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Picketers block elementary teachers



DAY TWO — The second day of a strike by some 210,000 public service employees in Quebec yesterday brought with it ominous portents of some of the labor trouble in store for Eastern Townships residents. While some picketers continued

to demonstrate peacefully, workers at Youville Hospital ignored government injunctions and two English elementary schools were hit by unforeseen picket lines.

(Record photo: L. Harris)

By LEWIS HARRIS
BURY — Quebec Teachers Corporation picketers yesterday prevented teachers from attending "planning days" in Bury and Cookshire elementary schools. Common front strikers may disrupt more schools today, according to several school officials.

"I'm a little annoyed that my area was the only one picketed today," Robert Fitzsimmons, principal of the two schools, said yesterday. Mr. Fitzsimmons is principal of the Compton area, which includes three schools with an enrolment of 365 pupils and a staff of about 20 teachers.

In Bury, some five or six picketers were on hand at the elementary school before the school opened. "Our teachers confronted the picketers and asked if they could get through," said Mr. Fitzsimmons. The teachers were told they were not allowed to cross picket lines and did not attempt to do so, he said.

The picketers may have originally been picketing the French College d'Allon, "a high school right beside us," he said.

In Cookshire, another small group of striking teachers yesterday afternoon told Cookshire Elementary School teachers to leave the school.

"I was in that school when it happened," Mr. Fitzsimmons continued. "We saw the picketers come into the yard and then through the door. They met me and told me they wanted to talk. I told them I preferred to talk outside."

OTHERS MORE VIOLENT
 "We talked for a while and they asked that our teachers leave the school. They told us they were a peaceful group but with a phone call they could have a more violent group there."

Mr. Fitzsimmons described the picketers as "very determined" but "non-violent." He said he had no prior knowledge that his schools would be picketed and said he didn't know whether picketers would reappear today.

On Tuesday, the Eastern Townships Regional School Board issued a directive to all English elementary and regional high schools informing school officials that planning days would be held yesterday, today and tomorrow instead of next week. The planning days are used by school teachers and administrators to plan and discuss aims and purposes in each individual school.

During planning days, students do not attend schools though teachers are obliged to be in the school. In the Sherbrooke region, about 20 planning days are usually held each school year. Following a Tuesday meeting with local representatives of the QTC, the ETRSB decided to hold three planning days this week rather than next week as originally scheduled.

The QTC is one of three public service unions forming a common front in contract negotiations with the Quebec government.

Because teachers in the ETRSB system including Alexander Galt Regional High School, Richmond Regional High School and 14 elementary schools are not on strike though their French-speaking counterparts are, a QTC union official predicted Tuesday that pickets would be set up by local QTC members in front of AGRHS next week. It could not be determined yesterday whether the teachers picketing the Bury and Cookshire elementary schools did so on their own initiative or on orders from the QTC.

NO OTHER DISRUPTIONS
 None of the other English elementary schools in the Sherbrooke region reported disruptions, and the Eastern Townships Association of Teachers, the local syndical unit which represents the 410 English elementary and regional school teachers, has not taken any action in view of yesterday's disruptions.

"We haven't made any decisions at the present time, and as far as I know teachers will report to school tomorrow," the president of ETAT, Mrs. Marguerite Knapp, said yesterday.

QTC union officials were not available for comment. The complex situation revolves around the fact that teachers in ETAT never requested government conciliation, one of the necessary legal steps prior to taking a strike vote. ETAT members, therefore, have no legal right to strike.

Though French teachers have the right to strike, they are only allowed to picket their own schools, and QTC pickets in front of non-striking ETAT-represented schools are illegal.

Inquiries made yesterday revealed that almost all members of the ETRSB were "out of town for two or three days." The ETRSB ostensibly is the body which will decide what, if anything, will be done should QTC pickets continue to prevent ETAT teachers from entering their schools.

No trouble was reported at Sherbrooke Elementary School yesterday and "we're keeping our fingers crossed," said Alex Champoux, principal of the school.

PLANNING DAY USEFUL
 "We have no idea at this point what is going to happen," he said. "Yesterday's planning day 'was utilized very well'"

with all teachers in attendance, Mr. Champoux added.

Sould pickets appear in front of Sherbrooke Elementary School during a regularly scheduled school day, "there is no way we can take a chance on endangering the welfare of youngsters," Mr. Champoux said, and presumably the school would close.

Mr. Champoux's advice to teachers is "don't get cracked on the skull for the sake of a day's pay." There is a possibility the teachers who did not cross picket lines in Bury and left the school in Cookshire will lose a day's pay despite the fact that they are not on strike.

Teachers at AGRHS "will just have to meet it when it comes" should pickets be set up in front of the school next week, according to Archie Quick. Mr. Quick is a teacher at AGRHS and the high-school vice-president of ETAT. ETAT has two vice-presidents, one representing the high schools, the other of elementary schools.

Mr. Quick said he thought most AGRHS teachers opposed strike action. "In general we are against strike action."

But that's only my opinion. I can't speak for all the teachers," he said.

AGRHS and other ETAT teachers have decided to stay out of the strike "mostly for reasons of professional pride," said Mr. Quick.

DEPENDENT ON NEGOTIATIONS
 "A while ago we had a Provincial Association of Protestant Teachers mandate asking us to request a conciliator. At that time, ETAT voted against it for various reasons. We felt that negotiations had not yet run their normal course, that this wasn't the time to ask for a conciliator. We wanted to be a little bit more responsible," he said.

The main issue for teachers across the province, said Mr. Quick, is job classification. Teachers are now unilaterally reclassified by the government with no recourse or appeal. In some instances, AGRHS teachers have been dropped by as many as three categories, resulting in pay losses of up to \$4,000 per year, he said.

The work situation for ETAT teachers remains uncertain, "and we'll just have to play it by ear," according to one ETRSB official who asked that his name not be used.

City faces strike

SHERBROOKE (LH) — Negotiations between city of Sherbrooke office workers and the city broke down last Friday, with the result that workers probably will go on strike tomorrow, Mayor Marc Bureau told The Record yesterday.

"We made our final offer to the conciliator last week," Mayor Bureau said. The Mayor declined to elaborate on the offer.

About two months ago, city of Sherbrooke office workers requested a government of Quebec conciliator in their talks with the city. According to

the labor code, the workers must take a strike vote 60 days after the appointment of the conciliator.

The vote will be taken tomorrow, and Mayor Bureau predicted the workers would vote to strike. The workers are not associated with the common front of 210,000 public service workers currently striking against the Quebec government.

Asked whether the impending strike would lead to the cancellation of Sherbrooke city council meetings, Mayor Bureau said, "Oh, no. We'll keep on working."

Nixon arrives today

OTTAWA (CP) — From the opening state dinner tonight to the signing of the Great Lakes anti-pollution agreement that ends his visit Saturday, symbolism is the theme of President Nixon's trip to Canada.

In a news briefing Wednesday, Canadian officials said the president and Prime Minister Trudeau will not dwell on details of relations between the two countries, or try specifically to break the deadlock in the current trade dispute.

Instead, they hope a congenial mood set by the leaders will be received as a signal by negotiators in both capitals who have been at loggerheads for months in bilateral trade talks.

One official said it is quite conceivable the leaders might agree on resumption of talks on mutual trade irritants. The negotiations broke off Feb. 9 after months of private sessions.

Mr. Trudeau and Mr. Nixon will spend 2½ hours in discussion Friday morning.

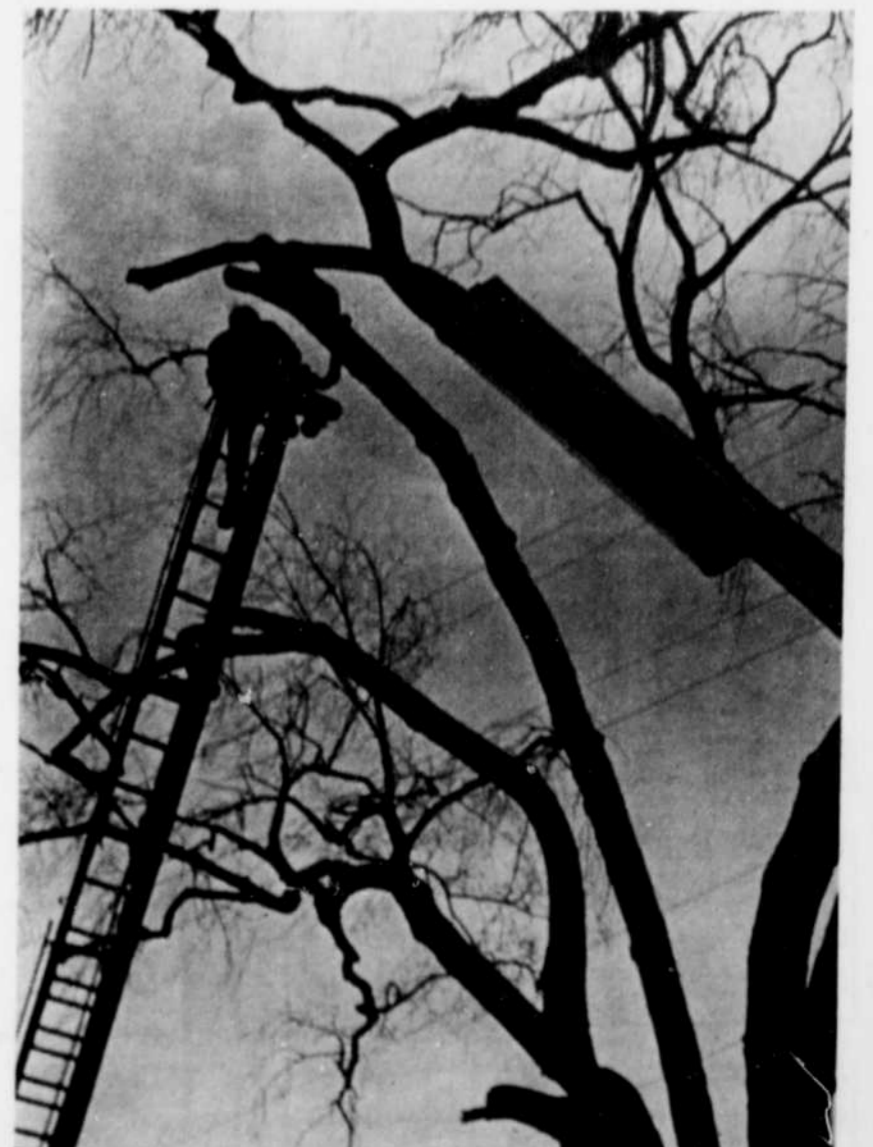
At the same time, External Affairs Minister Mitchell Sharp, Environment Minister Jack Davis and Defence Minister E. J. Benson will meet U.S. State Secretary William Rogers.

The ministerial talks also are expected to stay somewhere between what one Canadian official termed innocuous banalities and the specifics of international problems.

Friday afternoon, Mr. Nixon addresses MPs and senators assembled in the Commons chamber.

That, and a brief statement Saturday before signing the Great Lakes pollution accord, are expected to be the only public events for the president during the visit.

At some point, officials hope Mr. Nixon will give more hard evidence of the "fantastically new statement" that Mr. Trudeau said he got from the president on Canada-U.S. relations during the prime minister's quick visit to Washington in December.



UP, UP AND AWAY — Anyone wishing to get high without some of today's more popular methods need only get a job with the city of Sherbrooke's parks department. This

brave employee doesn't seem to mind trimming this tree on Belvedere Street, even if he is 200 feet high.

(Record photo: L. Harris)

Local workers ignore injunctions

SHERBROOKE (LH) — Unionized workers at the Youville Hospital have ignored government interlocking injunctions ordering them to remain on the job at the hospital and the Quebec government has been notified, the medical director of the hospital, Dr. J. Murray, said yesterday.

The workers, however, say the injunctions are illegal. "First, they give us the right to strike providing we maintain essential services, then they tell us we can't strike," a picketer in front of Youville Hospital who asked that his name not be used said yesterday. "But we're maintaining essential services and as far as we're concerned the injunctions are illegal."

"They started walking off the job at 8 a.m. this morning," Dr. Murray said yesterday. "They started at one end of the hospital and dragged off the unionized employees with them as they went along."

Last month, the Quebec government sought and received Superior Court injunctions, ostensibly to prevent chronic and mental hospital workers from walking off the job. The Youville Hospital is classified as a chronic hospital because it cares for elderly persons.

Workers at the hospital yesterday defied injunctions by leaving only a skeleton staff to tend to the approximately 375 patients in the hospital.

PATIENTS 'COMFORTABLE'
 "In spite of dire predictions, the

patients are quite comfortable," Dr. Murray said. "The situation is far from ideal," he continued, "but what we're wondering now is how the dickens is it that we needed so damn many workers in the first place?"

He admitted the hospital "overestimated" its need in calculating how many workers were necessary in maintaining essential services during the 24-hour walkout staged by workers about two weeks ago.

"So far it's not so bad," Dr. Murray said of the situation last night. Earlier yesterday, hospital officials met briefly with union representatives. "We told them we can't negotiate with you because it's an illegal strike," said Dr. Murray.

"We are not in control of the situation," he added. "We're not calling the shots."

He said the situation "might get back to normal by Saturday," though the hospital could continue to operate in its present condition "indefinitely."

Dr. Murray said he expected the government to take action against workers defying injunctions "in some areas, but probably not here in our case." The penalty for defying injunctions is usually heavy fines, he said, although "fines don't solve the immediate problem of patient care."

GET EXTRA HELP
 A total of 64 of about 400 unionized employees are maintaining services at the hospital over three eight-hour shifts. Extra help is being given by non-unionized employees, said Dr. Murray,

including head nurses, kitchen and laundry staff.

"We're not being inhuman," a picketer in front of the hospital said yesterday. "People can visit patients during visiting hours if they want to. We won't stop them. We aren't stopping doctors or other authorized personnel from entering either."

But Youville strike directors Benoit Mercier and Jean Guy Allard said yesterday they will not allow volunteers to cross picket lines.

"They aren't volunteers, they're scabs," said Mr. Mercier. "We're willing to adjust the number of unionized workers at the hospital should the situation call for it, so you don't really need volunteers," said Mr. Allard.

Another picketer said, "The volunteers they had in during the 24-hour walkout did next to nothing. And they aren't qualified to care for the patients, so the patients could suffer."

Dr. Murray said he might make a plea for volunteers through the news media, despite union objections. "If the plea is strong enough, people might get mad enough to walk right through the picket line," he said. He termed this measure "a last resort."

"I've got my sleeping bag, an air mattress, and a safety razor," Dr. Murray, entering his 24th hour at the hospital, said last night.

"You're doing a story for your newspaper? Put in a good word for us," said one of the picketing hospital employees.

Hospitals face crisis

MONTREAL (CP) — Some Quebec hospitals said Wednesday they faced crisis situations and most schools were closed as a strike by 210,000 provincial public service employees completed its second day.

Meanwhile, Marcel Pepin, president

of the Confederation of National Trade Unions, said the strike would continue "today and the following days" unless there are "new and spectacular" events.

Judge Jacques Trahan, president of the Association of Hospitals of the Province of Quebec, said in a telegram to the provincial government that patients in 14 Quebec hospitals for the chronically and mentally ill will be in a precarious position within the next few hours.

He said there were few workers still on duty in these institutions and in some cases they had worked continuously for more than 40 hours.

But Jean-Paul L'Allier, Quebec public service minister, said the hospital situation is "serious, but not alarming." He said his department is following the situation hourly and although new steps may be necessary to ensure essential services, the situation remains under control.

The strike was called to back wage demands by a common front of the CNTU, the Quebec Federation of Labor and the Quebec Teachers Corp., whose leaders have said it will last indefinitely unless the government begins serious bargaining.

Contract talks halted April 5 at Quebec City when the unions walked out of negotiations following Mr. L'Allier's refusal to join in direct bargaining.

Mr. Pepin said there has been no contact between the two parties since the strike began Tuesday morning.

He said the common front plans to set up a system of home medical service starting this morning. Nurses and other personnel, members of the union composing the common front, will be made available to go to homes to give services.

The strike is at least as big as the 24-hour walkout staged by the common front March 28, which represented the biggest work stoppage in Canadian labor history.

Involved are about 100,000 unionized hospital workers, as well as teachers, school maintenance workers, civil servants, Hydro-Quebec employees, provincial court clerks and Quebec Liquor Board staff.

In some of the province's 215 hospitals, families and friends of patients were sent home, and doctors cooked meals while nurses performed maintenance chores. Only emergency cases are being admitted.

SCHOOLS CLOSE

The effect of the strike on schools spread as 6,500 Protestant teachers joined the walkout Wednesday morning forcing 300 more schools to close.

In Montreal, the number of Catholic schools shut down increased by the hour as roving bands of pickets forced non-striking teachers to leave their posts.

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THE WEATHER

Today becoming cloudy with rain beginning in the late afternoon. Risk of thunderstorms in the southern part of the Eastern Townships tonight. Friday cloudy with showers. High today and Friday 40 to 45. Low tonight near 35.

Today's Chuckle

The difference between kissing your sister and somebody else: about 55 seconds.

GUIDE TO TELEVISION VIEWING

Listings supplied by each station and subject to change without notice.

3—WCAJ Burlington
12—CFCE—Montreal

5—WPTZ Plattsburg
TBA—To Be Announced

6—CBMT—Montreal
8—WMTW—Mount Washington

THURSDAY

- 6:00 p.m.
 - 3, 5, 8) News, Weather
 - 6) Beach for the Top
 - 12) Pulse
- 6:30 p.m.
 - 5) NBC News
 - 6) Hourglass
 - 8) Hogan's Heroes
- 7:00 p.m.
 - 3) CBS News
 - 5) Big Valley
 - 8) Safari to Adventure
 - 12) Me and the Chimp
- 7:30 p.m.
 - 3) Get Smart
 - 6) In the Mood
 - 8) High School Quiz
 - 12) Longstreet
- 8:00 p.m.
 - 6) The sixth game in the Montreal-New York NHL quarter-final eastern series will be telecast on 6 or 12 at 8 p.m.
 - 3) Me and the Chimp
 - 5) Flip Wilson
 - 6) O'Hara, U.S. Treasury
 - 8) Space in the Age of Aquarius
 - 12) My Three Sons
 - 12) Dean Martin

FRIDAY

- 6:55 a.m.
 - 5) Town and Country
- 7:00 a.m.
 - 3) CBS News
 - 5) Today
 - 7:30 a.m.
 - 12) University of the Air
 - 7:45 a.m.
 - 8) News
 - 7:50 a.m.
 - 3) News
 - 8:00 a.m.
 - 3) Captain Kangaroo
 - 8) Farm and Home
 - 12) Lucille Rivers
 - 8:10 a.m.
 - 12) News
 - 8:20 a.m.
 - 6) Standby Six
 - 8:30 a.m.
 - 8) Cartoons
 - 12) Hercules
 - 8:35 a.m.
 - 6) Mr. Dressup
 - 9:00 a.m.
 - 3) David Frost
- 9:00 p.m.
 - 2) Movie: Pendulum
 - 5) Ironside
 - 6) All in the Family
 - 7) Movie: Three Bites of the Apple
 - 9:30 p.m.
 - 6) Program X
 - 12) Here Come the 70s
 - 10:00 p.m.
 - 5) Dean Martin
 - 6) Midweek
 - 8) Owen Marshall
 - 12) Counsellor at Law
 - 11:00 p.m.
 - 12) Bold Ones
 - 11:05 p.m.
 - 5, 6, 8, 12) News, Weather, Sports
 - 11:15 p.m.
 - 12) Pulse
 - 11:20 p.m.
 - 6) Viewpoint — News Analysis
 - 11:30 p.m.
 - 5) Johnny Carson
 - 6) News and Sports
 - 8) Dick Cavett
 - 11:45 p.m.
 - 6) Movie: The White Spider
 - 12:00 p.m.
 - 12) Movie: The Far-Out West
- 9:30 p.m.
 - 5) Hollywood Squares
 - 3) That Girl
 - 12) McGowan & Co.
 - 12:00 p.m.
 - 3) Where the Heart Is
 - 5) Jeopardy
 - 6) I Dream of Jeannie
 - 12) Funky Phantom
 - 12:25 p.m.
 - 3) CBS News
 - 12:30 p.m.
 - 3) Search for Tomorrow
 - 5) Who, What or Where
 - 6) Luncheon Dale
 - 8) Split Second
 - 12) Movie: Banning
 - 12:55 p.m.
 - 5) NBC News
 - 1:00 p.m.
 - 3) Across the Fence
 - 5) Divorce Court
 - 6) News, Weather
 - 8) All My Children
 - 1:15 p.m.
 - 3) Lucille Rivers
 - 6) Standby Noon
 - 1:30 p.m.
 - 3) As the World Turns
 - 5) Three on a Match
 - 6) Family Court
 - 8) Let's Make a Deal
 - 2:00 p.m.
 - 3) Love is a Many Splendored Thing
 - 5) Days of Our Lives
 - 6) Galloping Gourmet
 - 8) Newlywed Game
 - 2:30 p.m.
 - 3) Guiding Light
 - 6) Sea Hunt
 - 8) Dating Game
 - 12) Man Trap
 - 3:00 p.m.
 - 3) Another World
 - 6) Take 30
 - 8) General Hospital
 - 3:30 p.m.
 - 3) Edge of Night
 - 5) Return to Peyton Place
 - 8) One Life to Live
 - 12) Anything You Can Do
 - 4:00 p.m.
 - 3) Gomer Pyle USMC
 - 5) Psychiatrist
 - 12) Dick Van Dyke
 - 4:30 p.m.
 - 3) Wild, Wild West
 - 5) Virginian
 - 6) Drop In
 - 8) McHale's Navy
 - 12) Lassie
 - 5:00 p.m.
 - 6) Gilligan's Island
 - 12) Truth or Consequences
 - 5:30 p.m.
 - 3) Hogan's Heroes
 - 6) Get Smart
 - 8) News, Weather, Sports
 - 12) Beat the Clock
 - 6:00 p.m.
 - 3, 5, 8) News, Weather, Sports
 - 6) Tween Set
 - 12) Pulse
 - 6:30 p.m.
 - 5) NBC News
 - 6) Hourglass
 - 8) Hogan's Heroes
 - 7:00 p.m.
 - 3) CBS News
 - 5) Big Valley
 - 8) Star Trek
 - 12) Story Theatre
 - 7:30 p.m.
 - 3) Circus
 - 8:00 p.m.
 - 6) Dick Van Dyke
 - 12) Don Rickles
 - 8:00 p.m.
 - 3) O'Hara U.S. Treasury
 - 5) Sanford and Son
 - 6) Laugh-In
 - 8) Brady Bunch
 - 12) Movie: Secret Ceremony
 - 8:30 p.m.
 - 5) Movie: Hour of the Gun
 - 8) Partridge Family
 - 9:00 p.m.
 - 3) Movie: Back Street
 - 6) Edith Piaf
 - 8) I Regret Nothing
 - Room 222
 - 9:30 p.m.
 - 8) Odd Couple
 - 10:00 p.m.
 - 6) Main Chance
 - 8) Love American Style
 - 12) FBI
 - 10:30 p.m.
 - 5) Dragnet
 - 11:00 p.m.
 - 3, 5, 6, 8, 12) News, Weather, Sports
 - 11:15 p.m.
 - 12) Pulse
 - 11:20 p.m.
 - 6) Viewpoint
 - 11:30 p.m.
 - 3) Movie: Tribute to a Kid
 - 11:45 p.m.
 - 5) Johnny Carson
 - 6) News, Sports
 - 8) Dick Cavett
 - 11:45 p.m.
 - 6) Movie: Phaedra
 - 12:00 p.m.
 - 12) Movie: The Young Mr. Pitt

Jacoby's bridge

NORTH		18	
▲ A 6 4 2			
▼ A Q J 5			
♦ J 6			
♣ 9 7 4			
WEST			
▲ J 9 7 3			
▼ 9 4			
♦ 10 9 8 5			
♣ A 8 3			
EAST			
▲ Q 8			
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♦ Q 7 4 3 2			
♣ Q J 10 5			
SOUTH (D)			
▲ K 10 5			
▼ K 10 8 6 2			
♦ A K			
♣ K 6 2			
North-South vulnerable			
West	North	East	South
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	4 ♣	Pass	Pass
Pass		Pass	
Opening lead—♦ 10			

The requirements for an opening no-trump are 16-18 high card points, stoppers in at least three suits and no-trump in shape. This last means that your distribution must be 4-3-3-3, 4-4-3-2 or 5-3-3-2. When a hand meets all these requirements we open one no-trump even though we have a five-card major suit.

It makes no difference in the final contract this time. North uses a Stayman two clubs to see if South has a four or five-card major suit and raises to four hearts after South's heart rebid.

Strangely enough, no-trump is a better contract since there are nine top tricks, but four hearts will

make provided South plays carefully.

He sees an almost sure spade loser and three possible club losers. He should play to keep East out of the lead while trying to set up dummy's fourth spade.

He draws trumps with two leads, stopping in dummy; leads a low spade and plays his 10. West wins and leads a second diamond. Now South cashes his king of spades; leads a spade to dummy's ace and notes that East shows out.

There is no need to worry about bad luck at this stage of the proceedings. Luck has not really been bad. All South has to do is to lead dummy's last spade and discard one of his own clubs. West will take that trick and will have to lead a diamond to give South a ruff and discard or play a club to South's king. South's 10 tricks are home.

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ASTRO-GUIDE By Ceean

Friday, April 14
The Day Under Your Sign

ARIES [Born March 21 to April 19]: You're very much attracted to new romance, but don't get your signals crossed with old admirer!

TAURUS [April 20 to May 20]: You may start associating with a new set of friends during this period and gain a new outlook.

GEMINI [May 21 to June 21]: A secret admirer may now show you just how interested he or she really is. Be alert.

CANCER [June 22 to July 21]: Try not to let unjustified criticism discourage you. You'll receive an apology in due time.

LEO [July 22 to Aug. 21]: If you're worried about an emotional relationship that seems to be cooling off, try not to show it.

VIRGO [Aug. 22 to Sept. 21]: Excellent time to further develop any talents along creative lines — art, music, drama, etc.

LIBRA [Sept. 22 to Oct. 21]: An adventurous period which may mark drastic changes which separate you from conditions of the past.

SCORPIO [Oct. 22 to Nov. 21]: You're happy to find that your fear of being at a stalemate in recent weeks was entirely groundless.

SAGITTARIUS [Nov. 22 Dec. 21]: Avoid those who cause friction and enjoy creating antagonism between friends just for excitement's sake.

CAPRICORN [Dec. 22 to Jan. 20]: A good opportunity period for you along job lines, particularly if you are contemplating making a change.

AQUARIUS [Jan. 21 to Feb. 19]: Emphasis shifts to your personal life, especially to a romantic involvement, present or future.

PISCES [Feb. 20 to Mar. 21]: Good time to entertain in the home. Pisceans are excellent hosts, making everyone feel relaxed and at ease.

Crossword

Dogs

ACROSS

- 1 Fictional dog
- 5 Snub-nosed dog
- 8 Great — implement
- 12 Prevaricator
- 13 Route (ab.)
- 14 Natural minerals
- 15 Upper limits
- 16 Snake-like fish
- 17 Main point
- 18 Nephew (Scott.)
- 20 Condition
- 21 Convent worker
- 22 Aunt (Sp.)
- 23 American poet and dramatist
- 26 Cur
- 30 Roman poet
- 31 Vocal music
- 32 Man's name
- 33 Permit
- 34 Call aboard ship
- 35 Too
- 36 Person who

DOWN

- 1 Hunting dog
- 2 Forefather
- 3 Pound down
- 4 Maliciously set fire
- 5 Dress feathers
- 6 Utah Indian
- 7 Jellylike substance
- 8 Military dog's name
- 9 Operatic solo
- 10 Bird's home
- 11 Italian city
- 19 Exclamation
- 20 Warble (pl.)
- 21 Boy's nickname
- 23 Flash of lightning
- 24 Always
- 25 Girl's name
- 26 Bog name
- 27 Small stream
- 28 Gaelic
- 29 Indochina state
- 31 Common dog's name
- 34 Presently
- 35 Danish port
- 37 Likenesses
- 38 Small loop
- 40 Document
- 41 Greek letter (pl.)
- 42 Wagnerian heroine
- 43 Summon
- 45 Sign
- 46 Feminine name
- 47 Pack away
- 49 Building site
- 50 Adjective suffix

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SIGN OF THE TIMES — Not even the Parti Quebecois' new currency as revealed in its latest manifesto can pay the rent at local party headquarters at 914 Belvedere Street

in Sherbrooke. The Parti Quebecois in Sherbrooke may be "vendu" before long, it would appear.

(Record photo: L. Harris)

Stanstead College

Spring term starts

Staff and students have returned to Stanstead College for the last term of the year.

During the Easter recess the examination results were sent to students and their parents. The date of June 3 has been set for the Baccalaureate and prize giving to mark the end of the school year.

But, in the meantime there is a lot to be covered, including preparation for the spring track and field meets, the spring play by the drama club, completion of Spectrum, the school yearbook, and many other important events. Applications to universities by the graduating class is another important factor.

Then, for the staff, the Summer Hockey School looms large. Applications are coming in well for this, but it is anticipated more will be forthcoming. Several day students from local areas are also enrolling for the course.

Headmaster Thomas Russell, Mrs. Russell and family were in England for the Easter holidays. While there, Mr. Russell travelled in the United Kingdom, to Austria and to Denmark, where he visited education authorities and schools with the idea of fostering interest in a student exchange program. The plan seems most promising, although more details must be worked out.

It was a pleasant surprise on April 10 to receive a letter and four gold medals from the Canadian Ski Association. In the winter the ski teams entered the ski marathon from Montreal to Ottawa. In Ottawa they were presented gold and silver medals for their winnings. Then along came these other four gold medals for Best School Team and Best Junior Team. The medals were presented the evening of April 10, at an athletic assembly, to Malcolm Sutton, Robert Campbell, David Kye and Kim Eveleigh. Congratulations, boys.

The school was thrilled on Monday evening to have the honor of Gerry Patterson and Jerry Petrie as guests at the athletic assembly. The guests were welcomed by Mike Allard, president of the athletic committee. The guests were given a tour of the school and later were honored at a reception in LeBaron Hall and at a banquet in the dining room.

Milan

M. MacLeod
657-4944

Mr. Duncan McLeod received word of the death of his aunt Mrs. Angus (Ida) Morrison in Elkton, Man., on March 25. Sympathy is extended to her sister Mrs. Agnes Welch and other relatives.

Mr. Henry Moulard has returned home from Toronto, Guelph and other points in Ontario where he visited relatives and friends.

Miss Mary MacLeod spent a recent weekend at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Mayhew in Lennoxville and also visited other friends and relatives in that vicinity. Mr. Leslie MacLeod was also a caller at the Mayhew home.

Mr. Roderick McLeod, Asbestos, spent Easter at his home here.

Easter visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. David Nicholson were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Rankin, Montreal, and Mr. and Mrs. Dale Farrell, Sherbrooke. Mr. and Mrs. Rankin were accompanied

back to Montreal by Mrs. Nicholson who will spend a few days with them. Mr. Bobby Moulard, and friend, and Miss Judy Moulard were weekend visitors of Mr. Henry Moulard, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Moulard and family and Mrs. C. MacArthur.

Misses Alexandrine Poulin and Jeanne Poulin spent Eastertide with the Poulin family here.

Friends were sorry to hear of the death of Rev. R.D. Bhe in Almonte, Ont. and extended

sympathy to Mrs. Bhe and Robert and Nancy Bhe.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Morrison and family, Pierrefonds, are spending a week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Macdonald.

Miss Frances Macdonald, Sherbrooke was a weekend guest of Mr. Leslie and Miss Mary MacLeod.

Mr. Danny Waldron spent Easter in Montreal with Mr. and Mrs. Ben Waldron and Mr. Tommy Waldron.

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Papermaking breakthrough set for area

BROMPTONVILLE — Canada's latest contribution to international papermaking technology will shortly undergo its initial commercial application.

Kruger Pulp and Paper Ltd. is the first newsprint maker in the world to introduce the "papriformer," a new twin-wire former designed to replace the

fourdrinier section traditionally used for the production of most grades of paper. The new unit is being installed in a high-speed newsprint machine now undergoing rebuilding at Kruger's mill in Bromptonville.

The concept of the papriformer unit was developed by the Pulp and Paper Research Institute of Canada, while the design and construction of the first commercial unit was carried out by Dominion Engineering Works.

To meet the higher capacity and speed of the papriformer unit, Dominion is supplying, in addition to it, a new combination pick-up press section, a new fully-enclosed small gear drive for the existing dryer section, a new reel and a new winder.

The rebuilding program is being carried out on the existing machine originally supplied by Dominion in 1953 and will increase its productive capacity by approximately 50 per cent and allow it to turn out better qualities of standard and offset news. The machine is expected to be in production in early May following a shutdown period of only four weeks.

Financial assistance for the development aspects of this project was provided by the federal department of industry, trade and commerce under its Program for the Advancement of Industrial Technology.

Issues call to hire young

SHERBROOKE (LH) — The need for businessmen to hire students "is more vital than ever," the president of the Canadian Chamber of Commerce told a large gathering of the Sherbrooke Chamber of Commerce at Le Baron Motel last night.

Citing figures, Neil V. German noted that in 1969 the number of students seeking employment represented roughly five per cent of the total national labor force. But the 1969 statistic "is no longer relevant because the student summer job seekers now represent 10 per cent or more of the Canadians on the labor force," he said.

Mr. German, 56, is touring Quebec this week, addressing Chambers of Commerce across the province.

Last night he noted "with pride" the fact that Chambers of Commerce across Canada slightly surpassed a five per cent



NEIL V. GERMAN

guideline established in 1969 in the hiring of students. He called on members of his organization to keep pace with the new need to hire 10 per cent of employees from the student labor force.

The native of Hanna, Alta., now residing in Calgary, said that perhaps some government assistance should be extended to "industries experiencing difficulties, particularly the pulp and paper industry, and consideration should be given to providing some assistance toward meeting the cost of pollution control equipment and assisting in their modernization."

He said, "The overriding challenge in 1972 will be to bring about a significant reduction in unemployment without producing excessive inflationary pressures."

"The preferable way to achieve this objective," he said,

Red Cross show tops

ROCK ISLAND (IH) — For two weeks there was an excellent display of Canadian Red Cross services in the large Quebec Hydro building in Rock Island. There's no doubt but what it created a great deal of interest, for seldom were there times when someone was not looking at it, and this included several youths.

There was a large array of knitted and sewed garments made by the local women's group as well as wheelchairs, walkers, hospital beds and other items for sick-bed care that are loaned here in the communities. It showed the blood donor clinic and many other aspects of Red Cross services.

The window was arranged by the local president, Dr. J.S. McCannel, and Mrs. McCannel.

The first week of April the following shipment of 528 pieces of finished work was sent to Montreal headquarters: 85 pant dresses; 70 shirts; 40 baby nighties; 29 pairs of hand-knit wool socks; 24 diapers; 40 baby vests; 21 long-sleeved hand-knit sweaters; 16 sleeveless sweaters; six hand-knit wool afghans; and 23 quilts.

The women's group is now meeting each week at the home of Mrs. Howard Cass in Beebe for sewing and fellowship.

Under the general chairmanship of Mrs. Jean Beasse of Stanstead, the

Church changes due

SHERBROOKE (LH) — Priests in Sherbrooke Parish passed two resolutions at a recent meeting.

As of April 1, the doors of the church cemetery will close at 5 p.m. on week days and at noon on Saturdays. Because of the new hours, funeral services cannot be held later than 4 p.m. on week days or 11 a.m. on Saturdays, a spokesman for the priests pointed out.

In the second resolution, the priests voted that funerals would no longer be held on Sundays. Among the reasons cited were the rising costs of workers' services on Sundays.

The resolutions have been approved by the Sherbrooke Archdiocese.

Enjoy festive day

DANVILLE (MF) — Gay Easter decorations gave a festive appearance to the Danville Curling Club on the Saturday prior to Easter as the Business Girls held a most successful Invitation Bouspiel.

Greeted by the Club president, Mrs. James Pye, the guests were presented with "chicken" name tags, while the hostesses all wore "bunny" ones. These were numbered for the many door prizes which were presented later in the day.

At noon all enjoyed a buffet luncheon served by the Danville members and then continued curling until late afternoon when a sherry party was enjoyed.

At that time the chairman of the match committee, Mrs. Leonce Pelletier, presented the prizes to the winning rink from the Asbestos Golf and Country Club. Skipped by M. Currie, M. Lapalme played third, H. Gardner second and M. Horan lead. Windsor's rink comprising E. Jondreville, skip; W. Moreland, third; K. MacIntosh,

second; and M. Paige, lead, received the consolation prize.

Door prizes were won by Gloria MacDonald, Dot MacDonald, Minnie Currie, Kathy Duffy, Pam Piironen, Marjorie Barlow, Leila Heath, Mona Taylor, Margaret Horan and Rhea Spencer.

All did ample justice to the turkey dinner served in the dining-room, where an arrangement of spring flowers added a festive touch to the table. Later the lucky ticket for the centrepiece was drawn, with Marge Bell being the fortunate one.

Mrs. Pye expressed her thanks to those who had participated in the bouspiel and to the club members who had worked so hard to make it such a success.

Society calls

COWANSVILLE — A contribution to the campaign of the Canadian Cancer Society is an investment in the future health of all Canadians, the Cowansville section of the

Society reminds everybody.

When a canvasser calls, residents are asked to be generous. There will be no direct solicitation of employees in industries.

Island Brook

Maple Westgate.

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Kerr accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Kerr and daughter of Bury attended the Wilkerson-Bailey wedding at Lyndonville, Vt. Several around here will remember Mr. Wilkerson as he spent several summers with his parents at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Kerr. Mr. and Mrs. Kerr's son Douglas and his wife of Oshawa spent a two weeks' holiday in Spain and Portugal, and reported an enjoyable time.

Refreshments were served which brought the evening to a close.

SOCIAL NOTES

Miss Pamela Westgate of Montreal drove her brother and sisters of Kingston, Ontario to their grandparents for a week's holiday while Mr. and Mrs. Mailin Westgate had a holiday in the south Bahamas. Upon their return they spent a weekend with their parents Mr. and Mrs.

Firm accepts offer

OTTAWA — The minister of regional economic expansion recently announced that an Eastern Townships firm has accepted a development incentive offer from the department.

Jean Marchand said Megantic Manufacturing Co. of Lake Megantic has accepted an offer of approximately \$45,000 for expansion of its clothes pin factory. The project is expected to create an estimated 40 additional jobs at the plant.

The incentive is based on a rate of 20 per cent of the approved capital costs, estimated at \$225,000.

Grant road contract

COOKSHIRE (LH) — A contract of \$273,607.99 has been granted to the Eastern Townships Construction Society for road works in the township of Ascot, and in the town of Cookshire, government officials here announced.

The contract calls for gravel and road resurfacing work over 2.42 miles on route 28, a government spokesman said.

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Tobacco

Since evidence of the harmful effects of cigarette smoking is overwhelming, should it be legal to manufacture and sell them? Many people think not.

But pause a moment. When liquor was banned in the early 1920s, bootleggers grew rich on the increased consumption.

The same thing would happen today if cigarettes were prohibited. Illegal manufacturers would simply go underground and get wealthy while the death rate from smoking would rise like a sales graph.

Society cannot prohibit a person from taking his own life — suicide was recently taken out of the Criminal Code — and we have seen what prohibition does. So, in the case of cigarettes, it seems that people will continue to follow the path of disaster.

However, we can protect our children from this evil. Better policing of the law regarding the sale of tobacco to minors is needed. This might mean more prosecutions of vendors, but more in-home examples of abstinence is a must.

Anyone with a lung problem as a result of being hooked on tobacco can fill you in on its merits as a pacifier.

Maritime union

The proposed union of Nova Scotia, New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island into one province is still possible in spite of the reluctance of the premiers. Louis Robichaud and Robert Stanfield, former premiers of New Brunswick and Nova Scotia favored it. In 1970 a commission headed by Dr. John W. Deutsch strongly advocated it.

The three provinces have taken the early steps in a union plan sketched by the Deutsch Report. A Maritime Premiers' Council has held five meetings, agreeing on items of joint legislation and uniform practices throughout the region.

Nevertheless, Premiers Campbell, Hatfield and Regan have significantly stopped short of endorsing full political union, evidently sensing no public demand for it.

When Maritimers discuss public matters, such problems as prices of primary products, taxes and cost of living, welfare, education, drugs, environmental pollution and road conditions get priority over Maritime union. Nor can they see union solving any of them.

They think of Maritime union as something considered a century ago, rejected then and a dead issue ever since. They fear it would give the region only one voice instead of three in federal-provincial conferences. They are sceptical about the accuracy of the "bigger equals better" equation as applied to governments as well as corporations and unions. They feel something distinctive in each province would be lost in a union of the three.

If union comes, it may not be in the ordered sequence suggested by Dr. Deutsch, but suddenly, as part of a greater rearrangement of eastern North American political boundaries.

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60-year-old tragedy still gripping

By Carol Kennedy

LONDON (CP) — Gus Cohen's friends call him The Cat because he has escaped death by a whisker more often than a man might expect in six lifetimes.

This indomitable little cockney, born 79 years ago in the east London district of Whitechapel, was shot twice in one day in the First World War trenches, bombed twice in the Second World War, survived train and auto accidents and a near-lethal dose of rheumatic fever at the age of 78.

But his first and most spectacular brush with death came on a cold Atlantic night 60 years ago, when Cohen, setting out to seek his fortune in America, was a steerage passenger on the maiden voyage of the White Star liner Titanic.

The death toll when the 46,000-ton Titanic sank after striking an iceberg off the

Grand Banks of Newfoundland still ranks as history's greatest peacetime sea disaster. More than 1,500 persons, including a roll-call of North America's top society names, were drowned for lack of lifeboats, but the steerage fared worst of all.

BULKHEADS CLOSED

More than third-class children were lost than first-class men, though the cry was "Women and children first." And as Gus Cohen recalls, hundreds of steerage passengers never got a chance to reach the boat deck — gates were slammed in their faces to prevent them encroaching on first-class territory, and he believes many more were trapped when the watertight bulkheads were closed throughout the ship.

Cohen, now a frail-looking retired store buyer who cares for his invalid wife Hettie in their north London apartment,

recalled his voyage to disaster in an interview which Hettie said "brought it all back as if it was last week."

Times were bad in 1912 in Cohen's printing trade and he planned to earn enough money in New York to bring Hettie over to marry him. He borrowed eight pounds from a family friend to buy his third-class emigrant's ticket on the White Star Line.

He booked first on a small ship called the Teutonic, but his strictly orthodox father forbade him to sail on a Jewish holiday, so Cohen took next steamer out of Southampton. It happened to be the "unsinkable" Titanic, the

world's largest liner, sailing on its maiden voyage April 10.

STARTED CALMLY

"My friends were chipping me about the boat being unsinkable, but I never had a premonition at all," said Cohen. He shared a lower-deck cabin with five other men, all British. None of the others survived the sinking.

The crossing was calm and uneventful for four days. Cohen won a competition for guessing the ship's daily run and played a few chess games. Up in the glittering salons of first and second class, parties and dancing were in full swing, but "as third-class passengers we

were going to the States to earn a living so we were not concerned with frivolity at all."

On Sunday, April 14, it grew intensely cold and Cohen remarked to a woman passenger that there must be icebergs about. She laughed and told him he was imagining things. No one knew that Captain E. J. Smith had already had several ice warnings from other ships and that despite this the Titanic was driving at almost full speed into an ice zone.

The sixth and last warning, at 11 p.m. from the SS Californian, never got to the captain at all because Jack Phillips, the Titanic's overworked chief radio operator, was busy with passengers' cables and brusquely told the other ship to keep out.

HEARD CRASH

Cohen turned into his berth about 10:30 p.m. At 11:40 p.m., the men were awakened by a crash, but Cohen merely thought something had happened in the engine-room. Nevertheless, he pulled on a suit and overcoat and went on deck to investigate. Lumps of ice lying around told him what happened. By the time he got back to the cabin, its floor was already under water.

The master-at-arms told them to put on lifebelts but gave them no other instructions. No one on the Titanic had had lifeboat drill and the 20 boats—more than contemporary regulations demanded, but still only sufficient for half the people on board—were a long, weary trek away from the steerage, up several decks and through second- and first-class quarters.

Still nobody was alarmed, Cohen recalls. "Everyone really did believe the ship was unsinkable." His first whiff of danger came when one of the engine-room staff passed by and told him, "You better get up, boy, we're flooded down below."

ONE TOO MANY

The Titanic gained her unsinkable reputation because the builders, Harland and Wolff of Belfast, had designed her to float with as many as four of her 16 watertight compartments flooded. But as the liner shaved past the fatal iceberg at 22½ knots, a hidden spur ripped a 300-foot gash in the hull which opened five compartments to the sea—just one too many.

Somehow he found an alleyway used by the crew and made his way topside. Passing the third-class dining-room he saw dozens of Irish girls kneeling in prayer and saying their rosaries. He thought to himself: "I'll pray when I am rescued."

A sailor stopped him getting into a lifeboat, but at some lifeboat stations men were allowed in—including Bruce Ismay, chairman of the White Star Line—when the women proved reluctant to go. Some were forcibly torn from their husbands' arms and pushed into the boats.

The Hudson J. Allisons of Montreal were among several couples who refused to be parted. Their little daughter Lorraine, 3, clung to her parents rather than go in a boat with her nurse and baby brother—she was the only child lost from first class.

PLAYED RAGTIME

Meanwhile the ship's eight-piece band was playing ragtime to keep people's spirits up. But Cohen maintains the story about them playing "Nearer My God To Thee" as the ship went down is "a lot of bunkum."

Just before he slid down a rope and jumped into the icy sea he saw the musicians standing around holding their instruments. They were not trying to save themselves—"men weren't supposed to be saved," he says.

What he still remembers most vividly about that night is the roar of the Titanic's steam sirens and the distress rockets shooting up "like fireworks."

Passengers were confident they would be rescued. Some saw a light on the horizon which may or may not have been the SS Californian, whose radio operator had turned in and whose captain, Stanley Lord, was later blamed—some now feel unjustly—for failing to respond to the stricken liner. Lord always maintained he was much farther away and that another ship was involved.

Cohen was quickly pulled into a lifeboat only half full of women. Among them was Mrs. John Jacob Astor, wife of one of the richest men in America. Her husband had been left, along with fellow-millionaires Benjamin Guggenheim, George Widener and Charles M. Hays of the Canadian Grand Trunk Railroad, waving farewell from the sloping boat deck.

SANK AT 2:20 A.M.

By now the brilliantly-lit liner, 11 storeys high and as long as four city blocks, was sagging at an angle of 30 degrees. Cohen was given an oar and told to pull away fast in case the suction dragged them down. About an hour later, at 2:20 a.m., the Titanic went down without any backwash, its giant hull standing on end against the stars.

Then came the terrible cries of the drowning. Cohen says they are "never out of my ears."

After four hours weary rowing, they sighted the lights of the Cunard liner Carpathia, which had strained every boiler to the limit in a desperate race through the ice. Of the 2,027 souls who had boarded the Titanic for her proud maiden voyage, only 705 were hoisted aboard the Carpathia—70 of them widows.

The farther the Titanic recedes into history, the more it fascinates new generations. Cohen says where once it was ignored, "now even little kids ask me about it." It was the great leveller—a tragedy that scooped up the extremes of wealth and poverty and forever cracked man's complacency about his ability to conquer nature with technology.

MANY HEROES

Its heroes had a special panache—the Marconi men who stayed tapping out the SOS until the sea swirled in; the engineers who manned the failing pumps to the end; Captain Smith saving a child before drowning; steel magnate Arthur Ryerson stripping off his lifebelt for his wife's maid; mining king Guggenheim and his valet changing into evening dress to "go down like gentlemen."

For poor emigrants like Gus Cohen, it was different—a battle for survival, as much against class barriers as the icy North Atlantic. But the struggle may have forged his unsinkable streak of toughness.

He has never feared the sea and until Hettie was immobilized by a stroke five years ago they both loved to go cruising.



Stanfield — S-T-A-N-F...

Weighed and wanting

WASHINGTON — Oh, Grandfather, what is this great big historical-looking party I see going on, like the feast in old Rome I saw in Ben-Hur on our television?

Why, Mary Jane, what a fine little historian you're getting to be. But this isn't any feast in old Rome. It's just the left wing of the Democratic Party staging another Belshazzar's feast to celebrate the Wisconsin primary. The left wing of the Democratic Party likes that sort of thing. They're mighty fashionable, mostly.

But Grandfather, who was Belshazzar, and why did he have a feast, and why are all these people acting like they were Belshazzar?

Now Mary Jane, guess I'm going to have to teach you more about the Good Book. Belshazzar was a king in Babylon, and he gave a great feast. And while they were all eating and drinking and telling one another how wonderful they were, the hand of the Lord came and wrote on the wall, "Thou art weighed in the balance and found wanting. Thy kingdom is divided and given to the Medes and Persians."

But mercy me, Grandfather, why would anyone want a party like that, and where was the hand of the Lord in Wisconsin?

It's sort of complicated, Mary Jane. But the left-wing Democrats are really having their party because Sen. George McGovern came out on top in the Wisconsin primary. He's a fine, good, boneheaded man, who always says what left-wing Democrats like to hear. As for the hand of the Lord, I'd say that the hand's name, in this Wisconsin case, was George C. Wallace.

I saw Gov. Wallace on the television, too, Grandfather. I didn't like him much either. So why do you call him the hand of the Lord? That seems sort of peculiar to me.

Politics is a peculiar business, Mary Jane. You're damn right not to like Gov. Wallace. But the point is that he came in second in Wisconsin. And if the left-wing Democrats had enough sense to come in out of the rain, they would be able to see that Wallace in second place means they've been "weighed in the balance and found wanting."

But Grandfather, how about Sen. McGovern coming in first? If left-wing Democrats can't make a showing in Wisconsin, Mary Jane, the handwriting on the wall is all in capital letters. This Wallace had nothing going for him there, just nothing at all! But he'll have a devil of a lot going for him, more's the pity, in Maryland and Michigan and Indiana and some other places. So I'd say the Democratic convention this year will



Matter of fact

with Joseph Alsop

likely make Belshazzar's feast look like a Rotarian prayer breakfast, success songs and all.

Oh, Grandfather, after Florida I sort of remember you saying Wisconsin would be mighty important for that nice Sen. Edmund Muskie.

Mary Jane, your mother should have taught you long ago that there are some things too dreadful for young ladies to talk about. Better not talk about what happened to poor Sen. Muskie in Wisconsin. But I'll tell you one thing. He asked 450 money-givers to meet him in Chicago the next day after the primary and hardly 40 came. I'd guess half the 40 wanted their money back, too.

Well if you think poor Sen. Muskie is done for, Grandfather, who are going to be the Medes and the Persians?

Ed Muskie only looks done for, Mary Jane. Now Mayor John Lindsay, he really is done for. He's just going back to make people in New York City homesick for Mayor Bob Wagner. But if you want to know which Democrat's got much chance of inheriting the mess, my guess would have to be Sen. Hubert Humphrey of Minnesota. But of course it all depends.

Depends on what, Grandfather?

Why Mary Jane, it depends on these crazy primaries the Democrats have got themselves saddled with, and on Sen. Edward Kennedy, and on what hope they have of beating President Nixon. But I've got to say their ideas about beating President Nixon look lower than a snake's belly to me.

Why Grandfather, shame!

Well, it is lower than a snake's belly, Mary Jane, to be hoping for your country's defeat in Vietnam and six million unemployed in November in order to win an election. President Kennedy wasn't that sort, ever. Just you remember that!

Reader forum

Sale success

Dear Sir,
On behalf of the Lennoxville Wing of the Sherbrooke Hospital Ladies' Auxiliary, I wish to express my thanks for the kind and courteous co-operation of your Mr. Lewis Harris, for the publicity extended by your paper for the Penny Sale which was held on Thursday, April 6, in St. George's Church Hall, Lennoxville.

I am pleased to report that the Penny Sale was a complete success.

Yours truly,
Myrtle Miller,
Convenor



Engagement announced

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Chamberlain, of Rock Island are pleased to announce the engagement of their elder daughter, Wendy Lynn, to Cpl. Thomas George Black, stationed in North Carolina, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Black of Stanstead. The wedding will take place July 15, 1972.

The cookies are here

DANVILLE (MF) — What cookies? Why the famous Weston ones made especially for the Girl Guides of Canada. You can buy them on April 15, when the well-known blue and brown uniforms of the 2nd Danville Guide Company and the 1st Danville Brownie Pack will be out in full force in a big house-to-house selling spree. Supporting this cause will benefit the girls — in providing better camping accommodations and in support of their various headquarters in other countries — and in the making of better citizens for the community of tomorrow. With all items costing more these days, we feel that you are getting an excellent buy at the same low price as last year. However, in doing this some of the profits are being sacrificed as the cookies now cost the Guides more than last year. To overcome this cost raise, all are making a supreme effort to sell more cookies. Please be generous when those enterprising young salesladies appear at your door. It is a worthy cause.

The family

Lagace Hospital status changed

BEDFORD (EC) — The annual meeting of the board of directors of Hospital Lagace was held in the town hall. All reports showed the hospital's affairs to be in a flourishing condition.

The financial report showed that the hospital had a budget of \$300,000. The president expressed thanks and appreciation to the doctors on the staff and to the administration body for a successful year. Mr. Berthiaume also spoke of the interior renovations which had taken place during the past months, including a new kitchen.

A change has occurred in the status of the hospital: it will be now a health center. Mr. Berthiaume has been to Quebec, where he conferred with the Social Services Minister Castonguay, who made the final decision regarding the hospital's

status. Dr. Leclerc, assistant to the Minister of Social Services, visited Hospital Lagace and inspected the facilities. It is expected that an emergency clinic will be in operation in the future. This will complete the local Health Center in Bedford. These services will be attached to St. John's, not to St. Hyacinthe or Sherbrooke.

The hospital's medical director, Dr. A. Tougas, gave his report of the work done in the past months. The hospital has functioned very satisfactorily with Mrs. Groulx as head nurse.

372 patients were treated at the hospital during the past year as bed patients. Their stay amounted to 10,355 hours, an increase of 29 per cent over 1970. There were 3150 emergency cases, an increase of 18 per cent over the preceding year. Also in his report Dr. Tougas stated that a new doctor will join the hospital's staff in the summer, and that there also will be two additional part time doctors. The district covered by Hospital Lagace has a population of 15,000 which during the summer, is increased to 30,000, owing to the summer residents at Missisquoi Bay and surrounding territory.

Personals...

Mrs. R. N. Hodge of Lakewood, Newport, Vermont spent the weekend at the home of her sister Mrs. Weston Orr and Mr. Orr.

Friends of Mr. Weston Orr will be pleased to learn that he has returned to his home on Vimy St. after being a patient in the Shertrooke Hospital.

Mrs. Howard Kerr has returned to her home in Bulwer, after spending the past three weeks at the home of Mrs. Annie Williams, Queen Street, Lennoxville.

Mrs. Charles Cruickshank of Leeds was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Eager, Queen Street, Lennoxville.

He Started It

Lynching is attributed to Charles Lynch, a Virginia farmer and patriot, who headed an irregular organization that punished thieves, outlaws and Tories during the American Revolution, according to Encyclopaedia Britannica.

Townships women's groups report

Stanstead North

STANSTEAD (IH) — The April 6 meeting of Stanstead North Women's Institute Branch was held at the home of Mrs. Douglas Cooper. Mrs. Erwin Taylor, the president, warmly welcomed Mrs. J. L. Heath attending as a guest of Mrs. John Byers. The roll call was to visit a community shut-in during the month. After reports were heard plans were made for the coming events. Mrs. Edward Simpson Sr., chairman for the April 27 rummage sale to be held at the Quebec Hydro Building in Rock Island, made her plans to prepare for the sale the preceding afternoon. The sale will start Thursday afternoon at 1:30 p.m. and continue into the evening. So shift workers were arranged. Mrs. George Peasley, publicity convener, said she will make the advertising posters.

Mrs. Simpson displayed some handbags she had made. These are to be filled with items and sent to Save the Children's Headquarters in Montreal for distribution for Christmas. Each member contributed a sum of \$1.00 to purchase the fillers and a motion was approved that if this is not sufficient the balance will be paid from the Branch funds; this way all dozen bags will be uniform.

Mrs. Taylor agreed to be official delegate to the Provincial convention at Macdonald College in May. Mrs. Geneva Lyons and Mrs. Allan Christie also plan to attend.

A sum of money was voted to be transferred to the Schoolhouse Fund in compliance with a resolution made in 1964 to deposit \$10.00 per year for the maintenance of the historic building. Mrs. Douglas Cooper, on the Building committee, said there will need to be some work done as soon as the weather permits. Mrs. R. Knight, convener of Agriculture, read an item about plants, compatible and incompatible. Home Economics convener, Mrs. Douglas Cooper, read news items and from the CAC, displayed a cook book using spice, and read an article, "Time runs out for Foods." Mrs. Fayne Hovey, Welfare and Health, conducted a CAC questionnaire about medicare and sick benefits.

Mrs. Geneva Lyons, Sunshine, said she had sent Easter flowers to Mrs. Eulalie Goodsell at the Sherbrooke Hospital and to Miss Corinna Moore, ill at her home. Members discussed the Estelle Holmes Scholarship, and proposed changes to match changes in the field of education. The ideas given by members will be taken by the Branch delegate to the County annual meeting in Hatley in May. Mrs. Taylor reminded all of the County annual to be held in Hatley on May 4 starting at 10:00 a.m. and urged as many as possible to try to attend.

Mrs. Geneva Lyons read a paper on the origin of the Women's Institute in Guelph, Ont., which was interesting and revealing. Mrs. Manscell Gibson will entertain the May meeting on Friday, May 5, at 1:30 p.m.

Afternoon refreshments of delicious home made assorted breads were served by the hostesses, Mrs. Adelaide Laberee, Mrs. George Mann, Mrs. Edward Simpson Sr., and Mrs. Cooper. Mrs. Mann and Mrs. Laberee presided at the white linen-covered table centred with a plant.

Belvidere

LENNOXVILLE — Mrs. L. Mickie Povey was hostess for the March meeting of the Belvidere Women's Institute at her home on Academy Street in Lennoxville.

The president, Mrs. Garth Montgomery, was in the chair and opened the meeting with the collect and singing of the ode. The roll call was answered by guessing the size of shoes of the one on your right. Pot holders were turned in for the work calendar.

Members planning to take the bus trip to Ottawa in May were asked to pay their fares in advance.

Plans were made to fill 10 handi bags for the Save the

Children project. Each member to donate three articles for a boy or girl of 10 years of age at the May meeting. This project is being taken care of by the Home Economics convener, and must be sent by June 30.

Mrs. Charles Pitman, agriculture convener, reported revision and distribution of prize lists for the annual school fair.

Miss Edna Smith for education read a letter from Canterbury East WI objecting to an increase in the hours of the school day for secondary level pupils, also an article on ACWW Mention was also made of the excellence of the play Oklahoma at Alexander Galt Regional School.

Mrs. Garland Page read opinions on Bill 24, store closing hours, and articles from the Canadian Consumer's Association and collected IGA cash slips.

Mrs. Francis Paige reported 750 dressings made at the cancer dressing depot this month. The next work day will be April 12.

Three members attended the Welfare and Health talks given by Dr. Baker of the Medical Centre, and two school nurses Mrs. Cecil Wells and Mrs. Watson, at the Huntingville Hall, sponsored by the Milby WI.

Mrs. Jack Tarte reported on the success of the rummage sale held recently and plans were drawn up to cater for a bowling banquet April 15 and an evening rummage sale in the Lennoxville Town Hall on April 20.

Mrs. L. Mickie Povey reported Easter baskets, cards and a plant to sick and shut-ins and birthdays remembered.

The sum of \$25.00 was voted to the hot lunch fund at the Lennoxville Elementary School.

Mrs. Francis Paige had charge of the drawing for a box of groceries which was won by Mrs. Garland Page. The proceeds to go to the Cancer Society. The monthly drawing was won by Mrs. Ken Smart.

The May meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Charles Drummond, with Mrs. Charles Pitman as joint hostess, with the agriculture convener in charge of the programme. Refreshments were served by the hostess who was assisted in serving by several members.

Fordyce

FORDYCE — The Fordyce WI met at the home of the president, Mrs. Irene Williams in Cowansville on Wednesday, April 5, with Miss Norma Cummings as co-hostess assisted by several of the ladies.

The meeting opened with the collect and the motto for the month. The roll call. Do you think the modern school will turn out better citizens than the Little Red Schoolhouse? Why? The answers were most interesting. Most everyone felt that the opportunities today were greater than in the olden days but if they were taken advantage of was up to the individual. There were 20 members and two visitors present.

The installation ceremony took place lead by Mrs. John Syberg. The officers elected for 1972-73 were: Hon. President, Mrs. Helen David, President, Mrs. Irene Williams, First Vice-President, Mrs. Murray Mason, Second Vice-President, Mrs. Merlin Lewis, Secretary, Mrs. Geo. Bromby, Treasurer, Mrs. Elwin Stowe, Corr. Secretary, Miss Doris Bridgette.

Convenors Agriculture — Mrs. Hattie Bowling, Welfare and Health — Mrs. Cedric Dougal, Citizenship — Mrs. Edna Longeway, Education — Mrs. Hilda Luce, Publicity — Mrs. Lynn Bell, Sunshine — Mrs. Randolph Dustin, ACCW — Mrs. Helen David.

The minutes were read and approved. The Treasurer's report was given. It was voted to have three picnic tables made to replace the ones stolen from the picnic area. The Northern Lights and the CAC were subscribed to.

The convenors' reports were:

Education: Mrs. Luce read an article on Bill 27.

Agriculture: Mrs. Bowling read, Popular Poinsettias.

Home Economics: Mrs. Lewis in the absence of Mrs. Longeway read Panty Hose for an eight footer.

Citizenship: Mrs. Lewis read Laporte's Widow Makes Career from Interest in Immigrants.

Welfare and Health: Mrs. Dougal read Multiple Sclerosis Cure Claim Near.

Publicity — Mrs. Bell read a letter from the Provincial Publicity Convener Mrs. Perley Clark.

The County President Mrs. Bidner was asked to make a few remarks. A doily for the J. and P. Coats Competition was made and given by Miss Kathleen Moore. Five dollars was voted towards the gavel to be given by the branches to the county for its 60th anniversary. Mrs. David contributed to the birthday box. Pennies for Friendship were collected. A delicious lunch was served at the close of the meeting.

DR. LAWRENCE E. LAMB

Vegetables have no cholesterol

Dear Dr. Lamb—I have had a myocardial infarction and have been particularly interested in the problem of cholesterol. I am on a low cholesterol diet. In one of your columns you said that all shortenings have some cholesterol. Since then I have obtained the listings of the contents of shortenings and some of these do not contain cholesterol. Can you explain this to me. It is very confusing.

Dear Reader—I doubt very much that I ever said all shortenings have cholesterol, because they certainly don't. But all shortenings do contain fat. Some contain more saturated fat than others. A shortening prepared from vegetable sources for example will contain no cholesterol since vegetable products are free of cholesterol. The ingestion of lots of fat, coconut oil for example, which is mostly a saturated fat, can cause the body to produce lots of cholesterol. Whether the cholesterol comes from being produced by the body or from the diet, it can contribute to the increased level of cholesterol in the blood stream which helps cause atherosclerosis.

Most heart specialists think it is wise to restrict saturated fats and this is why coconut oil is not recommended for individuals with these problems. On the other hand, safflower oil and corn oil both have very low amounts of saturated fats and larger amounts of polyunsaturated fats. In the in-

terest of restricting the saturated fats, both safflower oil and corn oil are useful products. However, like all fats they contain many calories. The analysis you enclosed for a commercial product

shows that 26 per cent of its fat is from saturated fat.

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Inhumanity adds insult to tragedy



By Ann Landers

Dear Ann Landers: I don't know who else to complain to so I am writing to you. Maybe you can help.

My next door neighbors are a lovely couple. Last week they had four children. Today they have three. Their baby, the only boy, died mysteriously in his sleep. He wasn't sick a day. The autopsy revealed that the baby died from what was termed "crib death," the cause of which is not known. Some physicians say it's a mysterious virus that strikes suddenly. Others say it's suffocation from too much covering.

The parents are heartbroken. But what I am writing about is this: What can be done about the inhuman treatment the parents received when they brought the baby to the emergency room of the hospital and again, when they were interrogated by police? Even the people at the morgue viewed them with hostility and suspicion. These grief-stricken people were treated as if they had killed the baby. Can you imagine subjecting distraught parents to a third degree? What can be done about

such gross callousness and brutal insensitivity?

—Outraged Friends

Dear Friends: Several hundred young children die every year as a result of being battered by parents. This, of course, is what the questioning was about. There is no excuse, however, for such inhumanity as you describe — especially when the baby bore no signs of having been abused. A better system must be devised and two organizations are working on it: The National Foundation For Sudden Infant Death, 1501 Broadway, New York, N.Y., 10036 (telephone 212-563-4630), and The Guild for Infant Survival, 6822 Brompton Road, Baltimore, Maryland, 21207 (telephone 301-944-2502). Such indignities as your neighbors suffered should be reported to both organizations.

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Dear Ann Landers: I'm a middle-aged woman who is trying to lose some weight. I now know that crash diets, pills, shots and the rest of that stuff are not for me. I need to make up my mind that I am no longer able to eat chocolate fudge sundaes at midnight, candy bars between meals, buttered popcorn in movies and a can of mixed nuts in front of the TV.

What I need to know is this: How can I decide what my weight should be? Every chart I've seen is different. The chart in my calorie book gives me too much leeway. If I weighed what my doctor's

chart suggested I'd look like a scarecrow. So how does a person know?

—New Me Coming Up

Dear New You: Your doctor's personal recommendation is better than any chart. But as a rule of thumb, you should weigh approximately what you did when you were between 18 and 25 years of age — assuming you were not overweight or pregnant at that time.

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Dear Ann Landers: I read the letter from "Kissless Bride" whose groom didn't kiss her after the minister said, "I now pronounce you man and wife." After 20 years she was still so unhappy about it she had to write to Ann Landers.

I have a view on the subject which my husband shares. We feel that a kiss is an intimate expression of affection and should be a private affair. We decided not to kiss at our own wedding and several people complained — as if they were cheated out of something.

When this letter appears in print (if it does), it may move some young couples who are contemplating marriage to re-think the matter.

—No Show

Dear No: The important thing is not whether or not the bride and groom kiss at the altar — but that they continue to express affection throughout the rest of their lives.

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Mr and Mrs Brian Whitehead and daughter Julie of Dartmouth, N.S. have been spending a holiday with Mrs. Whitehead's grandparents Mr. and Mrs. James Cowan and also with her father Mr. Winston Dyer. On March 26 Mr. and Mrs. James Cowan, Mr. and Mrs. B. Whitehead, Miss Julie Whitehead and Mrs. Shirley Dyer of Cowansville were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Reg Paul and Steven in Dunham.

Cards were played at four tables at the Fraternal Hall March 24, the prizes going to Mr. H. Jackson, Miss M. Nish, Messrs. Clare Wilson and Harry Hawley. Mrs. Hugh Miller won the door prize. A nice lunch was served by the committee. There will be another card party in the same hall on April 14 at 2 p.m. All are welcome to come and enjoy a game.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Flannery of Montreal were guests of his mother Mrs. S. Bartholomew and Mr. Bartholomew the weekend of March 26.

Mr. and Mrs. E.S. Bresce spent March 28 in Sherbrooke on business.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Beattie, Mr. and Mrs. H. Fulford of Montreal were guests of Mrs. B. Smith the weekend of March 26. They all went to Knowlton where they were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bertie Smith.

Mrs. Helen Gocher has sold her household effects and on April 5 went by plane to England where she will reside in the future. Before leaving Mrs. Gocher spent a few days visiting friends in Sutton and Bedford.

Mrs. Ida Bates of Farnham's Corner spent several days here guest of her daughter Mrs. Morris Marco, Mr. Marco and daughters.

Mrs. B. Smith spent a day in East Farnham guest of her granddaughter Mrs. Alex Senacle and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Spencer of West Sutton were evening guests of his parents Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Spencer at the Russell home.

Dinner guests at the home of Mrs. Thomas Surtees on Easter Sunday were Mrs. Garey O'Brien from Ontario, Mrs. Marion Wright of Granby, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Duboyce of West Bolton.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ward and daughter of Montreal were Easter Sunday guests of Mrs. Emily O'Brien and Mr. Carol O'Brien.

The A.C.W. met in the Parish Hall Wednesday evening April 5. Plans were made for the military whist parties to be held on April 15 and 29 at 8 p.m.

Mrs. B. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Spencer, Mrs. B. Russell and Mr. Keith Russell were in Richmond on Good Friday to visit Mr. Charlie Maidement and other friends in the Wales Home. Mr. Maidement had returned from the Sherbrooke Hospital the previous day after having been hospitalized since March 4.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Hazard, Mr. Clark Hazard, Mrs. Vernon Lamb and Mrs. Margaret Allan were in Richmond Easter Sunday to visit Mrs. Leon Hazard at the Wales Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Dow and children of Quebec City were holiday guests of Mrs. W. Dow and Mrs. K. Millmore.

Miss Carol Cooke and friend from Kingston, Ont., spent the holiday weekend guests of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Cooke.

Mrs. Cedric Patten, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Hoskins spent the Easter weekend at Mrs. Patten's home here.

OBITUARIES

In the obituary of Percy Edwin Bishop in the Record of Wednesday, April 12, the name of his sister should have read Eva instead of Emma.

MRS. TORRANCE BRISBIN of North Hatley

The sudden death occurred at the Sherbrooke Hospital on March 23, 1972 of Mrs. Torrance Brisbin of North Hatley. She was in her 76th year, and had enjoyed good health all her life.

Mrs. Brisbin, the former Alice May Brewer, a native of New Brunswick and long-time resident of Fredericton, was predeceased by her first husband, Earl Stafford, in 1944. In 1962, she was married to Torrance Brisbin of North Hatley, P.Q., formerly of Franklin Centre, P.Q. Mr. and Mrs. Brisbin resided in Fredericton for one year, then moved to their present home on River Street in North Hatley. During the ensuing eight and one-half years they enjoyed happiness and contentment and shared it with others.

Mrs. Brisbin had a friendly and happy disposition and an unfeigned faith in God. Her many friends, and especially her neighbours, will miss her cheerful presence.

Mourning their loss are her husband, her three sons and one daughter: Harold, of St. Thomas, Ont.; Ronald of Fredericton, N.B.; Allison of Regina, Sask.; Verna, Mrs. Roy Ellis of High Level, Alta., and ten grandchildren. Two brothers: Alonzo Brewer of Ottawa, Ont., and Albert Brewer of Yellowknife, N.W.T., two sisters: Faye Brewer of New York City N.Y., and Annie, Mrs. H. Brown, of Burt's Corner, N.B., also survive. Mrs. Brisbin was a deeply loved stepmother and grandmother.

The funeral service was held at the Webster-Cass Funeral Home in Lennoxville on Saturday, March 25, 1972 at 2 p.m. and was largely attended. The service was conducted by Mr. G. Poole and Mr. S. Gillis. A hymn of her choice, "When Life Is Ended" was sung by four friends.

The remains of the deceased, accompanied by her husband and family, were taken to

Fredericton where a short service was conducted at the MacAdam Funeral Home on March 27 by Mr. G. Semple. A favorite hymn, "Face To Face", was rendered. Interment took place in Fredericton.

ARCHIE JOHNSON of Waterloo

Archie Edgar Johnson passed away quietly at the Waterloo Hospital on Wednesday, March 8, 1972, in his 70th year.

On November 13, 1926, he was united in marriage to Eunice May Royeva who survives him. Of this marriage two daughters were born: Barbara, Mrs. Raymond Roy of Warden and Joyce, Mrs. Gilbert Talbot of Georgetown, Ont. He is also survived by a sister Mrs. Edna Moffatt of Fulford and a brother Claude of Waterloo as well as three grandchildren.

The remains rested at the Leo Paul Ledoux Funeral Home thence to St. Paul's United Church where the service was held at 3:00 p.m. on Saturday March 11. Mr. Kenneth Morris officiating. The choir rendered two favorite hymns of the deceased: "Old Rugged Cross" and "Beyond the Sunset".

The bearers were Fred Allen, Kenneth Ossington, Ellis Durrell, Percy Jones, Gordon Cousens and Albert Bance.

He leaves a host of relatives and friends to mourn his loss.

Card of Thanks

BANFILL - We wish to extend our sincere thanks to all our relatives, friends and neighbours for their help and kindness shown us during the illness and death of our dear husband, father and grandfather, William, who passed away March 26th, 1972. A special thank you to my son Ross and his wife who left their home in Missisquoi, Ont. for three weeks to help here at home. To the Locke Nursing Home for their excellent care, to those who visited, sent cards, food, flowers and donations and to all who helped in any way. Also to Rev. Cameron, organist, choir and bearers, and to Mr. Fleury for his good care on ambulance trips, also to those who provided lunch after the funeral. We deeply appreciate your kindness.

MYRTLE BANFILL (wife) CARL & ADELAIDE & FAMILY (sons) NORMAN (son) WILLA & FRANK INNES & FAMILY (daughters) ROSS & ELIZABETH (sons)

BISHOP - We wish to extend our grateful appreciation to those who assisted in any way during the illness and death of our dear brother, Percy Edwin Bishop. Also those who sent flowers and contributions to the Heart Fund.

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BRISBIN - I wish to express my sincere thanks to everybody who helped in any way at the time of the death of my dear wife: to the relatives, neighbours and friends for the beautiful floral tributes, the many letters, cards and donations to the Sherbrooke Hospital in Memoriam Fund.

TORRANCE BRISBIN ORR - I would like to take this opportunity to thank all those who visited me, sent cards and letters while I was a patient in the Sherbrooke Hospital. Thanks to the nurses on the 2nd floor and also to Dr. Taylor. Special thanks to the caretaker and tenants of the Ritz apartments for the lovely plant. Also a special thanks to "Woody" and Tom and Vivian Pendleton for the different things done in my home on Verry St. and for putting the T.V. in my hospital room. It was gratefully appreciated.

WESTON ORR ROTHNEY - We wish to express our sincere thanks to our friends, relatives and neighbours for the many acts of kindness shown us during the death and burial of our dear mother, grandmother and great grandmother Lily Rothney. Thanks to all who sent cards, flowers and food or assisted us in any way. Special thanks to the nurses and staff of the Wales Home Infirmary, to Mrs. Ethel Crawford for her care of Mother while in her home, to Dr. Wells, Dr. Kinck and Dr. Dykeman, to Rev. G. Lokhorst, to the organist and choir, the bearers and all who helped in any way at the cemetery. Many thanks to the U.C.W. who prepared and served lunch to relatives and friends after the funeral. Your kindness will long be remembered.

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Eastman

Miss Dorothy Baranek of Montreal spent the Easter weekend with her mother Mrs. M. Baranek.

Mrs. Lois Lamb has returned to Inglewood, Ont. after visiting Mr. and Mrs. Eric Hallam also calling on other friends in the vicinity.

Mr. E. Young visited Mrs. Young who is in the Sherbrooke Hospital. Her condition remains the same.

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Births

CLARKE - Bill and Sheila (nee Robinson) are happy to announce the birth of a daughter, Sharon Elizabeth, at Mackenzie, B.C. on Friday, March 31st. A sister for Heather, Bruce and Megan.

HUMPHREY - Victor and Linda (nee Hayes) wish to announce the birth of a daughter Vicki Lee, 7 lbs. 8 oz. on April 9, 1972 at the Calgary General Hospital, Calgary, Alberta. A sister for Wesley.

WILSON - Wayne and Gwen (nee Taylor) are happy to announce God's gift of a son Timothy Wayne at the Sherbrooke Hospital on April 8th, 1972. 6 lbs. 14 oz. A brother for Penny, Sarah and Tammy.

Deaths

FRIEND, William John - At his residence, Brome, Que. on Wednesday, April 12, 1972, William John Friend in his 96th year. Beloved husband of Mabel Sutton and of the late Sarah Sheepwash. Dear father of William, Alfred, George, Albert, Gilbert, Allen, Ruth, Gladys, and of the late Elizabeth, Mary, Daisey and Ada. Also survived by 24 grandchildren and 29 great-grandchildren. Visitation at C. E. Wilson & Son Funeral Directors, Knowlton. Funeral service from St. John's Church, Brome on Saturday, April 15 at 11:00 a.m., Rev. J. W. Davidson officiating. Interment Brome, Quebec.

LEE, Mrs. Sack Fun - After a lengthy illness at her late residence, 22 Wilson St., Sherbrooke, on April 10, 1972 at the age of 80, Toy Yok Gee, beloved wife of the late Sack Fun Lee and loving mother of Jack and Mrs. Chan Shu, both of Sherbrooke, of Mrs. Ngong Ngor Yip of San Francisco, Calif., and Mrs. Yuet Mee Chan, Canton, China. Dear grandmother of 17 grandchildren. Visitation at Gerard Monfette Inc. Funeral Parlors, 33 Bowen St. South, Sherbrooke, on Tuesday, April 11, from 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. Leaving the funeral parlor on Wednesday April 12 at 2:30 p.m. for Montreal, for funeral service on Thursday, April 13, at 2 p.m. at Chinese Presbyterian Church, 1070 Chenille St., Chinatown, Montreal. Interment in Mount Royal Cemetery.

MOSHER, Ashmore Lee - of R.R. 1, Victoria, Ontario. Suddenly on Sunday, April 9th at his residence at the age of 54 years. Married in Sherbrooke in 1944 to the former Jean Ariel Larabee. Father of Margaret (Mrs. Francis Hakey) of Milton, Vt., Kay (Mrs. Wayne Ilton) of Lindsay, Ontario, Carol (Mrs. Brent Kelly) of Toronto, and Sharon at home. Son of Mr. & Mrs. Ralph E. Mosher of Lennoxville, P.Q. Brother of Garth of Pointe Claire, P.Q. Retired from the R.C.A.F. in 1968 as rank of Flight Sergeant. Funeral service will be held from the Baldock Funeral Home, Simcoe, Ontario on Wednesday, April 12 at 2 p.m. Cremation to follow at the Hamilton Crematory.

PAIGE, Evelyn Irene - At the Brome Missisquoi Perkins Hospital on Wednesday, April 12, 1972, Evelyn Irene Paige in her 51st year. Dearly beloved sister of Jane (Mrs. Ivor Thomas) of Los Gratos, California, May (Mrs. Frank Hinchliffe) of Pointe Claire, Quebec, of Almonte, Ontario, Frank of Mansouville and of the late Clara (Mrs. Percy Herron). Visitation at C.E. Wilson & Son Funeral Directors, Knowlton. Funeral service from the chapel on Friday, April 14 at 2 p.m. Interment Knowlton Cemetery. In lieu of flowers donations to the Muscular Dystrophy Society would be appreciated.

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1972 QASA CHAMPIONS — Alexander Galt Regional High School hockey Pipers won the Provincial Championship March 10-11 at Bishop's University. Teams from both the Island of Montreal and off-island areas competed. The Pipers whipped MacDonald Cartier High by a 8-1 score on the Friday evening.

On Saturday AGRHS downed Bishop's College School 5-2 and in the finals defeated Lower Canada College 7-4 en route to the title. Front row, left to right, are: Bruce Burnham, Tim Bronson, Gary Bennett, captain Bob Ditchburn, Steve Dowbiggin, Jeff Harte, Dean Rick, Brian Moulard and Donald

Grey. Back row, left to right, are: manager Dewey Raban, Garland Nadeau, David Nicoll, Grant Learned, Alan Webb, Martin Brooks, Alton Dezan, Norm Kerwin, Tom Hunting, Willie Maurice, Dave Turnbull, manager Ed Deacon and coach Rod McKell.

Paduano wins

MONTREAL (CP) — Fast-punching Donato Paduano of Montreal outpunched and out-boxed former welterweight champion Luis Rodriguez of Miami en route to a split-decision victory in their 10-round middleweight bout Wednesday night.

Paduano, 8½ pounds lighter than his opponent at 154½ pounds, started slowly and took over the fight in the fourth round.

Paduano seemed cautious in the first three rounds and appeared content to let his opponent connect with left-right combinations.

In the fourth round, however, the 23-year-old Montreal fighter

began carrying the fight to his opponent and backed up Rodriguez for the rest of the fight with good left jabs and crisp right crosses.

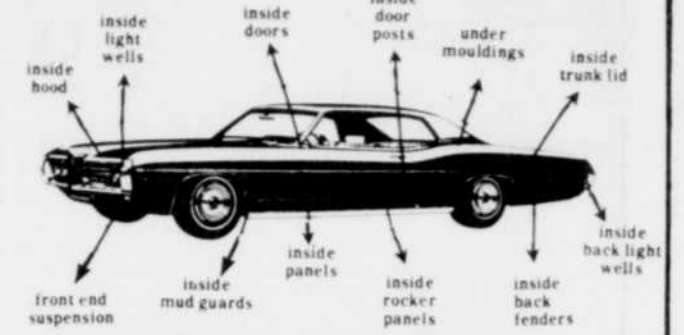
Paduano was particularly effective with his counter-punches, sliding off his opponent's punches and scoring heavily inside.

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Rangers haven't ousted Habs for 22 years

MONTREAL (CP) — It has been a long time since Montreal Canadiens have lost a Stanley Cup playoff series to New York Rangers, but the Montrealers face elimination again tonight when they meet New York in the sixth game of their best-of-seven quarter-final series.

The Canadiens, who trail 3-2 in the series, staged off elimination Tuesday night with a 2-1 win in New York on goals by Frank Mahovlich and Jim Roberts. Roberts's goal at 3:12 of the third period was the winner.

The last time New York won a series from Montreal was in 1950 when they eliminated the Canadiens in five games in a semi-final set.

But since then, the Canadiens have taken four straight series from the Manhattan blueshirts and now hold a 5-4 edge in series wins.

In 1956, Montreal defeated New York 4-1 in a semi-final se-

ries and went on to win their second-straight Stanley Cup. Canadiens won the Cup the following season as well and eliminated New York in semi-final play en route.

The two teams did not meet again in post-season play until 1967, when Canadiens swept a

Green expects trade

BOSTON (AP) — Teddy Green, the veteran defenceman of Boston Bruins who has not seen much action during this National Hockey League season, expects to be traded.

"They won't leave me unprotected for the expansion draft," Green says in an interview in The Record American.

"I'm too valuable a defenceman to be left unprotected. But if you were to ask me if I think I will be traded, I would answer yes."

Green, who played in all 78 games for the Bruins last season after sitting out the previous year following a head injury, has spent most of his time on the bench since Boston acquired defenceman Carol Vadnais from California.

"An athlete can feel it in the air when he's about to be traded," Green said. "The Bruins aren't going to pay me my kind of salary to sit on the bench. I would hate leaving Boston, but I hate sitting on the bench also."

semi-final series from New York in four straight games. Two years later in a quarter-final set, Montreal again scored a series sweep.

Before their 6-4 win over Montreal in the fourth game of the series here Sunday night, New York had not won a playoff game in Montreal Forum since 1956.

Canadiens have not been eliminated from a playoff series on their home ice since 1964, when Toronto Maple Leafs defeated them 3-1 in the seventh game of a semi-final.

Both clubs probably will use the same personnel tonight as they did Tuesday night in New York, which means that defenceman Jacques Laperriere will be on the sidelines for Montreal while Eddie Giacomin will get the call for the Rangers.

Dryden and right-winger Robert are the keys to the Mont-

real win Tuesday. Dryden made 33 saves, many of them spectacular.

ROBERTS FLEXIBLE
Coach Scotty Bowman assigned Roberts to check Ranger centre Bobby Rousseau, who had been poison to the Canadiens in Sunday's game. There was one problem to the strategy — Roberts had never played centre.

"I wanted some forechacking out there," said Bowman. "Roberts is one of those guys who's pretty good both ways. To me, he's one of the most underrated players in the NHL."

"Roberts is a good solid hockey player," said Ranger coach Emile Francis. "He does everything for you. The only place I haven't seen him play is goal."

Francis was not concerned that his club had not been able to conclude the series in the fifth game as most people had expected.

"This game was no different than the first four, except they

got the winner. Montreal didn't look any different than any time we've played them. It's never easy playing Montreal."

Skip practice

NEW YORK (CP) — New York Rangers skipped practice Wednesday before leaving for Montreal in late afternoon to resume hockey hostilities tonight in the Stanley Cup quarter-finals.

Coach Emile Francis decided his team had had enough exercise playing five games in seven nights. The Rangers appeared leg-weary during the last half of Tuesday night's 2-1 loss to Canadiens here.

Although disappointed at not being able to end the series before the home fans, the Rangers remained confident they can oust the defending champions either in Montreal or back here Sunday night.

New York has scored three times on 20 power-play opportunities in this series; Montreal only once in the same number of chances.

Pirates name squad

BRADENTON, Fla. — Sherbrooke Pirates have announced the final selection of their 23-man roster for the 1972 Eastern League baseball season.

Those on the squad who have their own transportation are departing from Bradenton Sunday, April 16. The remainder will fly from Bradenton and will arrive in Sherbrooke late Tuesday, April 18.

The playing squad will include Steve Demeter as a playing manager.

The catchers will be Jim Campanis and Woody Huyke, both right-handed hitters.

Campanis is the son of Al Campanis, vice-president of player personnel for Los Angeles Dodgers.

The first basemen will be Luther Quinn and Mel Civil.

Brian Murphy, a right-handed batter, will be the second baseman. Murphy, formerly in the Montreal Expos organization, once played for Winnipeg Whips in the International League.

The starting shortstop will be Pablo Cruz.

The third baseman will be Fernando Gonzales. Gonzales played for Theford Mines in the Provincial League in 1970. Both Cruz and Gonzales are right-handed hitters.

Four full-time outfielders will be carried on the roster. They

include switch-hitter Larry Smith, left-handed hitter Perry Dunn and right-handed batters Dave Arrington and Dave Augustine.

The pitching staff will consist of three left-handers and eight right-handers. Brad Gratz, Ray Cordeiro and Lou Marone are the left-handers.

The remainder of the roster are right-handed pitchers Bud Whitley, Bob Guerrero, Chet Gunter, Brad Meyring, Dick Hendrix, Ken Tekulve, Dennis Maliseed and Dave Bennett.

The Pirates are expected to work out at Amadee Roy Stadium on Wednesday and Thursday, April 19-20 from 11 a.m. until 1 p.m. The public is invited free of charge.

Gym show set

LENNOXVILLE (BP) — Alexander Galt Regional High School's gymnastics team will stage a demonstration for the public Wednesday, April 19, at the school's gymnasium.

The one-night stand will feature 40 boy and girl gymnasts performing all Olympic events, rhythmic and dare-devil cross-fire vaulting.

A collection will be taken among interested spectators, with proceeds going to support athletic activities at AGRHS.

Squash fans converge

LENNOXVILLE — The first Quebec Junior and Juvenile Closed Singles Squash Championships were held on the Bishop's College School courts Saturday and Sunday. Two consolation tournaments were run in conjunction with the main events, and the majority of the 58 matches were keenly contested.

Players from the Montreal Badminton and Squash Club and the Montreal Amateur Athletic Association joined members of the BCS Squash Club to make a total of 16 players in each section.

The finalists in the Junior Section, under 19, were Tom Lynch of BCS and Derek Demers of MBSC. Demers fought a skillful and fast match to the end, but was edged by Lynch who took the title by a 3-2 score. It was Demers, however, who played the more precise squash for much of the contest, but he was simply overpowered by Lynch.

In the Juvenile Section, under 16, Marc Lalonde of MBSC outplayed Graham Hallward of BCS in the final match to take the title by a score of 3-1. Lalonde, a fast-improving young performer, controlled the games with accurate and forceful cross-court play and some fine corner shots.

The tournament was organized by Kerry Martin of the Montreal Badminton and Squash Club and

was run without a hitch. It is hoped that the event will be repeated next year, with a possibility of developing into an annual fixture. With talent like that displayed at this tournament it is obvious that squash has come to stay in the Eastern Townships.

Much greater activity is expected in the next few months as a Laval University program begins to develop new players. The promise of a court in the new University of Sherbrooke sports complex should also add to the attractiveness of the game.

Results of the tournament were:

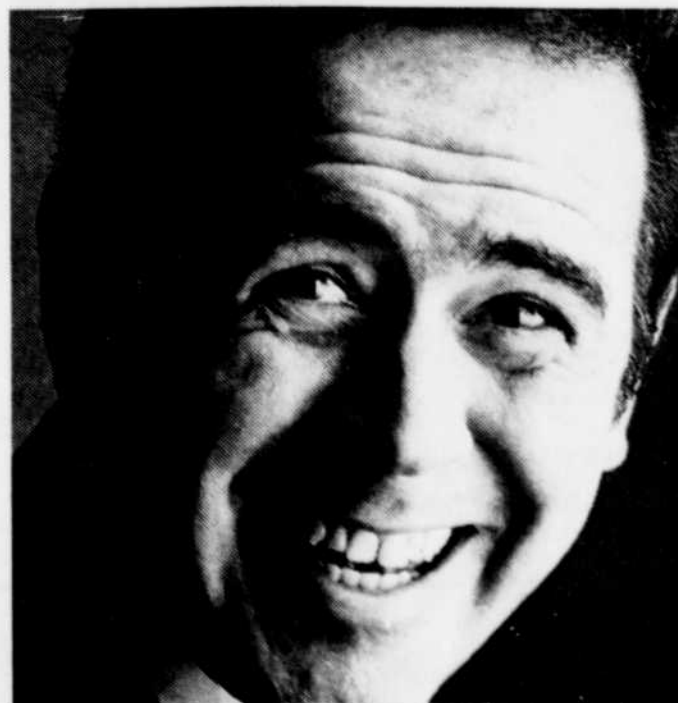
Junior — Tom Lynch, BCS, over Derek Demers of MBSC.

Juvenile — Marc Lalonde, MBSC, over Graham Hallward of BCS.

Consolation B — Junior event won by Robin Kaye, MBSC, over team-mate Jacques Ouimet. Juvenile event won by Bob Graul, BCS, over Jamie Goodall of MBSC.

Consolation C — Junior match won by Dave Ardill, BCS, over team-mate Peter Brooke. Juvenile won by Tim Price, BCS, over Keith Hutchins of MAAA.

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