his eyes. "Let's just see the New Year in together," he suggested, sprawling on the couch.

Thoughtful Quiet

For a while the living room was broken only by the noises of the crackling fire and the popping corn. Outside, Alice knew, snow was falling in geometrically beautiful flakes that would heap together and mean shoveling tomorrow.

Jed sat up when she brought the bowl of well-salted, buttered popcorn to him. They sat side by side, sharing the bowl.

"Good," Jed mumbled, his mouth too full for clear speech.

"How was your trip?" The clock read 11:45.

Jed sighed from deep within him. "All right," he said, "considering how green I am at sales. The boss is pleased. In fact . . ." he paused.

Alice was aware of his intent gaze. "In fact, what?" she questioned.
 Jed rose, paced restlessly.
 "In fact, the boss is so pleased with my progress that he'll put me out in the field regularly. Now, don't interrupt. Let me finish. We would either move to Chicago or maybe we could buy a house trailer and you could go with me."

Jed poked another log on the fire. "Of course, it wouldn't all be fun and travel, but at least you wouldn't be stuck in Weed anymore."

Not Stuck At All

"Stuck in Weed," she echoed. "Who said I was stuck? Why, Weed has one of the best stocked libraries I've even seen in a small town and in the summer we have the band and the people are so friendly."

"But I thought you hated it here." His square face was set in lines of utter bewilderment. "That's why I took the darn job with the sales force."

Church bells began to toll the old year out as Alice went to Jed. "Jed, dear, you couldn't be more mistaken. I love Weed, and our future lies here. A wonderful future. Why, next June we're going to have a baby."

Jed whooped and hugged her tightly, then led her gently to the couch. "A baby. Our daughter or son? In June? Are you sure?"

"Of course, nitwit and I want him, her, it to grow up in Weed."
 "Then I don't have to stay with sales and we can live here and raise our child. Oh, Happy New Year, darling Happy New Year!"

The badger, with its powerful forelegs and claws, can dig a hole in sandy soil faster than a man with a shovel.

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Emilien Lafrance

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My New Year's Message to Residents of Stanstead County:

To all the Folk of Stanstead County — Friendly greetings and best wishes for Holiday Season. May prosperity and good health prevail throughout the New Year.

LT.-COL.
LOUIS ROBERGE
 Member of Parliament for Stanstead County.
 ROCK ISLAND, QUE.

HAPPY NEW YEAR TO ALL!

It gives me a great deal of pleasure at the beginning of the New Year to wish my friends everywhere "All the Best in the New Year".

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Member of Parliament for Sherbrooke County,
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AYER'S CLIFF—

Mr. Robert Hamilton, of Chicago, spent the Yuletide holidays with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. Robert S. Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. Weston Orr, of Lennoxville, spent Christmas weekend at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Lavers.

Mr. Warren Place has returned home from the Sherbrooke Hospital.

Dr. and Mrs. Robert S. Hamilton entertained at Christmas, Dr. C. L. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Galen S. Brown, Mrs. W. O. Worthen of this place, and Mr. S. S. Worthen, of Westmount.

Mr. Murray Baldwin, of St. Fustache-sur-le-Lac, is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Baldwin.

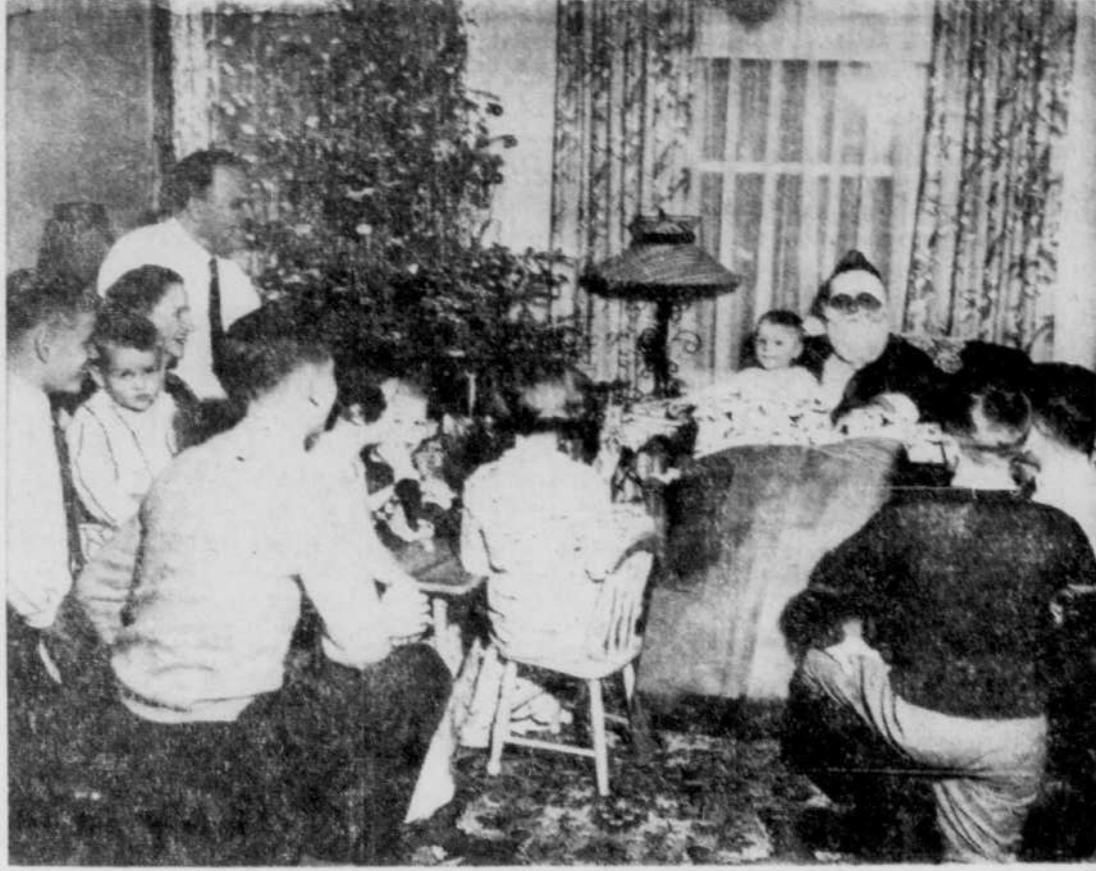
Mrs. Evelyn White, Dr. Kay Fraser and Miss Elinor Rexford were guests on Christmas Day of Mr. Ted Rexford in Magog.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Gale are spending the holidays in Montreal, guests of his sister, Mrs. Harry Gerwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Cass left for St. Lambert, where they will spend a few days with their family, Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Cass and son, Mr. and Mrs. Wellman Smith and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Cass and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Keeler, Miss Dyanne Keeler and Nick, were guests of Mrs. Keeler's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Parker, at Hatley.

Mr. and Mrs. Winston Keeler and sons, from Macdonald College, were holiday guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Keeler and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Rexford.



Some Gathering — Expressions varying from wide-eyed amazement to teenage tolerance flickered across the faces of the 11 Fortier children Christmas Eve when Santa threw aside his veil of secrecy and came in for a couple of hours. Lugging in a sack full of more than 30 presents he handed out skates and hockey sticks and smaller toys to the kiddies. They are the children of Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Fortier, 193 Murray Ave. The youngest, Mario, 15-months, occupies the place of honor on Santa's lap, while the oldest, Andre, 15 (kneeling), seems to be getting a big kick out of it all too. Parents Marie-Louise and Olivette, are proud of their big family and are looking forward to New Year's Eve when they will be celebrating their 17th wedding anniversary. (Record Photo by Gerry Lemay)

Mr. Robert Clouston, of Vancouver, B.C., and Miss Norma Clouston of Montreal, are spending the holidays with their mother, Mrs. Helen Clouston.

Mrs. Harry Lockwood has spent the past few months with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Heath, at Riverbend, Ont.

Mr. and Mrs. Earle Templeton and two sons, of St. Lambert, are spending the Yuletide holidays with Mrs. Templeton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Rexford.

Mr. Wayne Pope, of Montreal, spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Pope.

Mr. S. S. Worthen, of Westmount, spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. W. O. Worthen.

Mr. and Mrs. Clair Libby and Johnnie, were Christmas Day guests of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Burns and family in Lennoxville.

Miss Gwen Pitman, of the High School teaching staff, has gone to her home in North Hatley for the holidays. Miss Mabel Fraser, is at her parental home in Cookshire and Miss Elaine Green is also at her home in Coaticook.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Trevaill spent Christmas Day at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Van Trevaill on Brown's Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Place and family, of Kingston, Ont., spent the holiday weekend with his parents Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Place.

Mr. Andrea Douillard and Miss Fernand Douillard spent the weekend at the home of their father and brother, Mr. Victor Douillard, and Oregene Douillard in Magog.



Santa Claus At Richmond — Some of the veterans' children, who crowded the Legion Hall at Richmond, pose above with St. Nicholas. The young folk from Richmond, South Durham, Kingsbury, Melbourne, Ulverton and from many an outlying farm gave Santa a vigorous welcome, a welcome so spontaneous that the parents caught the spirit and joined the youngsters in cheering. There were singing of Christmas carols and an hour of moving pictures, at the conclusion of which Santa appeared to distribute fruit and candy. Comrade L. R. Dalton and his committee organized and conducted the program. The children loved it all. They loved the candy, the excitement and they loved Santa Claus. Yes, the parents loved it too. (Record Photo by Pierre Rochette)

ABBOTSFORD—

The little folks of the Community were happily surprised when they received a visit from Santa Claus. Due to illness in the neighborhood, and the extremely cold weather, the annual Community Christmas Tree was cancelled, but Santa delivered the gifts and candy to the homes of all the excited young people.

KINNEAR'S MILLS—

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Rothney, with Patricia, David and Diane, spent Christmas Day with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Nutbrown, Eaton Road.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Morrison, of Lennoxville, were weekend guests of their mother, Mrs. W. Bailey, and were Christmas Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Bailey, Mr. and Mrs. James Johnston were also guests at the same home.

Mr. and Mrs. George Crawford entertained Mr. and Mrs. Fred Crawford and Mr. William Crawford on Christmas Day. Mr. Glen Bennett, of Thetford, was a guest at the same home.

"Christmas Carol" Features Program At Rock Island School Prize-Giving

Rock Island—Despite the below zero temperature of Tuesday evening, a large number of parents and friends of the teachers and students of Sunnyside School assembled in the auditorium for the prize-giving and Christmas program.

The principal, Mrs. Hugh McClary, welcomed the visitors and called upon Kenneth Baldwin, chairman of the Rock Island Standard school board, who presented prizes to the first four grades of the school, and Laurence Tilton gave out the prizes for Grades V, VI and VII.

Mrs. William Greer, educational secretary of the Stanstead Chapter of the I.O.D.E., also presented the organization's two prizes.

The Girls' Choral Group of Grades VIII and IX rendered two vocal selections, "Virgin's Slumber Song" and "The Shepherd's Carol."

The feature of the program was the presentation of the popular Dickens' "Christmas Carol." Miss Brenda Stratton was the reader of parts of the story, with Cyril Lynch portraying the part of Scrooge in a magnificent performance.

Others in the cast were Sifton Osborn, Bob Cratchit; Larry Keeley, collector; Stephen Finch, Fred; Larry Wilson, Marley; Joyce French, Ghost of Christmas Past; Thelma Hyatt, young girl; Brian Griffith, young Scrooge; Billy Brock, Ghost of Christmas Present; Diane Farley, Ghost of Christmas Yet to Come; Caroline Goodsell, Mrs. Cratchit; Sandra Wallace and Nancy Miller, the Cratchit girls; Dick White, Peter Cratchit, and Gordon Hyatt, Tiny Tim.

All these young people are students of Sunnyside School, and several more students added to the excellent presentation in various ways, as did the teachers and Mr. McPherson, with their instructions.

CHRISTMAS PARTY
Approximately 155 children and adults assembled at the Stanstead South United Church hall for the annual Christmas party. Supper was served by members of the Helping Circle and 35 Club societies of the church, at tables attractive with white covers and Christmas napkins. The hall was further trimmed in keeping with the occasion and included a

gaily trimmed tree aglow with colored lights.

After supper, group singing was enjoyed under the direction of Rev. Mr. Tenneson, the latter also showing films pertaining to the children's program.

After this, sleigh bells were heard overhead, and who should come down but Santa Claus. The jolly old man in red was kept very busy for some time giving out Sunday School prizes and to every child a box of candy, also an apple. The apples were the gift of Mrs. Margaret Abbott and Nancy.

BIRTHDAY PARTY
Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Whitman, Mr. and Mrs. Austin Whitman, of Rock Island, entertained at a party in honor of the 19th birthday of their daughter and granddaughter, Miss Joyce Whitman.

The evening was delightfully spent playing cards and monopoly and watching television programs. Joyce received a number of lovely gifts, for which she thanked her friends.

Refreshments were served and included a decorated birthday cake topped with glowing candles.

The many friends of Joyce wish her many more of these happy occasions.

INVERNESS—

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Henderson, of Ayer's Cliff, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Wright.

Mr. Joseph Jamieson, of Kinnear's Mills, is visiting Mr. Arthur Lowry.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Allan Little were Mr. Lloyd Little and Miss Audrey McGillivray, of Lennoxville, and Mr. Joseph Jamieson, of Kinnear's Mills.

A successful card party was held in the Odd Fellows' Hall under the auspices of the Ladies' Guild. Mr. Donald Graham, of Glen Murray, was the lucky winner in the drawing for a turkey.

Master Allan Marshall spent a few days with his grandmother, Mrs. Harry Patterson, of Rectory Hill.

Sgt. and Mrs. Griffin, of Radar, St. Sylvestre, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Cruck shank.

Mrs. Leo Hebert has returned to Inverness, after visiting her daughters in St. Johns.

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Social And Personal

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Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Sims have returned to their home on Lloyd St., Lennoxville, after spending the Christmas weekend with Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Anglin and family, in Town of Mount Royal.

Mrs. J. Fournier and Miss Leonie St. Pierre, Dominion Ave., have returned home, after spending the weekend with their brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Hector St. Pierre, in Montreal.

Miss Gertrude Workman, The Gordon, has returned from Montreal, where she spent the Christmas weekend with her sister, Miss Ann Workman, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Bryant, Victoria St., have returned from Westmount, where they were guests, for the week-end of the latter's mother and sister, Mrs. A. E. MacKay and Miss Ethel MacKay.

Mrs. Watson Frazer and daughters, Jane and Elizabeth, of Chambly, are guests, for a few days of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Tracy and family, and Mrs. M. F. Burbank, Fulton Avenue.

Mr. Pierre Jutras, who is attending the University of Maine, Mrs. Jutras and their son, John, of Orono, Me., are spending their holidays with Mrs. Susan MacKay, London St.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Fiset, Victoria St., have returned from Quebec City, where they spent the weekend with the former's mother and aunt, Mrs. Charlotte Fiset and Miss Gertrude Burke.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Morrison, London St., will be sorry to know that their son, Barry, is a patient in the Sherbrooke Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Leonard, and Mr. Thomas Leonard, Moore St., spent Christmas weekend with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Gilles Trigrane and family at Magog. Other guests at the same home were Mr. and Mrs. Claude Charast, of Orford Lake and Mr. and Mrs. Clermont Rouleau, of Cookshire.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Pearson and children, Carol and Charles, of Hamilton, Ont., and Mr. and Mrs. Osborne Holt, and sons, Douglas and Gerald, of Magog, were Christmas weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pearson, King St., West.

Mr. J. H. Walsh and Misses Kathleen and Ave Walsh, Prospect St., spent the Christmas weekend in Montreal, as guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Walsh and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee M. Watson, Clough Ave., Lennoxville, have returned from Halifax, where they were guests of Mrs. Watson's brother-in-law and sister, the Rev. Harold Waterman, the Lord Bishop of Nova Scotia, and Mrs. Waterman, for the Christmas week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. George Lothrop, Prospect St., have returned from Montreal where they visited their sons and daughters-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Lothrop, in Montreal, and Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Lothrop in Lachine, during the Christmas week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. John Newton and young daughter, Susan, who spent the Christmas week-end with Mrs. Newton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Wilson, in Westmount, have returned to their home on Newton St.

Mr. William Murray and Mr. John Murray of Montreal, spent the Christmas holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Murray, Terrill Ave.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. W. Taylor and children, Malcolm and Penny, of Rock Forest, and Mr. and Mrs. G. Peck and son, Gregory, Arlington St., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. D. MacAulay, at Bishop-ton, for Christmas Day.

Mr. Ted Reeves, attending Bishop's University, Lennoxville, is spending the holidays at the home of Lieut. Col. and Mrs. B. Lyon, Montreal Rd.

Dr. Robert Paulette of Bellevue General Hospital, New York City, was the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Paulette, Court St., and other friends, during the Christmas holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Thompson, Walton Ave., spent the Christmas week-end with the former's mother, Mrs. James Thompson, at St. Johnsbury, Vt. Other visitors at the same home were Mr. and Mrs. Lee Simonds and Miss Diann Simonds, of Boston, Mass.

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Mrs. F. H. Bradley, Belvidere St., North, was the guest, for the Christmas week-end of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. Justice William Mitchell and Mrs. Mitchell and family, at "Drumquin," their home at Massawippi.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Bradshaw and children, Gary and Leah, have returned to their home on Ontario St., after spending the Christmas week-end with Mr. and Mrs. William Adock, at Ste. Rose.

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Hair Styles Varied But Longer

By ALICIA HART
Hair style trends are about as indefinite as trends in crab grass. About all that can be said is whether hair is longer or shorter than last year or the year before. And, hair being what it is, if it's longer, it's never much longer, though it can go radically shorter in a season.

This winter the trend is what you want to make it. It is longer and it's not Italian or out-in-the-rain. It's softer and flossy-feminine rather than Apache-feminine.

What this really means is that the stylists are creating coiffures for hair that's growing out of the Italian and crew-cut stage. The high-style professional models are faking it with switches and chignons or utilizing some of the pretty, thoroughly-styled cuts under discussion. The rest of us are relying on good cutting and permanents to make medium-length hair as pretty as can be.

New York's Jean DeChant does it in two ways. He does a longer sleek bob called the Deb-



Winter trends in hair styles are off in all directions but the bedraggled. This pair, by Jean DeChant, indicates two of the trends. Width at the temples (left) is complemented with bangs. The long sleek look (right) is heightened with streaks.

utante, it has a flat top, smooth as a cat, to the crown, and a soft wave at the ends. To add length and smoothness, he uses color streaks.

The other, more ornate, look he does is called the Profile Bob. It highlights width at the temples, one of the numerous trends evident this winter. It's pulled back at one side and done with bangs and waves.

Hair Styles Have Changed, Home No Longer Papa's World

By RUTH MILLETT
Times have certainly changed. When I was a child, in most homes Papa's comfort and his preferences ruled the family.

If Papa liked white meat, the breast of the chicken was served to him. If he liked a Sunday afternoon nap, the kids played quietly, while he got it.

If he thought Sally was too young to wear high heels or lipstick Sally didn't wear either. If Papa didn't like to have the phonograph going while he was practicing the latest dance step when Papa wasn't at home.

Now most men fit themselves into the family circle instead of expecting it to fit around them. This was forcibly brought home recently by a story of the tragic death of a father who didn't like TV.

Instead of saying, "Shut that confounded thing off" as a father might have done back in the long-before-TV era, this father did what most fathers would do today under the circumstances.

He left the living room to seek peace and quiet away from the blast of the TV. But he sought it in his garage where he could listen to the car radio and was accidentally overcome by carbon monoxide.

There is no moral whatever to this unhappy story. It simply highlights the fact that today the man of the house has relinquished the place his father

had as the member of the family whose wishes were law and whose comfort was not to be interfered with.

Today in most families either the majority rules or the kids do. Papa certainly doesn't. If he is outnumbered or outvoted he bows to his family's wishes.

If they like TV and he doesn't, he tries to get away from the noise. Yes, times have certainly changed.

ABBOTSFORD—

Mrs. L. R. Buzzell, Miss Helen Buzzell and Mr. and Mrs. H. Buzzell spent Christmas Day in Montreal.

Mrs. William Jones of West Brom, and Miss G. Jones of Cowansville, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Coates.

Mr. Stewart Marshall and Miss Muriel Marshall were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Marshall in Longueuil on Christmas Day.

Mr. and Mrs. David Jones spent the week-end in Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Thomson and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Thomson and children were in Montreal for Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Drew and Miss Jane Drew were in Georgeville for Christmas.

Rev. and Mrs. P. Rollitt were in Montreal for the Yuletide holidays.

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INVERNESS—

The Rev. F. Crook, Mr. John Cruickshank and Miss Ann Cruickshank attended the funeral of the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Stevenson in Parkhurst.

Mrs. George Lennon spent a day in Quebec City and was accompanied home by Miss Shirley Lennon.

Sub-Lieut. Andree Savoie, R.C.N., of Montreal, spent a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Olivia Savoie.

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Mrs. H. L. Wallace Again Heads Philathea Group

Members of the Philathea Group of the Lennoxville United Church held their annual meeting and Christmas party in Douglas Hall, Queen St.

Mrs. H. L. Wallace, president, was in the chair and opened the meeting with prayer.

A most satisfactory report was given by the treasurer, Mrs. H. Worster, on the annual pre-Christmas sale and turkey supper and the bean supper catered for the bowlers. The annual report of finances showed a successful year. Money was voted to the church board and other commitments.

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Help For The Needy At Richmond — The Nightingales (Les Rossignols) sang Christmas carols on the doorsteps and street corners and went from door to door in Richmond collecting money for the poor. Pictured above is one of the groups, from left to right: Jean Legendre, Claude McGee, Jean Claude Lacroix, Gilles Gendron and Serge Lefebvre. Dr. E. Jacques and Fernand Menard were joint presidents of the groups.

Kinnear's Mills

Sgt. and Mrs. Peter Zimmer and daughter, Janice, of the Radar Station, at St. Sylvester, spent a day with Mr. and Mrs. Russell Rothney. Mr. and Mrs. Russell Rothney motored to Boston, Mass. to spend the week-end with their brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Lindon Gardener. They were accompanied by their mother, Mrs. Ben Rothney, who will spend the winter months in Boston. Miss Elaine Moore has left for Sherbrooke, where she has accepted a position at the Canadian Ingersoll-Rand. Mr. and Mrs. Lucien Jamieson, of Inverness, were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Polycarpe Trepanier during the week-end. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Jamieson and son, Rufus, motored to Thetford Mines and were overnight guests of their son, Mr. Ronald Jamieson. Mr. Joseph Jamieson is spending an indefinite time with Mr. Arthur Lowry at Inverness. Mr. and Mrs. Leslie King, of Thetford Mines, were visitors of the latter's aunt, Mrs. A. A. Frizzell, and Mr. Frizzell, during the week. Messrs. Roland Lachance and Robert Wallace made a business trip to Montreal during the week. Mrs. Fred McElravy and son, of King's Highway, were overnight guests of the former's mother, Mrs. John Davidson, and attended the Christmas tree. Messrs. Charles Moore, Wilson Henderson and James D. Moore attended the funeral of their cousin, Miss Martha Henderson, which was held at Christ's Church, Lower Ireland. Mrs. Dorothy Geddes is spending the holidays with friends in Sherbrooke, Way's Mills and Ayer's Cliff. Mrs. Everette Reid and daughters, Heather and Flora, of Leeds

weeks in Shawinigan Falls. Mrs. Berridge, Mr. Bruce Berridge and Miss Margaret Clapham, of Hampstead, Miss Ellen Slack of Montreal West, and Miss Mary Thomas of Granby, were weekend guests of Mrs. F. Crossfield. Mrs. Maurice Crossfield and Mr. John Crossfield spent Christmas Day at Strathmore. Mr. and Mrs. John Gould of

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OBITUARIES

MONTE F. DEZAN, OF STANSTEAD.
Stanstead—The funeral service of Montie Fred Dezan, who passed away on Friday, December 16, was held at Centenary United Church on Monday afternoon, December 19, and was attended by a large number of relatives, neighbors and friends. Rev. A. McKinley Rose officiated, speaking words of comfort to the bereaved family. Mrs. A. P. Gordon, at the organ console, played medleys of favorite hymns. The bearers were, Wilfred Goulin, Z. Goulin, William Curtis, Ivan Lemon, Douglas Johnson and William Cunningham. Interment took place in the family lot in the Ayer's Cliff cemetery. Mr. Dezan was born at McConn on April 21, 1885, the son of Alfred T. and his wife, Ida Brown Dezan. On Oct. 28, 1906, he was married to Elizabeth Hartwell, of Ayer's Cliff, and to this union 11 children were born, Earl, of Eustis, Mrs. Richard Frost (Pearl), North Hatley; Mrs. L. Dionne (Adele), Wallaceburg, Ont.; Mrs. Eugene Lefebvre (Florence), Stanstead; Mrs. Walter Boyce (Ruth), Ayer's Cliff; Leslie, who died in infancy; Melbert, Stanstead; Donald, Beebe; Mrs. Jack Guild (Rita), North Hatley; Miss Freda Dezan, Belleville, Ont., and Miss Geneva Dezan, Stanstead. Mr. and Mrs. Dezan lived all their married years in the vicinity of Ayer's Cliff and Stanstead, Mr. Dezan, who was a farmer, was always ready with a helping hand. The beautiful floral offerings were silent tokens of the esteem and respect felt by those who knew him. He was a member of the Cassville United Church, which is the "mother" church of Centenary. Mr. Dezan was ill for a

week before his death, during which time he was a patient in the Orleans County Memorial Hospital, Newport, suffering from a cerebral hemorrhage. He is survived by his widow and children, all of whom attended the funeral, with the exception of Miss Freda Dezan; several grandchildren, great-grandchildren; four brothers, Charles, Sterling, of Ayer's Cliff, Fayne, of Beebe, and Tony, of Fairfax; two sisters, Mrs. L. Lecours, of Magog, and Mrs. Ethel Bulpitt, Lennoxville, also other more distant relatives. **MRS. HARRIET COLLINS, OF LENNOXVILLE.** The funeral service of Harriet Collins, of Lennoxville, was held at Johnston's funeral home, Sherbrooke, on Thursday, December 1, Rev. E. W. Harrison, of North Hatley, officiated, speaking words of comfort to the family and friends who had gathered to pay their respects to the deceased. Miss Thelma Crawford rendered two solos, "The Old Rugged Cross" and "Some Time, Some Day We Will Understand." Mrs. Collins was born in 1892 in England and came to Canada to the Knowlton home when she was 12 years old. She spent some time in Delkeith, Ont., Granby, and Sherbrooke, and then she was in New York for eight years, returning to Sherbrooke and vicinity where she spent the remainder of her life. In June, 1924, she was united in marriage to Arthur Russell Collins, of Lennoxville, and to this union was born one child, a son, Arthur Robert. The bearers were residents of this vicinity, Allison Blodgett, Walter Blodgett, James Grady, Ernest King, Clifford Brown and Dawson Savage. Mrs. Collins is survived by her husband; son, Robert, and three nieces and two nephews in England, also many friends in Lennoxville and vicinity. The many floral tributes were evidence of the high esteem in which the deceased was held. Interment was made in Malvern Cemetery, Lennoxville. **CRAWFORDVILLE—** Mrs. Thomas Bailey has returned home after a few weeks' visit with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Grady, Orleans, Vt., and also visited Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Morrison and family at Maple Hill. Miss Bessie Guy was a visitor of Mrs. William Bailey in Kinnear's Mills. Mr. Morris Davidson and Mr. David MacRae were guests of Messrs. Sam MacRae and Mr. W. MacRae at Hill Head.

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CANADA, MAGISTRATE COURT PROVINCE OF QUEBEC, DISTRICT OF ST. FRANCIS.

ARMAND DUHAMEL, (Plaintiff), - VS - LUDGER JETTE, (Defendant).

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CANADA, MAGISTRATE COURT PROVINCE OF QUEBEC, DISTRICT OF SAINT FRANCIS.

HICHOIR PINARD, butcher and grocery store, demolished at 174 Windsor st. in the city of Sherbrooke, district of St. Francis, (plaintiff).

- VS - IRENE POIRIER, formerly of the city of Sherbrooke, and now of parts unknown, (defendant).

The 3rd of November 1955. PRESENT: Leo Paul Desrochers, Deputy-Clerk of the Magistrate's Court.

THE DEFENDANT is ordered to appear within a month.

L. PAUL DESROCHERS, Dep. C.M.C.

Gifts Distributed At Dunham Church Christmas Party

Dunham - The Christmas tree and treat for the children of the Anglican and United church Sunday Schools was held in the United Church.

Christmas carols were sung with Mrs. Small at the organ. Rev. Mr. Beale told the story of the Christmas Star, and Rev. Mr. Foe also told a Christmas story. Linda Beale sang a solo "Oh Come, All Ye Faithful in Latin, and a lullaby. Slides, depicting the Christmas events were shown after which Santa Claus arrived and distributed presents and candy bags.

At the close of the program, lunch was enjoyed by upwards of 60 including adults. Mr. L. G. Rewse donated the ice cream.

General Notes Mr. Carl Whitcomb, of Richford, Vt., was a recent caller of relatives here.

Mrs. Gustave Noisieux has moved into the apartment recently vacated by the post office.

Mr. Reuben Martin spent the weekend with friends in Sutton.

St. Francis High School

Richmond - The grade eleven class association of the St. Francis High School held an amateur show in the gymnasium to mark the closing of the school for the Christmas holidays.

Mickey Daigneault, as master of ceremonies, assisted by Bill Stevens, attended the details. The opening number was a girl's quintet from grade 10b who sang "White Christmas" and "I saw Mommy kissing Santa Claus."

Franklin Graham, grade eleven, played Mozart's Fifth Sonata. "Winter Wonderland" was then rendered by two grade eight students, Nancy Gleason and Laurette Vida.

A humorous skit by grade 9a pupils brought laughter to the young audience. Ferne Henderson, accompanied by Sally McLenahan sang "Swanee." A duet, "The Shifting Whispering Sands" was sung by Marilyn Duffy and Esther Husk. Diane Cripps played a piano solo, Louise Laroche and Angela Roy, from grade nine B sang "Silver Bells."

The program ended with donald Gibbs performing hypnotising tricks.

BALL GAME An impromptu game of broom ball was played by students from grade eleven. The teams consisted of four boys against five girls, with the girls wearing skates.

The girls team lost in the dying minutes of the game 7-5. The boys playing were Mickey Daigneault, Reggie Carson, Franklin Graham and Bill Stevens while the girls' team comprised of Marlene Thompson, Thiriza Dunn, Winifred Barrington, Ferne Henderson and Phyllis Brook.

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Miss Hadlock was greeted at the door by Mrs. Andrew Howard with a beautiful corsage after which she was escorted to a chair decorated with pink and white in front of a table well laden with gifts from all of her friends.

The hall was tastefully decorated with streamers of pink and white and other seasonal decorations.

The gifts were presented to the guest of honor by Mrs. Andrew Howard and Miss Hadlock thanked her friends for their kindness.

Mrs. Gordon Swift and Mrs. Andrew Howard, assisted by several ladies served lunch, with Mrs. D. E. Hadlock and Mrs. M. Miller pouring tea.

CRAWFORDVILLE-

Master Jackie Harrison was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Warcup and family in Lemesurier.

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Radio Guide

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A Handy Guide To Eastern Townships' Merchants And Business Services

The Doctor Says

MENTAL RETARDATION CAN USUALLY BE FOUND BY I. Q. TEST

One of the big problems facing our society concerns those among us who are mentally retarded. A mentally retarded person is defined as one who does not have the natural intelligence and ability to carry his own load in life.

Since it is estimated that between one and three out of 100 people have some degree of mental retardation, it is easy to see how important this problem is. Ordinarily, mental retardation can be identified sometime during childhood by properly administered and interpreted tests of mental development or intelligence quotient or I.Q. tests. These are a measure of the child's ability to learn rather than what the child already knows. The difference of a few points, however, does not mean much. Also, there are several kinds of I.Q. tests and the "scoring" of them is different.

The I.Q. is figured by dividing the mental age as calculated by one of the intelligence tests in common use by the actual age of the child in years and multiplying the result by 100.

Although parents are often inclined to pay too much attention to the I.Q. of their children, these tests do have some real value.

If the I.Q. is far below normal, the child must be considered to be a true idiot and cannot be educated in school subjects; such children usually require care in an institution.

The next lowest group are imbeciles who can learn to perform simple household duties but do not go far in school subjects.

Above these two low groups are the less seriously retarded children who can often be taught to learn enough to support themselves in simple occupations, but are not likely to go beyond the elementary grades of school.

It is not possible to drill or train a youngster with a low I.Q. into a definitely higher group. This may be a hard thing for parents to realize, but it should be faced.

There is, however, some experimental work going on with a substance called glutamic acid and its effect on the intelligence. This substance appears to raise the intelligence as measured by the I.Q. slightly.

However, it must be emphasized that the results are not remarkable and the work has not gone far enough as yet for anyone to be sure whether it will have practical value for children of below normal natural intelligence.

It should be pointed out that many mentally retarded children can be helped to lead useful, productive and happy lives.

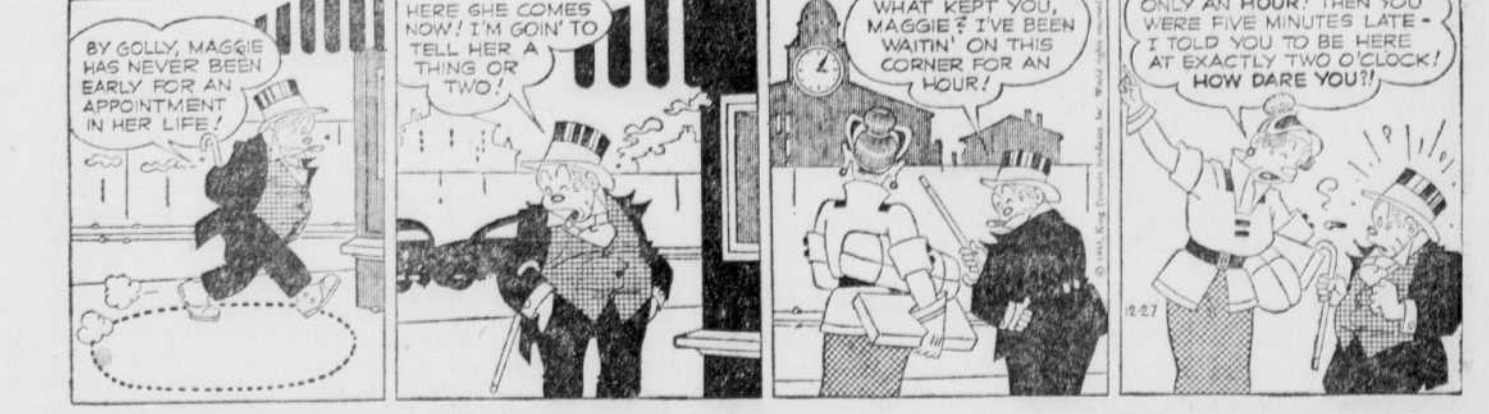
In addition to the aid which can be obtained from supervisors, institutions, school physicians, psychologists, psychiatrists and others, there is now an organization known as the National Association for Retarded Children which is doing splendid work through its nearly 400 units throughout the country.

SUTTON—

Miss Ann Ropars, has recovered sufficiently from a recent operation to be able to go to her home near Winchester, Ont., for the Christmas holidays, and to be able to return to her apartment when she comes back to her teaching duties instead of staying for a time with Miss Harper as had been tentatively planned.

KINNEAR'S MILLS—

Miss Winifred Rothney, of Montreal, spent the Christmas weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Roy, and



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EATON—
The Marathon sponsored by St. Andrew's Guild was held at the home of Mrs. R. Lake in Cookshire. 500 was played at four tables and prizes were presented to Mrs. S. Brazel and Mr. S. Brazel and consolation to Mrs. C. H. Picard and Mr. T. McComb. Lunch was served by the hostess, assisted by some of the ladies. This was the last of the series.

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Three Village Happenings

Mr. Donald Nason, student at the Boston University, Boston, Mass., is spending the Yule holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Nason, Derby Line.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McCune, of Rock Island, are spending Christmas weekend at the home of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon McCune, Montreal. Later Mrs. McCune will leave for Ottawa, Ont., to visit her daughter, Mrs. Richard Hipkin and Mr. Hipkin and for Pembroke to visit her son, Mr. Ronald McCune and Mrs. McCune.

Miss Jean Heath, student at U.V.M., Burlington, and Miss Blanche Heath, student at a Boston University, are spending the holidays with their parents Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Heath, Derby Line.

Miss Frieda Vivian, student at Macdonald College, St. Anne de Bellevue, and Miss Jean Vivian, of Sherbrooke, are spending the holidays at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Vivian, Stanstead.

Miss Laura Martin, of Rock Island, is spending the Christmas holidays with her sisters in Montreal.

Christmas guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Holden and Patricia, Rock Island are their son and brother, Ronald, a student at the Bible Institute at Victoria, N.B. and Mr. Holden's brother, Mr. Norman Holden and Mrs. Holden of Springfield, Mass. Mr. and Mrs. Norman Holden will also visit relatives in Montreal before returning home.

Miss Penny Bliss of Ladd's Mills, spent a few days in Rock Island with relatives and attended activities held at Stanstead South Church.

The Christmas Club was entertained at the home of Mrs. James Currier when a turkey dinner was enjoyed. Following the dinner all went to the home of Mrs. Eleanor Lowry where 500 was played at two tables, the prizes going to Mrs. F. Kingsley, Mrs. C. Brazel and Mr. T. McComb. Lunch was served by the hostess assisted by Mrs. McComb. Next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. C. H. Picard.

GEORGEVILLE—

Mr. and Mrs. Merton Dustin and two children were guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. Black at Pointe Claire and Mr. and Mrs. W. Curtis, of N.D.G.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon McGowan to Montreal, where they will remain during the winter months.

INVERNESS—

Messrs. Arthur, Herve and Willie Breton were recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Poulin, Thetford Mines. They also called on Mr. and Mrs. Charles Grogre, of St. Ferdinand d'Hallifax.

FORDYCE—

Mrs. Hooper will go to Stanbridge East after the holidays to be with her daughter, Mrs. Perkins, who is staying there during the winter months.

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Children's Christmas Party At Danville



GUESS WHO'S BEEN HERE!



"Gee! Santa's going to bring me a new doll!" — Heather MacAllister holds the crowds attention, as she climbs up on Santa's knee and names the gifts she wants for Christmas (Record photos by Wm. H. Lunan)

Tree, Program At United Church

Danville — The United Church children's Christmas tree, held in the church hall, was an eventful affair, when an entertaining program, of recitations, carol singing and short plays was presented by all the young people.

To end the party, Santa Claus arrived to distribute gifts, fruit and candy to the little folk.

The program was as follows: Recitation, A Greeting, Duncan Robertson.

Song, Come Gently Sweet Softly, the primary class.

Recitations, Little Darling, Angela Ledrew; Little Speech, David McNiff; Little Piece, Jeanne Lodge; My Christmas Wishes, Michael Williams; Too Small, Freddie Frost.

Carols, The Living Christmas Tree, intermediate and junior pupils.

Recitations, The Holy Babe; A Merry Christmas, Caron Mills.

Play, The Little Stranger; Little Rachel, D. Robinson; Granny, F. Brown; Strange Child, T. Batstone.

Quartet, Beautiful Christmas Star, Sandra Young, Barbara Lodge, Peter Young, Rodger Ledrew.

Recitations, Christmas Giving,

Beverley Robertson; Three Is, Shirley McNeill.

Song, Follow The Star, intermediate class.

Play, Is Santa Coming; Dot, Joan Ledrew; Joe, Rodger Ledrew; Mother, Beverley Lodge; Will, Gordie Lodge; May, Diane Geltings; Santa, Peter Young; Fairy, Lorna McNiff.

Recitations, In Celebration, Leona McDonald; Happy Birthday, Trevor Batstone; Santa at Home, Bobby Lodge; Santa Claus, Leonard McDonald.

Song, Tip Toe Softly, juniors.

Recitation, All Done, Janice McMorine.

ents are measured into a bowl together and beaten with an electric beater or by hand for three minutes. Here's the recipe. Do help your youngster try it.

MIDGET CHOCOLATE LAYER CAKE

1/2 cup granulated sugar
 3/4 cup sifted enriched flour
 1/4 cup shortening
 5 tbs. cocoa
 1/4 tps. cinnamon
 1 1/4 tps. baking powder
 1/2 tps. baking soda
 1/2 tps. salt
 1 egg
 1/2 cup sour milk or buttermilk
 1/2 tps. vanilla.

Grease four layer cake pans, 5" x 1", and flour them lightly. Or, grease two layer pans and one loaf pan from your miniature baking set. Turn oven to 350 F. Measure each ingredient accurately and place in small mixing bowl in the order given. Beat with an electric mixer set at medium speed (No. 3 or 4 on the dial) for 3 minutes, stopping twice to scrape batter from sides of the bowl. Or beat by hand for three minutes. Spoon batter into pans, adding enough to fill each pan half full. Bake 20 minutes. Cool 10 minutes, then loosen around edges and turn out cakes onto racks to finish cooling. Frost, and decorate. Makes 4 5" x 1" layers.

Pint-Size Recipe For Junior Cooks

Junior cooks are springing up all over the country. A new Christmas toy is the reason. Tiny pots, pans and baking dishes, always favorite toys of the make believe set, appeared this last Christmas season in a grown-up version. Miniature replicas of the real thing. Stove and oven-worth, they can be used for cooking and baking — just like Mother's. How soon you let a child light the stove or an oven is a matter of personal judgment, but fundamentals of cooking and safety can be taught early. When your child shows an interest in preparing foods with her own hands, let her help in the preparation of family dishes. She can perform the simpler tasks of preparation under your guidance and get a feeling of great accomplishment, particularly if you allow her to cook small amounts in her own tiny pans.

It won't be long, however, before she'll probably want to make a cake of her own with her very own recipe. This is a good time to teach her that accurate measurements and good dependable ingredients are necessary to successful baking. Let her sift flour on a piece of wax paper, then

show her how to measure accurately in a graduated transparent measuring cup at eye level, or in separate unit measuring cups that can be levelled across the top with a spatula. You might even let her use your electric mixer, under supervision, of course.

Show your junior cook how to grease the tiny cake pans and flour them or line them with wax paper the way you do for full size cakes, and how to fill the pans half full to allow room for the cake to rise to the top. Then when they are baked as long as the directions say, let her touch them in the middle to see if they spring back the way a fully baked cake should. This is a test trick even some adult cooks don't know. Miniature cakes, like any other, must be cooled on a rack, and the one you use for your baking will do very well. But do let the youngster turn her own cake out of the pan. It's a thrill she'll never forget. When the cake layers are cooled, they're ready for frosting.

The recipe given here is for a midget layer cake made in pans measuring 5" x 1". It was developed for young cooks who are tired of make-believe and want to bake an honest-to-goodness cake with all the home made flavor of Mother's larger variety. Of course, it's chocolate. And to make it very easy, all ingredi-



Lennoxville Families Aided — Members of the Lennoxville Optimist Club are shown above packing parcels which were delivered to needy families at Christmas. From left are Duncan Bruce, Wes Nichol and Mel Castongway. (Record Photo by Gerry Lemay)



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New Year's Greetings



As we enter the New Year, we are reminded of the happenings of the past, in our personal lives and the events that take place in our community and throughout the world. With these thoughts in mind, we find ourselves more determined to make the coming twelve months better, and we sincerely hope that everyone will be successful in this goal. May 1956 hold health and prosperity for you!

John S. Bourque
 Minister of Lands and Forests and Hydraulic Resources for the Province of Quebec.

SOUTHERN POPULATION
 Latin America, including the West-Indies, is estimated to have 173,000,000 population, about the same total as North America.

SAWYERVILLE—
 Friends of Mrs. Ben Neil regret to learn she is a patient in the Sherbrooke Hospital, suffering from a heart attack.

OIL IN INDIA
 Surveys have indicated oil resources in India are capable of supplying about 7,000,000 tons a year.

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