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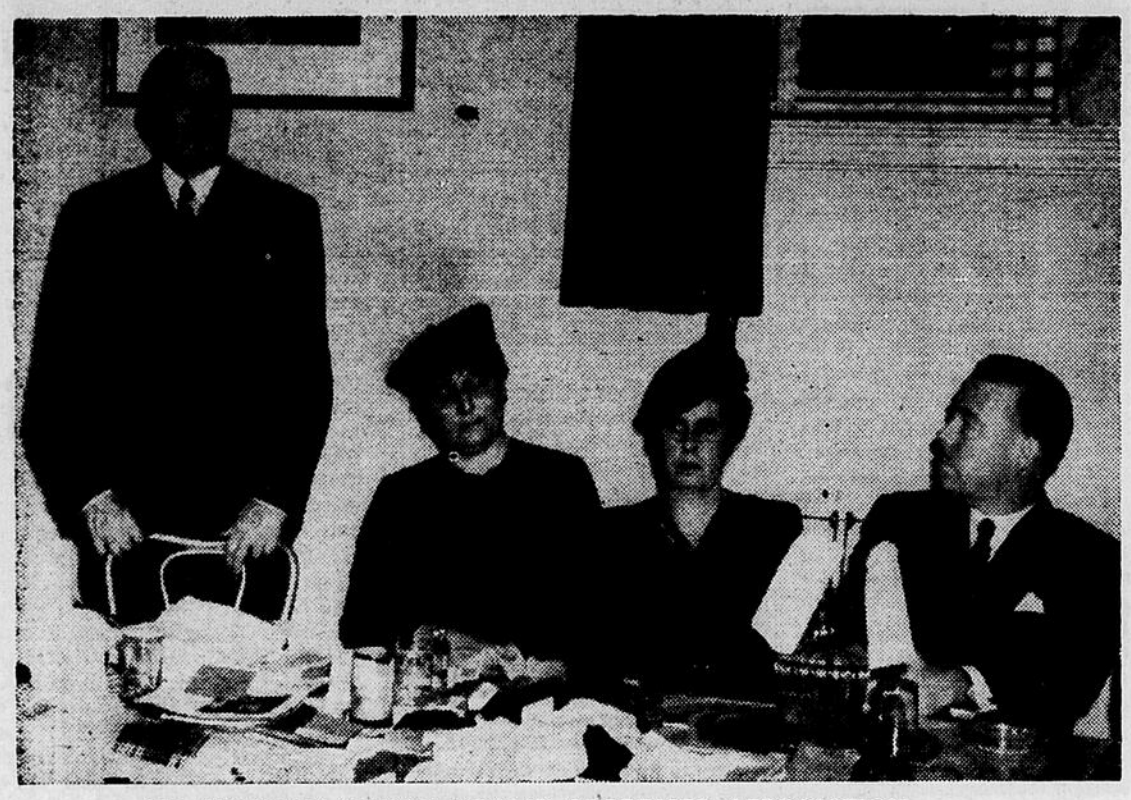

**HIS WORSHIP MAYOR ADAMS ADDRESSES ASSOCIATION**

**Mayor Percy Adams shown addressing the members of the Business Association of Westmount, as the Association celebrated their eighth anniversary in Victoria Hall recently. Those shown are, left to right: Mayor Adams, Mrs. Percy Adams, Mrs. Donald B. Ross and W. Boyd Robson.**

## Melville Church Fire Caused $10,000 Damage

An estimated $10,000 in damage was caused early last Friday afternoon to the Melville Presbyterian Church, one of the oldest Presbyterian churches in Greater Montreal, by fire which is believed to have had its origin in faulty wiring in the front section of the edifice.

Westmount firefighters, under Chief William Cobb, came to the scene of the conflagration at approximately 3 p.m., and brought the fire under control half an hour later.

An expensive organ, the church pulpit, and choir seats in the front of the church were destroyed while considerable damage was done to part of the basement.

Four streams were laid, and three were used by the fire department.

It was reported that the warden of the church, George Alwerman, first discovered flames around the organ after he had seen smoke rising from the loft. Alwerman attempted to smother the flames but found that his efforts were in vain. He called the minister of the church, the Rev. William Orr Mulligan, M.A., D.D., whose residence is next door, who in turn notified the Westmount fire department.

Because of the dense smoke at the commencement of the fire, the brigade found difficulty for a time in downing the flames.

The 60th anniversary of the church was observed in November, 1945, but the roots of the formation go farther back than the three-score years.

Seventy-one years ago in the sparsely settled district known as Cote St. Antoine, people of the Presbyterian faith began a Sunday School in the neighborhood community. The plan shortly matured into a sufficiently strong organization to form the nucleus of a new church which in time grew into the present Melville Presbyterian Church.

Melville avenue, on which the present church building is situated, took its name from the church, and not vice versa, as it is usually supposed. The church was named after one of the early Scottish reformers.

Dr. Mulligan stated that the congregation will attend the Westmount Baptist Church for service.

He also said that various other churches had called him to offor their services.

## Westmount Baptists Enjoy Successful Social

A very large, thoroughly represented gathering of the Westmount Baptist Congregation took place last Friday Evening, under the Chairmanship of the Minister, Dr. J. A. Johnston. A special Committee, formed to prepare and carry through the Programme, consisted of O. C. S. Wallace, S. C. Simpson, Mrs. Ewart, G. Hines, Mrs. Frederick Bull, Mrs. Richard Sykes and Mrs. Harry Barrie.

Guests were received by the Welcoming Committee, and all were given lapel cards, bearing their own names. A special feature of the evening was the Presentation of Bill-folds to the last group of members of the congregation who had served in the forces. This part of the programme was carried through by Mr. Chas. E. Stockdill, Chairman of the War Services Committee. Sgt. C. J. Doscher, formerly of the United States Army, and who had earned the Purple Heart and won the Bronze Star, replied suitably, on behalf of the recipients.

Another feature of the evening, was the presentation of a sterling silver salver, which was given to S. C. Simpson, who had completed 25 years as Superintendent of the School. The salver was the workmanship of a member of the congregation, Roland Spencer.

Presentation was made, on behalf of the Deacons' Board, by Geo. Adam, to Chas. E. Stockdill, assistant to the Vice-President of the Canadian Pacific Railway. Mr. Stockdill, who had been a member about three years, earned for himself a very large place in the esteem and affection of the congregation. The best wishes of the Westmount congregation go with Mr. and Mrs. Stockdill to their new home in the West.

Audrey and Dorothy Hunter presented musical numbers and a sound film, demonstrating the possibilities of visual education, was presented by Rev. Dennis Mildon. Major Dixon Gordon, with his wife as accompanist, sang two numbers. Eric Ohman showed a series of cartoons.

The ladies of the Women's Association provided refreshments, and the evening was brought to a close by votes of thanks, proposed by Frank E. Dufty. The evening concluded by prayer and Benediction by the Minister.

## Quick Action By C. Chisamore Averts Big Fire

Sunday last, about 1.15 a.m., Clarence Chisamore saw flames shooting out of a window on Columbia Avenue, as he was walking along Greene Avenue. He pulled the alarm at 1063 Greene Avenue and apparatus from the Westmount Fire Department responded.

The firemen found a rear closed in gallery, and shed attached, at 73 Columbia Avenue, which appeared to be used by children as a playhouse was on fire. One stream was used and the fire was brought under control, but not until it had burned through the kitchen window and partially burned the kitchen.

A. W. Liddell and family, who live at this address escaped injury. Fireman Fitzgerald had his hand cut on glass and was taken to the Western Hospital for treatment.

## Christmas Music Presented Here For Fourth Quiz

Next Wednesday at 9 a.m. in the Westmount Public Library the Westmount Music Appreciation Group will present the following program of recorded Christmas music:

Prelude "Eine Feste Burge" (Bach) Philadelphia Orchestra; Concerto in D Major, Opus 21 (Haydn) Wanda Landowska, Paris Conservatory Orchestra; Mother Goose Suite (Ravel) Columbia Broadcasting Orchestra; Silent Night, Holy Night; Adeste Fildeles; The First Nowell; O, Little Town of Bethelem; Carol of the Bells; 'Twas the Night Before Christmas; Fred Waring Ensemble; The Oldest Christmas Story, (St. Luke); The Story of the Three Wise Men, (St. Matthew); Mr. Pickwick's Christmas (Dickens) spoken by Charles Laughton; The Prayer, from "On a Note of Triumph") (Corwin Martin Gabel and Columbia Broadcasting Orchestra.

This will be the Group's fourth Music Quiz, and a cordial invitation is extended to the public.

## WOMAN IS HIT BY STREET CAR

Crossing the street opposite 5158 Sherbrooke Street West, Miss Rose McGuignon, 5010 Sherbrooke Street West, Apt. 2, sustained a fractured skull at 1.40 p.m. on Thursday last when hit by a street car (No. 70). Taken by ambulance first to the Homoeopathic Hospital where she was given first aid by Dr. Wyatt, the victim of the mishap was later taken to the Montreal Neurological Institute where she was given attention by Dr. Hunter.

## DANCE SUCCESSFUL

The Monthly Dance held last Friday by the Advent Youth Club in the Advent Hall was a great success. The door prizes were won by Ed. Taylor and Andy Baxter. The music of the Rhythmaires Orchestra was enjoyed by those attending.

## Your Part In Eliminating Tuberculosis

**This is the third in a series of articles written by Les Morrow, in conjunction with Dr. J. J. Day, of the Westmount Health Department, to bring before the people of Westmount the truth about tuberculosis in Westmount and the responsibility that every citizen has to himself or herself and the community in the prevention and cure of this disease.**

In the preceeding articles, we have discussed the fact that no one, regardless of their economic status is free from the threat of Tuberculosis; and the facilities offered by the City of Westmount Health Department, which, if used by every resident as they should be, would eliminate any cases of serious T.B. from the community and go a long way toward eliminating the disease entirely.

**Chest X-Ray facilities as offered by the Health Department are located in Victoria Hall and the clinic is open each Friday from 4 p.m. until 6 p.m. It is felt by the authorities that these hours are such, that all residents will be able to visit the clinic, even though they are working.**

The time involved in having a Chest X-Ray taken is a matter of minutes. It is suggested by the Health Department that residents telephone and make an appointment so that they will not have to wait their turn to have the X-Ray taken.

Upon arrival each person is interviewed by the attendant, and their name, address, telephone number, etc., taken, so that the X-Ray plate may be identified and the person notified of the results.

The clinic is provided with three private dressing rooms in which the applicant strips to the waist and then dons an X-Ray gown. These gowns are laundried after being used once, as a sanitary precaution.

The next step is measuring the chest for density. In order that the X-Ray plate may show the details clearly, the correct amount of rays must be used. Thus, in order for the rays to pass through a person with a very thick chest increased exposure is used.

The person then faces the plate and the X-Ray proper is taken, requiring only a matter of seconds. They are then free to retire to the dressing cubicle and leave as soon as ready.

The plates are developed on the spot, tagged for identification and sent to the Royal Edward Hospital, where they are read by a specialist in Pthisiologist. (chest specialist) The report is returned to the Health Department and the information forwarded direct to the patient. In the case where the patient has been requested to have an X-Ray by their doctor the report is sent direct to the attending doctor.

Do your part in riding the community of dread Tuberculosis, have a Chest X-Ray taken immediately.

Next week's article will deal with the different Tuberculosis groups.

## SAT-NITE CLUB DANCE COMMITTEE ACTIVE

Miss Mary Kervin, Treasurer of the S.N.C. Executive, announced that the advance sale of tickets for the Christmas Semi-Formal on December 14th indicated that this event was going to be most popular with YMCA members and friends.

Final arangements covering publicity have been completed by Miss Garland and John Pitblado. Miss Goode and the S.N.C. Executive are busily working out final details for the dance program and special decorations.

Dance music for the occasion will be supplied by Johnny Pepper and his musical ensemble who have made a real hit with the Saturday night crowd at their regular weekly dances.

# Westmount Highlights

The small but capable John Clennell Dickins, takes over for his long-time friend and crony this week. John is a producer and director of note, having assisted in the Purple and White Review, in which he also starred.

**By John Dickins**

Once upon a time there was a gentleman named Murray who gave his front yard to the City of Westmount. Mr. Murray was evidently possessor of a goodly number of erbs, for that same front yard is now known affectionately to fanatics of the ski as Murray Park. Its official title is King George Park, which would seem to indicate that our city fathers developed a greater liking for royalty than they did for men with large front yards. ★

Be that as it may, old man winter has made the reconversion and the dangerous slope is no longer grassy. In fact, it is teeming with Skigulls, Ptarmigans, social skiers and the rank and file. Amid this confusion of zooming humans stands the copess (terminology courtesy A. Boright), vainly blowing her whistle as the cowboys careen through the trees or over the bumps which pass for jumps.

Among those seen risking their all for skiidom last week-end were: One of the Wurteles diligently practicing turns; Gerry Burke waving a cake of silver parraffin which supposedly endows the user with the speed of jet propulsion; Teddy Earl developing a style all his own, and Sue Haire gracing the multitude with her presence.

Speaking of to ski reminds us: Graeme Ross has organized a hot shot club with an unpronouncable name that goes something like "Der Schimfen Bic Umfel." He also elected himself president of Der Schimfel Bic and posted a notice of entry requirements. One of the more difficult of these includes the ability to ski once around the large pond in Westmount Park without falling down more than three times. If the applicant does not possess cross-country skiis with super diagonals and margin release, he is permitted to walk around the pond. To date no one has passed this test. Graeme thinks the reason is either that he and Einstein are the only two men who understand it or that no one has as yet shown a serious interest in becoming a schimfen bic.

If all goes well today will see two hundred copies of Canadian High News distributed among WHS students. Joe Duffin and Roy Howard are optimistic about the success of their publishing venture and, we think, with reason. We visited their two telephone office in the SKF building recently and Roy told us, with the air of a ticker tape tycoon, "We've got big plans for "High News." The fact that 'Junior', a rival publication for the teen trade, has folded has deterred them not a whit. Good luck fans, we'll be reading you.

Exams are over for the inmates of the grey stone building across from the City Hall and recuperation has set in. Although results as a whole carried an air of tragedy, a few humorous incidents came to light. According to Mr. MacTavish, a certain twelfth year student when asked to employ 'Paradox' in a sentence, wrote: "The boy and girl were a pair of ducks." Even the great Veronica hammed his physics exam by trying to explain why electrons move, which is something the A-bomb physicists can't do.

Prospects of a championship hockey team this year are soaring with each WHS practice. "Blue-beard" Hellyer, manager of the blue line boys, thinks they'll at

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# Y.M.C.A. News

Members of the Westmount Hi-Y Club will attend the Hi-Y Grand Chapter World Youth Restoration Rally, to be held in the Budge Hall of the Central YMCA this evening.

Participating with the rally along with the Westmount Club will be some twenty other boys and girls Hi-Y groups from the Montreal area.

T. W. Ting, Secretary for the Student YMCA in China, now on a speaking tour across Canada will address the assembly, and give first hand information on the condition of youth in other parts of the world.

**MOVIE**

This week's Saturday movie for boys and girls at the Westmount Y.M.C.A. features Alan Curtis, Lon Chaney, Jr., and Noah Beery, Jr. in a fine film, "Daltons Ride Again". The serial "Young Eagles" will be continued. Movie commences at 1.15 p.m.

**NEW YEAR'S EVE PARTY**

Tickets are now on sale for the Teen-age New Year's Eve semi-formal party to be held at the Westmount Y.M.C.A. Dancing 9.30 to 2 a.m. with orchestra, refreshments and floor show.

**SLEIGH RIDE**

Planned by the Friday Nite Club. A Sleigh Ride followed by dancing and refreshments will be held Saturday, December 14th, for members of the Friday Nite Club.

Regular Saturday Nite Parties will be held every second Saturday throughout the Winter, for members of the Y.M.C.A. under 18 years of age.

**FATHER and SON BANQUET**

Members of the "Y" are quite excited about the Father and Son Banquet to be held Monday, December 30th. Only boys accompanied by their fathers may attend for this evening of friendship. Commencing with a supper, the programme will include entertainment, games and mixed athletics. Tickets are limited and members are asked to put in their reservations now.

**PENNY CARNIVAL**

A Penny Carnival in aid of Y.M.C.A. World Service will be held at the "Y" on Friday, December 27th. "Y" members are now busily gathering ideas and materials for the various stalls and booths.

**CHRISTMAS CARDS**

Members of the "Y" are taking part in the sale of Xmas Cards, proceeds of which are being contributed to World Service work of the Y.M.C.A.

# BULLETINS FROM BIRDLAND

BY WINIFRED E. WILSON

**EIDER DUCK**

No baby birds have quite as warm a home as young Eider Ducks. Mama Eider sees to that. With no help from her striking-looking but good-for-nothing husband, she mats together a little dead grass and sea-weed, if they are available, to form the shell of a nest in a shallow depression in the soil or in dense moss. This she lines plentifully with precious down which she has plucked from her own breast to tuck around her 5 or 6 pale green eggs.

**Nothing can be warmer than this down. Hold a little lump of it for a few minutes and you will discover how hot your hand becomes. One ounce of it will fit into a box 1" x 1" x 4". Yet this may be pulled out until it forms a soft, greyish-brown ball the size of your head. It is too soft and warm to be used for our pillows, but is invaluable for keeping our babies warm. Of recent years it has proved to be most satisfactory for sleeping bags.**

Mr. Eider is distinctly patterned black and white; his white breast delicately suffused with pink, his white head decorated with pale nile green running from his cheeks to his nape. As soon as the eggs are laid he deserts his wife, preferring the company of other Eider drakes which gather in good feeding places to spend the summer and moult.

**Mrs. Eider is a chocolate brown, heavily-built bird, usually tame when on her nest. The eggs take about four weeks to hatch. The young ones go right from the nest to the water, where they immediately begin to swim and dive.**

At one time man was the Common Eider's worst enemy. He stole both the eggs and the down, killing the adult birds for food, though they had better rights to the eastern seaboard of North America than he, having been in possession before the time of Jacques Cartier. But in 1933 the many islands off the shores of the Lower St. Lawrence were made into sanctuaries where government supervised families are permitted at stated periods to take from each nest just the amount of down they know can be replaced by the female Eider. At the same time the birds are guarded from all other annoyance (even their present foe the Great Black-backed Gull may be killed); so that they enjoy a very free life and have multiplied enormously already.

How valuable are feathers?

# Home & School Associations

**Roslyn Group**

Second meeting of the season of Roslyn Home and School Association is to be held on Monday at 8.30 p.m. Speaker for the occasion will be Dr. J. J. Day, Medical Officer of Health for the City of Westmount and his subject will be "Child Health Problems In the Home and In the Community".

Dr. Day will first deal with a review of problems, then there will be a discussion on facilities and services in the home and in the community and the possibility of improving or extending services to meet current problems.

Pity the butcher! Every housewife has a bone to pick with him.

# Scouts & Cubs

BY REG GROOME

Scout Headquarters on Bishop Street announce the December Badge List which is notably short due to the coming Holiday season. Missioner Badge, taken by Examiner Frank Webster will be held at headquarters at 7:30 tonight, the 6th. On Monday, the 9th, Part I (Theory) of Marksman Badge, also at 7:30 p.m., will be taken, with E. J. McAllister in charge. Artist Badge, in charge of Stanley Corden, is slated for Tuesday, the 10th, from 6:30 p.m., onwards. Also for the 10th is Pathfinder, at 7:30, with F. Roberts Walker in charge. Laundryman was taken on Wednesday of this week.

Although there are few badges offered this month because of Christmas, next month will see a vastly greater variety of badges offered. Included in these will be courses in debater, electrician, journalist, pilot, and starman. W. S. Bowness will instruct in debater; C. H. Simpkin and F. Treger in electrician, Andrew Paterson in journalist; T. D. Archibald in pilot and E. Russell Paterson in starman. The last two instructors mentioned are both residents of Westmount.

For those Scouts interested in the Western Area Badge Schedule, which may prove nearer home in some cases, we print it here: Part I of Missioner was taken on Tuesday of this week and the exam will be next Tuesday, the 10th. Yesterday, a test was held in airman and aero-engineer and Part I of Auto-Mechanic Badge was held with the 2nd part slated for next Thursday, the 12th. On Fridays the 6th, 13th and 20th, the toy shop is open for those interested. Interpreter-French is on next Monday, the 9th, while laundryman test will be on Monday the 16th. Auto-mechanic test is on Thursday the 19th.

Swimmer Badge appointment may be made by phoning Neil Cameron at DE. 9021 and Gardener Badge may also be applied for to H. N. Evans, 4476 Old Orchard Avenue, Montreal 28. All badge tests and courses are held at Western Area Headquarters at 7:30 p.m., and every boy must have a badge slip for all tests and courses.

For all badges taken at Bishop Street Headquarters, it is sufficient for the Scout to bring the badge slip with him to the test but for all badges at Western HQ,

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# Roslyn News

**By Douglas Turner**
**Donald Wilkie.**

We are very sorry to say that Mr. Penrose slipped and broke his right wrist on the sidewalk in front of his house. He was back at school on Monday.

Bill Torrey and Richard Thompson have started a paper called the Roslyn School Free Press. The first issue came out last Friday, only one page, but plans are afoot to increase the size. The first item was an interview of Mr. Pitcairn, of Room 19. The second was a bit called School Items which was about the health examinations. The third was class items. This week they were all Room 19. The fourth was titled characters of Room 19. It is rumoured that next week it will be Room 16. The last was about sports—the basketball games between Sioux and Dog-Ribs and Crees vs. Blackfeet.

About half the girls of Room 20 have received letters from Coventry. Each one had a picture in her letter. One was telling about Coventry during the war. Room 20 bought 100 Red Cross Calendars. Diana Lewis bought eight, the most in the class.

Last week's girls' basketball game was very close. The Blues won 26-22 over the Reds. The captain for the day was Gwen Macnamara for the Blues and Aileen Thatcher for the Reds. The shots for the Blues were Cliff, Macnamara, Campbell and Reid. The Reds were Loebel, Chadwick, Thatcher.

We heard a broadcast about Pauline Johnson on the radio last Friday. Diana Lewis brought the Radio. Among the poems were "The Song My Paddle Sings," "Shadow River," and "The Birds' Lullaby."

On Thursday the Sioux played the Dog-Ribs. C. Baillie got two baskets in the first period for the Sioux. B. Torrey scored a basket for the Dog-Ribs then Baillie scored again for the Sioux. At the end of the period the score was 6-2 for the Sioux. Then B. Torrey scored two baskets, tying the game. Andy Reid and C. Baillie scored two baskets for the Sioux and B. Torrey and M. Webb scored for the Dog-Ribs. In the last five seconds C. Baillie scored! The final score for the Sioux 12-10.

The Crees beat the Blackfeet 7-2. Rubin, Klein, Skinner, McKeown scored for the Crees. Warnock made the only basket for the Blackfeet.

Grade III Room 9 have collected $10.00 to be sent in to the Junior Red Cross.


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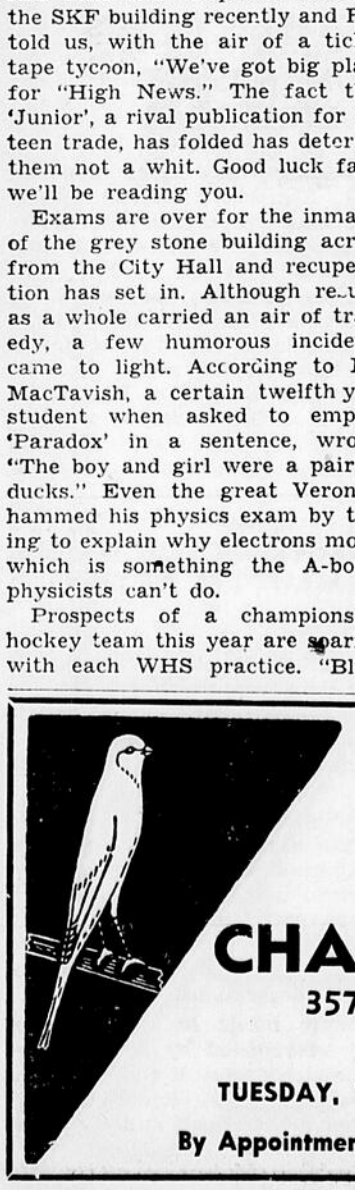

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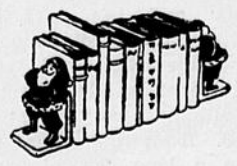

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## Hanson New President Municipal Association

A reorganization of the Montreal Metropolitan Commission on a broader base and a "new deal" for all municipalities concerned — especially in the realm of essential services—was forecast Thursday night by George C. Marler, vice-chairman of the executive committee of the City of Montreal and a member of the metropolitan commission.

He was addressing the annual meeting of the Westmount Municipal Association in Victoria Hall.

Officers for the 1947 season were elected as follows:—

D. A. Hanson, president, with R. B. Perreault first vice-president and Dr. J. Mck. Wathem as second vice-president.

Mayor Percy Adams, A. G. Anderson and A. McMaster also spoke. C. S. Madill, retiring president, was in the chair.

"I am opposed to establishing a new metropolitan authority," said Mr. Marler, "and also to the setting up of another body to undertake the execution of works and the administration of municipal services. What I would like to see created is a meeting ground where the views of all the municipalities may be voiced and the metropolitan problems debated publicly and a metropolitan body in which all the cities and towns will be represented, which would have the power and the duty of making a just distribution of the metropolitan burdens."

"Unquestionably," he continued, "the metropolitan commission is the foundation upon which a new metropolitan structure ought to be erected. That it will be necessary to modify its charter, enlarge its powers and extend its activities is obvious, but no matter how extensive these changes may be, it would be better to make them than to create a new and second metropolitan authority."

Continued the speaker: "I would like to alter the present composition of the commission so that each of the fourteen cities and tive and so that Montreal would towns would have one representa- have a number of representatives in nearer relation than at present to its importance in the metropolitan community. I would like to see the commission create standing committees on town planning, municipal assessments, highways, health, social welfare, finance, aided municipalities and for any other purpose which seemed expedient. And I would hope that the work of the commission itself would be to deal with committee reports and the broad questions of metropolitan interest rather than with a mass of detail, which is better dealt with by smaller communities."

## Final Tribute Paid J. W. Roch

A funeral service was held on Monday at the Trinity Memorial Church for James William Roch, veteran employee of The Herald and an ardent church worker, who died at his home, 94 Somerville Avenue, on Friday in his 77th year. Rev. Gordon Mercer, officiated.

Among the immediate family attending were: Mrs. J. D. Ellis, Frank G. Ellis, Miss A. Ellis, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Deacon, Geo. Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Chivers, Kenneth Chivers, Rev. R. W. Ellis, of Ottawa, Mrs. Robert McMurdo, Mrs. Walter Solly, Mrs. Ethel Reay, Mrs. B. Bernard, Miss L. Bernard and Miss R. Bernard.

Others attending included: Rt. Rev. John Dixon, Bishop of Montreal, Canon W. H. Davison, Rev. Dr. T. R. Millmen of Dunham, Rev. John Peacock of Cowansville; and the following members of the Scout association; Sydney E. Webster, president, Andrew Paterson, and F. Roberts Walker, members of Council, E. Russell Paterson, C. J. Dendy, L. C. Houldsworth, Lillian Poltrick, F. G. Hicks, C. H. Maggs, K. G. Bedford, A. Kate Mitchell, Evan C. McCormick, and H. T. Parker, also a member of Council, who, as lay reader, read the lesson.

Others present included: Mrs. W. H. Carvell, Mrs. J. H. Abbiston, Miss A. Stevenson, Ivor Patterson, W. Dale, F. R. Hedges, Mrs. F. C. Wilkins, Charles A. Hutchins, Mrs. F. K. Bedford, Bruch Tucker, F. E. Dougall, Prof. N. N. Evans, Mrs. W. Wallace, R. Holmes, Miss Betty Beswick, Mrs. R. G. Pratt, E. N. Evans, Mrs. R. T. Holmes, Harry Fisher, W. G. Young, Mrs. Wm. F. Dawson, Mrs. W. G. Watson, Miss T. Connolly, C. N. Mitchell, T. F. Sibbald, Ed. Gill, Mrs. J. W. Henderson, R. E. Sawyer, J. C. Noel.

Mrs. J. C. Armstrong, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Tylee, Bill Sanders, Robald Naylor, Mrs. C. Estes, Miss M. Macdonald, J. Bancroft, Gordon Gill, R. Sawyer, Mrs. A. M. Edington, Mrs. J. Hill, G. Thomas, Miss Hyde Clarke, Mrs. D. Rennie, W. L. Barnes, B. T. Campbell, Mrs. A. McMurdo, Mrs. E. Reay, John A. Snyder, Miss Winnifred Kidd, Herbert Jones, Miss Audrey J. Brown, Desmond Rowe, R. A. Costigan, R. Howarth, Mrs. T. Chivers, Wm. Cooper, Mrs. O. Steggall, Mrs. M. Kavanaugh, S. Pavier, Mrs. W. Solly, Arthur Gill, Mrs. R. M. Carlton, Robert Swaf, Mrs. Eric Dugan, E. V. Webster, Mrs. A. Wells, Mrs. Gordon Mercer.

A number of Cubs and Scouts were also present in the congregation and as choristers in the choir.

A Virginia tobacco factory was destroyed by fire. You might say it went up in smokes.

They are barring tips in some restaurants. Okay—if it doesn't prove upsetting!

## Taxi Association Management Change

The Western Taxi Association Limited, 373 Victoria Avenue, has just undergone a change of management. Mr. Patterson, is no longer connected with the business.

Under the new organization, which is along a co-operative basis the drivers as a group own the association. The directors, of whom there are five, are elected for one year.

Donald Adey, president, H. Richard, vice-president, Eugene Volk, Secretary-Treasurer, J. Sherridan and B. Bashika, are the new directors.

## Recreational Facilities Good Rotarians Told

"Westmount is approaching very nearly the recommended standard in the recreational facilities", Capt. W. Bowie, Executive Director of the Montreal Parks and Playgrounds Associated Incorporated, told Westmount Rotarians at their weekly luncheon in Victoria Hall on Wednesday.

Capt. Bowie, has been associated with recreational work across Canada for the past 23 years and was guest speaker at the luncheon. Referring to the national situation as far as recreation is concerned in Canada, the speaker said that the service men felt let down when faced with the recreation service at home.

Referring to the various national groups which are trying to improve and increase these facilities, he stated that none of them are doing a good job, and called for a complete reorganization. Even in municipal groups, Capt. Bowie recommended that care should be taken in laying out playgrounds so that those using them did not have too far to go, and that the playgrounds would cater to natural groups formed in communities. One of the present troubles he said was that groups of children living near each other were unable to use the same playground because of municipal boundaries and this does not help to get the best from recreational facilities.

## "Winter Serenade" Plays One-Night Performance

The one-night performance of the musical revue "Winter Serenade", will be presented next Monday night, at Victoria Hall by the Young Ladies' Sodality of Ascension Parish, Westmount.

A special attraction will be songs by the well-known singers George O'Kane and Louis-Philippe Lecours.

"The Quartet from Rigoletto," a comedy act, will feature Gerry Brown, Sheila Kennedy, Fred Browne, and John Asselin.

The following boys and girls are included in the "Octet", and will present several popular songs:- Kay Pellowe, Emmett Guilfoyle, Marjodie Melvin, Robert Sessenwein, Theresa Johnson, Langly Desjardins, Barbara Cummins, and John Sessenwein.

Also included on the programme is a comedy skit entitled "The Proposal Seat", the Junior Choristers, a chorus of forty mixed voices, and various other numbers.

Colourful stage settings have been designed by Joanne Schoeler and Robert Boyd; Helen Losito will be accompanist, David Bedford stage director, and the entire production is under the direction of Reverend George F. Thoms.

Proceeds from the show will go towards the Sodality's Christmas Basket Fund and other charitable works.

We know that meat is under the ceiling—and we have a hunch some of it is under the counter.

## Guest Speaker At Kings School

A general meeting was held recently by Kings Home and School Association. T. Gilmour, the President of the Association, presided.

The speaker for the evening was C. W. McDougall of the Nylon Division of C.I.L. Mr. McDougall gave a short talk of the "Testing Period" of Nylon—explaining that this product was not as yet quite perfected but progress is being made rapidly towards a perfected product. A film on Nylon was shown and afterwards Mr. McDougall showed samples of various weaves and types of materials and their uses both commercially and otherwise. Mr. Hoyes, Hon. Pres., thanked the speaker on behalf of those present. Tea was served.

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# Scouts & Cubs

By Reg. Groome

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badge slips must be mailed to the Secretary, H. N. Evans, 4476 Old Orchard Avenue, in advance.

In order to provide better badge service for the Scouts in Westmount Area, the Western Area Executive has made it a habit to mail the Western Area Badge Schedule to Scouters in Westmount as well as those in the Western Area. By doing this, they hoped to encourage the Westmount lads to use facilities of Western Area Headquarters, which are many and all are very useful.

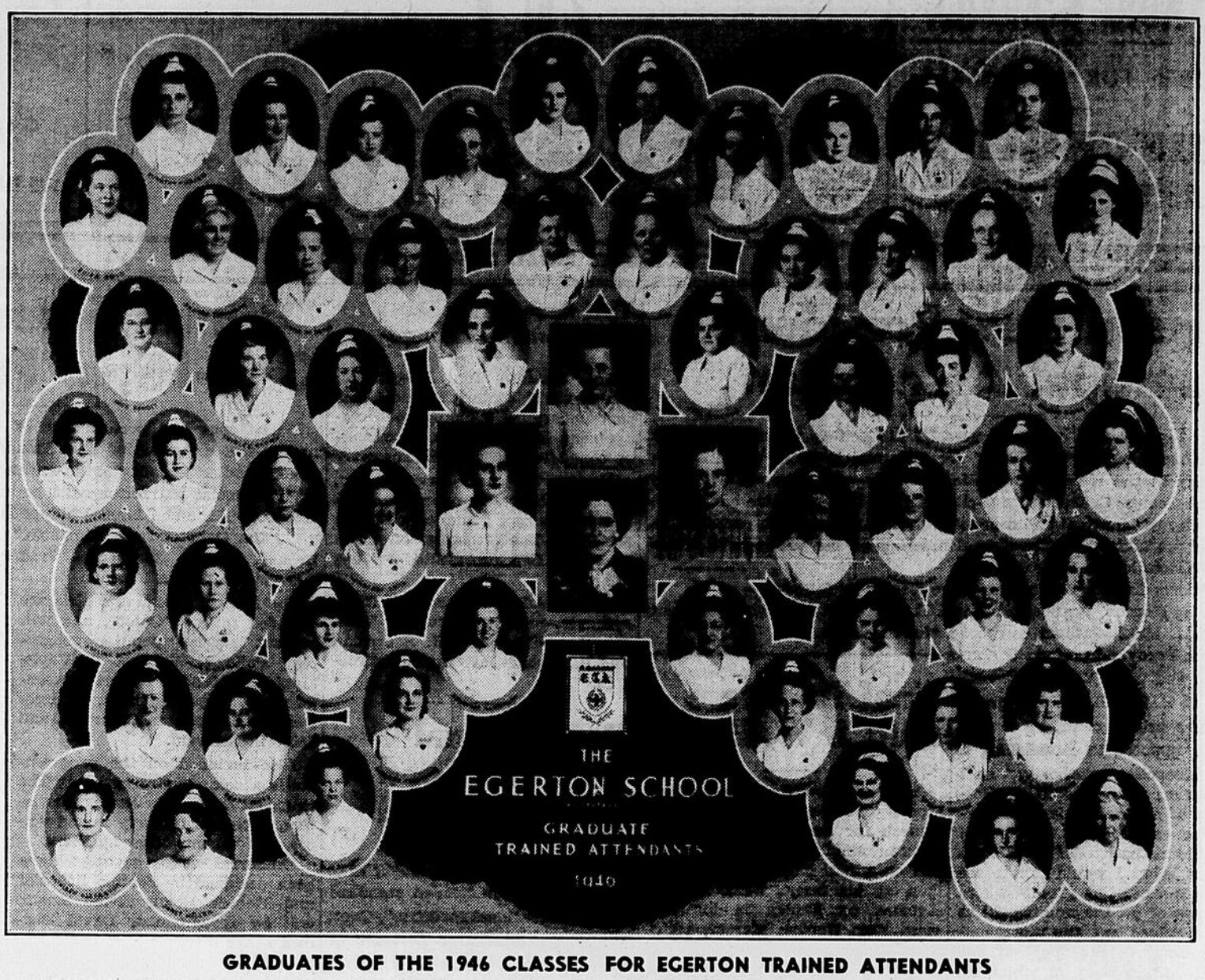
We were very surprised and even shocked at the attitude displayed by several Scouters who demanded to know, in no uncertain terms, why they had been affronted by receiving the Western Area Badge list. Surely, on closer examination, this will be seen to be nothing but narrow-mindedness, for who could take offence at such a simple action. After all, we are all in the Scouting movement, supposedly for the betterment of youth, and, if one of your Scouts lived on, say, Claremont Avenue, isn't it nearer for him to go to Western Headquarters than to Bishop Street. The parents would probably like it a lot better, too.

It boils down to the old fact of jealousy between areas, which is very likely to interfere to the extent of hindering the purpose we are out to achieve in Scouting, of building a better youth today. Surely, if we are jealous of such a petty item as our lads going to Western Area, we are not then the ones to be training the future leaders of Canada. One of the biggest dangers in a voluntary organization is that of jealousy, and, if we let it interfere in the small things, what are we going to do when something big comes along?

So, let's see if we can't get together a bit more and forget this constant rivalry. Every boy in this city is as good as every other one, and they all deserve the same chance to use Scout facilities, no matter where they are located. Baden Powell recognized no creed or class when he started the first Scout Troop, for to him, they were all equal. Have times changed that much since then?

**CUCUMBER GUARDS**

So highly regarded were cucumbers by the ancient Egyptians that guards were posted in booths in cucumber gardens to protect the prized vegetables from prowling jackals.




## GRADUATES OF THE 1946 CLASSES FOR EGERTON TRAINED ATTENDANTS

**With their senior teachers are pictured the following graduates of the Egerton School Reg'd. for Trained Attendants, who received diplomas for the course in 1946 at the exercises on November 2nd in Trinity Memorial Church Hall:**

**Top row, left to right: The Misses Dorothy Purcell, Rita Stewart, Aileen Fox, Frances Walsh, Leah Patey, Margrette Jensen, Margaret Thomson, Glennis Baillie, Mrs. Oleta Backman and Mrs. Lois Sammel.**

**Second row, left to right: Mrs. Edith Gold, Mrs. Amanda Thompson, the Misses Emma McIntee, Muriel MacDonald, and Agnes Fedora; top centre, Miss Nanna Troelsen and Mrs. Ethel Wilson; second row continued, Mrs. Etta Wileman, Mrs. Lily Butters, Mrs. Isabel Hutton, Mrs. Maria McClelland and Miss Isabel Stewart.**

**Third row, left: Mrs. Rose Benoit, Miss Shirley Brown, Miss Jessie Baller; third row, right: Mrs. Frances Jenkins, Miss Jane Cuthbertson and Mrs. Martha Maine.**

**Fourth row, left: Mrs. June Brasseur, Miss Mary Zepotoczny, Miss Catherine Jackson and Mrs. Margaret Leith; fourth row, right: Miss Annette Palin, Miss Eileen Walsh, Miss Simone Daoust and Miss Josephine Doherty.**

**Fifth row, left: Miss Adeline Gingras, Miss Joan Kinsella, Miss Nancy Baserman and Miss Dorothy Colquhoun; Miss Margaret MacGillivray; Fifth row, right: Mrs. Mary Eastman, Mrs. N. Johnson, Miss Ruth Grant, Mrs. Elizabeth Wheeler and Miss Ellen Killoran.**

**Sixth row, left: Mrs. Irene Auld, Miss Pearl Jones, Miss Eunice MacCallum; sixth row, right: Miss Dorothy McVeigh, Miss Evelyn Yeates and Miss Elizabeth Regan.**

**Seventh row, left: Mrs. Kathleen Alexander and Mrs. Janet Miller; seventh row, right: Miss Gladys Scott and Miss Muriel Bryce.**

**The senior teachers of the staff are as follows: Top centre, Mrs. Anna Davies, R.N.; Centre left, Mrs. Mildred Hyslop, R.N.; Centre right, Mrs. Veronica Swaney, R.N., and lower centre, Miss Edith Egerton, Director.**

## *Salvation Army Cheer Xmas Drive*

An appeal to Montrealers to "keep the Christmas pots boiling," was made today by Col. Matt Junker, chief of the Montreal-Ottawa Division of the Salvation Army, who announced that Army workers would make their appearance on city streets with kettles on December 14. The appeal will continue until Christmas.

"Because of the aftermath of war, the need is greater than ever before," Col. Junker said. "In the past we have realized approximately $5,000 annually. It is hoped that Montrealers will aid us in doing better this year."

People who will benefit from the fund, he said, are approximately 500 families who will be the receipients of hampers; patients in Military Hospitals who will be given comforts; men and women in local prisons; poor children and homeless men who will be given Christmas dinners; members in the Old People's Home, Maisonneuve, who will be given a Christmas dinner and also comforts; and the lonely in local hospitals who will be given comforts distributed by the League of Mercy Workers.

Irate Girl: "Leave this house this instant. I never want to see you again."

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Boy-friend: "Before I leave forever will you please get off my lap?"


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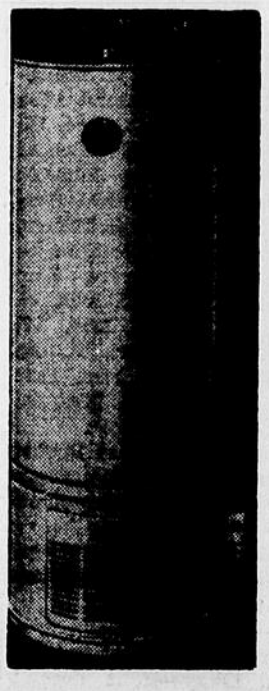

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# Westmount Highlights

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least be a menace to the supposed supremacy of the CHS squad. There are a fair number of holdovers from last year's second-place team, including Frankie Read, also one of the big guns of the Verdun Leafs, Sandy Edmison, who practices with the same outfit, and Hal Young, who started the season with the junior Canadiens. Norrie Masterman and 'McGoo' McLanders will also sport purple and white sweaters for the second consecutive winter. Fred Jones will presumably perform between the pipes.

**ITEMS**

Jack Dudley has joined the ranks of those who are not "worried about the winter weather" as the singing commercial puts it. You guessed it, Jack, along with Maurice Richard, Elmer Lach and Kenny Reardon, is shielded from the elements by a genyoowine Alpacama coat . . . Mrs. Campbell's girl Audrey has been toiling Saturdays of late for Holt-Renfrew. Deb Bobby Robb is also a Holt-Renfrewite (sorry girls, we'll just have to get along with last year's dirty old blue mink) . . . After listening to George Apostolatos' impromptu concert last Sunday afternoon we figure opera is here to stay. George sang 'Vesti La Giubba' from 'Pagliacci" in the grand manner of Caruso. Who knows, with a little training George may make the Met or even the Veronke National Theatre—thus far a castle in the air . . . To quote Boo Marshall, "I'm not a travelling salesman. I'm a Fuller Brush man and making a lot of money, too!. . . Eaton's Jr. Executive have scheduled a Christmas Tree Dance in the Sir Arthur Currie Gym for Dec. 13, same nite at the Westmount Girls' Hi-Y Sadie Hawkins at WHS . . . Patti Peirce is waging a one-woman crusade for education these days via the massive reference books in Westmount Library. Very sincere about the whole business, she says . . . Jim Parsons claims he has lost eight pounds worrying about whether or not Lower Slobbovia will get that three million rasbucknicks loan . . . Les Morrow, amiable Examiner editor, informs us that the absence of Oliver Towne's 'Whimsies' column last week was due to a bad cold which Ollie contracted while walking his dog. Sorry to hear it, Ollie — I would gladly walk your dog for you if he wasn't so big . . . I am allergic to all dogs larger than French Poodles — they cause an explicable trembling and make my hair stand on end . . . The Fri-Nite Committee it planning a big Xmas party for just before the holidays. Which makes us think we oughta tell you to drop in to the regular Fri-Nite session tonite—the more the merrier . . . And they lived happily ever after.

## AVALON MEETING SLATED THURSDAY

At the monthly meeting of the Keats Montreal Chapter of Avalon in Canada which is taking place Thursday evening, December 12th., in Stevenson Hall, 1485 Drummond St., the guest speaker will be Professor Claude Thompson, who will speak on "Canadiana", a subject dealing on books written by Canadian authors up to the present time. Miss Martha Martin will give a reading of her own poetry compositions, and the program will be closed by Mrs. C. McGuire Bagg reading a Christmas story entitled "Benjamin of Bethelem". All interested parties are cordially invited to attend.

## MAGNETS KEEP YOUR BATHROOM FROM FLOODING

How many times have you taken a shower in a tub without realizing that water was rapidly flooding the bathroom floor due to a shower curtain which just would not stay in place. A solution for that has appeared in the form of alnico magnets which can be sewed into the bottom of the shower curtain so that when you are using the shower the curtain will be magnetically drawn toward the tub walls. Concealed beneath the visible porcelain of your tub is cast iron and steel. Alnico is a cast alloy composed of aluminum, nickel, cobalt and iron which when magnetized is far more powerful than any of the older permanent magnet materials and has a much greater resistance to demagnetization.

# Bank Shareholders Told Confidence In Future Of Canada By G. Spinney

A tone of confidence concerning the future of Canada, tinged with a warning against over-expansion of business and concern at the present level of taxation featured the presidential address of George W. Spinney, C.M.G., at the 129th annual meeting of the Bank of Montreal on Monday.

Speaking at the same meeting B. C. Gardner, general manager, observed that more than 100,000 new savings accounts had been opened with the bank during the past year and added that deposits under all headings reached a new year-end high of $1,736,000,000, an increase of $123,000,000 over the previous year.

Reviewing the economic and social aspects of domestic and international events during the past year, Mr. Spinney looked to a future which he viewed with guarded optimism. He noted that "in an age of flux there are some economic realities and basic values that do not, and cannot, change."

"No device or formula can produce wealth and well-being without work, enterprise and the assurance of reward. No mere document replete with cleverly devised sections, sub-sections and exceptions, can ensure fruitful co-operation between individuals or between nations lacking the confidence that can grow only from fair and honourable dealing."

Commenting on the modern tendency to speak of labor as a "force," a "factor" or a "cost element" the President said he preferred to think of labor "as the same people who were so largely responsible for this Dominion's spectacular wartime production records and who made their contribution, too, in the front line. These are citizens who want a better life for themselves and for their children. They want to look to a future free from fear of unemployment. They do not want another war. In all these things they are no different from their fellow Canadians."

Although there had been "dark pages of labor exploitation in the record of history," he felt that "progressive management today is fully alive to the vital necessity of good labor relations founded on mutual recognition of rights and responsibilities."

**General Manager's Address**

In his address to the meeting, B. C. Gardner, general manager, noted satisfactory progress in the country's reconversion program, accompanied by a minimum of involuntary unemployment.

Mr. Gardner reported an increase in the volume of personal loans and in loans to farmers, municipalities and school districts. He sounded a note of caution in respect to inventories for commercial concerns and suggested "a conservative inventory policy is advisable under present conditions."

"Sincere appreciation of loyal and efficient services" was offered by the General Manager in commenting on the work of the B of M staff which now numbers more than 8,000, an increase of nearly 40 per cent over pre-war complement.

"During the past year," he said, "we have had the pleasure of welcoming back many members who were absent on military service," and added that "in addition to absorbing former officers of the bank, we have engaged some 110 young men from the Armed Services not previously in our employ and in setting their initial salaries, the years spent in the forces have been credited as banking service."


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## AUTO BLACK MARKET SLUMPS

Used car racketeers, operating in the black market, aren't making the money they did a year ago. The buyer just isn't allowing himself to be exploited any more. True, above ceiling prices are still being paid, but the margin has come away down and is still falling. The condition of the market is reflected in the number of cars offered for sale in the newspapers which has shown a huge increase in recent months. The "cars for sale" column is beginning to look pre-war again.

While there are comparatively few new cars available yet, and while the demand should technically still far exceed supply, the imminence of a supply of new cars, the removal of gas and tire rationing, and other factors, have made prospective buyers far less eager to close deals right away quick.

A year or so ago, the buyer could see no relief ahead. He had to make his old tires do indefinitely. He didn't know how long he'd have to keep the old boat in running order. He knew thousands of others were in the same position, and he knew he had to bid against dozens of them to get what good cars were being offered for sale.

Today it's different. Sure, there's not many new cars on the market, but so what? They're coming, and no matter how poorly the old car is running, most drivers feel they can keep it going until the new ones come in quantity. So phooey on the black market.

## OFFENSIVE RED PERSONALITIES

Of Communists as individuals, Elliot Paul observes that they have a peculiar facility for making themselves unnecessarily conspicuous and unpopular.

He continues: "If there is contained in the works of Karl Marx and admonition to his followers to make life hard for themselves and to add to the almost insuperable difficulties attendant on social reform the handicap of offensive personalities, it has escaped my cursory examination."

Paul was writing of the Communists who were operating in France in the years before that unhappy nation's collapse.

What he observed in France was true in all other nations he visited, and also in the United States, of which he is a native citizen.

In his book, The Last Time I Saw Paris, he puts it this way: "The French Communist Party overlooked not the minutest opportunity to make itself loathed and detested. From its inception to this very day, the American Communist Party has followed suit . . ."

## STRONG FINANCIAL REPORT

Substantial progress in all major cases of operations is reflected in the One Hundred and Fifteenth Annual Statement of The Bank of Nova Scotia.

The statement, which covers the fiscal year ended October 31, 1946, shows deposits, loans, investments and total assets at the highest level in the Bank's history. Net profit for the year, after taxes of $1,614,600 and depreciation of $398,277 was $1,588,455 as against $1,304,496 on a comparable basis in the previous year.

At the year end, total assets amounted to $696,175,430, an increase of $82,000,000.

Investments increased by more than $50,000,000 during the year to a total of $360,539,538, of which 85 per cent is in Dominion and Provincial securities. Municipal securities are shown at $9,163,346, Public securities other than Canadian at $29,152,407, and other bonds, debentures and stocks at $15,320,114.

Total deposits at $617,564,099 are $76,221,673 higher than a year ago. Most of this increase is in interest-bearing deposits which are up $43,000,000. Non-interest bearing deposits of the public advanced more than $21,000,000 and deposits of the Dominion and Provincial government are up $6,000,000.

## LABOUR-MANAGEMENT COMMITTEES

The number of Labour-Management Production Committees now functioning in industry across Canada has passed the 450 mark, according to the Industrial Production Co-operation Board in the Dominion Department of Labour. This is an increase of 70 committees in the past twelve months. These committees cover managements and workers in an area of employment in which over 200,000 workers are engaged.

Initiated during war years to increase wartime production through a closer partnership of management and workers, the committees operated so successfully that it was decided they could also fill a very useful place during the period of reconversion and afterwards, by bringing management and labour closer together.

This development is another great step forward in Canada's industrial set-up.

WEEKLY REVIEW

## THE LURE OF THE WILL-O-THE-WISP

By LEWIS MILLIGAN

When I was a boy, my father, who was born in the north of Ireland, used to entertain us occasionally with stories of banshees, will-o-the-wisps and talking cats. I was impressed mostly by the will-o-the-wisps, which were said to have lured people who had lost their way at night into the bogs, where they would sink slowly into the swampy depths, never to be seen again. Doubtless many of those stories were exaggerated, and it may be that, if, for some good or bad reason, a man wanted to disappear he could wander out into a dark night and make his way to the nearest port and sail for America—" the Land of the Free!"

I was reminded of these stories while reading a review of a recent book on Plato and Karl Marx, in The (London) Times Literary Supplement. The reviewer states that if the "disastrous errors" of Marxian thought be traced back to their origin, they would "lead back to Plato, who has decieved succeeding generations by an intellectual confidence-trick only now exposed." And he adds: "Through him, and through all the Utopia-makers whom his evil example induced to follow in his footsteps, mankind has been led to pursue the political will-o-the-wisps which have landed it into its present morass."

Whether or not the reviewer is right in attributing the "disastrous errors" of Marxian socialism to Plato, there can be no question that those errors have been disastrous for mankind in general. We are certainly in a bog, and the more we struggle to get out of it, whether by military or economic schemes, the deeper we appear to sink into the swamp.

Ancient Greece is said to have been the birthplace of Democracy, but that is not true. The people of Athens were divided into Freemen and Slaves, and only the Freemen had the rights of citizenship. Plato's Republic was to be governed by philosophers—we call them professors and economists in these days. These philosophers would make the laws and decide what was good for the State, and all that the people would have to do was to work and obey their rulers, and everybody would be happy and contented. It was to be an ideal State, governed solely by idealists. But it was a will-o-the-wisp, and the more Plato tried to pursue it, the deeper he got into political dangers and even in danger of his life. He finally came to the conclusion that human nature would have to undergo a radical change so as to conform to his totalitarian Republic. Like our own H. G. Wells, his mind came to the "end of its tether," so far as establishing a Utopia was concerned, and he died a disappointed and disillusioned planner.

But nevertheless there are people who are still pursuing the will-o-the-wisp of a perfectly planned society—a smothly-running economic machine in which everybody would be well-fed, well-housed and appointed to tasks decided upon by government experts. But, as one writer puts it, "A society in which men are only free to receive economic benefits is a slave society. Their opportunities for education, creativeness and service are determined by their masters. Social opportunities rise no higher than social faith, and if that faith be thoroughly materialistic, freedom is simply freedom to serve the economic machine. It is still slavery, even though man serves a big, beautiful, easy-running economic machine."

Hitler's National Socialism in Germany was such a machine, and it was far more successful in its operation than that of Soviet Russia. It was so successful that its planners thought it should be extended to the whole of Europe, and eventually over the world. The Germans pursued this will-o-the-wisp, and they soon found themselves in a morass and dragged a lot of other people in along with them.

The will-o-the-wisps are still hovering over the bogs. But there is only one true Light for the guidance of society and nations—"The Light that lighteth every man that cometh into the world."

## THE FORUM

Conducted by Howard S. Ross, K.C., D.C.L.

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In Which Subjects of General Interest Are Discussed

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The opinions expressed in this Forum are not necessarily those of this newspaper, and it does not accept responsibility for them.

Russias' renewal of her demand that the other great powers publish their troop assignments in foreign lands and ex-Senator Austin's agreement providing the totals are complete brings up a situation which leading U.S. journals think needs airing. According to Hanson Baldwin, military expert of The New York Times, Russia, Britain, France and the U.S.A. have more than 3,000,000 troops occupying territories outside their borders. Russia leads with more than 1,500,000 men outside her borders, chiefly in Eastern Germany, Poland and Austria, with nearly 300,000 assigned to Korea and Manchuria. Britain has nearly 500,000 troops in Europe, over 200,000 in the Near East, 38,000 in Japan and 20,000 in Indonesia. The U.S.A. has 329,000 in Europe, 140,000 in Japan, 50,000 in Korea, 50,000 in the Philippines, 29,000 in China and others elsewhere making a total of more than 700,000 abroad. In each case the troops remain where they are through the decisions of the Governments which placed them. They do not in any sense represent the United Nations. Reports by these Governments to the U.N. of where their troops are and other data concerning them no doubt will be regarded as the first step toward assumption of responsibility by the world organization of the right to review and if necessary to change all such assignments. This is another step toward a world government and there cannot be too many such steps.

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At a recent meeting of two thousand delegates of fourteen countries of the world meeting at Makinac Island, Michigan, H. Kenaston Twitchell, one of the founders of the Moral Re-armament Assembly, said in one of the closing speeches: "The third world war is a war of ideas. Our democracy as it is is not enough. A democracy that is governed by materialism is no match for Communism in the struggle of the next century. Fascism and Communism are the daughters of materialism and materialism is the real enemy.

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Northwestern University has 21,711 students enrolled, the greatest number in its history. Business ranks first in the choice of fields of study, with the physical sciences second.

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The Albany, New York State, Federation of Churches is sponsoring a series of lectures of five Jewish Rabbis and a lay-teacher, the object being to acquaint Protestants with Jewish teachings on the Old Testament. The Rabbis represent the Conservative, Orthodox and Reform branches of the Jewish faith.

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India has sent invitations to the heads of 32 Asiatic countries (including Japan and those Soviet republics which lie in Asia) to attend a conference in Delhi, February 15-March 31, 1947, at which time inter-Asiatic relations will be considered. Premier Nehru said: "The kernel of our policy is the ending of colonization all over Asia, or for that matter in Africa and elsewhere; the establishment of equality of opportunity for all races; and the ending of domination or exploitation of one nation by another." In response to a request from six leaders in Kenya, observers from Africa will be invited to attend the conference.

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The congregation of Simpson Methodist Church, Brooklyn, N. Y., has turned over its building rent-free for three years to the newly organized Fort Greene Jewish Center, which has been housed in a near-by residence.

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In his first sermon as pastor of Riverside Baptist Church, New York, as the successor of the famous Dr. Fosdick, Dr. Robert J. McCracken, recently of McMaster University, declared that the church must be concerned with political and economic spheres of life because those spheres "cannot be left to take care of themselves. When people maintain that politics and economics have nothing to do with religion they frequently proceed, as in Russia, to turn their politics and economics into their religion."

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There are 729 more American Roman Catholic missionaries assigned to foreign stations today than in 1944, according to the biennial missionary index published by the Catholic Students' Mission Crusade and noted by Religious News Service. There are today 3,093 members of 147 Catholic missionary groups in 172 geographical areas. In South America there are 377, as compared with 154 in 1940. The West Indies have a larger number of missionaries than any other area—548. Assignments to Central American countries have more than doubled in the past six years.


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## St. Andrew's Church

On Sunday last, those who attended the weekly meeting of the St. Andrew's United Church Alpha Omega Society, heard another excellent speaker in the person of Parker Wearing, former teacher on the staff of Westmount High School, who quoted some of his excellent poetry.

Introduced by Don Guess, a former pupil of Mr. Wearing, the speaker was thanked by Tom Earle.

This coming Sunday evening an excellent ski movie, which will be loaned to the Club by the Swiss Ski Club, will be shown, and all interested are invited to attend.

A bowling party is being planned by the club to take place Saturday, Dec. 14. Contact Dick Huston before Monday.

## Dominion-Douglas

On Sunday the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered at both services in Dominion-Douglas. At the morning service Dr. A. Lloyd Smith will preach on "Is God Love?" and at the evening service, Rev. R. Graham Barr will take as his theme, "The Book that Never Grows Old". Music at the morning service will include "The Great Day of the Lord is Near" by Martin.

Church School will meet as usual at 3 p.m. and at 8.45 p.m. the Y.P.U. will gather for an interesting programme.

This will be a busy week for the ladies. On Monday the Sewing Circle will meet at 2 p.m. in regular meeting and on Tuesday there will be two events for ladies. The Women's Missionary Society will hold its Christmas Meeting, at which a special feature will be music by the children of the Lachine Home. At 8.30 p.m. the Handicraft Guild will hold a Christmas musicale and sale of handicrafts. At this latter event the artists will be, Miss Lois Goodwin, Pianist, Margaret Gilmour, Mezzo-Soprano, and Mrs. Victor Knowles, Accompanist.

On Wednesday at 8 p.m., there will be held the first meeting of the "20-up Club" which is composed of senior young people of Stanley and Dominion-Douglas Churches. Membership in this Organization is open to all young people 20 and over.

On Friday at 8 p.m. the Couples' Club will hold a meeting at which Professor Forrest La Violette of the Department of Sociology at McGill will speak on "Child Care and the Crisis of Cultural Continuity". This is the first of what is hoped will be a series of lectures on topics of interest to married folk, which the Couples' Club is sponsoring.

On Friday at 3 p.m. the Ladies' Literary Society will hold its December meeting and the speaker will be Professor A. Robert George, B.A., B.D., Divinity Hall lecturer in oral English. Mr. George. is well known to the members of the Society.

There will be the usual meetings of Cubs, Scouts, Guides and Brownies, all at their usual time.

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The only sound money that interests all of us is the kind that rings true when plunked down on a counter.

## Stanley Presbyterian

The Services of Worship in Stanley Church on Sunday will be conducted by the Minister, Rev. J. D. Wilkie, The sermon text at the morning service will be, "Now we see through a glass darkly", and in the evening Mr. Wilkie's theme will be "Can any good thing come out of Nazareth?"

At the morning Service last Sunday, Sheryl Lynne Cushing, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. K. Cushing, was baptized.

The Senior and Junior Choirs of Stanley Church will present a Candle-Light Carol Service on Wednesday evening, December 18, at 8 o'clock, at which many carols will be sung, including those of other countries.

Girl Guides meet on Mondays at 7.15 p.m., and Scouts on Thursdays at 7.30 p.m.

The Women's Prayer Meeting every Friday morning at 11 a.m.

## Westmount Baptist

On Sunday morning in Westmount Baptist Church Dr. J. A. Johnston will have as his theme "Three Common Christian Classes—Reactionaries Who Want To Go Back, Conservatives Who Want to Stand Still, Progressives Who Want to Go Forward". These classes first appeared when the people of Israel were passing through the wilderness and, like the poor, they are always with us. There are Promised Lands awaiting those, who, under the Leadership of Christ, determine to move Forward.

At the Evening Service the Minister will present the third in a Series, entitled "The Message of Karl Steele's Pictures". The picture which will be described and interpreted on Sunday evening is "The Old House and the New Home". One day is going to be Moving Day for each of us. Are we getting ready for the New Home? Many attend these Evening Services You, too, will be most cordially welcomed.

Westmount Church Bible School is really going places. A spirit of enthusiasm characterizes the teaching staff and all class members. The aim of the School is that every pupil should get a thorough education in the English Bible. The organization meets the needs of developing life in all ages. Those who desire such instruction for their children and for themselves are invited to visit the School, which meets each Sunday morning at 10 o'clock. Younger children are taken care of, during the major part of the Church Services, in a group by themselves. Milk and cookies are provided. The supervising Staff is experienced and thoroughly competent.

### Westmount Baptist Church

Sherbrooke St. W. and Roslyn Ave.

**John Alexander Johnston, D.D., Minister**

Hibbert Troop
Organist and Choirmaster

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 8th

10.00 a.m. Westmount Bible School. There is a place for you.

11.00 a.m. "Common Christian Classes." Reactionaries, Conservatives, Progressives. Go Back? Stand Still? Go Forward?

7.30 p.m. "The Old House and the New Home." 3rd in Series—Karl Steele's Pictures.

Music by Westmount Choir.
Dr. Johnston at both services.
Join us in happy fellowship.

## Calvary Church

The Services in Calvary Church on Sunday will be conducted by the Minister, Right Rev. T. W. Jones, M.A., D.D.

The Churches have been requested to co-operate with the British and Foreign Bible Society, that wonderful organization that works in such close and happy association with all the churches, in making this second Sunday of December recognized as Bible Sunday. In this commendable purpose, Calvary Church gladly shares and in both services of the day, the precious heritage in the possession of the Open Bible will be gratefully remembered.

The Minister of Calvary, who is at the present time the President of the Montreal Auxiliary of the British and Foreign Bible Society, earnestly commends to all church people, the study of the Precious Word of God, and also earnestly requests the generous suport of all for the work of the Bible Society.

The Church School of Calvary will meet at 10 a.m. in all departments.

At the 11 o'clock service Dr. Jones will preach on, "The Book of Victorious Life". Precious elements of faith as proclaimed in the Scriptures. The preaching of the sermon will be followed by the Communion of the Lord's Supper and reception of new members. All who love Our Blessed Lord in sincerity and truth are invited to share in the Communion Service.

At 7.30 p.m. Dr. Jones will preach on the subject "The Advent Hope", another precious element of Christian faith.

### Melville Presbyterian Church

Melville Ave., Westmount
(Opposite Westmount Park)

**Minister Rev. Wm. Orr Mulligan, M.A., LL.B., D.D.**

**Organist: Mr. Harry Norris, L.R.S.M., A.T.C.L.**

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 10th

Until further notice members and adherents of Melville Presbyterian Church will worship in WESTMOUNT BAPTIST CHURCH, corner of Roslyn and Sherbrooke St., W., Sunday at 3.00 p.m.

Subject: "Come Let Us Build Up." A message for today from the prophet Nehemiah.

Reverend Dr. Mulligan will preach.

### Stanley Presbyterian Church

Westmount and Victoria Avenues

**Rev. J. D. Wilkie, B.A., Minister**

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 8th

11.00 a.m. "Now We See Through a Glass Darkly."

11.15 a.m. Sunday School.

3.00 p.m. Young People's Bible Class.

7.30 p.m. "Can Any Good Thing Come Out of Nazareth?"

The Minister will conduct both Services of Worship.

Miss Doris Killam, A.T.C.M., L.Mus., (McGill), Organist and Choir Director.

## St. Luke's United

Anniversary Services will be conducted at St. Luke's this Sunday. Rev. Harvey B. Campbell of Emmanuel United Church will be the guest-minister at the morning service. Rev. Cyril W. Coleman, recently called to First United Church, Town of Mount Royal, will preach at the evening service.

On Sunday, December 15, a Pageant and White Gift Service will be held by the Sunday School in the morning in place of the regular service. In the evening the Choir will present the Christmas parts of the Messiah.

In keeping with "Observer Week" (Dec. 1-7) our Young People plan to visit the homes of the congregation this week to present the claims of the United Church Observer. They plan, also, to enlist younger young people in the life and work of the Young People's Union.

### Church of The Advent

Western Ave. at Wood Ave., Westmount

**Rev. Sydenham B. Lindsay, Rector**
**Rev. Reginald G. Stewart, Assistant Priest**

SECOND SUNDAY IN ADVENT

8.00 a.m. Holy Communion.
10.15 a.m. Matins.
11.00 a.m. Solemn Eucharist and Procession.
3.00 p.m. Sunday School.
7.00 p.m. Solemn Evensong and Procession.

WEEK-DAY SERVICES

Holy Communion: 8 a.m. Monday and Friday; 7 a.m. Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday; 9.30 a.m. Wednesday.
Matins: 7.30 a.m. daily, except on Wednesday at 9 a.m.
Evensong: 5.30 p.m. daily, except on Saturday at 8 p.m.

### ST. STEPHEN'S CHURCH

Dorchester St. at Atwater Ave.

Westmount

**Rev. A. T. Love, M.A., Rector**

THE SECOND SUNDAY IN ADVENT

8.00 a.m. Holy Communion.
10.00 a.m. Sunday School.
11.00 a.m. Mattins.
7.30 p.m. Evensong.

THE CHURCH IS OPEN DAILY

### ST. MATTHIAS' CHURCH

**Westmount**

Corner Church Hill and Cote St. Antoine Road

**Rector: Rev. Canon Gilbert Oliver, L.Th., M.C.**

**Assistant: Rev. J. Gardner Hodder, L.Th.**

SECOND SUNDAY IN ADVENT

8.00 a.m. Holy Communion.
10.00 a.m. Rector's Study Group and Junior Bible Class.
11.00 a.m. Morning Prayer and Sermon. Preacher: The Rector.
11.30 a.m. Junior Church.
7.30 p.m. Evensong and Sermon. Preacher: Rev. J. G. Hodder.

### Trinity Memorial Church

Sherbrooke St. at Marlowe Ave.

**Rev. Canon R. Kenneth Naylor, Rector**
**Rev. Gordon G. Mercer, Assistant**

SECOND SUNDAY IN ADVENT

8.00 a.m. Holy Communion.
10.00 a.m. Senior Sunday School. Bible Class.
11.00 a.m. Morning Prayer. Preacher: the Rev. G. G. Mercer. Kindergarten Class for small children.
3.00 p.m. Junior Sunday School and Kindergarten.
7.00 p.m. Evensong. Preacher: Rev. M. W. Booth, of the Montreal Auxiliary Bible Society.

Monday, Dec. 9th, 4.30 p.m. Confirmation Class for Girls.
Tuesday, Dec. 10th, 4.30 p.m. Confirmation Class for Boys.
Wednesday, Dec. 11th, 7 a.m. Holy Communion.
Thursday, Dec. 12th, 10 a.m. Holy Communion.

### Calvary Church

Dorchester St. at Greene Ave., Westmount

**Minister: Rt. Rev. T. W. Jones, M.A., D.D.**

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 8th

10.00 a.m. Church School in all departments.
The Order of the Preaching Services and the sermon themes are in keeping with "Bible Sunday" as requested by the Montreal Auxiliary Bible Society.
11.00 a.m. The Book of Victorious Life.
12.00 noon Communion of The Lord's Supper and reception of new members. All who love Our Blessed Lord in sincerity are invited to share in the Communion Service.
7.30 p.m. The Advent Hope. A precious element of the Christian Faith revealed in the Scriptures.
Wednesday, 6.00 p.m. Supper meeting of the Calvary Women's Missionary Society.

### Dominion-Douglas Church

Westmount Blvd., cor. Lansdowne Avenue

**Ministers:**
**Rev. A. Lloyd Smith, M.A., D.D.**
**Rev. Graham Barr, B.A., B.D.**

COMMUNION SUNDAY

11.00 a.m. Dr. A. Lloyd Smith. "Is God Love?"
3.00 p.m. Church School.
7.30 p.m. Rev. R. Graham Barr. "The Book that Never Grows Old."
8.45 p.m. Y.P.U.

John Robb, Mus. Bac., Organist and Choirmaster

### St. Andrew's Church Westmount

101 Cote St. Antoine Rd., near Argyle Ave.

**Rev. D. M. Grant, B.A., Minister**
**Rev. Andrew J. Mowatt, B.A., B.D., Assistant Minister**

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 8th

11.00 a.m. Rev. D. M. Grant. "A Divine Paradox." The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper.
7.30 p.m. Rev. Andrew J. Mowatt. "The Noblest Personality."
8.30 p.m. Alpha Omega Society.

Organist and Choirmaster—Fred Whiteley.

COME AND WORSHIP

### St. James United Church

463 St. Catherine St. West

**Minister: Rev. F. W. Norwood, D.D.**
**Assistant Minister: Rev. C. F. Tilbury, B.A., B.D.**

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 8th

11.00 a.m. Morning Worship. "The Heritage of Jesus."
7.30 p.m. Evening Worship. "St. James, Montreal, and Ourselves."
Dr. Norwood at both services.

The Cantata "Sleepers, Wake!" by Bach will be given by the choir at the evening service, under the direction of Warner Norman. Solists will be Mrs. Myra Hamilton and Mr. F. H. Rowe.
Mr M. Warner Norman, Organist and Choirmaster.

### ST. LUKE'S UNITED

Decarie Boulevard
(Just above Sherbrooke Street)

**Minister: Rev. R. E. Spencer, M.A., B.D.**

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 8th

ANNIVERSARY SERVICES

11.00 a.m. Rev. Harvey B. Campbell, B.A. B.D., Emmanuel United Church, Montreal.

11.00 a.m. and 12.15 p.m. Church School.

7.30 p.m. Rev. Cyril W. Coleman, B.A., First United Church, Town of Mount Royal.

Organist and Choir Director K. R. Cunningham, F.C.C.M.

### Westmount Park Church

(Cor. Lansdowne and Western Aves.)

**Minister: Rev. George W. Goth, B.A., B.D.**

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 8th

11.00 a.m. "Fears May Be Liars."

12.15 p.m. Church School.

7.30 p.m. "Are You Getting What You Want From Life?"

8.30 p.m. "Twenty-Thirty" Club.

J. C. Scott, L.R.S.M., Choir Director.
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# SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Among those who entertained for Miss Eleanor McMath of Belfast, Ireland, whose marriage to Mr. Charles Howard Ashton is taking place tomorrow, at 3.30 p.m., at Rosedale United Church, were Mrs. Charles A. Ashton, who gave a tea; Mrs. J. F. Hughes, a miscellaneous shower; Mrs. H. B. Timmins and Miss Talosa Timmins a kitchen shower; Mrs. D. A. Woodhouse a tea in the Silver Room at Eaton's; and Miss Helen Baird, who had an evening for Miss McMath and Mr. Ashton.

Tea will be served at the open meeting this afternoon of the Notre Dame de Grace Women's Club, at Victoria Hall, under the direction of Mrs. A. T. Metcalfe, chairman of House and Hospitality, and her committee. Mrs. H. A. Robinson will act as tea hostess and Mrs. W. L. Gatehouse and Mrs. W. Redfern will pour tea.

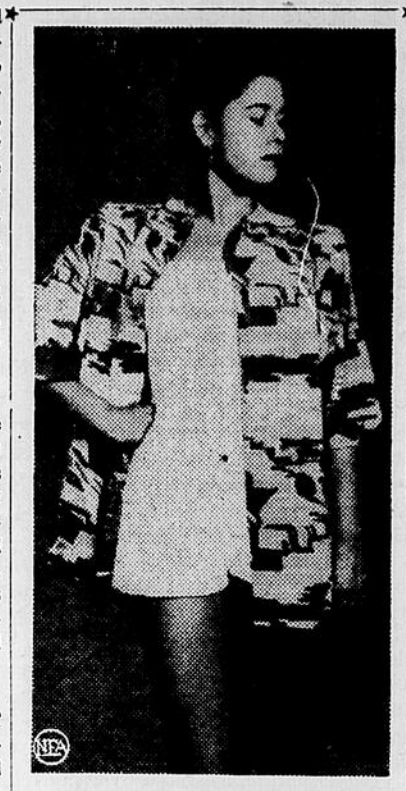
Dr. Hester Brunt, leader of the Institute of Religious Science and Philosophy, Montreal Chapter, has just returned from Ottawa. She was a guest at the Chateau Laurier where she lectured on Science of Mind, and was received by a very sympathetic gathering. Dr. Brunt was accompanied by her daughter, Miss Vere Brunt, Mrs. Gertrude Moffat and Mr. and Mrs. Sutherland Taylor.

Miss Phyliss Cockerill, of Winnipeg, is visiting her brother-in-law and sister, Lieut.-Col. and Mrs. George Raymond, of Westmount.

Miss Rose Goldblatt entertained informally at her studio in honour of Dr. Felix Guenther of New York, following his lecture to the Quebec Music Teachers' Association.

Mrs. John Home arrived from Quebec on Wednesday with her small daughter Alice, and is spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. Leslie Pidgeon, before taking up residence at 606 Grosvenor Avenue, Westmount.

Ushers for the Young Ladies' Sodality of Ascension Parish presentation of "Winter Serenade" being held in Victoria Hall on Monday, will be under the convenership of Miss Patricia Barrett. They will be the Misses Genevieve and Doreen Cassidy, Phyllis Hodgin, Marjorie Cook, Alice St. James, Lorraine Fitzgerald, Patricia Mulcair, Pat Conners, Cornelia and Stephanie Seng and Joanne Schoeler.



**Inspired by the Grand Canyon, California designers have created this all-over print of the canyon in vivid reds, golds, purples and pinks on a white background for this full-backed beach coat that tops a chalk-white sun suit.**

Mrs. L. Nesbitt, N.D.G., entertained last week at a linen shower for Miss Marjorie Jones, whose marriage to Mr. Sydney W. Hooper took place on Friday afternoon at St. Luke's United Church.

Mrs. Albert Cohen, of Barraquila, Colombia, South America, who came to the Dominion to visit her boys at Bishop College School, Lennoxville, and while here visited Mrs. Harold Newman, has now returned home.

## ENGAGEMENTS

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Bronfman, Belvedere Road, announce the engagement of their daughter, Mona, to Dr. Edward Robert Sheckman, son of Dr. and Mrs. Herman N. Sheckman, of Larchmont, N.Y.

The wedding will take place at the Shaar Hashomayim Synagogue on Saturday, January 12th.

Miss Bronfman is a graduate of Bennett Junior College, Millbrook, N. Y. For two or three seasons she was an associate teacher at the Children's Theatre, Girouard Avenue, and has taken part in both stage and radio productions in New York, as well as playing summer stock in the states of Massachusetts, Pennsylvania and New York.

Dr. Sheckman is a graduate of the University of Michigan and New York University College of Medicine at Bellevue Hospital. After internship he served with the U. S. Army Medical Corps for three years at the 187th General Hospital in England and at Tilton General Hospital in Fort Dix, N.J. He is currently a Fellow in Clinical Medicine at Goldwater Memorial Hospital in New York City.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Lahue, of Outremont, announce the engagement of their daughter, Jean, to Mr. John Johnston, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Johnston, of Westmount.

## WEDDINGS

### GOULET—GONTHIER

The wedding of Miss Georgina M. Gonthier, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henri Georges Gonthier, of St. Lambert, to Mr. Bernard A. Goulet, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Goulet of Westmount, took place on Saturday morning at nine o'clock in the chapel of St. James Cathedral. The Cathedral organist played the wedding music and the decorations were ferns and autumn flowers.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a grey crepe street length dress with wine accessories, and carried a small bouquet of red rose buds.

Mrs. Gonthier, mother of the bride, wore a brown crepe dress, brown accessories and a corsage of Talisman roses.

Mrs. Goulet, the bridegroom's mother, was gowned in grey crepe, with black accessories trimmed with beaver, and wore a corsage of rose carnations.

A reception was held at the home of the bride's grandmother, Mrs. Georges Gonthier, 4522 Kensington Avenue, where the decorations were autumn flowers.

The couple will spend their honeymoon at the Manoir St. Castin, Lake Beauport. For travelling, the bride wore a sky blue wool dress, black antelope accessories, a black seal coat and a corsage of baby gold mums. They will reside at 4063 Dorchester Street West.

The bride served with the WRCNS for two and a half years, and the bridegroom was a paratrooper and served for three years overseas.

### CORDELL—WILSON

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Wilson announce the marriage of their daughter, Anne Fargey, to Mr. Malcolm Victor Cordell, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. M. V. Cordell, which took place very quietly on Friday, November 22nd, at three o'clock, in Stanley Presbyterian Church, Westmount.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was attended by Mrs. Robert C. Finlay, sister of the bridegroom. Mr. Gordon Wilson, brother of the bride, acted as best man.

The bridal couple left for their wedding trip by plane to New York City.

# Club Planning Christmas Fun For Children

The Westmount Women's Club Inc., will hold its Christmas party in Victoria Hall on Friday, December 13th, at 2:30 p.m. The club's guests on this occasion will be youngsters from the School for Crippled Children on Cedar Avenue, the Friendly Home, Summerhill House and Weardale House, and also present will be the children and young friends of the club members.

It is important to note that the usual guest tickets will be suspended for this event, admission being by donation of some form of grocery articles for the club's Christmas Baskets and Gifts of Cheer.

The party is under the direction of Mrs. J. W. Wright who has planned a very delightful surprise in the way of entertainment. Santa Claus will be there, of course, to give candy to the children.

# Koret Casual Fashions Charm With Color And Originality

Sierra Sand, Malibu Maize and Hibiscus Red—these are some of the exotic colours which Koret of California, whose casual styles for women have been recently displayed at the Mount Royal Hotel, has brought to warm our northern shores.

Some of the fashions themselves seem to hint at eternal summer, with the promise of "fun in the sun" in the variety of beach-wear. The "dirndl combo", modelled in original designs upon woven rayon, combines a dirndl skirt and an off-the-shoulder Mexican top, with the elasticizing that is an important Koret feature. "Bloomerangs" serve double duty as suitable for both sand and water. The "bravo set" a four-piece ensemble whose material is copied from Polynesian native ceremonial cloth, combines a drawstring bra top, boxerette shorts, a skirt that ties in front, and an over-all jacket.

**String-alongs**

Slack-suits, in Koret's selection, are distinguished for their high cut and "slim-over-the-hip" look. Curved slash pockets add a "different" touch. "Smarty-pants", also cut to fit, is the Koret term for pedal-pushers. And for jackets are offered the very popular "string-along", gathered and drawn at the waist; the "Rooter cardigan, which is part of the already-famed Sierra Suit; and the "jack-shirt", a combination of jacket and shirt.

**The-Nipped-In Waist**

Apart from summer wear, there are sweaters with lastex waists and short sleeves; suits notable for low-priced value; and the outstanding Koret two-way blouses which can be worn equally smartly either back or front. In line with this reversible style is the Trik-skirt, made with drawstring and pleats and worn back to front or side to side. The wrap-around skirt has a drawstring for a snug fit, and the pickpocket skirt features a dirndl top.

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# Excess Irritability Traced To Vitality-Wasting Habits

NATALIE SCHAFER: Cherishes vitality.

"If a good fairy bestowing gifts asked me what I wanted most in the world, I'd say 'vitality'."

Who's talking about Natalie Schafer, whom you've only to see walking across the stage or screen (now in "Dishonored Lady") to know that she's alive from the ends of her blonde curls to the tips of her well-shod toes.

But Natalies's fault is, she says, in wasting this high-voltage power. As a warning to other spend-thrift women anxious to curb wasteful habits, she lists her worst extravangances.

High on the list, says Natalie, are parties and week-end visits which aren't worth the price. Not worth it and not even necessary, warns the actress, are depleting talk fests with neighbors who drop in, taxicab drivers with whom you ride, and sales clerks from whom you make purchases.

"Because I become alive when any person comes into the room and can't buy a pair of gloves without engaging in a long conversation, I use up vitality that I should be hoarding."

Signs of depletion? Irritability, physical fatigue, berserk emotions, and what's worse, the actress warns: the flickering out of that inner light that makes every woman shine.

But as wasteful as Natalie insists that she is, she knows how to be a miser when she has to. That's when she's working in an exacting play, an occasion for which she forces herself to withdraw from people, go to bed, cream her face, draw the shades, and rest for hours preceeding a performance.

## *Opportunity Bazaar To Be Held By ORT At Victoria Hall*

The Women's Canadian ORT will sponsor an opportunity bazaar on Wednesday, at Victoria Hall. The doors will open at 12 o'clock noon, and lunch, tea and supper will be served, with a sandwich bar operating until midnight.

The committee is happy to announce that dancers from the Arthur Murray Studios will give exhibitions of the rhumba, samba, fox trot and tango during the evening.

Mrs. Norman Gold, chairman of ways and means and convener of the bazaar, reports that the fine array of merchandise ready for sale is an indication of a return to normal times, and bargain opportunities will go hand in hand with a good cause.

The entire proceeds of the bazaar are to be used for the training and partial maintenance of Jewish war orphans in Europe.

## *Put Money Gift In Surprise Box*

A gift of money to a child or an older friend may be presented in unusual and charming ways that add a special surprise to the occasion.

A small pewter or aluminum dish or bowl heaped with bright pennies is a pretty sight, and the container may be kept for years. Enclose the whole in cellophane paper, twist it gaily, so the money will not drop out. A tiny pitcher of odd design, if filled with shiny dimes may seem to be flowing with joy.

Amusing pottery jars, old sugar bowls or modern vases, make fine receptacles for pennies, nickels, dimes and quarters and may be used as banks afterwards or as ornaments. A prowl through hardware stores, a "five and ten" or novelty shops will discover inexpensive, humorous or attractive possibilities along this line. A bit of original painting or the use of decalcomania can transform sober articles into unusual gifts.

Small boxes or miniature chests of metals, carved woods, and colored or engraved glass are ideal as money containers. One woman kept her pennies for papers and odd change in a three-inch brightly decorated tin box put out years ago by a tin company, and when it was full the amount went into her bank account. A cedar box bought as a souvenir of a city she visited was lined with shiny nickels and sent to a young boy. A tiny glass jewel case filled with dimes made a lovely present for a girl. For an older person who would appreciate extra money for luxuries, enclosing one or more bills in a small carved box would be a thoughtful idea.

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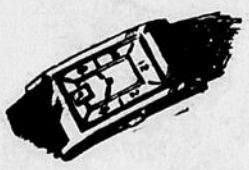

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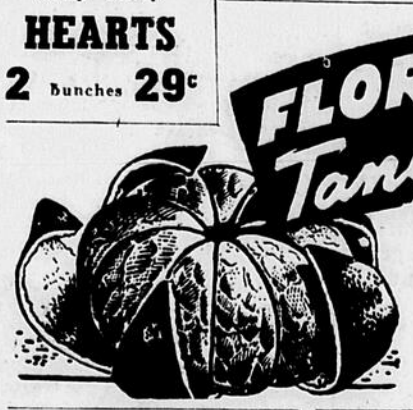


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# Gerry's Chatter Column

*Follow her every week for helpful hints in your shopping. Gerry will answer all inquiries.*

## Elizabeth Arden Salon

### A Bright Idea

Yesterday afternoon when passing The Elizabeth Arden Salon, at Simpson's, I stopped to have a chat with Miss Gibson, who is in charge of this famous salon. As usual she was looking very radiant and bubbling over with Christmas news. First, for the convenience of their clients they have a special gift counter set up in the reception salon. If you are looking for a small gift or a more expensive one, you will be sure to find what you want here. I'm sure you will want one of the Gift Horses with Blue Grass Flower Mist. This is a wooden holder carved into the shape of a horse, with small flowers tucked over their heads, and the bottle of Blue Grass is set into their backs, this being saddled together by pink satin ribbons. There is the travelling bag, of black morocco, with complete day and night beauty preparations. This bag is large enough to hold one's night clothes and is lined with a washable material. Now for the news that friend husband will be delighted to know. This year the Salon has had printed a special gift card entitling one to a series of beauty treatments. This series may consist of a permanent wave, manicures, slenderizing, face beauty treatment, or shampoos and finger waves. If the gentlemen wish, they need only to telephone and the Arden consultant will be only too pleased to offer him helpful suggestions, and arrangements can be made to have the card mailed to him or to the recipient. I think this is an excellent idea for the frustrated "MALE" who wants to give something unusual. It has the personable touch every woman likes to know is attached to her gift. When you are in Simpsons be sure and ask for The Elizabeth Arden folder of Gift Suggestions.

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## Little Wonder

### Spic and Span

The festive season will be upon us before we know it, and that is one time in the year when we want to show off our silver and brass. I am always amazed when friends comment upon my silver always looking as if it had just come from the store. It has been said to me, "My you must spend hours cleaning your toilet pieces." Needless to say, I hasten to tell them that with my busy days I have very little time for shining anything. But here is the secret which many of my readers know of, and in case there are others who do not know of this little trick the answer is "The Little Wonder Cloth." This can be bought in all stores. I have used this cloth for years and I hate to think what my silver would look like without it. When I start dusting I also have in a pocket my rouge rag, and with a few rubs of this cloth every week your silver will always stay shining. Maybe you have a piece that has become very tarnished, do not dispair this magic rag will in a jiffy transform your piece of silver looking like new. Have you tried the new furniture polish made by the same manufacturer, called The Little Wonder Furniture Polish? It is splendid. Unlike other polishes it does not leave a mark on the furniture, now will it soil your clothes. Most of the stores carry this polish. Now you are all set to give the house that final cleanup for Christmas.

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### Gift Suggestions

If any of you ladies are perplexed as to what to choose for a certain Christmas gift, just walk in front of The C.S.L. Gift Shop, 1480 Sherbrooke St. W. and examine the window display. I'm sure you will be amazed at the timely suggestions to be seen there, and amid all this glitter our little pussy cat snoozes away. The C.S.L. are very sorry that their shipment of these little kittens will not be arriving in time. But, what has arrived are the Nora Wellings dolls from England. They are so attractive and cuddlesome, just the toy for a small child. There are Dutch boys and girls, made of orange and green velour, and little sailors with different names of the C.S.L. boats printed on the rims of their caps. You will be pleased with the lovely soft flannel shirts. They come in flame, yellow, and powder blue. For the party who does appreciate good china, are to be found some exquisite English Plichta breakfast tray sets, and after dinner coffee sets. They are white with blue floral or strawberry designs. These designs also appear on the jam jars. Here also is just the gift to bring a proud smile to the face of a duck hunter, namely, a duck lamp. The bases have been made from real decoys, with a large parchment shade covering them. I can just see some spirited youngster sitting on one of the old fashioned rockinghorses that are here. They are made by an elderly gentleman in Montreal, and are painted red and black. Every one who saw the special Christmas candles last week will agree that they are something out of the ordinary, and I know that you will like them too.

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## HOLT RENFREW

### Silver and Blue

At this time of the year when every minute seems to be taken up it is gratifying to know that there is one store in Montreal, where they have been kind enough to think ahead and arrange to put the finishing touches to our Christmas purchases. This store is Holt, Renfrew & Co., the corner of Mountain and Sherbrooke St. Every gift that you purchase there will be wrapped free of charge with their special silver and blue paper, and tied with glittering silver ribbons. You may have this done as soon as your purchase has been made, or have the gift delivered to your home. When I was in the store this week I made a special trip to the wrapping department to see just how this work was being done, and I can assure you that the artistic finish the wrapping girls are giving to the parcels would please the most fastidious person. Just think what a saving this service is to the customer. Have you noticed also that Holt, Renfrew have carried out this colour scheme in their windows? Shopping at this store is such a pleasure, a congenial atmosphere with accommodating salesladies. Compare their prices with others, and you will be convinced that this is not a Higher Price Store, because H.R. quality means Higher Return for your money.

## Junior Subdivision Names Conveners For Fashion Revue

The Junior Sub-Division of the Catholic Women's League are holding a fashion revue and tea this evening at 8.30, and on Saturday at 2.30 p.m., in the Jacques-Cartier room of the Mount Royal Hotel. Miss Eileen Murphy, fashion coordinator for the Bruck Silk Mills, will be stylist and commentator, and Miss Claire Beaudry and Miss Pearl Webber are joint conveners. Miss Luise Buck will be in charge of tickets, and the convener of models is Miss Geraldine Polan.

The models will all be members of the Junior Sub-Division, and are as follows: the Misses Pauline Brimicombe, Phyllis Burke, Rosemary Chartrand, Ainslie Colton, Marion Curran, Lise Degrace, Patricia Dynan, Lee Elise, Joan Fisk, Jacqueline Johnson, Myra McAllender, Marcelle Montpetit, Romayne Royston, Mrs. Doris Tooby, and Miss Pearl Webber.

The following girls will be ushers in this revue under the joint convenership of Miss Peggy O'Brien and Claire Everett: the Misses Suzette Amos, Gertrude Bethell, Marie Bolduc, Betty Brown, Sheila Burke, Barbara Byrne, Hilda Byrne, Wilma Byrne, Irene Byron, Evelyn Cooney, Claire Dakin, Francisca Delicaet, Hilda Dillon, Eileen Donnelly, Claire Everett, Suzanne Jean, Lois Jones, Kay King, Georgette Langevin, Audrey Lefebvre, Madeline Lefebvre, Audrey Pennycook, Lois Pennycook, Mary Mancuso, Noreen McArt, Jean McDougall, Helen Meahan, Louise Mignault, Marie Manjeau, Helen Morrison, Angela O'Brien, Peggy O'Brien, Elizabeth Park, Patricia Picard, Paule Scheler, Joan Sharpe, Pauline Sharpe, Rita Thompson, Robin Tudor and Nadine Tudor.

## Mr.-Mrs. Sergent's Infant Son Christened

The christening of the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. R. Sergent, took place on Sunday afternoon at half-past four o'clock in the Church of St. Columba, the Rev. Norman Peterson officiating. The baby was given the names Richard Watts Sergent. The godparents were Mrs. D. McBride, and the baby's uncle, Mr. Victor Sergent.

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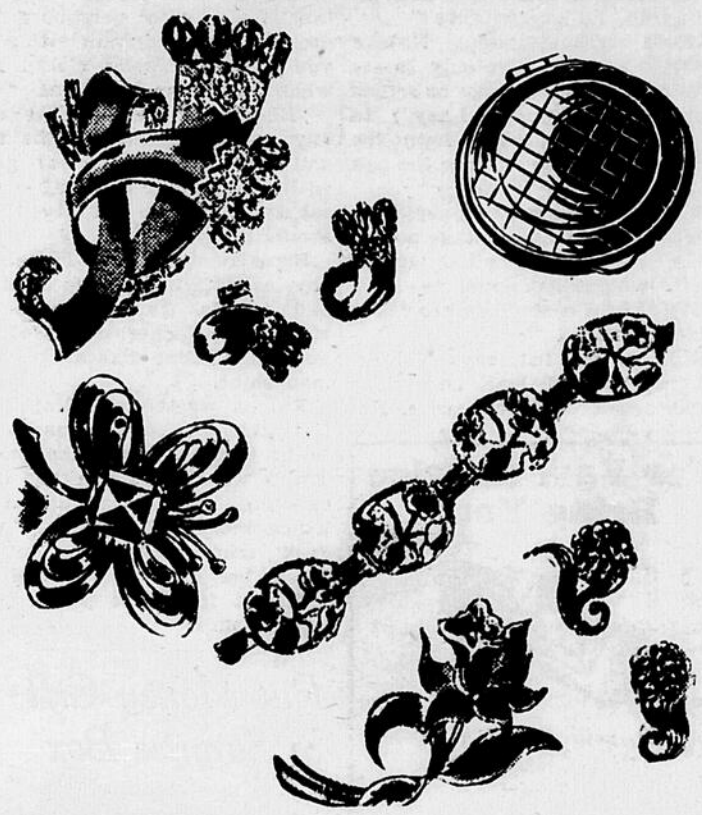

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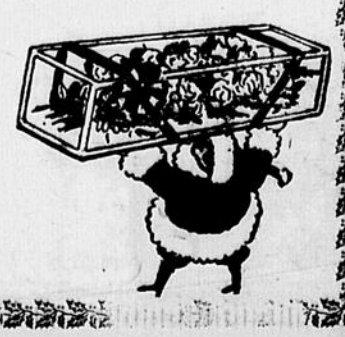

## That Special Gift" Might Be Found t NDG Club Sale

Many beautiful and useful ar- es are finding their way to collection for the Notre me de Grace Women's Club e of work which is to be held the Hydro Quebec Building, ner of Mountain and St. Ca- rine Streets, on Friday, Decem- 13th.

Anyone on the lookout for t special Christmas gift— mething a little different, or article made by hand, is ad- ed to visit the sale on that y. The chairman, Mrs. F. W. shop, reports that there will knitted garments for little s and older children, pretty cosies, artistic costume jewel- novel felt work-bags, and in- guing articles at the talent ble, to say nothing of the licacies at the home cooking ble.

The sale will open at 10 a.m. d close at 5 p.m.

**PSST . . . HINTS!**

Put thin layers of paraffin wax finger tips when painting . . . een thumbs are only for gar- ners.

Darn holes in screens before tting away for the winter. se metal wire from discarded reens.

Glue felt coasters on feet of air legs. Make them from ther's oldest felt hat before he members he likes it.

Cut cardboard to fit around ht switches for polishing day.

Pad table top with newspapers fore tacking on new oilcloth. ax afterwards for longer wear.

Renew washers in leaky taps . . wasting water wastes heat.

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The Calvary Women's Mission- y Society will hold a supper eeting on Wednesday, at 6 p.m. ll members are urged to attend.

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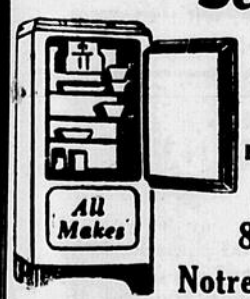

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HOME EDUCATION

## Spare Children Tragic Scenes

RUTH PECK McLEOD

"Have you been over to see Mrs. Noble? You know her mother died yesterday," said Mrs. Ellis to her neighbor, Mrs. Holmes.

"No, I haven't," was the reply- "I have no one with whom to leave my little Hildah, and I shouldn't want her to see a deceased person nor to hear the kind of conversation that is apt to go on at such a time.

"Do you know, the only way I can remember my sister is as she lay in her casket? I was a tiny tot at the time of her passing, and was lifted up frequently to look in. The sight of her, so white and still, fascinated and at the same time terrified me. After that, for many months, I was afraid to sleep in a room without a light. The experience obliterated the memory of all the happy times we must have had together, and because of it my earnest care has been to prevent my small daughter from being subjected to anything of that nature.

"You remember when Mr. Hayhurst died suddenly some people criticized his wife for sending their little boy away to the country, but I felt that she had done the right thing. He was spared all the distressing manifestations of sorrow which take place upon such occasions, and he will always remember his father as he was when alive and well."

"Yes," responded Mrs. Ellis, "Mrs. Hayhurst acted wisely, and you are r i g h t in protecting Hildah."

"I feel very strongly that children should never witness any intense emotional scenes if it can possibly be avoided," continued Mrs. Holmes. "They should be kept away for instance, from persons who are critically ill, not only to protect their physical health but also their mental health. In a house where someone was seriously ill, haven't you seen children huddled together with fear on their faces while they listened to remarks such as, 'He can't last much longer'?

"My daughter, Susie, seems so happy and bubbling over with fun. I feel certain, however, that if she were to be present at accidents, deathbed scenes and funerals, a portion of that joy of living would be taken away from her forever. I shall shield her from such doleful sights as long as I can."

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At a recent British Exhibition of new products swim-suits modelled by corset manufacturers were in fine elastic nets and satins used or corsets; one was patterned with vivid seaside scenes from continental coasts. There were suits made from quick-drying plastic materials. The all-in-one undergarment made its bow in all-black elastic, crepe de chine and lace.

## Many Prizes Donated At N.D.G. Club Bridge

At the annual autumn bridge of the N.D.G. Women's Club, which was held in Victoria Hall on Wednesday, November 27, cards were played at one hundred and thirty-four tables. Mrs. J. G. Lang and her committee were in charge of the arrangements. Mrs. Norman B. Muir, president, received the guests. Refreshments were served under the direction of Mrs. A. T. Metcalfe, assisted by her committee. Many attended for tea after cards and Mrs. S. A. MacSween was in charge of the tea table with Mrs. G. G. Wakeman pouring. The prizes, which were many and varied, were all donated and the proceeds of this bridge will be used to further the philanthropic work of the club.

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## NDG Women's Club

At an open meeting of the Notre Dame de Grace Women's Club to be held in Victoria Hall today at 3 o'clock. Members and guests will be entertained by Maude and Whitfield Aston in dramatic and humorous sketches. Members are requested to bring to this meeting all donations for the sale of work, with the exception of home cooking. Anyone unable to turn in donations on this occasion will kindly telephone the chairman of the table for their particular article. Donations for the Personal Parcel Scheme may also be brought to this meeting. Guest tickets may be used.

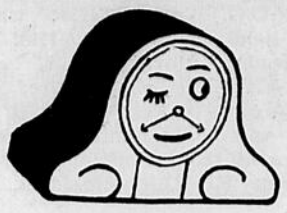
## Melville W.M.S.

The December meeting of the Melville Auxiliary, W.M.S., will be held on Tuesday, at 3.00 p.m. The guest speaker will be Miss Judd of the Chinese Mission and the Soloist will be Mrs. Fuller. Miss Gladys Scott will lead the devotions.

The officers for the coming year will be elected.

## Postponement

The regular meeting of the Melville Presbyterian Church Ladies Aid Society has been postponed until January 7th, 1947.



**BE ON TIME**

**Readers are reminded that news reports and announcements for the women's pages should be sent in over the week-end, or as soon after as is possible. To contact the social editor, phone WA. 2773.**

## Ephraim Scott W.A.

The monthly meeting of the Ephraim Scott Women's Association will be held on Wednesday at 2.30 p.m.

Members are requested to please return all dime cards at this meeting.

## Jean Graham W.M.S.

The Women's Missionary Society in conjunction with the Jean Graham Auxiliary of St. Luke's United Church, Decarie Boulevard, will hold their Christmas meeting on Tuesday at 8 p.m. in the church hall.

The speaker on this occasion will be Mrs. R. deWitt Scott. Special Christmas music will be a feature of the program.

## Trinity Whist

A military whist will be held in the church hall of Trinity Memorial Church, on Saturday, December 14, at 8 p.m., under the convenership of Mrs. F. T. Claydon, and Miss K. M. Austin. Players are requested to bring cards.

## Silver Cross

The Silver Cross Women of the British Empire are holding their monthly meeting on Tuesday at 8.15 p.m. in the club room, Victoria Hall. Members and all Silver Cross wearers are cordially invited to attend.

## C.P. Legion 96

The Ladies Auxiliary Canadian Pacific (Quebec 96) Branch of the Canadian Legion, B.E.S.L., annual meeting, followed by a Christmas party, will be held in the club rooms, 354 Youville Street, at 8 p.m., Thursday, December 12th.

Singing of Christmas carols will be under the direction of Miss Allison Huntley, with Miss Patricia Grant as accompanist.

## Westmount No. 39 Poppy Funds Up

The regular monthly meeting of the Ladies Auxiliary, Westmount No. 39 Branch, Canadian Legion, B.E.S.L., was held on Tuesday, November 26th, in Calvary Church Hall.

Mrs. Heron, the President, reported on the sale of poppies, and said it gave her great pleasure to announce that the collections made by our Auxiliary were up from last year. Mrs. Heron thanked the ladies who had helped prepare and sell the poppies.

On account of the approaching holiday season, our next meeting will be held on Tuesday, at Calvary Church Hall, Greene Avenue, and it will be followed by a social evening.

## Household Hints

By MRS MARY MORTON

There is a good cranberry crop this year. However, cranberries call for sugar, and that is a scarce article. Corn syrup, which may be used as part or all of the sweetening, is a help, if your grocer can supply the syrup. One expert says you can use jelly, jam or marmalade with the cranberries to supply the sweetness in pie or sauce. Cranberry relish is good, so is cranberry salad, etc. The season always seems short to me, so I make use of cranberries while I can get them.

**Today's Menu**

Rolled Rack of Veal
Orange Stuffed Prunes
Baked Sweet Potatoes
Cranberry Relish or
Cranberry Salad
Custard Coffee

**Rolled Rack of Veal**

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| 6 rib rack of veal | 3 strips of bacon |
| 2 tsps. salt | 6 large prunes |

Remove bones from veal with sharp, pointed knife, roll and tie into shape, season and wrap with strips of bacon. Roast on rack of any shallow pan in 325 deg. F. oven for 45-50 min. per lb. Serve with large cooked prunes which have been pitted and stuffed with orange sections. Serves 3.

**Cranberry and Apple Relish**

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| 1 pt. cranberries | ¾ c. sugar or 1 c. white corn syrup |
| 2 apples | |

Look over cranberries, remove stems, wash and drain well. Wash apples, cut in quarters and remove cores, but do not pare. Force cranberries and apples through food chopper, stir in sugar or corn syrup, adding to taste, and chill until sugar is dissolved before serving.

**Cranberry Gelatin Salad**

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| 1 lb. cranberries | 1 pkg. orange-flavored gelatin |
| 1 orange | |
| 1 medium-sized apple | ½ c. cold water |
| ½ c. sugar | ½ c. chopped celery |
| 1 c. warm or hot water | |

Rinse large or 6 or 8 small moulds with cold water. Pick over cranberries, wash and drain well and put through a food chopper with orange and apple. Neither orange nor apple need be pared. Stir in sugar, cover and set aside in a cold place until sugar is dissolved. Dissolve gelatin in warm or boiling water, as per directions on package of gelatin, and stir until it is dissolved. Cool. Add cranberry mixture and celery. Turn into moulds and chill until firm. Serve with mayonnaise or cooked dressing plain or with whipped cream folded into it.

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ARTIST'S SUPPLIES

# Noted Artists To Be Heard

The Verdun Women's Club will hold its annual musicale on Wednesday, December 11th at 8:30 p.m., in the Legion Hall, Verdun Avenue.

**Warner Norman, pianist; Arthur Davidson, violinist; Harry Maude, baritone; Margaret Preston, soprano.**

Warner Norman, who is organist and choir director of St. James United Church, will be accompanist. He will play selections from Scriabine and Schubert.

Arthur Davidson, present holder of Provincial Conservatory of Music scholarship, and well known concert violinist, will be heard in the works of Healy Willas, Kreisler and Bach.

The celebrated radio and concert singer, Harry Maud, will sing songs by Handel, German, and Moussorgsky.

Margaret Preston, talented young Canadian soprano, will be heard in selections from Strauss, Handel, and Romberg.

The musicale is one of the club's cultural contributions to the community, and should provide a musical treat for the lovers of good music in Verdun.

**ARTHUR DAVIDSON**

**Mr. Davidson, well known concert violinist, will be heard on Wednesday at the annual musicale of the Verdun Women's Club.**

## *Christmas Cheer For Ex-Servicemen Planned By Legion*

The regular monthly business meeting of the Quebec Provincial Command L.A. Canadian Legion, B.E.S.L., was held in the Banquet Hall of the Queen's Hotel on Friday evening. Mrs. A. Soloman, chairman, presiding.

The ladies were reminded of the Legion Christmas tree in the James A. Ogilvy's Store, under which gifts may be placed for the hospitalized service and ex-service men. All arrangements are under the Quebec Provincial Command Canadian Legion. A request will be sent to the ladies to assist in the gift wrapping of these donations. The articles suitable for and desired by the men are: cigarettes, toilet articles, socks, sweaters, pens, pencils, shaving kits, razor blades, zipper bill folds, handkerchiefs, playing cards, candy, photo frames, slippers, magazine subscriptions, writing paper, adult games, pipes and tobacco.

Mrs. S. Sheriff, president, thanked the ladies for the many ways in which they helped with the poppies. She announced also that eleven new auxiliaries had been formed since June, the latest of these being Terrebonne Heights and Waterloo, who received their charters.

Mrs. A. Solomon, who attended the Convention of the Ontario Provincial Command L.A. at Windsor as a special representative from the Quebec Provincial Command L.A., presented an excellent report on her observations while there.

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- ⅓ cup slivered or chopped mixed candied peels and citron
- ¼ cup almonds, blanched and halved
- ¾ cup once-sifted pastry flour or ⅔ cup once-sifted hard-wheat flour
- 1¼ teaspoons salt
- ¾ teaspoon baking soda
- 1½ teaspoons ground cinnamon
- ¼ teaspoon ground ginger
- ¼ teaspoon grated nutmeg
- ¼ teaspoon ground allspice
- ¼ teaspoon ground cloves
- 1½ cups coarse soft white bread crumbse, lightly packed
- 1 cup finely-chopped suet
- 1½ cups brown sugar, lightly packed
- 1 cup finely-shredded raw carrot
- 1 cup finely-shredded raw potato
- 1 cup finely-shredded raw apple
- 1 egg

On the first day, prepare the seedless raisins, currants, seeded raisins, peels and almonds. On the following day, measure and sift together three times, the flour, salt, baking soda, cinnamon, ginger, nutmeg, allspice and cloves; add the prepared fruits and nuts to the four mixture, a few at a time, and mix until fruits are separated and coated with flour mixture. Add the bread crumbs, chopped suet and brown sugar; combine well. Mix in the prepared carrot, potato and apple. Beat the egg until thick and light; add to pudding mixture and combine thoroughly, mixing with the hands if more convenient.

Turn mixture into a well-greased pudding mould, filling mould about ⅔-full. Cover with a piece of cooking parchment that has been wrung out of cold water; tie down. team, closely covered, over rapidly-boiling water, for 3 to 4 hours, depending upon the size and shape of the mould.

### LENGTHY CLAIM

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**COMEDY HIT FROM BEST-SELLER!** Charles Boyer and Jennifer Jones turn their talents to comedy in the film version of Margery Sharp's popular novel, "Cluny Brown", which starts on Sunday at the Westmount United Theatre, playing for one week.

# Best-Seller, "The Green Years" Comes to Westmount Screen

A. J. Cronin's story of Robert Shannon, the little Irish boy whose fictional growth from childhood to manhood became a top item on the best-seller lists, is now playing at the Westmount United Theatre until Saturday, in the film version of "The Green Years."

The adaptation is a faithful one. All the tenderness, quiet humor and human qualities with which the author pervaded his portrait of a shy Irish youngster thrown into alien surroundings, finding himself the butt between warring members of the family, molded by the tragedies and comedies of adolescence, have been retained in the story's transfer to the screen.

As in the book, the narrative begins with Robert's adoption by the narrow-minded and penny-pinching Papa Leckie and the feud between Grandma Leckie and the boy's irascible great-grandfather over which is to guide his schooling, religious training, and preparation for a career. It then traces his "green years" into manhood, with emphasis on such episodes as the torment of initiation into his first classroom, his puppy-love adoration for pretty little Alison Keith, his graduation from the academy and the tragedy of his failure to complete the examinations for a university scholarship. The story is brought to a close with the death of Grandpa Gow and the final realization of his grandson's aim to become an educated man.

The Cronin characterizations are brought to life by a superlatively fine cast. Charles Coburn takes first honors with his portrait of the lusty, lovable Grandpa Gow, and is closely sconded by Tom Drake in the role of Robert as a young man. Beverly Tyler is perfectly cast as the seventeen-year-old Alison Keith. The roles of the respective boy and girl as youngsters are ably filled by Dean Stockwell and Eilene Janssen, and others who stand out are Hume Cronyn as Papa Leckie, Gladys Cooper as the indomitable Grandma, Selena Roy as Mama Leckie and Jessica Tandy as Kate.

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★ WESTMOUNT Now Playing Until SATURDAY: CHARLES COBURN in "The Green Years," with Tom Drake, Beverly Tyler and Hume Cronyn.


# Glorious "Cornish Rhapsody" Playing At Snowdon

"Love Story," which makes its first Montreal appearance at the Snowdon United Theatre on Saturday, though not to be remotely described as a musical film, uses music in a way which enhances and accentuates the feelings of the characters in the story. Music becames in "Love Story," not so much a quiet, pleasing background to the action of the plot, as an integral part of the development of the characters themselves.

Margaret Lockwood, as Lissa, a concert pianist, goes to Cornwall on a holiday and, with what she supposes to be only one year of life ahead of her, meets an emotional experience of such strength, that she is inspired to write a piano concerto into which her love for Kit, her feeling of freedom beneath the Cornish skies, the emotion inspired in her by the grandeur of the rocky coast and the seas, the sadness that her life may be ended just as she has found love, all all poured. The result is the popular "Cornish Rhapsody," which was especially written for this film and is performed by the National Symphony Orchestra.

Co-starring with Margaret Lockwood are Stewart Granger and Patricia Roc, both of whom were together in the hit film, "Madonna of the Seven Moons," which recently played the Snowdon. Tom Walls heads a fine cast of supporting players.

# Amateur Size Safety Film Opens New Use

When "amateur" size safety film was introduced about 20 years ago, the way was opened to tremendous expansion of film use, announces the Associated Screen News of Montreal.

Today, home, school, church and commercial organizations are making use of 16mm and 8mm width films, making their own movies or building up libraries of professionally-produced movies, available at little more than the cost of the film on which copies are printed.

One company alone, Castle Films of New York, lists about 150 subjects in its latest catalogue. Subject matter runs all the way from newsreels and travelogues to cartoons in colour. All subjects are available for sound projectors, as well as in full length and condensed versions for 16mm and 8mm silent projectors.

**Xmas Parties**

Thus this Christmas daddy may stage a party for the kiddies, to amuse them with films he took of summer vacation activities, plus cartoon comedy, a wild animal picture taken in the heart of Africa, and a Santa Claus story.

Schools have available a source of films on world events, and travelogues from all parts of the world to make the geography lesson come alive.

**For Adult Too**

Adult audiences have musical and entertainment shorts of a wide variety from which to choose. Commercial companies showing their own advertising or instructional films use such "stock" films to round out their presentations.

The latest Castle Films catalogue, being distributed in Canada by Benograph division of Associated Screen News, features for instance, the News Parade of 1946, a round-up of the year's most important newsreel stories. The reel includes stories on the atomic bomb, 32 new cardinals being appointed by the Vatican, the Nuremberg trials, arrival of Canada's new Governor-General, the Paris Peace conference.

About one gallon of water is formed from the combustion of each gallon of fuel in an auto motor.

**OUTSTANDING DRAMATIC HIT!** Olivia De Havilland, seen above with newcomer, John Lund, has one of the greatest parts in her career in "To Each His Own", which starts at the Monkland United Theatre on Saturday, playing until Tuesday night.

**SPONSORED SHOW**

George Washington sponsored America's first aeronautical show. Jean Pierre Blanchard, French balloonist, under the patronage of the President, made an ascent in Philadelphia on Jan. 9, 1793. Although the flight was a success, the show was a dismal failure, due to poor ticket sales.

**STRANGE THOUGHTS**

John Cleves Symmes ,formerly an officer in the U. S. Army, in 1818 declared the earth to be a hollow globe, with openings through the thick shell at the north and south poles, into which ships could sail to the continents inside the sphere.

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# "The Green Years" Starts Saturday At The Seville

Charles Coburn, veteran character actor, and Tom Drake, one of the most promising young actors, join forces in bringing A. J. Cronin's tender story, "The Green Years," to the screen of the Seville United Theatre, where this grand picture starts Saturday and will play until Friday night. It tells of the friendship between a shy, sensitive youngster and his lusty great-grandfather.

The sceen adaptation of the best-selling novel has all the warmth, zest and humor of the original tale of Robert Shannon, the orphaned youngster who is at first intimidated by his foster-family, particularly its domineering matriarch, Grandma Leckie, who sends him to school in a suit made from one of her own beflowered petticoats; but who, after precipitous years of childhood and adolescence, finds his true career with the help of his adoring grandfather.

Told in retrospect, the growth of young Shannon is unfolded with the accent on such aspects as his determination, despite insult and mockery, to follow his religious principles; the early fights by which he gains the respect of his schoolmates; the humorous and tragic implications of his adolescent love affair with Alison Keith; and his final battle against overwhelming odds to go to the university and pursue his long-cherished ambition for a medical career. Through all of Shannon's experiences is shown the hand of his loving great-grandfather who is his fervent defender in every crisis and who is instrumental, even after death, in shaping Robert's future happiness.

Coburn's portrayal of the colorful octogenarian is a glowing one, while Tom Drake, as Shannon, is sensitive and appealing. Equally fine is the work of little Dean Stockwell, playing Shannon in his childhood years. The story is further brought to life in the portrayals of Beverly Tyler as Alison Keith, Hume Cronyn as Papa Leckie, Gladys Cooper as the unforgettable Grandma Leckie, Selena Royle as Mama Leckie, Jessica Tandy as Kate, and Richard Haydn as the sympathetic schoolmaster, Jason Reid.

"The Green Years" emerges from book form as a compelling and heart-warming picture.

# Approve Annual Convention Idea

Quebec Provincial Federation of Home and School Associations on Tuesday night approved the institution of an annual provincial convention, at a meeting of the federation council held in Herbert Symonds School and attended by representatives of some 20 Home and School groups.

Set up to study changes in the federation constitution was a special committee made up of K. G. Fensom, president, and A. M. Patience, past president of the Federation, Mrs. B. Segal and E. M. Patton.

Earlier in the meeting W. J. Perks, education officer under the Montreal Protestant Central School Board, discussed with the parents the new report cards recently approved by the school board.

**FIRST RUN BRITISH FILM!** Stewart Granger and Margaret Lockwood are co-starred with Patricia Roc in "Love Story," which has its first Montreal showing at the Snowdon United Theatre starting on Saturday, playing for one week. It features the very popular "Cornish Rhapsody," as played by the National Symphony Orchestra.

# *Only Veterans' Hotel Management And Catering School In Dominion*

The Hotel Management and Catering School operated by the Youth Aid Service at St. Paul l'Ermite, Quebec, for veterans, is the only instutition of its kind in Canada. In the United States, only two such instutitions are available, Lewis Hotel Schools and a four-year course in Hotel Management is offered by Cornell University.

Students are divided into different groups—management, general cooking and pastry cooking. Instruction covers all aspects of the hotel business, such as rooms, catering, stewardry, wines and spirits. Dining room service, and maintenance. The cooking and pastry courses are specialized work and the students taking this instruction devote their entire time to this department.

An important feature of the management course is that the students are given practical experience while taking their course. The school is operated on the plan of a hotel, and the students form the main bulk of the administrative staff. Room clerks, front office clerks, most of the cooks, waiters, the assistant manager, and even the maitre d'hotel; all are students, gaining practice in their various jobs.

Graduates of the school are now employed in hotels such as the Ritz - Carlton, Mount - Royal and New Carleton Hotels in Montreal. Other students, still at school, are gaining further practical experience during weekends, working in Montreal restaurants and cafes.

G. Frechette, the director of the School, has had a long varied hotel career. Aside from his experience in civilian hotels, he organized all the Paris leave centers for Canadian troops, after the liberation. He then took over the Officers' Club and remained there as managing director until early in 1946.

The project was realized by the Provincial Youth Aid Service in cooperation with the Canadian Vocational Training following agreement between the Quebec Provincial Government and the Dominion Department of Labour; occupational counselling prior and/or during such course remains under the responsibility of the Department of Veterans' Affairs.

### PUTTERS SOCIAL

The members of the Westmount Putters Social Club were entertained by an hour of moving pictures on Monday night at Victoria Hall. The films, supplied by the C.P.R., were very enjoyable. It is Chairman Stott's plan to continue filling in the group's meetings with similiar lines of entertainment.

The club will meet again this Monday night at Victoria Hall starting around eight o'clock.


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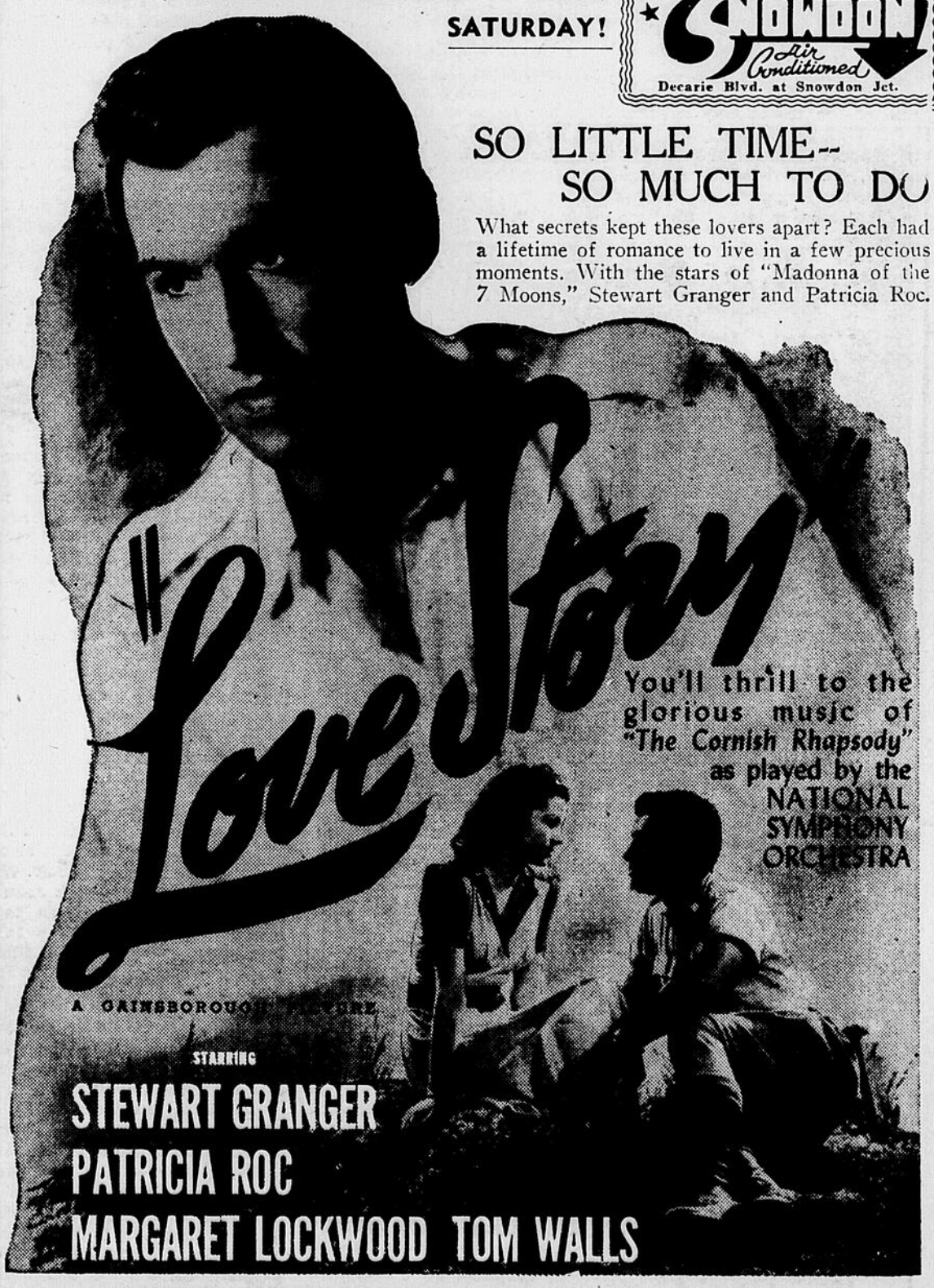



★ SNOWDON LAST SHOWING TODAY! "A LETTER FOR EVIE," with Marsha Hunt, John Carroll and Hume Cronyn. Also JAMES STEWART and PAULETTE GODDARD in "Pot O' Gold."

# Inters Expect Banner Season

## ST. LEO'S SPORTS

By LANG DESJARDINS

St. Leo's Senior football gamesters gathered at the Berkeley Hotel last Saturday evening to mark the official closing of an enjoyable season. Coach Andy McGillis after roasting his charges all season, toasted them in royal fashion at this football Social. The concensus of opinion of those attending was that this was undoubtedly one of the best organized social affairs they ever attended.

The Supper was highlighted by a humorous address by Father McDonagh and a rousing brief speech by Leo McKenna. Captain Moe Strachan, blushing like a bridegroom, had a few words to say. The coach thanked all the members of his team for their loyalty and devotion to practise throughout the season. Jimmy McCarthy, popular all around Academy athlete was the recipient of a beautiful rosary from his teammates who voted him the Academy's outstanding football player. Bob Bulger was called forward to receive a lighter from the team for performing yeoman service in coaching the line. Tokens of appreciation were also handed to coach Andy McGillis and student manager Johnnie Rolland.

**ODDS AND ENDS**

The school will enter a Bantam and a Midget team in the Westmount Municipal Hockey League. There will also be no less than five Pee Wee teams for St. Leo's in the Westmount Group.

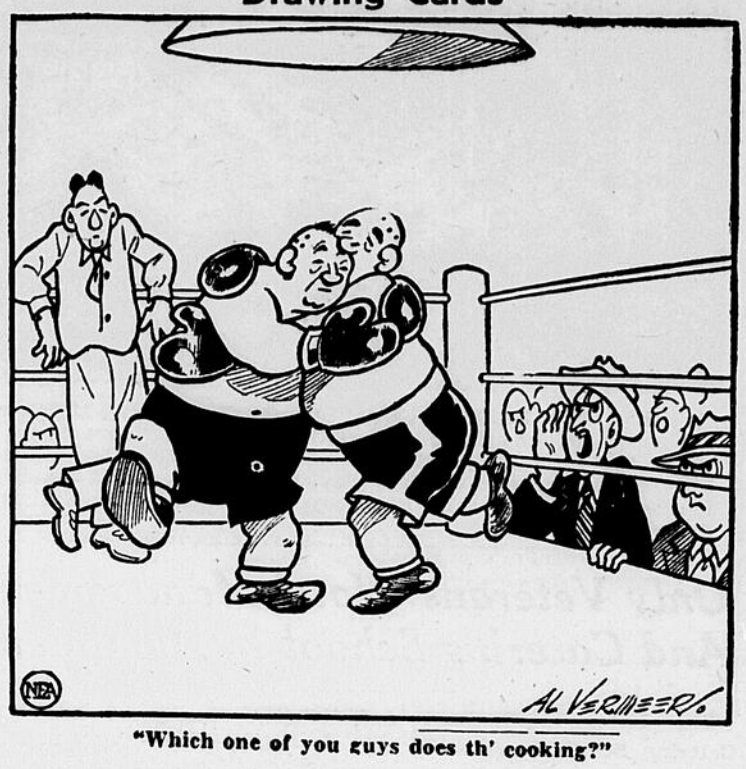
It is feared that the hockey program of the school may have to be cut down for the want of financial support from the parents. At present, St. Leo's with its nine for hockey organization among hockey teams, is second to none the Montreal schools. Its program gives every boy in the school, regardless of ability, the opportunity to play Canada's national sport.

The Senior "B" hockey team is fast rounding into shape and should be ready to open its exhibition series on Saturday December 14. It is not likely that there will be any more pruning of the squad.

This Saturday morning at Lachine Arena, our Bantams will play their initial game when they play host to Westmount High Juniors.

At McGill's Sir Arthur Currie Memorial Gym this Saturday evening, is scheduled a sports night that has featured on its program two former St. Leo's boxers; Milton Orr and John Heney. These two exceptionally fine athletes are among the best boxing prospects at McGill.

**Drawing Cards**




"Which one of you guys does th' cooking?"

## Y.M.C.A Briefs

**INTERMEDIATE BASKETBALL**

The Westmount 'Y' Intermediate Basketball team dropped their league game Thursday to N.D.G. 'Y' by the score of 51-24. After a very slow start in the first half, the Westmount boys came back to give the opposition real competition to hold their lead. Bower was the outstanding scorer for the winners with 18 points; while Parsons was second high scorer in the game, netting 10 points of Westmount's total.

The Intermediates played the Georgian Seniors in a Saturday afternoon exhibition game anl put up strong opposition, losing to the Georgians 42-35. McFee was leading scorer for the winners, with 13 points; while Dudley and MacLeod tied for second place, each scoring 10 points.

**WATER POLO**

Graydon Riepert is again coaching a Water Polo team at Westmount this year. The group practise Monday evenings at 8.30 and there is still room for a couple more players.

**FENCING**

The Fencing group, under the able guidance of Gordon Rowe and Norman Lavallee, are meeting regularly Wednesday evenings. Norban assures us that at least two of the class members will be ready for the Spring tournament.

**BOXING**

Bert Light's boxing club membership increases every week. The club meets Tuesday and Thursday evenings at 7.30, and Bert is now arranging inter-club bouts to determine representatives from Westmount 'Y' for the coming boxing competitions.

**GYMNASTICS**

The Gymnastic club and Senior Leaders' Corps members meet every Friday evening at 8.30. We are happy to welcome back John Foster and Art Henderson to this group. For membership in this group, see the Physical Director.

**GYM CLASSES**

Gym classes for women and business girls, under the leadership of Mrs. Margaret Fear, are held regularly Tuesdays and Fridays. These classes are open to all persons in the membership.

The boys' physical classes are conducted by Ross Bannerman, Assistant Physical Director and Fellowship Secretary. The boys' graded physical program is being followed in all the boys' classes, and is increasing in popularity. Already Ross has handed out over 100 "Award Cards" for movements successfully performed under the graded program standard.

# Four Squads Are Definite Entries

The Intermediate section of the Westmount Municipal Hockey League would appear to be headed for an extremely successful season. Four clubs, Royals, Aces, Stars and Juniors have definitely stated their intentions of operating while the Legion may also ice a squad, but their intentions will not be known for a week or so.

Plans are underway to have the loop schedule open on Monday, January 6, with a twin bill. These doubleheaders will be played at Westmount Park each Monday night, while single games will be played on Wednesdays and Thursdays. If the Legion enters the league, two games may be played on either Wednesday or Thursday.

**LIMIT ROSTERS**

The team managers agreed to limit the team rosters to 18 men,

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**Roderick Haig-Brown is a Scotsman, retired, who has been living in British Columbia for some years devoting all his time to fishing, writing, and studying the wild life of that great sportsman's paradise. Fishing to him is more than an amusement, it is an art, a science, a hobby, recreation and exercise. His deep love of the streams, the woods, and the wild life that inhabits his adopted province is evident in every permanent place on any bookshelf.**

### MOST SUCCESSFUL FOOTBALL SEASON ENDS

**The football season is now officially ended in Canada, with the culmination of the Dominion playdowns last Saturday at Toronto, where the Argos won the Canadian championship for the second straight year.**

**If there was any doubt of Krol's title to the Jeff Russell trophy after his showing against Alouettes and Balmy Beach, it was surely dispelled in the game against Winnipeg. But close behind King Joe was Royal Copeland who, playing his last game in Canada, probably turned in the best game of his career. Not only did he run and catch brilliantly, but the fans were treated to the spectacle of Copeland, usually the Argos' best pass-receiver fading back to throw one. And throw it he did, right into the waiting arms of Joe Krol, Canada's greatest passer, who snared it on the Bomber 10 and loped the rest of the way for the winning touchdown. All this goes to point out another strong asset in the ability of Royal Copeland. Copeland, largely overshadowed on the Argos by the triple-threater Krol, did most of the Toronto passing last year before Big Joe joined the Scullers after his release from the Detroit Lions in mid-season.**

### KROL MAKES THEM CHAMPS

**This is Krol's fourth successive year as a member of a Dominion finalist team, and the third year in four that he has played for the Canadian Champions. Another coincidence is the fact that the three champs for which he has played each beat Winnipeg for the Grey Cup and that in each game, Krol was the individual star. In 1943, when the Hamilton Wildcats beat the Westerners 23-14, Krol scored seven points on a placement, a single, and three converts and passed for the first Hamilton touchdown, besides setting up another Wildcat major with a fine run. His single was a terrific 75 yard returned kick that rolled to the Bomber deadline. In 1944, Joe's Hamiltonians were beaten for the Cup by the Montreal Navy team, but in the 7-6 defeat, Krol set up the Wildcat major with a 32 yard run in the last quarter and then kicked the convert. In 1945, he starred in the Argonauts 35-0 win over the Bombers. Joe passed for two of the Torontonians six touches, scored one on a sixty yard sprint after intercepting a Bomber forward, and kicked four other points. Then last Saturday, Krol passed for three of the Argo majors, scored one and kicked three converts. The other major came after a long Krol kick was seized by Royal Copeland on the Bomber one yard line on the old outside kick play. To this brilliant record when the chips were down, add Joe's fine seasonal records for the past four years, consider his prowess as a baseball and basketball player (he intends to play in the Class C Border League next year after a fine season in Toronto in which he hit over .400 and he is currently appearing with Canada's only professional basketball team, the Toronto Huskies) and you have the greatest Canadian sports figure since the days when Lionel Conacher, another Ontarian starred in several sports.**

## STAR OF THE WEEK

**By BOB LUNNY**

### NEALE LANGILL

Neale "Flash" Langill was awarded the "Star of the Week" award this week on a unanimous vote. The shifty right winger for Tag Miller's Junior Royals has caught the eye of Frank Selke, General Manager of the Montreal Canadiens and has been placed high on Canadiens negotiation list. In three full games that he has played for Royals this year Neale has chalked up eight points to his credit; in the other three games that his team played, Neale was out of the line up due to a damaged knee. He has one hat trick to his credit so far this season.

**Starts Bantam**

Neale started playing hockey for N.D.G. Royals Bantams when he was only twelve years old and helped them to the City Championship. The next year he left Daniel O'Connor to take up his studies at D'Arcy McGee. Neale was McGee's standout gridder in the Interscholastic Bantam Football League. He was a threat to all opposing teams until he broke his ankle playing against Loyola. In 1945 Neale went to Catholic High where he played Junior football and hockey for Brother Paul's squad. He also played for N.D.G. Juveniles last year. This year Neale decided to drop football and to concentrate entirely on his hockey. He will also be playing hockey for Catholic High Seniors this year. Besides being a standout in hockey he also plays a good game of baseball and softball and was on the All Star softball team that played up around Ste. Agathe the past summer.

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## Refresher Course Maple Leaf Inn

Shawbridge, P.Q.—Upwards of 60 professional ski instructors, members of the Canadian Ski Instructors Alliance, will gather here this weekend, December 7, to attend the annual refresher course sponsored by the Canadian Ski School.

Only group of its kind in North America, the Alliance will devote a week to reviewing ski technique and instruction methods, first aid and administration. Scene of operations will be the Maple Leaf Inn.

With the Laurentians currently sporting the greatest early-season snow depths of the past decade, indications point to this year's course being the most successful since their inception back in the mid-1930's.

Heading the Canadian Ski School as chief instructor and examiner will be Louis Cochand, ex-R.C.A.F. fighter ace, from St. Margaret's, Que., who was awarded the American D.F.C. and French Croix de Guerre in World War II.

## *Four Squads*

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but they will not affiliate with the Q.A.H.A. The league did not affiliate last year, and a very strong organization was built up, so that it was felt this might help matters along this year as well.

Representatives at the league meetings held on Monday night were Jim Martin and Ted Armstrong, Stars; Ray Binmore, Royals; John Brighton, Aces; Bill Dryden, Junior Football Club and Recreation Supervisor Jim McCormick.

Players wishing to play in this section of the Municipal League can hook up with teams by contacting any one of these persons. Further information may be obtained from Recreation Supervisor Jim McCormick at DExter 9351.

# *Minor Puck Sections Meet Wed., Dec. 11*

The minor sections of the Westmount Municipal Hockey League will hold another meeting this Wednesday night, December 11th, at Victoria Hall. All managers of bantam, midget and juvenile teams are requested to note the change in dates. It had first been set for Tuesday, December 10th, but as the hall was not available for that date, the meeting WILL BE HELD ON WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 11TH. The session will get underway at 7.30 p.m. sharp.

There is still lots of room for two teams to enter these sections of the league. There are two bantam sections, A and B; two midget sections, A and B; one juvenile group. The bantam group is for boys under 16 years of age on the same date while the juvenile section is for boys under 18 years of age on that date.

At the present time three juvenile entries have been received Hank Hensen's Panthers, Richard Lord's Tornados and Jack Gatto's Argos.

The midget A entries so far are Richard Lord's Tornados and Dave Ross' Panthers. A lone midget B entry is Andy McGillis' St. Leo's Academy club.

There are three bantam A clubs so far, Richard Lord's Tornados, Andy McGillis' St. Leo's team and Bob Gough's Panthers. Dave McDougall's Skulls is the only bantam B club.

Teams with application forms are reminded that if they wish to receive their players' cards at Wednesday's meeting, they should turn in their application forms to Recreation Supervisor Jim McCormick no later than Monday afternoon, December 9.

It has been brought to the attention of the league authorities that some of the team managers have been signing up players to cards, contracts or papers already. These contracts are not legal and a player signing such a form is not required to play for that club. The only contract a player has to sign is the regular Q.A.H.A. card and none of these have been issued as yet.

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DAWES BLACK HORSE BREWERY

# That They May Sing Again

By

## Muriel A. Thomson

## Staff Writer

ONE DAY in Ottawa years ago a boy was given two canaries by his mother and instructed to care for them in his room. With a child's enthusiasm he planted a Christmas tree on the hardwood floor, and among its stripped branches built a nest for his new pets. Before long the canaries multiplied, and the playroom of an eleven-year-old shoolboy suddenly blossomed into lively, full-blown aviary. Childhood observations matured with the years, and Mr. C. A. James now of Westmount, whose bird clinic at 357 Victroia Avenue is unique in the district, has become a "practitioner perfect" in the ways of birds with a reputation known far beyond the limits of this area.

Studying pharmacy at the University of Toronto, Mr. James served his apprenticeship in a hospital, where he became interested in the instruments of the operating room. When one of his tame pigeons developed a small tumour, the teen-age student manoeuvered his first successful operation with a scalpel. Further study in the use of drugs convinced him of their potential value for the treatment of birds, whose ailments and symptoms are as varied and unmistakable as those of human beings. The common tendency to destroy their lives when crippled without attempting a cure, disturbed him. Mercy-killing is advisable for irremediable suffering, Mr. James is convinced, but Nature should be assisted whenever possible in the preservation of her feathered creatures.

The career of the young pharmacist was interrupted by the first world war, and on returning from overseas he went to Calgary as a travelling agent for a drug firm. In 1927 he moved to Montreal, and here his hobby of understanding bird diseases became a profession. After a few years of doctoring the ailing pets of friends, he formally set up his clinic and residence on Victoria Avenue, where he and his wife have lived ever since. In 1942 he sold his pets to enter again the service of his country, and for four years was personnel director of Canadian Pratt and Whitney Aircraft Co., in Longueuil. Only last July was his clinic reopened, and it is not yet working on as wide a basis as before.

Mr. James keeps "boarders", particularly in the summer when the owners go away. Before the war he would board from 1200 to 1500 in a year. In the past three or four months, however, he has kept 170. The limit that can be housed at one time is 400.

At present over fifty canaries occupy the cages stretched side by side along his walls. Caged types of all kinds are welcome here, but canaries are the most common of the "house" variety, and are less inclined to homesickness. Parrots, Mr. James declares, compare with dogs in their lonesomness away from their masters. Recently, a sick parrot was brought to the hospital to be cured of an abscess, and remained for two days. During that time she refused to eat, and sat dismally on her perch. When the owner finally was sent for, she was greeted in an ecstasy of joy, with shrieks of "Mama!"

*Mr. James is registering the heartbeat of an African parrot, which is just coming out of a local anaesthetic, after an operation for abscess under the wing which was caused by an ingrowing feather. The heart of a parrot, unlike other birds, will not stand a general anaesthetic.*

CONGESTION of the liver is the most common ill treated by Mr. James, who claims this is caused by the mistaken kindness of the owner, who doesn't realize that a canary is a hard bird and needs sturdy food. In the same way that a pearl forms within an oyster, tumours arise from the clinging of foreign matter to the tissues, around which Nature erects a protection. Colds are evidenced by sneezing, and asthmatic conditions occur from the inhalation of the dust which is the residue of seeds, and which is sometimes thoughtless left in the seed bowl by the owned. Domesticity removes the need to scratch for food, and fosters the growth of long nails; callouses result if the nails are left untrimmed. Broken legs and wings are handicaps, but not a sufficient reason for death. Canaries with one leg sing quite as tunefully as those with two, this lover of natural life affirms Undiluted chloroform, which is difficult to control, is too dangerous for such tiny organisms. A safer mixture known as "ACE" is applied through a metal mask and sponge, producing the same reaction as in human beings. Prescriptions follow a similar pattern, with ordinary medicines being given in somewhat lesser doses. His instruments have no peculiar characteristics, but Mr. James prefers those of the dentist. A dental "spud" is used for probing, and a scalpel for cutting. Hypodermic syringes and needles for local anaesthesia are like our own.

*A bugle bird, held in Mr. James' capable hands, is having its nails trimmed. This bird is a native of South America, and though it is soft-billed like the robin, and requires a soft diet, its bill is needle-sharp. Care must be taken when handling this bird to keep it from picking as it can inflict severe damage with its bill.*

A few cases under cure are kept by Mr. James for weeks at a time, but most of his patients are brought in by the day, their owners being entrusted to carry out instructions themselves. In this little hospital where the bottles of drugs and medicines lining the walls are as varied as those of an ordinary dispensary, small fowl are examined, dosed, operated upon, and sent home feeling much less sorry for themselves. Here fractured limbs are mended by the sealing of a collodion cast with a "sling" of body feathers, to prevent the use of the injured part. As sicknesses are so varied Mr. James never prescribes any general tonic, believing in no "cure-all" remedy. Some of his medicines he prepares himself, but always for specific cases.

He is more than impatient with people who neglect the daily care of birds. His cages are completely changed once every two weeks, to avoid infection when the occupant is sick. The water is fresh every day, and the gravel "tray" and seed every two days. Seed should not be changed too frequently: a canary, like a child, is inclined to choose the parts it likes best, discarding that which is best for it. Diet is very important, as overfeeding or excess acidity causes many ills.

STIMULANTS are often wrongfully applied by owners who do not understand proportion. A few drops of brandy, for example, in a cupful of water does neither harm nor good to a drooping bird. Mr. James advises larger doses in such cases, one teaspoonful to a cup of water being average.

Why do canaries sing? Mr. James' answer to this is contrary to general belief. he asserts, but because of loneliness and A bird does not sing because it is happy, the desire for contact with its fellows, approach a singing bird and it will cease, as its aim of drawing attention is achieved. In wild life, songs are for the attraction of the mate. Happiness comes from health, and in all creatures of the universe, is manifested by alertness and sprightly behaviour.

Often in the springtime groups of children troop into the clinic bearing some stray nestling which has fallen from its shelter. They are never turned away, and their humaneness is encouraged.

Once in the back garden Mr. James found a robin with a crushed foot. He amputated the foot and looked after the sufferer for two weeks in his hospital and every day for four summers the robin returned to him and was fed at his door. More remarkable than this was the case of the canary which he visited several years ago. This pet, he was told, used to fly outside during the day to call upon the neighbours, and at 5.30 in the afternoon would perch on the gate post, waiting for its master's return. For admittance to the house it would peck at the screen door until the "knock" were answered. These achievements were confirmed by the neighbours who received the feathered visitor.

Mr. James had once a favourite canary which customarily perched on his head, but his favourite at the moment is a toy fox dog. In the winter he feeds sunflower seeds and peanuts to the pigeons outdoors.

All his canaries are local bred. Many of them he sells, particularly at the Christmas season. His customers, all known by him, often telephone their orders, as a sign of their confidence in his ability to make the best choice. A canary's quality is judged by its song, rather than by colour. Plumage varies in shades of yellow, green, white, brown and cinnamon.

Mr. James before the war did a good deal of voluntary work for people who could not afford to pay. For eight years he held a free clinic at the S.P.C.A., and he intends to re-establish himself there as soon as possible. Besides his hospital, he has a regular "doctor's route", in Ottawa as well as in Montreal, which he travels every six months. He is glad to prevent the loss of life from ignorant diagnosis at home by sending advice through correspondence. He lives with the belief that no care is too great for these winged "children of Nature", who have the same Creator as ourselves.

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**ACROSS**

1. Evening sun god (Egypt.)
4. Canine
7. City (Peru)
8. Dexterous
10. Indigo
11. Endure
12. Beetle
14. Coin (It.)
16. Garment border
17. Withdrawn from business
19. Shrubs (Jap.)
21. Distress signal
22. Perform
23. Eskimo tool
25. Piece out
27. Mulberry
29. Vase with a foot
31. Condiment
34. Light carriages
37. Narrow inlet (geol.)
38. Boast
39. Famous composer (Ger.)
41. A shield (var.)
43. Place of confinement (naut.)
44. Writing table
45. Solitary
46. Timid
47. Ovum

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1. South American game-bird
2. Arabian chieftain
3. Of the cheek
4. Peck
5. Four-sided pillars
6. Egg-white
7. Fastened with laces
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13. God of pleasure
15. Fuss
18. Digit
20. Stagnant
24. Canton (Switz.)
26. Meriting
27. Warp yarn
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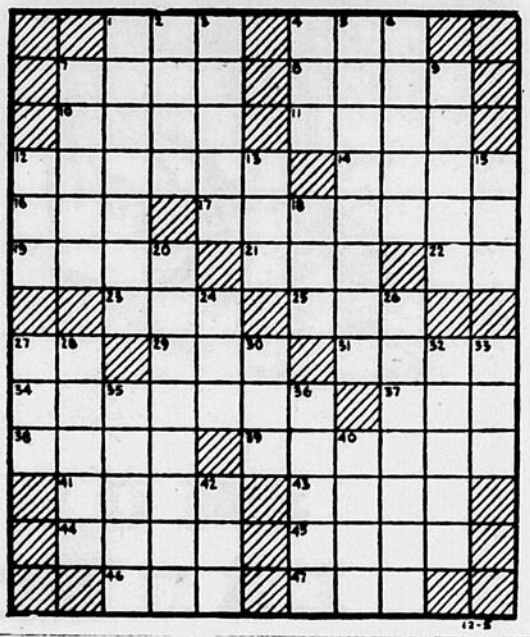

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