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Ormsstown Concession Farmer Suffered Serious Injuries In Fall While Pressing Hay

Uldège Labelle, 48 years Old, Has Vertebra Fractured; Honorary Members Curling Club Created; Old Age Pension Cheques

On Tuesday afternoon about two o'clock, Uldège Labelle, 48 years of age, of the Fifth Concession, Ormsstown, met with a painful accident. While pressing hay he fell from the top of a pile of bales and fractured a vertebra of his spinal column. He was taken to the Hôtel-Dieu hospital at Valleyfield by Dr. Stalkor, McGerrigle, and ambulance. After X-ray he was put in a plaster cast.

At present Mr. Labelle is showing wonderful improvement and great hopes are held for his complete recovery.

A total of twenty-seven old age pension cheques have been issued to people in Ormsstown during the past week. Ten in the village and seventeen in the parish. In some cases the amount of the cheque was \$160.00 as these people had applied early in the fall and this was back pay. It is estimated that the pension system will save the town and parish councils considerable money.

The annual meeting of the Ormsstown Men's Curling Club was held on Monday evening at the Town Hall. The meeting was presided over by Dr. W. S. McLaren, president, and a large number of members were present.

The discussion of needed improvement on the rink was thoroughly thrashed out and during the summer months this work will be done.

Federal Grants For P.O. Clock And Exhibition

Ormsstown Appropriation is For Building of a New Horse Barn

Donald E. Black, M.P., was in Huntingdon Tuesday afternoon. When here he informed the Gleaner that a town clock with two faces would be installed in the tower of the Post Office. It is being left in the hands of the Town Council to decide just what way the faces of the clock will appear.

Another bit of good news to hear from Mr. Black was that \$3,000 was specially granted to Ormsstown Exhibition. This money is to be used for the building of another horse barn, as was done last year at the rear of the arena. The space between these two barns will be roofed and so provide a hitching shed or small judging arena. This added facility will be very beneficial to exhibitors, for so often Ormsstown show has suffered from downpours of rain and this made it next to impossible for the exhibitors to show their entries to the best advantage.

The drainage works to be undertaken in this district, a report of which appeared some time ago, will be undertaken in the near future.

Garden Talk To Institute By H. B. Patton

Several Members Added to Roll at Meeting of Local Group

The Huntingdon Women's Institute held its April meeting on the 11th, in the Court House. Flooded roads reduced attendance, but several new members were added to the roll.

The President, Mrs. D. M. Houghton, introduced the guest speaker, Mr. Hugh Patton of Ormsstown. He said: Ladies, it is a great pleasure and I deem it also an honor to speak to you upon a subject that has always been so dear to my heart. I am sure that the love of flowers has increased in this district, and I will discuss to-day the problems of a succession of bloom. Starting with crocus and ending with dahlias, Mr. Patton gave down the line-up to give it strength, but local players who show any ability at all will get a chance to play.

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For forty-five years active minister of the Presbyterian Church, he retired last week by his former congregation.

Breeders Held Demonstration On Two Farms

Ayrshire Club Events Held At Hemmingford and Sainte-Martine

The Howick-Huntingdon Ayrshire Breeders' Club held two well-attended farm demonstrations during the past week. The first, on Saturday, was at the Peachblow Farm of R. T. Brownlee, Hemmingford.

There was an enthusiastic gathering of breeders at the Brownlee farm on Saturday. The proprietor of Peachblow counts many friends and admirers on the other side of the line, and a number of these from as far as Champlain, N. Y., gathered with Hemmingford farmers in making of the keen remarks on a series of successful events. Gilbert McMillan conducted the demonstration on two classes, one of milk cows, the other of heifers in milk.

This demonstration was made very interesting by the keen remarks of Mr. McMillan on the fine points of a dairy cow, conformation and production characteristics.

Three classes competed in making the placings following Mr. McMillan's talk. The results follow: Seniors—1, Allan Wilson; 2, Matthew Wallace; 3, Jas. Templeton; 4, Dun-cann McArthur; 5, Kenneth Cookman. Juniors—1, Dwight Hitchcock; 2, Bill Roberts; 3, Earle Templeton; 4, Jessie Hawkins; 5, Charles Edwards. There was a special class in which only members of the Hemmingford Calf Club were allowed to compete.

For this competition W. A. Churchill had kindly donated cash prizes amounting to \$5.00. Jessie Hawkins took first place in this judging contest. She was followed by Charles Edwards, Mac Hawkins, Willis Hadley and Helena Barr.

Following the meeting the president of the Howick-Huntingdon Ayrshire Breeders' Club expressed the thanks of the members to Mr. (Continued on page 5)

Mrs. Moore Bannon Died In California

Mrs. T. Moore Bannon, 26, wife of a Montreal lawyer, died on Tuesday at Glendale, California, after a brief illness.

Mrs. Bannon, formerly Dorothea Ayshere Bannon, and a brilliant concert pianist, was married at Seattle on December 1st. The two met when Bannon stopped there on a trip around the world last summer. Mr. Bannon was born in Huntingdon.

She was at one time musical instructor in the household of Gen. Chiang Kai-Shek, Chinese military leader in Shanghai, and was a member of the Shanghai Symphony Orchestra.

Baseball Fans Look Forward To Six-Team District League

Local baseball fans are going to get a high class brand of entertainment during the coming season if present plans proposed for a district league materialize.

At a meeting held in the Huntingdon Chateau Sunday afternoon, attended by representatives from Huntingdon, Valleyfield, Malone and Chateaugay, who are anxious to form a league, it was suggested that a 6-team loop be organized. Teams would come from Huntingdon, Malone, two from Valleyfield, Chateaugay, and maybe one from Lyon Mountain or Rouses Point.

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Huntingdon's Eight Entries Placed Well in Quebec's First Musical Competition Festival

Adjudicators Expressed Satisfaction Upon Local Work And Enthusiasm, Particularly For Sending Largest Rural Representation

Entering eight classes in the Quebec Musical Competition Festival held in Montreal last week, Huntingdon entries won one prize and placed well up in several other classes.

Contestants came from all over the province, but Huntingdon had the largest rural representation. Miss Elsie Sellar was the honorary local representative and it was under her direction that the Huntingdon group did their training. She was assisted by Miss G. Demers and Mr. Darwin Stata, accompanists, and by Mr. B. E. Chadwick, of Montreal, conductor.

Although the Huntingdon Academy Junior Choir had no competition in their rural school choir class their work was particularly effective and highly commended by the adjudicators. They were awarded the Trophy. In the afternoon they competed with other prize winners for the Kiwanis Trophy, which was won by West Hill High School. The local school's achievement in gaining a trophy of 73.85 was outstanding. The highest mark awarded for choir work during the Festival was 90 and few over 80 were given by the judges.

Other results were as follows: Table Solos, 17 competitors; Glen Allen 7th, highest marks taken 80, marks 77.

Mixed Sopranos, 3 competitors; Mrs. E. M. Wood 2nd, highest marks 159, marks 158.

Soprano, 10 competitors; Mrs. E. Lefebvre 8th, highest marks 160, marks 150.

Ladies' Trios, 2 competitors; Misses McDiarmid, Smellie and Goudreau, 2nd, highest marks 154, marks 139.

Bass Solos, 5 competitors; Mr. S. D. Popeck 3rd, highest marks 160, marks 151.

Mixed Voices, 2 competitors; Huntingdon Mixed Voice Choir 2nd, highest marks 171, marks 169.

Men's Choir, 6 competitors; Huntingdon Male Chorus 5th, highest marks 178, marks 160.

Rural School Chorus, 1 competitor; Huntingdon Academy Junior Choir 1st, winners of trophy.

There were 11 voices in the mixed voice choir, 19 in the male chorus and 12 in the Academy choir.

Mrs. E. Lefebvre sang, "But Why Art Thou Disquieted My Soul," Richard, "That I On Wings Might Rise," and her own selection, "Glen Allen sang Schubert's, "Wandering"; Mr. Popeck sang "Within

the trees." The general spirit was one of willingness to co-operate with the government in getting through in good time for the coronation. But the usual accumulation of odds and ends help up matters toward the end. Parliament has a series of bills to be passed before the end of the year.

Along came the supplementary bill, and now there is a further sum of \$100,000 placed to his credit for this purpose.

Present-day stress laid on aviation, and the Canadian Airway is reflected also in the estimates. An additional \$915,000 is there for the construction of airways, airports and radio stations, also a sum of \$500,000 to assist municipalities along the line of the Trans-Canada Airway to build new airports or improve the existing ones.

Here is aid, too, for certain branches of the fishing industry. Half a million dollars is provided to assist the "Dried and Pickled Fish" branches of the fishing industry of the Atlantic Coast.

War veterans are not completely forgotten, with \$250,000 voted to provide for the payment of allowances to veterans during a limited period of probationary training under arrangements with prospective employers.

Garnet wheat, by the way, received a black mark in the annual report of the Board of Grain Commissioners, which quoted British millers to the effect that they would not use it for milling if they could get anything better.

The German trade agreement, with Sam Factor, Liberal M.P. for Toronto objecting, received the endorsement of the House of Commons.

It is the elections committee of the House of Commons, for some lowering of duties and for a better balance of trade, Canada having been buying quite a bit more than she has been selling, from Germany.

A debate which may go down into history as a turning-point or landmark in the development of Canada's constitution took place last week, when the Privy Council's decision on the Bennett New Deal Reform measures were discussed. I commend to all readers who occasionally look at Hansard the addresses by Hon. C. H. Cahan, J. T. Thorson, Rt. Hon. R. B. Bennett, and Hon. Ernest Lapointe on that occasion.

For those who have no access to Hansard, it should be said: That a stinging attack was made by Hon. C. H. Cahan on the rulings of the Privy Council. He did not mince matters; accused the judicial committee of departing from their judicial status to enunciate high political policy, of flouting the Canadian constitution and the Act of Westminster, of casting reflection on Canada's power to make treaties and of creating a new Imperial Executive Council as a sort of constitutional council which Canada had no right to have.

Youth Swims River Waters Subside, All Sure Signs Spring

After they reached a new high in this district on Wednesday morning last flood waters subsided the same night. Outlying districts suffered considerable inconveniences from the flood waters but all is normal again. Our reports last week covered the district pretty well, apart from Chateaugay. At the Basin many people left their homes during high water even floors were covered with water. A number of pieces of stone fell off of the Chateaugay bridge piers but did not endanger the structure. There now is ideal spring weather, and robins are busy building their homes. Clean-up operations are being carried on in and about every home. The high water is closed to heavy motor traffic and the Provincial Transport bus has not been running for a week. The strongest indication of fair weather came Sunday afternoon with the plunging of an intrepid swimmer into the icy waters of the Chateaugay. Dave Shearer certainly opened the season here this year, and he did not do it simply as a stunt for he has been in every evening since then. However, we prefer to wait at least another six weeks.

Field Day by Holstein Club Well Attended

Speaker Stresses Production Backing in Selection Of Herd Sire

The Field Day held on Saturday afternoon at the farm of Mr. Fred McGreggor by the Huntingdon-Ormsstown Holstein Club drew a fairly large crowd. Cards for judging the various classes were handed in by 72 contestants. Mr. Clarence Goodhue of Raymondville, Farm, director of the Holstein-Friesian Association of Canada and a member of the Committee making this year's All-American selections, made the placings.

A parade of the herd sire, Parkdale Poché, and seven of his junior daughters gave Mr. Goodhue an opportunity to express approval and give some good advice in the matter of building up a good herd. The heifers would be said, with a little fitting, give a good account of themselves in any show ring. He stressed the necessity of looking for good production backing in the selection of a sire. A production of 16,000 to 20,000 lbs. of milk with a test from 3.5 to 3.7 would be quite good enough for any Holstein breeder to attempt to maintain. One should know the record of the sire's dam, grand dam and if possible the great-grand dam.

Winners of the judging contest were: Ladies: 1st, Mrs. Gordon Perry, compact, donated by R. Heine; 2nd, Lila Winter, glass pie plate; 3rd, Mrs. Chas. Frey, dress clip of Water Brown; Miss Patricia Flynn was equal with these two winners but lost in the draw.

Gentlemen: 1st, Duncan Neely, gift of J. W. Stark; 2nd, John Walsh, pen and pencil; 3rd, Murphy, shirt, donated by W. E. Lefebvre.

Boys: 1st, Lorne Fennell, score 259, tie pin from Walter Brown; 2, Kenneth McDonald, score 236, pen and pencil, donated by A. H. Gauthier; 3rd, Lindsay Cullen, score 229, lighter.

Guessing weight of calf (533 lbs.) provided a wide variation of estimates. The closest was Andrew Elders at 530 1/2 lbs. and he received a box of chocolates, the gift of C. H. Lamb.

Mr. Peter Nadeau, B.S.C. of Ste. Martine, assisted the local committee on scoring, viz. C. H. Boyce, W. Carr, J. J. Murphy and M. M. McNaughton.

Georgetown Congregation Honours Minister-Emeritus Golden Anniversary Induction

Dr. G. H. Whillans Holds Unique Record Equalled by Very Few Ministers in History of Canadian Churches; Presentation and Banquet

On Monday, April 5th, the Georgetown Presbyterian congregation met to celebrate a unique event, the induction of the Rev. G. H. Whillans, B.A., D.D., Minister-Emeritus of the congregation. For these fifty years Dr. Whillans has been associated with the Parish of Georgetown, forty-six years as the active minister and four years as the minister-emeritus. This is a unique record and has been equalled by very few ministers in all the history of the Canadian churches. Coming to Georgetown soon after his graduation, Dr. Whillans was ordained by the Presbytery of Montreal on April 5th, 1887, and inducted to the Pastoral charge of the field mission was to be his life-long sphere of labour. In the fall of 1932 failing health compelled his retirement from the active work of the parish and he was succeeded by the present minister, Rev. T. J. Watson, B.A., B.D.

To mark this anniversary Dr. and Mrs. Whillans were entertained at a banquet in the Georgetown Hall, and at which nearly two hundred guests were present. After dinner, generously provided by the ladies of the congregation, an adjournment was made to the main body of the Church where congratulations and good wishes were extended to Dr. Whillans by the clergymen who were present. Dr. Harvey-Jellie, Moderator of the Presbytery of Montreal, brought the greetings of the Presbytery to the guest of honor, while Dr. J. J. Watson, Principal-Emeritus of the Presbyterian College, Montreal, congratulated Dr. Whillans in the name of his "Alma Mater". Rev. William McLean, of Cadmonville Presbyterian Church, and President of the Association of the Presbyterian College, Montreal, congratulated Dr. Whillans in the name of his "Alma Mater". Rev. William McLean, of Cadmonville Presbyterian Church, and President of the Association of the Presbyterian College, Montreal, congratulated Dr. Whillans in the name of his "Alma Mater".

At the conclusion Dr. Maclean of Huntingdon presented Dr. Whillans with a beautiful gold-headed cane, the gift of his friends in the Georgetown Congregation. Mrs. Whillans received a bouquet of roses which was presented by little Jean Watson.

Former Sherrington Prospector-Farmer Dies at Age of 100

Léopold Dorais, retired farmer and one time wealthy prospector, died Thursday morning after a short illness at the age of 100, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Edouard de Napierville, Born at Sorel, he left home with two companions when he was 22 years of age, and amassed a comfortable fortune as a prospector in the North West Territories. He came east, lost all his money in real estate ventures, and went back to western Canada and made more money. Before returning to the east, he married Miss Loretta Taylor of Trail, B.C. They settled down on a farm at Sherrington, Que., and remained there until his wife died 27 years ago. He then retired and came to live with his daughter, Mrs. Edouard de Napierville. He is survived by seven daughters, five sons and 45 grandchildren, all living.

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Newspaper Association Held Annual Convention at London

On Friday and Saturday the Ontario-Quebec Division of the Canadian Weekly Newspaper Association convened in London, Ont. From the Province of Quebec, those attending were: W. R. Legge, Granby; Robert Giles, Laculais; E. J. Blainville, Montreal; L. G. Gage, St. Johns and Adam Sellar of Huntingdon. 92 newspapers were represented at the meeting; and so established the largest attendance record in the history of this Divisional Association.

The meetings were exceptionally well attended and the topics all dealing with weekly newspaper work were exceptionally well taken care of by the leaders of the forum. It was decided that during the coming summer a course be held at Western University, London, Ont., for the purpose of enlightening weekly publishers on how to improve the editorial aspect of their respective newspapers. Twenty-two publishers present expressed a desire to be present for such a course if held during the month of June.

In connection with the Pearce Memorial Trophy for the best editorial page, Hugh Templin of Perquimans, Ont., was a second time awarded the trophy. La Gazette de Valleyfield taking second place with a score of 55 out of the possible 60 points. The Gleaner came 5th scoring 51 points.

On Saturday the entire press party had the pleasure of visiting the farm home of Premier Mitchell Hepburn of the Province of Ontario. Premier Hepburn was absent due to the conflicting troubles in connection with the General Motors strike at Oshawa. In his stead, the Hon. Duncan Marshall, Minister of Agriculture, was host. The ladies who accompanied the publishers were entertained in the home by Mrs. Hepburn, whilst the Hon. Mr. Marshall enlightened the publishers about the Hepburn farms.

Premier Hepburn is first and foremost most interested in farming, and politics take a second place in his life," said Hon. Duncan Marshall. You will see and fully believe this after you have spent a few hours about this farm. Mr. Hepburn originally had a 200 acre farm adjoining the homestead of his grandfather. To this 200 acre farm he has purchased farms so that to-day it is ranked as a 1,600 acre estate. The nature of the soil varies, and perhaps the plot most envied is the 80 acres of muck land facing the large farm home of the Premier and Mrs. Hepburn. On this stretch of land last summer was grown 40 acres of Spanish Onions and 30 acres of potatoes. The acreage in 1937 is to be 40 of onions and 50 of potatoes. To cultivate and care for such crops means a great deal of labor. This essential labor is largely made up of Russian families. These families contract to cultivate

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The Quebec Budget

THE statement that there would be no additional taxation or increase in existing taxation despite a predicted ordinary surplus was one of the most pleasing features of Hon. M. B. Fisher's budget speech delivered in the Quebec Legislature on Tuesday afternoon. The financial statement of the Province and the Government's plans for the coming fiscal year were presented in a very clear and concise manner. The debate on the budget lasted but one afternoon and evening, the day after the budget had been presented, and, in this, established a record in speed in adopting the motion to go into supply.

The Provincial Treasurer felt gratified in his announcement that the economic position of ninety percent of Quebec's population had shown substantial improvement in the past six months, and that, accordingly, there were higher earnings and more permanent employment. Despite the fact that recovery is at its highest ebb since 1933 he believes re-employment is not keeping pace with the general improvement in production, and for that reason he asked the House to vote \$12,978,000.00 for Direct Relief, and another \$10,000,000.00 to colonization to be used in re-establishing on the land persons presently receiving direct relief and other aid from the Government. In connection with unemployment work Hon. Mr. Fisher also mentioned the five million dollars which had been placed at the disposal of the Minister of Labour last fall, for giving work to destitute families. The \$15,000,000 appropriation for Roads will also contribute to unemployment relief.

Hon. Mr. Fisher spoke about recreating the independent status of erstwhile destitute families, and of thereby increasing the morale of the population. This question of morale is one of the greatest in the rehabilitation of the derelict unemployed. In many cases reemployment means return to his original social status of the person concerned. In others it does not have this much-desired effect. Again, there are thousands more than content to stay on relief and they go so far as to connive ways and means whereby they will not be obliged to accept employment if it be offered them. Part of the allotments for relief should be used in some measure for a mental re-awakening of those who have gone depressed through these years of economic distress.

Evidence is not lacking, stated Hon. Mr. Fisher, that a spirit of progress is dominating the agricultural industry at the present time, and, in this connection he believes the Provincial Farm Credit law enacted in November last has had a very stimulating effect. He does not cite the measure as a panacea for the many ills of the Quebec farmers, but one which will enable many farmers to retain possession of their lands, and, through time, liquidate their debts.

Hon. Mr. Fisher particularly realizes the important part played in the progress of the Province by good roads. There is an economic value to road building which brings a most needed help to the unemployed. The garage, the service station and transportation facilities have a direct value for agriculture, commerce and industry. In appropriating \$15,000,000 for the Department of Roads, Hon. Mr. Fisher's Government realizes that tourism has become one of Quebec's large industries and that by building good roads this industry will be nurtured and increased. Pleasing to motorists was the Provincial Treasurer's announcement that during the present year the Motor Vehicle Law will be revised to give lower licences. Other changes can also be expected such as part year licences, etc., modifications to the existing law, which Hon. Mr. Fisher had in mind before his Government's accession to power.

A heavy road building plan is contemplated as a result of the National Union budget. We feel confident that Huntingdon and this district will share generously in this programme, and we will loudly acclaim the transformation of "our dust-laden, crowded and narrow roads into dustless highways, making a motorist's paradise."

Hon. Mr. Fisher's budget testimony bears evidence that considerable economies have been effected in governmental administration, and that there are promises of even greater ones. In his endeavours for an economic administration of provincial affairs we wish the Treasurer all success, and we feel assured in advance of that ultimate achievement.

Protecting Our Farmer

REPRESENTATIONS are presently being made to the Dominion Government by the National Dairy Council of Canada and the Animal Oil and Fat Producers of Canada, to regulate the importations into Canada of vegetable oils. Practically all these imports come from the British Empire, and are refined for making shortening, which is fast replacing butter and lard. Residue from the refineries is being used for making soap, replacing beef tallow and hog fats.

In discussing these imports of vegetable oils and their relation to the production of Canadian butter fat and animal fats, Joseph Harris, member for Danforth, recalled the fact that last year Canada imported from India, the chief country of origin, such goods to the value of \$8,245,194. Talking about the matter Mr. Harris stated that there also was an importation, through England, of another 25,000,000 pounds. Raw products are shipped to England where they yield 15% oil, and practically all of this is shipped to Canada. This is a neutral oil, limpid and wholesome looking, which is treated with hydrogen gas to bring it to a consistency that will enable it to compete with a similar product which might be made in Canada from commodities we in this country should be able to produce.

Arguing further on the point Mr. Harris stated that to his belief Canada's own products were better for the physical well-being of its people. These products, he said, come into Canada and are indexed in the blue book as "not for food," when ac-

tually they are "for food." When these oils arrive here they are refined and sold throughout the length and breadth of this country as food. Those asking for regulations against these importations claim that the prices of dairy products are directly affected by these vegetable oils and fats. The competition in itself, they claim, is very unfair, since the product imported comes from a tree, and, against that Canadian farmers must provide food and shelter for their animals.

Several representations have been made on the part of the Canadian farmers, chiefly among these were representations from the member for Stanstead, R. G. Davidson, and the member for Chateauguay-Huntingdon, Donald E. Black. The issue has been aggravated by the decrease in Canadian animal fat exports to the United States. The recent reciprocity agreement has a clause which states that any item not specifically mentioned in the agreement could be dealt with by either country. Accordingly, the United States Bailey amendment of June, 1936, put 3 cents a pound against these natural products of Canada.

Mr. Harris claimed that if the Canadian government would do 75 per cent of what the United States did in June last to protect and promote production in that country, it would net to the coffers of this dominion, on the basis of last year's figures, a revenue of \$9,490,000, provided the same quantity came in. This amount, he believes, should be used to help the dairy industry in general, or promote Canadian production.

The Government realizes that it has a very difficult problem on its hands. The soap manufacturers, bakers, and other industries are fighting against regulating these importations, or putting a heavy duty on them. The Canadian Minister of Finance will take up this matter when he visits England this summer. After all this is really a question of National economies and what has to be considered is whether these importations are of more value to our people, than one of our greatest national industries. There is no question but what this is a much cheaper product, and without some help our animal fat-producers (in this we include butter-fat) will eventually be crowded out. The question then remains of what we are to do with the land and people now devoted to producing animal fats—and they certainly do cut a big figure in our national make-up at the present time. We do not ask that the Government consider only the claims of the Canadian farmer in making any decision about the matter but we do hold fast to the argument that the farmer should be given first and most serious consideration.

Kindness to Animals

THIS is the week which has been set aside by the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals to draw attention to the population of the United States and Canada that dumb animals with the observance service clubs throughout the are entitled to humane treatment. In connection length and breadth of the two countries are listening to special addresses on kindness to animals, clergymen have preached special sermons, Boy Scouts will particularly emphasize their sixth law, humane talks will be broadcast, and schools will take up stories and poems dealing with our pets.

There are few homes in towns, villages, and the countryside where there are no animals. In cities, quite true, conditions are not the same. In small cities and towns there is a cat or dog in practically every home, and often a parrot, a canary, or some other pet. For villages, cats, dogs, cows and horses, are common in the yards, and, of course, on the farms we have all the animals from the horse to the household cat.

Just what treatment do we give these dumb animals? Many of us have so trained a cat or dog that we no longer consider them dumb and we lavish all sorts of attention and affection on them. In many cases this is carried too far, and while the pets are well looked after, other animals about the farm are maltreated and allowed to suffer all types of hardship. This is particularly true during the winter time when improper shelter is provided, animals are not fed or watered regularly. We have often seen cows and horses coming out of the stables during the first spring days and hurrying over the fields to nibble at some dry grass, their bodies gaunt from hunger, legs feeble from lack of sustenance and exercise, and sight almost blinded because the stables in which they spent the winter months had no windows. In many cases, the farmer is poor, did not raise the required farm products for his animals, and cannot afford to buy additional hay or grain.

People, generally, who have dumb animals of any type about their home or farm should be prepared to give them fair treatment and food. Animals cannot speak for themselves and often suffer untold hardships in silence, and without the understanding of those under whose care they have been placed. It is not necessary to be a silly sentimentalist in this matter but it is only that we should remember to treat our dumb animals as we would want to be treated if we were the same animals. A little reflection and more consideration on our part are needed.

Backbiting

IT is astonishing what a number of quite decent people find apparent relish in gossip which, if not exactly spiteful, is at least unkind and unneighborly. Backbiting is a very curious word when you look at it straight and think of its significance. Dictionaries are vague on it and some don't even quote it. Backbiting in the generally accepted term means hitting somebody who is not looking, or is otherwise unprepared for the attack. Yet we superior human beings practice it here and there to our own hurt and that of others. Perhaps it had its origin in primitive or savage days when people did not camouflage their feelings and really did bite, but in the back.

Now that we are really civilized we attack by the tongue, which uses spiteful words often without foundation; in fact, in order to hurt or belittle somebody. Women in general have often been quoted as backbiters. In fairness to the fair sex we must say from personal experience that the male is almost as bad.

We wonder why we are not more careful about what we say, why we don't hesitate before speaking more than we do and try to calculate the probable consequences.

Precisely because we are free men and women we ought to mark our sense of privilege by being more considerate, more particular and more reticent with our words, especially those spoken in the spirit of censure or blame. Men criticise one another out of envy or jealousy, but, sorry to relate, quite often out of pure cussedness.

Someone, whom we cannot recall, coined the phrase, "whispering tongues can poison the truth." We are not a very long time here below, so we need all the help, sympathy and understanding we can get to pull us through. We won't get it unless we hand it out kindly and freely to those who come within the orbit of our influence.

Chronicle News Bits

Specially Written For
The Huntingdon Gleaner

DIAMOND STAMPEDE

The report a diamond weighing 203 carats has been found by a laborer 100 miles up-country from Georgetown, British Guiana, has caused a stampede to the district. The Koh-i-Noor weighed only 106 carats after a recut. On the other hand, the Cullinan, which was divided into nine large stones, was well over 1,000 carats. Still, a stone of 203 carats is exceptionally fine and rare!

YEAR ROUND PARTY

Although the county jail at Atlantic City, N.J., had an average of only 100 prisoners through 1936, the total bill for food for the year was \$16,065. The county treasurer thought this was too much and asked to see the bills of foods as it was bought. These bills revealed that the prisoners had been living high on such delicacies as filet mignon, capon, lobster, crab meat, club steaks, turkey, anchovies, mushrooms, boneless chicken, cocktail cherries, oysters and expensive cheeses.

DIET DAYS DOOMED

Paris fashions are going boom, curving hips and busts in the best Mae West style are to be seen in leading houses, and the tendency appears to be towards the styles of the "Naughty Nineties." Two of the biggest dress firms—Madeleine Vionnet and Madame Lanvin—have definitely fattened up their mannequins. Some mannequins have gained at least five to ten pounds since the slim days of the last fashion collections. Schiaparelli favors a modified hour-glass figure by pinching in the waist, while Alix uses complicated draping to accentuate the bust and hips. Even the many fashion houses which cling to the streamline are allowing the feminine silhouette to show through more, and in general it seems the days of dieting are doomed.

TRAIN WAVER REWARDED

Just outside of Elkhart, Ind., passengers and crews on trains passing a modest home always saw a small girl wave to them. Trainmen came to look for her cheery wave and smile and waved back. Out of curiosity, Brakeman Gulmyer of the railroad, the New York Central, on his day off, went out to visit the home of the little girl. He found her to be Violet Schmidt, 6. She began waving at passing trains three years ago, her parents said. She had never been on a train but knew a great deal about them from watching them pass. She had picked out the "Twentieth Century Limited" as the best train of them all, and so it is. When Gulmyer reported his visit, the president of the New York Central invited Violet to take a ride on the "Twentieth Century Limited" from Elkhart to Chicago and back as his guest.

CHILDREN NOW TALLER

At a meeting of the American Society of Anatomists, held in Toronto last week, it was brought out that children are taller now than their parents and grandparents. The increase in size was said to be due to a knowledge of nutrition and of infant diseases. Children today had a chance other generations did not have. Food, like fish from the Maritimes, can be obtained without loss of food value.

CROOKS AT CORONATION

Scotland Yard is expecting a number of professional crooks will be present at the coronation and a new "Who Is Who in Crime" has been prepared. Among the professionals listed are confidence men, pickpockets, fraudulent stockbrokers, hotel thieves and notorious gamblers and other "easy money" specialists. Police chiefs of the continent and of the Dominions helped in compiling the "Who Is Who."

STRANGER FATHER

On a highway near Sonora, Calif., Rev. James C. Hill saw an aged man working on a car at the roadside. Hill stopped, introduced himself, offered the elderly man his services. "My name is Hill, too—Clark G. Hill," the older man said. "I live in West Virginia." "Not Littleton, W. Va.?" asked the minister. And before they were through comparing notes, they discovered they were father and son. The two had never seen each other before. Soon after their marriage 48 years ago, the elder Hill, separating from his wife, joined the navy. Their son was born after he left home.

\$60 WITH GROCERIES

An advertisement in a Newark, N.J., newspaper asks an unknown woman customer of Saul Galkin's grocery store to bring back \$60 she unwittingly carried away in a paper bag, and receive a reward. The day's store receipts had been counted, the money sealed in an envelope and placed in an ordinary paper sack on the meat counter, the grocer intending to carry it home in this inconspicuous bag. In the hurry of waiting on a few late customers, the butcher wrapped some steak for a woman, dropping it, with other groceries, into the paper bag holding the day's receipts, and now hopes she was an honest woman.

DEVIL BUSH FAMINE

Black magic has such power in the African republic of Liberia it has caused a famine, and forced the government to take action to prevent the continuance of the disaster. Liberia's rice crop fell off so sharply severe suffering resulted. The government found the cause in the "Devil Bush" secret society, the central purpose of which is said to be the worship of the Devil. About a third of the male population were members and fresh recruits were being made by the thousand. Some of them had been in retirement in the Bush "schools" for as long as five years, while their farms remained untended. The government therefore decreed all Bush sessions must end within a month, and members go back to their farms and raise a crop to prevent a famine next year.

NEVER STICK IT

Fourteen years ago, Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Kowalski were married at Worcester, Mass. They did not get along any too well and in 1927, Mrs. Kowalski brought suit for divorce. Before it came to trial, they made up. Two years later, she again brought action for divorce and again there was a reconciliation. The same thing happened a third time, in 1931. But in 1934, Mrs. Kowalski went through with her suit and won a divorce. In June, a year ago, the two forgave each other and were remarried. Last month, she had her latest suit for divorce entered on the court docket.

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Do you play the Cymbals or the Horn?

A Roman Emperor was so pleased with his orchestra that he ordered his servants to give every player as much wine as his instrument would hold. Seeing one man weeping bitterly, he inquired the reason. "Forgive me," said the bandsman, "but I play the cymbals".

Many investors content themselves with cymbals when the rewards all go to the horns. Haphazard hunches tie up and eventually dissipate hard-earned savings that deserve steady enhancement. Hunches are as costly to purchase as a gilt-edged security and often are as hard to sell as last year's almanac.

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Godmanchester Council

A regular meeting of the Municipal Council was held on Monday. Members all present, Mr. W. J. Sherry, Mayor, presiding.

Omier Viau came before the board about wire for the St. Jean Sideroad fence. It was decided that the Council would purchase the wire.

Albert Chartrand was advised to interview the Secretary-Treasurer, of St. Stanislas de Kostka, for the required information.

The Secretary was authorized to send the Department of Roads and Hon. M. B. Fisher, a copy of resolution passed in April 1936, re building the Carr Headline.

Messrs. Harry Holiday, Thos. L. Murphy and J. B. Oulmet were notified not to advance groceries in the expense of the Council to Peter Robitoux, Jos. Bélaire and Antoine Castelli, as they are receiving the Old Age Pensions.

J. K. Dunlop's resignation was accepted. Godfroid Montpetit was appointed Rural Inspector and Special Officer over the Branch 3 of the Beaver Creek, in place and stead of Mr. Dunlop.

The Secretary was authorized to advise Mr. A. L. Sellar that this Board will do their best to attend the meeting, on April 16, regarding the Home Improvement Plan.

The letter from Hon. M. J. Fisher regarding the extension of the powder lines from Lee's Corner to Arnold Corner was read.

The following bills were ordered paid:
Thos. Murphy, 46.04; Thos. McNair, \$2.00; Jos. Viau, \$6.50; Insane Acc't., \$678.00; Wm. Graham, \$6.00; Harry Holiday, \$21.30; O'Connor's Inc., \$52.00; Chas. Cruickshank, \$15.00; The Shawinigan W. & P., \$23.50; P. J. O'Connor, \$25.00.

St. Malachie Council

Met on Monday, members all present except Couns. Geo. Collum and Hermos Beauchamp. Mayor Alfred Greig presiding.

Moved by Coun. McCaig, seconded by Coun. McNeil that the following accounts be paid:

Drs. Stalker and Quintin, professional services, \$2.50; Fortunat LePage, road work, \$2.75; Louis Perreault, road work, \$5.50; Pierre Guerin, road work, \$30.95; Elzear Prevost, road work, \$8.80; Frank Smith, road work, \$15.75; J. A. Mahut, goods supplied as charity, \$13.00; Ed. Upton, goods supplied as charity, \$14.35; A. L. Elliott, road work, \$15.05; Geo. Collum, money advanced for naturalization papers Re: Frank Gordon, \$7.00; A. Beaudin & Son, supplies as charity, \$26.02; Wilfred Tremblay, road work, \$25.61.

Moved by Coun. Bryson, seconded by Coun. McNeil, that the Mayor represent the Council at the Magistrate's Court in Valleyfield, April 8th re: charity case of Jeannie Emond.

Moved by Coun. McCaig, second-

ed by Coun. Kilgour that the road department, Quebec, be requested to re-surface the Jamestown sideroad and other roads in the Parish, that are in need of re-surfacing and that this matter be left in the hands of the local road engineer, Mr. Bastien to bring to the attention of the Department.

A doctor attended an old lady from Scotland who had caught a severe cold.

"Did your teeth chatter when you felt the chill coming over you?" asked the doctor.

"I dimna ken, doctor; they were lying on the table!"



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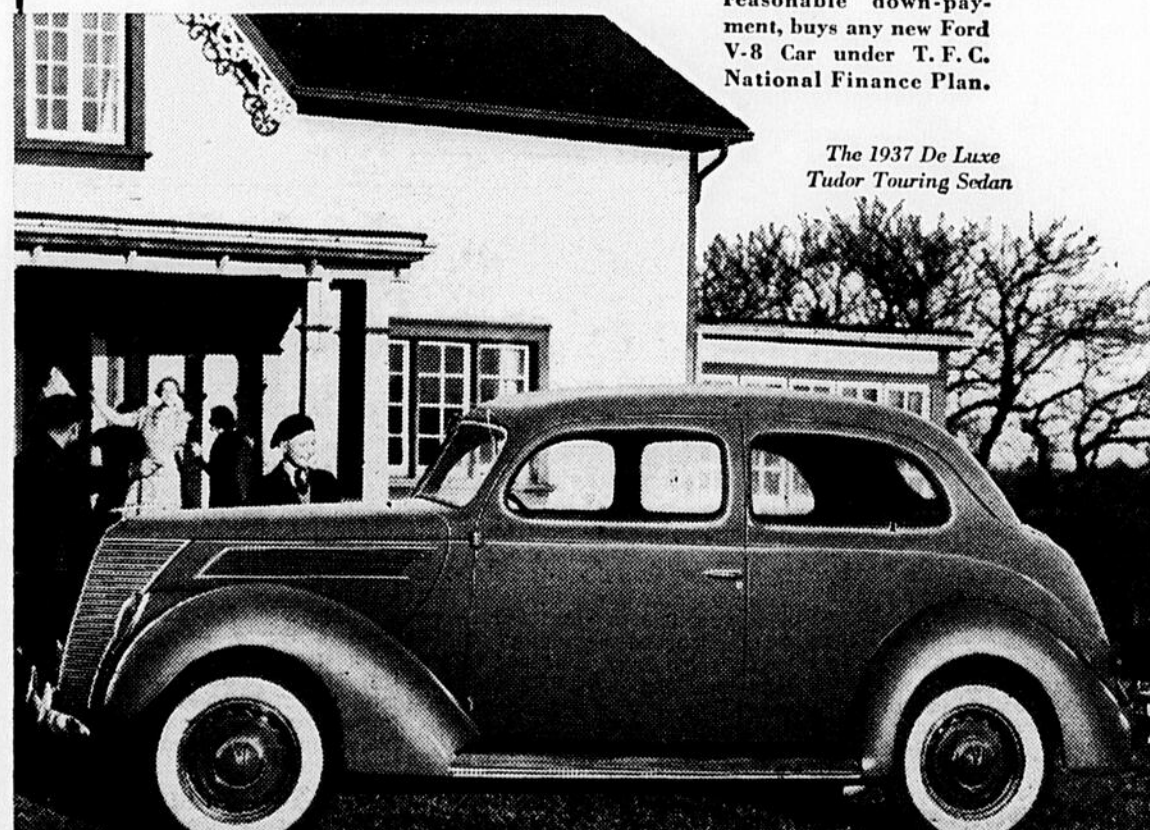
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Letters To The Editor

Quebec City, April 8th., 1937.
Editor Huntingdon Gleaner,
Huntingdon, Quebec.

Dear Sir:
Having read the editorial in the March 24th edition of your valued paper I am writing this letter, and enclosing the entire data relating to the improvement of Prince Street, Huntingdon.

Will you kindly print this letter in the Gleaner as well as the lists I have enclosed.

The money, with which this relief project was carried out, was primarily intended for Direct Relief, under which, strictly speaking, the Town of Huntingdon did not qualify, as there never has been any person on direct relief, while it is true that there were many unemployed.

I beg to state that, entirely due to the influence I brought to bear on the Minister of Labor the Honorable William Tremblay, this work of improving Prince Street was undertaken, and will soon be entirely completed. I did this for the benefit of the unemployed of the Town of Huntingdon, and indirectly for the benefit of the entire population.

I was paid for, almost entirely, by the Government of which I have the honor of being a member and a cabinet Minister. This work was undertaken in the Autumn, in order to assist people to face the hardships of the cold winter, with wages in their pockets, to buy the necessities of life with. I am writing this, in order to allay the suspicions created in the minds of a few of the people in the Town of Huntingdon and immediate vicinity.

The list contains the names of all the persons and their addresses, who received money in connection with the above named project.

First, marked A contains the names of those who furnished materials, with the amounts received in each case.

List marked B contains the names of those who received money for labour.

To date this project has cost the government \$9,506.18. It is estimated that the completed street will cost approximately \$1000.00 more, making an estimated cost to the Government of \$9,506.18 plus \$1000.00 and I am advised by one of the Governments Departmental Engineers, that when completed, this street will be the finest street in rural Quebec.

After these interested parties have thoroughly examined these lists and the amounts paid to each person, and if they still have reasons to believe that any of the above persons received amounts through fraud or unjust means, if they will communicate with me, I will immediately take steps to investigate each and every case. The Government has on file all receipts, and each, and every workman signed for his own pay a receipt, as did

those who furnished the material for this beautiful street.
Yours gratefully,
MARTIN B. FISHER,
Treasurer of the
Province of Quebec.

Materials Purchased For Prince St., Huntingdon

D. A. Nichol, Huntingdon	\$ 6.45
Desrosiers Cartage, 115 3rd Ave., Ville St. Pierre	42.50
Lalonde Bros., Huntingdon	20.93
Valleyfield Iron Works, 1102 University St., Montreal	158.50
O'Connor Inc., Huntingdon	1940.05
Empire Garage Ltd., Huntingdon	109.05
City Gas & Electric Co. Ltd., Huntingdon	135.90
Brathwaite Bros., Huntingdon	73.95
Leo Cappiello, Huntingdon	1.27
Pringle, Stark & Co., Huntingdon	924.03
Sam W. Barrie, Huntingdon	61.80
Godfrey Montpetit, Huntingdon	31.90
Jack Wilson, Huntingdon	325.16
John Reid, Huntingdon	2.90
Ernest Cunningham, Huntingdon	43.80
A. H. Besner, 18-20 Nicholson St., Valleyfield	40.05
Dominion Road Products, Canada Cement Bldg., Montreal	1306.37
The General Supply Co. of Canada Ltd., 653 Craig St. West, Montreal	285.52
John A. Ross, Huntingdon	13.50
Patrick Montpetit, Huntingdon	12.00

Total \$5435.63
Amounts paid each employee for work done on Prince Street from 25th Sept. 1936 to end of January, 1937

All employees were residents of Huntingdon.

James Kirby	\$ 203.25
Ernest Cunningham	132.00
Frank Beaudin	128.50
W. J. MacMillan	100.00
Russell Helm	32.00
Emile Senecal	48.00
Rene Gariepy	2.00
Midas Houle	57.28
Philip LeFebvre	37.75
Jerry LeFebvre	71.75
Nelson Antoine	57.75
Archie Tatem	68.13
Henry Lazure	65.13
Albert Quinn	80.38
James H. Kim	48.88
Antoine Drouin	130.00
Joseph King	73.26
Tony Galipeau	68.00
Edward Prevost	47.75
Napoleon Barr	55.76
Sam King	11.00
Herman Galipeau	19.00
Jos. L. LeFebvre	72.14
Raoul Rodrigue Jr.	65.00
Henry Grant	47.25
Urgel Poirier	64.63
Francis Barre	44.51
Francis MacCaffrey	19.00
Riley Ricard	68.63
Ernest Galipeau	3.00
Ernest King	3.00
Romeo LeFebvre	51.75
Alban Taylor	21.00
John Houle	80.65
Ernest Lepage	10.75
Hector Savage	25.25
Gordon Jarvis	340.00
Frederick Lepage	24.00
James T. Smyth	23.00
Walter LeFebvre	135.00
Rene LeFebvre	69.50
Dan Riel	1.50
Frank Allard	14.50
John Reid	78.73
Leo Cappiello	162.00
George Lalonde sr.	61.13
Charles Lalonde sr.	39.13
Merrill Daoust	20.25
John Forget Jr.	33.25
Lapold Laprade	29.50
Jack Wilson	273.83
Edward LeFebvre	22.50
Chas. Cahill	23.63
Alex. Chartrand	43.14
Paul Daoust	33.13
Noel LeFebvre	8.51
Antoine Languevin	36.76
Alphege DeLaronde	15.13
W. J. Hood	13.01
Wallace Warden	29.00
John Quinn	12.00
Wallace Warden	86.00
A. Saumier	9.13
Leo LeFebvre	6.88
Archie Keith	2.00
O'Connor Inc.	1.00

Total \$4070.56

Total \$9,506.18

Huntingdon

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McCracken motored to Utica and Syracuse over the week-end. While in Syracuse they visited with Mr. McCracken's brother, Mr. Robert McCracken and also attended the fine hockey game between Syracuse and Philadelphia. Mr. Ivan Heath, of Elora Mines, Dryden, Ont., is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Stark.

TIME TABLE CHANGES

Effective SUNDAY, APR. 25th full information from agents.

CANADIAN NATIONAL

St. Anicet Council

Regular meeting held on April 5th. Mayor Jas. B. Narey presiding. Coun. Alfred Primeau absent.

Moved by Edmond Carriere, seconded by Charles Trepanier, that the following bills be paid: Pierre Vaillancourt, \$1.75; Lorenzo Dubois, \$1.00; Lucien Carriere, \$1.25; Emery Leblanc, \$1.25; Ernest Carriere, \$88; Hormidas Deschamps, \$1.13; Raphael Hart, \$1.00; Napoleon Hainault, \$1.75; Arthur Trepanier, \$5.50; Earl McNicol, \$1.00; Paul Emile Trepanier, \$1.00; Jas. T. Smyth, \$5.00; Elie Hurler, \$30; Ernest Hurler, \$30; Hilda Hainault, \$30; F. X. Hurler, \$2.00; Frs. Hainault, \$1.13; Albert Hainault, \$30; Rosario LePage, \$30; Edmond Brodeur, \$30; Wilfrid Hart, \$30; Aurele LePage, \$30; Anicet LePage, \$30; Fabien Castagnier, \$1.00; Hilda Hainault, \$1.00; Napoleon Hainault, \$50; Edouard Lapare, \$3.50; Avila Pilon, \$4.50; Antoine Castagnier, \$4.50; F. E. Latreille, \$9.45; W. L. Carr, \$45.00.

Moved by D. Rankin, seconded by Charles Trepanier, that Alex. Oulmet be named rural inspector for the village in place of Napoleon LeCuyer who has resigned.

Moved by Anselme Latulippe, seconded by Avila Robitoux that the following names be added to the valuation roll: Alpha Caza, Omer Morin, Ernest Oulmet new proprietor of lot No. 425 formerly belonging to Michael Primeau and that the valuation be \$112.50 and the valuation on lot No. 393 be also \$112.50.

Moved by N. D. Rankin, seconded by Anselme Latulippe that an interest tax of 6% be charged on arrears, to cover cost of work on Cedar Creek to date from January 5, 1937.

Moved by Charles Trepanier, seconded by Avila Robitoux that in the future all Council meetings be held at 7 o'clock in the evening.

Moved by Charles Trepanier, seconded by Edmond Carriere, that the sidewalk from Quenneville's store to the wharf road, approximately a distance of 160 feet be repaired to by-law No. 68 obliging all proprietors to cut all brush bordering on public roads, was adopted by the Council.

Ormstown Council

Met on Monday, members all present. Mayor James A. McBain presiding.

Moved by Coun. Greer, seconded by Coun. McIntyre, that the following accounts be paid:

Don and Collum work on water line, \$2.00; Alex. Richards, cleaning sidewalks, \$2.60; Shawinigan Water & Power Co., street lights, \$91.75; John McBain, cleaning walks, \$3.15; Prov. Government, insane account, \$33.97; Mrs. Keutney, work on fire engine, Billette fire, \$5.50; Bridge Garage, gasoline for fire engine, \$3.00; Albert Beauchamp, meals for transients, \$3.15; Donald Collum, work on water line, \$1.75; Albert Collum, work on water line, \$1.50; Geo. Caza, work on water line, \$2.00; Domina Lussier, work on water line, \$14.40; J. E. D'Aoust, supplies as charity, \$20.00; J. R. Campbell, repairs on water line, \$7.40; J. R. Campbell, fire acct. for fire, \$1.00; O. property, \$92.35; Wilfred Primeau, cartage, \$1.80.

Moved by Coun. Bryson, seconded by Coun. Beaulieu that 300 feet of Samson Reflex fire hose be purchased from The Dunlop Fire & Rubber Goods Co., at \$1.00 per foot, also one Callahan Shut-off Nozzle at a price of \$20.50.

The Secretary was instructed to Mr. Boyce, our Provincial Member, asking that he arrange to meet a delegation of the Council to discuss road matters.

Moved by Coun. Bryson, seconded by Coun. Meikle that the meeting be adjourned to Wednesday, April 14th, at 7 p.m.

Hinchinbrooke Council

Met on Monday, April 5th, instant with the members all present except Councillors Crutchfield and Ross, Mayor Wilson presiding.

Moved by Councillors Murphy and Hampson, that the following bills be paid: The Gleaner, \$6.80; R. N. Walsh, \$4; Albert Lumsden, \$1.40; Wm. C. Brethour, \$6.37; Light on bridge, \$15; Merdeth Rosevear, \$11.65; A. Travisee, \$3.25; O'Connor Inc., \$50; W. A. Jamieson, \$4.60; John Small, \$7; County Council, \$20.10; Provincial Treasurer, \$456; C. H. Cooke, \$2; Edward Laberge, \$4.40; J. A. Jamieson, \$11.40; Health Unit, \$189.22; Roy Simpson, \$0.80.

Moved by Councillors Oliver and Cluff that George Boyce be appointed road officer for district No. 16 in place of Fred Laberge.

Valleyfield Council

Valleyfield Council did not hold the regular meeting on Wednesday evening owing to the fact that the Mayor and several of the Aldermen had formed a delegation to be present in the Legislature when the Valleyfield bill was brought before the House.

Letters to The Editor

The Huntingdon Gleaner, Inc.
Huntingdon, Que.

Dear Sir:

Correction re Brampton Basilia
I observe an error somewhat embarrassing to me, in your issue of last week, showing a picture of Brampton Basilia.

In view of the proposed formation of the Jersey Cattle Club, I sent you a letter which I received from Mr. L. W. Parent, Field Representative of the Canadian Jersey Cattle Club, which had a cut of the above cow, and I requested you, when giving notice of the proposed organization meeting, to show in your paper the picture of the cow, being careful to print exactly underneath the cut the name of the cow and her record exactly as it was on the letter from Mr. Parent.

There was no suggestion whatever that I owned the cow. This must have been an erroneous conclusion of some of the staff.

I would be very proud to own a Jersey cow possessing a world's record, but such a cow is beyond my present ambitions.

I thank you for publishing the cut, and the notice you gave with respect to the proposed Club.

"Errare est humanum".
Yours very truly,
DONALD M. ROWAT.

Riverfield

The annual Oyster supper of the Riverfield Curling Club was held on Wednesday, March 31st, in the rink club rooms. After partaking of a beautiful supper prepared by the ladies, Mrs. Ernest Reddick called on Rev. A. B. B. Moore and Rev. N. E. Flint. Rev. Moore thanked the Riverfield people for their invitation to this annual event to which he said both he and Mrs. Moore looked forward and also spoke of the many games he had curled in past winter, but just failed to win a prize, but still enjoyed the game just the same. Rev. Flint on behalf of Mrs. Flint, and also the curlers for the supper and also the many games he enjoyed with them, but unlike Mr. Moore he won one prize. Mr. Archibald Craig spoke a few words, and glad to be able to with them, and enjoy the evening with the younger folks.

As a life member of the rink and the oldest curler, Mr. Reddick then presented the prizes, point game won by Miss Mildred MacFarlane; fancy plate and socks to Milton Slater; Aubrey Reddick and Andrew MacFarlane, skip, consolation prize on the same game was won by Reta Robertson, Harry Angell, Willis Craig and Albert MacFarlane, skip, auto cushion given by Mrs. E. H. Robertson. Mr. Ernest Reddick gave a prize for a single hand game, Brodie MacFarlane defeated Robert Templeton. Brodie winning a flashlight. Robert, socks. Euchre was played at thirteen tables. High score, Mrs. James Anderson and James Templeton. Consolation, Miss Mildred MacFarlane and Arnold McKell. After the cards, the tables were cleared away and dancing was enjoyed for a few hours.

Mrs. Ernest Martin and Betty spent a few days last week with her mother, Mrs. Henry Carson. Billy Hooker, of Ormstown, spent the week-end with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Orr.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Orr were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Gruer.

Mrs. John Gruer was called to the city on Tuesday night owing to illness of her daughter Beulah. Glad to report Beulah to be doing nicely on her operation, and expects to be home this week-end.

Mr. Floyd Gruer and his mother also spent Tuesday in the city. Mrs. Sven Nybak, of Oshawa is now the guest of her friends, Mrs. Andrew MacFarlane.

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St. Anicet

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Pilon spent a few days in Montreal at their daughter's, Mrs. Alfred Renaud. Mr. and Mrs. Piché, Mr. Victorien Dubois and Mr. Dussault all from Montreal visited relations and friends here on Sunday.

Athelstan

A meeting of the Presbyterian Young Women's Auxiliary was held on Saturday afternoon at the home of Miss Helen Anderson, and conducted by the President, Miss Margaret Arthur. Mrs. Grant gave the lesson, beginning the study of Missions in Canada. "How the Wheels Go Round", a general outlook of all the work of the Women's Missionary Society in Canada. The members of the Y.W.A. are planning a supper to be given next week, date to be announced later.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Howden of Huntingdon were guests of Mrs. James Lavery on Sunday evening.

Mr. John Nimmo and little son John of Toronto, were week-end guests of Rev. A. Nimmo and Mrs. Nimmo.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Smith of Fort Covington, and Mrs. Gladys McCaffrey have been recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harold McCaffrey.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Dillabough, Mr. Russell Hayes and Mrs. Boyd of Morewood have been recent guests at the Manse.

Matrimonial

Smythe-McCaffrey
At a nuptial high mass solemnized Saturday morning, April 3, 1937, at St. Mary's Church, Fort Covington, N. Y., Miss Vivian Agnes McCaffrey of Dundee, became the bride of Mr. Stephen Smythe of Fort Covington. Rev. J. R. Lauzon, pastor, officiated.

The attendants were Mr. Harold McCaffrey of Athelstan, Quebec, an uncle of the bride, and Mr. Harold Smith of Massena, the groom's brother.

Mrs. Agnes Coyle presided at the organ playing the Mendelssohn and Lohengrin marches. The choir sang "The Angels Mass" and two vocal solos, "Ave Maria" and "On this Day O Beautiful Mother," were delightfully rendered by Mrs. A. M. Cappiello. The church was decorated with Easter lilies and cut flowers.

The bride was attired in a navy blue silk crepe dress, navy straw hat with a veil, matching shoes and white kid gloves. Her coat was also of navy blue. She wore a corsage of pink roses and lilies of the valley. The groom and his attendants and men guests at the wedding wore white carnation boutonnieres.

Following a wedding breakfast in Malone, Mr. and Mrs. Smythe and Mr. and Mrs. Harold McCaffrey moved to Montreal where the bride and groom remained for a few days.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward McCaffrey. She was graduated in 1932 from Huntingdon College and for the past two years she has been teaching in the Dundee Catholic school. She will continue to teach until the completion of the school year.

Mr. Smythe, a son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Smythe, Ft. Covington, received his education at Fort Covington High. He enlisted for a short term in the U. S. Army but since leaving school has spent the greater part of the time in farming with his father.

He recently received employment at the Aluminum plant in Massena. The young couple plan to reside in Massena upon the completion of the bride's teaching contract.

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Moved by Councillors Oliver and Cluff that George Boyce be appointed road officer for district No. 16 in place of Fred Laberge.

Valleyfield Council

Valleyfield Council did not hold the regular meeting on Wednesday evening owing to the fact that the Mayor and several of the Aldermen had formed a delegation to be present in the Legislature when the Valleyfield bill was brought before the House.

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Obituary

The Late Mrs. Wm. Crawford
Mrs. William Crawford, 80, worthy resident of Burke, N. Y., died Tuesday night, April 6th, at the Alice Hyde Hospital after having been ill for two days with pneumonia.

Born at Laguerre, St. Anicet, Que., a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Cooper, Mrs. Crawford went to Malone when a young woman and later moved to Burke. Her maiden name was Barbara Cooper. She married Wm. Crawford, now retired Burke farmer, and the two celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary about a year ago. Her husband is also 80 years of age.

Mrs. Crawford was a member of the Ladies Aid Society of the North Burke Presbyterian Church and was especially devoted to her church and family. Her loss will be greatly missed by those who knew her.

Besides her husband, she is survived by four sons, William T. Crawford, of Malone, and Gordon, Thomas and Roy, all of Burke. She also leaves a sister, Mrs. Simon

Gleason, of Ft. Covington, and 7 grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Friday afternoon from the home and North Burke Presbyterian Church, the Rev. Harold W. Fildes, officiating. Burial followed at Burke.

ATHELSTAN

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Rowat and family of Montreal visited their summer home on Sunday.

Huntingdon

Mrs. J. H. Lefebvre entertained to three tables of "500" at her home on Thursday evening. The prize-winners were Mrs. Gravel and Mrs. Guerin. A delicious lunch was served by the hostess.

Miss Bessie Stark is spending a few days visiting friends at Waterville, Que.

Canada's Favourite Tea

"SALADA" TEA



Newspaper Association Held Annual Convention London

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so much acreage. Mr. Hepburn's regular farm hands prepare the land in the spring and assist in the harvesting in the fall. Spanish onion seed is obtained from Spain when such is possible.

The farm hands number around 18 the year round. Thirteen matched teams of Percheron horses are found on the farm. Each man has his own team and he in turn must care for his particular team. Such individualism tends to make the men take extra pride in their allotted teams. The farm foreman commands the best team on the farm and they were what we now customarily call "Black Horses" or Percherons. As our party gathered in front of the horse barn we were greeted by 12 teams of horses. It certainly reminded one of what one might expect to see at the Ormstown Spring show. Undoubtedly had Dave Greig been present he would have been doubly happy to see his favoured "Black Horses" lead the parade and undoubtedly would have captured the laurels had any been offered.

On the Hepburn farm 80 head of Holstein cattle are found. The dairy was not as elaborate as one might have expected, but it was well kept and the stock well groomed. In place of marketing whole milk they sell sweet cream and the skim milk in the hog pens for the hogs. The 141 pigs "The usual hog population of the farm is 200 strong. In the large building where the hogs and shoats were to be found one could not help but be amazed at the way they were cared for. Vermilion was certainly reduced to a minimum, not even the troughs reminded one of the customary hog pen. We were all so amazed with this departure of the farm that flashlight pictures were taken in the building so that the world might see just how immaculate the pigs were kept. The pigs were given the usual ration, but in addition they enjoyed the onion tops when they were available.

At one time this farm was the cheese factory centre for the concession, but to-day that factory is the grist mill for the farm. Not only do they grind their own mill feeds but much alfalfa is chopped up for feed.

In regard to feed supply for the farm it boasts three large silos at the homestead. On the farm they grow each year 40 acres of ensilage corn. The livestock of the farm includes three sets of farm buildings. Baby beef is a much favoured source of revenue, and to produce baby beef Mr. Hepburn has resorted to a cross between a Holstein cow and a Polled Angus sire.

Apart from the purely business side of the farm we noted that it boasted a couple of donkeys. Well, they intermingled with the crowd and of course the boys did not let them said they were very quiet. No body offered to get on to have a ride, so one of the big boys on the farm staged the desired exhibition. Sure the donkey was every trip. He would charge a fence, a tree or a gate and every time manage to frighten the daylight out of the onlooking audience as well as the rider. The photographers present tried in vain to get a good picture of the donkeys in action but even though they had fast working cameras I am quite certain they failed to get a good picture.

That Mrs. Hepburn knows her onions" no one present will doubt it. A single moment in the crowd of 92 people present were entertained at noon to a delicious hot lunch. It was personally directed and managed in detail by Mrs. Hepburn. There was no confusion in the least, and in one hour and five minutes every body was served and the presentation of roses to Mrs. Hepburn was taking place. I very much doubt if any one person in the whole of our District could carry things out with such detail and perfection as was done by Mrs. Hepburn. Our readers might be interested to know just what was served as a menu so here it is in brief: A slice of baby beef and one of lean pork, hot potato, peas and carrots, horse radish, slice of the traditional Hepburn Spanish Onion, pickled onions and green onions, radishes, sweet pickles, salads, bread and butter, for dessert, it was raisin pie, cheese, coffee or tea, biscuits and after dinner mints. Mrs. Hepburn, to the general amusement and delight of the men organized the tea and so that they might serve themselves to tea or coffee. To the men, the assistants served the tea or coffee. It certainly takes a lady to handle the fair sex at such an outing.

Mr. Herman E. Rice of Huntsville, Ont., the newly elected President of the Ontario-Quebec Div. of the C.W.N.A. expressed the thanks of the Association to Mrs. Hepburn for the general entertainment and the Premier's farm and their hospitality. It was indeed unfortunate the Premier was absent as he returned home from the south earlier than he anticipated as he wished to be at home for the Easter holidays. E. Dobble, wife of the Vice-President of the Association, presented the roses to Mrs. Hepburn. Mrs. Hepburn, like her husband, found she had an abundant speech at her command. She expressed her delight in being able to do what they could for the press party and at the same time expressed the regrets of her husband for being absent. The Hon. Duncan Marshall was in his usual very happy frame of mind and was perfectly at ease in telling us of the Premier's practical farm interests.

Old Home Week Celebration

August 4th, 5th and 6th

Please send information and sample copies of the Gleaner referring to the "Huntingdon Old Home Week" to the following addresses:

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By 3 p.m. the entire party returned to the Hotel London where they prepared to leave for their respective homes. The convention was indeed a real success in every respect. In 1938 the convention will more than likely be held in the mining town of Norham, Ont. where they have been invited by Messrs. Geo. Lake of Timmins and Charles Tredder of Kirkland Lake.

Dewittville

Miss Isabel Ferns spent Friday in Howick, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Main.

Miss Katie Freeland spent part of Friday and Saturday with her niece Mrs. John Lowden.

Mr. Arthur Hodges and son Norman of Montreal, spent the week-end at their summer cottage. Mrs. Hodges came out for Sunday.

Mr. Gordon Yeoman and sister, Miss Helen Yeoman of Montreal, were recent guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Moore.

Mr. Pearce of Montreal, spent the week-end with his wife and family in Dewittville. Miss Edna Rosevear is spending some time with Mrs. Pearce.

Mr. Alfred Rabidou spent Sunday with his family in Montreal. Little Lawrence Douglas returning with him for a few days sugaring.

Miss Greta Ferns of Montreal, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Ferns, Jr. Mrs. Ferns accompanied Greta to Montreal Monday, intending to spend the week.

Master Arthur and Miss Beatrice Gamble were week-end guests at the McClatchie home. Mr. and Mrs. Royal Gamble were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Lowden and also of the McClatchie family.

Glad to report Mrs. Arthur McClatchie is able to be up part of each day, after being confined entirely to bed for eight weeks.

Mr. Albert Labelle, who has been in the employ of Mr. Willie McClatchie for some time, left on Sunday to take up a new position in St. Martin.

Mrs. Kenneth Bissell spent Monday the guest of Mrs. George Moore. They also were guests of Mrs. John Lowden during the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Amasa Gale of Potsdam, N. Y., were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Allan Ritchie. Miss Margaret Ritchie returned to Potsdam with them to spend a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter O'Hara and family of Montreal, visited among friends here on Sunday.

Miss Elsie McLean of Montreal, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ward McLean.

Mr. Thomas McGovern of Saranac, N. Y., is spending a while with his nephew and niece, Mr. Chester and Miss Beatrice Hughes.

Mr. and Mrs. John D. Leach have returned home from the hospital. We trust she is much improved and that she may soon be real well again.

Sunday guests at the home of Mr. William Bolduc were: Mr. Robert Bolduc, Miss Lucille Bolduc, Mrs. Flora Denaud of New Bedford, Mass., Mr. Albert Bernier, Mr. Emile Bernier, Miss Madeleine Bernier and Mr. Duquette of Montreal. Miss Lucille Bolduc, Miss Ruth McCartney of Ormstown.

Mrs. Carr returned to Taunton, Mass., with Dr. and Mrs. D. G. Henderson on Sunday and intends spending some time.

Garden Talk To Institute By . . .

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gold, asters. Heart of France is a variety of aster strongly recommended by Mr. Patton as the best to stand against blight, double and blooms right to frost. The carnation needs to have lime.

The Gladiolus is considered the Queen of Flowers and to be properly appreciated it needs to be viewed through a magnifying glass when all its depth of beauty can be seen. To control Thrip: 1 ounce of bicarbonate of mercury dissolved in six gallons of water. Soak bulbs for three hours and plant. Deadly poison; use glass or crockery vessel.

Questioned as to control of mould on clovers, Mr. Patton recommended sulphur spray. Done on dry.

Rhubarb will do well if given a dressing of nitrate of soda. Never use nitrate on anything that blooms.

Mrs. James Bruce, of Aubrey, County President, gave a short talk on the decisions arrived at in the Provincial Board meeting.

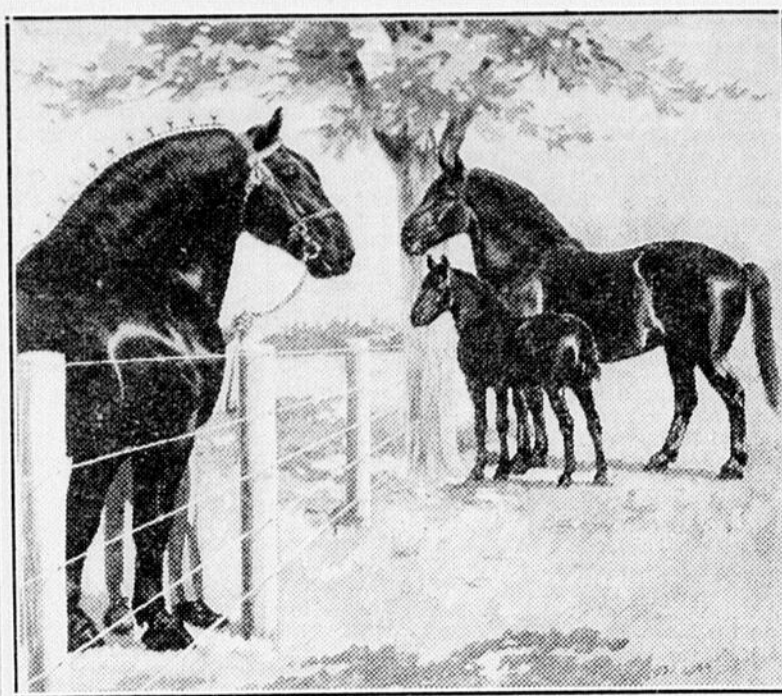
The \$199.80 collected through the Silver Jubilee last year was added to the General Fund. The \$1000. collected some years ago and intended for the Women's Memorial Building proposed to be built in Ottawa, and now abandoned, was voted to an Educational Fund to be used for carrying on Institute work when the need arises.

Mr. Chas. Smallman, Mrs. J. Platt and Mrs. Chas. Leslie were visiting members from Dundee.

Mrs. Chas. Reid reported progress in the arrangements for the Spelling Bee, definite announcements to be made later.

The next meeting is to be held on Friday, April 30th, at the home of Mrs. T. S. Miller.

A colored truck operator was informed that he could not get his money back for the truck he had submitted statement for a certain hauling job. After much meditation he scribbled the following bill: "Three comes and three goes at four bits a went—\$3."



One of the Famous "Black Horses" Allotted to this District.

In keeping with the policy of Daves Brewery to co-operate with the farmer to the fullest possible extent, the Percheron Stallion Don Pedro has been allotted to the County of Huntingdon for the 1937 season. He will stand on the premises of W. C. Brethour's, Huntingdon.

The service fee will be \$3.00 with return privileges for this year only, to any of the "Black Horses". All monies so received will be distributed as prizes for the "get of these" bred by three to one.

The Percheron is, undoubtedly, the leading draft horse on the North American continent. In the United States they out-number all other breeds by three to one. The demand in Canada was so acute that, in 1930, Daves Brewery decided to start their new famous "string" of "Black Horses" in order to give the Canadian farmer the opportunity to have the services of the very best Percheron stallions on the continent.

The out-standing features of the Percheron are, of course, the ability of the breed to work hard and well under all climatic conditions, their good-tempered willingness, agility

and great strength. Perhaps the greatest tribute to their versatile qualities is that after using all breeds of horses, under all conditions, the British War Office decided that the Percheron is the ideal breed for their varied requirements.

Since the inception of the "Black Horses" they have sired over 6,000 living foals and during the 1936 season 3,492 mares were bred. This will mean a further increase in the number of progeny during the present year. Interested readers are invited to communicate directly with Daves Brewery, 990 Notre Dame St., W. Montreal, requesting copies of their booklets "How to Raise Good Horses" and "Percherons".

Covey Hill

Readers who enjoyed last week's article describing the universal prevalence of fear and resultant ill-effects, hoping to see it followed by a second article telling us the cure. Shall we cultivate the complex which "doesn't give a hoot" or with aim more sublime, listen to our Elder Brother's "Fear not, little children?"

Messrs. W. W. Loudon, E. Friar, and R. King are employed as watchmen, each on an eight-hour shift, to put a stop to too heavy trucks using the roads at this springtime when damage to the roads is bound to cause much damage.

Madam Rumor has it that the most startling visions seen in the wee sma' hours are not "great big trucks piled sky-high" but "Human Beings" as Juanita Harrison spells them—just common truck in strange corners.

So far the maple syrup season has been much below the average, and although there is still plenty of snow in the woods for any amount of "taffy" it is too late to expect many prolonged runs of sap.

We are informed that a large milk distributing company's profits amounted to over seven million dollars last year. A manager, seeking to make a little better showing, asked one of the foremen if he could do with less help. The foreman was going to get money to buy butter and milk if the big companies dismissed the wage-earners.

Miss Beulah Loudon returned home last Sunday from Rochester, N. Y., where she has been staying at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Roy Cable. The latter, with Mr. Cable, accompanied her niece as far as Malone, at Colton, a cold wave which brought the merest hint of a sleet shower to the Hill, took the form of an almost blinding snowstorm and Mr. and Mrs. Cable deemed it advisable to return at once to Rochester.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. McNiece and Kenneth of Montreal, visited Mrs. J. Waddell and family this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Sorensen and daughters, Miss Edna Cavers and Miss Ruth Sorensen, of Montreal, paid a visit recently to Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Simpson and Master Elmer Cavers.

Mr. A. E. Curran and household entertained a few friends to a sugar treat on Saturday evening.

Obituary

The Late Mrs. Ira L. Cross Following a short illness, the death occurred at Beauharnois, Que., April 7th, of Frances Wilson, widow of Ira L. Cross. Mrs. Cross was in her 69th year. She was born in Farnham, and her father, the late John Wilson, was a well-known manufacturer. She was a lifelong member of the United Church and took an active part in church work.

She is survived by one daughter, Mrs. H. Hill, of Beauharnois, and three sons, Garnet and Russell, of Montreal, and Burton, of Vancouver, one sister, Mrs. D. Johnson, New Westminster, B.C.; three brothers, John A. Wilson, Farnham; George Wilson, Farnham, and Henry Wilson, Cranbrook, B.C. The funeral service and interment took place at Farnham on Friday.

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Mrs. Ruth Wing spent the past week with her aunt, Mrs. Thomas Kyle, Robson.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Akester and daughter Audrey were recent visitors of Mrs. Laura Keddy, Halton, Que.

Miss Ethel Fewster spent the week-end with her aunt, Mrs. Alex. Dann, Rousses Point, N.Y.

The friends of Mrs. James Glass will be sorry to hear that she is ill and under the doctor's care.

Mrs. Betsy Wing spent the week-end with her daughter, Mrs. William Akester.

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Married

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Died

Bannon—At Glendale, Calif., April 6th, 1937, Dorothea von Trachtengberg, aged 26 years, beloved wife of T. Moore Bannon.

Crawford—At the Alice Hyde Hospital, Malone, N.Y., April 6th, 1937, Barbara Cooper, aged 80 years, beloved wife of William Crawford, of Burke, N.Y. Native of Laguerre.

Cross—At Beauharnois, Que., April 7th, 1937, Frances Wilson Cross, in her 69th year, widow of the late Ira L. Cross. Interred at Farnham.

Fraser—At her home in Dundee, on Thursday, April 8, 1937, Elizabeth Cameron, beloved wife of William J. Fraser, aged 62 years and nine months.

Johnston—At Andover St., North Tewksbury, Mass., April 9th, 1937, Robert Warren Johnston, son of the late Wm. Johnston, formerly of Herdman, Que., aged 58 years.

Lyle—Suddenly at St. Luke's Hospital, Montreal, April 7th, John Oliver Lyle, youngest son of the late Oliver Lyle, and Jane Emerson of Barrington, Que. Interred at Farnham.

Purse—At Roland, Man., on April 5, 1937, Susanna Fennell, widow of the late Thomas Purse, in her 82nd year. Formerly of the Gore.

Reid—At Valleyfield, on April 5th, 1937, Adrienne Senecal, beloved wife of Zolique Reid, interment took place in the P.C. cemetery, Ormstown, on April 6th.

We wish to extend sincere thanks to our many friends, neighbors and relatives for the expressions of kindness and sympathy extended to us in our hour of sorrow and also for spiritual and floral offerings.

James C. Smythe and Sisters

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to sincerely thank all the very kind neighbors and friends for sympathy and beautiful floral offerings in this our very sad affliction in the loss of our dear wife and aunt.

Mr. A. F. Aleph, Miss Olive Cluff, Mrs. Vernon T. Lawson.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our kind friends and neighbours for their many acts of kindness and sympathy shown us during the illness and death of our dear wife and mother.

W. J. Fraser and Charlie.

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We wish to extend our thanks to the friends and relatives for kindness shown during the recent bereavement of Adelaide Leape.

Mrs. Madeline Cartier Theodore Halpeau

Brooklet-Herdman

The April meeting of the Y.P.B. of Brooklet was held on Friday night, April 9th, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Rennie with a good attendance. The President, Mrs. K. Earl, took charge of the meeting. After the business meeting, a social hour was spent with table games. Lunch was served by the hostess.

Miss Florence Wilson is visiting at the home of her uncle and aunt in Malone, N. Y.

Last week while helping to load hay, Mr. H. McCracken fell and broke two ribs.

Dog Dines on \$100 Bill While Owner Looks For Money

For a few minutes last week Jimmy Montgomery's little Scotch terrier "Billy" was the most valuable canine in this district. Dog fanciers placed a value at over \$100 but "Billy" was unconcerned and only wagged his tail when informed of his sudden rise to wealth. It all happened when the dog chewed up a \$100 bill that he picked up on the floor of the town's cafe.

In the Bank of Commerce, Huntingdon, where his master is employed. Bank employees caught him just as he was dining on the last corner of the bill. They recovered enough of the chewed remnants to paste them together and have a new \$100 note sent out from Montreal headquarters, but the bill was nearly written off as a total loss.

The dog has quite recovered from his brief fall into riches and has gone back to a dog's diet of—well, dog biscuits. No more \$100 meals for "Billy." It's too hard on the bank employees' nerves to say nothing of the dog's digestive system.

The aggregate value of all field crops in Canada in 1936 is now estimated at \$599,421,400 as compared with \$511,872,900 in 1935.

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The Week At Ottawa

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stout champion of Canada's newly-won rights of autonomy. His extremely able address was followed by a still more forthright assault on the Lords of the judicial committee by J. T. Thorson, Liberal member for Selkirk, also an eminent legal authority. Mr. Bennett, whose respect for the judiciary in all its aspects is extremely great, saw no irreverence in criticism of the Privy Council, and Hon. Ernest Lapointe, the last speaker, made it abundantly clear that he favored an abolition of the appeals to the Privy Council in civil matters, thus placing them on a parity with criminal matters, where the Supreme Court of Canada is the last court of appeal.

The Privy Council decisions have, unquestionably, barred early progress in social legislation. Practical minds are busy with the problem of finding a way around or through the barrier. Obviously what is needed is an amendment of the constitution. While we are doing so, many authorities think that Canada should be given the right to amend its own constitution. The general public are probably getting completely confused with this chatter about legal formalities; and some day they may say to Ottawa and the provinces in no uncertain terms: Do as you will with the constitution, but for heaven's sake let's start doing something. The unemployed must be about tired of being told, when they make practical suggestions looking forward toward better times, "Sorry, we can't do that. The constitution, you know."

These things give point to the early selection of a royal commission on taxing powers and social responsibilities. The sooner the path ahead is cleared of constitutional debris, the more likely we are to avoid serious revolt from the long-suffering masses. Such is the view of the more progressive members.

Sam Factor, M.P. one of the three Jews in the House, made what at least one observer felt to be one of the finest speeches of the session when he opposed the German trade agreement because he wished to register a protest against German persecution of an ancient race and its suppression of rights and freedoms which Anglo-Saxons have come to regard as an assured possession.

Attache Royal Spies The activities of "secret service" members of the R.C.M.P. were aired in a colorful debate on the subject of Coldwell and J. S. Woodsworth were chief contributors. The House was reminded that Sergeant Leopold, who provided the prosecution of the Communists in Toronto with much of its evidence, had been high in the offices of labor and communist organizations at Regina. Mr. Woodsworth called him an "agent provocateur" and pleaded for the abolition of such officers. Hon. Ernest Lapointe promised that these men would not be permitted to interfere with legitimate labor activity, but he could not agree that the R.C.M.P. should get along without such officers at all.

Religious comment over the other was another subject aired during last week. Hon. Earl Lawson quoted passages of scripture censored from an address prepared by Rev. Mr. Zeidan of Toronto. He protested also against the banning of a talk on eugenics, in which voluntary sterilization of imbeciles was to be discussed.

The special commission on veterans' problems failed to recommend anything very spectacular; and even at that the government felt not inclined to implement the advice it did tender.

Among those who attended the funeral from a distance were Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Donaldson, Mr. and Mrs. Horton Lyle of Montreal. Interment took place in the family lot in the Hemmingford cemetery.

Regular meeting of St. Louis de Gonzague Council held April 5th, 1937. Mayor Domina Daoust presiding, all Council members present.

The question of graveling the road on the north side of River St. Louis is postponed until next meeting.

Moved by R. Laberge, seconded by Albert Payant, that all the ploughs for the winter road be repaired and painted, each councillor taking care of the plough in his district.

The account of \$3.25 of D. Beaulieu for repairs to the plough was ordered paid.

Moved by Councillor Joseph Boyer, seconded by Albert Payant, that future meetings of the Council take place at 7 p.m.

Jackie watched the nurse while she weighed the new baby. Finally he could contain himself no longer. "Do you mind telling me what my mother paid a pound for him?" he asked.

Along Canada's Mining Highway

British Columbia reports indicate financing of the large B. C. Nickel deposit by a Canadian-U.S. Syndicate holding contracts for disposal of concentrates to Japanese interests.

Alberta reports Brown Oil Corporation No. 1 and No. 2 wells deepening rapidly, also drilling under way on Plains Petroleum's No. 2 well. A new oil field is indicated by this company's No. 1 well. Acidizing of the Foundation well in Turner Valley is taking place to enlarge production.

In Manitoba, Sherritt-Gordon is preparing for resumption of production.

Ontario's fields are most active. Madsen in Red Lake is moving ahead with its shaft sinking and development plans. Hardrock in the Long Lac Camp is developing new high grade in the west shaft section. The McLeod situation underground is reported to be better. Hutchison Lake will be drifting on two levels shortly.

In Porcupine, important ore is reported on Preston East Dome's 200-foot level west drive. The Virda Porcupine has announced diamond drilling arrangements—Pamour reports improving operating results—

Quebec areas are making record progress. The Quebec Manitou section to the east of Lamaque is developing a boom, with many properties obtaining finances. (Adv.)

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Mrs. W. Fraser Dundee Lady Passes Away

Was Esteemed Resident,
Born and Brought Up
In Locality

Mrs. William J. Fraser one of Dundee's most respected and esteemed citizens passed away at her home in Dundee on Thursday at 1 o'clock, April 8, 1937 at the age of 62 years and 9 mos. She was a daughter of the late William Cameron and his wife Janet Strutt and was born in Dundee in 1875. She was united in marriage to William J. Fraser of Dundee in the year 1911, who still survives her. One son Charles was born to the union.

Mrs. Fraser was an industrious housekeeper, possessed of a quiet nature, a good and kind neighbour, loved and respected by all who knew her. Until a short time ago Mrs. Fraser was in fairly good health but about three weeks ago she was taken ill, hoped for a speedy recovery however on Thursday last she passed peacefully away from a heart attack. Besides her husband she leaves one son, Charles C. Fraser at home and one brother Strutt Cameron of the Beaver, Quebec.

Mrs. Fraser was a member of the Presbyterian congregation in Dundee and was active in all church and Ladies' Aid activities.

The funeral service was held from her late residence on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock to the United Church. Dr. Maclean, D.D., of Huntingdon, Rev. J. H. Lynn, Dundee and Rev. T. J. Watson, of Howick conducted the service. Rev. Mr. Watson in his remarks spoke very feelingly of the deceased recalling many of the fine traits of her character.

Before becoming an ordained minister Mr. Watson served the Presbyterian congregation as a student of theology and during his sojourn in Dundee had stayed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fraser and so had had the opportunity of enjoying Mrs. Fraser's kind hospitality. Mr. Watson's words concerning this life and the next were well chosen and spoken. As it was the family's wishes, there was no singing.

Interment was in the family plot in Zion Church cemetery. The pall bearers were Peter Peterson, Dan Cameron, H. A. Cameron, J. J. Fraser, Dan Fraser and Robert Stevenson. There were beautiful floral offerings from friends and societies.

Friends from a distance who attended the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. Allan Fraser and Mrs. G. M. Lovejoy of Lowell, Mass.; Mr. Wm. McKinnon of Montreal, Mr. Robert Cameron, Mrs. John Carr, Mr. and Mrs. John Smellie, of Dewittville, Mr. T. W. Fraser and his daughter, Mrs. Howard Potter, of Brimston, N.Y.; Mrs. R. H. Crawford and Mrs. Martha Barrington of Huntingdon, also Mrs. Alex. Fraser of Port Covington, N.Y., and Mrs. Wendie, of Kensington.

Franklin Centre

Messrs. Milton Sharpe and Leslie Crawford of Montreal, were week-end guests at the home of Mrs. W. A. Sharpe.

Sunday guests at the home of Mrs. J. Waddell were Mr. and Mrs. Earl McNeice of Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stevenson are occupying the house of Mr. Norman Towns.

Sunday guest of Mr. and Mrs. George Brooks was Miss Edna McKenney, of Malone, N.Y.

Mr. C. Blair, Mrs. Geo. Blair, Miss Cora Blair, Mrs. L. E. Blair, Kyle, and Norma, spent Wednesday last in Montreal, and visited Mrs. Clarence Blair in the Homeopathic Hospital. We are pleased to say she is progressing favorably toward recovery.

Gerald Pitt, who has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Dickinson during the past two weeks returned to Montreal Monday.

Elizabeth and Collen Leahy were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Costello, St. Christostome.

Mrs. R. McClenaghan and son Laurence, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Barr.

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Stevenson and son Bruce, of Ottawa, were guests for a couple of days the past week of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Stevenson.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Leahy spent Thursday and Friday last with Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Cavanagh.

George Dickinson visited Mr. and Mrs. John Dickinson over the week-end.

Mr. John Brooks, of Malone, N.Y. was a Sunday guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. M. Brooks.

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Hemmingford

Besides the members of the Women's Institute many others availed themselves of the opportunity to listen in Friday evening over CKAC to Mrs. C. E. Petch, Provincial President on a talk on the Work of the Women's Institute.

Mrs. Petch gave an interesting and educational address on the history of organization of which she is the provincial head.

Miss Phyllis Fisher, Mayfair Avenue, Montreal, gave a shower and tea on Saturday in honour of Miss Kathleen Temple, whose marriage to Mr. John Whitehead Stewart takes place early in May. The tea table, which was decorated with white carnations was presided over by Mrs. R. H. de Moulipied, assisted by Mrs. Earl Kennedy, Miss Martha Simpson, Miss de Moulipied and Miss Audrey Day.

The following from Montreal were guests at the home of Mr. James Williams Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. D. McLean, Mr. and Mrs. J. McLean, and daughter Margaret, Miss Florence Morris, Mr. Robert McLean, Misses Evelyn Browning, Jessie Phillips, Ethel Williams, Mr. Glen Jamnain.

The death occurred on Tuesday morning, April 6th, of Mrs. G. Erwin nee Bella Thompson, aged 84 years. Funeral service took place at the home of Mr. Geo. Mappen Wednesday afternoon, Rev. V. C. Rose conducting the service.

The Misses Edythe McKay and Millicent Orr spent the week-end in the city and while there attended a shower given by Miss Phyllis Fisher in honour of Miss Kathleen Temple whose marriage takes place shortly.

The supper sponsored by the men of the three Protestant churches Tuesday evening in the Anglican Hall was fairly well attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Boyce and son Robert of Odellton, spent Friday at the home of Mr. R. Campbell and family.

Constable D. Lindsay, of Frelighsburg was in town Friday.

Mr. Geo. Donaldson of Montreal spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Clayland.

Constable Y. Girard who had been ill for a few days was taken by ambulance Saturday to St. John's Military Hospital. His friends wish him a speedy recovery.

Miss Maude de Moulipied is spending a few days in Montreal with friends.

Miss Brydon McArthur spent the week-end with her friend, Miss Mildred Campbell.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold McCrea of Champlain, N. Y., spent Sunday at Mr. J. E. McNaughton's.

The regular meeting of the Y.P.S. of Hemmingford was held April 5th at 7:45 p.m. This being "Games Night", the evening was spent in playing games brought by members.

Miss Mildred Dempster of Montreal visited Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Dempster over the week-end.

Miss Muriel Emslie of St. Lambert and Mr. Geo. E. Clayland were week-end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Clayland.

Miss Enid Moore has been a guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Cleland for the past six weeks.

Miss Ann Brown, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Brown, is ill at her home.

Hon. Martin B. Fisher was in town Saturday.

The Misses Gladys Pelletier and Audrey Adams of Montreal spent Sunday at the Pelletier home.

Funeral of Mrs. A. Stevenson
The funeral took place at Eaton, Que., recently of Mrs. Alice Stevenson, widow of Absalom Stevenson, who passed peacefully away March 30th, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Anson Miller, at the age of 79, following a brief illness. The service was conducted by the pastor, Rev. L. O. Bunt, of the United Church of which the deceased was a life-long member. The bearers were Messrs. B. Harrison, Charles Picard, Edgar Hodge and John Winslow.

The deceased, who prior to her marriage was Alice Lucretia Hall, was the daughter of the late Leonard Hall of Franklin Centre, and was born on August 10th, 1857. Her marriage to Absalom Stevenson, of Havelock, took place on March 16th, 1881. Mr. Stevenson passed away on June 13th, 1919.

Deceased is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Anson Miller, one son, Leonard R., two granddaughters, Mrs. Garth Graham of Wyman, Que. and Miss Irma Miller, one great granddaughter, Audrey Graham, one sister, Mrs. Charles McGilton, of Eaton; one brother, Leonard Hall of St. Louis, Mo., a number of nieces and nephews.

Those who attended the funeral from a distance included Mr. and Mrs. L. G. McGilton of Stanstead, Interment was in Eaton Cemetery.

On Wednesday evening, April 7th, the death of Mr. John Oliver Lytle occurred very suddenly at St. Luke's Hospital, Montreal. Mr. Lytle was sixty-seven years of age and was the last surviving of five sons of the late Mr. Oliver Lytle and Jean Emerson Lytle. Two sisters, Mrs. F. T. Clayland, of Barrington, and Mrs. Geo. Donaldson, of Montreal, are left to mourn his loss.

Mr. Lytle had made his home with his sister, Mrs. Clayland, for the past four years, with the exception of the last six months which he spent in Montreal.

His funeral service was held at the home of Mr. F. T. Clayland on Saturday morning at eleven o'clock. Rev. Mr. Flint of Riverfield officiating. The floral tributes were many and very beautiful.

April Meeting Of Riverfield Y. W. A. Held

The April meeting of the Riverfield Y. W. A. was held at the home of Mrs. Flint on Saturday afternoon, April 10th, at 2 o'clock. Meeting opened by hymn 270. Bible reading by Miss Mildred Hay followed by prayer by Miss Reta Robertson. Hymn 419 was then sung. In the absence of the secretary, Miss Irene Carmichael, Miss Agnes Orr read the minutes of the last meeting. Holiday money was discussed by Mildred Hay, we start our holiday money from January 1st. A white elephant tea was planned to be held May 24th. A letter was read by Miss Gladys Ritchie from Mrs. E. vananting any of the members that could attend to come to the meeting in Montreal, April 16th.

The paper for the day was read by Miss Joyce Terry which was very interesting to every one, on the life of the late John McGregor, born in Perthshire, Scotland, graduate of University of Edinburgh and ordained in Glasgow. He was sent to Pictou, Nova Scotia, and during his 44 years, he visited every settlement in the Maritime Provinces.

He was head of the first Bible Society formed in Canada, and had 500 copies of the Bible in Gaelic language. He died at the age of 72, and won the affection of all who knew him. Closing hymn 430 followed by the Lord's Prayer in Gaelic. Prayers were read by Mrs. Flint.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Buchanan have moved on to the farm of Mrs. Leslie Wright, Chateaugay River.

The Terry family have moved from Mr. J. J. Craig's house on the river to their grandmother's, Mrs. H. Bennie.

Mr. and Mrs. A. McAuliffe and daughter Sheila of Montreal, spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Roby.

The Easter cantata given by the Riverfield choir in Howick Presbyterian Church on Easter Sunday evening was repeated Sunday morning in Riverfield Church.

Tatehurst

Mr. Duncan Brown made a business trip to Montreal on Tuesday. The farmers in this district are busy with the present. So far the sap has not been very plentiful and being rather disappointing to syrup makers.

Mrs. Robert MacDougall entertained the Associate Helpers of the United Church at home last Wednesday afternoon. Twelve members and two visitors were present.

Mrs. Archie Marshall and Mrs. Geo. Cavers conducted the devotional exercises. A delicious lunch was served by the hostesses.

Miss Ruby Ruddock of Huntingdon, was a guest on Monday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earle Hooker.

Mrs. George Hobbs of Montreal, is at present at her home here.

Mr. W. H. Johnston, of Sherbrooke, visited on Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Warren Sadler.

Among the fifty-two callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Hooker on Sunday were Mrs. Baker and three sons, Arthur, Edward and David of Plattsburg, N. Y., and Mr. and Mrs. Cameron and Mrs. Piget of Beauharnois.

Miss Margaret Murray spent the week-end with her friend, Miss Marjorie Hooker.

Miss Shirley Parkinson spent the week-end with her friend, Miss Jean Brown, while Miss Grace McCaig visited with Miss Margaret Brown.

The Lower Ormstown Euchre Club was entertained last Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Brown. Euchre was played at eleven tables. Prizes for high score were won by Mr. Warren Sadler for ladies and Mr. Bert Peddie for gentlemen, while consolation prizes went to Mrs. Robert McGerrigle and Germain Briere. Lunch was served and dancing enjoyed. The usual club meeting will be held in two weeks' time.

Business trucks in this district were forced to make several extra trips due to the condition of the roads.

Miss Marjorie Greer entertained a few friends on Saturday afternoon at a sugar party. The guests report an excellent time.

"Did you notice how the Daily Humdrum slammed my latest play?" "Oh, don't mind that. The critic on that paper is notoriously like a parrot—he only repeats what everybody else is saying."

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Huntingdon

Mrs. James Kirby gave a tea on Thursday afternoon in honor of Mr. H. Cundie who sails for Manchester, England, on the 23rd of April on a visit to her mother and relatives. She will make a trip to London to visit her sister and remain there until after the coronation.

Mrs. T. Pringle is under doctor's care as a result of bruises she received when she was struck by a car driven by Mr. Eddie Goodfellow on Monday night. Mrs. Pringle was crossing the street at Pringle Stark corner on her way to the post office to get the mail when the accident occurred. Mr. Goodfellow, who was also turning the corner onto Bochette street never noticed Mrs. Pringle until it was too late to avoid the accident.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Hebert, Mr. and Mrs. Rodrigue Anclair, Mr. L. G. Hebert and Miss Therese Lalonde visited Rev. Mother St. Charles at Ivesville, on Sunday.

Mrs. Sarah May, Montreal, was the guest of M. C. Lalonde, on Sunday.

Miss Fleurette Savary returned home after spending a short time here.

Miss Dorothy Curli of Kilmory, Manitoba, and Mrs. J. I. McWilliams and Mr. Lloyd Rankin of Rapide Blanc, Quebec, spent the last few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. Rankin.

The Rev. Roy P. Stafford, assistant at St. James United Church, Montreal, is to be the minister for the Huntingdon United Church this coming Sunday. For the evening service, it will take the form of a rally of young people from the various United Church congregations in this end of the county. The Rev. J. H. Miller, D.D., are we pleased to report is making steady progress and tomorrow he hopes to be down stairs for the first time since he was taken suddenly ill.

He sniffed the air, jumped out of bed and rushed to the landing.

"Marry," he said, hurrying back, "the house is on fire. We must get out quickly. There's not a moment to lose."

"James, James, don't flurry me," she replied sharply. "I must stop a few minutes to straighten up the rooms so that they'll look decent when the firemen come in."

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Letters to The Editor

April 12, 1937

Dear Editor:
May I be permitted a few lines in your valuable paper in regard to a certain dance held in Carroll's Hall, Ormstown, last week. Rumour has it that this dance was disorderly—to such an extent that young girls were helplessly drunk. Now as a citizen interested in the welfare of our young people I ask you to bring this matter before the public.

Who is responsible? First, those who gave the dance. Second, the parents too lazy to find out where and with whom their children associate. Third, spineless young people who can't say "No".

It has been said that one or two determined people can accomplish more than a thousand who can't make up their minds on any question.

People of Ormstown and vicinity I ask you to make up your minds and never permit dances of such a character again. Other places have had similar experiences. Are we going to accept such conduct as inevitable or are we going to demand better behaviour from our young people? —THE SPHINX

Breeders Held Demonstration on Two Farms

(Continued from page 1)

Browlie for his kind hospitality, and the Church for his encouragement.

The second event was held at Sainte-Martine Agricultural College on Tuesday afternoon. The attendance was not as large as looked for, but since barn demonstrations are a new thing to the community, and the farmers are in such close proximity to the Agricultural College it is not surprising that the farmers did not turn out in large numbers.

The demonstration on cows from the college herd was given by Douglas Ness, in English, and Georges Maynard, in French. Both speakers showed their keen knowledge of Ayrshire cattle, and their technical ability to discern the fine points to be considered. The group was joined by the students of the college. An inspection was made of the farm buildings and the College. Thanks were extended by President J. M. Wallace, and responded to by P. N. April.

Winners of the senior class competition were Francis Smith, M. Dulude, J. B. Lafontaine, Jean Cabaret, G. Muir. For the juniors the placings were as follows: J. Francoeur, Aurelie Vinet, Jos. Bourque, Basil Peddie, J. G. Vinet. Francis Smith attended Ste-Martine College and the short course at Macdonald College. The winners at Hemmingford, Allan Wilson and Matthew Wallace who tied for first place, also attended Macdonald College short courses.

The boys of the school have done a great job in repairing and remodeling the shooting range which is now in tip-top shape for target practice. Contests will begin immediately and medals will be awarded to the highest scorers at the end of the season as in previous years.

The students of grade 7 will be participating in the Spelling Bee which is being held under the auspices of the local Women's Institute this month.

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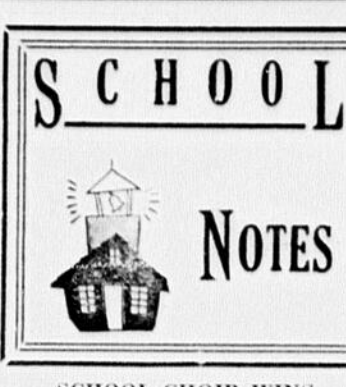
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SCHOOL CHOR WINS

The Huntingdon Academy Junior Choir won first prize in their class at the Quebec Musical Competition Festival in Montreal on Friday, and Glen Allen, competing in the treble solo class came 7th out of a total of 17 to bring high musical honors to the school. It was the first time that the students had competed in a contest of this kind and their performance reflects credit on the training they have received under the principal.

Three cars, driven by Miss Norma Lunan, and Messrs. Harold Bickford and Austen Kelly, were used to take the students to the city. They left at nine in the morning arriving at 11 a.m. The students were lined up in one of the corridors leading to the auditorium of the Montreal High School, the largest school auditorium in Montreal, and at 11:30 their class was called.

They sang two numbers, "Blow away the morning dew", an English folk song, and a French folk song, "The King of Yvetot".

After the concluding number on the morning's program the scholars were guests of the local school board to a luncheon in the Cafeteria. It was quite a novel experience for the students to be served a full course meal in a school and to eat with so many other students.

At 2 p.m. the Academy choir sang in the United Church which was filled to capacity by school choirs of Montreal. This time the choir really excelled itself, having recovered from the slight stage fright they experienced in the morning.

It is rumored that the choir will be asked to sing before Her Excellency, the Lady Tweedsmuir, when she visits Huntingdon on May 6th.

Coronation Representative
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The Gore

Card Party Held—
On Friday evening, April 9th, a card party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Taylor for the benefit of St. Paul's Church. "500" was played at 14 tables and prizes were awarded as follows: Ladies, 1. Nellie Ingram, 2. Mrs. Ruth Merkle, gent's, 1. Mr. J. Boyd, 2. Mr. P. Peterson; consolation, Mrs. S. Whaley; consolation, Mr. Willis Anderson. Proceeds of the evening amounted to \$15.50.

Persons—
Mr. and Mrs. Donald Anderson and family of Malone, spent Thursday visiting friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. John McCracken and daughter Laura of Malone, spent Sunday visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Whaley.

Mrs. James Todd has returned home after spending the past two months at Beauharnois with her daughter.

SEASON OF HOPE
Never does my garden grow. And never do my flowers bloom. So beautifully as when the snow wraps the world in chilly gloom. There's nothing like a winter night. To raise my garden delight. Springtime days to work are lent. Planting, hoeing, fighting germs. Summer brings discouragement. Floods, or droughts, and bugs and worms. But everything is perfect, quite. For gardening on a winter night. —Mary Frink Converse.

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Midnight and Percy Jones

by
Vince Starret

Chapter 25

Leaving Colbath at the hospital, Riley Blackwood went forth into the night. He was thinking now of the night club in Chicago. He had been there once, and he had seen her in her black and scarlet masquerade.

She had an accomplice: that much was certain. It had been reasonably certain from the beginning. The man who had pretended to be a Hindu had taken a leading part in the preliminary mystifications. In all probability he was somebody connected with the night club.

"Happy" Chance, the manager, perhaps? Or one of the anthropoid gunmen who were his henchmen? Valerie's sweetheart, anyway—some one upon whom she could depend.

An idea occurred to the speeding investigator and halted him at a hotel to make a call. In the excitement of Anne Gray's message that Colbath was in the hospital, he had forgotten his intention to call to Tommy Lester. If Philip Constantine's hunch had been correct, it was Lester who was with Janice Hume on Sunday night, and Lester probably knew whatever Janice had known. If what Janice had known had any bearing on the movements of Valerie West, it occurred to Blackwood that he would like to hear about it.

He called up Lester's office—the young man was with a bond house—and learned that Tommy was out of town. He had gone to Minneapolis on Monday morning, it appeared, and would not return until the following Saturday. He could be reached, if necessary, at a certain hotel.

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Minneapolis, but Mr. Lester—a distant voice informed him—was not just then in the hotel. It was faintly annoying. The idea struck Riley that possibly Tommy too had disappeared because of something that she knew, Tommy—who was presumably in the same predicament—might also be a candidate for lilies.

It was a queer idea and he toyed with it for several minutes. Had the young bond salesman left for Minneapolis before or after hearing about Janice's death? Had he, indeed, heard of it at all?

Chicago avenue was not far away. Blackwood decided to walk the remaining distance along the boulevard. First, though, he would smoke a cigarette in the comfortable lounge of the hotel. To the devil with Lester! The problem now was Tommy Lester and Percy Jones.

A new and arresting thought struck through his mind and set his pulses leaping. This Hindu—so to call him! Might he not be the actual murderer of Rita Wingfield, and Valerie West a simple decoy? Blackwood smiled grimly. Hardly simple, however, whatever else she was. And she was the murderer of Janice Hume, at very least. It would certainly have been easier for the Hindu to have murdered Rita than for the dancer to have done it, for the obvious reason that he had more time. "Sweet Caroline!" said Blackwood softly. "I think it's coming!"

His mind raced with the revelation, and little troublesomeness and lemons involving time and opportunity were smoothly—triumphantly—adjusted. Quite suddenly his case appeared to unravel and spread out before him.

The dancer had deceived her victim from the studio, had lured him to her car, and at the proper moment had turned back for the kitchen. Her accomplice, waiting with the kitten in the doorway of some empty house, perhaps—had turned it over and received the matches in exchange. He had gone at once to Rita's apartment, murdered her with Janice's convenient revolver, and hurried away—leaving the dancer to complete the alibi she was manufacturing for Percy. Later she had called the poor dupe from the party and he had joined her at the night club.

There were two murderers, not one—and it was the Hindu who had begun the slaughter. Blackwood drew a long breath when he had finished. It was a whole of an idea. And it was entirely sound. At all points, the reconstruction was plausible and satisfying.

Two important questions remained unanswered. Who was the Hindu who was not a Hindu? What had Valerie West held the answer to both questions. It was the who had stolen the photograph of Rita Wingfield, the secret of which—she realized—appeared now to point nearly to the Hindu than to the dancer. She had simply acted as his agent in abstracting it, as she had been his agent in the murder of Janice Hume.

That photograph—it was an important link in his chain of evidence. And, although he hated to admit it, it had probably been destroyed. Nobody but a fool would keep it, after getting hands on it.

If only he could remember—

"Missoula, Montana." The words broke his lips aloud and caused a passing bellhop to pause in polite astonishment. Then he was on his feet and hurrying to the telephone again. He had remembered the city named upon the photograph. A few more long distance calls, he reflected with ironic amusement, and he would have to visit the office of the Morning Chronicle and see about an advance. After some difficulty he found himself talking to a man in Montana who said he was the editor of the leading newspaper. The man's voice appeared to come from China or Japan. Further to complicate the episode, he seemed to be chewing tobacco.

Blackwood stated his case in careful sentences.

"Her name was probably assumed, you understand, and the photograph is missing. But I know it was taken in your city within the last ten years—and nearer ten than five. I'd know the name of the photographer if I heard it. How many do you have out there? What? No, it wasn't Barker. Who else have you got? Who? No, it wasn't Williamson, either! Look here—it was two names, I think. Somebody & Somebody! Could it have been Fowler? Is there a photographer named Fowler? Wait a minute—I've got it myself. It was Foster & Fowler!"

His face fell as he listened to the reply; then it brightened again.

"That's swell!" said Mr. Blackwood. "Get after it right away, will you? And call me as soon as possible. Remember, the Japanese costume is your clue. Maybe it was a high school chorus, or something like that. And keep quiet about it till I say the word. You'll get it

exclusively when it breaks. Is it worth while?"

"Boy-o-boy!" whispered the voice from Montana. "I'll say it's worth while."

Blackwood departed for his own dwelling. Foster & Fowler were out of business. But their business had been taken over by Barker, who had all their plates. The Montana editor had no doubt that the picture of Rita Wingfield could be run down. He would attend to it in person.

Riley Blackwood, luxuriously parked upon the small of his back, as the hours wore on into the afternoon, read the late editions of the afternoon papers with interest.

Dallas was still talking about a quick solution and holding Zeldia Lausane. Percy Jones had been seen in Detroit, in Baltimore, and in San Francisco. And the body of Rita Wingfield was still unclaimed by friend or relative, although three days had passed since her murder.

The revelation from Montana might break the case wide open. At least it would lay bare the truth about a number of confused identities. Rita Wingfield? Valerie West? The Hindu? Who were they in their proper persons?

The drama critic of the Morning Chronicle smoked innumerable cigarettes awaiting the tinkle of his telephone bell.

Chapter 26

It was odd the way things worked out. Traditionally, a murderer always made a mistake—just one. The oversight proved his undoing. The oversight in the case of Rita Wingfield had been the photograph. Too late her murderer had remembered it and recognized its importance. A little thing—the name of a small town in a distant state, recorded in blind stamp on the corner of a woman's portrait. To the police it had meant nothing. Even to himself, reflected Riley Blackwood without approval, it had meant nothing until it had been stolen.

And the night club had been the center of the conspiracy. It was not certain that Percy had been there. It had been, indeed, his last appearance, save for that fleeting glimpse of him at three o'clock—when his words, strangely, had been words of self-accusation.

A puzzling circumstance. Percy Jones had known that he was going to be accused. If only that incident, too, had been part of the prepared play-acting of the evening, its significance would be more readily explainable.

Blackwood sat up suddenly. "Why shouldn't it have been?" he asked aloud.

From first to last, the fantastic alibi had been concocted to point a finger at the announcer. Why should his last reported words be part and parcel of the same devilish ingenuity? The meeting with Pentress had been adventuresome, to be sure; but if Percy had been forced to utter the words he did—Pentress had said that Percy was alone in the cab, save for the taxi driver. But was it certain? The hour was late; the light could have been none too good. Pentress had not looked inside the cab—Percy had spoken to him leaning from the window. He had yelled at the lawyer first, to attract his attention, and then—when Pentress had walked over to the cab—had thrust his head out and delivered his curious message.

But if Percy Jones, after his first shout of recognition, had felt the muzzle of a revolver against his ribs; and then had been instructed to say—by some one crouching low in the shadows of the unlighted cab—

Yes, it was certainly possible. Pentress had thought that Percy was being facetious. Actually, the poor devil—in process of being abducted—was probably a bit hysterical. Pentress had simply misread the circumstances. Percy had had a secret companion in the cab.

It was a neat idea, and it accounted for an incident that otherwise was troublesome. But it did more than that; it reflected Riley Blackwood: it offered yet another possible clue to the identity of the mysterious Hindu. He only—unless the taxi driver was the criminal—could have been the man inside the cab with Percy; and there was a chance that they had been seen leaving the club together.

The question raised was insistent: Who, conceivably, might have witnessed Percy's departure from the night club?

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by PAULA DICKS

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Mother's Pensions

Under existing circumstances, the law is a useful one and will work against the march towards Communism.—Hon. P. R. du Tremblay.

"This Act is a move toward Communism. The Act will save Montreal much money as it pays \$500,000 a year to Orphanages. But what is to become of all these Institutions when all the orphans disappear."—Hon. Mederic Martin.

That is something to cry about!

Old Age Pensions:

"This law has been in effect only a few months and already refugees are being deserted by their receiving pensions."—Hon. Mederic Martin.

More cause for tears!

Human interest stories abound due to these fundamental social changes replacing traditional Quebec custom. There is a case of two old grandfathers buying a house with the large cheque for back pay since date of applications. Then the \$400 cash income a month looked good to a son of one married to the daughter of the other. The which later in the case of the poor old men, to be sure. Previously, nobody wanted to keep them!

No laughing matter, either.

From The Social Credit Manual, by William Aberhart, B.A. Question 29. Would basic dividends make the women too independent?

Answer: Economic security is the right of every citizen, male or female. Women were never intended to be slaves, but helpmates. There would, no doubt, be more wholesome marriages consummated. They would not need to marry for a meal ticket.

And now Aberhart is in trouble with the Alberta Social Credit followers because he has not introduced the famous basic dividend within the promised eighteen months. H. A. Scrymgeour, President of Ottawa Social Credit League, charges that Aberhart has been involved in a plot of bankers and politicians to prevent the application of true Social Credit. Revolts have been staged in the Legislature and there is a general rumour predicted. And then—

The jolly buccaneers—pardon—come along and announce that Alberta's affairs have been so well managed that they won't require financial assistance from the Dominion Government, or words to that effect, with a lot of e-r-r and a-h-a's and pious hand-raising about the horrible atrocities practiced in slashing interest in order to bring about the situation.

"Alberta does not require temporary financial assistance from Dominion. We find that Alberta can maintain government services on as favorable a basis as Manitoba or Saskatchewan without additional assistance."—Graham Towers, Governor of the Bank of Canada.

Something, now, for the Federal government to cry about!

On Debt and Interest

Usury is the turn of the screw of necessity. The West had its share of both, debt fairly incurred in what seemed an open market; and usury all the more hateful in that it hid behind companies, agents and lawyers; not Shylock but the Vatican Benevolent Association. Show me a rich man who draws his money

from the second mortgage of the poor and I'll show you a first-class skunk.—Stephen Leacock.

On Telephones

Two hundred and fifty conversations may be carried over a single telephone cable recently installed between London and Birmingham, England.—Montreal Star.

Advertised rate reductions on rural telephones are welcome, if considerably overdue.

It would be even more interesting to hear when the sensational news inventions for multiple transmission are to be applied for the benefit of rural subscribers.

Under present conditions it is difficult to understand how the anticipated increase in use of telephones can take place. The service has been at saturation point—plus—for years. In fact the rural telephone has become the next thing to a completely useless and obsolete instrument. Its only conceivable use in a modern world is to serve a community of dummies.

Havelock

Miss Lillian Hamill has been confined to the house with an attack of mumps.

Mr. and Mrs. Miles Towns of Franklin have been recent guests of Mr. W. Managh.

Miss Mildred Buchanan of Montreal is staying at her home here at present.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Harkness, of Montreal, who have taken up residence at Huntingdon for the summer were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. Sayers one day the past week. Little Miss Lois Harkness returned home with them.

Miss Shirley Waddell of Howick, who has been on the sick list, spent a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Waddell the past week.

Mrs. H. Sayers spent a few days in the city and attended the exhibition put on by the Miss Spiers dancing class, her granddaughter, little Miss Beverley Mayhew being one of the members of the troupe.

Mr. G. Palmer returned to the city after spending a few days with his son, Mr. Harold Palmer.

Mistress (trying to compose reference for discharged maid): "Really, Jane, I can't think what reason I can give to explain your leaving."

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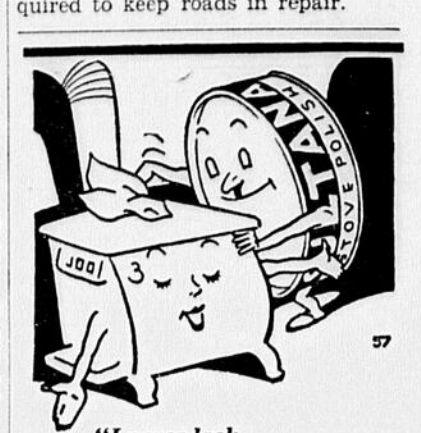
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NEWS from AROUND the WORLD

Seven British officers, two British non commissioned officers and 20 Indians of other ranks in the British forces were killed in ambush in the Waziristan district, India, Friday and Saturday. The troops were trapped by armed followers of the Fakir of Ipi, tribal leader of territory near the Afghanistan border.

The attack staged by anti-British followers of the Fakir was made on a convoy of 45 trucks escorted by several armored cars, 125 soldiers and a scout plane enroute from Manal to Duana. The plane was forced down when struck by rifle bullets.

The government of India issued a proclamation warning hostile tribesmen against further such outrages.

The civil war in Spain dragging out into months now appears as if it is going to last for years. No decisive victories have been registered by either side. The government forces, under General Jose Mija, have held their own with the rebels led by Francisco Franco, even though the latter have been getting help from Germany and Italy. The government troops have been waging a determined offensive for the past few weeks and have regained land lost to the rebels earlier in the campaign.

Great Britain had to "modify in the interests of safety first" its traditional stand that a British ship could go anywhere in the high seas, and ordered six ships bound for Bilbao, Spain, not to enter that port. Bilbao has been blockaded by rebel warships and General Franco warned the British government that British ships entering that port with food supplies would be fired upon.

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1927—Ten Years Ago
This week 50 animals sold in H. T. Cunningham auction sale of Holstein cows.

John McWhinnie, Ormstown, loses barn and contents in fire of unknown origin.

Local farmers demand truth about cause of typhoid epidemic in Montreal.

Andrew Philips, M.L.A., resigns general managership of Mutual Fire Ins. Co. after 40 years service.

1917—Twenty Years Ago
Tips to Car Owners—Drive slowly and save money. Fast driving is hard on tires. It is more pleasurable to drive slower. With regard to lighting focus the right light on the edge of the road and the left one straight ahead on the road. You will thus be able to pass other vehicles easier. By expert.

1907—Thirty Years Ago
R. R. Ness farm, Howick, wins gold medal in provincial farms competition with 96.05 points.

1897—Forty Years Ago
White's Station doing land of office business shipping calves and pigs to market. \$4.75 per 100 lbs. live weight is the price of pork.

Huntingdon installs electric light system. Citizens divided over question of whether village constable should still be maintained, adding the expense of his salary to the increased light bill. Lights to be turned on for the Queen's birthday.

1887—Fifty Years Ago
April 10th. Hemmingford. Record temperature of 95° in sun and 65° in shade recorded. Montreal Gazette starts daily circulation in this area.

Huntingdon Academy directors decide to place institution under control of commissioners. Flood conditions experienced at Dundee, Ormstown and throughout district.

took place here on Monday last. The deceased died in Montreal and was buried here.

Miss T. Caza has returned after spending a few weeks in Montreal. The water has risen a few feet above the normal but no damage has resulted.

Mr. Ernest Ouimet recently bought the land and mill formerly belonging to Mr. Michel Primeau.

Mr. Ludger Dugas is visiting his daughter Marie-Berthe in Montreal. Fire caused some damage at the home of Mr. J. Duncan Rankin on Friday.

Mr. Adelard Dubois recently visited his daughter, Mrs. Gustave Lebrun in Montreal, who is ill at the hospital, where she underwent a serious operation.

There will not be much maple syrup made here this year.

Mrs. Therese Quenneville who has been ill for the past ten days is rapidly recovering. She is under Dr. C. St-Onge's care.

Mr. Edward A. Hussey, revisor of the Old Age Pension was working in Compton County this last week. The maple syrup crop is abundant this year in that part of the province.

Ste. Agnes

Miss Yvette Quenneville of St. Anicet spent a few days last week with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Cyrille Masters and family of Howick spent Sunday with her parents Mr. and Mrs. A. Leblanc.

Miss L. Davidson spent the past week at her home here on account of illness.

Sport - a - Graphs

By A FAN

Wings of the Mourning
New York Rangers took a strong-hold on the Stanley Cup by handing Detroit Red Wings the second beating in their play off series at the latter's rink on Sunday night. Lester Patrick's team needs only one more victory in the 3 out of 5 series to take the cup back home to New York.

Rangers were never given much chance of making any headway in the play off series. First they had to meet Toronto and disposed of them in 2 straight games. Then they met Maroons and handed them the same medicine. When they took Detroit in stride in the first game of the finals it looked like they'd sweep through without a loss but the Wings came back to even the count at 1-1 in the second battle. Now the New Yorkers have crept ahead once more and are on the warpath for the trophy. Mr. Patrick's warriors are determined to have the Wings' scalp and the Stanley Cup.

The Red Wings were originally picked as the team to beat for the Cup and many reasons are picked for their downfall to date. The loss of several of their stars has probably been the main reason for their slump—for Aurie, clever winger, and Smith, their Vezina Trophy winner goal keeper has been of little use in the play offs because of an injured arm.

Apart from these reasons, however, are Kerr, the Rangers. The Wings have been unable to fathom Kerr's goal tending genius so far and until they discover a way to beat him things look bad for Mr. Adam's boys. Then there's the fine team



Here you see Neil Colville, Ranger's sensational grey-haired rookie. Colville's counter game the New Yorkers a 1-0 victory in the second game of the final with Detroit Sunday night. Although he has been playing with a mask to protect his younger 21-year-old brother, he has been a star throughout the series.

Franklin Rural

News reached here of the death of Mr. Frank Arksey, of Churubusco, N.Y., which took place at his home Thursday evening, April 8. The deceased was 78 years old, and was an old resident of Franklin Centre. He had been in poor health for a number of years, and was blind at time of death. Interment took place in Ellensburg. A son, William J., and a daughter, Ethel, are left to mourn his loss.

The sugar makers are busy and the flow of sap good although the season is late.

Obituary

The late Augustus J. Smythe Augustus J. Smythe, 72, of St. Anicet, Que., died in the Montreal General Hospital, Friday, April 2nd, twenty-four hours after he was taken ill with pneumonia.

Funeral services were held at St. Anicet, Monday morning, April 5th, and burial was made there.

Mr. Smythe was on his way to Florida to spend a few weeks and had gotten as far as Montreal when he was suddenly taken ill and went to a hospital.

The deceased was born in St. Anicet, the son of John Smythe. During his lifetime, he spent five years in Denver, Colorado, and 28 years in Springfield, Mass., where he operated a milk route. For the past few years he had lived in St. Anicet. He never married.

Surviving relatives include: three brothers, Thomas and Jos. Smythe of Fort Covington and James of St. Anicet; and four sisters, Mrs. Henry McGarvey of Malone; Mrs. William Cahill of Malone; and the Misses Kate and Sarah Smythe of St. Anicet.

work of the Ranger machine. Patrick has mixed together just the right preparation of rookie speed and enthusiasm with veteran experience and craftiness to turn out a prize winning hockey recipe.

Allan Cup Winners
The star-spangled Sudbury Tigers crew made those sport writers who picked them to win the Allan Cup look like very wise gentlemen, indeed. The nickel county terriers romped through the North Battleford Beavers in 2 straight games but surprised no one by their performance. They were expected to win. The big surprise was the opposition they faced.

These prairie Beavers were no Set-ups and fought them tooth and nail. The Westerners had an Allan Cup team but just into Sudbury in the finals. Sudbury has one of the strongest squads to seek the Cup in years and were a little too good for the prairie puck chasers.

Memorial Cup Race
The Copper Cliff Redmen are also living up to expectations in the battle for the Memorial Cup, emblematic of Junior Hockey supremacy in the Dominion. They have won one and lost one against the Winnipeg Monarchs and are heavy favourites to take the third game.

In the first game they were extremely lucky to win, scoring three goals in the last 2 minutes and 21 seconds to go to tie the score and then winning in the overtime session. The second game they lost in overtime 7-5.

Dundee Council

The council met on Monday, April 5th. Couns. Derocchie and Saumier absent.

The following bills were ordered paid: School taxes on town property, \$23.64; D. M. Rowat, reg. deed on Currie property to G. P. Hooker, \$9; Shawinigan Water & Power, \$3.75; Jas. E. Barrett, Co. Secy, deeds on the Storm and Currie properties, \$27.60; H. B. Gardiner, telephoning and wires, \$4.06.

The deed of sale on the Currie property to G. P. Hooker from the municipality was ratified and a copy of the motion ordered forwarded to D. M. Rowat.

H. B. Gardiner was authorized to sign the transfer papers for Wm. Rocheleau from Hospice St. Croix to Marieville.

The council agreed to rent the front portion of the Town Hall, the Isaac Lapiere for a period of six months at \$3 per month, payable in advance. The secretary was instructed to draw a satisfactory lease.

A committee composed of H. B. Gardiner, W. D. Fraser and Arthur Fraser were appointed to meet the Prov. Transport officials in Montreal in regard to extending their bus line service to Dundee Lines during the summer months of 1937. It was also recommended that the committee present a petition signed by interested parties.

A farm that will comprise approximately 5,000 acres is being cleared in Lambton County, for probably the biggest agricultural project of its kind in Ontario. The transfer is regarded as the biggest farm land transaction in the province in many years. Already fifty men are engaged with tractors clearing and ploughing the land for spring seeding.

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A FACT A DAY ABOUT CANADA

Men on the Land
Considerably more than half (54%) to be exact of Canada's population lives in towns, cities and villages. About 3,290,000 live on farms and of all the provinces there is a larger percentage on the farms of Ontario than of any other. The proportion is 24%. Quebec is next with 23%; Saskatchewan has 17, Alberta 11, Manitoba 7, New Brunswick and Nova Scotia 5, British Columbia 3, and Prince Edward Island only 1 1/2 per cent.

Canadian Heels in London
Canadians are helping to eliminate the noise in London's busy streets. Three million pairs of rubber heels or one pair for every 15 of the population are being sent yearly to Britain from this country. The British seem to favour Canada's footwear for they also import nearly two million pairs of rubber boots and over a million pairs of canvas shoes with rubber soles.

Vanishing Canadians
There are no full blooded Indians in Canada and the Indian population of this country is increasing instead of decreasing. In British Columbia and the northern regions of Alberta and Saskatchewan, some of the Indians are nearly full blood but the "Redmen" are rapidly becoming a race of half-breeds. Their culture with almost the single exception of their language, has become a thing of the past.

Amateur Hiawathas
Pages of Canada's early history are filled with the romance of the fur trade. One hundred years ago our fur exports exceeded that of any other product. Fourteen thousand Canadians, many of whom are Indians, still make their living by trapping. Adventurous youths in rural sections of this country who trap only by season, swell the total to many thousands more. The latter catch chiefly muskrats, but also take a large number of squirrels and weasels. Mink are the next easiest catch for these amateur hunters and the red fox and the prairie wolf (notorious chicken thieves) are also easy marks for the present day Hiawathas. According to figures compiled by the Dominion Government.

Canadian Money Abroad
Foreign exchange puzzles most people and changing our own money into foreign currency always gives the Canadian traveller abroad a headache. The unit of currency in Austria is the "schilling" and is worth about 19 cents in our money. The Dutch "guilder" is worth 55 cents. An Italian "lira" would buy one five cent cigar in Canada. A French "franc" is 5 cents while a Swiss "franc" is 23 cents. A "krone" in Denmark is equal to 25 cents, in Norway it is equal to 25 cents and in Sweden it is called "krona" and is worth slightly over 25 cents. The Belgian "belga" is worth 17 cents, the "rupee" of India 37 cents and the "yen" of Japan is valued at 29 cents. The English "pound" is worth 490, the Australian "pound" \$3.92 and the New Zealand one \$3.95. The Egyptian "pound" is worth 100 piastres in Egyptian money, and about \$5.02 in Canada.

Breakfast Foods
Mr. Average Canadian can have as much variety in his breakfast foods as he wants, yet in spite of all the modern cereal products the old-fashioned Rolled Oats still seem to be the favourite. For over 80 million pounds of Rolled Oats are placed on

Canadian breakfast tables every year and only 30 million pounds of prepared breakfast foods. We sell a good deal of both kinds to the United Kingdom.

Infant Death Rates
The death rate of Canadian infants has been decreasing in the past few years, but there are still 35 out of every 1000 babies born who die before they are one month old and as many more before one year. The British Isles, the Scandinavian

countries, Holland, Switzerland, New Zealand, and Australia all have better records than that. New Zealand has the best average, losing only one-half as many babies as we do. Scientific knowledge distributed to mothers has done much to cut down the infantile death rate, but much has yet to be done.

"Mr. Jones, dad wants to borrow your corkscrew."
"All right, sonny. You run along home—I'll bring it over."

Farmers' Telephones Now Cost Less!

On April 1st, rural telephone rates were reduced by 25 cents per month — \$3.00 per year.

This will mean a saving to the farmers of Ontario and Quebec of over \$100,000 a year.

Other reductions are—

Hand (cradle) telephones — reduced from 30 cents to 15 cents per month over Desk type (effective with May bills).

Installation charge — Business telephones reduced from \$2.25 to \$2.00.

Service connection — (where instrument is in place) on Business telephones, reduced from \$1.15 to \$1.00; inside move charges reduced from \$2.00 to \$1.00 (effective April 1st).

Short haul Long Distance Calls — 20-cent person-to-person calls reduced to 15 cents. The extra cost for reversing charges on calls to nearby places is cancelled (effective April 1st).

Deaf Sets — The special type of equipment available for the hard-of-hearing is reduced from \$2.50 to \$1.50 per month.

Now is the time to order your telephone. Our local representative will be glad to explain the benefits of a telephone on the farm. It will save you far more than its cost, especially at the reduced rate.



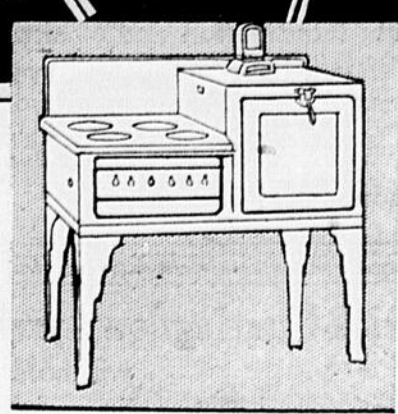
ARE YOU MOVING THIS YEAR

LET US SHOW YOU THE MANY ADVANTAGES OF an Electric Range

If you are moving this year why not discard your old stove, install a modern electric range in your new home... and enjoy the wonderful advantages of electric cooking?

The modern electric ranges are so fast that water boils in seven minutes... are economical to operate... give perfect results, and add greatly to the appearance of any kitchen. With time-clock control the housewife has much more leisure, since the oven starts and stops itself automatically. This permits a complete meal to be cooking while she is out, and ready for her return.

Our local district office will gladly give you complete information regarding electric cooking... consult us now while there is still time to have everything in order by May 1st.



The new electric ranges have won the applause of housewives everywhere... see them at our nearest showroom, or at any dealer.

THE SHAWINIGAN WATER & POWER CO.

For Sale

For sale or lease Colonial Inn, Malone, N.Y. Equipped to seat 250, private dining room, living quarters with 3 sleeping rooms, tavern in basement with bar. Sunken dance floor 24 x 55 feet, 20 foot bar in connection. Parking space for 150 cars. Nine hole golf course in excellent condition. For full particulars write Eli Robideau, Malone, New York.

In Ormstown, three good houses with gardens and outbuildings. Property of the late Mrs. Mary Reeves. Apply W. A. Reeves, 52 Dundurn St. S., Hamilton, Ont.

Complete series "Nations of the World" in 60 volumes, by Julian Hawthorne. Linen-bound. Will sell cheap for the use of any remarks I might make in casual conversation and I hold myself free to think anything I wish about anybody or any event at any hour of the day or night.

Farm situated in New Erin, Huntingdon Co., 100 acres and good buildings. Apply to Mrs. Elzear Leduc, 5519 9th Ave., Rosemount, Que.

Four year old brood mare to colt in May, weighing about 1300 lbs. Apply Frank Fournier, St. Anicet.

Dr. McGeay's Leg Itch Remedy—One application stops itching. Heavily rubbed on. Sample copy can be seen in Gleaner Office.

Fanned oats, Newmarket and Victory, also self-gilling Beauty windmill, complete with 40 ft. tower. A. L. Elliott, Phone 605-6, Ormstown.

Twelve young plus five weeks old, also one Ayshire cow to freshen shortly. Donald Hamilton, Athelstan.

Two grade Holstein cows, 5 and 3 years, soon to freshen. Geo. Moore, Dewittville, ring 17-5.

Eight room brick house, garage and large garden situated on Depot Street. W. R. Greer, Ormstown, Box 115.

Harness of all kinds. Owing to the increased cost of leather, there will be an advance in prices by May 1st. Wm. R. Wilson, Tel. 617 r. 2.

Two general purpose horses, aged 7 and 8, height 16 hands. Apply J. R. Meikle, Ormstown, Ph. 18.

Two good incubators. Miss Ruth R. Moe, Franklin Centre.

Bee hives, hay and milk wagon. Henri Boucher, R. R. 3, Huntingdon.

Large house and outbuildings, few acres of land. Montreal-Malone highway, short distance from Canadian Customs. Trout River, hot and cold water, electricity, furnace. Sell reasonable. Apply Mrs. Albert Gilmore, Glenelg, Que.

Parrot, Mexican yellow head with cage. Phone No. 1, Huntingdon.

1 Jersey bull, 11 mos. old, also Jersey bull calves. Herd registered and accredited. Estate Geo. W. Fraser, Phone 644 4-2, Dundee.

1937 STUDEBAKER and WILLYS CARS

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FERTILIZER FOR SALE

We have several cars C-I-L Fertilizer due to arrive between the 15th and 20th of April at Athelstan, Huntingdon and White's Stations.

If you have not placed your order we would be pleased to add same to any of these cars.

James W. Ross

Phone 633 1-3, Athelstan, Que.

Howick-Huntingdon Ayrshire Breeders' Club

Barn Demonstration

The postponed meeting on
SATURDAY, APRIL 17th
AT SPRINGBURN FARM, HUNTINGDON, QUE.
Home of G. A. McMillan

This meeting will start at 1.00 p.m. \$10 cash will be given in prizes, for girls' and boys' judging classes. A demonstration talk is being arranged. Everybody welcome.

J. M. Wallace, President A. H. Taylor, Sec'y-Treas.

For Sale

Good work horse, 10 years old. Urie Desrosiers, (Baker), Athelstan.

Chevrolet 1928 coach in first class running order or would trade for work mare. N. Duncan Rankin, Tel. 655 1-5, St. Anicet.

A piano in perfect condition. Apply to Miss Hazel Thompson, Howick, P.Q.

1 registered yearling Holstein bull, (accredited). Also seed grain, oats and barley mixed, also buckwheat. D. G. MacFarlane, Phone 619 3-2, Dundee.

Two disc drills, eleven disc. Chas. E. Boyce, Phone 160-1, Huntingdon.

Collie pups two and a half months old. Wesley Thompson, St. Agnes de Dundee.

Two work horses. Chas. McConville, Phone 69, Huntingdon.

Two good mares rising seven and ten. Apply Herbert Evans, Tatehurst.

Two grade and five purebred Holstein cows due to freshen shortly. Also one purebred Holstein bull two years old. Nelson Hooker, Ormstown.

11 young pigs, 4 weeks old. Willard Anderson, Phone 601-6.

1 extra good driving mare. J. A. Dawson, Huntingdon.

Wanted

Young man desires board and room in private home in Huntingdon. Drawer D., Huntingdon, Que.

Buying Spring Muskies, also Beef and Calf Hides. Paying highest prices. H. Zabitsky, Huntingdon.

Experienced maid, 20 years or more. Must be able to cook. Mrs. O. E. Caza, Valleyfield, Que.

Lady living alone, would like another lady for company. Free room with kitchen privileges to congenial person. Huntingdon. P. O. Box 446.

Pasturers, about 30 head of cattle for season, at owner's risk. Fred J. Donnelly, Phone 604 2-1.

Second hand bicycle in good condition. James McCallum, Wellington St.

An experienced farm hand. Apply John Christensen, Ormstown, Que.

Party with tractor and implements to seed 75 acres. Write immediately to Box 13,000 Gleaner Office.

Cattle to pasture. Apply John Moriarty, Huntingdon, Que.

Lady would take maternity case in her own home. Correspondence confidential. Mrs. Mac, 5456 Esplanade, Do. 3972, Montreal.

Young Protestant, single man for general farm work. Must be good teamster and good milker. State references. Apply box 7666, Huntingdon Gleaner.

Hatching hens, a few every week. John Fitzsimonds, Phone 601 r 2-3, Huntingdon.

Reliable man for farm work, good wages. Apply Geo. Cookman, Lacolle, Que.

A man for general farm work. J. C. McMaster, Phone 649 r. 3.

Diesel trains, trucks, ships, automobiles, tractors, power plants offer lucrative opportunities to men of mechanical ability who can qualify for this new industry. Our home-shop training method has enabled many to get into the field. Investigate it. Hemphill Diesel Schools, Box 10,000 Gleaner Office, William Foster, Bonded Registrar.

Farm for Sale or Rent

100 acre farm in good state of cultivation, house and buildings in excellent state of repair. Located on Gore road, Huntingdon, property late Wm. F. Henderson. Occupancy May 1st. Write J. S. Henderson, Chateaugay, N.Y., or W. C. Henderson, Lacolle, P.Q.

Eight miles south of Huntingdon, two miles east of Powerscourt, farm of John Steele, consisting of 120 acres, 75 under cultivation without live stock. Brook running through pasture. Good house with hot air furnace in basement. Well water in house and barns. Apply A. H. Taylor, Athelstan.

Bees For Sale

100 swarms of Italian in lots to suit buyer. This Apriary has been found free from disease by Inspectors for years. Prices right. Must be sold.

David McCoy,

Huntingdon, Que.

Notice

Aubrey Creek Creamery,
DUNDEE, QUE.

is now open for business. Those wishing to have milk drawn to the Creamery kindly communicate with Mr. Lyle Watterson, Phone 605 3-2.

George Sutton,
Proprietor

TO WHOM THIS MAY CONCERN

I wish to contradict a false rumour concerning my driver, 2 buggies and a horse. The person who circulated this story made statements which are entirely untrue.

Lawrence Brown,
Huntingdon.

Sales by T. J. Graham
At the residence of
Mrs. Jas. Carmichael,
Upper Tallochgrum Road,
TUESDAY, APRIL 20th,
at 1.00 p.m.

8 tons of pressed straw, one farrow cow, 1 heifer to freshen, 2 buggies (one rubber tired), 1 milk wagon, 1 cutter, 2 sets single harness, 1 wheelbarrow, 1 extension ladder, 2 horse collars, 35 year-old Barred Rock hens, 1 barrel churn, 1 small crock churn, 2 five gallon cream cans, 2 emergency cans, 1 washing machine, 1 wringer, 3 egg crates, 1 long stool, 1 sheep skin (tanned), 1 buffalo robe, scales, 1 Victor gramophone and records, 3 rocking chairs, 1 bedroom suite, 1 iron baby crib, 1 sofa and a few other articles.

TERMS OF SALE—Cash.
T. J. GRAHAM, Auctioneer

To be sold by Public Auction at the residence of the late Mrs. James Allen, Howick village.

FRIDAY, APRIL 16th
Two bedroom suites, including springs, mattresses, feather beds and pillows, 1 single bed and mattress, dining-room table, 4 chairs, sideboard, sewing-machine, parlor suite, rocking chairs, small tables, bookcase, sofa, mats, 1 parlor rug, kitchen range, dishes and glassware and many other articles not mentioned. All to be sold without reserve as to settle the estate.

TERMS OF SALE—Cash.
Sale at 1 p.m. sharp.
T. J. GRAHAM, Auctioneer

At the residence of
Aurele Lauzon,
Lower Concession, Ormstown.

SATURDAY, APRIL 17th,
at 12 o'clock.

18 work horses, from three to seven years old, all broke double and single; 10 milk cows; 1 yearling bull; 10 hogs; all farm machinery. Terms of payment will be made known day of sale.

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Sales by F. J. Donnelly

To be sold by public auction at the residence of
C. H. Brown,
First Concession of Egin,
ON FRIDAY, APRIL 23rd,
the following property:

PAUM MACHINERY—New McCormick-Deering hay loader, F & W 6 ft. mower, hay tedder, 2 hay rakes, side delivery rake, Superior disc drill sower, spring tooth and smoothing harrows, plow, cultivator, corn sheller, root cutter, grain binder, 2 double wagons, bob and springs, double sleighs, single sleighs, milk sleigh, light double harness (new), 2 sets of double and single harness, collars and hames, bridles, show bridle, cart harness, dump cart, stone boat plank, pig rack, DeLaval cream separator No. 17, milk tank (new), one h.p. Emmer engine, cross-cut saws, heavy hoist outfit, sap buckets and spouts, oil drum feed cooker, crank dipper, 8-gallon milk cans, pails, strainers, cream cans, etc. forks, chains, shovels, cutter, new rubber tires, 2 sets of double and single harness, collars and hames, bridles, show bridle, cart harness, dump cart, stone boat plank, pig rack, DeLaval cream separator No. 17, milk tank (new), one h.p. 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