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**Notre Dame du Lac inquest**

**MAN BLAMED FOR FIRE**

NOTRE-DAME DU-LAC, Que. (CP) — Coroner Cyrille Delage Wednesday found Louis Chiasson, 64, criminally responsible for the fire which killed 38 persons in a home for the aged Dec. 2.

Chiasson, a native of Moscou, N.B., was ordered held in jail until a charge is laid against him.

He was a resident of the home and did odd jobs for no pay.

Mr. Delage, closing a combined coroner and fire commissioner's inquest, also suggested that old folks homes such as Repos du Vieillard, the three-storey residence which burned, should be eliminated.

They should be replaced by modern fire-proof buildings with adequate equipment and sufficient personnel to ensure maximum security for residents.

Forty witnesses testified about conditions which led to the deaths. Another person died later in hospital and one is missing.

Twenty-nine patients and all seven staff members escaped.

**KNEW MAN'S RECORD**

Charles-Eugene Tardif, owner of Repos du Vieillard, testified earlier that he knew Chiasson had served eight months of a two-year sentence for arson.

Chiasson, witnesses said, liked to attract attention by getting drunk or bothering women patients and staff.

Mr. Delage said Wednesday:

"There is no doubt in my mind that even if all the rules dictated by the departments concerned were followed, this would clearly be insufficient to avoid any disasters considering the type of construction, the condition of certain persons who lived there and the ineffectiveness of available personnel."

He deplored the fact that there still exists "among us" homes for old people which do not conform to safety standards.

He said that according to testimony heard at the inquest, almost nothing had been done to help the patients escape the fire.

"Should one blame the personnel on duty or the owner, Charles-Eugene Tardif, who left 64 patients, several of whom were completely crippled, to the care of three employees, two young girls and a Mrs. Desrosiers, all of whom were just beginning their jobs and not familiar with the surroundings?" he asked.

Mr. Delage said he had numerous recommendations to pass on to various government departments about such institutions.

**The Liberals**  
**The party is getting rough**

QUEBEC (CP) — A four-month campaign to elect a new provincial Liberal leader is ending with some minor skirmishing between the candidates.

Three men are fighting to succeed former premier Jean Lesage at a two-day leadership convention that begins Friday.



**ROBERT BOURASSA**  
... pollsters' No. 1

—Robert Bourassa, 36-year-old financial critic of the Liberal Opposition, a lawyer economist who entered politics in 1966.

—Pierre Laporte, 48-year-old house leader of the Liberals, a lawyer-economist who has been around Quebec politics for 22 years.

—Claude Wagner, 44, former provincial justice minister who came to politics in 1964 after a crusading career as Crown prosecutor and judge.

Montreal La Presse and Le Devoir, and Quebec Le Soleil recently conducted separate surveys to conclude that Mr. Bourassa will win easily on the first ballot. So did Montreal Gazette.

**ATTACK CAMPAIGN**

Mr. Wagner, picked to finish second, and Mr. Laporte, third, both reacted by slamming the Bourassa campaign.

Mr. Laporte said Mr. Bourassa, whose wife is a millionaire, is spending \$1,000,000 in a campaign that was supposed to be sober and austere.

He said Mr. Bourassa's organization spent \$25,000 and provided 250 bottles of liquor in what amounted to a victory party at Montreal Sunday.

Mr. Bourassa replied that Mr. Laporte calculates campaign expenses like his delegate support—with exaggeration.

Mr. Wagner, who estimates his campaign expenses at \$100,000, has also accused Mr. Bourassa of spending excessively.

He has even launched accusations that the Bourassa organization is buying delegate votes. The Bourassa people asked the former judge to prove it.

Bourassa informants say their campaign will cost between \$320,000 and \$460,000. Mr. Laporte has said he planned to spend \$100,000, but this was "conservative."

All three men describe themselves as federalists who would end what they denounce as the sterility of the governing Union Nationale quarrelling with Ottawa.



**CLAUDE WAGNER**  
... runner-up they say



**PIERRE LAPORTE**  
... unhappy third

**Canairerelief barred**  
**Nigeria shuns relief from Biafra friends**

LAGOS (AP) — The Nigerian government rejected Wednesday any relief from nations or agencies that had ties with conquered Biafra. These include France, the Vatican-run Caritas agency, and Canada's church-sponsored Canairerelief.

It also put a ban on all relief workers who had been in Biafra. Refugees spilling out of Biafra were receiving some aid from Nigerian relief teams as a dispute among Nigerian organizations over directing aid appeared to have been settled.

The government, which accepted Biafra's surrender Monday after a 30-month civil war, put on the unwelcome list the Joint Church Aid, a grouping of many international agencies; the French Red Cross, the Nordic Red Cross, Canairerelief and the governments of Portugal, Rhodesia and South Africa.

Maj-Gen. Yakubu Gowon, the head of state, gave his ministry of economic development responsibility for all relief, rehabilitation and reconstruction work. There was no mention of the role of the Nigerian Red Cross which had been struggling to feed a tide of hungry refugees.

"The government was consulting a chamber of friendly governments for immediate requests for relief ... to supplement the national effort," a statement said.

**STRESS LOCAL AID**

It was clear the plan was for the major portion of relief resources to come from within Nigeria.

"The government intends to utilize fully the many professional and skilled personnel volunteering from all over the federation," the statement said.

Foreign groups the government excluded were accused of being "stoutly hostile" to the federal cause, including agencies "which either helped or sustained the secessionist regime or operated illegally from certain airports."

The statement concluded: "All foreign relief workers who operated illegally in the secessionist enclave are persona non grata (unwelcome) and will not be permitted into Nigeria."

In New York, the United Nations announced that Henry R. Labouisse, executive director of the UN Children's Fund, would leave Thursday for Nigeria to survey relief needs. The chief Nigerian UN delegate, Ambassador Edwin Ogebe Ogbu, told reporters his government "welcomes and deeply appreciates" UNICEF aid.

In a move to quiet Biafran fears, the commander of Nigeria's 34d Marine Commando Division broadcast a guarantee for the safety of "law-abiding citizens who are residents in the Eastern states." He said he was turning over the maintenance of law and order to police in his sector.

**SURRENDER FAST**

Nigerian Red Cross teams struggled to keep up with developments as Biafran units were reported surrendering on all fronts.

The military advance was so fast that relief teams were caught off guard, and hungry refugees had to walk many miles for food. Officials said considerable quantities of supplies were in Nigeria but the problem was local transport.

Brig-Gen. John Drewry, Canadian military observer in Nigeria, reported to the government in Ottawa that the physical condition of Biafran refugees "is much better than was feared."

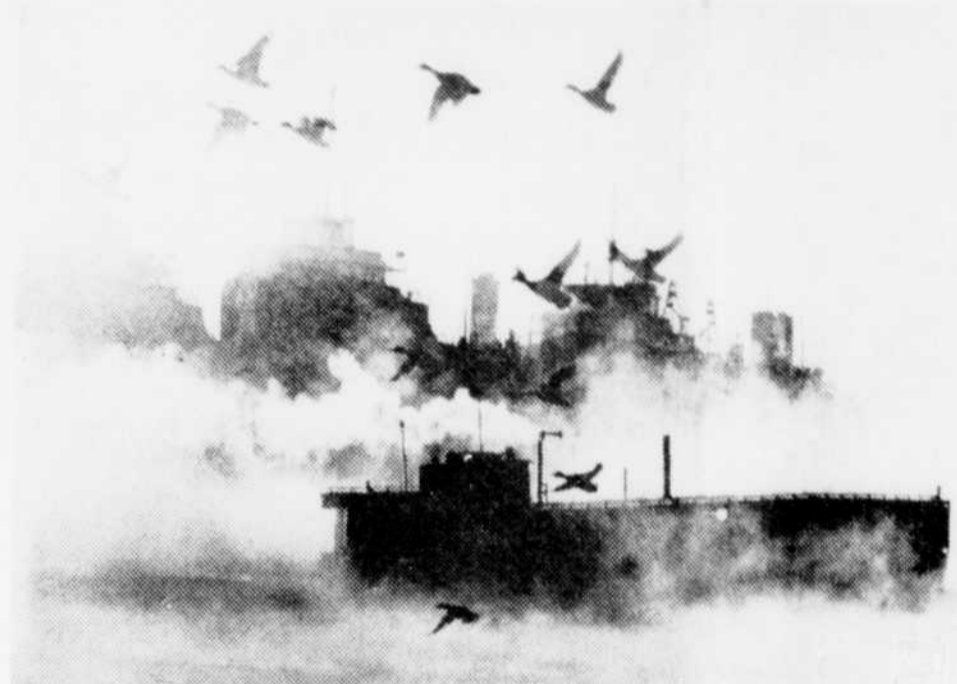
A convoy was to leave for Enugu, the former Biafran capital, in a few days with spare engine parts for trucks.

A Nigerian Red Cross official said his teams would continue working, whatever disputes arose in Lagos.

The local dispute subsided when Timothy Omobare, head of the government-affiliated National Commission for Rehabilitation, said in an interview that the Nigerian Red Cross had a mandate over all emergency relief.

Earlier the commission challenged the authority of the Red Cross, declaring that the commission was responsible for receiving and allocating all foreign donations.

Of foreign-aid offers, Maj-Gen. Yakubu Gowon, Nigerian chief of state, said in a radio interview: "We don't want their help or assistance. We will do it ourselves."



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**FROSTBITE VICTIM**

**Near to losing hands**

SHERBROOKE — A 43-year-old Sherbrooke man is in hospital today recovering from a severe case of frostbite.

The man, identified by police as Louis Veilleux, of Conseil St.

**Townships' folk weather flu bug**

SHERBROOKE — By all indications, it seems that Eastern Township residents have successfully weathered the storm of flu viruses that caused near epidemics in other parts of Quebec.

According to Dr. Emile Poisson, head of the Quebec Government Health Unit here, the number of flu cases in Sherbrooke has been normal for this time of year.

Dr. Poisson said he does not expect the situation to get any worse.

"It has hit some elderly people," he added, "but schools and industry remain normal."

A spokesman for the Sherbrooke Hospital denied a rumour circulated earlier this week that the children's ward had been closed to visitors because of the flu.

Lennoxville Elementary School reported yesterday that only the usual number of colds have occurred in past weeks.

was picked up by police at the corner of Walton and Victoria Streets, following a phone call from a north ward resident who spotted the man wandering in a dazed condition.

Police said the man would have been found dead this morning had he not been rescued.

Doctors at St. Vincent de Paul Hospital at first feared that they would have to amputate at least one of Mr. Veilleux's hands, but early this morning the hospital reported that he was under close surveillance but out-of-danger.

**Inside today**

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**TODAY'S CHUCKLE:** It's no trouble to see some visitors to the door, in fact it's often a pleasure!

**No insurance, family of eight loses everything**

SHERBROOKE — The family of Mr. and Mrs. Lucien Lanctot, left homeless by a fire at 263 Queen St. Monday, are in desperate need of clothing, food, and a place to stay.

The Lanctot household was completely wiped out by fire Monday, but fortunately, in the words of 43-year-old Lucien Lanctot, "my wife and children

were not injured."

Because of domestic financial difficulties, Mr. Lanctot had been forced into cancelling his insurance payments prior to the fire.

After the fire Monday, the family's six children were spread over the region, staying with relatives and friends.

Mr. Lanctot has been

reassured by his former landlord something will be done to restore the house he was occupying with another family.

"But," he told the Record last night, "there has been no direct confirmation by owner Carlo Fabi that something would be done immediately."

Should circumstances prevent him from reoccupying his

former dwelling within a period of two months, he will have to find some other location big enough.

Clothing is needed now to dress the children, whose ages vary between 18 months and 18 years.

Should anyone in the region have clothing for boys of the 10, 8 and 4 year-old group, or girls

clothing of the 14-12 and 18-month group, please contact Arthur Laforest, Salvation Army, 175 Wellington St. or telephone 562-0844.

Used furniture and bed spreads would also be appreciated in helping this family of eight return to a normal way of life.

Since the fire Monday, the

bewildered parents have been taking up quarters with a nephew, Paul Emile Lanctot and his family at 305 Brooks St.

In the case of Lucien Lanctot and his wife Jeannette, 38, both have to work to make enough money to support their family of six.

Mr. Lanctot said he would publicly like to thank a Queen St.

neighbour, Gerard Brien, who moments after the fire, rushed into the burning apartment and brought his wife and children to safety and sheltered them in his home.

A note of gratitude is also extended to the persons who have thus far contributed by way of clothing and food to the relief of the Lanctot family.

# GUIDE TO TELEVISION VIEWING

Listings supplied by each station and subject to change without notice.

3—WCAX Burlington  
12—CFCF—Montreal

5—WPTZ Plattsburg  
TBA—To Be Announced

6—CBMT—Montreal  
8—WMTW—Mount Washington

## THURSDAY

- 6:00 p.m.
- 8) Movie: Les Miserables
- 9) Reach For The Top
- 5) News, Weather,
- 12) News, Weather, Sports
- 6:30 p.m.
- 5) News
- 6) Hour Glass
- 7:00 p.m.
- 3) News
- 5) Marshal Dillon
- 8) Mr. Deeds Goes to Town
- 12) Family Affair
- 7:30 p.m.
- 3) Family Affair
- 5) Daniel Boone
- 6) Doris Day
- 8) Ghost and Mrs. Muir
- 12) Tom Jones
- 8:00 p.m.
- 3) Jim Nabors
- 6) Bill Cosby
- 8) That Girl
- 8:30 p.m.
- 5) Ironside
- 6) Music Special
- 8) Bewitched
- 12) Dean Martin
- 9:00 p.m.
- 6) Bonanza

## FRIDAY

- 12) Andy Williams
- 7:30 p.m.
- 3) Get Smart
- 5) High Chaparral
- 6) Julia
- 12) Mamas
- 10:00 p.m.
- 6) Thursday Night
- 8) ABC News Special
- 10:30 p.m.
- 12) Diamond Lil's
- 11:00 p.m.
- 3, 5, 6, 8) News, Weather, Sports
- 12) News, Weather, Sports
- 11:20 p.m.
- 12) Pulse
- 11:30 p.m.
- 3) Merv Griffin
- 5) Johnny Carson
- 6) Dick Cavett
- 11:40 p.m.
- 6) Movie: Through a Glass Darkly
- 12) Movie: The Courtneys of Curzon Street
- 1:30 p.m.
- 12) University of the Air

## FRIDAY

- 6:55 a.m.
- 5) Town and Country
- 7:00 a.m.
- 3) News
- 5) Today
- 7:30 a.m.
- 12) Bulletin Board
- 7:45 a.m.
- 8, 12) News
- 8:00 a.m.
- 3) Captain Kangaroo
- 8) Home and Farm
- 8:20 a.m.
- 6) Stand-By Six
- 8:30 a.m.
- 8) Spiderman
- 12) University of the Air
- 9:00 a.m.
- 3) Mike Douglas
- 5) Now Women
- 6) Quebec Schools
- 8) Movie: T.B.A.
- 12) Ed Allen Time
- 9:30 a.m.
- 5) Country Corner
- 12) Romper Room
- 10:00 a.m.
- 3) Lucille Ball
- 5) It Takes Two
- 6) Youth Programming
- 12) Magic Tom
- 10:25 a.m.
- 5) News
- 10:30 a.m.
- 3) Beverly Hillbillies
- 6) Friendly Giant
- 5) Concentration
- 8) Movie Game
- 12) Hercules
- 10:45 a.m.
- 6) Chez Helene
- 11:00 a.m.
- 3) Andy Griffith
- 5) Sale of the Century
- 6) Mr. Dressup
- 8) Of Lands and Seas
- 12) Mike Douglas
- 11:25 a.m.
- 6) Double Exposure
- 11:30 a.m.
- 3) Love of Life
- 5) Hollywood Squares
- 11:55 a.m.
- 6) News
- 12:00 p.m.
- 3) Where the Heart Is
- 5) Jeopardy
- 6) Dick Van Dyke
- 8) Bewitched
- 12) Flintstones
- 12:25 p.m.
- 3) News
- 12:30 p.m.
- 3, 6) Search for Tomorrow
- 5) Who, What, Where
- 8) That Girl
- 12) In Town
- 12:55 p.m.
- 5) News

### Brown's Hill

Holiday guests for a few days of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Dolloff and Burt were their daughters, Miss Doreen Dolloff, Montreal, Mrs. Joe Zerata and Mr. Zerata and two daughters, Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Waid and family, Cowansville, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Waid and family, Granby, were Christmas Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Waid and Mr. and Mrs. Real Pevin.

Mr. and Mrs. George Butler and Brian accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Keet and Michael to spend New Year's Eve with Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Young in Magog.

Christmas Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Mosher and family were Mr. and Mrs. Alex Johnston and Mrs. Bernice Tetreault, Stanstead.

Recent callers at the Butler home have been Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Neil, Granby, and Mr. and Mrs. Burl Eldridge and family, Ayer's Cliff.

Mr. and Mrs. Moody Sunbury, Ayer's Cliff, and Mr. and Mrs. Francis Halsall, Lennoxville, were callers of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Dolloff and Burt.

### Travelling library in Brome County

The Bookmobile of the McLennan Travelling Libraries will be in the Brome County area the week of Jan. 19 to 21. The itinerary is as follows: Jan. 19 — Elementary School — 1 to 3 p.m.; ADULTS — 3 to 4:30 p.m.; West Shefford — Mrs. Brown's — 5 to 6 p.m.

Jan. 20, Granby — Elementary School — 8:30 to 11 a.m.; Waterloo — Elem. School and ADULTS — 1:30 to 3 p.m.; Dunham — Mrs. Wells — 4:30 p.m.

Jan. 21, Cowansville — Heroes' Memorial Elem. School — 9 to 11 a.m.; ADULTS — 11 to 12 noon; Stanbridge — Stanbridge East Elementary School and ADULTS — 2 to 3:30 p.m.

### Coming events

**WATERLOO**

The annual meeting of the Public Library will be on Jan. 21 at 8:30 p.m.

St. Luke's ACW will meet on Jan. 22 at 8 p.m. for the annual meeting. Committee members are reminded to have their reports ready.

The annual vestry of St. Luke's church will be on Monday, Jan. 26, at 8 p.m. in the church hall.

**BEDFORD**

The bridge marathon for the Curling Club will open on Jan. 18 for the winter session and finish the end of March. Mrs. Otis Blair is in charge of the arrangements.

The opening meeting of the St. James Church ACW will be on Jan. 21 at 8 p.m. in the parish hall. A business meeting will be held as well as a shower for the Nesbitt Residence at Cowansville.

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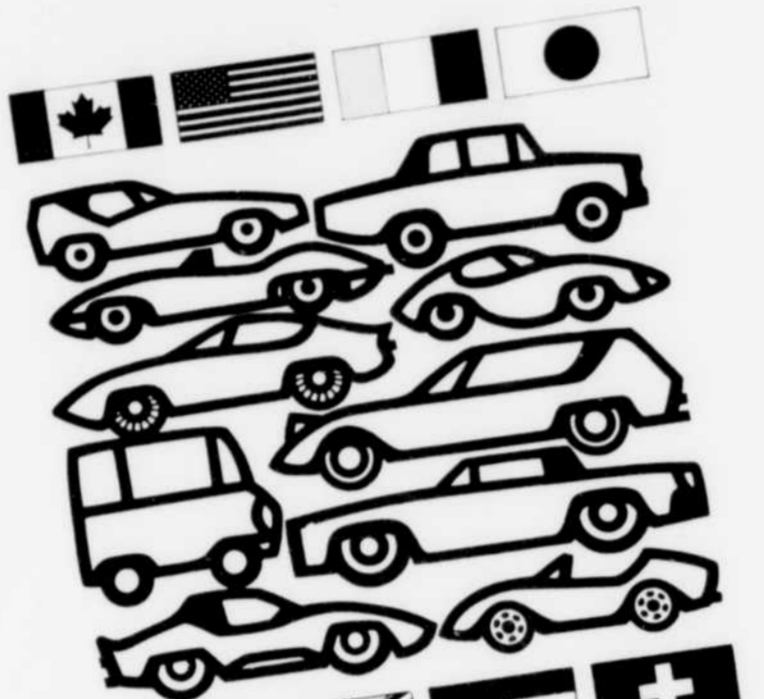
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## Sad end of '69 Housing, food push index up

OTTAWA (CP) — Higher food prices and housing costs pushed the consumer price index up to 127.9 in December from 127.4 in November, ending the old year at a record high.

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics reported Wednesday that the index, based on 1961 prices equalling 100, rose 5.6 index points in the year from December, 1968.

In percentage terms, this was a rise of four-tenths of one per cent in the month, and 4.6 per cent in 12 months. Economists say prices should not rise more than two per cent a year without excessive inflation.

DBS said the late summer and fall seasonal decline in food prices was reversed, with significantly higher prices for fresh vegetables, eggs and poultry.

Higher property taxes and higher prices for new houses were mainly responsible for sending the housing index up.

Other indexes, with two exceptions, showed smaller increases for the month. The index of recreation and reading materials declined slightly and the index for tobacco and alcohol products remained unchanged.

But housing accounts for nearly a third of the total consumer price index, and food for more than a quarter.

Egg prices alone rose to the highest point since December, 1966, the bureau said. In addition to new house prices and property taxes, there were widely dispersed increases in the cost of household operation.

Higher clothing prices were partly offset by early winter sales of women's wear. January sales frequently have a more significant effect.

In striking its consumer price index of the year, to compare with previous years, the bureau averages the monthly figures. This results in a 1969 average index of 125.5, which in percentage terms is 4.5 per cent higher than the 1968 level of 120.1.

**RISE SHARPER**

The 1968 index was four per cent higher than the previous year, and these increases are in sharp contrast to the gains of 1.2 to 1.7 per cent made in the first of the 1960s.

DBS has no family incomes index to compare with its consumer price index, which reflects urban family living costs. But the bureau reported Tuesday that the average of wages and salaries paid in a broad cross-section of industry was \$123.05 a week in November, compared with \$120.89 in October and \$113.37 in November, 1968.

Average industrial wages and salaries thus rose by 8.5 per cent in the 12 months to November, 1969. In that same period, the consumer price index rose 4.5 per cent.

The price index is based on a monthly survey of prices and rates charged for some 300 goods and services.



**PREPARE FOR EMERGENCIES** — Hospitals in Quebec province are constantly updating and maintaining their emergency plans. The Quebec health department recently announced it has approved the plans of at least 70 hospitals for the evacuation of patients in case of an emergency inside the hospital itself. The department is currently organizing evacuation drills such as the one above in which a patient is being placed in an ambulance.

## Gets life for shooting

RIVIERE DU LOUP, Que. (CP) — Marcel Soucy, 27, of Montreal was sentenced to life Wednesday for the non-capital murder of two-year-old Nathalie Jean last June 8.

Sentence was passed by Mr. Justice Georges-Rene Fournier of Superior Court.

Soucy also will be sentenced in mid-February on other charges connected with the shooting at nearby St. Jean de Dieu.

Earlier Wednesday, Mrs. Normand Jean, 27, testified that Soucy was tearing off her clothes when Nathalie began to scream.

Soucy, who has pleaded not guilty of murder in the child's death, fired a shot and the child fell bleeding from her rocking chair, Mrs. Jean said.

Soucy's trial on charges of attempted murder and rape as well as murder began Monday. He has pleaded guilty to the attempted murder of Normand Jean and the rape of Mrs. Jean.

The jury was asked to leave and the courtroom was cleared three times during the mother's testimony about certain incidents before and after the shooting.

## Family dies of smoke

MONTREAL (CP) — A man, his wife and their 10-year-old son were asphyxiated Wednesday in the master bedroom of their home as a result of smoke inhalation from a burning chesterfield.

Donald Rourke, 49, his wife Lorna, 47, and their son James, 10, of north-end Cartierville were found dead in the master bedroom.

The fire erupted about 8 a.m. and was confined to the chesterfield located in the living room below the bedrooms.

## Launch phys-ed investigation

MONTREAL (CP) — The Quebec government, working on the assumption that sound bodies make sound minds, has announced a province-wide investigation into ways of upgrading physical education.

Jean-Marie Morin, minister without portfolio attached to the education department, told a news conference Wednesday that an 11-member committee will seek advice from students, parents and any other interested groups.

## Forestry laws to change

QUEBEC (CP) — The Quebec government is to revamp the province's forestry laws because they are "useless and full of anomalies," Claude Gosselin, minister of lands and forests, said Wednesday.

He told the annual meeting of the Quebec Forestry Association that the current laws do not meet "modern standards of efficiency."

## Forecasts large P.Q. vote

LONDON, Ont. (CP) — Rene Levesque, leader of the separatist Parti Quebecois, Wednesday forecast his party would get 25 per cent of the popular vote in Quebec's provincial election later this year.

A 10 per cent or lower vote for his party is "unthinkable" he told a news conference.

The party, he said, expects to win between 10 and 15 of the 108 ridings in the province, but the significance of the election will be in the popular vote.

Mr. Levesque said he expects the Liberals to win the election, although they might only form a minority government.

He told an audience at the University of Western Ontario where he was speaking at a conference, Canada: One Nation or Two., that the long-held dream of Quebec sovereignty is coming closer.

## Troop deployment successful

BAGOTVILLE, Que. (CP) — The deployment of about 1,000 troops in northern Quebec for 10 days of cold-weather manoeuvres is proving successful, Capt. P.G. DesBecquets said Wednesday.

The troops, all French-speaking, will continue the exercise until Sunday.

## Science reports on love potion, gas fumes and Pill dangers

The world of science and medicine produced three major reports Wednesday: the discovery of what might be a true aphrodisiac, studies showing unsuspected dangers of carbon monoxide and a warning that the Pill might cause cancer.

The warning about oral contraceptives came at a U.S. Senate subcommittee hearing in Washington from Dr. Hugh Davis of the Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine in Baltimore.

Davis said breast cancer has been produced in at least five different species of animals by treatment with the same synthetic hormones that are in the oral contraceptives.

"There is no reason to presume that the single exception... will turn out to be oral contraceptives," he said.

No woman should take the pill continuously for more than two years, Davis said.

He told The Associated Press earlier this week that a healthy

young woman can take a lowdose oral contraceptive for a few years, postponing the time she begins her family or spacing pregnancies.

**EXPRESSES CONCERN**  
 "I'm really concerned about the 35-year-old woman with four children who plans to take the agent over a prolonged period of time."

At Georgetown University in Washington, a neurologist offered surprising indications that the experimental drug L-dopa can be a powerful sex stimulant.

Dr. William E. O'Malley said L-dopa, hailed as a possible breakthrough against Parkinson's disease, also looks like "a true aphrodisiac" that could be used against female frigidity and male impotence.

Dr. O'Malley said he has been told by investigators throughout the United States that the drug has produced hypersexuality in some patients. He put the incidence at about two per cent of the patients.

One male patient, he said, about 60, had not been sexually active for at least six years. "He started chasing his nurse," O'Malley said. Some women also became hypersexual, he said.

He added: "At first, we felt we ought to keep this quiet, but now most of us feel it ought to be publicized because of the possibility of engendering studies—at some later date—of the possible, controlled use of L-dopa as a treatment for frigidity and impotence."

**FIND TOXIC EFFECTS**  
 Scientists meeting in New York reported on several studies indicating that low concentrations of carbon monoxide in the blood, such as those from cigarette smoking, can impair the heart and vision.

One report said the carbon monoxide from cigarette smoke is "very likely" part of the reason smokers develop more coronary heart disease.

## SHOT IN THE DARK

### It's not Hair, but it's spicy

By HUBERT BAUCH  
 LENNOXVILLE — The traditionally staid Lennoxville Players will embark on a cautious venture into the realm of the risqué tonight as they begin a three-day run of the French sex-mystery comedy, *A Shot in the Dark*, at the Centennial Theatre.

One could hardly say that the stiff breeze of theatrical liberation fanned by *Hair* and *O Calcutta* has permeated the Lennoxville Players, but *A Shot in the Dark* certainly looms as a refreshing change in a company whose staple diet has consisted of Gilbert and Sullivan extravaganzas and innocuous minor classics such as *Book of the Month* and *The Mousetrap*.

As Director Lewis Evans said last night during the final dress rehearsal: "I picked the play because it's high time the Lennoxville Players got a little spicier instead of more fuddy-duddy." Despite the fact that the spice in the play tends to appeal more to those on the shady side of 30, and despite the fact that the script lists heavily with verbal and structural clichés, *A Shot in the Dark* promises to be a fine experience in amateur theatre.

The play is very French. The entire plot is loaded, if only by implication, with all sorts of naughty and kinky sex.

It is an adaptation of Marcel Achard's *L'Idiot* and is based on that all-time favorite comic play, the case of mistaken identity.

A young, up-and-coming magistrate, Paul Sevigne, and his assistant Moresteau are faced with a mysterious murder

in which a passionate Spaniard was shot by someone while he was very compromisingly present in the bedroom of Voseta Lanetany.

The generously-endowed Voseta is the maid of banker Benjamin Bearevers and his excruciatingly-overbearing wife Dominique.

The body of the play concerns itself with the interrogation of Voseta, who becomes the number one suspect, and the subsequent solution of the crime.

The play is not easy under the best of circumstances. Evans has been putting his cast through the paces since October. The heavy load of lines, at least for the lead roles, could crush most amateurs.

## GOOD SKATE

### Beautiful redhead, PM's partner

OTTAWA (CP) — Prime Minister Trudeau sailed gracefully over the ice of the Governor-General's skating rink Wednesday night with a beautiful young redhead on his arm.

She was Margaret Sinclair, 22, daughter of former federal Fisheries Minister James Sinclair, and the same girl the

prime minister took out to dinner in Vancouver last August.

Miss Sinclair said last year that she and the prime minister met in Tahiti and that they were "just friends."

Wednesday, they were among the guests at Gov.-Gen. Michener's annual skating party

for MPs and Senators, held at the outdoor rink on Government House grounds.

**WEARS RACCOON COAT**  
 The prime minister, with a good tan following his skin-diving and skiing Christmas holidays, was a dashing figure in a raccoon coat and matching hat, and a long multi-colored sash from the Quebec winter carnival.

Miss Sinclair wore a tweed maxi-skirt and a fur jacket, a knitted hat and scarf.

Gov.-Gen. Michener was among the more active skaters. He wore a Canadian Ski Patrol Jacket—he's the honorary patron of the Patrol—and ski pants. Also present, but not skating, was a well-muffled-up Mrs. Michener.

Mr. Lebeau said that under the Canadian constitution, which maintains there are two official languages in the Quebec legal system, these notices should at least be translated into French.

He said he had received information that many French-speaking Quebecers had to contact the justice department to have the documents explained to them.

## English lawyers scolded for not using French

MONTREAL (CP) — English-speaking Montreal lawyers came under severe attack Wednesday for what a civil servant called their insistence on using English at all times, even in their dealings with French-speaking clients.

Jules Lebeau, an employee of the Quebec justice department, told the Gendron royal commission on the status of the French language in Quebec:

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## Computers offer jobs

When computers first came on the scene after World War II, there were dire predictions that the electronic "brains" would eventually cause widespread unemployment, particularly among unskilled and semi-skilled workers.

Already in the design stage, for instance, were complete steel mills that could be operated by one man pushing buttons.

Others predicted that what had been true for every other technological innovation would be true for computers — that while some old jobs would undoubtedly be abolished by automation, new and better-paying jobs would be created.

Thus far the optimists seem to have been right. One of the most critically labor-short areas is in the very field of computers, where an estimated continent-wide shortage of 350,000 programmers currently exists.

To perform its data processing functions, a computer "speaks" and "listens" to any number of special languages with such exotic names as COBOL, FORTRAN, PL-1 and RPG. Training a human programmer in these languages normally takes as long as two years.

In a recent and successful pilot program, however, Commonwealth Computing, Inc., of Lexington, Mass., trained school dropouts from Boston's Roxbury section to qualify as computer programmers in only eight weeks. The youths, including one with only an eighth grade education, were paid \$125 a week during training before stepping into jobs in the \$7,500 to \$9,000 range.

The Commonwealth program utilized a simplified language called ADPAC, coupled with new training methods. In co-operation with Equal Opportunity companies in private industry, the program is to be expanded to upgrade 50 more disadvantaged young men and women.

A program such as this has broad social implications, extending beyond the ghettos to prison, schools, and other institutions.

Rather than being a menace, the computer in this instance at least is creating useful employment for people who might otherwise be not just unemployed but unemployable.

## Action not post-mortem

The sudden apparent collapse of the Biafran forces possibly means the end of formal fighting in that blood-drenched country of Nigeria, something for which the entire civilized world will be thankful.

From their very nature civil wars seem the bloodiest and at the same time most tragic of conflicts. And certainly the Nigerian conflict can take a high position on the list of international conflicts, both for the loss of life resulting directly and indirectly from the battles and by the tragedy caused to the people of Nigeria and especially the breakaway Biafran sector.

In addition to the battle casualties more than a million people are believed to have died from starvation and lack of medical attention and the health of even more has been permanently undermined by the lack of food and medical supplies.

Undoubtedly there will be attempts made to evaluate the responsibilities of the various major powers for aggravating the conflict by providing arms to the warring factions and by failing to provide relief for the starving people.

But, inevitable as such post-mortems seems to be, it is to be hoped that these verbal quarrels will not divert the interest of governments, relief organizations and individuals from the tremendous task ahead — the speeding of aid to the suffering millions.

Every effort must be made to see that relief activities are not undermined by competition and self-glorification but rather that each group be entrusted to a certain clear field of responsibility.

## BERRY'S WORLD



"I guess I'll cut down on the speeches for awhile—my name is a household word, now!"



## Wagner: the man trusted by the masses

By DAVE BAZAY  
QUEBEC (CP) — No leadership campaign worthy of political jargon would be complete without "a candidate of the people."

In the campaign for leadership of the Quebec Liberal party "le candidat du peuple" was Claude Wagner, 44, a former provincial justice minister.

His name has been a household word in Quebec for years.

Even before he entered politics in 1964, he had built up a reputation as a crusading Crown prosecutor and tough-talking judge.

In fact, Mr. Wagner is something of a one-man phenomenon in Quebec politics, like Rene Levesque and Real Caouette. He has his own following, including many people who don't trust politicians but who think Mr. Wagner is untouchably honest.

In an interview before the Jan. 16-17 leadership convention, Mr. Wagner explained why he thinks the masses love him.

"They have faith in a man. It is a confidence which stems from deep down."

As an authoritarian, with personal charm to boot, Mr. Wagner enjoys popularity in a Quebec beset by social troubles. He represents "law and order" at a time of violence, such as the terrorist bombings and the high crime rate in Montreal.

MEETINGS EXCITING  
For many he is a sort of Superman and Batman and every other good guy who ever clouted down evil in the comics.

Mr. Wagner's platform for leadership is his hard-rock personality: He is the self-styled solution to problems of what he calls wishy-washy leadership. His views on non-criminal matters appear almost incidental. He never talks policy elaborately. And no one seems to mind.

Yet his political meetings ripple with excitement. His people like him because, in his words, he speaks to them "in the white of their eyes."

The index of legislature debates makes him look like a one-dimensional man. Almost all subjects he has discussed appear under criminal headings.

In the throne speech debate in 1967, Mr. Wagner expressed his constitutional thinking in capsule form: "I believe in Canada."

Nowadays, he says: "I am a federalist without any ulterior motives and that's it."

He rejects the party's old constitutional line of special status for Quebec as separatism in disguise.

He favors "adult federalism" which involves "firmness and a common-sense ap-

proach" in negotiations with the central government.

As a law-and-order man, Mr. Wagner has a wonderful way of reducing problems to comic-strip simplicity. This aspect of the Wagnerian personality has best been expressed by Quebec's political cartoonists.

SYMBOL IS CLUB  
The symbol of Mr. Wagner in the cartoons is "la matraque," the policeman's club, a reminder of Wagnerian justice.

This image of the politician tends to persist in the population. Take this testimonial of a Quebec City cabbie:

"Our politicians are a bunch of noodles. If Wagner were premier he'd go into the streets and arrest the agitators himself."

Yet Mr. Wagner is unpredictable, defying those who would cartoon him away as a political policeman. One example of this came up during the leadership campaign, when the City of Montreal imposed a ban on public demonstrations.

Robert Bourassa, the intellectual candidate, came out in favor of the Montreal move. Even leftist Rene Levesque, the separatist leader, gave it qualified support.

But Claude Wagner, with a reputation among the Liberals as a rightist, criticized the ban on demonstrations as retrograde.

Such stand-taking may confuse some, but Mr. Wagner says the people know him and understand what he represents.

"Deep down, the people know that it is not a question of being in favor of law and order for law and order's sake. I think what they respect in a man in his quality of decision, of leadership and the fact that he can stand up and face any crisis."

CALLS ON PEOPLE  
"The people" may think so, but many in the 46-member Liberal caucus did not think fondly of Mr. Wagner as a possible leader.

Only five men in the caucus came out in support of him, including former cabinet minister Bona Arseneault, who says:

"It doesn't matter what genius we elect. If he isn't elected by the public we are going to remain in the Opposition. All the public opinion surveys show that Claude Wagner is one of the most popular politicians in Quebec."

This is Mr. Wagner's super-argument. He asks Liberals: "Are you going to refuse

to listen to the voice of the people?"

He is so convinced the people want him and need him that he has said "Quebec will slip towards anarchy" if he is not elected leader.

Why don't more Liberal members of the legislature support Mr. Wagner's candidacy?

Renegade Liberal Yves Michaud once said: "Most members would rather remain in the Opposition than be in power with Wagner as leader."

Many members of the governing Union Nationale party and separatist Parti Quebecois say they fear Mr. Wagner as a formidable electoral foe. Many Liberal members of the legislature appear to fear him for other reasons.

Some see Mr. Wagner as a one-man show with simple solutions at a time when problems are complex and teamwork imperative.

CLAIMED MANDATE

One Liberal says: "He is another Maurice Duplessis, catering to the prejudices of the people."

One thing is clear—Mr. Wagner is a crusader. He campaigns in politics with the faith and fervor of an unstoppable evangelist.

He felt he had a mandate from the people to lead a grassroots movement aimed at kicking out former premier Jean Lesage as party leader.

Mr. Wagner demanded a leadership convention and, at first, many people shrugged him off. But he kept the pressure on Mr. Lesage.

One of his tactics was a speech-making campaign criticizing the Liberals as a moribund machine controlled by professionals cut off from the people. The crusader got his way. Mr. Lesage announced his resignation last August to make way for the January convention.

Before he began crusading in politics, Mr. Wagner had a brief, but brilliant, career crusading against crime.

Like several other Liberal lawyers, he was appointed a Crown attorney in Montreal by the Lesage government after the 1960 general election. Within a year he was named deputy chief Crown prosecutor in the Montreal district, attracting attention in a fight against "the seamy underworld."

He became an outspoken critic of the administration of justice, aiming controversial

barbs at Montreal's legal establishment. He set out on a personal campaign to convict rapists, murderers, bank robbers and arsonists, becoming a self-appointed public protector.

WAS YOUNGEST JUDGE

He even asked to be named judge, at a loss of \$25,000 a year in fees, "because as a prosecutor I couldn't do enough to put order in justice."

In September, 1963, he was sworn in as a sessions court judge, at 38 one of the youngest members of the bench in criminal court history.

In August, 1964, the judge was invited to Quebec City by Premier Lesage and was sworn in as solicitor-general. He was elected in a byelection Oct. 5 in Montreal Verdun, a riding he still holds.

"At that moment," he recalls, "the Queen's visit was about one week away. There was practically a panic at Quebec. The press was full of scary headlines."

The Queen came and went amid threats to her life. But the controversy over the use of police force against separatist demonstrators remains.

Mr. Wagner became responsible for "Samedi de la matraque"—Saturday of the truncheon—and was portrayed in cartoons as a jack-booted SS man.

He says that as a newcomer to the government he could easily have blamed those who had planned the royal visit. But he adds:

"Anybody else would have resigned under the pressure of criticism, but I stayed on. I think the people sense this."

CHANGED HAIR STYLE

Mr. Wagner was born April 4, 1925, at Shawinigan, Que., one of four children in a marriage between French- and English-speaking Canadians.

His father, Ben Wagner, a professional musician, was born in Montreal. His grandfather was a Bavarian Jew. The Wagners are Roman Catholics.

In 1953, he married Montrealer Gisele Normandeau, now "my biggest supporter." They have three children—Johanne, 14, Richard, 12, and Christian, 8.

He is fluently bilingual. He received a BA at the University of Ottawa and a law degree at Montreal's McGill University.

Mr. Wagner, once a crew-cut politician, now wears his hair in the style of his idol, the late Robert Kennedy—"it took a burst of gunfire to stop him."



## THE ART BUCHWALD COLUMN

WASHINGTON — There was a time when the major preoccupation of our nations' universities was recruiting athletes for their football and basketball teams. But all this has changed. Now the big recruiting drive among our schools is to find qualified black students for their scholastic programs.

Every university president knows his school is no longer judged by any other standard than how many black students are enrolled in the school.

Alumni have been alerted to immediately report on any outstanding black scholar, and alumni clubs have been set up to get around the strict "black student scholastic recruiting code."

It's hard to keep your head if you're a high school student and you're suddenly in demand.

Take the case of Bernard Jefferson Smith, a straight-A black student at Central High School in Maple County, Penn. Reports about Bernard's scholastic achievements started leaking out in his sophomore year, and scouts from every major university in the country started sneaking in the back of Bernard's math classes to see if he was as good as they said he was.

What they saw amazed them. Bernard was even better at geometry and calculus than his press notices indicated.

According to the "black student scholastic recruiting code," scouts are not permitted to approach a black student about a scholarship until he is in his senior year. But this didn't stop eager alumni from making approaches on their own.

One day, during his junior year, Bernard found a brand-new Corvette in his driveway with a note on it. The unsigned note said: "MIT has the best bio-chemistry department in the country."

A few weeks later, the paid-up mortgage on his parents' house arrived in an unmarked envelope which had just two words on the top: "Think Stanford."

Not long after that, work started on a swimming pool in Bernard's yard. When Bernard inquired as to who was paying for it, the contractor said: "I have no idea. We were told to send the bill to the Harvard Club in Philadelphia."

Bernard's father, who worked as a porter at the local bank, was suddenly and mysteriously made a vice-president. The president of the bank, a University of Pennsylvania graduate, told Bernard's father the promotion was long overdue and invited him and Bernard to have dinner with the dean of the Penn's Wharton School of Business Administration.

But the pressure really didn't start until Bernard began his senior year. There were so many university chancellors camped on Bernard's doorstep every night that he had to sneak in the house disguised as a welfare worker.

The telephone never stopped ringing. Numbered Swiss bank accounts were opened in Bernard's name.

A wealthy alumnus at Yale said he would build a new library and name it the Bernard Jefferson Smith Building if Bernard would go to New Haven.

Finally, as Bernard was still trying to make up his mind, the phone rang. The voice on the other end said: "Bernard, this is the President of the United States, Richard Nixon. Have you ever thought of going to Whittier College?"

## Letters to editor

### 'Bubbling' with rage

Sir:  
The Record has been coming to my home for over 40 years.

For the last few months the paper has been changing from a very good paper to a very poor paper; lots of cheap stuff on its pages. However, tonight (Mon. Jan. 12) it really hit an "all high" for on page 2 was Today Funny, "Lawrence Welk is a bubbles head". Now my education did not teach me what a bubbles head is but I do know that Lawrence Welk show is the best we see on T.V. Of course, we do not get the yelling, screaming women dressed in nothing which seems to win so many today. But the music is good and the ones taking part are cultured people, not cheap trash which we see so much of today.

Yours truly,  
Mrs. N. D. McLeod,  
122 Eastview Ave.,  
Cookshire, Que.

In the first place I have never known of The Record passing any remarks about any one and certainly you exhibited your ignorance in doing so. I suppose you did not know any better but in future, it would be very much appreciated if you put a little more news in your paper and did not pass any remarks about people as superior to yourselves as Lawrence Welk is.



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O'KEEFE TROPHY WINNERS — A North Hatley team emerged victorious at the Mixed Invitation Bonselpiel at the Border

Curling Club. Shown from left are: O. Knutson, R. Knutson, Andre Pouliot, F. Rudd and Eddie Hatrick.

## Country notebook

By WALKER RILEY  
Macdonald College

Every year, it is the same thing. In the first days of January, every newspaper or farm magazine you pick up has an article forecasting the Outlook for Agriculture for the year ahead. This year it is for the ten years ahead. And they annoy me.

They predict gloom here, and disaster there, the need for adjustment in this sector, a gleam of hope in that sector, falling prices in the third quarter and rising prices in the fourth. Just as if the average person could do anything about it anyway.

It seems to me, if a man has a spare stall in the dairy barn he is going to fill it, or if he has the front forty ploughed up, he is going to plant it, whatever the outlook. And somehow, when those predicted waves of disaster roll in, the boat might rock a bit, but we live through it, and on into another year, and another decade.

But certain things are happening on the farm scene which we, as individuals, just can't ignore. The Western wheat situation, for example. Our cousins on the Prairies are in deep trouble. And it's only a matter of weeks or months until their troubles spill across the fences into our own back yards.

Some of us might see those piles of unsold wheat as bargain feed for our own livestock. But others see the bottom falling out of the hog market as the westerners search desperately for any way to turn it into cash.



and sky-high prices for every available feeder calf. Worse, we know the farmer has lost his voting power, and the non-farmer is not likely to react sympathetically until he has lost his job because the wheat grower has quit buying cars, or tractors, or television sets.

The other day, Mark Waldron, editor of the Macdonald Journal, brought together six outspoken men for a round-table discussion of these and other problems that will seriously concern every one of us in the decade ahead.

Neither Dr. David MacFarlane who is chairman of the Task Force on Agriculture, or Dr. Fischer or Dr. Cecil Haver, also from the Economics Dept. at the College, or farm manager Rudi Dalenbach, or Professor Peter Hamilton, or Clinton McWhinnie, cash-crop farmer in the Chateauguay Valley, are known to care whose toes they step on when they express their ideas.

Even with all their concern for the wheat situation and its possible effect, there were notes of optimism for the eastern farmer. "Certainly more western barley would move into consumption in the east if the Wheat Board pricing domestically was abandoned," Dr. Haver said. "But I am convinced there is a place for barley production on Ontario and

Quebec farms and that barley and corn are probably more competitive than currently meets the eye."

Commenting on the rapidly growing grain corn industry in Quebec, Dr. MacFarlane saw the 1969 acreage of 30,000 acres going to 100,000 acres, and he wondered how fast livestock production would follow. Clinton McWhinnie considered the distilleries would be the main cash market in the immediate future, but Peter Hamilton replied, "I think that livestock is going to follow corn here in Eastern Canada. We have better livestock men than crop production men. If they can grow corn, then livestock will automatically come."

"But can corn alone make the livestock industry in Eastern

Canada competitive with the West? Will we be in the same position in 1980 with livestock as we are with wheat?" Rudi Dalenbach wondered.

"The demand for livestock is rising sufficiently fast," Dr. MacFarlane replied. "It is going up far more than the demand for anything else."

Changing the subject to dairying, Dr. Waldron noted that the forecast for the dairy industry was not optimistic. "We are in trouble this year," Dr. MacFarlane agreed, "especially since manufactured milk production went up 10 per cent and most of that is in Quebec. We have a dairy policy that is not working so there has to be a change to get production in line with demand."

## Border Curling Club Bonselpiel

BEEBE — The week long O'Keefe's Mixed Invitation Bonselpiel at the Border Curling Club finished on January 10.

The winner to be presented with the trophy, replaced this year after the one destroyed in the fire in 1969, was won by the North Hatley team of Frank Rudd, Eddie Hatrick, Ollie and Ruth Knutson. The runners up were: Garry Carruthers, Dorcas Pocock, Scully Langevin and Olive Wells.

Consolation prizes were awarded to Dr. P. Fitch, Arlene Probyn, Raymond and Micheline Langevin. The runners up were

Andre Brosseau, Roxane Trew, Victor Roussel and Tootie Kirby, a team from Magog.

All 16 players received beautiful prizes from O'Keefe's. The trophy was presented by Andre Pouliot in the absence of his father, Ernest Pouliot of Magog.

Garry Carruthers, the Club president, welcomed the visiting teams who participated. The winners were announced by the Match committee chairman, Peter Cross.

During the week a two team rink played off to go to Magog. Final winners will compete in

the Provincial Match. At the Border rink, Andy Joyal and his trio were the winners.

Under the sponsorship of Mrs. Perry Fitch and her committee close to 100 enjoyed the excellent dinner served the curlers, members and guests from six to seven thirty o'clock.

The remainder of the evening was spent dancing with music played by Reg Sayer and Stuffy Stafford.

Another bonselpiel will be held at the Club the week of January 18 to 24 with a chicken pie supper planned for the evening of the finals.

## Bill 62 unwise for the 70's

By PETER G. WHITE

If the French-speaking majority really feels that such measures are necessary, then English-speaking Quebecers can hardly object. What we can and must do, however, is ensure that our own vital interests, which are by no means the same, are not jeopardized by the majority's pursuit of its legitimate interests. In other words, minority rights must be fully respected under any new school system.

The other main political objective of Bill 62 is unstated, but seems to me equally obvious. As the government knew it would, Bill 63 stirred up a hornet's nest among the extremist minority of French unilingualists in Quebec. Since they so easily dominated the media, the unilingualists managed to give the impression to a large number of moderate Quebecers that Bill 63 somehow constituted a "concession" to the English-speaking minority. In fact it was nothing of the sort. Bill 63 merely confirmed in law a small part of the traditional educational freedoms that have always existed in this province, namely the freedom of parents to choose either English or French as the language of instruction for their children. Before St. Leonard, this freedom had never been challenged, and consequently had never been legally defined. I hope that we have now learned our lesson about the need for full legal protection of minority rights.

Bill 63 was in fact more of a concession to the unilingualists than to the English-speaking minority, because it required that all Quebec school-children acquire a working knowledge of French, with no mention being made of English. As an English-speaking Quebecer I repeat that I have no objection to this policy, although it seems to me to be short-sighted — if I were French-speaking, I would object strenuously. Bill 63, I would also remind Mr. Lemieux and his gang, further requires that all instruction by all school boards in Quebec be given in French, unless parents request otherwise when enrolling their child. Some concession!

But be that as it may the impression had been created that the Bertrand government — and even Mr. Cardinal, who sponsored the bill — had "given in" to the English with Bill 63. The only way to redress the balance, in the eyes of public opinion, was to take something away from the English-speaking minority — something so big and so symbolic that no Quebecer could ever again believe that Mr. Cardinal might be soft on "les Anglais". What could better fill the bill than that ripe and juicy plum, the so-called bastion of English wealth and privilege, the Protestant School Board of Greater Montreal? By publicly destroying the Protestant School system, even the late Donald Gordon could become a hero to the extremists.

To his credit, Mr. Cardinal has never hinted that this might be one of the motives for opting for unified school boards. But the fact remains that the political benefits are none the less real. Bill 62 is, in the eyes of many, a political quid pro quo in exchange for Bill 63. There is a feeling that the majority made a great concession to the English-speaking minority with Bill 63, and if we know what's good for us, we had better shut up and

accept unified boards. Well, I for one do not intend to shut up and accept them. I honestly believe that Bill 62 offers insufficient protection for minority rights in education, be they French or English. I do not see how unified school boards can offer adequate protection, and I am convinced that language-based boards are the only realistic solution. If it is the case of having to accept unified boards in exchange for Bill 63, then I say let's repeal Bill 63 and start over again calmly and objectively.

It might be well to recall at this point the origin of all the current controversy over language rights and education in Quebec. When the Ligue pour l'Integration Scolaire started out to gain control of the St-Leonard Catholic School Commission, it did so in the belief that the so-called bilingual classes being offered by the board were the main avenue of assimilation of Italian immigrants into the English culture rather than the French culture. I believe, on the contrary, that if people want to be educated in English, it is because they have already decided, for other reasons (probably economic) that they want to join the English milieu.

This is the second in a series of articles by Record president Peter G. White, Chairman of the Executive Committee for Reform in Education, on the potential effects of Bill 62.

Mr. White's text is from a speech he made to the Montreal Teachers Association, Tuesday, Jan. 6, 1970.

It is not the educational system that makes them choose English, but the society as a whole. If the French Culture is to attract Quebec's immigrants, it must do so by ensuring them opportunities at least equal to those of the English culture, and not by artificially forcing them to learn French.

But the educational system offered an easy scape-goat, and the idea quickly spread that the only way to prevent the anglicization of Montreal by the end of the century was to force all immigrants into the French-language school system. Mr. Cardinal referred to this fear in his November 8 speech. Yet to my knowledge, no adequate scientific evidence exists on which such fears can reasonably be based. The Gendron Commission has been asked to study the question, and it is to be hoped that they will come up with some firm demographic information in their report. In the meantime, however, there is a very real possibility that the whole of Quebec's language and education policy with regard to Montreal is based on a false assumption. This is a very powerful reason for not upsetting the applecart until we know the facts.

I have already indicated that I do not believe that unified school boards can adequately meet the needs of both English-speaking and French-speaking Montrealers at the present time. Let me summarize the reasons for this belief.

Our pedagogical objectives are different. Naturally, we all want the best possible education for every child, common texts for Canadian history, and so on. It is not at this level, but at the level of general philosophy and approach, that our needs differ. I have shown the importance

which Mr. Cardinal attaches to using the school system as a barrier against anglicization. Quebec's desire for a fully French program is also well-known — courses designed and created in French by and for French-speaking Quebecers, and using French texts instead of translations of English texts.

The English community has different objectives. As an integral part of the majority culture on this continent, we must keep our educational system on a par with the best in North America. As Mr. Cardinal realizes, the heart and life-force of any culture lie in its educational system which reflects, guides and perpetuates the culture, by keeping it in close touch with — and competitive with — the latest advances in other societies. This means that our curriculum, teachers, teaching methods, texts and whole educational philosophy must be closely attuned to the rest of Canada and the United States, as well as reflecting the French-speaking milieu in which we live.

These broad objectives of our educational systems are different because our cultures are different. These differences

must be reflected in our educational structures. Courses for one cultural group cannot be properly planned and administered by educators of another culture, however, well-intentioned. The great irony of Bill 62 is that such a proposal should come from French-speaking Canadians, who have survived only because they have always insisted on full control of their own educational system. What is sauce for the goose is sauce for the gander.

The Parent Commission recommended a wide measure of local control over curriculum. This important recommendation seems to have got lost in the shuffle. In fact, according to the letter of the law (Bill 60), full curriculum control now lies in the hands of the Minister of Education. Such a degree of centralization is repugnant to our concept of education, and to the basic principle that parents should have the final say in the education of their children. That is why we are pressing for language-based school boards with final authority over curriculum. We believe that such a system would be fairer to both groups, and would enable each to pursue its own legitimate objectives without being hindered by the other.

It is conceivable that within unified school boards, units could be established to supervise the curriculum of each group. The trouble with such an arrangement is that it would have no legal protection. St. Leonard has shown us that a right without legal protection is no right at all, because it can be easily ignored or rendered ineffective by a school board that does not wish to respect it. Even legal guarantees within a unified structure would not be satisfactory today, because a malicious board could always

find ways of failing to meet its legal obligations, by withholding funds, dragging its feet, or a thousand and one other ways.

I believe that the only adequate protection for the parents' essential right of curriculum control in their own language is the establishment of language-based school boards, which provide the traditional democratic safeguard of throwing the rascals out if they are not doing their job properly. Under unified boards, the minority, whether English-speaking or French-speaking, would have no such democratic recourse in the event of violation of their rights or basic interests.

The system we have in Montreal today is in large measure a language-based structure, with the notable exception of the English-language schools being administered by Catholic boards with a French-speaking majority. But the English Catholic system has evolved separately from the French Catholic system, with the result that its curriculum is today very similar to the English Protestant curriculum. It would be a simple matter to put the two English-language systems under a new English-language structure, such as the one suggested by the Page Report, provided of course that adequate guarantees were ensured for confessional education for those who want it, wherever numbers warrant.

The establishment of a language-based structure as recommended by the Page Commission would cause much less dislocation of existing functioning systems than the establishment of unified boards. It would moreover guarantee the availability of education in both languages throughout the Island of Montreal. This is unlikely to be the case under unified boards, since Bill 63 permits a board to make arrangements with another board to provide courses it does not offer itself. This could easily result in an increased ghettoization of the Island, with English-speaking families moving to areas where English instruction is available, and vice versa.

Whatever the real reasons may be for Mr. Cardinal's choice of unified school boards as opposed to language-based boards, and whatever the real effects of unified boards on English education may be, many people already are convinced that unified boards would mean the end of the English-language school system in Quebec. The end of the English language school system would in turn mean the beginning of the end of English-speaking Quebec. In view of this climate of opinion, I believe it would be politically most unwise to bring in unified boards at this time.

Perhaps those most affected by unified boards would be teachers. Quebec's teachers have endured much over the past few years. If English-speaking teachers are not happy within the new system, I think it is inevitable that this time a significant number would leave the province. This would be disastrous for the future of the minority in Quebec. All the more reason why teachers, above all, must fight to the limit to make sure they have the kind of school system they want.

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**POLLY'S POINTERS**

**Various Ways to Make Handy Bulletin Boards**

By POLLY CRAMER

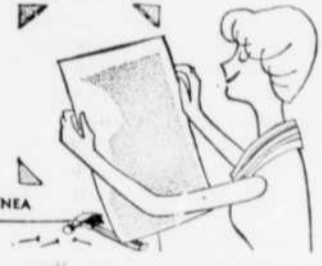
DEAR POLLY—I would like to tell Alyce that I have just finished making 18 bulletin boards for a school bazaar. My husband cut insulation board to the desired size. I covered this with colored burlap, with the edges of the burlap glued and stapled on the back. I used felt decorations on them, usually a small one in a corner—flowers, an apron, a pan, telephone, balloons and so on—and then applied heavy fringe or braided rug yarn around the edges. —MRS. V. J. R.

DEAR POLLY—My Campfire group made bulletin boards for a project. We used cardboard from refrigerator cartons. Cut to the desired size and pad with foam rubber, then cover with burlap. For hooks, we used two beer-can rings and tied a string between them. —ELLEN

DEAR POLLY—Alyce could use a cookie sheet for a bulletin board and buy some of those cute little magnets to hold things on it. The sheet could be painted and decorated as she likes.

Another suggestion is to use a metal washboard and the magnets. It, too, could be painted. —NOÏL

DEAR POLLY and Alyce —The easiest way to fashion a bulletin board is to firmly mount a desk blotter on the wall with four corner pockets on the blotter holder. Select a blotter the right color for the room. It can be replaced easily when it becomes marred. —RUTH



**Couple will live in Montreal**

WATERLOO — A quiet wedding was held at St. Paul's United Church on Dec. 13, when Elaine Jean, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald E. Daine, Waterloo, was married to Barry E. St. Pierre, Montreal, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry St. Pierre, also of Montreal. Rev. Allison Haley officiated and Mrs. A. Norris was the organist. The church was decorated with Christmas poinsettias, and the pews with white bows and scotch pine.

The bride, given away by her father, was in a white floor length gown of peau de soie. Madeira lace trimmed the elbow length sleeves, wedding ring collar and front panel. She wore a chapel train. The shoulder length veil of tulle illusion was held in place with a headpiece of madeira lace. She carried a cascade bouquet of red roses, ivy and heather bells.

Mrs. Bernie (Joyce) Fleming of Montreal, as matron of honor, was in a full length gown featuring a cranberry velvet bodice with a deep pink peau de soie skirt. She wore a matching velvet ribbon in her hair and carried a bouquet of blue and white carnations and mums.

The best man was Mr. Rathwell Morrison of Arundel while the ushers were Messrs. Bernie Fleming and Stewart Archibald of Montreal.

The bride's mother chose a street length dress of American Beauty peau de soie, with black accessories and a corsage of white carnations.

The mother of the groom wore a dress of blue brocade with black accessories and a corsage of red carnations. Following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, where the buffet table was centered with a three tiered wedding cake, and white

**Congratulation**

Congratulations are extended to Miss Isabella Ogden, formerly of Valleyfield, now residing at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Royce, East Farnham, who will be celebrating her 91st birthday on Jan. 19. Miss Ogden is enjoying good health.

**Ditchfield**

Mr. and Mrs. John Veary and little sons, Alan and David, Dorval, were guests for a few days over Christmas of the former's mother, Mrs. S. G. Veary, who accompanied them back to Montreal.

Holiday guests of Mr. Stanley Rider were his daughters, Miss Elizabeth Rider, Mrs. John Purdie and Mr. Purdie, all of Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. MacLean and family, Pointe Claire, were Christmas guests of Mr. Nelson Fletcher.

Miss Mabel Slater has returned to her home in Montreal after spending a two-week holiday with her mother Mrs. S. P. Rider and Miss Violet Slater. Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Larson, London, Ont., were overnight guests on New Year's Eve at the same home.

Mr. Tom Veary, Sault-St-Marie, Ont., was the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Veary, prior to his marriage on Dec. 27. Mr. John Syrus, Thunder Bay, Ont., accompanied him home and spent the holidays here. Miss Nancy Veary and Robert Veary, Bishop's University and the Regional School respectively, also were home for the holidays.

Keith and Craig Rider were at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Rider, during the holiday from classes at the Regional School in Lennoxville.

**For and about Women**

**Carried Her Into Fashion**



CRUISEWEAR '70 — The wardrobe concept for the trek south is evident in this ensemble by Sea Queen. The zippered jumpsuit and matching swimdress, in wet-look fabric of "Antron" nylon, can be worn individually, or

for the cover-up look, conveniently together. The roll turtle collar of the jumpsuit, contrasting to the plunge neckline of the swimdress, illustrates the easy flexibility in today's swimwear fashions.

NEW YORK—(NEA)—At 17, Betsy Glenn had reached her goal. She was the U.S. demonstration skier at Inter-ski, the Olympics of the ski-teaching world.

Betsy, who grew up in Aspen, Colo., decided she wanted to learn how to ski when she was 10.

"My parents," she said, "didn't object to my brother and me learning how to ski, but we would have to pay for the equipment and lessons ourselves."

They did. By shoveling snow and taking summer jobs, they managed to buy their gear. They would pay for lifts and skiing privileges by working at the ski areas part time.

"My younger brother would shovel snow in the morning," explained Betsy, "and I would ski. Then I would work in the snack bar for the afternoon and he would ski."

"Transportation to the ski area was a problem when I was younger," she said. "But then I started dating some of the ski instructors—they would pick me up and I would insist they take my brother along."

It's not hard to imagine why men put up with this kind of arrangement. Betsy is a tall—over six feet—blonde beauty who looks as glowing as she says she feels.

"I started out as a swimmer," Betsy said, "but I always wanted to ski. I was the first girl to make the Junior National Ski Patrol. For six years, I skied all the time."

**On the horizon for spring UCW plans for 1970**

As the winter exodus South begins, swimwear makes its first appearance. Cruisewear is of special interest, not only because it interprets present fashion trends, but because it offers a capsule horoscope for the season to come.

Especially indicative is the new ease and flexibility of fashion. Gone are the rigid constructed looks of the past. In their place are the "no bra" looks and the smoother, softer lines provided by lighter weight fabrics.

Fabrics give the special story. Jerseys of "Antron" nylon lend a clinging unconstructed look, or

with cre smoothness, the zany and popular "wet look". Lace or crocheted-type fabrics of nylon and "Lyra" spandex fibre inspire a see-thru effect. A stretch velour fabric of nylon brings the softness of a velvet pile to both water and poolside. And adding a new dimension of luxuriousness, "Qiana" nylon, the silk-like fibre with easy care, debuts in a Canadian swimwear collection.

Along with the see-thru fabrics, plunge necklines interpret the ultra bare theme of the season. Cleverly laced closures, cutaway sides or wrap-around belts inspire similar illusions. Adding the special

element of flexibility are the ingenious matching cover-ups—perforated see-thru tops, pants, voluminous scarves and engaging mid-length coats all appear in this category—which reveal or conceal according to one's own inclination.

As with the garments themselves, restrictions in color are few. However, the earthy tones of brown, black and white are surely dominant while greens and purples are the popular color hues. Pastel prints, in this year's collection reminiscent of cool water tones, are also taking happily to the Southern sun to return to poolside next summer.

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**Women's clubs, activities in the news**

**LENNOXVILLE UCW**

At the January meeting of Unit 1, Lennoxville United Church women, the leader, Mrs. Tom Saunders presided. She welcomed the members and wished them a Happy New Year. The meeting opened by all repeating the UCW Purpose and the Lord's Prayer.

Mrs. Wentworth S. Richardson was in charge of the devotional and chose The Kingdom as a theme. The hymn, "Savior like a shepherd lead us" was sung with Miss Marjorie Waldron at the piano.

Mrs. Wentworth S. Richardson called the roll. The treasurer, Mrs. A. Norman Flint, reported a bank balance of \$21.87 with all bills paid. Letters of thanks were read from members who had been remembered with gifts or cards at Christmas.

A list of members was read who should have charge of the devotionals during the year. Members were reminded of the following dates for important church functions: January 25, Anniversary Services; February 2, Congregational Meeting; February 18, Curling Club Banquet; February 24, Guide and Brownie Banquet; March 6, World's Day of Prayer; April 23, Thrift Sale; May 2, Masonic Banquet; November 25, Bazaar.

It was decided to hold a Phantom Food Sale at the February meeting. The officers for 1970 were installed by the pastor Rev. Arthur B. Lovelace and the meeting closed with the Mizpah benediction. Hostesses at the tea hour were Mrs. George Coxon and Mrs. Florence Paige. Mrs. Lorne Davidson presided at the lace covered tea table.

**BELVIDERE WI**

The January meeting of the Belvidere Women's Institute was held at the home of Mrs.

Francis Paige, Atto Street, Lennoxville with Mrs. Garth Montgomery as joint hostess.

Miss Edna Smith, president, opened the meeting with the Salute to the Flag and club women's creed. Nine members answered the roll call by naming a current event of local history.

The treasurer, Mrs. Francis Paige, gave a satisfactory financial report. Correspondence included Christmas greetings and letters of thanks and appreciation for donations and Christmas cheer and a letter from Glen Brown, regarding a debate in the National assembly was read by the president.

Mrs. Charles Pitman, agriculture convener, read from the country note book, by Walker Riley. Miss Edna Smith read the list of the 65 best schools in Canada.

Miss Hazel McGee asked for helpers for the next cancer dressing work day, January 14. Mrs. Jack Tarte, ways and means convener suggested holding a card party on January 24. Miss Eva Beaton, Sunshine convener reported sending out seven cheer baskets. A

Christmas plant, 22 cards, three officers gifts and one child's gift were purchased.

The Ascot History compiled by Mrs. William T. Pearson was on display and a copy is to be purchased for the branch. Mrs. Charles Drummond, citizenship convener is to be responsible for the February W.I. broadcast.

Six pairs of mittens were turned in for the work calendar. A nominating committee was named including Mrs. William R. Bell, Mrs. Charles Drummond and Miss Eva Beaton. The New Year's program is to be organized by Mrs. Francis Paige, Mrs. Garth Montgomery, and Mrs. Ken Smart.

Mrs. Garland Page and Mrs. Charles Pitman are to audit the books.

The monthly drawing was won by Mrs. Ken Smart. The February meeting will be held in the Lennoxville club room with the general membership as hostesses when a pot luck supper and social evening will be held with Mrs. Ken Smart in charge of the showing of slides.

A progressive 300 card party is planned for January 24, at 8 p.m. in St. George's Church Hall, Lennoxville.

A salad supper was served by the hostesses assisted by Mrs. Harley Asker.

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# The market today

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## MacDonald: Price freezes won't help

## Births

ENRIGHT — To George and Helen, the gift of a son Murray Kyle, 7 lbs. 7 ozs. on January 4th. A brother for Daniel, Katherine, Mary Frances and Ian.

HUTCHINS — To Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hutchins, a son Scott Arnold, born at the Sherbrooke Hospital, Jan. 11th, 1970. A brother for Stanley.

## Deaths

BORIGHT — At Waterloo, Jan. 14, Percy Boright, husband of the late Mary Ann Parker in his 91st year, father of Mrs. Robert Rowan (Irene) of New York, Charles of Waterloo, Mrs. Donald George Cavanagh (Alice) of Farnham, Ralph of St. Ann and Dr. Robert of Montreal. Masonic service will be held tonight at 8:00 p.m. at Leo Paul Ledoux Home, 454 Foster St., Waterloo, funeral notice later.

CATHER, Marion (King) — At the Normandy Private Hospital, Vancouver, B.C. in her 86th year, widow of the late James S. Cather. Survived by one brother, Norman S. King, Vancouver, B.C. and one sister Mrs. E. W. Smith (Jessie) Danville, Que. Funeral service will be held Thurs. Jan. 8th at the Glenhaven Memorial Chapel, 1235 Hastings St., Vancouver. Rev. R. A. MacLaren officiated. Interment family plot, Masonic Cemetery Burnaby, B.C.

LEECH — Gordon, Gillis, — suddenly at his residence, 1159 Elgin St., Sherbrooke, on Wednesday, January 14, 1970. Beloved husband of Elsie Laura Secker and dear father of Jean (Mrs. Elly Page), Henry W., and Raymond G. In his 73rd year. Resting in the R. L. Bishop and Son Funeral Chapel, 300 Queen Blvd. N., Sherbrooke. Funeral services from the First Baptist Church, Sherbrooke on Saturday, January 17, at 2 p.m. Rev. A. G. J. Steeves officiating. Interment at Elmwood Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, donations to the memorial fund, First Baptist Church, Sherbrooke.

POIRIER, Mrs. Frank — At the Hotel Dieu Hospital, Sherbrooke, Jan. 14, 1970, at the age of 52, resided at 825 Malouin St., Apt. 2. Resting at the Robert & Marc Brien, funeral on Jan. 17, 1970, leaving the funeral home at 2:15 to St. Jean Brebeuf Church where service will be held at 2:30 p.m. Interment in St. Michael's Cemetery.

In Memoriam  
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We miss and miss him so.  
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MOTHER  
CHILDREN  
GRANDCHILDREN

Card of Thanks  
BEATTIE — I wish to thank the many, many friends who sent cards, flowers, reading material and who continually supported me with their best wishes and efforts while I was in hospital. I wish also to thank these friends for their further kindness of providing me with a money tree and sunshine box following my return home.  
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The Town of Rock Island had an inquiry from La Societe de Habitation Administration Inc., signed by Cyrille Gauthier of Longueil, for a piece of land in size 40 to 50,000 square feet to build a Home for the Aged here, which was read at the January 5 Town meeting held in the Town hall.

There was discussion about what to do about people using their homes as dog kennels which resulted from a complaint and a petition signed by some five persons. It was decided that for the remainder of the year to make a tax charge of \$10 flat kennel license.

A sum of \$25 was voted to the Legion Branch poppy fund. Another topic under discussion was sick pay for Town employees. It was agreed to pay a full first week wages, then let the insurance take over, however, not to cause inconvenience to the sick person and family, the Council will advance the insurance pay weekly and claim the insurance cheque as re-payment.

## Say French No.1 at CIP

MONTREAL (CP) — Canadian International Paper Co. said Wednesday that French is the working language in most of its Quebec manufacturing and woodlands operations. The company, which has 13,200 Quebec employees, said that although English is the predominant language or world business, "French... has a de facto status of equality in industry and a status of priority in certain other areas."

parking on Riverside Street the Council will post No Parking signs from the main street onto Riverside, about 400 feet.

A letter was read from the Roman Catholic P-Board making complaint of excessive speed by motorists by the school on Railroad street. There are two yellow caution lights on Notre Dame Street and it was agreed to take the one from near the Butterfield plant as a step to control the speed.

## Elected board chairman

MONTREAL (CP) — Lucien Rolland, president of the Rolland Paper Co. Ltd., has been elected chairman of the board of Canadian ASEA Electric Ltd., it was announced Wednesday. Mr. Rolland is a director of several major Canadian concerns, both financial and industrial.

## Barnston

The Baptist Church services were cancelled here and at Coaticook on Dec. 28 on account of icy conditions. Mrs. Bruce Ham, David and Rebecca, Dixville, were Christmas Day guests at the Sutton family home.

OTTAWA (CP) — Donald MacDonald, president of the Canadian Labor Congress, said Wednesday that Canadian families would not receive any protection from rising prices through recent business decisions and proposals on price restraints.

He said in a statement that the action of two chartered banks in agreeing to withhold an increase in lending rates "simply means that already exorbitant rates are not to be further increased by these two institutions for the moment."

## Mystic

Mrs. Kenneth Smith spent several days at Christmas time at Browns burg, guest of her son, Mr. Harold Smith, and Mrs. Smith.

## Mrs. Minerva Randall, of South Bolton

Mrs. Minerva Randall, of South Bolton, died in her 93rd year on Wednesday, Dec. 10, 1969. She was born in Scotland, Oct. 10, 1876.

## Mutual Funds

Table listing various mutual funds and their performance metrics.

## HERE & THERE

A food sale, coffee and sandwich bar, will be held Tuesday, Jan. 20, at the Legion Hall, Richmond, at 3 p.m., under the auspices of the W.A. and W.M.S. Groups of the French Protestant Church.

## Brandt won't recognize East Germany

SHERBROOKE — The Sherbrooke and District Women's Club passed a motion at its last meeting to form a committee which will study the whole question of local libraries.

## Obituaries

MRS. BERNICE MCKEE OF MELBOURNE — The death of Bernice M. Lockwood, wife of the late Russell McKee, occurred on Wednesday, Dec. 17, 1969, at the Sherbrooke Hospital, where she had been a patient for five weeks.

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## Viking History Being Pieced Together

By TOM CULLEN  
NEA European Correspondent

ROSKILDE, Denmark — (NEA)—History is served up piping hot in the brand-new Viking Ship Museum located here in Roskilde.

Under its attractive glass and concrete roof the visitor can watch scientists patiently trying to fit together 50,000 pieces of wood dug up from the bottom of a nearby fjord.

When completed this giant jigsaw puzzle will take the form of five Viking ships built nearly a thousand years ago.

The Viking craft range from a man-of-war 93 feet long to a slim Baltic trader whose timbers still bear the axemarks of its builder.

Close to a thousand years ago all five of these ships were loaded with boulders and sunk at the mouth of the fjord in order to prevent enemy fleets from penetrating the fjord as far as Roskilde, then an important Viking trading center.

There they lay until 1957, when two amateur frogmen became curious about the stone barrier which lay across the entrance to the fjord. They went down expecting to find a single ship sunk in the 15th Century on orders of Denmark's Queen Margrethe. Instead, they uncovered what is probably the most important Viking ship find of this century.

In 1962 a cofferdam of sheet iron was built around the ships, and the water pumped out. As the timbers of the ship hulks were exposed to the air they were



kept wet night and day by a sprinkler system until they could be brought, sealed in polyethylene bags, to the Danish National Museum for examination.

Preservation has proved to be a long and difficult task, as the wood was as soft as putty and would have disintegrated had it been allowed to dry out.

What the Danish scientists have done is to soak each piece for two or three years in a solution of carbo-wax, a water soluble synthetic wax. The wood is immersed in heated tanks, the carbo-wax gradually replacing the water as it evaporates until the wood cells are thoroughly impregnated with this preservative.

The speed and maneuverability of their ships had a lot to do with Viking control of the Baltic and North Sea from 800 to 1050 A.D. During

this period the Vikings managed to put four Danish kings, including Canute the Great, on the English throne, and to colonize much of Greenland and Iceland.

Eastward, they sailed the great rivers of Russia to the Black Sea and the Mediterranean, plundering as they went.

The great variety of the vessels scientists are now working on at the Viking Ship Museum makes it clear how they were able to get around so extensively.

The greatest interest centers in the so-called Viking longship, which underwater archaeologists first thought was two ships. Ninety-three feet long and built of oak, the longship was fitted with a mast and sail, and had room for 50 to 60 warriors. It was in such ships that the Vikings raided England.

A second warship dug up

is smaller, with the narrow hull of a racing craft. It was manned by 24 oarsmen and is similar to the ships shown in the Bayeux tapestry depicting William the Conqueror's fleet invading England in 1066.

Of the two merchant ships which the scientists are putting together at the museum, the largest is a deep-sea trader such as the Vikings used to colonize Greenland and Iceland, and even to journey to America, or Vinland as they called it. This ship, which was found to be 70 per cent intact, has now been completely reconstructed at the museum, where it has been seen by 72,000 visitors since the museum first opened its doors in June.

A smaller merchant ship, the prow of which is fashioned from one piece of wood and preserved intact, is now

Fitting together a puzzle from the past, Danish scientists seal with preservative wax the thousand-year-old timbers of Viking ships dredged up from Roskilde Fjord.

being assembled at the museum. Apparently it was built for use in Baltic and North Sea trading. The fifth and last ship discovered is less striking for both its stem and stern are missing. It was built of pine, oak and birch, and was probably used as a fishing boat.

Since the discovery of the five sunken Viking ships in the fjord near Roskilde, Danish scientists are now examining all such obstructions in the hope of making similar finds.

At Haderslev Fjord a Scandinavian team of Danes, Swedes and Norwegians has found a barrier constructed of over a thousand oak and pine tree trunks driven into the mud. Carbon-14 testing has shown that the pilings were driven in about the year 300 A.D.

Altogether the Roskilde Viking ship find has opened a whole new exciting chapter in Danish archaeology, with underwater archaeologists coming into their own.

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**West Sutton**

Mrs. Hazel Gilbert accompanied her son, Mr. Cecil Gilbert, Sutton, to Fairfax, Va., to attend the funeral of their sister and aunt, Mrs. Ruth Evans.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Sherrer and family, Selby Lake, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Sherrer and daughter, Sutton, visited Mr. and Mrs. James Robinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Wilson, Knowlton, were guests at the Edwin and Roy Spencer home on Dec. 31.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Method, Lachine, were Christmas holiday guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Robinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Jordan holiday guests of her mother, Mrs. B. Miner and brother, Mr. R. Miner and family at Cowansville.

Mr. and Mrs. de St. Croix and son, Montreal, holiday guests of Mrs. Walter Liebrecht and Frank Liebrecht.

The Ralph and Ethan Perkins families were Christmas guests of Mrs. Geo. Hooper, and Mrs. Marion Perkins at Fordyce.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Marco and family were Christmas dinner guests of her mother, Mrs. P. Smith, and Roy Smith, at Sutton Junction and evening guests of his mother, Mrs. Mae Marcoux in Sutton.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bidwell and family, Mr. Naaman O'Brien, Sutton, Miss Carlotta Perkins, and Mr. Ivan Perkins, Sherbrooke, were Christmas dinner guests of Mrs. Emily O'Brien, and Carol O'Brien.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Meunier entertained relatives both at Christmas and the New Year. Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Page and daughters, called on her parents Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Reid in Sutton Christmas Day. Mrs. Reid had just returned home from Notre Dame Hospital, Montreal.

Christmas Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley O'Brien were Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Mudgett, Mr. and Mrs. George Wright and son, Lacombe; Mr. and Mrs. Brandon Sykes and family, Knowlton; Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Boule, Sutton; Mr. and Mrs. Ethan Macey and family.

Christmas Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Sturgeon were Mr. and Mrs. Percy Burnham, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Sturgeon, Knowlton, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Sturgeon, Cowansville.

**Sawyerville**

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Twyman and children were Christmas guests of Mrs. Barbara Vogell in Cookshire.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Rolleston and Bonnie, Magog, and Miss Margaret French, Montreal, were holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry French.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Corbett, Montreal, and Mr. and Mrs. Urban Corbett, St. Bruno, were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Barber, Mr. Roy Cummings of Richmond was a Sunday guest.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Hume and Linda, Dorchester, Ont., spent a week with Mr. and Mrs. Douglas MacKay, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Alden and sons, Stephen and Bradley, Dorchester were weekend guests at the same home. Other Christmas guests were Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Alden and Miss Margaret Alden, Lennoxville, Mr. Chester MacKay, High Forest, Mr. Arthur McConnell, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Blair and family, Mr. Garth MacKay, Montreal, spent his holidays at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfrid Grapes and Mr. and Mrs. Irwin McBurney attended the funeral of Mrs. Neil Perry in Colebrook, N.H. on Dec. 31.

Mr. and Mrs. Brian Kydd and Shane, Melbourne, and Mr. Larry Drouin and Miss Cathy Doucette, LaSalle, were holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Omer Drouin. Callers were Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Hume, Dorchester, Ont. Mr. and Mrs. O. Drouin were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Grapes, Mr. and Mrs. W. Grapes visited relatives in Hudson Heights, Pointe Claire and in Dorval, where they met Miss Judy Grapes and their cousin, Mr. H. Hall, Pleasantdale, Sask., who will spend three weeks here. Mr. and Mrs. W. Grapes were New Year's guests of Mr. and Mrs. Mahlon Grapes in Compton.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rousseau and two sons, Pierre-John, Mr. and Mrs. D'Arcy Harrison and Debbie, Bury, and Mr. and Mrs. James Ward and twins,

## Along the boards ...Ted Anderson

The Rangers in last Sunday's game against the Habs showed anything but league leadership qualities. One wonders what keeps them up there in the top bracket. In Sunday's game the forwards at no time showed anything but positional plays. There was a lack of backchecking and the defence were also caught out of position. Ed Giacomin was shaky in goals especially on the first two and Canadiens, with big John back, were up for this one, and were well worth the win.

This corner, like a lot more, called it the wrong way last Sunday in the Super Bowl. Where did the Vikings falter? Joe Kapp probably will take most of the blame but we think it was the stopping of Osborn and Bill Brown. It isn't often, that these two men are kept from making the big runs. The Chiefs blanketed the Vikings receivers so tightly in the first half that in one series Kapp completed three passes, gained only eight yards, and had to call a punt.

Len Dawson was the big man for the Chiefs, but next to him were Pitts, Stenerud, Garrett and Johnny Robinson. Coach Bud Grant and Kapp, the former Canadian players, had a great season and will be again up there when next season rolls around.

As it stands today, five teams will operate this season in the Provincial Baseball League, for with Granby out, Drummondville, Thetford Mines, Quebec, Three Rivers and Sherbrooke will make up the roster. The teams will play a 72 game schedule consisting of 36 at home and 36 away.

Beavers are still finding it tough to win away games. They came a cropper this week in losing to Quebec and Sorel. They meet Sorel tonight at the Sports Palace and no doubt will be out to show that they can bounce back. It should be a good game with lots of action Sunday's opponents are Drummondville, this one also being potentially action packed.

Those who took in the Ice Follies Show at the Sports Palace must have been pleased with the performance. The attendance of over 20,000 for the event must have pleased the promoters and there is no doubt that they will bring the Ice Follies back next season.

Montreal Expos looking for another first class catcher is not worrying Ron Brand too much. "I don't care who they bring in," he stated lately "they still have to beat me for first place." Ron has received his new contract but has not yet signed it. Speaking of Expos it is noticeable that Young McSweeney from Valleyfield is again on the roster, after having had a great career as a Little Leaguer.

The new Aluminum Hockey stick is not finding too much favour with the players in the N.H.L. They don't like the perforated blade and as John Ferguson remarked "A guy could get hurt with one of these things. Maybe it will go over. Irv Moss, the inventor from Winnipeg is sure it will catch on."

President Clarence Campbell says for the seventy's "A more to Europe-sooner than you think." Pete Rozelle for pro football — "It is likely the seventies will see further extension."

Broadcasters Russ Taylor, Dave Van Horn and Jean Pierre Roy will be back again at Jarry Park. They will also be with the team when they play at Burlington, Thetford Mines, Sherbrooke and Chicoutimi, prior to the official opening of the Baseball season.

Sherbrooke—Lennoxville Little League Baseball had its first meeting last Tuesday and will meet again on the 26th of this month when the new executive for the 1970 season will be elected.

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W. Black, Lennoxville 6	
G. Marchand, G-St. Paul 7	

**LENNOXVILLE** — Last night the Sherbrooke Hospital Nurses' Basketball team beat Bishop's University by a score of 43-35 at Lennoxville High School. The leading scorer for the winners was N. Craford with 28 points while Bishop's best, H. Castonguay, netted 18 points. The next game in the Eastern Townships Amateur Basketball Association series will be played on Tuesday, January 20, at 8 p.m. between Clark's Pharmacy and Lessard Bus Lines.

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## Hawks' Esposito records ninth shutout

# Fairbairn, mates bomb Leafs 7-1; Habs win 4-2

Rookies Bill Fairbairn and Tony Esposito stole the spotlights in National Hockey League action Wednesday night with performances that make both top contenders for the Calder Trophy.

Right winger Fairbairn scored two goals to spark New York Rangers to a 7-1 victory over Toronto Maple Leafs while goalie Esposito registered his ninth shutout of the season with Chicago Black Hawks in a 5-0 win over Pittsburgh Penguins.

In two other games, Montreal Canadiens beat Los Angeles Kings 4-2 and Minnesota North Stars downed St. Louis Blues 5-2. Fairbairn, 23-year-old native of Brandon, Man., now has 13 goals and 20 assists after 40 games with the East Division leaders.

He played only one game with the Rangers last season. He expected to be cut from the regular roster again after last fall's training camp, but an opening for him appeared early in the season when team captain Bob Nevin suffered a knee injury. Since then, Fairbairn has teamed with centre Walt Tkaczuk and left winger Dave Balon to form New York's highest-scoring line.

And his performance before a crowd of 16,445 at Toronto Wednesday could not help but gain him more votes for the Calder, which goes to the season's top rookie. His first goal of the night at 1:32 of the first period started the Ranger attack which eventually drove goalie Bruce Gamble from the Toronto nets.

Dave Keon tied it up for the Leafs before the first period ended but after that the Rangers took charge with Fairbairn getting the go-ahead goal early in the middle period.

Arnie Brown also scored twice and Nevin, Balon and winger Rod Gilbert got single goals.

The Rangers had only a 42-40 advantage in shots on goal but after Nevin's goal at 6:24 of the third period, Toronto coach John McLellan pulled Gamble in favor of Gerry McNamara, backup goalie from Orillia Terriers of the Ontario Hockey Association Senior series.

McNamara allowed the first two shots against him in for goals, before stopping six other drives. Leafs' other regular goalies, Johnny Bower and Marv Edwards, are both sidelined with knee injuries.

Ed Giacomin went all the way in goal for the Rangers and gained his second assist of the season on Gilbert's goal.

Esposito stopped 28 shots in the game at Chicago to move within four shutouts of the modern NHL record of 13 for a season set by Harry Lumley of Toronto Maple Leafs in 1953-54.

The 28-year-old goalie played in only 13 games with Montreal last season and stands out as a prominent contender for the Calder Trophy as well as the Vezina

Trophy for leading goaltender. BACK THE SHUTOUT Stan Mikita, Bobby Hull, Pat Stapleton, Gerry Pinder and Gilles Marotte scored to back the shutout before 16,666 fans at Chicago.

The Black Hawks fired 37 shots at Al Smith and Les Binkey who shared the Pittsburgh netminding.

The win moved the Hawks to within two points of



Yvan Cournoyer

## Mets' GM Murphy dies

NEW YORK (AP) — Johnny Murphy, whose long baseball career was climaxed by the New York Mets' stunning 1969 World Series victory, died Wednesday night in hospital of a heart attack.

A native New Yorker and former star relief pitcher for the Yankees, the 61-year-old Murphy had held the position of Mets' general manager since Dec. 21, 1967, following Bing Devine's unexpected resignation and return to St. Louis Cardinals.

Murphy had served as the Mets' supervisor of scouting since their inception in 1961. He pitched for the Yankees from 1934 to 1947, helping them win seven American League pennants and six world championships. He was one of the game's first stand-out relief specialists and compiled a career won-lost record of 93-53.

Since Murphy was stricken, his duties have been handled by a triumvirate of vice-president

Detroit Red Wings in the battle for fourth place in the East Division. The Penguins, meanwhile, remain in fourth spot in the West, five points behind Minnesota.

Pittsburgh's Glen Sather and Chicago defenceman Keith Magnuson touched off a brawl late in the third period. Both drew minor penalties but Al Smith of the Penguins drew a 10-minute misconduct for throwing a punch.

Montreal moved one point ahead of Boston Bruins to take over second place, three points behind the leading Rangers in the East Division. Jacques Lemaire, the league's leading goal-scorer, collected his 24th and 25th of the season to start the Canadiens' comeback from a two-goal deficit.

Yvan Cournoyer got the winning goal and John Ferguson added an extra one to back the solid goaltending of Rogatien Vachon.

The Montreal goalie faced 40 shots by the Kings while

the Canadiens earned the victory with just 27 shots at Gerry Desjardins in the Los Angeles nets.

LEAD DIDN'T LAST Jim Peters and Bill Flett scored to provide the Kings a brief lead in the second period. Los Angeles now has a record of four losses and one win in their current eight-

game road trip. Bill Goldsworthy scored twice and assisted on another goal by Jean-Paul Parise to lead Minnesota over the West Division leaders. Ray Cullen and Claude Larose were the other North Stars scorers while Barclay Plager and Ron Anderson replied for the Blues.

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## Ten rinks to square off in O'Keefe bonspiel-Magog

MAGOG — Starting on January 16 the O'Keefe bonspiel will be held at the Magog Curling and Social Club, with the public invited to view the best teams from the Eastern Townships in action.

The winner of this event will go to Kenogami to compete with the other districts in the provincial championships, held later this season.

The ten clubs entered include North Hatley, Sherbrooke, Granby, Sutton, Bedford, Lennoxville, Beebe, Granby St-Paul, Cowansville and Magog.

The games will be played at 6 and 8:30 p.m. on Friday, 1, 3:30, 6, and 8:30 p.m. on Saturday, with the finals taking place on Sunday at two in the afternoon.

Three other regional championships will be held this weekend in Montreal, Rosemere and Asbestos.

The Montreal and Rosemere final matches, both on Saturday evening at the Greystone and Rosemere curling clubs, are for the Montreal-Central and the Montreal-Laurentian zone titles respectively.

The Asbestos competition, on Saturday at the Asbestos Curling Club, will choose the northern Eastern Townships representatives in the provincial final at Kenogami, February 2-7.

Two additional zone champions still remain to be selected to complete the list of 14 rinks which will fight at Kenogami for the right to represent the province in the O'Keefe National Mixed Curling Championships in Vancouver, March 9-14.

The Montreal-South Shore rink will be chosen January 24 at the St. Lambert Curling Club, the Saguenay—Lac St. Jean regional winner, on January 25 at the Saguenay Country Club in Arvida.

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**Orthodontic Treatment Has No Set Age Limit**

By WILLIAM LAWRENCE, D.D.S.

DEAR DR. LAWRENCE: My name is "Fang." The kids don't call me that any more—I'm 22 now—but I still hear their taunts. I don't think I've smiled since I was 10. My four front teeth are crooked and sort of pushed in. That makes my upper lip sink in and so my fangs stick out even more. My smile is like a snarl.

Can something be done for me? I think my other features are fairly good and I'm not bad-looking. I've been told I have beautiful eyes and hair, and my nose isn't that bad.—Joyce O.

DEAR "BEAUTIFUL EYES": Yes, something can be done to un-snarl your smile. Pardon the pun. If you don't mind wearing braces like a teenager, you can have your crooked teeth straightened and the eye teeth moved back to a more normal, less prominent position.

The so-called ideal time to have teeth straightened is 9 to 12, but you're not too old to have braces now. You know, orthodontic treatment has no age limit. Health conditions are the controlling factors: For instance, the state of your general health, condition of your teeth and gums and the amount of bone supporting your teeth.

What about time and money? It's hard to say. These are questions that

your dentist and orthodontist can best answer. They will have to decide if orthodontia is the treatment of choice.

Before a decision can be made, clinical and X-ray exam, and jaw and head measurements are necessary. And even if teeth-straightening is the ideal treatment, other circumstances, such as lack of money or time, or disinclination to wear braces for a year or more, could influence a choice of treatment which is less severe and more simple.

For instance, it's possible to reshape the eye teeth, making them less pointed and less prominent. Also the four front teeth can be capped to build them forward. In extreme cases, the four front teeth can be extracted and replaced by a bridge from eye tooth to eye tooth, thus rounding out the front arch and effecting a better cosmetic result.

In any case, something can be done to beautify your teeth. You needn't growl behind a snarl any longer. (There I go again.)

(Newspaper Enterprise Assn.)

Please send your questions about dental health to Dr. Lawrence in care of this paper. While he cannot answer each letter personally, letters of general interest will be answered in this column.

**JACOBY ON BRIDGE**

<b>NORTH</b> 11			
▲ Q 8 3			
♥ 8 6 3			
♦ A J 9 7 4			
♣ Q 7			
<b>WEST</b>			
▲ K 10			
♥ K J 10 4			
♦ K Q 5 2			
♣ J 8 6			
<b>EAST</b>			
▲ 9 7 6 5 2			
♥ 5 2			
♦ 10 8 3			
♣ 10 3 2			
<b>SOUTH (D)</b>			
▲ A J 4			
♥ A Q 9 7			
♦ 5			
♣ A K 9 5 4			
Neither vulnerable			
West	North	East	South
1 ♠	Pass	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	1 N.T.
Opening lead—♦ 2			

heart. West won with the 10 and led the diamond five. South thought that one over carefully and called for dummy's seven. East was on lead again and played a second heart. West was allowed to win that also. Then West played out his king of diamonds.

South finally took that trick. The defense had four tricks in and the queen of diamonds was set up as a potential fifth. South decided to insure his contract by taking the snide finesse.

That lost and West cashed his diamond queen but there was no way for South to lose anything more.

At that his score of plus 90 turned out to be average. It seems that lots of other North-South pairs reached the proper three no-trump contract but the declarers tried to make it without using the club suit. Those declarers did manage to make eight tricks, but eight tricks when you need nine produces a minus score.

**Dunkin**

Guests of Mr. Frank Aiken and Mrs. Evelyn Macey for supper on New Year's Day were Mrs. Carl Merriam, North Troy, Vt., and Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Merriam and family, Germantown, Md. Other visitors at the same home were Mr. Burton Macey and Miss Edith Macey, Sutton, as well as Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Aulis and little son, Bobby, Sawyerville.

**Activities at Stanstead College**

With the holidays over, second term began the morning of Jan. 9 with staff and students returning by the preceding evening. Congratulations have been extended to George Banks, bursar, and his bride, the former Ruby Carter, who were quietly married the evening of Dec. 20. Mrs. Banks has been welcomed into the College staff family. To make the Headmasters list are the following: Grade 12, John Mackenzie, James Ogden, Paul Schram and Brant Zwicker; Grade 11, former Ruby Carter, who Michael Campbell, Eric Dempster, Richard Markus,

Michael Pirro, Bruce Walker and Peter Wong.

Grade 10: Douglas Burdon, Matthew Elder, Roderick MacLeod, Jay Van Wagner, Peter Wynne.

Grade 9: David Fownes, Keith Gold, Chris Kerrigan, Michael Layton, James Little, David Scholefield.

Grade 8: David Cooper, David Johnston, David Layton, and Rupert Lennox. Boys having 70 per cent at Christmas and no U's in January and February, may be exempt from Easter exams and may do a project. Exceptions will be at the discretion of the masters after the February marks.

There's natural ice at the Border Arena so, until the artificial ice making machines are installed, the games scheduled will depend on the weather. The opening date has been postponed. In hockey LCC is scheduled to play here with the Varsity team at 2:30 p.m. The JV Hockey team will be at Sterling School in Craftbury on the same date and the junior hockey team at St. George's School in Montreal. The JV Basketball team will also be at St. George's School.

**Pinnacle**

Christmas Day dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Monahan, were Mr. and Mrs. Norman Bowker, Whitty, Ont. Mrs. Freda Hughes and friend, Erin, Ont., Miss Sharon Taylor and friend, Brampton, Ont. Mr. Ken Taylor, Shawville, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Taylor and Mr. and Mrs. Bert Drouin and son, all of Danville.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Drouin, Foster, were overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. Monahan.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Monahan entertained at a family gathering on New Year's Day when their guests were Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lodge, Mr. Brian Lodge, Miss Wendy Cleveland, all of Danville, Mr. Norman Bowker, Whitty, Ont. Mr. and Mrs. Alton Goodenough, daughter, Marelene, and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lodge, also of Danville.

Mr. Brian Gallup, Greenfield Park, Miss Chris Marcoux, Longueuil, Mr. and Mrs. Ken Tremblay and daughter, Nera, Melbourne, and Mrs. Nellie Sherrer, of Greenfield Park, were Christmas and weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leland Gallup and daughter, Heather.

Miss Peggy Gallup, Macdonald College, Ste. Anne-de-Bellevue, and Miss Joy Gallup, McGill University, Montreal, spent the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Merrick Gallup.

Mr. Peter Marosi, Montreal, was a guest for several days at the home of Miss Joy Gallup. They were skiing at Mount Sutton, Mount Orford, and Glen Mountain.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Bowker, Whitty, Ont., spent a week's holiday with Mrs. Bowker's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Monahan, and while here visited in Sawyerville and Foster.

**ASTRO-GUIDE By Ceean**

Friday, January 16—**PRESENT—FOR YOU AND YOURS** . . . Tonight will bring a chance to relax and strengthen ties with loved ones. People wake up in a good frame of mind and it gets even better as the day wears along. If any difficulties arise, you find your way out of them without much trouble. A helping hand will be extended if you need one.

**The Day Under Your Sign**

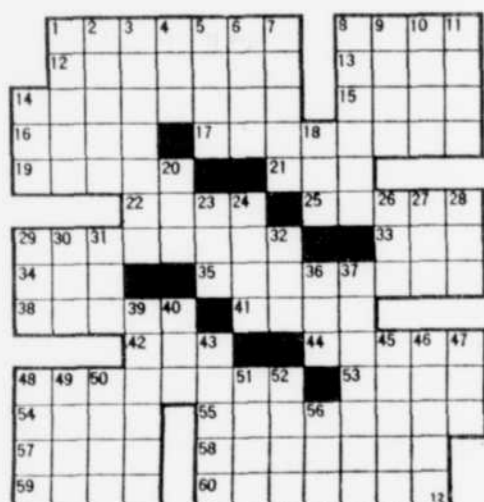
**ARIES** (Born March 21 to April 19) — A little daring goes off. You'll attract the attention you need for your ideas.  
**TAURUS** (April 20 to May 20) — A little inness in touchy situation will make the day's activities run more smoothly.  
**GEMINI** (May 21 to June 21) — Co-workers may be a little emotional. Don't pour fuel on the fire or explosion may occur.  
**CANCER** (June 22 to July 21) — Postpone money matters—buying, selling, investing—until after noon.  
**LEO** (July 22 to Aug. 21) — You may have to step up everything done on time.  
**VIRGO** (Aug. 22 to Sept. 22) — Work with facts only and avoid the fancies. Not a very productive day.  
**LIBRA** (Sept. 23 to Oct. 23) — You have to dig deep within yourself for the answers, then apply the self-knowledge.  
**SCORPIO** (Oct. 23 to Nov. 21) — A dandy day for pursuing romance. Choose dimly-lighted, romantic spot for dinner.  
**SAGITTARIUS** (Nov. 22 to Dec. 21) — The Sagittarian style and class will stand out in a gathering tonight. Look your best.  
**CAPRICORN** (Dec. 22 to Jan. 20) — Look your most sensational! Romance is vital, compelling now. Try a new hair-do.  
**AQUARIUS** (Jan. 21 to Feb. 19) — Keep on the move, but avoid getting overworked or physically or mentally.  
**PISCES** (Feb. 20 to Mar. 20) — Try not to stir up ugly people and antagonistic situations. Confide in no one.

**Answer to Previous Puzzle**



**"Robin Hood"**

- ACROSS**
- 1 — of Nottingham
  - 8 — of Huntingdon
  - 12 Roman legislative assembly
  - 13 Region
  - 14 Capt. John Smith, for example
  - 15 Tear asunder
  - 16 Egyptian mother-goddess
  - 17 — Forest
  - 19 Becloud
  - 21 Capuchin monkey
  - 22 Calves' flesh
  - 25 White-plumed bird
  - 29 Cordial understanding
  - 33 Shoshonean
  - 34 Masculine nickname
  - 35 Ingress
  - 38 — Tuck
  - 41 Marsupial of Australia
  - 42 Varnish ingredient
  - 44 Of electrical resistance
  - 48 Final
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  - 54 Inert gas
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  - 57 Concerning
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