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## EXHIBITION AT STE-MARTINE CONVENT

Household Science School Amazes Hundreds of Women And Men.

**FURTHER EXPANSION.**  
200 Girls Benefit by Courses Being Taught.

Saturday was gala day at the Ste. Martine Convent. The day marked the annual demonstration of the Household Science School which is a branch of the institution. The convent is a large building and its property holdings are being extended from time to time to take care of the new additions to the curriculum. Nine years ago it was decided to open a school of Household Science and it has proved to be a wonderfully successful adventure.

During the year the convent has been attended by 200 pupils, 175 of whom boarded at the institution. It has been said that Convent pupils have not a healthy look, but this is one accusation that cannot be made against this institution. The health of the children is particularly cared for and this is largely done through diet. Being a Science School the culinary department make a study of this subject, and the school is wholeheartedly in accord with the health of the children. Twenty Sisters reside at this institution. Mother Mary Georgiana being in charge of the Ste. Martine Convent and Mother Louis de Gonzague Provincial of the diocese of Valleyfield. They jointly administer the school with outstanding success.

The scholars as they enter the convent in September are first taught how to do plain sewing, making and fancywork, etc. The pupils are taught household science ten hours per week along with their regular studies. Pupils who wish to specialize in one department or other are permitted to do so. Six girls for instance are devoting their time to domestic manufacture and they in turn are taught how to operate the looms and make all kinds of garments. The exhibits of these girls were shown in a room by themselves. The exhibits of each girl were displayed on a table by itself and proved to be sufficient attraction to equal that shown at many fall fairs.

The display of work done by the 200 pupils was shown on the third floor of the building and it occupied all the space provided by the four classrooms. The display was most remarkable and was praised, and proved a marvel to the hundreds of women and men who visited the institution on Saturday.

To the ground floor we were directed and then viewed with interest the work accomplished by the nine girls who were specializing in Domestic Science. The display of canned and preserved fruits and vegetables was surely a sight to behold. In no case was it as usually the custom, but water. The Sisters contend that being canned in this manner the flavor is preserved and are more healthful. Practically everything that can be grown in this district was preserved or canned and every bottle was a sample of excellence. The canning of corn on the cob was the only vegetable that was not canned and the reason is known, and shall never happen again said the Mother Superior. Corn must be picked fresh from the garden and canned immediately, therefore security in this manner need not attempt to can it. Chicken and tongue were canned, and in both cases very little of the stock was left in the bottle, possibly a few bones and a little fat.

The stock was bottled separately and could be used along with some of the canned vegetables for soups.

The display of cooked meats, fish, soups, pastries, candy and bread made one believe they were in one of the large city delicatessen shops. The display was beautiful and most appetizing. From this notable display, the pupils were taken to the kitchen which was as one would expect, the essence of cleanliness. The charts that adorned the walls showed the various cuts of meats and the proper diet according to the season.

**Short Course in Summer.**  
We were informed that in connection with the School of Household Science there is a Short Course this year from July 8th to 18th.

This year the Government of Quebec. Under a grant from the Government this School is able to offer to twenty school teachers (either French or English) ten days tuition in cooking and sewing for only \$2.00, board included. The Government also supplies two extra teachers. This is indeed a rare opportunity and every local teacher should make haste to profit by the offer.

Before leaving the convent every visitor was served with refreshments which were served by the pupils.

Mr. Allard of Ste. Martine is most favourably known throughout this District by a great many people. He has taken a keen interest in the School of Household Science and for that very reason purchased 10 acres of land adjacent to the Convent property and has donated it to the Convent. This lot of land is about six acres previously owned by the convent is to be underlaid and on it will be grown all kinds of small fruits that can be grown in this District. It will be the demonstration garden for the convent pupils and each pupil will be given a plot to care for.

One might be inclined to believe that the pupils were only allowed to work at this convent, and had no time for play but such is not the case. The playgrounds are well equipped with swings, etc., which have been purchased with the \$400 that

## REBEKAHS CONGREGATE

Canon Shattford Addresses Order at First Annual Church Service.

Thursday evening the Rebekah Lodge members met in St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church when Canon A. P. Shattford of Montreal, addressed the Order and their many friends in attendance.

Canon Shattford is well known throughout Canada and has on many previous occasions addressed congregations in Huntingdon. His discourse on Thursday evening was based on the text taken from "Gen. 2-18" He pointed out how it was that Woman and Man were the necessity of one another and that for years woman was not accorded the standing of man in the various paths of life but today she has insisted upon her recognition and has earned it. In politics, women are in parliament and in this respect Canon Shattford did not grant his whole approval and especially of the one view expressed by the one lone woman member in Canada.

After the church service the Rebekahs and their guests adjourned to the Lodge Rooms where refreshments were served, and a social time enjoyed.

## HUNTINGDON

The "Y" met in the United Church parlour on Monday evening, May 27th. About 30 members and friends were present. This was the annual meeting and the reports given by the officers and Superintendents were satisfactory. The election of officers resulted as follows:—Hon. President, Mrs. T. Kelly; President, Miss Frances Turner; Vice-President, Miss Elva Selinger; Secretary, Miss Florence Farquhar; Treasurer, Mr. Stanley Curran; Flower Mission, Misses Maude Bicknell, Margaret Hughes, Jeanne Brownings; Parlour Meetings, Misses Alice Goodfellow, Gladys Herdman; Press Correspondent, Mr. Clarence McCoy; Sailors, Misses Margaret Ross, Grace Warden; Leaflets, Miss Alice Goodfellow; Church Notes, Presbyterian, Mr. Ronald Bruce; News, Misses E. G. White, Conventions, Messrs. Gordon Ferry, Stanley Curran, Clarence Stark, Charlie Reid, Gordon McClellan, Alan Hunter, Flower and Fruit Sale Mission, Miss Dorothy Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Britton and Miss Elsie Britton of Verdun spent the week-end at the home of Mrs. Amy Daniel.

Captain Britton of the S. S. "Nesbit" motored from Montreal on Tuesday and visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Barrett, who has been a patient at the Royal Victoria Hospital for ten weeks, returned home Tuesday much improved in health.

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## C. J. Rolfe Successful In McGill Law Exams

Mr. Clayton J. Rolfe, only student from the district in the McGill Faculty of Law has achieved success in all his examinations. He was awarded first class honors in Criminal Law and Procedure; second class honors in Civil Law, International Law, and Roman Law and was successful in Constitutional Law. Mr. Rolfe is a first year student at McGill, having graduated with highest honors from Loyola College last year.

## MOCOS WIN FROM FRY'S BY 4-2 SCORE

Football Game at Rosemount Marked by Good Combination Tactics.

On Saturday last the Moco Football team travelled to Montreal to meet Fry's F.C. It is a good thing to see that the great industries are not only represented by their merchandise but also by their workers on the field of sport. The game was played at Rosemount and the ground was very rough and heavy. A very strong wind was blowing when the game started. Fry's having won the toss elected to play with the wind and were soon pressing the Mocos back. The Mocos were soon relieved of the situation as the half backs doing their part. The Moco forwards got going. Gone was the hesitancy of last week. There was a perfect understanding between them, the combination was excellent, the ball was passed with perfect precision, and the opponent's goal was in danger; good work by the backs and some good work by the forwards. Fry's getting the ball made a quick break away but were pulled up by C. Greene, who was playing a clever game. The Mocos were not to be denied and by a clever round of passing the ball came to the feet of E. Cooper, who made no mistake and scored a pretty goal. Fry's, nothing daunted, swiftly attacked and play became very fast and in a rush which Fry's with shooting distance, Dent accidentally handled, a penalty was awarded against the Mocos. Hill the goaler had no chance of stopping and Fry's equalized.

From the kick-off the Mocos got going and they were not only filled with the desire of winning but showed they had the goods. Time after time a goal seemed certain but Fry's were going in defence, yet the Mocos forwards were too good and Hannah obtaining possession made no error but placed the sphere out to the goalers reach, putting the Mocos one up. Fry's had no intention of letting the Mocos have the ball and were soon testing the Mocos defence, time after time driving back, but at last their efforts brought success and the centre half getting the ball in a good position to shoot with a quick shot, which Hill never saw again equalized.

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## F. DUPUIS VICTIM TO SUICIDE AT ORMSTOWN

Had Been Ill And Despondent of Late—Was 63 Years Old.

Felix Dupuis, aged 63, of Dundee committed suicide in a barn at his home last Wednesday. The unfortunate man had been ill for over a year and of late had become very despondent.

That morning he went about as usual and at 10 o'clock he walked to the mail-box for the morning mail. When he did not appear at noon it was thought he had walked to a brother's home a short distance and no search was made for him until late in the afternoon.

He was found hanging in a barn loft about 4:30 p.m. He had hanged himself by the ropes which were used to secure loft doors.

Dr. W. M. Rowat, coroner, was immediately called and found the body quite rigid, thus ascertaining that the death by strangulation had occurred in the forenoon.

At his meeting Tuesday night the members of the Brotherhood decided to have things up with a membership contest which will continue until May 1930, after which time the losing side will be compelled to furnish a supper for the entire membership.

The contest was won by James Winter, Jr., leading the Reds and Wilfred Bryson the Blues. Every member of the brotherhood will be expected to do his bit for the campaign.

The many friends of Mr. Sam Grey will be sorry to hear that he is seriously ill in the Medical Arts hospital, Montreal. Mr. Grey is being treated for poison, got from spraying his trees. He will be remembered as a former resident of Ormstown.

Miss Annie Tinning came up from Montreal Thursday to be with the home folks over the holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Hornum spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Parkinson.

Mr. Elliott Marshall is another college boy home for the summer vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cartier and family have moved to Ormstown for the summer months.

Miss Isobel Ross, Montreal, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Ross.

Miss Marjorie Roy, of Longueuil was home with her parents over the week-end.

Miss Dot Cullen of Hudson, was a visitor at the parental Wm. Cullen home this week-end.

Mr. James Phillips, a former resident of Ormstown, now of New York City, visited friends here last week.

Mr. Lawrence McGerrigle, of the Bank of Montreal staff, Ottawa, is recovering nicely from a recent operation for defective tonsils. He is recuperating at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. G. McGerrigle.

Miss Greta Rankin was the guest of Miss L. Walsh over the holiday.

Miss Mary McGerrigle, Montreal, was the guest of her parents over the week-end.

Mr. Evan McLaren of Point-aux-Trembles, is home for the summer vacation.

Mrs. W. Roberts, of Verdun, was the guest of Miss Laura Walsh over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Montie and family spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Baird.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Stokely and family spent a few days last week in Richmond visiting relatives.

Miss Marjorie Payne of Montreal, spent the week-end with her parents Rev. and Mrs. Payne.

Mr. Wm. Macdonald spent the holiday in Ormstown.

Miss Leona Baxter of Franklin Centre is visiting her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cunningham.

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## SCHOOL CONCERT ATTRACTS MANY AT ORMSTOWN

Operetta "Le Docteur" Presented by Girls of Grades 10 And 11.

The Ormstown High School students gave a lot of good acting and singing in the presentation of the Operetta "Le Docteur" presented by the girls of grades 10 and 11. The school was very successful in their presentation. The Operetta "Le Docteur" presented by the girls of grades 10 and 11. The school was very successful in their presentation.

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## VALLEYFIELD BOYS QUALIFY AT MCGILL SCHOOL MEET

In the golden days of Greece when her lustre shone on the world, athletics was part of her wonderful system of education, for only in a well body could a trained mind function best. The modern Age is coming to a realization of the same truth and the Valleyfield last two representatives of the Gault Institute, Valleyfield, travelled to Montreal to take part in McGill Inter-School Meet in the person of Ross Howden and Burry McGerrigle. They have returned home, not bringing back the laurel wreath but with the knowledge of having done their best and upheld the prestige of the school. McGerrigle qualified for the final in his event which was no small feat considering the quality of the opposition, while Ross Howden obtained third place in the 100 yards dash final, also third place in the final of the running high jump, thus winning three points. The school is proud of them and when we consider the advantages that the city schools have today, it speaks well for them.

## 40 PIECE BAND HERE JUNE 9TH.

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### THE RUM-RUNNING MESS

Debates on the liquor question in both the House of Commons and the Senate, while lacking practical results, have at least cleared the air. The main points brought out were: 1. That the bulk of the running of liquor is done by United States citizens in boats of less than five tons; 2. That Canadian law requires these boats to clear through Customs, while the United States law does not; 3. That the Canadian government does not now permit fictitious clearances for Cuba, etc.; 4. That all liquor taken out of bond for export to the United States must pay full excise duty; 5. That the American authorities asked the Canadian officers to cease notifying them by telephone when vessels loaded with liquor leave the Canadian shore; 6. That the United States authorities believe that less than 5% of the liquor consumed in the United States comes from Canada. These undisputed facts go to show that, officially, Canada is not negligent, and that the Americans could, if they wish, adopt new measures which would plug some of the holes through which the liquor now moves into the United States.

Looking at the question from the broader standpoint of moral responsibility there are features which are not so gratifying. On both sides of the border are groups of citizens who earnestly desire that close and friendly relationships be maintained between the two countries, and these groups see that the export of a commodity, the sale of which is illegal in the United States, will tend to create a spirit of ill-will. In reply to that it may be said that in days past the United States made no particular effort to curb the export to Canada of like commodities when it is against the law to bring such into Canada. It might even be said that the United States does not worry to-day about the smuggling into Canada of poisonous high wines from law-breaking United States distilleries. But the pot calling the kettle black makes neither clean, so likewise is it with our Canadian-United States relations.

The suggested cures do not appeal to the average man. If Canada were to ask the United States Customs to assume the responsibility for the prevention of any commodity being smuggled into Canada, the request would be refused. The same holds true of the present request of the United States that Canada should effectively prevent any liquor being exported to the United States. The petitioners ask that no clearance be given to any vehicle until it has been found that no law-breaking commodity is in it. In other words, when an automobile—and that includes every car—arrives at the customs house the Canadian customs are to thoroughly search it, after which it may proceed if everything is in order. Then, when the car arrives at the U.S. Customs a few yards further on the same procedure would be gone through. The same practices would have to be adopted on the trains and trucks and grips would have to be dumped on the floor for the Canadian officer to examine, then later on, again thrown open for examination by United States officials. Such duplication of examination would soon make the whole procedure a farce.

During the debate Hon. H. H. Stevens made the suggestion that the way to curb the liquor smuggling would be to reduce the present duty. The Customs tariff rate has been \$10 a gallon for several years. Mr. Stevens thinks this is too high and encourages smuggling, but he uses the argument in the wrong debate. The removal of the duty would reduce smuggling into Canada, but the removal of the duty would encourage smuggling out of Canada. Everyone in this District remembers the experiences of 1919-22, when rum-runners covered over all roads buying loads of liquor in Valleyfield and running them across the U.S. line. That business has largely ceased, because the liquor they bought had to pay the duty of \$10 before it reached the liquor vendors, while the liquor sold by the rum fleet off New York paid no excise duty at all. The result was that the Canadian runner could not compete and the business, thank goodness, has languished. If the Stevens suggestion were accepted, Canada would become the greatest smuggling rendezvous in the world, and this country desires no such reputation.

It will be many years before a solution is found and greater harm can result from hasty legislation than from simply living within the requirements of the present law. Public opinion on both sides of the border must be moulded to an appreciation that it is in the interests of both countries that this international trade shall cease. Canada cannot move any faster than the United States, and, despite all that is said about the "great moral experiment," the United States still lags behind in law enforcement.

### THE ORMSTOWN SHOW

The backward spring has tended to make us forget that the date for the Ormstown Show is just around the corner. The entries are now closed for the live stock classes, and it is now certain that the Show will be one of the finest in the long record of Ormstown. This great agricultural district yearly increases in national importance and the Ormstown Show is one of the tests by which the annual improvement may be noted. To measure the value of the great District Exhibition in dollars and cents is impossible, but it stands as a large credit item on the District's ledger.

While it is the live stock which makes the show, it is well to remember that popular support is necessary in order that the operating expenses may be paid. The men who have invested in the undertaking never look for cash dividends. The money thus invested is a contribution to the District. They may quite properly demand, not as a favour, but as a right that every resident of the three counties should make an effort to attend the fair at least one day during the week of June 11th. Let us all arrange to work together in order that the Ormstown Show of 1929 will go down in record as the greatest success in our history.

### NEW BLOOD IN AGRICULTURAL POLICIES

Hon. J. L. Perron has his critics, but no one has ever accused him of lacking in energy or business efficiency. He developed the Quebec roads policy to such a degree that Quebec leads Canada and he now turns his attention to the problems of Agriculture. This is a field where Quebec lags behind. Mr. Perron desires to make up for lost time and make Quebec the most prosperous and progressive agricultural province in the Dominion. He is undertaking a great task. He must bring about a realization that the land cannot continue to be depleted; he must make the habitant substitute his love for a horse to that of the cow. The whole system of marketing must be overhauled, and perhaps it is in respect to co-operative dealings that Mr. Perron will either fail or have his name go down in history as a leader of his generation.

Fortunately, the Quebec farmer has the proper viewpoint. The habitant in his own way has practiced co-operation for many generations. With him the family circle is never broken, the sons and daughters are accustomed to assisting one another, both in seeding and in harvesting the crops and in financially assisting one another. On a little broader scale are the activities of the parish where the farmers are accustomed to work as a unit. Now Mr. Perron asks them to take a broader view and consider the Province, or large sections of it, as a co-operative unit.

Farmers of this district should give heed to the movements now being put under way. Instead of selling good quality stock to the United States they may well seek to sell within the Province. It may be that the prices offered will be a little less, but if they look on the sale in a proper light, it will be recognized that they are not making a sale but an investment. A carload of good stock shipped to the United States is gone forever, but a shipment into another section of Quebec develops our Province and starts a new market whose demands will annually increase.

### CANADA AND POISON GAS

The other day a discussion took place at Ottawa over the question of poison gas in warfare. Canada was asked to subscribe to a League of Nations' treaty which provides that poison gas shall not be used in warfare, and that Canada will not be pledged to go to the assistance of any League of Nations' member which uses poison gas. The agreement was accepted with little discussion. From the viewpoint of the average man, the most interesting statement brought out during the debate was the remark of the Minister of National Defence that Canada to-day was not experimenting with the manufacture of gas. The present policy is that the permanent forces have about a thousand gas masks of various types to be used for training purposes in order that officers may have some experience in fighting gas should Canada be drawn into a war against a nation which uses it.

From the humanitarian side, that policy is satisfactory, but from the practical side, let it be hoped that the military authorities are practical. If there is another war within the next ten years, gas will be used, and no Canadian soldier should go onto the field of battle without sufficient knowledge of how to protect himself against poison gas. The second Battle of Ypres is still too fresh in our memory to forget its lessons.

## Chronicle News Bits

Specially Written for The Huntingdon Gleaner.

It has been said that the best reply to the statement that people do not read editorials, is to be disagreeable about some one in the middle of a lengthy and dry editorial outburst, and the critic will be soon answered. Editorials give a cross-current to every day life and contain much general information. The following are editorial comments.

### Peace With Honour.

Says the Daily Gleaner of Fredericton, N.B., "There is one important thing about the British general election. In order to get support the leaders of all parties think it necessary to emphasize they stand for peace."

### Too Proud to Own a Farm.

The United States tariff bill and the farm relief bill naturally attract considerable editorial attention. The Daily Mail of Fredericton, N.B., on May 21st remarks "New England has never asked for farm relief, although it was there that the passing stranger sympathized with the hand who was picking stones in a field. To which the latter replied, 'Listen brother, I ain't as poor as I look. I don't own this place.'"

### Where Patriotism Colours.

The staid New York Times has this to say of the new U.S. Tariff bill. "Mr. Capper humorously says that doubling the rate on paint brush handles 'will not materially assist in making farming pay.' But the Kansas farmer should be ashamed to paint with other than an American paint brush handle."

### The Duty on Milk.

The Eastern Townships are concerned over the new duty rates on milk and cream and the Sherbrooke Record quotes with approval this statement from the Boston Transcript: "These heavy duties will not materially increase production and they may send the price of milk already prohibitive for many families, still higher. All food stuffs in the United States are too high. Nor does the American farmer benefit very much from the high prices paid in the cities. That is the evil of the whole situation."

### The Maritimes Are Proud.

Pride of Province and of People is a characteristic of the Maritimes and the Telegraph-Journal of Saint John, New Brunswick comments: "Jacob Gould Schurman, a native of Prince Edward Island, who is United States Ambassador to Germany and had previously been ambassador to China, is seventy-five years old to-day. There was another brilliant Islander, the late Franklin J. Lane, who rose to high rank in public life in the United States, and of him it was said at one time but for foreign birth he might have been President of the United States."

### A Growing Canada.

There is no pessimism in this editorial comment in the Halifax Herald of May 20th: "One who sees a great deal of the world's press, and notes the constant stream of news of Canadian development and progress, is bound to be struck with the fact that these years are Canada's years. Look where you are—and there you will find evidence of the tremendous strides Canada is making to-day."

### Pride of Town And People.

Every town has among its inhabitants some resident with a mannerism which marks him as one apart. Charles Flaherty, station agent in Guelph was one such for the Mercury and Advertiser of that city states: "The late Mr. Flaherty was unique because of the strength of his voice and its suitability for the calling of trains for the convenience of the travelling public. Railway officials had tried in vain many times to have him removed to larger cities, but the veteran railwayman was born here, and decided to remain here in active work, though he could have been on the pensioners' roll many years ago had he so desired." Mr. Flaherty had sixty-one years service when he died.

### Money in The Bush Lot.

Fort William is interested in timber as well as moving grain and the Fort William Times-Journal recently commented on the fact that a farmer, who had an expert go over his bush lot, made a profit of \$141 per acre without incurring the bush—in fact it was substantially improved. The editor continues: "The bush lot can be treated either economically or wastefully just as, on a large scale, can be done with the timber limit. The scientific attitude of mind towards the little bush lot by the individual farmer might be of great service in the general timber policy of the country. In the aggregate, a number of farmers who used correct forestry methods in administering their small holding could help the pulp and paper industry, which gives them a market for their wood crop. The could point the way, on a small scale to the desired goal of farming all our wooded lands instead of mining them."

### The "Cold Plunge" Liars.

With true Western city candour the Calgary Herald's editor simply says this: "Regina's ambitions concerning the Hudson Bay are expanding. The 'Leader' for instance, predicts that within a few years there will be a highway connecting Regina and Churchill, permitting Regina citizens to motor to the seashore and bathe in the waters of Hudson Bay."

### Canada's Economic Prosperity.

The Vancouver Star has faith in Canada, saying, "During the past two years the acceleration of economic progress in Canada has been about five times as great as that in the United States. The statisticians of the Royal Bank of Canada, who are responsible for this statement, are always more inclined to err on the side of conservatism when making such pronouncements, than to take too favourable a view of the facts revealed by the figures before them. In a double sense the winter has passed in Canada, the spring is here and the full tide of summer's prosperous activity is about to come sweeping in."

### Globe Again Indicts Chicago.

The fact that Chicago gangland has chosen a czar, given an executive of five sole right to use machine guns, and drawn up agreement based on the Wilsonian 14 points, thus dividing the city among the rival gangs, moves the Toronto Globe to say: "It is estimated that Torrie will control between fifteen and sixteen million dollars annually from the gambling of gangland. That an organization of this kind could flourish, hold a meeting, draw up a pact and hand it to the press, and the law remain impotent to suppress it is a terrible indictment of law and order in the United States."

### Thus Are Political Promises Treated.

Says the Vancouver Province, "Ontario's minister of highways promises to abolish the gasoline taxes when the finances of the province are in a 'more buoyant condition.' In the meantime, motorists must be content with 'free air.'"

### Tough Beef is Bad Advertising.

When topics of beef are up, Calgary should be an authority on the subject and the Calgary Albertan has this to say in respect to a criticism in England that good beef cannot be obtained in Canada, "There is no reason why Canadian beef should not be as choice as British beef. We have the stock, we have the fodder and we have the men. All that seems necessary is to apply more care and thoroughness to the 'finishing' of the cattle for the table. If we do not, it is hopeless to expect Britishers to buy Canadian beef in the quantities which our cattlemen would like to supply."

### The British "Dry" Navy.

Commenting on the fact that the British drink bill was \$1,500,000,000 last year, the New York Times says that the British sailor should not be blamed and uses an experience on the battleship H.M.S. Rodney as proof. "Out of a total of 962 petty officers and lower-deck rating who were entitled to a daily ration of rum, 693 voluntarily gave it up. They prefer to receive their three pence a day as 'savings' instead."

### Crop Prospects in West.

The Winnipeg Free Press publishes detailed crop reports during the growing season and on the 20th made editorial comment on the report of May 18th: "The first general report of crop conditions in the prairie provinces is not so cheerful as could be wished, but while the growth has been retarded by cold weather so that the earlier seeding has not produced the advance that it should have done, there are a number of features in the report that indicate this will not in the end, if the balance of the season is favourable, be an entire loss of time. While the report is not of the 'way to a magnificent start,' order, there is no occasion for apprehension, and the next report due June 8th may well see the Canadian West with one of the finest crop prospects in her varied history."

### "Chain Letter" Tourist Publicity.

The Toronto Star has this to say to tourist business: "Every discourtesy to a tourist, every overcharge and every attempt to 'sock' him acts like a chain letter condemning Canada, for he tells his friends and they tell theirs. The steadily increasing number of tourists indicates that the 'chain' letter has been of a different type and that the visitors of other years have mostly gone home with golden reports of the treatment accorded them. In regard to the above, it is interesting to point out that American money last summer was at a considerable discount, but the merchants here accepted the money at par, and paid the discount themselves at the bank. This courtesy, also good business."

### The Growth of Montreal.

The tremendous expansion and wealth of the city of Montreal is well illustrated in the following editorial note of the Montreal Gazette: "Thousands of children and young people of Montreal are still sadly in need of many more playing fields. There will be general approval, therefore, of the vote of the City Council which adopted a by-law providing for the sum of \$500,000 for purchasing or leasing, and for the equipment of playgrounds in various parts of the city."

### The Baptist College Troubles.

Saskatoon is an educational centre and the editor of the Saskatoon Star-Phoenix comments: "The trouble at Des Moines university seems to have sprung from religious differences. Fundamentalists and modernists are the two clashing groups. The University is controlled by the Bible Baptist union, a body which adheres rigidly to traditional orthodox. . . . Church denominations have of course a perfect right to establish colleges and to see to it that their own particular religious beliefs, and no other, are held and taught by the faculty. Such sectarian institutions, however, can never be universities in the modern sense. The breath of life for a university is freedom of thought and discussion."

### Undoubtedly a Humble Man.

The Ottawa Citizen may be interested in the King of the Serbs, but the Ottawa Journal finds more enjoyment in the Italian dictator, and with editorial comment publishes this extract from his writings: "True men in politics must be animated by the humane and devout sense; they must have a love toward and a deep vision regarding their own fellow creatures. All of these qualities must not be defiled by dissimulations, or rhetoric, or flatteries, or compromises or servile concessions. On this ground, at least, I am proud to know myself as one not to be suspected—even by myself—and feeling that my inmost moral fibre is inviolable. I believe that this, above all else, has been the stuff and fabric of my strength and my success."

### On The Otherhand, A Failure.

The editor of the London Advertiser traces the rise and fall of Lord Roseberry, who started life with three ambitions—to win the Derby, to be prime minister, and to marry the richest heiress in Britain—and yet, after achieving all, was a failure. The editor sums up: "His youthful radicalism was apparently not deep-seated and he lost that virile and robust quality of Liberalism which carried to triumph a leader much less gifted, the late Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman. Roseberry might have reaped the reward which fell to his successor, but he had not the strength nor the conviction to maintain the struggle in adversity."

### Clothes And Prosperity.

The editor of the Record of Sydney, N.S., asks its readers to recall the war boom days when every man wore a silk shirt to show how prosperous he was, then he adds: "The present period of prosperity doesn't seem to run exactly according to schedule. According to the advance figures issued by the United States Census of Manufacturers women have been extravagantly buying new fashioned clothes according to precedent, but the men have been cannyly saving. The 1927 output of women's and girls' clothing in New York city showed an increase of \$137,000,000 over 1925. For men's and boys' clothing there was a decrease of \$19,000,000 for the same period, exclusive of work clothing."

### Beauty Even in Jail.

While episodes in Chicago may annoy the Toronto Globe, the Victoria Times is puzzled by another trait of human nature. "The other day a 55-year old woman pleaded guilty to a theft charge and was sentenced to spend 2½ to five years in prison. She asked the judge for one favor; that her sentence be postponed a week so that she could first get a permanent wave. The judge consented and the woman went to get beautified before departing from the sight of men. Seldom has the power of the human wish to look as attractive as possible been more strikingly shown."

### A King And His Street Cars.

King Alexander of the Serbs is much in the limelight and the Ottawa Citizen comments on one of his most recent decrees: "King Alexander has forbidden Jugoslavians street car conductors to eat garlic. In fairness then, he ought to provide them with gas masks."

### HUNTINGDON

Since the Beauharnois Electric Company store burglary was made detectives have been working in this community. They have noticed some strange movements in town during the small hours of the morning and have taken the trouble to pass out a little friendly advice. One of the suggestions was the business places have new locks placed upon their doors and have a very limited number of keys in circulation. Mr. and Mrs. Harry G. Gessner, of New York have returned to Huntingdon and have taken up camp at Port Lewis for the summer. Mr. and Mrs. David Macfarlane, Jr. of Montreal, spent the week-end with relatives here.

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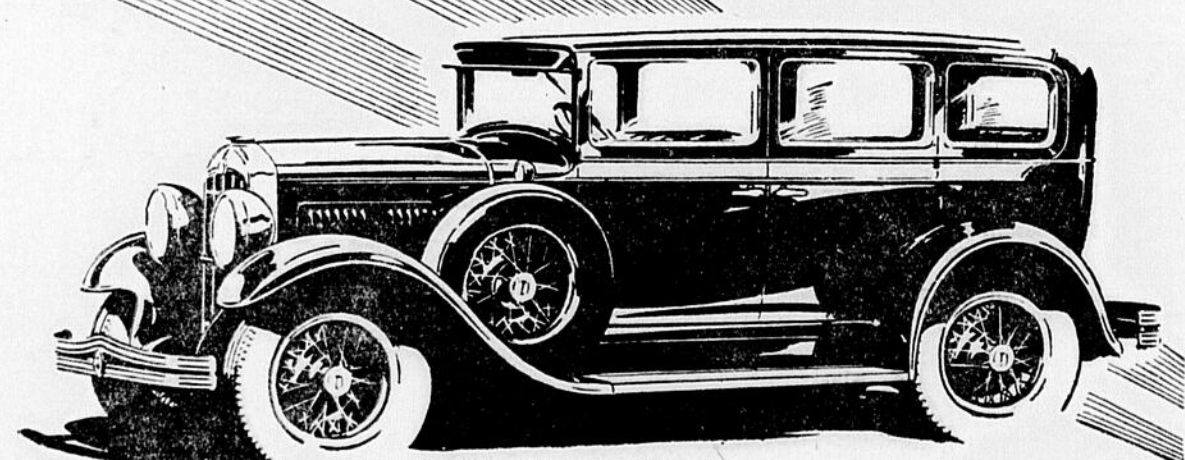
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## The Week At Ottawa

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The House of Commons is rushing business through and they will be closed up in a few days now. The most interesting debate for some weeks arose in connection with the export of liquor to the United States. This winter quite a number of organizations have filed petitions with the House of Commons on this subject, among them being petitions from Hemmingford, Howick, Ormstown, Huntingdon, Atholstan, the Gore, Rennie's, Elgin, Kensington, Chateauguay, Valleyfield, etc. Mr. Woodsworth raised the question, saying that he was not asking for a vote on the subject, but that he desired the House to discuss the general question.

Mr. Woodsworth made a somewhat lengthy speech, closing with these words: "We are maintaining, at enormous cost, an embassy in the United States to promote friendly relations. Are we going to maintain that embassy simply to try to protect the liquor traffic? I am asking this question: Why should we shield a gang of outlaws, many of them American outlaws, whose business means gain to a small group of Canadian distillers and their parasites, but is not in the interests of the great mass of the people of Canada? I say this is not decent treatment of a friendly nation. All Canada is asked to do is to refuse to facilitate the operations of law-breakers."

**The Moral Issue**  
Mr. Speaker, of Alberta, seconded the motion of Mr. Woodsworth, speaking on a high plane and pointing to the question more from the moral than the local viewpoint. "I am not qualified by either experience or knowledge to speak of the law; neither am I qualified to speak of the administrative difficulties, but I think I am capable of voicing here the opinions and the best common sense of some people at least whom I know in this country. It is their opinion that we are in danger of interjecting into our international relationship, into our international harmony and goodwill which is of such great importance, an element which will threaten if not destroy it, and that we are still more in danger of destroying all that is best in some of our people. I believe we are tearing down the bars which have protected what is best in mind and in conscience of these people who are now becoming accustomed to this traffic, and we are setting up in the place of statesmanship of self sacrifice and of morality and goodwill an ideal of financial success without regard to how that wealth may be brought about. So it does seem to me, without being able to state definitely just what steps should be taken, that this parliament and this government should approach the subject seriously and with sincerity, and from the moral point of view as much as from the legal point of view. We should do what lies within our power to stop this practice."

**The Present Treaty.**  
Two leading members of the House dealt with the problem from the administrative side, the present Minister of National Revenue and Hon. H. H. Stevens, who was Minister of that Department in 1926. Mr. Stevens thought that any action taken should be to clear up the regulations between Canada and the United States. He referred to the speech made by Mr. Euler, the Minister, and his reference to clearing of rum runners on the Detroit frontier, saying: "The minister further tells us that the American government has requested that the notification in regard to the Windsor-Detroit traffic should be discontinued."

Mr. Euler: They requested that the notification sent daily by telephone should be sent weekly, and not by telephone.

Mr. Stevens: Yes, that the practice of notifying them by telephone, as was the understanding, should be discontinued and that notification should be sent weekly instead of every day. These statements, coming as they do from a minister of the crown in the House of Commons, and from a minister of the crown noted for the coolness and deliberateness of his utterances, present to this parliament a situation which I think warrants our attention. I make this suggestion to the Prime Minister—I have not had time to consult either with my leader or with those around me, and I am therefore discussing this matter on my own responsibility, simply as a member of the house—I suggest to the Prime Minister that a treaty such as that which we have made genuine efforts to observe, the United States authorities apparently taking no notice of these efforts on our part, might very well be dispensed with and abrogated. It seems to me that the treaty is a farce. I must say that the picture drawn by the minister presents a situation which if I can judge of the temper of the people south of the line will cause them a good deal of anxiety and will perhaps turn the mind at least of the government there for some time

### Liquor Duties.

Mr. Stevens suggested a somewhat novel solution, one that is perhaps difficult to understand the theory of, but he recommended that the duties should be removed. "At the bottom of this business is the money that is in it. Let me give to the house the profit which accrues to those engaged in it. The minister will correct me if I am wrong in my figures; I think I am not. Whiskey constitutes the great bulk of the liquor traffic. Each case of whiskey contains 12 bottles or 2 gallons. The excise tax is \$9 a gallon or \$18 a case. That is, the Dominion of Canada takes \$18 a case in the form of excise tax. If the goods are sold in Canada by some province there is a wide margin of profit. I will give the figures for my own province as they used to be; I think they still apply. They have a profit of \$20 a case. That makes the cost \$38 a case. According to the returns of the Department of Trade and Commerce, whiskey costs to produce \$2.55 a gallon, or about \$5.50 a case. On an article worth about \$5 or \$6 the Dominion takes \$18, and the profit of the province represents about \$38. In the case of imported liquor it is \$40. If the bootlegger or smuggler bringing in liquor from outside can sell without the province knowing it he has a margin of \$20 a case upon which to work; if he can evade the excise duties or customs duties, he has another \$20, that is, a margin of \$40 a case. The point I make is that the monetary independence under the law is simply terrific. Last year I suggested, and I suggest again now, that it would be good business on the part of the parliament of Canada if we made a very drastic revision in the import duties and so take away a substantial portion of this attractive profit offered to the illicit dealer in liquor. Secondly—and perhaps this is not my business, but I will mention it—if the provinces under the government sale system would merely add a profit that would take care of the cost of the distribution of the liquor with a margin of safety, it would largely do away with the inducement to deal illicitly in liquor in this country."

**Conditions on Frontier.**  
A remarkable statement was made by the Minister as actual conditions on the Windsor and Erie frontiers. He told of a personal experience of his own last fall when he visited Windsor. "The chief export point of the Windsor district, and the Bridgeburg district, I have said something which may appear a criticism of the United States. I have no desire to be offensive, but I think there are some facts I should place before the House in view of the statements made that we are not dealing in a friendly way with our neighbour to the south. It has been stated that these boats go across at night. That is not entirely true. I took the trouble last fall to go down to Windsor. I was offered safe conduct by a liquor exporter and went out on a launch on the Detroit River. I could see the United States Customs office on the other shore, and I could also see that it was not difficult to detect any boats that left the Canadian shore to go to the American side. While in Windsor I got into conversation with a man engaged in the business of exporting liquor. I asked him, 'Do you cross in the daylight?' He answered, 'Yes, quite often.' 'How is it they do not get you?' He replied with a smile, 'It just happens that they are not there when we go across.'"

"Our inspector went to Windsor not so very long ago. He did not select any special day. While there, on January 14, he observed seven vessels cross the river to Detroit in daylight with cargoes of liquors. That was in one day. Those boats went over in broad daylight. I leave members to draw their own inferences from that state of affairs."

**The Summing Up.**  
"Whereas we in Canada," said Mr. Euler, "compel all boats, no matter how small, to take clearance when they leave our shores and to report when they return, that practice does not obtain in the United States. All boats under five tons sailing from United States ports are not required to take clearance and do not report when they return, yet practically all the boats engaged in this traffic are of United States registry and the great majority of them are of a tonnage less than five tons. I should not offer advice to the United States as to what they should do, but it seems to me it would not be unreasonable for us to demand clearance from their boats when they leave a port and ask them to report when they return, thus obtaining control over their own boats."

"The statement has been made frequently that it is Canadian liquor which is flooding the United States. There is no reasonable doubt that a large amount of liquor does go from Canada into the United States, but in relatively speaking the amount is very small based upon the evidence of United States authorities connected with the enforcement of their law that it is only from two to five per cent of their total consumption which is imported from Canada."

**Daylight Rum-running.**  
An even more glaring report on lack of enforcement by the United States authorities was given in a report filed by the Collector of Canadian Customs, Bridgeburg, Ont., who stated: "The liquor and ale are brought from the distillery and brewery by truck, arriving here about two o'clock in the afternoon. The boats are all loaded and clearance granted about 5 p.m. Some of these boats carry from 800 to 1,000 cases, and on their arrival on the American side it takes from two to three hours to unload them. No effort as far as we can see is made by the United States authorities to seize any of these boats as the United States customs are always notified by an hour or two before the boats leave, and occasionally we notify them as the boats are leaving, giving them the names of the boats and the quantity of liquor or ale on board. We have had high customs officials from Buffalo, special agents, and officers connected with the coast guard come over to the boats and watch the boats load and pull out. It is a well-known fact that some of these boats land within a few hundred yards of the United States customs office at the foot of Ferry street and unload without being disturbed."

"Our officers who check these boats out were informed by one of the rum-runners that they had no trouble in landing their cargo as they were assisted by the officers of the duty squad on the American side, and it would appear that such must be the case when seven or eight boats will leave here, and land their cargoes, sometimes taking them several hours to unload without any casualties."

"These boats are loaded directly opposite from the United States customs office at Black Rock. You can stand by the window in that office and look across, and see every case that is loaded on the Canadian side. I know if conditions were reversed that we would have all these boats tied up in less than a week, and if the officers on the American side wish to put a stop to this business they could do it in about the same length of time."

**The Bridge Road.**  
An important change for those of us who have to use the Victoria Bridge for motoring, is the alteration to be made on Windsor. The old Bonaventure station is to be torn down and the street straightened out and run right along the same route. Further down the old streets which lead to the bridge are to be cleaned out and a thorough street made to the canal. The proposal is to make a tunnel under the canal, thus bringing traffic on a straight line right to the bridge.

Further uptown routes are treated somewhat the same way. Nine overhead or subway crossings are to be constructed around the present lines of the Canadian National, making safe crossings for all motorists. A chart which explains these changes shows an interesting light on the present railway tracks into Bonaventure station. When a train crosses the Victoria Bridge it winds around to St. Henri, which is only seven blocks east of the C.P.R. Westmount station. The new road shortens this loop down, despite the fact that the

Suppose for the moment that it is thought desirable to accede to the request of the United States and to the requests of the many petitioners who have come to this parliament that we pass a law prohibiting the issuance of clearances. In my opinion, if that remedy were adopted it would not solve the difficulty. Liquor can be obtained throughout Canada quite freely. In the province of Ontario liquor may be purchased in fairly large quantities from the government stores. In the province of Quebec they have the right under their law, although it is not exercised, to sell any quantity for export by the Quebec Liquor Commission. Liquor may be bought in fairly large quantities in almost every province of the Dominion. If clearances were not issued perhaps the quantity exported would not be so large, but there is no doubt in my mind that a great deal of liquor would be purchased throughout the Dominion of Canada for the purpose of exportation to the United States. If clearances would no longer be granted, the result would be that shipments of liquor to the United States would not go from recognized customs ports on the Canadian border. The traffic would be forced underground to the corruption of Canadian people where perhaps it has not extended to Canada as it has to the United States. That would be a very undesirable situation."

The Railway committee room has been set aside for a display of a series of charts and models of the new terminals which the Canadian National contemplates constructing in the heart of Montreal. While the plan is primarily to overcome the slow, inconvenient and dangerous entrance of Canadian National trains into the city, the plan has a much wider result. The new terminals will be near where the present terminal station exists, but in place of the present station a thirty-story station building will tower over the street.

The station proper will be below the ground level and entrance to it will be runways. As a matter of fact the plan calls for a remaking of some of the principal streets. For instance, traffic from the north side of Sherbrooke street will enter an underground subway near Burnside place on McGill College Avenue and run under St. Catherine street coming to the surface on Inspector street at Lagaciere. This will lighten the traffic on that busy intersection. Dorchester street, also St. Antoine.

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### DANGER SIGNALS.

We have, from time to time, drawn the attention of our readers to danger signals. There are certain conditions which, when they occur, should be taken as definite warnings and should send the person concerned to his doctor without delay. There is a very definite limit to the extent we may go in pointing out such danger signals, because there is a limit to what the lay person is able to see.

The trained engineer can learn from the location and the sound of his machinery whether or not it is running as it should. He will detect the slight changes which are the beginning of trouble and which the untrained person would never see or hear. The sailor foretells the weather, not by the guess-work but by means of the knowledge acquired during years of observation. The physician prepares himself by a lengthy period of training in order that he may, first of all, acquire knowledge and, secondly, the skill to put this knowledge into practice.

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## HEMMINGFORD

Miss Emma Waugh and Mr. Sydney Knight, of Verdun, spent the 24th at Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Campbell's.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert McGregor and little daughter, Lorraine and Messrs. Harry and Archie McGregor, of Verdun and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Geddes of Ormstown, and Messrs. Merle McWhinnie of Huntingdon, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Campbell.

Miss Violet Grundy is the guest of her friend, Miss Clara Moore.

Miss Kathleen Moore of Chateauguay was the holiday guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Cleland.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanton Robinson, Mrs. Roy Ellerton and son, John, and the Misses Bella McNaughton and Mary Cross spent Empire Day at Cowans.

Mr. Alex. Hastie of Montreal, was in town for the 24th.

Miss Emma Wood and Master Clifford McCrea, of Montreal, were holiday guests of Mrs. F. Wood.

Miss Violet Gardner spent the week-end with Miss Eileen Miller.

The Misses F. Keddy and B. McNaughton were holiday guests of Mrs. M. Lindsay, of Ormstown.

Miss Eleanor Spearman, of Montreal West, spent Victoria Day at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Hyden, Mr. Eddie Hyden, and Mrs. Ralph Hyden, of Verdun, were holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Cleland.

The Misses Hazel and Lillian Keddy spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Keddy.

Mrs. Mabel Keddy is visiting Miss Lillian Keddy.

Mr. and Mrs. James Dempster, Mr. Andrew Dempster and daughter were holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dempster.

Messrs. T. Alex. Cleland and Nelson Tarrant, of Burr, Que., were week-end visitors of Mrs. A. K. Cleland.

Mrs. Halton Kennedy and son, Andrew, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Kennedy.

Mrs. J. S. Cleland spent Saturday in Montreal.

The Misses Phyllis Fisher and Marjorie Ellerton were holiday guests at their respective homes.

Miss Ina Bell was a recent guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Orr.

The Misses Gertrude Keddy, Valleyfield and Margaret Collins, of Montreal week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Collins.

Holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Clayland included the Misses Emma and Burke and Mr. G. E. Clayland of Montreal.

## GLENELM

Miss S. Kilker spent the week-end visiting friends in Montreal.

Mrs. Charles Thompson, Montreal, spent the week-end holidays at the home of her brother, Mr. A. W. Small.

Mrs. James Barrie and Mr. A. W. Small spent Monday in Montreal.

Miss Ellen Marshall is spending a few weeks at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Hamilton.

Mrs. Erle Wilson and baby Jean of Syracuse, N. Y., are spending a week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Murdoch and little daughter, Doris, motored from Syracuse, N. Y., on Saturday and will spend a week here visiting relatives.

Mr. Malcolm Hamilton visited at the home of his son, Melvin Hamilton, on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Hamilton and son, Glen, spent the week-end at Mr. and Mrs. M. Hamilton's.

Mrs. William McComb visited at the home of Mr. J. J. Tannahill and Mr. George Black the past week-end prior to her leaving for her home in Edmonton, Alta.

We are sorry to report the illness and death of Raymond Ralph, little son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Dear, who were here on a visit from the Eastern States. We extend our sympathy to the bereaved parents.

Mrs. J. A. Robb and Mrs. Thos. Hood with friends from Valleyfield, spent Saturday visiting relatives here and attended the afternoon tea and food sale in Elgin Presbyterian Church.

Visitors at the home of Mrs. Mary Anderson on Empire Day and Sunday were Miss Myrtle Anderson and friend from Schenectady, N. Y., Mr. and Mrs. Ray Richardson and Mrs. Richardson, Sr., of Montreal.

"What do you do with your worn-out razor blades, Joe?"

"I sell them to a sword-swallower who uses them as an appetizer," Boston Transcript.

## NOTICE

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## DEWITTVILLE

Mrs. James Ritchie went to Montreal on Friday to spend a few days with her daughter, Mrs. (Dr.) J. Brown.

The Misses Dora, Sylvia, Ethel and Alice Parry, of Montreal, were week-end guests of Mrs. Allan Ritchie.

Mrs. Helm, daughters Minnie and Nellie, son Ernest and wife, motored from Montreal on Sunday to visit Mrs. Helm's sister, Mrs. Hamilton Ferns.

Mr. and Mrs. Stacey Booth and family, of Montreal West, spent Sunday with Mrs. Booth's mother, Mrs. P. McArthur.

Miss Beatrice Holiday was home for the 24th and week-end. She was accompanied by her aunt, Mrs. (Dr.) J. Ross, of Westmount. They returned on Sunday evening with Miss Dorothy Ross and Mr. Hamilton DeBurey, who motored up for them.

Mr. and Mrs. Denman and family and Mr. Wilson, of Montreal, spent Empire Day in Dewittville.

Mr. and Mrs. John Oliver, Mrs. Milford Oliver, and daughter, Beryl, of Rockburn, were Sunday callers with Mrs. Elzear Heintault.

Misses Margaret Gordon and Annie VanVliet, of Montreal, were at their respective homes for the week-end.

There will be no service in the church here on Sunday next, as it is Communion Sunday in the Presbyterian Church of Huntingdon. Sunday school is also being omitted on that day.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Oulmet moved from Ormstown on Wednesday last, and are now living in Miss Lyle Gamble's house near the station.

Miss Lena Tesser, who had been home for a week, returned to Montreal on Sunday evening.

Mrs. Donald McEwen and son, Ronald, of Ormstown, spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. P. McArthur.

Mr. Jonathan VanVliet went to Montreal on Tuesday to be present at some of the Convocation exercises at McGill University.

Mrs. Frank Martin entertained guests to the number of twenty to a "500" and tea on Friday afternoon last, in honor of her sister-in-law, Miss Irma Martin, of Huntingdon, whose marriage to Mr. Alex. Hargrave, of Huntingdon, is announced to take place the latter part of June.

Mrs. W. F. Martin, of Huntingdon, spent Thursday last at the home of her son, Ernest, in Dewittville.

Those who have been denouncing the cold weather of the past weeks and have been wishing for heat, found their desire abundantly bestowed on Tuesday, when the mercury reached almost to the ninety mark, and man and beast sweltered in the sudden heat; farmers rejoiced nevertheless, in the opportunity to, at last, get their grain sowed and garden planted.

We are having now the most beautiful picture which nature presents to us in the apple and other fruit trees laden with their wealth of blossoms, which spread abroad a fragrance unsurpassed by any others of the multitudes of nature's gifts.

## BEAUHARNOIS

The fine weather over the holiday brought quite a number of visitors to our town.

Miss Deville was at the home of Mr. Ralph Kilgour.

Mrs. McGill of Malone, was a caller at the home of Mr. James Wilson.

Mrs. Mace, Mrs. John Stirling and Mrs. George Hanna, of Montreal, Miss Ann Atkinson, St. Catharines, Ont., and Miss Vera Borland, of Saskatoon, Sask., were at the home of Mrs. John McIntosh.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Berry and Mr. Kilgour Berry visited at the home of Miss Kilgour.

Miss Daisy Masterman, of Montreal spent the holiday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Reay.

Miss Margaret Anderson was at home with her parents over the long holiday.

Mr. Lou Stone, of Toronto, was at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Loucks.

Miss Nell Stewart visited at the home of Mr. James Wilson.

Mrs. J. G. Kammerer and Miss I. Stewart have opened up their home for the summer after having spent the winter months with Mr. Arthur Stewart in the States.

## CLYDE CORNERS

Word comes from Stanstead reporting the death of George Caldwell, formerly of the Ridge. The deceased was in his 95th year. He leaves to mourn his loss his widow and four daughters, Mrs. Frank Gillett, Ma-jone, Mrs. John Gray, Montreal, Mrs. Ernest A. Felton, Westford, Vt., and Mrs. D. S. Smellie, of Dundee.

## FIGURES PRESENT STRIKING EVIDENCE

Popularity of Durant car is no myth according to production report.

Striking evidence of the increasing popularity of Durant automobiles is contained in the fact that during the first four months of this year, the production exceeded that of the entire year of 1925 by nearly 50 per cent. In one month, April, production equalled approximately one-half the entire output for 1925.

During the winter a new administrative building was erected to house the executive and office staffs and the space made available by this change was immediately taken over by the production facilities. Even with this additional space and equipment, it has required the best of concentrated effort to keep pace with demand, so fast has the popularity of Durant cars spread throughout the Dominion.

The sales executive attribute this condition to the enthusiasm of Durant owners who seem to never cease talking about the good qualities of their cars.—(Advt.)

## WHEN TEA WAS 20 SHILLINGS A POUND

Tea-drinking is now so universal a custom that it is hard to believe that at one time tea was an epicurean luxury and sold at from ten to twenty-five shillings a pound. Nevertheless, as late as the mid-Victorian era a tea caddy filled with a pound of tea was a very handsome present. In the eighteenth century tea-drinking was considered a fashionable pastime, and Sydney Smith, in "Lady Holland's Memoirs," quotes her as saying: "Thank God for tea! What would the world do without tea?—how did it exist? I am glad I was not born before tea."

It was the custom then to keep tea in handsome tea caddies. In a recent article in the "London Daily Express," sent to the Salada Tea Company, the following interesting account is given of the origin and importance of the tea caddy.

The old-fashioned tea caddy was invariably beautiful in its proportions and intimate in its associations. It is, moreover, a rare thing today to find two tea caddies alike. The prettiest and most charming were made between 1775 and 1801. At first they were made of mahogany or of satinwood, inlaid with other choice woods, and sometimes painted with flowers or scrolls. Later on they were made of lacquer, of tortoiseshell, silver or of ivory, sometimes inlaid with silver and gold and mother-of-pearl, and with borders of tortoiseshell-caddies fit for King Solomon's palace, if Solomon had known the blessing of tea. Some of the finest cabinet-makers of the period, including Chippendale and Hepplewhite, exercised their talents to design tea caddies.

Besides these treasures, some were made of neatly-cut straw work, laid in geometrical patterns, over a wooden box, for such straw work was a hobby of the day. Some stand on little feet and some have a tiny handle on the lid, and all have dainty keyholes. Delicately little cabinets, indeed!

The word "caddy" comes from a Chinese word, "catty," meaning a parcel of tea weighing about one pound and a third, for so the Chinese merchants were accustomed to make up their tea.

The possessor of an old-fashioned caddy should treasure it, and use it for its original purpose. The collecting of old tea caddies has become quite a hobby in the United States, Great Britain and Canada.

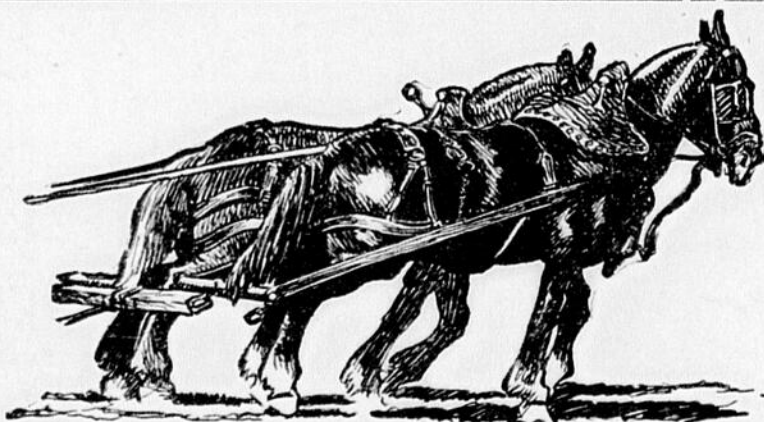
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## DUNDEE

During the week-end holidays Miss Duncan and Miss Mount enjoyed a pleasant motor trip to Quebec city, where they visited Miss Duncan's sister, who is engaged in teaching in a town near that city.

Miss Gladys Vass, R. N., of Montreal is visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Vass.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Cook and family of North Burke, N. Y., spent Sunday with Mrs. Cook's mother, Mrs. M. Platt.

Mr. Charles Fraser spent a few days in Montreal recently.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Templeton of Westmount spent the 24th visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. D. Fraser.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Caldwell of Montreal and Mrs. Clara Ferguson, who has very recently returned from Andover, Mass., spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. A. McNeil.

Mr. and Mrs. Rankin of Cornwall, Ont., spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Stewart McNeil.

Miss Ida Haughton spent the week-end holidays with her parents, Rev. C. A. and Mrs. Haughton.

Miss Beatrice McDonald, who is spending the summer at Saranac was home on Sunday to visit her mother.

## BROOKLET

The Food Sale and Afternoon Tea in connection with the W. M. S. of the United Church was held on Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Leggett, Herdman. The well-laden table was soon disposed of. The Mission Band sold candy and realized \$5.00. Afternoon tea was served to a large number and in all a pleasant afternoon was spent. Proceeds amounted to \$35.25.

Mrs. and Mrs. Clark, Winter of Jamesville, Ohio, motored through and are visiting friends in this vicinity.

Mr. A. W. Cowan, Mrs. McKinley Klinehart and son Emerson of Chateauguay, N. Y., were callers here on Sunday.

Messrs. W. S. Thomson, Jas. Phillips and Andrew Thompson of New York City are visiting friends in this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Abe Rosevear and Mr. Thos. Rosevear were the guests of Mrs. Foster in St. Urban on Monday. Mr. Rosevear remaining to visit friends for a few weeks.

## DEWITTVILLE

Mrs. George Moore has returned home from East Templeton. Glad to report her little 9 year old grandson is recovering favorably and will not lose the sight of his eye, though it was a narrow escape of being blinded or killed. The little fellow found a package of dynamite caps while looking for nails. He removed one from the package and was going to pick the contents out of it when it exploded in his hand, badly injuring it and burning his face in several places. It is a lesson to all little boys to be careful. Mack is a very lovable little boy and his many friends have showed their sympathetic feeling both at the hospital and in his home. Sunday afternoon a carload of little boys from his class at Sunday School came to see him bringing him tokens and showing their feelings of sympathy.

## GLENELM

The regular meeting of the Kensington Ladies' Aid was held at the home of Mrs. S. J. Seward on Wednesday, May 22nd.

Miss Myrtle Anderson of Syracuse, is visiting at home for a few days.

Mrs. Thompson and Mr. Hector Thompson spent the week-end at the home of Mr. A. W. Small.

Miss Helen Walker of Montreal, spent the week-end at the home of her friend, Miss Hope Stewart.

## HAVELOCK

Mrs. Crookshanks of Montreal, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Robinson.

On the 24th of May Mr. and Mrs. William Gilmore entertained at their home Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Pettes, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Roberts and son Lyman of Ormstown, Mr. and Mrs. Robert McKee, Miss Isabel McKee, Mr. George McKee, Mrs. Eliza Roberts and Mr. Walter Seed.

Miss Flossie Stevens, who has spent the last two weeks with her sister, Mrs. George Miller, has returned to her home in Chateauguay, N. Y.

Mr. Walter Seed and Mrs. Eliza Roberts visited friends in Franklin on Wednesday.

Rev. J. A. and Mrs. Payton, the Manse, Russellton, entertained last week, Mrs. Payton Sr. and son Mr. Payton of Toronto, also Mr. and Mrs. McKenzie and family of Montreal.

We are sorry to report that Mr. William Gilmore is not as well as his many friends would wish.

Mr. Armand Labarge, who underwent an operation in an hospital in Montreal, has returned home, much improved in health.

Miss Barr of Montreal, spent the week-end at the home of her sister, Mrs. J. J. McArthur, Havelock.

Mrs. Martin Beattie had the misfortune to sprain his ankle badly and has been laid up for several days.

## BEAVER

Mr. and Mrs. Noel Reynolds, Mrs. Hugh Cameron and Mr. Wesley Thomson attended the funeral of the late Mr. Potter of Bromley last week.

Miss Mabel McMillan of Dundee, was the guest of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. McArthur on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Maitland Platt and Master Clarence Platt spent Sunday at the home of Mr. William Platt, Powerscourt.

Miss Kathleen McCaffrey of Montreal spent the week-end with her brothers, Messrs. Edward and Leon McCaffrey.

Miss Christina Elliott of Ormstown, was a recent guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Noel Reynolds.

Mrs. Harold McCaffrey and Master Royce McCaffrey visited with relatives here and St. Agnes on Sunday afternoon.

Guests at the home of Mr. Hugh Cameron over the week-end were Mr. and Mrs. Harold S. Kerr and son Hugh of Montreal.

## ELGIN

The food sale and afternoon tea held in the Sunday School room of the Presbyterian Church proved very successful. Tea was served at several small tables which were prettily decorated. Proceeds from the sale of food and tea were \$4.25. The members of the Women's Missionary Society are indebted to all who assisted in any way toward making the sale a success.

## HUNTINGDON

Mrs. Margaret Sparrow, who had been spending some time visiting friends and relatives in this locality left Saturday morning for her new home at Kingston, necessitated by the transference of Miss Ina Sparrow, Bell Telephone Chief at St. Lambert, to a better position at Kingston.

Mr. Franklin Alexander of McGill University, has arrived home for the summer.

Mr. Maynard Adams spent the week-end at his home in Danville, Que.

## ST. ANICET

A number from here attended the first mass sung by Rev. Paul Emile Leger at Montreal Sunday. Rev. Father Leger is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Leger, who one time conducted a general store here.

## BOYD SETTLEMENT

On Friday evening May 24, the staff of Farmer's Telephone, Ormstown met at the home of Mrs. Geo. McCracken and presented her daughter Hazel with an automatic toaster and electric iron in honor of her approaching marriage. Miss McCracken has been an operator at Ormstown for the last five years.

## SOUNDS THAT CLIMB

Recent tests show that the crowing of a rooster, the ringing of a church bell, and, under some conditions, the shout of a man, penetrate almost a mile into the upper air.

A cricket's chirp carries up 2,500 ft., and the croak of a frog can be heard at an altitude of 3,000 feet. Among sounds produced by living things, a dog yelp holds the altitude record. It has been heard by balloons 5,900 feet up. The report of a rifle will carry about the same distance.

Of all sounds recorded, a locomotive whistle reaches highest. It has been heard more than two miles above the earth.—Popular Science Monthly.

## SEA ROVER'S AMBITION

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America's first real-estate development was promoted by Eric the Red. Eric anticipated modern sales methods by more than 900 years. He spent three summers moving back and forth along the west coast of the land he had discovered, searching for pleasant districts to settle, for he had made up his mind to found a colony. He was thus not only the first Arctic explorer, an able discoverer of the new Western world, but also the first of that typical western product—the realtor. For the "Saga of Eric the Red" tells us that, in connection with his plan to secure settlers, he hit upon the device of calling the place Green Land, "conceiving that people would all the more desire to go there if it had a fair name."

That winter Eric carried out a publicity campaign so successfully that in the spring of 986 twenty-five ships set sail with him for Greenland. The colonists were something between 400 and 700. The numbers of the domestic animals have never estimated, but in variety they were in the common class of 1000—horses, cattle, sheep, goats, pigs, chickens, geese and dogs—Vilhjalmur Stefansson in the Forum Magazine.

## MATRIMONIAL

Jarvis-Sedgewick

In the presence of immediate friends and relatives, the marriage of Mrs. Mary Sedgewick (nee Mary Armandy) of Grange-over-Sands, Lancashire, Eng., to Mr. Gordon Jarvis, of Huntingdon took place at St. James' Church, Ormstown, at 2:30 in the afternoon of May 24th. The Rev. W. T. Payne officiating.

The bride was attended by Mrs. Alex. Rember, of Ormstown, while Mr. Chas. Hyde, Jr., acted as best man.

After the ceremony the bridal party motored to Huntingdon, where a bountiful supper awaited them at the home of the groom's mother.

When supper had been dispensed of and the bridal cake had been cut, dancing was the order until a late hour, when the happy couple left by motor for Montreal and other points.

On a short honeymoon trip.

On their return Mr. and Mrs. Jarvis will reside in Huntingdon.



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# CANADIAN GARDENING SERVICE

## Get Best Seed.

The importance of good seed cannot be too strongly emphasized. Many amateurs when they raise some particularly fine corn, or an excellent specimen of flower, think that by saving the seed from these particular plants that they will get perfect reproductions the next season. This is a serious mistake, however, as no consideration has been taken of the fact that bees and other insects mix the pollen of the corn or other vegetables or flowers indiscriminately and that the average seed saved in this way will produce very weak plants. The production of seed is a specialized business, the art usually being passed down from generation to generation, and whole districts are devoted to this business and nothing else. Unless one is willing to take the precaution of screening the individual blossoms on the vegetables and flowers and mix the pollen by hand, and also to make sure that similar varieties are not being grown close together one would be well advised to purchase the very best seed procurable. And in this case, the very best seed is that which is put up for Canadian conditions and in something that will do well in another climate. After all, the best seed in sealed packages with the variety, date, and sowing directions printed plainly on the outside is by long odds the smallest cost in gardening, although it is the most important because without it labor, fertilizer and care is in vain.

**Transplanting.**  
Head lettuce, tomatoes, cabbages, as well as many of the flowers should be transplanted at once before being placed in their permanent positions. When done carefully, this strengthens the roots and produces a stockier plant. If planted directly in the garden, they are inclined to become spindly and tender, besides losing the three or four weeks' start they get when sown indoors. At transplanting time, have a supply of nitrate of soda on hand, putting a pinch about each plant, or dissolving this quick acting fertilizer in water, one ounce to the gallon for each four square yards of soil and applying at intervals of two weeks. This will make your plants shoot ahead.

**Window-Boxes.**  
Window-boxes may now be prepared. If one bears in mind that these are simply intensive gardens producing as many flowers to the square foot as one ordinarily grows in about four square yards of garden, good results are easy to obtain. Rich soil, plenty of fertilizer and daily watering are essential. The boxes must be very strongly constructed as when filled with earth they will weigh over a hundred pounds, and they must be from eight to ten inches wide at the top, six at the bottom and at least seven inches deep. The corners should be strongly reinforced on the inside with iron straps, secured at each corner with wire, and the chains should be used to fasten them to the window sill and does not sit on it, as otherwise the foliage will soon fill up most of the window. There should be holes in the bottom of the box and also a layer of cinders, broken crockery or gravel to provide drainage. Put in a layer of well-rotted manure next, if this is available, and then fill up with fine garden soil. If there is still a danger of light frost, leave the boxes in a place where it can be protected after planting. In any case, it is well to screen the newly set out plants with newspapers, or light cotton, for a few days, until the plants get established. Use stocky plants and prize all old bloom, buds and weak growth. Heading back the main stem is also advisable so that they will branch well and fill the box. They may be planted close together, a few inches apart for the short or trailing types at the front of the box and six inches between the taller plants at the rear. Firm the soil down well about the plants. Next dissolve a scant handful of nitrate of soda in a fair-sized watering can which will be sufficient fertilizer for a box about four feet long. This will give the plants a good start. Now saturate the soil with another can or two of water, and water daily from then on. Even on rainy days, it will usually be found that little moisture has reached the box owing to its sheltered position.

while the evaporation from these hanging gardens exposed on all sides to the air is very rapid. Apply applications of nitrate of soda at intervals of about ten days for the first two months. These same general directions may be followed in making up hanging baskets and pots. Along the front, put in trailing nasturtiums, German ivy, lobelia, alyssum, and similar plants, while farther back petunias, geraniums, ageratums, begonias, ferns, and other types recommended by florists and greenhouse men, may go in.

Where one is looking for something to grow easily in the flower line and yet be sure of abundance of brilliant bloom, both in the garden and for filling the vases indoors, there is nothing that will fill the bill any better than the Zinnia. This is an annual and it comes in a range of colors rivaling Joseph's coat. They do particularly well in a new garden. One can get them in the smaller sizes for blooming at the front of the bed, and from there right up to the latest giants which grow three feet high and have flowers as large as the dahlia. They bloom early and continuously from early summer until frost. They are started early indoors and transplanted outside after all danger of frost is over or can be planted as seed at the latter time. For big, individual flowers, it is well to pinch off half the side shoots and about the same number of buds, having about three flowers coming on at a time. All catalogues can be made, ranging from cream, contain about a page devoted to zinnia varieties from which a selection may be made. The colors range from low and scarlet. The phloxes, marigolds, godetia, butter-fly flower, petunia, calliopsis and coreopsis are also recommended where the choice is limited. Cosmos should also be added which will grow with practically no trouble after one thinning and weeding.

**A Short Cut.**  
Even in a late season, vegetable growth can be brought up to normal by using a little quickly available fertilizer, like nitrate of soda. During the first cool weather when the sun is not strong enough to liberate the natural nitrogen in the soil, which is the great stimulant of leaf and stock growth, this fertilizer will bring things along as rapidly as nature would unaided later on. In ordinary gardens, a heaping teaspoonful is sufficient for a square yard of soil, with 150 to 200 pounds per acre for the larger places. This fertilizer should be applied at intervals of ten days to three weeks and it should not be allowed to actually touch the plant but should be placed close to it as it is apt to burn the foliage if damp. On this account it is safer in the small garden to dissolve it in water at the rate of about an ounce to the gallon and sprinkle, or it may be broadcast by hand during or just before a rain, or before the hose or irrigation system is turned on. Practically all the market gardeners use a pinch of nitrate of soda as a pick-up in transplanting head lettuce, tomatoes, cabbages, and similar things. About as much as can be placed on a small five-cent piece is sufficient for each plant.

**Peas.**  
The deeper the soil is cultivated, the larger and the higher quality the pea crop will be. This vegetable requires rich soil, and it is well to place where it can be protected after planting. In any case, it is well to screen the newly set out plants with newspapers, or light cotton, for a few days, until the plants get established. Use stocky plants and prize all old bloom, buds and weak growth. Heading back the main stem is also advisable so that they will branch well and fill the box. They may be planted close together, a few inches apart for the short or trailing types at the front of the box and six inches between the taller plants at the rear. Firm the soil down well about the plants. Next dissolve a scant handful of nitrate of soda in a fair-sized watering can which will be sufficient fertilizer for a box about four feet long. This will give the plants a good start. Now saturate the soil with another can or two of water, and water daily from then on. Even on rainy days, it will usually be found that little moisture has reached the box owing to its sheltered position.



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on the variety and the season so that this delicious vegetable may be had for at least a month or more instead of just a week. Planting at intervals of one week and using varieties ranging from the very early to the very late will extend the season very materially.

Gardeners are advised to apply an application of hydrated lime, about one pound to two square yards every year or two, to sweeten the soil. This is particularly essential where one is depending on commercial fertilizers. Very light soil will be benefited with plenty of strawy manure, and the same treatment plus a little application of ashes or sand will loosen up clay.

In uncovering the perennials, care must be exercised not to disturb such early growers as tulips and other fall planted bulbs and the herbaceous perennials which will now be pushing their way through the soil.

Bessie spent ten cents of her own money to take her brother to see a picture show. "Mamma," said she, "couldn't I take baby Jackie with me next time I go?"

"Why, what do you want to take an eight-months-old baby to a motion picture for?" inquired her mother.

"Well," said Bessie, defensively, "if I've got to take him sometime, I'd rather take him now before he gets big and expensive."

# PROVIDE A GOOD RANGE FOR THE GROWING STOCK

Good Range Decided Help in Developing Big Healthy Pullets.

The age to let chicks out of doors depends upon the weather and the season. The general practice is to keep them indoors at least the first week to ten days until they become thoroughly accustomed to their new surroundings. Up to the broiler size, chicks do not require a great deal of space to run provided they are not crowded in the brooder house.

Close confinement under crowded quarters encourages chick vices such as feather pulling. If you happen to have trouble of this kind, try covering the injured or bleeding parts with roofing cement. The dull, dark color of the cement distracts the eye of the other chicks and this will help to break the vice.

Chicks should not be allowed to run on the same ground year after year. The soil soon becomes the host of many disease germs and parasites. It really is very much easier to raise chicks on clean soil and much more economical than to attempt raising them on contaminated ground. Turning the soil over around the brooder house does not protect the chicks, because many of the disease germs and parasites will live more than one season in the soil.

It is not an uncommon thing to find growing stock running with the old hens. This is not giving the chicks a fair chance. Time and again young stock have contracted diseases which prove fatal, just because they were on the same ground with the old hens. Besides, the hens generally rule supreme with the result that the chicks cannot eat in peace, get run over and are apt to be stepped on and injured. It is best to provide a separate range for the growing stock.

Better, stronger, heavier laying pullets can be raised if they have a chance to run by themselves on a good grass range. In fact, three-fourths of the causes for chick losses could be eliminated by providing a clean range and feeding the chicks clean whole-some feed. Adopt some good commercial mash. It will eliminate worry and insure rapid sound growth. Be sure that you follow the feeding instructions accompanying the feed.

Judge (to prospective juryman)—So you've formed an opinion of the case?

Prospective juryman—Yes, your honor one look at that man convinced me he was guilty!

Judge—Stand down! That's the prosecuting counsel!

Five-year-old Mary was teaching three-year-old Audrey the value of different coins.

"That's a dime; it will buy some candy. That's a nickel; it will buy an ice-cream cone. That's a penny; it's only good for Sunday school!"—Children.

# CARE OF THE LAWN.

If a little work is put on the lawn early in the season, there will be practically no trouble in keeping it in shape during the rest of the year. At this time, the ground is soft and dandelions and plantains, two of the worst pests, as well as most of the other weeds, can be removed quite easily. Weeding devices are now sold which either pull or cut off tap-rooted plants without musing up the lawn. A few minutes each day for a week or two will soon rid the patch of all offenders. Where wide-spreading weeds such as dandelions, plantain and knot-grass have got established and their removal leaves a fairly large piece of bare ground behind, it is well to rake in liberally with grass seed, rolling the patches smooth. The new grass will soon fill up these spaces. This is the real time to use a heavy roller or pounder, such implements firming the soil around the roots of the young grass and insuring an even velvety surface later on. Sharp frosts at night during the Spring months are responsible for heaving up the top half inch of the soil and thus creating dangerous air spaces around the roots. It is to correct this condition that the roller or pounder is used. At this time, too, the grass, like the old-fashioned child, needs a Spring tonic and for this purpose nitrate of soda is advised. This is one of the most quickly available fertilizers and is particularly valuable in restoring energy to those plants which were injured during the Winter weather. A light application of pulverized sheep manure is also advocated by lawn experts. This will provide nourishment over quite a long period and will add humus to the soil. Clippings of grass should be allowed to stay on the lawn to provide a mulch which will protect the tender plants from the hot sun and will also conserve moisture. If the lawn is cut every four or five days, as it should be, these clippings will not disfigure the surface.

An itinerant collector of old iron was trundling his barrow along a very narrow road. Behind him was a somewhat elderly motor car, the impatient driver of which was hooting and tooting in his anxiety to pass the old iron barrow.

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**MARRIED**  
Jarvis-Sedgewick — At St. James' Church, Ormstown, Friday, May 24th, 1929, Rev. W. T. Payne officiating, Mrs. Mary Sedgewick (nee Mary Armandy) to Mr. Gordon Jarvis, of Huntingdon.

**DIED**  
Benoit—At Hemmingford, Que., May 26, 1929, Irma, beloved daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Benoit, aged 31 years, 11 months.

**Caldwell**—At his late residence, Stanstead, Que., May 21st, 1929, George Caldwell, formerly of the Ridge, Godmanchester, in the 95th year of his age.

**Levy**—At Syracuse, N.Y., Saturday, May 25th, 1929, Joseph Levy, of Malone, N.Y., in his 49th year.  
**McCracken**—At Malone, N.Y., on May 23rd, 1929, Violet Pearl, younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alex. McCracken, age 5 years and 7 months.

The Royal Society of Arts in England called a conference to consider "the best means of preserving the ancient cottage architecture of this country," and have the picturesque cottages made adequate for the people of today. Now that so many American come years to see the cottage homes of England, it is felt that this is a better investment than replacements with new homes.

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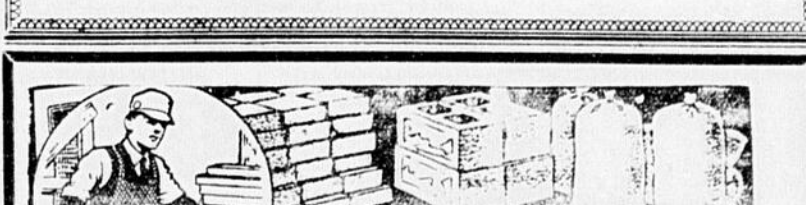
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# "The Black Pigeon"

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"What's that? The boys didn't find a gun in either place? . . . Well, I didn't think they would. . . . By the way, Captain, any report on Borden's man servant, Ashe, yet? I told Birdwell an hour ago to have him brought here, as soon as he shows up. Yes, here! I'm making these offices my headquarters for today, at least. Yes, she's a lot of help to me, and I don't want to drag her down to headquarters if I can help it." McMann nodded and smiled at Ruth to indicate that he was referring to her.

"Mrs. Borden? I sent her home at noon. She has a sick child. No, no danger of her blowing . . . Oh, sure, she's still in the picture. O'Brien's keeping an eye on her. . . . All right, Captain. See you soon, and McMann hung up the receiver just as Birdwell opened the door. Between the two offices.

"Detective Clay and Rita Dubois, sir."

"Good! Show Rita in. I'll speak to Clay out there. McMann directed as he rose from Borden's desk.

"Shall I leave the room, Mr. McMann?" Ruth asked, but so wistfully that the stern-faced detective smiled again, with something like paternal fondness.

"I should say not! I'm counting on your help," he boomed and bolted from the room before she could thank him.

A minute later the door opened to admit Rita Dubois. The dancer's black eyes looked enormous in the thin, exotically beautiful face, but there was a nonchalant smile on the vividly rouged lips.

"Well, well! We meet again, darling," she drawled, as she swayed, gloved hand on a slim hip, toward Ruth Lester. "I see you've shed the horn-rimmed spectacles, along with the rest of your scared, bunny disguise, and believe me you're a riot."

She had come quite close, and suddenly her voice dropped to a whisper. "Listen, infant! Slip me a tip, won't you? Does that big shift of a detective know I was here Saturday afternoon? Is that why he sent a dick out to drag me in?"

Ruth smiled, felt again that warm rush of friendliness toward the breezy, slangy dancer. The elevator operator told him he brought you up about two o'clock Saturday afternoon," she answered in a whisper.

"Thanks, kid! The dancer drew a sharp breath, the nonchalant smile was wiped from the rouged lips. Suddenly she looked old and tired and very much afraid.

CHAPTER XXIII  
Detective Sergeant McMann made quick work of his preliminary questioning of Rita Dubois. Her name, age, profession and place of employment were given coolly, even nonchalantly, but Ruth, seated near the dancer, so that both of the girls faced the detective across the dead man's desk, knew that Rita's hands were tightly locked.

"And so you and Borden, after your first meeting about three weeks ago, became lovers?" McMann pounced suddenly.

"That's a lie!" Rita denied vehemently, her black eyes blazing.

"Then—" McMann grinned crookedly—"I take it that your week-end at Winter Haven with Handsome Harry was to have been in the nature of a honeymoon? Let's not waste time, Miss Dubois! I know that you and Borden had planned to go to Winter Haven on the 2:15 Saturday afternoon, that Borden had bought a drawing room for the trip and that he had reserved a suite for you and himself at the Winter Haven Hotel. Now what I want you to tell me is—why didn't Borden meet you at the station as he had planned?"

The dancer laughed, but it was not a gay sound. "That was what I wanted to know, too—and I found out when I saw the headlines about the murder at noon today."

For two hours Ruth Lester had been praying that Rita Dubois would furnish Jack Hayward an alibi, by admitting that Borden was alive when she had visited him after 2:15. The collapse of that hope now was so unnerving that the girl feared she would faint.

"So it was news to you that Borden was dead, was it, Rita?" McMann grinned.

"I'll say it was!" Rita assured him nonchalantly again. "I was knocked out. Fainted right on the street. My girl friend, Willette Wilbur, who was downtown with me, had to call a cab and take me to her home. She can tell you. And then I find a dick waiting to grab me."

"Were you in love with Harry Borden, Rita?" McMann interrupted suddenly.

Color swept over the thin, exotic face. "That's my business! . . . But God knows I didn't wish him any harm."

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ed with pencil poised.

Rita shrugged. "I guess so. Maybe a minute or two sooner—I don't know. I knocked on the door and there wasn't any answer. I knocked several times and then tried the knob and found the door locked, so I went away again. There wasn't anything else to do," she added defiantly.

"Of course not!" McMann agreed blandly. "Nothing to do but to turn right around and go right back home, and wait for Borden to call you there. So that's what you did, eh?"

"Yes," the dancer agreed eagerly—and felt headlong into McMann's trap.

"Then, Rita! McMann asked, as Ruth leaned forward tensely, "how do you account for the fact that you spent at least 10 minutes on the seventh floor?"

"I didn't," Rita denied recklessly. "Ruth could hardly suppress a gasp of relief. Now, at least, Rita Dubois was lying. Micky Moran, the elevator operator, had testified that after taking the dancer to the seventh floor he had spent at least 10 minutes in the telephone booth in the lobby of the Starbridge Building in conversation with his girl. But, of course, Rita could not know this—

Suddenly an incident which she had completely forgotten until that moment occurred to Ruth. Lester like a flash of lightning across a dark sky. "Please, Mr. McMann," she cried, her voice quivering with excited hope, "may I speak with you privately for a minute?"

The detective led the trembling girl to a far corner of Borden's office, while Rita stared after them with enormous, frightened black eyes.

"I've just remembered something," Mr. McMann. Ruth whispered, as the big man bent low to listen. "Saturday morning, when Mr. Borden was in the outer office with Rita, he waved goodbye to her with the torn half of a yellow-backed banknote of \$500."

"I didn't think much of it at the time, but now I believe I know what happened, and what Mr. Borden meant when he said that about keeping his part of the bargain if she kept hers."

"Yes, yes," McMann urged impatiently, as Ruth paused for breath.

"I'm sure now that they had been suffering playing Rita. Lester take the bill away from him, and tearing it in two. I'm sure—sure—that he let her keep half of the torn bill, and had promised to give her the other half after she'd kept her promise about—about going away with him."

"Well?" McMann grunted, frowning in deep concentration.

"Oh, don't you see?" Ruth implored. "If she's telling the truth—if she really didn't see Mr. Borden again, she still has her half of the bill! But I believe she's lying! I believe Mr. Borden was alive when she came, and that he either gave her the other half of the bill, as he had undoubtedly promised he would, or that—that they quarreled because he wouldn't, and she—she—"

Her whispering voice faltered. She could not bring herself to utter an accusation of murder. "Oh, Mr. McMann, please believe I'm not just talking wildly—to help someone else! I know Rita must have been desperate for money, and yet I don't think she's just a gold-digger either."

McMann frowned. Then, "Was Borden in the habit of carrying bills of large denomination?"

"He was, he was!" Ruth replied. "He was terribly vain about money—loved to flash hundred-dollar bills. Just last week he showed me a \$500 banknote—told me to take a good look at it, as I might never see one again. I told him he was foolish to carry such big sums on his person, but he just laughed at me and look-

ed pleased with himself. Maybe—maybe he showed it to Rita Saturday morning—" She faltered.

McMann nodded slowly, the frown slowly clearing. "And Borden's half of the bill was not on his body this morning. Of course whoever took the \$500 in smaller bills might have taken the useless torn half—"

"It wouldn't have been useless to one person—Rita Dubois!" Ruth reminded him. "And she could have passed it, no matter how she got it, for she would have thought no one knew of Borden's having had the other half! Please ask her for her half of the bill, Mr. McMann! If she still has it, I'll believe she did not see Mr. Borden when she came back Saturday afternoon."

Detective Birdwell interrupted the whispered conference. Headquarters on the line, sir. The Golden Slipper safe was robbed sometime between closing time early Sunday morning and noon today. The manager of the safe says some sort of tip about a \$500 bill—

As McMann reached for the extension on Borden's desk, Rita Dubois looked wildly about as if for a way of escape, then braced herself against the desk, her enormous black eyes fixed in an agony of suspense upon the detective.

CHAPTER XXIV  
"Hello, Captain! McMann speaking," the detective in charge of the investigation into the murder of Henry P. Borden greeted his superior on the other end of the wire. "The Golden Slipper's safe has been cracked, eh? Lose much?"

"Hm! Guess I know what graft to get into when I retire from this office. . . . What's that? A \$500 bill, eh? When did it get in?"

"Changed?" and McMann raised his brows and smiled his sinister, crooked smile at Rita Dubois, who was leaning toward him, her lovely face white and drawn with suspense.

"Listen, captain, is the club's manager there now? All right, ask him if he remembers whether the bill had been torn half in two and pasted and pinned together."

The words were uttered with slow, dreadful significance, the detective's face never leaving Rita's stricken face. The answer, when it came, brought a grunt of satisfaction from the detective, who quickly concluded the conversation.

"Well, Rita?" McMann grinned, as he hung up the receiver. Suddenly he leaned forward and addressed the quivering dancer, who, his pencil tapping staccato periods to his brief sentences: "No use wasting time! Saturday morning Borden gave you half of a \$500 bill. He kept the other half. He had bargained to give it to you when you had kept your promise to go to Winter Haven with him."

"In addition to the torn half of a \$500 bill, Borden had more than \$500 in smaller bills to pay for the week-end jaunt. No money was found on his body this morning! You say you didn't see Harry Borden Saturday afternoon, yet Saturday night, when the Golden Slipper opened at 11 o'clock, you were there with a \$500 bill which had been torn in two and pasted together, and which you had the club manager change into smaller bills for you. Now—that's all true, and there's no use

your denying any of it. What I want to know is—how did you get the other half of the \$500 banknote? Come clean, Rita—and no hysterics!"

"Yes—it's all true. I lied. I did see Harry Borden Saturday afternoon."

"Dead or alive—or both?" McMann pounced.

Rita's voice was the monotone of a woman who is restraining hysterics. "Alive. I didn't kill him, if that is what you mean. He was alive and well when I left, after having been with him only about 10 minutes."

"Thank God!" Ruth cried, in a voice shaking with laughter and tears. "At half-past two, when Rita left Mr. Borden—alive, alive!—Jack and I were in the lobby of the Princess Theatre, Mr. McMann!"

"And the curtain did not rise until 2:45," McMann reminded her, but almost absent-mindedly. "Of course someone may remember seeing you and Hayward there at half-past two. Did you ask the box office man when the matinee was to start?"

No, of course not," Ruth admitted reluctantly. "There was a sign in the lobby giving certain time, so we just walked about for 10 minutes, as Jack told you."

"I remember," McMann granted that twisted smile on his lips again. "But Rita has the floor now. Well, Rita, how did you get in Saturday afternoon at about 17 minutes after two? Did you use the key Borden had given you?"

Ruth gasped her surprise, and the dancer, apparently, was no less startled. "I—I didn't have a key," she retorted defiantly, her agitated hands instinctively gripping her handbag.

"Oh, yes, you did!" McMann laughed harshly, as he rose, strode to the girl and forced the expensive alligator bag out of her desperately clinging hands.

Ruthlessly, without apology, he dumped its contents upon the desk top, until a key clattered upon the polished surface. "And here it is!"

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You amateurs are always so sloppy," he reproved the dancer jocularly. "An old hand at the game would have remembered to throw this thing away."

"How did you know I had a key to Harry's office?" Rita demanded.

"Because of a little memo that Borden jotted down on the envelope that held his railway tickets," McMann enlightened her. "Get key from Rita. Now, Rita, why didn't Borden get key from Rita if he was alive when you entered these offices Saturday afternoon?"

Ruth saw only too clearly the drift of McMann's questions. He undoubtedly believed that the promoter was dead when Rita arrived that he had been shot immediately after his telephone conversation with her, in which he had told her to come to the office, that she had arrived, knocked, received no answer, entered with the key Borden had lent her, had found her would-be lover dead, and had, in her desperate need for money, robbed the body.

If only Rita had not had a key, she could not have entered unless Borden had been alive to admit her, then Jack Hayward would automatically have been eliminated as a suspect. But Rita was answering, and Ruth forced herself to listen.

"He forgot to ask me for the key, I suppose," Rita retorted defiantly. "Anyway, he made a date to meet me at the station for the 5:32, the next train for Winter Haven. He wouldn't have needed the key before that any-

way, since he told me he was going to stay in his office all afternoon."

"He'd given me the key Friday when I was having lunch with him—breakfast for me, lunch for him. I was to meet him at the office about 6 Friday evening and go out to dinner with him and he said he might not be in when I got there. I'd better take the key and let myself in with it, so I would not have to wait in the hall. Later he phoned me to meet him at the Crillon, instead, and I did, and forgot to give him the key. But I did not use it Saturday—didn't even remember I had it. I knocked and he let me in. He was expecting me of course, but before he opened the door he asked who it was and when I shouted 'Rita,' he let me in."

"And then?" McMann grinned skeptically, as Rita paused. "What explanation did he give you for missing the train?"

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## ATHELSTAN

Mr. and Mrs. Muir and Miss Eleanor Muir, of Montreal, visited last week at the home of their daughter, Mrs. E. E. Wells, Wellfleet Farm.

Mr. and Mrs. George Elder and sons, Danny, Bruce and Jimmie left on Saturday morning for a motor trip to St. Albans, Vt., Miss Rosetta Miller accompanied them.

Miss Lizzie Grant, of Montreal, spent the week-end at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gruer and their two daughters of Tatchewick, visited at the home of Mrs. Robert Elder on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Selby Dunlop and Miss Minnie Bedell were guests of Miss L. Stott and Miss L. Grant over the week-end.

Miss Vera Stark spent a few days last week with her aunt, Mrs. Hugh French.

Misses Isabel and Annie Crombie, of Montreal, spent the holidays at the home of L. D. Watson.

Week-end guests at Wellfleet Farm included Mr. and Mrs. Adam and son, Donald, of Montreal, also Mr. Francis McLean.

Mr. and Mrs. Harland Rowat and son, of Shawville, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Rowat and sons, and Miss Grace Rowat, of Montreal, visited with their parents, during the week-end holidays.

Mr. Clifford French, of Sorel, spent the week-end at home.

The members of the Athelstan Presbyterian choir, assisted by several soloists from Montreal repeated the Cantata, "Easter Memories" in the church basement on Sunday evening. The organist, Mrs. E. E. Wells and members of the choir have spent a great deal of time rehearsing this beautiful Cantata and were much pleased with the large and appreciative audience which assembled to listen to the selections on Sunday evening. Mr. Adam also conducted a sing song of old favourite hymns previous to the Cantata.

## ROCKBURN

Week-end guests at the home of Mr. Ernest Rennie were Mr. Robert Rennie and family of Moores, N.Y., and Mr. Chas. Poole and family of Montreal.

Mrs. Boyd, of Huntingdon, is at present the guest of Mrs. A. Pollock.

Mr. Osmond of Montreal, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. John Oliver.

Some-comes this week included Mr. Henry Lawson, Miss Ethel Oliver of Montreal, and Miss Beryl Moore of Ormstown.

Mr. and Mrs. George A. Goldie spent Sunday with Mrs. McIntosh in Huntingdon.

Prof. E. A. Corbett, of Edmonton, Alta., and Percy Corbett, of McGill University called on a few of their many friends in Rockburn on Sunday last.

At time of writing there is prospect of an abundant crop of fruit of all kinds in this section, the apple orchards, especially presenting a gorgeous appearance.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Hunter, of Huntingdon, visited in this neighborhood on Sunday last.

The play, "It happened in June" which was put on by the curlers of Riverfield last week was much enjoyed, although the crowd, owing to counter attraction, was not as large as the production merited.

## ST. AGNES

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Carrière, Mr. and Mrs. Emmanuel Dumouchet, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar, of Port Lewis, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Saumier and family recently.

Mrs. Eddie Leahy and nephew, Francis and Henry and niece, May, of Toronto, Ont., were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Quenel recently.

Miss Albertine Latulipe motored to Montreal to spend the week-end visiting relations.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Latulipe and Mr. Jos. Latulipe and family spent Sunday visiting friends and relatives in St. Agnes.

Mr. and Mrs. Athanasie Lapierre, of Massena, N.Y., Miss Claire and Céline Saumier, of St. Agnes, Mr. Paul and Emile Hart, of Massena, spent Sunday visiting in Valleyfield.

Mr. Rupert Saumier spent Sunday visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Saumier.

Mr. Oscar and Xavier Trépanier and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Trépanier of St. Agnes spent Sunday visiting friends and relatives in this vicinity.

Mr. Henry Saumier spent some time visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jos. LeFebvre of Lechin.

Miss Addy Currie, who spent a few months in Niagara Falls and Buffalo motored home to spend the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. William Leblanc visited Mr. and Mrs. James Léger and family on Sunday.

Mr. George Latulipe and Miss Jeanne Latulipe and friend of Bombay, N.Y., spent Sunday visiting relatives and friends in this vicinity.

## DUNDEE

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Hastie, Mr. Peter Hastie and Mrs. Cassie McDonald, of Montreal, were week-end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Norman McPhee.

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## HUNTINGDON

Empire Day holiday visitors were Mr. Michael Moriarty at the home of his sister, Mrs. Robert Rolfe; Mr. J. Everett Oney visited his mother, Mrs. J. R. Oney; Miss Elsie McFarlane at the home of Miss Robb, Wellington St.; Mr. Everett Cogland at his home.

The usual number of holiday visitors were home for Empire Day and many for the extended week-end.

Mrs. J. R. Clouston, of Montreal, is visiting at the home of her son, Dr. H. R. Clouston.

The Empire Day festivities held in O'Connor Hall in the evening were well attended. The Hockey Club as a result of the dance will have sufficient funds in the treasury to assure the purchase of new uniforms for next winter's hockey team. It is probable that the club will hold another social evening in view of raising money for additional equipment for the hockey team.

Miss Lucille Lefebvre tendered a miscellaneous shower Thursday evening in honor of Miss Germaine Quenneville. A large number of friends attended and report an enjoyable time. The gifts were very pretty.

Miss Constance Winfred, of Holywood, Calif., called on friends in town Monday evening.

Mr. Neil Henderson, of the Bank of Montreal staff at Renfrew, Ont., is spending holidays at his home here.

Mr. Gerald Hunter left Saturday morning on a trip to Vancouver, B.C.

Miss Norma McLean, of Montreal, was the guest over the holiday at the home of Mrs. Alex. Brown.

Among those attending the re-unions at Bourget College this week are Rev. J. A. David, St. Agnes; Rev. D. R. McDonald, St. Barbe; and Drs. O. E. J. E. Caza, Huntingdon.

## FRANKLIN CENTRE

Mr. and Mrs. John Dickenson spent Empire Day and until Sunday evening visiting friends in Malone, N.Y. and vicinity.

Mrs. McGregor, of Riverfield, was the week-end guest of her sister, Mrs. Stevenson, Sr., and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Stevenson.

Mr. and Mrs. John B. Angell daughter, Phyllis, and son Bruce, of Montreal, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Johnston.

Mr. William Woods, who has been spending a few weeks at Mr. Chas. Rowe's during his convalescence, returned to his work in Montreal last Sunday.

Mrs. William Parham called on Mrs. B. M. Johnston last Sunday.

Mrs. Ryan, of Temiskaming, Que., is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Dan Leahy and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Whitehead, Mrs. M. E. Young and Miss Maggie Pringle, motored to Whipperville, N.Y., last Sunday and were the guests of Mrs. Whitehead's sister, Mrs. Grenaway and family.

Rev. and Mrs. Haughton of Dundee were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Johnston on Monday.

The Box Social which was held at Mr. and Mrs. Harold Stevenson's last Friday evening was a decided success. Receipts were over \$30.00.

Mr. and Mrs. George Brooks were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Stevenson.

Miss Gertrude Brooks, who is going to High School at Ormstown, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. M. Brooks.

Mrs. Fenwick and Mrs. Kelly, of Chateaugay Basin, Mrs. Summerhill, Miss Ellis, Miss Robertson, of Montreal, spent the 24th of May the guests of Mrs. Lewis Blair.

Mrs. Robertson, Miss D. Robertson, of Montreal, motored out, and spent last Sunday the guests of Mrs. L. Blair.

Mr. and Mrs. John Manley and son Willard, of Malone, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Sproule.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Lavigne, of Ormstown and Mr. Willie McGill, of Cowansville, were the Sunday guests of Mrs. McGill and Mr. John Breslin.

Mr. Gerald Beaudin, of Champlain, and Mrs. Alphonse Beaudin, were the guests of Mrs. Beaudin last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kavanagh and family of Montreal were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Leahy.

Devotees of winter sports in Germany are so eager to ski in remote parts of the mountains that many lose their way when night falls. Now in one place a lighthouse searchlight has been installed on the roof of a mountain shelter-house. It flashes every two seconds, and can be seen at a great distance, serving as a guide in fog and darkness.



Miss Muriel Ross, R.N., of Athelstan, who graduated with honors from Holyoke Hospital.

## M. Ross Wins Scholarship From Holyoke Hospital

Miss Muriel Ross, of Athelstan, was one of the two members of the graduating class of 18 members at Holyoke Hospital, Holyoke, Mass., to receive scholarships for their high standing and general ability during their three years' training.

Miss Ross was awarded the scholarship for highest standing in nursing ability, personality, loyalty, and general interest throughout the entire course of training. This standing was achieved through her diligent study and practical experience.

In public baths, insist upon using a clean, sterilized swimming suit and towel.

Learn how to employ the various methods of bringing drowned people back to life.

Schaefer's method, which is much recommended by the American Red Cross Society, is fully explained in the following:

As soon as a drowned person is taken from the water, he should be laid face downwards, head lower than the limbs, the arms fully extended parallel to the head which should face on one side. Never lay him down on his back, the head higher than the body.

The victim being placed as already said, the rescuer stands astride him facing towards his head, one foot on each side of his hips. With both hands, he seizes him at the waist and lifts him three or four times until all the water has been thrown out. This should not last more than one minute.

2. With a finger wrapped in a handkerchief or a piece of cloth, he wipes out all the slime and mucus from the mouth.

3. The tongue of the patient is pulled forward with the fingers or better still with a forceps which is fixed so as to prevent the tongue from falling back in the throat and blocking the air passages.

4. The body being replaced as above described, the rescuer kneels down astride the patient's hips. He then places his hands over the small of the back, both thumbs nearly touching, fingers pointing downwards over the lower ribs, arms fully extended. By bringing his body forward without bending his arms, he brings the full weight of his body to press on the base of the lungs. This movement must not be violent and must not last more than four seconds; it expels the air from the lungs.

5. The rescuer immediately resumes his former position in order to relieve the pressure, which allows the lungs to refill with air, but his hands must remain in place.

6. After two seconds, the above movement is resumed and must be repeated about eighteen times a minute.

7. The operation is repeated indefinitely as long as the victim is not completely brought back to life. In no case should it be stopped until it has lasted at least an hour. If the rescuer feels tired, he may ask someone to take his place, but if he is alone he must go on notwithstanding his fatigue.

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## NOW THAT SWIMMING TIME IS HERE.

Swimming is one of the most healthful of all sports but certain healthful rules should be observed.

Don't swim right after eating. Wait about two hours.

Don't swim while overheated. Wait until you have cooled off. Failure to observe these rules frequently causes cramps.

Don't swim until you are completely exhausted. Stop before you get "that tired feeling." Fish can swim all day without getting tired, but a human being can not.

If you are going to dive into the water, make certain that it is deep enough. Many a perfectly good head has been completely ruined by suddenly crashing upon the hard concrete or rocky bottom of a swimming pool.

Should you be caught in a swift current or undertow, don't thrash your arms and legs wildly. Let the force of the current bring you to the surface. Keep your head. You will need it.

Always have your arms in position ready for taking a stroke. You might step into a hole and need a quick stroke to get you out.

Don't go into a swimming pool if you are not well. Communicable diseases, such as typhoid fever, common colds, pink-eye, skin, eye, ear, nose and throat infections are frequently spread through swimming pools by persons who are suffering from such diseases.

In public baths, insist upon using a clean, sterilized swimming suit and towel.

Learn how to employ the various methods of bringing drowned people back to life.

Schaefer's method, which is much recommended by the American Red Cross Society, is fully explained in the following:

As soon as a drowned person is taken from the water, he should be laid face downwards, head lower than the limbs, the arms fully extended parallel to the head which should face on one side. Never lay him down on his back, the head higher than the body.

The victim being placed as already said, the rescuer stands astride him facing towards his head, one foot on each side of his hips. With both hands, he seizes him at the waist and lifts him three or four times until all the water has been thrown out. This should not last more than one minute.

2. With a finger wrapped in a handkerchief or a piece of cloth, he wipes out all the slime and mucus from the mouth.

3. The tongue of the patient is pulled forward with the fingers or better still with a forceps which is fixed so as to prevent the tongue from falling back in the throat and blocking the air passages.

4. The body being replaced as above described, the rescuer kneels down astride the patient's hips. He then places his hands over the small of the back, both thumbs nearly touching, fingers pointing downwards over the lower ribs, arms fully extended. By bringing his body forward without bending his arms, he brings the full weight of his body to press on the base of the lungs. This movement must not be violent and must not last more than four seconds; it expels the air from the lungs.

5. The rescuer immediately resumes his former position in order to relieve the pressure, which allows the lungs to refill with air, but his hands must remain in place.

6. After two seconds, the above movement is resumed and must be repeated about eighteen times a minute.

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## COVEY HILL

The Misses Jessie and Katie Christie of St. Lambert re-opened their summer cottage here last week. They entertained their friends, Mrs. Hilton and her sister, Mrs. Seath and little Miss Anne Seath, all returning to town together.

Miss Goudrey was a recent guest of Miss Clara Jackson.

Mr. S. Lowden of Moores, N. Y., accompanied his father back to Mr. Stevenson's last Saturday.

Mrs. J. Goudrey and son George were callers recently on Miss Edwards, Keithburn.

Messrs. S. M. Simpson, W. W. Lowden, W. R. Perry and W. W. Widdowson motored to Howick on Saturday.

Mr. Eugene Titus and family of Brainerdville, N. Y., visited at Mr. Ed. Sutton's this week.

The Misses Ruth and Ethel Barr were guests of their sister, Mrs. McArthur for the week-end.

Messrs. Alfred and Ernest Cole and families, Mrs. Cole Sr. and Miss Cole and Miss Lovine spent some days at the Lilacs, and arranged for a patriotic display of fireworks in connection with Empire Day, which was greatly enjoyed by a number of young people in the vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Allen were visitors at Mr. E. E. Perry's on Saturday.

Miss Dowling and Mrs. J. W. Curran enjoyed a motor ride to Plattsburgh on Saturday.

Mrs. Goudrey, Mr. Geo. Goudrey and Mrs. C. B. Edwards called on friends in Howick this week.

Callers at Mr. E. Lowden's have been Mr. Geo. Sutton, Mr. Robt. Rennie, Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Rennie, and the Misses Earle of Moores, N. Y.

Mr. Arthur Sutton and his mother visited Mr. S. Sutton on Sunday.

Mr. Hollis Lowden called on his friends here this week.

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## LE RAT 1937.

This well known French Canadian Stallion will stand as usual at his own stable, except during Ormstown Show. Evenings after 6:30 by appointment. Phone 652 r 2.  
Terms \$2.00 at time of service and \$8.00 when mare proves to be in foal. Payable in March.

C. H. Brown, Glenelg, Que.

## TOP NOTCH [23411]

## Black Clyde.

Sire: Lanark Lad Imp. (15321)  
Dam: Queen of Corrine Imp. (123997)  
(25011)  
Sire of Sire: Scotland Splendour Imp. (15322) (16809)  
Dam of Sire: Miss Lanark Imp. (29300) (31650)  
Sire of Dam: Castleton King (16144) (31495)  
Dam of Dam: Margie of South Corrine (23992) (21166)  
Approved Breeder

This black Clyde horse will stand at his owner's for the season \$5.00 to insure \$7.00 to stand and suck colt 9 days.

All mares at owner's risk.  
T. L. Irving, Laquerre.  
Also graded, York Boar, \$1.00 at time of service.

## WOODLAND PRIDE

## No. (12473) (18309)

This imported Percheron is five years old, dapple grey color and weighs over a ton, has proved himself a great breeder and at the leading shows has won ten championships.

## BRIDGEBANK MAX

## No. (21303) (25555)

This imported Clydesdale is rising five years old, dark bay color with white markings, has proved himself a sure breeder, and one of the best bred horses ever brought to this section, sired by that great breeding horse, Auchinflower, dam by the unbeaten Dunure Footprint. Both these horses are owned by the Huntingdon Agricultural Society and will stand during the season at the barn of George Pringle, one-half mile west of the village of Huntingdon, and both under the following terms: To members of the Huntingdon Agricultural Society, \$2 at time of service and \$12 when mares prove in foal, non-members, \$2 at time of service and \$17 when mares prove in foal. All mares at owner's risk.

For further particulars and pedigrees, see proprietor.

## THE WOODSIDE STUD

Stud Horse HALL MARK, Imp. 25800, Born July 1926. Colour, Dark Bay, face and legs white.  
Sire Benefactor (20867) Sire of Sire Tyvie Sensation 20042. Dam Irene, 54424. Sire of dam, Dunure Independence.

In Hall Mark we feel that we are offering the services of one of the best Clydesdale colts that has been imported for some time. "The Scottish Farmer" makes the following comment: "He is a beautifully balanced, thick set colt with excellent feet and legs and fine straight hair."

He will stand at his home stable for the season. Fee \$15.00 to insure \$13.00 to Society members. All mares at owner's risk.

R. R. NESS & SONS, Howick, Que.

FARM FOR SALE—Known as the Wm. MacDonald farm. Situated at St. Agnes de Dundee, Que., containing 100 arpents of very good soil. Buildings and house in good condition. 3 miles from railroad station, close to schools and churches. For further particulars apply to G. Davidson, St. Agnes de Dundee, Que.

HOUSE FOR SALE—Good 13-room house on King Street. Apply: Leo Legault, Huntingdon, Phone: 197 W.

FOR SALE—Comfortable dwelling house on King St. in the Town of Huntingdon. Large shed and garage in connection. Immediate possession given. For particulars apply to T. W. Furey, P.O. Box 202, Huntingdon.

FOR SALE or RENT—House 12-rooms, one acre of land, garden near lake, good fishing, house furnished or unfurnished. Yacht 33 feet, B.C. cedar. Apply Joseph Genier, Port Lewis, St. Anicet R.R.

BABY CHICKS—9 different varieties of bred-to-day strains guaranteed pure bred, 100 per cent safe arrival, guaranteed. Ask for free catalogues.

Seeds & Birds Co.,  
1421 Bessy St., Montreal.

FOR SALE—A Ford truck in best order, a new motor, just tested, full brand new tires. Guaranteed in good running order. E. Betnesky, Phone: No. 6.

FOR SALE or RENT—Cottage unfurnished. Apply: Miss Stalker, Huntingdon.

FOR SALE—Tomato plants from 20 to 35¢ per dozen (Greenhouse grown). A. N. Capron, Ridge Road, Phone: 609 r 2.

FOR SALE—One cook stove (range) apply: James Impara, Wellington St. Day, Phone: 95.

FOR SALE—35 telephone poles, also 100 3-foot poles. Apply: Ovidia Daoust, Athelstan, Que.

FOR SALE—Jersey Bull calves at bargain prices. One ready for service from Government high testing females, and sired by Brampton Sultan of O, who heads our herd. He is a son of the famous Oxford Sultan of Oaklands. Apply to A. J. Steele, Brysonville, Que.

FOR SALE—A four-passenger Willys-Knight coupe. Apply to Dr. J. M. Barrington.

## INCLUDEN

## Imp. (24943) (19421)

Clydesdale Stallion  
Bay, face and legs white, bred by James Cameron, Includen, Mains, Dumfriesshire, Scotland; imported October 1923 by William McHarey, Russell, Ont.

Sire: Mendel (12758) (14753)  
Dam: Jenny of Cudchoe (19132) (18343)

Sire of Sire: Rozelle (Imp.) (16734) (19638)

Dam of Sire: Gem (17392)  
Sire of Dam: Brogue Chief (Imp.) (8651) (11280)

Dam of Dam: Heroine (4448) (8522)  
Will stand for season at stables of W. C. Brethour. Terms: \$2.00 down, and \$10.00 March 1st. All mares at owner's risk.

(A sure foal getter)  
Wm. McHarey, W. C. Brethour,  
Prop. Groom and Collector,  
Russell, Ont. Huntingdon, P.Q.

## CHAMPIONSHIP

Recognized as golfers everywhere as one of the finest courses the world can boast, Jasper has been chosen as the scene of the forthcoming Canadian Amateur Championships in August. Another interesting golf event, the special Jasper Golf Week, open to all golfers, is scheduled for September 7th to 14th.

Those who favor other recreations will find ample scope in Jasper, too. Mountain climbing with Swiss guides, trail rides, motorizing, swimming in a warm outdoor pool, exploring through a scenic wonderland, your choice of programme topped off by the delightful evenings of informal luxury offered by Jasper Park Lodge itself.

En route to this Rocky Mountain playground, Minaki—in the Lake of the Woods region just east of Winnipeg—offers an attractive stop-over with Minaki Lodge as headquarters. Full details from any Canadian National agent.

WANTED—Woman, or girl to work in comfortable farm home (near town). Mrs. J. E. Barrett, Phone: 8, Huntingdon.

FOR SALE—Vegetable Plants, also Asters and Petunias. A. Lasalle, Huntingdon.

FOR SALE—Jersey bull calf, 2 weeks old. J. A. Dawson, Huntingdon, Phone: 610 r 2.

Province of Quebec.  
Township of Havelock.

TEACHERS WANTED  
Three Protestant teachers for Havelock schools. Nine months term, commencing Sept. 3rd. Salary \$50.00 per month. Applicants must have diploma. Applications to be in before the 15th day of June.

C. W. Potter, sec.-treas., May 27, 1929. Hemmingford, Que.

CLERK WANTED—Energetic young man wanted as clerk in a hardware store. Must be of good habits and able to speak both languages. Only those who can meet these requirements need apply. Box: 10, Huntingdon Gleaner.

WANTED—Roomers and boarders. House situated at the corner of Wellington and Lake Streets. Apply to Percy Bearce.

WANTED—By the year an experienced farmer, must be a good milker and able to handle horses. Good wages for the right man. Apply: C. E. Ewing, Glenelg, Phone: 635 r 1-4.

CALVES WANTED—Best prices paid for good real calves, young calves, also buying reactors. Dalton Ross, Athelstan, Phone: 633 r 4. W. Morrison, Glenelg, Phone: 635 r 1-4.

LIVE STOCK WANTED—A certain number every week. Highest prices and cash paid. Satisfaction guaranteed to the farmers of Huntingdon County. Jas. Heuston, Phone 29, Howick Station.

TO RENT—Seven-room self contained house with modern conveniences. Also 2 garages, sheds for storage. Immediate possession. Situated on King street. Apply to Jos. Laframboise.

FURNITURE REPAIRING, Etc.—Upholstering and repairing furniture, crating, etc. Promptly and neatly done. Prices reasonable. Opposite United Church. J. L. Kelly, Phone: 96W.

## DISTRICT NEWS ABOUT OUR FARMS

On the 7th of June Mr. P. N. April, Agronomist of Ste. Martine is holding an exhibition of all the pure-bred bulls that were purchased during the past year by the farmers in that area. The following day a like exhibition is to be held at St. Chrysostome. Mr. S. Chagnon, of Quebec, will be present, and will judge the animals. Mr. E. A. Bailey, manager, Bank of Commerce, Howick, is donating a silver cup for one of the exhibitors.

A contribution from Canadian industry to the cause of better agriculture is "Field and Farm Yard," a valuable book which has just been published by the Imperial Oil, Limited, with the contents compiled by Hon. Duncan Marshall, Minister of Agriculture in Alberta from 1909 to 1921. The contributors include many of the leading agricultural authorities of the Dominion, such as Dr. J. B. Saunders, former Dominion Cerealists; W. L. Carlyle, manager of E.P. ranch in Alberta; His Honor J. D. McGregor, Lieutenant-Governor of Manitoba; R. R. Ness, of Howick, Que.; Col. H. A. Bull, of St. Catharines; R. Rothwell, Dominion Animal Husbandman; W. A. Dryden, of Brooklin, Ont., chairman National Live Stock Records Board and others.

The handsomely illustrated book contains 226 pages in which are given practical information regarding soil cultivation, many live stock topics, seed selection, fertilizers, weeds and many other subjects. "Field and Farm Yard" has been heavily endorsed by Hon. W. R. Motherwell, Federal Minister of Agriculture, and Hon. J. S. Martin, Ontario Minister of Agriculture. A copy may be secured free by writing the Imperial Oil, Limited, Toronto.

HOWICK-HUNTINGDON AYRSHIRE CLUB NOTES

By John K. Dickson, Sec'y.

Ayrshires to Eastern Townships.

On May 10th, one of the best lot of res. Ayrshires to leave this district for some time were shipped to Georgetown, Que., for Mr. H. B. Norris.

Mr. Norris, who is in business in Montreal, purchased a farm near Massey, where he will keep the Ayrshires. The farm is well stocked with untested grades; these have since been disposed of, and the Ayrshires purchased in this district go to form the nucleus of a fully accredited herd.

Mr. Norris who was assisted in making his selections by Mr. W. C. Wylie, of Glen Elgin Farm, Howick, is taking a deep interest in Ayrshires and no doubt we will hear more of him later.

This shipment was selected as follows from Chas. Moe, the newly freshened cow, Fieldhouse Daley; from J. R. McQuat, Elm Hillside, Rosie, who freshened recently; Peter Dickson and Sons supplied a newly freshened daughter, Palmerston Security in Cedarcroft Beauty's Polly; from the Montreal Cottons Co., were selected two fresh cows, M.C.C. Phyllis and M.C.C. Rosebud; the June calving cow, the same as the August calving cow, M.C.C. Elinor; the latter two are in calf to the M.C.C.'s young imported herd sire.

From Rennie Bros., was selected a fresh cow in Hazelton Station, Pease, from T. B. Stark came the July calving cow, Springburn Lucky Rose and Gilbert McMillan supplied the June calving cow, Fairview Rose 2nd, which has a 2-year-old record with a B.F. test of 4.5% and is sired by a qualified bull, Beaver Meadow Reliance. The latter two cows mentioned are both in-calf to the well known prize winning sire Morton Mains Delineator. (Imp.) From George Elliott came the seven-year-old, hardy, and healthy, the Goods. This sire has left a lot of good young stock in the Elliott herd and will head Mr. Norris' herd.

Alta Crest Purchased Another Shipment.

Last week Mr. Wm. Gibson, buyer for Alta Crest Farms, Spencer, Mass., visited the district and purchased Ayrshires as follows:

From John Rudbeck, Huntingdon, In Re: ESTATE DAME ELIZABETH CAMPBELL in her lifetime of the Parish of St. Jean Chrysostome, widow of JOHN WOOD.

All persons having claims against the above Estate are requested to file the same within thirty days, and all persons owing the above Estate are likewise requested to make payment within the same delay.

William Walker Wood, Universal Legatee, Aubrey, Que.

Donald M. Rowat, N.P., The Royal Bank Bldg., 390 St. James St. Montreal.

Province of Quebec.  
Parish of St. Etienne de Beauharnois.

TENDERS WANTED  
For graveling one mile of St. Edward road, "Rang du 10" in the municipality of St. Etienne de Beauharnois. Tenders will be received up to Tuesday, June 4th at 7:30 p.m.

Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of the secretary-treasurer.

Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Gilbert Laberge, Sec'y-Treas., Beauharnois, May 21st, 1929.

three reg. cows of his own breeding; from Jas. Nesbitt, two grade cows; from R. T. Brownlee, one reg. cow, and one grade cow; from Geo. Petrie, Howick, one reg. and 1 grade; from R. R. Ness and Sons, were selected the dry cow, Willoxton Cherry 6th and the two-year-old heifer, Willoxton Cherry 8th, both these were part of a recent Ness importation and go to strengthen the Alta Crest show herd.

CONTROL OF THE CANADA THISTLE

A weed so well established as is Canada thistle, will not be exterminated by any means at present in sight, but a reasonable measure of control is both possible and economically sound.

This control, for its success, demands attention to two things—the seeding habit and the rooting habit of the plant. While the latter is receiving suitable attention in the fields, the former must be watched beyond their borders.

The seed measure requires that all stragglers in waste places, along roadsides, etc., be destroyed before maturity, by cutting, salting and pasturing, plowing under, or otherwise. Each neighboring farmer must be likewise concerned; a state of things which inspection under provincial laws is intended to bring about. Each farmer, moreover, must avail himself of all the protection in the matter of seed purchases, that the Seeds Act of Canada offers. No amount of work performed in the field, will keep them free of the weed, while its exceptional facilities for seed dispersal are being ignored.

Field infestations themselves are ordinarily best dealt with by the method of starvation. If the time a rotation of crops has come around to hay, following grain, thistle will have reached their maximum recovery from previous suppression. If the choice of hay crop, and its stand is such as to make a good smother crop, this is the first step. Legumes, especially alfalfa and sweet clover, make a heavy cover. They are removed in ample time to forestall seeding of the thistles, and to allow a long period of after-harvest following. As soon as thistles begin to show after mowing, the ground is plowed, and through the balance of the season, the underground parts are kept deprived of nourishment from the foliage, by use of the broad-shared cultivator. A somewhat deeper plowing late in the fall is a good finish to the season's work, and a cultivate crop the following year gives further opportunity to keep the foe at bay.

It will be seen that only the live-stock or mixed farmer can make full use of the method outlined. The crux of the matter is that due to the extent that the straight grain farmer can modify his practice in this direction, can he hope for much success in combating a weed so well at home in a grain crop.

Sprays and other chemical expedients that have been experimented with may yet provide additional offensives for use on small areas; but experience at the Dominion Experimental Farm has not proved them generally economical. All they can do usually, is to deprive the thistles of foliage, and by repeated application thus starve the root-stocks, a process more satisfactorily accomplished under field conditions, by tillage methods. Other tests to be conducted this season may justify a later work on the matter, concerning one promising material—(Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa, Ont.)

The bathroom in the great tower of Rosenborg Castle in Copenhagen was placed there by Christian IV, who three hundred years ago produced the first bathroom along modern lines. He was also the first to introduce speaking tubes between rooms and the Castle, which as his summer house, is a notable tourist attraction today.

Dinard, the fashionable coast resort of France, was first discovered by an American named Copinger in 1860, while in search of good fishing.

## A FIRE YEAR.

Another Spring is on us and with it the ever present thought of limit holders, protective men, fishermen, hunters and holiday seekers.

Is this a fire year?

Will the spring fire again take a heavy toll of young timber?

Will the favorite trout stream be stripped of its mother watershed and become a dried up creek bed?

Will the favorite summer resort be overcast by a pall of smoke?

Will the favorite hunting retreat be stripped of the cover and the wild life it supports and protects?

Will there be additional miles of blackened wastes following fire bordering our new tourist route through the forest areas?

Will Canada's potential forest and game wealth be shockingly depleted from forest fires this year, as in 1923?

This is not a dream, my friends. Past history of fire years answers the above queries in the affirmative: YES! But you and you only, one of the responsible public at whose door ninety per cent of the ashes of timber and wild life may be laid; YOU alone can make the answer to these queries: NO!

Our 6000 Canadian forest fire rangers without your active co-operation are helpless. Can they bank on you for the season of 1929—a season that the fire year cycle points to Forest Fire Hazard—Dangerous?

W. C. T. U.

The annual County Convention of the W. C. T. U. will be held in the United Church, H'don.

Thursday, June 6th

Three Sessions:  
10 a.m., 1:30 and 8 p.m.

A good program is being prepared for the evening at which the Rev. Mr. Baron of Lacolle will give an address. Dinner and supper will be served to all delegates and visitors.

EVERYBODY WELCOME.

ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION

Howick United Church  
JUNE 7TH. AND 8TH.

Friday, June 7th.

Anniversary Supper—from 5:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. Tickets—Adults, 50c; children, 30c. Followed by

Sacred Concert and Address, 8:15 p.m.

Sacred Concert by the famous Erskine Church Choir, Montreal. This is a wonderful choir—you should hear it.

Address by Rev. E. Leslie Pilgoun, D.D., of Erskine Church, Montreal.

Tickets to Sacred Concert, 40c. and 25c.

Sunday, June 9th. Anniversary Service, 11 a.m., 8 p.m.

Anniversary preacher: Rev. Aaron W. Maddox, D.D., of Faust, N. Y., ex-Moderator of the New York Synod of the Presbyterian Church of the United States.

Special music by choir.

Thank offering for Building Fund will be taken at both services.

Plan to be with us.

O'Connor Hall  
Huntingdon, Que.

Friday Evening, May 31st

JOHNNY HINES in:  
"The Wright Idea"

A rip-roaring Comedy with a nice love story interwoven. Also Comedy and Short Reel Subjects.

Admission (regular price) 25c. and tax.

No picture next week.

We are pleased to announce that we have contracted for a number of PARAMOUNT PICTURES to be shown here at an early date. Your favorite stars will be featured.

Watch for announcement of dates and plays.

THE MANAGEMENT.

Be sure and hear  
THE SUN LIFE

MINSTRELS

of Montreal  
Under the auspices of the Huntingdon Curling Club

— in —  
O'CONNOR HALL, HUNTINGDON, QUE.

Saturday, June 1st

at 8:15 p.m.

This programme which occupies two and one half hours is considered one of the best put on by this famous troupe in the seven years of their existence.

Programme consists of Comedy, Songs, and Dances interspersed with music by a 20-piece Orchestra.

The Cast numbers approximately 60 people, including one of the former members of the "Dumbells"

Admission: Adults 50c., Children 25c.

The drawing for the Quilt will take place the same night.

## PIANO RECITAL

—in—  
Huntingdon United Church

TO-NIGHT

THURSDAY, MAY 30TH.

Given by the pupils of Miss Elsie Sellar, assisted by local artists and Miss Jean Williamson (elocutionist) and her 8-year-old pupil, Miss Joyce Summer.

Proceeds to complete the fund for piano in the Stone building of the Academy.

Admission — — — 35 and 25 cts.

HUNTINGDON WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

will meet on

TUESDAY, June 4th, at 2:30 p.m. at the home of Mrs. J. C. Moore.

Roll Call: Verse of Poetry

Address: Child Welfare, Dr. J. C. Moore.

Mrs. W. A. Hunter, President.

DANCE

in the Agricultural Hall, Huntingdon

— on —  
Friday Eve., May 31st

Under the auspices of Huntingdon Agricultural Society, Division A.

Dancing from 9 p.m.—2 a.m.

Norman Fleury and his band will furnish the music.

Tickets—\$1.00 per couple.

Refreshments will be sold during the evening.

R. A. Arthur, John Smail, President. Secretary.

Strict order will be enforced.

## NOTICE

A meeting of all interested in the Farmers Picnic will be held in the Fertile Creek school house, Saturday June 1st, at 8 o'clock p.m. A good attendance is requested.

T. Mason Greig, David T. Ness, President. Secretary.

HILLSIDE CEMETERY Co. Inc.

The regular meeting of Hillside Cemetery Co. Inc. will be held in the class room of Rennie United Church on Monday, the 10th day of June next, at 7:30 o'clock P.M. for the election of trustees and other business.

Given this 13th day of May, Nineteen Hundred and twenty-nine.

A. H. Taylor, W. G. Gibson, President. Sec'y-Treas.

Concert - Dance

Friday, June 7th.

O'Connor Hall

Huntingdon, Que.

CONCERT . . . by the pupils of Mrs. Crawford's Aesthetic Gymnastic and Dancing Classes.

Admission: . . . 50 & 25c.

DANCE . . . immediately after the concert. Music will be furnished by NORMAN FLEURY and his BAND.

Admission: . . . \$1.25 a couple.

(Proceeds for the Athletic Fund of Huntingdon Academy.)

— Curtain at 8:15 p.m. —

DANCE

Hit of the Season in the Gault Institute Hall, Valleyfield

— on —  
FRIDAY, JUNE 7TH., 1929

Given by the Valleyfield Lawn Tennis Club. O'Neill's 6-piece Orchestra.

Dancing from