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Government Is Charged With Wilful Aggravation Of Provincial Crisis

Opposition Claims Rural Credit System Is Needed To Restore Agriculture To Former Peak In Province

With wilful intent the provincial Government has aggravated the effects of the crisis in Quebec, Maurice Duplessis, Conservative leader, and his lieutenants, declared at an open-air meeting in Valleyfield Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Duplessis said he did not propose to pose as a man who had obtained the possession of a great secret for bringing about betterment, for what he proposed as regards agriculture was something that should be patent to all, even to a government steeped in a 38-year accumulation of ill.

A rural credit system was required to restore agriculture in this province, to send the lifeblood coursing through the body once more. "It is strange, it is bewildering that this Government will take no action to save the basic industry of the province," said Mr. Duplessis. "If the province is to develop according to its character it must ever retain its agricultural aspect. Yet, Premier Taschereau tells us there is no money to save the farmers, and that Ottawa has a rural credit system. If a man has eight sons and one daughter he must provide different clothing for the daughter than for the eight sons. This province has its own distinctive characteristics; the federal law does not suit it. I reproach the provincial Government for refusing to adopt a simple means to restore the situation. The situation of the farmers is deplorable, the exodus to the cities continues. There is no reason for us to look for salvation from any authority other than our own. The Ottawa law does not suit us. I do not care what political party gave birth to it, nor what party amended it. It does not suit us. The federal law may suit some of the other provinces, but it does not meet our conditions."

Mr. Duplessis said that no matter how much had to be borrowed to restore agriculture he was prepared to do it, but that would not be necessary. The money was available, he insisted, and would be turned towards the salvation of the farmers by the simple means of stopping the orgy of expenditure, waste and criminal extravagance which goes on at Quebec. Favoritism was rampant, declared the Opposition leader. The public accounts were camouflaged so as not to show the true situation. There were favourites drawing two

and three salaries and not doing a tap of work, not even calling around for their cheques, which were mailed to them.

There was no reason why there should be 21 commissions, said Mr. Duplessis, there was no reason for such waste. Ordinary economy, with the adequate maintenance of the public services, could be made to protect the ample money for the operation of a rural credit system.

Mr. Duplessis recalled that when Premier Taschereau was Minister of Public Works he had proclaimed, in 1912, that the time had come to abolish toll bridges. Since that time the number of toll bridges had multiplied. There were bridges on which the capital expenditure had been paid long ago, such as the Batiscan bridge, for example, and yet the Government went on collecting heavy tolls. It was in reality another means of taxing the people.

Paul Sauve, M.L.A., for Two Mountains, said that outstanding was the problem of the young man in this province who saw no opportunity of being established on the land. The father did not have the means of establishing his sons, as had been the custom during generations in this province, and there was a blank wall facing more than 60,000 young men who asked nothing better than to be given an opportunity of taking their place in the life of the province.

Conditions such as these existed after 38 years of Liberal government, said Mr. Sauve, so it could not be said that the Conservative party had been in any way responsible. He had no sense of personal responsibility in the matter, said Mr. Sauve, since he was not born in 1897, but he did feel a sense of responsibility of trying to help the men of his own generation to establish themselves.

Hortensius Beique, M.L.A., for Chambly, insisted the Government at Quebec was not a Liberal regime, but was a Taschereau family regime. (Continued on page 4)

Leader of Opposition



MAURICE DUPLESSIS, M.L.A.

Conservative leader of the Province of Quebec, Maurice Duplessis, was given hearty approval at a mass meeting held in Valleyfield on Sunday afternoon. His speech in this district was rated as one of the most vigorous ever delivered by Mr. Duplessis. He was accompanied by some of his stalwarts.

The Provincial Leader has been conducting a busy speaking tour throughout the Province in preparation for a possible Quebec election this fall. Probabilities were that Quebec would go to the polls following the Federal election but it now appears likely that the event will be deferred until early next spring.

Former Beauharnois M.L.A., President Of Tramways Dead

Edmund Arthur Robert, one of the most prominent figures in the industrial and hydro-electric life of Montreal and the Province of Quebec, died at his residence, The Linton Apartments, Montreal, early Friday evening following an illness of several months. He was 71.

Mr. Robert was a former president of the Montreal Tramways Company, a leading figure in the early days of hydro-electric power developments in the city and district of Montreal, and an ex-M.L.A. for the County of Beauharnois.

Born in Beauharnois, Que., on March 3, 1864, E. A. Robert was the son of Joseph B. W. Robert and Sarah Roberts. He was educated at the Beauharnois schools, at the Montreal High School and the Montreal Business College. He began his business career with Greenfields, Limited, where he was employed for nine years, after which he organized his own company known as the Dominion Woollen Manufacturing Company, Limited, of which he was managing director.

After a number of years in the woollen industry, Mr. Robert turned to a wider sphere, interesting himself in the development and distribution of hydro-electric power in the Province of Quebec. He organized the Canadian Light and Power Company, of which the late Howard Wilson was president, which resulted in the construction of large power plants at

Annual Huntingdon Picnic Was Held In Stanley Park

On the afternoon of August 10th, the annual Huntingdon picnic was celebrated in beautiful Stanley Park, Vancouver, B. C. Originally for the Huntingdon residents of Vancouver, the picnic now includes visitors from the mainland of B. C. from Alberta, and from the State of Washington. About 65 were present at the reunion. A splendid lunch was served under the capable management of Mrs. G. W. Cunningham. After lunch, D. F. Warren, acting as chairman, appropriately addressed the gathering, followed by short talks from Albert McGregor, G. W. Cunningham, Charles Wilson, John Murray, Mrs. William Morrison and Dr. R. Elder. Recitations were given by John Stephens and Mrs. D. F. Warren. There were many expressions of regret regarding the absence of Fred Jenkins, and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hyndman. A most enjoyable time was spent. Many acquaintances were renewed, and old associations in Huntingdon recalled. Everyone had a fine and good old County of Huntingdon, and all echoed greetings to relatives and friends living there.

Chateaugay River Nearly Claims Victim

Ernest Boucher, Swimming With Two Companions Seized By Cramps

A Pulmotor Required

A fatal drowning nearly occurred about five o'clock Saturday afternoon at Russell's Island, Ernest Boucher was victim to a cramp when swimming over the deepest hole at this favoured swimming spot.

Ernest Boucher, aged 21, rode a bicycle in from his home farm a mile and a half from town. He was accompanied by two companions, Eugene and Romeo Leduc. The boys entered the water at the rear of Mr. Robert Sellar's property. The Leduc boys had reached the crowd of boys and girls in swimming when they heard the cry for help from Boucher. The Leduc boys and Robert McCrea got to Boucher after he had bobbed up and down several times. They were unable to get him out of the water but managed to drag him to shore. Pulled on to the bank, Robert McCrea immediately started artificial respiration. Hector Savage saw the predicament Boucher was in and ran across the river at the rapids. By the time Mr. Savage arrived Boucher was getting quite blue in the face. McCrea, who was getting tired by this time, was relieved by Hector Savage. The means of Boucher were becoming louder and louder. Consciousness was regained just as Drs. St. Onge and Moore arrived on the scene together. The doctors remained with Boucher until he was breathing easily and feeling more normal.

Mrs. Walsh, who is visiting Miss Russell rendered material assistance whilst the neighbours from across the river called the doctors. The Leduc brothers, Robert McCrea and Hector Savage are certainly worthy of recognition for the life saving of Ernest Boucher.

During recent times there has been talk of the necessity of Huntingdon purchasing a pulmotor. It would appear from the many near drownings this summer that it would be a good thing to possess, or some provision made for a safer swimming place.

Another near drowning was narrowly averted at Kensington Saturday night when Reg Cooper of Huntingdon, waded into too deep water but Delbert Goodfellow effected an early rescue.

Bowlers in Fisher Bouspiel at Huntingdon



Seated on ground: left to right: Messrs. Ivan Crabtree, Jack McCann, D. Whalley, Raymond Ross, A. Seed, P. Shaw, P. G. Braithwaite. Sitting: C. McCaig, Jos. Taylor, A. V. Gurnham, Thos. Kirk, Chas. Webster, Eben Potter, Jack Cluff, J. McAlpine, A. Williams, Percy Sugden, R. Caton, Daniel Walker, Wm. Wylie, J. Wright, Jas. Percival. Standing at rear: W. E. S. McNair, Jack McNair, J. W. Stark, Howard Cobb, J. Smith, W. Baldwin, F. J. Month, Ben Lee, G. F. Dixon, Ed. Cunningham, A. Nuttall, Lorne Hay, C. Schert, S. J. Cottingham, F. C. Moore, H. B. Patton, W. Gilmore, Allan Walsh, Harry Whitbread, G. Cecil Stark, R. S. Muir, J. A. Lanktree, W. Hannah, Wm. Maxwell, Harold Bickford, E. C. Martin, J. C. Robins, P. T. Baldwin, Chris. Mayoh, C. V. Gurnham, Bert Bridcut, J. M. Leehy, J. R. Campbell. A number of players participating in the Fisher Bouspiel were not present when this picture was taken.

For the fifth year in succession, Valleyfield carried off honours in the Fisher Bowling Bouspiel held at Huntingdon Saturday afternoon. The day was ideal for a bowling competition, and the first spectators witnessed the events which started shortly after noon hour and concluded just before eleven o'clock that evening.

In the finals of the trophy play, A. V. Gurnham secured his second win on the Fisher Trophy by defeating another Valleyfield rink skipped by Jack Cluff, the score 15-6. In the consolation series two Huntingdon rinks competed, that of D. L. Kelly defeating J. W. Stark 14-11 in the finals.

The whole six greens were in use during the first part of the afternoon play. In the preliminary round the first game between Valleyfield and Ormstown resulted in the latter rink scoring a one-point margin in the final end to give them the game.

Chateaugay met Valleyfield rink in the second game, and won by two points. Whitehead of Valleyfield earned a decisive win from Huntingdon by a 16-8 score in the third. Another wide margin was noted in the fourth when McEwen of Valleyfield took honours from Ormstown 17-7.

The two final games in this round were not so easily clinched. Taylor of Valleyfield taking Wylie of Chateaugay 12-11, and Cluff of Valleyfield defeating Kelly of Huntingdon 13-11.

The consolation series opened with Valleyfield defeating an Ormstown rink 12-9. Huntingdon defeated Valleyfield in the second game by a 17-11 score, and in the third G. C. Stark of Huntingdon, bowed to Wylie of Chateaugay 8-20. Again J. W.

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The Week at Ottawa

Heated Discussions Centre Around Late Election Date and Appointments Made By Premier Bennett

By Wilfrid Eggleston

Four days before it would have automatically dissolved anyway, the Seventeenth Parliament of Canada was formally brought to its conclusion last Wednesday, and within a couple of hours Premier Bennett, in the Chamber of Commons, appointed members announced that voting to appoint an Eighteenth Parliament would take place on October 14th. The date was much later than had been generally wanted, or predicted, and coincided with the destructive announcement of Mackenzie King that he too would, in view of the late election, take a recess. He went back to the sylvan attractions of Kingsmere, his summer cottage up the Gatineau, and will, no doubt, be thankful that the bulk of the campaign is to be carried on in cool dry weather. All sorts of rumors to explain the late voting were bandied about Ottawa, one of the strangest being that the government wanted the new Reconstruction Party to have time to develop its campaign properly. One doubts very strongly whether the government would lift a finger to make things easier for Mr. Stevens.

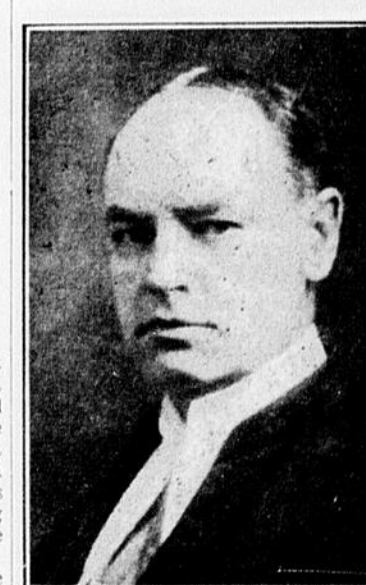
The wheat board is composed of men familiar with the pool industry and sympathetic with the policy which has been adopted by the League of Nations. One happy result which immediately followed the appointment of the board was the restoration of the machinery by which millers, exporters and others may carry on their business—future quotations, that is. However, safeguards against pure speculation are being introduced, which may serve to satisfy those who have felt that the Grain Exchange, as it has operated in the past, has been detrimental to the farmers' interests.

Canada's record in sustaining her foreign commerce has been exceeded by only one great nation—Japan—in the four years of depression according to an analysis just received from the Statistical Bureau of the League of Nations. There are some half dozen small countries whose percentage of increase is larger, but their lesser trading importance makes comparison largely meaningless.

While world exports in the past four years have declined 57.1 per cent on a gold dollar basis, Canada's exports are shown by the League of Nations to have declined only 49.9 per cent. Canada has resisted the decline, accordingly, more successfully than has the world as a whole.

In comparison with the record of the great trading nations, however, the showing of the Dominion is even more impressive. Whereas Canadian exports have shrunk, on a gold dollar basis, by 49.9 per cent, those of the United States have diminished by 66.9 per cent of the United Kingdom by 57.2 per cent, of Germany by 65.8 per cent, of France by 58.4 per cent, of Italy by 58.1 per cent.

New Deputy-Minister



JOHN A. SULLIVAN, K.C., M.P.

Recently appointed Deputy Postmaster-General, Mr. Sullivan is well-known in this district, having been born at Beauharnois, and in recent years was Conservative Federal candidate in Chateaugay-Huntingdon, and Provincial candidate in both Chateaugay and Huntingdon.

A prominent lawyer, Mr. Sullivan became vice-president of the Montreal Bar, member of the General Council and the Examining Board. He entered the House of Commons in 1930, and often sat as chairman of the House.

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Athelstan Horse Exhibitor Is Injured At Ottawa Fair

David A. Cairns, 69, of Athelstan, a veteran exhibitor of light horses at the Central Canada Exhibition in Ottawa, was seriously injured Monday night when his horse Ceylon Duchess, in the high stepper harness horse class in the horse show, ran away, throwing him over the protecting railing, causing serious injury to his back as well as a fracture of the hip.

The spirited horse appeared quite nervous and bounded to make a get away, but the driver seemed to get the animal under control when the shouts of children sent it off on another rampage, and it galloped about the ring endangering the lives of a number of spectators. William Clark of the Clark Dairy, finally succeeded in stopping the runaway horse, but only after it had thrown its driver. Clark himself was somewhat injured in attempting to stop the animal. Other horses were aroused by the runaway hooking onto other carriages, but drivers held their charges though under difficulty.

Cairns was removed to the hospital where it was found that he was suffering from a fractured hip, a wrenched back, and other severe injuries about the face and body. Dave Cairns notified relatives at Athelstan, and yesterday Walter and Albert Cairns went to Ottawa to see the injured man and take charge of his exhibits.

Two Sentenced To Penitentiary For Theft At Keefe's

Ray Proper, 22, and Harry Blair, 16, were taken to Ormstown Penitentiary Saturday by Sheriff Monaghan of Malone, to begin serving the sentence of four months each imposed upon them when they pleaded guilty to charges of petit larceny in connection with a theft at the Herman J. Keefe place at Trout River. A third youth, under 16, will appear later in children's court. The trial gained entrance to the building Tuesday night previous by forcing up a window. Keefe stated that the machines taken were "vending machines and were not his property but stood there. He said that the sum of \$80 belonging to him was missing after the theft. State Troopers investigating the case became suspicious of the three boys when it was learned that they had been in the Trout River vicinity the night of the crime. Two troopers went to the Proper place in Constable Friday morning and apprehended the three there. Two of them were found hiding in a hay mow in the barn. They were arraigned before Justice of the Peace Floyd Denesha at Constable Friday afternoon.

Seven Tenders Received For Canal Work

Wide Variation In Prices Shown Both For Total And Part Work

Start In Two Weeks

Tenders for the completion of work on the Laguerre Canal were opened here on Thursday, but Department and County officials have not yet decided which firm or firms will be given contracts for the work.

Seven tenders were received, and much variation of prices was noted between the high and low tenders. The specifications called for three separate tenders. The first (a) was for the reconstruction of the concrete dam at the mouth of the Laguerre river at St. Anicet. The second (b) was for the construction of a regulating dam to control the flow of the river Laguerre into River St. Louis at its intersection with the road from Huntingdon to Port Lewis. The third (c) was for dredging to remove the natural earth dam at the head of the river Laguerre and St. Louis; the removal of two temporary dams, and the deepening, enlarging and cleaning of the channel.

The tender of George Mills and Sons, Montreal, for the total work, if the firm was given all three contracts, was \$28,022.60. If given only one or two units of the work, the tenders were: (a) \$8465.40; (b) \$13,294.20; (c) \$8690, a total of \$30,299.60. Cummings Construction Co. (a) \$7,744.50; (b) \$15,470; (c) \$5890, total \$32,904.50. Gorman Co. (a) \$10,392.20; (b) \$15,016.60; (c) \$6690, total \$32,009.80. Gault and Waterproofing Co. Ltd. (a) \$12,554.10; (b) \$23,090; (c) \$5960, total \$45,144.10. Galardo Construction Co. (c) \$8390. Proulx and Billette (a) \$8150. Scader and Spino Co. (a) \$6049.98; (b) \$11,890. The Department representatives seemed to favor the Mills tender, but those of Galardo and Scader and Spino, were also held, pending Department instructions, as the two latter were received after the time specified.

Coron Secretary James E. Barrett expects word daily from Quebec and Ottawa, as to the issuance of contracts, for the work must get under way within two weeks time, and completed this fall. At Thursday's meeting when tenders were opened, Quebec was awarded and responded to by the village of Athelstan, and Ottawa by J. M. Somerville.

On Wednesday afternoon, while some of the young folks were enjoying their usual swim in the river at Athelstan, smoke was seen coming from the roof of H. A. Hampson's Coopers' mill. The alarm was sounded and responded to by the villagers who were soon on hand with their water-buckets. A spark from the smoke stack was thought to have caused it, and prompt action must surely averted what might have been a most serious misfortune to the owner and the community.

Mrs. J. Kennedy and Miss Jane Kennedy of Utiqa, were guests of Mrs. Saunders and family this week. Mrs. Linstead of Montreal has been a recent guest at the home of Mr. Louis Roy Jr.

Mrs. Horner and Miss Myrtle Horner of Verdun are spending this week with Mr. and Mrs. W. Chapman. Mr. and Mrs. K. Millmore and children of Dunham, were also their week-end guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hutchings and family and Mr. Thomas Saunders, motored to Rochester, Vt., last week and spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Lyndon Fyles and family.

Anniversary Services Held At Athelstan

Women's Missionary Society Celebrate Fiftyth Year Since Foundation

Mrs. Rowat Founder

The fiftieth anniversary of the Athelstan Presbyterian Women's Missionary Auxiliary was held on Friday afternoon and the programme prepared was most enjoyable. Mrs. Brims conducted the meeting, and Mrs. A. Small of Elgin, gave the Bible reading, as she also did at the meeting held 25 years ago. The musical part included solos by Mrs. Simpson and Miss Margaret Rowat, and a duet by Mrs. Walter Arthur and Mrs. D. F. Grant. The minutes of the last monthly meeting were read, and also the minutes of meeting held August 16th, 1910.

A paper, prepared by the late Mrs. Andrew Rowat for the fiftieth anniversary of the founding of the Athelstan Auxiliary in 1885, was read. It was a paper of twenty-five years ago was read on this occasion by a daughter, Miss Ina Rowat. Mrs. Brims then called on several ladies present who brought gifts for the occasion. The following ladies participated: (1) Miss Margaret Rowat, a daughter of the founder, Mrs. Andrew Rowat, who lighted this candle in loving memory of Mrs. Andrew Rowat, who founded the Athelstan Auxiliary in 1885; (2) Mrs. W. G. Gibson, a Vice-Pres. of Montreal Presbyterian, "In memory of the present membership of active members who have carried on the work of the society with the prayer that we may prove true to our trust." (3) Mrs. Henry Wilson, a former President, "We light this candle with grateful hearts for all missionaries of the cross, and for the service they have rendered in spreading the Gospel of Jesus Christ." (4) Mrs. L. D. Watson, Supt. of Mission Band, "It is with hope we light this candle for the future of the young women and girls who are training for leadership, also in remembrance of the central place given in the child by Christ we pay tribute to the boys and girls of the Mission Bands, who by their prayers support the whole work of the W. M. Society the first day of each month." (5) Mrs. W. G. Brown, daughter of the late Mrs. Rowat, "With thanks to our friends and for God's guidance through the 50 years that have passed, may all join in singing the Doxology."

It is interesting to note that of the membership of 25 years ago but two, (Continued on page 4)

Philip Coates Of Ormstown Died Friday

James Sills Victim Of Fatal Skull Fracture at Boyd Settlement

Owened Cheese Factory

Fighting a losing battle with peritonitis, Philip Coates, known to a wide circle of friends as "Phil" died at the General Hospital, Montreal, Friday morning, August 16th, following a hernia operation performed the Monday previous.

Born in Scotland, he came to this country at the age of thirteen years. In the early days of his life he worked on the farm of his father, James Coates, and afterwards to work as an apprentice to Dick Whitmore, harness maker, who two years later died. Phil with encouragement and backing from friends around town took over his uncle's harness business and up till his death was a respected and popular resident of Main St., Ormstown and the town's harness-maker.

He took a keen interest in sports and played on the teams of lacrosse and hockey and for years refereed the games. He was a member of the executive of many sports associations.

He was a life member of Kanarvin Chapter of Montreal, and a chartered member of Glenora Lodge No. 86, Ormstown and served as Master for two years 1918-19. The funeral service was held at the Presbyterian Church on Sunday afternoon, with the Rev. W. Ross officiating and the Masonic service at the graveside was conducted by Rev. T. J. Watson, chaplain. His sister, Mrs. Fuller of Toronto, survived.

Many relatives and friends gathered at the Ormstown Presbyterian Church on Tuesday afternoon to pay their last tribute to the late James A. Sills, whose death came as a shock to the community.

Mr. Sills suffered a skull injury, from which he did not rally, a week ago when he fell from a ladder at the Boyd Settlement cheese factory where he had gone to assist his brother-in-law in finishing out his term as cheesemaker. Mr. Sills, who was in his 66th year, was well known and beloved. With his family he moved to Ormstown eight years ago from Fertile Creek, where he had operated a factory and where he still kept it going when the farmers of that district needed it.

He is survived by his wife formerly Jessie Morrison, two daughters Anna and Ruth, one brother Mr. Allan Sills of Toronto, Ont., two sisters, Mrs. Fred Sills, Dixon, Ill., and Mrs. Allan Twining, Toronto.

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The Death of Especially Quebec and the Maritimes times but the rest of Canada as well mourns the passing at Conquerall Bank, Nova Scotia, early Saturday morning of Rev. Canon Allan P. Shatford, rector of St. James the Apostle Church in Montreal, Canon Shatford, Nova Scotia born, sought favourite haunts in his native province, to recuperate from severe heart attacks. Bronchial pneumonia added to his troubles, and unaccustomed exertion Friday brought on a circulatory relapse, from which time his death was expected momentarily.

Canon Shatford was one of the most eloquent and persuasive preachers the Church possessed, as well as one of Canada's most brilliant after-dinner speakers. Few, if any, of the Church of England clergy in Canada were better known or more popular, not only throughout the Dominion but also abroad. During the years between 1906 and 1935 his fame spread continuously further abroad. He was asked to address service club meetings, conventions, Boards of Trade, commercial associations, every kind of organization appealed to him to bring them a fresh message of encouragement and good cheer; and although never losing sight, or allowing others to forget, that the Gospel was his life's mission, he was the soul of versatility; and could keep the Pomological Association in paroxysms of laughter for half an hour one day by his quaint quips and witticisms on the place of the apple in history; another day move a service club to a pitch of patriotic enthusiasm; and the next stir the souls of an audience with an appeal for a good cause or a denunciation of a public wrong.

He volunteered for service overseas the day after Great Britain declared war; and was appointed chaplain to the 24th Battalion in October, 1914; sailed for England on May 9, 1915, and went to France on July 9, of that year. He served with the 5th Infantry Brigade in the line until February 1916, and was then transferred to Corps Headquarters for special service, taking charge of work among the troops until October, 1918. In that month he was appointed senior chaplain of the 4th Division. In March, 1919, he left France for Canada and on May 10 took his demobilization after four years' overseas service.

Of his service in France suffice it to say that he was promoted from Captain to Major, mentioned in dispatches and awarded the military O.B.E.

It has been well said that not one of the men who went on active service in that war ever came back. The regimental number came back, but it was a new and different man who bore it. Some came back bigger and better, some broken and wrecked; but all were changed. It was a bigger, stronger, greater Shatford that came back than the courageous, capable young preacher who went away. And from his return from the war dates Canon Shatford's ascent to continent-wide fame and greatness, alike as preacher, lecturer and worker for the cause of the Church.

Canon Shatford was very prominent in Masonic circles. His service to the craft was invaluable and through his death Masonry has suffered a great loss. Through official Masonic connections Canon Shatford made many visits to this district. In services open to the public, as well as in lodges, he was always warmly greeted by record audiences. During charity appeals, whether of his own faith, Jewish, or Catholic, Canon Shatford was often eloquently heard asking consideration for the other fellow, which served as a further appreciation of his qualities by the general public.

Major the Rev. Canon Shatford was speaker at the unveiling of Huntingdon County's Great War Monument, September 14th, 1921. Major Shatford, on that occasion, reminded his listeners that his heart was thrilled to see so many in the County of Huntingdon who wished to perpetuate the memory of their heroes. The purposes of the monument, he said, were to honour the dead, perpetuate the past, and inspire the living. He foretold how in future years while children played at the foot of the monument some tottering old man would recount the history of men whose names were thereon inscribed. But fourteen years since that day, and already teen-age children look inquisitively when such heroes and such exploits are mentioned.

In the passing of Canon Shatford Canada mourns the death of a great soldier, a great preacher, but above all a most human and sympathetic man.

Schools Opening

In two weeks' time a number of schools will already have opened, and practically all others almost ready for classes. The matter of a choice of a school for children should be decided upon at a date well before school opening. Especially is this true for colleges as there are so many formalities to comply with, that tardiness often causes unnecessary inconveniences. Some parents make the grave mistake of never allowing their children any preference in the choice of a school. Quite true, it is, that the choice should not be left to their immature judgments alone, but it must be remembered that if the child is where he wants to be he will be more contented. Children are more guided by intuition than judgment, and the fact that they request to attend some particular school, may possibly be the evidence of their natural ability forecasting itself. There are educational institutions in this district of high enough standing to take in any pupils who wish to take the High School course.

The young men and women who are contemplating a college course, naturally have to go elsewhere. We are fortunate in having some of Canada's best educational institutions only a mere fifty miles from us, so that there should never be the complaint of lack of advantages. The financial aspect often plays an important item in the education of children, but every sacrifice possible should be made to give young men and women the education they desire. Young people who themselves want education certainly merit every possible opportunity, as success in studies is fairly well assured by their determination to better themselves.

Parents, and those responsible with the upbringing of children, should do everything in their power to see that all children are given an equal chance in life, and particularly so when children show keen aptitude.

Two Great Men

The world's greatest humorist-philosopher, Will Rogers, and the celebrated aviator Wiley Post, have gone West, death occurring when their plane crashed last week in Alaska. Their deaths were practically instantaneous, and the world will never know what their farewell messages might have been. Great men the world over were shocked to hear of the death of these men, particularly that of Will Rogers. Idolized by millions of screen lovers, his happy smile, and spontaneous humour were known from coast to coast, and abroad. His field covered radio and journalism as well. Whenever and wherever Rogers appeared, spoke, or wrote thousands rallied to learn his sayings. He was a goodwill ambassador extraordinary and his gem of a speech in connection with an international broadcast on the occasion of the King and Queen's Silver Jubilee will long be remembered.

Speaking to Britain, he said "We used to be with them and we maybe could make some arrangements with them satisfactory to them that we could get back with 'em. It looks like maybe we bit off a little more liberty than we could handle;" and his farewell sentence, "So, long life and happiness to your King and your Queen, and even if they don't come over, let us know if there is any chance of us joining you all on about the same terms as Canada is on." That was a remarkable tribute to Britain and Canada. Made in Rogers' way it implied sincerity of expression, and was but one of the things which made him loved by peoples of many nations.

Stricter Enforcement Of Traffic Laws

Suggestion that on Sundays, Saturdays and holidays when motor traffic is particularly heavy on rural highways, especially in the district around the big centres, members of the provincial motorcycle police supervise railway crossings and inform automobilists and other users of the road of the approach of railway trains, as a means of preventing level crossing accidents, will be made to the provincial authorities by the Province of Quebec Safety League.

The recent accident near Laprairie was regretted by the league which recorded as one of the worst registered in the province. J. J. Cosgrove, chairman of the Commercial Vehicle No-Accident Contest, and the secretary-general, Arthur Gaboury, discussed ways and means of obtaining a stricter enforcement of the railway crossing stop law.

One point proved by the accident, in the opinion of Mr. Cosgrove, was the need of a uniform law throughout the continent. "If those people had been accustomed to stopping at level crossings not equipped with warning signals at home, they would have stopped at Laprairie," said Mr. Cosgrove. Mr. Gaboury expressed the opinion that if the Province of Ontario would follow the example of the Province of Quebec it would not be long before the regulation would be adopted in the whole Dominion and would then spread to the United States.

The Farmer Brings Us Back To Earth

The storm that has arisen over the action of several of the Provincial Governments in shutting off relief for single men until the needs of the farmers for help to harvest their crops have been satisfied has turned the spotlight revealingly on one of the gravest problems with which the Depression has confronted us.

What has made the change? Certainly nothing local. This difficulty first arose in the Western States. Then it was found epidemic in practically all of Canada's agricultural Provinces. Many of the single men on relief, instead of leaping to their feet with joyous acclaim when they heard that definite jobs awaited them on the farms, simply refused to go. That is what precipitated the closing of the relief camps. A wholesale change in the spirit of these men had obviously occurred.

If we were frank about it, would any of us be quite sure that we would not suffer in the same way? Where the State provides enough for a man to live on, thus leaving him with infinite leisure, and where the undeniable fact that the Depression has driven so many good men into dependence on State aid, which they regard as a matter of right, that all sense of humiliation has quite properly been cancelled, is it not human nature to turn away from offers of work that promise very little, if any, better returns?

But the effect of this sort of thing on the community is deadly. We may "pooh-pooh" it and deny that it exists and argue that a return of opportunity will mean the return of everybody to productive work, but this instance of the refusal of the single men to get off relief and accept work in the harvest fields is a startling of light that reveals a most uncomfortable state of affairs.

Are we going to teach our youth that "the world owes them a living"—a statement that was but lately regarded as a derisive jeer at a lazy man. We are certainly going to do exactly these terrible things if we continue to maintain men on the "dole" and fail to find for them profitable work. And there is no other alternative.

So long as there is no work, we must continue the "dole." We cannot let men starve. We must feed them and shelter them and clothe them, so long as we have not found either the brains or the courage to re-adjust our industrial system and enable some men to make shoes and clothing for other men who will grow food or dig fuel.

That is the sort of leadership that this country needs—not pettifoggish political leadership, seeking always the success of a "party." It is a stark absurdity that an intelligent citizenry, such as ours, should sit idly suffering for the necessities of life when it holds in its bosom plenty of men with the skill to produce these necessities.

One cure is to bring it back to simpler conditions. This is what the men are doing who urge the "back to the land" movement. It may mean a lower scale of living—but a living such as our grandfathers thought luxurious—and it provides a machine less likely to break down.

Another temporary relief would be to provide State work. This costs a lot of money; but if our public men would get together and stop competitive bi-partisan "patronage" and "graft" and "nepotism" and all the evils of the party system, and then balance our budgets and bring our expenditures within our income, they would find that the vastly enhanced national credit would enable them to raise the money to provide such relief work as clearing out the slums—if investors were assured that the money would be spent with rigid economy, stern honesty and without party "graft."

The dangerous disposition to drift and await the healing processes of time has been brought up with a round turn by this unpleasant episode of certain—but sadly mistaken—single men who seemed quite willing to accept the farmers' benevolence and let the farmers' wives do the field work. It was not only chivalry that had died—it was their very souls. We must put a stern stop to this deadening soporific of the "dole." We must put our unemployed to work.

Chronicle News Bits

Paintings Held For Ransom

The return of four priceless old masters, stolen from the Metropolitan Museum in April, 1933, has revealed one of the most amazing plots in the history of crime in New York. Ten paintings were stolen from the museum, including such famous works as Van Dyck's portrait of Senor Miossa, Roger van der Weyden's "Portrait of a Young Man," Sir Thomas Lawrence's portrait of Miss Barnard, the "Annunciation," by Fra Angelico, Poussin's portrait of Louis XI, "Christ's Ascension," by Rubens, and Bernardino's "Head of Christ." After the robbery the thieves suggested the paintings be ransomed, and the return of the first batch of four works is held as indicating the good faith of the thieves that they will return the others if the ransom of \$50,000 be paid. The paintings returned were found lying on top of a newspaper kiosk to which the thieves had directed the museum authorities. Which are the four paintings returned is not revealed by the museum authorities. Negotiations for the ransom of the remaining paintings are reported to be incomplete.

Sight Lost Village

A "Lost World" village, whose inhabitants may have been isolated from civilization for centuries, has been sighted by the pilot of a passing air liner on the northern spur of the Andes mountains in Colombia, South America. The village is at an altitude of 8,000 feet on the edge of a clear lake near Mount San Luca between the Magdalena and Nechi rivers, the houses of which there are, in measure, so far as could be seen from the air, 100 feet long and 3 feet wide. The land in the vicinity shows no sign of cultivation, and the inhabitants of the village would live either by hunting or fishing. No trace of the village can be found on any map, and government officials are keenly interested in the possibilities of the discovery. The opinion has been expressed the inhabitants of the "lost" village may be the descendants of Aztecs who deserted their homes as far back as the Spanish conquest in order to escape persecution at the hands of the invaders. The village was sighted by Captain H. H. Hudson, pilot of the Scotia Colombia-German Air Transport company, while he was flying an air liner between Barranquilla and Bogota.

Twenty Years of Book

Twenty years ago Judge Sir Mitchell Banks began a novel with an eighteenth century theme. Now he hopes to finish the book. Service in the war as a private in India and Mesopotamia, work at the bar, as a member of parliament for Swindon, and, finally, as judge of Hull county court, have deprived him of the time to complete his novel. Recently he took up residence in an old-world house in Beverley, formerly occupied by the Bishop of Hull. The atmosphere of the house, beneath the towers of Beverley Minster, is eighteenth century—just the thing for Sir Mitchell's book!

Japan Wants to Keep Clocks

Fears that the famous "Daimyo no Toki" collection of timepieces, once owned by leading Daimyo together with old books on the subject of clocks, will soon be lost to Japan, is expressed by Japanese newspapers. The clocks have been known as the Takabayashi collection, and have been kept at the Tokyo Museum of Science for many years. They were recently offered for sale, and an American collector offered \$15,000 for them, a bid which was increased by a British resident in Kobe. It is not believed that the collection has actually been sold, but it is feared that if the intention to sell becomes widely known collectors in Europe and America will offer such a price that the owner will part with them.

Oxford Lifts Ban on Women

Miss Tania Vorontsoff, of St. Hil-da's, the first woman undergraduate to be given permission by the Oxford University authorities to act as a speaking part on the same stage as men students, played the part of "La Mort" in the production of "Orpheus," by Jean Cocteau, which was given by the Oxford University French Club in Oxford, England, recently. A few weeks ago, when the Oxford University English Club wanted to stage some one-act plays the University authorities refused permission to women students to act with men. Other bans against women are expected to be dropped.

Windfall at Auction

R. Foster, Northallerton, Eng., bought an old kitchen press at an auction sale for 25 shillings. While the press was being dismantled for removal, a very expensive containing £68 was found inside it. As he purchased the press "with all faults apparent or hidden," Mr. Foster considers he is entitled to the money. The vendors, however, handed the "find." The press was the property of Mrs. Pratt, of Rosnaby, near Northallerton, who recently died, and was understood to be in very poor circumstances.

Picks Wrong Butcher

When Mac Horton, negro, stopped at an Independence, Kan., meat market and offered to sell a cow, the proprietor asked to see the animal. They went to Horton's pasture where the most dealer recognized his own cow stolen from his feedlot the night before. Horton could not explain how he came into possession of the animal and now is in jail until he can tell how it all happened.

Never Has to Chew

While a baby, and until he was four years old, Douglas Baker, Philadelphia, was so weak he had to subsist on a liquid diet. After getting well, he refused to eat solid food and now at 20 still lives on liquids entirely. He is 5 feet 3 inches tall and weighs 99 pounds, but is healthy and normal in every other way, indulging in all kinds of sports.

Specialty written for The Huntingdon Gleaner

Trunks Years on Quay

Eight years ago a wealthy English spinster arrived in Sydney, Australia, from London with luggage consisting of several large wardrobe trunks, three cabin trunks, numerous suitcases and two strongly made wooden boxes. She deposited this luggage in a carrying agent's depot on the quayside. Nothing was heard from her for two years—then the following communication was received from her from a London bank address in 1923. "I was obliged to leave at the end of last July; hence the reason you have not heard from me. Will you kindly keep all my luggage stored in your repository until my return to Sydney, about April or May?" A week later she wrote again, giving the date of her anticipated arrival in May, 1929. When the luggage agents met the liner by which she was expected, she was not on board. Neither had she booked a passage. From that date nothing has been heard of her. Now agents have sent a letter to her, care of the London bank. If they receive no answer, they will get official permission to open the luggage in an effort to solve the mystery.

Parachute Invasion

Gliding and parachute jumping have made such progress in the Soviet army, 2,500 men can be dropped silently from the sky on to a given area, all landing at the same moment. This extraordinary development in modern warfare was described by Gen. Vassily Khripine, assistant commander of the military aviation of the Soviet army, in an interview in London. He declared the movement was of definite military importance. He explained that a plane could draw as many as seven gliders, each carrying a soldier or soldiers. The planes receive wireless orders from the ground, and at a sufficient distance from the point of invasion for the engines to be heard released the gliders. These continued in silence. When over the mark, another signal was given and the parachute army descended without warning on to the selected ground.

Builds Toy Church

A labor of love, embodying many months of patient toil, has been carried out by a 71-year-old man, C. Hudson, of Plymouth. He has completed one of the finest church models ever seen, complete down to the tiniest detail. Standing two feet high, the model is fitted with electricity, which, besides providing light, works a clock in one of the four towers, and works the organ, a masterpiece of skill. Inside the church are worshippers and robed choir, with hymn books, and the clergyman with Bible.

No Wonder He Howled

His body brought to the morgue in Galatz, Rumania, George Oesileanu was reported killed in a fight. To determine the cause of his death, surgeons took him to an operating room to perform an autopsy. The surgeons had gathered around the table ready to begin their work when the "corpse" suddenly moved and his eyes opened. Terrified by the sight of the white-clad surgeons with their knives and other instruments, the man gave a howl, jumped from the operating table before the surprised doctors and fled the building.

Two Kisses Cancel Suit

Enzo Pinza, the thunder-voiced basso of the Metropolitan opera, kissed his wife, Augusta, "Kiss me again," she trilled, smiling happily, and Enzo kissed her again, grinning from ear to ear. Thus, for the kisses of her husband, Signora Pinza settled her \$250,000 alienation of affections suit against the Metropolitan opera star, Elizabeth Reiberg. It has been revealed, Mme. Reiberg didn't pay a dime, her attorneys declared. The only payment was in kisses—\$250,000 worth of Enzo Pinza's kisses to his own wife, Gatti-Casazza, for years director of the Metropolitan, prepared the setting for the kisses, and directed the grand reconciliation aboard the Italian liner Rex just before he sailed for Italy a few weeks ago.

Three Cross Africa in Car

Seeking to "get out of the rut or everyday life," three "inseparables" of Paris toured the length of Africa in an automobile. They were Jean de Grammont, 23, a broker, Pierre Tisserre, an old operator, and Roger Dupont, 26, a lawyer. All belong to rich and well-known French families, and have been inseparable since they graduated from the Military Academy and service in the Alpine Chasseurs several years ago. They journeyed through Algeria, the Sahara, Nigeria, the Cameroons, French West Africa, the Belgian Congo, Ovamboland and Winhoek, ending the tour recently at Capetown. The trio covered 20,000 miles in 50 traveling days. In the Sahara they were held up for 24 days by mechanical trouble.

Better Stay Home

Ollie Broadus, of Mobile, Alabama, had a horse and wagon. Both were hit by a car, and the horse was killed. He bought another horse. A truck driver hit his wagon, scared the horse and it ran away. He bought a car. It collided with another, and Broadus paid damages.

Hail Mows Hay

A Center Point, Idaho, farmer, Frank Allbones, got mowed a mow for his hay crop. Nature did the work for him. A severe hailstorm cut 14 acres of timothy "so sick that all I had to do was rake it up and load it," Allbones said.

Beer Mug, \$25,000 Suit

A mug of beer—shoved along the bar from one end to another—resulted in a \$25,000 damage suit in Sandusky, O. Frank Ernst, the plaintiff, said that the "schmeer" struck his "shell" glass at the far end, smashing it, and that a piece of glass struck him in the right eye, permanently impairing his sight.

Letters to The Editor

210 St. James Street, West, Montreal August 18th, 1935

The Editor, Gleaner, Huntingdon, P.Q.
Dear Sir:

On August 4, in Victoria, B.C., the Canadian Press reported that Hon. H. H. Stevens severely censured the banks for buying government bonds instead of increasing their loans to business and other enterprise. He is reported to have said that the banks "are supposed to support the lifeblood of Canadian commerce."

In his approach to banking, Mr. Stevens differs from the two million Canadians who, like myself, have their savings largely invested in bank accounts. For depositors, who must outnumber borrowers by a 1,000 to 1, the prime duty of the banks is to safeguard the funds of the depositors.

There are many reasons why my bank manager wants to make commercial loans. He pays me 2 per cent on my account, yet short term government securities yield him as little as 1 1/2 per cent. If Mr. Stevens is correct, then the banks must be losing money on a large proportion of their deposit business.

Viewed also in their larger social implications, the policies of the banks seem sound—at least from the viewpoint of the majority of the population. In a period of recovery, the banks can best safeguard the depositor and encourage trade by the purchase of high grade securities. The demand from the banks and other institutions has forced the price of prime securities to the highest level in history. Yields are lower than ever before. This forces money into other channels. Already there has been a noticeable revival in mortgage lending; some construction has begun; and the low price of long term money must produce industrial expansion. Projects, unsound when money cost 7 or even 8 per cent, are frequently economic when rates drop to 5 and 6 per cent.

It is not intended here to make a case for the bankers. They are human and therefore fallible—as is Mr. Stevens. But in these times should politicians force banks to make questionable commercial loans, then bank depositors, like myself, would naturally hoard currency, a development leading inevitably to disaster here just as it did in the U.S. The banking system is sound in Canada because depositors realize our bankers will not make questionable commercial loans.

May I thank you, Sir, for permitting me thus to express views which are widely held but seldom voiced. I am,

Faithfully yours,

W. H. HURD.

August 19th, 1935

Editor, The Gleaner.
Dear Sir—
Chemistry Wrecks the Farm
An article under this heading, in August Harpers Magazine, should be

Buy the Best Tea

"SALADA" TEA

read by all who pin their faith to a "back to the land" policy. In 1790, 90 per cent of the population of America were engaged in agriculture. By 1870 there were only 50 per cent. In 1930 it had fallen to 20 per cent. And that was twice as many as were necessary. For half of them produced 85 per cent of the total output. If that half would expand their operations by only 18 per cent, they could produce all the foodstuffs that are needed for the whole nation. The other half of the farmers are virtually superfluous. From the national standpoint, might they not just as well be digging holes and filling them up again? But what glorious news! 10 per cent of us could produce all the food required for all of us. Therefore the other 90 per cent are available to provide clothes, comforts, luxuries, etc., for us all. If their work were intelligently organized, they could provide communal luxuries, amenities, refinements and embellishments of life, such as we have never dreamed of. If a fraction of the thought now devoted to the question, how can "I" enjoy a fuller life, were spared for the question, how can "all of us" enjoy a fuller life—existence in this Dominion could be the finest experience on earth. It is not Socialism; it is commonsense, under an honest money system.

J. C. WILSON

Dewittville

Mr. and Mrs. Lee, Elsie, Eleanor and nephew, Geddis returned to Montreal on Sunday after spending the past two weeks at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Allan Ritchie.

Mr. Ronald Lee and Miss Leverette of Montreal were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Allan Ritchie.

Mr. and Mrs. A. McIntosh and daughter Jean, Mr. and Mrs. Wilkie

and son Gordon of Montreal were Sunday guests of Mrs. Anderson and Mrs. Erskine.

Miss Netta Williams of Westmount spent the week-end with her friend, Miss Greta Ferns.

Mr. Kraus of Montreal spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Allan Ritchie.

Mr. John Lawrenson and Miss K. Murray of Montreal were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Smiles.

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The Editors' Den

What Action is Needed

At this time of the year the air is filled with promises from Coast to Coast. People are being deluged with printed matter, newspaper articles, editorial, radio talks, news broadcasts and soap box orators, all promising certain things will be done if they are given the opportunity of sitting in parliament for the next four years. All three parties denounce the government for inaction or not going far enough in their reconstruction. Each of the opposition parties are battling against themselves and tearing each other's platform to pieces and denouncing their opponents. While all this is going on the government are sitting back and making ready for the battle. They are laying their plans carefully. They have laid a foundation for the future and expect to so build, that they will place Canadian citizenship on a higher plane. They feel that the past few months the past session has shown them the many stumbling blocks to be overcome and the need to go slow. They are going along with ease and watching each step. Records show that they have made progress and the people will be asked to judge just how much progress they have made. If you listen to the various oppositions you will believe that the government should be all jalled. But this is what the people on the defensive generally say about those they would eject. Simple platform promises have never lifted the depression. United States of America is an example. Canada is now at the turning point. The people are called upon to rise to the occasion and show their hands. They are asked to rise and pass judgment upon the active or inactive men who have promised. The decision must be made in such a way that there is no minority rule. That is one party must be given a verdict that will enable them rule without dictation from a third party. Unless such authority is given, it is generally conceded that there will be little action or advancement in any legislation. It is very easy to make a promise, but it is hard to fulfill some of them when constitutional

authority stands in the way. Few of the public understand just what is involved in these great changes. Only a few people understand the details of publishing a paper. They have learned the detail by a study of the situation. They know why a certain line of work demands a specific treatment. The outsiders may think it red tape, but the man who knows understands fully the reason for the apparent round about way and is accomplished. The same applies to the present situation in the development of the country. History has shown how movements and ends are obtained. A complete destruction of all existing orders has created greater want and despair. When the change has been gradual and built piece by piece there has been a wholesome situation created. France has never gotten over her methods of establishing freedom. Has France freedom to-day? Has Russia freedom to-day? Has Germany freedom? These are nations that have given away to so called freedom of speech and general destruction but they are still at it. Look at England to-day and see what they have done. By setting to the task before them and facing the issue these men have won their place in the front ranks. Canada if she will win must be ready to face the issue in a sane manner. Look the facts in the face. Study the question and find out who has done the most to date for Canada. Find out what policy is likely to produce the best results for the citizenship as a whole. Do not be misled by promises but follow the dictates of your own opinion. Make that opinion right by studying the situation and the country will not be led by a minority that has to give way to the third or fourth party if they want to stay in power. France is in the hands of such a system to-day. England has risen above the possibilities by her union government.

—Weston Times and Guide

He Evades the One Desire of More Economy in Government

MOST of the planks in the platform of the Hon. H. H. Stevens are of the kind which meet the definition of the political art of "buying votes with the voter's own money." Briefly, these are the planks and a brief comment on each:
To open up avenues of work for all.
For which the Taxpayers will pay. Completion of Trans-Canada Highway.
For which the Taxpayers will pay. New Roads into Canada's Northlands.
For which the Taxpayers will pay. Country-wide Reforestation.
With which Politicians play and Taxpayers pay.
Abolition of level crossings.

For which the Taxpayers will pay. A National Housing Policy.
Which tenants and many taxpayers will pay.
Uniformity of Wage and Hours policy.
For which the people who lug will pay.
Limit of five per cent. mortgage interest.
Which will make money hard to get for those in distress.
Public ownership and development of mines.
From which will come neither profit nor dividends.
A monetary system suitable to Canada.
May mean anything; surely something to pay.
Establishment of a Dominion Agricultural Board.
Making a permanent addition for Political Healers who will not heal.
A central taxing authority with divvy of revenues.
Cannot be done under the Constitution.

Frison Reform—
Should include recompense for the victims of the convicts.
Implement recommendations of Price Spread report.
Will kill ailing business conditions.
A new fuel policy—
To turn up all that is left.
Schoolboy Stevens may think he has developed a vote-catching policy, but his manifesto, reduced to plain meaning, and shorn of its verbiage, does not mean a thing, but it may catch the vote of the simpletons, the unsuccessful and the inept.

When will some real statesman arise and gain the knowledge that the taxpayers of Canada are in revolt, they weary of panaceas which will only cost them more money, though a few may be willing to buy a pig in a poke.
Economy can only come through lesser expenditures and a curtailment of all government interference with the affairs of those who invest both money and experience.
If the present government would agree to dispose of the bankrupt railway they would catch the habit of Economy in other things.
—Sherbrooke Record

Why the Empty Pews?

THE CLERGYMEN of Canada are worried about the falling off in church attendance. They are becoming alarmed as week after week, they preach to empty pews; and are urging the prohibition of Sunday sports and recreations, closing of gasoline stations on the first day of the week, more vigilance on the part of the Lord's Day Alliance, and other emergency measures to help fill the empty seats.

They have reason for alarm. A study made of more than a thousand churches in North America, over a period of four years, reveals the fact that seventy per cent of the pews are empty, and that fifty-eight per cent of the members are doing nothing at all to help support the church.

Every thinking man and woman should be concerned over this situation. Why is there no more interest in the church and its services? Why the disregard for the Bible? Why would people rather attend a ball game than go to church? It is truly an alarming situation. Who is to blame for the empty pews?
As the ministers have studied the situation they have blamed commercialized sports, the radio, the automobile, and the people. Baseball games are broadcasted in living, and hockey games play by play, but these places of amusement are crowded and jammed. So it is hard for us to admit that the radio keeps people home from church.
Sunday is the busiest day of the week on the highways, and it is hard for us to believe all these are filled with unbelievers. These automobiles make it more convenient for people to go to church if they had the desire to go. These automobiles don't keep people away

from moving picture shows and other amusements. No, thousands drive many miles to attend a hockey game. So we cannot believe the automobile is to blame for the empty pews.
Roger Babson, the statistician, in studying this alarming situation, suggests that the church "insist on rigid standards for church membership" and see that the sermons are vitalized."

We believe Mr. Babson is getting at the root of the trouble. How is the ordinary church member of 1935 any different than the out-and-out worldly? There were times when a church member could not play cards, dance, drink, smoke and gamble; in other words break all the commandments, and still be a member in good and regular standing. What modern pastor would be bold enough to tell his members they should not play bridge, attend dances, or take a drink now and then? The facts are, for a good many years, the shepherds have been telling their flocks that the ten commandments were nailed to the cross, and the people have come to believe it is true, so they should they worry about breaking them?

The man of the world looks at the modern minister and the church member who does attend church, and after a careful scrutiny, he decides that the church member is not much different, if any, than he, a worldly, so he argues that it is just as good as the so-called Christians, and sees no reason for connecting with a church or attending divine service. Hasn't he some ground for his reasoning?

—Canadian Statesman

Job-Hunting Graduate

PEOPLE today listen with their eyes. A good salesman has something to show. One salesman will go into a place of business merely to talk vaguely about his product. Another will lay down an attractive package and proceed to show the interesting and worthwhile features of its contents. Which has the better chance of making a sale?
A graduate seeking work is first of all, a salesman. He must sell himself and his abilities.

First impressions last. Hence, he should see that the package is attractive. He must be sure that he is neatly groomed. Then he should have something to show. That is, he should not say in substance, "I can do almost anything." He should be able to state clearly his chief interests and his specific qualifications, especially emphasizing those which may gear in the machinery of the organization with which he wishes to make connections.

With this in mind, he should make a list of business with whom he is neatly groomed. Then he should have something to show. That is, he should not say in substance, "I can do almost anything." He should be able to state clearly his chief interests and his specific qualifications, especially emphasizing those which may gear in the machinery of the organization with which he wishes to make connections.

ones first. By this is not meant those offering most in immediate rewards. A job hunter should not cheat himself out of a worth-while experience or something of great future worth to gain an immediate temporary advantage.

When once on the job, a graduate should remember that his selling is just beginning. During the first few months or years, he is selling himself for the future, there or elsewhere. While he got in with certain qualifications, he will realize that these were "getting-in" qualifications—not "staying-in" ones. He will be on time and doing all he can to please, that there won't be anything left for the most exacting boss to be strict about.

He will realize that his employer is not running a charitable institution. He is an investor. If the life of an employer is to be interesting enough for him to continue at it he must make money from handling employees and the problems of business.

Hence, the graduate will see to it that he earns all the boss pays him and something for the boss—else his employer's job is an unpaid one and he will quit—this particular employee at least. To this end, and for a greater purpose in the future, the employed graduate will invest time and money, if need be, in improving his knowledge and technique of the job. He, himself, for several years is his own best investment.

The Rotary magazine has for a few months been giving space to jobs for new workers, conducted by Walter Pitkin. It is being brought out that business men are interested in youth. Youth is teachable, makes suggestions, and can be more easily geared into the modern machinery of a modern business organization built on the savings of others.

—Wadena News

"The patient in Number Six keeps calling out 'Honk! honk!'" said the nursing sister.
"Ah, yes," said the doctor. "A motorist. Good! He's evidently rounding the corner."

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School Notes

By Staff Reporter

Allister Watson forsook this frigid clime and headed for Florida after his school days were over. Being a very boisterous lad, while at the Academy it was no novelty to him when he got a good tanning down in the south. He used to throw the forward passes for the school rugby team and when he played there were always two dead lines on the field—the one at the goal posts, and the other his opponent's when he hit them. Presently he is at home but expects to be making for the sunny south again soon.

Jack Elder goes around the country bringing down houses. No, he's not a wrecking artist, just an actor, and spends his spare time digging-up talent around Athelstan and vicinity for the entertainment of the people of those parts. Jack's ambitions are on the land so to speak, or at least in the writing field, and he believes that if you playwrite right for the people they'll play right with you in the end. Right?

Kenneth McNair has branched out into a business of his own in the photography line and has, in fact, developed quite a trade. He now takes all the school's class pictures as well as handling a large part of the town's photographic work and has developed many a negative in the dark. Big Ben, as he was sometimes known, probably because he liked to pass the time used to roll the class into the aisles daily with fits of laughter, whenever he

started explaining about his amusing inventions.

Ethel Kelly, who nursed an ambition in school to become a nurse fulfilled it when she attended the course at the Montreal General Hospital. Recently she has been staying at home and sends a certain somebody's pulse and temperature dangerously high whenever she's near.

Some girls like of boys, a host. But in that way I'm not like most. Just a one man woman, that's plain to see.

For the curious, the initials are J. C. B.
Nora Coulter is teaching at Vance School and this summer she attended summer school at Macdonald College. We wonder who asks all the questions at school now.

Lame Limericks
A judge, in meeting his criminal brother.
Said, look how you're shamming our name of Caruthers.
The world all knows that you're a crook.
And can read your life like an open book.
It's just been one sentence after another.

Tatehurst

Mr. and Mrs. Martin of N. D. G. were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Upton.
Mrs. Wm. Orr and Mrs. Currie of Riverfield, spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Hooker.

Miss Evelyn Ingham of Lennoxville, spent last week with her friends Miss Viola Gruer.

Misses Frances Naylor, Elizabeth Totham, Peggy Brown and Beverly Ann Ross were guests last Wednesday of Misses Marjorie, Ruth and Dorothy Hooker.

Misses Margaret and Ethel and Mr. Roy Williams were week-end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Greer. Miss Ethel Williams is spending this week at the Greer home.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Jarvis and Jackie and Mr. Jack Dodd of N. D. G. Mr. Austin Sproule, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Upton, Lionel and Rupert, spent Sunday at Chateaugay Lake, N. Y.

Mrs. J. Sproule returned home last week-end after spending several weeks with friends at Walkerville, Ont.
Mrs. Arnold McKell of Riverfield, spent a few days last week with her sister, Mrs. John Greer.



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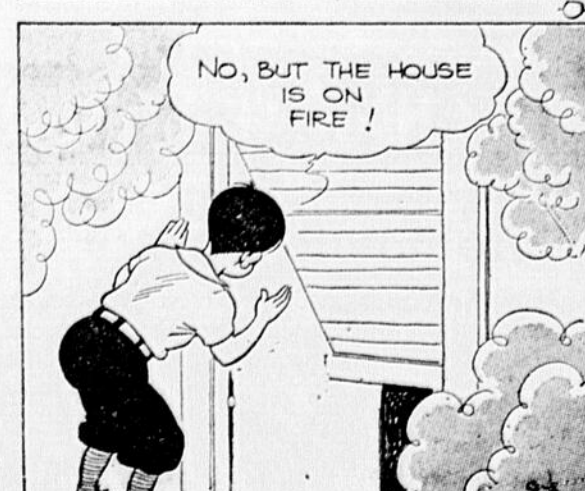
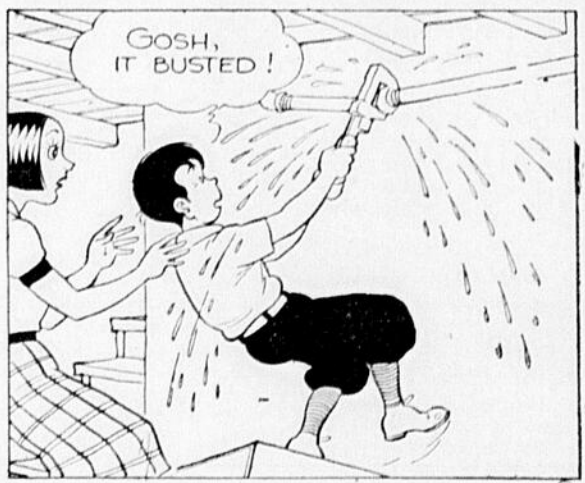
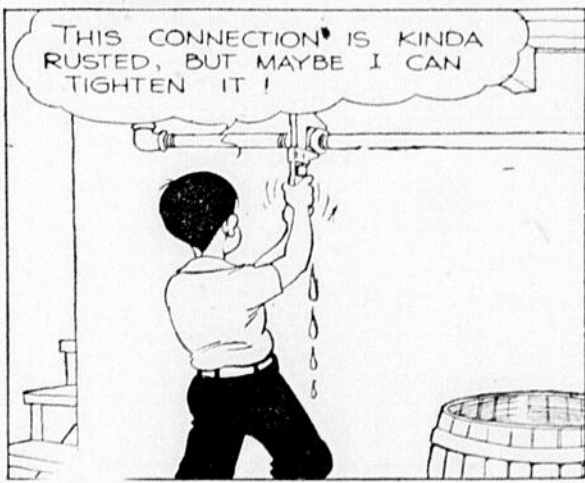
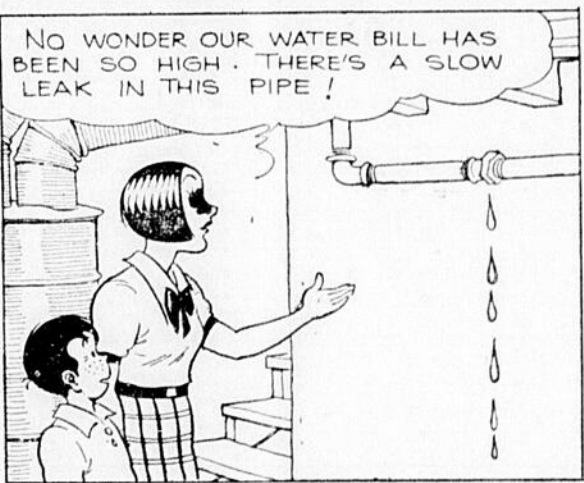
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Man Drowned In River At Cotton Mill

Successful Tennis Tourney Staged In Valleyfield Sunday Evening

The tennis court of the Valleyfield K. of C. Club held a gala night Sunday last, when the finals of the eliminator tournament of the past month were held. Prizes of loving cups, tennis rackets, etc. were distributed to the winners whose names were: Doubles, Miss Claire Roy, Club prize, Miss L. St. Michel, prize donated by R. Belanger, Mr. E. Montet, donated by S. Charnard, P. E. Lariviere, donated by J. M. Lafleur. Singles: Miss Rochelle Huneau, loving cup donated by Credit Anglo-Français, Ltee. to be defended yearly, and cup donated by Gontar Saint-Germain, Miss Helene St. Michel, prize donated by P. Billette, Mr. C. Doucet, loving cup donated by Maxime Raymond to be defended yearly, and cup donated by L. P. Godbout, Miss M. Corbell won the prize given by the Misses Langevin, and the tennis rackets donated by J. A. Poirer, won by Miss M. Pilon, and Mr. Roland Lariviere. Luncheon was served by the ladies of the club after the distribution of prizes and cups. The seven or eight hundred people who witnessed those finals and the distribution of prizes and cups can testify that they were seldom attended such a charming, interesting and well-organized party. This is due, of course, to the good sportsmanship of the members of the Columbian Club of Valleyfield, whose president, Mr. J. Gérard Belanger, has proved to be a very successful director.

Mr. Gilbert Chasle, one of the partners of the well-known firm of Besner & Chasle, died suddenly on Saturday, August 10th, of acute indigestion. Funeral service took place on Tuesday, August 13th, at the late Valleyfield Cathedral. A large number of relatives and friends present. Reverend Father Gonzague Lajoie, of Montreal, nephew of the deceased officiated, assisted by Rev. H. Julien, Superior of Valleyfield Seminary and Rev. J. Dowling, Vicar of the Cathedral. His Excellency, Bishop J. A. Lacombe and Mr. J. D. Nepveu were in the Sanctuary. The choir sang Peretz's mass, under the direction of Mr. J. N. Charbonneau.

The deceased is survived by his wife, Georgina Gauthier, and two daughters, Yvonne and Marie-Claire. Sincere sympathy is extended to the bereaved family.

We regret to announce the death of Mr. Eugene Lebel, who was drowned at Valleyfield on Sunday last, near the tail race of the Montreal Cottons Ltd. Mr. Lebel had just finished his lunch and was sitting on a bench when a sudden spell of dizziness overtook him and he fell in the water. Mr. Ismail Couillard who was passing nearby went to his rescue and tried in vain to revive him.

Mr. L. A. Gnaedinger, widely-known secretary-broader of Valleyfield, has been appointed to the position of Head Poultryman at the Dominion Experimental Station at Lennoxville, Que., and took over his new duties on August 1st. Mr. Gnaedinger's parents and sisters will continue to reside at the farm, just outside of Valleyfield.

Miss Juliette Pelletier of Lachine, is the guest of Miss Codebecq. Mr. Oswald Cossette and family of Pasadena, Calif., are returning home after spending a month visiting Mr. Alfred Cossette and other relatives in Valleyfield.

ST. ANICET

The scene I saw I'll now describe, I'll paint for you this countryside. If you had seen, you'd well admit That none but God could perfect it. It was the grandest summer day. Right at the close of merry May. The dandelions were here at last. And added brightness to the grass. The apple blossoms, white as snow, Dropt softly on the ground below. The lilac trees, with odour sweet, Just seemed to make the scene complete.

A certain stillness seemed to reign, I heard the children in the lane. I also heard the humming bees. And chirping birds up in the trees.

Against my cheek a breeze did sweep, I stretched again and tried to sleep. 'Twas easy now to realize, How heaven must be Paradise.

And when from dreams I did awake, I gazed upon a sparkling lake. I watched the King Fish, as in play, Swoop swiftly down to seize his prey. The lake, a mirror, did reflect. The land and trees without defect. And boats their course did easy make, And left but ripples on the lake.

The sky, so bright and blue above, This picture fitted like a glove. The clouds of grey o'er my head roll'd.

Where they were going was untold. The close of day was drawing nigh. The sunset rested in the sky. And dreamlike lounged in my seat I gazed at these and could not speak.

The Angelus rang from the tower. It made me thank God for this hour. Which showed me folks should take much pride.

In dwelling round this countryside. The stars came out, then rose the moon. The day had died—and much too soon.

It was now time for me to rest. For I'd seen nature at its best. MILDRED MEERTE LEEHY, St. Anicet, Que.

Orms-town

St. Paul's W. A. Meeting.—On Tuesday afternoon, Aug. 13th, the regular meeting of St. Paul's W. A., was held in McDougall Hall. The president, Miss L. Bazin presided. Meeting opened by singing a hymn and Mrs. Jessie McNeil gave a scripture reading and prayer.

Minutes of last meeting were read and Mrs. J. R. McQuat was appointed treasurer in place of Mrs. M. R. Stalker, who is away.

Sunshine Committee reported five boxes sent out, several letters of thanks were read and donations received. A letter of thanks was read from Church Secretary for work done serving meals at Orms-town Show and for generous donation. Roll call was taken and a closing hymn sung. A social time followed. A Musical Concert took place, after which delicious refreshments were served by Miss Stevenson, Conventor, and Mrs. Peddie. Miss Mary Bryson, Mrs. A. Cook, Mrs. J. McNeil, Mrs. McCaig and Mrs. Standage.

Recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John L. Winter were Mr. and Mrs. George Piche, Moore's, N. Y., and two neices, Mrs. B. Louise Spinks and Miss Hazel Brankman, Plattsburg, N. Y.

Mr. Thos. Lamb and two daughters, Mrs. Foreman and Miss Ada Lamb of Montreal, were callers Saturday of Mrs. John Winter, Sr. Mr. Lamb was delighted with the look of the crops in this part of the country.

Mr. Ivan Cairns of Cornwall, Ont., is visiting his father, Mr. W. D. Cairns.

Mr. Edward Dawson and sister, Mrs. Robert Fennell, called on their brother, Mr. John Dawson at Huntingdon, on Saturday, the occasion being his eighty-fifth birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pennington, son Roy and daughter Lois of Toronto, Ont., are visiting Mrs. F. Platt.

Miss Evelyn Dumas spent the week-end at Napierville, Que., the guest of her uncle, Mr. Joseph Beaudin.

Mrs. Thos. Hanna has returned to Orms-town, and is occupying her residence here.

Mrs. E. McClelland of Montreal, spent a few days last week with her sister, Mrs. George Bustard.

Mr. and Mrs. Stan Caza and family of Massena, N. Y., spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. T. Duval.

Miss Albertine Forget of the local Branch of The Farmer's Telephone Co., is enjoying two weeks vacation.

The members of the Bowling Association of Erskine and American United Church, Sherbrooke St., Montreal, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. N. M. MacLeish, "Maple Wood," The Island, on Thursday.

Among those who spent the week-end at Valleyfield, were Miss J. S. McLaughlin, Mrs. A. G. MacKinnon, Mrs. H. C. Mercereau, Mrs. McCaig, Mr. and Mrs. E. Leslie Pidgeon, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hogg, Mr. and Mrs. W. Charlton, Mr. and Mrs. A. Bisset, Mr. and Mrs. S. Beecher and Mr. and Mrs. J. Maw.

Rev. Dean and Mrs. Riley and two daughters of St. Catherine's, Ont., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Walsh at their camp at Port St. Lawrence, for a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Fuller of Toronto, Ont., attended the funeral of Mrs. Fuller's brother, Mr. Phil Coates, which was held here on Sunday.

Mr. Norman Cavers and Mr. Rupert Cavers of Montreal also attended the funeral service.

Rev. Walter and Mrs. Ross and Miss Helen Ross are holidaying at Merrill, N. Y.

Mr. William McNaughton of New York City, left on Friday for his home after spending ten days with his sister, Mrs. Archie McCormick.

Mr. and Mrs. John McNaughton of Sussex, N. J., are spending a couple of months with Mr. McNaughton's sister, Mrs. A. McCormick.

Mrs. J. Moynan, Master Donald and Miss Jean of Westboro, Ont., are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Darby.

The Messrs. Norma and Mabel Neill left on Monday for their home in Brandon, Man., after spending a very pleasant month's vacation at the home of their grandfather, Mrs. R. J. McNeil, Depot Street, and other relatives.

On Saturday last the girls and boys teams of softball players motored to Lachine, and spent a very enjoyable day, even though both teams met defeat at the hands of the Lachine players.

On Sunday the local team took part in the softball tournament at Huntingdon when they won their first game against the Maple Grove boys 6-3 and lost to the Huntingdon team to a score 6-4 in their second game.

Monday night they again played Huntingdon in the first game of the play-off series winning this one by 13 to 4.

The girls team were also victorious in their encounter with the Dundee team on Monday evening when they downed them with a score of 5-3.

Mrs. J. J. Bryson and son Joe, motored to Hamilton Island, Ont., with Mrs. Carmichael and Agnes and spent the day there.

Mr. Paul L. Cartier, l'Epiphanie, Que., visited his father, J. A. Cartier, on Sunday.

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Orms-town Parish School Commission

Met on Tuesday, August 12th. Mr. Stanley Bryson presiding.

On motion of Commissioner Kilgour the Financial Statement as audited by Mr. W. L. Carr was received and adopted.

An account of \$17.00 for auditing was passed in payment.

Moved by Commissioner Greer that the Trustees of School No. 1 (Stony Creek) be asked to estimate the damage that was done to this school and that the parents of the parties who caused the damage be requested to pay the amount estimated or replace the property destroyed.

Matrimonial
Bergevin-Bourcier

The marriage of Miss Yvonne Bourcier, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bourcier of Ste. Philomene, to Mr. Alex. Bergevin, youngest son of Mr. Frank Bergevin and of the late Mrs. Bergevin of Glenelg, Que., took place Saturday morning at 9.30 o'clock in the church of Ste. Philomene.

Rev. Father Gagnier, pastor of Ste. Philomene, performed the ceremony. The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a beautiful marina blue crepe gown with shoes and hat to match and stone-marten neck-piece. She carried a bouquet of American Beauty roses and maiden hair fern.

The groom, who was given in marriage by his sister, Miss Marie Bourcier, as matron of honor, wore a pretty gown of Royal blue crepe and grey squirrel with accessories to match. Mr. Fernand Daoust, cousin of the bride, acted as best man. Mr. Omer Bergevin acting as witness for the groom.

High Mass was sung by the Children of Mary's choir, assisted by the choir director, Miss Gilberte Demers of Huntingdon, was at the organ and the choir sang "Sancta Maria"—Faure.

After the wedding, a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents. The living-room and dining-rooms were beautifully decorated with spring flowers and ferns. They received many useful and beautiful gifts.

Later Mr. and Mrs. Bergevin left on a motor trip to Worcester, Mass., Williamamite, Conn. and New York City, the bride travelling in an ensemble of nigger-brown with accessories to match. We wish them much joy and happiness.

Dancey-McEwen
The lawn of Dr. and Mrs. J. R. McEwen's residence, Huntingdon, was the scene of a quiet but pretty wedding on Saturday, August 17th, when their eldest daughter, Mary, and Dr. Travis E. Dancey of Verdun were united in marriage.

The Rev. J. B. Maclean, D.D., officiated. Miss Agnes Ross of Montreal played the wedding march. The bride who was given in marriage by her father wore a dress of white lace and net, with tulle veil fastened by a pearl bandeau, and carried a bouquet of sweet peas, snapdragons and baby's breath. Marie, little daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Reed of Verdun acted as maid of honor. The groom's brother, John Dancey was groomsmen.

Among the out-of-town guests were: Mrs. Leon Dancey and John Dancey of Aylmer (West) Ont.; Mr. and Mrs. Beesly, Mr. and Mrs. Kemball, Mrs. Rita Boyd, Mr. Dennis Stanforth, Miss Agnes Ross, and Dr. Skinner of Montreal, Dr. and Mrs. Reed and daughter Marie of Verdun, Miss Helen Elder of Sweetburg, Mrs. Armitage and Miss Isabel McEwen of Sherbrooke.

Glenelg
Miss Constance Salter is spending a week with her friend, Miss Joyce McGibbon, Westville.

Mr. and Mrs. Simon Nevins, of New Jersey, spent a week with their aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Salter. Mr. and Mrs. Nevins are newly-weds and spent their honeymoon visiting relatives here, the bride being the daughter of Mr. David Johnston and Mrs. Johnston, formerly of Athelstan.

The 5-act comedy entitled "When Winter Went" and the detective drama, "The Resident Patient" in Victoria School on Saturday evening presented by Wm. Shaw, was good, but not as well attended as usual, owing to counter attractions.

Dundee
Mrs. Leon Hayes and daughter Muriel, of Etina, N.H., left for their home on Monday after spending a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Cameron, whose daughter, Marilyn, has been quite ill. Mrs. Cameron has also been ill, but we are pleased to learn that patients are both recovering. Miss Anna M. Farley, R.N., is caring for them.

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Godmanchester Council
An adjourned session of the Godmanchester Council was held on Saturday, Aug. 17th last.

The Valuation Roll was homologated with the following amendments: Lot No. N. pt. 29 was lowered \$200.00; lot No. W. pt. 312 and 312A was lowered \$50.00.

The report of Ward McLean, on the complaint of James Brossitt was left over till next regular meeting.

Obituary
The late Mrs. Euphemia Rankin

The late Thomas E. Rankin, passed away at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. O. Levers, in Hinchinbrooke, on Monday morning, August 12th, in her 67th year. On Tuesday evening the previous week she was stricken with a shock of paralysis from which she never recovered consciousness.

The deceased was born in Rockburn, Que., September 3rd, 1868, her maiden name having been Euphemia Stuart. She was united in marriage to Thomas E. Rankin, March 18th, 1891, after which the couple became residents of Chateaugay, N.Y., where Mr. Rankin engaged in farming.

Seven years ago she went to make her home with her daughters in Hinchinbrooke. Mrs. Rankin was a woman of many fine Christian attributes and made a wide circle of friends throughout the community, who will learn of her death with sincere sorrow. Mr. Rankin predeceased her eight years ago.

Mrs. Rankin leaves surviving, two daughters, Mrs. J. O. Levers and Mrs. W. J. McCracken of Hinchinbrooke and two sons, David and Archie Rankin of Chateaugay, N.Y., two sisters, Mrs. Mary Jamieson of Rockburn, Que. and Mrs. John Paterson of Malone, N.Y., also four grandsons, Gerald, Carl and Lyle Levers and Arthur Rankin.

Prayer service was held at the Levers' home Wednesday afternoon, followed by service in the Presbyterian Church, where burial took place in the Evergreen cemetery, Chateaugay, N.Y. Rev. Walter Ross of Orms-town officiated at these services.

The late Leonard Fournier
It is with a feeling of regret and deep sorrow that we report the passing of the death of Leonard Fournier, aged 27 years and 10 months, beloved son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Fournier of Hemmingford, which occurred on Wednesday, August 14th, after an illness of 7 months.

After a long and painful illness, he left to mourn his loss a father and mother and two sisters and a brother-in-law, Mrs. W. E. Charland of Verdun and Ernestine of this place and Dr. W. E. Charland.

The funeral took place Friday morning at 10 o'clock in the R. C. Church, Rev. Father Gagnier officiating. The music was under the direction of Hemmingford and St. Remi.

The floral offerings were as follows: Mr. W. H. Stewart and family, wreath; Mr. and Mrs. E. Bourdon and family, wreath; Mr. and Mrs. P. Coupal, cross; Mr. and Mrs. E. Duquette, wreath; Dr. and Mrs. A. Bourbeau of Montreal, wreath; Dr. and Mrs. E. Watson, Montreal, spray; Mrs. Z. Charland and family, wreath; Mrs. B. Croteau, Montreal, spray; Mr. and Mrs. J. Burke, Burlington, Vt., spray; Mr. Christof, Montreal, cross; Directors and the staff of Frontenac Cream Products Ltd., Verdun, Lacrosse team, Verdun Hockey Club, cross; Mr. and Mrs. A. Herbert, Peru, N.Y., spray; Mr. and Mrs. E. F. McCann, Fort Covington, N.Y., cut flowers; Mr. and Mrs. D. Benoit, Hemmingford, cut flowers; Mr. and Mrs. P. H. J. Somerville, Hemmingford, cut flowers; Mr. O. Hebert, Hemmingford, cut flowers; Mrs. G. Kennedy of Hemmingford, cut flowers; many other cut flowers donated too numerous to mention; wreath from the family.

The funeral was largely attended by friends and relatives. The following from out of town were: Mr. and Mrs. A. Hebert, Peru, N.Y.; Mrs. A. Bechard, Coopersville, N.Y.; Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Horton, Mr. J. Cogan, Mr. B. Siebert, Dr. and Mrs. A. Bourbeau, Mrs. J. Lawton and son, Mr. W. Hebert, Mr. and Mrs. H. Roussin, Mr. M. Martel, Mr. and Mrs. Lapierre, Mr. L. Latraverse, Mr. Smith, Mr. W. D. Horton, Mr. Lavoie, all of Montreal; Mrs. E. F. McCann, Ft. Covington, N.Y.; Dr. and Mrs. Vlau, St. Remi; Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Toupin, St. Isidore; Mr. P. Lamoureux, St. Remi; Mr. and Mrs. A. Lussier, St. Remi; Mr. G. Guern, Sherrington and many others.

The pall-bearers were three cousins and neighbours, Wilfrid, Leo and E. Duquette, L. Berthiaume, B. Berthiaume and Leo Emery, all of Hemmingford.

Government Is Charged With Wilful Aggravation Of Provincial Crisis
(Continued from page 1)

Little Family Compact. The municipalities of the province of late years had been themselves stripped of their autonomy, each year a little more having been taken away from them, and today they could not borrow a cent without the permission of the Government. What were the results of taking away the autonomy of the municipalities? Had the municipal debt situation improved? During the time Premier Taschereau had been in charge of affairs, which was since 1920, the municipal debt had increased from 220 millions to 463 millions, and the school debt from 43 to 90 millions. This is what had happened with the Government using the iron hand of control.

Mr. Beique talked of the increase in the provincial debt, comparing it with the cry of repeated surpluses. When the Government spent 2½ millions on nine miles of road it was no wonder that the debt increased, and that the debt had been plunged into the island of Orleans bridge. He noted that the Liberals said little or nothing as to the Coughnawaga bridge, on which the toll was 50 cents. He did notice, however, that recently Chamblay had been invaded by Vincent Dupuis, running as a Boique candidate, who was shocked at the tolls on the Victoria bridge and on the Harbor bridge, and insisted they be reduced, yet the same Mr. Dupuis never thought of suggesting that his friends should toll on the Coughnawaga bridge. Mr. Boique said that Premier Taschereau had shown much concern over the wages of the workmen when he spoke at St. John's last week, but why not set a good example? He paid 20 cents an hour to the men working on the road.

Martin B. Fisher, M.L.A., for Huntingdon, said that after many years of this Government the farmers were on the verge of ruin. Today the situation was that the farmers were unable to pay their taxes, and educate their children. He pointed out that the establishment of young men was nothing less than a farce, said Mr. Fisher. Mr. Fisher found that Premier Taschereau cared little for the interests of the province. He had not even made a protest when Premier Heburn, his friend, had cancelled contracts for the purchase of power from this province. He had told the newspapers that he would have an interview with Mr. Heburn some time or other. Months had passed since the Quebec session had adjourned, yet the interview had not been held.

"Apparently Mr. Taschereau needs a rest," said Mr. Fisher. "He will get a long one after elections."

Huntingdon County Council
An adjourned session of the Huntingdon County Council took place on Thursday, August 15th. Warden W. J. Sherry, presiding.

Mr. Oliver Bonnevillie, Special Officer, is authorized to have the Donahoe discharge cleaned out if there is a favorable report from a lawyer on legal end of this matter.

The secretary was instructed to be present at the sheriff sale of property in St. Anicet, on the 12th of Sept. next, to look after the interests of the County.

The tender of Geo. Mills & Sons was accepted providing it be approved by the Public Works department at Ottawa and the Department of Agriculture at Quebec as the lowest tender on the unit price.

The Secretary was authorized to return the cheques of the contractors except the cheques of Geo. Mills & Sons, Scardere & Spino and Galardo Construction Co.

The Warden and the Secretary were requested to sign the contract for the completion of the Laguerre River Drainage Ditch, after it has been approved.

This County tender Dr. J. C. Moore, M.P., a vote of thanks for his assistance in the final arrangements in regards to the completion of the Laguerre scheme.

No action taken in the case of Leonidas Daoust and Delphis Girard.

The following bills were ordered paid: J. M. Hunter, \$3.08; E. C. McCoy, 45c; Henry Lazare, \$73.45; Jos. A. Daoust, \$50; The Shawinigan

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Seven years ago she went to make her home with her daughters in Hinchinbrooke. Mrs. Rankin was a woman of many fine Christian attributes and made a wide circle of friends throughout the community, who will learn of her death with sincere sorrow. Mr. Rankin predeceased her eight years ago.

Mrs. Rankin leaves surviving, two daughters, Mrs. J. O. Levers and Mrs. W. J. McCracken of Hinchinbrooke and two sons, David and Archie Rankin of Chateaugay, N.Y., two sisters, Mrs. Mary Jamieson of Rockburn, Que. and Mrs. John Paterson of Malone, N.Y., also four grandsons, Gerald, Carl and Lyle Levers and Arthur Rankin.

Prayer service was held at the Levers' home Wednesday afternoon, followed by service in the Presbyterian Church, where burial took place in the Evergreen cemetery, Chateaugay, N.Y. Rev. Walter Ross of Orms-town officiated at these services.

The late Leonard Fournier
It is with a feeling of regret and deep sorrow that we report the passing of the death of Leonard Fournier, aged 27 years and 10 months, beloved son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Fournier of Hemmingford, which occurred on Wednesday, August 14th, after an illness of 7 months.

After a long and painful illness, he left to mourn his loss a father and mother and two sisters and a brother-in-law, Mrs. W. E. Charland of Verdun and Ernestine of this place and Dr. W. E. Charland.

The funeral took place Friday morning at 10 o'clock in the R. C. Church, Rev. Father Gagnier officiating. The music was under the direction of Hemmingford and St. Remi.

The floral offerings were as follows: Mr. W. H. Stewart and family, wreath; Mr. and Mrs. E. Bourdon and family, wreath; Mr. and Mrs. P. Coupal, cross; Mr. and Mrs. E. Duquette, wreath; Dr. and Mrs. A. Bourbeau of Montreal, wreath; Dr. and Mrs. E. Watson, Montreal, spray; Mrs. Z. Charland and family, wreath; Mrs. B. Croteau, Montreal, spray; Mr. and Mrs. J. Burke, Burlington, Vt., spray; Mr. Christof, Montreal, cross; Directors and the staff of Frontenac Cream Products Ltd., Verdun, Lacrosse team, Verdun Hockey Club, cross; Mr. and Mrs. A. Herbert, Peru, N.Y., spray; Mr. and Mrs. E. F. McCann, Fort Covington, N.Y., cut flowers; Mr. and Mrs. D. Benoit, Hemmingford, cut flowers; Mr. and Mrs. P. H. J. Somerville, Hemmingford, cut flowers; Mr. O. Hebert, Hemmingford, cut flowers; Mrs. G. Kennedy of Hemmingford, cut flowers; many other cut flowers donated too numerous to mention; wreath from the family.

The funeral was largely attended by friends and relatives. The following from out of town were: Mr. and Mrs. A. Hebert, Peru, N.Y.; Mrs. A. Bechard, Coopersville, N.Y.; Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Horton, Mr. J. Cogan, Mr. B. Siebert, Dr. and Mrs. A. Bourbeau, Mrs. J. Lawton and son, Mr. W. Hebert, Mr. and Mrs. H. Roussin, Mr. M. Martel, Mr. and Mrs. Lapierre, Mr. L. Latraverse, Mr. Smith, Mr. W. D. Horton, Mr. Lavoie, all of Montreal; Mrs. E. F. McCann, Ft. Covington, N.Y.; Dr. and Mrs. Vlau, St. Remi; Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Toupin, St. Isidore; Mr. P. Lamoureux, St. Remi; Mr. and Mrs. A. Lussier, St. Remi; Mr. G. Guern, Sherrington and many others.

The pall-bearers were three cousins and neighbours, Wilfrid, Leo and E. Duquette, L. Berthiaume, B. Berthiaume and Leo Emery, all of Hemmingford.

Anniversary Services Held At Athelstan
(Continued from page 1)

Mrs. James Brims and Mrs. L. D. Watson are actively engaged in W. M. S. work in this Auxiliary, while Miss Margaret Rowat, of St. Lambert claimed the unique distinction of being present, a little daughter of the Manse when her mother founded the Society fifty years ago.

After singing the Doxology and before lunch was served, Mrs. Brims invited Mrs. Watson to come to the front, and read the following address: "On behalf of the Athelstan Auxiliary of W.M.S. we ask you, Mrs. Watson, to please accept this token of our love and esteem on this the twenty-fifth anniversary of your devoted and faithful service as Secretary of this Society." At the same time Mrs. Tully made the presentation of a lovely Waterman pen and pencil set. Lunch was served by the members of the Young Women's Auxiliary to upwards of one hundred guests, and all expressed their pleasure in being present at such a notable occasion.

A triple baptism took place at the home of L. D. Watson on Thursday night when Rev. P. McK. Sampson administered the rite of baptism to the two baby daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Archie Rowat, Shirley Louisa and Letitia Ida, and also the baby daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John D. Elder, Shirley Isabel Hannah. Guests present were the grandparents of the latter baby, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. P. Elder and Mr. and Mrs. S. Herd, also Mrs. Sampson and Miss J. Sampson.

V.P.S. Meeting.
A meeting of the Young People's Society was held on Monday night at the home of Mr. George Elder, and conducted by the President, Clifford French. Miss Carrie Macfarlane continued her synopsis of "In the Steps of the Master" by H. V. Morton. Jack Elder introduced some novel games for the social part of the programme.

Miss Mary Vernal has returned to her home in Brockton after spending the past two weeks the guest of Mrs. Leslie Elder.

Miss Irene Morrison of Montreal was a week-end guest at the home of Mr. Fred Ross.

Miss Vera Macfarlane of Montreal is spending her holidays at her home, Misses Marjorie and Tania Drummond of Shawville are guests of their aunt, Mrs. George Elder.

The Beaver
Mrs. Matland Platt is visiting relatives and friends in Riverfield and Orms-town.

Misses Thomson entertained a number of their friends on Friday afternoon, August 16th. Music, games and a delicious lunch were enjoyed by all.

Miss Margaret Dunlop, Mrs. D. Sutherland and two children, Jack and Helen are visiting friends in Montreal.

Mrs. J. D. Ferguson, Mrs. W. J. Fraser, Mrs. R. Watson and Mrs. S. Cameron attended the anniversary services in Athelstan Presbyterian Church on Friday, August 16th.

Mr. Gerald Parker, Misses Phyllis and Lucella Parker, Bombay, N.Y., were recent guests of Mrs. Wm. Stowell and Miss Mabel Stowell.

Huntingdon Locals

Huntingdon girls met defeat on Friday evening when they played their first game against another girls' team. The Dundee contingent proved much too strong for the town girls, who could neither hit the pitcher nor field the ball as well as did their opponents. Had it not been for the third inning, the score might have been a little more even, but Dundee took advantage of the many errors made by the town girls at this time and helped bring their final score to sixteen runs, while Huntingdon had to work hard for the three which they craved at the end of the game. Alexa Bruckshank, pitcher for Dundee, fanned twelve girls in the six innings, while Kathleen Cahill struck out nine for Huntingdon.

A large number of townspeople spent the day away Sunday. Some went to Chateaugay Lake, while hundreds enjoyed the cooling waters of Lake St. Francis.

Four witnesses were heard at the Court in Valleyfield on Wednesday in the case of the Town of Huntingdon vs. Bruce Kelly and Omer Sauer, charged with theft of beer bottles from Austin Lefebvre's warehouse. The case was adjourned to September 5th. Messrs. Laurendeau and Cossette are appearing in behalf of the Town of Huntingdon and Gustave Monette, K.C., of Montreal for the defendants.

Mrs. C. A. Minchall of Tilsonburg, Ont., is visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Fortune, Sr. Messrs. William Lally and Charles Joyce of Clifton Springs, and Paul Fopeck of Phelps, N.Y., were guests last week of Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Poppel.

Miss Muriel Hayes of Hanover, N.H. spent last week visiting friends in town.

Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Bruce and son Stanley were week-end visitors in the vicinity.

Miss Muriel Murphy of Montreal was the week-end guest of her friend, Miss Estelle Lefebvre.

Mr. Wm. J. Barker left by motor this morning for North Bay, Ont., where he will visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Pelletier and family are spending a few weeks' holidays at Trois Pistoles.

Mr. M. J. Barrett and Mrs. Barrett of Philadelphia are guests at the home of Mr. J. E. Barrett.

Mr. James Partridge sailed Friday on board the "Aurania" for England, where he will spend the winter.

A car bearing a Puerto Rico license was noticed at the Empire Garage one day last week.

Miss Mary McConomy, of Montreal is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John McDonagh.

Monday night about eight o'clock an Auburn sedan was ditched about three miles from Huntingdon on the Plank Road, when the driver turned off too far in meeting another car. The only damage was a broken windshield.

The annual Moore Trophy Bowling Bonspiel participated in by numerous lady bowlers of the district is taking place here today.

Miss Robert and Miss Smallwood of Hamilton, Ont. are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Hart.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Jackson and friends of Maxville, Ont. spent Sunday renewing acquaintances in town.

Huntingdon No. 2

Mr. Mac Smellie motored to Toronto last week with a party of friends from Montreal.

Miss Gladys McCallum and Master Gordon Lawrence of Montreal visited with Mr. and Mrs. W. F. McDonald and other friends over the week-end.

Threshing is well advanced in this locality with varying reports as to quality of the crop, good, fair and poor.

The Y.W.A. put on a splendid concert on Saturday evening, humorous readings by Miss Jean Ritchie, Mrs. MacFarlane, Mrs. S. Reddick, and Irma Reddick. Orchestra music by Miss Mildred, Robert, and Brodie MacFarlane, and also Mrs. C. W. Orr, Wilbert Orr and Gerald Roy, chorus by the Y.W.A. members, and C.G.T. songs by Margaret Hay, Ivy Terry and Reta Robertson, from Cedar Lodge Camp, Magog.

Water—Would you like anything on that sandwich? MacTavish—Yes, a discount.

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Dorais—At Atholstan, August 19th, 1935, to Mr. and Mrs. Henri Dorais (nee Rose Leduc), a son, Dalma Eugene.

McKim—At Huntingdon, August 19, 1935, to Mr. and Mrs. W. McKim, a daughter.

Married

Dancey-McEwen—At the home of the bride's parents, Huntingdon, Que., August 17th, 1935, by the Rev. J. B. Maclean, D.D., Marjorie Janet, eldest daughter of Dr. and Mrs. J. B. Maclean, to Dr. Travis Eugene Dancey of Verdun, eldest son of the late Mr. Leon Dancey and Mrs. Dancey of Aylmer (West) Ont.

Sanford-Duncan—At St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Huntingdon, Que., Wednesday, August 21, 1935, by the Rev. J. B. Maclean, D.D., Margaret Anna, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. Duncan, to Mr. Frederick John Sanford, of Lacchu, Que.

Died

Coates—At the Montreal General Hospital, on August 16th, 1935, Phillip Coates, of Ormstown, Que., aged 62 years.

Fournier—At Hemmingford, Que., on Wednesday, August 14th, 1935, Leonard Fournier, aged 27 years, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Fournier.

MacDonald—At Richmond Hill, Ont., on August 12th, 1935, Jean, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander MacDonald, and granddaughter of the late Donald MacDonald and Mrs. MacDonald of Chateaugay Basin, Que., aged 19 years.

Sharpe—At Chateaugay, Que., on August 2nd, 1935, Maria Whitaker, in her 48th year, widow of the late Richard Sharpe. Interred at Valleyfield.

Sills—At Ormstown, Que., on Monday, August 19th, 1935, James A. Sills, aged 65 years, beloved husband of Jessie Morrison.

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Hemmingford

Mr. E. Johnson left on Friday to take up residence at Franklin Centre.

Miss Hazel Keddy and Mr. H. Tomlin called on friends here en route from Stamford where they visited Dr. and Mrs. Russell Keddy.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Whyte of Port Chester are guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. H. M. St. Pierre.

Mrs. Harold McNaughton and children Ross and Patricia, who spent the summer months at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Sample have returned home. Miss Evelyn Sample of Plattburgh has also been visiting at their home.

After visiting Niagara Falls, N.Y. and other sections of New York state, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Littlefield of Boston, Mass., visited her mother, Mrs. A. E. Fisher, they are returning via the Eastern Townships and will visit Mr. and Mrs. Baldwin at Ayer's Cliff, Que.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. McKay and the Misses Edythe and Shirley McKay, also Miss Geraldine Clayland have returned from Nova Scotia where they spent a month at Kentville.

Mr. Geo. Discher and the Misses Hazel and Muriel McKay of Montreal were week-end guests at G. A. McKay's.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Cleland of Alburg, Vt., were recent visitors of Mrs. A. K. Cleland.

The Presbyterian W.M.S. meeting was held on Wednesday afternoon in the church parlor with a good attendance. The usual work was done.

Miss Cora Sellar had charge of the meeting. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Wm. McNaughton and Mrs. E. Moore.

Mr. Lester Simpson and Mr. John Simpson of Chicago, Ill. are guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Simpson.

Miss Annabelle Cunningham of New York is a guest at Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Curry's.

Mrs. W. T. Hayes has received word of the sudden death from a heart attack of Mr. Elmer Cochrane of North Battleford, Sask. Mr. Cochrane had been in his usual health, and was enjoying a game of golf when he was taken suddenly ill and died in a few minutes. Burial took place at Saskatoon, Sask. on Tuesday, August 6th. Mr. Cochrane was favorably known here.

Mr. and Mrs. Urban Bourdon and little daughter Ann of Montreal are guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Bourdon.

Mrs. Chas. Muir is holidaying at Old Orchard Beach, Me.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Simpson, Miss Martha Simpson, Mr. Lester Simpson and Mr. John Simpson were week-end visitors at St. Albans.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. McCann spent the past week at Cornwall, Ont. They were accompanied home by Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer McCann and two children who remained for the week-end.

Misses Christina and Marjorie Drummond of Maryland, are guests of their aunts, Mrs. Tena Cairns and Mrs. George Elder at present.

Roxham

Miss Jean Richardson of Sherbrooke has been the guest of her friend, Miss Ethel Fawcett for the past two weeks.

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Rugged Scenery On C.P.R. Lines Canadian West

If a traveller desires picturesque rugged scenery, to see Nature in the raw as it were, he could do no better than to take a trip on the Canadian Pacific Railway train in its run from Montreal to Fort William. The utmost in luxury and modern comfort may be conveniently arranged before hand through any of the railway's agents to make the trip a most pleasant one and the whole journey an unforgettable adventure.

As the train leaves the more thickly populated districts of the east and heads north and west into northern Ontario the whole scenery quickly changes from well cultivated fields to a land which might almost be called stream-lined, it is so filled with lakes and rivers, a land of mines and a land of mystery. Although comparatively little is known of this sparsely populated district yet the future of this part of the Dominion will be a glorious one if the mining industry continues to play the part it has in the past. The trans-Canada highway, too, when it is completed is expected by next summer, will do much to open up this section for the tourist and homesteader. At present apart from mining, fishing and hunting, the industries are few but some farming is now being done and the prospects for a much better future in agriculture look bright indeed.

As the train winds around these lakes and forests and heads for the northern tip of Lake Superior, the scenery changes again to one of mountains and valleys. The train is a minute gliding up a steep incline, or feeling its way cautiously around the small ledges near the top of the hills and the next scampers speedily down the other side or racing through one of the many tunnels that dot this region. The greatest fresh water lake in the world, Lake Superior, is either dreaming peacefully away to the south or dashing furiously against the cliffs that form her northern shore. This water of many moods forms a brilliant contrast on the one hand to the steep, craggy cliffs and the tall majestic forests on the other.

At last the locomotive pulls into Port Arthur and Port William and the traveller finds himself on the threshold of the west, in the twin cities of the lakehead. These two cities, situated side by side are Canada's farthest inland ports. The spirit of friendly rivalry that exists between them is the spark that keeps them ever progressing in industry and business and is largely responsible for the high standard of living among other Canadian cities. Here may be seen the largest grain elevators in the world and the fascinating sight in watching the large lake freighters being loaded with grain from one of the huge elevators and only realized by one who has seen it.

The beauty of Kakabeka falls, brilliantly lighted by night for the sightseer, can never be captured by pen or pencil. The falls are even higher than those of Niagara and they have a wilder and more alluring attraction.

Mount MacKay that towers behind the city of Port William and the picture of the Indian giant carved by nature out of the rocks on Thunder Cape, in Thunder Bay, are other interesting sights.

To some this land throws out a challenge that cannot be denied. To others it is fascinating in its own right. Its bold and beautiful scenery but anyone who must satisfy the wanderlust in his soul should of necessity make this trip to complete his list of travels, for pulls at a hidden cord in the heart of a man.

Tatehurst

Miss Gabrielle Caza of Beauharnois, is spending some time with Misses Wreatha and Sybil MacMullin.

Mr. and Mrs. George Tannahill of Montreal, spent last week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Simpson.

Mrs. Tannahill remained and is spending this week with Mr. and Mrs. Ovens.

Miss Eileen Watson of N.D.G. is spending this week with Mr. and Mrs. Alan Foster.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Brown and Master Nelson Sumson spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Norman Forrester, Montreal West.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley MacMullin, Jean and Keith of Newport, Vt. spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wallace MacMullin, Mr. Eric MacMullin returned with them for a holiday at Newport.

Miss Laura Ovens is spending this week with her grandmother, Mrs. Wm. Tannahill, Montreal.

Mr. Howard Smith and the Misses Lorena and Lily Pearson of Thurso, accompanied by Mr. Ted Crosswait of Hamilton, Ont., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Craig on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Smith and sons Sydney and William returned to Thurso with them after spending two weeks the guest of her parents, Mrs. Geo. West of Brysonville.

Glenelm

About thirty young people assembled at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. K. Gordon on Saturday evening, in honour of Miss Gladys Taunton's 18th birthday. Miss Taunton of Montreal has been a guest at Maplecrest Farm for the past two months and has made many friends while here. The evening was spent in dancing, while Mr. Norman Smith and Mr. J. J. Taunton sang very acceptably. At midnight light refreshments were served by the hostess, after which all dispersed having spent a very pleasant evening.

Mrs. W. C. Donnelly, Miss Kathleen Donnelly and Mr. Howard Donnelly spent Sunday with friends at Chateaugay Basin.

Autos Damaged In Head-on Collision Near Kensington

Two cars were considerably damaged in a collision which occurred about 10:30 o'clock Saturday night on a curve east of Kensington. J. Miller, of Cornwall, was driving home in his Hudson 1935 sedan, when at the curve he met J. Duquette of Huntingdon, in a Ford roadster, on his way home from Malone. The drivers were blinded by the lights on the two cars, and a head-on collision occurred. Fenders and running boards were ripped off, and the fronts of the cars otherwise damaged. After considerable argument in which cause of collision was discussed the parties finally decided to have the cars removed to a garage. Delay in this matter was occasioned by the fact that road officers could not be located. The cars were taken to the Empire Garage in Huntingdon, where they are being repaired. It was reported that both automobiles carried collision insurance.

Franklin Centre

An interesting meeting of the W. M. S. was entertained at the home of Mrs. W. Dunn on Thursday afternoon, Aug. 15th, with an attendance of thirteen ladies. The meeting was opened by Mrs. A. Blair reading the Auxiliary Light and the usual scripture reading and devotional exercises. Roll call and minutes of previous meeting read and approved. Several readings were given, Samuella by Mrs. R. C. Manning. The Bridge Builder by Mrs. B. M. Johnston. Also Mrs. J. F. Manning and Miss Isabel McKee gave interesting readings, all of which were well received. When it was first organized in 1881 with Mrs. Manning as president, and Mrs. Wiley Wilson as treasurer, were given. General discussion over business matters followed. The meeting closed with Mizpah benediction. The hostess served delicious afternoon tea, and a pleasant social time followed.

Mrs. Wm. Whitehead, Miss M. McDonald, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Barr, spent Sunday at Danmore, N.Y.

Mrs. Harry Mulhally and sons Harry and Douglas of Montreal, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Rowe.

Rev. Mr. Haycock of Montreal, preached most acceptably in Christ Church on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Scott, Mrs. Ida Freeman, Mrs. W. D. Stearns, Lynn, Mass., also Mrs. Geo. B. Smith, of Danmore, N.Y., are guests of Mrs. Wm. Whitehead.

Miss Lydia Elliott, R.N., Miss Edith Hilton, of Albany, N.Y., and Miss Shirley Elliott, of Montreal, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Goldie.

Mr. and Mrs. James Grant, and Mr. Alfred Fraser were recent guests of Mrs. W. D. Fraser and Mr. Ross Fraser, also of Mr. and Mrs. Bryce Bruce.

Miss Carolyn Manning of Washington, D.C. and Mrs. Rodgers, of Stamford, Conn., were callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Manning last Wednesday.

Mrs. Earle, Mrs. Oaks, Mrs. Holmes, Mrs. C. Hanna, and Miss Millie Earle of Saratoga, N.Y., were week-end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. M. Brooks.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Blair and Miss Cora Blair were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Frier, Carthage, N.Y.

Mrs. J. J. Fraser and Mrs. Wm. Mathers were Thursday afternoon guests of Mrs. W. D. Fraser.

Mr. Victor Laidstone, accompanied by his mother and sister of Montreal, were Sunday guests at the home of Mrs. J. Waddell.

Mr. Amos Louden, Mr. and Mrs. D. Patton and family and Miss Irene Monaghan returned to New York on Sunday.

Miss Isabel McKee spent last week guest of Miss Alma Parham, also calling on other friends in this vicinity.

Miss Riendeau of Montreal, Miss Gervais and the Misses Porter were week-end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Kennedy.

The Gore

Gathered 40 young people of the Gore gathered on Friday evening at the softball diamond for practice. After the game Misses Harriett and Roberta Rudcock invited all those present to their home where a treasure hunt and games were enjoyed. Later lunch was served by the hostess. A very pleasant evening was reported having been spent.

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Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Graham and family spent Sunday visiting friends in Chateaugay.

Miss Roberta Rudcock is spending a few days visiting friends in Ormstown.

Mrs. Hawkins and Mr. Clegg of Montreal, spent Sunday with Mrs. Hawkins' son Ronald at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Herdman.

Mr. and Mrs. Pangburn of Niagara were the Saturday guests of Mrs. J. Todd.

Franklin Rural

Mr. and Mrs. David Patton and three children and Amos Louden returned to Long Island, N.Y. Sunday from a week's visit with friends here.

Miss Gladys Sutton has returned home from St. Lambert after a few months stay.

Mr. Allen Sutton is recovering from blood poison in his arm.

Mr. George Lamb was a visitor in Montreal last week.

Mrs. Ramsey and Mrs. Haggarty of Verdun are guests of Mrs. Thomas Greenway.

Mrs. Martin Slobodnick has returned from a trip to Oshawa, Ont.

Mr. Paul Dobrick has returned to Montreal, where he has employment.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Tremblay attended the funeral of her father Mr. Henry Rushford at Chateaugay, N.Y. Tuesday. Mr. Rushford died Saturday evening after a lingering illness of long duration.

Mrs. Dennis McCarthy was called to Chateaugay, N.Y., through the death of her step-brother, Mr. Joseph Blair, who succumbed from an attack of heart failure. This is the fourth bereavement in the family this year.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Wilson and Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Carson attended the funeral of their uncle the late James Baskin, which took place at Moser, N.Y. Sunday. They also visited friends in Champlain.

Guests of Mrs. Reuben Lamb are Mr. C. Brighton and son George, Mr. and Mrs. Boxer and children Peter and Mary, and Miss Helen Boxer, son of Montreal. Mrs. B. Boxer with her son and daughter spent the week-end with Mrs. Lamb.

Havelock

The Ladies' Aid of Russellville United Church met on Monday at the home of Mrs. Wm. Wood with a good attendance. Plans were made for a lawn social to be held on the church lawn on August 27th.

Miss Ruby Gilmore spent last week in the city, returning on Saturday.

The Misses Pitt returned to the city on Monday after spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Osborne Mannahill.

Miss Isabel McKee is visiting friends at Franklin.

Mr. M. McDonald and Mr. and Mrs. John McLennan, Miss Gertie McLennan and Mr. Gordon McLennan were Sunday guests of Mr. Wm. Semple.

Miss Bryden McArthur of Hemmingford was the guest of her friend Miss Rena Harmon for a week.

Mrs. M. McNamara and Mrs. W. Hennessey returned to the city on Thursday last after spending a week with friends.

Mr. Robert E. Gorham and daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Zivingsman and daughter Dorothy and Master Robert, were Sunday guests of Mr. Wm. and Mrs. Victoria Semple and other friends. Mr. Gorham was a former resident of Saginaw, Mich., while Mr. Zivingsman is an employee of the General Motors of that city.

Visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Cowan the past week were Mr. and Mrs. Howe and two children of Montreal, Miss Pearl Baskin and Connie and John Howe are spending a week at the same home.

The Misses Margaret and Lizzie and niece Miss Ida May Bell of Montreal, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Oswald Mannahill.

Powerscourt

Mr. B. Wagner and daughter, Mabel of Baldwin, L.I., N.Y., are spending a couple of weeks with Mrs. Chas. and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Wilson, little son George and twin daughters, Katharine and Kathleen of Constable, N.Y., and Messrs. John Wilson and Arthur Ennett from Loon Lake, N.Y. were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. McClatchie and family.

Rev. G. H. Craik of Montreal and Mr. J. M. Wallace spent a couple of days with Mr. Willis at Fort Covington, N.Y.

The Misses Ruth and Helen Levers are visiting with their grandmother, Mrs. Graham and family.

The Misses Allison of Toronto called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Wallace one day last week.

Ormstown

Mr. A. Sills of Toronto, Ont., is spending a few days in town, having been called here owing to the death of his brother, Mr. James Sills.

Mrs. A. Beaudin, accompanied Mr. and Mrs. J. C. McGregor of Cornwall, Ont. on a motor trip to St. Anne de Bellevue and Quebec City, where they will visit with Mr. and Mrs. James Beaudin and family.

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Mr. and Mrs. Pangburn of Niagara were the Saturday guests of Mrs. J. Todd.

Garden Party At Glenness

Rowats Entertain Erstwhile Congregation Members Of Late Father

"Glenness," Dewittville, was the scene of a very delightful garden party on Saturday afternoon when Mr. and Mrs. Donald McKenzie Rowat entertained erstwhile members of the Atholstan and Elgin congregations during the pastorate of Mr. Rowat's late father (Rev. Andrew Rowat, 1884-1909) with such of their children as may have become members since. About one hundred persons were present.

The day was perfect and spent in the ideal spot. The visitors marvelled at the beautiful appearance of the place, and of its wealth of modern conveniences. Refreshments were served under the trees on the lawn. Before dispersing, Rev. P. McK. Sampson, who acted as Chairman, called upon Rev. W. G. Brown and the Rev. J. H. Woodside to address those present. Mr



The DARK BLOND

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Chapter 12

Millicent stood staring at that fateful typewritten note. She had no means of knowing who had sent it, nor could she tell whether the steps she had heard in the corridor were those of a man or a woman.

She wondered if Norman had sent her this message. Surely he was the only one who knew of her interest in the woman in the black ermine coat. But how about Jarvis Happ? Jarvis was very, very shrewd, and it was apparent that he knew more about what was going on in the house than he let on. Moreover, he above all others, knew of her connection with George Drimgold's murder.

But how about Robert Caise? He, too, had surmised her secret. He, too, must know something of the woman in black.

Millicent shrugged her unclad shoulders and, with the gesture, realized that she was chilled. She ran to the closet, found a robe and flung it about her. She went to the window and looked out.

It was, she saw, commencing to rain. Drops were beating against the window and, as she looked, she saw the rain grow in intensity until, within a few minutes, a rising wind was driving it in torrents.

She turned once more to study the note. Why had she been informed of the presence of the mysterious woman? What was she supposed to do? Was it Jarvis Happ who had left the message and who had expected, she would perhaps hunt up the woman in the black ermine coat, accuse her directly of complicity in Drimgold's murder?

Millicent knew only one thing. No matter who had sent the note or what was expected of her, she was determined to try to find out something about that woman in black.

Having reached this decision, Millicent Graves flung off her dressing-gown and started dressing hastily.

Millicent, donning her fur coat, slipped out into the hallway.

The heat in the house was low, and the corridors felt chill and gloomy. A night light burned at one end of the corridor, giving sufficient illumination to enable her to see objects, although not as distinctly as would have been the case had there been more illumination.

Now that she was in the corridor, she realized the immensity of the house, realized something of the nature of the task with which she was confronted. It was going to be necessary for her to find a mysterious woman in a black ermine coat who was somewhere in the house.

Where? She remembered Mrs. Happ had proudly exhibited the suite which she occupied, and Millicent felt certain the woman she sought would be somewhere within that suite of rooms. Norman Happ had mentioned a maid, but so far Millicent had met no maid. When Norman had told her of the maid, Millicent had concluded that the woman must be absent, perhaps on leave. Had she returned?

Throwing her shoulders back, giving her chin a determined tilt, Millicent unlocked the door of her room and set off bravely down the corridor. She turned to the left, followed the corridor toward the place where she knew Mrs. Happ's rooms were situated.

She was still some distance from the door of the suite when she heard the sound of voices. Abruptly a door opened. Millicent flattened herself against the wall, gave a little gasp as she saw a woman clad in black ermine step into the corridor. For a moment Millicent thought the woman was coming toward her. Then, with a shrug of the shoulders, a last murmuring comment to the person on the other side of the door, the woman in black turned away from Millicent.

Millicent heard Mrs. Happ's voice saying, "Please be very careful, don't think he's employed someone to shadow you."

The woman in black gave a low throaty laugh. A door closed. The woman in the black ermine coat walked rapidly down the corridor, away from Millicent.

Millicent hesitated a moment. Dare she run and accost the woman? Could she accuse her of being implicated in Drimgold's murder? Such

an accusation would, of course, alarm the household. It would also establish Millicent's own identity beyond doubt. No, there was only one thing for her to do. That was to shadow this woman and find out where she lived, then seek to learn something of her connection with the murder. Perhaps, having found out where the woman lived, she could trade information with Jarvis Happ.

Millicent waited until the woman had rounded a corner in the corridor. Then she sped swiftly and silently down the thick carpet, pausing at the corner to peer out into the other corridor.

She heard a door slam—a door, apparently, located about half way down the long corridor, but there was no one in sight.

Fighting back her disappointment, Millicent ran along the corridor, trying to locate the door that had slammed. She came on a back staircase which she had almost forgotten, a staircase which she remembered ran to the kitchen and then to the garage. She leaned over the banister and looked down.

She caught a glimpse of a black fur coat.

Running down the stairs, Millicent heard a door slide back, heard the purr of a motor.

She threw caution to the winds, ran rapidly, and was in time to see a car pull out from the garage, a black sedan, with the curtains in the rear tightly drawn, so that it was impossible to see anything of the person or persons who occupied it.

She could almost have touched the car as it slid out into the darkness, and for one wild moment, she thought of rushing out to try and climb to the spare tire, holding to the trunk rack, but she realized the futility of doing this and swung her eyes to the license number, determined to remember it.

The figures seared themselves into her memory—933410. She looked around her in the garage, wondering if she could find a car in which she could follow.

She saw the big limousine in which Jarvis Happ had brought her to the house. She wondered if, by any chance, keys were in the ignition. She flung open the door of the car, reached inside and groped with frantic fingers.

There were no keys in the car. Disappointed, she slid back toward the door, only to freeze suddenly in the act of instant immobility.

Someone clicked a light switch, and the garage blazed into brilliance.

Chapter 13

Millicent, holding herself flat against the floor boards of the automobile, trying to make herself as nearly invisible as possible, held her breath and listened.

She heard someone moving about, heard the sound of a starting motor whirring into throbbing life. Then a car swept out in a streak of fast motion. She heard the clash of gears as someone shifted hurriedly from reverse to low, then the roar of the motor and the car swept on down the driveway.

Lights were still on in the garage, but Millicent took a chance on discovery to find out who had taken out that car.

She slipped to the cement floor of the garage, ran to the door and looked down the driveway.

A cabriolet, very racy and stylish, which had been in the garage and which she had intuitively placed as belonging to Norman Happ, was sliding smoothly down the driveway. As it turned into the street Millicent noticed that it was running without lights.

Evidently someone else had decided to follow the woman in the black ermine coat.

Millicent ran to the two remaining cars—a big sedan and a coupe. There were ignition keys in the coupe, and she jumped behind the wheel, turned the switch and pressed the starter. The motor throbbed to life.

So nervous with excitement that her hands were trembling, Millicent backed the car out of the garage, put it in gear and raced out of the driveway.

After she hit the street she ran for several blocks without lights, trying to keep the cabriolet ahead of her in view, but she was unable to do so and finally switched on the lights.

With the headlights she was able to pick up the speeding cabriolet. Occasionally the tail light reflected a red gleam, or her headlights glimmered back in dazzling brilliance from the windshield. Once or twice she caught a glimpse of the big sedan ahead, following the cabriolet was undoubtedly following.

The cars were traveling at high speed and Millicent was forced to use all of her skill as a driver to keep in the procession. She wondered if the driver of the cabriolet suspected that she was following him, wondered if that driver were, perhaps, Norman Happ. With the thought she felt once more that strange pounding of the pulse in her temple, a sudden surge of emotion which seemed to choke up her blood stream.

Whether he knew he was being pursued or not, the driver of the cabriolet did not deviate from his course.

Suddenly Millicent caught her breath with a gasp of apprehension. The motor coughed, spluttered, died, coughed to life again, ran smoothly, then missed and stopped.

She depressed the throttle and got no results. She pulled out the choke and, for a moment, the car responded. Then once more it died. Her eyes rested apprehensively on the gasoline gauge. It showed that the tank was empty.

The car was barely moving now, and Millicent kicked out the clutch and piloted the car into the curb. The big sedan and the speeding cabriolet had swept on out of sight.

Millicent was so mad she could have cried with sheer anger. The idea of leaving a car in a garage with an empty gasoline tank—of all the fool things for a person to do!—the supposed that would be Robert Caise, brilliant, irresponsible, flighty. She looked at the registration certificate and found her surmise had been right. The car was registered in the name of Robert Caise.

Millicent found herself thinking that Norman Happ never would have done anything like that. Norman Happ had a sense of responsibility. His car would have been filled with gas, oil and water. The tires would have been in perfect condition—but the ignition key wouldn't have been in the lock. The very break that gave her an opportunity to use the car in the first place was in one way directly connected with her inability to accomplish anything with it after she had borrowed it.

Millicent switched off the lights, hesitated a moment, then locked the car and slipped the key contained into the pocket of her fur coat.

It was the leather key container and there were seven or eight keys on it.

"Well," she said to herself, "I presume I've got to get back, and I guess there's no way for me to go except to walk."

There were no cabs cruising along these streets and, even had she encountered one, she had no money with which to pay for it.

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There was a separate building at the back, the lower floor of which was used as a storage place for the gardener's tools. The upper floor was occupied, and she remembered hearing someone say it was where the chauffeur had his quarters.

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The door was unlocked. She opened it and took a step through the doorway into the room.

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garage roll shut. After that there was no sound save that of her own feet on the wet driveway. She reached the garage and found the door was closed and locked. She looked up at the house. It was dark and somber, except for the dull brilliance of the hall windows in which the night lights were still burning.

It was then that Millicent realized the full extent of her predicament. She was locked out. It would be necessary to arouse someone in the household in order to enter the house.

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Stallion, born 1932—1. Ovilla Brison, Ste. Barbe, \$30.
Stallion, born 1931 or before—1. Elzear Roy, Ste. Stanislas, \$35; 2. R. T. Brownlee, Hemmingford, \$30; 3. Adrien Quesnel, St. Anicet, \$25.

Filly, born 1935—1. Mrs. Mary J. Anderson, Huntingdon, \$10.
Filly, born 1934—1 and 2. D. A. McCormick, Brysonville, \$18; 3. Art. Fraser, Dundee, \$6; 4. Mrs. Mary J. Anderson, Huntingdon, \$5; 5. W. D. Fraser, Dundee, \$4; 6. Art. C. Caldwell, Huntingdon, \$3.

Filly, born 1933—1. W. D. Fraser, Dundee, \$15; 2. Mrs. Mary J. Anderson, Huntingdon, \$10; 3. Albert Nussery, Brysonville, \$8.

Mare, born 1935—1. D. A. McCormick, Brysonville, \$20; 2 and 3. Art. C. Caldwell, Huntingdon, \$27.
Mare, born 1931 or 30—1. D. A. McCormick, Brysonville, \$22; 2. Melville Kerr, Huntingdon, \$19.

Mare, any age, with foal—1 and 2. D. A. McCormick, Brysonville, \$45.

Get of Sire, 3 animals, any age, males, females, or geldings, not necessarily bred nor owned by the exhibitor—1 and 3. D. A. McCormick, \$35; 2. W. D. Fraser, \$17; 4. Art. A. Caldwell, \$12; 5. Mrs. Mary J. Anderson, \$10.

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Belgians

Stallion, born 1935—1. Treehaven Farm, Lacolle, \$30; 2. Jersey Health Farm, Le Bizard, \$25.

Stallion, born 1934—1. Elzear Roy, Ste. Stanislas, \$35; 2. Ariste Binette, St. Philippe de Laprairie, \$30.

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Percherons

Stallion, born 1935—1 and 2. W. F. Martin, Westmont, \$17; 3. Treehaven Farm, Lacolle, \$5.

Stallion, born 1933—1. The National Breweries, Montreal, \$20.

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Standardbred

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Mare, born 1931 or 30 (may be older if in foal)—1. Dr. Mastai Brault, Melocheville, \$9.

Mare, any age, with foal—1. Dr. Mastai Brault, \$12.

Canadians

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Progeny of Dam—1. Treehaven Farm, \$10.

Grade Draught Horses

Filly, born in 1935—1. Jos. Payant, St. Louis de Gonzague, \$4; 2. Emile Poirier, St. Timothée, \$3; 3. Donat Legault, St. Stanislas de Kostka, \$2.

Filly, born in 1934, over 850 lbs.—1. Jos. Payant, \$6; 2. Odilon Martin, St. Timothée, \$5; 3. J. D. Bryson, Allan's Corner, \$4; 4. Thos. Irving, \$3.

Filly, born in 1933, over 1100 lbs.—1. Querie Sauve, Valleyfield, \$7.

Filly, born in 1933, over 1100 lbs.—1. Gerald Turcot, St. Chrysostome, \$7; 2. Donat Legault, \$6; 3. Thos. Irving, \$5; 4. Adélard Daoust, \$4.

Mare, born in 1932—1. Donat Legault, \$12; 2. R. L. McCaig, Ormstown, \$10; 3. Joseph Girouard, St. Stanislas, \$7.

Mare, born in 1931—1 and 2. D. A. McCormick, \$27; 3. T. L. Irving, \$10.

Mare, any age, with foal, under 1400 lbs.—1. Moise Ethier, St. Etienne, \$20; 2. Emile Poirier, \$15; 3. J. D. Bryson, \$12; 4. Mary Anderson, \$9; 5. R. L. McCaig, \$8; 6. Thos. Irving, \$7; 7. Ovide Marleau, Valleyfield, \$6.

Mare, any age, with foal, over 1400 lbs.—1. Adélard Daoust, \$20; 2. Donat Legault, \$15; 3. Edmond Perrier, \$12; 4. Jos. Payant, \$9; 5. J. D. Bryson, \$8; 6. Jos. Girouard, \$7; 7. Thos. Irving, \$6; 8. Omer Dagenais, Beauharnois, \$4; 9. Armand Julien, St. Louis de Gonzague, \$3.

Mare, any age, with foal—1 and 2. Treehaven Farm, \$45; 3 and 4. W. F. Martin, \$27.

Progeny of Dam: 2 animals, any age, either sex, not necessarily bred nor owned by exhibitor—W. F. Martin, \$20.

Two fillies, 2 years or under, bred

or owned by exhibitor—1. W. F. Martin, \$15.

Grade Horses, in Harness

Mare or gelding, 1400 lbs. and over—1. McDonald & Robb, Valleyfield, \$18; 2 and 3. Montreal Cottons, Valleyfield, \$27; 4. McDonald & Robb, \$9; 5 and 6. J. D. Bryson, \$12; 7. Adélard Daoust, \$4.

Mare or gelding, 1200 lbs. and under 1400 lbs.—1 and 2. D. A. McCormick, \$33; 3. Montreal Cottons, \$12; 4. Emile Poirier, \$9; 5 and 6. Donat Legault, \$12; 7. Mary Anderson, \$4.

Pair, mare or gelding, each weighing 1400 lbs. and over, to a heavy farm wagon—1 and 3. McDonald & Robb, \$40; 2. Montreal Cottons, \$15; 4. J. D. Bryson, \$9; 5. Adélard Daoust, \$7; 6. Thos. Irving, \$5.

Pair, mare or gelding, 1200 lbs. and under 1400 lbs. each to a farm wagon—1. D. A. McCormick, \$18; 2. Donat Legault, \$15; 3. R. L. McCaig, \$12; 4. J. D. Bryson, \$9; 5. Jos. Girouard, \$7; 6. Ovide Marleau, \$5; 7. Thos. Irving, \$4.

Mare or gelding, under 1300 lbs., clean legs, to a delivery wagon—1 and 2. W. D. Black, Aubrey, \$33; 3 and 6. W. C. Collings, Hemmingford, \$17; 4 and 5. L. McEwen, Ormstown, \$16; 7. Melville Kerr, Huntingdon, \$4.

Light Horses, in Harness
Roadster, mare or gelding, 152 hands and over—1. W. C. Collings, Hemmingford, \$18; 2 and 3. D. A. Cairns, Athelstan, \$27; 4. L. McEwen, \$10.

Roadster, mare or gelding, under 152 hands and over 142 hands—1

and 2. D. Black, Aubrey, \$33; 3 and 4. D. A. Cairns, \$22; 5. L. McEwen, \$6.

Carriage horse, mare or gelding, 152 hands and over—1 and 2. D. A. Cairns, \$33; 3 and 4. D. Black, \$22; 5. L. McEwen, \$6.

Carriage horse, mare or gelding, under 152 hands and over 142 hands—1 and 3. D. Black, \$30; 2 and 4. L. McEwen, \$25; 5. Melville Kerr, \$6.

Pair roadsters, mare or gelding, under 142 hands—1. W. C. Collings, \$18; 2 and 3. D. A. Cairns, \$27; 4. L. McEwen, \$10.

Pair, carriage horses, mare or gelding, over 142 hands—1. D. A. Cairns, \$18; 2 and 3. D. Black, \$27; 4. L. McEwen, \$10.

Parades
Exhibit of 3 registered Clydesdales, Percherons or Belgians, owned by exhibitor—1. The National Breweries, \$12; 2. Jersey Health Farm, \$10; 3. Treehaven Farm, \$8; 4. D. A. McCormick, \$5; 5. Art. Caldwell, \$3; 6. W. F. Martin, \$2.

Exhibit of 3 registered Canadian or Standard Bred, owned by exhibitor—1. Treehaven Farm, \$6.

Exhibit of 3 roadster or carriage horses, owned by exhibitor—1. McDonald & Robb, \$8; 2. Montreal Cottons, \$6; 3. D. A. McCormick, \$5; 4. Donat Legault, \$4; 5. Jos. Bryson & Sons, Howick, \$2.

Exhibit of 3 roadster or carriage horses, owned by exhibitor—1 and 3. D. A. Cairns, \$12; 2. Donald Black, \$6; 4. L. McEwen, \$3; 5. W. C. Collings, \$2.

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Dewittville

Dewittville Bridge Being Painted.

For two weeks or more men have been at work scraping off the old paint on the Dewittville bridge across the Chateaugay river. They are now giving it its first coat of paint.

Mrs. Rowat and Miss Isabel Rowat have recently returned from a ten days' motor trip to the Maine Coast and Cape Cod.

Miss Ethel Moffat of Vancouver, B.C. and Miss Muriel Edwards of Ottawa spent a day last week with Miss Isabel Rowat.

Mr. and Mrs. Rowat and Miss Isabel motored to Ottawa and Winchester last week-end and visited Mr. Rowat's brother and sisters there.

Wednesday evening Mr. and Mrs. John Lowden accompanied Mr. Geo. Sutton and friends of Athelstan to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Sutton, Covey Hill, where a party was held in honor of Mr. and Mrs. David Paton and Mr. Amos Lowden of Long Island, N.Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Sebert, Cleveland, Ohio, and Mrs. Wm. Ferns of Huntingdon were recent guests of Mrs. James Ferns, Sr.

Miss Kathleen Harkness of Montreal spent from Thursday night until Sunday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Harkness.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Lowden and little daughter Geraldine, Mrs. Harriet Lowden and Miss Alice Menard of Covey Hill were Thursday guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Lowden.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gaudreault of Chateaugay were Tuesday guests of Mrs. James Ferns, Sr.

Mrs. Thomas Helm of Montreal was the week-end guest of her sister, Mrs. Hamilton Ferns.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Martin, and the Misses Muriel and Irene Martin of Montreal spent the week-end the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Amasa Gale, Potsdam, N.Y.

Mrs. Norman Mair of Howick spent a few days the guest of her mother, Mrs. Hamilton Ferns. Her daughter, Audrey who had spent a week with her grandmother, returned home with her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Martin, and three children, Alena, Mervyn and Mervyn of Covey Hill were Friday afternoon callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Lowden.

Mr. Hatton and Mr. Brown returned to Montreal on Tuesday after spending a few days the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Allan Ritchie.

Miss Ada Barrington of Montreal is at present the guest of Mr. and Mrs. James Ferns, Jr.

Week-end guests of Mrs. Anderson and Mrs. Erskine at "Du-az-u-will" cottage were their husbands, Mr. Frederick Anderson and Mr. Thomas Erskine, Mrs. Anderson, Miss Nellie Helm, Miss H. Murray, Mr. C. Anderson and Mr. C. Anderson.

Dr. and Mrs. J. Reid Brown and daughter Dorothy of Montreal were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Ritchie. Miss Dorothy remained for a while with her grandparents.

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GLENER CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING BRINGS QUICK RESULTS

In the Classified Section of a recent issue of the Gleaner, a small advertisement, under the heading, "Home Wanted" was inserted by Mr. E. Johnson, Hemmingford.

This advertisement brought very quick results and we are printing the unsolicited testimonial forwarded us by Mr. Johnson:

"As a tribute to your paper I might say, I put one small 'Wanted' advertisement in for a new home for myself, being a cripple. In 24 hours I had 4 applicants and in 3 days over thirty. I am now established in a fine country home. Thanks a lot. You may publish this if you wish."

For Best Results Use The Gleaner Classified
Section — It Pays.

For Sale

Farm 198 acres, located three miles south of Chateaugay, N. Y., on State highway; productive and good drilled well and spring water. Priced right. Fuller particulars may be obtained by applying to Archie McDonald, Chateaugay, N. Y.

Heavy ribbed galvanized roofing sheets, any length sizes, \$3.75 delivered on the job. Brand new. Prompt delivery. D. W. Fiskin, Howick.

225 Barred Rock pullets, April and May hatch, 100 Barred Rock yearling hens, all of a heavy laying strain. Torrance Brisbin, Franklin Centre, Que.

1 Holstein cow, due to freshen soon. Peter Monique, Huntingdon, Que.

Thrashing machine, guaranteed to thresh 1000 bushels grain a day, with blower and bagger. Bargain for cash. Telephone Hurteau, Tel. 646 1-4, Cazaville.

Ice, any quantity desired. Joseph Brisebois.

One 1930 Ford coupe, (paint, motor and tires excellent) with 1935 licence. At your price. Dalton J. Ross, Phone 633 7-4, Atholston.

New De Laval cream separator, No. 16, Gold Series, A. Anderson, Herdman, Que.

For Sale or Exchange
Two acres of standing corn, also hay and straw. Will exchange for colt, horse or cattle. Edmund Oulmet, Dewittville, Phone 615 1-2.

Farm For Sale

Farm of 120 acres near Port Lewis, formerly the farm of the late David Brown, now owned by Zephirum Dumouchel. For further information apply to James E. Barrett, Huntingdon, Que.

Lost
Sadis boy's wrist watch, finder please leave at Gleaner office and receive reward.

Found
Child's blue bathing cap and cape in front of C. L. B. Wheeler's. Apply Gleaner office.

Notice
I will be absent from my office August 22-27. The bank business will be carried on, as usual, by Mrs. Dupuis.

Denis Latreille,
Municipality of St. Anicet
Secretary.

In Re Estate
of the late William Murdoch
In his lifetime of the Township of Godmanchester, Blacksmith.
All persons owing money to the above Estate, or having claims against same, are requested to file claims within fifteen days either with
Miss Lillian M. Murdoch,
Executrix
Kensington, Que.,
or
Lucien Baillargeon, N.P.,
Huntingdon, Que.

To Rent
Five room house with garage on Wellington Street west. Moderate rent. Immediate possession. W. E. Lefebvre, Phone 79-W, Huntingdon.

Modern seven room brick house in Huntingdon, good location, D. J. McCracken, Huntingdon.

For Sale or to Rent
Store and house at Flynn's lines. Apply on premises.

PUBLIC NOTICE
I am ordered by the School Board to have all arrears of school taxes collected on or before Sept. 1st, 1935, or after that date to send them to a lawyer for collection.
THOS. T. GEBBIE, Secy.-Treas.,
Howick School Commission.

FOR SERVICE
Yorkshire boar. Ray McMillan, Franklin Centre.

CANNING
For your canning—Vegetables, Meats, etc.—try our new process for canning corn. Don't forget our special for tomatoes. Phone 618-4.

Poirier Bros.,
Hinchinbrooke Rectory.

TYPEWRITERS FOR SALE
or
TO RENT
Apply
The Huntingdon Gleaner Inc.,
Huntingdon, Que.

Standing Crop Award Results

Prizes awarded by the Agriculture Society Div. B. of Huntingdon County for best kept farm and standing crop in the township of Franklin:

Best kept farm—C. G. Blair, W. A. Dunn, N. M. Brooks, W. A. Dunn.

Wheat—N. M. Brooks, W. A. Dunn, Barley—W. A. Dunn, N. M. Brooks, Oats—W. A. Dunn, C. G. Blair, N. M. Brooks.

Ensilage—C. G. Blair, W. A. Dunn, N. M. Brooks.

Potatoes—N. M. Brooks, C. G. Blair, W. A. Dunn.

Sugar Beets—N. M. Brooks, W. A. Dunn.

Turnips—N. M. Brooks, W. A. Dunn.

Carrots—N. M. Brooks, W. A. Dunn.

Judges—Geo. Gowdoy, G. A. Moore.

Telegraphic Report on Condition of Crops and Agricultural Pests to Aug. 13, 1935

Summary for the Province

Haymaking is almost finished. The crop is generally good. In the eastern and south western parts of the province the pastures are beginning to suffer from lack of moisture. The after match in the meadows is generally good. Cereals and root crops appear well in most places. Cattle are in good condition. Hail storm has caused local damages in Richelieu and Ottawa River Valley.

Agricultural Pests

The frequent rains for the last fortnight have caused development of many vegetable diseases, and have prevented the destruction of insects by washing off the poison that was put on the plants. Everywhere are complaints of potato blight and cabbage worms. In the poorly protected orchards the borer and scab are abundant. Celery rust has become hard to control on account of constant moisture among the crops. In many places white grubs are causing damage in the meadows.

Beauharnois, Chateaugay, Huntingdon, Laprairie and Napierville

Harvesting has commenced everywhere. Poddier corn and vegetables are promising. Pastures are beginning to suffer from drought. The yield of peas and beans for canneries was very good in general.

Aubrey

The W.M.A. and Sunshine Mission Band met on Tuesday afternoon at the home of the Misses Morris with a good attendance of ladies and children. After a separate business meeting the Mission Band joined the W.M.A. and took charge of the programme which consisted of a two-part song, "Children, Birds and Flowers," solo and chorus.

"Saviour's Call," a story, "One Little Hindu Maid," and "Four men who were eager to learn," and the "Schools of India," also a recitation by Willard Greig. At the close of the meeting afternoon tea was served, and a food sale held at which the Mission Band netted \$11.

Mr. and Mrs. W. McNeally, and Roy of Montreal are spending a holiday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. Reddick, Miss Ruth Reddick who had spent the past week in the city returned home with them.

Miss Irma Hyndman of Montreal is spending her holidays at the home of Mrs. Geo. Robb.

Sunday afternoon at the home of Mr. Jas. Bruce were Mrs. C. A. Cleland, Miss Mills, Miss Hannah and Mr. Reid of Montreal, also Sara and Anna Pearce of Montreal are spending a few days at this home.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

School Municipality of Ormstown, Village For the Year Ending 30th June, 1935

RECEIPTS

Cash on hand 1st July 1934 \$ 856.36

On General Tax 4230.38

Special Tax 1390.67

Arrears of Taxes 956.67

Monthly Fees 1472.35

Interest on Arrears 70.43

Bank Interest 23.16

Government Grants 2760.55

Parish School Commission 5750.00

Refunds: Supplies 13.00

For Pension Fund 168.27

Hinchinbrooke School Board 31.20

\$17,723.04

EXPENDITURES

Teachers' Salaries & bonus \$ 6780.00

Conveying Pupils 4894.70

Light 83.61

Water 20.00

Fuel 372.06

Janitor, Washing, Cleaning, etc. 373.36

Repairs and Maintenance 261.01

Supplies (including accounts payable) 274.19

Secretary's Salary 175.00

Bonds Paid 300.00

Interest on Bonds 504.00

Interest on Notes 2500.00

Interest on Arrears 557.50

Sundry Accounts 107.30

Cash on Hand 30th June 1935 520.31

\$6328.16

EXPENDITURES

Grants to Ormstown Village School 4700.00

For Conveying and General Tax 2290.00

Building Fund 1000.00

Leveling Grounds 50.00

Secretary's Salary 250.00

Surety Bond 10.00

Auditor 16.50

Gleaner 14.85

Provincial Blank Form 5.22

Bank Charges 3.45

Postage 3.00

Balance Cash on Hand 275.14

\$6328.16

ASSETS

Land and Buildings \$ 3000.00

Less Land Bldgs. Sold 158.00

\$2842.00

Furniture and Fixtures 400.00

\$3242.00

(Revenue)

Cash on hand and in Bank \$ 275.14

Arrears of 1934-35 785.79

Taxes 785.79

Less \$4.80 cancelled 4.80

Prior Taxes 780.99

Accrued Int. on Arrears 314.69

Accrued Int. on Arrears 51.90

\$1422.92

LIABILITIES

Surplus Capital \$ 3242.00

Balance of conveying and General Expense grants to Village School 300.00

Surplus Revenue 1122.92

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