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NO POPULAR CALL FOR IMMEDIATE GENERAL ELECTION, SAYS BENNETT

Voting to Come "In Due Course and in Orderly Manner," Prime Minister Declares During Throne Speech Debate—Withdrawal of Liberals and Conservatives from Debate Indicates Early Vote—Stanstead Member Demands More Efficient Farm Loan System.

Ottawa, January 23.—Political prophets who had been predicting a strenuous and protracted battle on the Speech from the Throne were somewhat at a loss today. With the debate nearing its conclusion, indications pointed to the passage of the motion for an address in reply to the Throne Speech in the course of today's sitting.

Last night the debate was kept going largely by members in the Independent-U.F.A.-Labor corner of the House. Liberals appeared content to let their case, as set forth by Rt. Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King yesterday, stand without any elaboration. They did not participate in the debate.

Early in the day Prime Minister Bennett completed his reply to the Liberal leader which he began late Monday night. There was no evidence that the country desired a general election, he said. He blamed the Liberals for not seizing the opportunity when they were in power to place reform legislation upon the statute books.

Once again he pledged himself and his Government to steps designed with a view to removing abuses which he claimed had grown up in the capitalistic system.

From the Labor benches, J. S. Woodsworth, C.C.F. leader, offered his congratulations to both Liberals and Conservatives on seeing the light.

In the Senate, the first day of the debate on the address was featured by a declaration from Hon. Raoul Dandurand, Liberal leader of the Red Chamber, that something should be done to curb the activities of Canadian stock exchanges. A general condemnation of public ownership was expressed by Senator J. P. B. Casgrain.

Resenting the Opposition leader's charge that he had been disrespectful to the representative of the Crown when he disclosed in the recent speeches the announcements usually made first in the Speech from the Throne, the Prime Minister told Mr. King to "go to Queen's Park and address that lecture to the first Lieutenant Premier Hepburn."

Premier Bennett defended his speeches as an effort to tell the people what the Government would do to reform the social and economic system. This amused the Liberals and Mr. King interrupted that he did not question the propriety of the frequent use of the expression "my" in the certain radio speeches but rather objected to the Prime Minister's assumption as a Liberal. To this the Prime Minister retorted, "And now the cat is out of the bag."

The Liberals, Premier Bennett declared, were now saying they were in favor of this reform programme but they had failed to institute reforms when they were in office. "They weren't needed," interjected a Liberal member. "Ask the thousands who were ruined by speculation during their regime," replied the Prime Minister, "who speculated in wheat?" shot back a Liberal, and another Liberal answered this question with "my Government."

The Prime Minister defended the use of the first personal pronoun in the Speech from the Throne for it been thus used at least two hundred years.

Speaking of the bye-election results, the Prime Minister said that since 1930 there had been no change in the Government's representation in British Columbia, in Alberta it had been increased by one, in Saskatchewan it was unchanged, and also in Manitoba, in Ontario there had been two Liberal gains and another Liberal gain in New Brunswick, in Quebec there had been one Conservative gain, while in Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island there had been no changes. The result was, he summarized, a net loss of one seat and "through all these years of depression."

Then the Prime Minister made a significant statement about a general election. "There is no evidence that this country wants a general election," he declared. "The people are wholly opposed to a general election in this country, but there will be one in due course and in an orderly and proper manner."

He resented Liberal charges that the Government had sought to derive unfair advantage in the preparation of the voters' lists.

At length the Prime Minister reviewed the various steps in making effective the new electoral legislation of last session and concluded by declaring that from what he had presented it was clear the Government had no responsibility in and no opportunity to control the preparation after the August date when the Commissioner of Franciscan began his work and the returning officers named by the Ministry.

The latter part of the Prime Minister's speech was devoted to another summary of the benefits conferred by the marketing and the farm debt relief legislation of last session, and he scolded the Liberals for stubbornly opposing the marketing bill. He asked them if they were still of that view and if they replied they would amend it if they were given the opportunity.

He also defended the Government's policy in having the Bank of Canada privately owned though with adequate public control of policy.

He denied he had had any sudden conversion to reform policies. He told the House that before he went to the International Conference on Economic and Monetary Continued on Page 2.

"GYPSUM QUEEN" TRIAL WILL VERY LIKELY CLOSE TODAY

Counsel for Senator H. J. Logan Addressed Court This Morning Asking for Complete Vindication of His Client.

Ottawa, Jan. 23.—Entering on its fifteenth day of hearing, the "Gypsum Queen" trial may close in the Exchequer Court today.

W. N. Tilley, counsel for Senator H. J. Logan, addressed the Court this morning in continuation of his argument for complete vindication of his client. Mr. Tilley opened his submissions shortly before the luncheon recess yesterday following completion of contentions of Government counsel, Peter White, the presentation of which occupied one and one half days.

Sensor Logan is joint defendant with Captain Freeman Hatfield in the law suit of the Government to recover \$71,000 repatriation money. The amount was paid to Hatfield in March, 1931, on the submission of the skipper's vessel "Gypsum Queen" had been torpedoed off the coast of Ireland in 1915. The Government maintains the claim was fraudulent and that the schooner was lost by stress of weather.

STAVISKY SCANDALS COST FRANCE \$12,804,000

Paris, Jan. 23.—The financial cost of the Stavisky scandals, which brought in their train suicide, rioting and the ruin of several public careers, was fixed today by a parliamentary investigating committee at 124,000,000 francs, approximately \$12,804,000.

QUEBEC GOVERNMENT ACCUSED OF SEEKING TO DELAY LEGISLATION

Evening Sitzings of Legislature Probable Following Attacks of Opposition Leader on Government Forcing Early Adjournments—Electricity Commission Report Expected to Provide Ground for Bitter Debate—Treasury Department Busy Seeking Means of Balancing Budget.

Quebec, Jan. 23.—Regular night sittings of the Quebec Legislature were today being entertained as a possibility by members of the House following criticism by Maurice Duplessis, K.C., leader of the Conservative Opposition. He declared much valuable time was being lost through the Government forcing early adjournments.

Mr. Duplessis said to Premier L. A. Taschereau yesterday—"The Opposition is ready with its bills and motions, but the Government, as usual, is holding up the proceedings." The answer from the Premier was the work of cabinet members was by no means completed when the House rose. The Opposition leader maintained times such as the present were not such as to allow of any "loading."

The private bills committee will start operating today, following the lead given yesterday by the public bills committee headed by Premier Taschereau. Both committees will sit in the morning to dispose of petitions of all sorts, and when the House convenes later in the day, the expectations are Mr. Duplessis will have some comment to make on the electricity report tabled in the House by the Premier following its receipt from the chairman, Hon. Ernest Lapointe, former Minister of Justice.

Mr. Duplessis has asked for all correspondence pertaining to the appointment and salaries of Mr. Lapointe and Commissioners Augustin Frigon and George C. McDonald, both of Montreal. He has been given written replies to some of his questions and these, he said, will form the basis of further criticism against the Liberal administration.

Meantime, Hon. R. F. Stockwell, Provincial Treasurer, is going over the province's books with their retrenchment and the finding of added sources of income through taxation. Before Mr. Stockwell makes official announcement of what the new taxes will be, however, the Government will give consideration to the Montreal bill, with its tax proposals, to avoid duplication. The Montreal bill is expected to reach here sometime next week.

THE WEATHER

FAIR AND DECIDEDLY COLD.

Pressure is high across Canada and over the central portion of the United States also the Lower Mackenzie Valley, and low over Davis Strait and off the middle Atlantic coast. The weather has been mostly fair and decidedly cold from the Rocky Mountains eastward to New Brunswick while in Nova Scotia and Newfoundland it has been comparatively mild with light falls of rain and snow.

Forecast: Moderate to fresh northerly winds; fair and decidedly cold tonight and on Thursday.

Northern New England: Snow tonight; probably clearing Thursday morning; colder tonight and Thursday.

Temperatures yesterday: Maximum, 23; minimum, 10.

Same day last year: Maximum, 32; minimum, 20.

Five More Coal Companies Guilty Of Being Parties To A Combine

Quebec, January 23.—Fines totalling \$13,500 were imposed on five coal companies today when they were convicted of infractions under the Combines Investigation Act in a judgment rendered by Mr. Justice Wilfrid Laliberte in Court of King's Bench.

The Scotch Anthracite Coal Company, Limited, of Montreal, and the Harit and Adair Coal Company, of Montreal, were both fined \$3,000. The Montreal Coke and Manufacturing Company, Montreal, was fined \$2,000; Mongeau and Robert Cie. Ltd., Quebec, \$1,000 and the Elias Rogers Company, Montreal, \$500.

No notice of appeal was given by defence counsel when the judgment was rendered.

The charge was of combining in restraint of trade, contrary to the public interest, in order to maintain high coal prices.

In all eleven companies were charged, with five other companies being found guilty and fined a total of \$30,000. The five convicted at the first trial were the two Canadian Import companies, the two F. P. Weaver companies and the British Coal Corporation. The St. Lawrence Stevedoring Company was acquitted.

The charges were brought against the companies by the Quebec Attorney-General following an investigation of the coal industry by F. A. McGregor, registrar under the Combines Investigation Act.

The five companies previously convicted are seeking leave to appeal to the Privy Council.

PUBLIC OWNERSHIP "NO GOOD AND NEVER WILL BE," CLAIMS SENATOR

Upper House Hears Strong Condemnation of Socialist Control by Senator J. P. B. Casgrain, of Montreal, During Debate on Speech from the Throne—Natural Products Marketing Act and Farm Debts Measure Have Aided Western Producers, Says Saskatchewan Senator.

Ottawa, Jan. 23.—Public ownership was condemned in no uncertain terms in the Senate yesterday by Senator J. P. B. Casgrain, of Montreal. Speaking in the debate on the Address in Reply to the Speech from the Throne, Senator Casgrain declared of public ownership, "It is no good, never was and never will be any good."

Private ownership was essential, he asserted, to encourage individual initiative and promote efficiency. Senator Casgrain had not finished his remarks when the hour of adjournment came.

Rt. Hon. Arthur Meighen, Government leader in the Upper House, is scheduled to speak in the debate this afternoon after Senator Casgrain has concluded his attack on socialist control of industry.

Four Senators stepped briskly into the discussion when the debate was initiated at last night's sitting. Hon. Louis Cote, Ottawa, moved the Address with a declaration Canada was well advanced in the lead in economic recovery. Bringing a western atmosphere to the debate,

Senator Byron Horner, Blain Lake, Sask., lauded the Natural Products Marketing Act and the farmers' credit arrangement legislation of last session as having brought beneficial effects already to farmers on the prairies. He saw in the legislative programme of the administration this year further essential assistance to agriculturists.

The aggressive Senator Raoul Dandurand, completing his thirty-six years in the Upper House, promised consideration on its merits to the Government's reform bills. Most social reforms were very costly, the Liberal leader in the Red Chamber reminded the House, and "the financial situation of the country needs to be scrutinized very carefully to see to what extent we can carry this burden."

Cutting of operations of stock exchanges in this country was advocated by Senator Dandurand "possibly along the lines of the Roosevelt legislation."

The contemplated Canada-United States reciprocal trade arrangement should be patterned after the 1911 pact, he argued.

SEEK RIGHT TO CARRY WORKERS AT NOON HOUR

By-Law Concerning Taxi-Cab Regulations Presented to Public Service Commission—Taxi-Cab Owners Desire Right to Carry Employees to Work.

The question of whether taxi-cab drivers should be allowed to transport employees of manufacturers and from their homes at the noon hour was discussed by the Public Service Commission, which is sitting at the local Court House today.

The City of Sherbrooke this morning presented a by-law concerning taxi-cab regulations for approval. This by-law, to which local taxi-cab drivers take exception, was tabled in the Quebec Legislature yesterday by Premier A. Taschereau.

The total number of students, all categories included, was 18,878. In 1932-33 it was 22,701, the unusually large figure being attributed to the fact the number of students enrolled in various music courses was shown separately and then duplicated in the total.

Contributions by municipalities and independent institutions showed a small increase over the previous year—\$28,725,184 in 1932-33 as compared with \$28,666,671 in 1931-32. Government grants, consisting of contributions from the Public Instruction and various other departments increased by \$50,042.

listers and Alexander Laviviere, a journeyman at noon until 1.45 o'clock this afternoon.

At the morning session, Omer Paulus, of this city, stated that about 386 people were taking advantage of the taxi-cab service at the noon hour.

Antoin Deslauriers, City Clerk, produced a copy of the bus company's time-table and a chart of the route followed by the bulky motor vehicles. Both the time-table and the chart could be altered by the consent of both parties, he said.

Reno Laverne, a taxi-cab driver, said that he had left a certain factory at the same time as the auto bus and arrived at his home on Elizabeth street five minutes before the bus.

U.S. SENATOR FACES LONG PRISON TERM FOR FORGERY

Intends to Appeal Conviction of Forging Work Cards of Civil Works Administration.

Boston, Jan. 23.—State Senator William F. Madden, Democrat, today faced a penitentiary sentence of possibly ten years, a \$1,000 fine, or both, after a federal court jury had convicted him of forging work cards of the civil works administration and of passing to his constituents cards forged by others.

Sentence was deferred by Judge John A. Peters until Tuesday, and meanwhile Madden's counsel announced he planned to appeal.

NEWS RECORDS SEVERAL DEATHS

The following deaths were recorded in today's press despatches to the Record:

Boston: James M. Mackay, 62, Dartmouth College professor and foremost authority on mathematical philosophy.

Montreal: James Henry Gallagher, 76, native of Kingston, Ont., and well known sportsman and business man.

Montreal: George Marshall, 47, assistant special publicity agent for the Department of Immigration and Colonization of the Canadian Pacific Railway.

Gananoque, Ont.: V. Kenneth Johnston, well known Gananoque barrister.

Midland, Ont.: Ephraim Savage, 84, native of Valleyfield, Que., and prominent lumber man.

STATE PREPARING TO REST CASE AGAINST HAUPTMANN LATE TODAY

Conclusion of Prosecution Evidence This Afternoon Would Allow Completion of Technicalities Prior to Placing Accused on Witness Stand Tomorrow Morning—Defence Expect to Conclude Evidence by Next Thursday—Board on Kidnapping Ladder Said to Be from Hauptmann Attic.

MOTHER JAILED FOR TORTURING HER CHILD.

Bayonne, N.J., Jan. 23.—Because she allegedly punished her nine-year-old daughter by burning her feet with a red hot poker, Mrs. Marian Crampton, aged thirty, must spend three months in jail.

Police Recorder Horace Robinson pronounced sentence yesterday after Mrs. Crampton admitted violating the Child Welfare Act and said she also forced the child, Dorothy Butler, to touch her hands to a hot stove as punishment for disobedience.

WOULD PROVIDE MORE JOBS FOR PARTY FRIENDS

Commission Investigating Electric Industry of Province Advises Appointment of New Commission to Control Rates and Financing.

Quebec, Jan. 23.—Absolute control of the production and distribution of electricity in the Province of Quebec will be vested in a commission of three men if a report tabled in the Legislature yesterday by Premier L. A. Taschereau is implemented. Close government control of the electrical industry and supervision of its financial affairs is advocated in the formal report of a Commission formed last year by the Provincial Government to study the electrical situation in the province.

Hon. Ernest Lapointe, former Minister of Justice, Augustin Frigon, Montreal engineer, and George C. McDonald, Montreal chartered accountant, held sittings in Montreal, Quebec, Trois Rivières, Hull, Chicoutimi and Rimouski and gathered the opinions and evidence of public utility and power company officials, municipal authorities and private citizens.

In their report they noted the existence of several abuses in the electric power production and distribution industry, particularly in the financial structure and practices of the companies. They listened to many suggestions for a remedy, including several that the electrical industry of the province be nationalized.

Their studied opinion was that while nationalization was a last resort, there were unworkable obstacles to such a project at present. It would cost hundreds of millions of dollars for the government to buy out present private interests and their holdings.

Government control would serve the purpose now, the report said. The suggested commission of three men would have complete control over the production, distribution, export and fixing of rates, as well as exercise a close surveillance over the financial set up of the power companies. It would be supported by

A SINGLE COLLECTIVE LABOR LAW OPPOSED BY ASSOCIATED BOARDS

Jude Thibault, of Danville, Elected President of Eastern Townships' Associated Boards of Trade, and B. N. Robinson, of Coaticook, Re-elected President of Settlement Society at Annual Meeting Held Here Yesterday—Agricultural Problems Reviewed—Associated Boards Go on Record as Opposing Efforts by Montreal Industry to Have Government Institute Single Collective Labor Agreement.

Agricultural problems were reviewed, officers for the ensuing year elected, a resolution passed opposing a single collective labor agreement for the Province of Quebec, the workings of the Farmers-Creditors Act of 1934 explained and the activities of the past twelve months recapitulated at the annual meeting of the Eastern Townships' Associated Boards of Trade and the Eastern Townships' Settlement Society held in this city yesterday.

Jude Thibault, of Danville, for many years an enthusiastic and zealous member of the Associated Boards of Trade, was elected president of that body to succeed John A. Tilton, of Rock Island.

B. N. Robinson, of Coaticook, was re-elected president of the Settlement Society—an office he has held for over fifteen years.

Delegates from various sections of the Eastern Townships attended the meeting. The afternoon session was held at the City Hall. Little new business was brought up, few resolutions presented, and the afternoon's activities were confined to the presentation of reports, the election of officers and an hour-long discussion of the Farmers-Creditors legislation.

George B. Rothwell, Livestock Commissioner, of Ottawa, addressed the evening meeting, which was held at the New Sherbrooke House in conjunction with the weekly get-together of the Rotary Club. Mr. Rothwell dealt with many problems the present-day farmers are facing. He did so in an intelligent and lively way, handled few brain-racking statistics and held the undivided attention of his large audience throughout his forty-five minute talk.

Serious difficulties face the present-day Canadian farmer, Mr. Rothwell admitted. But there is hope for him. Various experiments for his future welfare and prosperity are being tried—and some of these are proving successful. One of these experiments has been in the matter of co-operation.

"The Anglo-Saxon farmer is not a born co-operator. The Anglo-Saxon is an individualist. And the Anglo-Saxon farmer is a suspicious person—and suspicion does not make for co-operation. But some ventures have been successful, while others have been a failure."

"Latterly much legislation for the farmer's benefit has been passed at Ottawa. He has been given more power than he ever possessed before to control his business collectively. I do not know if this 'experiment' will succeed—but it is already meeting with a successful conclusion."

Press despatches from Washington today mention that steps are being taken for a better reciprocal agreement between Canada and the United States. There is hope right there.

As far as our agricultural products are concerned, we have had only one worthwhile market, one road—and recently stop-signs have been placed on that road. We need new markets. A favorable reciprocal agreement with the United States would be a great help. But if such an agreement is finally brought about, it will be because of the power given farmers by the Canadian Government. The United States realize that the Canadian farmer is now in a position to control not only the quantity of his produce, but the quality as well.

The soil was an important phase of agriculture which the farmer, in the past, ignored. "The farmer has had a tendency to consider the more tangible side of agriculture—the cattle, the crops. He has not paid the necessary attention to that vital factor—the soil. But he is learning. Another gleam of hope for his future lies in that," declared the speaker.

The farmer, also, Mr. Rothwell continued, is beginning to realize his responsibility in the export trade. "Not very long ago, the Canadian farmer had the attitude that what was good enough for his own country was good enough for other markets. Products are now being subjected to quality tests, farmers are learning to cater to the demands of other countries."

But the greatest hope of the agricultural industry, the speaker believed, lay in the rising generation. Young farmers clubs have risen throughout the country, and in this work the Eastern Townships, Mr. Rothwell declared, have excelled. "Remember," he remarked with a smile, "you can't teach an old dog new tricks—but you can teach a puppy." The boys who are to become the farmers of tomorrow must be educated and receive the fundamental knowledge of the task that lies ahead of them.

At the opening of the afternoon session, Dr. F. H. Bradley, Mayor of Sherbrooke, welcomed the delegates to this city and congratulated the members of the Associated Boards and of the Settlement Society upon the work they had accomplished during the past year.

John A. Tilton recapitulated the past twelve months, mentioning the largely attended meetings which had been held at Megantic and Cowansville. Subsequently, a vote of thanks was extended to these two Boards for the welcome they had extended the visiting delegates at the summer and fall meetings, respectively.

B. N. Robinson, president of the Settlement Society, said that that body, in the period from 1932 to

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Matters in London in 1933, he had
informed his colleagues and his
party that if that party failed his
Ministry would have to undertake
reforms in this country. They fol-
lowed references to the inspiration
he had derived from reading the
life of Lord Shaftesbury, and he
concluded by again charging that
combines and other economic evils
prospered under the Liberal Gov-
ernment which had failed to apply
any restraints or checks.

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Denunciation of the present opera-
tion of the Farm Loan Bureau in
the Province of Quebec was made
by John T. Hackett, Conservative,
Stamstead, who said: "The opera-
tions of the Farm Loan Bureau in
the Province of Quebec have been
absolutely futile. The Bureau has
made practically no loans and in-
stead of categorically refusing to
attribution, aggravation and embar-
rassment to applicants for relief.
It is to fulfill any useful func-
tion the spirit which animates
those who direct it and the policy
which they must pursue must be
modified or changes must be made
in the law to permit of broader
and more sympathetic transac-
tions."

It was true, continued Mr. Hackett,
there were legal and racial
questions in Quebec which were not
met in other provinces, but he said
this was no excuse for the break-
down of the farm loan scheme.

The Stansfield member congratulated
the Government on the propo-
sition of securing a trade treaty
with Washington. "This border
country of southeast Quebec, which
formerly supplied for years the
more heavily industrialized centres
of the New England States, will
gladly welcome any re-entry into
that market."

Touching the reform programme,
Mr. Hackett said he believed every
adherent of the Conservative party
"will hail with pleasure any leg-
islation which will bring relief and
put an end to the disorders from
which we have suffered."

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1934, had sold farms to the amount
of \$168,000, with down payments of
\$123,000.
"Agriculture is and will remain
the chief industry of Canada," he
added. "It forms a very large per-
centage of our exports, and Cana-
dian manufacturers depend on it
for a very considerable amount of
their raw material. We cannot have
a prosperous Canada until agricul-
ture is restored to normal."

Mr. Robinson also said that from
January, 1930, to January, 1935, a
period of five years, 2,144 persons
were placed on farms through the
efforts of the Society.

Following Mr. Robinson's report,
the election of officers was held.

With Jude Thibault elected pres-
ident, other officers of the Associ-
ated Boards for the coming year
were named as follows: First
vice-president, D. J. Sails, of Sher-
brooke; second vice-president, R.
G. Davidson, of Sherbrooke; treas-
urer, R. W. S. Nutbrown, of Sher-
brooke; and secretary, C. E. Soles,
of Sherbrooke; members of execu-
tive committee, George Murphy,
of Sherbrooke; J. A. Page, of Farn-
ham; P. C. Duboyce, of Richmond;
Dr. C. S. Harris, of Magog; A. E.
Curtis, of Stanstead; H. I. McFad-
den, of Ayer's Cliff; Edgar Orr, of
Milby; N. G. Nourse, of Richmond;
J. A. McClary, of Lennoxville; C.
P. MacDonald, of Granby; J. E.
Lettellier, of Megantic; Dr. G. A.
Bowen, of Magog; Theo. Dion, of
Waterville; Ed. Goyette, of Cowan-
ville; Cyrus MacRae, of Cook-
shire; H. W. S. Downs, of Lennox-
ville, and Jos. Dugay, of Victoria-
ville.

Past presidents of the Associated
Boards of Trade are Robert C.
Wilkins, of Farnham; P. C. Thomas,
of Richmond; L. M. Thomas, of
Cookshire; A. A. Paradis, of
Victoriaville; J. Bruce Payne, of
Granby; J. K. Edwards, of Sher-
brooke; E. J. Page, of Sherbrooke.

The purpose of the Farmers-Cred-
itors Act of 1934 is not to relieve
farmers of their obligations or in-
debtedness if they are able to pay,
but to keep on farms those farmers
who are unable to meet their obli-
gations. He must present a
statement of his affairs and explain
why he is in difficulties. A Board
of Review is established in each
province. If a creditor refuses to
agree to a farmer's proposal, that
farmer has the right to appeal and
if the members of the Board of Re-
view believe that the farmer's pro-
posal is reasonable, they may force
the creditor to accede to it. I am
convinced that a farmer who can
pay will not be relieved of his in-
debtedness. That is not the pur-
pose of the act. Its purpose is to
aid farmers in distress. All the costs
in these cases are borne by the gov-
ernment.

Antonio Drolet, advocate, of this
city, explained the Act in French.
A number of people present asked
questions about the Act, and these
were answered either by Dr.
Shurdluff or Mr. Drolet.

At this point, J. D. Ferguson,
manager of the Spencer Corsets
Company, of Rock Island, brought
up the matter of the single collec-
tive labor agreement which is being
sought by Montreal industries.

"The Men's and Boys' Clothing
Trade of Montreal," he said, "claim
that manufacturers in Sherbrooke,
Rock Island and other centres are
making an inroad in their business
because they are allowed to pay
smaller salaries and work their em-
ployees longer hours. One must
appreciate the fact that the cost of
living in a city the size of Mont-
real is higher than in Sherbrooke or
smaller localities. While we are
all in favor of reasonable wages
and working hours, it would be un-

RICHMOND NOW RUNNERS-UP TO WINDSOR MILLS

Richmond, Jan. 23.—Richmond is
today occupying the runner-up posi-
tion to Windsor Mills in the St.
Francis Valley Hockey League. The
Railroaders annexed second place in
the standing last night by scoring a
five to one victory over Cookshire
in a fixture which was postponed
Monday night on account of mild
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ture is restored to normal."

Mr. Robinson also said that from
January, 1930, to January, 1935, a
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were placed on farms through the
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Following Mr. Robinson's report,
the election of officers was held.

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ident, other officers of the Associ-
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were named as follows: First
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pose of the act. Its purpose is to
aid farmers in distress. All the costs
in these cases are borne by the gov-
ernment.

Antonio Drolet, advocate, of this
city, explained the Act in French.
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questions about the Act, and these
were answered either by Dr.
Shurdluff or Mr. Drolet.

At this point, J. D. Ferguson,
manager of the Spencer Corsets
Company, of Rock Island, brought
up the matter of the single collec-
tive labor agreement which is being
sought by Montreal industries.

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Trade of Montreal," he said, "claim
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making an inroad in their business
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Montreal, Jan. 23.—Offerings on
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Cattle sales were active. Steers
of good quality were mostly \$5.40
to \$5.75, with top steers at \$6 to
\$6.15. Fair steers sold around \$4
and medium kinds around \$4.50 to
\$5. The odd choice heifer made \$5.
Good cows were from \$3 to \$3.25,
medium cows around \$2.50 and
common butchers around \$2, with
canners and cutters from \$1.25 to
\$1.50.

Calves were unchanged at \$6 to
\$7.50 for veals of fair to medium
good quality and \$4 to \$5 for pal-
fed calves. Grassers brought \$3.
There were only a few hogs, and
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terday's close, sellers were holding
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LENNOXVILLE

Baked bean supper, Douglas Hall,
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A highly satisfactory report of

ST. FRANCIS DISTRICT

BISHOPTON

Mrs. Brazenall, of Bury, is caring for Mrs. Victor Gilbert and infant daughter.

Mr. Clement Rolfe spent the week-end with his parents.

Miss Diana Beaumont spent the week-end in East Angus as a guest of Miss Florence McFadden.

Mrs. George Hart and daughter, Thelma, of Marlton, were guests of Mrs. A. B. Skinner recently.

Friends here of Mrs. B. A. Gilbert were sorry to hear she has had to go to Montreal for further treatment, and all wish her a speedy recovery.

HATLEY

Dr. Belilovsky and Miss Eager, of Poltava Farm, North Hatley, were dinner guests on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Young.

Mr. Ronald Reed, of North Hatley, was a visitor in town recently.

After the holidays at their homes here, those returning to the teaching profession were Miss Helen Ayer, Pauline Bowen, Eloise Boyes, Reta McClary, Madeline Moulton, Doris, Geraldine and Beulah Parker, Mildred Webster and Annis Young.

After the holidays at her home at Leeds, Miss Longmore returned to her position on the staff of the Hatley Intermediate School.

WINDSOR MILLS

The annual meeting of St. George's Ladies' Guild was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Sundborg with a good attendance. The financial report showed a satisfactory balance on hand and all the reports were exceptionally encouraging this year. The election of officers resulted as follows: president, Mrs. C. Sundborg; vice-president, Mrs. O. Perry; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. W. E. Rice.

The members of the Y.P.S. of St. Andrew's United Church enjoyed a social evening last week with a sleigh drive, afterwards coming back to the hall for a hot bean supper.

About forty persons enjoyed the hospital of Mrs. W. J. Wark last Wednesday at the Woman's Association supper. Assisting the hostess were Mesdames MacKinnon, Farquhar, McDonald, Hobbs and McCubbin. The annual reports were very encouraging.

The Mother's Auxiliary to the Boy Scouts was entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Quinn. An interesting item featuring the business meeting was the organizing of the Auxiliary as a committee of the Girl Guides Association. Several of the members of the men's committee came in later for the social hour. General regret was expressed that Mr. Hicks, Provincial Field Secretary, who had been speaking that evening to the Scouts, was obliged to leave on an early train and so was unable to be present at the Auxiliary meeting.

The Mission Band met in St. Andrew's Church Hall on Sunday afternoon with a good attendance. The band is under the leadership of a committee consisting of Thelma Hobbs, treasurer, Keith Pollitt and pianist, Muriel Pace.

Mr. Donald Force, of Lacolle, is the guest of his brother, Mr. C. E. Force and Mrs. Force.

Mrs. E. Davies was in Melbourne recently, the guest of her sister, Mrs. Weed.

ROCK ISLAND AND DERBY LINE

The annual meeting of the Ladies' Aid of the South United Church was held at the home of Mrs. G. Neveu with Mrs. Joseph Wallace assisting the hostess. The officers of last year were re-elected unanimously. Delicious refreshments were served by the hostesses at the tea hour.

Miss Dorothy Stevenson, of Cookshire, is staying for a time with her sister, Miss Beulah Stevenson, and Miss Jean Beaton, Derby Line. Principal W. H. Richard, of the High School, was the guest-speaker at the Universalist Church, Derby Line, at the morning service on Sunday last.

Miss Jacqueline Brown, of Derby, is spending several weeks with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. V. Brown.

Miss Alice Ayer spent a week-end with her parents at Hatley. Miss Helen Cosgrove was a weekend guest of Miss Geneva Gibson, Lyndonville, Vt.

The members of the "Aid" entertained the members of the Universalist "Aid" at the social rooms of the South United Church. A very interesting musical program was given, followed by afternoon tea.

COMPTON

King's Hall has reopened after the holiday month.

Mrs. J. Houle was very pleasantly surprised by a visit from some of her relatives and friends who gathered to wish her many happy returns of the day. A pleasant evening was spent.

The annual meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society of the United Church was held at the home of Mrs. Told on Thursday of last week. After the usual business routine the election of officers resulted in the former executive being unanimously re-elected. Several visitors came in at the tea hour.

Some alterations are being made in the building recently purchased by Miss Couture, prior to her occupation of it in the early spring.

HILLHURST

Sincere sympathy is extended to the family of the late Mrs. William Emu, who passed away at her home in Way's Mills, Mr. and Mrs. Emu resided in this place for a number of years and had many friends here who mourn her passing.

The late Mrs. Robert Doak, whose death occurred at her home in Kenne, N.H., was a resident of this place for a number of years, having resided on the farm now owned by Mr. A. Vaillancourt.

Mr. Kenneth Nish has returned to his home in Lennoxville, after spending the holiday season with his aunt, Mrs. William Birch, and Mr. Birch.

Miss T. Lipsey, Mr. Marlin and Mr. D. Rothney, of Lennoxville, were recent guests of Mr. Herman Rothney at the home of Mr. Samuel Pocock.

Mr. G. L. Pocock was a visitor in Sherbrooke.

Miss Lillian Little spent a week-end at her home in North Hatley.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh E. Bowen were guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Poole, Hatley.

Tell it to fifty thousand in Record Wants Ads for a cent a word.

PROPERTY AT STANSTEAD IS RAZED BY FIRE

Efficient Work of Fire Department Prevented Flames from Damaging Adjoining Buildings—General Notes from Stanstead and District.

Stanstead, January 23.—The property of Seth Blake, formerly Henrietta Person's cottage, situated on Station street, was razed to the ground in an early morning fire.

The house was unoccupied at the time of the fire, and the alarm was turned in by Mr. May, who resides next door. Mr. May noticed the flames burning through the roof and immediately summoned the fire brigade.

By the time the firemen arrived upon the scene, the flames had gained much headway. Flying embers threatened to ignite the properties of Mr. May and Mr. Dunn, but the efficient work of the Stanstead Fire Department prevented the flames from spreading.

W.A. HELD ANNUAL MEETING

Interesting reports were presented and officers elected for the ensuing year at the annual meeting of the Women's Association of Centenary United Church, which was held at the parsonage with Mrs. Philip.

The Association, which has a total membership of twenty-four, held ten business meetings during the past year. On March 27th, it was reported, a congregational supper was held when the choir and all those assisting with musical programmes were guests.

The Sunday School was entertained at a social at the church on April 24th, and on May 23rd an open meeting was held in the church hall, when Miss Elsie McIntosh was the guest-speaker, giving an interesting address on "Industrial Life in Japan." An enjoyable lawn fete was held on the church parsonage lawn on August 16th, the proceeds from which amounted to \$206.53. Reports also indicated that the annual Sunday School picnic, which was held in Derby Line on August 1st, had been enjoyed by all.

The sum of two dollars was given Miss Libby to be used for needy children in Holmes' School.

The ministerial association was entertained at an oyster supper in the church hall on December 10th. Four bundles of clothing were sent to the west to be distributed among needy families and ten dollars was donated to the municipal Christmas basket fund. New equipment has been purchased for the kitchen, the meeting was informed, and repairs to the parsonage have been financed.

During the business meeting the chair was occupied by Mrs. Philip, the president. The secretary-treasurer's report was presented by Mrs. Bernice McIntosh and adopted. This report revealed a balance on hand of \$224.41 and a hundred dollars bond in the bank.

The election of officers resulted as follows: president, Mrs. Philip; first vice-president, Mrs. Jenkins; second vice-president, Miss Butters; third vice-president, Mrs. Cairns; fourth vice-president, Miss McIntosh; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Bernice McIntosh; parsonage committee, Mrs. Stevenson, Mrs. Chiles, Merriman and Mrs. Wadleigh; visiting committee, Miss Colby; flower committee, Miss McIntosh.

After the meeting, refreshments were served by Mrs. Philip and a social hour was enjoyed.

General Notes.

Miss Sylvia Soles has returned to Montreal to resume her duties as nurse-in-training at the Royal Victoria Hospital, after having spent a month with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Soles.

Mr. Richard Baldwin, of Amos, Que., who is spending some time with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Baldwin, was a recent guest of his sister, Miss Mary Baldwin, Newport, Vt.

The Handicraft Club held an enjoyable bridge at "The Maples" recently. Bridge was played at six tables. At the conclusion of the evening's play, refreshments were served by the hostess, Mrs. Covey, assisted by Mrs. Albert Young and Miss Flint.

Miss Nellie Goodhue, R.N., of Danville, who was called to Stanstead by the death of her nephew, Dr. H. P. Stockwell, is a guest at "The Maples."

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Swift, who have been absent for some time visiting friends in New York and Montreal, have returned to their home in Stanstead.

Mr. and Mrs. Almer Allen and Mr. Wilder, of Franklin, Vt., were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alden Peasley.

Mr. J. D. Ferguson, who was a guest-speaker at the Men's Own meeting held in the Stanstead South social rooms, gave a most interesting address on "Another Sec-

tion of the Canadian Border." Mr. Ferguson, who was stationed in the Rainy River district in the service of the Protestant Church service and survey work, related many interesting events in connection with his work in that section along the Ontario-Minnesota boundary line. Mrs. Harry Farrow entertained the Needlework Club recently at her home, when a pleasant afternoon was spent in various kinds of needlework done by the members. A pleasant feature of the afternoon was the presentation of a souvenir to Miss Cordelia Stratton, who is leaving in the near future to enter the Sherbrooke Hospital as a nurse-in-training.

CASSVILLE

Dr. Aikin, of Health of Animals Branch, Live Stock Department, Ottawa, has just completed testing cattle for tuberculosis in Stanstead East. Twelve reactors were shipped to Montreal on Saturday and slaughtered on Monday. These twelve came from nine different farms and three cows were completely destroyed from three different barns, so area test should be carefully watched. R. H. Libby accompanied the live animals to Montreal, saw them killed and dressed, bringing back at once a complete report on each animal.

Roy Morse was taken to Cartierville Sanatorium by R. H. Libby on January 8th. He is reported to be doing well and may get a complete cure. The Town of Stanstead East has looked after Mr. Morse for over three years, first at St. Arache Sanatorium, now at Cartierville, near Montreal.

Mr. R. H. Libby, returning from Montreal on Tuesday, attended the Immigration Society dinner at the Magog House, Sherbrooke, the Board of Trade meeting at the City Hall and Rotary Club dinner Tuesday evening, at the New Sherbrooke House, where Geo. B. Rothwell, Dominion Animal Husbandman of the Experimental Farm, Ottawa, was the chief speaker of the evening.

DRAPER'S CORNER

There passed away on Saturday, January 19th, Mr. Ezekiel Bowen, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Walter Brown. Mr. Bowen was born in Compton on June 19, 1842. During the past fifteen or twenty years he made his home here with his daughter, who has been a devoted attendant on his failing health, a shock depriving him of freely speaking and later a broken bone confining him to his bed for many weeks. Mr. Bowen was a man respected by all and sympathy is extended to Mrs. Brown in the loss of a kind father. Mr. Bowen also leaves two sons, Henry and Maurice, who owing to illness, were unable to attend the funeral, which was held at Johnville.

Messrs. Keith and Leslie Richardson and Miss Wilmoth, of Sand Hill, were in town to attend the sugar social at the home of their aunt, Mrs. H. Allison.

Miss Rheta McClary, of Ives Hill, was a recent overnight guest of Mrs. R. H. Draper.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Draper and the Allison family attended the house party given by Mr. and Mrs. John Cowan, Ives Hill, for friends from Sherbrooke.

The Lapanza family are in quarantine with scarlet fever.

The sugar social at the Allison home was well attended, although weather conditions and roads were bad.

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Dr. Williams' BABY'S OWN TABLETS

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FOSTER CHURCH LADIES' GUILD HELD SESSION

Officers Named at Annual Meeting of Bishop Carmichael Ladies' Guild—Other Items from Foster.

Foster, January 23.—The annual meeting of the Ladies' Guild of the Bishop Carmichael Memorial Church was held at the home of Mrs. Fred Lacey, being opened by Rev. H. P. Mount. The president, Mrs. A. B. Young, was in the chair and conducted the regular business session. The minutes of the last meeting were read by the secretary, Mrs. James Code, and approved. The secretary also gave a report of the card party held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Rhicard. The roll call was answered by twenty-five members and several visitors were also present. The secretary gave her yearly report, showing that twenty-two meetings had been held during the year and that thirty-five members had been enrolled. There was an average attendance of eighteen members and five visitors. One lawn social, one garden party and four card parties were among the social events held. A number of Christmas cheer boxes were distributed and prizes and treats were furnished to the Sunday School at Christmas time.

The report of the treasurer, Mrs. W. A. Inglis, stated that a very satisfactory balance was left on hand. Mrs. R. H. Wright, secretary of the Flower Fund, reported that a number of floral sprays had been sent out as well as flowers being placed in the church. Boxes of fruit and cards of greeting had been sent from this department.

At the conclusion of the reports Mrs. Young thanked the officers and members for their loyal support during the pleasant as well as successful year. Rev. H. P. Mount then took charge of the election of officers, which resulted as follows: Honorary president, Mrs. H. P. Mount; president, Mrs. A. B. Young; first vice-president, Mrs. E. W. Taylor; second vice-president, Mrs. G. H. Durrell; secretary, Mrs. J. N. Code; treasurer, Mrs. W. A. Inglis; floral fund secretary, Mrs. R. H. Wright; work conveners, Mrs. C. D. Johnson and Mrs. L. H. Durrell. A pleasant afternoon was brought to a close by refreshments served by the hostess.

General Notes.

Mr. and Mrs. George Mizener were in South Stukely the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay Martin.

Mr. Beard spent a week-end in Montreal as the guest of relatives.

Mr. Walter Knowlton and Mrs. Ed. Hume received the sad news of the death of their uncle, Mr. George Knowlton, who passed away at Brant, Dakota, on December 31.

Master Winfield Durrell, who has been attending Waterloo High School, is at his home here suffering with chicken pox. Little Miss Thora Durrell is also ill with the same malady.

Friends will be sorry to learn that Mrs. P. A. Bradley is a patient in one of the Sherbrooke hospitals.

Mrs. Bradley, previous to her illness, spent several weeks in Montreal to be near her daughter, Mrs. James Winter, of Ormstown, who has been in the Royal Victoria Hospital for some time.

Mr. E. W. Taylor was in Montreal recently.

Mr. Peter McLaughlin, of Montreal, was a week-end guest of his sister, Mrs. Hiram Williams, and Mr. Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. George Mizener, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Phelps, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Stowe, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Whitcher and Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Williams were among those who were in South Stukely as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Quilliams. Cards, dancing and various games were enjoyed until midnight at which time the hostess served a delicious oyster supper to her guests.

EAST FARNHAM

Miss Grace Shufelt, assisted by her sister, Miss Harriet Shufelt, entertained the devotional period, led by the president, Mrs. W. J. McCulloch, the election of officers took place, which resulted as follows: president, Mrs. W. J. Mc-

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The Log in the Jam.

The speech of the Right Honorable William Lyon Mackenzie King in reply to the Speech from the Throne was looked forward to with much eagerness, keener, perhaps, because of the long silence of the Leader of His Majesty's Loyal Opposition.

That is a rotund paragraph, intended to picture the rotundity of Mr. King's speech, which was intended to refute the phantom air speeches of the Prime Minister.

Still the thought does come that a positive is equal to two negatives. What the people who groan under the ever increasing load of taxation hunger for is some constructive, positive and specific expression of purpose.

The politicians continue to shadow box with the punishment of the National Railway system and with the creation of new bureaus and commissions erected at the seat of government. One simple example of late vintage is the Radio Commission which last year cost the taxpayers of Canada over a million and a quarter of good dollars. There was neither call for nor reason for it.

Nor must we forget that the people of Canada have never endorsed the policy of public ownership and political operation of a complicated railway system. The vote against this burden would be 3 to 1. It is the great question of today, just as the log jam in the rocky canyon. It can no longer be sidestepped, for we will enforce it as the main issue at the general elections of 1935.

Capitalists and economists will begin and end on the hundred million loss each year on a railway system which may ebb and flow in losses, but which can never be cured except by abolition.

While there is much to admire in the ability of the Prime Minister, and in his superhuman industry as a worker, his first task should be to dynamite the log which holds up the jam in our financial and industrial stream.

The Elections: When?

May is the King's Month, for in Merry May we all join in wishing King George all joy and sweet repose in the second half of a jubilee reign. The first part of his half-century reign has been an eventful one, for it will go down in history as one where Britain's might has again been shown to the rest of the civilized world in all its supremacy and superiority.

We cannot mar that month with a partisan election in Canada. Too many important people in Canada may wish to make the pilgrimage to London to join in what will be an epoch in the life of every man in the Great Empire.

Our quinquennial election periods are nerve-racking to a certain extent, and we have suggested on more than one occasion that as far as Quebec is concerned these upheavals should be met on the same day with both Federal and Provincial issues to be decided by the electorate.

Public expenditures and governmental waste will be the main issues. This may not be to the liking of the oldtime politicians who do not wish to face their shortcomings and their errors of judgment as measured on the Scales of Economy. But a dual election would save money and time; and time is also money.

The demand of the electors is that we shall be rid of all adventurous experiments which are leaking oodles of money at the bung-hole, and that all unprofitable bureaus, commissions and departments shall be dispensed with.

There must be an abolition of all waste and a return to the simple and the fundamentals of government by the people.

The fundamentals consist of Law and Order, Health and Morality, and that which is clearly for the general welfare of the citizens. Class legislation of all kinds should be thrown in the discard. It is an abomination.

Collectors Become Crimps.

Turning the Income Tax Office into a Department of Ghoul Diggers is the latest charge laid against the Army of Tax Collectors who go slyly and sneakily into the offices of reputable business men in Canada and dig back ten years or more to see if they can find any technical evasion of the manner and method by which the business men have interpreted the provisions of that Act.

When the concern approached is a partnership conducted under the form of an incorporated company it may well be considered by the officials that the people will class it as one of those bloated and capitalistic concerns which can be treated with a flip of the left thumb. Because one outstanding demagogue said "a corporation has no soul," the companies are usually condemned as having a devilish front. This reflection has led the hungry taxgatherers to impose higher taxes on companies than are extracted from individuals. They have

gotten away with it because individuals who invest money in other undertakings protect their personal capital in this way.

It is this factor which has slowed up the expansion of industry from capital gleaned from other industries. It is an ill-conceived system; an unfair imposition on industry.

For a better exposition of this unfair extortion we propose to take up a test case, where losses in one investment are not being allowed as a set-up against salary gains in another.

The Income Tax Department say they will not allow it. As an individual Editor, we challenge the Department to the test, chiefly to give the people a deeper understanding of the many unfair decisions which have been imposed upon the smaller incorporated companies which pay a blackmail that which they know to be unjust rather than risk their credit in a public trial.

We propose to bring these facts to the public just as we finally forced the Canadian National expenses of the former president to the public gaze.

After all, Public Opinion is the final jury in this country.

The Record has saved to Canada many millions of dollars which were being wastefully spent by innumerable Commissions and Bureaus. Mr. Bennett proposes to set up more of these in his proposed legislation.

They are neither necessary nor desirable.

We ask for a decision before a Superior Court as a civil trial.

Whilst we shall appear in person we have the advice and counsel of the best constitutional lawyer in Canada, who has offered his services free.

So we say, as did Roderick Dhu, "Come one, come all," and the rest.

We have had many complaints from business men whose office staff and office work has been upset by a gang of accountants from the Income Tax Collectors, and who insist on going back on records and vouchers for ten years or more. This costs the business man a lot of money in lost time, and the department should pay for it.

All Persons Are Born Equal, But They Don't Stay That Way.

A comparison of the wage scales of Ontario and of Quebec as being 33 to 24 is quite unfair. Ontario has absorbed the factories which require the more skillful and higher paid class of workmen, whilst Quebec has been content with the simpler productions and the lesser skill which makes their production of a cheaper grade.

But take into comparison the newer developments in labour where Quebec excels in the quantity of production, and where wage scales have been fixed by training and excellence. In the production of hydro-power, for instance, Quebec's production of kilowatt hours is equal to fifty per cent. more per man power than it is in Ontario.

In the shoe manufacturing industry Quebec factories have been content with the making of cheaper grades of shoes, whilst Ontario factories strive for the finer grades which compete with those made in the United States.

For several decades the Quebec factories, where clothing and shirts were produced, enjoyed the higher prestige, but many of these were hampered and harassed by little government officials. They moved away, did those high-class factories, or were moved.

You cannot compare evenly the wages in a Quebec cheap shoe-making shop with those paid in a radio factory in Toronto. For you must take into consideration the value of their monthly or their yearly product.

Nor can you reach a dead level of skill or production in mechanics any more than you can in brains and skill within the learned professions.

All persons are born equal, but they do not long stay that way. They have more male teachers for boys in Ontario than we show in Quebec.

Editor's Note Book.

Whilst folks can rejoice with Sir William Mulock holding the office of Chief Justice of Ontario at the advanced age of ninety-two years, there are others in the legal profession who will think he is a selfish old man to hold up the regular order of promotion whilst he is long past the regulation age of retirement. Consider how many younger men, as able in legal talent, from whom is withheld their step-up by a man who is possessed of the means to retire gracefully to a life of leisure and reflection. Somebody ought to say it.

"Discontent, rather than dissatisfaction," is the way Editor Williams, of the Collingwood Enterprise-Bulletin, accounts for the numerous changes in the personnel of the Council of Simcoe County. And in many cases it is the ingratitude of the hopelessly hopeful.

THIRTY YEARS AGO TODAY

From the Files of the Sherbrooke Record.
January 23rd, 1905.

Mr. A. Ernest Green, Shropshire, England, took up residence in Sherbrooke.

J. Telfer Thomas was named manager of the new E. T. Bank branch at Waterville.

Birth: At Sherbrooke, a son to Mr. and Mrs. J. Chapman.

Marlow parishioners presented Rev. J. S. Stewart with a purse of money as a token of esteem, Master Reginald Cathcart making the presentation.

L. Goff, Cookshire, had a narrow escape from serious injury when he fell from the platform in front of a train. He escaped uninjured.

Entertainers at sugar social given by Johnville Ladies' Aid: Mrs. S. B. Somers, Misses Verna Taylor, Fannie Warner, Rev. M. L. Wright and James Duncan.

Winners in doubles competition at Sherbrooke Curling Club: G. D. Thompson and Clark Gordon, F. B. Morgan and R. J. Spearing, J. F. Morkill and J. K. Edwards.

Letters to The Editor

FOLLOWING A CUSTOM OR AN IDEAL; IT DEPENDS

To the Editor,

Sir—I beg to take exception to your editorial of the 18th instant entitled, "The Only Way to Sincerity Is to Resign." But lest I be misunderstood, let me assure you that I heartily approve of your candid expression of opinion, and I think you are wrong.

Disloyalty, you say, is the fruit of bad selection. It is, if the only virtue you demand of your elect is loyalty to yourself. If you were leader of a party you would so castigate and decelerate that others would hesitate to follow them. They would be despised if they were deterred by fear. Surely there are occasions when the hypocrisy of loyalty may become too great?

The men of whom you speak, never doubt. Do you think they were so naive that they did not appreciate the consequence of revolt—that they did not expect it all, even the coals of fire that you would heap upon their heads? Far from it, and the greater glory to them that, knowing the heavy price, they were willing to pay it. Do not forget that every idea which has changed the world was once held by a hated and despised minority.

That the small group of early Christians were abused and tortured by "God-fearing, responsible citizens, models of civic virtue"—they now wear trousers and not hats instead of togas and laurel wreaths, and talk thunderously about socialism, knowing as much about it as the ones in the togas knew about Christianity; and that Christianity was labelled as subversive and revolutionary—

which it was, as is any new dynamic idea, good or bad. Our rebels have entered upon their reward of isolation and contumely—and conscience not betrayed. I cast no aspersions upon others, for honest differences of opinion will always exist; but I say, let us be thankful for evidence of sincerity where it is most precious.

You maintain that a politician elected to support a platform or leader has not freedom to express a sincere opinion. A sorry state indeed if that rule were strictly observed—in fact, like Germany. But granted that past government is a necessary condition in a democracy, and that loyalty to a leader becomes a virtue, let us never forget that such loyalty has no inherent value in itself. Party government and party loyalty are only of value in so far as they serve the fundamental of government by the people and for the people.

The follower who is sincerely convinced that his party fails to measure up to the great purpose is guilty of treason if he fails to act upon his conviction. One may subjugate minor differences of opinion for the sake of common cause; but when the issue at stake are the foundations of society, as at the present time, and there is conflict in a man's mind between loyalty to a leader and loyalty to the people, let your condemnation fall not upon the man who acts according to his conscience, but upon the betrayer of the people.

You would have these men resign; and you quote the case of Mackenzie Bowell's "nest of traitors" who deserted in the face of the enemy. The case is not strictly relevant; and the Prime Minister would, I am sure, not care to use it. Like Nelson, he might clap the glass to a sightless eye, but whatever he saw on the political horizon, I'll warrant he'd say of the enemy "I'm hanged if I see it." The case is not strictly relevant as you have used it, but had the Legislative Councils of whom you speak, being convinced that their leader had departed from the path along which he undertook to lead them, preferred the gentle path of hypocrisy, then indeed they would have been a "nest of traitors" who deserted the people in the face of the enemy.

I remain, Sir,
Yours sincerely,
DOUGLAS BARLOW
Grande Allee, Quebec.

NEWSPRINT MANUFACTURES RESCIND PRICE ADVANCE

Failure of Negotiations Between Producers and Consumers Leads to Provision of Draw-back of \$2.50 Per Ton for Short Period.

Montreal, January 23. — As a result of failure of negotiations between representatives of the Canadian newspaper industry and leading United States publishers, designed to overcome certain difficulties standing in the way of an increase in the price of newsprint for 1935, it is understood that most of the leading companies of the Dominion are notifying their customers that a drawback of \$2.50 per ton will be allowed for the next few months from the price of \$42.50 announced by a great majority of the companies as the level to prevail for the first six months of 1935. Which, in effect, means that last year's price of \$40 will continue, at least, for the time being.

Canadian newspaper manufacturers, it is understood, have in recent days given considerable attention to the policy which various companies may be obliged to follow as a result of certain shipments now being made to large American publishers at a contract price of \$40 for delivery in New York.

It will be recalled that the major producers last November announced 1935 prices of \$42.50 for New York delivery in the first six months of the year and \$45 maximum for the last six months; but that the maintenance of these increases was rendered doubtful by reason of contracts made by St. Lawrence Paper Mills at the 1934 price for all of 1935.

Professor—Which is the strongest water power known to man? Student—Women's tears.

UNIFIED TELEGRAPH PLAN URGED FOR UNITED STATES

Rates for Proposed System Would Be Regulated in Much the Same Way that Interstate Commerce Commission Controls Railroad Freight Rates.

Washington, Jan. 23.—A unified telegraph system for the United States was recommended to Congress by the Federal Communications Commission.

A suggestion that the vehicle for such consolidation—which could embrace a merger of the Western Union and Postal Telegraph systems—be provided in passage of a law parallel to the present Telephone Consolidation Act was made by the Commission.

The proposed law would provide for strict control of any consolidation by the Commission. Rates would be regulated in much the same way that the Interstate Commerce Commission now controls railroad freight rates.

THEIR MAJESTIES PLAN TO VISIT AT COMPTON PLACE

One of Large Residences of Duke of Devonshire Being Arranged to Receive King and Queen About Middle of February.

London, Jan. 23.—Their Majesties are expected to take up residence at Compton Place, Eastbourne, a residence owned by the Duke of Devonshire, about the middle of February. The work of preparing the large and comfortable house for occupation is well ahead of schedule. One of the chief installations is a somewhat elaborate direct telephone system, providing direct communication with London. Eastbourne, on the south coast, is noted for temperate climate in the winter months.

Prince Arthur, Duke of Connaught, uncle of King George, will not travel to the Riviera this winter, it is understood. He will probably remain in England, residing first at Sidmouth, where he has been a regular visitor for several winters. From there he will go to Bournemouth for a short stay.

The Duke is planning to let the villa on the Riviera which he has owned for many years. It is believed he would be prepared to sell it for a good offer.

SOUVENIR MAKERS TAKING FULL ADVANTAGE OF HAUPTMANN TRIAL

Flemington, N.J., Jan. 23.—The souvenir craze has hit this town, scene of the Hauptmann trial. Tiny ladders resembling the "kid-nan-ladder" are on sale, and an enterprising young man has set up a machine to "coin" copper coverings on one cent pieces. The covering has an impression of the court house and the words "Hauptmann trial, Flemington, N.J."

GUNMAN CARRIED OFF CANARIES.

Chicago, Jan. 23.—It was canaries they wanted, and it was canaries they took. Thirty of the birds, valued at \$100, were taken by two gunmen who bound and gagged Mitchell Bilek in his home yesterday and left with the birds in one cage. Nothing else was touched, Bilek told police.

NAME OFFICERS OF WATERVILLE LADIES' GUILD

Mrs. F. H. Rowe Succeeds Mrs. Fred W. Ayer as President of Waterville United Church Organization—Other Items of Interest.

Waterville, January 23.—The Ladies' Guild of St. John's Anglican Church concluded an outstandingly successful year with a largely attended and most enthusiastic annual meeting held at the home of Mrs. F. H. Rowe on Wednesday afternoon last. Rev. George Pye, who opened the meeting with prayer, warmly congratulated the ladies upon the splendid success, which had crowned their efforts during 1934, wishing them happiness and prosperity in 1935.

Mrs. Fred W. Ayer, retiring president, who was unable to attend the meeting owing to illness, expressed in writing her grateful appreciation to the officers and members of the Guild for their untiring efforts and devotion and extended her personal thanks for their splendid help and loyal co-operation in the past, wishing the Guild continued success in the new year. Mrs. F. H. Rowe responded with a hearty vote of thanks to the retiring president.

The retiring secretary, Miss Pearl Burton, read the report and gave an interesting and complete resume of the past year's activities.

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CANADIAN PACIFIC

Miss Nellie Bayley, the treasurer, was a special feature of the annual meeting, showing that over \$535 had been raised during the past year, that all obligations had been met and a substantial balance been met and a substantial balance left over with which to commence the new year, this splendid showing giving undoubted proof of the hard and continuous work done by the members during the past year.

The election of officers resulted as follows: honorary president, Miss Nellie Bayley; president, Mrs. F. H. Rowe; vice-president, Mrs. J. V. Hodgson; second vice-president, Mrs. P. W. Bean; treasurer, Mrs. V. Parsons; secretary, Mrs. V. Hodgson; corresponding secretary, Miss Pearl Burton. At the close of the meeting afternoon tea was served by Mrs. F. H. Rowe, assisted by Mrs. V. Hodgson, Mrs. J. Eatough and Miss Made Pye.

General Notes.
Mrs. J. C. Campbell, Mrs. Ken-

neth Spafford and the Misses Pearl Burton, Irene Parsons, Eunice Tannahill, Helen Ayer and Maude Pye were in Sherbrooke on Wednesday evening last to attend "My Spanish Sweetheart," in St. Patrick's Church Hall. They were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. John Murphy at their home on Aberdeen avenue.

Mr. John McEachin, Jr., of Orillia, Ont., arrived home on Friday, having sufficiently recovered to leave the Soldiers' Memorial Hospital, where he has been a patient.

Mrs. W. H. Baglow was in Lennoxville visiting Mrs. William Moir and family at their home on Belvidere street.

Mrs. Thomas Gerrard spent a week end in Coaticook visiting relatives.

"George is just crazy about me," "Don't take too much credit to yourself. He was crazy before you ever met him."

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Adoption of Constitution and Introduction of Subjects for Future Discussion Featured Last Night's Meeting of Newly-Organized Branch of Sherbrooke Chamber of Commerce.

With the adoption of their constitution, members of the junior section of the Sherbrooke Chamber of Commerce got off to a good start at their meeting at the City Hall last evening, which was under the presidency of Pierre Bachand.

This newly-organized group of young businessmen of the city are looking forward to a very successful career. Their organization is a branch of the senior Chamber of Commerce, but they have their own officers and conduct their meetings as a separate organization.

The studying of the different clauses of the constitution took up the greater part of last night's meeting. Suggestions were also made by various members for future consideration.

The Junior Board at present has a membership of fifty, although Alphonse Belanger, chairman of the membership committee, is determined to increase this number. Membership in the Junior Board is open to all young businessmen between the ages of twenty-one and thirty-five years.

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Over Seventy Members and Visitors Attended First Annual Dinner of Ladies' Auxiliary to Sherbrooke Branch of Canadian Legion.

Graced by the presence of His Worship Mayor F. H. Bradley and Mrs. Bradley and officers of the Provincial Women's Council and of the Sherbrooke Branch, Canadian Legion, the first annual dinner of the Ladies' Auxiliary to the Sherbrooke branch of the Legion held in the Chateau Frontenac last evening proved an unqualified success.

The gathering was presided over by Mrs. H. Kennett, president of the Ladies' Auxiliary, and was attended by over seventy members and visitors.

Following a most enjoyable dinner, the toast to "The King" was proposed by Mrs. E. Buck and responded to in the customary manner.

The toast to "The Departed Comrades" was proposed by Mrs. Kennett, the response being given by Canon H. R. Bigg, who gave a brief but impressive address.

The other toasts were to "The Canadian Legion," proposed by Mrs. A. Jackson and replied to by Col. M. W. McAnulty; to "The City of Sherbrooke," proposed by Mrs. Kennett and responded to by Mayor Bradley; to "The Visitors and Guests," by Mrs. Kennett, Captain O. E. Thomas giving the reply; and to "The Press," proposed by Captain Thomas and responded to by Miss Bourque.

A very pleasant feature of the evening was the presentation of a Past President's badge to Mrs. A. Jackson by Col. McAnulty, who continued on Page 2.

Stories on legal holidays and the question of municipalization of electricity will be two topics to come before the Junior Board for discussion at a later date. The question of securing more industries, or why Sherbrooke is not getting its just share of new concerns in this district, will also be included on a later agenda.

Brevity will be one of the rules of the newly-formed group. It is planned to have regular meetings, and these will not last more than an hour. There will be no long drawn out speeches. This has been governed by a resolution which gives members two minutes to talk on any topic, with an additional three minutes for the mover of any motion.

The members of the new group are enthusiastic over their work and feel confident that they have an important part to play in the life of the community.

The Junior section of the Sherbrooke Chamber of Commerce has been formed with the approval of the senior group, and its expected that the two working in harmony will be better able to tackle and solve many of the timely problems which from time to time face the community.

CITY BRIEFLETS

Skating tonight, Exhibition Arena. Sherbrooke Snowshoe Club's boot-tramp tonight, corner Quebec and Portland, 8.15.

Weekly tea, St. Patrick's Church Hall, Thursday. Hostesses: Mrs. J. S. Russell, Mrs. F. O. Harvey, Mrs. L. Barlow, Mrs. R. Butler.

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SUBSTANTIAL BEQUEST TO SHERBROOKE HOSPITAL.
The funds of the Sherbrooke Hospital were substantially increased today by the receipt of a bequest of \$500 under the will of Charles J. Cushing, of the Township of Barnston, who passed away recently. The bequest was made in memory of his first wife, Amelia Susan Carr.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS LEAD IN BRIDGE SERIES.
Leading by a margin of 801 points the Knights of Columbus will "storm" the barracks of Les Fusiliers de Sherbrooke Friday evening for the second round of games in the second annual auction bridge tournament between the rival groups. The K.C.'s got away to a good start by capturing the first set of six rubbers by a score of 12,259 to 11,458, and threaten to duplicate their victory of last winter.

The Knights emerged from the first contest last year with a lead of 344 points. But two practices daily since the tournament was inaugurated sharpened Grand Knight Eugene Olivier and his fellow card "sharks" to the extent that they more than doubled the margin they established last year.

Both sides had three teams victorious, but the combined aggregate of the Knights' margin was 801 points more than Lt. Col. Leopold Chevalier and his fellow officers. Art Boislard and Z. Trudeau posted the highest margin, defeating Delma Landry and Alme Brion by 1,822 points, while J. Roy and Eugene Olivier were second in this column, outmanoeuvring Col. Chevalier and Wilfrid Routhier to the extent of 1,609 points. The overwhelming defeat of these two star partnerships was the principal reason for the soldiers' Waterloo.

The detailed results of the matches are as follows:
J. Royer and Eug. Olivier, K.C., 2,630, defeated Lt. Col. Chevalier and W. Routhier, Les Fusiliers, 1,021; A. Boislard and Z. Trudeau, K.C., 2,600, defeated D. Landry and A. Brion, Les Fusiliers, 778; John Wolfe and John Simms, K.C., 2,621, defeated J. H. Codere and Dr. L. Darche, Les Fusiliers, 2,206; J. C. Cote and "Bee" Beaudry, Les Fusiliers, 2,622, defeated M. Laine and O. Trudeau, K.C., 1,693; A. Drolet and C. Mignault, Les Fusiliers, 1,960, defeated P. Landet and Dr. P. Boaudry, K.C., 1,185; Dr. R. L. DuBerger and Dr. L. A. Trudeau, Les Fusiliers, 2,871, defeated P. H. Dubuc and Dr. J. C. St. Pierre, K.C., 1,530.

NEW OFFICERS OF ST. PETER'S W. A. TAKE OVER DUTIES.
Assuming the chair for the first time since her election, Mrs. F. E. Kerridge presided at a largely attended meeting of St. Peter's W. A. yesterday afternoon in the parish hall, following the Litany service in the church at which the rector, Rev. Canon H. R. Bigg, officiated.

The minutes were read by Mrs. W. Marchant, and after the disposition of routine business, Mrs. C. H. Bowen gave a brief summary of the address given at the Dominion annual W. A. meeting by the Dominion president, Mrs. Gilbert Farrabee. In an interesting resume, Mrs. Bowen touched upon the highlights in this wonderful message to all members from the presiding officer of the Women's Auxiliary to the Church of England in Canada. It was announced that Miss Edith Martens had arranged for pictures to be shown for the Juniors, and at yesterday's meeting the Senior W. A. decided to entertain the children at the tea hour following the showing of pictures. Mrs. John Pashley, who was named convener for the tea, will be assisted by Mrs. Fred. Wood.

Members feel very gratified at receiving a letter from the Bishop of Saskatchewan acknowledging the receipt of five boxes of clothing, groceries and other comforts from St. Peter's W. A., which were forwarded to him in addition to the generous shipment already sent towards Western Relief. His Lordship expressed very sincere thanks for the boxes of Christmas Cheer, assuring the W. A. that their donations were sadly needed and had indeed brought happiness to many homes at Christmas time. To all who contributed to this special work the W. A. extended grateful thanks.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH CONCLUDES SUCCESSFUL YEAR

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year at the annual vestry meeting of St. Paul's Church, which was held under the presidency of the rector, Rev. W. H. Cheverton, people's warden, T. W. Oak; rector's warden, B. Thorne; sidesmen, J. Cotterell and H. Bench; auditors, H. Smith and H. J. Drew.

enough to balance the budget, but this deficit was offset by the generosity of Rev. W. H. Cheverton and the Quebec Diocesan Officers.

T. W. Oak thanked the rector for his financial assistance in enabling the church to meet its various obligations and also for his moral and spiritual help, which has been an inspiration to all associated with St. Paul's. A hearty vote of thanks was also extended to H. Tribble and C. Taylor for their past services.

At the conclusion of the business meeting refreshments were served by the members of the Ladies' Auxiliary with the president, Mrs. Hall, presiding.

MERCURY DROPPED TO THREE BELOW DURING NIGHT
From a maximum temperature of twenty-three above zero yesterday, the mercury dropped to three below during the night. It was winter back again—after a twenty-four hour spell of mild and unseasonable weather that, coupled with a steady down-pour of rain, threatened to disturb the calm of Eastern Townships rivers and streams and send them on another wild rampage.

Reports from Bromptonville this morning indicated that the flood situation in that district is unchanged. Men are still working on the ice-jam at the Canadian National Railway bridge one mile beyond Brompton. The water has gone down considerably and efforts to break up the jam have been partly successful.

The mill of the Brompton Pulp and Paper Company remained closed today and officials would not say when activities would be resumed. Damages it is reported, were caused the plant when a foot and a half of water inundated the machine rooms last week.

Yesterday's temperature, according to the Lennoxville Experimental Farm, was maximum twenty-three and minimum ten, and that for the corresponding day last year maximum thirty-two and minimum twenty. The temperature at seven o'clock this morning was zero.

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Tomorrow's Radio Programme

Following are the best radio programmes tomorrow, Thursday, with the key to the stations in the final paragraph:
6.00 p.m.—WJZ: William Lundell, interview; WABC: Buck Rogers, sketch; WEAF: Xavier Cugat's Orchestra; KDKA: Dan and Sylvia.
6.15 p.m.—WABC: Bobby Benson and Sunny Jim; WJZ: Angelo Ferdinand's Orchestra; CFCF: Around the Town; KDKA: Comedy Stars of Hollywood.
6.30 p.m.—WEAF: Mary Small, songs; WABC: Frank Deane's orchestra; WJZ: Songs; CFCF: Closing Market Quotations.
6.45 p.m.—WEAF: Billy Batchelor, sketch; WJZ: Lowell Thomas.
7.00 p.m.—WEAF: Richard Himber's Orchestra; WABC: Myrt and Marge; WJZ: Amos and Andy; CFCF: Uncle Troy; CKAC: Studio Programme.
7.15 p.m.—WJZ: Gems of Melody; WEAF: Whispering Jack Smith, songs; WABC: Just Plain Bill.
7.30 p.m.—WEAF: Burnt Cork Dandies; WABC: Nick Lucas, songs; CFCF: Sports Parade; CKAC: Radio Gossip.
7.45 p.m.—WABC: Boake Carter; WJZ: Ruth Etting, songs; CKAC: Concert Trio; CFCF: The Star Boarder.
8.00 p.m.—WEAF: Vallee's Variety Hour; WABC: "Hour of Charm".
8.30 p.m.—WJZ: Melodies Romantic; WABC: Forum of Liberty.
9.00 p.m.—WJZ: Death Valley Days; WEAF: Show Boat; WABC: "The Caravan".
9.30 p.m.—WJZ: Talk; WABC: Fred Waring's Orchestra; KDKA: The Romancers.
10.00 p.m.—WEAF: Paul Whiteman's Orchestra; KDKA: Feature; CKAC: Variety Show.
10.30 p.m.—WJZ: Talk; WABC: Music.
11.00 p.m.—WEAF: John B. Kennedy, talk; WJZ: Cooke Fairchild's Orchestra; WABC: Little Jack Little's Orchestra; KDKA: Sports.
11.30 p.m.—WEAF: Emerson Gill's Orchestra; WABC: Dramatic Guild; WJZ: Eddie Duchin's Orchestra.
12.00 p.m.—WEAF: Henry King's Orchestra; WABC: Herbie Kay's Orchestra; WJZ: George Olsen's Orchestra.

Tonight, Wednesday, January 23rd, 8.30-9.00 p.m., J. B. Lefebvre's Music Programme.

WEAF—New York	850
WABC—New York	840
WCY—Schenectady	790
WJZ—New York	760
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Social and Personal

Mrs. F. W. McCrea left yesterday for New York to visit her sister, Mrs. George D. Pratt, Glen Cove, Long Island.

Miss Gertrude Chadsey is arriving from Bedford tonight to enter the Sherbrooke Hospital as nurse-in-training.

Mrs. Charles B. Howard, "Howardene," who has been in Ottawa since the opening of Parliament last week, is expected home tomorrow.

Mrs. Ben. Dean entertained the newly elected president, Mrs. Oscar Stenson, and members of the Young Ladies' Aid of St. Andrew's Church very pleasantly last evening at her home on Laurier avenue. At the close of the enjoyable social gathering dainty refreshments were served, the young hostess being assisted in her hospitable duties by Miss Lillian Hawker and Mrs. Frank Edwards. During the evening tentative plans were made for a waffle tea.

The Misses Norma Edwards, Margaret Taylor, Louise Lake, Annie Marchant, Beryl Mandigo, Phyllis Drew and Blanche McKenna, probationers at the Sherbrooke Hospital, were the principal participants in a pleasant and impressive little ceremony this morning, when from the hand of the Superintendent, Miss Verna K. Beane, the seven young nurses-in-training received their caps and bibs, after reciting in unison the beautiful and solemn Florence Nightingale Pledge.

Members of the Circle Group of the W. A. of Trinity United Church were pleasantly entertained last evening by Mrs. G. H. Parsons at her home on Portland avenue. There was an unusually good attendance, and during a brief business period, at which Mrs. R. E. Richardson presided, plans were made for a Valentine tea. A pleasant social hour followed, and later the hostess served dainty refreshments, assisted by Mrs. George C. Hall and Mrs. W. Miller Hall.

Miss M. E. Cogan entertained at two most enjoyable card parties yesterday at her home on King street east for the benefit of the Catholic Women's League. Bridge was played at five tables at both the afternoon and evening parties. The prizes at the former were won by Mrs. T. J. Bonner and Miss Laura St. Laurent, the latter of Compton. At the conclusion of the game afternoon tea was served. The successful players at the evening party were Mrs. William Davis and Mrs. William Steele, when the hostess again served delicious refreshments at the close of the successful and pleasant social gathering.

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The action is taken to indicate the overcoming of price difficulties that have kept down the number of British-made films shown in the colonies.

Mrs. Charles Brookes, Federal street, is a patient in the Montreal General Hospital, where he underwent an operation yesterday afternoon. Mrs. Brookes, who accompanied her husband to the metropolis, will remain for the week-end.

Mrs. A. J. Arnold, Mrs. F. C. Heney and Miss Kathleen Leonard were hostesses at the Sherbrooke Ladies' Curling Club tea yesterday afternoon. This week's tea was an unusually delightful and largely attended event, the opening game for the Florence Ingram cup attracting many and creating much interest among the members and their guests. Lovely red tulips and narcissi in a silver basket and green candles in silver candlesticks centered the pretty tea table, at which Mrs. J. G. Ranshouan presided.

The annual "sports' night" sponsored by St. Agnes Guild is ever an outstanding social event among the younger members of the Church of the Advent congregation, and last evening's gathering was unusually successful. A number of enthusiasts enjoyed a skating party, while others remained in the parish hall and passed the time very pleasantly playing cards. Later both parties joined forces to enjoy the delicious hot baked bean supper which was served at ten o'clock. All arrangements were most successfully carried out under the general supervision of Mrs. James Wark, president of St. Agnes' Guild, who was ably assisted by the members in entertaining the large party of young people who gathered for this popular event.

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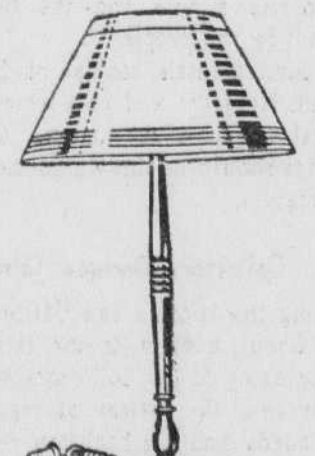
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AMATEURS HALTED LEAF'S WINNING STREAK IN BEST GAME OF SEASON

Len O'Donnell Scored Both Goals in Amateurs' Two to One Victory Over Sherbrooke County Hockey League Pace Setters Last Night—Thrilling Fixture Kept One Thousand Fans on Edge Throughout Three Periods—Maroons Broke Nationals' "Jinx" by Nosing Out Yellow Shirts to Tune of Three to Two.

The Sherbrooke County Hockey League pennant race had burst wide open today and four entries are in the thick of the tense struggle for the championship and the right to represent the local intermediate circuit at the end of next month. The Maple Leafs still hold the mortgage on the pace-setting position, but their grip on first place has weakened as a result of the stunning defeat which brought their five-game winning streak to an abrupt end last night. The Amateurs stopped the team which appeared well away on the path leading to the title throne in a brilliant fixture which kept one thousand wild-eyed spectators on edge until the final whistle brought the A's their well-earned two to one decision.

None the less thrilling was the nightcap of the mid-week double-header in which the Maroons, last year's monarchs, jumped back into the running by shaking the Nationals' jinx. Three goals in the last three minutes brought them back to the top of the list and placed them on even terms with their yellow-jerseyed brethren in third position, two points behind the second-place Amateurs and four points out of the top berth.

Len O'Donnell, the veteran who seemed almost ready to hang up his skates, retrieved some of the hero worship he knew when he was in his prime with the old Irish-Canadians by personally accounting for the downfall of his young opponents, many of whom were only starting their careers with the team. O'Donnell was one of the stars of the George Povey era. O'Donnell led Art Lapierre's "Bald-headed Brigade" to their spectacular victory, scoring both goals on masterful plays which brought applause from supporters of both teams.

It was a tense and fast-moving drama that the largest crowd of the intermediate season witnessed last night. They saw the Amateurs badly crippled in the first period when two resounding body-checks by stalwart Bob Dunsmore sent Luke Leverage to the dressing room and broke up the A's first line. They saw another casualty hit the Leafs' ranks early in the final frame when Larry Pergau crashed into the boards and injured his back. And in the last minutes they saw a desperate aggregation of youths buzz like angry hornets around Lucien Goyette, the Nationals' star, who was "beehive" in a final effort to knot the count and keep their record free of defeat.

There were but few dull moments in last night's feature clash. Brilliant netminding, airtight defence work and dazzling forward line combination thrills were culminated in these last few wild minutes when the Amateurs held the fort and protected their slim lead against a fighting band which threw caution to the wind and refused to acknowledge defeat until the final gong wrote final to the best match of the present campaign. The Amateurs were brilliant in victory—the Leafs were as glorious in defeat as they have been since they started their winning streak.

There was plenty of coaching strategy in last night's thriller. Only on few occasions did both regular front lines oppose one another. Until Leverage was placed hors de combat the lines were changed with machine-like precision. When the veteran pilot retired, the Lacasse-Goyette-H. Shields line was obliged to work overtime, while when Pergau was lost to the Leafs Bert Anderson had to partner the ailing Gerry Mathieu with Fred Kirby and Dugre.

There were no chances to score in the first ten minutes of play. Both sides played conservative hockey as they waited for an opening. The race, however, was so fast that forwards were oversteering nasses and the rival rearguards were blasting plays before they could penetrate sufficiently for puck-carriers to try for the all-important first tally. Art Lacasse's paralyzing sweep check ruined many of the Leafs' best efforts, while Dunsmore's jolting body-checks were none the less effective as the Amateurs sought to establish a lead.

Two minutes before the chapter ended the Amateurs went ahead and the spell was broken. O'Donnell engineered the play and succeeded in relaying the disc to Lucien Goyette although confronted by four Leafs. Hibbard kicked out Goyette's shot, but O'Donnell was on hand for the rebound and hoisted a shot which gave Ashley Hibbard no chance. The tally produced the spark for a feverish Maple Leaf attack which, however, was scarcely under way when the rest interval arrived. During the initial twenty minutes Yvan Dugre got away twice but on both occasions hoisted over Gagnon's citadel.

It was left to another defence-men to sink the equalizer. Less than eight minutes after the battle was resumed Dunsmore jabbed home the point which knotted the count. The husky guard was taken out of the play after a lone rush but lingered long enough to grab a loose puck after the period. Gagnon had wandered from his cage to meet this new menace, but Dunsmore took enough time to control the bobbing disc before rifling a shot into the cords.

Harold Shields missed a few chances to break the tie, while Gagnon did several toe dances to the tune of blistering shots aimed at him by Griffiths, Mooney and Gordon. Pergau's famed submarine shot from beyond the blue line had Gagnon worried frequently, while in the waning minutes of the period Dunsmore came within inches of sending the Leafs ahead.

Ernie Huard was shifted to cen-

tre with Milton and Harold Shields at the outset of the final chapter and acted as safety man as his wingers tried two-man rushes. Milton and Griffiths had chances only to be outguessed by the vigilant netminders and the two teams remained on the same footing until seven minutes before the end.

Balked once, O'Donnell tried a second time to cross the Leafs' blue line. Once inside he shoved the play on Milton's shoulders and continued forward to the fringe of the crease. Another rebound fell to his stick and he feinted Hibbard out of position before rifling home the shot which atoned for the four to three defeat the Leafs inflicted on the red and white clad boys two weeks ago. Foley was serving a minor penalty when the Amateurs scored the winning point. Five Leafs stood inside the Amateurs' defence area in the last three minutes and both Huard and O'Donnell took penalties to leave the A's short-handed. Icing the puck, however, kept the Leafs at bay as Gagnon wrote the final to another brilliant exhibition of netguarding.

The teams lined up as follows: Amateurs goal A. Hibbard; defence Dunsmore, Huard, defence Prefontaine, R. Lacasse, centre Mooney, R. Gagnon, wing Griffiths, L. Goyette, Amateurs subs: Lepage, Milton, H. Shields, A. Lacasse, Codere and Cooper. Maple Leafs' subs: F. Kirby, Pergau, Dugre, Mathieu, Foley and Guild.

THE SUMMARY
First Period
1—Amateurs O'Donnell—Goyette 18.45
Penalties: Griffiths and A. Lacasse.
Second Period
2—Leafs Dunsmore 7.25
Penalties: Griffiths and A. Lacasse.
Third Period
3—Amateurs O'Donnell—Milton 13.15
Penalties: Mooney, Foley, Huard and O'Donnell.

HENRY HARRIS STARRED IN MAROONS' WIN.

Revenge for the unexpected setback they suffered last Thursday night was realized by the Maroons as they turned back the Nationals with a third-period outburst which overcame the two-goal margin the Yellow Shirts had established at the beginning of the final frame. Henry Harris was the individual star in the champions' victory, scoring once and laying the foundation for the points registered by brother Bud and George Banks.

The Maroons were badly handicapped early in the first period when Russ Johnston was the victim of an illegal body check by Lucien Chartier. Chartier lifted his knee and struck the young Lennoxville star just above the knee. The injury was so painful that Johnston writhed in agony on the dressing table while the team's trainer reduced the swelling.

Laurent Boisvert and Roger Dufour were the principals of a brilliant netminding duel in the first two frames. Boisvert was the first to succumb, the rebound to Lorenzo Turgeon's shot going beyond his reach. Paul Thibault was on deck and the Nationals were one up.

The count remained unchanged throughout the second stanza and it looked as though the Lalonde-men were to register their third straight upset. The situation looked more gloomy for the defending champions at the start of the final canto when "Curly" Boisvert talked with Willis Kirby's assistance. Then the Maroons revived and drove to victory. Bud Harris, playing his first game of the season, converted Henry Harris' pass for the Maroons' first appearance on the score board and three minutes later Banks manufactured the play which allowed Henry Harris to equalize.

The winning marker was a rather fluky goal, Dufour stopping Banks' shot, but dragging the disc across the blue line as he fell in an attempt to get rid of the rubber. Six minor penalties were imposed in the last half of the period, but Boisvert and Dufour filled the breach when their respective teams were short-handed. In the closing minutes the Nationals four forwards in their efforts to equalize, but Boisvert warded off all shots to post his team's second victory in six starts.

The teams lined up as follows: Maroons goal Dufour; defence Gosselin, Norris, defence Chartier, H. Harris, centre W. Kirby, B. Harris, wing L. Boisvert, Johnston, r. wing L. Learte. Maroons subs: Kelly, McMahon, L. Shields, J. Hibbard and Parsons. Nationals subs: P. Thibault, M. Thibault, Turgeon, Deslauriers and F. Goyette.

THE SUMMARY
First Period
1—Nationals P. Thibault—Turgeon 16.30
Penalties: Norris, M. Thibault and Chartier.
Second Period
No score.
Penalty: Norris.
Third Period
2—Nationals Boisvert—Kirby 1.54
3—Maroons B. Harris—H. Harris 2.30
4—Maroons H. Harris—Banks 5.00
5—Maroons Banks—H. Harris 9.25
Penalties: Chartier 2, Norris and H. Harris 2, minor; Turgeon, one minute.

FATE INVOLVES DEFENCEMAN IN SECOND MISHAP

Eddie Shore's Legitimate Body-check Caused Serious Injury to Jimmy Ward Plucky Montreal Maroon Winger, in Hectic Battle at Boston Last Night.

Hockey's world waited tensely today for word from Boston that would reveal whether Jimmy Ward had suffered permanent injury in a collision with Eddie Shore on almost the same spot as the Bailey-Shore incident that rocked the professional game little more than a year ago.

Ward, plucky Maroon winger, dropped to the ice in the first period of the wild Maroon-Boston game last night after the colorful Bruin defenceman had dealt him a bodycheck that was considered wholly within the hockey code.

He was taken to a hospital in a critical condition and doctors will determine today whether his injury is as serious as the skull fracture "Ace" Bailey, of the Toronto Leafs, suffered in a clash with Shore on December 12, 1933. Bailey has recovered but will never play hockey again.

Resentful of the fate that may befall him, Ward is expected to be Continued on page 2.

FROM THE SIDELINES

The A's victory last night was a bitter pill for the Leafs to swallow, but they accepted defeat gracefully. They had nothing to be sorry about, for they bowed to a team which was stronger on the night's play.

"Pop" O'Donnell's had a busy time shaking hands after the game. It would have been hard to find a happier man in the arena last night than O'Donnell when the final whistle blew.

Maurice Parsons did the "iron man" stunt last night, playing in Maroons before he took the ice for the Maroons.

The Maroons now have an all-Lennoxville line with two Harris boys and Russ Johnston. Bud turned in a useful performance in his first appearance of the season.

The rules should be changed to permit major banishments for players using their knees in body checks. The injury which Lucien Chartier inflicted on Johnston might have had more serious consequences than a painful "charley horse."

Art Foley, who starred for the Maroons last night, was another first-nighter. Art was used on the Leafs' defence and gave a good account of himself.

Lepage tried to continue after wrenching his knee, but found that the injured limb could not hold him up.

Another veteran, Art Lacasse, played a prominent part in the Amateurs' triumph. His devastating poke check ruined many promising Leaf attacks.

Fred Bouchard, the man-about-town from La Patrie, was one of the most excited spectators when his favorites, the Amateurs, emerged victorious.

Frankie Mitton broke two sticks as he fought every minute to break into the scoring column. There was nothing wrong, however, with the club which produced the rebound that O'Donnell converted into the A's conquest.

There were no individual stars in last night's double-header apart from Len O'Donnell, who stood head and shoulders over team mates and opponents alike.

The Leafs' defeat injected new interest in the pennant race, which should be a close battle all the way down to the finishing line.

Gerard "Lightning" Deslauriers was another casualty, but the cut he received on the back of the neck kept him out of action only a few minutes.

Word from Montreal reveals that the Montreal Maroons have their eye on Gordie Tibbott, who is starring for Three Rivers in the C. and D. Intermediate League.

There was no room for argument over the way Eddie Wolfe and Danie Towne handled the whistles.

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DIVIDE HONORS IN HOWARD CUP COMPETITION

Sherbrooke and Lennoxville Curlers Continue on Even Terms Following Second Series of Inter-Club Games Last Evening—Ladies Open Inter-Club Play.

The Sherbrooke and Lennoxville curlers continue on even terms as the Howard Cup competition between the two clubs continues, the two games played last evening being divided. The same condition prevailed in the opening series a week ago, but whereas in the first set it was the visiting rinks that carried off the honors, last night the home squads registered the victories. Lee Wyndman, skipping a Sherbrooke quartette, sent a visiting rink under W. J. Lane down to a nine to four defeat on local ice. At Lennoxville, Mark Bennett and his College Town supporters turned back a Sherbrooke invasion in charge of Helan McCullough by nine to six. The rinks and scores were:

Sherbrooke Lennoxville
J. R. Samson Wes. Nichol
O. Stenson R. Dunn
M. L. Thompson L. W. Atto
L. D. Hyndman W. J. Lane
Skip—9 Skip—4

W. M. Hall F. R. Pattison
M. V. Long G. Shoudice
G. Sutherland Don Dundin
P. McCullough M. J. Bennett
Skip—6 Skip—3

HUBERT AMES SCORED VICTORY.

Hubert Ames, skipping a present-day quartette, won a ten to two victory over Bert McKindsey's rink in the President vs. Vice-President competition at the Lennoxville Curling Club last night. The rinks were: J. Burton H. Downes, Jr.
Dr. E. G. Henry Rev. F. Matthews
W. H. Abbott Rev. H. C. Burt
W. H. Ames W. J. H. McKindsey
Skip—10 Skip—2

LADIES' CLUBS DIVIDE HONORS

Honors were evenly divided when the members of the Sherbrooke and Lennoxville ladies clubs met in the opening games of the Florence Ingram Inter-club competition. At Sherbrooke, Mrs. W. Kincaid's entertaining rink suffered a thirteen to seven defeat at the hands of the visitors skipped by Mrs. Burton. Playing in Lennoxville, Mrs. O. R. Webster's Sherbrooke quartette won from Mrs. A. Scott by twelve to seven. The rinks and scores were:

Sherbrooke Lennoxville
Mrs. E. Kellett Miss C. Taylor
Miss B. Lawrence Mrs. H. Downes
Mrs. Therrien Miss D. Stewart
Mrs. O. R. Webster Mrs. A. Scott
Skip—12 Skip—7

Mrs. D. J. Salls Mrs. R. Healey
Mrs. K. B. Jencks Mrs. L. V. Parent
Mrs. W. Kincaid Mrs. F. S. Browne
Skip—7 Skip—13

MCCREA CUP SERIES CONTINUED.

The rinks skipped by Jim Fuller and Gordon Edwards carried off the honors in the two McCrea Cup competition events run off at the Sherbrooke Curling Club last evening. Fuller won from Bob Costley's quartette by eleven to four and Edwards skipped a ten to five victory over George Ewing's rink. The rinks and scores were:

C. L. Campbell Charles Hatch
W. G. Hurd G. Murphy
S. H. Gallinger J. G. Armitage
R. G. Costley J. N. Fuller
Skip—4 Skip—11

J. H. Theriault F. E. Woods
J. L. Foley C. A. Boston
J. G. Sylvestre D. J. Salls
G. N. Edwards G. E. Ewing
Skip—10 Skip—5

PANK BOUCHER MADE BIG GAIN ON LEADING SCORERS
Frank Boucher, of the New York Rangers, vaulted into a tie for third place with the idle Cooney Weiland, of Detroit, in the National Hockey League's "Big Seven" standings today after scoring three goals for the Patrickmen against the Montreal Canadiens. Ahead of this pair are the sharpshooters of the Toronto Maple Leafs, Charlie Conacher first with thirty-six points and Harvey Jackson second with thirty points.

The standing to date follows:

G. A. P.
C. Conacher, Toronto . . . 19 17 36
H. Jackson, Toronto . . . 19 11 30
Weiland, Detroit . . . 10 15 25
Boucher, Rangers . . . 9 10 25
Aurie, Detroit . . . 8 15 24
Howe, St. Louis . . . 13 10 23
Schriner, Americans . . . 9 14 23

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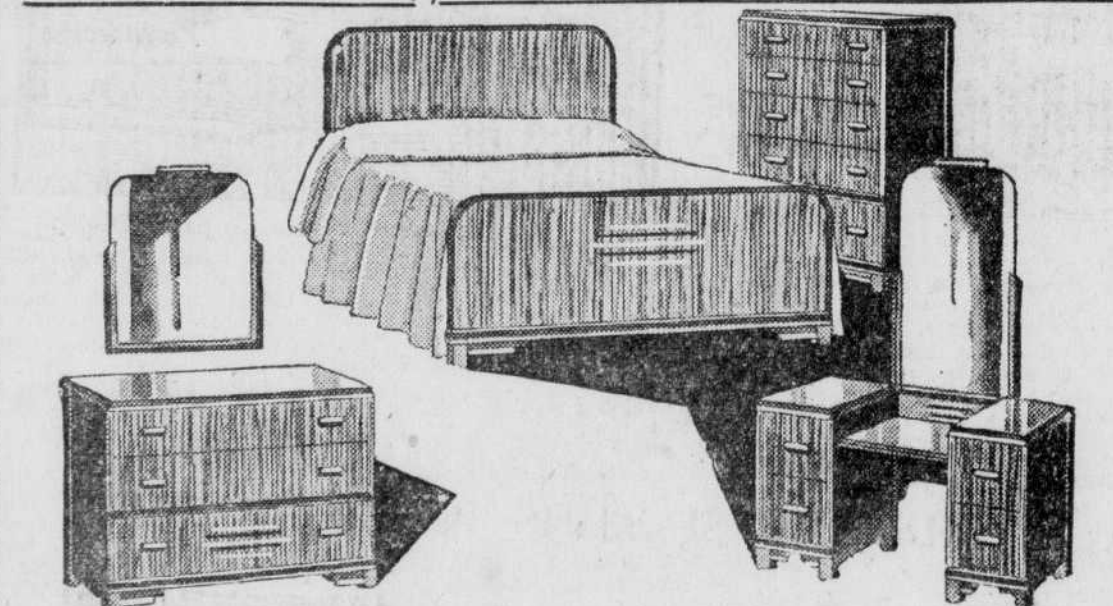
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