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### IN AND AROUND - THE HEIGHTS -

(By Fern Hellemans)

Now that Ken Smith has been elected the president of the local section of Toastmasters International, we wonder if he will have a chance to bring up and further two pet-projects of his. One was the organizing of a Reference Library . . . a Library composed of books treating the history and geography of the Chateauguay Valley, one of the regions with the richest historical background in Canada. These books, gathered diligently, should be housed in one of the original French-Provincial stone houses still available in the district, and should form part of an historical exhibition open for all students of Canada's past. Much is still available now, that won't be available any more in a very few years. The opportunity taken now, should provide our children and grandchildren with ties with the past, with the roots with which we and they are anchored in this region of ours. Ken's second pet project is the cleaning up of the waters of the once so proud Chateauguay River, reduced now in places to a badly reeking ditch. A federation of communities along the river can and should



**SYMBOL OF SERVICE :** Three of the ladies who canvassed for the Red Cross throughout the Colonia Development during the week of March 27 to April 4. From left to right : Mrs. Audrey Moore, Mrs. Ruth Thompson and Mrs. Madeline McHenry. (Photo - Ken Davies)

provide for an "entente cordiale", a mutual commitment not to

dump raw sewage in this river. Hand in hand with this project could go a general clean-up of the riverbanks, eliminating the sick and damaged trees, replanting, reseeding of the banks, elimination of unsightly landing docks and such. The River is common property, and they who want to use it either for work or leisure should be made aware of their obligations. We trust Ken Smith, a citizen of the Town of Chateauguay, will start the ball rolling. No doubt hundreds, nay thousands of inhabitants all along the River, will back him up. (Continued on page 2)

### Chat'y Home Owners Ass'n Gen. Meeting

The Annual General Meeting of the Chateauguay Home Owners Association will be held on Monday, April 10th at 8:30 p.m. in the large Salon of the Chateau-Gai Motel. The purpose of this meeting is primarily to elect a new slate of officers for the ensuing year, 1961-62. At this time the nominating committee, composed of John Downing, Aime Dufort, and Cameron Leslie, will presented the proposed slate of officers. (Continued on page 2)

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### EDITOR'S MAIL

#### CRITICAL OF SCHOOL BOARD ACTION

April 1, 1961  
Chateauguay

EDITOR

THE St. Lawrence Sun

Dear Sir:

I attended the P.T.A. meeting held in St. Willibrord's School on March 28th. I really feel that the English speaking Catholic children of the Centre will suffer from a grave error if the Center School Commission does not join the Town School Commission in their planned centralized English Catholic School.

It is our one chance of obtaining a stabilized and large enough school, with future plans for an English Catholic Church. It's too bad more people from the Center were not interested enough to come to the meeting. They would have witnessed quite an interesting evening along with delicious refreshments served by the hard working ladies of the P.T.A. They also would have heard that Mr. René Dupont could not give any sound reason for not joining with the town except for a lot of hurt pride and childishness. It seems to me that Mr. Dupont has frightened the people with talk about taxes going up. Do you think you can get a school without the taxes increasing a little?

Who do you think will be paying for the new French School? Mr. Dupont said the school was too elaborate. The town has just used a little foresight in the planning and has allowed two extra rooms for the fast growing population in Chateauguay.

Mr. Dupont is against a fire-proof building. Is extra protec-

### Chat'y Catholic School Board In Quebec For Discussions

(By Fern Hellemans)

The Catholic Schoolboard of the Town of Chateauguay has received an invitation to come to Quebec City on April 5th, to discuss there with officials of the department of Education the actual situation of the projected new Catholic School for English speaking children. Where presumably the School commission of the Town of Chateauguay Centre has received the same letter, we shall probably very soon know, what has been decided by the Department.

Where in theory the sources of income of the Schoolboards (taxes) provide the necessary funds to operate the schools, in practice it is the Department of Education of the Province of Quebec that provides monies for capital expenditures (as are schools) by means of grants to the tune of sometimes 75 percent of the cost of such expenditures. This situation, existing since quite some time, gives the Department a powerful grip on each and every schoolboard, and where according to law, schoolboards have a very large degree of autonomy, they still have to "go to Quebec" from time to time, to arrange for such grants as are available. This explains the necessity, the obligation of conforming with the Department of Education's decisions. The SUN will endeavour to bring the reader a complete report on this meeting of April 5th in its next issue.

tion too much to ask for our children?

Mr. Dan Lavigne introduced, Mr. Belanger, an architect He stressed the fact that a fire-proof building could be built for little or no extra cost. Mr. Belanger mentioned that finished stained wood was more expensive than concrete blocks.

Maple School was obtained by the joining of the two School Commissions. (Chateauguay has always had only one Protestant School Board - EDITOR). A Protestant High School is now in progress, a fire proof building!

Let's be grown up and get rid of the curtain that has existed here in Chateauguay for far too long.

Mr. D. Lavigne and Mr. A. Pilon have hired Mr. Gendron as principal for the new school. He had the necessary qualifications required of a principal. It was a pleasure talking to him at the meeting.

I certainly hope the meeting in Quebec of the two school commissions will bring forth centralization of schools and amalgamation of Commissions.

A Concerned Parent



**EASTER :** In churches throughout Chateauguay this scene was repeated as families attended special Easter services. (Photo - Ken Davies)

**Chat'y Home Owners . . .**  
(From page 1)

The following is the slate of officers proposed by the committee:  
 President- Dick Blanchefield, 51 Edward St., Gardens. 1st Vice Pres.- Al Round, 56 Ross St., Gardens. 2nd Vice Pres.- Luke Bonnetto, 93 Lang St., Modern. Treasurer - John Sanders, 62 Langlois St., Gardens. Secretary - Yvonne Rockwell, 59 St. Francis Blvd., Gardens. Directors: Past President- Tom Allman, 16 Lang St., Gardens. Mildren Downing, 55 St. Francis Blvd., Gardens. Bernard Chrabonneau, 45 St. Paul St., President. Art

Keech, 50 Edward, Gardens. Earl Murphy, 79 St. Francis, Gardens. Roy Vetland, 43 Beauchamp, President.

It is to be kept in mind that this is a PROPOSED slate, and may be added to from the floor at the meeting.

Home owners associations serve an essential role in every community and therefore merit your support, especially at election time. The following year should see a continuation and enlarging of our activities and services. Our Association has instigated in 1960 the formation of the Chateaugay District Minor Hockey Organization and the rezoning of the electoral districts of the Protestant School Board. The year has been highlighted by childrens field day, sponsorsip of two hockey teams, supplying of hockey facilities, obtaining playground area, and two dances. The following year should see our Association redouble its efforts to ensure that adequate park areas are established by the Town before the land is all developed.

We anticipate a large turnout for the Annual Meeting, knowing that all of the present members are interested enough in Association activities to come and vote for the one they wish to see in office for the coming season. To new residents in the area, we will be happy to see you and welcome your interest in the Association.

**Around The Heights . . .**  
(From page 1)

Speaking of clean-up, some time ago the Heights Council was talking of a clean-up in Chateaugay Heights. We wonder if anything has been done. To us at least it seems not much progress has been made, if any. Spring is here, this is the time to spruce up! A very effective help for this clean-up program would be a uniformed policeman, to bring around the council's warnings. However, as alderman Robinson is still interviewing applicants, not much can

be done. Is it not about time, that a decision was made? Are we, or are we not going to have a policeman? — Give it to us straight! For months now we have been hearing about this subject, and meeting after meeting it has been on the Council agenda as "unfinished business". It is our opinion, and we give it for what it is worth, that we cannot afford to stall any longer. If the council have a valid reason for not appointing a policeman, this reason should be brought forward, and a definite decision taken. The same reasoning goes for the purchase of the Heights clubhouse. This reporter has refrained from touching upon this subject, and does not want to interfere. The Council has decided to take a line of conduct, and we trust they stick to that line. — Unforgivable, however, would be that the community would lose the use of a community centre because of a tendency to temporize. We want to do something, let's do it, let's not wait until the problem solves itself, which will never happen anyway. To come back to the topic of clean-up, how about the notice board at the corner of Gilmour and Maple?

The crescents at Gilmour and Pine shall be snow free any day now. The planting season is approaching, and we trust the Chateaugay Horticultural Society has not forgotten its promise to provide these crescents with shrubs and a couple of trees. No doubt the proprietors of the surrounding houses will be glad to be able to maintain these crescents with their lawns and shrubs — This will be a definite improvement for the general outlook of the Heights.

**Woodlands Social News**

By BARBARA ROSS  
OX. 2-8287

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Long returned recently from a Florida vacation. While mentioning Florida, we would like to apologize for bringing Mr. and Mrs. Laurie Ogilvy, Sr., home a week early in our last column; they returned on Good Friday after spending three weeks in the sun.

**BIRTH:** Mr. and Mrs. Bertram Chave were delighted to hear from Toronto that their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Brian Suckling, are the proud parents of a son born on March 31. The baby weighed in at 8 lb. 4 oz.

**CHRISTENING:** The baby daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Watson was christened on Easter Sunday at Montreal West United Church; Rev. G.C. Wadsworth officiated. Susan Lyn were the names given to the baby. Godparents for the occasion were Mrs. John Oulton and Mr. Peter L. Ross. Out of town guests attending the ceremony were grand parents Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Oulton, of Toronto, and Mr. and Mrs. John Oulton, of Granby. Grandparents Dr. and Mrs. Edgar Watson entertained after the ceremony.

Mr. and Mrs. Karl Forbes were Easter week-end guests of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stark.

There will be a family movie night at the W.R.A. Club House this Friday evening, April 7, starting at 7.30 p.m. this event is being run by the Kadets. Refreshments will be served.

This Saturday, April 8, is the night all sailors in the area will gather at the W.R.A. Club House at 6.00 p.m. for dinner and their Spring Meeting.

**FASHION SHOW:**

The Ladies' Committee of the W.R.A. are holding a luncheon and Hat Fashion Show at the Club House next Wednesday, April 12, starting at 12.30 p.m. Convenors for the Fashion show are Mrs. Richard Chave and Mrs. Germain Faubert, and the hats, to be modelled by members, will be provided by Salon Isabelle of Beauharnois Members and guests are invited to attend this event with admission by ticket only. Anyone wishing a ticket may contact Mrs. Philip Goodfellow at OX. 2-9866. A handbag donated by Marie-Paule Shop of Beauharnois will be given as a door prize.

Dale Robertson is at home, recovering after a visit to the Montreal Children's Hospital last week to have her tonsils removed. We would also like to send along get well wishes to Heather Webb and Janice Goodfellow who are spending the Easter holidays with the mumps.

This week our birthday congratulations go to Bruce Oliver, six years old on March 30, and Tuesday Saw Sharon Rae turning 11 years old and Billy Sunstrum turned eight.

**BOWLING:**

The Meeses held their lead on March 28. Bob Watson had the Men's High Single of the night with 166 while E. Wilson rolled 420 for the Men's High Triple. The Ladies' High Single and Triple were bowled by Mrs. Evelyn Retallack with 138 and 321.



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The big question concerning the Chateauguy River now is will the ice disappear calmly into Lake St. Louis . . . when and if Lake St. Louis itself ever becomes ice free . . . or will there be flooding again despite the channel that has been made? Flooding last year was quite considerable. It all depends on what the weather has in store for us.  
(Photo - Ken Davies)

**Town Of Chaf'y Hires Police Sgt.**

The Town of Chateauguy Council has increased its police force with the services of Sgt. Andrew Marshall as of Wednesday March 29th.

Sgt. Marshall has been with the Military Police for 20 years and besides acting as assistant to Police Rousseau he will instruct the constables in office work, criminology, judo, writing of accident reports and report writing in general. The Chateauguy Town Police Force is now 7 men strong.



**KEN SMITH**, who was recently elected this year's President of the Chateauguy Toastmasters Club, has been active in Chateauguy Community affairs for many years. He is perhaps best known for his efforts on behalf of the Aquatic Club where he has held both the position of Commodore and Vice Commodore. We congratulate Ken on his election and wish him luck in his new position.

**Terrace Topics**

By **MRS. EDITH LEWIS**  
OX. 2-9975

We are pleased to announce that Mrs. Edith Lewis of 102 Tulip Street is the correspondent for the SUN in Chateauguy Terrace. For news events of any kind, social or otherwise, residents of the Terrace are invited to phone Mrs. Lewis at

OX. 2-9975. Mrs. Lewis will also accept classified ads for the SUN (Editor).

They tell us Spring has arrived but it's so thoroughly disguised how can one be sure. However along with the first signs, such as: robins, tulips and maple syrup, etc., are the new arrivals to the Terrace. Almost every day the moving vans plow through the pot holes splashing muddy water thither and yon, but all the splash and splutter

does not discourage the new home owner.

First we welcome Mr. and Mrs. Desmond Rutherford and their son, Daryl, to 100 Tulip St. The Rutherfords are active in Boy Scout work and no doubt the Community will benefit by their coming to live here. Daryl, who attends Lower Canada College, will travel daily to the City to carry on with his studies. Mr. Rutherford's Mother, Mrs. S.E. Rutherford, is at present a guest and plans to make frequent visits to their new home.

Also new to the Terrace are Mr. and Mrs. John Sinnett and their three children. Although originally Montrealers they have just been transferred from Toronto and have taken up residence at 90 Tulip St. We hope they will be happy in their new home.

The newly formed Terrace Recreation Assoc'n. will hold their next general meeting on Tuesday, April 18th, at the Chateaugai Motel. It is most important that you attend and participate in this meeting as the proposed Constitution will be presented for discussion, so gird your loins. Mr. President, Stan Cahill and his Executive are looking  
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(By Frank Elkin Jr.)  
**GORDON SEA SCOUT TROOP**  
Temporary Skipper Mr. W. Yarnell.

Brian Donaldson, Ronald Way, Cecile Ryall, Jimmy Sander and Alex Rankin were invested on Thursday evening.

On Saturday afternoon, Skipper Yarnell, Bosun Brian Walsh, Patrol Leaders, Frank Elkin Jr., John Rankin and Brian Donaldson held a Court of Honour meeting at the home of Skipper Yarnell.

Next Saturday morning, April 8th the Scouts will be delivering circulars for the Drug Store in Chateauguy Basin. Please meet at Skipper Yarnell's home at 9:00 A.M. SHARP.

**BEAVER WOLF CUB PACK**  
- Akela Mr. J. Jupp.  
Bill Sanders and John Runciman were awarded their 1st Stars at last week's meeting.

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# WOMEN'S PAGE



## This Week's Winning Recipe

Sent in by Mrs. L. Farmer, Verville, Chateauguy

### SOUTHERN PECAN PIE

1 cup brown sugar  
1 tbs. cornstarch  
3 eggs

1 cup cornsyrup  
2 tbs. melted butter  
1 cup pecan (chopped)

1 nine inch butter pastry shell, well chilled.  
MIX brown sugar, cornstarch add well beaten eggs. Stir until smooth.  
ADD syrup, butter and pecans  
POUR into pastry shell  
BAKE 40-50 min. (375 degrees) serves 6.

**EDITORS NOTE :** Some ladies have kindly sent us lists of very tempting ingredients but unfortunately this does not constitute a recipe. Eligible recipes must include ingredients, method of mixing, oven or thermometer temperatures, cooking time required and where ever possible number of servings. Clear writing, printing or type written recipes will be given preference. All recipes remain the property of the Editor.

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## PUT YOURSELF INTO YOUR HOME PAINTING

It is not surprising that in a growing number of Canadian homes the traditional voices of spring are being replaced by the slap of the paint brush and the whir of the paint roller.

New types of paints, easier and better colour mixing, improved methods of application - all combine to make home decorating easy for the homemaker. In fact, with the popular latex base paints that dry to the touch in 30 minutes, it is almost as quick to repaint as it is to wash down a room.

These factors have probably encouraged a tendency to experiment with colour schemes. This is good in moderation, but the temptation to change frequently just for change's sake should be curbed.

The average woman develops an instinct for the clothing styles and colours that are right for her. She can admire a hat or dress on another, but would never dream of trying to wear it herself. Yet the same woman, for the sake of "something different" will blithely select a colour scheme for her home that looked so pretty in a magazine or so striking in a department store display. The result won't be wrong but too often, it won't be her - and the final effect lacks what an artist would call "balance".

Fortunately, even the most economical and practical paints, including the washable latex base paints, are now available in hundreds of shades. With such a variety to choose from, no one has to be a copy cat but can adapt or create a truly individual colour scheme for any room. For a good colour scheme is one that not only is in keeping with the function of the room while providing a harmonious background for furniture and accessories, but, equally important, is a colour scheme that favourably reflects the personality of those who chose it.

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## WHO'S WHO IN CHATEAUGUAY



MRS. VERA SMITH

Mrs. Vera Smith, 72 Craik St., in Colonia, was born, and spent her youth in N.D.G. At present she wears several executive feathers in her cap as she is President of the C.P.O.A. Ladies Auxiliary, President of the C.P.O.A. Ladies Bowling League and Chairman of the Red Cross Canvass in the Colonia Development. She is also a member of the Catholic Parent-Teacher Association.

As a young girl Mrs. Smith, born Vera Melling, was a capable athlete, winning numerous prizes in city track meets and being generally proficient in any activity requiring athletic ability & good co-ordination. She is exceptionally proud of the fact that she once won a bicycle in a Yo-Yo contest and was also a part-time representative for a Bolo Bat company, putting on demonstrations in parks. Mrs. Smith is still outstanding in sports, and maintains a bowling average of close to 130, something that most of the men would be pleased to do. This summer she, along with other ambitious Colonia females, will play softball against all comers.

Before marrying Frank Smith in 1949, Vera was in the Wrens for two years and worked at Northern Electric for 10 years. The Smiths now have three children . . . Charles 10, Colleen 9, and Deborah 6.

The main reason for interviewing Mrs. Smith was her position as chief executive of the group that is considered by many to be one of Chateauguy's most active, the Ladies Auxiliary of the C.P.O.A. Vera states that the job is

not a one-woman job and gives full credit to the Street Representatives and the rest of the executive for their willingness to work, which is the main factor in the Ladies Auxiliary's success. Some of the coming events to be sponsored or organized by the ladies are : Military Whist on May 3rd; Summer Fair on June 10th; Girl's Softball league; a repeat of last years successful outdoor movies; a trip on April 5th to the Montreal Museum of Fine Arts; also some of the past achievements are : the recent Fashion Show which was one of the more ambitious undertakings by any association in Chat'y, and also one of the most successful; a bicycle Safety Program ; a bus trip to the C.F.C.F. Ladies Fair at Laurentian Lanes, (where incidentally Mrs. Smith won a coffee-maker for her bowling); collector of labels which netted \$480.00 from C.F.C.F.

The money the girls have raised has gone to a number of things including : a grant to the C.P.O.A. Trustees towards purchase of land; purchase of lumber for park and baby swings; purchase of goaler pads for boys hockey; and many other community projects.

When we asked both Mr. and Mrs. Smith just what single event they would like to see take place in Chateauguy they both agreed that they would like to see a proper English Catholic School with qualified teachers. This is a problem that is bothering many English Catholics in the Chateauguy area and the Smiths hope that something will be done about it before too long, and before another year slips by.

### Smile of the Week

In a remote country village a new letter-box had been put up, and caused a great deal of comment among the village children. "I think it belongs to the doctor," argued Jimmy. "No, it ain't," shouted Tommy. "It's by the church door so it must be the rector's." "Darn," cried Billy, scornfully. "It ain't the rector's. Read what it says on it, 'No collection on Sundays'."

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## Chat'y Park

By BARBARA FRASER  
 OX. 2-2818

(By Mrs. Barbara Fraser)  
 Flight Lieutenant and Mrs. R. M. Taylor and family of Uplands Air Base, Ottawa, visited Mr. and Mrs. Tom Guthrie for a couple of days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Watson and Mrs. Lindsay Watson visited Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Westover, Allburg Vermont, over the Easter weekend.

Get well wishes are extended to Keith Lord, who is now in

## CHAT'Y GARDENS

(By Yvonne Rockwell)

Miss Frances Mills of Halifax, Nova Scotia, arrived Friday March 31st by plane to spend some time visiting her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. R.A. Rockwell of St. Francis Blvd. Also a guest at the Rockwell home is Mrs. J. Gordon Mills of Chester, Nova Scotia.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Allman of Lang St. had as their guests over the Easter weekend, Mrs. Richard Allman, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Allman and daughter Suzanne of Toronto.

We wish to extend our most sincere sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. John B. Sanders and family of Langlois St. Mr. Sanders mother passed away on March 31st. Service was held Monday April 3rd in Verdun.

The regular monthly meeting of Group 5, St. Andrews W.A. will be held Monday evening April 10th in the Church Parlor at 8.15 p.m.

A Coffee Party will be held on Thursday, April 13th at 10 a.m. in the St. Andrews United Church Memorial Hall by the ladies of the W. A. For transportation please call Mrs. Clifford at OX. 2-2174.

Honours this week in the Ladies Garden Bowling League were won by Murlly Murphy with a high single of 125. Anne Kennedy won the triple with 325.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Leahy and family of St. Francis Blvd., spent the weekend visiting Mrs. Leahy's parents in Brooklyn, New York.

Another reminder of the Dance and Men's Fashion Show scheduled for the evening of April 15th at 8 p.m. to be held in the Church Hall of St. Georges Anglican Church. Contact Ted Spenser of Ross St. for advance sales of tickets.

We also want to remind the Dads of the up-coming Father and Son Banquet of the Chateauguay District Minor Hockey Organization to be held Friday, April 15th - 7 p.m. at the Chateau-Gal Motel. Presentation of trophies and prizes will be made at this time. There will also be drawings for door prizes.

hospital.

The new SUN route boy for our area is Tommy Priest-Brown. Welcome Tommy and many thanks to Sandra Watson, formerly the route carrier in the area.

Lillian Cadinal and Cheryl Evans, the Park, enrolled as Girl Guides last week. Mrs. Dube, the guide leader, gave a small party for the girls afterwards.

Friday, April 7th a Splash Party will be held at Pt. St. Charles gymnasium. Busses will leave Vetville at 12:15. The agenda is as follows; swimming refreshments and dancing. Tickets are \$0.75 each and must be reserved with Mr. Ken McKenzie. The last Splash Party organized by the Sok Hop was enjoyed by all those who attended and this one should be bigger and better.

## West-End -- Notes --

It was the stork that took top honours in West-End over Easter weekend, putting Easter bunny's nose right out of joint, by presenting Mr. and Mrs. Strahl of 4 St. Luc St. with twin daughters. They were born Saturday, April 1st and weighed 5 lbs. 12 ozs. and 4 lbs. 12 ozs. Mother and daughters are all doing well.

Due to the generosity of the West-Enders \$51.00 was collected in the recent Chateauguay Boy Scout Campaign.

Mr. A. Campbell expresses his sincere thanks to the fathers of Cubs and Scouts who assisted him with the canvassing.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Stapleton spent the weekend in Toronto with Mrs. Stapleton's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Langdale with their two children spent the week-end with Mrs. Langdale's parent outside Ottawa.

Wedding anniversaries this week were: Mr. and Mrs. W. Roy, 162 St. Louis St. celebrated their anniversary March 31st.; Mr. and Mrs. A. Cosenza celebrated their 7th anniversary April 3d.; and Mr. and Mrs. Clarke who celebrated their anniversary April 4th.

Birthday wishes go this week to Debra Hillock who will be 3 years old Tuesday April 4th, and Michael Clarke who will be 12 years old April 12th.

We would like to extend our deepest sympathy to Mrs. R. Logie of 104 St. Denis St. on the death of her husband, who died suddenly Saturday, April 1st.

## Do Your Shopping In Chateauguay

## PRUDENTIAL HI-LITES

OX. 2-2818 — BARBARA FRASER

The Curling bug seems to have struck Prudential and surrounding areas. Mr. Doug Lang said that with regards to the Bonspiel there are 105 teams, 420 players. The Bonspiel started Monday afternoon, April 3rd and the windup will be around April 29th or 30th.

The Chateauguay Centre Recreation Association dance will be held on April 22nd at the Chateauguay Heights Recreation Club at 9 p.m. Door to door notices will be distributed to notify residents as to where to purchase tickets.

The T.C.A. Tour, originally introduced as a father and son outing has been changed to a family outing, including the ladies of the family, also, a tentative date of April 29th has been set. Door to door notices will be circulated once the date has been confirmed with T.C.A.

Radio station C.F.O.X. has emphatically denied rumours circulating in Prudential regarding the Chateauguay Centre Town manager's remarks concerning his meeting with Prudential residents at the Chateauguay Centre Recreation Association meeting. The Town manager was alleged to have stated to the radio station that he was "Crucified" by Prudential homeowners. Alan Saunders, News Directors, C.F.O.X., stated that the rumour was completely unfounded and untrue.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Wilson, Delisle Ave., returned last week-end from a four day stay in Toronto.

The Chess Club will be held at the home of Joe Labrecque on Friday, April 7th.

The Red Wool Sewing and Knitting Club will hold its next meeting at the home of Dot McIver on April 13th.

Ask Beverly Waugh when the "big date" is and she'll say May 6th. That's the date when her students will appear in their first dancing recital.

March 26th Joseph Gaston Guy Huet, son of Mr. and Mrs. Julien Huet was christened at the St. Jean Baptiste Marie Vianney Church. Godparents are Gaston and Yolande Lalonde. A reception was held following the ceremony.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Claude was christened Patricia Claude at the St. Jean Baptiste Marie Vianney Church on March 26th. Mr. and Mrs. E. St. Amour are the godparents. After the christening a reception was held at the home of the parents.

A knitting club in the St. Patrick Sq. area gave a surprise baby shower for Pat Shaw on Tuesday, April 4th at the home of Violet Barclay.

It has been reported that the Chateauguay Centre Recreation Association is trying to arrange a meeting with Mayor Laberge and the Town Council.

Anyone leaving Prudential around 7.30 a.m. for the Town of Mt. Royal or vicinity are asked to phone OX. 2-2025 if there is room for one more passenger.

A slight altercation between a local building executive and an unhappy client on Saturday has been reported. According to our news the executive received a sight "working over".

The Chateauguay Centre Recreation Association has obtained a public liability insurance policy and it is now in effect. Anyone who wishes to ask questions regarding the insurance policy may do so at the next Association meeting which will be held the fourth Monday in the month.

## BOWLING NEWS STANDINGS AFTER 1st WEEK OF PLAYOFFS.

Team	Pinfall	Captain
Buffaloes,	2388	Bob Broad
Tigers,	2313	Mike Dooley
Bears,	2275	Bill Soles
Lions,	2256	Jim Williamson
Rams,	2216	Frank Smith
Beavers,	2209	Graham McCulloch

The Buffaloes, who have been on the bottom right along are now at the top in the playoffs - just another example of the North American tradition of being able to work one's way up to the top.

FINAL STANDING			
Name	Won	Lost	Pts
Bears	48	33	115
Beavers	45	36	107
Lions	44	37	100
Tigers	37	44	85
Rams	36	45	84
Buffaloes	33	48	76

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## TERRACE TOPICS . . .

(From page 3)

forward to an enthusiastic meeting.

This week Red Cross Canvasers will be calling on you. Do please make them welcome. Your contributions, no matter how small, are most gratefully accepted. The ladies canvassing are: Mrs. Ella Cameron, Mrs. Betty Hamilton, Mrs. Eve Bullivant and Mrs. Edith Lewis.

As there was no bowling on Good Friday all members of the bowling group should be in fine fettle this week, having regained their strength after a good rest. The date for the Bowling Banquet has been set for May 5th and this should be a gala affair. More details later.

Be there a man with soul so dead who never to himself hath said, "Give me a car, a Brand New Car". Well, this happened to the Jack Leslies. They are now the proud owners of a Rideau 500. Over the Easter week-end the Leslies entertained members of their family, namely, Mr. and Mrs. Jack and Mr. and Mrs. Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cameron of 95 Tulip St. are looking forward to the visit of their friend, Mrs. W.N. Black from Perthshire, Scotland, who plans to spend a few days with them.

After spending a few weeks in the Terrace with their daughter and son-in-law Edith and John Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. O. Harvey of Lachute, P. Q. plan to return to their home shortly.

We are sorry to learn that our genial neighbour, Mr. Art. Mumford, is still incapacitated by his leg ailment. Perhaps the warmer weather we are all looking forward to will help.

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## "SPORTALK"

By BILL SOLES  
OX. 2-9217

Right now we are in kind of an in-between season for sports with hockey finished and summer sports not yet started, but we wonder just what concrete plans are being formed for the summers activities. The only group that we have heard of doing anything more than talking or thinking about the summer activities, is the C. P.O.A. Ladies Auxiliary, which recently announced the signing of 40 girls for softball, and the additional signing of 10 ladies for a ladies team. We have also heard talk in several different areas of a possible soccer league, and an expansion of last years softball league.

With all these events in the offing you might wonder just what the problem is. Well, as most of us realize, the main problem is lack of playing area throughout the three Chateaugay. However for this week we will let that deficit pass and concentrate on the lack of personnel to organize these sports. We presume that it will be the same group who ran this years hockey leagues who will be involved in any type of summer sports. For those of you who are not aware of this fact, these men do not necessarily want to devote most of their spare time both summer and winter, to childrens sports. — They would like a little help. Those of you who feel that you are doing your part by sending your son out to play and then forgetting about him, start thinking about whether or not you may also have some slight obligation to go out and help provide sports, not only for your own boy, but for someone elses too.

Don't be coy and wait for some-

one to ask you, pick up the phone and call your area sports representative, tell him you are available for coaching, unpireing, or supplying transportation on certain nights. If you can't do any of these things try to plan to spend a few nights watching the games, remember an hour spent on your son or your neighbours son, is one of the best investments you can ever make.

### SPORTOPICS

We have to give a lot of credit to Roy Vetland and John Dempstar who refereed many of the play-off games in the C.D.M.H.O. play-offs, also to all those others who gave up their time throughout the winter to help the league through a successful season.

Most of the bowling leagues are in play-offs now, and the action is getting hot and heavy.

We don't hear much from the Aquatic Club, although the Juveniles at least are holding conditioning courses indoors. Pretty soon the boys will be dragging the canoes out of mothballs.

Those of you young footballers who would like to get in shape for the football season could do worse than paddle for the summer. John Rock went into last years season in top condition as a result of a summers strenuous paddling and Charlie Hodge paddled for the Lachine Racing Canoe Club for several years to maintain top shape for hockey.

### BOWLING

This week's high qualifiers in the Dow Tournament at CHATEAUGAY BOWLING were A. Cote with 520 and J. Chenier with 465. High triples for the week were rolled by M. Labelle 551 and A. Cote. High singles

by Y. Benoit 231 and M. Labelle 213. For the ladies Mrs. J. Geoffrion had the high three of 429 closely followed by Miss C. Leroux with 426. Singles were picked up by Mrs. J. Laframboise 200, and Mrs. F. Yale 192. The weekend prize winner was D. Chasle with No. 485814.

At WEST END BOWLARAMA B. Butler led the Dow qualifications with 471 followed by E. Roetzer with 460. Ladies high single was rolled by J. Perras with 205.

## Vetville News

By BARBARA FRASER  
OX. 2-2818

Vetville residents donated the flowers for the Easter service at Vetville Hall on Sunday.

A warm welcome is extended to Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Fletcher, formerly of N.D.G., to Vetville Apts. The Fletchers took up residence on April 1st in Arras Building.

Mr. Charles Britton passed away at St. Annes Military Hospital, last week after a lengthy illness.

Mr. Nelson LaVine returned home from hospital on Friday and was greeted by his two daughters, who are visiting from Mass.

Saturday, residents will be entertained by the Royal Canadian Legion Central Zone 3, at 2 p.m. in the hall.

Remember folks, Bingo every Tuesday at 2 p.m. and Whist on Wednesday at 7.30 in Vetville Hall.

## COLONIA SOCIALLY

OX. 2-6850 — By MRS. D. LEACH

Best wishes for a happy birthday to Lorraine Mock of Duquette St. who will be 1 year old on Saturday, April 8th, also to Sean McHenry of Colonia St. who was 1 year old on Tuesday April 4th.

A get well wish to Mrs. Robinson and Mrs. Young, both of McLeod St.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Neal of McLeod St. entertained Mr. and Mrs. A. Gilpin of Montreal over the Easter weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Laramour of Craik St. would like to thank all those who helped their son Leonard in a recent contest by the Montreal Gazette. Lennie won a trip to New York for the Easter weekend for having the most new customers.

The new carriers for the ST. LAWRENCE SUN are: for Lemoyne St. Duquette St., Horsnell, Charles Dickens, and Circle Rd., Brian Leach of Lemoyne St.; Cardinal St.; Lang St. and Lockheart St.; Peter Roy, transferred from the Lemoyne St. route; Dunver Rd., Coleville. Craik and Theberge, George Neal. Anyone interested in taking the SUN can contact these boys at the following numbers: Brian Leach OX. 2-6850, Peter Roy, OX. 2-4622, and George Neal, OX. 2-2727.

The C.P.O.A. Ladies Auxiliary will hold their monthly meeting on Tuesday, April 11th at 8.00 p.m. at the Chateau-Gai Motel. Guest for the evening will be Mr. Loueven of the Sheridan Nurseries who will talk on landscaping ideas, flowers, shrubs; and answer any questions the ladies might have on this subject.

Mr. and Mrs. Robinson of McLeod entertained Mrs. Robinsons

parents, Mr. and Mrs. Shear on Good Friday.

The Catholic School Board, Town of Chateaugay, has announced that a special delivery letter was received from Quebec to arrange for a meeting with the Centre and the Town School Boards on Wednesday, April 5th concerning the new English Catholic School. Another meeting was decided on for April 4th to arrange vote on monies for this trip. Also on a recent trip to Chapleau, Quebec, Mr. Lavigne of the School Board received 13 applications for teachers from St. Mary's Teachers College, 5 of which have already been signed, namely: Miss Iona Sloane, Vera McDonnell, Mary Teresa Brennan, Teresa Ferrigan, Ann Sovak, and Mrs. Rebecca Downing who was rehired from this year, and Miss E. Hellemans. All teachers were hired on Montreal salaries. Plans for 2 second grades, 2 third grades, 2 fourth grades and 2 fifth grades have been discussed.

The Catholic School Board will hold a general meeting on Monday evening, April 10th at 8.00 p.m. in the school hall.

The Protestant Home and School will hold a meeting on Wednesday, April 12th at Maple School at 8.00 p.m. SHARP. Election of officers will take place at this meeting and reports will be given on the recent "Teacher for a Day" project which took place during Education Week. Also Mr. Maltin will show a film on Safety.

Mrs. K. Elson of the Catholic P.T.A. would like to thank everyone for the wonderful response she received for articles of clothing for the poorer families of Caughnawaga.

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## PARKVIEW PARTY-LINE

OX. 2-9277 — By MRS. H. McBURNIE

The Proprietors League of Chateauguy Center, Parkview Branch will be holding a General Meeting on Tuesday April 11th at 111 Hillsdale Drive at 8 p.m.

The Family Eucharist which took place on Easter Sunday at 11.00 a.m. at St. Georges Anglican Church was such a success with the children going up to the Alter while their parents received Communion that it has been decided that this service will be held once a month.

A Dance and Men's Fashion Show will be held on Saturday, April 15th at 8.00 p.m. at St. George's Anglican Church Hall. This should be lots of fun, so if you are interested make sure and get your tickets early, they can be obtained from Mrs. F. Berry, 111 Hillsdale Drive, OX. 2-6534. Refreshments will be served. Tickets will not be sold at the door.

A reminder that the Coffee Party at the United Church Hall on Parkview Blvd. is being held on Wednesday, April 12 at 11 a.m. Everyone Welcome.



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## B'nois Girl Guide And Brownie News

On Monday March 27th Flying Up and enrollment ceremonies of the 1st Beauharnois Brownie Pack and Girl Guide Company were held at the Beauharnois Intermediate School.

Welcomed into the Fairy Ring with the Grand Howl the commissioner, Mrs. Gregory then presented Helen Mitchum with her skaters and House Orderly Badges. Sharon Ray received her Brownie Wings and flew up to Guides.

Enrolled as Guides were Irenell Vastamaa, Janet Banks, Kaija Vastamaa, Lise Thiberge

and Diane Barry. Mrs. Gregory then enrolled and welcomed Mrs. Arpin as the new Guide captain.

Mrs. Tietgen, President of the Beauharnois Guide Ass'n presented Skaters Badges to Violet Powell, Gerry Pilotte, Joan Gregory, Carol Amy, Dorothy Touchette, Nicole Touchette. Mrs. Kemp, former Guide Captain, was presented with a Guide spoon by the Beauharnois Guide Ass'n in appreciation of her work as a faithful Guider. The Patrol competition Trophy, earned by the Red Rose Patrol was presented by Mrs. Kemp. Cooks badges were presented to Violet Powell, Gerry Pilotte and Joan Gregory.

The following received Reli-

gion and Life Emblem badges: Violet Powell, Gerry Pilotte, Joan Gregory and Carol Amy.

After a talk by the Commissioner to the Guides and Brownies, a singsong was held followed by refreshments. Fourteen parents attended the meeting.

## PRUDENTIAL . . .

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**LEAGUE CHAMPIONS:** Bears  
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## COLONIA . . .

(From page 6)

The Catholic P.T.A. will hold a meeting on Tuesday, April 18th at 8.00 p.m. Further notice will be given as to where this meeting will be held.

Mr. Waller, head of the Red Feather Parks and Playgrounds Agency, in Montreal, has announced that a Playleaders Training Course will be given free of charge by the Red Feather Agency on Monday evenings. The meetings will run from April 10th to May 29th with the first two being held at King School on Western Ave., Westmount, and the remainder at the Red Feather Building on Atwater St. This course is to teach persons of any age to be able to organize crafts, song leading, games and many other facets of summer play-leading.

**C.P.O.A. BOWLING**

Ladies Teams	Pts
Choppers	68
Rockets	57
Shamrocks	56
Sputnicks	55
Clovers	49
Aces	40
High Single: M. McHenry	163
High Triple: M. McHenry	406
A. Moore	406



REV. DR. ALEXANDER NIMMO

The congregation of St. Edward's Presbyterian Church and indeed many of the citizens of Beauharnois noted with regret the sudden passing of Dr. Alexander Nimmo. A former Minister of St. Edward's Dr. Nimmo died suddenly of a heart attack while on his way to conduct Holy Week services at Acton. Dr. Nimmo left Beauharnois to become Chaplain with the Air Force and served later as Minister of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church in Wingham, Huron County. Dr. Nimmo was a moderator of the Presbyterian Church of Canada since June 1959. Born in Ireland he came to Canada in 1925. Our deepest sympathy is extended to Mrs. Nimmo and daughter Margaret.

**B'NOIS SOCIAL - NOTES -**

(By Mrs. Hetty Graham)

Our deepest sympathy is extended to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hulme and Mr. Jim Potter and family in the loss of their mother Mrs. Potter. Funeral services and interment took place last week Saturday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Bill Monavan with their son Kirk of Arvida were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Owen Smith.

Easter Music was provided at St. Edward's last Sunday by Mrs. I.M. Anderson at the organ. An anthem by the choir and solo by Mr. Robert Page was much appreciated by the congregation. Beautiful Easter flowers decorated the church. The flowers were later donated to shut-ins.

Mr. and Mrs. R.M. Cairns of Lachute were guests of Mrs. Hetty Graham on Good Friday.

Our best wishes for a speedy recovery to Mr. Harold Taylor who has recently been hospitalized.

**Red Cross Door To Door Canvass Thurs., April 13**

The Door to Door canvass for the Red Cross in Beauharnois, Maple Grove, Melocheville and St. Etienne will get underway on Thursday April 13th. It will be a one day blitz campaign organized by the Beauharnois-Melocheville Branch of the Red Cross. Those in charge of the operation in Beauharnois and Maple Grove are Mrs. C. Godin, Mr. L. Coté and Mr. A. Pouliot. Mr. Romeo Bonhomme will be in charge of canvassing in Melocheville and St. Etienne.

In the meantime the canvassing of industries and special names is going well and results so far are satisfactory.

Your local campaign Manager Paul Trahan and members of his committee ask all citizens to support this one day blitz campaign and to give as much as you can afford. Everyone of us may one day need one of the many excellent services the Red Cross provides free of charge.

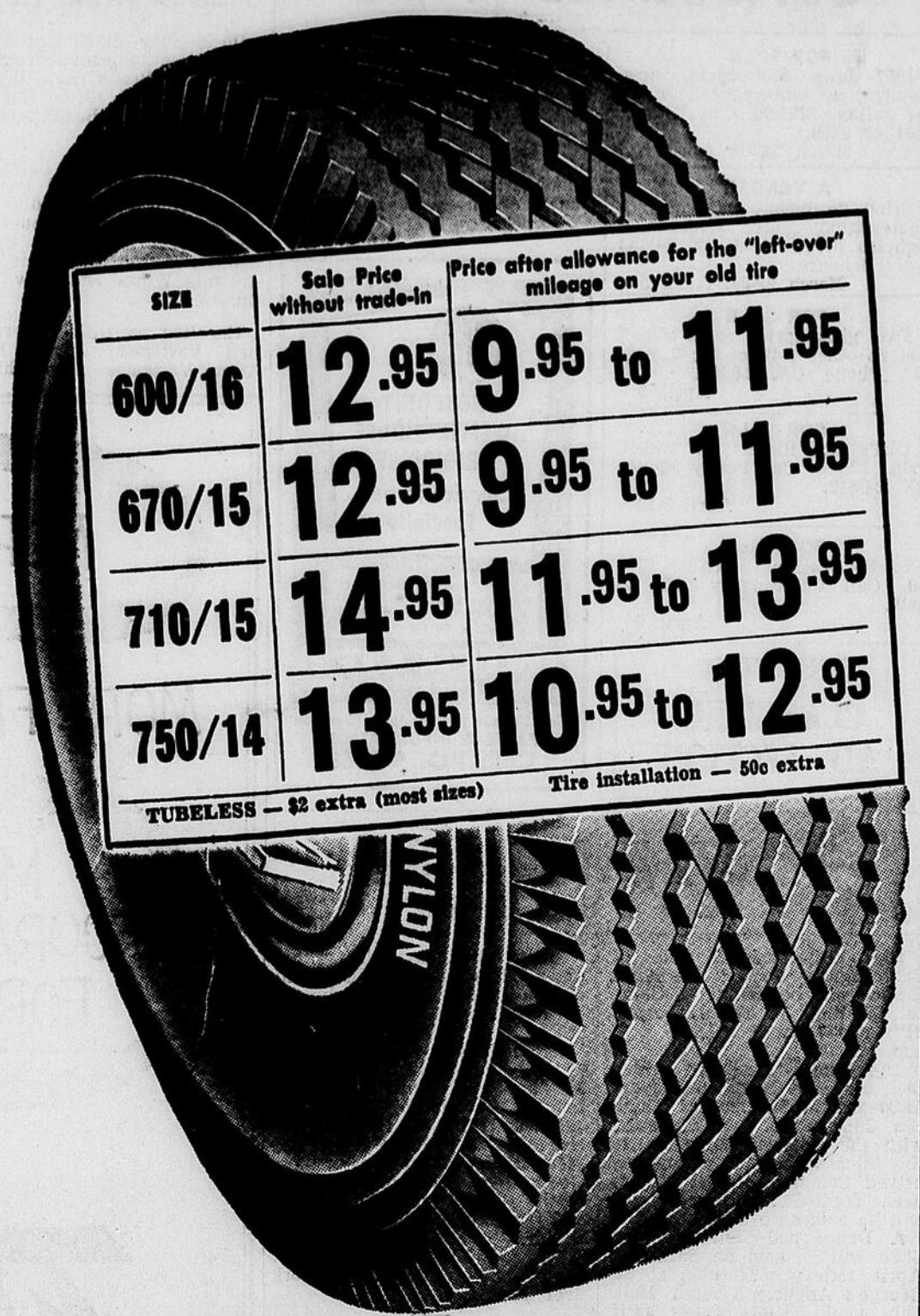
**Collection For Milkman's Family**

A group of Beauharnois ladies have taken up a collection for the family of the recently killed milkman Lucien Demers and were able to send Mrs. Demers a worthwhile sum of money.

The ladies received the following letter of thanks from Mrs. Demers: "Please accept and convey to all concerned my most sincere thanks and deepest appreciation for the kind and generous expression of sympathy shown to me during my recent bereavement. Signed: Mme Lucien Demers, 9196 14th Ave., Ville St. Michel".

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