

Too austere a philosophy makes few wise men; too rigorous politics, few good subjects; too hard a religion, few religious persons whose devotion is long lasting.

THE HUNTINGDON CLEARER

THE LEADING ADVERTISING MEDIUM IN THE DISTRICT OF BEAUHARNOIS

True contentment depends upon what we have, but upon what we would have, but a tub was large enough for Diogenes, but a world was too little for Alexander.

SEVENTY-THIRD YEAR

HUNTINGDON, QUE., WEDNESDAY, MARCH 4th, 1936

EIGHT PAGES

First Break Prominent District Family In Death Of Doctor William Ness

Native of Howick, Graduate Local Academy McGill, Edinburgh Universities, To Become Great Specialist

The death occurred Thursday afternoon at his residence, 222 Metcalfe avenue, Westmount, of Dr. William Ness, well-known physician who had practised for many years in the United States. He was in his 59th year and had been ill four years.

Regular meeting of the municipal Council of Parish of St. Sacrement was held Monday evening. Coun. Hope absent.

Dr. Ness was born on June 16, 1877, at Howick, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ness. He started his primary education at the Huntingdon Academy and later became a student in arts and medicine at McGill University. He received his degree in medicine from Edinburgh University. Between 1904 and 1920 he practised in the United States, and had been in Montreal since 1920.

Moved by Coun. Parent, seconded by Coun. Anderson, that the financial report be accepted and the auditor be paid \$15 for his services.

In 1908, Dr. Ness married Beatrice, only daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Phaneuf, of Lewiston, Me. He joined the Canadian Army Medical Corps in 1918 and became major in charge of the Quebec district. He had served on the staff of St. Mary's Hospital at Lewiston, Me. and the Western Division of the Montreal General Hospital.

Moved by Coun. Lemieux, seconded by Coun. Templeton, that the following accounts be paid: Armand Coté, 3 accounts, \$21.50; E. Laberge, \$7.03.

Dr. Ness was a member of the Blue Lodge Council, at Mechanic Falls, Me., the Knights of Malta Commandery, and the Rotary Club of Lewiston, Me.

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He is survived by his wife, Beatrice Phaneuf, two sons, Alex. Nelson and Albert Farneth Ness, of Montreal, three sisters, Mrs. Alex. MacIntosh, of Edmonton, Mrs. R. B. Anderson, of Winnipeg, and Mrs. J. R. Bass, of Wilton, Me.; six brothers, R. R. D. T. and A. J. Ness, of Howick, Que., J. A. Ness, of Auburn, Me., Rowland Ness, of DeWinton, Alta., and Professor A. R. Ness, of Macdonald College.

A private funeral service took place at the doctor's late residence on Saturday afternoon. The officiating clergymen were Rev. Lawrence Clare, and the Rev. George Williams, D.D., a former minister of Georgetown Church. The body was taken to the crematorium, and the ashes removed to Howick for burial.

This death is the first break in the family of the late Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ness, of which until the death of the doctor, there were ten members living. The family has made a wide name for itself throughout the Dominion and in the United States. While the Ness name is possibly better known as being connected with great cattle breeders, Dr. Ness made the name well-known in many circles. He achieved wide recognition in the treatment of asthma while in the New England States, a practice which increased when he moved to Montreal. Patients came from Newfoundland and many parts of Canada and the States. In his passing the medical profession loses one of its valued members, and the family a devoted brother. The many Ness connections will sincerely regret the doctor's death and offer heartfelt sympathy to the bereaved.

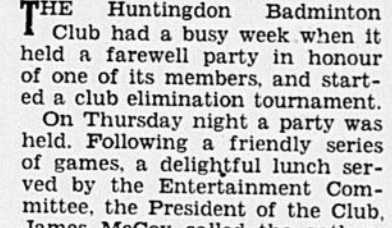
Massena Won Close Game Here Friday

Seniors Defeated 6-5 By Speedy American Team In Overtime Game

Open Play Is Feature

Through three periods of clean, fast hockey, the local seniors held the speedy Massena seniors on even terms then suffered a relapse during the first few minutes of the overtime session and the visitors took advantage of the fact to find the net for the goal that gave them a 6-5 decision.

Well-Known Physician



DR. WILLIAM NESS
Son of the late Robert Ness, of Howick, who passed away at his home in Montreal on Thursday after a protracted illness.

Badminton Club Made Presentation Member

The Huntingdon Badminton Club had a busy week when it held a farewell party in honour of one of its members, and started a club elimination tournament. On Thursday night a party was held. Following a friendly game of games, a delightful lunch served by the Entertainment Committee, the President of the Club, James McCoy called the gathering to order, and in a few well-chosen words expressed the regrets of the club members at the departure of Mr. George Macdonnell. On behalf of the club, Mr. Macdonnell then presented Mr. Macdonnell with a desk clock and expressed congratulations on his promotion and conveyed the best wishes of the club for his continued success. Mr. Macdonnell, teller at the local branch of the Bank of Montreal has been promoted to the Securities Department at the head office.

Greatest Of All Mission Work Done By Bible, Says Speaker

On Sunday the services in Zion United Church, Dundee, were conducted by Rev. Jas. Adams, B.A., Ph.D., who yearly brings a message of formation concerning the work of the Bible and the British and Foreign Bible Society.

Through the kindness of Mr. J. J. Fraser, who gave the use of his radio, that the Empire broadcast might be heard by the assembled congregation, the voice of His Majesty, King Edward VIII was heard, and his message received clearly. In the evening lantern slides were exhibited by Mr. Adams, illustrating important scenes in the life of David Livingstone, these were accompanied by a lecture.

Rev. Jas. Adams' visit was much appreciated; the best wishes of all go with him in his great work; the greatest of all mission work, for the Bible may go where missionaries cannot even venture.

At Least Another Month Of Winter Can Be Expected

And so they say the Winter is not yet over, that is if we are to judge according to the first day of March which was Sunday. This year, there was some leaping, and Saturday was observed as a rare birthday occasion by a few district people. It has been reported in local gossip circles that one Huntingdon spinner took full advantage of the supreme privileges offered Leap Year Day, and made a proposal which was responded to with a parcel containing five yards of Windsor Silks material. March really came in like a lamb. It may have been a little cold at the start but the day was really ideal. The temperature was well below zero in the early hours of the day, but it rose when the sun did. The sun shone magnificently all day, causing snow to melt and drip from the eaves. Ski-landed hikers enjoyed the most pleasant outings of this winter. But March must now go out like a lion. Local weather forecasts for the week predicted that by the end of the week we would be trying to get around in ten feet of snow, but we had enough winter so far that we would be satisfied with much less.

Sentenced To Year Jail On Theft Charge

Rosario Lefebvre Was Found Guilty Of Stealing Electric Motor

Team Not In Playoffs

Rosario Lefebvre, of Valleyfield, was sentenced to one year in jail by Judge Lemay last week on a charge of theft of an electric motor from the home of Moise St. Onge, on the Laurore Road. The theft took place last Fall. The motor was removed from an electric washer which was stored in a summer kitchen. Lefebvre had been sentenced on another charge, and as soon as released a Provincial Detective arrested him, on the charge of the electric motor theft. Other charges were also brought into the case with that of the accused received concurrent sentences. He was sent to jail for one year.

The Week at Ottawa

Arrangements Made With Both Railways to Absorb Many Men Thrown Out of Work by Closing Relief Camps

By Wilfrid Eggleston

The decision to close all the relief camps for single men by July first, beginning as soon as the weather permits, stands out as one of the leading announcements of the week. It was made by Hon. Norman Rogers, Minister of Labor, who stated that all arrangements had been made with the two railway companies to employ 10,000 additional men on deferred maintenance (trackage) work to be paid the same wage as those now employed in that manner. This will take care of more than half of the present population of the camps. Farm placement schemes, reforestation and fire prevention work, roadwork in some of the new mining areas and other schemes will be developed, and in addition it is hoped that some of the men will be absorbed into private industry when spring comes along.

There are about 130 of these camps, from coast to coast. Beginning the first of this week, the men who remain in the camps will receive, instead of the present cash allowance of 20 cents a day, payment of \$15 per month. Half of this will be paid in cash each month, half when the men leave the project, the latter balance being payable at any post office in Canada at the rate of \$4 per week. This is to assist the man who is getting employment in private industry. No new projects are being opened, and no new admissions made to the camps.

The debate on the United States trade agreements, began last Tuesday and resumed on Friday, dealt with one of the most important subjects of the session, but in its early stages at least nothing very new was brought out. The provisions of the agreement were fully uncovered at the time when the agreement was signed; and public interest in the historical background is not very evident. In the political bickering over the agreement there is still less interest. It seems to be impossible for the House to debate even so vital a matter as trade between the two greatest customers in the world without fighting ancient political battles ad nauseam.

Premier Mackenzie King in the course of a rather dull discourse, heavily documented, did succeed in bringing out into sharp focus the importance of the agreement. "Depression," he said, "rightly understood, means nothing more or less than the absence of trade; and may I state the reverse as being equally true, that a trade plenty of trade means the end of depression."

A Picturesque River Scene



KENSINGTON DAM
An interesting view showing the dam and grist mill on the Trout River at Kensington in its summer garb. The mill is operated by Maitland McCracken.

Two Ormstown Residents Mark Leap Year Birthdays Celebration

L. R. Grotto, who lives in Ormstown, Que., celebrated his 20th birthday Saturday. Ordinarily that might not be news, but Mr. Grotto was born 84 years ago, on February 29th, 1852, and as a result only enjoys a birthday every four years. He should have celebrated his 21st birthday this year, but he missed one at the end of the century—there being no leap year from 1896 to 1904.

For a man who has lived 84 years and has had only 20 birthdays, Mr. Grotto has had a colorful life. He was born in Tring, Hertfordshire, England, and sailed around the world four times before his sixth birthday, or rather, before he was 21 years old. He came to Canada in 1890 and was associated with the Montreal Safe Deposit Company for 33 years.

Mr. Grotto will be of age in 1940—that is to say he will celebrate his 21st birthday.

Les Canadiens Lose Match To Ormstown

Rugged Encounter Goes To Home Team In Event Versus Huntingdon

Schools Play Series

On Friday night, Huntingdon Canadiens played an exhibition hockey game with Ormstown Seniors, the latter winning by a 5-3 score, before a small crowd of supporters.

Canadiens Stage Comeback Topple Textiles, Even Series

Staging a sensational comeback over the form that saw them drop a 6-1 verdict to Leach Textiles last week, Canadiens flashed a brand of hockey Monday night that gave them an impressive 5-2 victory over Leach Textiles and put them very much back in the running for the Town League Cup. By their decisive victory Canadiens have served notice that they are a team to be reckoned with, and in many quarters are now favorites to win.

They displayed a complete reversal of the form which saw them lose the first game of the series a week ago, and their exhibition Monday night was of championship caliber. After their first period tally they held the Millers out until 18 minutes of the second before the tying goal was registered and then in the third stanza they broke through the crumbling Textile defence for four goals to put the game on ice.

Art Holdings O'Reilly Estate Up For Auction

Items of particular interest to people of this district appeared in the current issue of the Art Digest, and the New York Sun of last Saturday, concerning rare paintings now owned by the O'Reilly Estate which were to be sold at the American Art Galleries in New York City. Included were American and English period furniture and decorations, early American silver, Sheffield plate, and porcelains.

Mr. O'Reilly was another "local boy who made good." He was born at St. Agnes. He started his business career as a youth clerk in the J. Y. Cameron store at Fort Covington, later going to New York where he became associated with the Belding Silk Company, and eventually a partner in the firm.

He owned a lovely colonial home at Bridgeport, Connecticut, and there collected many exquisite prints, etchings, paintings, silver and furniture, which are now being auctioned to settle the estate.

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Girls Training Group Formed Hemmingford

Communication Outside Cut Off By Bad Sleet Storm Monday

Aged Resident Dead

Neighbor Noticing No Sign Of Life In House Found Occupant Dead

On the evening of Feb. 25th a meeting was held at St. Andrew's Manse for the purpose of organizing a Canadian Girls in Training Group. The ten girls present elected the following officers: Leader, Mrs. R. C. Ross; President, Ruth Johnston; Vice-President, Jennie Barr; Secretary, Nina Keddy; Treasurer, Irma Cameron; Pianist, Wilma Curry.

Second Masquerade In Huntingdon Rink Successful Affair

The second Skating Rink Masquerade for this season was held on Saturday night when a large number of spectators turned out to witness the parade of characters. The entries were divided into three classes, National, Fancy, and Comic. The judges' placings were made after much deliberation and seemed to please the spectators. A Grand Prize of \$15 for the best costume on the ice has been offered by the Rink Association, and it was expected that entries would have been much more numerous than they were actually. Cosack, portrayed by Miss Irene Brunet and Roma DeReppigny won the grand prize. National winners were Christina Durin as a Scotch lassie, and Etienne Lefebvre as a little Chinaman.

Company Finished Year With \$2773.00 Net Profits While Full Service Maintained Existing Standards Improved

The annual general meeting of the shareholders of Huntingdon Chateau Inc. was held at the Chateau on Monday afternoon when the financial report showed that the company had finished the year with net profits of \$2773.

Annual Meeting Chateau Shareholders Hear Good Report Year's Business

President D. Faubert presided, and after a few words of welcome to the shareholders called upon the Secretary Alfred Langevin to read the financial statement. After the statement had been read Manager Langevin presented a report of the year's business stating that this sixth report was the best for three years. He stated that the interests of the shareholders of the company were protected by the unfair competition threatened by irresponsible and insufficiently regulated places of accommodation of all kinds.

He believed that the Company should place itself on record as favoring the encouragement and protection of an established and recognized industry which performs the function of providing the travelling public with accommodation of a high standard, at a price well within the means of all classes of patrons, and under conditions which guarantee the security of life, health, property and public morals. The modern hotel system has an honorable ancestry, descended as it is from the inns of the middle age and later centuries, with a constant improvement in standards of service, until today it assures to the public, a degree of safety, comfort and security never before achieved. Recognized Canadian hotels of today are the product of years of experience, of a capital investment of millions of dollars, and of the application of the most scientific and up-to-date principles.

Continuing he said: "The well conducted hotel is not only a great asset to any town or village, offering hospitality and service to the travelling public, but it is also an integral part of the social and business interests of every citizen of the community. 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Education Week Observed?

PULPIT, press, radio and schools throughout the Dominion, last week brought to the attention of the general public, the importance of education to the individual and to the state. Quebec was in the van of the movement, but if one were to judge by the contribution given to Education Week by this district, then it was pretty much a failure. The special course of education actively conducted outside the schoolrooms, was clearly intended, and did achieve the result, of impressing further on the people's mind a sense of responsibility towards youth, to stir wider interest in school training, and to direct national attention to civic ideals and strengthen the public will to greater sacrifices, so that there may be larger facilities for developing young intelligence and a constantly improving method of imparting knowledge.

As a democracy like ours is absolutely dependent upon an enlightened electorate, it is noteworthy that one topic which was specifically stressed during the week's campaign was education as a training for citizenship. Too much cannot be said in favour of enlightening the electorate as to its duties as citizens. For too long has a large percentage of Canadians not been following the dictates of its own conscience when it comes to the matter of franchise. And an education in citizenship does not include a training in or toleration of "BUYING" class offices with peanuts or chocolate bars, as happened in a local school no later than last Fall, and another instance where the parents' children in school were treated to candy on the eve of an election date. All these occurrences do not contribute to the proper education of the rights and duties of Canadian men and women.

Huntingdon Academy, which has a reputation to uphold in the matter of education, gave no lead. Some will say that due to the Principal's illness there was no move there. But this Education Week was not so much a school affair. It was inaugurated to bring forth interest on the part of parents and School Boards, and there was nothing to stop the School Board from calling a gathering of parents, teachers, and the Board to hear a good lecture on some educational topic, and discuss matters of interest to all three. One of the places where the week was observed was at Dundee, where a Consolidated School became a High School a little more than a year ago.

In Quebec, the Consolidated School has been almost invariably a success. It has brought the advantages of urban school instruction to the door of rural communities without sacrificing that which is distinctly rural and best in rural life. The consolidated school, has enhanced educational facilities through an enlargement of school classes and a better grading of pupils, and by the employment of more highly qualified teachers at bigger salaries chiefly owing to the relief from rural isolation. The Consolidated School, however, has developed a more alert and intelligent interest in education amongst the people, and this is reflected in the events of the past week. It can be emphatically stated that Education Week was successful. Regrettably, we, of this district, contributed very little to its observance.

New Era in Agriculture

WE are in the early dawn of an industrial revolution in agriculture. Recent developments have borne out the scientists' prophecy of a new and golden era for the farmer. Material that was once looked upon as waste has been claimed by science and put to use. For example, cotton seeds were once thrown away, now cotton seed oil is used in soaps, candles, cooking and other uses and the seeds of a billion and a half cotton crop have a value of over \$200,000,000 to the farmer. Corn has also been treated in the chemists' laboratory and over a hundred uses have been found for it, from glycerines, used in explosives, to carbon dioxide, used in making "dry ice." More than one tenth of the corn crop has the factory as its market. Wheat straw is made into corrugated paper boxes and the wall board industry, which is revolutionizing building practices, is based on the chemical conversion of farm by-products that a few years ago were deemed next to worthless.

Although the percentage of farmers has been reduced from 90 percent in 1790 to 20 percent in 1930, science is not alarmed, for it maintains that half the present day farmers produce 85 percent of the agricultural products and that even 5 per cent could produce the present day agricultural output by a concentrated application of today's farming knowledge. Corn, grown by the scientist, will grow a foot in ten days and the seed germinated produces five times the volume of seed planted. Other grains treated in a similar manner show similar results.

Although the lead in this movement for a new era in agriculture has been largely credited to the United States, Canada is not far behind. The Dominion Department of Agriculture has yearly been increasing its grant to aid the Canadian farmer to produce bigger and better crops and healthier farm animals. The department has nine separate branches each with a clear-cut duty and responsibility. These are, the Health of Animals Branch, Experimental Farms, Dairy and Cold Storage, Live Stock, Seed, Entomological, Fruit, Economics, Publicity and Extension. The government has wisely realized that industry will buy from the farmer, because the farmer with money will buy from industry, and its effort to make agriculture a money-making proposition for the farmer is a worthy one. However, the farmer must learn to use the facilities and the knowledge placed at his disposal by the government if he is to maintain his position in the progressive class. Agricultural colleges and private research institutions are spending vast sums of money to find new methods of combatting insect plagues, plant diseases and more economical methods of crop production. The farmer who would make a success of his business in the future must be educated, and science is supplying the education.

The King's Message

THE King went to the British Broadcasting Company Station to deliver his message, the Station did not come to him. Therein he set a precedent, for the Royal Personage heretofore, had always spoken from one of his palaces. As Prince of Wales he went to an ordinary studio when he had a message to broadcast, and he followed this same plan as King. In his address the King stated that he was the same man as the Prince of Wales, and that the things he did as Prince, he would also do as King.

The King was following an ancient tradition of British monarchy in sending a message to his Empire, but he availed himself of the opportunity offered by science to have his voice heard by the millions waiting anxiously for his first address. The message was simple, and those who hoped to find some political or policy reference, were well frustrated. The whole address was an ordinary son expressing the thanks of himself and his family for expressions of sympathy shown them in their bereavement. As Emperor of India he gave a special message of concern for these untold millions of varied castes, and to them all he was—their fellowman.

After a glorification of his father's qualities, he enumerated a few of his own qualifications for the position which he now holds. And so he said: "I am better known to most of you as the Prince of Wales—as a man who, during the War and since, has had the opportunity of getting to know the people of nearly every country of the world under all conditions and circumstances. And although I now speak to you as the King, I am still the same man who has had that experience, and whose constant effort it will be to continue to promote the well-being of his fellow men. May the future bring peace and understanding throughout the world, prosperity and happiness to British people, and may we be worthy of the heritage which is ours."

To which we respond: "May God bless him, and preserve him long unto his peoples."

Motor Vehicle Registrations

A RECENT statistics bulletin from the Motor Vehicle Bureau of the Quebec Roads Department contains some very interesting information. The registration of motor cars is usually taken as an indication of improved or impaired conditions, and it is axiomatic that registrations increased from 165,286 in 1934 to 170,644 last year, representing 5538 vehicles or 3.24%. From 167 vehicles registered in 1906 the figures jumped to 13,448 in 1916, and in the next ten years to 107,994. The boom years are clearly indicated in the figures. 1926 to 1927 registrations jumped by 20,170. The following year there was an increase of 19,986, and 1928 to 1929 showed the largest increase of any year—21,015. The figures dropped to a 9443 increase in 1930. In 1931 there was a decrease which dropped further in 1932, and still further in 1933. There was an increase in 1934, and again 1935.

The number of new vehicles registered in 1926 was 15,000; this increased to 27,500 in 1929, and dropped in 1933 to 6000.

Beauharnois County has 1496 cars of which 600 are in Valleyfield, and 170 in Beauharnois village. Chateauguy County has 1361 cars, and Huntingdon County 1496, of which 475 are in St. Anicet, Athelstan, Hemmingford and Huntingdon villages.

Ford has the highest classification of passenger cars with 27,738; Chevrolet is a close second with 26,219. Buick follows with 9439, and Pontiac close behind having 9171 cars. The other four makes in order are Dodge 7766; Chrysler 7560; Plymouth 6715, and Essex 5862. Ford also leads with trucks having 8606 vehicles; Chevrolet 6777; Dodge 2192; G. M. C. 2080; International 1834; Reo 1061, and White 1053.

The annual figures show that during 1935 there were 135,841 men operators licensed, 15,512 women were licensed to drive, and there were 43,168 chauffeurs. Automobile dealers numbered 328. Garages registered numbered 1519.

These Japanese

F ICTION could have fabricated no stranger a story than the truth which came out of Japan this past week. The supposed assassination of the Premier and other foreign officials in an attempted military coup, set flames of bitterness soaring high among the rebel and government forces in the Land of the Rising Sun. Diplomats of the world had started to send messages of sympathy to the bereaved families, and chiefly to that of the Premier, Emperor Hirohito had taken means to control the rebel groups, and had appointed a temporary Premier, when the old one returned to life.

But behind it all is a very strange story. The rebel group called at the Prime Minister's official residence to enforce their coup. The first man they met was Matsuo, brother-in-law of Premier Okada, whom they mistook for the Premier. Matsuo did not remonstrate, but allowed the rebels to take him to the palace gardens for execution, quite satisfied that the rebels had made a mistake and that the Premier's life had been saved. The Premier hid himself in a chest and stayed there two days. When the coffin came to remove the supposed body of Okada, the real Okada enclosed himself with Matsuo, to be transported to his own private home. And so, a few days later, when things had been quieted, Premier Okada reappeared—and his Premiership was reaffirmed.

A number of the matinee leaders were arrested. As is usual in Japan, the rebels were given the choice of execution or suicide. Hari-kari is a common thing in Japan—it is now a pistol shot through the head. All of which goes to show that we little understand these Japanese. It is glorious to die for another; it is better to die than be shamed. In the Christian religion we would have difficulty in co-operating these two Oriental principles.

The seriousness of the situation is obvious. If the militarists succeed in gaining the upper hand and the aggressive policies are pushed ahead, then the chances of relief for the oppressed taxpayer will vanish into thin air. If the liberals succeed in retaining control and the civil forces in the Government override the extreme militarist body, then it is clear that Japan must modify her present policy in Asia and turn to improving the state of affairs at home before she looks for fresh fields to conquer or absorb.

It is impossible to discern at present what will be the outcome of the uprising of last week. But there is some reason to hope that the counsel of the majority of the far-seeing statesmen whom the Emperor has called to his side in this crisis may prevail. The influence of the Mikado is evidently still able to bring order out of chaos. It is well known where his sympathies lie. But there are other influences at work in Japan that may undo much of the splendid work that the liberals have accomplished in recent years. Unless they can be chained, the near future may hold grave disaster for Dai Nippon. Her best friends will wish that she may avoid it and walk the ways of peace.

Chroniced News Bits

BOOK SAVES HOME

A few weeks ago the future did not look any too rosy for Mr. and Mrs. Lester Jacobs and their six children at Bay St. Louis, Miss. Jacobs is a toll-bridge keeper across the Mississippi river, but free bridges constructed by the late Huey Long had bankrupted the bridge company. While a student at the University of Maine, Mrs. Jacobs won a \$12 prize for an article she wrote and has been ambitious ever since to become an author. She wrote several short stories, but they would not sell. Then came family cares to take up her time. Four years ago she began writing a novel about life on the farm in the Maine community in which she grew up. She finally finished the story, most of it written late at night, and entered it in a magazine novel contest. She was awarded first prize, \$10,000 in cash.

TO CROSS THREE DESERTS

A Cornishman, Norman Pearn, of Kent, has just left London on an attempt to cross three deserts. He plans to cross first the Sahara, and then the Libyan desert. From this he will pass through Abyssinia. After crossing the Red Sea, he will tackle the most dangerous part of his journey—the dreaded Rub al Khali in the Arabian desert. Only two white men in the world have successfully challenged the waterless wastes of the Rub al Khali. They are two Englishmen, St. John Gilby and Bertram Thomas. Arabs fear this "Empty Quarter" as the desert is called, and there are few, besides those who accompany the two explorers, who claim to have crossed it. Pearn's proposed journey will be 4,000 miles long.

PAY 17 YEARS LATE

Enlisting for service in the World War, Harold Irish, a Manchester, Conn., carpenter, locked up his box of tools and told his mother to keep them until he returned. The transport on which he crossed the Atlantic was sunk off the coast of England and Irish was among those drowned. His mother, Mrs. Mary Irish, has kept her son's tool box all these years but never opened it until recently when she needed a screw driver. Lifting the lid, she saw a slip of paper. It was a pay order for \$27 dated March 2, 1918, made out to her son for a week's work. Mrs. Irish took it to the company that had issued it and it was paid.

BOY BAGS CONVICT

After binding, gagging and robbing a dentist in Colman, S.C., an excellent convict carrying rifle, fled down a street on foot. The alarm had been given and pursuers started after him. Eugene Perry, telegraph messenger boy jumped on his bicycle and soon outdistanced all the other pursuers. Catching up with the fugitive, he jumped from his wheel and made a flying tackle, bringing the man down although he was struck by the rifle in doing so. But Eugene hung on until other pursuers caught up and disarmed the man. Now Eugene Perry is the proud possessor of a gold medal given him by the telegraph company.

CHAIN LETTERS LOST

In his annual report, Postmaster-General Farley, of the United States, gives some inkling as to what became of many of the dime sent out during the chain letter craze last spring. "Undeliverable letters received in dead letter offices during the year," Farley reports "that contained money numbered 145,045, an increase of 102,201 over the previous year. Money found therein amounted to \$109,011, an increase over the previous year of \$39,504. Increase in the number of money letters and contents was due primarily to large mailings of chain letters which began in the early spring and reached the peak during May. Millions of the 'send-me-a-dime' letters were mailed to the enrichment, so far as is known, of only the postal revenues."

PAYROLL TON OF SILVER

An insurance company in Bloomington, Ill., with a weekly payroll of \$38,000, will pay off its 680 employees in silver at this year. The company believes this "jingling silver" money will stimulate business and help bring back prosperity locally. Another advantage, company officials reason, is it will lessen the danger of payroll robbery. The \$38,000 would weigh more than 2,000 pounds in silver dollars, and would present difficulties to hold-up men.

PRODIGY BORN BLIND

At 20 months old, Carol Rowe, Creston, Ia., who has been blind since birth, has a vocabulary of 600 words, which is five times as many as the average child of her age knows. An intelligence test by Dr. Wendell Johnson, of the University of Iowa, gave her a rating of 165 per cent, 100 being normal. Apparently mother nature has given this little girl a keener mind and ears to make up for the missing eyesight.

HUSBAND WELL TRAINED

While Henry Sundermann was sitting in on a conference of business associates in Cincinnati, the conference were started by an alarm clock going off. "It's all right, gentlemen," said Sundermann in explanation as he opened his brief case and stopped the ringing clock. "My wife put it in there to be sure I would meet her down town at 5.30. We're just about through anyway."

INSULL GETS PENSION

After being acquitted of charges in connection with the collapse of the financial empire, causing a loss of \$2,000,000,000 to investors, Samuel Insull went out "to look for a job" as he was broke. He failed to find work, but that need not worry him now as directors of four former Insull companies that survived the crash have voted him pensions totalling \$21,000 a year.

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WIFE PLAYS TRUANT

When officers called at his home in Lancaster, Pa., Augustus Bowers was a very much surprised man, particularly when they placed him under arrest. "The charge against me is that you haven't been sending your wife to school, one of the officers explained. That made everything clear to Bowers when he remembered his wife was only 15 years old. Another disadvantage for marrying too young.

STREET CAR GETS LOST

After several passengers had told a street car motorman in Minneapolis he was off his route, the motorman stopped to get his bearings. He admitted he was lost but declared he would find his way back. Round and round the residential section the car travelled until the motorman, new on the job, finally gave up. The 55 passengers, glad to get out of the car, found their way home as best they could, while the lone motorman started to look for his car in the west part of the city. He finally wound up at the car barn on the opposite side of town.

MOUSE DELAYS ROMANCE

Finding of an engagement ring, lost 43 years ago, has revealed, in Hoylake, England, the life secret of Mrs. John Preston. When Preston placed the single stone diamond on her finger in 1892 he said "Lose this ring and you lose me." Soon afterwards it disappeared, and the girl secretly bought a duplicate. Later came a lovers' tiff. Preston threw the duplicate ring into the Mersey river, went to Africa to serve in the Boer war, and returned home wounded 11 years later. The couple were married and went to Quebec, Canada. Preston died recently and Mrs. Preston returned to Hoylake to find her old home, the Ship Inn, being reconstructed. At her request workmen searched and found the ring in an abandoned mice nest beneath the floor of her old bedroom. A mouse had stolen it 43 years before.

BLAZE ON WHEELS

The driver of a truck for the Port-Sanitary company in Hot Springs, Ark., reversed the usual order by taking a fire to the fire department instead of the other way around. In some way a load of trash he had in his truck caught fire. Rushing to a telephone he called the fire department, then jumped into his blazing truck and sped toward the city. To add to the confusion, several motorists thinking the truck driver unaware his truck was afire raced after him. The fire had reached the cab of the truck by the time he met the fire apparatus coming to meet him and he had to abandon it. However, the company extinguished the blaze before much damage was done.

HOUSE FOR PARTIES

Two years ago, Mr. and Mrs. Potter Palmer, of Chicago, closed their family mansion on Lake Shore Drive and moved into an apartment. Last fall, when their youngest daughter, Pauline, was ready to make her debut into society, the historic old mansion was re-opened, cleaned, redecorated and refurbished for Miss Palmer's coming out party. Guests numbering 300 came to the old house to pay their respects to their hosts and daughter and to dance in the famous ballroom. After they went home the Palmers returned to their apartment and the old mansion, big enough to house several families comfortably, was locked up again to stand empty and silent once more.

\$100 CLAPPING FEE

The clapping "rocket," which for years has flourished at the Metropolitan opera house, New York, has now been broken up by Edward Johnson, new Canadian-born manager. He vowed to do this when taking up his appointment last May. Until then loud applause by paid supporters had been a feature of certain performances at the opera house. The leaders of these "claps" earned as much as \$100 a week for their clapping. Nervous new singers were their best customers. A fee of \$25 was not unusual for causing a newcomer to take a bow. Even certain famous singers were not above using the "claps" not so much to gain applause as to ensure that applause came at the right moments.

CHURCH FOR DUMB

Started eleven years ago in Clapham, London, as a church for the deaf and dumb, St. Bede's church is at last to be completed. Owing to lack of funds the building has stood all this time without a roof, although an institute has been carried on in the basement. "The church will cater for the 1,680 deaf and dumb people in South London," said G. W. Simes, secretary of the Royal Association in Aid of the Deaf and Dumb.

FOOLED INTO SAVING

Following the Democratic national convention in Chicago, Ill. in 1932, Roy K. Clement, Gloucester county, New Jersey, decided he would attend the Democratic convention of 1936 and began saving money for the trip. Up to the first of the year he had saved several hundred dollars, or enough to pay his way to San Francisco and back, as that city was considered as a place for holding the convention. Then the Democrats picked Philadelphia, which is only 100 miles from Clement's home and can be reached on a ten-cent fare.

4,000-YEAR-OLD VILLAGE

Remains of a prehistoric village dating back to the Stone Age have just been uncovered at Oppeln, in Silesia. The village, according to the South German Press, is "not only one of the oldest yet discovered on German soil, but also contains one of the richest and completest archaeological finds in all Europe." Relics found in its several layers "present a picture of the development of civilization in Germany for a period of 3,000 years."

Letters to The Editor

Huntingdon, Que.
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Editor,
Huntingdon Gleaner,
Town.

Dear Sir,—

I was one of the people who stayed at home Sunday and listened to the message broadcast by King Edward VIII. I enjoyed his address, and I am now, more than ever, imbued with a spirit of patriotic enthusiasm. But I must say that I did not like these radios in churches, and it seems to me the whole thing was motivated, more by curiosity than genuine patriotism. It is hard to realize that a collection of churches would suspend the message of the King of Kings over the waves of His earthly monarch. Unto Caesar what is Caesar's—Unto God what is God's, Sunday is the Lord's Day, and we go to church to hear His message.

With radios mounted in pulpits, and no specified time set for the broadcast, the clergyman was naturally expecting at any minute to have to call a halt in a sermon, prayer or hymn. Why weren't the services put on an hour earlier if the churches were so concerned? How many of them held memorial services for one of the greatest Kings the British Empire has ever known, the late beloved King George? When the time drew near for the broadcast can you imagine people squirming in their seats, hoping the officiating clergyman would stop, so they wouldn't run a chance of missing anything on the radio.

It seems to me the whole thing savours somewhat of a sideshow, and was started as a publicity stunt. The message was broadcast about four o'clock English time. Maybe this was the most ideal time for the Empire. Insofar as North America is concerned, it would have been much better if the broadcast had been two hours later, or put on during the week, not Sunday.

I wonder if the same people who arranged to have the radios in the churches Sunday would have put themselves out on a Monday or Tuesday to go home from their work to listen to their own radios, or would have given their employees time off to listen to the broadcast, or installed one in the plant? Most people take it as a matter of course to be late for church on Sunday, and yet that does seem a very disrespectful act. In a letter to the clergy of his diocese, the Anglican Bishop of Montreal called attention to the fact that it would be lack of respect to the King not to be in one's place in church before eleven o'clock.

I claim to be just as patriotic as anyone to the new King of England. I can sing the National Anthem, know how to stand at attention, salute the flag, and know when the flag is rightly flown. Apart from that I fought for my country, and I'm ready to fight again, if needs be, but all this radio in church tommyrot made me sick.

Respectfully yours,
A GENUINE PATRIOT

Howick, Que.
February 25th, 1936

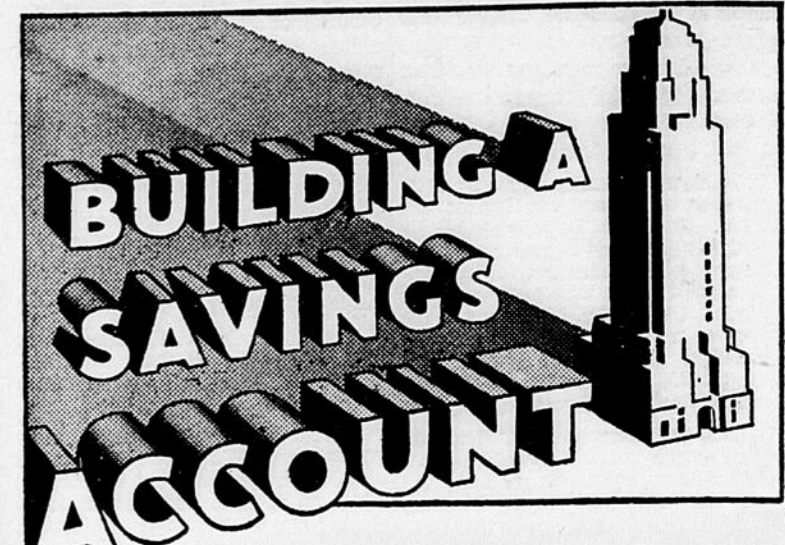
Editor, Huntingdon Gleaner,

Dear Editor:
In these weeks of annual statements and general reviews of last year's businesses, I wish to call the attention of readers of the Gleaner to a thoughtful consideration of the following report as it appeared in a Montreal paper—namely the Saint Hyacinthe municipally owned and operated electric light plant. This plant powered by a diesel engine reduced the electric light rates over 50% in comparison with the power as previously bought from a public utility company reducing the light charges from 7½ cents per K.W.H. to three cents per K. W. Hour, less 5% thus saving the municipality \$75,000. Furthermore, the plant finished the year with a surplus of \$19,390.94 after payment of interest on obligations and debentures.

Thoughtful citizens will recall the vast expenditure of the people's money in that great Beauharnois canal which for fourteen miles cut through the best farming land in this vicinity taking a total of two hundred individual farms or 20,000 acres. What fort to give to the people of all Canada the benefit of cheap electric light and power. Do

we get it? The purchasing power of these lost farms with the municipal taxes would have been an asset to the district. As it is, half the district is without electric light, and as far as power is concerned it is prohibitive.

Thanking you for your space,
I am, yours truly,
D. W. FISKIN.



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JIM HOWARD looks forward to the week-ends. He likes to spend them at home in the bosom of his family. So, when a prolonged business trip found him at loose ends in a strange town that Sunday morning, his cup of sorrow and discontent was overflowing—until he suddenly thought of Long Distance and the new Low Sunday Rates. "It will be almost as good as being with them" thought Jim as he briskly stepped to the telephone.

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F. C. WHITAKER,
Manager.

How Has The Quality Of Teachers Improved?

W. P. PERCIVAL, M.A., Ph.D.
Director of Protestant Education for the Province of Quebec.

The idea that "Teachers are born, not made" is almost axiomatic to many people. Such a statement, however, conveys only a half truth. Through some individuals doubtless have more of the characteristics necessary for successful teaching than others, many of the so-called born teachers may, without training, cut a sorry figure in a modern classroom. If suitable persons could not be trained as teachers, our normal schools should be closed without delay. However, it is the opinion of many who are acquainted with the facts that the teacher training institutions so far have justified their existence. Consequently, those who have the basic qualities needed for teaching continue to be needed to prepare themselves more fully for service in this important branch of public life.

It is difficult for people to visualize all the changes that occur from year to year even if they are fairly familiar with them. They are too near to witness them in their true perspective. However, the present generation can see unmistakable signs of the progress made in education in Quebec. An early historian, speaking of the schools in Megantic County before the establishment of the normal schools in this Province, said: "There was nothing taught in the schools except Reading, Writing, Spelling and Arithmetic, and as late as the year 1852 the chief reading books in the schools were Bibles and Testaments."

Percival Quotes County Historian

In his account of the school at Elgin, Sellar states: "The main study was the catechism. With the impartiality of indifference, the teacher heard each scholar recite from the catechism of the church to which he belonged, the strap descending when

a word was missed. When a man was too lazy to wield an axe he took to teaching without the slightest regard for the qualifications for the position. Men who could not read words of many syllables and whose writing was atrocious were installed as masters of schools. Worse than their ignorance were the bad habits that characterized the majority, for drunkenness was common, and the teacher seen without a quid of tobacco in his mouth or smoking while setting a copy was exceptional. Discipline was deemed by this usurper of the teacher's office as the great qualification and their cruelty was beyond belief." Many of the early teachers in Quebec were itinerants from the United States whose habits or inclinations did not lead them to business or farming. Their qualifications were not tested in any way. Many were little ahead of their brightest pupils. Candidates for teaching positions did not need to undergo courses of training. They were judged by "common sense".

The incompetency of the teacher as much as the poverty of the people were hampered because of the lack of support of the schools even in later years. The mediocrity of the elementary schools and their paltry contribution to the life of many communities rendered the public apathetic. When the female teacher entered the teaching ranks she could teach during the "summer" term only because many young men, some of whose manners were none too genteel, attended the "winter" schools. These schools, therefore, had little more highly qualified academically because they could work out the problems in the books in Arithmetic, most of the women lacked that "deeper knowledge which would enable them to apply formulas to the solution of problems differing from those in the text books. The problems taught were generally of the very simplest kind.

The establishment of Normal Schools in Quebec revolutionized education and placed the elementary schools on a much better footing. The standards of admission, however, had to be in keeping with the qualifications of the applicants. For example, persons over sixteen years of age could enter upon a course of training for teaching in the McGill Normal School upon standards which must now be considered low. Until the advent of the present century, professional training for teaching in Protestant schools was not obligatory because a back door to teaching remained open. Intending candidates for diplomas were not obliged to enter the McGill Normal School, but could obtain diplomas simply by writing examinations in which the questions asked were of an elementary character. The standards of marking the examination papers were not uniform and many candidates would present themselves at the centres which had the reputation for the greatest leniency in this respect.

For many years in some inspectorate only a small percentage of the teachers were Normal trained. The others either held diplomas presented on a basis of the few days' examinations, or none at all. First class Academy diplomas did not compare well with the high school diploma now issued. For those gained at McGill Normal School entitled the holder only to entrance to the second year in Arts at McGill University. Moreover, persons who had taken the first class standing in Latin and Greek in the intermediate examinations, if they had taken either the regular course in the Art of Teaching at the McGill Normal School or a first class standing in the special professional examination provided for such graduates by the McGill Normal School, were awarded teachers' diplomas. In fact, after the establishment of the inspection system, teaching certificates could be obtained with little qualification other than the recommendation of an inspector.

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Shortcomings Of Teachers

In spite of the lack of uniform training, however, many fine teachers emerged, particularly in the superior schools. This has augmented the belief in the "born" teacher. These men and women have written their name indelibly in the hearts and lives of the citizens of this Province. Sir William Dawson and Dr. Sampson P. Robins at McGill University and the McGill Normal School, themselves men of rare abilities, stamped their impress upon the Province setting up standards of scholastic and personal attainment which had their influence not only upon those who entered these institutions but even upon those who never crossed the thresholds. The many failures become lost in the successes. Doubtless, however, thousands were hampered because of the shortcomings of their teachers.

Some children are suffering today from deficiencies of character, culture and training in their teachers. But this proportion is not nearly so large as in earlier days, nor are the defects so conspicuous. Moreover, almost all teachers realize that kindness is an essential classroom quality. If no greater giants are in the schools now than in those of half a century ago there are fewer dwarfs in the intellectual, moral and cultural sense.

The quality of teachers has improved mainly because all persons who wish to teach must enter training institutions to prepare themselves for their work. The age for admission to the School for Teachers has been raised, and the academic qualifications necessary for entrance to all the courses have been increased. Consequently, more time can be devoted to principles of education, methods of teaching and other professional training necessary to fit teachers for the important task of training the youth of today that they may become useful citizens tomorrow.

"Aspirin" Trade Mark Sustained

A warning is found in the judgment just given by the Exchequer Court of Canada at Ottawa, in an action brought by The Bayer Company, Limited, owner of the trade mark "Aspirin."

"The Bayer Company brought action asking a judgment of the Court restraining the defendant from infringing the trade mark by selling tablets as 'Aspirin' which were not the product of The Bayer Company.

The judgment restrains the defendant permanently from putting out any of his own tablets as "Aspirin" or under any name so similar to "Aspirin" as to be confusing and awards The Bayer Company damages and costs.

Havelock

Mrs. Sophia Buchanan, Miss Mary Buchanan and Mrs. Jas. Allen spent last Wednesday at Ormstown with Mr. and Mrs. H. Pilon. Miss Mary remaining for a few days.

Miss Kathleen MacDougall spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. MacDougall at Ormstown.

Sorry to report the death of Miss Sarah Gilmore which took place on Thursday evening. The deceased had suffered a paralytic stroke a few days previous, from which she never rallied. She was an old time resident of this place, and loved by all who knew her. She was a devout member of the Trinity Church and taught in the Sunday school for many years. The funeral was held on Saturday, the services being conducted at the house by her pastor, Rev. Mr. Howard of Hemmingford, interment taking place at Russelltown cemetery.

It is our sad duty to chronicle the death of Mrs. Wm. Semple of Cannons Corners, N.Y., which took place Sunday evening at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Frank McComb at the age of 65 years. The deceased had been an sufferer for the past three years had borne it with Christian fortitude. The funeral was held on Tuesday afternoon, Rev. C. R. Sumner of Mooers, N.Y. conducted the services, assisted by Rev. Mr. Perry. Interment took place at Mooers Forks cemetery. She leaves to mourn her loss a sorrowing husband, six sons and four daughters and a host of friends and relatives, namely Wright, of Cannons, (Florence) Mrs. L. Hamilton of Plattsburg, Everest of Barry, Vt., (Myrtle) Mrs. Latour of Plattsburg, Carl of Vt., (Margaret) Mrs. Warren of Cumberland Head, Lorne and (Ehel.) Mrs. F. McComb of Cannons Corners, (Perry) Cumberland Head and David at home. Much sympathy is felt for the bereaved family.

A social evening was spent at the home of Mrs. T. Bustard. Dancing and games were indulged in. A good time was enjoyed.

Howick

The World's Day of Prayer was observed by the Georgetown W.M.S. on Friday, Feb. 28th. The meeting opened at 2 o'clock and was conducted by the president, Mrs. J. Kerr. The programme for that day was followed throughout, members of the Society and also of the Y.W.A. who also attended, taking part. The regular meeting of the society was afterwards held. Miss M. Slater and Miss F. Hunter brought interesting reports of the annual meeting held in Montreal. After discussing these reports and other matters of interest to the society the meeting was brought to a close.

At a meeting of the Ladies' Aid it was decided to have a taffy social in the near future.

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MAKE WASH DAY EASIER

PROBABLY every woman has her own rules for washing, and if they work it is all right to stick to them. The first requisite is warm water with plenty of suds made from a mild soap. The amount of soap necessary is enough to make a good lasting suds. For new material it is important to wash one garment at a time, and then later, when they have become accustomed to water and soap, they can be washed with other colored garments. If a garment, however, has not proved color fast it has to continue to be washed alone.

The best motion is to plunge the article in and out of the suds, and this can be done either in the washing machine or with the hand to meet the situation. Badly soiled spots should be rubbed gently between the hands.

Rinsing Important
Rinsing is also an important factor in the washing of any material. In the case of cottons three buckets of warm rinsing should be given. After the rinsing, if the garment is to be starched, remember that a cool starch is definitely meant for cotton.

Light weight cottons such as voiles and dotted Swiss materials may be dried in a Turkish towel and then pressed with a moderately hot iron immediately.

One thing that may still be evident after this careful washing is that some of the high gloss disappears. This is not to be blamed on your washing methods if you follow those we have just given, but rather to false mercialization. In the false mercialization there is a dressing that is sometimes nothing more than starch, and it comes out in the first or second washing, leaving a dull cotton fabric which may show a coarser weave than at the time of purchase.

Linen Require Care
So much for cottons, and now for linens which do need careful washing so that the threads will not twist or rot or become yellow or grey.

In linen washing, as for cotton, warm water and suds of a pure mild soap are the first two requisites. And here, too, it is important to have enough suds to last throughout the washing period. If one wishes to soak badly soiled linen tablecloths, cold water should be used, as many stains, if soaked in hot water, will be set so that they can never be taken out.

Letters to The Editor

Huntingdon, Que.
February 28th.

Huntingdon Gleaner,
Huntingdon,
Dear Editor:—

I noticed in the last issue of the Gleaner that you were trying to get the farmers interested in growing corn. I am sure that you are interested in the welfare of the farmer, and I am sure that you are interested in the welfare of the community. I am sure that you are interested in the welfare of the province, and I am sure that you are interested in the welfare of the nation.

When the specialists came from Macdonald College, and after examining the soil, said that it was ideal for such type of vegetables great crops were expected, and it seemed that all the farmers through that section would start vegetable farming. The interest, and now for corn, was not only confined to that section, but it spread to other sections, and it proved their statements by growing wonderful samples of vegetables there themselves. However, the next year, the farmers did not plant any corn at all, did not look after the plants properly, with not too good results.

Your report states that there are heavy importations of celery from the States. With the farmers of this section so close to the Montreal market, there should be no difficulty whatever, if some procedure of marketing was worked out. And that, too, should be a simple matter, if the proper authorities would cooperate with the growers in bringing about a solution, so that this muck land will justify the large expenditure which it has occasioned.

Yours truly,
County Ratepayer

Huntingdon

On Tuesday evening, February 25th a number of relatives and friends called at the home of Miss M. A. Cunningham to offer their congratulations on the occasion of her birthday. Cards were played and delicious refreshments, including a birthday cake, served.


Mr. W. E. Lefebvre unloaded a car of second-hand lumber on Thursday in connection with the construction of two new bungalows on York St. He recently sold his bungalow on Wellington St.

Mr. William Bolduc of Valleyfield has been appointed meter reader for the Shawinigan Power Company, replacing Mr. Duval who will take charge of the local store which the firm will open in a month's time.

Donald McNeil received honorable mention in the junior and Wynita Hamilton honorable mention in the intermediate classes of the National W.C.T.U. Temperance contest. These two names were unintentionally omitted from last week's list.

Are You Tired—Listless?

Is your rest broken at night? If your kidneys need attention take Gin Pills. They will strengthen your kidneys and if you sleep better you will feel better and look better.



Gin Pills
FOR THE KIDNEYS

The plunging motion is also recommended for linens, and here again the badly soiled spots should be given the special rubbing or nail brush treatment. The suds should be squeezed out and the linens put through three lukewarm rinsing waters, and for white linens the addition of some bluing is to be recommended. After the rinsing they should be hung smoothly on a line. For ironing, first press on the right side and then on the wrong, and a hot iron is recommended for linen pieces.

"PLUFFING" is the secret of getting that delicious snowy-white product for which all rice-fluff lovers strive—where every For Rice grain stands out distinctly.

First, wash the rice thoroughly, stir it in a sieve with water. Then, have many cups of water in a deep trough, and allow two quarts of it to one cup of rice. When the water is boiling, add three teaspoons of salt—then drop in the rice slowly, a little at a time. Allow it to boil until it's ready to be fluffed, about 12 to 25 minutes. Just as the cooking time of potatoes varies, so does the cooking time of rice.

How to tell when the rice is cooked? Just take out a grain and press it with thumb and forefinger; when it's soft, it is sufficiently cooked. Another important point is: do not stir while cooking. If it seems necessary to prevent sticking, lift the rice with a fork from time to time.

Secret of Fluffing
When the rice is done, turn into a colander or sieve and the next step is to fluff it. Fluffing comes in many ways. The rice is fluffed by the rice to separate the grains. After the water has filtered through, cover the rice with a soft cloth and set over a pan of hot water on back of the range if other foods are cooking.

TO CLEAN BRASS
Pine wood ashes mixed with turpentine will clean brass or steel.

The Week At Ottawa

(Continued from page 1)

far "I can conceive," he said, "of a situation where to take over the operation of an essential industry, employing perhaps hundreds of thousands of men, which industry was using its powers to crush its working men or to take undue profits out of the consumers, might be worthy of consideration by a government. If in the exercise of its powers such an industry decided to close its shop or have a lock-out on the premises I can imagine it might be in the public interest and in the interest of the employees, of that concern that the government would temporarily take over and operate such a business, but only until such time as an investigation could be held and the matter satisfactorily adjusted."

Discussing state intervention, Mr. Euler added a little later: "My non-Communist friend and his party suggest that it should take the form of the establishment of a socialistic state. Others believe that public ownership should be confined pretty well to the operation of public utilities, and that so far as other business is concerned the government should not be carried on by personal attention and personal initiative and the element of profit if you like, we ought to confine ourselves to the correction of abuses which arise under private ownership rather than seek a complete change in our social order."

Will Study Canadian Prisons

A royal commission consisting of Mr. Justice Joseph Archambeault of the Superior Court, Montreal, R. W. Gray, K.C., Winnipeg, and Harry W. Anderson, former editor of The Globe, Toronto, was named during the week to conduct an inquiry into the administration of the penitentiaries of Canada. During recent years, as the result of riots in several of the prisons, of published criticism, and of the campaign conducted by Miss Agnes Macphail in the House of Commons as well as elsewhere, the public has become convinced that it is not as well as it might be in the present system of Canada. The purpose of the commission is to make a thorough inquiry into discipline and administration, in the light of modern theory on criminal reform.

The Viewpoint of The Farmer

The viewpoint of the farmer was vividly expressed in the same debate by G. E. Wood, the member for Brant, Ontario.

"The hon. member for Winnipeg North Centre made the statement that the average farm income is five hundred dollars," Mr. Wood said. "The reason the farmer is receiving only five hundred dollars is that when he sells his products on the open markets of the world, those markets name the price, and there is also deducted from the price that the farmer received all the overhead charges of extravagant government, high taxes, and all the rest of it that

ing, or turn the rice into a shallow pan and put in the warm over for a few minutes. This should result in fluffy, distinct grains—snowy-white, full-flavored and delicious! Until you have never "fluffed" rice you have never really had rice! It is so good when steamed and "fluffed."

Rice Custard Pudding

One and one-half cups of rice should be "fluffed" for this dish. In the meantime, beat 2 eggs, add 1/2 cup sugar and 1/2 teaspoon salt. Stir well, then add 1 cup rich milk, and 1 cup water in which rice was cooked. Turn into buttered baking dish and sprinkle with nutmeg. Set in pan of hot water and bake in moderate oven until set—about 1 hour. Serve with maple or brown sugar syrup.

DESSERT FOR CHILDREN

Desserts should never be allowed to take the place of more substantial food for the young child. Mothers will often prevail upon a child to eat unappetizing food by the promise of dessert, but the dessert should be wholesome and simple. Junket, baked apple, baked or boiled custard, rice pudding without currants or raisins, and once in a while a little plain ice cream may be allowed. There are many other tasty foods that a preschool child may have, which will suggest themselves from time to time.

USE OF IRON VESSELS

Do not allow food or drink to stand for even a short time in a galvanized iron vessel and will not give the food an unpleasant taste but is likely to cause sudden and intense illness.

REMOVES INK

To take ink spots off fingers, wet the spot with the end of a match. The phosphorus will do the rest, although not always with merely one application. It will do it with a second or third application in all cases.

Franklin Centre

Miss Jean Louden is remaining for an indefinite time at the home of her aunt, Mrs. James Watt.

Miss Beryl Lamb is spending a few days a guest of Miss Dolly Goldie.

Mr. John Capp has returned to Montreal to spend a few weeks with his family there.

Glenelm

Those who took advantage of the lower rates on the N.Y.C. railway to Montreal last week-end were Mrs. D. L. Brown, Mrs. C. H. Brown, Messrs. Graham Salter, Edgar Helm, Caldwell Scriber and J. A. Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Elder entertained a number of their friends to a "500" card party last Friday evening. A very pleasant time was spent. The winners were: Ladies, Miss state aid of one sort or another, usually advancing the argument that some other interests are being similarly helped. The government is having to stand firm in the face of a flood of demands for "hand-outs" of one nature or another.

Tea for every Taste

"SALADA" TEA

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The Beaver

Birthday Party.
A surprise party was given Mrs. Ernest Watterson on Friday evening by 65 neighbours and friends who gathered at her home to celebrate her birthday which was the next day, Feb. 29th. As Mrs. Watterson has a birthday only every four years, we might safely say, it means "good luck" for her. Cards and dancing were enjoyed by all and a delicious lunch was served by the ladies at midnight. All expressed the wish that the opportunity would be given them to offer their congratulations many times in future years.

Property Sold.
Mr. Gregor Leslie has purchased the property near the Catholic Church formerly owned by the late Miss Cassie Long. Reported price \$800.00.

Personals.
Mr. Beulah MacMaster spent the past week with her sister, Mrs. Bruce O. McCracken.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Graham, Dewittville, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Watterson.

St. Agnes de Dundee

The Messrs. Oliver Leblanc and Francois Xavier Trepanier left for a week to visit relatives and friends in Alfred, St. Isidore and Casselman, Ont.

Last Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Emmette Leblanc were Messrs. Aurele, Aristide, Lucien and Lorenzo Quessel, Mr. Etienne and Miss Theresa Trepanier, Messrs. Aristide and Almazan Beauchesne and Miss Bernadette Beauchesne, also Misses Marie-Rose Quenneville, and Della Caza.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Caza were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Edmond Léger on Sunday.

Messrs. Elie and Josephat Léger left for a week to visit relatives and friends in Alexandria and Apple Hill, Ont.

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Crepe or Chiffon, all wanted shades.
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Rubin Stores

Huntingdon, Que.



Are some babies born BAD?

Do you ever jump to the conclusion that your baby was "born stubborn" when he doggedly refuses to take a laxative?

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SNOOPER'S COMMENTS

By Staff Reporter

This and That

Signs of Spring noticed in and around Huntingdon

First, moustaches. They have been making their appearance in ever increasing numbers during the past few days. Most of them have been patterned after the well-known models. The Clark Gable style seems to be the favourite, with the Charlie Chaplin and Hitler types close runners-up. A few years ago has been rapidly losing ground—A sort of restlessness that is sometimes referred to as Spring fever is now noticeable throughout the town.

February 29th. Leap Year Day, the day when the lady proposes to the man and is accepted, or else—passed off very quietly. Only one case of wedding bells was announced. However, a complete report of the victims here cannot be announced until a future date as many of the young men have not yet returned to town and others are still in hiding.

There has been some talk around town lately of a smoke ring blowing competition. Some of the boys have become so expert that they can blow rings around a doorknob while sitting in a chair and see away a group of men can lastly any given spot from a distance of five feet. B. D. claims he once got out of a very ticklish position because of his ability to blow smoke rings. He says that he once got into a scrap with a prize fighter—a big prize fighter and the p. f. had him backed against the wall and was just about to land a fatal blow when he quickly blew a smoke ring over his opponent's head, pinning his arms to his sides and rendering him helpless. "It was child's play after that," confesses B. D., "to cut my opponent down with a series of rights and lefts and rights and . . ."

Letter Department: To L. P. who wants to know what kind of a celebration was taking place in the Chateau Monday evening. My operator in that sector informs me that the commotion was caused by a group of curlers celebrating some kind of a victory or other. No accurate information could be obtained, however, as the curlers themselves were very vague on the subject by the time my assistant arrived on the scene.

To A. S. who desires to know the name of the young insurance agent who recently gave up that work to sell stocks and bonds and who has more recently interested himself in the task of starting a Y. M. C. in Huntingdon. You have us puzzled. Surely such a talented young man would hardly be wasting his time around Huntingdon.

To R. M. You were correct. A speaker at the annual meeting of the shareholders of the Huntingdon Chateau did get the gong. But it was all in fun.

For E. C. who wants to know who will win the Town League Cup. I have no answer. But I can give you a tip. Every team I have picked to win this year has lost, and I'm picking the Textiles to win the finals. Use it if you want.

To be mistaken for a pair of muskrats was the experience of a couple of young gentlemen recently. The two young men were driving by horse and cutter to St. Agnes when their horse ran away and tipped them out into a snowbank. A nearby farmer who happened to be engaged at the time in scanning the horizon through a pair of field glasses for muskrats, thought for an instant that he had sighted two beauties, when he saw the luckless youths trudging between the snowdrifts.

Jackie Kirby, who has represented this centre at Canadian amateur hockey school in Montreal on March 1st has not yet returned home. Jackie made a very favourable showing among the other provincial recruits but is not certain yet whether he will be taken to training camp next Fall or not.

Here, have some Huntingdon humor. It's free, but doesn't conform to the old adage which says that "all good things are free," and vice versa. R. W. knows a deaf and dumb man who has a bad case of the palsy. He says it's awful to hear him stutter when he talks.

Most humorous incident of the week: The local badminton club had purchased an alarm clock as a farewell gift for one of its departing members. George Macdonnell, and it was brought into the Gleaner office for safe keeping before the presentation. No sooner had the clock been received here than Mr. Macdonnell himself walked into the office. As the presentation was to be a surprise the loud ticking inside the wrapped box caused no end of alarm among the staff badminton players, but apparently Mr. Macdonnell never noticed it for he never mentioned the gift. But when the alarm suddenly went off some really diplomatic explanation was necessary and even at that Mr. Macdonnell must have thought the Gleaner staff a little "queer" to keep an alarm clock in the office, and to keep it wrapped up in a box.

Huntingdon Council

A regular session of the Town Council was held Monday evening. All members present except Ald. LeFevre. Mayor D. Faubert presiding. The following accounts were presented for payment: O'Connors Inc. \$102; Dr. P. G. McCrimmon, \$62.50; Sisters of Providence, \$9.05; Rene Langevin, \$3.60; Huntingdon Gleaner Inc., \$13.09; W. A. Hunter, \$46.04; P. Allard, \$56; Department of Roads, \$89; John Riel, \$80.53; Harry K. Martin, Regd., \$22.20; H. Soucy, 70c; Provincial Treasurer, \$25.30; Guard Iron Ins. Co., \$15; P. Allard, \$2.80; snow shovelling, \$50.60; Darling Bros. Ltd., \$20.57; R. E. Kelly & Son, Regd., \$20; Gontran Hebert, \$30; R. Barrette, \$11.30; Bell Telephone Co., \$3.35; J. Kiepprien, \$5.50; Shaw, Water & Power, \$5.00; E. LaLonde, \$7.75; Thomas Robertson Co., \$36.19; City of Valleyfield, \$8.75; P. Allard, \$1.00; Cemetery Co., \$1.50; John Macrow, \$30.50; Shawinigan Water & Power, \$206.39; Laberge Bros., \$29.62; Sam Barrie, \$10.40; Pringle, Stark & Co., \$58.60.

It was moved by Ald. Kelly and seconded by Ald. Lalonde that the accounts be read by the Mayor.

Two accounts were presented by A. C. H. Picard in regard to snow shovelling and damages.

It was moved by Ald. Hunter and seconded by Ald. Lalonde that the Mayor obtain legal advice in regard to the responsibility of the corporation in regard to the shovelling of snow in front of private properties.

Mrs. A. McMillan asked that the council recompense her for damages caused by flooding of her cellar. Mrs. L. M. Condon also presented her account to the council if she had a claim for damages.

Mr. W. McDowell asked that the council take steps to suppress slot machines in the town. No action was taken.

It was proposed by Ald. McCormick, seconded by Ald. Lalonde and unanimously adopted that the council approve the application made on Feb. 20th, 1936, by the Bell Telephone Co. of Canada for the erection and maintenance of telephone poles on the public roads of this municipality as indicated on the plans submitted with the above-mentioned letter, the whole subject to the supervision of the Road Committee.

A letter was read from Dr. Lessard instating the council to take action in regard to the establishment of a toilet in the property of the Excelsior Lodge. The secretary reported that he had written the said Lodge on the instructions of the Mayor.

It was moved by Ald. Hunter and seconded by Ald. Kelly that the council adjourn to March 23rd, 1936.

Godmanchester Council
Godmanchester Council was held at the usual place and hour of sessions on Monday, the 2nd day of March last. Members all present. Mayor W. J. Sherry presiding.

The Bell Tel. Co. was granted permission to remove their poles along the old highway, west of the town of Huntingdon, according with plans dated Feb. 21st, 1936.

The Secretary was asked to pay Omer Viau \$7.00 for posts used by the public for snow fence.

Arthur Caldwell was appointed Road Officer to replace Harry Douglas.

The following bills were ordered paid: Jos. T. Smythe, \$56; Eli Goyer, \$10; Dan Faubert, \$10; Oliver Leblanc, \$40.90; Joseph Tessier, \$28; Jurors Lists, \$35; Huntingdon Co., \$10; John Riel, \$2; Ward McLean, \$4; Notices, \$1; Thos. J. Whealon, \$17.10.

Athelstan
On Friday afternoon the World's Day of Prayer was observed in Munro Hall by the Joint Missionary Societies of the two local churches. The specially prepared programme having for its theme, "On earth peace, goodwill towards men, proving moral helpful, different ladies from the Auxiliary participating. A vocal duet by Miss Irene Cairns and Mrs. W. R. Wilson was also enjoyed. The offering of the day goes toward interdenominational mission work. The severity of the weather hindered several from attending.

On Sunday afternoon, Rev. J. H. Woodside preached a very excellent sermon in keeping with Educational Week on the subject, "A training for living," pointing out the different kinds of opportunities which come to youth and the right use that should be made of them. A special selection was rendered most acceptably by some of the "teen age girls" under the direction of their day school teacher, Miss C. Macfarlane.

Master Billy Hutchings returned Saturday evening from the Montreal General Hospital where he recently underwent an operation.

Powerscourt
Mr. Arthur Thompson spent a couple of days at the Carr home last week.

Mrs. A. Alderice from Montreal is visiting at Mr. and Mrs. L. McClatchie's.

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This statement, taken from an article in the *Journal of the American Dietetic Association*, pages 133-134, Nov., 1932:

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Card Party For Malenfant Fund

A benefit "500" was held on Friday evening at the home of Mrs. George Hood for the Malenfant Fund. The event was sponsored by members of the Leap Year Club.

Cards were played at six tables. The prize-winners were W. Hunter, Mrs. Louis Cappiello, Dave Ross and Eino Holm. Consolation prizes were won by Mrs. J. McCartney and W. McCartney. Following the card game delicious refreshments were served by the hostess, and a social hour enjoyed. The proceeds which amounted to \$6.00 have been turned over to the Malenfant Fund account.

Elgin Council
Met Monday 2nd inst. Members all present.

On motion of Coun. Cairns, seconded by Coun. Crawford the following Municipal Officers were appointed:

Road Committee—The Mayor and Councilors Grant and Cairns.

Rural Inspectors—D. G. McFarlane, Andrew Elder, W. J. Stewart.

Post Keeper—Alex. Elder, W. J. Seaward, Douglas Cooper.

Auditor—Percy Chauvin.

Valuators—John Scrivner, Andrew Elder, Andrew Mack.

Road Inspectors—Dist. No. 1, Fred Wood; No. 2, John Scrivner; No. 3, John Wattie; No. 4, Sylvester Du-heme; No. 5, Campbell Paul.

Watercourses—McIntosh Creek and branches, Sylvester Du-heme; Spring Creek and branches, John Scrivner; Royal Discharge and branches, D. A. Elder; Brims and Dawson discharge and branches, Albert Gilmore; Stewart and Bell discharge and branches, Thos. McFarlane; Murray discharge and branches, Andrew Mack; Mack discharge and branches, D. A. Elder; Hamilton discharge and branches, Henry A. Donnelly; Pelton discharge and branches, Andrew Elder; Russell discharge and branches, Andrew Mack; Shear-er discharge and branches, John Henry.

The following account was ordered to be paid: Secretary-Treasurer, \$10.

Adjourned to meet at the call of the chair.

Brooklet-Herdman
The World Day of Prayer was held at the home of Mrs. A. H. Taylor on Friday afternoon, Feb. 28th with a very good attendance. The program for the day was followed with every one taking part. At the close of the meeting a delicious lunch was served by the hostess.

The marriage took place on Tuesday morning, Feb. 25th at St. Patrick's Church, Hinchinbrooke, between Mr. Wm. Richard and Miss Adrienne Varin, both of Herdman. A reception was held for the young couple the same night at the home of the bride's parents.

A very successful bean supper and social evening under the auspices of the Brooklet W.C.T.U. was held at the home of Mr. W. B. Levers on Tuesday night, Feb. 25th with a large crowd present. After supper the evening was spent with music, games and a social time. A pleasant part of the evening was the presentation of the prizes to the local winners in the W.C.T.U. contest.

Mr. Leslie Rennie of Bedford spent the week-end at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Rennie. Mr. and Mrs. Bert Rennie spent Saturday at Dundee at the home of Mrs. Rennie's father, Mr. James Arnold.

Massena Won Close Game Here Friday

(Continued from page 1)

Grant scored his first goal near the end of the first period unassisted. Hunter supplied the assist for his second during the middle period when he passed the puck up to the Massena blue line and Howie who was perched at the goal mouth, deflected it into the net. Boyd then took Beattie's pass for the second goal. Massena scored twice in the third period and were one goal ahead before Beattie again came through with a perfect pass, this time to Grant, and the latter made no mistake as he drilled one home from left wing. The Massena defence were completely fooled on the play, both closing in to take care of Beattie, who was coming down centre. Thus the pass gave Howie a clear way in.

Fortune, speedy centre, supplied the tying goal and sent the game into overtime when he caught Lepage off guard, scoring from a scramble in front of the nets. The winning goal came two minutes after the overtime had started.

Lepage robbed Billie Boyd of a goal in the second period when the latter was in all alone, and Muir did the same in the overtime session, when he smothered O'Shaughnessy's hard drive from ten feet out. A small crowd watched the game.

1st Period
1. Huntingdon—H. Grant . . . 18.01
2. Massena—O'Shaughnessy . . 19.04
(Socier)
Penalties: None.

2nd Period
3. Massena—Keller 4.15
4. Huntingdon—H. Grant . . . 7.00
(Hunter)
5. Huntingdon—Boyd (Beatty) 19.30
Penalties: None.

3rd Period
6. Massena—O'Shaughnessy . . 3.24
(Socier)
7. Massena—Leger 8.58
8. Huntingdon—H. Grant . . . 12.35
(Beatty)
9. Massena—La Rose 17.45
10. Huntingdon—P. Fortune . . 19.01
Penalties: Hunter.

Overtime
11. Massena—Leger 2.05
Penalties: None.

Stops by Goalies
Lepage 8 11 9 8—36
Muir 7 8 12 7—34

Referee: J. C. Lefebvre.
Line-up:
Huntingdon: goal, Muir; defence, Beatty, H. Grant, C. Grant; forwards, Fortune, E. Tesson, Boyd, Hunter, White, Phille, Wilson.

Massena: goal, Lepage; defence, Keller, Weaver, Lepage; forwards, O'Shaughnessy, LaRose, Socier, Stacy, Dumas, Ceran, Leger.

Obituary
The late Andrew Williams Fee
Andrew Williams Fee was born in Ormstown, Quebec, on September 15, 1857. He resided in Canada until the age of twenty-one, when he moved to Lyon Mountain, N.Y., where he became a United States citizen.

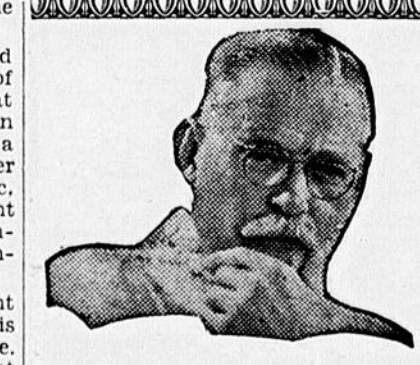
He was employed by the Chateaugay Ore and Iron Company for 26 years, serving as superintendent of motive power and machinery for the latter part of that time.

In 1904 he became a resident of Mooers, N.Y., engaging for a short time in a mercantile business with the late A. J. Cummings, after which he was employed by several mining companies, including the Witherbee, Sherman Company, of Mineville, N.Y., the Cranberry North Carolina, Iron Works, and the Sterling Mine, near Tuxedo, N.Y.

For the past sixteen years he had resided at his late home in Mooers, where he died February 12, 1936, after a lingering illness. His funeral was conducted from the residence on Saturday at 3.00 p.m. by his pastor, Rev. C. R. Sumner.

He was always interested in religious matters, having been one of the organizers of the Methodist Episcopal Church at Lyon Mountain, and superintendent of the Sunday School there for about twenty-five years. At the time of his death he was an active member of the Methodist Episcopal Church in Mooers.

On September 13, 1882, he was united in marriage to Isadora Fairbanks, of Lyon Mountain, who survives him, together with four daughters, Kate H. of Collingswood, N.J., Constance E. of Beacon, N.Y., Edith D. and Marion W., of Mooers, and two sons, Kenneth F. of Albany, N.Y., and Neal W., of Mooers. He is also survived by one grandson, N. Richard, and a sister, Charlotte J., both of Mooers.



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Huntingdon

Mr. and Mrs. Saml. Graham and daughter Jean of Montreal and Mr. Frank Napier, Secretary of the Canadian Ayshire Breeders' Assn., Ottawa, were recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Telfer.

Mr. Ronald Bruce has returned to Pottimore, Que., where he will resume his position as teacher for the balance of the school term.

Mrs. Lang of Montreal, an eloquent, very favourably known to Huntingdon audiences, is to appear on the St. Patrick's programme to be presented after the Irish Stew supper in the United Church on March 17th.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Capron of Malone, N.Y., spent the winter months at their home in Crescent City, Fla. They ordinarily thoroughly enjoy the Florida climate, but not so this year. They take a bit of pleasure in thinking of their friends in the north and several people here have received boxes of oranges grown about the Capron home. In a box which Mrs. Adam Sallar received this week, was an orange that weighed 1 lb. and 9 ounces, and in appearance was as large as the largest grapefruit we ever saw in town. The oranges are far superior in taste to what is offered on the market. Evidently the southern exporters do not send the choice oranges to Canada, but let us content ourselves squeezing several oranges in order to get a decent sized orange juice for breakfast.

Miss Jean Hunter, accompanied by Miss Ruth Cunningham and Miss Eleanor Reid and Messrs. Neil Morrison and George Haythorn, of McGill University, spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Hunter.

A judgment has been rendered by Justice Demers on the case of J. C. Boyd, Huntingdon and Wm. Shaw of Port Lewis. Mr. Boyd was declared the sole owner of the property and Mr. Shaw is to deliver possession of same within 15 days of the service of judgment. Messrs. Laurendeau & Cassette appeared in behalf of J. C. Boyd when the case was heard in Valleyfield last autumn.

Misses Carmen and Estelle Lefebvre entertained a number of friends Sunday afternoon to Bridge and tea.

Miss Muriel Murphy was a week-end guest of her friend, Miss Estelle Lefebvre.

Mr. George Macdonnell was presented with a gift from the staff of the Bank of Montreal on the eve of his transfer to the Head Office, Montreal.

Rockburn

The World's Day of Prayer was observed here by an evening meeting at the home of Miss F. Johnston, local W.M.S. Aux. President, under whose direction the regular program was carried out, with a fair attendance of members and visitors. This proved both interesting and enjoyable and following it lunch was served.

On Thursday evening a goodly number of neighbors and friends assembled at the home of Mrs. A. Pollock to wish her many happy returns of her birthday and spend a very happy social time in their hospitable home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Gibson spent several days in Vermont, returning home Thursday.

Silence

That silence is one of the great arts of conversation is allowed by Cicero, who says, there is not only an art, but even an eloquence in it.—(Hannah More).

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POULTRY NOTES

Poultry Shipments to the United States

The trade in live poultry from Canada to the United States has again become a factor of considerable importance to the poultry industry in Western Ontario as a result of the tariff reductions made effective under the recent Canada-United States Trade Treaty. During January, 1936, shipments of live poultry to nearby United States points, chiefly Buffalo, N.Y., amounted, according to unofficial figures, to 11,233 head. In January, 1935, shipments totalled only 566 head. By the terms of the Treaty the United States duty on live poultry was fixed at four cents per pound. It previously had been eight cents per pound.

Shipments are made up largely of fowl. Prices on live fowl at Montreal and Toronto at the present time are approximately five cents higher than last year.

With regard to the export of live poultry from Canada to the United States, there is no duty charged on properly marked return crates, but a duty of 30 cents per crate is charged on Canadian shippers on the return of their crates into Canada, unless, prior to shipping the poultry to the United States, the Canadian shipper has the crates properly tagged by a Canadian Customs official as being Canadian manufacture. A Customs stamp is placed by the Customs officer on wooden crates, and a metal seal is attached to metal crates. In order to have this stamp placed on the coops, it must be requested by the Canadian shipper.

Barred Plymouth Rocks

| Week's | Eggs | Points | Eggs | Points |
|-----------------------|------|--------|------|--------|
| Taylor Bros. Ormstown | 46 | 47.9 | 302 | 313.4 |
| W. W. Elliott, Howick | 38 | 40.2 | 584 | 559.3 |

Hinchinbrooke Council
Met on Monday, March 3rd, with the members all present except Coun. Crutchfield. Mayor Wilson presiding.

Moved by Councilors Ross and Murphy that the following bills be paid, viz: Edward Laberge, \$3.80; C. Johnson, \$2.80; A. Lumsden, \$12.40; J. Koski, \$4; Gerald Murphy, \$32.80; Fred Laberge, \$27.60; John A. Jamieson, \$7.70; William Jamieson, \$6.40; James E. Flynn, \$9.30; Laurantian Sanitorium (for A. McIntyre, \$2.45; Father Berthiaume (for charity) \$4; A. H. Taylor, Rural Inspector, \$7, the same to be collected from the interested parties.

New Erin
Among those who took advantage of the excursion to Montreal were: Mrs. F. Lauzon, Miss Clare Cameron, Miss Rose McCarthy, Mrs. B. Rankin, Messrs. Bernard and Francis Durbin, Donat Chartrand and Mr. and Mrs. Loyal Sparrow.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Daoust visited last week with relatives in St. Timothee.

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Franklin Centre

The regular monthly meeting of the W.C.T.U. was entertained at the home of Mrs. T. F. Duncan on Thursday afternoon, Feb. 27th, with an attendance of nine ladies. The president, Mrs. B. M. Johnston had charge of the meeting and called on the Rev. T. F. Duncan to conduct the devotional exercises. The minutes of previous meeting were read and approved, and roll call answered by repeating a verse from the Bible. Letters were read from Miss Edie Dun, Mrs. Ella Johnston, and Mrs. Douglas. A solo "Face to Face" was sweetly sung by Mrs. R. French. An address was given by the Rev. T. F. Duncan, who spoke briefly of the death of His Majesty King George V. and the accession to the throne of King Edward VIII. Mr. Duncan also spoke inspirationally regarding the work of the W.C.T.U. Mrs. R. J. Blair gave an interesting report of the mid-winter Conference in Montreal. A recitation entitled "Little Blossom" by Mrs. R. French brought a most interesting program to a close. The hostess served a delicious afternoon tea which all enjoyed.

A postponed meeting of the W.M.S. was held at the home of Mrs. R. E. French, on Friday afternoon, with an attendance of twelve ladies. The meeting was in charge of Mrs. T. F. French, and being the World's Day of Prayer, the programme as given in the Missionary Monthly, was rendered. Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved. A social event for March 17th was planned, in the interests of the Society. An interesting report of the annual W.M.S. Presbytrial, held in Emmanuel Church, Montreal, was read by Miss Jean Manning. Mrs. N. M. Brooks kindly invited us to her home for the next meeting. Fees and collection \$2.45. The meeting closed with the Mizpah benediction. The hostess then served a delicious lunch and a pleasant social time enjoyed.

Mrs. J. Smith and Kenneth McNeice, of Montreal, were guests at the home of Mrs. E. M. Sharpe, the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. N. M. Brooks were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. Neely.

Mr. Leslie Prier left for Carp, Ont., last Friday, where he has secured a lucrative position.

Tatehurst

Mrs. Thomas Gilson of Rosemount, visited last week with Mr. and Mrs. John Whiteford.

Mrs. Hazel Cowan spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Owan.

Miss Ruby Tate of Huntingdon spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Tate.

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Bob Campbell Wins Junior Competition

Bob Campbell of the Ormstown Junior Curling Club skipped his quartette to victory, winning the trophy donated by Mr. L. D. Merkle and prizes donated by Mr. E. Walsh.

Five rinks participated in the bonspiel which was decided by the aggregation of the largest number of wins. At the conclusion of the bonspiel the players adjourned to the clubhouse where Mr. Merkle presented the cup and Mrs. E. Walsh, in the absence of Mr. Walsh, presented the prizes. In presenting the cup Mr. Merkle congratulated the winning team and also commended the boys on the sportsmanlike way they conducted themselves during the bonspiel. Mr. Runnells, president of the Junior Club, and Mr. G. Herbert thanked Mrs. Walsh and Mr. Merkle for the prizes and also expressed their gratitude to Mr. Merkle for his efforts in promoting the bonspiel.

- The five teams entered were:
- | | |
|---------------|---------------|
| H. McAdam | B. Bradley |
| C. Bryson | B. Cairns |
| J. Mather | B. McCaffney |
| M. Barrington | G. Runnels |
| (Skip) | (Skip) |
| W. Marshall | D. Pette |
| L. Roberts | Boyd Campbell |
| D. Demers | J. McOuat |
| B. Campbell | P. McCaig |
| (Skip) | (Skip) |
| G. Smith | |
| R. Hertz | |
| M. Barrington | |
| G. Hebert | M. Barrington |
| B. Campbell | (Skip)—2 |
| G. Runnels | G. Hebert |
| (Skip)—3 | (Skip)—7 |
| P. McCaig | G. Runnels |
| (Skip)—1 | (Skip)—13 |
| C. Hebert | B. Campbell |
| (Skip)—4 | (Skip)—7 |
| P. McCaig | M. Barrington |
| (Skip)—9 | (Skip)—2 |
| G. Runnels | M. Barrington |
| (Skip)—15 | (Skip)—2 |
| G. Runnels | B. Campbell |
| (Skip)—4 | (Skip)—9 |
| P. McCaig | G. Hebert |
| (Skip)—1 | (Skip)—12 |
| B. Campbell | P. McCaig |
| (Skip)—10 | (Skip)—4 |

Aubrey

Aubrey Again Defends Quebec Challenge Cup.

On Friday evening another game was played on the Quebec Challenge Cup on Howick ice. This time it was two rinks from Quebec who were the challengers, but they too met with defeat at the hands of our local curlers. Players and score follow:

| | |
|-------------|-------------------|
| Aubrey | Quebec |
| A. Allen | W. E. Thompson |
| H. Reddick | T. A. Begley |
| R. Allen | C. H. Handley |
| Ray Reddick | E. St. Amant |
| (Skip)—15 | (Skip)—12 |
| Aubrey | Quebec |
| G. Easton | J. Marnell |
| W. G. Allen | M. Houghton |
| J. P. Gruer | R. W. Bennett |
| A. Bennie | Mayor R. B. Whyte |
| (Skip)—23 | (Skip)—14 |

Majority for Aubrey 12 shots. Ormstown is next in line for play on this cup, which will likely be played on local ice on Wednesday.

Glad to report a slight improvement in the condition of Mr. Lawrence Gruer, who has been seriously ill for the past two or three weeks. Mr. Russell and Miss Marjory Gruer are at home, being called there by the serious illness of their father, Miss Elsie Gruer, R.N. of Montreal is now helping to care for her brother.

Mrs. A. A. Allen and Mrs. F. G. Easton spent part of last week in Montreal.

La grippe is quite prevalent in this locality, those suffering from it at present are, Mr. Edward Parent and son and Mr. Geo. Robb.

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Born

Badger—At the Alice Hyde Hospital, Malone, N.Y., February 15, 1936, to Mr. and Mrs. William Badger, (née Christina Gavin) Trout River, N.Y., a son, William Morgan.

McDonough—At St. Johns Hospital, February 24th, 1936, to Mr. and Mrs. J. McDonough of Clarenceville, (née Lavina Greenway) a daughter.

Married

Cairns-Williams—On Feb. 29th, 1936, at the United Church Parsonage, Huntingdon, Que., by the Rev. J. H. Miller, William G. Cairns to Mrs. G. Williams.

Died

Buchanan—At Covey Hill, February 20th, 1936, Robert Buchanan, aged 85 years.

Gilmore—At Russelltown, Que., on Feb. 27, 1936, Miss Sarah J. Gilmore, aged 83 years, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Gilmore.

Harkness—At the residence of his son, 2581 Albert Ave., Montreal, March 2, 1936, Walter Theodor Harkness, aged 71 years, beloved husband of Elizabeth Dorothy Pursie, interred at Huntingdon Thursday.

Hibbard—At Lachine, Que., March 1, 1936, Richard Hibbard, in his 75th year, husband of Elizabeth Alexander, interred at Georgetown.

Murphy—At Modesto, California, on February 24, 1936, William J. Murphy, aged 83 years, brother of Arthur Murphy, St. Agnes.

Mahady—At Utica, N.Y., February 28, 1936, Carmel McCarthy, aged 38 years, beloved wife of Dr. Stephen Mahady, formerly of Port Covington.

McEdward—At Huntingdon, February 26th, 1936, Albert McEdward, aged 73 years.

Ness—At his late residence, 222 Metcalfe Avenue, Westmont, February 27th, 1936, William Ness, M.D., husband of Beatrice Phaneuf, in his 59th year.

Ricard—At Huntingdon, Que., March 3, 1936, Eli Ricard, aged 89 years. Funeral Thursday 8:30 a.m.

CARD OF THANKS

The relatives of the late Robt. Buchanan wish to thank all friends and neighbors, who assisted in any way at the time of his death.

Ernest and Mark Sample

Tatehurst

The Y.W.A. of the Presbyterian Church met on Thursday afternoon, Feb. 27, at the home of Miss Helen Ross. Misses Marion Swan and Helen Ross gave interesting papers on the Women's Missionary Society.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gruer entertained a few friends at a Euchre party on Monday evening. Mr. Robert MacDougall and Mr. Kenneth won first prizes, while consolation prizes went to Mrs. Alex. Rember and Mr. James Gruer. A very pleasant evening is reported by all present.

Mr. Archie Marshall suffered a slight accident last week when he injured his leg while working on the water pump.

Mrs. Nelson Hooker and Mrs. Cecil Donaldson entertained last Tuesday night at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Beattie. Euchre was played at six tables. Ladies prizes were won by Mrs. Robert Gruer first and Mrs. George Cavers consolation, while gents prizes were awarded Mr. Robert Gruer, first, Mr. Bobby Cavers, consolation. At midnight refreshments were served by the hostesses, then music and dancing were enjoyed. Music was supplied by Mrs. Cecil Donaldson and Mr. Nelson Hooker.

Sympathy is extended Mr. and Mrs. Harold Faxton and family in the loss of their uncle, the late Mr. Lamb, who has spent the past three years at their home. He was formerly a resident of Montreal.

Mrs. Robert Ovans spent a few days last week with friends in Huntingdon.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Brown visited on Tuesday with Mrs. Wm. Pennington, Huntingdon.

Congratulations to Miss Myrtle Forrester who won a prize last week on her Geography Project. A Tour Across Canada.

The Gore

The Women's Missionary Society was entertained on Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 27th, at the home of Mrs. Robert Anderson. Six members and ten visitors were present. Owing to the illness of the President, Mrs. Sam. Herdman, Mrs. Robert Anderson took charge of the devotional and business exercises. One new member, Mrs. Carl Anderson was added to the roll. During the work period one quilt was quilted. At the close of the meeting a delicious supper was served by Mrs. Robert Anderson, assisted by Mrs. Nelson Anderson.

Friday, Feb. 28th, the day set apart as "World's Day of Prayer" was observed at the home of Mrs. H. Henderson, with members of St. Paul's W. A. and United W.M.S. meeting together. Mrs. J. C. Coulter took charge and was assisted by those present. A collection was taken to be sent to the treasurer of the International committee, in aid of Christian Literature.

Miss Edna Todd of Beauharnois spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. James Todd.

Miss Mary Johnston has returned to Montreal after spending some time with her brother, Mr. Robert Johnston.

Mrs. M. Gilligan and daughter Viola spent Monday in Malone.

Annual Meeting Chateau Shareholders.

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that will render unfair competition impossible and give to the hotel what belongs to the hotel.

The investment of \$1000 in the Windsor Silk Mills was ratified, and the meeting approved of a motion that all future investments should first be approved by the shareholders.

The meeting decided to issue pro rata shares for the amount of money subscribed at the time of the sale, on present fully unpaid shares. It was also decided to reduce the fixed assets of the Company, as well as the book value of the common stock. Directors' fees remained the same.

The Board of Directors was re-elected. This consists of D. Faubert, President; Alfred Langevin, Secretary; D. J. O'Connor, W. S. Brown, Dr. O. E. Caza, J. A. McCracken, and P. J. Lefebvre.

Glenelm

A very pleasant time was spent in Kensington Hall last Tuesday evening when the Young Women's Association of the United Church held a social gathering. Due to the mild weather of the day, a large crowd attended. Crinoline, checkers and other games were played during the evening. The prizewinners being:

Mrs. Geo. D. Elder, Miss Eleanor Gordon, Messrs. Geo. Sutton, Kenneth Rutherford and Douglas Elder. Sandwiches, cake and coffee were served by the members at the close of the evening. Proceeds amounted to \$8. The members of the Y.W.A. plan on holding another such gathering in the near future.

The Women's Association of Kensington United Church met at the home of Mrs. D. Brown on Saturday p.m. The President, Mrs. J. J. Tannahill presided at the meeting. Although the weather was stormy a large number were present. The ladies worked at a quilt during the afternoon. A delicious lunch was served by the hostess.

The play "Where's Grandma?" was presented by Constable talent in Trout River M.E. Church. The drama was much enjoyed by those present, everyone taking their part creditably, especially Mrs. Norman Murdoch, who represented "Grandma." The players have been asked to present their play in different localities.

We are sorry to report that Mrs. Geo. Carr is very ill at her home here, having taken a stroke.

Mrs. John Doria, Trout River, is a patient in the Alice Hyde Hospital, Malone, where she was operated on for appendicitis.

Mr. Bert Crawford is confined to bed with an attack of quinsy.

Several of the pupils in Holbrook school are confined to their homes due to an epidemic of measles in this vicinity.

Mr. Frank Stebbins was removed from the home of his sister, Mrs. C. McGibbon to the Alice Hyde Hospital, Malone on Saturday. Mr. Stebbins has been in very poor health all winter. His many friends hope for a speedy recovery.

Mr. James Wilson, Jr., Trout River, has sufficiently recovered from an appendix operation in the Alice Hyde Hospital, to be able to return to his father's home, Mr. J. Wilson.

Mrs. Carl Ewing was removed to the hospital for an operation last week. Her many friends wish for a speedy recovery.

Miss Gladys Patton spent the week-end at the home of W. H. Crawford visiting her friend, Miss Edna Curran.

Miss Eleanor Desjardins of Ste. Martine, visited at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Desjardins last week-end.

Mr. Malcolm Campbell, Montreal, is enjoying a short vacation at the home of his grandfather, Dr. Crippen.

Miss Isobel Shearer spent a week visiting at the home of W. A. White.

Mr. Chester Pease, Trout River, has returned home after a pleasant motor trip to Florida.

The congregation of Kensington United Church enjoyed listening to the broadcast of the speech of King Edward VIII, on Sunday morning, due to the kindness of Rev. J. H. Woodside, the pastor, in installing his radio in the church for the occasion.

Dundee Council

The Dundee Council met as usual on Monday, March 2 in the Town Hall. Coun. Gordon Davidson absent. Mayor H. B. Gardiner presided.

W. F. Napier came before the Board re Tax sale on his property. The Council agreed to stop the sale, providing Napier would pay half the costs, the municipality paying the other half.

The following bills were ordered paid: Shawinigan Water & Power, \$7.50; Wesley Thompson, timber for snow plow, \$3.24; Sylvester Carriere, road bill, \$41.33; Frank Carriere, road bill, \$8.56; Peter Myre, road bill, \$12.82; William Monique, road bill, \$2.77; W. L. Carr, auditing 1935 accounts, \$40; Louis Monique, door-keepers at municipal election, \$2; Stanley Arnold, pole clerk, \$2; A. H. Fraser, returning officer, \$3.

The auditor's report for the year 1935 as read by the Secretary, was adopted and passed without amendment.

A vote of thanks was extended to the Auditor, W. L. Carr and the Sec. Treas., A. H. Fraser for their services in the interest of the municipality.

A resolution was adopted whereby a motion of the Council of Nov. 7th, 1932, ordering Pathmasters, to keep the roads open for horse vehicles only after Jan. 1st, 1933, and the motion of Feb. 3rd, 1936, whereby any rate-payer wishing to have any portion of a road open for automobile traffic must do so at his own expense, be rescinded and that the Council have the power to have the roads of the municipality opened for automobile traffic if necessary by a power snow plow.

It was agreed to hire Oliver Derochie to open the roads with his power snow plow at the rate of \$2.00 per hour. Plowing to be done as soon as the Spring breakup commences.

Town League Hockey



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however, when J. Lefebvre, parked in front of the net, took a pass-out to drill another goal past Muir and put Canadiens three up. With only seventy-five seconds to go, the Textiles were unable to get the equalizing goal of goals needed to tie the game, although they gave Houle some anxious moments in the final minutes.

At times the Millers held a decided edge in the play and only sensational work by Houle in the nets kept their score down to a tie.

Houle had to go off for repairs in the last period when Tedstone hit him in the face with his stick as he tried to knock a high puck into the net. The Canadian goaler came back to play a brilliant game. At times he was brilliant and at times lucky. At times he was very brilliant and very lucky.

The Textiles outshot Canadiens 37-25. In the second period they held, particularly clear-cut edge when Houle handed twice as many shots as Muir, 14-7.

The final game of the series will be played next Monday night. However, Leach Textiles demand that a percentage of the gate be split between the two teams before they will go on the ice. They want a 40-40 split with Canadiens, leaving the rink the other 20 percent. The rink directorate have promised the four teams a banquet at the end of the season.

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Hemmingford

Mr. R. T. Brownlee, who has been in very poor health for some time, was removed to the Champlain Valley Hospital, Plattsburg, N. Y., Wednesday morning, Feb. 26. An operation was immediately performed upon his arrival by Drs. Allen and McDowell. Latest report at time of writing Mr. Brownlee is making favorable progress. Mrs. Brownlee is remaining in Plattsburg, N. Y., to be near Mr. Brownlee.

A very entertaining and successful "500" party under the auspices of the Ladies Guild of the Anglican Church was held in the Parish Hall, Tuesday evening, Feb. 25th. Cards were played at fifteen tables, and a very enjoyable evening was brought to a close by the serving of lunch, after which the prizes were presented. The ladies first prize being won by Mrs. L. G. Sample, second by Mrs. Walter Keddy, consolation by Mrs. Howard Miller. Gentlemen's first prize, Mr. Roy McCaune, second by Mr. C. E. Fitch, consolation Francis Stringer.

Miss Elaine Lacasse is spending a week in Montreal.

Virgile Pierre, who is taking up a bankers course in Montreal, spent the week-end at his home here.

Mr. Roland Rousseau has returned to the city after renewing acquaintances and spending a short holiday here.

Mr. Kenneth Gebbie of Waterloo, Que., spent the week-end here.

Miss Mary Kingsbury, student of M.H.S., Moore's, spent the week-end with Miss Vera Kennedy.

Mr. Walford Kelley returned last Wednesday to his home at Clairmont, Ky.

Mr. A. Beattie, who has been visiting at the home of his brother, D. J. Beattie, has returned to Huntingdon.

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School Notes

The students were pleased to welcome the Principal back to the classroom on Monday, Mr. MacMillan was absent last week due to illness.

Mr. Rouse, French Specialist, was away from school Friday attending a Teachers' Convention in Montreal.

Tonight the students will have a chance to see their Junior hockey team in action when that squad meets a team from St. Joseph's Academy.

Next Friday evening the students will also have a chance to view another one of their hockey teams in action for the first time. This time it's the girls. They will be playing in the first game of a doubleheader against a team from Ormstown. The boys are scheduled against the powerful Mount Royal team. These games will probably be the last of the season.

On Thursday afternoon an assembly was held in the High School. It opened by the singing of the National Anthem, after which a debate was held for the Cup donated by Miss Hamilton. The subject of this debate was "Resolved that a single long session of school is better for the scholar than morning and afternoon sessions." The affirmative side which was upheld by Lyman Roberts, Alexa Rember and Wyneta Hamilton representing Grade IX won against the negative side upheld by Donald McClintock, Bernice Todd and Melvin Graham representing Grade X. The judges of this debate were Mrs. R. Jarvis, Mrs. A. Cavers, Mr. James M. Winter and Mr. G. P. Osmond.

The prizes for the Grade VIII Geography project were also given out. The girls' prizes were awarded to Thelma Tannahill, Myrtle Forrester and Mildred Graham, and the boys to Ross Elliott, James McOuat and Keith Greig. A special prize given by Mr. Poyart was awarded to Lindsay Cullen. Honorable mention was given to Helen Ruger, Jean MacDonald, Billy Bradley, Nicholas Grist, Judges of this contest were Mrs. A. Cavers, Mrs. Allan Hooker and Miss E. Orr.

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MYSTERY HOUSE

BY KATHLEEN NORRIS

Page hesitated only a second. "It might have been what I was talking to Rand about this morning," she said. "That Lynn had been getting friendly with me. He seems to like me better."

"You know what she wants of him?" Flora asked. It was as if both women laid down their arms.

"I suppose I do."

"If that—that point could be settled," Flora said in a dark brooding tone, "it would be a godsend to us all! She ought to get away from here and I ought to get away from here and every diamond in the world into the ocean before I'd stay here another day," she added passionately, "but I have no say. I'm only Flora—poor Flora, poor old-maid Flora who does not count!"

"Flora, why didn't you ever marry?" Page asked, with a sort of inspired simplicity. She saw the color rise under the liver-mottled skin.

"I taught arithmetic in a girls' school," Flora said proudly, reluctantly, unwilling to claim the younger woman's sympathy, yet longing for it.

"It was a pupil there for seven years, my mother was getting only fifty dollars a month from Mrs. Prendergast, for all that she traveled and lived in the best hotels and ate rich meals and wore nothing but silk."

"It was a bad school, Mrs. Blinks—this was Blinks' Academy up in New England—was a hard, cruel kind of woman, but she liked me. When I finished she offered me the job of teaching. I took it. I didn't have anything else to do. Twice I tried other jobs—a secretarial job and working in a Boston store. I wasn't strong enough or big enough; I couldn't stand behind a counter. That was all, except when my mother wired me three months ago that she was ill, and to come on at once."

"There was a silence. Then Page said youthfully, "Oh, gosh!"

"Well—that wasn't what I came to talk to you about," said Flora. "Did



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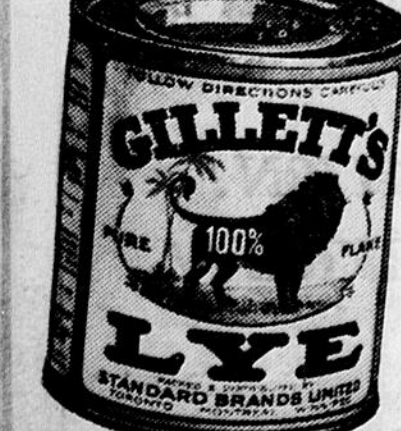


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Rand's car was waiting at the door; it was a thrilling variation to the routine of the endless first month to tuck herself in beside him, and watch the hills and the sea slip away, and start for the long grade that rose eastward from Half-moon Bay. It was a fresh clear winter morning.

For a while Page was quiet in sheer felicity. After a time she spoke from her own thoughts. "Did you tell me the day you met me at Belmont, that Mrs. Prendergast has a sister?"

"Yes," she said, "Mrs. Roy—Fanny; she has a sister, Mrs. Roy—Fanny; she married a swami some years ago, and the Duchess never forgave her. He's a cool black, I believe, and wears a turban. She writes occasionally from somewhere near Lahore, but the old lady doesn't answer."

"Had Mrs. Roy children?"

"Yes, I believe she has a daughter, married."

Page had not forgotten Mrs. Hibbs, that Alysse Watts Hibbs whose concern for her aunt's millions and her aunt's diamond had started her, Page Hazeltine, upon this fantastic adventure.

"Well, I suppose you've a sweetheart waiting for you in the city?" Rand asked, with an abrupt change of topic softened by his own peculiarly pleasant smile.

"I have not!"

"Be honest now."

"No, really!" the girl reiterated, laughing. "That was part of the reason why I came down to Mrs. Prendergast," she went on honestly. "Nothing exciting was happening! I was in a rut."

They had crossed the big grade now and were moving smoothly along the level roads between Belmont and the city.

"Rand," Page said suddenly, "I want to say something to you. I think I will! Flora—did you know that Flora thinks she is engaged to you?"

She had expected him to deny it, but instead he was quite silent for a full half minute.

"In a way she's right," he said then.

"That you are engaged?" Page's tone was all incredulity. "I thought of course—I never dreamed—" she stammered. A great desolation pervaded her soul. Somehow, Rand had failed her.

"In those first days of sickness and confusion," Rand began, "she and I were consulting—arranging—up nights and eating meals whenever we could—well, he broke off in a bitter tone, "there never was an excuse for it! But she was so small, and so forlorn, I'm not defending myself," he ended.

"You mean you—made love to her?"

"She took it that way. I'm not sure she wasn't right," the man said, with an embarrassed, angry half-laugh. "We were along together, day after day. I began to—to jolly her here. 'Never mind, Flora,' I'd say to her, 'we'll get out of here some day, and go to China. You and I'll see it through, and some day we can live the way we want to!' She was little, and a woman," he finished, "and I knew—I knew how she felt about me!"

"Were you ever married, Rand?"

Page asked, after a moment's consideration.

"No," he answered, hesitatingly. "There are all sorts of women out in China, of course—a man gets mixed up with them. There was a girl named Sonia Rotovitski—she called herself Sonia Rose—she danced in a night club there. She was a highly intellectual woman, with a little girl and a husband to support. We would have been married but he wouldn't divorce her; she was his meal ticket."

He stopped short, and there was a silence. Page felt a sense of disillusionment. Men were men, of course, and she herself was not a child.

(To be continued)

What's in the Wind?

by PAULA DICKS

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TELL IT NOW IN GATH

If you have never made a fool of yourself, you are not in my class.

Thus wrote a famous American who went to his death on the Lusitania. These words were printed on the cover of "The Philistine," issued September 1910. What strange impulse led me last Thursday evening to rummage in the bookcase for the only four copies of this publication that we possess, I will leave the reader to imagine. I toyed idly with the little booklet, which I do not recall ever reading before, as we listened to an International broadcast, from Montreal, of the banquet tendered to Ray Murphy, National Commander of the American Legion.

Honorable C. D. Howe, Minister of Railways and Canals and the Rt. Hon. R. B. Bennett spoke from Ottawa. His Worship, Mayor Houde, made an eloquent appeal to the American Legion to hold their reunion in 1937, at Montreal. Commander Murphy spoke in a happy vein and asked if the time had not come for Veterans to dedicate themselves to peace, so long as peace could be obtained with honor.

Father Kennedy of St. Louis, National Chaplain, was in the midst of a story of the trenches, concerning His Majesty, King Edward, then Prince of Wales, when he was cut off the air. The Chaplain was interrupted, and allowed a breathless audience the privilege of listening to—Bing Crosby!

As one tale leads to another, I found myself substituting for the unfinished story.

God Saves the King!

In the Fall of 1928 a letter from Uganda, Africa, confirmed interesting reports of the adventures of H. R. H. The Prince of Wales. It was from a coffee plantation in the high plateau on the main safari route to the Mountains of the Moon. The writer is my sister and also the sister-in-law of His Excellency, Sir Arnold Hodson, Governor-General of Sierra Leone. It reads:

"I'm almost too excited to write sensibly. H. R. H. the Prince of Wales honoured us with a visit! Wasn't it too heavenly? Just as we had given up hope of seeing him, I wasn't able to go to Entebbe for any of the shindies, as the nurse got ill and had to go home and I had no one to look after anything. It was on the 26th (October 1928). We were kept posted with rumors only that H. R. H. was on the Toro-Mubendi boat en route for Entebbe and Jack, as usual, went out on the shamba.

"About 4 p.m. a car pulled up behind him on the road and H. R. H. stuck his head out and grinned, and then Samaki, a good friend of ours, who conducted him on his shooting trip, introduced them. He asked could he come to us. So Jack got into the car.

"I saw them walking up to the house and never dreamed it could be the Prince and when Jack introduced me, I thought for one moment it was a let-pull. However, I had presence of mind enough to make my 'bob'. Then everything went off fine. He was so charming and natural and so excited about his safari. I think he said he got two elephants, and very frightened into the bargain. One charged him at nine feet away and he got in a very lucky brain shot.

"It was really too wonderful hearing him talking just like an ordinary person and laughing his

little to say that was flattering about either. Hubbard's ideas on religion and the rights of women would horrify Mayor Houde—and possibly Father Kennedy. His opinion regarding kings, on the other hand, was very orthodox. He even says that the American Revolution was a mistake.

What would he think of America today? The placing of the wreath upon the Cenotaph by Ray Murphy. The cheering Legions in Montreal that night? All of which vividly recalled the War that meant death to millions, including the Philistine himself.

I wonder was the Fra Elbertus listening-in on a supernatural hook-up?

From "The Philistine," let me quote with reverence:

"The King of England has no existence as king. The man who impersonates the ruler is but a symbol of the solidarity of the English people. Thought was once a sure-enough ruler. His arrogance caused a shot to be fired at Concord Bridge, and thirteen American Colonies were lost to the British Crown. And they were lost simply because this man forgot that he was a symbol of power, and not a powerful symbol. He would if he could have oppressed a people grown to a point where they prized freedom. George III should have been deposed—and we should have stayed in the game."

Canada prizes freedom, quite as much as do the States. Also, she has quite as much of the commodity as we have. Freedom is not a gift—it is an achievement. Freedom implies responsibility. Freedom is bought by loyalty to duty.

The citizens of Canada are free to the degree that they are able, competent, self-reliant, and recognize that each man can only help himself as he helps humanity.

This idea of mutual service is sanity.

Helpful men are safe men.

Human service—this way freedom lies!

The Sovereign is a man who symbolizes for us solidarity.

Organization is civilization. The word "King" is a rallying-cry.

The English are a great and powerful people, and because they are powerful, the death of one man—any man—is to them an insignificant thing. ENGLAND IS ORGANIZED. God Save the King!

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Knox Church Aux. of the W.M.S. met at the home of the Misses Glady and Jean Ritchie on Wednesday, February 26th at the usual hour. Mrs. Anderson presided, five visitors being present, besides the members. The meeting opened in the usual way by singing Ps. 72. Mrs. Mervyn Craig read the Bible lesson from Heb. 11. Mrs. Cullen led in prayer. Members responded to the roll call with the text word, "Faith." After singing hymn 286 followed by the Lord's Prayer in unison, Mrs. Anderson gave a very full and interesting report of the Presbyterian meeting held in Montreal. After singing Hymn 419 Mrs. Anderson closed the meeting with prayer.

Miss Betty Ross of Montreal is spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. John Ross.

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CANADIANS AND THEIR INDUSTRIES—AND THEIR BANK

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JIM: "Bill, do you ever get tired of handling fish, fish, fish, all the time?"

BILL: "Yes, Jim, but it helps me to keep goin' when I think of the thousands of folks we're helpin' to feed!"

JIM: "That's right—fish is important and we're in a fine big business."

BILL: "Wasn't always big, though. The Chief was tellin' me the other day about how this company started. It seems funny, now. He and his partner figured they would do a whole lot better if they could keep their bait fresh for all-year fishin'. They went to the Bank of Montreal and borrowed on their personal securities to build a cold storage plant. Of course, they soon paid back the loan, because a lot of folks saw what a good thing this business was goin' to be and bought stock in the company. Now look at the business!"

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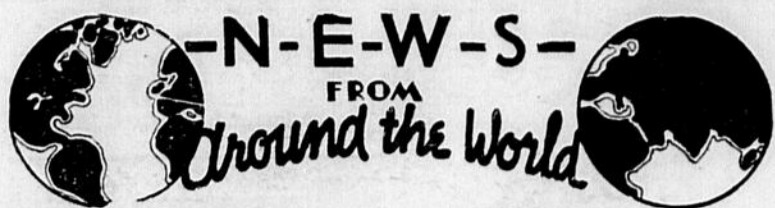
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REVOLT flared in Tokio, the capital of Japan, and for three days insurgent troops held the chief government buildings after having murdered three prominent statesmen.

The movement had been carefully planned and broke unexpectedly when bands of armed soldiers seized vital points in the capital while others went to the doomed officials' homes and shot and killed their victims.

Strict censorship was clamped down on all news from Japan and the world was left wondering what was going on in the Island Empire. Then came official statements to the effect that there had been some disturbances but that everything was normal again. Meanwhile the Emperor was holding numerous conferences with various leaders in an endeavour to stamp out the revolt and to form some form of government.

Not Aimed at Throne

The revolt in Japan must not be confused with similar movements in any other part of the world. It was not intended to remove the Emperor or to form a Republic or in any way to alter the present form of government. It was intended only to change the personnel of the government. Here in Canada we do that by means of a general election, but while elections are held in Japan and every man the twenty-one has a vote these are really somewhat empty gestures and are not nearly as important as they are here in Canada. Rather, one must go back to the conditions prevailing in England several hundred years ago to obtain a parallel and even then it would be quite true.

The Emperor of Japan is a Heavens-borne, he is divine. Whatever the experienced men who surround him may think, whatever may be their private opinions of the divinity of the Emperor, the fact remains that to millions of his subjects the Emperor is very little less than a god.

The government, however, is another matter; lacking the ordinary methods of upholding the government of changing the men who advise the Emperor and really control the Empire, the insurgents were constrained to resort to desperate measures.

Modelled on German Lines

MANY years ago when Japan decided that it needed a more modern constitution, and that the ancient feudal system would no longer serve the Empire under modern conditions a commission was sent all over Europe and America to study the various forms of government and to find one that would suit the Japanese.

The commission found the British system unworkable because the Japanese people had never had experience in self government and lacked the necessary education. They found what they wanted, however, in the German system.

In those days the German Emperor reigned supreme. Under him was a Chancellor, but the Chancellor was appointed by the Emperor and was responsible to the Emperor alone. He could be dismissed at the will of the Emperor Bismark—for any reason or no reason at all.

There was a Parliament and there were parties in that parliament, and they held violent debates, but in the final analysis Parliament was not much more than a debating club, real power was in the hands of the Emperor and his Chancellor and the small group of advisers who formed the Ministry.

In much the same way, in the days of Tudor England, real power lay in the hands of the Sovereign who appointed his (or her) own Secretary, and about the only way of getting him out of power was for a rival party to impeach the Minister of high treason and either get him beheaded or beheaded himself. Parliament in England, in those days, was rather more powerful than was Parliament in Germany under the Emperor.

Statesmen and Capitalists

As time went on a group of men began to gather power in their hands. The statesmen were known as Elder Statesmen and were regarded with veneration by the people and ill-concealed animosity by those ambitious people who desired to share their power.

Gradually, however, there emerged a new class of man who absorbed power. This was the capitalist. He grew powerful enough to dictate the policies to these Elder Statesmen, and while he did not himself appear very seldom appeared—in the Councils of the Emperor, he was able to sway those Councils by means of

his financial power and because several of the Ministers advising the Emperor were puppets of the capitalists.

There seemed to be no way of changing this state of affairs or of removing these men from the side of the Emperor except by murdering them.

Grim Poverty and Great Wealth

JAPAN is not simply a land of cherry blossoms, geisha girls and pretty gardens. It is a highly industrial country, competing against manufacturers in every land, and it is a country in which every available square foot of soil is cultivated in the most extensive manner.

It is a land in which poverty so real and so terrible that it cannot be comprehended by Canadian imagination stalks side by side with enormous wealth.

The depression hit Japan just as it did any other country, but the blow was disguised. The common people always have been wretchedly poor, working for an incredibly small wage, and the depression was felt only as a slight increase of already intolerable conditions. Thousands of men were unemployed but they were shipped to the country districts and a severe government saw to it that there was no untoward uprisings.

Many went into the army and were employed in the Chinese wars. When Manchukuo was established as a puppet Japanese state it was thought that unemployed Japanese might migrate, but Manchukuo was already supporting as large a population as any land could possibly support in the most meagre fashion.

Being Ourselves

Thousands of people remain pygmies all their lives because they never make themselves. They are afraid to take the initiative. They ruin their judgment by not using it, by depending upon others, running to them for advice, and always following the track marked out by some other else. They are mere echoes, trailers.

The STEW POT

There are 10 Towns or Cities of Canada in this square of letters, see how many you can find. The names are spelled partly across the square and partly down.

O T T M O K I
S H A M N T N
P T W C R G
I R A L T E S
C E N L O A T
T H T O N L O
O U L L D O N

Answer next week.

Adding Insult to Injury

This saying comes from an ancient classical fable. This fable tells how a bald headed man, when bitten on the head by a fly gave himself a violent slap. The fly easily evading the slap, he called out jeeringly, "You wanted to kill me for a touch—what will you do to yourself now that you have added insult to injury."

Blackguard

Originally this word did not mean a villain or a scoundrel as it does today. In olden times blackguards were the servants who rode with the pots and pans, guarding them carefully when their lords and masters moved from one place to another.

"Yessah," said the little coloured boy, "Ise named fo ma parents. Daddy's name was Ferdinand, and Mammy's name was Liza."

"What's your name then?" "Ferdilla."

"What is cowhide chiefly used for?" asked the teacher.

A boy raised his hand. "I know, miss," he said eagerly. "To keep the cow together, miss," was the reply.

Q.—Why is nothing so modest as a watch?
A.—Because it is always running down its own works.

Q.—Why is the first chicken of the brood like the mainmast of a ship?
A.—Because it is a little in front of the main hatch.

The Boiling Point of Water
We all know that the boiling point



Jules Audy

Blond Jules Audy, Sweetheart Of 6 Day Bike Tracks

By AL PARSLEY

From the asphalt of Montreal's east side where he started to ride an old and dilapidated bone-shaker came Jules Audy, colorful little French-Canadian rider of the saucer six days tracks. He reached fame and fortune on his bicycle and his boyish appearance—he has platinum blonde hair, baby eyes, is but five feet six inches in his racing shoes, soon won him the title "Sweetheart of the Six Day Races."

Everywhere the girls and boys took little Jules to their hearts. From the time he started riding the six day spinning wheels in the spring of 1934 he was immediately popular, and everywhere this popularity spread. In a little over two years he has won 14 races out of the 50 he entered, from coast to coast in America and in London, England. All together he has raced in Montreal, Toronto, Pittsburgh, Cleveland, Minneapolis, Milwaukee, Chicago, New York, Philadelphia, Los Angeles, and London, England.

Audy commenced his professional bike racing career in Montreal after a brief career of riding in the amateur ranks. In his very first race he finished second teamed with Piet Van

Kempen, the world champion Dutch rider, to the powerful team of "Torchy" Feden and Henri Lepege.

Later when Audy made his debut on American tracks he joined Torchy Feden, and this All-Canadian team drew a great following. Audy was popular for three reasons, his flashing skill as a rider in the jams and sprints, his fine boyish appearance and his talent for crooning into the mike of the public address system during the lulls which occasionally come up due to accidents and other interruptions.

Audy and Al Crossley are the great crooning rivals of the saucer tracks. Since little Audy has ridden many races with Feden it is interesting to compare these two. Audy diminutive, almost elf-like as he spins along smoothly hardly showing much exertion though his little legs have a circular motion, tireless, which keeps his bicycle moving along in the nearest human phenomena to perpetual motion.

Feden in contrast weighs 235 pounds and is six feet two inches tall. His racing wheel groans under his giant frame. Both ride specially built bicycles, the framework of that of Audy is low so that his short legs can reach the pedals, while Feden's tall machine of necessarily heavier construction is made taller so that he can get a full drive on the pedals with his long, powerful legs, for just the opposite reason.

Success of Audy in professional bicycle racing and his instant popularity which has been growing steadily since he started has excited the boys of the Montreal district to such an extent that now they ride their bicycles all the year round. An agent for a bicycle manufacturing concern told the writer during the six day bicycle race last October in Montreal that Audy's popularity had resulted in a big boost in sales.

Sister Susie Says

Shabby Footwear Can Mar the Prettiest of Outfits—Learn to Care For Your Shoes

Make yourself a pair of mules. When silk shoes become too shabby for wear turn them into an attractive and useful pair of bedroom "mules." If they are faded and dirty touch them up with water to which has been added a little dye, dabbing it on with a piece of flannel.

Cut the sides of the shoes down to the sole on each side of the instep so as to leave a toe cap and part of the back to grip at the heel. Bind the top cap and heel piece with satin or velvet ribbon. You can embroider the toes in wool or silk and they look very dainty and attractive.

Waterproofing Shoes
During the wet spring weather it is a good idea to waterproof your shoes. This will not only help to keep your feet dry but it will make your shoes last longer and help them keep their shape.

The way to waterproof your shoes is to paint them with a mixture of 2 ounces of mutton fat, 1 ounce of powdered resin and a quarter of a pint of linseed oil. Heat the oil, then dissolve the resin in it, add the fat and let it simmer for about 10 minutes. Apply when cool. If you use this mixture on your shoes once a week throughout the wet spring months, and throughout the winter months for that matter, your shoes will not be affected by the wet at all.

Patent Leather Shoes
Patent leather shoes can be kept in condition throughout the wet season by rubbing them with vaseline once a week, leave to dry for a week then rub it off. If you get any mud on your patent leather shoes rub it off

while it is still wet. If you let it get dry before you try to take it off, it is liable to scratch your shoes. For polishing patent leather shoes use a soft cloth.

Another tip in keeping shoes nice all this season of the year is to use a little glycerine. Brush the shoes well and rub the glycerine into the leather with a sponge or soft rag. When they are nearly dry brush them with a soft rag.

This will give your shoes a wonderful polish and they will keep their shine for two or three days, only needing an occasional rub. It also makes them soft and pliable and keeps them in good colour. Take care of your shoes. It's a good habit to get into for your shoes can, at the saying goes, make or break your appearance.

A British possession since 1561. The island is quite mountainous, and its hills and mountains are shown on almost all its stamps. St. Helena issued stamps in 1856, the design being a portrait of Queen Victoria. There followed a run of ordinary stamps until in 1922 the island issued a pictorial set and in 1934 came the centenary issue, some of the stamps of which are shown in our illustrations. The stamps show several views of the picturesque scenes on the island, a map of St. Helena and a picture of the saint herself, carrying her cross. The stamps are unique in that they are the only stamps issued bearing the portraits



of four sovereigns: William IV, George IV, Victoria, Edward VII and George V.



The Revenge Of The Bear

By Howard Angus Kennedy

WHEN the Viceroys of Canada came on a visit to the Indian Reservation of Monacaona, the French-hearted Troquois pretended to be savages and danced a sham war-dance for His Excellency's amusement. Old Chief Skagawa, disgusted, stayed away from the Council-house where the pow-wow was being held. And he was not the only chief who stayed

straight fore-and-afters, with no turning out of the toes; he was light of weight, for the prints were shallow; and yet he was tall, for they were far apart. Whoever he might be, he had come straight from the village, had paused at the door, looked in at the window, and then gone straight back by the way he had come.

All this the old chief noticed—and one thing more. The mysterious visitor had put his hand on the window-sill for a moment, for there were the prints of three long fingers on the snow, and the middle finger was missing.

With the slightest possible grunt of understanding Tananota passed on to the wood-pile, pulled out four of the biggest sticks of birch, each four feet long and nearly a foot thick, and carried them into the house. Then he came out again, and carried in four more, and again, and carried in a third supply, before he shut the door and crouched down to build up the fire for the night.

The moon faded out of the sky and the snow began to fall—not the hard driving snow that stings the face, but the soft and lazy snow that floats down through the air in a good-natured way, yet brings the wayfarer world to a dead stop in an hour.

A hand fumbled at the latch. The door opened, and a tall thin redskin stood hesitating on the threshold. The crimson knitted tunic of a French habitant was pulled down over his ears; his coat, almost invisible within an overcoat of clinging snow, was a clumsy grey garment of homespun—the étoffe du pays.

There was no welcome in Tananota's face, but the stranger shut the door behind him, shook off the snow, and came forward to warm himself at the fire.

"You won't mind my staying here for the night?" he said in French. "I've spent the evening at Skagawa's, but he got uneasy when the time came for his wife to come home from the Council-house, and he thought you would have more room."

"Room enough," grunted the old chief. "But why don't you speak your own language?"

The visitor looked ashamed. "I have forgotten it," he said. "I live among the Canadians, down yonder. I am the only Huron left south of the river; and the Hurons at Lorette, on the north shore—what are they but Canadians?"

"You are a Huron. Ah."
"Yes, a Huron of pure blood."
"Ah!"
"I heard the great Governor was coming to Monacaona and I thought I should like to see him before I die."
"You are—?"
"Eighty years and more. But I can pull a pretty good oar still, thank God."

(Continued next week)



By MARGARET DOUGLAS
THE FOREST FOLK FIND A LITTLE GIRL

OH, how excited all the children were as they searched through the forest, for none of them had ever seen an earth child, and they all wondered what it would be like.

Charlie and Willie Wolf and Sally Squirrel climbed up trees, and dived into magic pools and peeped under bushes chattering like magpies, till suddenly Charlie gave a squeal and Willie and Sally ran helter skelter after him into a field where only the best daisies grew.

"I've found it!" cried Charlie jumping with joy, and all the others came running, their eyes popping out of their heads.

For there, under a shady tree, lay a little girl fast asleep, her little fat hands filled with daisy chains, and a baby breeze kissing her short golden curls.

Two birds on the tree had sung her to sleep, and the Happy Dreams Fairies were whispering into her dear little ears, and that was why she was smiling.

All the wee Furry Folk stood round the lovely child waiting for her to open her eyes, and Charlie sat close beside her, for he had been the first to find her.

Clopetty clop! Clopetty clo!
What a noise Mr. Clopetty made as he came galloping into the field, and the children all put on their cross faces and said, "Hush! Hush!" and poor Mr. Clopetty sat down in a corner and began to cry great big tears. Suddenly the children stood on tiptoe, for the little girl had opened her big blue eyes, and what a surprise she got when she saw all the Forest Folk.

"Oh!" she said sleepily, "What a queer dream!"
"How do you do?" said Charlie politely.

She looked at the little Chipmunk

Short Notes

THE fourth case of suspected sabotage aboard British fighting vessels this Winter was reported by the Admiralty.

Admitting an investigation was under way, the Admiralty stated: "It would not be in the public interest to make any statement."

Sitting in a high chair 11-month-old Laurent Mayer of Sturgeon Falls, Ont. kicked out lustily at the table. The chair toppled over and Laurent dropped to the door of a stove oven and slid right in.

The father, rushed in and drew the baby out of the hot oven. He was unhurt except for a burn on his neck.

While Jack Anderson, theatre manager of Ontario, Cal., was telephoning police to report the theft of a safe from his office, the thief re-entered by a back door, poked a gun in the face of Mrs. Alice Fuller, cashier, demanded the combination, got it and left.

John Quale of Lang, Sask., carries his own horsepower round with him when he tries to buck heavy drifts in his truck. The added power takes the form of a Clydesdale horse carried in the back of the truck.

and stroked him gently, and Charlie was so proud that he stood on his head and waved his bushy tail, and the little girl laughed and clapped her hands.

"Welcome to the Magic Forest!" squeaked Sally Squirrel remembering her politeness just in time, and trying to push the Hedge Hog twins out of the way.

"I'll take you to the Fairy Queen!" cried Freddy Fox. "No, I found her first!" squeaked Charlie. "She's coming with me, so there!"

"I want a ride on that nice horse's back!" said the little girl looking at Mr. Clopetty who had stopped crying because everybody had forgotten about him.

"He's bad—he wakened you up out of your sleepy peeps!" squeaked Baby Rabbit wriggling his long ears to show how clever he was.

"I don't like wolves!" said the little girl crossly, shrinking away from Willie who wanted to kiss her.

"He's just a pretend wolf now," Charlie told her. "He can't bite for he's got no teeth."

"Stop your silly jabber wabbers," called out Mr. Clopetty, tossing his mane proudly, as he cantered up to the little stranger.

"Get up on my back little Missy, and I'll take you to the Fairy Queen's Palace."

(Continued next week.)

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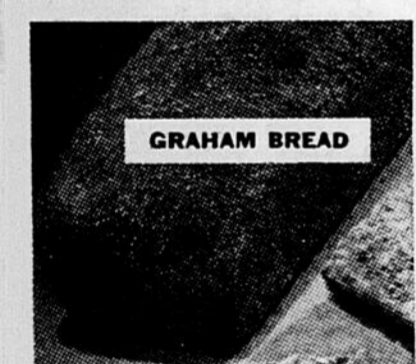
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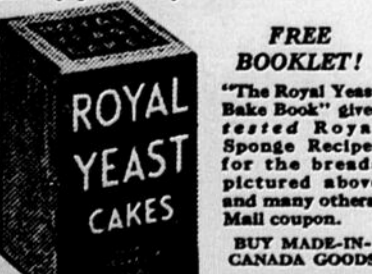
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Farm News

Ayrshires in R.O.P.—

The Secretary, Canadian Ayrshire Breeders' Association reports that during the month of February he received the reports of 127 cows and heifers which have qualified in the R.O.P.—44 in the 365 day division and 83 in the Honor Roll or 365 day division.

Thirty-nine of the 44 records in the 365 day division were made on two milkings-a-day. Mature class—Springfield Hilltop, owner, Ward C. Pitfield, Cartierville, Que., 15,164 lbs. milk, 625 lbs. fat, ave. test, 4.12% fat.

St. Anicet Parish Council

It was moved by Avila Robidoux, seconded by Charles Trepanier that the following bills be paid: Napoleon Hainault, \$1; Arthur Beaudry, 63c; Dr. Claude St. Onge, \$10.

Moved by Edmond Carrière, seconded by the Health Unit, as the rural population advise that little good is being done by same.

Moved by Alfred Primeau, seconded by Edmond Carrière that this Council cannot demand anything from those interested for the upkeep in hospitals of Mrs. E. Brodeur, Jos. Sauve and J. Delisle, all in St. Jean de Dieu Hospital.

Deference

Deference is the most complicated, the most indirect and the most elegant of all compliments.—(Shenstone)

For Sale

400 Grimm sap buckets and spouts, and gathering tank, also building 12 x 24 ft. suitable for sugar house.

Wanted

Man wanted by large manufacturer of household necessities to complete Huntingdon County organization.

For Sale or Exchange

For good mixed grain, 1 cheap work horse, few loads of loose hay and straw, cedar pickets.

Wanted to Rent

Farm with stock and machinery complete, or farm on the halves. Lloyd Durham, Phone 633 R. 1-3, Atholstan.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Is hereby given that the "Beauharnois Light, Heat & Power Company" will apply to the Legislature of the Province of Quebec at its next session for the passing of an Act to amend the Act of incorporation of the Company 2 Ed. VII, Chap. 72, as amended by the Acts 1 Geo. V (1910), Chap. 77, 18 Geo. V (1928), Chap. 113, 20 Geo. V (1930), Chap. 116 and 22 Geo. V (1931-32), Chap. 127, by striking out Article 12 thereof and replacing it by the following:—

PROVINCE OF QUEBEC

Municipality of the Town of Huntingdon

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that By-law in regard to trotting on the lower and upper bridges will be enforced after the date of this notice.

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Riverfield

The World's Day of Prayer was observed last Friday, Feb. 28th, in the Riverfield Church Hall in conjunction with the W. M. S. of the United Church of Howick. Owing to road and weather conditions, there was not as many present as last year.

The Dr. R. L. Ballantyne bonspiel was held on Riverfield ice on Monday, Feb. 29th, and owing to weather conditions, was finished Feb. 29th. The Dr. R. L. Ballantyne and Mr. W. C. Orr were the winners.

Ormsdown

Mrs. Alan Hooker was hostess at a dinner bridge on Friday afternoon in honor of the teachers of the High School. Cards were played at two tables and the prizes were awarded to Miss Melva Campbell, high score and Miss Phyllis Reid the consolation.

St. Malachie Council

Met on Monday, members all present except Coun. Colium and Beauchamp. Mayor Alfred Grey presiding.

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Met on Monday, members all present, Mayor Jas. A. McBain presiding. Moved by Coun. McIntyre, seconded by Coun. McCaffrey that the following accounts be audited:

Robson

Little Miss Winnifred Parras is still confined to bed and suffering now from glandular trouble.

Vegetable Salad

Any vegetable salad is better from a health standpoint if the vegetables are served raw. Such vegetables as carrots and cabbage should be very finely cut or shredded, to be palatable in this form.

Cook Soup From Beans

Soy beans were recently discovered to be a very valuable food, and are now being grown in larger quantities in Canada. If any of you have had in a supply of this delicious vegetable, you will welcome a recipe for using it.

For Sale or to Rent

Good dairy farm, (without stock), known as the W. R. White farm, containing acres, all under cultivation, situated at Kensington, Que., 1/4 of a mile off the Montreal-Malone highway.

For Sale or to Rent

Good seven room house in residential district, modern conveniences, garage and garden. D. Marshall, Ormsdown.

Roxham

Mrs. Robert Akester has returned home after spending several days with her daughter, Mrs. Robbie Hadley.

Mrs. John Glass spent last weekend at Plattsburgh, N.Y., with her sister, Mrs. Jennie Kennedy.

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Curling Notes

Club games are supplying most of the activity at the rink these days. G. C. Stark's rink will represent this section in the Elgin Cup play which begins in Montreal this Friday.

Covey Hill

The funeral of Robert Buchanan was held on Saturday afternoon, Feb. 22nd, from his late residence at the Union Church and was attended by many friends and neighbors.

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Individualism

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HOCKEY

Ormsdown Arena, FRIDAY, MARCH 6th, H'edon Seniors vs. Ormsdown Seniors. Game at 8:15 p.m. Admission: 20c and 10c.

Huntingdon Rink HOCKEY

TONIGHT ST. JOSEPH'S SCHOOL vs. HUNTINGDON ACADEMY JR.S. Come and see the hockey stars of tomorrow in action.

FRIDAY, MARCH 6th

Ormsdown School Girls. Huntingdon School Girls. MOUNT ROYAL HIGH SCHOOL vs. HUNTINGDON ACADEMY. First game at 8:00 p.m.

MONDAY, MARCH 9th

Final Game Town League Play-offs CANADIENS vs. LEACH TEXTILES. Two neutral referees will handle the game. Puck faced at 8:15 p.m.

Ormsdown Skating Rink

Skating every afternoon, Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday nights. Music at Night.

St. Patrick's Euchre

in the PARISH HALL, ORMSDOWN TUESDAY, MARCH 17th at 8:00 p.m. Refreshments, prizes and door prize. Admission 35c.

Reserve St. Patrick's Night

Sugar Social home of WALTER B. LEVERS

Reserve TUESDAY, MARCH 17th

Irish Stew Supper UNITED CHURCH

Chateaugay's DEAL THEATRE

Wed.-Thurs., March 4-5

Remember Last Night With an all star cast including EDWARD ARNOLD-ROBERT ARMSTRONG-CONSTANCE CUMMINGS

Friday-Saturday, March 6-7

EDWARD G. ROBINSON starring in "Barbary Coast" Also Serial - News - Cartoon

Sunday-Monday, March 8-9

The Bride Comes Home A very popular comedy drama starring CLAUDETTE COLBERT-FRED MacMURRAY-ROBERT YOUNG Popular Short Subjects and Pathe News

Tues.-Wed., March 10-11

The big picture of the year The Tale of Two Cities starring RONALD COLEMAN

PICTURES in O'Connor Hall

FRIDAY-SATURDAY, MARCH 6-7

SATURDAY, 3:00 p.m. SHIRLEY TEMPLE - JOHN BOLES in "CURLY TOP" Comedy "Keystone Hotel" Old Timers If the pie-slinging sequence in this comedy doesn't bring tears of laughter to your eyes, laughing pains to your stomach and plenty of shouder vibration, then you had better pay a visit to your nearest physician.

TUESDAY, MARCH 10

PAT PATERSON - LEW AYRES in "LOTTERY LOVER" FRIDAY-SATURDAY, MAR. 13-14, SATURDAY, 3:00 p.m. BETTE DAVIS - FRANCHOT TONE in "DANGEROUS" TUESDAY, MARCH 17 SPENCER TRACY - WENDY BARRIE in "IT'S A SMALL WORLD"