

Revenge is a kind of wild justice, which the more man's nature runs to, the more ought law to weed it out. —Francis Bacon.

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Board of H. H. S. to Consider Purchase of New Projector

Manual Training Instructor May Be Obtained For Balance of School Term

The Huntingdon Protestant School Board held a regular meeting at the High School, on Thursday evening, with all members present and Commissioner Lyle Graham in the chair.

Following the reading of the minutes a number of bills were passed for payment and the meeting opened for discussion. No new business was brought up by the members, but Principal Dr. H. Cook, had a matter for consideration.

The films could be obtained free of charge except for the cost of transportation one way. Much of an educational nature could be gained from the showing of films and especially in chemistry classes. He also suggested that another instrument be obtained for enlarging and showing of pictures for the Chemistry classes.

The Board decided that a demonstration of the projector in mind should be obtained at an early date, before actually deciding on the purchase. It was also felt that perhaps an allowance could be obtained for the old machine which would help in the purchase price.

Several of the members reported on the survey being made to obtain an insight on the probable enrollment at the school in the future. This however, is not yet complete.

It was decided to interview a party who might be engaged to take over the instruction of manual training for the balance of the school year on the basis of two days each week. A tentative fee was discussed and a proposition will be made to the party in mind with a view to getting this type of training started.

Valleyfield Curling Club Wins Governor-General's Trophy at Ottawa

OTTAWA — (CP) — Two rinks from Valleyfield, Que., Saturday won the Governor-General's Trophy, emblematic of the double rink, iron-curling championship of Canada.

The Montreal district champs split their two games with a pair of Ottawa curling clubs but won 23-20 on the round.

It was the first time in the 31-year history of the Governor-General's bonspiel that a Valleyfield rink has captured the event. The Valleyfield rinks pulled a surprise by trouncing Montreal Heather to enter the championship round.

A Valleyfield rink skipped by J. D. Cluff, Jr., scored an impressive 15-4 victory over Jack Bradley's Ottawa foursome, while the other Valleyfield rink skipped by Harry Whitehead went down to a 16-8 defeat at the hands of C. B. (Tiny) Herman's Ottawa four.

More than 500 persons packed the two galleries and circled the playing surfaces at the Ottawa Curling Club to watch the exciting championship play. The host club was trying for its 25th victory in the bonspiel.

The Herman - Whitehead game started as a high-scoring affair as Herman picked up two shots on the first end and added three more on the second, only to have Whitehead's Valleyfield foursome come back with four of their own on the third end.

Skip Cluff, with brother McKie playing third, made a runaway of his game with Bradley and led a 10-2 lead at the end of the 10th end.

Cluff's rink actually won the bonspiel for the Valleyfield curl-

ers on the final end as they counted the deciding four shots.

Bradley drew in a perfect shot and left his rink lying three, only to have Cluff come in with a sensational double take-out to remove the Ottawa rocks and leave his rink with four shots.

Herman tried desperately to count four shots on the 12th end of his match with Whitehead, but had to concede the victory to the Valleyfield curlers when his last rock was removed.

Governor-General Vincent Massey presented the trophy to Walter Colquhoun, president of the Valleyfield Curling Club.

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D. Boyd
H. Stewart
S. Rooney
H. Whitehead sk 8
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Ottawa 230 103 211 021-16

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F. Nuttall
R. W. Amos
M. Cluff Jr. sk 15
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ORMSTOWN — Messrs. Clifford Sproule and Kenneth Campbell entertained the members of the Concession Farm Forum, Monday evening, February 7, at the home of Mrs. Eddie Hooker.

The broadcast at 8:30 p.m. was listened to and discussed, then cards were played at six tables. Those holding high scores were Mrs. Stanley Elliott and

Four Big Seaway Bids to Be Called Before March

Work is Under Way at Lachine and a Contract was Awarded Last Week for the Lock and Canal at Iroquois, Ont., Around the Control Dam to be Constructed There.

TORONTO — (CP) — Hon. Lionel Chevrier, president of the St. Lawrence Seaway Authority, said on Thursday, four more major contracts on the seaway will be called for before the end of the month.

In an interview following a speech to the Empire Club, the former transport minister said Canada is determined to get ahead with work on the deep waterway as quickly as possible.

Mr. Chevrier said the tenders include construction of locks and excavation of the seaway channel in the Lachine section, further work on the Canadian side of the river and dredging in the Lake St. Francis region.

Work is under way at Lachine and a contract was awarded last week for the lock and canal at Iroquois, Ont., around the control dam to be constructed there.

Fire at Howick Destroys Garage

Fire, following an explosion of undetermined origin, destroyed the garage of Mr. Oscar Briere in Howick on Friday evening, Feb. 4. The explosion occurred while an employee was working with oxygen tanks, reportedly, and the blast blew out three walls of the cement-block building, and caused the roof to fall in.

The man in the building escaped unhurt, although fire followed the blast immediately. In the garage at the time there were, according to reports, five trucks, all owned by Briere who runs a trucking business. It is believed that these trucks were all damaged beyond repair by the flames.

Action by the Howick fire department prevented the flames from spreading to the nearby residence of Mr. Briere, although the volunteer firemen were unable to prevent extensive damage to the garage and its contents. Gasoline and oil in the building naturally caused the flames to spread extremely rapidly.

This building was only completed about a year ago, following a fire in March, 1953, which destroyed the building formerly occupying this site. At that time Mr. Briere lost home and garage, as well as trucks, equipment, and household effects.

Mr. Robert McGerrigle, low scores were Mrs. W. J. McGerrigle and Alton McGerrigle. Refreshments were then served by the gentlemen.

The February 14 meeting will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Elliott and Raymond Barrie Memorial Notes

The following annual memberships have been received by the Barrie Memorial Hospital during the past week: \$10.00 each from Mrs. Hugh McAdam, Mr. George McBain and Mr. Eric McBain, all of Orms-
town, Que. Donation of \$50.00 from Anonymous, Aubrey, Que.

The convener for the sewing group on Thursday, February 3, was Mrs. George Graham, Orms-town.

Howick
HOWICK — Dr. R. Berlis, minister of St. Andrew and St. Paul, Dr. C. Ritchie Bell of Presbyterian College, Montreal, and Mrs. Bell, were dinner guests of the Rev. and Mrs. W. M. Brown at the manse at Georgetown on Friday, February 4.

Rev. W. M. Brown of Howick is attending special meetings at the Presbyterian Church Offices in Toronto on February 8 and 9.

CONGRATULATIONS MR. PRESIDENT



One of the highlights of Saturday's 81st Governor-General's Trophy Bonspiel final was the presentation of the beautiful trophy to Walter Colquhoun, president of the victorious Valleyfield Curling Club.

Valleyfield, Que. Mr. Colquhoun is pictured accepting the coveted trophy on behalf of his club from His Excellency Vincent Massey, Governor-General of Canada.

Council Members Sworn in At First Meeting of New Session

Committees For Various Depts Named — Alderman McWhinnie Named Pro-Mayor For First Three-months Term

The meeting of the Huntingdon Town Council held on Monday evening, was the first of the new session of the Council. In consequence, all members had to be sworn into office and the Oath of Office administered.

With this out of the way, each member including the Mayor, addressed the meeting and pledged himself as willing to co-operate and carry out the duties of his office to the best of his ability.

The new committees were then named and agreed upon as follows — the first named is the chairman in each case. Roads: Aldermen Fournier, Caza and Tremblay. Water and Electricity: Aldermen McWhinnie, Fournier and Legault. Parks and Rubbish: Aldermen Gaw, Tremblay and Legault. Police and Fire: Aldermen Caza, Fournier and McWhinnie. Building: Aldermen Legault, Gaw and McWhinnie. Poor, Relief and Health: Aldermen Tremblay, Gaw, Caza and Dr. George Lefebvre. Finance: Alderman Caza and Council Members. Industrial: Mayor and Council Members.

A large number of bills were passed for payment and included among them were some very heavy ones in respect to repairs and maintenance of Town trucks.

Alderman R. E. McWhinnie was named Pro-Mayor for the first three months term.

Milk reports were read as follows for samples taken on January 24th: Elmhurst, 15,000cc; Pleasant Valley Dairy, 21,000cc; Monique, 8,100cc; Goodfellow, 690,000cc.

A letter was read from Belle Vallee, which stated that an inspection had been made of the dairy and the bottling plant is kept very clean and that troubles bothering the plant have now been cleaned up.

Something should be done to clear away the ice on each side of the railway crossings on Lake Street. He also asked that the ice and snow accumulation at the sides of Lake Street be removed as it is dangerous for cars to pass one another.

A rather amusing letter from three single girls was read to the council with regard to securing employment in the mills in town. The girls told the council in the letter that they had tried to secure employment at the various mills and where they had previously been employed, but had been unsuccessful. They charged that while they had been turned down, some married women from out-of-town points had been engaged in preference. They complained that they had to live and could not understand why married women, whose husbands were em-

Former Glenelm Man in Accident At Hamilton

GLENELM — Sorry to report that Louis Brunet, son of Mr. and Mrs. Brunet of Glenelm, Que., met with a bad accident while at his work at Hamilton, Ont. He was working on a machine doing mason work when his clothes caught in the machine and his kneecap was crushed and leg broken below. His parents motored to Hamilton to see their son, who is in St. Joseph's Hospital, at that point. Last report was that he was getting along nicely.

Mr. A. Goodfellow motored to Schenectady, N.Y., on Tuesday, Feb. 8, and attended the funeral of his aunt, Mrs. Thomas McDowell, which was held on Wednesday.

Mrs. J. Brown and daughters Evelyn and Merle, took a trip to Shaw-bridge, Que., on Monday. Miss Merle remained, as she has secured a position as teacher there.

Miss Margaret Brown spent a week recently at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Brown.

Mr. John Scriver, who has been a patient in the General Hospital, Montreal, for the past two weeks, glad to report at time of writing his condition has much improved. It is hoped this will continue.

'Malone Night' Valleyfield Arena

The Quebec Professional Hockey League continues to be the upper most professional hockey attraction in organized hockey in Quebec Province. The teams playing in this famous circuit have some of the best known puck-chasers in Canada.

On Thursday evening, February 10th, at 8:30 p.m. the Valleyfield Braves will meet the League leading Shawinigan Cataracts in a regular QHL tilt in Valleyfield Arena. The Cataracts present a formidable opponent with their young and alert aggregation, but the Braves have won all but two of their local games against the probable champions of the League.

Some 100 fans from Malone and vicinity will attend this interesting contest at Valleyfield, the guests of President Arthur Vinet and his board of directors. This is the annual "Malone Night", which has always been favoured by our American friends. A special section is reserved for Malone residents attending this game.

The Shawinigan Cataracts have the most impressive record in the Quebec Hockey League today. The young and powerful players under the watchful eyes of that old pro who must be watched constantly during power-plays, coach Roger Le-ger, including Kaehur, Broder, Wray, Turner, Hodgson, Faulkner, Grosse Desautiers, and Fern Perreault will thrill the fans with their flashy stick-handling. Bob Perrault is the net minder for the Cataracts. He is the best goalie in the League today with a total of nine shut-outs to his credit so far this year.

The Valleyfield Braves are in fifth place. They have had the misfortune of losing five games in over-time periods and 11 others by single goals. This season's starts include such stalwarts as Kiteout Joannette, Larry Kwong, Bingo Ernst, Bruce Cline, Gordie Haworth, Andre Corviseau, Roland Leclerc, Georges Bou-
gie, Ott Heller, Mike Collins, Bill Neudam, Roger Dubuc, Jacques Gagnon and Jean-Paul Bisailon.

Andy Payette is the regular net-minder, who is always at his best when the competition is keen. Payette has had many offers from National Leagues, but as he likes his work and his hockey, he will remain in Valleyfield for at least the present season.

Quebec Hockey League hockey in a city the size of Valleyfield is a most remarkable feat, but again it must be remembered that hockey fans in this area have always been known as "Hockey Crazy".

Improvement in Textile Industry Depends On Many Things

Indication Are That Quebec's Textile Industry Is Making Its Comeback

Following will be found excerpts from an article in the February 5th issue of "The Financial Post", with regard to present conditions and trends in the Textile Industry in Quebec and generally in Canada.

Being in the area considered to be the heart of the industry in this province, we appreciate the fact that there has been a decided improvement in the conditions of the industry. It is much more inspiring than at this same time last year and as noted in the following, the upturn came at the ending months of 1954. It would seem that with more consideration on the part of the Federal Government, that the industry could once more return to a staple footing with assurance that employment will remain on a more even keel. Indications are that where possible to incorporate the newer synthetic fibres, such must be considered as part of the plan for the recovery of the Textile Industry. Even to the extent of adding such new methods as separate and apart from the general run of the mills, should this be considered. The industry is not at the end of these new discoveries and it is quite possible that there will be scope for the addition of further new methods and yarns of the synthetic nature.

Such must be done to guard against threat that certain synthetic yarns may replace older and better known fabrics, in the near or distant future. An instance of this is the wider variety of uses to which nylon is being put and which is replacing certain other yarns which were previously considered indispensable.

Below are the excerpts referred to.

Looking back it now appears that Quebec textile mills may have hit bottom in April or May, 1954, and bounced up.

Since those dark months, business volume in nearly all lines of Quebec's second biggest industry has improved, and producers expect 1955 to be a brighter year, with both employment and earnings higher. The flood of U.S. textiles into the Canadian market seems to have eased. But there's still one big storm cloud on the horizon — the possibility of much tougher competition from low-wage Japan.

The Japanese Puzzle
Canada signed a new trade agreement with the big Far Eastern textile producer, effective last June. For some reason Japan has so far made no concentrated drive to hit the Canadian market in really large volume.

If and when Japan does begin a real selling drive here, the competition will be mainly in staple lines — high-style goods should not be affected much. But staples are the bread and butter of many Quebec mills, and they could be hit hard.

Production — Quebec mills account for about 65% of the cotton cloth manufactured in Canada. That means they turned out probably about 149 million yards last year, down 13% from 170 millions in 1953 and 30% from 210 millions in 1950.

The drop last year was concentrated in the first six months, when production was off 21% from the same period of a year earlier and fabric prices continued to sag. But real selling drive here, the competition will be mainly in staple lines — high-style goods should not be affected much. But staples are the bread and butter of many Quebec mills, and they could be hit hard.

Several times after the slump began three and a half years ago, it seemed things were finally getting back on an even keel. But only now does it appear the worst may be over.

Here's the picture, section by section: (Continued on page 7)

Howick Parents Incensed Over Alleged Irregularity In Methods of Teaching

HOWICK — A group of parents of children now attending Howick High School, apparently provoked over the refusal of the Howick School Board to grant them a hearing at which the school principal would not be present, have expressed their intention to demand an investigation by the Provincial Department of Education, into alleged irregularities in the methods of teaching and maintaining discipline in Howick High School.

Much criticism has been directed recently against allegedly unfair and unnecessarily severe methods employed by the principal. It was reported that the demand by some eleven parents and ratepayers that the School Board meet with them to discuss the matter, without the presence of the Principal, Mr. Gaudet, was apparently refused by the Board, and the irate parents have since pursued the matter further and reportedly intend to seek action from higher authority, presumably the Protestant Board of Education at Quebec.

WINNERS AND RUNNERS - UP LACOLLE BONSPIEL



Winners, from left to right — Rev. J. Hope, skip, Albert Morin of Black-Dawson, J. VanVliet, D. VanVliet, pool Brokerage presentation Trophy. Runners-up: K. Robb (skip), S. Robb, M. Robb, J. Nussey.

WINNERS AND RUNNERS - UP CONSOLATION AT LACOLLE



Lacolle Bonspiel, 1955, Blackpool Brokerage Trophy, Consolation winners — E. Godbout, Ray Bonneville, W. Talleau, E. Bonenfant, Skip. Runners-up: F. McGill (Skip), C. Adams, G. Taylor, W. Killick.

Another Industry to Locate In Valleyfield

Will Build on Same Lot as the Davison Chemical Company

After the recent news that an industry of \$6,000,000, the Davison Chemical Company, Division of W. E. Grace & Co. which will employ between 150 to 200 persons at the start, is coming to Valleyfield, we read with pleasure an article published in The Financial Post, which announced the construction of another plant of chemical products by the National Silicates, whose products are used by the Davison Chemical.

The companies involved have signed a contract which authorizes the National Silicate to build on the same lot as the Davison Chemical. The construction work should start at once.

The National Silicates, a branch of the Philadelphia Quartz (U.S.) is the most important producer of silicate in Canada. Since 1933, the company has operated a plant in Toronto, and the production has increased five times, due to the growing demand for their product. The

consistent buyers are producers of soap, paper and cardboard, and ore processors.

Howick
Georgetown and Riverfield Young People Observe "Youth Week"

VALLEYFIELD CURLERS CAPTURE GOVERNOR - GENERAL'S TROPHY



The smiles of victory are displayed by members of a pair of Valleyfield Curling Club rinks which Saturday captured the Governor-General's Trophy Bonspiel grand final at the Ottawa Curling Club. Pictured above, left to right, front row, are Fred Nuttall, Walt Amos, McKie Cluff, and John Cluff, skip. Back row, David Boyd, Herb Stewart, Walter Colquhoun, president of the Valleyfield Curling Club, Stan Rooney and Harry Whitehead, skip. It was the Valleyfield Club's first appearance in the grand final.

Round Byre AND Ring

By Frank Nover

Big Holstein Year

"With registrations at an unprecedented level and transfers more than holding their own, 1954 must be regarded as a satisfactory year for the Association," says the annual report (for the year 1954) of G. M. Clemons, Secretary of the Holstein-Friesian Association of Canada.

"There may be some soft spots, such as a small decrease in membership, but in view of the general unsettlement in agriculture, the results of the year's business are encouraging.

"For the first time in history, yearly registrations crossed the seventy thousand mark with a total of 73,400, eight per cent higher than the previous best year. Registrations of bull calves increased by 15% to reach a total of 4,550 for the year. The percentage of calves resulting from artificial insemination rose from 41% to 46%, reversing the trend of the previous year and reaching a new high."

"Holstein Statistics Vital statistics as gleaned from Mr. Clemons report: Memberships: 12,581 in 1954, as against 12,719 in 1953, a loss of 138, despite the fact that 908 new members were added to the list.

"The Quebec membership totalled 1,561 in 1954 as against 1,646 in 1953, a drop of 85. In fact, Quebec showed the largest loss, the next high loss being in Ontario with a

drop of 70 members, from 9,528 in 1953 to 9,458 in 1954. (Nevertheless, the Quebec membership figures are still imposing - F.N.)

Registrations totalled 73,400 in 1954 as against 67,650 in 1953, a gain of 5,750 or 8%. Quebec registrations totalled 7,658 in 1954 or 45 more than in 1953. (As in the case of memberships in Quebec, still quite a large number - F.N.)

Transfers totalled 51,225 in 1954 as against 51,152 in 1953, an increase of 73 or 1%. Quebec transfers totalled 5,210 in 1954, or 6 less than in 1953. (Here again the Quebec figures are quite imposing - F.N.)

Exports to the United States totalled 51,226 or 18% less than in 1953.

Receipts totalled \$330,448.52 in 1954, as compared to \$316,363.72 in 1953. An increase of \$14,084.80. Expenditures totalled \$303,213.00 as compared with \$285,689.10 in 1953.

The assets of the Association, as at 31st December 1954, totalled \$287,897.13, against which were liabilities totalled \$25,761.27, leaving a balance of assets over liabilities of \$262,135.86.

More About Baled Silage (With further reference to and in continuation of the synopsis of the reports of the West of Scotland Agricultural College, regarding Baled Grass Silage, as gleaned from the Farming News of Scotland.)

In addition to the eight farmers who supplied costs, five other farmers who had made baled silage gave an account of their experience. Of the total of 13 farmers, 11 stated that they found baling easier than other methods of harvesting silage and that their men also preferred it as the work was not so hard. One farmer was of the opinion that it had no advantage over other methods of harvesting but hoped to reap the benefit in the feeding, while another definitely preferred the greencrop loader. **Feed Savings** It seems probable that the greatest benefit will lie in the feeding of the baled silage. The

few farmers who have had experience found that baling greatly simplifies feeding and reduces labor. It is said that each bale can be lifted separately out of the pit and when divided in two, each half forms a suitable ration for a dairy cow. These points, however, require confirmation. Another point which also remains to be confirmed is that the quality of the silage made from grass in bales is as good as that made from loose grass.

Operating Costs As regards the cost of operating "the baler if the rate of baling is an acre per hour the average cost would be 30s 2d (\$4.06) per acre. Interest on the capital tied up in the baler is a proper charge on the cost of baling and is a fixed annual amount irrespective of the quantity of work done. For a pick-up baler costing \$650 (\$1,747.20) the interest at 4 per cent, would amount to \$26 (\$6.90) per annum. This sum must be spread over all the crops baled whether it be silage, hay, or straw baled at the threshing mill. Consequently the greater the use that can be made of the baler and the greater area baled, the lower will be the cost, per acre and per ton, of baling silage.

The average estimated annual use of the balers used was, in round figures, 200 hours per year, and at that rate, the interest charge per hour would work out at 3s 3d (\$0.43). Thus at a baling rate of one hour per acre this would amount to 3s 3d (\$0.43) per acre. Adding this to the average operating cost of 30s 2d (\$4.06) per acre, the estimated total cost of baling would be 33s (\$4.43) to 34s (\$4.57) per acre. Some farmers prefer to regard depreciation as an overhead expense. On this basis, the cost of operating the baler would be the total costs as above less 6s 5d (\$0.86) depreciation, i.e., 27s (\$3.63) per acre.

If the farmer already possesses a baler, no additional interest on capital will have to be paid so that the out-of-pocket expenses would be the cost of operating only, i.e., 30s 2d (\$4.06). Where depreciation is charged as an overhead cost, the out-of-pocket cost of the operation would be 27s (\$3.63) per acre, i.e., 23s 9d (\$3.19) per acre.

Labour Organisation The work of harvesting can be divided into two separate parts, (1) cutting, side-raking, where necessary and baling, and (2) collecting the bales, taking them to the pit and ensiling. These two parts can be carried out quite independently, either by two separate teams or by the same team working at different times - but, of course, care has to be taken that the first part of the work does not get so far ahead of the second that the bales are left too long in the field.

The minimum team which can carry out the first part of the work is one man and a tractor, each implement in turn, but it was more usual to have two or sometimes three tractors on the job. The time taken for cutting varied a good deal round about an hour per acre, and was usually rather longer in the heavier crops. Side raking or swath turning took about half this time or a little more. The time required for baling also varied. In some crops was less than the cutting time, while in other crops baling took longer than cutting.

For clearing bales, carting and ensiling the minimum team required is one tractor and trailer and 2 men loading and unloading, although where only one tractor and trailer was used for transport some farmers preferred to have 3 men on the work in addition to the tractor driver - 2 loading and one building the load.

The speed at which the bales are cleared off the field depends primarily on the number of carts or trailers operating. The 9 man team with 3 trailers would bring in just over 1 1/2 times the number of bales the 6 man team with 2 trailers would collect. With a minimum team of 2 loaders and a tractor and trailer, 10 journeys should be possible in a day, bringing in 700 or 800 bales, according to the capacity of the cart.

This introduces another point of importance, viz. the advantage of using as large a cart as the tractor can pull, especially where the distance to be hauled is long. On the farm studied, about 1/3 of the time taken for a round trip was spent in travelling, and it made no difference to travelling time whether the trailer carried 80 or 70 bales. The time taken to load a trailer was about 18 minutes with 2 loaders and 14 minutes with 3 loaders. One of the loaders drove the tractor between each heap of bales while the tractor driver built the load. In this case no appreciable difference was apparent in the time taken to load a 70 bale tractor and an 80 bale one. Consideration of these figures leads one to suppose that where a single trailer is being used for carting there may be no advantage in having 3 loaders instead of 2 unless this will enable an additional load of bales to be carried in the day.

THE TOP SHELF

By BENJAMIN BEVERIDGE
BEING INTERESTING NOTES
OF NEWS IN COMMENT FORM



Last year was a good one for booksellers in America. Oddly enough, though, of the 12,000 new titles added to the list, there were fewer and fewer bestsellers reaching the sales established by leading authors in other years. Where the most popular books in the first two decades of the century sold as many as 1,500,000 copies (thus establishing a standard for best-sellers), a book which reaches 100,000 in the United States today, or 5,000 in Canada, is considered a bestseller.

Americans don't buy books like the British and the French do. But, then, books cost more in the U. S. and Canada, and this no doubt helps make us great library patrons. The reason why publishers and authors did so well in 1954 was not because their initial sales were so good, but because they gained on subsidiary rights, films, soft-cover reprints, and book club agreements. There are 100 book clubs in America, and the Reader's Digest condensed book club has 1,600,000 members, all reading short versions of the books before Hollywood gets them.

Textbooks, religious books, and how-to-do-it books are more popular than ever, the latter possibly being due to the high cost of trade-men's services and the forced popularity of the do-it-yourself philosophy. The foregoing has sent me musing over some old book lists, and I find some interesting things about books and other activities which have occurred during the past half-century.

The first issue of Variety Magazine of the entertainment world came out in 1905, and in 1911, two long-time popular authors, Harold Bell Wright and Gene Stratton Porter, made their first appearance at the publishers with "The Winning of Barbara Worth" and "The Harvesters". In 1915, when the Lutesian sank and Billy Sunday was saving souls wholesale, Zane Grey, the most prominent of all Western story writers, had his first book on the bestseller list. The following year Kathleen Norris published her first book. We have seen so much of this prolific writer in the years since that it is difficult to realize that there was ever a time when Kathleen Norris was not writing bestsellers.

Barse and Hopkins brought out R. W. Service's "Rhymes of a Red Cross Man" in 1917, and in 1920 the publishing firm of Harcourt, Brace and Co. Which was to sponsor so many great writers, came into being. Nineteen twenty-two saw the launching of Reader's Digest and the first of many fine biographies

by Lytton Strachey, this one "Queen Victoria". Time magazine was founded in 1923, and the next year a new name appeared on the list in the person of Elma Ferber. Her book, "So Big", was filmed a year or so ago. Simon and Schuster also made its debut in 1924, with a book on crossword puzzles. In 20 years, 56 of these books were to sell 1,597,000 copies.

The Boston Cook Book, one of the London's four bestsellers was first published in 1924. The Literary Guild appeared in 1927, and in 1928, Little, Brown published the first of Mazo de la Roche's Jalna books. This Canadian author won a prize of \$10,000 for that book, and 14 others have since been translated into a dozen languages. Just out with a new book called "Variable Winds at Jalna", she was named Canada's woman of 1954 in literature.

The Charleston was on the wane by 1933, but the depression was with us for five or six more years. It was in 1933 that people all over the continent tried to forget their misfortunes by doing jig-saw puzzles. The war in Spain came in 1936, and Margaret Mitchell, later to die in a car crash, came out with her "Gone With the Wind". The following year Dale Carnegie, later to divorce his wife, published "How to Win Friends and Influence People".

On January 28, 1956, opera houses all over the world will mark the 200th anniversary of Mozart's birth. But a great change will have taken place in these music centres since the time that 25-year old Wolfgang became composer to the Imperial court of Vienna. Many of the leading singers in the Mozartian performances, in "Don Giovanni" and "Figaro", will be from the new continent of America.

Eudorf Ring, who succeeded Canada's Edward Johnson as manager of the Metropolitan Opera House, points out that though European singers like Jenny Lind, Enrico Caruso, and later Boerling, Traubel and Fugstad, came to America to enrich the music of the New World, America is now returning the favor. In Germany, particularly, where there are 60 or 70 opera companies, Americans are singing the operas of Wagner and singing to them. Rise Stevens, Roberta Peters, Beverly Gordon, and others, are acclaimed at Bayreuth and La Scala, at Covent Garden and La Scala.

Yet there are only three opera companies of comparable importance in all the United States, in New York and one in San Francisco. There is only one in Canada, and that is not of comparable size.

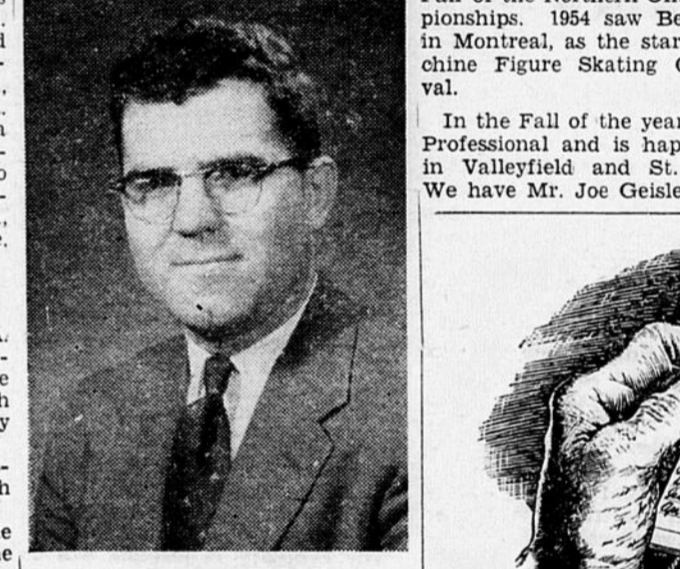
Valleyfield Preparing For Annual Figure Skating Carnival in March

VALLEYFIELD - The Annual Figure Skating Carnival of the Valleyfield Figure Skating Club will be held at the Valleyfield Arena in March. Keep this date in mind as a good season.



Beverly Poole came to Valleyfield, this year, after having completed this year with the Club as soloist. In 1949 she passed her first, second and third tests. In 1950 she moved to Montreal, where she obtained her Silver Medal and won the Ladies' Intermediate Singles. In 1951, her parents sent her to train in Schumacher, Ont. under the well known Hans Gerschwind, where she passed her sixth and seventh tests. In 1953 she and her partner were runners-up for the Senior Ladies' Pair of the Northern Ontario Championships. 1954 saw Beverly back in Montreal, as the star of the Lachine Figure Skating Club Carnival.

Former Resident Returns



GUY DANSEREAU - Mr. and Mrs. Guy Dansereau, former residents of Valleyfield, have returned home. Mr. Dansereau will take over management of the local branch of Household Finance Corporation, replacing Mr. A. H. Fisher who has been promoted to manage a large Montreal branch of HFC. During the past 6 years Mr. Dansereau has worked in 7 different Quebec towns for HFC. His last assignment was assistant manager at one of the largest Montreal branches of Household Finance Corporation.

At an interview, Mr. Dansereau stated "travel is fine. I spent three years with the ROCAF and that involved plenty of travelling but it is very nice to be back in Valleyfield which I consider my home town. I know that the experience I have gained in handling peoples financial problems and budgets in all parts of the Province will help me to serve the Valleyfield community that much better."

Mr. Dansereau is the former Miss Marie Rose Millette, sister of Roger Millette, 140a Jacques Cartier, Valleyfield. One point that Mr. Dansereau did not omit to mention is the fact that during their travels he and Mrs. Dansereau have acquired two fine sons.

Says Spuds Never Turned Curves Into Bulges

Toronto, (CP) - A potato expert says spuds never turned a girl's curves into bulges. E. K. Hampson, of Hamilton, recently-retired manager of the Canadian Potash Institute, says reports that the potato is fattening are propaganda. Speaking at a meeting of the potato section of the Ontario Soil and Crop Improvement Association Tuesday, he said: "Those who are fighting the battle of the bulge should be advised to grasp the south end of a lawnmower and go north, or take a firm grip on the far end of a hoe."

"He suggested that growers across Canada form an organization that might be called the Potato Institute of Canada. One of its functions would be to let curve-conscious people know that potatoes are not fattening."

B. C. BUYS BRIDGE VICTORIA (CP) - The 2,778-foot Lions Gate bridge at Vancouver has been purchased by the British Columbia government for \$5,950,000 from the First Narrows Bridge Co., controlled by the Guinness interest of London. It was built in 1938 at a cost of \$6,000,000 but cost of replacement now is estimated at \$10,000,000.

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Sports Camera

Specially Written for "The Huntingdon Gleaner" By Milton MacPhail Canadian Press Staff Writer

Canadians will be asked this summer to contribute at least \$210,000 to send a team to the 1956 Olympics. Part of it will come from the federal and provincial governments but most will have to be raised by sports enthusiasts interested in seeing Canada represented at the Olympics in Melbourne, Australia.

Ken Farmer, president of the Canadian Olympic Association, says his group plans a one-week campaign to raise the money for expenses. The association has gone over the Olympic schedule event by event and has reduced the representation in every sport to help ease the high transportation costs.

Smaller Squads The teams going to the summer games in Australia and the winter contests in Italy will be 20 per cent smaller than the squads Canada sent to Helsinki and Stockholm in 1952. Despite the smaller squads, COA officials estimate it will cost \$65,000 more to send and equip next year's teams than in the 1952 version. It will cost approximately \$1,000 to send an athlete or official from Vancouver to Melbourne. That will set up at least \$100,000 of the amount to be sought. In addition, there will be the cost of assembling athletes from across the country at Vancouver.

This country sent 113 athletes and 26 officials to Helsinki. Present plans call for 35 competitors and 12 officials to make the trip to Australia by plane. Why by plane instead of the cheaper means by ship? The committee feels that this will enable athletes to take less time off from school or their jobs to represent Canada.

The sea voyage is slow. In 1950 the Canadian team travelled by ship to the British Empire Games in New Zealand and was away for five months. Although the 1956 team has been spared in every division, some sports seem to suffer more than others.

The boxing squad will be cut from seven athletes and three officials in 1952 to four competitors and two officials, who will also handle the wrestling team.

The track and field squad will lose five competitors. It will be made up of 12 men and six women, plus three officials.

It's the same story for the winter games. Thirty-five athletes and 12 officials will go to Italy in place of 40 athletes and the same number of officials in 1952. The Olympic committee has advised the Canadian Amateur Ski Association that our ski team will be cut by three members to 10. The committee said it feels there are not enough outstanding skiers in the Dominion at present to warrant a larger contingent. However, the C.A.S.A. said that if performances at tournaments this winter turn up additional talent to warrant a larger team, it will plug for a larger representation. That should be the standard all down the line. If the talent is there, we should make an extra effort to send them along.

Franklin Centre

FRANKLIN CENTRE - Mrs. A. Rowe has moved to the Orms-town Convalescent Home from the Barrie Memorial Hospital, much improved in health and is daily gaining strength.

Miss Hazel Bruce and Mr. Huntley Bruce spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Bryce Bruce. Sympathy is extended to the bereaved family relatives of the late Joe Martin who passed away at his home on Saturday. Funeral service an interment took place at St. Antoine Abbey, on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gervan Stevenson, Bruce, Bobbie and Freddie of Lachine spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Stevenson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Brooks, Beverly and Elaine of Constable, N.Y. were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Blair.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hope, Bobbie, Betty and Bill of Adams Corners, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hope and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Pitt of Montreal, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Pitt and 3 children of Lachine were recent Sunday guests at the Dickenson home.

Mrs. Ernest Johnson of Malone, N.Y. is at present staying at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Archie Johnson, nursing the latter.

Mr. and Mrs. William McKinnon of Messina, N.Y. were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Dickenson and family.

Mrs. M. DesMesnil and son Charles, of Montreal, are spending this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cassidy and family. Mrs. P. H. Sarrasin and niece Ann Scullion spent the week-end at the same home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Livingstone of Greenfield Park spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Brooks and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray McMillan and family spent Sunday in Montreal with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Money-penny and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hamill who accompanied them to the city spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hamill.

Covey Hill

COVEY HILL - Sorry to report Mrs. Thomas Waddell is confined to bed under the doctor's care. Mr. and Mrs. George Moore and family were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Perry. Mr. George Sutton, Dundee was a Sunday visitor on the Hill. Mr. W. A. Churchill's many friends are sorry to learn he is a patient in the Huntingdon County Hospital.

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Editorial Notes...

Presenting A Financial Statement

AT about this time of the year, Financial Statements from various business concerns are sent out with a view to giving the public an idea of what business has done in the past year. There is a trend in these years to present these statements in the most attractive and understandable form possible. One idea of this is to get the attention of the person in at least looking at the presentation. Once that has been attained, it is more than likely that a further study will be made and then the meat of the presentation will be absorbed.

In years of the distant past, a financial statement was a drab thing containing long lists of items and columns of figures pertaining to them. To the ordinary person not accustomed to keeping books or bothering with mathematical details, such a conglomeration of figures and statistics was most boring to say the least, and little understood. In consequence, such statements were mostly relayed to the waste paper basket unstudied and therefore a complete loss as a source of information they were intended to be.

Today, companies and others are vying with one another to produce a financial state-

ment that is attractive to the eye and contains much by way of explanation which can be understood by the very ordinary individual. Some companies choose graphs of varying kinds which tend to show how the money taken in has been spent and what amount has been put aside as profit and so forth. Others use items and figures, but in simple form and backed up by statements of the various officers. Such a statement is that issued by The Canadian Bank of Commerce.

It is in booklet form with a cover embossed with the crest of the bank in colors and the name of the bank in gold lettering. Inside the cover, also in colors, is a map of Canada with the various industries depicted by emblems of such industries. On the inside of the frontispiece, are reproductions of all the Coat-of-Arms of the various Provinces and of Canada. These are in colour and quite attractive. Then follows pages of matter on the various addresses of individuals when making their reports at the annual meeting and the statement referred to. It is a type of statement that anyone might well be proud to put away for further reference and thus its purpose will have been fulfilled.

World Going Topsy Turvy Again

EVENTS of the past week and during the week-end, reveal that once again things are happening in the world which may bring startling news at any time.

Once again the government of France has changed and Mendes France, the Premier, has had to resign on account of a reversal in the government on his policies. France does not seem able to keep its governments intact for very long periods of time. There seems to be a great lack of unity and, on account of this, it is hard to gain passage for many of the policies put forward for ratification. The government is then defeated on a sort of Want of Confidence Motion. While the whole government does not resign, it becomes necessary to choose another leader and he of course makes changes in personnel. With so many important matters now waiting approval, France makes the weak link in the chain of European Defence. Russia will no doubt view with approval the fall of Mendes France and will probably bring more pressure to bear in order to have France refuse to ratify plans for the inclusion of a German army in the defence plans of Europe.

Delays of this nature are dangerous at the present time. The shape of things in the far East is not all that could be desired. At one time it looks as if the Chinese Reds may call off their plans against Formosa and then again it seems that any moment a blazing

war will be on. Sporadic attacks are continually being reported, but no particular advantage by either side appears to have been gained. It is possible that the course taken by the United States has made the plan of the Reds a trifle uncertain, or perhaps they do not really wish to become involved in a full out war. On the other hand it could be part of a well planned Red campaign involving Russia to divert attention from other vital spots. At present, the Formosa affair is engaging almost the full attention of the Western allies. This attention is along the lines of trying to prevent a war in the east which might involve all of them once again.

Russia is not too pleased about the European Defence Plan and actually resents the steps that have been taken in this regard. Word comes that Russia has stepped up her armament program and is considering stockpiling food and other supplies. What idea is behind this plan? Is it possible that Russia foresees shortage looming up in certain lines and wishes to forestall such possibilities, or is she preparing for a siege against probabilities of war. If it is for war, then such could only be of her own making. The outlook is again very foreboding, but it seems that we continually live through such periods in these days. 1955 has many times been said to be the year in which Russia would launch any possible attack, September has been said to be the time of year when it would come about. Could this be the crucial year?

A Good Lesson

HERE'S a lesson we might well take to heart. In 1953 the adverse trade balance between Canada and the United States was something over \$700,000,000. In other words, Canadians paid out \$700,000,000 more for American goods than Americans did for Canadian.

In order to restore this figure to equality, our 15,000,000 Canadians would have to cut down their purchases of American goods by nearly \$47 per head. Alternatively, 160,000,000 Americans might buy more Canadian goods to the value of only \$4.37 per head. Of course, a partial combination of both processes would also do the trick.

These figures are an indication of the relative importance of the same \$700,000,000 to the peoples of the two countries — they mean \$47 to each Canadian and \$4.37 to each American. But people are free to select their purchases for themselves, and it seems unlikely that mere discussion of figures will do much toward the solving of the problem.

There is, however, another solution. The \$700,000,000 is money paid for goods, and since some goods demand much more money than others, a change in the nature of goods would considerably alter the balance.

It must be understood that the value of any article is composed of two elements—the value of the material contained in it and the value of the human effort and skill employed in its development, production and transport.

Raw materials are saleable goods and Canada has plenty of them. But the price received for raw materials, by their very definition, contains little or no payment for work done on them. The price received for manufactured goods on the other hand does con-

tain payment for work done.

When an American importer purchases Canadian raw materials he is buying little of the labor of Canadian hands. If the nature of his purchases could be changed to include a large percentage of that labor the dollar balance of trade might easily be restored.

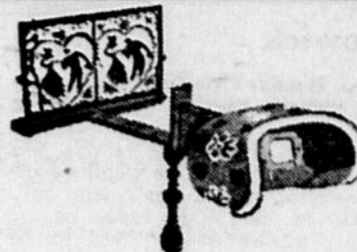
Consider these figures. They are for total imports for both countries but since Canada is both the United States best customer and its major supplier and the United States is both of these things for Canada they will serve to illustrate the point.

While in 1953 the United States imported 45 per cent more in raw materials than in finished manufactures, Canada imported 300 per cent more in finished manufactures than she did in raw materials.

In the United States, from total imports of \$10,777,426,000 in 1953, imports of finished manufactures were \$3,303,410,000. In Canada, from total imports of \$4,382,831,000, imports of finished manufactures were \$3,353,073,000. It will be noted that with more than 10 times the population of Canada and with total imports of more than twice the dollar value the United States still imported less in the way of finished manufactures than did Canada.

There is the situation. The United States is importing largely raw materials. Canada is importing finished manufactures. A dollar loss for Canada is the inevitable consequence. The problem is one of quality rather than degree. If Americans would buy the materials they require from Canada in a more highly processed form, Canada's present trade deficit might very easily disappear. — The Record, Sussex, N.B.

Random Glimpses of The Past Taken from Gleaner Files



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To Keep Standing Cars Warm

At London, Ont., the Public Utilities Commission has installed at the curb on principal streets several outlets. At these outlets connections can be made for electric heaters by automobile owners to prevent freezing of radiators and water-circulating systems when cars are parked along the curb. Each outlet is protected by a locked cabinet and key rented to automobile owners at \$5 per year. Record of owner's car number is kept to check and prevent other persons from using the service who have not made the required deposit.

Howick — The Georgetown Church congregation were surprised to discover that some time during the previous week the plates for receiving the offerings were missing and must have been stolen. The thieves are supposed to have entered the building through the vestry window.

Ormsvorn — School Board Meeting — Stuart Todd, a ratepayer in No. 3 District, asked what was going to be done regarding a teacher for their district. In order to save the expense of engaging a teacher for this school, the Board offered to allow Mr. Todd \$100 towards sending his children to the Ormsvorn Village school. This offer was accepted. July 29

Huntingdon — In speaking about bands and town bands in particular we sometimes hear people carelessly say "What good is a band in town,

anyway?" Well, first take an inventory of the fellow who makes the remark. You may have reason to allow the silly question to go unanswered. But regarding the remark more seriously, let us say that a good band is one of the most useful things a town or community can possess. When the band parades or plays in the park there is always interest shown by the public. The public rubs elbows with one another and by closer intimacy become better friends and strengthen the community for public undertakings.

Huntingdon — Work has been commenced at building a cement walk at the upper end of Chateauguay St. It is understood that walks are to be built and roads repaired will likely be furnished this month.

A Trunk Road to Montreal — Plans that provide for expenditures of forty million dollars to better the highways of Ontario and Quebec are among those which have just been approved by the Government under the Federal Highways Act. It is understood the Federal Government will allow 40 per cent of the cost for building a number of trunk roads, balance to be supplied by the Provincial Governments and the municipalities through which the roads pass. Included in the plan is — Montreal to Malone, N.Y., via Chateauguay and Huntingdon.

It is understood the roads will be 14 feet wide and built either of concrete or asphalt.

Weekly Review

Indian Socialist Republic

By LEWIS MILLIGAN

The Indian National Congress, ruling party in that country, has announced that the nation's goal is a Socialist pattern of society. This is said to be "India's own brand of Socialism, thickly interwoven with private enterprise." Prime Minister Nehru himself has repeated his former statements that he believes the country could not progress without private industry. Hitherto he went no further than to say that he was in favour of the welfare state, and he now believes that by stating plainly that the aim of his government is Socialism he will "steal the thunder of the Communists." (By the way, it may be noted that the welfare state leads to Socialism.)

There is a strong Communist Party in India and it is doubtful whether the declaration for Socialism will steal away any of their thunder. It would rather add to it and play right into their hands, for they regard Socialism as the prelude to Communism. The highest authorities on Socialism admit and affirm that it must inevitably lead to Communism. John Strachey, author of the text book, "Theory and Practice of Socialism," declared: "Like all Socialists, I believe the Socialist society will be achieved by the Communist society." That is the belief and strategy behind all Communist propaganda. Stalin welcomed the Labor Government in Britain because its leaders were avowed Socialists, and the then chairman of the Labor Party, Harold Laski, declared that while the British people still regarded Americans as friends, they were now brothers to the Russian people.

Moscow will certainly be pleased with Nehru's announcement, for it is a real Communist State, and that is all Russia claims to be. It should be remembered that Lenin did not use the word Communist in setting up the new regime, he called it the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics. Even today Soviet writers insist that Russia has not yet achieved the Communist State. They tell the people that in the meantime they must work hard and endure their privations and subjection in order to build up the industrial and economic system to a point where Communism can be fully established. It is the old story of "live, hope and die, get out." But the oats are being consumed by the planners, the bureaucrats, the police and military; and the "horses" will have to go on eating grass until they kick against their drivers.

The fact is that Russia is already a real Communist State, and it is a grim example of the end-product of Socialism. As for Mr. Nehru's assurance that his brand of Socialism will be "thickly interwoven with private enterprise," that is a contradiction in terms. The principle and aim of Socialism is state ownership of all means of production and distribution — trade and commerce. If private enterprise is permitted at the outset it can only be temporary and half-hearted, since it will be handicapped and discouraged by state controls and the prospect of being taken over by the government if it prospers.

Mr. Nehru is right when he says that India could not progress without private enterprise in industry. The word enterprise connotes individual initiative and persistence. The enterprising spirit is a readiness to engage in undertakings of difficulty and risk. It was that spirit that built up the British Commonwealth and colonized North America, and the United States today is the direct descendant of British private enterprise. India itself owes its present advancement to that same spirit, but it cannot continue

under the Socialist system, which takes away the incentive and freedom essential to private enterprise.

Franklin Centre

W. I. News

The Franklin Centre W. I. met at the home of Mrs. Robert Barr, on Friday afternoon with 26 in attendance. The president, Mrs. R. J. Blair, opened the meeting in the usual manner followed by the rollcall, asking for suggestions for the program for the coming year. A number of members expressed the wish for more demonstrations to be given.

Mrs. R. J. Blair had received a parcel of magazines along with a calendar and from friends overseas, the calendar was given to the treasurer Mrs. Howard Blair. A picture post-card of a group of W. I. ladies from Scotland, had also been received by Mrs. R. Barr.

A letter of thanks from the Children's Memorial Hospital for a donation and also thanks from Mrs. Preston Baxter for sympathy extended to her in her recent bereavement was given. It was decided to send a plant to one of the members Mrs. A. Rowe, who is convalescing in the Snowdon Home.

Mrs. R. J. Blair reported that seeds had been ordered for the pupils taking part in the school fair.

Mrs. R. Barr and Mrs. L. Robertson were named as program committee. The reduction in the price of butter for Institutions was mentioned in Agriculture and for Education, it was suggested that radio listening groups be formed.

For Home Economics, Mrs. F. Rowe demonstrated a pair of stockings that will fit any size foot. In Welfare and Health, it was stated that one half of the beds in hospitals were filled with mental patients.

The definition of a calorie was also given. For Citizenship some notes from Quebec Laws were read by Mrs. R. Barr, these were on Marriage Contracts, the different forms of wills, etc. Practical ideas were given by Mrs. L. Robertson and then a number of different quilt blocks were passed around.

A Quiz on Song Titles then followed after which the meeting adjourned. Two new names were added to the list of members. A delicious lunch was served by the hostess assisted by Mrs. S. McNeil. During lunch, Miss Margaret Barr brought in a birthday cake with candles in honor of Mrs. R. Barr who had celebrated her birthday on Thursday. All present, sang "Happy Birthday To You" which brought the meeting to a close.

A card party was discussed to help pay for chairs for the school, and as it had been postponed, on account of bad weather, it was decided to hold it on the 10th of Feb.

Valleyfield

VALLEYFIELD — The Women's Association of the United Church held a very successful Valentine Tea and Food Sale on Friday afternoon, Feb. 4th, in the church hall.

Those who attended the funeral of the late Mrs. Donald E. Fraser at Glensandfield, Ontario, on Saturday, February 5th, were: Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Ross and Mrs. Newton Lander. The service was held at Kirkhill United Church. Mrs. Fraser passed away suddenly on Thursday, February 3rd, at her home in Valleyfield.

The Valleyfield Boy Scouts Association held a card party on Friday evening, February 4th, in the Moco Club House.

There were twenty-three tables of Bridge, 500 and Cribbage. The winners were as follows: Bridge — 1st, ladies: Mrs. C. T. Johnson; 1st, men: Mr. Max Schuller. 500 — 1st ladies, Mrs. Berton; 1st

The Week At Ottawa

OTTAWA (CP) — The highly controversial question of a distinctive national flag for Canada has been thrust before the Commons again.

A. H. Hollingworth (L - York Centre) has introduced a bill asking the secretary of state to prepare a design for "a suitable distinctive national flag" and to submit it to the government and to Parliament for approval.

Outside the Commons, Mr. Hollingworth said the design he will try to promote has a white field with a Union Jack in the masthead corner and a large red and green maple leaf in the fly.

The Commons will discuss the measure when it comes up late this session for second reading, that is, approval in principle.

Canada at present has no distinctive national flag. An order-in-council passed in 1924, however, authorized that the Red Ensign be flown on public buildings. Ten years later legislation authorized Canadian merchant ships to fly the Red Ensign.

Wherever Canada is represented at international conferences the Red Ensign is flown alongside flags of other nations.

Except for a few changes in wording, the bill is essentially the same as one introduced last session by Bona Arsenault (L - Bonaventure), a long-time advocate of a distinctive national flag. Mr. Arsenault seconded Mr. Hollingworth's bill.

It would require that State Secretary Pinard report on a design within 30 days of the start of the next session. If the design were approved by a joint resolution of the Senate and the Commons, it would be sent to Queen Elizabeth for royal proclamation.

Mr. Hollingworth told a reporter he believes no flag design without the Union Jack would be acceptable to the majority of English-speaking Canadians. On the other hand, he believed the proposed design might be acceptable to French-Canada since three-quarters of it would be white, which he described as the official color representing the French-language element. He said red is for English-language Canadians. The maple leaf, whether red or green, would represent Canada as a whole.

Informants said the government will ask the caucuses of all political parties in the Commons to express an opinion on the flag design, apart from views that will be expressed in the House.

Part From Tradition? — The Canadian Press learned that Prime Minister St. Laurent recently has been giving thought to departing from tradition by appointing religious figures to the Senate.

It has been reported that Rev. Georges-Henri Levesque, dean of social sciences at Laval University, Quebec, was approached by federal authorities. Father Levesque, a member of the Dominican Order of the Roman Catholic Church, was said to be willing to accept such an appointment. It was not proceeded with, however, and it was reported the appointment had been vetoed by heads of the church for undisclosed reasons.

Reliable sources here had no direct comment to make on the report. But they said if the prime minister, who personally selects Senate appointments, Mr. Robert Clifford.

Cribbage — 1st ladies, Mrs. Butt, 1st men, Mr. Tom Hargrave.

Guessing the weight of the groceries, a donation from Spot groceries, the correct weight was 38 1/2 lbs. Three people guessed 38 lbs. and when drawn for was won by Mrs. H. M. Rider. Mrs. Atkins who came second was given a prize.

pointees, had considered a Roman Catholic, he undoubtedly also would have considered appointing some figure of the Protestant churches. No Protestant names were mentioned.

Pass Throne Speech — The Commons gave formal approval to the government's program for legislation outlined at the session opening Jan. 7. The approval without a recorded vote ended the throne speech debate and members immediately began study of the first 21 government measures awaiting passage.

Before the throne speech debate closed the house defeated 99 to 69 a Progressive Conservative motion of non-confidence, a six-point indictment of government policies. The official Opposition's motion gained more support than two other non-confidence motions earlier. One by the CCF was defeated 204 to 23, and another by the Social Credit group was rejected 158 to 35.

In the closing stages John Diefenbaker (PC - Prince Albert) said none of the cabinet ministers who entered the debate had dealt with the issues facing parliament. He quoted government statistics on the loss of Canada's overseas markets last year and said the figures reveal "the reasons for the unaccustomed silence of ministers of this government."

CCF Denies Split — Amid reports of disension in the CCF party, national leader M. J. Coldwell says flatly he is not retiring. Party colleagues in the Commons, disclosing that they have recently given him an unusual vote

of confidence at a caucus, add that they want him to stay on indefinitely.

These supporters said there is no split in the party, despite differences of opinion within the Commons group and the fact top CCF figures in Quebec recently have taken offence at statements made by some of the Commons members.

Speculation about a rift in the party started when a majority of the 24-man Commons team disagreed with Mr. Coldwell's stand favoring entry of a rearmend West Germany into NATO. Mr. Coldwell spoke and voted against policy laid down by the CCF's national convention last summer and reiterated by the party's national council at an Ottawa meeting just before the debate opened.

He found six supporters in the vote. Twelve voted against West German rearmament. Six abstained, most of them understood to have been against ratification. One was away from the Capital.

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Province of Quebec Municipality of the Town of HUNTINGDON

PUBLIC NOTICE Public Notice is hereby given that the mayor elected for the Town of Huntingdon, as having received the majority of votes lawfully given is Mr. Leo Cappiello, Accountant, Huntingdon, Que. Given under my hand at Huntingdon, Que., this second day of February, 1955.

(signed) E. C. MARTIN, Returning Officer.

Notice

Province of Quebec MUNICIPALITY OF HINCHINBROOKE

To the Ratepayers of the aforesaid Municipality and Interested Parties in Branch No. 3 of the Thompson Discharge.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given by the undersigned, Secretary-Treasurer of the aforesaid Municipality, that:

The Collection Roll for the costs of collecting Branch No. 3 of the Thompson Discharge was homologated at regular meeting of the Municipal Council held Monday, February 7, 1955, and all amounts appearing thereon are now due and payable at the office of the Secretary-Treasurer.

Given at Herdman, Que., this 7th day of February, one thousand nine hundred and fifty-five.

Corporation of Township of Hinchinbrooke, Lyle J. Graham, Secretary-Treasurer.

Notice

Magistrate's Court, Province of Quebec, District of Beauharnois, No. 5036, Dame ALICE BENOIT, public merchant, wife separate as to property from Leo Beauchamp, butcher, of the City of LaSalle-de-Valleyfield, plaintiff,

vs. ANDRE POULIN, alias ANDRE ROCHE, formerly of the same city and now of places unknown, defendant. The defendant is ordered to appear within one month.

D. Cousineau, D.G.C.M. Meloche et Perron, Attorneys for the plaintiff, 31 Market Street, Valleyfield, Quebec, January 12th, 1955.

Notice My telephone number is now changed to 2121 Huntingdon F. J. DONNELLY

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On Sunday, February 6, a special "Youth Service" was held in Georgetown Presbyterian Church at 8 P.M. The entire service was carried through by the young people themselves, and Kenneth Roy, president of the Y.P.S., chose as the title of his address — "Youth in the Church To-day." The combined choir sang the anthem — "For God so Loved the World." Those taking part in the service were — Sheila Brown, Brenda Baskin, Anne Ness, Muried Cairncross, Barbara Ness, Kenneth Roy, Ian Watson, John McArthur, John Anderson, Bruce Cairncross and Ross Elliot.

At the close of the service a "Fireside Hour" was held in the Church Hall, at which the choir of Georgetown and Riverfield sang special numbers and also provided refreshments. There was a large congregation present at both the service and the "Fireside", with a splendid representation from the Ormstown Y.P.S. The Georgetown and Riverfield Y.P.S. were very much encouraged, and feel that their efforts were indeed worth

while and should be repeated. Mrs. Ellen Carmichael is visiting with relatives in Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas Hudson and daughter, of Montreal West, and Billie Turner, of Lachine, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. Hudson.

The many friends and relatives will regret to hear of the illness of Dr. Wilfred Watson who is at present a patient in the Barrie Memorial Hospital. A speedy recovery is hoped for.

The Georgetown Evening Aux. met at the home of Mrs. Ross Moore on Wednesday evening with 15 members and three visitors present. Mrs. Peter Peattie presided and the meeting opened with singing Psalm 77. The devotional period was taken by Mrs. Murray McCartney and Mrs. Raymond Anderson. Allocation for the year is \$140, the same as last year. It was decided to send \$10. to the Supply Sec. Mrs. (Rev.) Wm. Brown, Mrs. Donald Ness, Mrs. Raymond Anderson and Mrs. Norman Simms attended the Presbytery in Montreal on February 1. Mrs. Brown and Mrs. Anderson gave interesting reports of the meetings. The meeting closed with a hymn and the Lord's Prayer. Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess and food committee, and a social hour enjoyed.

Financial Statement

of the Municipal Corporation of the TOWNSHIP OF HINCHINBROOK For the year ending December 31/54

Table with Revenue and Expenditures columns. Revenue includes Tax rate on valuation, Interest, Dog tax, Ditches and fences, Hall rent, Amusement tax, Refund, Sundry receipts, Government grants, Town of Huntingdon. Expenditures include Administration, Maintenance, Roads, Ditches, Fences, Canceled tax, County, Council, Health Unit, Public Assistance, Light repairs, Donations, Advertising, Interest, Sec'y-Treas. salary, Surplus for year.

Receipts

Table with Receipts column. Includes Cash on hand and in bank, General tax collected, Arrears collected, Interest collected, Dog tax collected, Ditches and fences, Hall rent, Amusement tax, Sundry receipts, Government grants, Town of Huntingdon, Refund.

Disbursements

Table with Disbursements column. Includes Administration, Maintenance, Roads, Ditches, Fences, County, Council, Health Unit, Public Assistance, Light repairs, Donations, Advertising, Bond paid, Bond interest, Sec'y-Treas. salary, Cash on hand, in bank.

Statement of ASSETS, LIABILITIES and SURPLUS ACCOUNT

Table with Current Assets, Liabilities, and Surplus Account columns. Includes Arrears (tax and ditch), Cash on hand and in bank, Trucks & plows, Depreciation, Liabilities (Bonds, Net Assets), Surplus Account (Less depreciation, Add Surplus for year).

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Chateauguay

St. Andrew's Notes CHATEAUGUAY — At the annual congregational meeting of St. Andrew's United Church held recently, Mr. H. McColl conducted a brief Memorial Service in memory of the late Mrs. William Wright, Mrs. E. C. Coleman, Mrs. John Thompson and Mr. Spencer T. Nurse.

Mrs. Harland Rowell presided at the organ during the singing of "Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah" and "For all the saints who from their labours rest".

The business meeting was then constituted, with Mr. McColl presiding. Miss Edna Reid was appointed secretary.

In the Minister's message, Mr. McColl paid tribute to the work and labors of the Elders which had greatly helped and supported him. An oak panel had been placed in front of the choir loft and added greatly to the beauty of the church. This was made possible because of a bequest left the church by the late William Filmonium of the two silver Communion plates were given in memory of the late Mrs. W. J. Reid.

In concluding Mr. McColl said, "We look forward into this New Year knowing that as God has blessed us, He will continue to bless us in a number of blessings if we will but let Him".

Reports from the various organizations showed that 1954 had been a good year in St. Andrew's.

Mr. G. S. Adams, Chairman of the Board of Stewards, reported a busy year of improvements in and around the Church included the erection of iron steps and platform outside the choir room door, the walks to the front and side doors had been asphalted, the outside church doors had been painted and new ornamental iron railings donated by an anonymous donor.

The Every Person Canvas was conducted on November 14th with very gratifying results.

The Treasurer, Mr. E. W. Gilbert was present, but his report read by Mr. A. Douglas Lang showed the finances of the congregation to be in a very satisfactory condition.

The Missionary and Maintenance objective had been exceeded by approximately 25%, \$1,288.03 having been realized to Toronto.

The Woman's Association reports were given by the retiring president, Mrs. G. H. Grimes. The W.A. had had a very successful year, the varied activities included two Teas, two Bummies Sales, a St. Andrew's Night Concert and a Bazaar, which netted over \$900. Contributions of money were made to the Board of Stewards, the Sunday School, the Choir, the Tyro Group, Save the Children Fund, Legion Polio Drive, the Bible Society, the Frailty Home, the Poppy Fund and the local Home and School Milk Fund. Total receipts for the year amounted to \$1823.39.

The Woman's Missionary Auxiliary reports read by the retiring president, Miss Rhoda McFarlane, and the treasurer Mrs. E. R. Richardson showed increased interest in Missionary undertakings.

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ST. VALENTINE'S DANCE

Dundee Township Hall, St. Agnes de Dundee Friday, February 11 9.15 p.m. to 1.45 a.m. Music by Wilson's Westernaires ADMISSION: 50c per person (tax included) Refreshments on Sale.

Rockburn

Mr. and Mrs. Stanford Reid, Montreal, spent Saturday with Dr. and Mrs. A. S. Reid.

Annual Meeting Of the members of the Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Beauharnois will be held in the

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Hon. R. R. NESS, President, W. K. PHILIPS, Secretary

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Regular Monthly Meeting !!!

The next regular meeting will be held THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 10 8 p.m. Legion Hall, Fairview Road All members are urgently requested to attend. Reg. Daniel, President H. MacKerith, Secretary HUNTINGDON BRANCH NO. 81 Canadian Legion, B.E.S.L.

ORMSTOWN ARENA

Tuesday, February 15 HOCKEY MONTREAL CANADIENS (N.H.L.)

CHATEAUGUAY VALLEY ALL STARS

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Friday, Feb. 18 8 p.m. St. Joseph's Parochial Hall HUNTINGDON Play all night for \$1.00 Cash prize for each game LAST GAME \$100.00 Sponsored by Knights of Columbus Council 3957

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Born

COTE - At the Barrie Memorial Hospital, Ormstown, Que., on January 30, 1955, to Mr. and Mrs. Jean Guy Cote, Ormstown, Que., a son.

STEWART - BROWN - At the Presbyterian Manse, Huntingdon, Que., on February 2, 1955, Eva Annie Brown to George E. Stewart, both of Ormstown, Que., The Rev. R. D. McLean officiating.

ALLEN - At Aubrey, Que., on Feb. 3, 1955, Ekilda Chate, wife of the late Philibert Allen, aged 75 years.

MARTIN - At Franklin Centre, Que., on February 5, 1955, Joseph Martin, husband of the late Marie Louise Gabrieau, aged 83 yrs. Interment St. Antoine Abbe Parish Cemetery.

McINTOSH - Suddenly, at Haverhill Mass. on Jan. 29, 1955, Keith Donald, son of the late John D. and Jessie McIntosh of Athelstan, Que. age 57 years. Interment at Ipswich, Mass.

CAMPBELL - In loving memory of John Robert Campbell, who passed away January 31st, 1949. Always remembered by His Wife and Family.

Card of Thanks - I wish to thank the members of the Georgetown Ladies' Aid for the flowers they sent me at Christmas time; also those who remembered me with cards or visits.

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Cards of Thanks - I wish to thank Dr. George Lefebvre and the doctors, nurses and staff of The Barrie Memorial Hospital for the care and attention I received during my recent illness.

Rockburn - On Monday evening, February 7, a Congregational Supper was held in the Presbyterian Church Hall, after which the annual meeting of the congregation took place with Rev. R. D. McLean, interim moderator, in the chair.

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Huntingdon Locals

Mechanical Engineering - Mr. Ed. Beck, Dewittville, Que., who for over 40 years was employed by the Dominion Bridge as a mechanical engineer is a member of the Huntingdon Rotary Club, and on Monday gave a talk on his Rotary Classification.

Two Chimney Fires - The fire brigade was called to a chimney fire at 38 Lake Street, on Friday morning, February 4, at 9.35. There was some slight damage by smoke.

Brooklet - Mrs. Ruth Morley and daughter Pat, Mrs. Dobson and Mr. William Manley, all of Montreal, spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Norman Wilson.

Curling News - At the afternoon bridge held on Thursday, January 27, first prize was won by Mrs. J. R. MacLeod, Second, Mrs. Ivan Heath.

Huntingdon County Hospital Notes - A donation of \$30, has been received from Miles Towns of Huntingdon.

St. Chrysostome - Mrs. James Costello spent the past week in the Huntingdon County Hospital, returned to her home on Wednesday.

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Richard Copeland and Ricky. Mrs. J. A. Bonnier of Ville Emard spent the past week a guest of the Atkinsons.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerard Guite and baby Pierre of Montreal visited Mr. and Mrs. W. Laberge.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Laberge spent Sunday in Montreal when they were sponsors for the christening of Jean, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Francois Beaudin (nee Pauline Bourcier) a little brother for Danielle, Mr. and Mrs. Bourcier and Mr. and Mrs. Slaven were also guests on the same occasion.

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The afternoon was spent in quilting, after which delicious refreshments were served by the hostess.

Next meeting to be held at the home of Mrs. Raiza English.

Mrs. Mary McNeil spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Robertson and family, Riverfield.

Mrs. J. St. Denis and family of Owl's Head, N.Y., spent the past week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Cavers.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex MacDonald of Presbyterian College, Montreal, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Gruer and family.

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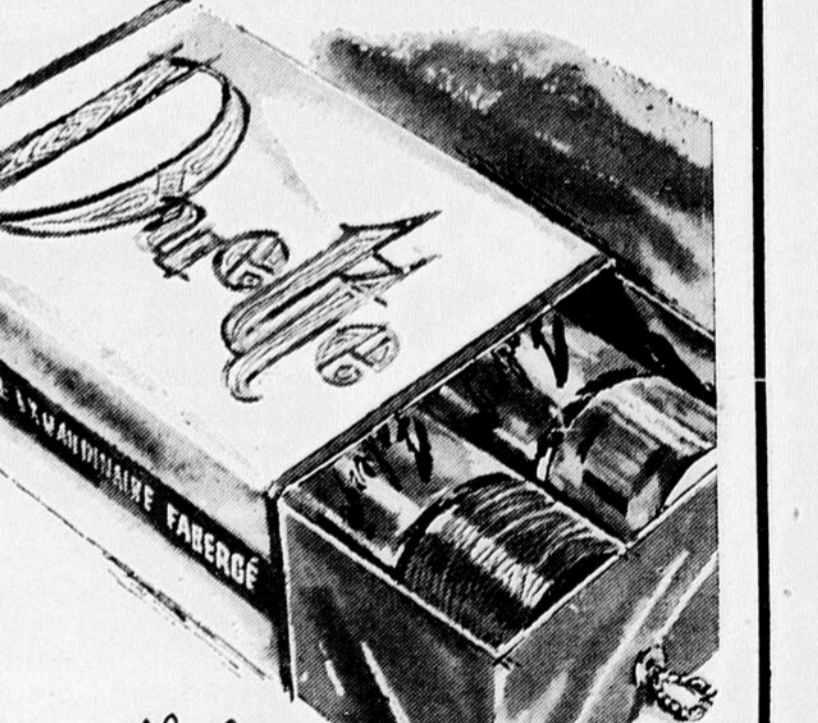
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Health week was observed at the meeting of the Hemmingford Women's Institute on Wednesday, Feb. 2nd, by Mr. C. E. Petch, in a speech entitled "Health of the Poets".

quietness and peace in many instances. In Mr. Petch's opinion, intricate and wars robbed us of dozens of wonderful poets who might have been spared to live.

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Queen Elizabeth" was seen by 200 pupils in school and by 80 people later. This was greatly enjoyed by all.

A very welcome donation of money was received from a faithful follower of the activities of the branch. Miss True Mrs. Ernest Moore led the members in a sing-song.

Mrs. Hugh McAdam sent word that a course in re-modelling hats will be given by Miss McOuat from June 20th to June 24th in Hemmingford.

Hemmingford

St. Andrew's W.M.S. — The W.M.S. of St. Andrew's United Church Hemmingford, met recently at the home of Mrs. Arthur Derrick with Mrs. H. Weston, her mother, as co-hostess.

At the close of the work period refreshments were served during the social interlude. In spite of difficult driving conditions there was a record attendance and many friends of the W.M.S. also joined with the ladies to make this meeting at the Derrick farm a very lovely and memorable one.

St. Andrew's United Church W.A. Hemmingford, was represented at the Presbyterian held on Friday, Jan. 28, at the Queen Mary United Church, Hampstead, by Mrs. William Holmes, Mrs. Harry Warner, Devotional Convener for St. Andrew's W.A. and Mrs. R. J. M. Reid, Regional W.A. Representative.

Mrs. William Holmes and Miss Ann Warner of Hemmingford, joint leaders of St. Andrew's C.G.I.T. attended the Conference held on Saturday, Jan. 29, at Wesley United Church, Notre Dame de Grace, P.Q. Annual Congregational Meeting.

The Annual Congregational Meeting of St. Andrew's and Wesley-Knox United Churches, Hemmingford, was held in the church hall on January 25. The meeting opened with a Devotional period, conducted by the minister, Rev. Wm. Holmes, who presided. Minutes were read by the congregational secretary, Mr. Lynwood Cookman, and approved, after which reports were presented by the secretaries and treasurers of the various organizations, the main treasurer's report being presented by the Congregational Treasurer, Mr. Peter Reid. Mr. Charles Barr reported to the Stewards. The Session Report was given by the Clerk of Session, Mr. R. J. M. Reid. At this point the names of those departed during the year were read, and a moment's silence was observed in their memory, followed by prayer by the minister. The Trustees reported good progress made in connection with turning the Glebe grounds into

Champion At Valleyfield



Miss Murielle Rheault, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Rheault, has been named senior champion at the Valleyfield Figure Skating Club for the year 1955-56. Congratulations.

children's playground. The various reports showed a good year's work accomplished in all departments and increased giving to missions. Votes of thanks were extended to the minister and his wife and all office bearers for their fine leadership and to all who contributed financially to the work of the church during 1954.

Prior to the meeting a delicious supper was served by the members of the W.A. under direction of the president, Mrs. L. G. Cookman. During the interval between the supper and the meeting, piano selections of familiar hymns and songs were played by Mrs. William Holmes.

HEMINGFORD — The Misses Carol Pelletier and Joanne Simpson spent the week-end in Montreal with their aunt, Miss Gladys Pelletier.

The Knitting Club met at the home of Mrs. Frank Deery on Wednesday night. Everyone had a very pleasant evening.

The regular meeting of the Presbyterian Young Peoples was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Aylmer Hadley on Saturday evening. Games were played after which a light lunch was served.

The regular meeting of Victoria Chapter No. 34 O.E.S. was held on Friday night in the Masonic Lodge rooms. Due to the cold weather and several members being confined to their homes with the gripe, there was a small attendance.

On Saturday morning, January 29, our boys and girls teams went to Huntingdon for the games there, the score for the boys being 4-4 and the girls 4-0 for Huntingdon. We played Valleyfield on Wednesday afternoon, both games being won by Valleyfield. The boys score was 8-3 and the girls 5-1.

On Saturday morning at Hemmingford, both the big and little Juniors played at Langlois Academy. The little Juniors from our school played the bigger Juniors from the other school and they lost. The bigger Juniors played the same Juniors and they won the game. Plans are well under way for a Valentine Dance sponsored by Grade Ten. This dance is to be held in the school and the proceeds are for the Red Cross funds.

Grades 9, 10 and 11 held their regular Red Cross meeting in Grade Ten's room on Friday. The girls and boys made and finished more Valentine favours, while others worked on scrapbooks and wood-working.

Lost and Found Department: One girl's sweater, rust color, white buttons. One pair black leather lined gloves (boys). These apparently have been left in the school by individuals on the visiting hockey team.

School Reporter, Florence P. Brown.

Burlington TV Linked With Network

Burlington—The American Telephone and Telegraph Company announced that a new micro-wave system was placed into operation on Tuesday, Feb. 1, linking television station WMVT with the TV network of the Columbia Broadcasting System.

The system will bring the first direct network programs to Vermont's only television station. The only "Live" network programs that have been carried by WMVT since it went on the air have been those the station has picked up off the air from WRGB in Schenectady and re-broadcast.

Three intermediate radio relay stations were built in the new micro-wave system to carry the programs 137 miles from Rotterdam, N. Y. in the CBS network, to the WMVT transmitter station atop Mt. Mansfield. The relay stations were erected at North Hebron, at Orwell and at Bristol to pass the signal along the edge of the Green Mountains for the pickup by a dish antenna on the WMVT transmitter building.

In a statement issued following the AT&T announcement, Stuart T. Martin, general manager of WMVT and vice president of the operating company, Mt. Mansfield Television, Inc., said: "For the management, the staff and the viewers of WMVT, the interconnection is a great step forward in the development of fulltime transmission on Channel

Dundee

DUNDEE — The members of the Dundee W.I. held their monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. W. C. Smallman. During the program Mrs. Roy McNicol gave a short talk about places of interest which she had visited when in Quebec City. Some of the places she mentioned were the St. Louis Gate, Plains of Abraham, the narrowest street, beautiful carving in churches, the wax museum.

Mrs. E. J. Cameron told an amusing story about a farmer who used a lantern when he went courting and Mrs. A. H. Fraser told about how a day was spent in Feller Institute, a boarding school, when she was a pupil there. Mrs. Joe Platt told about how tuberous begonias could be grown successfully in the house in winter.

Several household hints were given and Mrs. Lester Fraser's was voted the best — glue a used jar ring to bottom of vases, lamps, etc. to prevent scratching furniture. It is easily washed.

Convenors reported about how profits can be increased by having better animals, increasing grass yields and so forth. Less expensive grains and by introducing labour-saving ideas and also about how Jill Douglas reports for publicity in British Columbia.

A large bundle of used cotton had been sent away to the Canadian Cancer Society.

As the members are getting fewer it was decided that only one hostess would be named for each meeting during the coming year and that she would serve a simple lunch if she wished, members not donating each month. It was also decided that a collection would be taken each month. Mrs. E. Gardiner and Mrs. W. C. Smallman were appointed to look after the program for the coming year. Members are to be contacted as to whether they wish to sell their hall or not and they are to vote in writing at the March meeting held at the home of Mrs. A. H. Fraser.

A delicious supper was served by Mrs. Smallman, assisted by Mrs. Roy McNicol and a social hour enjoyed.

Obituary

THE LATE JOHN MCGOWAN, SR. The district was deeply shocked and saddened by the death of Johnny, which occurred at the Barrie Memorial Hospital, in Ormstown, Que., on January 26th, after an illness of some time.

The deceased was born at Montreal, Que., 38 years ago, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Percy McGowan, now of Huntingdon, Que. He is survived by his wife, the former Bertha Rosevear, and one son, John Francis Jr., also by his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Percy McGowan of Huntingdon; three brothers, Jimmie and Herbie, of Toronto, and Rupert of Huntingdon; and five sisters, Mrs. Helen Kirnan of Montreal, Mrs. Edith LaVoie of Malone, N.Y., Mary, Stella and Shirley of Huntingdon.

The funeral was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Rosevear, of Powerscourt, on Jan. 29th, with Rev. R. S. Beal of Huntingdon officiating, assisted by Mr. T. McCleod, of Powerscourt United Church, with Mrs. E. M. Wood singing "In The Garden", as soloist. Pallbearers were Mr. George Taylor, Mr. Henry Wallace, Mr. Matt Wallace, Mr. Johnny McHardy, Mr.

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Stewart Ross and Mr. Ronald Wood. Flower bearers were fellow employees from Fry-Cadbury's: Mr. Ed. McLean, Mr. Remi Leblanc, Mr. Leo St. Onge, Mr. Donald McArthur and Mr. Irvin McWhinnie.

Athelstan

ATHELSTAN — Mr. and Mrs. Lionel Gray received word from Calgary, Alberta, on Monday night, that their son, Neil, had met with a very painful accident. A propane gas heater exploded and Neil was severely burned about the face, chest and hands.

The February meeting of the Evening Auxiliary of W.M.S. was held on Thursday night, at the home of the President, Miss Beryl Jamieson. The opening devotional exercises were conducted by Mrs. Danny Elder and Miss Beryl Jamieson. Miss Bessie Graham offered her home for the next monthly meeting, to be held on Wednesday, March 2nd.

An interesting ceremony was performed on Sunday morning, when Rev. G. Bannerman baptized two infants. The baby son of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel L. Tully received the names of Daniel Gray, and the baby daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Jamieson received the names of Beverley Ann.

Sunday School Notes A sixth year bar to attach to gold pin was awarded to Bobby Foers on Sunday for completing six years of school attendance in Sunday School.

The Southern Division of the Woman's Missionary Society met this past week at the home of the President. The meeting opened with the usual Worship Service, the theme being "Evangelism — The Church's Business". In the hope that this worship and the Study for the day might be more meaningful, certain passages of Scripture were given, throwing light on the methods of Evangelism used in the early days of the Christian Church. Today we speak often of Educational Evangelism, Personal Evangelism, Evangelism through Preaching and of Mass Evangelism. The Study Book — "The Church in India" — dealt with the growth of the Church in that country and its particular features. There are approximately ten million Christians in India, of those close to eight million will have come from the Harijans (outcasts). The Social system has given a large place to caste distinctions and is strongly based on the principle of corporate living and thinking. More and more national leaders are realizing that the obligation to "go into all the world and preach" is a charge to the Churches of India as it is to the Older Churches in other lands and they are accepting this responsibility. The secretary read an invitation from the Presbyterian W.M.S. to join with them on Feb. 25th for the World Day of Prayer service. This was accepted. Light refreshments were served at the close of the meeting and a social hour was enjoyed.

Mrs. Wm. Hendrickson spent this past week in Massena, N.Y., where she was the guest of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. A. Malark.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Dear, of Burke, N.Y., have been recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Graham.

Powerscourt

POWERSCOURT — Glad to report that Mrs. Henry Wallace who is a patient in Barrie Memorial Hospital is making good progress.

Folks who continue to send used stamps to Mrs. E. M. Wood will be interested to know that a letter has been received from Dr. I. S. Robb of the United Church of Canada who is in the Koje Severeance Hospital, Korea. Dr. Robb reports a number of specific cases which have been helped through funds received from the sale of stamps. A "dermatone" is very much needed to help in the work of burn cases. Dr. A. S. Allen of Montreal who has charge of the selling of the stamps reports that a "dermatone" will be the next purchase. It is to be hoped that many more folks will send stamps and please note, it is necessary to leave a good margin of the envelope around the stamp.

Robson

ROBSON — Jerry Dauphenaux met with an unfortunate accident on Wednesday morning. He was at Bonsecours Market in Montreal and

had a gas heater in his trailer to keep the apples from freezing. On going out that morning he found out that the heater was not working. He lit a match and the stove exploded, wrecking the trailer quite badly.

Mrs. Norman Doucette, Mrs. K. Hamilton, Mrs. R. Jackson, Mrs. Rill Williams and baby and Kenny Doucette of Plattsburg visited Mr. Robt. Blair on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Tomlinson of Kingston, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Tomlinson Jr., of Belleville, Mr. and Mrs. Carruthers of Montreal also

Major Buckland of Montreal, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Tomlinson, Sr., who celebrated their 39th wedding anniversary on Saturday. Congratulations.

AMELIASBURG, Ont. (CP) — Storekeeper Albert Fife, 81, of this village near Picton, has been a sexton and member of the Anglican church choir for 40 years, in which he missed only seven Sundays. In 50 years of storekeeping he has been off work less than three weeks.

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HOW AND WHY

A Column for Boys and Girls By Harold Don Allen



60: LOOKING DOWN AT QUEBEC

Have you ever watched a great airliner pass high overhead and wondered what it would be like to be flying in that plane and looking down at the land below? I always had. I was as interested as you would be when I found I would be able to fly across part of the Province of Quebec in a big airliner. I'd like to tell you some of the things I saw and learned, in your HOW AND WHY column this week.

Perhaps you would like to see the route of my trip on the map. The plane left Montreal Airport, at Dorval, near Montreal. It flew in a straight line to Quebec City. You should have no trouble "plotting its course" on your map. The plane changed its direction when it left Quebec City. It headed northeast to Saguenay Airport which is about as far from Quebec City as Quebec City is from Montreal. Saguenay Airport is in the town of Baguville near the cities of Chicoutimi and Arvida and Jonquiere. You will be able to locate one or more of these interesting cities on a good-size map, and will

then be able to "plot" the second part of the course. These are some of the things you've seen and done while flying high over Quebec:

The plane was to take off from Montreal Airport early in the morning on a cloudy wintry day late last month. A car from downtown Montreal takes you out to the Airport in time for your flight. The Airport is a busy place. The ticket room and waiting room are like a big railway station only more exciting. Planes are landing and taking off every few moments. People are coming and going from all parts of the world. You pick up your tickets and make sure that a seat has been kept for you on the plane. You check your baggage. They weigh it carefully for you can take only a certain number of pounds of things with you on an airplane. When these things have been done, you've time to look around the airport. You may be surprised at the many things there are to see.

Our plane was a two-motored Douglas DC-3 passenger liner that has seats for 26 and room for luggage and mail. It was due to take off in twenty minutes. Men were getting it ready for the flight. Several removed canvas coverings that kept snow from motors and wings. Others fueled the plane, filling its gas tanks from a special truck. There was much to be done before the big plane could leave the ground.

The stewardess meets passengers at the door of the plane. She wears a trim blue uniform. She collects tickets and sees to it that the passengers are comfortable for the trip. The pilot and co-pilot board the plane next. They walk between the rows of seats to the

controls at the front. When everyone is ready, doors are closed and the pilot flashes a light reading "Passenger Seats Belts". Belts are fastened, doors closed tightly, and all is quiet except the rumble of motors when propellers begin to turn.

Before long, propellers are swirling and the whole plane seems to be throbbing with power. Men kick wooden blocks out from in front of the wheels, the pilot speeds up the motors, and the big plane starts to move across the field. The pilot tries out the motors. He tests steering equipment. Then he turns the plane and heads for the runway. You can see its long line of bright lights. The plane gains speed lights flash by more quickly, and in a few seconds you get the feeling of going up in an elevator. The big plane is off the ground!

Seconds later, the ground seems to be vanishing below. Houses look like toys — then cars look like insects — then whole fields seem like postage stamps below. Within minutes you're a mile up in the clouds!

You see the roundness of mountains, the clusters of houses that are villages, the dark streaks that are streams. A map seems to be unfolding below. Each minute, more miles slip by than you could walk in an hour. There are hills and valleys everywhere you look, and the broad St. Lawrence below. You and at Quebec City. The Airport there is busy. They are moving fuel to your plane's tanks. Moments later you're off the runway and up in the skies.

An hour later you land at Saguenay Airport surrounded by snow-blanketed hills. You leave the big plane, and the stewardess says good-bye. You're in Quebec's famous "Kingdom of the Saguenay", a district I want to tell you more about in your HOW AND WHY corner next week.

Covering The SPORTS

Chateauguay Valley League Hockey

On the night of February 2, the second meeting of the Huntingdon Blue Bombers and the Howick Club resulted in a win of 5-1 over Howick. With the temperature 18° below zero, the natural ice was extremely hard, resulting in a fast but clean game with only one penalty and that for a player holding the puck with his hands.

At 3 minutes of the first period, G. Oumet from Dupuis opened the scoring to be followed at 8 minutes by a goal from Campbell and Brisebois but at the 17 minute mark a goal by B. Ness from R. Tennant put Howick back in the game.

The second period was fast and some very good combination plays were witnessed but all to no avail as both goals refused to be beaten.

At the 4 minute mark of the third Brisebois from Monique tallied and again at 7 minutes Boyd from Lefebvre found the mark. At 20 minutes of this final period Grant from Monique and Brisebois found the open corner to give the Bombers a 5-1 win. These games are being kept well in hand at present by referees J. Proudfoot, R. Senecal and J. Murphy and much credit is due these three for the type of hockey now being played in this league.

League Standing table with columns for Team, P, W, L, D, P, A, Pts.

strength, washability, crush and fade-resistance. Peeters is completing installation of \$175,000 worth of additional machinery and equipment, and expects to be turning out the new products at a rate of 500,000 yards annually by fall.

Production of the new saran yarn was started in Quebec for the first time last year by Richmond Plastics Ltd. Saran is one of the newer synthetic fibres, formerly imported from the U.S., and capacity of the new plant at Richmond is designed to meet current demand. Saran powder is supplied by Dow Chemical. The finished product goes into curtains, upholstery fabrics, screening, filter cloth, handbag fabrics and outdoor furniture coverings.

At Drummondville, Canadian Celanese Ltd. is experimenting with Trilan, also called arnel, newest of the new synthetic fibres. Experimental lots have been produced, and the company — largest synthetic fabric producer in Canada — expects to have it available commercially this year. Trilan is strong, washable, resilient, and is expected to give other fibres a tough battle. It is priced above acetate and viscose, well below nylon and terylene.

Better Production Drive New products are thus playing an important role in strengthening Quebec's textile industry. Even more important in today's killing competitive conditions: the drive for efficiency, and production which exactly suits tastes of cutting-up trades and buying public.

Dominion Textile Co. — giant of this country's cotton goods industry — has opened a "high-style" division to cultivate a market it has gone into only on a limited scale in the past. Its modernization-improvement program continues every year. And besides the new products and the steady drive for lower costs and more efficient production, a few expansion programs in old lines are also under way.

Elected President



Mr. Arthur W. Sullivan, land surveyor-geometrician, well known in Valleyfield and district, was elected President of the Salaberry Club at the annual meeting held on January 27th at Valleyfield.

The other officers elected are: M. Jean Marie Lafleur, vice-president; Mr. Jean Solis, treasurer; Messrs. W. A. Walsh, Emmons McDonald, Meril Laberge and Marcel Laberge, directors.

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Huntingdon Blue Bombers are now set in top place at the end of regular series with 10 of a possible 12 points.

The Bombers as hosts met the cellar dwelling Clydes, on Friday night, February 4, to establish themselves in top place with a score of 9-2. With the weather bitterly cold, very few spectators were present.

At the 10 minute mark Boyd from C. Moore opened the scoring while at 12 minutes Red Oumet from Campbell and Grant gave the Bombers a 2-0 lead to be followed at 19 minutes Grant and Lefebvre.

At 4 minutes of the second stanza Monique from Red Oumet and Lefebvre scored. At 7 minutes, Harold Duhamel from Howard Duhamel opened the scoring for Clydes. At 15 minutes Monique from Grant and Lefebvre to be followed by C. Moore unassisted at 18 minutes mark gave the Bombers a 6-1 lead but at 19 minutes Howard Duhamel, unassisted tallied for Clydes. At 22 minutes Red Oumet from Grant and Monique tallied to end the scoring for the second period.

For 22 minutes of the third period an excellent demonstration of stick and bushwacking and the Bombers seemingly bewildered by this kind of hockey were unable to get anywhere until at the 22 minute mark G. Grant retrieved the puck, retreated into his own zone, turned and made his way into Clydes territory to score unassisted. At 24 minutes Monique from Boyd ended the scoring to give the Bombers a 9-2 win over Clydes.

The Semi-Final Series should start February 11, but as 2 games have yet to be played it is impossible to say who will meet the Bombers in the first round.

Blue Bomber players for the All-Star team to play against Les Canadiens on Tuesday, February 15, were chosen by a vote of the players on the team. This vote resulted in a unanimous appointment of one defenseman and 2 forwards while two forwards, namely Brisebois and Monique were tied for a place as well as two defensemen, Lefebvre and Campbell. Each pair then tossed a coin to decide the winner.

Bombers All-Stars are as follows:

Town Pitches In To Save A Railroad

Cartage, Miss. — From housewife to doctor and mayor, 62 residents of this 2,200 population town have bought themselves 90 per cent of a railroad.

The railroad, which owns two engines (steam) and runs on 36 miles of track rented from Illinois Central for \$500 a month, employs 25 persons, including one train crew.

Besides the two engines, the new owners got two boxcars, a caboese, a handcar, depots in Canton and Cartage (the railroad is called the Canton & Cartage Railroad), and the railroad shop in Canton where the train makes up for the run to Cartage.

Cartage, in the center of the state, is the seat of Leake County, which has a population of 25,000 including 800 Choctaw Indians on two reservations just outside Cartage.

The C&C was opened in 1925 as a logging line, and was incorporated in 1927 under the present name, continuing to serve a succession of lumber companies that also got control of the road. (The present lumber company owns 10 per cent of the stock now, and has its two top men serving as officers of the railroad.)

Last Dec. 20, the owners petitioned the interstate Commerce Commission to abandon the road because of loss of a furniture plant by fire, and the public in Cartage, led by a cotton buyer, a pulpwood dealer, and a drygoods merchant, went to work to save the railroad.

The list of stockholders includes the local banker, grocer, filling station owner, soft drink plant manager, farm implement dealer, florist, optician, undertaker, newspaper publisher, and an auto dealer.

Merchants are also stimulating business for their new property for one thing they are writing their suppliers specifying that they ship their supplies by rail.

Centre: G. Oumet; Wings: L. Monique; J. Boyd; Defense: R. Moore, G. Lefebvre.

Huntingdon High School Notes

C.V.T.A. HOCKEY

On Friday, February 4th, our teams visited Howick. The Girls tied their game at 0-0. The boys were defeated by a score of 6-3 for Howick Boys. At the present time the Girls' Team leads the league and the boys are in second place. The final game of the season is scheduled to be played in Huntingdon, on Wednesday, February 9th. The visiting teams being from Valleyfield.

INTER-CLASS HOCKEY

Several games have been played within the school and the schedule will soon be completed.

JUNIOR HOCKEY

On Saturday, Feb. 5th, Junior Boy' Teams from Huntingdon, Hemmingford, Ormatown, Howick, Valleyfield and Franklin participated in the first C.V.T.A. sponsored Junior Tournament. It is hoped to hold this type of activity annually as it does provide many more pupils with the opportunity to play

in a friendly competition with the other schools of the Valley.

SKATING

Saturday evening, the pupils from Grade 8 sponsored a skating party which was very well attended. The proceeds are to be used for a proposed trip to Ottawa in the spring.

Cubs

The Cubs meet weekly at the High School. Attendance to date is thirty. Parents are reminded that boys of eight years of age are eligible for membership in this World-Wide organization. The Clubmaster is Mr. H. H. MacKith with assistants, Vincent Johnson and Desmond Howarth.

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Sun Life Pays \$26 Million In Policyholder Dividends

Cost of insurance reduced. Nearly \$700 Million of new business sold last year, largest amount of any Canadian company

For the sixth consecutive year, the Sun Life Assurance Company of Canada is adopting new dividend scales which will substantially reduce the cost of insurance to the holders of its participating policies, according to an announcement by George W. Bourke, President, in his Annual Review of the Company's business for 1954. With this latest increase of policyholder dividends, the Company will pay out in the year ahead a total of approximately \$26 million — an increase of more than \$2 million over the previous year. New life insurance sold last year amounted to nearly \$700 million, an increase of \$120 million over 1953 and again the largest figure reported by any Canadian life company. Included in this new business figure is \$239 million of group insurance, representing an increase of \$68 million over the previous year. Benefits paid by Sun Life during the year amounted to \$134 million, and total benefits paid by the Company since its organization in 1865 now stand at \$2,866 million.

Other highlights of the Report include a total of life insurance in force amounting to more than \$86,000,000,000. During 1948 the Company passed the \$4 billion mark and, during 1952, topped \$5 billion. The Company has now passed another milestone and the two-year period taken to accumulate the last billion dollars contrasts sharply with the 54 years required for the first billion. Group insurance included in the 1954 figure amounted to \$1,996 million, an increase during the year of 13.9%. The proportion of insurance and annuities in force in the various countries where the Company operates is now as follows: Canada, 47%; United States, 36%; Great Britain and other Commonwealth countries, 14%; elsewhere throughout the world, 3%.

MORTGAGE LOANS UP Assets of the Company now stand at \$1,876 million, an increase of \$46 million over 1953. Mortgage loans increased by more than any other type of investment, in keeping with Sun Life's policy of striving to further the economic and social interests of the community consistent with sound investment principles. During the year, new mortgage loans made by the Company totaled \$83,000,000. Mortgage investments now total \$323 million, mostly in individual homes. In commenting on the general economic situation, Mr. Bourke remarked that a year ago there was uncertainty in some quarters regarding the outlook for 1954. Despite the keen competition that existed among the various companies, however, 1954 was a year of expansion for life insurance and particularly for Sun Life. Mr. Bourke declared that the main reason the life insurance industry continued to forge ahead, was because a life insurance policy functions like a good investment. It increases in value, it provides a return on the investment and it has a market value which can be used to provide cash for emergencies and a retirement fund for old age. Moreover it does what no other investment can do — it creates an immediate estate for the protection of home and family.

Mr. Bourke stressed the recent improvements in medical science with the ensuing rapid and continuous decline in death rates. He pointed out that accidents now account for a substantial proportion of death from all causes, especially in the younger age groups, and that Sun Life experience shows that approximately one-half of all death claims under age thirty are the results of accidents, while accidents are now the third most frequent cause of death at all ages, following heart disease and cancer. In particular, he mentioned automobile accidents which account for about one-half of all accidental deaths. The hazard from this source will become greater unless accompanied by a steady improvement in the safety habits of the motoring public. Death claim records are full of tragic accidents which elementary safety precautions could have avoided.

OUTLOOK FOR 1955 In his concluding remarks, Mr. Bourke said that Canada's national resources should continue to support thriving industries which will set new standards of prosperity in 1955. There should be no abatement of the national confidence, for a steady progress beneficial to everyone is to be expected. "Canada's future depends not only on its economic heritage, but on the use to which that heritage is put," he concluded. "The tasks ahead may be different. We may have to adjust to new patterns and new demands, but I am confident we will meet the challenge." A copy of Sun Life's complete 1954 Annual Report to Policyholders, including the President's review of the year, is being sent to each policyholder, or may be obtained from J. Derome, C.L.U., Manager, Cartier Branch Sun Life Building, Montreal.

Improvement in Textile

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Synthetics — In the synthetics branch of the industry, where Quebec's share of the national total amounts to a big 70%, the picture has been much the same. The wool cloth and knit goods — Quebec posts about 25% and 40%, respectively, of total Canadian output. And here too, producers report brighter prospects.

Here, of course, the big competition is not from the U.S. but from the United Kingdom, and 1954 was a tough year all-round. Output of wool cloth in the first half dipped 28% below the same period of 1953, worsted yarn 33%. But increased business was reported in the final six months.

Tariffs Complaint While the over-all outlook is therefore a little brighter, Quebec textile mills are still far from satisfied with their position in the economy of a young, rapidly growing nation. With the possible exception of the synthetics branch, they feel their industry is standing still when it should be growing and they charge this up to a hard-boiled federal government policy on tariffs.

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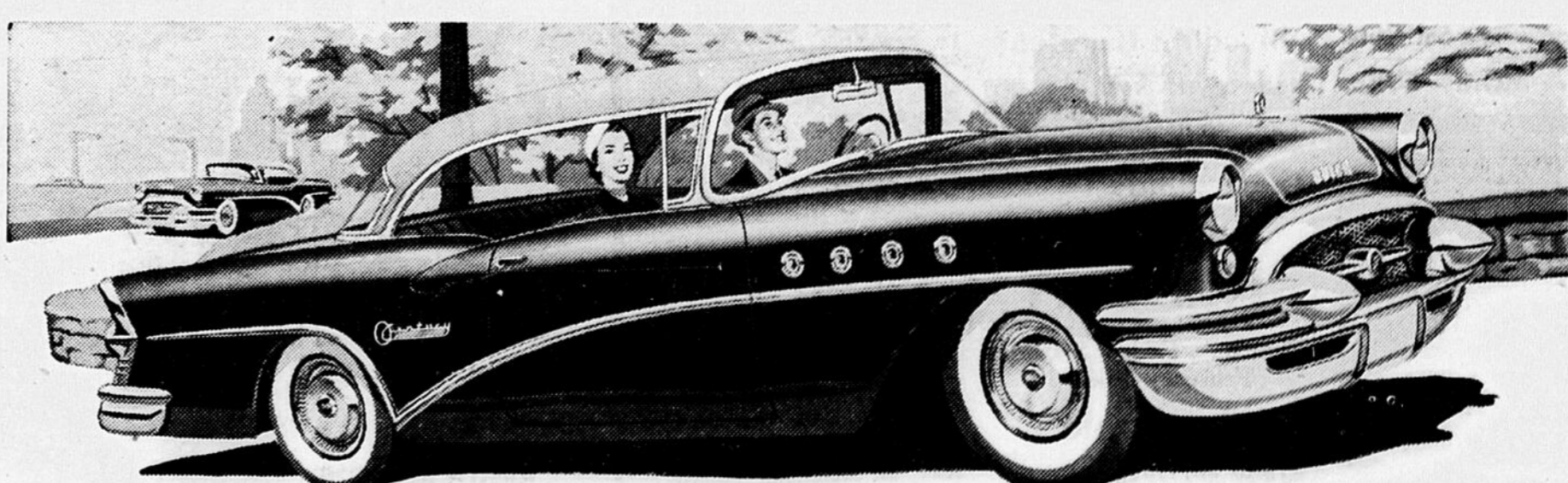
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News from Ormstown

Covering the Activities of the "Little Royal" Exhibition Centre

ORMSTOWN - Thursday evening, February 3rd, two very interesting games of hockey were played in the Ormstown Arena. At 8:30 P.M. the O. H. School girls lined up against a team composed of

graduates of the past several years with the addition of a few local girls. They looked impressive, as among their ranks, were such former stars as Gladys Duncan, Mary Youngie, Dorothy McCaig, Eleanor Lamb and Pat McCaffrey and there was much speculation as to the outcome. The youngsters, however, were a shifty crew and the well launched body checks of the grads never seemed to land. After the first frame the speed of the grads diminished somewhat and the students came through with a 5-0 win. Harkness, B. Barrington and McCaffrey doing the scoring. The line up follows:-

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The line up was as follows:- Goal: Eleanor Lamb; Defense: Gladys Duncan, Marion Gruer, Jean Dickson, Lucille Varin, Pat McCaffrey, Mary Youngie; Forwards: Dorothy McCaig, Ruth Evans, Betty Lou St. Denis, Carole Warden, Allison Hooker, Jane Gartshore, Claudette Parent, Audrey Benson, Ethel Goodall, Gaetane Sauvé. Students Goal: Jean McEwen; Defense: Bob Bission, Jim Barrington, Jim Brooks; Forwards: Dave Rochon, Boyd Money Penny, Gordon Duncan, Raymond Roy, Ross Higgins, Carmille Guerin, George McKell, Gerry Cavanagh.

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Evening Auxiliary Mrs. Alvin Gruer, Mrs. Ivan Rember, Mrs. Everett Forrester, Mrs. Russell Marshall, Mrs. Tom Begbie, Mrs. A. Wilson, Mrs. Merrill Tannahill and Mrs. Alan Hooker attended the supper and the 41st annual meeting of the Montreal Presbyterial at Stanley Presbyterial Church, on Tuesday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Robertson and family of Riverfield were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. McNeil.

Mrs. Eastwood, Sr., of Montreal, is spending this week with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Eastwood, Gregg and Garry.

W.M.S. At Presbyterial The Ormstown W.M.S. Auxiliary was well represented at the 41st Annual Meeting of the Montreal Presbyterial held this year in Stanley Presbyterial Church, Mrs. James Anderson, Miss Alice Hunter, Mrs. Harold Kerr, Miss Marion Swan Mrs. Olive Goodall and Mrs. Mary McNeil were among those present.

W. C. T. U. Ormstown On Thursday afternoon, the Ormstown W. C. T. U. was pleasantly entertained at the home of Mrs. H. Parkinson with 15 members present.

Mrs. A. Anderson presided and Mrs. John McKell had charge of the devotional period.

Scripture reading was from Ps. 34: This theme "Who is my neighbor?" and is answered by Jesus in the parable of the Good Samaritan. Our neighbor is everyone who needs our help, with no distinction as to race or creed. The leader closed with a short talk on "Prayer," asking God for strength and guidance in whatever work we are called upon to do.

Unfinished and new business was attended to, which included the awarding of money prizes by the Union to the 34 papers received from pupils writing the National Temperance Study Course, amounting in all \$22.10.

A short paper on World's Missions was given by the Stpt. of this dept., and being Frances Willard Day, a quiz on several important events in connection with her work, was conducted by Mrs. J. McNeil and Miss M. McNeil. A review of Frances Willard's Life was read by Mrs. C. Taylor, and ended with a poem on prayer.

Sick-visiting committee for February are Mrs. Geo. Tate, Mrs. Taylor and Mrs. Wm. Rice. Delicious refreshments were served by Mrs. Parkinson and Mrs. Anderson.

The March meeting will be held at the Bazin home.

Ormstown Legion News The monthly meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary, Canadian Legion was held at the home of Comrade Annette McAdam on Tuesday Evening, February 1st, with the president, Comrade Margaret Wright, presiding. Seven officers and six members were present.

A committee was appointed to take charge of assembling the cook book for publication.

At the close of the meeting refreshments were served by the committee in charge.

The next meeting will be held in the Legion Hall, on March 1st.

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Beauharnois - Miss Kay Graham and Mr. Derek Adamson were entertained at a Sherry Party, on Wednesday, given their honour by Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Currie. Pink candles and carnations were used as decoration.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Kilgour entertained Miss Kay Graham and Mr. John Derek Adamson and bridal party after the wedding rehearsal, Friday evening, February 4th. Daffodils and Canadian heather were used in the flower arrangements.

A banquet was held in honour of Mr. Jacques Turnbull at the Russell Hotel, Thursday evening. A watch was presented to Mr. Turnbull on behalf of St. Lawrence