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NUMBER OF FIRES IN 1939 LOWEST IN NINE YEARS

WESTMOUNT HAD SURPLUS OF \$14,209 LAST YEAR, ANNUAL REPORT REVEALS

Gross Revenue for 12-Month Period Was \$2,327,502
 — Expenditure Was \$2,313,293 — \$1,016,485
 Levied in General and Special Taxes — \$305,473
 Spent on Roads

Westmount ended the year 1939 with a favorable balance of \$14,209, it was revealed in the annual report of the City adopted at a regular meeting of the City Council Monday night.

The report shows that gross revenue for the twelve-month period ending Dec. 31 was \$2,327,502 of which the main sources of revenue were: general and special taxes, \$1,016,485; school taxes, not including special school taxes, \$551,139; Montreal sales and income taxes, \$151,042; light and power department, \$443,473.

The principal item of expenditure was the light and power department which totalled \$332,551. Other large disbursements were roads, \$305,473; finance and municipal buildings, \$125,876; fire department, \$98,076; police department, \$92,537; parks department, \$95,441.

The total revenue for the year was \$2,327,502, and the total expenditure, \$2,313,293.

Taxes Levied \$1,016,485
 Assessments listed under the heading of revenue include a general tax levied January 1, 1939, and totalling \$87,752, less a discount of \$15,249 for prompt payment, for a net of \$72,503.

The report shows that special taxes levied May 1 amounted to \$154,982, giving a grand total of \$1,016,485.

School taxes levied January 1, 1939, less refund to the neutral panel, amounted to \$551,139, and the year's proportion of prepaid special taxes was \$1,923.

Minor items under the heading of revenue included: amusement taxes, \$2,286; licences, \$8,483; court fines, \$10,589; pound fees, \$118; athletic grounds, \$10,919; Victoria Hall, \$16,235; library, \$934.

Fixed Charges \$424,021
 Fixed charges shown in the annual statement include interest on bonds, \$267,121; sinking fund and serial bond instalments, \$156,899; total, \$424,021.

The electric light and power department showed an operating expense sheet of \$240,745; sinking fund instalments and bond interest, \$23,799; provision for depreciation \$68,289 and other minor items for a grand total of \$333,551.

Other minor expense items shown were: City Hall, \$6,139; Victoria Hall, \$16,198; street lighting, \$72,522; health department, \$32,458; public library, \$21,613; unemployment relief \$25,083.

Victoria Hall for the year showed a slight profit, bringing in \$37 more than the cost of operation.

The light and power department revenue over expenditure was \$109,922.

An expenditure item listed as "contingencies" includes \$85,000 for new parks, the expenses of the royal visit, and several minor matters. This total is \$151,286.

West End Girl Crashes Films In Hollywood

By Jack Hirschberg

Hollywood, April 3—It will take more than war to make Elizabeth Sifton forget dreams of success in the theatre!

Cast in an Alexander Korda London film last September, the former Westmount actress found her career literally ended before it began when outbreak of hostilities forced suspension of picture production in Britain.

What did Elizabeth do?
 She merely caught the first boat back to America, landed a small role on the New York stage, won the plaudits of a Hollywood talent scout—and headed west for fame and fortune with a contract in her purse.

Fame and fortune may not yet have fallen on the shoulders of this 24-year old daughter of Jean Nash, noted for years as one of the world's best-dressed women, but indications are that she is well on her way to success. Montrealers may remember her work with Martha Allan at the Montreal Repertory Theatre less than two years ago, when she resided with an aunt, Mrs. W. P. McBride, on Sherbrooke Street, near Bedford.

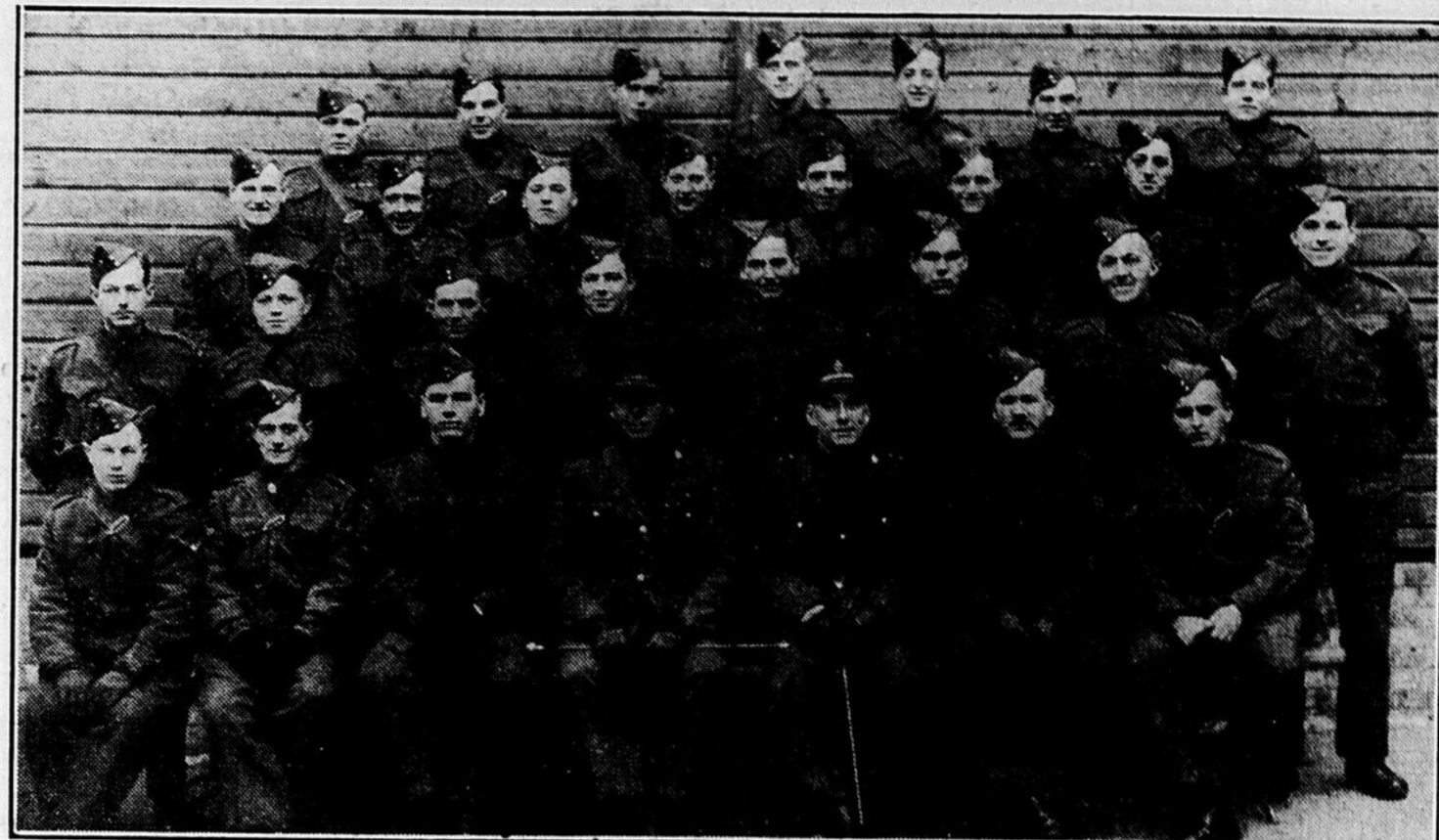
This week Elizabeth goes into

her third picture at Warner Brothers—an epic of the air titled "Flight Eight," starring Virginia Bruce, Jane Wyman, Wayne Morris and Dennis Morgan. She has already played in "Saturday's Children" and "Sea Hawk."
 Born in London, England, Miss Sifton is the granddaughter of Sir Clifford Sifton, Minister of the Interior in the Wilfred Laurier cabinet. Coming to Canada in 1926, she was schooled in Ottawa and Toronto, moving to Montreal several years ago to study voice with Eleanor Stewart and become active at the Montreal Repertory Theatre.

Rupert Caplan spotted her for radio, and she played "Portia" to Sir Cedric Harwicke's "Shylock" in the CBC presentation of "Merchant of Venice." Ambitious for stage success, she journeyed to New York to attend a school of the theatre conducted by Maria Ouspenskaya, the distinguished Russian actress remembered for her performances in "Love Affair" and "Conquest." Among her classmates was Brenda Marshall, now playing opposite Errol Flynn in Warner's "Sea Hawk."

While in New York, Elizabeth continued on page 2

NO. 13 PLATOON 'D' ROYAL MONTREAL REGIMENT



Many well-known local boys can be seen in the photo above which was taken in Aldershot. It is of number 13 platoon, "D" Company, Royal Montreal Regiment, (M.G.) 1st Division, C.A.S.F. In the group are: Front Row, left to right: L.C. P. E. Goyer, Cpl. C. Thorburn, Sgt. S. Nestruck, Major D. MacRae, Lt. T. C. Trenholme, Sgt. W. B. Sutherland, Cpl. L. Legault.
 Second Row — L. C. L. E. Lang, P. C. Taylor, E. A. Bennett, R. Carlson, H. T. Smith, W. Lantaff, J. C. Rielly, L. C. L. G. C. Bates.
 Third Row — C. F. Ward, R. J. Vermette, C. C. McNeil, W. C. Doyle, G. R. Bibeau, R. Lefevre, R. Goldstein.
 Back Row — C. H. Baker, W. B. Sloan, R. M. Ward, G. Stubbart, J. A. Rinder, A. C. Stacey, T. Donald.

Council Held 49 Meetings In 1939

During 1939 there were 49 meetings of the City Council and 51 meetings of the General Committee, it is revealed in the annual report of the City released this week.

Several by-laws received consideration during the year. The traffic by-law was completely revised. A new anti-noise by-law was adopted, and four sanitation by-laws regarding beauty parlors and barber shops, laundries, food handlers and scavenging were adopted. These by-laws have been printed and copies are available at the City Hall.

The report also shows that an amendment to the special war revenue act affected residents by imposing an eight per cent sales tax on the amount of electric light bills.

The local committee has been formed as follows: Chairman: Mr. Rodler Merrill; Vice-Chairman: Mr. Theodule Laurin, Mr. Jean

COMMUNICABLE DISEASES DOWN DURING 1939

Total of 353 Cases Occurred in Westmount Last Year Annual Report Reveals

There was a total of 353 cases of communicable diseases in Westmount in 1939, an increase of 207 over the previous year but a decrease of 483 over 1937 and of 906 over 1936, the annual report of the municipality issued this week reveals.

There were 55 cases of chicken pox; one of Erysipelas; German Measles, 5; Infantile Paralysis, 1; Measles, 173; Mumps, 19; Scarlet Fever, 39; Streptococcal Throat, 2; Tuberculosis, 17 and Whooping Cough, 46.

Certificates Issued
 In conformity with the Provincial By-Law, 349 certificates were issued to school children permitting them to return to school following recovery from communicable diseases.

During the year the Public Health nurse made 456 home visits in the supervision of communicable diseases.

Forty-five patients were admitted to the Alexandra Hospital from Westmount during the year.

Disinfection was carried out in fifty homes where communicable diseases had occurred and where disinfection was necessary.

No Diphtheria
 There were no cases of diphtheria during the year. In the month of November the Public Health Nurse visited 100 children of families in the low-income group to ascertain if they had been immunized against diphtheria. Of this number 65 per cent had been immunized.

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French Charities Will Launch Drive For \$3,355

Commencing next Monday, the Federation of French Charities will open its 7th annual campaign for an objective of \$441,500. The quota set for the Westmount Division exclusive of "special names" is \$3,355. This sum must be raised by voluntary workers, from door to door, during the ten days of the campaign, ending April 17th. In view of the many campaigns, this season, caused by extraordinary war conditions, it is expected that the response of citizens will be as generous and wholehearted as the workers themselves are in undertaking the task of making good the 1940 Campaign Motto: "Just the same."

The local committee has been formed as follows: Chairman: Mr. Rodler Merrill; Vice-Chairman: Mr. Theodule Laurin, Mr. Jean

Rinfret, Mr. Claude Demers; Secretary-Treasurer: Mr. Jean Pagnuelo.

The ladies' committee is under the chairmanship of Mrs. L. C. Papineau-Couture, assisted by Mrs. Basil Hingston, Mrs. Georges Garneau, Mrs. Jacques Sénécal, Miss Anna Dubé and Miss Rita Beaudin.

Local offices have been opened in St. Leo's Academy, 30 Clarke Ave.

Anyone desirous of helping in this campaign will kindly do so by calling Wilbank 4054.

Particular attention is called to the fact that every voluntary worker has an identification card, bearing a serial number and the signature of the campaign chairman, the Honorable Henri Groulx, Provincial Secretary.

Girl Steals Letters From Mail Boxes In Apartments

When she pleaded guilty to eight charges of stealing letters from mail boxes in Westmount apartment houses, a 16-year-old girl was remanded for a week for sentence, in the Montreal Juvenile Court Tuesday.

The girl, whose name was withheld due to her age, was arrested in Westmount by Captain-Detective Broden and Sergeant-Detective Tremblay, on March 29. She is said by police to reside in the west end of Montreal.

In one instance, police charge, she stole a letter containing a check of a value of \$75. She cashed this at a bank, depositing

\$50 to her own account and taking out the remaining \$25 in cash.

Local detectives investigated the case following complaints from a number of apartment dwellers who reported that their mail was not being received. They arrested the girl after a careful check-up on the buildings in question.

The girl, they say, opened the letter boxes with a wide assortment of keys, or when this method failed pulled letters out of the boxes with a piece of wire. The case was the first of its kind to have been reported here for some time.

EXECUTIVE TO MEET

Under the chairmanship of George Hollinger, the Temple Emanuel-El Brotherhood executive will meet on Tuesday evening. Plans at this meeting will be formulated for the closing activities for this season, and reports of committees will be submitted.

ENDS VISIT

Mrs. Lorne Sinclair, who was the guest of Mrs. L. Strachan, has returned to Toronto.

RETURNS HOME

Miss Marjorie Lindsay has returned home from New York, where she spent two weeks.

DIED YESTERDAY



LATE J. A. GAGNON

J. A. GAGNON, LOCAL BARBER, PASSES AWAY

Noted Westmount Resident Died Yesterday Following Short Illness—Widely Known

The death occurred yesterday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock at his residence, 4864 Sherbrooke street, apt 1, of J. A. Gagnon, one of Westmount's oldest and best known barbers.

Mr. Gagnon, who had for many years been employed by the Wheatley barber shop, on Victoria avenue, opened his own shop on Sherbrooke, near Victoria, some 14 years ago and had established one of the most successful ventures of its kind in Westmount. He used to take pride in stating "that he knew residents on practically every street in the city."

His death occurred yesterday following a severe illness of about a week. He had been in semi-ill health for about a year.

Last week, on the advice of doctors, he was taken to the Homeopathic Hospital for treatment but Tuesday night, due to a desire he had expressed to spend his last days with those with whom he resided, Mr. Gagnon was sent home in an ambulance. Little hope for his recovery was expressed by hospital authorities.

Mr. Gagnon was an active Westmount business man and was prominently connected with the Business Association of this city. He was also a member of barbers' associations and of numerous lodges.

Although funeral arrangements had not been completed yesterday it was believed that it will take place at St. Leo's Church Saturday morning at 8 o'clock.

HOWEVER SNOWSHOE CLUB OUTBREAK BRINGS TOTAL LOSS TO OVER \$64,000

St. George Club Razing Causes Property Damage Valued at \$47,100 — Department Answered 209 Calls During Year — Uses Inhalators on Three Occasions — Eight Summonses Issued — Many Buildings Inspected

Largely due to the outbreak that razed the old St. George Snowshoe Club building, fire losses in Westmount last year were the heaviest since 1935. The number of fires, on the other hand, was the lowest since 1930.

During the year there were 97 outbreaks causing combined damages of \$64,852. The snowshoe club fire, alone, represented a loss of \$47,100 and four other fires caused damages of \$11,851, the damage loss in the 92 remaining fires amounting to only \$5,901, one of the lowest figures on record. The value of buildings and contents endangered by all fires was estimated at \$1,541,175.

The average yearly loss since 1931 was \$48,095.

1934 Loss Heaviest
 Year of heaviest loss since 1930 was 1934 when property valued at \$108,681 was destroyed by flames, smoke and water. Strangely enough the 12-month period during which losses were the lowest was the year immediately preceding when the figure was set at \$18,923.

Total fire losses for the years from 1931 to 1939 follow: 1931, \$47,245; 1932, \$32,035; 1933, \$18,923; 1934, \$108,681; 1935, \$73,486; 1936, \$25,304; 1937, \$21,241; 1938, \$48,373; 1939, \$64,852.

Answer 209 Calls
 During 1939 the department, under Chief W. Gough, and Deputy Chief Burriss, answered 209 calls of which 97 were for fires, 21 were false alarms, and 91 for miscellaneous reasons. Of the total calls received, 47 were turned in from fire alarm boxes, 34 were reported by police officers, 106 came in by telephone, and messengers reported 22.

The department used the inhalators on three separate occasions, resuscitating and rendering first aid to three persons overcome by coal gas fumes.

Buildings Inspected
 Continuous inspection of buildings for fire hazards was carried out during the year, the total number of buildings inspected being 1,918.

Ninety-seven verbal warnings were given for various minor infractions of the Fire By-Law. Eight summonses were issued and cases brought before the court where proprietors neglected to heed the warnings of the inspector.

The department reported 522 buildings with defective wiring to the Provincial inspector and during the year, 6,741 chimneys were inspected in 4,891 premises.

Parent, Teacher Group Will Meet

On Monday evening, at 8:30 o'clock in the lecture hall, the Temple Emanuel-El Parent-Teacher Association will meet. Mrs. Harold Neumann will speak on "Parents, Friends or Enemies?" and Miss Frances D. Katz, B.Sc., educational director, will speak on "The Religious School — A Teacher's Viewpoint." Dr. Stern will conduct a question-box and the Religious School committee under the chairmanship of Mrs. D. R. Miller will provide for the social hour.

H. B. Parker Is Elected Hi-Y Honorary President

At its final meeting of the 1939-40 season, the Westmount Hi-Y Club elected Mr. H. B. Parker, principal of Westmount High School, to the office of Honorary President. The closing banquet was held last night and ended a very successful season.

The secretary of the club, Bob Watt, read the annual report of the past season's activity, and the weekly meetings have contained a variety of program. Many and varied speakers have been guests of the club from time to time, and some very successful parties and dances have been held. The treasurer, Jack Wallace, in his report indicated that the club funds had been well spent.

One of the highlights of the evening was the presentation of a jeweled Hi-Y pin to Mr. K. H. Murray, who has been advisor to the club for the past several years. The club charter was also presented to the club. The girls who have served the suppers for the past season were given chocolates in appreciation of their services.

In an impressive induction ceremony John Dunlop was installed as President for the 1940-41 season. The other officers were as follows: Vice-President, Keith Wake; Secretary, Keith Farquharson; Treasurer, John Inglis; Fourth form representative Dick Scott.

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GOOD NEIGHBORS

Standing aloof, by her own choice, from European wars, the United States is proving one of the most valuable allies the people of Europe can boast. She is showing the world that a nation does not have to take up arms with belligerents in order to be of service.

Already, State Department figures show, private sources in the United States have contributed \$10,000,000 or more for the relief of various stricken peoples in Europe. The United States has also looked after about 140,000 refugees from war-torn countries across the ocean. This total is confidently expected to rise eventually to 250,000.

This, it must be remembered, is largely in the field of private charitable endeavor. When one looks at the whole picture of American connection with the war, the provision of airplanes worth millions of dollars and huge quantities of other munitions, it can be realized that, despite her official isolation from the conflict, the United States is playing a big and beneficent role in European affairs.

Whether, eventually, the United States will be drawn into the war, no one can say. That she would be of immense aid to the Allies if she threw her military power on their side, is undoubted. The official attitude throughout the country now is that she will remain neutral, and it is not the part of any belligerent country to suggest that she do otherwise. That is a matter for American decision, and American decision alone. The nation rightly resents any attempt to force or cajole her into joining the war.

What Canadians should realize is that, while remaining neutral in a military sense, the United States is doing great things for Europe, many of them things she could not do if she had to expend her money and resources on a military campaign of her own.

SOLDIER JOURNALISTS

In time of war, it is generally recognized that control must be exercised by military authorities over war correspondents reporting the doings of contending forces. No country at war can afford, in this modern day, to let reporters run about at will and write what they choose.

Germany, however, has brought control of the press to the point where dependable

reporting becomes a by-word. She has made soldiers of her war correspondents, enlisting them in the army and making them subject to military discipline the same as any private of the line. Reasonable and necessary control has given place to complete domination. German war correspondents no longer write for their newspapers or news agencies, but for the military commanders.

With this fact known to the world, one wonders how Germany can expect anyone, anywhere, to believe one word of "news" that comes from her battle front.

JUST A CHOCOLATE BAR

Admittedly, strict watch must be kept on anything sent to prisoners of war in Germany. There is every reason to believe that the German captors would not hesitate to appropriate anything that could be used by the German people, held to strict rationing by the results of the Allied embargo.

Regulations just issued by Ottawa, however, cause one to wonder just what a Canadian could send to a friend or relative who was so unfortunate as to be in a German prison camp. Here is the list of goods that must not be sent:

Food, except bar chocolate; cigarette papers or paper cigar or cigarette holders; photographic apparatus, field glasses, sextants, compasses, electric torches and other instruments for uses of military or naval purposes; medical comforts, drugs and pharmaceutical products; written communications; printed matter, maps, pictorial illustrations and photographs; money; writing paper, notebooks, stationery, stamps and playing cards; fountain pens, pens and ink; telegraphic and telephonic materials; radios and radio materials; heating apparatus, inflammable materials; matches, spirits and solidified spirit; luggage; tins and other receptacles which cannot be conveniently opened for inspection; weapons, including large pocket knives and scissors.

If you have a friend in a German prison camp, and if he would like a bar of chocolate and a very small penknife, perhaps you can make life a little easier for him. Otherwise, there is not much you can do for him.

THE GENTLER WAY

Manila officials, faced with a fresh outbreak of savagery on the part of headhunters, are trying new tactics to wipe out this primitive practice of massacre. The savages are invited to a great feast, at which they will be given plenty to eat, as well as gifts of the bright trinkets so dear to their hearts.

Headhunting could be stamped out, of course, by force, but it would be a long and costly struggle. Showing the savages how happy one can be under civilized conditions, is a much more humane, and probably much more effective, means of teaching them their lesson.

Communicable . . .

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cent were found to have been immunized. The remaining 35 per cent of this group have since been immunized by the Health Department.

More rigid enforcement of the Provincial regulation regarding vaccination against smallpox has resulted in the majority of previously non-vaccinated children in schools being done early in the school term. During the past year 144 children were vaccinated by the Health Department free clinics. Vaccination against smallpox practically frees a community from this disease, the report states.

Constant vigilance was observed to keep the supply of milk at a high level of safety. Three hundred and one samples were taken and sent to the Provincial Board of Health laboratories for analysis. Thirty permits were issued to distributors and sixty permits to retail store dealers. Eighty-five store inspections were made and eight dairy plants supplying milk and cream were thoroughly examined, the report continues.

Definite improvement is reported in the efforts to repress the rat nuisance. Five hundred and ten investigations were made and several thousand baits prepared and distributed. One hundred and ninety-six other nuisance complaints received attention and were rectified.

West End Girl . . .

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met Alexander Korda, British film producer, who signed her for a role in a forthcoming production starring Leslie Howard. She crossed over to London and was about to face the cameras when war broke out, forcing the closure of British studios. On her return to New York she was scouted at the Papermill Playhouse, an experimental theatre, by Lou Golder, Hollywood talent agent, who was then looking for someone to play a nurse in "Woman Brown," a Bette Davis film.

Golder signed Miss Sifton for the part, but the picture was dropped. Miss Davis going into another film with Charles Boyer. While in Montreal, the young actress was prominent in affairs of the Winter Club. She plans to stay in Hollywood for some time following completion of her work in "Flight Eight."

The Examiner's Hidden Titles Contest

The Westmount Examiner's Hidden Titles Contest is run with the kind co-operation of Mr. Godel, manager of the Westmount Theatre. Each week twelve prizes are given to the six lucky winners who comply with the following requirements:—

Simply find the two "ads." in the current issue of The Westmount Examiner in which the names of the two feature pictures being shown at the Westmount Theatre during the first half of the coming week are hidden.

Submit all answers to The Contest Editor, The Westmount Examiner, 2191 Hampton Avenue, using the special coupon provided in each issue for the purpose.

Contestants must be over 16 years of age. Residents of Westmount, only are eligible. All answers must be in the office not later than Wednesday, and the names of the winners will be published in Thursday's issue.

A convenient coupon will be found elsewhere in the paper. The winners are drawn from among those who submit the correct answers as, unfortunately, it would be impossible to give passes to everyone submitting the right answers.

The winners of last week's contest are as follows and their passes will be received in Monday's mail: Mrs. L. R. Beasant, 377 Selby St.; Miss F. Cuetera, 464 Grosvenor Ave.; W. J. Lamontagne, 372 Victoria Ave.; Mrs. A. D. Hunt, 418 Metcalfe Ave.; Miss Muriel Garrow, 75 Rosemont Crescent; Mrs. J. Mutch, 4560 St. Catherine W., Apt. 12a.



THE RAINS CAME

Hollywood, April 3—Torrential, semi-tropical rains swept war news of regional front pages this week, providing strap-hangers with at least one source of conversational material other than the usual shallow studio gossip.

With highways swimming in mud, train service disrupted and farmland inundated, California was treated to its second damaging flood in less than three weeks, and losses at moment of writing are estimated at more than \$15,000,000.

Spring floods in California are an annual occurrence—and in this respect, at least, they are not unlike Flo Ziegfeld's "Follies" or George White's "Scandals." But Mother Nature puts on a show that would turn Ziggy or White green with envy, staging her extravaganzas against a background of snow-capped mountains, roaring rivers, burst dams and broken levees.

Classes were abandoned at the University of California, as college buildings became flooded. Rowboats made their appearance on main thoroughfares of northern towns; and householders found cellars knee-deep in murky water. In Hollywood, the official opening of 1940's Pacific Coast League baseball schedule was postponed as Gilmour Stadium took on the appearance of Billy Rose's Aqueduct. Rain fell steadily, coming down at times in solid, drenching sheets—and easing off to a mere cloudburst yesterday morning.

California, the land of sunshine. Phooey!

Local papers gave much space to the declaration of Verdun's ex-mayor, Herve Ferland, that, if elected, he would return from Ottawa within two weeks with a radio station for Verdun in his pocket. One paper headlined the item, "Some Pocket! . . . Ronald Colman will sing a popular number in his next film at RKO, "Good Luck," co-starring Ginger Rogers . . . This is the way we received it from Universal's press department:— "Lull Deste's home life is simple. She studies Chinese philosophy, drives racing cars, owns 10 black Afghan dogs and wants a zoo." Maurice Chevalier is expected here by autumn, and may sign shortly to make an American film. . . So goes the news from Hollywood. Adios. . .

MUMBLINGS FROM MOVIELAND

When he completes his role in "Tom Brown's Schooldays," Sir Cedric Hardwicke will do a modern version of "The Merchant of Venice" on Broadway. Montrealers may remember his performance as Shylock in the CBC's radio production of the same opus, co-starring released Caplan. . . Figures released this week reveal the existence of 67,126 film theatres in the world, of which 17,003 are in the United States. Germany ranks second with 7,797, and Canada has 1,251. . . Deanna Durbin has already recorded six times for her next film, "Spring Parade". . . RKO signed Charles Laughton last week to play opposite Carole Lombard in "They Knew What They Wanted," the late Sidney Howard's hilarious story of a San Francisco waitress who becomes the mail-order bride of an Italian grape-grower. . . Warner's is planning a remake of "Disraeli". . . Sign on the marquee of the local Pelican Theatre: "Always a good BILL". . .

FILM FACTS

British actresses in Hollywood are making comical photographs for shipment to the front as entertainment for Allied soldiers. . . As predicted in this space three weeks ago, H. V. Kaltenborn has switched from CBS to NBC. He flies to Europe April 27. . . David O. Selznick, who is having a fairly successful season with "Rebecca," "Gone With The Wind" and "Intermezzo," is planning another small-scale epic — "The Nazarene," based upon the book by Sholem Asch. . . "21 Days," a British film made last year co-starring Lawrence Olivier and Vivien Leigh, is soon to be released in this country by Columbia Pictures. . .

CAPSULE CRITIC

"And One Was Beautiful," produced by MGM, co-starring Laraine Day and Jean Muir—Laraine Day steals this picture, which serves to reintroduce Jean Muir to the screen. Its an entertaining tale of a younger sister who stands by a playboy accused of manslaughter on a charge arising out of drunken driving. Laraine Day, alone, is well worth the price of admission. She's a refreshing new-

CONCERTS HELD FOR SOLDIERS

The amount and variety of entertainment provided for soldiers in Westmount units was shown in a report from the Committee of Concerts and Entertainment submitted to the War Time Services and Co-ordinating Council for the month of March by the chairman, Norman R. Southward.

Regular programs are provided Tuesday evenings for the Machine Gun Depot and Thursdays for the No. 115 Fighter Squadron, R.C.A.F.

The Lions Club presented an athletic and revue entertainment at the R.M.R. Armoury for the Toronto Scottish Regiment on March 19 and the Montreal Repertory Theatre presented a Tin Hat revue for the same unit on March 29.

CELIA BENETT WINS TROPHY IN HOBBY SHOW

Westmount Girl Awarded Kiwanis Silver Cup Trophy in Music Department of Exhibition

Eight-year-old Celia Benett of Westmount was the winner of the Kiwanis silver cup trophy in the music department of the Montreal Hobby Show, held last week. Miss Benett captured first prizes in the Elementary piano class, and for Original composition.

Other members of the Westmount Orchestral Rhythm Band to gain prizes were Audrey Speirs, who came second in the Intermediate piano, and also won the special prize given by the International Music Store; Rodney Wray, Honorable Mention in Intermediate piano, John Wray, second prize Elementary piano; and Elizabeth Benett, first prize Intermediate violin. Haldi Vasesha, third prize winner in the Intermediate piano, was also a soloist in the Revue on Saturday night when the prizes were presented.

The Westmount Orchestral Rhythm Band played four selections at the Revue.

INCREASED EARNINGS IN GOODYEAR SALES

With letter to shareholders enclosing quarterly dividend cheques, President A. G. Partridge stated:

"Our total sales and profits for the first quarter of this year are well over the corresponding three months of 1939, although our export sales are down due to war conditions affecting foreign trade, such as quotas, greatly increased exchange and shipping expenses, as well as other restrictions. . . In Canada the sales of new motor vehicles, both passenger car and trucks, are showing a very considerable increase over 1939."

CALVARY CHURCH NOTES

The guest preacher in Calvary Church on Sunday will be the Rev. Fred Williams, Minister of Trinity United Church, Sherbrooke, Que. Mr. Williams needs no introduction to Montreal congregations. For a number of years he ministered to a Montreal Church, and endeared himself to a great number of people throughout Montreal, because of his willingness to give himself in service wherever needed. Once again he has responded to such a call, and he will be the guest preacher in Calvary. His subjects are challenging and all are invited to worship at one or both services.

The Sunday School will meet in all departments at 3 p.m. Parents are invited to bring their children to the morning service and let them proceed to the morning school where they will be well taken care of and then be ready to meet them at the close of the service.

Monday at 8.15 p.m. the Young People's Union will meet.

Tuesday at 2 p.m. the Red Cross will meet to work for the boys now serving overseas, and also at 7.30 p.m. on Thursday the Junior branch will meet.

Wednesday, 8.15 p.m. the Women's Missionary Society will be favoured by a visit from Dr. Evan Lewis, who will give an illustrated lecture. It will be a rare treat to see the beautiful pictures and to hear the story of Dr. Lewis' travels, and all the ladies of the district are heartily invited to be present.

Friday, 6.30 p.m. The Junior Square Circle Club is sponsoring the Father and Son Banquet, to which all the men and boys of the congregation are heartily invited.

France paid \$12,053,978 for American aeronautic equipment in one month recently.

Musical and Tea To Aid WCTU Work

Westmount W.C.T.U. will hold a musical and sale of home cooking tomorrow evening at eight o'clock in Webster Memorial Hall, Westmount Park United Church. Reverend Ritchie Bell, president of the Quebec Temperance League, will be the guest speaker.

An interesting program has been arranged, and will include readings, solos and a rhythm band.

Proceeds from the home cooking sale will be devoted to temperance work in Hochelaga County.

Fellowship Aims Told To Y.W.C.A.

The primary objective of the Y.W.C.A., to build a world-wide Christian fellowship of girls and women, must be given added emphasis in the general expansion of the work during the war, Miss Ruth Rouse, youth president, said in Toronto recently.

Miss Rouse arrived in New York recently from Geneva, and discussed wartime work of the Y.W. at a recent conference of national and local Y.W. representatives in Toronto. She stated that the girls themselves, in the enlarged constituency of the Y.W.C.A., are asking how they can help to prepare the way for a lasting peace, and that it is essential that the Y.W.C.A. help them with this problem.

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Friday, 6.30 p.m. Father and Son Banquet.

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DECREASE SHOWN IN NUMBER OF PERSONS INJURED HERE

611 SUFFERED MISHAPS LAST YEAR IN CITY

Bicycles Were Involved in 52 Accidents Resulting in Injuries to 26 Cyclists

There were 494 street accidents and 117 other mishaps in Westmount during 1939, the annual report of the City shows. Resulting from the street accidents one person was killed and 107 injured. Although there was an increase in the number of street accidents there was a decrease in the number of persons injured. Three persons were killed and 98 injured in other accidents.

Of the total number of street accidents reported bicycles were involved in 52 resulting in injuries to 26 cyclists.

Classification of the type and number of accidents follows:

Persons falling on rinks, sidewalks, streets, stairs, off bicycles from balconies etc., 66 Persons struck by hockey pucks, baseballs, stones, footballs, etc., 11 Persons on sleighs, toboggans, skis, skates etc., colliding with stationary objects such as goal posts, trees, fences, etc., 15. Pedestrians struck by all types of vehicles, 43.

Collisions between two or more automobiles, 170. Collisions between automobiles and trucks (including tractors and buses), 85; Collisions between automobiles and hand drawn sleighs, bicycles, scooters and velocipedes, 32; Collisions between automobiles and stationary objects such as lamp standards, tramway poles, buildings, fences, etc., 46;

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Y.W.C.A. Will Hold Series Of Lectures

"Christian Citizenship in a Democracy" will be the subject of a series of three discussions in the Young Women's Christian Association Building, 1124 Dorchester Street west, at 10:00 o'clock on Thursday mornings beginning April 4th. Miss Dorothy Fleming, Associate Secretary of the Student Christian Movement of McGill University, will be the leader. Each lecture will be on a different aspect of the general topic, and their subjects are: April 4th, "The Religious Basis of Democracy," April 11th, "Barriers to Democracy," and April 18th, the closing discussion will be on "What Can We Do?"

EXAMS IN JAPAN

Physical examinations and oral tests are replacing written examinations for entrance to girls' high schools in Tokio, Japan.

Collisions between two or more trucks (including tractors and buses), 12; Collisions between trucks and hand drawn sleighs, carts, bicycles, scooters, horse drawn vehicles and motorcycles, 16; Collisions involving tramcars, 42; Collisions between horse drawn vehicles and automobiles, trucks and bicycles, 9;

Collisions between automobiles and motorcycles, 7; Trucks (including tractors and buses) striking stationary objects such as lamp standards, tramway poles, buildings, fences, etc., 32; Motorcycles, bicycles, hand drawn sleighs and scooters striking stationary objects such as tramway poles, lamp standards, etc., 3; Horse drawn vehicles striking stationary objects such as lamp standards, tramway poles, buildings, fences, etc., 4; Miscellaneous accidents such as being burnt with flame from a furnace, cutting hand on broken glass etc., 17.

WAR CANCELS ANNUAL POLICE GYM DISPLAY

Loss of Men Who Have Enlisted and Fact That Armory Not Available Given as Reasons

Due to the fact that eight of the youngest members of the forces have signed up for military service, including last year's physical instructor and the impossibility of securing the R.M.R. Armory in which to stage the event, there will be no physical training display by the local Police and Fire Departments this year, it was announced by P. E. Jarman, city manager, this week.

The event, which has been held late in April every year for the past five years, is eagerly looked forward to by a great many residents and will be widely missed.

It was announced by Mr. Jarman that Captain A. Rubens, the instructor in previous years, has taken over the duties of director of physical education of Military District No. 4. Of the other members of the force to sign up one has joined the Navy, three the Air Force from which they have been transferred to military police, and four to the Provost Corps.

The annual report of the City Manager to the Council, which was submitted at a regular meeting Monday night, disclosed the fact that 32 municipal employees had joined up prior to Dec. 31, 1939. All employees enlisting will have their positions kept open for them and their years of service in the militia will count as municipal service so far as it affects their pension rights, Mr. Jarman declared.

J. W. BEATON IS NAMED HEAD OF CONFERENCE

Local Boy Elected President of Eastern Ontario and Quebec Y Gathering

J. Wallace Beaton, active for his second year in the local Hi-Y club, was elected president at this year's conference held in Kingston, Ont., on March 25, 26, 27. A group of 70 young men, representing practically all the clubs in this province and Eastern Ontario were gathered at Queen's University to discuss "Christian Character in Time of War."

Three other Westmount delegates, Keith Farquharson, John Inglis and Charles Crosswell, were present with Beaton at the convention's opening meeting addressed by Principal Wallace of Queen's. A delegation of 15 boys had been selected by the local unit to represent their fellows at Kingston, but severe weather conditions made it impossible for all but four of those to be present.

Seeking deep into the justification for this war being waged by the Allies against Germany, President Wallace led the youth's instructive discussion into investigation of the course taken by high British leaders in the crisis, and the realization no other course was open but to war. It was given to the new generation to make possible a Christian peace when the war is successfully concluded.

At the gathering's final meeting in the lake city, it was decided that the 1941 conference would be held in Quebec City, for the first time since organization of this work here.

PASSOVER WILL BE USHERED IN ON APRIL 22ND

Evening Service Will be Followed by Congregational Seder at Temple Emanu-El

The Festival of the Passover will be ushered in on Monday, April 22nd at 6:45 o'clock with Passover Eve Service in the Temple Emanu-El Proper. This will be followed by the Congregational Seder in the Temple Community House for those who do not observe Seder at home. For many years now these Congregational seders have held the place of distinction in the life of the congregation and have attracted capacity attendances. Rabbi Stern will conduct the Seder, the Temple Choir will sing the musical portions of the Haggadah and the Seder Meal will be catered under the auspices of the Sisterhood.

Passover preparations are now being made in all departments of the Religious School. The Hebrew department is busily engaged in instructing the pupils in the ceremonies of the Seder Ritual and in assemblies the traditional Passover melodies are being rehearsed. The Confirmation Class and members of the faculty as well as the graduating class will be

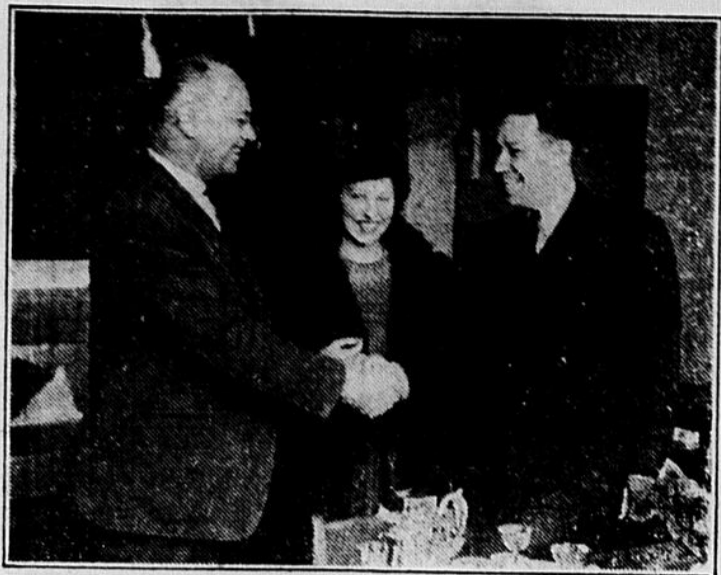
ST. STEPHEN'S TO MAKE PRESENTATION

"The Call Of The Cherry Blossoms", a play in three acts, will be presented under the auspices of St. Stephen's Intermediate Girls' W.A., on Friday April 12, at 8:15 p.m. in St. Stephen's Parish Hall, Veredale Park, Westmount.

The scenes are set in the Misses Merland's Country Home and Miss Stoolie's Select Boarding School. The cast includes the Misses Jean Jones, Elaine Sparrow, Katharine Laws, Elizabeth Shaw, Marion Laws, Jean Morgan, Flora LeBloux, Nancy Rowe, Barbara Haskett, Olive Rimmer, Nancy Simpson, and Lois Dunlop. The Sponsors are: The Misses Isabel Wurtele, Grace Wurtele, Marion Phillips, and Velma Hackett.

The Veredale House Mandolin Club Orchestra will play between acts.

PRESENTATION MADE TO CECIL EVANS



A presentation was made this week by the employees of Cumming-Perrault Limited to Cecil Evans, who had been sales-manager of the company since its inception, and who recently took over an automobile agency in Toronto. Here, we have R. B. Perrault, president of the company making the presentation of a cocktail set to Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Evans.

Photo by Ken Smith

Variety of Contests to Be Conducted By Society

A variety of contest for children will be conducted by the West End Horticultural Society according to plans recently announced.

A wild flower contest open to children 14 years of age and under will be held and a cup has been donated by Daniel T. Main for competition, as well as other additional cash awards as consolation prizes.

This year, departing from previous custom, wild flowers will be collected all through the season, pressed and mounted and placed on display at the annual flower show.

E. J. Anderson, superintendent of Parks for the City of Westmount, will conduct a course of instruction in pressing and mounting flowers and will escort a party of children who desire to take part in the competition, on a trip to the mountain and assist in the gathering and selection of wild flowers. The first of these lessons will take place about the first of May.

Alderman Leo McKenna will again donate prizes for the exhibit of garden flowers by the children, consisting of such easily grown varieties as marigolds, nasturtiums, zinnias. These flowers must be grown by the children.

One attractive feature will be the competition for the best decorative vase of garden flowers need not be grown by the children, but must be arranged by the contestant.

A demonstration of flower arrangement for vase, basket and table centre will be given by a Show.

Another competition which will prove interesting will be the one for Children's Gardens, which must not exceed 25 square feet in area. These gardens may be dug and prepared by friends or parents but the actual planting and care must be done by the contestant.

WINTER CLUB CARNIVAL AT FORUM 2 DAYS

Event Sponsored in Co-operation With Rotary Club Takes Place Tomorrow and Saturday

What will amount to an unofficial all-Canadian figure skating Championship contest will be seen at the Winter Club Carnival, to be presented in co-operation with the Rotary Club of Westmount at the Forum on Friday and Saturday evenings.

Two of the featured performers have held the Canadian Championship during the past few years, and each will skate a solo number in this year's Carnival. For several years Miss Mary Rose Thacker, present North American title holder, has also been Queen of the Canadian figure skaters. This year, however, Miss Thacker was nosed out in the Canadian Championships by Miss Norah McCarthy of Toronto, who also holds the Canadian Pairs Championship with Ralph McCreath.

Close friends, these two teen aged girls are keen but friendly rivals once they take the ice. It is to be expected therefore, that Carnival patrons will this week see each girl at her best.

In the 1939 North American Championships held in Toronto Miss Thacker won the title after a hard contest in which Miss McCarthy was highly placed. The same year, in the Canadian Championships, Miss Thacker again successfully defending her title. In the Canadian Championships at Ottawa, a few weeks ago, however, Miss McCarthy gained the nod of the judges by a narrow margin, and took her place at the head of the heap of Canadian figure skaters. Both youthful performers are superb athletes, magnificent skaters and considered among the world's best. To see them together on the same programme will be a treat for all followers of figure skating.

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COURT HEARS 5,350 CASES DURING 1939

Five Thousand, Two Hundred Persons Are Convicted During Year

A total of 5,370 cases brought before Recorder Charles A. Hale and Deputy Recorder A. Griggs, in Westmount Recorder's Court in 1939, resulted in 5,215 convictions, 51 dismissals, 24 withdrawals, 8 sent to the Montreal courts and 57 cases still pending. It is recorded in the City's annual report submitted this week to the Council, fifty-two cases from the previous year were "hold-overs."

Besides this, 139 cautions were handed out without the cases being brought to court and 71 persons were suspended in connection with various cases. In connection with unpaid taxes, 44 writs of summonses and 277 detentions were issued.

The total number of offences for which court tickets, warrants, or summonses were issued and which required appearance at the police station during the year were 5,437. Of these 4,676 were for violation of traffic by-laws, as compared with 3,759 violations for the previous year. Of this number 657 were for failure to carry driving licences, 125 for failure to carry registration cards for motor vehicles, 2,020 for parking infractions, 41 for not having a licence to operate a motor vehicle, 47 for driving in the wrong direction on one way streets, 515 for speeding, 309 for disregard of stop-signs, 12 for operating motor vehicles while under the influence of intoxicating liquor, seven for operating motor vehicles while intoxicated.

In addition 2,526 cautions were given on the street for minor infractions of the traffic by-laws, the majority of these in connection with parking.

Of the 761 other cases 71 were for theft, 30 for being drunk, 172 for vagrancy, 18 for burglary, 5 for attempted theft, 1 for carrying offensive weapons, 4 for being in possession of burglars' tools, 6 for receiving stolen goods, 3 for attempted burglary, and 204 for carrying on business without a licence.

During the year, the report shows, 143 copies of fingerprints were taken and sent to the Royal Canadian Mounted Police Identification Bureau at Ottawa and also to the Federal Bureau of Investigation at Washington. In addition the Westmount department also received additional records on 141 persons who had been arrested by the local department.

BRIGADE UNIT PLANS VISIT TO SUGAR BUSH

If Roads Sufficiently Clear Of Snow Members Intend Cycling to Woodlands

At the invitation of Private Goodfellow the First Westmount Company of the Boys Brigade will visit his father's sugar bush in Woodlands on Saturday. If the highway is sufficiently clear of snow a number of members will cycle out while the remainder will assemble in Melville Church hall at 8:30 a.m. The party will be in charge of Staff Sergeant James Patterson and Warrant Officer Rodgie Stewart.

J. A. Goodale, former captain of the 12th Brigade unit is currently conducting a number of recreational periods at the First Company each week. He is also assisting Lieut. Sutherland in preparatory instruction for the forthcoming drill competition.

During the week the company collected over 2,000 magazines and books which were delivered to the Royal Canadian Air Force. The majority of these were collected by Corp. Robert Morrow, Ptes. Sandy Edmison, Paul Grimaid, Derek Ramsay, Billy Lightbound and Leonard Gough.

A special course in wayfaring will be conducted, enabling all boys who enter to complete it before the season closes and thus receive their certificate, permitting them to carry on with the badge work at camp or in the early Fall. This will be under the leadership of John Davidson.

The Life Boys, under Warrant Officer Rodgie B. Stewart are making rapid progress and will welcome Teddy Moody this Friday night as their new model-building instructor. Warrant Officer Stuart will conduct a class in leather craft.

Two Pictures Is One Too Many

They say a sailor has a girl in every port—but we'll bet that the men of the waves don't cross their signals as badly as did one member of the Royal Montreal Regiment when writing to a girl friend in Montreal.

A junior at the Homoeopathic hospital received a letter from the member of the R.M.R. this week. Now that was fine, because everybody likes to get a letter from the boy friend overseas.

He enclosed a picture—and that was fine too, for every girl likes to get a picture of the man in uniform.

But—and here's the catch—when the boy friend slips up and encloses two pictures—and one of them bears an inscription "with love" and it's not addressed to the little nurse who received it—then, we say, it's time to call a halt.

Can you picture the red color of that soldier's face when he finds out he has sent two pictures inscribed "with love" and they both reached the same girl.

Wanda McKay, who has a featured role in Paramount's Bing Crosby - Dorothy Lamour - Bob Hope co-starring feature, "Road to Singapore," virtually flew into picture. She was chief hostess for a trans-continental airline when a talent scout discovered her as the possessor of screen potentialities.

Pear trees and rose bushes blossomed in Eire gardens in January.

RED TRIANGLE CLUBS POPULAR WITH SOLDIERS

Three Rivers Tank Corps Replaces Machine Gun Unit at Westmount Athletic Grounds

When the scene of Machine Gun Training Centre was shifted from the Westmount Athletic Grounds to Coteau Barracks, Three Rivers, last week soldiers from the Toronto Scottish Regiment and the Royal Montreal Regiment who had the facilities of the Y.M.C.A. Red Triangle Club while in Montreal found that the "Y" was waiting to greet them in Three Rivers with another Red Triangle Club. At the same time soldiers from the Three Rivers Regiment (Tank) discovered that the "Y" was on the scene at the Westmount Athletic Grounds to help them enjoy their leisure time.

An indication of the enjoyment soldiers derive from the Red Triangle Club is found in a post card received yesterday by Willie Spearman, executive secretary of the Westmount "Y", from Pete, B. Black, Royal Montreal Regiment, which says: "We wish to express our appreciation for having brought down to our barracks here a touch of the Y.M.C.A. Red Triangle atmosphere, for I am more than certain that the boys feel at home, otherwise they'd be lost for a place to sit down and relax, for reading or writing. Thanks from us all."

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THURSDAY, APRIL 4, 1940

Social and Personals

Mrs. John Coupland of Dorchester West left for London, Ont., on Wednesday, to visit her mother for a month.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerard Michaud are in Quebec, where they are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. Bedard.

Mrs. J. Arthur Mathewson will hostess at the lunch hour today at the Quebec Winter Club.

Mrs. Harold Mills has returned home from Heather Lodge, Rawdon, where she spent several days.

Westmount Women's Club annual meeting and election of officers will be held in Victoria Hall on Friday, April 12. The board of the club will meet on Monday at ten o'clock.

Plans are being formulated for a cabaret supper and bridge, to be held in the Ritz Carlton Hotel on Friday, April 26. Mrs.

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hidden in the advertisement of on page of this week's Examiner, these being the titles of the two feature pictures to be shown at the Westmount Theatre during the first half of the coming week. I agree to accept the judges' decision as final regarding the awarding of passes to the Theatre.
Name
Address
Winners are to be drawn from those submitting the correct answers.

faigar avenue, following the ceremony.

Mr. William Yelland is spending a week at Laval.

Mrs. W. E. Jones entertained at luncheon on Tuesday.

Mr. Gordon Thompson, Ponsard ave., visited during the week-end in Toronto.

Mrs. George Layton has returned home from New York, where she spent the Easter holidays.

The Misses Patricia Doyle and Sylvia Denis spent last week-end at Ste. Adele.

Miss Jessie Norris has returned home from Granby, Que., where she spent the Easter holidays.

Mrs. George Benjamin has returned home from Albany, New York.

Mrs. Hazel Warnecke has returned from New York, where she spent Easter week.

Mr. W. E. Looker, secretary of the West End Horticultural Society is convalescing at his home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ferdinand Bo, who have been in New York City, will tour Washington, D.C., before returning home.

Miss Vera Flynn, of Ottawa, was the week-end guest of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. McLean.

Mrs. J. T. McLean entertained at a tea recently in honor of her niece, Miss Vera Flynn, of Ottawa.

The Misses Eunice and Mildred Hogan are expected home tomorrow from New York, where they spent the past few weeks.

Miss Betty Sharpe returned home on Monday by plane from New York, where she spent ten days.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Atkinson, and Miss Elizabeth Atkinson, have returned home from New York, where they spent Easter week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. S. McCormick, are expected home this week from St. Petersburg, Florida, where they have been spending several weeks.

Bridge Party
The Westmount Sub-division of the Catholic Women's League is holding a card party in Tudor Hall on Tuesday, April 16, at two o'clock. Mrs. C. W. Hemming, 12 de Casson Road is in charge of tickets.

Mrs. N. Wright entertained at a miscellaneous shower on Saturday evening in honor of Miss Marjorie Salter, whose marriage to Mr. William Wright is taking place in May. Among those present were: Mrs. A. Baron, Mrs. G. Baron, Mrs. G. Benjamin, Mrs. R. Blouin, Mrs. W. Blouin, Mrs. P. A. Bulmer, Mrs. L. Cheeseman, Mrs. S. Doyle, Miss L. Dickenson, Mrs. J. Dixon, Mrs. C. Caffray, Mrs. W. Caffray, Mrs. E. Moore, Mrs. J. Moore, Mrs. R. S. Parker, Mrs. G. L. Phillips, Mrs. G. S. Rochette, Mrs. H. R. Stone, the Misses Doris Dixon, Agnes Doyle and Edith Wright.

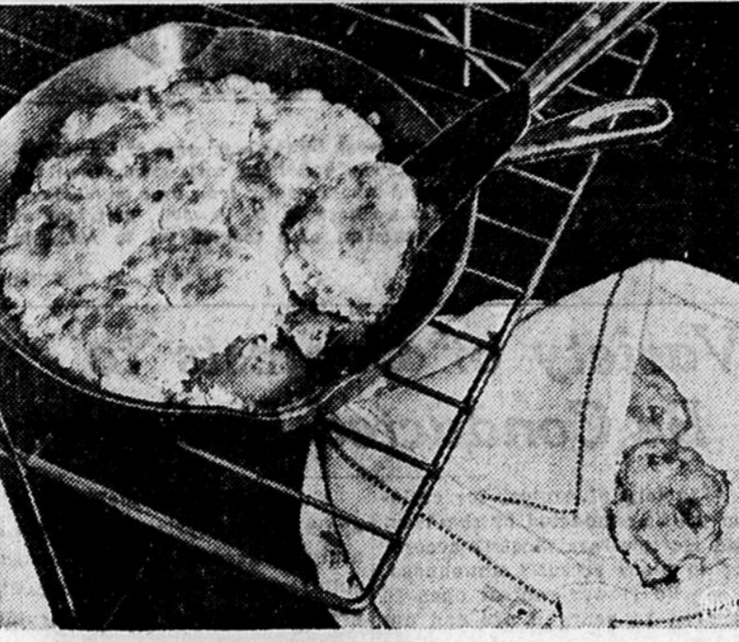
Additional subscribers to the annual spring luncheon being held by the Women's Auxiliary of Shaar Hashomayim at the Normandie Roof of the Mount Royal Hotel on Wednesday, when the Venerable Archdeacon Good-Rees will speak on "Womanhood and War," are Mesdames H. Bronfman, M. Brookin, M. Bronfman Jr., J. A. Besner, Allan Bronfman, Abe Bronfman, E. Creilstein, M. Cummings, J. Cohen, A. Z. Cohen, Edgar Cohen, J. Elkin, J. Ein, Victor Elkin, H. Ein, S. Eldow, M. Fine, J. Freedman, M. H. Franklin, M. Fine, S. Stone, J. H. Fine, M. Feidman, S. Z. Feis, G. Gray, M. Greenblatt, Wm. Gittes, J. Goodman, Wm. Goldstein, A. Hunter, J. Klien, S. Leopold, Leon Levinson, F. Leopold, J. Levinson Sr., M. Leon, P. Lazare, H. J. Levinson, J. Levy, S. Levitt, E. Lozinski, M. A. Marshall, Rose Medine, L. Phillips, S. Roll, B. Rose, Lionel Sperber, M. Sibin, Marcus Sperber, Moe Segal, H. C. Sabloff, D. Tannenbaum, J. Usher, Ross Vineberg, Herbert Vineberg, J. H. Wener, J. G. Zacks, Harry Wener, Miss Ann Silverstone.

Venor-Spence
Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Spence announce the engagement of their only daughter, Jeana Grace, to Mr. Henry George Venor, only son of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Venor. The wedding will take place on June 1.

Horsfall-Valois
The marriage of Kathleen daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. B.

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Skillet biscuits with maple sugar for spring breakfast.

Corn Cakes Also Are Welcomed Warmly
Old-fashioned skillet biscuits will put new excitement in your modern menus. Try serving these with meats that have rich gravy.

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(Makes Eight)
Two cups cornmeal, 4 teaspoons baking powder, 1/2 teaspoon salt, 1/4 teaspoon sugar, 2/4 cups boiling water (about).
Combine and mix cornmeal, bak-

A WELL BALANCED MENU
BREAKFAST: Orange juice, scrambled eggs, skillet biscuit with maple sugar, coffee, milk.
LUNCHEON: Baked stuffed peppers, tomato sauce, whole-wheat bread, fruit bowl, tea, milk.
DINNER: Pork chops with brown gravy, fried corn cakes, buttered beets, lettuce and grapefruit salad, rhubarb tarts, coffee, milk.

ing powder, and salt and sugar. Add enough boiling water to make mixture stiff enough to form into 1-inch high cakes. Fry in skillet in hot

fat 1/2 inch deep. When brown on one side, turn and cook until golden brown on other. Serve hot.

SKILLET BISCUIT
Old-fashioned skillet biscuits with this season's maple sugar on top—how's that for a spring temptation?
Two cups sifted flour, 1/2 teaspoon salt, 4 teaspoons phosphate baking powder, 3 tablespoons shortening, 3/4 to 1 cup milk, 1 cup soft maple sugar, 2 tablespoons butter, melted, shaved maple sugar.

Sift flour, salt and phosphate baking powder together. Cut in shortening. Mix in the milk gradually, adding enough to make a dough which can be handled easily. Break up the soft maple sugar and add to the dough, cutting it or working it in.

Grease a frying pan, fit the rolled-out biscuit dough into it, or if preferred cut into biscuits and fit into pan, brush with melted butter and sprinkle with shaved maple sugar. Bake in a hot oven (450 degrees F.) 15 minutes or until done. Serves six to eight.

If maple sugar is not available slightly lumpy brown sugar may be used.

FEMININE FACTS AND FANCIES

by MARGARET BARDEN
Other biographies of prominent women of the Community will appear in these columns from time to time.

MRS. COLIN FORREST
An organist and pianist of note, Mrs. Colin Forrest is also well known for her aquatic accomplishments. Associate lady member of the M.A.A.A. for the past 25 years, she was the first lady swimmer on the North American Continent to be awarded the diploma of the Royal Life Saving Society. She was the holder of the Canadian breast stroke record



for five years. She made the record in 1919 for 220 yards in 4.14 minutes and 2.5 seconds.

She was awarded the Weir trophy at the M.A.A.A. in 1919, emblematic of the ladies' swimming and diving championship of Montreal.

During the Prince of Wales visit to Montreal, His Highness paid a surprise visit to the M.A.A.A., where Mrs. Forrest gave a demonstration of swimming and diving. He later presented her with an autographed picture of himself as a mark of appreciation.

In the world of music, Mrs. Forrest has acquired the reputation of being one of the finest accompanists in the city, as well as a recitalist. At the early age of six, she showed remarkable musical talent when she took an active part at the weekly concerts held for sailors in the Montreal Sailors' Institute.

She later acted as accompanist at the Catholic Sailors' Club and the Montreal Sailors' Institute for seven years.

During the World War, Mrs. Forrest performed at Naval Recruiting Rallies and benefit performances in aid of the Navy and Khaki League. When Lieutenant Maurice Burke, organist and director of music at St. Stephen's Church, Westmount, left for the front early in 1915, Mrs. Forrest was chosen to replace him. From 1927 to 1929 she was organist and choir director at Trinity Memorial Church.

Music convener of the Westmount Women's Club for five terms, Mrs. Forrest arranged "Young Talents' Recital" during music week. She has also been the music convener of the Karnak Ladies Social Club for many years, and was an active member of the Ladies' Morning Musical Club. She gave two piano recitals in 1931 and 1935. A graduate of the Montreal Conservatory of Music, she is now studying with Paul de Markey, famous Hungarian pianist and composer.

She also took an active part in amateur theatricals presented by the Literary and Dramatic Club of Trinity Church (now Trinity Memorial Church).

Mrs. Forrest's hobbies do not only include the athletic and musical type, for she is extremely

Mrs. Elizabeth Porteous Heads Oasis Temple No. 46

Mrs. Elizabeth Porteous was elected Queen of the Oasis Temple, No. 16, Daughters of the Nile, at the annual meeting held recently. Other officers elected for the ensuing term were: Pr. Royat, Mrs. Q. Andrews; Pr. Tirzah, Miss S. Hyder; Pr. Badoura, Mrs. R. Ingrams; Pr. Recorder, Mrs. M. Matheson and Pr. Banker, Mrs. E. Thomas.

Reports showed active participation in aiding the Shriners' Hospital for Crippled Children during the year. Specially arranged parties were given for the children in the hospital on such occasions as Valentine, Easter, and Halloween. Favors, in keeping with the festival were distributed among the children at each party.

Mrs. H. R. Holder, chairman of the Orthopaedic Committee reported that more sewing had been done this season, than last. During the course of the year 1,723 articles were contributed to the hospital. This included, sweaters, socks, a radio, books, toys, jellies, and cans of vegetables.

Hospital gowns, dresses, stockings, diapers and toys, were sent to the hospital from Cairo Temple, Watertown, and Uarda Temple, Utica, Daughters of the Nile.

Through the convalescent Relief Fund, to which the Oasis Temple contributes annually, several children from the Out-Patient department were given assistance, with braces or brace-repairs.

The installation of officers will take place in the York Room, Windsor Hotel, on Friday evening at eight o'clock.

Sodality To Hold Social April 26

The Young Ladies' Sodality of Ascension of Westmount are holding their annual springtime social on Friday evening, April 26 at N.D.G. Community Hall. Art. Morrow and his orchestra will supply the music for the dancing.

The following young ladies are the convensors for the occasion: Miss Phyllis McKenna, general convener; Miss Louisa Walker, ticket convener; Miss Ethel Browne, in charge of decorations; Miss Mae Madig, press and poster convener; Miss Rita Meagher, refreshment convener; Miss Peggy Browne, entertainment convener.

The proceeds of this dance are to be turned over to the general fund to take care of the various charitable activities carried on by the sodality.

ly interested in aviation. She made her first aeroplane flight in 1923, when she went up 2,000 feet over the Laurentians. She was accompanied by the late Captain Herve St. Martin, who was killed in a crash last year.

In October of last year, Mrs. Forrest completed a First Aid course, conducted by the St. John Ambulance Association, and has been presented with a first class certificate. On February 1, she was appointed organist of Melville Presbyterian church.

Born in Montreal of English parents, she has resided in the West End to 15 years, and is the mother of five children. Her eldest son recently enlisted in the Canadian Active Service Force R. C. R.

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MELVILLE W.M.S.

Dr. Karl Fredrik Altio, Consul General of Finland for Canada will discuss some aspects of life in his country at the regular monthly meeting of Melville W.M.S. The meeting will be held in the church hall on Tuesday at three o'clock. Mrs. Owen Rede Campbell will preside.

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HOLLYWOOD GOSSIP

NEWS OF THE THEATRE WORLD

THEATRICAL ATTRACTIONS

Wide Range Of Song Numbers In Fine Show

Herbert Stothart contributes his first complete screen operetta score since "The Rogue Song" in the Nelson Eddy-Ikona Massey co-starring musical, "Balalalka," now playing at the Westmount United Theatre until Saturday.

Although Stothart has written many scores for motion pictures, including such pictures as "Naughty Marietta," "The Firefly," "Conquest" and "Sweethearts," his work far surpasses the scoring phase in this new musical drama for which he has written several original numbers and adapted others from Russian folk music as well as from the works of Franz Lehár, George Posford and other noted composers.

Second Musical Feat One of Stothart's outstanding achievements in "Balalalka" is an operatic version of Rimsky-Korsakoff's dance suite, "Scheherazade." This is the second time Stothart has attempted such a musical feat on the screen. The first was in "Maytime," when he adapted Tschalkowsky's Fifth Symphony to a Russian operatic sequence.

Two new numbers written by Stothart for "Balalalka" are "Tanya," a comedy song sung by Ilona Massey, and "Ride, Cossack, Ride," a vigorous composition on the order of the Ranger song from "Rio Rita." The Cossack number is sung by Nelson Eddy and a male chorus.

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"REMEMBER THE NIGHT"



The laughing lady with the headlock on the handsome man is Barbara Stanwyck, and the object of her affections is Fred MacMurray. The profled pair appear in the bright and nostalgic romantic comedy-drama which opens at the Westmount United Theatre Sunday playing until Tuesday. Sterling Holloway, Beulah Bondi and Elizabeth Patterson also appear in the tale of a case-hardened thief who falls into the clutches of the law, and the embrace of the district attorney.

"Four Daughters" Now Playing At Monkland

Every day, in various ways, the lives of popular screen characters are getting longer and longer. Most characters, it is true, still live but a single picture. They go their adventurous and romantic ways for seven, eight or nine thousand feet of film, and pass into oblivion. Unless they are definitely killed off, however, the exceptional favorites may fare better these days. The public has discovered it can resurrect them by the simple expedient of appealing to the studios who created them. Consider, for example, the remarkable Lemp sisters played by the three Lane girls and Gale Page. Originally they were scheduled to live only through the film, "Four Daughters." The public wanted them back, so they've

"AMAZING MR. WILLIAMS"



Joan Blondell and Melvyn Douglas in their newest co-starring comedy, "The Amazing Mr. Williams," which opens at the Monkland United Theatre Sunday playing until Tuesday. Ruth Donnelly also co-stars in the film.

IN ICE CARNIVAL



AUDREY JOYCE Runner-up for the Junior Canadian Championship in 1940, who will be one of the Ballerinas taking part in the Annual Winter Club Carnival to be presented in co-operation with the Rotary Club of Westmount Friday and Saturday of this week.

"Judge Hardy" Picture At York On Saturday

There were more "firsts" in the latest Hardy picture, "Judge Hardy and Son," opening Saturday at the York United Theatre, than in any of the preceding stories of M-G-M's typical American family. In the current picture it was the first time Lewis Stone wore a light grey suit instead of his conventional blue serge. First time Mickey Rooney gave the Judge a "man-to-man" talk. First time Ann Rutherford wore make-up to cover her California sun tan. Holden remains in bed for the first time "Ma" Hardy (Fay Bainter) takes place right in the Carvel home—no swank hotel, no ranch, no schoolhouse. First time Ceclia Parker and Mickey realize that brothers and

three quarters of the entire performance. Swedish Monarch Following the Covent Garden season, Mr. Tibbett, invited to sing at the Stockholm Grand Opera in Sweden, was received like visiting royalty. King Gustav of Sweden attended his first performance, and the music-loving King invited him for a personal audience afterwards, to his box. A few days later, Tibbett was again summoned to the King,

TWO WHO MAKE SCREEN HISTORY!



Bobs Watson and Lionel Barrymore, in a scene from the film "On Borrowed Time," which is now playing at the York United Theatre. In the new work Lionel Barrymore is seen as the garrulous, hard-bitten but lovable Gramp who fights Death in order to protect the grandson he adores. Sir Cedric Hardwicke personifies Death, little Bobs Watson plays the grandson, and a sterling cast also features Beulah Bondi, Una Merkel, Nat Pendleton, Henry Travers and Grant Mitchell.

Masquers Will Repeat Play At Calvary

The Montreal Masquers will present in Calvary Church Hall on Friday evening, April 5 at 8.30 p.m. "Skidding," a comedy in three acts by Aurania Rouverol. This company has won great praise for its very able presentation of this Judge Hardy Feature recently given at Victoria Hall, Westmount. The cast, under the direction of A. Nelson Curtis, will include: Vivian Moore, as Aunt Milly; Douglas Sheppard as Andy; Margaret Miller as Mrs. Hardy; J. J. Russell as Judge James Hardy; Don Kelloway as Grandpa Hardy; Leila MacLean as Estelle Hardy Campbell; Sandra Masters as Marion Hardy; Frank de la Roche as Wayne Trenton III; Fred de la Roche as Mr. Stubbins; Ida Cramer as Myra Hardy Wilcox. The entire net proceeds from this event will be used toward the Repair Fund of the Church.

DALE'S DISCOVERY Virginia Dale, Paramount starlet appearing in Paramount's "Buck Benny Rides Again," was discovered by Earl Carroll in a rival night club in New York, where she was performing as a member of the Paxton Sisters, dancing team.

ODD NICKNAME John "Skins" Miller obtained his odd nickname, by which he is known throughout the theatrical world, because as a youngster in Philadelphia he used to eat skins and all on potatoes which he and "his gang" stole from neighbor-

MONKLAND (Monkland Avenue at Girouard)

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Added Feature Paramount Presents "GULLIVER'S TRAVELS" A Full-Length Feature Cartoon in Technicolor! Friday Night Revival Showing After 11 o'clock of Alice Faye in "You're A Sweetheart" with George Murphy.

Sun.-Mon.-Tues. MELVYN DOUGLAS in "The Amazing Mr. Williams." EDMUND LOWE GENEVIEVE TOBIN with Frank Craven and Fay Bainter in "Our Neighbors The Carters." Also Short Entertainment.

ing fields and roasted. He has an important role in Paramount's "The Farmer's Daughter". ONCE SOLD AUTOMOBILES While still in high school, Bob Hope, who co-stars in Paramount's "Road to Singapore" with Bing Crosby and Dorothy Lamour, was a star automobile salesman because of his native gift of wit. In many cases he laughed customers into buying a new car, according to his boy-hood friends.

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PREPARATIONS PROGRESS FOR Y SPRING EXHIBITION

ANNUAL EVENT TO TAKE PLACE AT BRANCH ON APRIL 12, 13; VARIED PROGRAM IS PLANNED

Hugh Noble, Physical Instructor, Is In Charge of Exhibition — Groups Perfecting Individual Performances — Junior Basketball Team to Take Part

Westmount Y.M.C.A. presents a scene of humming activity as preparations go forward for their Annual Spring Exhibition. This will be held on April 12th and 13th, Friday and Saturday, Mr. Hugh A. Noble announces. So many people had to be turned away last year, that this year it has been decided to hold it twice. As Director of Health and Physical Education at the "Y", Mr. Noble is in charge of the multifarious groups now perfecting their individual performances.

Peeking through the key-hole, gives one a glimpse of the business girls' class developing the rhythm of a Danish Callisthenic Drill. Norma Walton, Janet Ayr, Gladys and Marjory Arter, Mrs. Whalstrom, Olive Ladds and others are prominent in this.

Earlier in the day, Mrs. Hewton, Mrs. Dowie, Mrs. Eartley, Mrs. Norris, Mrs. Miller and Mrs. Spearman, comprising the Ladies' Class, have been working out the steps of a colourful folk-dance to the assembled multitudes.

The hordes of preps, led by Ralph Flockton, Bobby McCarroll and Danny Redinger, and assisted by the Junior Leaders, Ian Fraser, Paul Kenwood, Bobbie Warder, Don Tillman, Billie Spearman, Kennie Robertson, Gordon Henderson and John Cooper, are practicing marching.

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Danny Redinger is leading the prep swimming competition currently being held at the local branch of the Y.M.C.A. Following up is D. Livingston, tied with B. McCarroll.

G. HENDERSON SWIM CHAMP AT Y.M.C.A.

For the second successive year, Gordon Henderson emerged "Y" Junior swimming champion at the annual meet held on Friday in the pool of the local branch.

Complete results follow:
One length free style: 1. G. Henderson; 2. B. Spearman; 3. A. Thompson.

Two lengths breast stroke: 1. Henderson, 2. Spearman; 3. I. Cope.

Three lengths free style: 1. Spearman; 2. Henderson; 3. Pierce.

Two lengths back stroke: 1. Spearman; 2. Henderson; 3. Pierce.

Six lengths free style: 1. Spearman; 2. Henderson.

Diving: 1. Henderson; 2. Edgar; 3. Spearman.

GETS A BREAK

Although Billy Lee has been making pictures steadily in Hollywood for several years, Paramount's "The Biscuit Eater" gives him his first big break. Billy plays a starring role in the picture.

Beall, and pyramid building by the whole Corps.

HERE'S A PRETTY HOW-DEE-DO!



Ugly? Sure they're ugly, and proud of it. When French wrestler Maurice ("The Angel") Tillet (left) claimed the title of world's ugliest man, William J. Riley, "ugliest man in Chicago," challenged his claim. Above, they compete. You are the referee.

Beal Donates Challenge Trophy

G. S. Beal, present Provincial Senior Gymnastic Champion and past president of the "Y" Senior Leaders Corps who is now a Flight Lieutenant in the R.C.A.F., has donated a gymnastic challenge trophy to be competed for annually at the local branch of the Y.M.C.A. The gym handicap meet will be held this year on April 19 and 20.

ROVER CREW NOTES

Final decorations of the Capt. R. F. Scott crew den on Renfrew avenue have been completed, among the many changes in the den, since moving into it last November from Burton avenue are: repainting of walls and ceiling, new investiture corner, that is an inspiration in itself, five new library books, new notice and scoring boards and an all-round scout atmosphere, which was under the chairmanship of Arnold Eaves for the den committee.

Two new Squires have put in appearances at recent meetings. They are, George Kirk and John Brunt, ex P.L.'s of Trinity Troop, both having gained their 1st Grade Cords (green) as Scouts—they will make excellent Rovers if accepted after their probation period.

Rovers Munn, Cartmel, Burge, Read and Eaves are attending the Rover Meet at headquarters this Saturday.

The headquarters den committee will be up to inspect the Scott Den this coming Wednesday—thus it was announced at a special meeting last night.

Is Appointed To Commissionership

W. E. Landis, president of the Amateur Softball Association, has announced the appointment of Abe B. Fennell, sports editor of The Columbia State, morning daily of this city, as the softball commissioner for the State of South Carolina for 1940.

FAMOUS TRIO TO APPEAR IN ICE CARNIVAL TOMORROW AND SATURDAY AT THE FORUM

Three youthful skaters, all of them products of the Montreal Winter Club, who made history last week by winning their gold medals in final skating tests under the critical eyes of national judges, will be featured performers in the annual Winter Club Carnival to be presented at the Forum in co-operation with the Rotary Club of Westmount.

These talented girls are Audrey Joyce, Elizabeth Gaunt and Patricia Gault, all three of whom passed successfully the highest of all figure skating examinations. This was the first occasion on which three girls had won the gold medal for skating on the same ice and at the same time, in Canada.

In the carnival next week Miss Gaunt and Miss Joyce will be seen with Miss Helen Marr as a featured trio in the colorful and beautifully staged "Waltz Dream." Elizabeth Gaunt will also appear as the soloist and ballerina of the vivacious Sailor Ballet, "Jack's Ashore." Audrey Joyce will also be the featured ballerina of the opening number of the second part of the program, "Ballet Bleu," in which 50 skaters will take part.

Albert Enders and Sadie Cambridge, through whose coaching these girls were able to gain such high honors, are themselves responsible for the entire production of this year's Winter Club Carnival. All of the ballets and many of the individual routines have been devised and will be produced by Mr. Enders, who brings to the show the professional touch of an experienced showman.

Enders and Cambridge are not only the undefeated pairs figure skating champions of the world 19.

Cyclists Planning Spring Program

Spring and summer activities for the Sports Motor Cycle Club are now being planned and a membership campaign is underway.

Ten group captains have been chosen to lead teams in the inter-club competitions. Alec Pudd, Wally Campbell, Bob Herbert, Sid Chard, Alec MacLean, Bruce McDermid, Phil Guld, Bill Brown, Bill Nalley, Terry McGrail.

A general meeting of the club will be held tonight at 8.30 in Strathcona Hall. A dance has been planned for Friday, April 19.

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MANY STARS WILL APPEAR IN ICE CARNIVAL SPONSORED BY ROTARY CLUB FOR 2 NIGHTS

Star-studded is the program now revealed for the annual Carnival of the Winter Club, to be presented at the Forum Friday and Saturday in co-operation with the Rotary Club of Westmount. As in former years, the show is for the benefit of The Montreal Children's Hospital and the Children's Memorial Hospital.

The program will consist of two parts, in which will be featured not only many of the Champion figure skaters of Canada, but also the World's Champion Pair, Enders and Cambridge; Al Surette, the outstanding ice comic from New York, and four complete Ice Ballets, all beautifully costumed and specially trained by Mr. Enders.

Among the many stars to appear will be Mary Rose Thacker, the youthful North American Champion, who at 17 is already a seasoned carnival performer, Ralph McCreath and Norah McCarthy, the Canadian Pairs Champions of 1940 and featured performers at the recent Toronto Skating Club Carnival will also be seen in the Winter Club show.

Solo numbers will also be performed by Audrey Joyce, Patricia Gault, and Elizabeth Gaunt, all three of whom last week qualified for their gold medals, symbols of proficiency in the difficult art of figure skating.

Enders and Cambridge, undefeated World's Professional Pairs Champions, who devised and are producing this year's Carnival, will skate several numbers from the Ice Follies of London, England, where they were the stars last year.

Frank Howard In New Post Next Season

The Clemson College athletic council has chosen Frank Howard, line coach at Clemson since 1931, to succeed Jess Neely as head coach at Rice Institute.

Howard, 30, and a native of Barlow Bend, Ala., came here with Neely as his assistant of Alabama, where Neely had been assisting coach under Wallace Wade.

Clemson's new coach played football, baseball and basketball at Murphy High School in Mobile. He won his varsity letters as a football guard and baseball catcher at the University of Alabama the seasons of 1928, 1929 and 1930.

He was a first string guard on the Alabama team that defeated Washington State, 24 to 0 in the Rose Bowl game of Jan. 1, 1931. Besides being line coach here, Howard was track coach, and for five years, 1934-39, his team won the State intercollegiate meet.

Howard's contract as head coach at Clemson is for four years. His salary was not disclosed. Dr. Lee W. Milford, chairman of the athletic council, expressed delight at the appointment of Howard.

Bleacherite Not

A Forgotten Man
George Marshall, president of the Washington Redskins pro football team, says the nation's bleacherite is a bigger man than those who build stadiums think he is.

"Bleacherites here have been 16 inches wide," said Marshall.

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