

# Canadian cypher clerks involved in a KGB plot that failed

WASHINGTON (CP) — A hearsay story of a love affair between an unidentified Canadian diplomat and a Russian spy girl has been unveiled with the release of previously secret Senate testimony by a former Soviet secret police agent.

He also told of a plot to lure three young Canadian embassy girls to a romantic dacha outside Moscow. The scenario included a musician named Igor to serenade them.

The dacha scheme failed miserably. The only Canadian to enter the Soviet net, a businesslike first secretary, took no notice of the would-be spies who had laboriously prepared the setting.

As for the 1963 love affair with the unidentified first, second or third secretary, the former Soviet agent said he got the story second-hand from the girl involved and knew little about it although it, too, apparently was a failure.

Yuri Krotkov, who appeared before the Senate subcommittee on internal security under the name of George Karlin, told in recently-released testimony of a whole range of schemes to compromise foreign diplomats by supplying them and their

wives with attractive bed partners.

Karlin, a Soviet playwright, screen writer and radio correspondent, before he defected to London in 1963, said he was "co-opted" or recruited by the KGB-Soviet secret police—in 1946 while a correspondent for Moscow radio.

In testimony running for several days of closed hearings in November, he said the KGB "spent a lot of money and energy" on the "operation" against the young Canadian cypher girls of the Canadian embassy.

He was not sure of the names—"one

was Brown, I guess, another—I do not remember the name of the second one."

Karlin based much of his story on hearsay from other agents. But he was involved in the plot against the Canadian girls.

The KGB rented a dacha for him outside Moscow and rented another across the street. A Soviet woman employed at the Canadian embassy "was ordered to press the Canadian ambassador, the first secretary and the staff" to rent the cottage but they were not interested.

Later the KGB ordered the Russian woman to tell the Canadians she had rented the dacha herself and then invite them to spend their weekends there.

"The idea was this. When two Canadian girls, among others, would be there, then they would play probably ball or walk, to find a way to get acquainted with them."

A second Russian agent also was assigned to the operation. He was identified only as Schwartz and was to pose as a student friend of the Russian woman.

"It was very difficult" for the Russian woman—Karlin said he could not recall

her name—"to bring Canadians to her dacha...."

"They did not come for a long, long time."

"We prepared everything. Even one musician—what was his name—Igor, probably. The musician with the accordion came, you know, to entertain them to become 'friends'."

Finally some Canadians visited but nothing came of it.

"Then, Karlin continued, "by one of KGB's orders the Russian lady pretended

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## Soviets manned missile sites

CAIRO (Reuter) — President Anwar Sadat admitted Monday that Soviet troops were brought in to man Egyptian missile sites and said six of them were killed in a raid 20 miles south of Cairo.

## Archeologists find temple cornerstone

JERUSALEM (AP) — A cornerstone belonging to the wall of the Jewish Temple, destroyed by the Romans in 70 AD, has been discovered by archeologists, one of them claimed Monday.

The six-foot-wide limestone fragment bore an inscription which matches a reference to the temple in the works of Flavius Josephus, a first-century Jewish historian.

The find was reported to correspondents by Israeli archeologist Prof. Benjamin Mazar, who directed the dig at the Wailing Wall inside Old Jerusalem.

The inscription, cut into the rock, is: "The house of the blowing of the ram's horn...."

Mazar pointed out that Josephus, in his book The Wars of the Jews, talked of the defence measures used by the Jewish zealots against the Romans. He describes the corner of the temple parapet where priests blew the ram's horn to herald the start and finish of the Sabbath.

## Troops out of Ottawa

OTTAWA (CP) — Only a few of the troops called out in Ottawa at the height of the Quebec kidnap emergency two months ago are still on guard duty here, informed sources said Monday.

The remainder have returned to base, mainly at Camp Petawawa about 100 miles northwest of the capital. The motorized equipment which arrived with the troops also has been withdrawn.

Officials refused to disclose how many troops remain on special emergency duty. Their job is to protect VIPs, though just what categories could not be ascertained. At one time combat-ready troops were guarding cabinet ministers, diplomats and high public servants.

Troops were called out in Ottawa the night of Oct. 12, a week after the terrorist abduction of British trade envoy James Cross in Montreal and two days after the abduction of Quebec Labor Minister Pierre Laporte.

Mr. Laporte was murdered after a week in captivity. Mr. Cross was released by his captors early last month.

The number of troops assigned to guard duty in Ottawa was believed to have reached a level of at least 1,500 and may have been higher.

In addition to VIPs, public buildings also were guarded.

## Ferry heist plot believed

NEW YORK (Reuter) — United States Army intelligence agents spying on radical groups apparently took seriously an alleged plan to hijack a Staten Island ferry and order the captain to go to Cuba, the New York Post reports.

The story says agents assigned to a military intelligence group in Manhattan said a group called The Crazy's planned to board one of the ferries that ply between Manhattan and Staten Island and demand the captain to take them to Cuba.

"When the captain obviously refuses to do so, they plan to rush to one side and threaten to 'tip the boat over,'" the army report is quoted as saying.



HEADQUARTERS: Housed in this imposing new office building in Quebec City, the Quebec Health Insurance Board administers the controversial two-month-old medicare program. For a full report on medicare's effects in the Sherbrooke area, see page 5.

## For Laporte murder Charges laid against four

MONTREAL (CP) — Murder charges are to be laid today against four young men found criminally responsible Monday for the kidnap-killing of Pierre Laporte.

Jacques Ducros, special Crown prosecutor in the case, made the announcement after a coroner's inquest found the four responsible for the death of the Quebec labor minister, abducted by terrorists Oct. 10 and strangled a week later.

Named in the coroner's verdict were Paul Rose, 27, a former teacher; his brother Jacques Rose and Francis Simard, both 23 and unemployed laborers, and Bernard Lortie, 19, a student.

In Quebec, no charges are laid in cases of violent death until criminal responsibility has been determined by a coroner's inquest. Mr. Ducros told reporters the arraignments on murder charges would take place this afternoon.

None of the four was present when the terse verdict was handed down by Judge Jacques Trahan, who acted as coroner.

The verdict was reached after the reading of a statement, attributed by police witnesses to Simard, which said Mr. Laporte was strangled by the Rose brothers and Simard.

Cpl. Jacques Gaboury and Constable Marcel Vigneault of the provincial police testified that Simard made the statement in their presence Dec. 28, hours after he was arrested with the Rose brothers in a tunnel hideout under a farmhouse near St. Luc, 20 miles southeast of Montreal.

Simard made the statement voluntarily, they said, after being warned that it would be written down and might be used in court. He later read the completed six-page statement, but refused to sign it.

It stated among other things that "all three of us—Paul Rose, Jacques Rose and — strangled Laporte with the chain he was wearing" and that "we knew what we were doing."

"We were all equally responsible."

The statement was read into the record after the three recently-captured suspects refused to testify at the inquest, shouting slogans in support of Quebec separatism and the terrorist Front de Liberation du Quebec.

Lortie, the fourth suspect, did not appear Monday.

He was picked up Nov. 6 in a police raid on a west-end Montreal apartment and testified the following day, at the opening session of the inquest, that he and the other three kidnapped Mr. Laporte and took him to the bungalow in St. Hubert south of Montreal where he was held for a week.

But Lortie said he left the bungalow the day before the labor minister was killed.

This was in line with the statement attributed to Simard, which said Lortie left the kidnap hideaway Oct. 16, shortly after Mr. Laporte gashed himself deeply in an attempt to escape by diving through a window.

That was the Friday the federal government invoked war-time-style emergency measures to combat Quebec terrorism, resulting in the roundup of hundreds of suspected FLQ members and sympathizers.

"He was crying," the statement said of Mr. Laporte. "He wanted us to take him to hospital."

But the statement said the three decided to kill the labor minister, and indicated that they used the gold chain on which he carried a small religious medal around his neck.

The time of the slaying was not specified. A note signed by the FLQ, received on the night of the slaying, said the "minister of unemployment and assimilation" had been "executed" at 6:18 p.m. Oct. 17, exactly a week after his abduction.

The statement read by Cpl. Gaboury began with an account of a trip to Texas by Simard, the used the gold chain on which he

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## QUEBEC IN FOCUS

### Investigate foundry fire

STE. CROIX, Que. (CP) — Police began an investigation Monday into the cause of a fire at a foundry here Dec. 25 which caused \$250,000 damage and put 150 persons out of work.

The fire, which destroyed part of the foundry, came only three months after another fire which caused \$500,000 damage.

Experts from the Quebec Provincial Police arson squad and the Institute of Legal Medicine are conducting the investigation in this community 40 miles west of Quebec City.

### MUC fines first polluter

MONTREAL (CP) — A suburban St. Laurent apartment owner was fined \$25 Monday in the first court action under the Montreal Urban Community's anti-air pollution bylaw.

Teddy Nadel pleaded guilty to operating an incinerator which was not equipped with a dust remover and one or more booster burners to lower the discharge of pollutants into the air.

The bylaw, adopted last spring by the urban community which groups 29 Montreal Island municipalities for certain administrative purposes, gave apartment owners until July 1 to make necessary modifications to their incinerators.

Municipal court judge Raphael Beaudette assessed the minimum fine because, he said, the violation had been corrected.

### New grocery hours in effect

QUEBEC (CP) — Legislation extending the hours of grocery and food chain stores to 62 hours weekly came into effect Monday in some regions of Quebec but will not apply province-wide until October.

Food outlets in Quebec City and the Lac St. Jean region only are bound initially by Bill 24.

Other areas, such as Montreal, Sherbrooke, Ste. Hyacinthe and Drummondville, have their hours set by collective agreements with employees.

Once the contracts expire, at various times from March 31 to October 31, they are to be re-negotiated on the basis of a 62-hour week.

Under Bill 24, stores may open at 8:30 a.m. Monday to Saturday. Closing hours are 6 p.m. Monday to Wednesday, 9 p.m. Thursday and Friday and 5:30 p.m. Saturday.

At present, Montreal food stores are prevented by law from opening before 1 p.m. Monday and 9 a.m. the rest of the week.

Specialty shops such as cigar stores and florists were exempt from the restricted Monday hours.

### Seeks UN eligibility rules

QUEBEC (CP) — A Union Nationale party group, trying to draft Judge Claude Wagner for party leader, called Monday for an independent committee of the party to determine the rules of the leadership convention.

A spokesman for the committee said it would not invite any candidate until such a rules committee is formed, but would issue a brochure entitled "Why Wagner" at a rally here Jan. 13.

The party's executive council is to meet here Jan. 23 to discuss plans for the convention, called to elect a replacement for former premier Jean-Jacques Bertrand who has announced he will step down.

There are reports that the committee fears eligibility rules for leadership candidates will work against Mr. Wagner.

The judge was justice minister in the Liberal government of Jean Lesage and an unsuccessful candidate for the Liberal leadership won by Premier Robert Bourassa early in 1970.

The only declared candidate so far for the Union Nationale leadership is Mario Beaulieu, former finance minister under Mr. Bertrand.

## War Act repeal request would be viewed 'favorably' - PM

OTTAWA (CP) — Any request from the Quebec government for repeal of the stringent laws invoked against terrorism in the province will be studied favorably by the federal cabinet, Prime Minister Trudeau said Monday.

But any request for repeal would have to come first from the provincial government, as the principal interested party, he told a news conference after meeting eight influential Quebecers seeking repeal of the Public Order (Temporary Measures) Act, 1970.

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The act replaced regulations under the War Measures Act which were invoked Oct. 16 in the wake of two political kidnappings in Quebec.

Mr. Trudeau described his discussion with the Committee of Eight as very fruitful and sociologist Guy Rocher, head of the committee, said the two-hour talks were "very frank."

On the eve of his departure today on a trip to Europe, the prime minister again defended the need for invoking the laws which give police power to arrest without warrant and to hold suspects without bail.

"If we had remained inactive, if we had refused to invoke the War Measures Act and if there had been a death during the course of an uprising, at that moment we would have been blamed," he told reporters.

Besides Prof. Rocher, the committee includes Claude Ryan, editor of Le Devoir, Raymond Laliberte, former president of the 70,000-member Quebec Teachers Corporation, Vincent Harvey, editor of the magazine Maintenant, labor leader Jean Gerin-Lajoie, professor Fermand Dumont of Laval University, professor Charles Taylor of McGill University and economist Pierre Harvey.

It was organized following a December meeting of several hundred invited persons who called for repeal of the anti-terrorist legislation, the removal of the army from Quebec and access to bail for all persons accused under the emergency laws.

Since then, however, the army has pulled out, and Quebec Justice Minister Jerome Choquette has withdrawn his automatic objection to bail for most of the accused.

Kidnap victim James Cross has been safely returned.

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## Weather

A few showers or periods of rain this morning followed by a few flurries this afternoon and Wednesday. Winds westerly, strong and gusty. High today 35 to 40. Low tonight 20 to 25. High Wednesday 25 to 30.

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High school boy's essay on the midi skirt: "We can't appreciate the flower of womanhood when we can't see the stems."

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5—WPTZ Plattsburg  
TBA—To Be Announced

6—CBMT—Montreal  
8—WMTW—Mount Washington

## TUESDAY

- 6:00 p.m. Sports
- 3, 5, 8, 12) News, Weather, Sports
- 6) My Three Sons
- 6:30 p.m. NBC News
- Hourglass
- 8) Beat the Clock
- 7:00 p.m. CBS News
- Dragnet
- 8) To Tell The Truth
- Eddie's Father
- 7:30 p.m. Beverly Hillsbillies
- 5) Don Knotts
- 6) C.I.B.
- 8) Mod Squad
- 12) Mod Squad
- 8:00 p.m. Green Acres
- 3) Red Skelton
- 3:30 p.m. Hee Haw
- 5) Julia
- 6) Telescope
- 8) Movie: Alias Smith and Jones
- 12) Nashville North
- 9:00 p.m. First Tuesday
- 5) Store Front Lawyers
- 12) Johnny Cash
- 9:30 p.m. To Rome With Love
- 3) 60 Minutes
- 6) Tuesday Night Sparatrim
- 12) Barbara McNair
- 8) Marcus Welby, M.D.
- 11:00 p.m. 3, 5, 6, 8, 12) News, Weather, Sports
- 11:20 p.m. Viewpoint
- 12) Pulse
- 11:30 p.m. Mery Griffin
- 3) Johnny Carson
- 6) Local News
- 8) Dick Cavett
- 11:45 p.m. Teleplay
- 12) Movie: Curse of the Werewolf
- 1:15 p.m. One of a Kind
- 1:45 a.m. University of the Air

## WEDNESDAY

- 7:00 a.m. News
- 8:15 a.m. University of the Air
- 7:45 a.m. News
- 7:50 a.m. Local News
- 8:00 a.m. Captain Kangaroo
- 8) Farm Report
- 12) Miss Helen
- 8:05 a.m. Standby Six
- 8:15 a.m. Sandbox
- 8:30 a.m. Cattanooga Cats
- 8:35 a.m. Mr. Dressup
- 9:00 a.m. Mike Douglas
- 5) He Said! She Said!
- 6) Quebec Schools
- 8) Krazy Kat
- 12) HeeHuls
- 9:30 a.m. Movie: Game
- 10) Movie: Forty Guns
- 12) Magic Tom
- 10:00 a.m. Lucille Ball
- 5) Dinah Shore
- 6) Survival
- 12) Wild Whirl
- 10:30 a.m. Beverly Hillsbillies
- 5) Concentration
- 6) Friendly Giant
- 12) Pierre Berton
- 12:45 a.m. Chee Helene
- 11:00 a.m. Family Affair
- 5) Sale of the Century
- 6) Sesame Street
- 8) Movie Game
- 12) Manolesco
- 11:30 a.m. Love of Life
- 5) Hollywood Squares
- 8) That Girl
- 12) McGowan & Co.
- 12:00 p.m. Where the Heart Is
- 5) Jeopardy
- 6) Luncheon Date
- 8) Bewitched
- 12) Flintstones
- 12:25 p.m. News
- 12:30 p.m. Search for Tomorrow
- 5) Who, What, Where
- 8) World Apart
- 12) Movie: Six Black Horses
- 12:55 p.m. NBC News
- 1:00 p.m. Across the Fence
- 5) Now
- 8) Dick Van Dyke
- 11) My Children
- 1:15 p.m. Fashions in Sewing
- 1:30 p.m. As The World Turns
- 5) Words and Music
- 6) 55 North Maple
- 8) Let's Make A Deal
- 2:00 p.m. Many Splendored Thing
- 5) Days of Our Lives
- 6) Double Exposure
- 8) Newlywed Game
- 2:30 p.m. Guiding Light
- 5) Doctors
- 8) Dating Game
- 12) Jury Trials
- 3:00 p.m. Secret Storm
- 5, 12) Another World
- 6) Take 30

## WEDNESDAY

- 7:30 p.m. Musical Fantasy — Cinderella
- 3) Men From Shiloh
- 5) Singalong Jubilee
- 8) Eddie's Father
- 12) Sports Beat 70
- 8:00 p.m. CBC White Paper
- 8) Make Room for Granddaddy
- 12) NHL Hockey — Vancouver at Montreal
- 8:30 p.m. Governor and J. J.
- 3) Room 222
- 9:00 p.m. Medical Centre
- 5) Music Hall
- 8) Johnny Cash
- 10:00 p.m. Hawaii Five-O
- 3) Four in One
- 6) This Land
- 8) Judd
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- 12) Bateman
- 5) Gilligan's Island
- 6) Drop-in
- 8) Munsters
- 12) Lassie
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- 6) Wild Life
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# Scotstown social notes

Mr. and Mrs. John Morrison spent a recent weekend with Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Murray in St. Johns. They were supper guests of Miss Carol Murray one evening. Enroute home they called on Mr. and Mrs. Larry MacDonald in Farnham. Mr. and Mrs. Emile Pattermann of St. Bruno were also recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Morrison.

Mrs. D. D. MacLeod, John Murray, Mr. and Mrs. Keltin MacKenzie, and Shelley and Julie attended the wedding of Roger Stobridge and Sharon Fuller in Hardwick, Vt. on Dec. 12.

Canon W.H.M. Church and Mary spent a recent weekend in Napanee, Ont., and attended the wedding of Michael Church and Rosemary Robertson of Toronto which was held in the Anglican Church in Napanee. Canon Church, uncle of the groom, officiated at the wedding. Canon Church officiated at the baptism of his great-niece of Calgary, Alberta, who was, with her mother, a guest at the wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. Geoff Holland and family of Beaconsfield spent a recent weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Harvey MacRae. Ian Holland celebrated his fourth birthday on Sunday, Dec. 13. Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. MacRae were Mr. and Mrs. Emile Turgeon of Springfield, Mass., formerly from the Lingwick Road.

Mr. and Mrs. K.R. MacLeod, Mrs. F. C. Goodin, Mrs. Harvey MacRae and Fred MacLeod visited Russell Morrison at the Wales Home in Richmond one day and called on others at the home.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Parsons of Sherbrooke spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Parsons.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Aiken and family and Eunice Dougherty of Highwater were dinner guests of Eunice's mother and brother, Mrs. Earl Dougherty and Leland on Dec. 19. They were accompanied here by Mrs. Harold Aiken of Dunken, who visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Waldron.

Christmas Day guests of Mrs. C. M. MacRae were Mr. and Mrs. Robert MacRae and Paula Longueuil, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Hastings, Sherbrooke.

Messrs. John N. and Dalton MacKenzie were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander MacIver and family, Sherbrooke.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Nicholson, Milan, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Farrell, Sherbrooke, were Christmas Day supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth MacDonald.

Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Beattie, Kent and Lori, Lennoxville, spent Christmas weekend with Mrs. John D. MacDonald. Other guests of the MacDonalds on Christmas Day were Mrs. J. J. MacDonald, Angus MacDonald, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Couchman, Dell, Mrs. Kay Coates and Sylvia.

Mr. George Riglar spent Christmas weekend in Montreal with his family, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Collier, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Riglar.

Messrs. Tommy and Dannie Waldron, Montreal, spent the Christmas weekend with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Waldron, Mr. and Mrs. Duncan MacLeod, Milan, were Christmas Day guests of the Waldrons.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert MacDonald, Sandra and Bruce, Windsor, spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Ross MacDonald.

Mr. and Mrs. Don MacAskill and Amy, Brantford, Ont., arrived on Dec. 24 to spend the Christmas holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Bill MacAskill, Randy and Lori. They were accompanied here by Kenneth MacAulay who stayed with his mother and sister Mrs. Murdo MacAulay and Heather.

Guests of Mrs. Philip Boy on Christmas Day were Mr. and Mrs. Eddy Echenberg and Kathy, Sherbrooke, Mr. and Mrs. William Campbell and Gordon MacKav.

Mr. Philip Church, Montreal, spent Christmas with his parents and sisters, Canon and Mrs. W.H.M. Church, Lina and Mary, Miss Lina Church, student at Bishop's University, is spending her holidays at her home here.

Mr. Earl MacLeod, Sherbrooke, was a recent guest of Mrs. Angus Smith and Miss Maud Smith. He also called on Mr. and Mrs. Albert MacLeod.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Gordon Christmas weekend were Mrs. Angus MacLennan, Sherbrooke, Miss Pat Gordon, Calgary, Alta., Mr. and Mrs. Louis Allaire and Miss Barbara Gordon, Montreal.

Christmas guests of Mrs. Glen Coleman, David and Nancy were Mr. and Mrs. Earl Coleman, Mr. and Mrs. John Coleman, Mr. and Mrs. John Coleman, and family, Canterbury, Miss June Coleman and Doug Carey, Kingston, Ont., and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Coleman. On Dec. 26, guests at the same home were Mr. and Mrs. Nick Nicholson, Mary-Lou and Peter MacDonald, Sherbrooke, Miss Agnes MacDonald, Sweetburg, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hallee and family, Montreal, David Coleman from Charlottetown, P.E.I. is spending his holidays at his home here.

Christmas Day, Rev. and Mrs. Buchanan and family accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. William Buchanan visited Mr. Alex (Dell) MacDonald at Mr. and Mrs. Peter Clement's in Sherbrooke. Others at the same home from here were Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Parsons and Judy.

Mr. and Mrs. William Cohoon and Linda, Pointe Calire, Rev. and Mrs. Buchanan, Susan, David and Catherine left on Dec. 26 to visit friends they knew in Africa for a few days before returning to their home in Waterdown, Ont.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Hunting and family, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hunting, Huntingville, were Christmas Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert MacLeod.

Mr. and Mrs. Tracy Ray, Lennoxville, spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Burns MacDonald and family.

Mrs. Angus A. MacIver and John H. MacIver spent Christmas Day with Mr. and Mrs. Merlyn Coates and family in Bury. In the afternoon they accompanied the Coates to Sherbrooke where they visited Mr. Angus MacIver in the Youville Hospital.

Miss Helen Robidas, Montreal, spent the long weekend with her aunt, Mrs. Roy Desruisseaux.

Miss Flora MacAskill, Bury, spent Christmas Day with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Murray, Stanley Murray, Montreal, spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Murray.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gill and family, Huntingville, were Christmas Day dinner guests of Mrs. Susie Wannacott. On Saturday, Dec. 26, Debbie Gill came to spend a few days with her grandmother, Mrs. Wannacott.

Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Dunsmore, North Pembroke, N.H., who spent Christmas Day with their son-in-law and daughter Mr. and Mrs. Norman Simpson and family in Montreal, spent Saturday, Dec. 26, and were overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. Payson Sherman and John.

Mr. and Mrs. William Covey, Coburn Gore, Me., spent Christmas Day with Miss Lillian Matheson, Mrs. Melvin MacDonald and Donald Matheson.

Mr. George MacDonald, North Hill, Gould, spent Christmas Day with Mr. Albert MacLean.

Miss Mary Morrison and Peter Hutchison, Quebec, spent a day with Mr. and Mrs. Donald Morrison and Bonnie, Miss Jane Edwards and Donald Morrison, Jr., Ottawa, Ont., spent the Christmas weekend at the same home.

Miss Clare Verlinden and Jimmy Matheson, Sherbrooke, spent the holiday weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Martin Matheson and Bruce.

Mr. and Mrs. Casey Sanders, Montreal, and Mrs. Frank Hurd, Cookshire, spent the long weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Basil Woolley. Mr. and Mrs. Sanders were accompanied to Montreal on Sunday, Dec. 27, by Mr. and Mrs. George Forbes and Roby who had spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. George Wells.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter MacKenzie, Diane and Scott spent a couple of days at Christmas time with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Quint, Portland, Me.

Rev. and Mrs. Ross Davidson spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. P. Corriveau at St. Magloire.

On Christmas Eve several sick and shut-ins were pleasantly surprised by the members of the Young People's Association singing carols. All who heard them appreciated it very much. Rev. and Mrs. Davidson are to be congratulated on the fine work they are doing with this group.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Smith, Chalk River, Ont., are spending the Christmas holiday week with Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Smith and their daughter Karen who has been spending some time with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Smith.

Mrs. C. M. MacRae has returned home after spending some time in Cookshire at the home of the late Mr. John French.

Messrs. Stanley Beerworth and Armand Grenier, Coaticook, were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Ladd on Sunday Dec. 20 after Mr. Beerworth had conducted the Christmas service in Chalmers United Church in Gouff. They also called on Mrs. Rufus MacLeod at the Scotstown Rest Home. Mrs. MacLeod returned on Dec. 19 to Scotstown after a few days in the Sherbrooke Hospital and is now residing at the home.

L. A. C. Larry Goodin spent a couple of days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mick Goodin before leaving by air for Baden, Germany. His wife had returned to Germany earlier in December. Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Goodin were Mr. Archie MacDonald, Cornwall, Ont., and Mr. Floyd Walker, Lennoxville.

On Wednesday Dec. 23, Dr. and Mrs. Dewar Scott left to spend Christmas with Mrs. B. H. Baker in Lennoxville; Mrs. John E. MacDonald is spending Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Alex Graham and family, Montreal; Mr. and Mrs. Harvey MacRae with Mr. and Mrs. Geoff Holland and family, Beaconsfield, Mr. and Mrs. K. R. MacLeod with their four daughters, sons-in-law and families in Montreal; Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Ladd went to Ottawa, Ont., for Christmas with Corporal Gerald and Mrs. Ladd and family.

Rev. and Mrs. Norman Buchanan and family, Waterdown, Ont., arrived on Dec. 23 to spend the Christmas holiday with Mr. and Mrs. William Buchanan.

Mr. and Mrs. Luc Valcourt, Lynn and Suzanne of Lachenaie, arrived on Dec. 24 to spend Christmas holidays with Mrs. Valcourt's mother and brother, Mrs. Earl Dougherty and Leland.

Mrs. Angus MacLennan, Sherbrooke, arrived on Dec. 23, to spend several days during the holidays with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Gordon. All are pleased that Mrs. MacLennan is now very much improved in health.

## Guild ladies donate money

STANSTEAD — The Christ Church Christmas meeting was held the evening of Wednesday, Dec. 9, at the home of Rev. and Mrs. R. W. Peirce in Stanstead.

Mrs. Peirce, president, opened the meeting by reading the Christmas story of the birth of Christ in Bethlehem.

The routine reports which followed noted the Christmas sale and tea of Dec. 5 was another successful project, with over \$400 realized.

A vote of thanks was given Mrs. Peirce to the committee and all who assisted them, also to John Smith who collected evergreens for Mrs. Kay Miller to make Christmas wreaths sold at the sale, and to Mrs. Miller for making them.

The Thank Offering chairman, Mrs. Nellie Kezar, noted a sum of \$144.30 sent away. This is used through the diocese for mission support.

A sum of \$25 was voted towards the Sunnyside school hot lunch program for needy children.

Mrs. Leo Perrault reported for her family life program, and Mrs. George Hatch spoke about the church magazine, Living Message.

Mrs. George Millet, Mrs. Leo Perrault and Mrs. William Meade agreed to act on a nominations committee and bring in a slate at the January annual meeting. Mrs. Peirce also reminded all officers that their annual reports in duplicate should be brought in at the January meeting.

Following the adjournment the party took place. With Mrs. Alfred Middleton at the piano, everyone sang the lovely Yule carols and Christmas hymns, then listened to recorded Christmas music.

Buffet refreshments were served in the darkened dining room, lighted by a large Christmas candle in the table center. Mrs. E. J. Barnes and Mrs. R. J. Wells poured.

The hostesses were Mrs. Peirce, Mrs. Donald Prangley, Mrs. Lindsay Smith and Mrs. Edward Hyatt.

Guests welcomed by the group were Mrs. W. J. McIntyre, Mrs. Ruby Wilding, Mrs. Steve West and Mrs. Malcolm Molony.

## JACOBY ON BRIDGE

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Opening lead—♦ Q

The late George Kaufman was one of America's greatest playwrights. He was also an avid bridge player. He added many touches of humor to the game—not by his play—but by his remarks. When speaking of today's South, George remarked, "There are two ways to tell when he has a good hand. First, his face lights up. Second, he does something wrong with it."

There was nothing wrong with South's bidding, although his partner was nervous when he saw that South was thinking about slam.

His play to trick one was also correct. He won the diamond lead with his ace. Trick two was a different story. He led a spade to dummy's king. At this point the contract had gone to that land from whence no traveler returns. The combination of the sure trump loser and four hearts to the king-queen in the West hand was too much for him.

Let's see how he could have made the hand. He should take his ace of spades at trick two. Then he should follow up by playing ace and 10 of hearts. West would be in with the queen and would play the jack of diamonds. South would now lead a jack of hearts from dummy. East would discard his last diamond. West would have nothing better to do than to take his king and lead a third diamond. South would ruff that, enter dummy with the king of trumps which had been preserved for that very purpose and discard his six of clubs on dummy's nine of hearts.

Suppose trumps and hearts broke some other way. Just check the possibilities. As long as trumps don't break 4-0 the hand is home.

## LAWRENCE E. LAMB, M.D.

### Blood Clots in Arteries, Veins Vary in Effects

By LAWRENCE E. LAMB, M.D.



Dear Dr. Lamb—Could you tell me what causes blood clots? If the blood clot should lodge in the brain and there is surgery, is there a danger of recurrence? Could you mention a few preventives if there is a danger of this recurrence?

Dear Reader—Blood clots form in the body from slowed circulation (stasis)—which can occur in the legs after an operation or from an inflammation or an area of injury. They can form in the heart from a heart attack, adjacent to the damaged inner muscle surface of the heart chamber. They can also develop around an artificial valve that has been put in the heart or as a result of heart surgery.

Most blood clots form in the veins and the legs are a favorite place for them. The clot is sometimes released and passes through the veins to the right side of the heart.

The clot moves with the circulation through the right heart and lodges in the lungs. We call this a "pulmonary embolus." This causes chest pain somewhat like a heart attack and can cause breathlessness and sudden death. Powerful reflex mechanisms can cause the heart to beat abnormally. The patient may go into shock. Sometimes we have trouble telling the difference between a pulmonary embolus and a heart attack.

Clots that form in the veins almost never go to the brain. The simple reason is they can't get through the lungs and back to the left heart to be pumped out in the arteries. There are a few very rare exceptions. Most clots in the brain come directly from the left side of the heart and are pumped through the arteries to the brain. This means the patient has to have a disease involving the left heart, like a heart attack or heart surgery.

Sometimes clots formed in the arteries in the neck, leading to the brain, are removed surgically. Actual surgery within the skull to remove clots is rarely done and only in selected cases.

Whether one clot in the brain will be followed by others depends on what caused the first one. If the individual has a lot of disease of the arteries in the brain, it is possible that other clots will develop.

There are medicines that help to prevent clot formations. We call them anticoagulants—substances to keep the blood from coagulating. These are also used in heart attacks to prevent the formation of clots in the heart and help to prevent formation of a new clot in the arteries to the heart muscle. They are also used in patients after heart operations and in patients who develop clots in their legs from any cause.

There is some disagreement on how useful these medicines are. Most heart specialists do use them at least during the early phase of the heart attack and until the patient is up and about.

Dear Dr. Lamb—I am 42. My baby is six and we badly want another child. We have tried for a year. The doctor says there is no reason why I can't have another baby. Is there any medicine I could take?

Dear Reader—Yes, there are new medicines that increase a woman's fertility. Some of the multiple births reported in recent years are the result of such medicine. Even so, it's not that simple. It takes two to tango. The best advice I can give you is that both you and your husband have a fertility study.

## ASTRO-GUIDE By Ceean

Wednesday, January 6

### The Day Under Your Sign

**ARIES** (Born March 21 to April 19) — Both the old and the new are under fine aspects. Cement old ties, reach new understandings; plan future.

**TAURUS** (April 20 to May 20) — Dubious ventures frowned upon but you are in a daring mood and ready for anything. Be cautious.

**GEMINI** (May 21 to June 21) — Decisions you make now will influence you for some time to come so proceed very slowly.

**CANCER** (June 22 to July 21) — If you set a new goal for the new year, seek ways to proceed productively. Success denoted.

**LEO** (July 22 to Aug. 21) — Happiness with the one you love is accentuated in most Leo charts. Do your part to maintain harmony.

**VIRGO** (Aug. 22 to Sept. 22) — You could speak out of turn under present rays and what you say could backfire at a later date.

**LIBRA** (Sept. 23 to Oct. 22) — Romantic interests highlighted. Come to an understanding with loved one. It will be a matter of give and take.

**SCORPIO** (Oct. 23 to Nov. 21) — Control your enthusiasm until you have more information, which may not be available to you just yet.

**SAGITTARIUS** (Nov. 22 to Dec. 21) — Instead of finding fault, try to see the positive side of people and situations. Avoid negativism.

**CAPRICORN** (Dec. 22 to Jan. 20) — Don't allow private worries to absorb you at the expense of relationships with those outside the family.

**AQUARIUS** (Jan. 21 to Feb. 19) — Help someone who is in difficulty — not for reward but just for the pleasure it gives you to do it.

**PISCES** (Feb. 20 to Mar. 20) — Try not to get involved in matters that do not concern you. Don't talk Act. But on your own affairs.

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## Assorted Americana

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- 1 Arizona
  - 5 — Bless America"
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  - 11 Does wrong
  - 12 Girl's name
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  - 14 Turkish standard
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  - 17 Spanish article
  - 18 Female sheep
  - 19 Greek letter
  - 20 37th U.S. president
  - 22 Roman
  - 23 U.S. president
  - 24 Uproar
  - 25 Unit of weight
  - 26 Seize
  - 27 Suddenly
  - 28 Evergreen oak
  - 30 Ceases to be
  - 31 Lifetime
  - 32 Crew (pl.)
  - 33 Cant to one side, as a ship
  - 34 — Day
  - 35 Timely
  - 36 Swiss river
  - 37 Epoch
  - 38 — Harbor
  - 40 18th U.S. president
  - 42 Cover
  - 43 Sweet fruit
  - 44 Account (coll.)
  - 46 — way of life
  - 49 Buckeye state
  - 50 North American Indian
  - 51 2nd king of Rome
  - 52 City in Nevada
  - 53 — dog
- DOWN
- 1 Cure
  - 2 Acrylic fiber
  - 3 Future chief executive
  - 4 Doctrine in Islam
  - 5 Departed
  - 6 Limit (comb. form)
  - 7 Moistens
  - 8 Official song of nation (2 words)
  - 9 Before
  - 10 Marry
  - 12 Pine cloth
  - 13 Viper
  - 18 Eternity
  - 21 19 (Roman)
  - 22 Christmas carol
  - 23 Icelandic legend
  - 25 Rank of seats
  - 27 Entreat
  - 28 Mischievous child
  - 29 Bound
  - 30 New
  - 33 29th U.S. president
  - 34 Rod used in billiards
  - 37 Unit of energy
  - 39 Ventilator
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  - 41 19th-century French historian
  - 43 Celebrity
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  - 46 Tough-wooded tree
  - 47 Chinese Communist
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## Papal assailant says attempt only symbolic

MANILA (AP) — Bolivian painter Benjamin Mendoza y Amor said Monday that he pressed the point of his knife twice against the throat of Pope Paul "very soft" Nov. 27, but that he only wanted to slay the Roman Catholic pontiff "symbolically."

Speaking in English with a Spanish accent, Mendoza told reporters in a courtroom that he lunged at the Pope to demonstrate his anguish at religion and witchcraft.

The 35-year-old artist, whose trial was adjourned until Jan. 13, has pleaded not guilty to a charge that he tried to murder the pontiff when the latter arrived here Nov. 27 on his tour of Asia. His lawyer said earlier that the defence would be insanity.

The first witness, Jolly Bugarin, director of the Philippines National Bureau of Inves-

tigation testified Monday that he saw Mendoza approach the Pope a few minutes after he arrived in Manila and strike him twice in the chest with the knife.

The trial judge ruled Monday that Mendoza could stand trial. A court-appointed psychiatric panel has yet to complete its study, however, and could still rule him mentally incapable of being tried.

Mendoza told reporters that as he approached the 73-year-old Pope at Manila airport, "I was holding a large engraved knife and I guess I shouted 'down with superstition'—something that way."

Asked the purpose of the attack, Mendoza unravelled a long and frequently incoherent reply. It concluded with "it is time not to take any more without a demonstration."

## Trudeau starts Asian trip today

OTTAWA (CP) — Prime Minister Trudeau sets out on a 3½-week Asian trip today, centred on the Commonwealth heads-of-government conference at Singapore Jan. 14-22.

The hotly-disputed question of British arms sales to South Africa is expected to dominate the Singapore meeting, along with the troublesome issue of Rhodesia.

Mr. Trudeau has called the arms issue one of the greatest threats the multi-racial Commonwealth has faced.

Prime Minister Edward Heath, here earlier this month for private talks with Mr. Trudeau, indicated his government was leaning strongly towards

lifting the arms embargo imposed by an earlier British government six years ago.

Some African leaders have indicated that an arms-for-South Africa policy by Britain would force them to leave the Commonwealth.

Mr. Trudeau has talked of using the Singapore conference to find an accommodation on the question and preserve the integrity of the Commonwealth.

However, he and Canadian officials have been vague on what kind of accommodation might be possible.

Most observers believe the search for a way out of the impasse will be extremely difficult since both Britain and African Commonwealth members have taken strong positions.

Canadian sources have referred to the possibility of alternatives to the British plan for equipping South African maritime forces to help guard the vital Cape of Good Hope shipping route against Russia's naval buildup in the Indian Ocean.

Again, however, they have been vague on details. Any Canadian proposals apparently do not include the possibility of a Canadian military contribution to the defence of the sea lanes.

An idea reported being considered at Commonwealth headquarters in London involves designation of Britain, Australia, New Zealand, Malaysia and Singapore to watch over Indian Ocean security.

The problem of achieving an understanding regarding security arrangements—or even discussing them—is complicated by the fact that most African and Asian members of the 31-nation Commonwealth are nonaligned.

**RHODESIA STILL THORNY**  
The simmering Rhodesia question is regarded here as still potentially dangerous to the survival of the Commonwealth.

Rhodesia unilaterally declared its independence from Britain in 1965. Like South Africa, it has a predominantly black population ruled by whites.

At the last Commonwealth prime minister conference two years ago in London it was unanimously agreed that the seizure of power by Rhodesia's white minority could never be recognized or tolerated.

Rhodesia has been a source of constant friction between Britain and black African leaders, many of whom feel Britain is not doing enough to bring down the rebel government of Premier Ian Smith.

Mr. Trudeau has scheduled a news conference prior to his departure today for Pakistan, first stop on his five-nation trip. Other stops will include India, Ceylon and Indonesia in addition to Singapore.

### HERE & THERE

**SHERBROOKE** — Dr. Thomas Ritter, of the Sherbrooke University Medical Centre, associate professor in the department of rheumatology, will give a lecture on Rheumatoid Arthritis at the interim session of the American Rheumatism Association, in Washington, D. C. on Thursday.

Dr. Ritter, born in Lausanne, Switzerland, is the author and co-author of several publications.

## Disaster traced to youth

LONDON (Reuter) — A boy who got his coat stuck over his head may have caused Britain's worst soccer disaster, a member of Parliament said Monday.

Labor MP John Rankin, whose Glasgow district includes Ibrox Stadium where 66 persons were killed Saturday, told the story of the boy to reporters.

"A friend of mine said eyewitnesses told him they had seen a boy of about 12 or 14 making his way to the top of Stairway 13 just as Celtic scored their 89th minute goal," he said.

"He was struggling to put his coat on and just as he reached the top of the steps, Rangers scored.

"He was heard to shout 'It's a goal' and people around him saw him thrust both hands in the air. Somehow as he brought them down he pulled his coat down over his head and this blinded him.

"He missed his step and fell and those behind him, although they tried to avoid him, tripped as well." Rankin and other MPs are demanding a full-scale inquiry into the disaster.

### Bedford

Mrs. E. F. Draper went to Hamilton, Ont., to spend Christmas with her son and daughter-in-law, Dr. and Mrs. Dennis Draper.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Emile Bedard spent a recent weekend visiting Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Couture in South Charleston, N.H. Mr. and Mrs. Bedard also visited friends in Keene, N.H.

Mrs. G. A. Caron of Montreal was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Muncaster while in Bedford, called by the death of her aunt Mrs. C. O. Jones.

David Kirwin of Calgary, Alta., was with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Kirwin.

Charles Bedard is leaving for Miami, Fla., where he will spend the remainder of the winter. Prior to leaving, Mr. Bedard visited his sister, Mrs. Andre Poissant in Napierville, and his daughter, Mrs. Claire Couture in South Charleston, N.H.

Miss Pam Davidson, who is attending McGill University, and Jimmie Davidson of Montreal were with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Davidson, for Christmas. Miss Jessie Cockerline of St. Lambert is with her sister Miss Margaret Cockerline for the holidays.

## City Council

# Rail service sought for park

By DAVID MAGIL, SHERBROOKE

Sherbrooke's streamlined municipal council held the first of its bi-monthly public meetings last night. Unfortunately, it played to an almost empty gallery consisting of two concerned citizens who didn't utter a sound throughout.

Nevertheless, it did spend a productive evening.

The meeting was highlighted by the unanimous adoption of a resolution asking provincial Roads Minister Bernard Pinard

to construct railway tracks to serve the city's industrial park near the recently-announced King Street West interchange.

In addition, the aldermen approved structures and by-laws for the revamped council. Most important changes in the streamlining are the delegation of more responsibility to city departments, an increase in the powers of the municipal manager and a shifting within the city clerk's office.

Clerk Henri-Paul Emond will become assistant clerk while assistant municipal manager

Robert Belisle will assume the position of clerk.

The resolution for the railway tracks at the King Street West interchange is only the first of city statements of disengagement with Roads Minister Pinard's announcement here two weeks ago. The reasons for the demand, as stated in the preamble to the resolution, are that simultaneous construction of the two projects will result in lower costs than if they were to be built separately, that the project will further help to relieve unemployment within the

Sherbrooke area, that the railroad line is indispensable to the development of the city's industrial park and that Canadian Pacific Railway has already agreed to the city's plans.

Roads Minister Pinard and Sherbrooke MNA Jean-Paul Pepin were unavailable for comment after the council meeting last night.

In regard to Mayor Marc Bureau's pet project of municipal administration reorganization, it was known before last night's meeting that there would be two commissions instead of the previous ten and that these commissions would meet simultaneously each second Monday night.

Mayor Bureau elaborated on the structures and the reasons for their implementation. He claimed the existence of the two committees, the first named Administration and Development and the second Public Services, would result in a much more efficient council not saddled with work which should have been done by the originating department. He said council would now be able to deal with matters which really deserved their attention while leaving most of the administrative tasks to those appointed to carry them out.

The mayor announced creation of some posts to help the reorganization along while at the same time announcing changes in existing offices.

A public relations director is to be appointed, the post of assistant municipal manager will disappear, a specialist in task evaluation is to be hired, and the job of treasurer is to become a much more administrative post.

Municipal manager Richard Fabi will now be responsible for all administrative services and report on them to council. He will function according to article 109 of the Cities and Towns Act which makes the municipal manager a combined manager, treasurer, comptroller and clerk. Though responsible for all these areas, Mr. Fabi will determine with clerk Robert Belisle and Treasurer Olivier Routhier exactly what the extent of their respective responsibilities will be. The administrators themselves will decide what

their duties are, not council, Mayor Bureau said.

The switch within the clerk's office comes about as a result of an increase in the duties of the office necessitating the existence of two clerks. Mr. Bureau explained that Mr. Belisle had previously been carrying out many of the duties he is to perform while within the municipal manager's office.

The mayor said the exact nature of each post and department will evolve as the reorganized council swings into action.

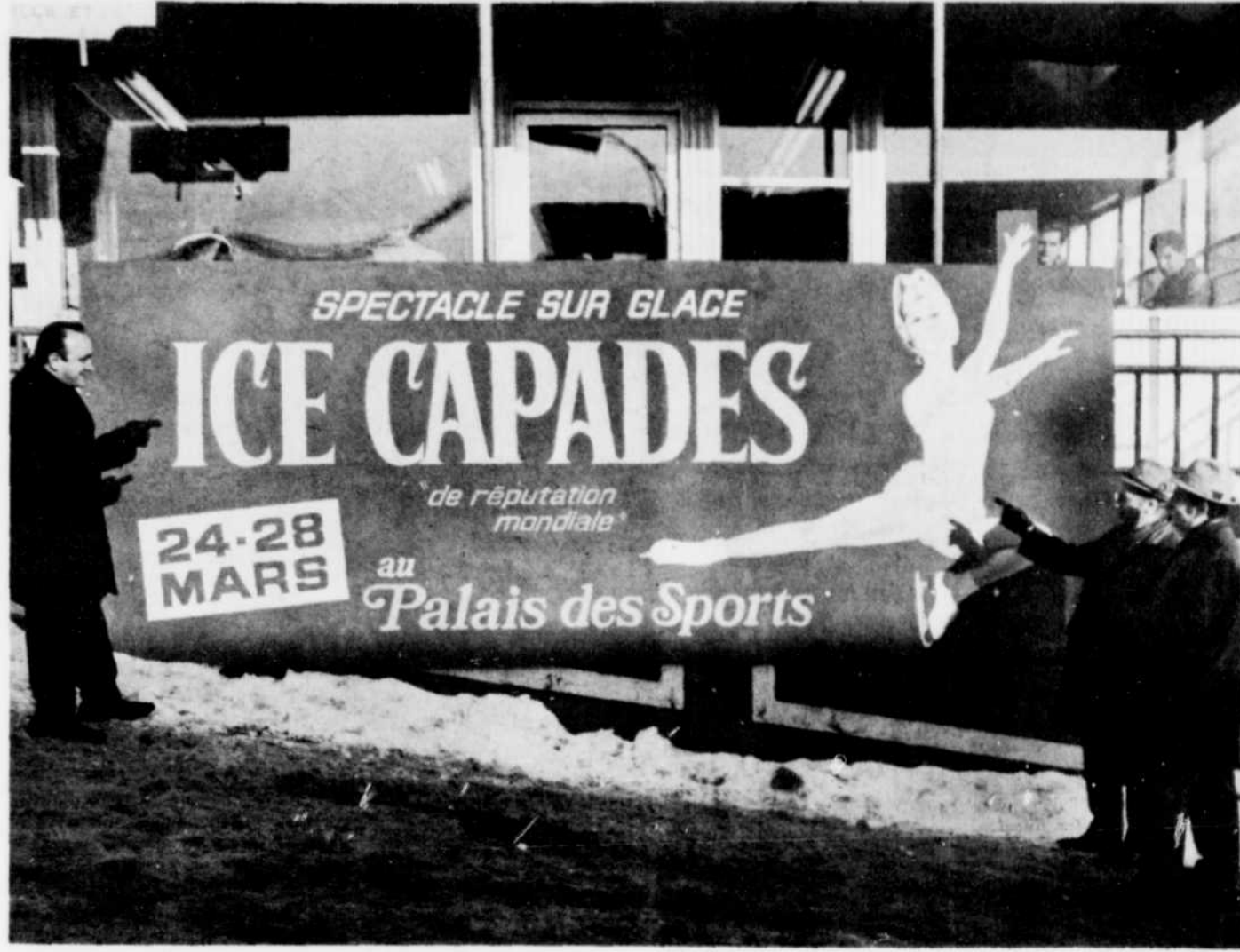
In addition, he announced that Aldermen Rosaire Couët, Carl Camirand, Luc Lamoreux, Gerard Deziel and Romeo Bergeron will man the Administration and Development Commission while Aldermen Antonio Pinard, Romeo Quintal, Bernard Matte, Roger Gingues and Raymond Bergeron will be on the Public Services Commission.

The clerks will serve as secretaries for the two commissions.

**CITY HALL MARKS** — Council agreed to the suggestions of Town Planner Maurice Bourque that two applications for re-zoning be refused. Council received a letter from the St-Francois Citizens committee which stated the wish "that the co-ordinator who is to be hired for the (St. Francois Urban renewal) project be fair and able to deal with citizens of the ward." Ald. Romeo Quintal will represent the city at a meeting regarding the improvement of Route 1 Jan. 15 in Orford and is to report back to council. Mayor Bureau has promised members of the fourth estate a briefing on those weeks when council does not sit publicly. Ald. Carl Camirand is to be pro-mayor for the next three months.

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**ICE CAPADES PREMIERE** — The Knights of Columbus will sponsor the premiere performance of the Ice Capades at the Sports Palace March 24 at 8 p.m. Reservations are being accepted at 569-9217, 562-2552 or 562-1322. Ticket prices range from \$2.50 to \$4.50.

## Lennoxville Council

# End to school tax surcharge

LENNOXVILLE (PK) — Council announced a reduction in the school tax and plans for a new radio communications system and a home for the aged at its regular monthly meeting last night.

It was announced that the additional 3.9 mill school tax levied last year because of a budgetary deficit would be

removed and taxpayers would once again pay only the base rate of 19 mills. Although the school commission levies the tax, it is collected by the municipality.

Lennoxville will be connected with other Eastern Townships cities by a new radio communications system, as part of a civil defence program.

Possibly in operation by the summer of this year, the system would be used in cases of civil emergency. It is being organized by the emergency measures organization in Sherbrooke.

Council also announced its support for the provisional committee in charge of making preliminary plans for a home for the aged in Lennoxville. Ald.

Mitchell reminded council members that none of them are getting any younger.

In other council business, Police Chief Russell Wells announced that police received 1,262 phone calls last year. Mayor Cecil Dougherty asked what was officially considered a phone call. Chief Wells could not define this exactly, but said most came from other police departments.

Chief Wells also said there were 470 violations of the law in 1970, about the same as in 1969.

After lengthy discussions, council decided the police department was responsible for installation of flares in front of the Dog House snack bar on the highway to Sherbrooke, since the road damage there is a hazard to motorists.

Chief Wells suggested that the flares be "overhauled" and also said the town did not have any red flags or slow signs that he could find. The mayor suggested he make a formal application to get some.

## Feels Hanoi unlikely to make more concessions

TORONTO (CP) — A CBC television correspondent who was allowed to film a Christmas interview with American prisoners in North Vietnam said Monday night he thinks the interview was an attempt by Hanoi to "de-escalate" the emotion surrounding prisoners of war.

Michael Maclear was allowed into a North Vietnamese POW camp and interviewed two naval officers under what he called

"rigid conditions." His film touched off a controversy in the United States.

He said he had the feeling Hanoi was indicating it would not make any more concessions on the POW question.

"They are saying, perhaps, put this aside now and get on with the talks in Paris."

Mr. Maclear said his later travels in North Vietnam, which will be the subject of a CBC-TV

## Unemployment benefits increase this week

SHERBROOKE (CJ) — Benefit payments from the Unemployment Insurance Commission are being increased by 10 per cent, effective this week.

The increases were announced Dec. 3, 1970, in the budget introduced in the House of Commons by Finance Minister E. J. Benson.

For more than half of all unemployment insurance claimants the increase means an additional payment of \$20 monthly during the winter months.

In announcing the increase last month, Labor Minister Bryce Mackasey indicated the 10 per cent supplement would place more than \$54 million in

purchasing power in the hands of unemployed Canadian workers.

New legislation governing unemployment insurance in Canada is expected to be effective by July 1, 1971. Under the proposals now under study benefit payments for workers with dependents would range as high as \$100 weekly.

Under the changes brought into effect this week, the minimum benefit for a single person would jump to \$14 from \$13 weekly and the maximum single benefit to \$46 from \$42.

For beneficiaries with dependents the minimum rate would jump to \$19 from \$17 and the maximum to \$58 from \$53.

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The spirit lingers on

The branches droop and the needles begin to fall in showers. The time comes now to remove the lights and bulbs and tinsel and dispose of the decaying tree.

Some have already done it. Others may postpone it until the Feast of the Epiphany, the traditional day in this province for dismantling the tree. But sooner or later the sad chore must be undertaken, and inevitably many while doing so will mutter to themselves, "If only we could keep the spirit of Christmas the whole year 'round."

All of us have expressed that thought at some Christmastime or other. Yet how many of us have examined what we were really saying?

It is to say, in effect, that for one day or some few days out of the year we are infused with feelings of kindness and concern and goodwill and love for our fellows and that on all other days we exhibit just the opposite of these qualities.

Is it really true? Do we really act so differently at Christmastime than we do during the rest of the year? How many of us are really as mean and petty and selfish as we seem to accuse ourselves and others of being, except in this brief season?

If we were, the state of the world, sorry as it may be, ought to be far, far worse than it is.

The fact is that we are neither as loving at Christmastime or as unloving the rest of the year as we believe we are.

To be sure, there is an elusive, indefinable, fleeting something called the spirit of Christmas, and it does inspire and enhance our best selves. It is, however, mostly a feeling of nostalgia for Christmases past, a focussing of all the expectations of all the Christmases we have known on Christmas present.

Neither the present with its nagging demands, nor the future with its uncertainties, can compete with the past. The past comforts, even if it is only the creation of our human capacity for selective memory.

But we cannot live in the past. Perhaps this is why we have a let-down feeling after Christmas and why we accuse ourselves, and the world, of yearly betraying its spirit.

The transformation of Scrooges by the magic of Christmas is as wonderful as it is rare. But it is only because real Scrooges are rare.

If we do not keep the spirit of Christmas as well as we could, it may be that we keep it better than we think.

Quantity over quality

One of the troubles with crusaders is that they have a tendency to fall prey to an excess of zeal and an accompanying lack of common sense. And in its campaign to force viewers with made-in-Canada content, the Canadian Radio-Television Commission is showing all the symptoms of this disease.

None will deny the sincerity or dedication of CRTC chairman Pierre Juneau in his belief that development of Canadian talent and its exposure on radio and television are of prime importance. Its weakness is that it is glib and incomplete. The development of Canadian talent and the exposure of Canadian talent do not necessarily add up to quality. Too often, they add up to the sort of current fair which forces viewers, who have the choice, to turn the knob from a Canadian station to one operating south of the border.

Experience has proved that there are Canadians who are fine performers and writers and have caught the public eye and that there are the production resources in this country which have led to programs of considerable merit.

But there have been some disasters, both on the public and private networks, some of which can be charged to the arbitrary CRTC's 60-per-cent Canadian-content order which seeks to equate quality with quantity.

While the need for providing exposure for developing Canadian talent is an important one, this talent must be good enough to merit exposure to a mass media.

But Canadians cannot be compelled to watch junk and there is a grave danger that bureaucratic efforts to control content in quantitative terms may succeed in alienating the viewer from any Canadian program, regardless of its quality.

And the folly of these regulations is evidenced by the probability that a brilliant non-Canadian children's show - Sesame Street - may have dropped from the Canadian air waves because of the CRTC ruling.



"But then - how do we know there ISN'T any mercury in his spinach . . . ?"

READER FORUM

Truth wanted

Sir: The police are to be highly congratulated for their work in running the suspected murderers of Pierre Laporte to ground; their perseverance in the face of almost unsurmountable odds should make one proud of having such a capable force in our midst.

Statements were made to the news media denying there were any deals made with the suspects but one has to question their credibility in view of the circumstances; it makes one wonder if names were not actually behind the delay in apprehension.

Here we have a situation wherein three men suspected of murder and found in a well-stocked tunnel beneath the cement floor of a house, with the only exit measuring 18 inches, completely cornered and at the mercy of the police, saying they would surrender without a fight if certain concessions were granted by the Quebec Department of Justice. Approximately three hours passed in surrender talks prior to their

voluntary exit and immediate arrest.

This would be understandable if Mr. Laporte was still being held but such was not the case; by their actions they forfeited any right they may have had and in no way were entitled to any consideration in this respect.

It would be interesting to know how a man, of any size, emerging through an 18" opening could, by any stretch of the imagination, come out fighting. One tear gas bomb dropped through the opening would have solved any problem - if there was any.

The people have a right to know the truth.

Yours truly,  
H. K. DAMANT  
Cowansville, Que.

Bureaucrats

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officials to arrange long weekends home and long vacations.

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They are linked in Quebec with Lotteries and Racetracks.

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Dissonant forces may sour economy

By CARL MOLLINS

OTTAWA (CP) - The Canadian economy enters the new year on a moderately upbeat note, but dissonant forces could sour the tune before 1971 is out.

Federal managers of the economy are caught in a dilemma typical in the post-war industrial world: How to keep productive activity and employment going full tilt while guarding against the excessive growth that causes inflation.

After two years of squeezing credit and spending in an attempt to throttle inflation, the authorities have relaxed that grip in an effort to cure the resulting productive slackness and unemployment.

As 1970 drew to a close, the signs were in conflict and the experts divided about whether the anti-inflation pressure had been relaxed by too little and too late to help this winter's jobless, or whether the easier regime would simply revive inflationary forces.

BENSON OPTIMISTIC

Finance Minister E. J. Benson was optimistic when he presented federal spending plans in a Dec. 3 budget designed to ensure that "the economic pickup in sight for the year ahead will be both strong and sustained."

He predicted that for every \$100 worth of goods and services produced in the last half of 1970, the country would be turning out \$108.50 worth in the second half of 1971.

He did not guess how much of the 8½ percent growth would result from price increases, but five percentage points of true growth would be considered healthy, with three or 3½ per cent of price increase.

"With continued good price performance," he said, "these figures imply an increase in real output that will be sufficient to reduce unemployment progressively throughout the year."

The forecast rests on good price performance-price inflation slowed to an annual rate of about three per cent late in the year from five per cent early in 1970 - and matching restraint on production costs. One cost factor-wages and salaries - continued to run ahead strongly in 1970.

"If we do not achieve the restraint of prices and costs that

we must have, we shall not shirk from action that may be required on that front," said Mr. Benson.

He was referring to the possibility of mandatory controls on prices and pay just a day after the federal prices and incomes commission had officially abandoned its efforts to make voluntary restraints work.

The turnaround in federal economic policy to easiness from restraint began half way through 1970. It followed almost two years of indirect curbs on credit and spending in the monetary manipulations of the Bank of Canada and a tightening of government spending signalled in a budget of October, 1968.

At first, expansion of the money supply through the banking system was forced by upward pressure on the Canadian dollar's trading value on international currency exchanges last spring.

That was generated in part by a boom in foreign demand for Canadian minerals, which had been scarce because of 1969 strike action; some recovery of world grain markets, and the fact that lower-priced cars in demand throughout North America included models made in Canada under the Canada-U.S. production agreement.

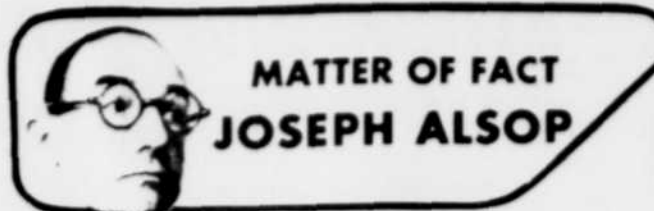
TRADE SURPLUS RISES

Canada's trade surplus mounted towards \$3 billion in the year as export sales expanded by 14 per cent while the value of imports was static.

The government borrowed heavily in May to meet demand for the Canadian dollar and to try to keep it within its fixed limits around 92½ cents U.S. That action tends to increase the capacity of the commercial banks to extend credit to finance investment in domestic production.

Federal authorities yielded to the pressure June 1 and permitted the dollar's exchange value to float upward, amid some criticism from international monetary authorities.

Continued federal borrowing - with resultant easier credit conditions at home - was necessary throughout last summer to prevent the Canadian dollar from exceeding parity with the U.S. dollar.



WASHINGTON - Both the country and the new Congress are likely to be astonished by the sheer innovating boldness of the core of President Nixon's next legislative program. If approved, it will change more things in more ways - and mostly very healthy ways - than any domestic proposals any recent President has put forward.

The suggestion that the President might request a value-added tax to raise more revenue has already been made by the astute David Broder of the Washington Post. That in itself will be a most radical though necessary new departure. But the requested new tax will be only one part of a three-part package, in which all three parts will be closely linked.

The second part will involve massive devolution, in areas like health, education, welfare, transit and perhaps many more, from the federal government to state and municipal governments and other appropriate local authorities, like school boards.

The condition-ridden, red-tape-entangled federal grants for these purposes will be converted into shared federal revenues.

There will be minimal strings attached, except that the state and other local governments will have to spend the shared revenues for the same broad, originally assigned purposes. The key decisions, as to how the money can be best spent, will thus become largely local rather than central.

The third part of the package, finally, will be a massive increase in the total of federal revenues to be shared in the manner above-described. This will be financed, in turn, by the imposition of the value-added tax, already mentioned.

The history of this remarkable, indeed near-revolutionary proposal begins with an exploration of President Nixon's "New Federalism" in the office of White House staff member John Ehrlichman. The first idea was simply to take \$27 million in the old "categorical grants," and to convert \$15.4 billion, or all that could be reasonably converted, into shared revenues.

In principle, the idea looked attractive, at any rate to the true believers in the New Federalism. In practice, however, it looked impossible. No recipient of any category of grant was to get more money. Huge bureaucratic interests were to be attacked head-on.

The number of federal bureaucrats to be left without jobs, for instance, was estimated at a whopping 90,000. But the certainty of violent opposition from many quarters was really no more than the beginning of the story.

The President's chief domestic counselors, George Schultz and Robert Finch, were quick to point out, with Ehrlichman's agreement, that the money-pinch had reached the point of acute crisis in most states, municipalities and other local government bodies. More money, much more money was desperately needed, they argued.

Besides handing out the money in a quite new way, it was therefore essential to hand out money far more generously.

The question then was how on earth to finance this sort-of really ambitious federal revenue sharing.

As long ago as late 1969, as then reported in this space, the imposition of a value-added tax had been strongly advocated.

Those in favor were the chairman of the Council of Economic Advisers, Paul McCracken, and an actual majority of the other leading figures in the fiscal-economic end of the government.

Even if the tax itself, as compared with the levels prevailing in Western European countries, for instance, the revenue from an American value-added tax can be as high as several tens of billions of dollars. It is also a form of taxation that causes far less economic drag and, above all, far fewer economic distortions than such direct imports as the personal income tax and the corporate tax.

The President had rejected the value-added tax in 1969, partly because Treasury Secretary David Kennedy was opposed to it, but mainly because of the opposition of the all-powerful chairman of the Ways & Means Committee, Rep.

Wilbur Mills. But now new needs, genuine, urgent, indeed essential to meet, were pressing in with fierce insistence.

In consequence, President Nixon bought the three-part package that has been summarized. The package had been bought, in fact, before the President's extremely astute replacement of Secretary Kennedy with former Gov. John Connally of Texas.

No one knew it at the time, but a main reason for the Connally appointment was the President's realization that the strongest kind of Administration pilot would be needed to carry the new package through a reluctant Congress. Altogether, though most amazing, all this is also very good news.



WASHINGTON - A lot of things were said in 1970 that people wish they could take back.

How would you feel if you were the person who said:  
To Walter Hückel, "Well, if you feel that strongly about it, why don't you write the President a letter?"

To Judge Carswell, "Even if they won't have you on the Supreme Court, you're a cinch to be elected senator."

To Sen. Charles Goodell, "The President and Vice President have to support you. After all you are a Republican."

To Bernie Cornfeld of IOS, "They can't fire you Bernie. It's your company, isn't it?"

To Howard Hughes, "You either do it my way, Mr. Hughes, or I'll have to resign."

To Secretary of the Treasury David Kennedy, "All we have to do is lay off people and we'll stop inflation."

To the president of General Motors, "The union will never strike. They need the jobs."

To the president of the United Auto Workers, "The company will never close down. They need the business."

To a general in the Pentagon, "There is no possible way of anyone finding out that we keep files on American civilians."

To former Gov. William Scranton, Chairman of the commission on student unrest, "Hey, why don't we send an advance copy of the report to Spiro Agnew?"

To Secretary of Defense Melvin Laird, "We think we've found the underground command headquarters of COSVN in Cambodia."

To Richard Nixon, "Mr. President, our people are absolutely certain they have found the command headquarters of COSVN in Cambodia."

To the American people, "We are going in to wipe out the command headquarters of COSVN in Cambodia."

To the president of the Penn Central Railroad, "Why don't we hire Mr. Nixon's old law firm to handle our deficit problems?"

To a publisher who turned down Dr. David Reuben's book, "Everything You Always Wanted to Know About Sex." "Boss, I don't see any market for a book of this kind."

To John Mack Carter, editor of the Ladies' Home Journal, "Sir, there is a delegation from Women's Lib outside, and I thought you'd like to talk to them."

To Henry Kissinger, "Henry, I'd like you to meet Jill St. John."

To former Polish party chief Wladyslaw Gornulka, "Why don't we raise the price of food before Christmas?"

To the president of the Shell Oil Co., "We have a small leak in one of our wells off the coast of Louisiana."

To Sen. Joseph Tydings, "Someone is on the phone, asking if you want to renew your subscription to Life magazine."

To Spiro Agnew, "Why don't you say you're sorry?"

To Atty. Gen. John Mitchell, "May I speak to your wife, please."



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# Fewer medicare problems than expected

## Survey shows claims slow being processed

By DAVID MAGIL  
SHERBROOKE — Medicare has been rolling for two months now, but it hasn't reached full throttle yet.

A survey by The Record yesterday revealed most Sherbrooke doctors are pleased with the plan, even though many of them have not received full payment for the claims they have submitted.

Sherbrooke hospitals report a general increase in the number of people at their out-patient clinics since the beginning of the program two months ago.

The volume of patients in doctors' waiting rooms has varied according to the individual doctor over the past two months. Some report that they have had many new patients applying for care, while others report a negligible increase.

In Quebec City, an official of the Quebec Health Insurance Board said the same problem encountered with the general public in setting up the plan is now being faced in respect to the physicians in carrying out the plan. The forms are not being filled out correctly and cannot be processed correctly by the board's computers.

As a result, there has been a slight delay in mailing out payments to registered physicians.

Quebec Health Insurance Board spokesman Serge de Larochelle attributed the inaccurately completed forms to medical secretaries' "lack of familiarity" with the computerized claim forms.

An outspoken critic of the plan before its implementation who hasn't received payment yet from the board concurred with Mr. de Larochelle and admitted his previously-held fears seemed to be unfounded so far.

Dr. James Ross of Sherbrooke Hospital told The Record confusion "is to be expected at the initial stages of any medicare plan."

He claimed only three of those on Sherbrooke Hospital's staff have not received payment to date, and even they have not been re-imbursed the full amount claimed.

Yet he is generally pleased with the plan so far.

He cited three encouraging actions on the part of the provincial government since implementation of medicare.

They are the repeal of Bill 41, which forced the doctors back to work early last November, the acceptance of the fee schedule originally proposed by the Federation of Medical Specialists as the basis for continuing negotiations between the government and doctors and the approval in principle of allowing doctors to determine and judge the standards of their peers.

Dr. Ross referred to the new fee schedule, which for the interim pays an estimated 80 per cent of the similar Ontario medicare levels, as being "a marked improvement" and a "rational" policy.

The only remaining major bone of contention between doctors and the government is the opt-out clause, under which a non-participating doctor can receive payments, but "in our area it is not all that important," the Sherbrooke Hospital physician said.

Dr. Ross's recent attitude is not shared by one of his colleagues, who asked to remain anonymous. "Something must be going wrong somewhere," he said, referring to the fact he has only received \$12 back from the board in two months.

"The government shattered the morale of the medical community by enacting Bill 41. It will take years to develop some sort of trust again," he said.

He claimed the out-patient clinic in his hospital had increased its volume drastically but hospital spokesmen were unable to say exactly what the increase had been over the past two months.

All other Sherbrooke area hospitals reported increases in the number of people treated at their out-patient clinics and a Hotel Dieu spokesman said their volume had increased 25 per cent.

The outcry against medicare has diminished considerably since November with the general practitioners,



ACTION CENTRAL — The computer room in the Quebec Health Insurance Board's headquarters in Quebec City is where all applications and claim forms are processed.

specialists, optometrists and oral surgeons agreeing to the plan. Forecasts of a mass exodus of qualified physicians from the province have not been realized. A recent Canadian Press survey showed that only a handful of Quebec's 5,900 doctors have made inquiries about job opportunities elsewhere, that 107 doctors — less than two per cent of the total — had served notice they wanted nothing to do with the plan and that 12 others have

taken advantage of the opt-out provision under which they are paid directly by their patients but the patient is reimbursed by the board.

The number of individuals applying for health care has increased since implementation of the plan.

All that is needed now is for the health board to work out the bugs in its operation and sign an accord with the general surgeons.

### Staff members enjoy Yule party

RICHMOND — Mr. and Mrs. Martial Dicaire were host and hostess at their home, Stanley Ave., on Saturday evening, Dec. 12, for the annual Christmas party given for the staff members of their department. Fourteen guests were present.

A social hour was enjoyed, chatting and reminiscing during which time a presentation of a gift was made from the staff

members and friends to Mr. and Mrs. Dicaire, with best wishes for a Merry Christmas.

The highlight of the evening was the exchange of gifts which were distributed by Mrs. Dicaire, as Santa who added some enjoyment to the party.

At midnight the guests repaired to the diningroom where a sumptuous buffet luncheon was served.

Mr. Dicaire, on behalf of Mrs.

Dicaire, and himself, expressed appreciation for the gifts and also expressed thanks to the members of the staff of the store for their splendid co-operation during the past year.

On departing, the staff members and friends expressed thanks to Mr. and Mrs. Dicaire for the wonderful party given and all joined in wishing them both a Happy New Year.

## THE PLOT THAT FAILED

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to be ill and someone called to the Canadian embassy. We hoped that they would come to visit her, and even we prepared a table with wines, in front of her dacha.

"But only the first secretary came. He came alone and he went through us. He spent half an hour with the lady and then he came back and even he didn't look at us and he went to Moscow.

"All that operation failed. ... I would say they were all right, these Canadians. They were human, God, but they were well instructed, I guess."

Karlin also told a story about a Canadian diplomat at the Moscow embassy but didn't know his name or whether he was a first, second or third secretary.

In fact he got the story second-hand from a girl who claimed to have had a love affair with the Canadian in 1963 before he was recalled.

The girl was Rita Prokofiev, who also used the code name Zoya.

She had mentioned to Karlin a "love affair" with a Canadian gentleman.

"I don't know really whether she said first secretary, but one of the secretaries of the Canadian embassy period," he said.

"I guess the Canadian secret service, when I defected, tried to understand who he was."

He testified that the Canadian bought a Volga car so as not to draw attention when meeting Rita. According to Rita, he said, they were in love and "the KGB wanted to do something but she told me at that time that they were all stupid, these people of the KGB."

He added:

"She said they did not trust her absolutely and therefore they wanted to control everything. The result was that the operation failed and the Canadian diplomat went back to Canada. He was married in the time she mentioned."

J. G. Sourwine, chief committee counsel, said: "You are telling us that there was no compromising pictures taken, that in this respect the operation was unsuccessful, is that right?"

Karlin: "I do not know anything about it. I only know what she told me. It wasn't this sort of indication; but probably she didn't tell me everything."

Karlin also testified that he attempted to go to Canada from England.

He said he passed every medical examination and "they told me everything is going well." He said he had a letter from the CBC—"they invited me to work in the Russian section."

But suddenly "something happened. ... I can guess what happened," he said without elaboration. "I got from the Canadian embassy (in London) the same answer I got from the American embassy."

Read into the Senate record was a June 20, 1966, letter from the department of citizenship and immigration of the high commissioner's office in London and signed by J. A. Hunter, officer-in-charge, London office.

It said without elaboration that "you are unable to comply with the requirements of the Canadian Immigration Act and regulations" and "in the circumstances, you should cancel any arrangements you may have been making to proceed to Canada for either temporary or permanent residence."

## INQUEST

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Rose brothers and their mother. On the trip, they heard a radio broadcast on the Oct. 5 kidnapping of British diplomat James Cross, released Dec. 3 after his terrorist abductors were surrounded by police and soldiers and decided to take advantage of a government offer of safe passage to Cuba in return for the envoy's life.

On hearing the news of the abduction, the travellers headed back to Montreal. The statement quoted Simard as saying that they stopped along the way so he could buy "wooden pistol-grips to modify M-1 rifles."

After they returned to Montreal, Simard bought two regular M-1 rifles, shortened the barrels, removed the rifle butts and mounted the pistol grips.

IDENTIFIES WEAPONS  
Cpl. Gaboury then said two modified M-1s introduced earlier at the inquest had been identified by Simard as the weapons used in the Laporte kidnapping.

He said he showed the guns to Simard Dec. 28, and Simard "recognized the work he did to modify the rifles."

Capt. Raymond Bellemare of the provincial police testified later that he found two regular M-1 rifle butts hidden between the ceiling and the roof of the St. Hubert bungalow Dec. 30, after the Rose brothers and Simard were questioned.

Cpl. Gaboury outlined a street-by-street route from the Laporte home in suburban St. Lambert to the hideout in St. Hubert, over which he said he was guided by Simard.

Capt. Bellemare said he was taken over the identical seven-mile route earlier by Lortie.

SHOUTS SLOGANS  
Simard was the first of the three material witnesses to appear Monday, and set the pattern of conduct on entering the courtroom when he raised his fist and shouted: "Vive le FLQ. Vive le Quebec libre."

After refusing to testify, he turned on his heel and left the room with a similar salvo of slogans.

Next to appear was Jacques Rose, who placed his hand on the Bible and said he would tell the truth but "as a prisoner of war."

"Ah, that," he said. "Yes, I refuse to answer that."

A smiling Paul Rose, still bearded and dishevelled like the

others, delivered the third refusal. "FLQ NOT DEAD" he shouted. "Long live FLQ 1971. 1972 and the rest of it."

Asked to place his right hand on the Bible, he turned his back on the judge and said he would address himself only to the courtroom audience. "We aimed straight and hit hard," he shouted as he was led away.

The statement read by Cpl. Gaboury said Simard and the Rose brothers made up the Chenier cell of the FLQ, which claimed responsibility for the Laporte kidnapping, and Lortie was a "stand-by" member.

None of the four was under the influence of "drugs, tranquilizers or anything else" at the time of the kidnapping "or at any other time," the statement said. "We knew what we were doing."

### L'Avenir

This district was deeply saddened by the recent death of Cecil Nedden of Melbourne, a well known livestock dealer. Sympathy is extended to his wife and other relatives in their bereavement.

Mr. and Mrs. Rosaire Bisailon have sold their farm here to R. Turcotte of Drummondville.

Fire destroyed the house of Mr. and Mrs. J. McMahon here on Dec. 10. The outbreak occurred at around 2:30 a.m. Mr. and Mrs. McMahon owned the property formerly operated by Mr. and Mrs. Elzize Gagnon of the second range - formerly known as the Henry Cote farm. The local fire brigade was called but upon arrival was unable to save the structure but concentrated their efforts in saving the barn which is only a short distance away. Mr. and Mrs. McMahon saved only a few articles. Fortunately no one was hurt nor was there any loss of life in the conflagration. The building was partly covered by insurance. The fire is believed to have been caused by faulty wiring.

Wayne Bogie of Pincoirt, Ile Perrot, spent a recent weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Bogie. Mr. and Mrs. Denny Armstrong of Montreal also spent the weekend at the same home.

The death of Charles Laine of Drummondville, formerly of this district. Mr. Laine operated a farm here alongside the local convent. Interment was held in Drummondville. Sympathy is extended the brothers Albert and Philip, residents of this region.

## 10 per cent of addicts under 12

TORONTO CP — One Toronto drug user in 10 is under the age of 12, according to a survey conducted by the North Toronto Youth Project.

The survey, submitted to the Le Dain Commission on the non-medical use of drugs, says that older teenage boys are the main users of drugs.

READ and USE WANT ADS REGULARLY

### Birth

STEELE, Jimmy and Lise of Pierrefonds, Quebec proudly announce the arrival of a daughter at the Lakeshore General Hospital on Dec. 31, 1970.

### In Memoriam

ROSS, Lewis H. — In loving memory of a dear father, grandfather and great-grandfather who passed away Jan. 3, 1966. Treasured memories keep you near. As time unfolds another year. Always remembered by CHARLOTTE HADDEN AND FAMILY ALICE & FAMILY Lennoxville, Que.

SAVERS — In loving memory of a dear husband, father and grandfather John Charles who left us suddenly on Jan. 5th, 1967. No one knows the grief we shared. When Christmas morn you were not there. The years go by it's true. But nothing is the same since we lost you. Sadly missed by ELSIE (wife) AND FAMILY Lennoxville, Que.

### Card of Thanks

GILBERT — I wish to express my sincere thanks to all my friends and relatives for the many get-well cards and also the Christmas cards I received. Many thanks to the nurses on the 2nd floor in the Sherbrooke Hospital for their wonderful care and attention. I wish to thank Mr. and Mrs. Albert Benney of Ayr's Cliff for a very pleasant Christmas and the little cardholders for their cards. Again many thanks for the lovely Sunshine Basket given to me at Christmas. Your many kindnesses are very much appreciated. HATTIE GILBERT Ayr's Cliff, Que.

MONTGOMERY — I wish to thank each and everyone who sent me Christmas cards expressing their sincere good wishes and the few others as well. Thank you all. ROLAND MONTGOMERY

YOUNG — We wish to express our sincere thanks to our neighbours, friends and relatives for their good wishes, cards, telegrams, plants, floral arrangements, and gifts which we received on our 40th wedding anniversary. Also Park Road United Church for the plaque commemorating the event. We thank you all sincerely. We also wish to thank our Quebec friends for their good wishes, cards and gifts which we received, making possible wonderful memories of our Diamond Wedding Anniversary. FRED & GERTRUDE YOUNG 23 Park Ave. East Grimsby, Ontario

### Pinnacle

The bursary given by the Quebec Women's Institute to the agricultural diploma course at Macdonald College was awarded to Edwin Baker, Mr. Walter Baker and Edwin's sisters, Ethel and Isabel, as well as cousin Bernice Huntin, were guests at the presentation and tea in Edwin's honor.

Mr. Walter Baker and son Edwin, as well as Mr. Roy Monahan, attended an oyster supper and IOOF meeting at the Lennoxville High School.

Mr. and Mrs. Brian Goulet of Brossard, Que., were recent weekend guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leland Gallup.

Miss Peggy Gallup of Montreal was a recent weekend guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Merrick Gallup.

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FORTIN, Jules — Suddenly at Quebec, beloved husband of the late Margaret Smith. Residing at 508 Main Street, Richmond, Que., in his 67th year. Resting at the J. H. Fleury funeral home, 198 Adam Street, Richmond, Que. Funeral service Thursday, Jan. 7, at St. Bibiane Church, at 11:30 a.m. Interment at Ste. Anne's cemetery, Danville, Que.

BURNELL, Elva — At the Sherbrooke Hospital, Sun. Jan. 3rd, 1971, Elva Davis, beloved wife of the late Osmond Burnell, in her 88th year, beloved mother of Clifford of Pointe Claire, Pearl (Mrs. Gordon Douglas) of Waterville, and Norman of North Hatley. Survived by six grandchildren. Resting at Wilson - Johnston Funeral Chapel, 705 Main St., Waterville, where the funeral will be held on Wednesday Jan. 6 at 2 p.m. Rev. J. Brooks officiating. Interment in Huntingville Cemetery.

CREASE, Annie — Passed away at the Sherbrooke Hospital on Jan. 4, 1971, Annie Trussler, beloved wife of the late William Crease, J. Burns and T. Winget and dear mother of Pearl (Mrs. George Twyman), Nelson Lawrence and the late Albert and Archie Winget, in her 81st year. Resting in the R. L. Bishop and Son Funeral Home, 76 Queen Street, Lennoxville. Funeral service on Wednesday, Jan. 6, at two p.m., Archdeacon T. J. Matthews officiating. Interment Malvern Cemetery.

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**PARTY DRESSES COMING BACK** — This late-day dress by Malcolm Charles features a black jersey top which bares the shoulders and a black, yellow and white surah print skirt. The high midriff is banded in gold braid and flower woven ribbon.

**School bids fond goodbye**

**DANVILLE** — The members of St. Augustine's Sunday School presented a program of short plays, recitations and carols in the church Wednesday, Dec. 16, with Mrs. Fred Mitchell acting as accompanist.

At the close of the program, Rev. L. G. Westman spoke briefly on the concert, and then went on to speak of the many contributions made by the Sunday School superintendent, Frank Davidson, and Mrs. Davidson to this worthy cause.

As the Davidson family are moving shortly to North Bay, Ont., Mr. Westman, on behalf of the members of the congregation, presented him with a card with a suitable sum of money enclosed, along with the best wishes of all for their happiness in their new home.

All then adjourned to the Parish Hall where alighted Christmas trees laden with gifts awaited them.

Within a short time, Santa Claus arrived to the delight of the children, and proceeded to hand out the gifts to them. Unfortunately Santa does not make too many calls in this vicinity, so it was a real treat for the small ones, who gathered around him with shining eyes. When all had received their gifts, Santa left amid many delighted calls from the children, and then all enjoyed light refreshments before leaving for home.

Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Duffy will replace the Davidsons for the remainder of the Sunday School term. Mr. Davidson felt that his Sunday School, of which he was just proud, would be in good hands and he assured Mr. and Mrs. Duffy that the present staff would do all possible to assist them in their new task.

The teaching staff of the Sunday School will enjoy a short holiday, as there will be no more classes after the New Year.

**EOS group holds meet**

**STANSTEAD** — Golden Star Chapter, OES, held its annual Christmas party on Wednesday evening, Dec. 16, in the banquet room of the Masonic Temple building in Stanstead.

The room was festive with red stockings hung over the fireplace mantel above the glowing fire, while in one corner was a pretty Christmas tree decorated with twinkling lights and colored Christmas balls.

The program included a reading, Christmas, by Mrs. Ivy Hatch. Three games were played, all quizzes conducted by Mrs. Margaret Black and Mrs. Lora Barlow.

Immediately afterward, old Santa Claus in a suit of red came with a bound and, after speaking to many of the fraternity, distributed the gift exchange from the tree, then with a "Merry Christmas" to all, was on his way again.

The men and women gathered around the long table for lunch. The table was festive with lighted red candles and holly. The goodies were in Christmas motif, served by the hostesses.

At the meeting held in the Temple Lodge room, Mrs. Helen Johnston was installed to her office of star point, Electa, by Mrs. Mildred Wheelock, PGM, assisted by Mrs. Violet Badger, grand instructor, as grand chaplain, and Mrs. Miller Adam, grand marshal.

Mrs. Badger had communicated to the secretary that her official visit to this chapter will be on Jan. 20, so the worthy matron, Mrs. Edith Selby, plans a rehearsal at the lodge hall on Jan. 11 at 7:00 p.m.

Plans were made for a public card party in the banquet room on Jan. 15 at 8:00 p.m.

**MCAS meeting names 1971 slate**

**BEDFORD** — The annual meeting of the Missisquoi County Agricultural Society was held in the town house, Bedford, when the meeting was opened by the president, Marc Ducheneau of Freleighsburg. The minutes of the last annual meeting were read by W. Hadlock of Freleighsburg. The financial statement was presented by the auditor of the society, L. Pare.

One of the chief items of business before the meeting was the appointment of the slate of officers for 1971, which is as follows: president, Dr. Erle Clark, Clareneville; vice-president, Sherman Young, Freleighsburg; directors, Mrs.

Edward Piche Jr., Stanbridge Station; Maurice Montagne, Bedford; Brent Chamberlain, St. Armand; Arnold Gilman, Clareneville; R. W. Craighead, Bedford; G. Lapointe, Romeo Guerin, Welland Hadlock, Freleighsburg; Clement Edoin, Bedford; and Ferme Fontaine and B. Gagnon.

A motion was made and passed that any director absent from three meetings from causes other than that of illness be removed from the board of directors.

The dates of 1971 for the Missisquoi County Agricultural Society's fair are Aug. 6-8.

**The pill**

**Women urged to consult their doctors yearly**

By **KEN KELLY**  
**OTTAWA CP** — Each time a woman buys birth control pills she should also get a pamphlet warning her of signs of potential trouble and emphasizing the need for continuing supervision by her doctor.

This is the recommendation to the government by a committee of medical specialists in a report tabled in the Commons. It says the risk to life is lower for users of the pill than for users of any other contraceptives or from no contraceptives at all.

However, the experts conclude that the lowest risk of all is male or female sterilization when desired family size has been reached.

Deaths per million women in the pill-taking group aged 20-44 is estimated at 21, well behind the five leading causes of death — cancer 306, accidents 291, heart disease 170, suicide 80, respiratory tract infections 33 — for women of the same age group.

**ADVISE ON SAFETY**  
The report is the final findings

of the group established by Health Minister John Munro early in 1970 to advise on safety and efficacy of birth control pills.

The experts reiterated their interim findings published last May that whenever possible doctors should prescribe a type of birth control pill that contains no more than 50 micrograms of the hormone estrogen.

This recommendation arises from a review of scientific studies that establish a relationship between blood clotting problems and use of the oral contraceptive.

The committee says additional evidence suggests the level of estrogen may be the factor determining the risk of such clotting troubles.

But it adds that more time and investigation will be needed to settle completely the dose relationship and these thromboembolic complications.

**50 MICROGRAMS BEST**  
Fifty micrograms of estrogen per pill is found by the committee to be the lowest dose that confers virtual certainty of contraception.

It says the risk of blood-clotting disease increases sixfold when women are pregnant or in the period after labor. It increases threefold for those on the pill when compared with non-pregnant women or those not using it.

The report examines and comments on a long list of other complications or possible complications including cancer, metabolic changes, failure to menstruate and infertility, liver function, blood pressure, depression and glandular functions.

It recommends a variety of further scientific studies and a whole series of actions by doctors, users, food and drug directorate regulatory officers and drug manufacturers.

The main one is aimed at drug manufacturers is the inclusion in each packet of pills of a warning leaflet for women, an unprecedented step for a prescription medicine.

The report says that since doctors are asked to prescribe the pill mostly for socio-economic reasons and not to

treat disease, it requires a decision by both doctor and patient based on the best information available to both.

**SUGGESTS WORDING**  
It suggest a wording for the cautionary statement to the women, indicating that complications can result from taking the pills, urging her to consult her doctor at least yearly and follow his instructions.

Immediate contact with the doctor is recommended for users who develop severe or persistent headache, blurred vision, pain in the calves of the legs or in the chest, menstrual irregularities "or other unusual symptoms."



**JUDY LYNN MORRISON** is the 10 month old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Garnet Morrison, Bury. She is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Morrison, Gould and of Mrs. D. Avon Dolloff, Fitch Bay and Lennoxville and the late D. Avon Dolloff. Judy is the great-granddaughter of Mr. John J. MacIver, Milan.

(Photo: Gerry Lemay Studio)

**HIGHLIGHTS**  
The Lennoxville Ladies' Curling Club is holding the first Tea and Bridge of the season today with Mrs. Philip Tinker as convener. Hostesses are: Mrs. Harry Thompson, Miss Frances Molony, Mrs. Cliff Beaudreau, Mrs. Charles Bleich, Mrs. Leslie MacLeod, Mrs. Arnold Price, Mrs. Norrey Hunting, Mrs. Len Loach, Mrs. Albert Raycraft, Mrs. Ralph Mosher, Mrs. Wilson Beattie and Mrs. Everett Denison. The pourers are Mrs. Ivan Saunders and Mrs. Hector McLeod.

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**Rebekah Lodgers look to new year**

**ROCK ISLAND** — Members of Crystal Rebekah Lodge met in the IOOF hall Tuesday evening, Dec. 8 for a chicken pie supper to mark the festive occasion of Christmas.

The table was decorated for Christmas and centered with a sugar house made by Mrs. Franklin Miller and her grandson, Todd. The artistic work included the house with a tiny Santa descending the chimney, evergreen trees and snow and this was flanked by lighted Christmas candles.

Later the business meeting took place with Noble Grand, Mrs. Inez Middleton in the chair. Routine reports followed the opening in form session.

A report was heard of the last card party and plans made for the Jan. 4 party. The district deputy president, Mrs. Hattie Ervon, cancelled the Dec. 22 regular meeting it being so close to Christmas. The next regular meeting of the lodge will be on January 12.

The round-robin was passed and won by Mrs. Middleton.

The evening terminated with a social hour and the exchange of Christmas gifts. Mrs. Miller was chairman for the party.

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**POLLY'S POINTERS**

**Hints on Dismantling The Christmas Tree**

By **POLLY CRAMER**



**DEAR POLLY**—When dismantling our Christmas tree after the holidays I have found it a great help to make a list of the supplies needed the following year, such as new tinsel, light bulbs, ornament hooks, snow, etc. Tape the note on the outside of the tree box if you have an artificial one or on the box that the ornaments are stored in. A glance at this box the following year will save the disappointment of unpacking when ready to decorate only to find that a time-consuming trip must be made to town or the shopping center before proceeding with the job.—**MRS. C. M.**

**DEAR POLLY**—When taking an artificial Christmas tree apart for storing I start disassembling at the top. Put paper or plastic sheets between each layer of branches. When putting the tree up the following year start at the bottom and these branches will be the top layer in the box.—**ORANDA**

**Polly's Problem**

**DEAR POLLY**—I have two expensive shift dresses, one is straight and zips up the back and the other is double-breasted. I would appreciate getting some suggestions as to how these dresses could be lengthened other than letting out the hems. That would not make them long enough.

Also I have a collection of small rocks brought home from different states and would like to know of some ways to display them to the best advantage.—**MRS. C. L. N.**

**DEAR POLLY**—I want to tell Mrs. D. N. about an inexpensive and unique way to display pictures and campaign buttons. I found that a burlap-covered board is ideal. The board thickness and size would be determined by the number of items to be displayed. First, wash and iron the burlap so it can be washed on the board at a later date. Lay the board on a larger piece of burlap, pull burlap around it tightly and nail to the board on the back using carpet tacks or something similar. Burlap also makes a nice background for a rustic-type picture when the frame is larger than the picture.—**MRS. R. D. M.**



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The reports given by the workers showed that, though the group is small, considerable work had been done during the past year. Mrs. H. Ayer reported that 20 dresses and pants, 16 pairs of socks, 5 sweaters, 1 pair of mitts and 7 crib quilts had been made. She has on hand 20 boys' t-shirts, and several members have unfinished work on hand.

Mrs. Dustin reported that \$283.65 had been collected during the financial campaign. This branch of the Red Cross is grateful to all who helped with the work over the past year especially those who have now moved away - Miss Ida Perkins, Mr. and Mrs. H. Carter and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Graham.

The following officers were elected for the year 1971: President, Mrs. R. McClary; Vice-president - Miss Esther Miller; campaign chairman - Mrs. W. D. Dustin; disaster - Gerald Johann; veterans' welfare - Lawrence Johnson; blood clinic and sick room - Mrs. Arthur McClary and women's work - Mrs. Howard Ayer and Mrs. W. Sharman.

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Defendant  
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The Professor Mrs. Annette Malbouet presented Marilyn Coddington with the Musical Cup

congratulating her and she will hold the cup until February when it will be presented to Patty Hughes, for the remainder of the year.

Second - Grade 1A, Kelley Andrews, Danville, 476, with great distinction; third - Grade IIIA, Nancy Willey, Richmond, 474, with distinction; fourth - Grade IIB, Donna Doyle, Kirkdale, 472, with distinction.

Names of those who participated in the exams are as follows: Grade I - Nicole Ward, Richmond, 471; France Pitre, Richmond, 462; Danielle Salois, Richmond, 457 and Michelle Lalonde, Richmond tied with 457. Grade IA - Kelley Andrews, Danville, 476; Julie Desmarais, Richmond, 464; Diane Hughes, Upper Melbourne, 451. Grade II, Joyce McCourt, Richmond, 468 tied with Jacinthe Boulanger, Richmond, 468; Marc Desmarais, Richmond, 466; Monique Croteau, Richmond, 465; Grade IIB, Donna Doyle, Kirkdale, 472; Carmen Gagnon, Richmond, 468; Jimmy Chamberlin, Richmond, 465; Grade IIIA, Nancy Willey, Richmond, 474; Colleen Chamberlin, Richmond, 470; Grade IV, Patty Hughes, Upper Melbourne 478 and Marilyn Coddington, New London 478.

The teacher thanked all those who participated in the exams for their great effort. She also remembered all the pupils with a Christmas gift and Christmas cheer. She wishes to thank all those who remembered her likewise.

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## Wings' reverses have Harkness wishing for by-gone glories

DETROIT (CP) — Ned Harkness made the unprecedented jump to the National Hockey League from United States college hockey this season but the Detroit Red Wings coach now may be wishing he were back at Cornell University in Ithaca, N.Y.

The Red Wings suffered a humiliating 13-0 defeat at the hands of Toronto Maple Leafs Saturday night and are currently in sixth place in the seven-team NHL East Division. They finished third in the East Division last year.

The Red Wings defeated California Seals 3-2 Sunday night to gain a measure of self-respect after Saturday's drubbing but the Red Wings fans in Olympia

Stadium did not let up on Harkness. Ottawa native and successful coach while at Cornell.

When Harkness ducked to avoid an errant puck behind the Wings' bench during Sunday night's game, one fan yelled, "That's your best move all season, Ned."

It would never have happened at Cornell, where Harkness could do no wrong.

### TRADE RUMORED

There were reports in Montreal Monday of a possible trade between the Red Wings and the Canadiens. But they were discounted in New York by Ron Caron, assistant general manager of the

Montreal team.

He told reporters at a hockey luncheon that no trade with Detroit loomed on the immediate horizon.

Sid Abel, general manager of the Red Wings, could not be reached for comment Monday.

In a controversial trade earlier this year, the Red Wings sent highly-rated forward Pete Stenkowski to New York Rangers for young defenceman Larry Brown.

Harkness and the Red Wings, who have won only two of their last 10 games, were booed Sunday night, although the hissing subsided after the Wings went ahead in the second period.

"It wasn't as bad as I thought it would be," Harkness said of the early-game booing. "I wanted to know before the game if a few bricks were missing from the building."

However, there is some indication that Harkness's job may be safe for the time being.

### ABSOLVES COACH

In a question-and-answer item in a Detroit newspaper Sunday, Harkness quoted Wings' owner Bruce Norris as saying: "Unfortunately, you're the victim of us not doing our homework for the last 10 years."

Detroit has been hit with a series of injuries this year, including a rib injury to

all-time great Gordie Howe that put him out of action for weeks.

Another player out of action had been goalie Roy Edwards, who missed 11 games due to skull fracture.

Edwards, wearing a special skull protector, played his first game since Dec. 6 Sunday night, and was given much of the credit for the Wings' victory. He stopped 19 of 21 California shots and showed some of his old brilliance in doing so.

Rookie goalies Ed Rutherford and Don McLeod gave up 66 goals in 11 games they played since Edwards' injury, including

48 goals in the last seven games.

Detroit used both in the 13-0 shelling at Toronto Saturday.

Despite the layoff, Edwards said his reflexes are "probably just as good as before." He said the only problem returning from a long absence is, "you get a little unsure of yourself and can lose confidence."

To make matters worse Saturday night, Howe and Frank Mahovlich were forced to the dressing room in the third period with recurring ailments. Howe with bursitis in his elbow and shoulder and Mahovlich with an infected toe.

## Kids flocking to junior ski schools

MT. ORFORD — The kids don't have any problems at this school.

"That's right," said Mario Poderieszch. "It's ski school and it's the most popular one with the children. You don't have to worry about hockey or the youngsters not practising their lessons. They all want to go to ski school and they are keen to learn."

Poderieszch is ski school director at Mont Orford, one of six areas that have suddenly become so popular with children that managers are taking special steps to cope with the expansion. They are the Ski East areas and last winter they gave lessons to approximately 2,000 youngsters. This year the ski school directors are hard at work gearing for the prospect of more youngsters this season.

"You wouldn't believe how it's jumped out of all proportions in the Eastern Townships," said Poderieszch. "It's almost a problem now at Orford, and we are thinking of opening up new parts of the mountain specially for the kids to keep the rest of the area free."

This phenomenon has spread throughout the other Ski East areas — Jay Peak in Vermont, and Mont Sutton, Mont Echo, Bromont, and Owl's Head in Quebec. All are expanding their junior school facilities to cope with the crowd, and, at Sutton, owner Real Boulanger has set aside a separate "stade du slalom," a slalom pitch with its own lift, which will be in constant use for racers and also for top juniors in the ski school.

Orford, Jay and Bromont run the three biggest junior schools, and the whole thing started six or seven years ago at Orford because Poderieszch and his wife, Nancy, one-time member of Canada's National Team, liked kids and, besides, it was good for business.

"I figured that the kids would bring parents and the parents would bring friends," said Poderieszch. "But it worked so well that this year we are having to start a Sunday ski school package for the parents."

The typical junior program in Ski East consists of 10 weeks starting the first weekend after New Year and comprising a two-hour lesson either on a Saturday or Sunday. Prices for the whole program run from \$25 to \$50 for the racing school, and the idea has proved so successful that specialty programs have started to mushroom. There are 10-week programs for young children, teenagers, racers and even parents in addition to the Children's Junior Ski School.

"We get a lot of children from the schools around here," said Poderieszch. "But I'll give you a better example of how popular this thing has become. The cottages along Lake Memphramagog here used to be just for the summer, but now people are winterizing their homes and coming for ski weekends with the whole family."



A COUPLE OF 1984 WINTER OLYMPIC HOPEFULS TEST THE SNOW

## Restic dumps Tabbies in favor of Harvard

HAMILTON (CP) — Hamilton Tiger-Cats found themselves without a head coach Monday, but plenty of possible replacements were mentioned for departing Joe Restic.

Restic, who still had a year remaining to fulfil his four-year contract with the Eastern Football Conference team, was named head coach of Harvard University at Cambridge, Mass., earlier in the day.

By nightfall, a number of former and current Canadian Football League coaches and players were featured prominently among those being mentioned as prospective Ticat leaders.

Ralph Sazio, Hamilton's general manager, is still unaware he's without a coach and won't know until he returns to the city Saturday.

The Sazio family is vacationing in Europe, and has been seen negotiating between Restic and Harvard commenced several days ago.

Club president Ross Fischer said the last time Sazio went on a long-overdue vacation in 1967, the then general manager, Jake Gaudaur, was named CFL commissioner.

Sazio cut short his three-week vacation to eight days.

"Ralph deserves this vacation and we're not going to chance that he'll cut this one short," said Fischer. Sazio and the other CFL general managers will attend a U.S. college coaches' convention in Houston, Texas, next week.

Fischer said the Hamilton club can only wish Restic the best in his new venture. He said the 44-year-old Restic, an outstanding player at Villanova before moving into the pro ranks with Philadelphia Eagles of the National Football League, had kept the Ticats informed of his negotiations with Harvard.

Fischer said Harvard offered Restic a contract "he couldn't turn down." He was believed to be making \$20,000 a year with the Tiger-Cats.

Restic, who came to Canada in 1962, was an assistant to Jim Trimble and Sazio before taking over as head coach in February, 1968.

Sazio's will have the final say about who replaces Restic.

Candidates for the job include two of Restic's assistants—Carl Schuette and Al Bruno. However, if neither is successful, it is unlikely they'll be back in Hamilton since the new head coach will probably recruit his own assistants.

Both Schuette and Bruno have also been reported considering U.S. offers, and one Hamilton source, who asked not to be

identified, said both men could follow Restic to Harvard.

### WILLIAMS MENTIONED

Jerry Williams, the former Calgary Stampeder coach, is reported on the outs with the NFL Eagles and might be available as might Ray Malvasi, a Ticat assistant in 1967-68 who may get the axe at Buffalo where the Bills are in the process of shaking up their NFL club.

Bob Ward, who did an excellent job moulding Montreal Alouettes' defensive unit in the 1970 season, has also been mentioned as a candidate.

But one barrier might be money. Ward is making more as an assistant with the Alouettes than the Ticats would probably be prepared to offer him as head coach.

## Robillard to defend title in upcoming badminton tourney

MAGOG (SA) — The annual Eastern Townships Badminton Tournament will be held at Princess Elizabeth High School Saturday and Sunday, Feb. 6-7.

Competition will consist of men's and ladies' singles, men's and ladies' doubles and mixed.

## Gaiters face off against carabins

LENNOXVILLE (SA) — Bishop's University Gaiters hockey team, "maybe a little fat" after the Christmas holidays, according to coach Al Grazys, entertain University of Montreal Carabins today in a game starting at 8 p.m.

The contest is part of the Coupe du Quebec series played among Quebec universities and colleges and pits the Gaiters, fourth in Ottawa St. Lawrence Athletic Association standings, against the first place team in the Eastern Division of the Ontario Quebec Athletic Association.

"I think our league is a little stronger and we should be capable of taking them if we play our game," said the Bishop's bench boss.

In the lone previous encounter between the clubs this season, the Carabins took a 5-4 decision in Montreal Nov. 13.

The Gaiters will be at full strength with the exception of right winger Don Campbell, lost for the remainder of the year with two cracked vertebrae.

He suffered the injury in a game at the Sherbrooke Sports Palace Nov. 26 against University of Sherbrooke Green and Gold, although he played three more games after that believing there was no serious damage following his head-first crash into the boards.

X-rays taken over the Christmas break, however, revealed that the effects of the fall were more serious than had been previously believed.

There will be A and B sections, with any former B class champion considered an A player for the purpose of this event.

Play will get underway at 9 a.m. Feb. 6 and continue through that day until finalists have been

decided in all categories. The finals are scheduled for 1 p.m. Sunday.

Francois Robillard of Sherbrooke CEGEP will be back to defend his men's singles title, but will face strong challenges from a number of hopefuls.

Jean Bergeron of University of Sherbrooke, Magog veteran George Corbiere and some promising young entrants from Waterloo will be out to deny Robillard another crown.

The men's doubles competition will feature a title defence by the 1970 winners, Albert Cotterell and Bertrand Sevigny.

Gordon Harmer of Sherbrooke and Corbiere, who have combined to take the event seven times, will be trying for an eighth title, and Robillard and Bergeron and other serious contenders from Waterloo and University of Sherbrooke also stand in the way of a repeat championship for Cotterell and Sevigny.

In the ladies' division, Mrs. Janet Tucker, the veteran from Waterloo, heads the list of

contenders but will have to survive a strong challenge from promising Patty Pugh, also of Waterloo.

Entries should be submitted as soon as possible but in no event later than Jan. 31 in order that the tournament committee may make the draw in advance.

Entries should be sent to George Corbiere in Magog or Gordon Harmer in Sherbrooke.

Entrants are expected to come from the following clubs: Magog, Waterloo, Sherbrooke Montclair, Sherbrooke Marvmount, University of Sherbrooke, Bishop's University of Lennoxville, Sherbrooke CEGEP, East Angus, Lake Megantic, Coaticook and several others.

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## BU, AGRHS face Laurier

LENNOXVILLE (SA) — Sir Wilfred Laurier High School of Ottawa will meet two local teams in hockey action today and tomorrow.

At 4 p.m. today the Ontario squad will face off against Bishop's University Junior Varsity at the university rink.

Tomorrow at 3 p.m. Alexander Galt Regional High School Pipers will provide the opposition, also at the university arena.

"This should be a good game," said Piper coach Rod McKell. "They're supposed to be one of the best teams in Ontario."

The Alexander Galt side will be putting a four-game winning streak on the line against Sir Wilfred Laurier.

## Says Cowboys took calculated risk

DALLAS (AP) — Tom Landry admitted Monday that his decision to make the Dallas Cowboys more physical and less fancy was one of the biggest gambles he ever took.

"I was right, but if I had been wrong it would have been tough," said Landry, coach of the National Football Conference champions.

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## Expos get Ron Hunt in trade

MONTREAL (CP) — Montreal Expos announced Monday that they have acquired second baseman Ron Hunt from San Francisco Giants in exchange for first baseman Dave McDonald.

Hunt, 29, has a lifetime batting average of .272 in eight National League seasons. He broke into the league in 1963 with New York Mets, was traded to Los Angeles Dodgers in 1967 and the following year was dealt to the Giants.

Last season he played in 117 National League games, batting .271 with six home runs and 41 runs batted in.

McDonald, 27, played last season with Winnipeg Whips, the Expos' International League farm team.

He appeared in 121 games, batting .255 with 23 homers and 64 runs batted in. The Expos acquired him last May from New York Yankees of the American League in exchange for pitcher Gary Waslewski.

## Leafs lose Armstrong: out with knee injury

TORONTO (CP) — A knee injury suffered in Toronto's 13-0 win over Detroit Red Wings Saturday night has knocked George Armstrong out of tonight's National Hockey League game against Minnesota North Stars with a knee injury.

The veteran right winger will be replaced by rookie Guy Trotter, himself an injury victim several weeks ago before the Maple Leafs recent revival that has seen them win 10 of their last 11 games.

Armstrong, who retired for the third time before the current season started, is given some of the credit for the Leafs' upward climb since returning to the club.

He'll miss tonight's game at Bloomington, Minn., the only NHL game scheduled, and the return game here Wednesday night. He is also a doubtful starter for Toronto's two week-end games.

Trotter, a 28-year-old rookie, was sidelined with a shoulder injury. Although his recovery was slow, he could have returned a few games ago but coach John McLellan was reluctant to disturb a winning lineup.

Another right winger, Ron Ellis, will wear a helmet for tonight's game. He suffered what was diagnosed as a slight concussion in Saturday's game.



GEORGE ARMSTRONG

Toronto, challenging Buffalo Sabres for last place in the NHL's East Division before the recent spurt, has taken a solid hold on fourth spot but still lost ground to the leaders—Boston Bruins and New York Rangers, who have taken turns holding down top spot.

While the Leafs were picking up 20 points, Boston won 11 of 12 games for 22 points and New York won 10 and tied two for 22.

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## Golden Jet close to topping the Rocket

MONTREAL (CP) — Left winger Bobby Hull of Chicago Black Hawks, the only National Hockey League player to score more than 50 goals in a regular season—he has done it three times—is threatening to become the second-highest goal scorer in history.

Hull, 31 last Sunday, had a 50-goal season in the 1961-62 season, then went on to score 54 goals in 1965-66, 52 the next season and 58 during the 1968-69 schedule.

He scored four goals in three games last week to boost his season's total to 23 and his career mark to 533, only 11 short of the total recorded by Maurice (Rocket) Richard, the former

great right winger with Montreal Canadiens.

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Espasito, Bos	34	38	72	31
Orr, Bos	15	47	62	57
B. Hull, Chi	23	28	51	22
Bucyk, Bos	23	27	50	4
Hodge, Bos	21	28	49	42
Hullman, Tor	22	25	47	12
McKenzie, Bos	17	30	47	76
Keon, Tor	20	22	42	2
Ratelle, NY	18	23	41	3
Delv'ho, Det	12	26	38	2
Martin, Chi	16	21	37	28
Kurtenbach, V	14	23	37	58
Tkaczuk, NY	12	25	37	24
Cashman, Bos	10	27	37	54
W. Meeki, V	15	20	35	58
Mikita, Chi	10	25	35	32
Balon, NY	23	11	34	11
Stanfield, Bos	13	21	34	2
Cournoyer, Mt	18	15	33	12