

## Mercier escapes second time

# Five convicts flee St. Vincent de Paul penitentiary

MONTREAL (CP) — Police continued their search early today for five prisoners who escaped Sunday from the maximum-security, special correctional unit of St. Vincent de Paul penitentiary in nearby Laval.

A Quebec Provincial Police spokesman said 100 QPP officers, together with prison guards and Laval policemen, were searching several square miles of woods, fields and homes around the penitentiary. Tracking dogs and a helicopter were being used, he said.

Sought in the manhunt are: Jean-Paul Mercier, 28; Andre Ouellette, 33; Robert Imbeault, 24; Gilles Gingras, 26; and Michel Lafleur, 23. All were

described as dangerous but unarmed.

Police said the men previously had broken out of penitentiaries or jails. Mercier was serving two concurrent life sentences for non-capital murder. The other men had been sentenced for armed robbery.

A general alert was issued after the escape to all police forces in the area and all QPP units in the province. A QPP spokesman said they were not alerted until one hour after the escape and the men could have left the area by that time.

The spokesman said police manned several bridges north and south of Ile Jesus where Laval is situated but the roadblocks were lifted later in the

evening because of a heavy volume of Sunday night traffic.

**INVESTIGATION BEGUN**

Penitentiary director Pierre Goulem said an investigation has been launched to establish the circumstances of the escape.

He said preliminary reports indicate the men escaped during a lunch period by sawing through a bar and fleeing through a cell window, went down a ramp, cut through an asbestos siding wall and got to the greenhouse, he said.

They carried a desk out of the greenhouse and put it against the prison wall and put a bench

vertically on top of it.

"They climbed up that and I guess they put down a rope made of bedding and got down the outside."

Mr. Goulem said the guard normally stationed in a nearby tower was on duty inside the penitentiary at the time.

**THIRD TIME OUT**

It was the third escape for Mercier who was sentenced last week for the non-capital murder of two Quebec game wardens shot last September near St. Louis de Blandford, 60 miles southeast of Quebec City.

Mercier was serving 24 years for armed robbery

and attempted murder when he escaped last August with another man from the same special correctional unit.

The two escaped convicts were issued passports by the external affairs department at the request of police who hoped the documents would help recapture the prisoners.

The other man, Jacques Mesrine, made his way to France where he faces charges of armed robbery and attempted murder of a French policeman.

Sunday's escape was the fourth for Imbeault, the third for Gingras and Ouellette, and the second for Lafleur.

### The weather

Good chance of showers today (there must be the Pirates are in town) with a high of about 55. Low tonight of about 40. Cloudy all day with little change seen for tomorrow. However, Thursday should be a lot better since the Pirates hit the road (right Art?)

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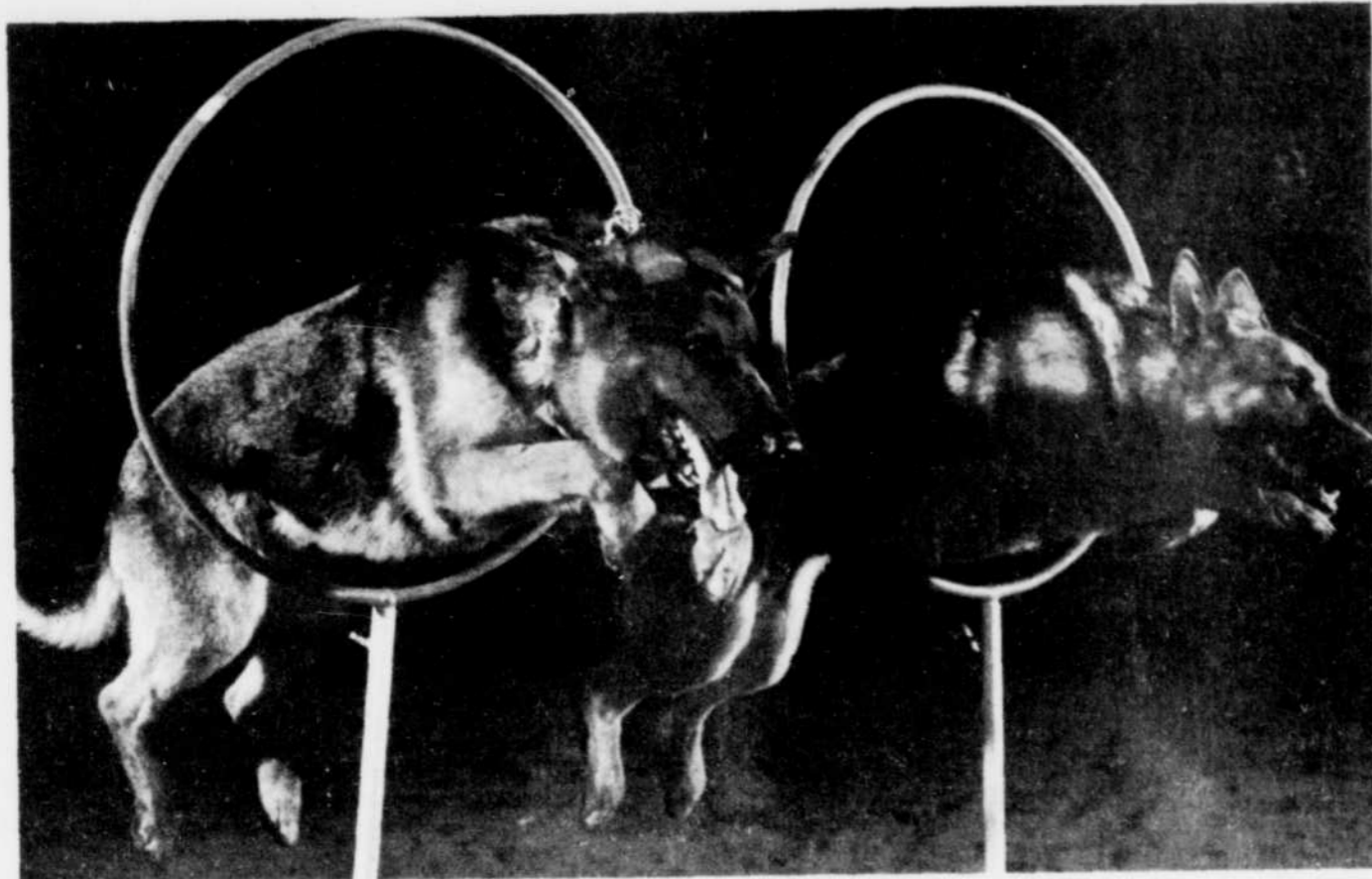
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### Today's Chuckle

Where does the automobile industry find all those empty roads to film commercials on?



UP, UP AND AWAY — Two of the four German Shepherds used by the RCMP are seen going through their paces as they clear part of a simulated obstacle course which might parallel actual duty. For story, page 3.

## Artillery fire hits ICCS site

SAIGON (CP) — A team site of the international peace supervisory force, about 25 miles north of Saigon, was hit by artillery fire Sunday night, sources said today.

They said that nobody was injured although the compound was damaged when it received a direct hit. Personnel with the International Commission of Control and Supervision (ICCS) occupy the compound during the day but spend the night some distance away at permanent living quarters.

ICCS sources said at least three rounds were fired into the compound but there was no indication where the fire originated.

The four countries of the ICCS, Canada, Hungary, Indonesia and Poland, have personnel serving at the Ben Cat team site but names were not available.

Meanwhile, the Viet Cong's Provisional Revolutionary Government (PRG) has asked the ICCS to investigate Communist charges that United States bombers have recently struck targets in South Vietnam near the Cambodian border in violation of the Paris peace agreement.

**DAMAGE HEAVY**

The attacks allegedly took place in April and earlier this month.

The latest, which came Saturday, caused heavy property damage and wounded 34 civilians, the PRG said.

The Viet Cong said Saturday that U.S. bombers raided Communist-held territory close to the Cambodian border in Tay Ninh and Binh Long provinces, north and northwest of Saigon.

U.S. embassy and Saigon government spokesmen both said the bombing allegations were "completely untrue."

Diplomatic observers said it is likely the ICCS will agree to investigate the Communist claims, but whether the inquiry will actually get started is another matter.

South Vietnam's foreign ministry published a lengthy statement today alleging Communist violations of the nearly-four-month-old ceasefire. The statement was sent last Wednesday to members of the international conference on Vietnam.

The statement referred in particular to a North Vietnamese buildup just below the demilitarized zone in South Vietnam, and continued infiltration of North Vietnamese regular troops, artillery and heavy armor.

The Saigon government urged the 12 conference nations to persuade North Vietnam to cease war preparations.

## Quebec plans to close obstetrical units

MONTREAL (CP) — In a bid to decrease the province's infant mortality rate, cut costs and improve obstetrical care, the Quebec department of social affairs plans to close down maternity sections at several Montreal hospitals and concentrate obstetrical units in a dozen or so fully-equipped hospitals.

The department says 40 per cent or 442 of the 1,361 beds available for obstetrical care in 40 Montreal hospitals are surplus and should be converted to other uses such as chronic and extended care.

This centralization, already under way in Quebec City, could save up to \$25 million and the extra beds could eradicate the need to build new facilities for other health care services, says the department.

The government is currently studying obstetrical facilities at Montreal hospitals to determine which hospitals can provide the best care and which should close their doors.

"Hospitals here will be undergoing a far bit more stress over the next few years as the government tries to shake them into a regionalized system," said Dr. Sidney Lee, associate dean of the McGill faculty of medicine.

**BEDS VACANT**

"Half the obstetrical and pediatric beds are vacant on any day of the year," said Dr. Lee.

currently studying obstetrical services at seven hospitals for the social affairs department.

Dr. Lee, who participated in the reorganization of Boston's health facilities while a Harvard professor, said only three of the seven should keep their obstetrical services in operation.

The mortality rate for children less than 28 days old is 14.7 per thousand births in Quebec compared with 8.7 in Japan, 9.5 in The Netherlands, 12.3 in Britain and 12.7 in Ontario.

The reason for Quebec's poor showing, says the social affairs

## Death penalty debate resumes today

OTTAWA (CP) — It was Dec. 11, 1962, at Toronto's Don Jail, Ron Turpin 29, and Arthur Lucas, 54, both convicted murderers, walked about 40 paces to the gallows, where their necks were snapped by the hangman's rope.

Turpin, who shot a policeman, and Lucas, who killed two dope peddlers, were the last persons to be hanged in Canada. Since then, 33 death sentences have been commuted to life imprisonment.

Today MPs start searching their consciences in public again as Parliament resumes debate on whether to reinstate the death penalty for all murders after a five-year moratorium that ended Dec. 29.

It's anyone's guess how things will go. Four days of argument in February gave no indication whether the majority of MPs favor another five years in which only killers of policemen or prison guards could be sentenced to death.

The February debate was pointed up by the slaying of two

Toronto policemen. Wives of Toronto policemen collected more than 23,000 names on a petition calling for reinstatement of capital punishment.

**SURVEY NO HELP**

Trying to determine how the MPs will vote has not been easy. A survey by The Canadian Press in February elicited replies from only 91 of 264 MPs.

Forty-four said they would support another five-year partial moratorium. Thirty-seven would oppose it and 10 were either undecided or did not reply directly, indicating they felt the government bill needs amending.

Assuming the bill does get into committee, two Liberals—Marcel Prud'homme of Montreal-St. Denis and Jim Fleming of York West, a Toronto riding—say they will attempt to have capital punishment outlawed.

They want a life sentence with no parole for at least 25 years. A lifer now is eligible for parole after 10 years.

The objective is to abolish

hanging while appealing those who fear the consequences of what they describe as a lack of a deterrent.

This argument, however, has not been supported by statistics; the incidence of killings has not changed appreciably since the moratorium was introduced in 1967.

**PRODUCE "ANIMALS"**

Fifteen convicted murderers at Drumheller penitentiary in Alberta said the 25-year, no-parole proposal would turn a prisoner into an animal.

They told Mr. Prud'homme at a meeting last March that "a 25-year sentence would take all hope away and a man can't live in prison without hope. A man might kill to escape—he would have nothing to lose."

But John Gillespie, a retired police superintendent in the Toronto suburb of Etobicoke says Canada should stop "molly-coddling hard-nosed criminals."

"I've had to be careful not to be too hard," he told a public meeting earlier this month.

But he said, it is virtually im-

possible "when you are holding the head of a five-year-old girl who has been raped..."

One of the favorite arguments of capital punishment advocates has been the cost of hanging compared with the rising cost of keeping a man in prison.

**COST HIGH**

A spokesman for the solicitor-general department said it costs about \$10,000 a year to keep a prisoner in a maximum-security institution like Millhaven penitentiary near Kingston.

There were 631 lifers in prison Dec. 15. Of these, 484 were convicted murderers, 82 were habitual criminals and the remainder were considered dangerous sexual offenders.

Solicitor-general estimates for 1973-74 show \$114.8 million set aside for correctional services, a \$20-million increase over 1972-73 and \$25 million more than in 1971-72.

Supporters of capital punishment often find it easy to say hanging murderers would save the public a lot of money.

## Spring weather yields deaths

By THE CANADIAN PRESS

Spring weather encouraged motorists and boaters during the

weekend, frequently with tragic results as the accidental death toll in Canada reached at least 75.

### Robbery suspect held

PHILLIPSBURG (JD) — Quebec Provincial Police arrested Gilles Potvin, alias Denis Lapointe, 32, of Longueuil, at Canadian Customs here Friday. Potvin has been charged with armed robbery. The search continues for his accomplices.

Potvin and another masked man made their way into the Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce at approximately 10:05 the same morning. They fled with \$956. Potvin was picked up at approximately 11:30 a.m.

They were driving a car stolen from Fernand Martel of Verdun. The car was stolen and so reported April 11.

The investigation is being conducted by Corporal Piche of the QPF armed robbery squad, Montreal.

A Cowansville QPF spokesman indicated further arrests in the case would be made in the near future.

The last bank robbery in the District of Bedford occurred March 1, 1973, when three men made off with \$40 from the CIBC, Bedford. One of the robbers died from gunshot wounds the following day, and another was severely wounded in the shoot-out at Pigeon Hill

Two traffic accidents, one in Quebec and the other in Ontario, each killed four persons, helping to push Canada's road fatalities to at least 58.

A cross-Canada survey by The Canadian Press from 6 p.m. local time Friday to late Sunday also showed eight persons drowned, including three men who were fishing near Papeauville, Que.

Five persons died in fires and four in other mishaps including a 15-year-old Halifax boy who strangled when his neck was caught in a picket fence.

Quebec led all provinces with 31 reported accidental deaths, 22 of them on the roads, four by drowning, four in fires and one person who was asphyxiated when food he was cooking caught

fire.

Fifteen persons died on Ontario highways. The province also recorded one drowning and one fire death.

**CRASH KILLS THREE**

In Manitoba six persons were killed in road crashes, including three who died when their car went off the road near Lockport, about 15 miles north of Winnipeg.

Alberta had five highway fatalities and one person killed in a home accident. Nova Scotia's six weekend deaths included four on the roads and two in miscellaneous accidents, including the strangled boy.

Saskatchewan had four deaths in traffic.

British Columbia reported three accidental deaths, all by drowning and New Brunswick had two traffic deaths.

Both Newfoundland and Prince Edward Island were free of fatalities.

## Eight months in space

# Skylab: Liftoff today keys new space adventure

CAPE KENNEDY, Fla. (AP) — The first United States space station, Skylab, was ready for launching today into earth orbit to serve as a giant "cabin in the sky" for nine astronauts in the next eight months.

If the laboratory orbits successfully, the first three-man crew will rocket into space Tuesday and link up with the station for a record 28-day mission.

The Skylab 1 crew, Charles Conrad, Dr. Joseph Kerwin and Paul Weitz were to watch from three miles today's planned 1:30 p.m. EDT liftoff of the 33-storey-tall Saturn rocket. It is to drill the station into a 270-mile-high orbit.

The astronauts then will prepare for their own launch aboard a smaller 22-

storey Saturn 1-B rocket at 1 p.m. Tuesday.

Also here are members of the Skylab 2 and 3 crews who later in the year are to visit the same laboratory, each for 56 days.

The nine astronauts will conduct extensive medical, scientific, earth resources and space manufacturing experiments to determine how well man can live and work in space for long periods.

What they learn will set guidelines for long-duration missions of the future, such as permanent space stations or journeys to other planets.

The information also may have far-reaching consequences in bringing

benefits from space to mankind, especially in the survey of earth's hidden natural resources.

Donald Slayton, director of flight crew operations, said Sunday that Conrad, Kerwin and Weitz are "fully trained, confident and looking forward to getting the big one off tomorrow and riding the little one on Tuesday."

Skylab is as large as a three-bedroom house and has 60 times more volume than Apollo.

Each astronaut will have his own bedroom. There is a kitchen and a pantry packed with a ton of food ranging from filet mignon to ice cream.

There's a shower and a toilet, stereo sets, books, changes of clothing, playing

cards, a dart board, exercise machines and a picture window for viewing earth. And every seventh day will be a day of rest.

And the Skylab 1 crew will have a live-in doctor, Kerwin, a physician, will handle the medical experiments which have priority on the first mission. He has a dispensary elaborately equipped to monitor the health of the astronauts.

All the food, water—720 gallons of it—and experiment gear for all three Skylab voyages were packed aboard the unmanned laboratory for today's launch.

Upon reaching orbit, Skylab will weigh 170,000 pounds. When the astronauts' spaceship hooks up with it, it will weigh a total of 199,750 pounds and will be 118 feet

long.

With a total of six wing-like solar panels extended it will be a strange-looking space contraption. The panels convert the sun's rays to electrical energy.

Ranging as far north as the U.S.-Canadian border and as far south as the tip of Argentina, Skylab will fly over 75 per cent of the world's surface—more than any other manned spacecraft.

Several countries have asked the astronauts to conduct earth resources experiments as they pass overhead—including mineral surveys, mapping water resources, studying agriculture potential and photographing possible air and water pollution sources.

The huge spacecraft will be visible in

areas of the world that it streaks over at dawn and dusk. It will appear as a bright star.

The Skylab 1 astronauts are to return to earth June 12, setting up the laboratory for a visit by the Skylab 2 crew Aug. 8. The Skylab 3 team is to rocket up to the lab Nov. 9.

If all goes well, Conrad, Kerwin and Weitz will break the 24-day space endurance record set by Russia's Soyuz 11 cosmonauts in 1971.

They set the mark aboard the world's first space station, Salyut 1, but all three were killed during re-entry through the earth's atmosphere when a hatch defect caused rapid decompression of the cabin of the Soyuz ferry ship.

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12—CFCF—Montreal

5—WPTZ Plattsburg  
TBA—To Be Announced

6—CBMT—Montreal  
8—WMTW—Mount Washington

## MONDAY

- 6:00 p.m.
- 3) News
- 5) Temperatures Rising
- 6) ABC News
- 12) Pulse
- 6:30 p.m.
- 5) News
- 6) Hourglass
- 8) Wild Wild West
- 7:00 p.m.
- 3) CBS News
- 5) That Good Ole Nashville Music
- 12) Doris Day
- 7:30 p.m.
- 3) Get Smart
- 5) Sanford and Son
- 6) Irish Rovers
- 8) Hogan's Heroes
- 12) Rollin'
- 8:00 p.m.
- 3) Gunsmoke
- 5) Rowan and Martin's Laugh In
- 6) Partridge Family
- 8) Jacques Cousteau
- 12) Odd Couple
- 8:30 p.m.
- 6) Cannon
- 12) Medical Center

- 9:00 p.m.
- 3) Here's Lucy
- 5) Movie: The Private Navy of Sgt. O'Farrel
- 8) Movie: Where Eagles Dare (Part II)
- 9:30 p.m.
- 3) Doris Day
- 5) This the Law
- 12) Pig and Whistle
- 10:00 p.m.
- 3) Women of the Year, 1973
- 6) The Nature of Things
- 12) Ironside
- 11:00 p.m.
- 3, 5, 6, 8, 12) News, Weather, Sports
- 11:20 p.m.
- 6) Viewpoint
- 12) Pulse
- 11:30 p.m.
- 3) Movie: The Impossible Years
- 5) Johnny Carson
- 6) Montreal Tonight
- 8) Dick Cavett
- 11:45 p.m.
- 6) Movie: The Return of Dr. X
- 12:00 a.m.
- 12) Movie: Seven Gun for the MacGregors

- 11:20 a.m.
- 3) Love of Life
- 5) Hollywood Squares
- 8) Bewitched
- 12) McGowan & Co.
- 12:00 p.m.
- 3) Young and the Restless
- 5) Jeopardy
- 6) Courtship of Eddie's Father
- 8) Password
- 12) Flinstones
- 12:30 p.m.
- 3) Search for Tomorrow
- 5) Who, What or Where
- 6) Luncheon Date
- 8) Split-Second
- 12) Movie: The Silent Gun
- 1:00 p.m.
- 3) NBC News
- 5) Across the Fence
- 6) Truth or Consequences
- 8) All My Children
- 11:15 p.m.
- 3) Lucille Rivers
- 6) Rap Around
- 1:30 p.m.
- 3) As the World Turns
- 5) Three on a Match
- 6) Audubon Wildlife Theatre
- 8) Let's Make A Deal
- 2:00 p.m.
- 3) Guiding Light
- 5) Days of Our Lives
- 6) Galloping Gourmet
- 8) Newlywed Game
- 2:30 p.m.
- 3) Edge of Night
- 5) Doctors
- 6) Coronation Street
- 8) Dating Game
- 12) Somerset

## TUESDAY

- 12) Flinstones
- 5:00 p.m.
- 5) Star Trek
- 6) Alphabet Soup
- 8) Gilligan's Island
- 5:30 p.m.
- 3) Andy Griffith
- 6) Get Smart
- 8) News
- 12) Beat the Clock
- 4:00 p.m.
- 3) News Hour
- 5) News, Weather
- 6) Bob Newhart
- 12) Pulse
- 6:30 p.m.
- 3) NBC News
- 6) Hourglass
- 8) Wild Wild West
- 7:00 p.m.
- 3) CBS News
- 5) Bobby Goldsboro
- 12) To Sir With Love
- 7:30 p.m.
- 3) Hogan's Heroes
- 5) A\*am-12
- 6) Lloyd Bridges' Water World
- 12) Headline Hunters
- 8:00 p.m.
- 3) Maude
- 5) Movie: Company of Killers
- 6) Mary Tyler Moore
- 8) Temperatures Rising
- 12) Search
- 8:30 p.m.
- 3) Hawaii Five-O
- 6) Flip Wilson
- 8) Movie: Women in Chains
- 9:00 p.m.
- 6) TBA
- 12) Please Sir: Comedy
- 9:30 p.m.
- 3) Movie: The Family Ricc
- 6) TBA
- 12) Ian Tyson
- 10:00 p.m.
- 3) America
- 6) Tuesday Night
- 8, 12) Marcus Welby
- 11:00 p.m.
- 3, 5, 6, 8, 12) News, Weather, Sports
- 11:20 p.m.
- 6) Viewpoint
- 12) Pulse
- 11:30 p.m.
- 3) Movie: Pretty Poison
- 5) Johnny Carson
- 6) Montreal Tonight
- 8) Dick Cavett
- 11:45 p.m.
- 6) Movie: Documentary - Barbed Water
- 12:00 a.m.
- 12) Movie: The Rebel

## TUESDAY

- 6:00 a.m.
- 12) University of the Air
- 6:30 a.m.
- 12) Romper Room
- 6:50 a.m.
- 5) Town and Country
- 7:00 a.m.
- 3) CBS News
- 5) Today
- 12) Canada A.M.
- 7:30 a.m.
- 8) News
- 7:40 a.m.
- 8) Sports Club
- 7:45 a.m.
- 8) Rocky and His Friends
- 7:50 a.m.
- 3) News
- 8:00 a.m.
- 3) Captain Kangaroo
- 6) Farm and Home
- 8:20
- 6) Standby Six
- 8:30 a.m.
- 6) Mr. Dressup
- 8) Bull Winkle
- 12) Hercules
- 9:00 a.m.
- 3) Mike Douglas
- 5) Phil Donahue

- 6) Hamster's Adventure on the River Bank
- 8) New Zoo Revue
- 12) Karen's Yoga
- 9:30 a.m.
- 6) Quebec Schools
- 8) Movie: White Witch
- 12) Dick Cavett
- 12) Trouble With Tracy
- 10:00 a.m.
- 3) Joker's Wild
- 5) Dinah Shore
- 6) Canadian Schools
- 12) Eye Bet
- 10:30 a.m.
- 3) \$10,000 Pyramid
- 5) Baffle
- 6) Friendly Giant
- 12) Home Front
- 10:45 a.m.
- 6) Chez Helene
- 11:00 a.m.
- 3) Gambit
- 5) Sale of the Century
- 6) Sesame Street
- 8) Not for women only
- 12) Community
- 11:20 a.m.
- 12) Lucille Rivers

- 3:00 p.m.
- 3) Love is a many splendored Thing
- 5, 12) Another World
- 6) Take 30
- 8) General Hospital
- 3:30 p.m.
- 3) Hollywood's Talking
- 6) Edge of Night
- 5) Return to Peyton Place
- 8) One Life to Live
- 12) What's the Good Word
- 4:00 p.m.
- 3) Secret Storm
- 6) Family Court
- 5) Love, American Style
- 12) Anything You Can Do
- 4:30 p.m.
- 3) Bonanza
- 5) I Dream of Jeannie
- 6) Drop in
- 8) Batman

## Snow stops drought worry

By JIM NEAVES

Canadian Press Staff Writer  
Several snowstorms last month across the grain-producing area of Western Canada played hob with city traffic and posed problems for ranchers. But they eliminated some of the farmers' concern that 1973 was beginning to look like a drought year.

Early this year the exceptionally-mild winter and light snowfall combined to raise the spectre of drought. But now, with the exception of a few areas, additional precipitation has meant a delay in seeding operations.

David Walker, marketing economist for the Alberta agriculture department, says the delay "due to excess moisture conditions is basically good news."

In Saskatchewan, where early spring conditions generated statements the province faced the worst dry spell since 1961, the agriculture

department now says the situation is "pretty good" following a month of above-average rainfall.

A spokesman said that during April the Regina plains area received 2.29 inches compared with the month's average rainfall of less than one inch.

In Manitoba, the situation has improved but more rain is needed.

A spokesman for Manitoba Pool Elevators said there was a

low water level at the start of winter and snowfall was half of normal.

During April, two general rainfalls were "not sufficient" to replenish the low level in water-storage dugouts in some farms where farmers had to pump water from rivers.

"Since April 1, the condition is a little better and the water table has stopped dropping in some areas," the spokesman said.

# An end in sight to prairie duck problem

GRANDE PRAIRIE, Alta. (CP) — For 25 years, Henry Voth has been seeding his barley crops and for 25 years ducks swarmed in to feed in his fields.

They still do, but it doesn't bother Mr. Voth any more. The ducks now eat their fill on only one of the five quarter sections he owns at Beaver Lake, in the Grande Prairie district of northwestern Alberta. Mr. Voth is being paid for providing them with their dining area.

The quarter section set aside for the ducks is a special-lure crop field established by the fish and wildlife division of the Alberta department of lands and forests. Its purpose is to help control what the department refers to as the Prairie Duck Problem, a pain in farmers' necks and pockets since the 1930s.

"For 25 years it cost me about \$1,000 a year," said Mr. Voth. "But three years ago the fish and wildlife people started using a quarter-section I own and they just leave a swath of barley there for the ducks to feed on."

"Now they don't feed on my crops any more and the government pays me the going rate for the one quarter section they take."

"The important thing though is that it helps all my neighbors, too. We used to get permits from the RCMP to shoot the ducks (which usually begin feeding in late July when crops begin to ripen) but all that did was drive them from one field to another, from one farm to the next."

"We tried acetylene exploders which sound like shotgun blasts but they did the same thing."

So three years ago, as part of a prairie province joint effort under the Western Canada Wildlife Advisory Committee, the province began an experimental program in the district, one of the hardest-hit in Alberta.

The program is based on three things: the exploders, lure crops and feeding stations. The latter operate on

the same principle as lure crops except that they are designed to keep ducks on a lake by spreading grain along the shoreline until the harvest is finished.

Coupled with these control mechanisms, there are no hunting regulations on the lure crop and feeding station sites to prevent the ducks

from being driven back to the farmers' crops.

The program "has proven that control programs work on a cost-benefit basis much better than compensation and we are expanding the program this year," said D. J. Neave, chief wildlife biologist for the fish and wildlife division.

"We are expanding our program in the Grande Prairie area and throughout the Peace River block this year," he said, adding that during the next three years similar programs will be introduced in central and east-central Alberta in the Camrose-Stettler, St. Paul-Vegreville and Lloydminster areas.

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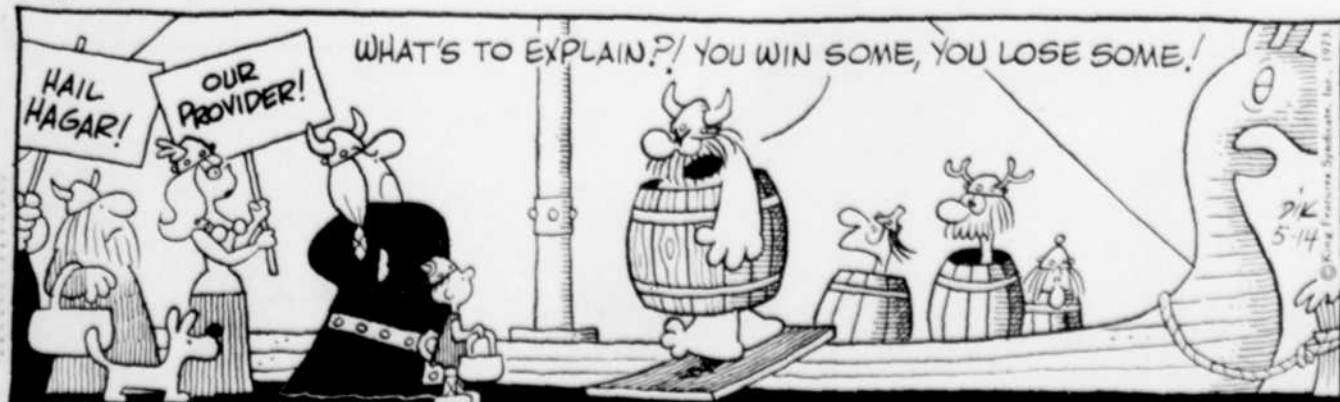
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## Start of cross-country tour

# Mounties open centennial celebration in fine form here

By JOHN DINNING  
Record Reporter  
SHERBROOKE — Sherbrooke was New Haven for the RCMP's Centennial Review Friday, and they left the Palais des Sports with the cheers of a capacity crowd ringing in their ears.

An auspicious start on their cross-country tour.

The program, which was written, staged and produced by Randy Avery, producer and director of the Calgary Exhibition, began December 28 when Mr. Avery received a call from Commissioner W.L.

Higgit. All segments of the review met only last week in Ottawa to put it all together. They should be congratulated for the high standards achieved in such a brief period.

It opened depicting the trek in 1773 as the Red Coats set out to tame the west. The men were in period uniforms, mounted, marching, straggling or riding in ox carts. The scene was designed to portray the rigors a century ago, as the first 150 officers and men made their way to Lower Fort Garry in Manitoba.

A second group of 150 men

joined them in the spring of 1874 at Fort Dufferin. They proceeded west from Dufferin July 8, 1874, seeking Fort Whoop-Up, a centre for U.S. freebooters who were selling illicit whisky to the Indians in return for buffalo hides. This procession stretched over two miles.

**SWUNG SOUTHWARD**

The Mounties didn't get their men at once, however they swung southward to the Sweet Grass Hills near the U.S. border where they could rest and be refitted.

Later that year Commissioner James F. MacLeod, heading A and B troops, guided by a Metis Scout, Jerry Potts, located formidable Whoop-Up. October 9, 1874. They prepared for armed action, an anti-climax when the fort surrendered without a shot being fired. It was occupied by a crippled deserter from the U.S. cavalry and half a dozen Indian women.

No shots were fired by the North West Mounted Police during the first 11 years in the west.

When the men had the bootleggers under control the Indians realized they meant business, and decided, first through curiosity, then through tacit admiration of NWMP's



**BRAM SMITH...**  
Mounties' music man



**DENIS OUELLET...**  
Krupa of the force

devotion to the motto Mantiens le Droit, to seek friendship. This became a reality when Chief Crowfoot, the Great Okima of the Blackfoot confederacy — Blackfoot, Bloods, Ojigans, Sarcees, as well as the Crees, Assiniboines and Salteux — signed a treaty.

Chief Crowfoot delivered this testimonial to the NWMP:

"If the police had not come to this country, where would we

all be now? Bad men and whisky were killing us so fast that few of us would have been left today. The police protect us as the feathers of a bird protect it from the frosts of winter."

**PROCLAIMED 'ROYAL'**

Recognition of the force's accomplishments in the development of the Canadian West came in 1904 when King Edward VII proclaimed the prefix 'Royal.'

In 1920 they were made responsible for enforcing all Dominion statutes, at the same time the name was changed to the present Royal Canadian Mounted Police.

The RCMP Band in concert, under the direction of Superintendent Bramwell Smith, promptly won the hearts of the crowd. The 40 musicians were superb, and won round after round of applause. Special tributes were handed Const. Denis Ouellet, of Roberval.

Const. Ouellet could sit in on drums with any band or orchestra in the world; one could almost envision him replacing Gene Krupa in the famed Carnegie Hall jazz concerts of the late 1930s. The sidemen were of the same calibre.

The houselights dimmed, 40 young men, fresh out of Regina, in blazers and flannels, lifted their voices in song. Another burst of ovation. The newly-formed RCMP Chorale were making their first public performance ever. They too won the hearts of the crowd.

They depicted Canada in song with each province mentioned. Of course the opener was Ca-na-da of Expo '67 Bobby Gimby fame. The

crowd here roared with appreciation as they sang Vive la Canadienne. Celts from the area then gave them a fine band for their rendition of Nova Scotia Farewell.

A standing ovation greeted the eight man precision jumping team at the opening of the second half. One gathered the impression some of the crowd could only identify the members of the force with their black mounts. These men were taken from the Musical Ride, and were trained to take their mounts through an intricate pattern of jumps where precision timing is the keynote.

Drill Master Sergeant F.W. Perry put a squad through precision foot drill. It was explained this type of drill is used in basic training, however most officers are soon out of touch with it when they perform their normal police functions.

**AUDIENCE GOES WILD**

Four splendidly trained German Shepherds were put through their paces; the children in the audience went wild. The highlight was when one member disguised as a woman took her 'baby' for a ride in a pram.

An assailant attempted to grab her purse, unfortunately

the 'baby' was one of the dogs who quickly caught and held the would-be attacker. Mention was made of the role of other dogs, particularly Labrador Retrievers, in narcotics cases.

A physical training and self-defence squad put on a brief display.

It was hard to choose between the Musical Ride and the Mounted Arms Competition as the best event of the evening, one requiring the skills of 32 men and horses, the other a competition between four men as they displayed time-honored cavalry skills.

The latter is a race against time over a pre-set obstacle course using sabre, gun and lance. The men will accumulate points over the tour, and a prize will be awarded to the top man.

## STIRRUP CUPS

An additional burden is placed on the members of the force in the centennial review. They are their own stage hands, rig the sound and lighting systems, as well as moving props. Most of the moving is done in darkness, other than during the intermission. The work is divided between two crews when there are two daily performances.

The review is under the direction of Chief Superintendent D.T. Saul; Inspector P.J.C. Morin is in charge of the Musical Ride; Superintendent W. Bramwell Smith is musical director; riding master is Staff Sergeant Dan Carroll; Sergeant F.W. Perry is Drill Master; the canine unit is under the direction of Corporal Walt W. Achymichuk.

The announcers are Inspector D.A. Whyte (English) and Corporal J.A. Cholette (French). Announcements were made in linguistic rotation.

Others involved in the production and staging are from the Calgary Exhibition (Stampe) and include: Lloyd Erikson, Pat Mousing, Leslie Funtek, Mel Merrels, Bob Gibson, William Avery, John Cox, Brock Hammond, Vicky Adams, Roy Smith, Toni Chappell, Roy Smith and Gus Guntz.

One of the oxen, and that's no bull, got a bit huffy when they first tried to hitch him in Ottawa, and took off in the arena. They are formidable long-haired beasts with horns approximately 14 inches long. One member of the band confided someone always has an eye out as the opening of the Great March West Begins — they don't want to be impaled. They have been named Pierre & Elliot, although no reasonable justification was given. We couldn't find out whether it was Pierre or Elliot who had a ring in his nose.

During their stay the RCMP honored local personages. It is a tradition the Musical Ride cannot begin without permission; thus Police Chief Edouard Moreau granted it opening night, Mr. Sylvio Lacharite Saturday afternoon, Jean Perreault Saturday evening and John S. Bourque at Sunday's performance.

The tradition is exemplified as Inspector Morin approaches the guest of honor, salutes him with his sabre, and asks for permission to commence the ride. The ride ends with the men in formation before the guest of honor who then gives them permission to retire.

This year's Calgary Stampede, from July 5 - 14th will commemorate the centennial of the RCMP.

The men in the Mounted Arms Competition aren't only shooting for the prize at the end of the tour. To keep it a bit more interesting they've set up side bets on each performance. It's rumored to be a case of beer. They can probably put it to good use considering the amount of sweat generated during the act.

All the horses come from an RCMP farm in Ontario, and range in age from six to 16. To the casual viewer they all appear to be identical. Each has a maple leaf on its left hindquarter. This is effected by counter brushing the hair against a stencil.

The only time we saw the horses nervous was at the end of the Saturday matinee when they crowd stood in unison, the seats rattling back sounded like machine gun fire. They don't react during the mounted arms competition as they are accustomed to hearing two or three blanks fired in the stables from time to time.

All shots fired are from blanks loaded with soap. To watch the toddlers and adults the sound is identical to live ammunition.

Next stop on the tour is Rimouski, then the Maritimes, Montreal, Ottawa and west to the Calgary Stampede and the Pacific Exhibition. They will then return east, and the show will once again be staged in Ottawa and Montreal.

No opening night can be flawless; the Centennial review held true to form. The foot lights for the chorale had to be removed, two Stretsons and one stirrup were lost during the musical ride, and the microphone for the singing of O Canada wouldn't function properly. Only one Stetson bit the dust in the Saturday matinee as one rider used all the wiles in his book to control a very nervous steed in the musical ride.

The consensus was the show would be fully tightened in yesterday's performance. The opener ran long, partly in tribute to the welcome given the RCMP. They played two extra numbers in the opening finale.

Comments after the shows indicated everybody was proud to be a Canadian, several indicated they had not had this spirit since EXPO '67.

Tears were often intermingled with smiles during the review; in all, a very good omen.

Over 95 per cent of the music played during the centennial review was composed by Canadians.

## Trudeau mends fences in Compton, Frontenac

MEGANTIC (JD) — Prime Minister Trudeau, on a fence-mending mission, met with representatives of 73 communities in Compton and

Frontenac counties here Friday. Compton has elected Henri Latulippe, a Creditiste, since 1962.

minority Liberal Government will stay in power as long as possible, and said he has no plans of calling an immediate election. He visited a home for the

elderly run by Claude Tessier, the Grit standard-bearer during the last election, where he dined and conversed with 48 residents.

economic machinery on its own. This is not our aim when we mention a just society.

All members paraded for the finale, then O Canada and a five minute standing ovation. A fitting tribute.

## Hit-run suspect held; crash injures 3

ADAMSVILLE (JD) — Roger Leroux, suspected of hit-and-run in Granby, Friday, is in satisfactory condition at the Royal Victoria Hospital, following an accident here Friday at 12:10 p.m.

Eastern Townships access road when he allegedly lost control of his vehicle and landed in a ditch. A Cowansville QPF spokesman said Leroux's car was a complete write-off. He is expected to be charged on his release from hospital.

Bolton sent three Mansonville residents to the CHU, Sherbrooke, Sunday at 12:20 a.m.

Injured in the head-on crash were Mrs. Jackie Jersey, Mr. Clifton Jersey, 33, and Laval Marcoux, 27.

He suggested any rapid industrial or municipal expansion here could cause pollution problems in a lake where none presently exist. Another facet of the just society is trying to avert such events.

What to do when your ears fail

Leroux, 28, of 311 Main St., apt. 6, Granby, was allegedly fleeing police and took the Magenta road here heading towards the

area a two-car collision on Rt. 39 between Mansonville and South

Hospital authorities refused to reveal the extent of their injuries.

"In terms of material goods it might mean twice as many automobiles, TV sets and recreational vehicles, although this might not be the case."

"Should this happen it will mean a continuation of the same type of society we presently have, with disparity of wealth between citizens and economic regions. This would also mean the Indian and Inuit people would not be integrated in society, rather, remaining on the fringe as they are now."

Ears today take a lot more abuse than in the good old days. That's why you should know what techniques are available to correct the most common hearing problem. Read the new 8-page booklet by W. F. Carver, Ph.D., of the Washington University School of Medicine, "The Truth About Nerve Deafness." It's free! Just write Dept. 2732, Bellone Electronics Corp., 4201 W. Victoria St., Chicago, Ill. 60616.



**WHAT A MOTHER'S DAY** — Mrs. Andre Boisvert, a Stratford mother of four, looks down at the first of her 13 weekly cheques of \$50 provided by Les Epicier's Cooperative, Normande Division. Mrs. Boisvert reigns as Maman Normandienne for the upcoming year.

Candidates for the honor were chosen by write-in ballots in 24 stores in the eastern sector of the Townships, the winner was chosen at random, as was Mrs. Boisvert last evening at the Le Baron Motor Hotel. She is shown with cooperative president Andre Hamel and hostess

Christine Laplante. All around it was ladies night, a fitting tribute to Mother's Day, as approximately 500 persons gathered for the gala. Mrs. Boisvert's name was chosen by Mrs. Jean Paul Pepin, her husband was conspicuous through lack of rights to speak. Mrs. Jacques O'Bready, wife of the incumbent pro-mayor, presented Mrs. Boisvert with a bouquet. The other ladies didn't lose, they each walked home with a selection of groceries and household products valued at approximately \$50.

This is a hazard if society rules itself, and if we leave the

## Road mishap claims one

MILAN (JD) — Marc Roy, 15, of Milan, a pedestrian on a secondary road leading to the cemetery, died following an accident at approximately 2:35 Sunday morning.

Eastern Townships regional QPF said the young man was struck by a vehicle, however no charges will be laid as the circumstances indicate a purely accidental death.

## HERE & THERE

**LENNOXVILLE**  
St. George's, Lennoxville, A.C.W. is holding a Coffee Party at 9 Clough Avenue on Thursday, May 17, from 10:30 until noon.

**LENNOXVILLE**  
Annual open parents meeting at Alexander Galt Regional High School, Tuesday, May 15, beginning at 7:30 p.m., in the school's auditorium. Organized in co-operation with AGRHS principal Frank Boushel and department heads. It's a "come and find out for yourself evening" and the public is encouraged to attend.

**BRIEFLET SHERBROOKE**  
Sherbrooke Hospital Nurses' Alumnae meeting, Tuesday, May 15, at the home of Mrs. R. Gale in Waterville. Members to meet at Norton Residence at 7:00 p.m. for transportation.

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## Drummondville benefits from work of two historians

By JOYCE HIBBERT  
DRUMMONDVILLE — All across Canada there is a surge of interest in gathering and preserving historical data. Two persons dedicated to such work reside in Drummondville and both are active octogenarians.

Born in 1891 in Nicolet, where her father was working temporarily, Madame Ernestine Charland-Rajotte accompanied her family back to Drummondville at the age of three. Her grandfather Charles Garipey, had been the first settler in St. Cyrille de Wendover, five miles from Drummondville.

She received her education under the tutelage of Les Soeurs de la Presentation at the local convent. "I received my teacher's diploma but the salary was only \$100 annually and I would have had to teach out in the countryside," she explains. "I decided to go to work in a lawyer's office."

During this period she also became a newspaper correspondent for La Tribune, Sherbrooke and for Le Present, Drummondville. She wrote many stories for children and a collection of these under the name Marie Des Neiges is now being considered for publication.

In 1919 she married Arthur Rajotte, a young veterinary surgeon who later entered politics. He represented Drummond County in the

Provincial Legislature in 1938, served a term as mayor of Drummondville and was again returned to Quebec in 1939. These were hectic and interesting years for Madame Rajotte, as wife to and hostess for a political husband, as well as being mother to two young children.

Her adult life had been spent observing and partaking events of the times. After her husband died in 1950, Madame Ernestine Rajotte found that she had time on her hands. Then she began to organize all the information she had collected, adding to it where necessary. The result is her book **Drummondville, now on sale in the French language.** It illustrates the transition of a small settlement into an industrial city.

Last December the city showed its affection and gratitude to a worthy and charming citizen. Ernestine Charland-Rajotte was honoured with a civic reception and presentation.

One Drummondville resident who was particularly interested in this new book, all about 150 years of everyday day life in the heart of Quebec, was Leslie Millar. His ancestors were early settlers in Drummondville and subsequent generations have been involved in business and administration in the city and district.

It began with Scottish-born

James Grant Millar, Captain and Adjutant of the 16th Royals. He served in several campaigns of the Napoleonic Wars before he joined General Heriot's staff in Canada. His uniform is on display at the Chateau de Ramezay museum in Montreal. James Millar married a Miss Willis of Sorel and they raised six children in the new settlement.

From 1830 until 1967, except for one short period, the family was closely connected with the office of County Registrar. The late Ivan Millar, brother to Leslie, was the last of the family to occupy the post.

Living in what he terms a "standard house of its time" which was built by his grandfather in the 1850s, Mr. Millar is hard at work gathering and recording historical information. The house is in a lovely spot overlooking the St. Francis. The view inspired artists of the family to paint landscapes and many of these works decorate the walls.

The Millar house, still in fine condition, was constructed of squared logs with an outer covering of half-inch lapped boards, and plastered inside walls. Previously, there had been a sort of riverside roadhouse on the land, designated on old maps as Lords Tavern. Canoes would stop there on their way to or from Richmond.

Leslie Millar worked in a Montreal stockbrokers office prior to joining and serving overseas with the 5th Canadian Mounted Rifles during the 1914-1918 war. Later he was employed by a Trust company and then as an accountant with the Laurentide Paper company. It was 1927 when he returned to Drummondville and went into the garage business until retirement in 1950.

Always a keen fisherman, he'll tell you of the salmon and shad which were so plentiful in the St. Francis in the time of his father — before dams and pollution — and of the bass and pickerel of

more recent times.

Like Madame Rajotte, Mr. Millar is making good use of his retirement years. He has traced and recorded the history of his own family which includes the Robins, Gills and McDougalls.

The latter family were merchants and millers but especially prominent in the foundry business. At one time they owned all forges in the area. The Quebec iron industry has been another of Mr. Millar's research projects.

He is now compiling the genealogical details regarding other founding families of Drummondville. All this historical fact-gathering is an ongoing thing.

He can tell you all about the

original roads and railroads of the St. Francis River Valley and how they evolved. He is frequently consulted by M. Verrier, an historian in charge of setting up a museum in the picturesque Trent House in Parc des Voltigeurs.

Of all the topics that he has painstakingly researched, Mr. Millar declares: "I was always most interested in the history of the Indians of the district." And yes, he has gathered information relative to the Abenakis of the Algonquin Nation prior to 1915.

When you comment on his healthful looks, remarkable for his 82 years, Leslie Millar remarks: "I never have time to be sick." And you're inclined to believe him!

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# Unions accepting trends towards autonomy

By VIC PARSONS

OTTAWA (CP) — Although Canadian branches of International unions flex their muscles at the mention of rising nationalism among organized labor, many union leaders seem to be accepting trends toward greater autonomy, tempered with a view that autonomy must come within the framework of the Canadian Labor Congress and its affiliates.

This apparent division has been reflected in two separate events recently. About 75 per cent of Canada's 2.4 million union members belong to affiliates of the CLC, and about 62 per cent are members of international unions.

Yet only last week, CLC secretary-treasurer William Dodge said fully-independent Canadian branches of international unions are a foregone conclusion within 20 years.

Mr. Dodge, first publicly-announced candidate for the CLC presidency to be vacated next year by Donald MacDonald, suggested the change will be a smooth transition rather than a struggle of nationalist groups.

120,000-member United Autoworkers and an international vice-president of the union, is opposed to arguments of the nationalist groups yet a supporter of "recognition of Canadians as Canadians."

For Mr. MacDermott and many other top CLC affiliate leaders, a strictly-national union movement could lead to weakened unions facing powerful companies in collective bargaining.

Mr. MacDonald, while stoutly defending international unions, still disagrees with the large U.S. labor federation—the AFLCIO, one

of the promoters of the Burke-Hartke bill, a protectionist bill that could mean less of jobs for Canadian workers.

U.S. labor support for the bill has caused concern among union members and even federal Labor Minister John Munro has—over the objections of the CLC—wondered aloud if international unions can now truly represent union members in both countries.

CLC officials have expressed fears that anti-international union feeling is being generated among Canadian unionists by labor support of the bill.

The latest decision by CLC leaders, to direct an anti-

nationalist drive, seems certain to be approved by the executive council of the congress when it meets next week.

domestic officers and members, the nationalist groups continue to erode international union membership.

The nationalist gains have been particularly apparent in British Columbia, where the United Steelworkers of America and the International Woodworkers of America have come under fire recently.

All-Canadian unions have taken over as the bargaining agent for the Steelworkers at Kitimat and are threatening at Cominco operations at Trail, B.C.

While nationalism has been cited as the cause of the defections by many, international union representatives maintain that poor service to members was the chief reason.



## On the right

with William F. Buckley Jr.

## Meanwhile over in Indo-China

President Nixon's State of the World message to Congress warns Hanoi that unless it begins to observe the terms of the peace treaty, the United States may be forced to renew the war in Indochina. The message moreover warns that North Vietnamese duplicity threatens the developing harmony in our relations with Peking and Moscow. And, yet again, Mr. Nixon reminds Hanoi that in the past he has taken decisive action under provocation.

Watergate is extremely interesting and as a serial drama there has been nothing in years that could touch it. But since everybody in sight is spending most of his time testifying before senate committees and grand juries, I wish someone—Mr. Kissinger is of course the first choice, and failing him, the President—would testify in answer to certain questions about the peace with honor we celebrated last January.

1. What reason was there to suppose that Hanoi would keep its word? I ask the question seriously. Mr. Kissinger is a very bright hombre, and of course would never proceed on the assumption that the North Vietnamese would abide by an agreement merely because they said they would abide by an agreement. What was it that caused him to believe that the cease-fire could be observed?

2. Did we discern, in the course of the negotiations, a critical fatigue in North Vietnam which was responsible for their sudden willingness to negotiate a cease-fire? What was the nature of that fatigue? To what extent was it merely an inference? A tactical victory of the doveish faction within the North Vietnamese politbureau? Did we rely on this fatigue? Or did we count on the invigoration, after the cease-fire, of the peace party in North Vietnam? How heavily did we bank on this factor?

3. We spent a very busy year, in 1972, ingratiating ourselves with China and Russia. The public doesn't know everything we promised China, though it is reasonable to suppose that we were "forthcoming"—that is a White House locution—about Formosa, about intelligence reports on the activities of the Soviet Army on the border, about discouraging any serious move by Japan towards rearmament, about trade credits and other vulgar economic matters. We bailed Russia out of an excruciating food shortage, made major concessions in the SALT agreements, promised further arms reduction talks, and vouchsafed them Pepsi-Cola.

Now: What did China and Russia promise in turn, respecting Indochina? Once again, the question is not rhetorical. One assumes that they promised something. What? Waging constant war in three foreign countries—South Vietnam, Cambodia, Laos—is extremely expensive. In fact it is beyond the means of small countries like North Vietnam.

Did China and Russia promise, subject to the discretion obviously required in such matters, to cease financing the Indochinese war? Did they promise to cease provisioning it directly? Did the White House have a reasonably accurate idea of the inventory of arms and ammunition held by Hanoi as of last January? Is it plain from observation of the traffic into Hanoi harbor what has gone in there during the past three months, and from where?

And finally, 4) What was it contemplated that we should do in case our reliance on Hanoi, and China, and Russia, should prove unwarranted? Did we communicate to Hanoi during the Paris talks exactly what we would do under certain circumstances? Did we make any arrangements that would permit South Vietnam to launch a meaningful military offensive in retaliation against the violations of the cease-fire? Or did we simultaneously withhold from Saigon such critical weapons as strategic aircraft and convey the impression that we would not ourselves use them against Hanoi given the exhaustion of the American fighting spirit?

I'm sorry, but I think there is more at stake here than the invasion, however deplorable, of the privacy of Larry O'Brien, and the subsequent cover-up. Cover-up... Or is there a common denominator in the two melodramas?

## BERRY'S WORLD



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"You didn't have anything to do with Watergate, did you?"

## Conflict of interest

The latest bad news from Statistics Canada is particularly disturbing because it is plain that inflation is accelerating. Food is identified as the main culprit on the strength of a dramatic 2.6 per cent advance in prices in one month. It is possible that this indicator is somewhat misleading since food prices may be more affected than most others by temporary factors. In any case this particularly striking increase ought not to divert attention from the even more worrying fact that the price advance is general. The index for commodities in April, 1973, was up by seven per cent over April, 1972, and the latest monthly increment of 1.5 per cent would represent an appalling annual rate of 18 per cent.

Unhappily, no particular consolation is to be derived from the category by category breakdown provided by Statistics Canada. The important clothing index advanced by 1.4 per cent in April. If sustained, this would indicate a yearly rate of 16.8. This surge, early in the year, must be considered ominous because spokesmen for the industry have been predicting higher prices for late summer and fall.

The housing index contains a variety of components and is therefore confusing. Thus the appliance index actually declined slightly. On the other hand, furniture was up a full percentage point. This would indicate a 12 per cent rate of increase over the year. The "home ownership element" (new houses and home owner repairs) was advancing in April at an annual rate of 8.4 per cent which is the more serious since there is already a housing crisis in the country.

As regards food, the government has at least the semblance of a policy although it may not be persuasive. There is no policy, as there once was, on inflation generally except for occasional hints about contingency plans. Surely the contingency has arrived. It is simply not being tackled. The government seems appalled even by such marginal measures as selective export controls. In the case of lumber, for example, the minister of trade and industry Tuesday offered a reassuring opinion, based on his talks with businessmen, that prices will soften in the fall. Perhaps he is right.

Then why hesitate to ease a present situation by imposing a measure of control which could readily be revoked with the expected improvement in supply? There can, of course, be no guarantee that any policy will yield the full results desired. It is certain however, that we are paying a high price for lack of policy measurable month by month in the increasingly gloomy tidings from Statistics Canada.



# Memo indicates buses unsafe

WASHINGTON — The slightest sign of school bus failings, by law, must be rushed to the Transportation Department to determine whether the manufacturer should recall and repair the buses.

Yet, so far as we can learn, General Motors has failed to notify the Transportation Department of some school bus transmissions described in an internal memo as potentially unsafe.

This is an astonishing case of General Motors' left hand slapping its right hand. For the accusation, involving a possible law violation, has been made by one GM division against another.

The Detroit Diesel Allison branch, in a nine-page memo complete with photos, charges that the Hydra-Matic branch is producing a transmission with a "parts failure" potential, which "trucks and school bus operators can't afford."

Intended for GM eyes only, the memo declares: "Durability and life has been compromised in order to produce a lower priced truck automatic (transmission).... About the only saleable advantage of the transmission is its first-cost price."

Detroit Diesel questions the "safety" of the sister division's product, saying the school bus transmission has a "weak center area with a potential 'breakpoint' structure." The memo also cites negative safety factors in the transmission's overspeed, driveline and lack of acceleration.

Finally, Detroit Diesel cites a GM test which, it says, shows "product weaknesses." The "Mud Hole Test," which the transmission flunked, determines durability and safety of the school buses' reverse gear.

At Detroit Diesel's transmission branch in Indianapolis, we reached sales



Jack Anderson's Washington Merry-go-round

manager D.R. Bingham who spluttered that "this was not intended as an external memo.... Neither was it intended to get out of the corporation." GM in Detroit tried to blame the criticisms on "an overenthusiastic writer" at Detroit Diesel. "The Hydra-Matic is not unsafe," the spokesman said.

FAA NEGLIGENCE. The reluctance of the Federal Aviation Administration to take effective safety measures, in the opinion of safety experts, is to blame for continuing crashes of Beechcraft-18 light planes. Dozens have died needlessly, say the experts.

The crashes have been caused by wing failure, yet the weakness in the wings has been known as far back as 1947. Still, the FAA has not acted to insure passenger safety.

In 1968, the National Transportation Safety Board recommended that the FAA require licensing of aircraft X-ray technicians who could detect cracks in the wings. The FAA did not act on the recommendation. On April 19, six persons were killed in a Beechcraft-18 near Davenport, Iowa. X-rays taken of the plane reveal cracks in the wing. These were undetected last July when the craft was inspected, so it was allowed to continue in service. As a result of the Iowa crash, the NTSB has again asked the FAA to license X-ray technicians.

In addition, the FAA ignored a NTSB recommendation to

reduce the number of hours a Beechcraft-18 can fly before being inspected. The weak wings of the Beechcraft-18s can be shored by a steel belt welded onto them. However, the FAA does not yet require that an owner do this until after 600 hours of flying time.

An FAA spokesman said the owners are allowed this leeway because it takes up to two weeks to reinforce the wings with the steel belts. The FAA has not considered, he said, grounding the planes altogether until the belts are welded on the 570 operating aircraft.

GUN LOBBY. The National Rifle Association wheeled out its big guns recently in an effort to stop the Smithsonian Institution from showing a film which depicted hunters as a threat to endangered animals.

The documentary, "Say Goodbye," has been steeped in controversy since it was produced by the Wolper Organization three years ago. One minor scene, for example, depicts a polar bear being slaughtered from a helicopter by a rifleman. Actually, the bear was merely anesthetized and released unharmed.

Wolper has carefully inserted disclaimers at the beginning of the film to inform viewers that some of the scenes were "recreated." But basically, the documentary is accurate.

Smithsonian officials scheduled the film for showing at a noontime "Free Film Theater" last month. The

National Rifle Association demanded an advance viewing so it could pass upon the film's accuracy. After preview privileges were denied, the Smithsonian received a letter from the NRA.

"The National Rifle Association of America," wrote its executive vice president, Maxwell Rich, "earnestly protests the showing of this film and urges that the Smithsonian Institution give strong consideration to withdrawing this material from its program in favor of more factual and enlightening information."

Shortly thereafter, the Smithsonian received telephone calls from the offices of Reps. Wright Patman D-Tex., Robert Sikes, D-Fla., and John Dingell, D-Mich. Patman said he was "representing a constituent" and was merely making an "inquiry." Sikes was disturbed, he said, because he understood the film "was intended to place hunters in a bad light." Dingell called the film "deceitful and misleading" and "not a faithful representation of the facts."

Despite the political pressure, the Smithsonian went on with the show, taking care to issue a disclaimer of its own before the film began. Two NRA "reporters" armed with a tape recorder and a camera, showed up and conspicuously photographed the audience.

The "reporters," said a spokesman, were on assignment for the NRA magazine, "The American Rifleman."

Footnote. Despite the "staged" scenes, Say Goodbye has won several major awards and was nominated for an Oscar in 1970.

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# Nickel looking down in long-term view

By SANDRA INGALSBE  
TORONTO (CP) — Nickel traders have been uncertain in recent years and some analysts say that while their immediate fortunes are looking up the long-term outlook may not be so favorable.

Canadian producers, who have dominated the industry throughout this century, have had problems in the last few years with shortages followed by oversupply. Now domestic producers are faced with stiff competition from newcomers elsewhere in the world.

The result, some analysts say, will be an erosion of Canada's share of the world market. Capacity will increase faster than demand and it will be hard to control or maintain prices in the event of over-production.

Bell, Gouinlock and Co. Ltd., in assessing the long-term outlook, says: "It is obvious nickel will become an industry where reserves of ore and capacity to produce will not be a problem and where it will not be possible for any one company or country to dominate."

Lower price-earnings ratios will evolve and "major holders are advised to reassess the percentage representation of nickel stocks in their portfolios."

Over the short-term, however, analysts say demand will increase by about six per cent annually, inventories will be reduced and currency realignments will put pressure on competitors.

**EMPHASIS SHIFTS**  
Canadian Business Service says in a recent review of the industry there is "a shift in emphasis from high grade to lower grades as steel industry technology advances and costs are constantly under restraint."

## News briefs

**FEWER HIJACKINGS**  
GENEVA (AP) — The number of airplane hijackings in the world has sharply declined, an International Air Transport Association survey showed Wednesday. The survey listed one attempt so far this year, compared with 60 attempts in 1972 and a record 86 in 1969. The lone 1973 attempt was in the United States and it failed.

**TORNADO KILLS BOY**  
LAKEVILLE, Minn. (AP) — A five-year-old boy was killed and 10 persons injured Wednesday when a tornado ripped through a trailer park near Lakeville, a suburb south of Minneapolis-St. Paul. Twelve of 70 trailers in the park were destroyed and about 12 others heavily damaged, police reported.

**SVETLANA SINGLE AGAIN**  
PHOENIX, Ariz. (Reuter) — The protegee of the late architect Frank Lloyd Wright, William Wesley Peters, 60, Wednesday was granted a divorce here "by default" from Svetlana Stalin Peters, 48, daughter of the late Russian dictator Josef Stalin. The divorce provided that each will keep his or her own property. Their child, Olga Margendant, born May 21, 1971, in San Rafael, Calif., will remain with Svetlana.

Inco closed Wednesday at \$29 1/2.

In comparing Inco and Falconbridge, second largest producer, Canadian Business Service regards Falconbridge as "the higher risk but the greater potential for capital appreciation."

Higher deliveries this year should reflect a full year's production from Falconbridge's Dominican operation and place the company at a competitive advantage.

"We recommend the shares for capital appreciation for accounts prepared to accept some risk," CBS says.

Falconbridge closed Wednesday at \$74.

# Large German fashion rivals much the same as Canada

By MARGARET NESS  
BERLIN (CP) — Berlin and Munich are the fashion rivals in Germany as are Montreal and Toronto in Canada.

Berlin has the internationally known designer Uli Richter and the House of Schwarm specializing in large sizes. The German figure suffers from too many afternoon cream cakes and hot chocolate.

Munich has its Max Dietl, Heinz Queisser, an annual international fashion prize and the largest fashion school in Germany.

Of immediate interest is Uli Richter's recent first appearance in Toronto. He brought over his fall collection as part of the German airline Lufthansa's inaugural flight on its new Toronto landing rights. The gala showing was under the auspices of the Toronto Fashion Group. But his clothes have been available in some Canadian stores for years.

Richter makes two collections a year to show international buyers at the fashion fairs in Berlin, Munich and Düsseldorf. In 1965 he added ready-to-wear, as have so many haute couture houses. For fall he favors double-faced wools and is showing them especially in three-piece ensembles. Mango is a new favorite color. He showed it in a double-faced wool coat, with brown inside and as facings.

and in a suit of a contoured, fox-collared jacket and an A-line skirt. For length, he prefers just below the knee.

**STICKS TO DRESSES**  
Where Richter's haute couture clients are select and well-heeled, Schwarm (the owner's name) is one of the biggest garment manufacturers in Europe. This 20-year-old Berlin house confines itself to dresses and produces one million a year. It employs 1,000 workers, owns a factory and has 60 smaller manufacturers working for it.

Schwarm's range of its large sizes shows great originality and a conviction that color, carefully selected patterns and discreet stitching can create style for unstylish figures.

Max Dietl is the recent winner of the \$1,000 Fashion Prize of the City of Munich. This award was started in 1965. Seventeen judges select several outstanding international designers and then see the collections. Last year they awarded the prize to the House of Dior.

**USES CANADIAN FURS**  
Munich-born and 58 years old, Dietl started his apprenticeship in men's clothing. In 1945 he opened his own shop for both men's and women's clothes. In 1963 came his haute couture in an elegant salon facing the Opera House.

His early interest is evident here. The men's shop is in the front. Behind is the small elegant ready-to-wear for women, with dull gold velvet chairs and crystal chandeliers. Upstairs is for his private customers. And across a passageway is his accessory

boutique. Munich's Heinz Queisser has a close tie with Ontario. Most of his furs are from Canada, made from his sketches by five Ontario furriers. But furs are only a small section of his large wholesale collection. As does Richter, Queisser likes double-face wools. The fall line includes an interesting combination of Loden green with beige inside in lined squares of green, beige and white. Another double face, trench-styled coat ensemble features a Loden green skirt, long rust vest and a green patterned shirt. Loden is a heavy fabric, popular in Germany and in the green shade we call Loden green.

# Bad nerves but they love each other just the same

NASHVILLE, Tenn. (AP) — Magistrate Kent Sandridge was questioning Gerald McGuire, 43, during the preliminary hearing on his arrest on charges involving the sale of drugs.

"Do you live with your wife?" Sandridge asked.

"Well, your honor, we love

each other but we don't live together because she's got this nervous condition," McGuire replied.

Sandridge asked what caused the nervous condition.

"I get on her nerves," McGuire said. "We've been married 18 years and if she

wants to see me she just calls me."

McGuire was ordered held on \$7,500 bond.

# Abortions drying up adoptable baby supply

OTTAWA (CP) — The growing number of abortions in Canada is drying up the supply of babies available for adoption, the president of a national anti-abortion group said Wednesday.

"There is in this country, in every major centre large waiting lists of couples anxious and waiting to adopt babies. They cannot get these babies because they are being killed," Dr. Heather Morris, a Toronto obstetrician and head of Alliance of Life, told reporters.

Dr. Morris and about a dozen representatives of anti-abortion groups from across the country had met Prime Minister Trudeau and government officials. The group presented a petition bearing 353,652 signatures to the prime minister. Justice

Minister Otto Lang, Science Minister Jeanne Sauve and Health Minister Marc Lalonde.

The group also presented the ministers with a brief, asking the government to grant full legal recognition to the unborn and to repeal 1969 amendments to the Criminal Code which liberalized abortion laws.

**WOULD BE ADOPTED**  
Dr. Morris said there is "no question that unwanted babies saved from abortions would all be adopted."

The group's brief cited a number of alternatives to abortion including extensive education on pre-natal life, counselling for pregnant women considering abortion, special programs for unwed mothers and agencies established to encourage women to carry

their babies to term. The brief also calls for improved day-care facilities and more low-income housing to ease the financial burden of large families.

Women may acquire legal abortions if a committee of doctors in a recognized hospital sign a certificate stating that her health or life are endangered if forced to complete her pregnancy.

Abortions are not meant to be granted for social reasons such as poverty or too many children, Dr. Morris said. Neither should they be granted on the basis that the woman's mental health will be endangered.

The trauma of an abortion only tends to deteriorate a woman's mental health, she said.

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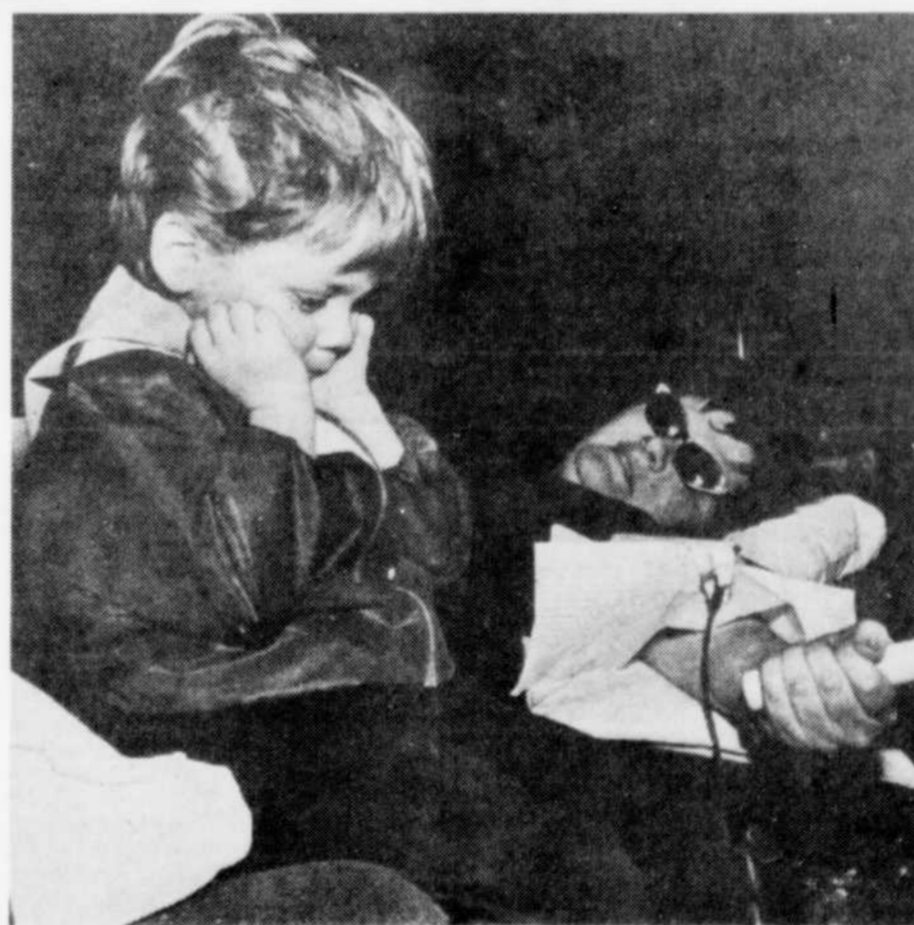
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# The family

## Marriages

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas G. Masterson, Jr., announce the marriage of their daughter Rachel Elizabeth to Mr. Charles C. Miller of Denver, Colorado. The marriage took place on April 12, 1973.

Mr. and Mrs. James Lee of Sherbrooke announce the marriage of their daughter Susan to Mr. Michael Duquette of Ottawa. The marriage took place May 4 with a candlelight ceremony in Globe United Church, Ottawa.

The bride, escorted by her father wore her mother's wedding dress of pale ivory peau de soie, appliqued with Alencon lace. Her tulle veil held in place by yellow sweetheart roses was waist length. She carried yellow sweetheart roses, orange blossom, baby breath and miniature ivy.

Miss Brenda Lee was maid of honor for the sister and Miss Dorothy Duquette and Mrs. Linda Lenoche were bridesmaids.

They wore mauve, purple, and yellow printed gowns with matching picture hats.

Danny Duquette, brother of the groom, was best man and James Doyle and George Lee were ushers. A reception was held at HMCS Carleton.

Out-of-town guests were from Winnipeg, Toronto, and Sherbrooke. The couple will reside at 12 Corkstown Road Apt. 109, Ottawa.



**CONGRATULATIONS** — extended to Dianne Merrill who received her diploma as a biology technologist at the graduation ceremonies of the Nova Scotia Agricultural College, held on May 2 in Truro, N.S. Dianne is a graduate of the Cookshire High School. She received her Diploma as a technician in animal science from N.S.A.C. in 1972. During her high school years she was active in 4-H club work, public speaking and sports. During her 3 years at N.S.A.C. she has been active in both sports and social activities. In 1972 and 1973, she won the female Athletic distinction Award and in 1972 she was the champion sheep showman and the grand champion showman for their College Royal. She is the second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Merrill of Bulwer and granddaughter of Mrs. A.R. Merrill of Eaton. She is presently employed at the College.

## Approaching marriage

The forthcoming marriage is announced of Pamela B.E. McIntyre, daughter of Mrs. Mary B. McIntyre and the late Mr. Harry W. McIntyre of Mississauga, Ont. to Mr. Mark Wheeler, of Toronto, son of Mr. and Mrs. Russell A. Wheeler of Sherbrooke. The wedding is to take place in Toronto, June 22.



By Ann Landers

## Vicious and unpredictable 'protector' terrifies wife

Dear Ann Landers: I've written this letter ten times, but this one is going into the mailbox I'm terrified.

My husband has a Doberman Pinscher. The dog is nine-months old and true to the breed - unpredictable and vicious. Last week that awful hound scared me out of my wits. Tony and I had an argument. It ended up with him slapping my face. The dog was right there - lunging at me. Luckily, I was able to escape to the bathroom and shut the door.

The next day Tony bragged to his friends, actually laughed about how he now has "protection." He is a heavy drinker - in fact, this is what most of our fights are about.

Last night Tony and I were footing around and wrestling - all in fun. The Doberman came after me again. When her "master" commanded her to lie down she obeyed. I keep having nightmares that one of these days when Tony is drunk, or mad at me for some fool thing, he'll order the dog to tear me to pieces.

Do I have the right to demand that he get rid of that animal? He says he'll never do it. —Scared Stiff

Dear S.S.: Insist on a compromise. Tell Tony that unless he agrees to keep a muzzle on the beast when she is in your presence you will see a lawyer about separate maintenance. If he refuses, I hope you will go ahead and do it. That's no way to live.

Dear Ann Landers: Here's a reply to the couple in Florida who think sex is responsible for all the evils of the world.

Dear J. and J.: Has it ever occurred to you that sex, like fire, needs to be harnessed if it is going to be used effectively for the purpose for which it was designed?

Fire and sex are two of the most powerful and indispensable forces on earth. Surely we would not condemn fire because some people get burned by it.

It is a pity that you cannot look upon sex as it was meant to be - a holy and complete union with your spouse. You have my heartfelt sympathy. — Happily Married And Close To God In Lorain, Ohio

Dear Happy and Close In Ohio: Your letter contains sound logic and an excellent analogy. My thanks to you for writing and my warm regards to the people in Sweet Lorain.

Dear Ann Landers: I'm 27, have never been married, but have been through a lot. A year ago I met Jack, age 35, divorced and the father of five children. The last two years of their marriage Jack's wife was sleeping with her boss. When she asked for a divorce, Jack assumed the boss was going to leave his family and marry her, so he agreed. He felt he had no choice.

I was sure that when Jack was free he would marry me, but I was wrong. Four months after the divorce Jack's wife called him to say things didn't work out and she wants him to come home. So now he tells me they are going to be remarried because he misses his kids and he wants to be back in the good graces of his church. What kind of church will take a rat like that back in? What do I do next? — Damned Phool In Pensacola

Dear D.P.: Probably Catholic - which does not recognize divorce. In the eyes of the church Jack and his wife were never anything but married. As for what do you do next: For openers, take a pledge not to get mixed up with any more married men.

Is pot a drug? Can L.S.D. and pills open new worlds for you? Stop guessing. Get the facts in Ann Landers' new booklet, "Straight Dope on Drugs." For each booklet ordered send a dollar bill, plus a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope (16 cents postage) to Ann Landers, Box 3346, Chicago, Ill. 60654.

## Fish and game club takes action over planned demolition of Narrows Bridge

By IVY HATCH

### FISH AND GAME CLUB

The Stanstead County Fish and Game Club, like so many organizations, municipalities and individuals have been interested in saving the old covered bridge at The Narrows, Fitch Bay, from demolition.

The Department of highways have plans to build a new road between Beebe and Fitch Bay that would mean replacing a new bridge for the existing one which is narrow and was built, probably some 75 years ago, at the least, in the horse and buggy days and now is inadequate for motor travel.

But when this was learned many letters were sent to the Hon. Bernard Pinard, Minister of Roads and George Vaillancourt, Minister of State for Municipal Affairs, requesting the bridge be left as an old landmark and tourist attraction and suggested the plans be changed to build a new bridge near by.

Evidently the appeals were adhered to. The County Club have received a letter from the office of Mr. Vaillancourt and a copy of a letter of him from the office of Hon. Mr. Pinard, stating that it is in the plans of the Department of Roads to preserve the said covered bridge.

Needless to say, this is great news to so many people interested in this relic of our early days.

A general meeting of the Stanstead County Fish and Game Club was held on Tuesday evening, May 8, at Bernice's Chalet, Stanstead, with a very good attendance of members considering a NHL game taking place.

President James Belknap, in the chair called for reports. Plans were finalized for the June 12 annual evening in Beebe for members and the public in general.

This will start off with a banquet, family style roast turkey to be served by the women of Wesley United church in the church hall starting at 5 p.m. The program will get underway in the Town hall shortly before 8 p.m.

It is hoped to have a film. A prize for deer in the 1972 season will be presented. There will be door prizes given away and other events.

A committee of Mr. Belknap, Stanley Whitcomb and Seth Barnfield will inspect the Hatley Dam and if necessary make immediate repairs following a statement from an interested director that the dam needs attention.

Wilson May will with Philip Poaps be in charge of distributing fish food to the various people who feed fish in the ponds. A committee of two, Mr. Belknap and Wilson May will have a consultation with

Louis Auger, the area biologist concerning conservation matters in Sherbrooke.

### FISH STOCKINGS

The following is a release from the Wildlife Service office in Sherbrooke of fish stocked in the Stanstead County Fish and Game Club controlled waters.

**Banting Rearing Pond, Rock Island:** 10,000 speckled fry, 3006 trout harvested, average size of 4.4" transferred to Crystal Lake, Stanstead.

**Johnston Farm Ponds, Stanstead:** 10,000 speckled fry to be harvested this fall, and 3,000 rainbow, fry, 415 trout harvested, average size 3.3" transferred to another rearing pond.

**Whitcomb Pond, Hatley:** 5,000 speckled to be harvested this fall.

**Crystal Lake, Stanstead:** 4,000 speckled fingerlings.

**Baldwin Pond, Baldwins Mills:** 8,000 one-year speckled and Hatley Pond: 4,000 speckled fingerlings.

It has been further announced that on May 8, 4,000 speckled went into Baldwins Pond.

The fish are stocked in the rearing ponds by the Department of Fish and Game but these are afterwards fed and cared for by the Club who purchased and pay for the feed used.

## Fordyce WI meet

The monthly meeting of Fordyce Women's Institute met at the home of Mrs. Murray Mason, on May 2 with Mrs. Geo. Bromby as co-hostess.

The president, Mrs. Irene Williams, extended a welcome to 19 members and two guests, after which all repeated the Collect. The meeting was Agriculture thus the motto was in keeping with same. Whoever makes a garden, Has oh-so many friends; The glory of the morning, The dew when the sunlight ends. The roll call was do you think we can combat pollution and how?

The Secretary read a letter from the Provincial Secretary, Mrs. Burgess, explaining about the provincial convention being held at Macdonald College, May 24 and 25. Mrs. I. Williams and Mrs. M. Mason were appointed as delegates. Miss K. Moore kindly donated pillow cases as a gift for the F.W.I.C. convention to be held at Banff, Alta.

The picnic tables are to be placed, if possible at the W.I. picnic area in readiness for May 24, by Mr. C. Dougall and Mr. O. Patterson. It was moved, seconded and carried that two flags with pulley and rope be obtained for the flag pole on the picnic area. Mrs. M. Mason is in charge of this project.

The President kindly offered to have tickets made for selling on the tied quilt which will possibly be raffled at a card party in August. Convenors gave their reports - home economics, Mrs. Longeway, health foods and food poisoning, welfare and health, Mrs. C. Dougall, air conditioned apartments are also polluted, education, Mrs. H. Luce, this is the metric system in Canada; citizenship, Mrs. M. Lewis, two articles on British Columbia, first Bradner and daffodils,

second Citizen's award at Burns Lake, by John Gelz, who was once a resident of Cowansville; ACWW, Mr. H. David, read an article from the Countrywoman, which was enjoyed by all.

It was moved, seconded and carried that a letter be signed by the members and sent to Mr. Graftey, our M.P. protesting a maximum security penitentiary and asking for a minimum security institution.

The President turned the meeting over to Mrs. H. Bowling, the agriculture convenor who read some interesting and informative articles, viz: A Farmer's Prayer, Gardening in April, Spring Rose Care, do ovum transplants pay?

An interesting contest on vegetables was enjoyed. The winners were Mrs. M. Lewis and Mrs. S. Hawke.

Mrs. Mason had several heirloom quilts on display, which were so enjoyed and appreciated by all present.

A report was given of the Missisquoi County annual convention, which was held in Dunham, April 26. Dunham Women's Institute were the hostesses, who served a delicious luncheon, thus a very interesting and profitable day was enjoyed by all.

There was an exchange of seeds and slips of flowers, which is always looked forward to in the Spring.

Three birthdays were reported, namely Mrs. M. Lewis, Mrs. H. David and Mrs. S. Hawke.

The 1973-74 W.I. Programs were given to the members. The meeting was adjourned by the President and delicious refreshments were served by the hostesses.

## Outreach for Christ Auxiliary meeting

"Pollution - What Can You Do About It?" was the topic presented at the latest meeting of the Outreach for Christ Auxiliary of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church. The meeting, led by Mrs. Cathy Delisle, was held on Monday, April 23 at 8 p.m. in the church.

The introduction was a general look at pollution and two of the underlying causes; the affluence of today's society and man's dominion, or more accurately, exploitation of nature.

It was learned that scientists feel there is still time for an about-turn from this deterioration of the earth if man is willing to examine his values and shun the constant quest for personal affluence. From the theologians it was learned that man's dominion over nature does not permit him to do with it as he pleases. But "Man's dominion is under God's dominion and under God's domain." Man should treat the earth with integrity.

Since the topic, was so vast the discussion was limited to one aspect of it. That was water pollution. Mrs. Delisle

presented a film from the National Film Board called River With a Problem.

In this film the river with a problem is the Ottawa, carrying in its depths the refuse of civilization and industry from the Ottawa Valley. Colour animation shows how the water life dies in a polluted river leaving only the spreading algae. The film also contains interviews with engineers, health and civic officials who further describe the problem, tell what can be done about it and the cost.

The talk then turned to what individuals are doing in and around the home to cause water pollution and what steps they could take to alleviate it. Alternatives to pesticides, fertilizers and detergents were given, and also instructions on how to use these products more safely if they must be used. Copies of the 'Anti-Polluters Shopping Guide' compiled by STOP were distributed.

The next meeting of Outreach For Christ will be held on Monday, May 28, at 8 p.m. at St. Andrew's.

## March of Dimes

KNOWLTON — The Ladies Auxiliary of Brome Branch Royal Canadian Legion will be holding their Annual March of Dimes Campaign on Monday evening, May 28. The Ladies will be calling on you between the hours of seven and nine in the evening, and are confident of your usual generous support for their annual campaign.

The March of Dimes funds are used throughout the Province and all Canada to supply wheel chairs, crutches, braces, medical supplies and assistance, for all kinds of illness, and to all who require assistance, either in kind or cash.

The March of Dimes is Canada Wide and is annually sponsored by the Royal Canadian Legion.

## Stanstead WI

AYER'S CLIFF (IH) — The annual meeting of the Stanstead County Women's Institute was a busy one on Tuesday, May 8, held at the Beulah United Church, Ayer's Cliff, starting at 10:30 a.m.

The program included reports, speakers, and the election of officers.

Mrs. Nelson Pierce, the president, opened the meeting asking all to repeat the Collect and sing the Opening Ode. A moment of silence was observed in memory of deceased members since the Feb. meeting. Members thought of Mrs. Grace Taylor, Mrs. O. Worthen, Mrs. Ruth House, and Mrs. Reginald Lenny.

The official welcome was graciously spoken by Mrs. Irving, Lord of the hosting branch, Ayer's Cliff. Mrs. Pierce added remarks of welcome. She also brought attention to a table cover in blue and gold that had belonged to the Way's Mills W.I., now disbanded.

The roll call showed Ayer's Cliff with 11 members present, Beebe, 5; Hatley Center 9; Hatley 4; and Stanstead North, 15.

Detailed reports were given by the secretary and treasurer. The convenors reports were citizenship, Mrs. C. Mitson; home economics, Miss Viola Moranville; education, Mrs. R. Knight; publicity, Mrs. George Hatch; welfare and health, Mrs. L. Naeve and a brief report by Mrs. I. Lord on agriculture.

These reports showed how much is being done by these five branches. Roll calls at branch meetings have been varied and deal with local, civic, and current world affairs of interest.

Floats were entered in holiday parades, a pen-pal correspondence has been started from Hatley branch with a W.I. member in Kamloops, B.C., speakers have been an interesting feature at some of the meetings.

A group toured the Stanstead Journal in Rock Island. Visits have been made to museums at the Boundary and Knowlton. Scholarships given to young people furthering their education. Magazines were placed in schools.

Exhibits were at the fair in Ayer's Cliff and participation in the QWI handicraft exhibits. Delegates attended the meeting at the County and Provincial levels.

In support to children's hot lunch programs in school, children sent to summer camps, scrapbooks made, assistance at Blood Donor clinics and UNICEF collections carried out with the children. Christmas baskets were made up and sunshine was spread in many ways: by cards, gifts and so forth.

Assistance was given to the Cancer & Red Cross. Ditty bags were made, filled and sent to Save the Children's Headquarters for distribution.

Heading the school fair at Ayer's Cliff, purchasing seeds for the children, inspecting gardens and awarding prizes were done. Publicity is good, thanks to radio stations at Sherbrooke and Newport. Miss Viola Moranville, always ready to fill in, does much of the broadcasting herself.

The newspapers and the Macdonald College magazine section were written for institute. The Hatley second May fair in 1972 was an outstanding success and tells a story of a great institute work.

All reports were excellent and depicted many activities for "Home and Country."

Mrs. Connolly of AGRHS came in the morning to speak on behalf of J.M. Hawkins, Director of Continuing education in the Townships. Her talk was informative and information about the courses was offered. She distributed a booklet on the courses offered and invited those interested to phone the School office at 569-9486.

At noon-hour the women of the Ayer's Cliff branch served a fine chicken pie dinner with all the trimmings and a special W.I. lemon dessert. The tables were attractive with spring flower arrangements. The W.I. Blessing was spoken in union. Later, Mrs. B.A. Hill thanked the hosting Branch for the fine hospitality.

In the dining room, the members were greatly interested in the Massawippi Chamber of Commerce art contest exhibition of school children.

In the afternoon Earl Gould, of the Business Administration office of the Sherbrooke Hospital came to speak and explain Bill 65 that comes into effect on June 1.

Guests also came to hear the speaker. This concerns all hospitals but the group were most interested in the local areas that include Sherbrooke, Magog and Coaticook.

Mr. Gould's address and the question and answer period that followed gave everyone a clearer picture of the forthcoming changes to be made by the government.

Mr. Gould was introduced by Miss Viola Moranville and thanked by Mrs. Grace LeBaron. She also presented Mr. Gould with a cheque for the hospital campaign from the County Women's Institute.

Mrs. Pierce announced the broadcasts over CKTS by convenors of the county. The tea room at Ayer's Cliff fair was discussed and Mrs. Pierce reminded everyone of the Q.W.I. convention at Macdonald College May 24 and 25.

Mrs. Ida Little presented the slate of officers as prepared by the Branch Agriculture convenors. They were elected as presented. Mrs. Pierce, president; Mrs. Douglas Johnston and Mrs. G. Bennett, vice-presidents; Miss Viola Moranville, secretary; Mrs. John Johnston, treasurer.

Convenors: agriculture, Mrs. Warren Soutiere, Mrs. Irving Lord and Mrs. Ida Little; home economics, Miss Viola Moranville, welfare and health, Mrs. Virginia Naeve; citizenship, Mrs. C. Mitson; education, Mrs. R. Knight; publicity, Mrs. Ivy Hatch.

Mrs. Pierce announced that a 50-yr pin was presented to Mrs. Lena Keith, a member of the Women's Institute for 60 years.

Her latter years were spent at the Ayer's Cliff branch.

Mrs. Pierce, in her remarks thanked all the officers and members of the county branches for their assistance and solicited the same for her third year in office as president.

A sum of money was approved as usual for the Ayer's Cliff Fair children's prizes.

The Branch will send in the name of Mrs. Mary Christie, R.N., retired supervisor of the Douglas Hospital nursing staff and active member in nursing societies, as a candidate for the Sherbrooke Hospital social economic group. Another name mentioned was that of Mrs. Ruth Atto, R.N., Sherbrooke, and Mrs. Virginia Naeve, as the third.

All members having been a patient at the Sherbrooke Hospital during the past three years were urged to vote at the Norton Residence on June 11.

So ended a busy day of the institute. The quarterly meeting in May will be at Beebe.

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## Christening

The Rev. Phillip Gaudine christened the young son of Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Learned on Sunday afternoon in Trinity United Church in Cookshire.

The baby was dressed in a white outfit, and wore a white lace christening Shawl. He received the names Mark Douglas. The godparents were Mr. and Mrs. Donald Parsons.

Others attending the christening ceremony were the baby's paternal great-grandmother, Mrs. R.B. Learned, of Cookshire, the paternal grandparents, Mr. and

Mrs. Douglas H. Learned, of East Angus, the maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hore of Three Rivers, an aunt, Mrs. Maureen Laflair and her small daughter, Julie of Cap de la Madeleine Que.

Following the christening ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Learned entertained all the guests at their home on Sawyer street in Cookshire.

Refreshments included the christening cake, which was iced in white, with blue coconut trimming, green leaves around it, and centred by lilies of the valley.

## Birthday gathering

Mrs. Joseph Seguin, of the Beebe-Rock Island Road, observed her birthday on May 5.

She was the recipient of a lovely birthday cake from Mr. and Mrs. Donald Seguin and family, her son, from Ville LaSalle. She received another from her husband, beautifully decorated by Mrs. Gaston Mongeau.

The guest-of-honor received a surprise phone call from her sister, Mrs. H. Cuchon in Florida. Cards were received from Mrs. A. Favreau, Derby Line, Vt., Mrs. Irene Desbines,

Tomifobia, Mr. and Mrs. Julien Pepin, Miss Antoinette Cote, gifts & cards from Mrs. Lena Davis, a neighbor. In the evening, Mr. and Mrs. Andre Pepin, Monique and Pierre, a brother, presented the celebrant with a lovely bouquet of flowers.

Mrs. Seguin is a shut-in and enjoyed the many kindnesses shown her.

## Fitch Bay

Mrs. Howard Webster 876-2984

The teenagers of St. Matthias Church, Fitch Bay, would like to thank all the kind sponsors and all those who walked in their walkathon on Easter Monday. The proceeds will be used to pay expenses of their delegates to Youth Synod held in Quebec City, April 27 - 29 and to purchase of sports equipment.

An extra thank you and congratulations to the nine people who finished the twenty-seven miles - Judy Smith, Shirley Ann Smith, Ronnie Smith, Michael Mosser, Angela McKenzie, Linda Flanders, Mark Powers, Pierre Lyonnais and Maria Smith.

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# Around the Eastern Townships A.C.W. meeting

## Danville

**Mrs. Margaret E. Frost**  
839-2185

Guest speaker at the Eucharistic Service in St. Augustine's Church on Easter Sunday morning was the Rev. Ronald Reeve of Bishop's University, Lennoxville.

At this service the Rev. L.G. Westman baptized the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Ariosto Pezzi, the baby receiving the names Mark Ariosto.

The Easter lilies on the altar were placed there by Mrs. Selwyn Blaylock in loving memory of her husband Mr. Geoffrey Rowley sang The Holy City prior to the sermon. A number of out-of-town guests were there for the service, and among them was Mrs. Dorothy Carmichael, now a resident of Montreal.

Mrs. Freda Hughes, Mr. and Mrs. Bel Filicipe of Brampton, Ont., Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hughes of Macdonald College, Ste. Anne de Bellevue, Mr. Gary Taylor of McGill University, Montreal and Miss Carol Westbroom of Laval were Easter guests of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Williams and son Peter were called to Manchester, N.H. on Easter Sunday by the illness and death of Mrs. Williams' brother, Mr. Walter Foy.

Easter weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Frost were Mr. and Mrs. Bob Tremblay and son and Miss Doreen Frost of Georgeville, Ont. and Mr. Harry Frost of Streetsville, Ont.

Easter weekend guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Olney was Mr. Patrick Olney of Toronto, Ont. Other guests on Easter Sunday included Mrs. Neil Nickerson and son Sean of Provincetown, Cape Cod and her father Mr. Wm. Riley, who has spent the winter there and Miss Jean Riley of Montreal.

Miss Mildred Gilchrist of Montreal was an Easter weekend guest of her sister, Mrs. Murray Barlow and Mr. Barlow. Other callers were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Johnston of Keene, N.H.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Stevens of Galt, Ont. accompanied by Mr. Stevens' mother, Mrs. Hilda Stevens, who has been their guest for the past few weeks, spent Easter weekend here.

Recent guests of the Misses

Elsie and Gwen Elliott were Mr. and Mrs. Elliott Findlay of Kitchener, Ont. Mr. George McLeay of the Wales Home, Richmond, Mr. and Mrs. Earle Moore of Pointe Claire, Miss Helen Armstrong and Miss Charlotte Roux of Montreal and Mr. Peter Campbell of Cookshire.

Miss Wendy Williams of Dixville, Ont. were Easter weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Manville Williams.

Mr. Clare Cleveland and Miss Cindy Baldwin of Calgary, Alta. are spending a few days as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Cleveland.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Blake of Waynesfleet, Ont. were Easter weekend guests of Mr. Blake's niece, Mrs. Denis Dubois and Mr. Dubois.

Eleven tables of cards were enjoyed by the members of the Half Century Club at their regular meeting on Tuesday afternoon, April 17. Mr. John Philbrick, the chairman, reminded the members that May would be the election of officers and that at this meeting he would be able to have plans completed for the annual June outing for the members.

Miss Irena Frost of Toronto, Ont., spent Easter weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Frost.

Sister Marguerite Morrill, accompanied by Sisters Anna Beliveau and Edith Stevens, motored to Richmond on Wednesday, April 25 to attend Past Noble Grands' night at Olive Branch of the Rebekah Lodge. All enjoyed the meeting and games which followed as well as the delicious lunch served later.

Mr. Barrington Lodge of Brampton, Ont., spent Easter weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Lodge.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Fletcher of Edmonton, Alta., are enjoying their first holiday in Quebec as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roger Beliveau. While here they are visiting various points of interest with their hosts.

Miss Terry Burns and Miss Val Buck of the Brockville General Hospital School of Nursing were Easter weekend guests of Miss Burns' parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Burns.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Blake of Longueuil were Easter weekend guests of Mrs. Blake's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Dubois while here to attend the Frost-Cleveland wedding.

Easter weekend guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray McMorine included Mr. and Mrs. Tom Karr of Victoria, B.C., Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Aceti of Niagara, Ont., Mr. and Mrs. Don Wanless of Toronto, Ont., Miss Mary McMorine of North Bay, Ont., and Miss Diane Fosgo of Ottawa.

Several from here attended the funeral of the late Walter Foy, which was held in Black Lake on Thursday afternoon, April 26, with interment in Coleraine.

Mr. James Gifford of Welland, Ont. and his fiancée, Miss Linda Williams of Niagara were Easter weekend guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Gifford. While here they also visited his grandmother, Mrs. Mabel Blake at the Wales Home, Richmond. Other guests included Mr. and Mrs. Wade Gifford of New Carlisle.

The April meeting of the

Ladies' Auxiliary of the Legion was held on Wednesday, April 25, with nine members present. Correspondence included a letter of appreciation for the excellent catering at a recent wedding. A donation was received from the club chairman, Gregoire Chagnon. Plans are made for two social evenings in the near future May 18 and June 2 with Ed Stiles Orchestra in attendance. Lunch will be available. The travelling prize was won by Comrade Pauline Woods and the hostesses for the evening were Comrades Jennie Bell and Claire Heron.

Miss Debbie Smith and Miss Judy Williams were met at Dorval Airport on Friday evening, April 27 by Mr. and Mrs. Manville Williams on their return from a week spent in London, England.

Mr. Bruce Beliveau has completed his year of studies at the University of Acadia, Wolfville, N.S. and is at present at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Beliveau.

Mr. George Foy of Vancouver, B.C. was a recent guest of his sister, Mrs. T. Williams, and Mr. Williams, while here to attend the funeral of his brother, the late Walter Foy of Manchester, N.H. which was held in Black Lake on Thursday, April 26. Miss Mabel Smith of Montreal was also a guest at the same home, and called on other relatives in Asbestos.

Division Commissioner for the Girl Guides of Canada and Mrs. Kenneth Frost Divisional Camp Adviser were in Granby on Saturday, April 28 to attend the Champlain Area meeting being held there.

invited all the members to Stanbridge East for the Semi-Annual in September. The next Annual Meeting in the Spring will be hosted by the Fordyce Branch.

Following, Mrs. Westover showed slides on the Adelaide Hoodless Home and her visit to Peace River, after which members enjoyed tea.

**Knowlton**  
Stephen Morson  
243-5870

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Morson, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Brian Morson, and Miss Annette Morson spent a week in Ontario and two days at Niagara Falls, and returned home through New York State spending some time on the way home at various points of interest along the route. Mr. and Mrs. Brian Morson are visiting in Canada from England, and spending some time in Knowlton and Ottawa with their daughter Miss Annette Morson, and Mr. Morson's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Morson.

Mrs. Evelyn Cousins entertained her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Brian Morson, and her parents for Sunday dinner, also her cousin Miss Annette Morson.

Congratulations to Michael Cousins who reached the realms of Teen Ager on Friday, May 11.

Mrs. Shirley Wilson is employed in the Knowlton Post Office relieving the regular staff for their annual vacation periods.

The great moving day is rapidly approaching for the Knowlton Post Office, which will soon be vacating the old Post Office Building on the corner of Victoria and Lake Road, where it has served the public for three quarters of a century. The new building situated on Main street will serve the citizens of Knowlton and area with improved and modern working conditions.

**WINDSOR** - St. George's ACW met on Tuesday afternoon. May 1st at the home of Mrs. Irwin Robinson. Mrs. A. Oakley and Mrs. T. Sundborg were hostesses. Seven members and seven guests were present.

The president, Mrs. Oakley, opened the meeting with prayer. The treasurer reported a satisfactory balance on hand. A sale of the kitchen supplies, cutlery, linen, etc. from St. George's Church added a good amount to the funds.

The bill for the flowers which had been placed in the church on Easter Sunday was ordered paid. The flowers had later been taken to two elderly shut-ins, Mrs. C. Hess and Mrs. A. Stott.

A drawing was held on three articles. A box of gift wrap was won by Mrs. L. Moore, a surprise parcel, donated by Stella Clarkson, won by Mrs. P. Proulx, another surprise parcel, donated by Mrs. P. Robb, won by Mrs. Mildred Morey.

The June meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Lawrence Wheeler.

Miss Kathleen Wheeler adjourned the meeting following which delicious refreshments were served by the hostesses, assisted by Mrs. Sandra Oakley.

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9 Feminine name  
10 Utopian  
12 Yellow vegetable  
13 Grazing area  
15 Upper limb  
16 Vestment  
18 Dictionary of American English (ab.)  
19 Row  
21 Southern general  
22 Assistant  
23 Jewish law (var.)  
24 Term of respect  
25 School table  
26 Mariner's direction  
28 Chow, Chinese province

DOWN  
1 Agriculturalist  
2 Arrival (ab.)  
3 River (Sp.)  
4 Gold and

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## Dunham

Due to lack of space, Missisquoi County W.I. Annual Meeting was unavoidably shortened. Following is the part of the meeting which was not published in Tues. May 8 Record.

A discussion followed, concerning the proceeds from the luncheon at the Annual County Conventions. A motion was made by Esther Farnam that proceeds go to the Branch Hostess, after this year with the condition, suggested by Mrs. McCutcheon, that it could be changed if the County was in need of funds.

Sunshine cards are to be sent to Mrs. Miner, Mrs. Ashness Wells, Mrs. Davitt, Mrs. Primmerman and Mrs. Jessie Derrick.

A motion was made and passed to send a donation of \$60.00 to Camp Garagona, in Frelighsburg.

It was also put to a motion that Missisquoi County apply to hostess the Membership Convention, and the Executive were asked to make inquiries for a Hall, (possibly 'Heroes' Memorial).

Mrs. Westover said (after some discussion of Convenor Reports not being approved by the Branch before being sent in to Provincial Convention) "The reports should be sent in before being approved - as an interim report."

Mrs. Short thanked Dunham for entertaining the County and

## Moe's River

Mrs. Bruce Patton Pink and Blue Shower

Mrs. Steve Shipway of Moe's River was the guest of honor at a surprise pink and blue shower held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ron Haseltine and family on Saturday, May 5, 1973. After having opened the many useful baby articles, Mrs. Shipway thanked everyone. The hostess, Mrs. Ron Haseltine, assisted by others served a delicious lunch to the more than thirty people who attended.

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Mr. Ian Gemmill, Baie Comeau was a weekend guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Gemmill who have recently returned from having spent three weeks in Scotland.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Patton and Sharon spent a weekend in Amherst, Mass., as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Fay.

Friends of Mrs. Ella Luce will be glad to know that she has returned home after having been a patient in the Sherbrooke Hospital and then having spent some time with Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Luce in Coaticook.

## Island Brook

Mr. Lindsay Painter of St. Thomas was calling on relatives and neighbours here.

Misses Laura, Lyndia and Lisa Banks of Sherbrooke spent a few days with their grandparents Mr. and Mrs. A.H. Banks, while Mr. and Mrs. Peter Banks were also visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Burns of Huntingdon were weekend visitors of Mr. Thomas Burns and called on other members of the family.

## Death

**ROBERTSON, R. Wallace**—On Sat., May 12, 1973, in his 74th year at 44 Cookshire street, East Angus. Beloved husband of Violet Tooley and dear father of Mrs. Ralph Dentzen (Phyllis), Mrs. Edward Clout (Phyllis), Mr. Gordon Robertson and Mrs. Lawrence Danber (Marylin). Resting at the Paquin and Paquin Funeral Home, 56 Laurier street, East Angus, 832-2323, where the funeral will leave for service at 2 p.m. at Emmanuel United Church on Tuesday, May 15. Reverend G. Lokhorst officiating. Interment in Cookshire Cemetery. Visiting hours 2-4 and 7-9 p.m.

## Birth

**HUTCHINGS** - Bruce wishes to announce the arrival of his new brother, Christopher Michael on April 25th, 7 lbs. 11 oz. Nancy & Fred are both doing well.

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# Around the Eastern Townships

## Bury

**Mrs. Geo. Parsons**  
Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Grey have vacated the apartment of Mrs. Martin Allison and moved to Richmond.

Mr. and Mrs. John Clough of Cowansville were Sunday guests of Mrs. Russell Dougherty.

Members of the Bury W.I. who attended the Annual Convention at East Angus on April 30, were Mrs. Faith LaRoque, Mrs. Bessie Olson, Mrs. Alma Pehlemann, Mrs. Stuart Dougherty, Mrs. Herbert Rowell, Mrs. Russell Dougherty, Mrs. Sydney Wintle and Mrs. Gilbert Wintle.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Anderson have returned home after a stay of several weeks in Florida.

Mrs. Dale Quinn spent a couple of days in Montreal guest of Mrs. Harold Donaghy. She was accompanied by her little daughter Tamara.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie MacLeod of Canterbury were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Merlyn Coates and children have returned home after a two weeks stay in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Parsons of Longueuil and Miss Wanda Greenfields of Ste. Anne de Bellevue were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Parsons and Barry Sunday guests at the same home were Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Mayhew and Mrs. Groenwood of Lennoxville, Mr. and Mrs. Karroll Lindsay of Montreal and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Lake and daughter.

Mr. Barry Parsons entertained a large group of friends at a Sunday-off in his camp on Suring.

News has been received here of the recent death of Mrs. Herbert Dixon, the former Carrie Todd, which occurred at a hospital in Rochester, N.Y., following surgery. Mrs. Dixon was born at Hardwood Flat, and spent her youth in Bury, received her primary education at the little rural school near her home, later at Bury Model School and graduated first as a nurse from the Montreal General Hospital, and finally from Macdonald College with a teacher diploma. She taught several terms in the area, until her parents sold their home and moved away. She was married to Herbert Dixon who predeceased her a few years ago. Among her many accomplishments she was a fine pianist which she kept up until the last. She never lost contact with the friends of her youth, and made her annual visit to her cousins in Huntingville and old friends in Bury. For several years she and her husband spent the winter months in Florida, and had spent the

past winter there until the illness that necessitated her return home. She will be remembered with deep affection by those who were privileged to know her.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Buchanan, who have been supervisors of St. Paul's Rest Home since it was opened in 1965, have now retired and are taking up residence in the home formerly occupied by the late Mrs. Celia Crawford.

Little Miss Sally Blodgett of Johnville was a recent overnight guest of her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bown.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Good are pleased to welcome them home after spending the winter in Ontario.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Boynton have moved to Cookshire and taken up residence in the home previously owned by Miss Esther Farnsworth.

Mr. Lynn Parsons was an Easter Sunday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Rand at Huntingville.

Mr. Allan Rowell of Kitchener, Ont., spent the Easter holiday at his home here.

Easter weekend and Sunday guests of Mrs. Russell Dougherty were Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Benjamin and three children of South Woodbury, Vt., Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Dougherty, Stephanie and Shelley of Cowansville, Ronnie Davies of Lambeth, Ont., and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Smyth of Milby. Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Dougherty were Saturday evening guests at the same home.

Mr. and Mrs. Gwilym Lawrence were Easter Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Bayley and family at Lennoxville.

Mr. John Roseberry of Sherbrooke has purchased the property previously owned by Mrs. Gilbert Grey and with his family is now in residence there.

Mr. Osborne Aulis of Toronto, recently spent a week with his mother, Mrs. J.W. Aulis, who accompanied him home and spent two weeks with his family there.

Mrs. Gladys Quinn and Mr. and Mrs. Osborne Quinn were Saturday supper guests of Mrs. Aulis in observance of the birthdays of Mr. Quinn and Mrs. Aulis which occurred the same date, April 17. Mr. and Mrs. Carlyle McBurney and two daughters of Sawyerville were Easter guests at the same home.

Miss Lucy Bown has returned to St. Bruno after spending the Easter holiday at her home here.

Sympathy is extended to Mrs. Thos. Lawrence on the death of her mother, Mrs. Maud Joyce which occurred suddenly at her home near Bishopton on April 17.

Mrs. Joyce was a frequent visitor to Bury where she had many friends by whom she will be sadly missed.

Mrs. Brian Lowry and little daughter Diane of Toronto were recent guests of her aunt and uncle Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Dougherty. Easter guests at the same home included Mr. Herman Parsons and Miss Nancy, of Alexandria, Ont., Mrs. Jean Letky and daughter Diane of Asbestos, Mrs. Gordon Bennett and Donna of Sherbrooke, Mr. and Mrs. Lionel Martel and children of Pointe-aux-Trembles, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Parsons of Lennoxville and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Parsons and children of Stanstead.

Mr. and Mrs. Wright Goodenough enjoyed an

especially pleasant Easter weekend with Mrs. Goodenough observing her birthday on Saturday April 21. They were visited by friends from Friday to Monday inclusive bringing gifts and good wishes. Mrs. Goodenough received many birthday cards and both were the recipients of numerous Easter cards.

On Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Morrison, Shirley and Brian of Sawyerville, spent the day with them. Others who visited during the weekend included Misses Pauline and Pamela Goodenough of Sherbrooke, Mrs. E.J. Stokes accompanied by Mrs. Robert Stokes and children of Dorval, Mrs. Richard Parsons and Mrs. Hilda Lawrence of East Angus, Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Kerr, Mr. Thomas Burns and Mr. Robert Burns, all of Island Brook, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Stokes, Mr. and Mrs. Osborne Quinn, Mrs. J. Aulis, Mr. and Mrs. Gwilym Lawrence, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Lizotte, Mrs. Herbert Rowell and son Allan, all of Bury.

Two lovely birthday cakes were presented to Mrs. Goodenough on a beautifully decorated with lattice work and numerals was given by Mrs. Osborne Quinn, the other in the form of a cross with both Easter and birthday greetings was given by Mrs. Herbert Rowell. Mrs. Goodenough expressed sincere thanks for both. Although both Mr. and Mrs. Goodenough are in poor health, they continue to carry on with some outside help, and love to entertain the many friends who so frequently call on them.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stokes and family of Dorval were Easter weekend guests of Mrs. Thos. G. Stokes.

Mrs. John Dougherty has returned home from the Sherbrooke Hospital where she has been a patient. All are glad to hear she is gaining in health. Her daughter, Mrs. Eric Fisher has come from Gagnon to be with her while she is convalescing.

Mr. and Mrs. Alan Mackenzie and family of Port Cartier, Que., spent the Easter weekend with the former's mother Mrs. A.A. Mackenzie.

Mrs. Arthur Herring has returned home after a stay of several weeks at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Sawyer in Lennoxville. She was accompanied home by Mrs. Archie Hunting who has been spending several weeks with her sister Mrs. Perley Herring, of Huntingville, called there in February by the serious illness and subsequent death of Mr. Herring.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Hodge, Brian, Bruce, Angela and Brent of Nitro, Que., were Easter weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Atkins.

Mr. Elwin Coates has returned home after visiting his son and three daughters and their families in London, Ont., and also went from there to Detroit, Mich., to visit other relatives. Upon his return to London, he was brought home by his son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Coates who were Easter weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Coates.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Lawrence Jr., of Cobourg, Ont., spent the Easter weekend with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. J. Lawrence, called earlier by the sudden death of their grandmother Mrs. Maud

Joyce of Bishopton. Other members of the family attending the funeral on Good Friday were Mr. and Mrs. Larry Jandron of Drummondville and Mr. and Mrs. William Jandron and Brent of Windsor Mills.

Easter weekend guests at the MacRae home were Mr. Gordon MacRae of Asbestos, Mr. and Mrs. Murray MacRae and two daughters and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cohoon, all of Pointe Claire. Since the death of his mother the late Mrs. Eva MacRae in 1966, her son Gordon has kept the home as it was when she was there and spends many of his weekends there. His brothers and sisters, Murray, Lorne, Glenn and Ina, though far away, are happy in the assurance that the old home is ready to receive them on their not too frequent visits here. Older residents too, remember with affection the kindly doctor and his gracious wife who once presided over that home, and they too are glad to know this home is kept in readiness to welcome these younger people well known from earliest childhood.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Jones of St. Lambert were Easter weekend guests of their parents, Rev. M.C. and Mrs. Jones and Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Allison.

The many friends of Mrs. Stanley Semple will be sorry to hear she is a patient in the Sherbrooke Hospital.

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**Mrs. Roscoe Morrison**  
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Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Stearns Morrison were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Morrison and son Brian of Chateaugay. They were accompanied back by Miss Susan Morrison who will spend a few days with her aunt and uncle. Others visiting at the Morrison home were Mr. Cecil Skinner and Mr. Leslie MacLeod of Lennoxville, and Mr. George MacDonald and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth MacLeod of Scotstown.

Miss Marlene Matheson and Mr. Jeffrey Matheson, C.G.E.P.T. students at Lennoxville spent the Easter weekend at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Allan Matheson. Miss Shelly Anderson, of Lennoxville, also spent a few days at the same home.

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Friends of Miss Melanie Wintle will be most interested to know that she was one of the Alexander Galt School Choir who left on Good Friday for ten days in Britain.

Holiday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Morrison were Mr. and Mrs. Tom Rowland of Westmount, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sargent of Lachine and Mr. and Mrs. Jay Morrison of Montreal.

The Easter Sunday service of worship was held in the afternoon, at Chalmers United Church, with Rev. G. Lokhorst, of East Angus, officiating, and Miss Anna McIver as organist. The annual congregational business meeting, was held, following the service, with Rev. Lokhorst as chairman and Mr. Douglas Beaton, Sec. Treas. All reports read were most gratifying.

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Gilford Vickers of Brownville Jct., Maine, stayed overnight at the Matheson home. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cleminson of Windsor are remaining for a longer stay with Mrs. MacDonald and family were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bashaw in Cabot, Vt., and of the Radfords in St. Johnsbury, Vt.

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The room was decorated with spring flowers.

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Mr. and Mrs. John Helgeson of Prescott, Ont., were calling on Mr. and Mrs. K.R. MacLeod on May 4 while here to attend the funeral of the late Mrs. John MacLeod of Sherbrooke, formerly of Scotstown. Sympathy is extended to Rev. and Mrs. Alexander Morrison (Annie MacLeod), Ottawa, Ont., Dr. and Mrs. John MacLeod and family of Sherbrooke in the passing away of their mother, May 2. Funeral service was held in St. Paul's Presbyterian Church with Rev. Davidson officiating. Interment in Gould Cemetery.

Mrs. D.A. Campbell arrived home from spending a few weeks in Baltimore, Maryland, with her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Albert MacLeod.

Mr. and Mrs. Barry Murray, Stuart, Lori and Julie of Hudson, N.H., were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. D.P. Murray. The children stayed for almost a week with their grandparents at the time of the death and burial of Mrs. Barry Murray's father, Gordon Lister of Island Brook. Mr. and Mrs. D.P. Murray attended the funeral of Mr. Lister at St. Peter's Church in Cookshire on Friday, May 4. Sympathy is extended to the Lister family at this time.

Mr. and Mrs. Casey Sanders have gone to Nova Scotia where they intend to build a home. Mrs. Sanders will stay a week in Bridgewater, N.S., with Mr. Sanders and relatives before returning here to stay with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Basil Woolley while Mr. Sanders builds the new house.

Sympathy is extended to Mrs. Melvin MacDonald and her brother Donald Matheson and the other members of the family in the passing away of their sister Miss Lilian Matheson on May 1st at the Youville Hospital, Sherbrooke, after several

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Friends of Mrs. Harvey MacRae are sorry to hear that she is a patient in the Hotel Dieu Hospital in Sherbrooke for treatment on her hand.

Mrs. Mildred Robidas has returned home after spending the winter with her family, Mrs. Jean Cote, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Robidas, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Lord and their families in Montreal. Mrs. Cote brought her mother home and stayed overnight returning to her home the next day.

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## Funeral tonight for Indy victim

INDIANAPOLIS (AP) - Funeral services will be conducted tonight for race driver Art Pollard, whose car exploded in a ball of flame and flying parts after slamming against a wall at the Indianapolis Motor Speedway.

The crash occurred 90 minutes before Saturday's start of qualifications for the May 28 Indianapolis 500. He died at hospital 63 minutes after the crash.

Pollard, 46, was the oldest driver seeking a starting spot in the \$1-million Memorial Day classic. He was the 34th driver killed at the speedway since the first race in 1911. The 33rd fatality occurred one year ago today, when Jim Malloy hit the wall on the third turn during practice. He died four days later.

Pollard, of Medford, Ore., was pronounced dead of flame inhalation after being taken to hospital.

"Art had been driving the groove at the same spot earlier and seemed to almost lose it, then catch it at the last second," said one witness.

"This time, it looked like he was going to go smoothly through the turn when the car suddenly turned right and went into the wall."

**BOUNCES OFF WALL**

The impact against the outer retaining wall in the southwest turn tore the right wheels off his 1973 Eagle. The car bounced off the wall and cut a blazing trail across the track and into the grass of the short chute.

Witnesses there said the car was bouncing, airborne much of the time, before it suddenly began flipping as it came back on the track. It came to a stop right-side up, about halfway through the second turn, after strewn parts all along a 1,450-foot path.

He had been averaging more than 191 miles an hour before the crash.

No one on the crash scene could see any evidence of a part breaking to cause the sudden veer into the wall.

"It was really weird," said one driver. "It was just like Malloy's crash last year. There were no kid marks or anything like that."

# Mark Howe learning to live with acclaim

By GLENN COLE  
 MONTREAL (CP) - Mark Howe is quickly learning what his father, Gordie, had to put up with when he was starring with Detroit Red Wings of the National Hockey League.

Mark, a 17-year-old left winger, had just been named the most valuable player in the Memorial Cup round-robin championship Saturday night, shortly after his team—Toronto Marlboros—had crushed Quebec Remparts 9-1 in the final game of the week-long tournament.

"It's amazing, all of these awards in my first year," Howe said as reporters crowded him in the jubilant Toronto dressing room.

"I didn't do anything special. They should have given out 19 trophies. The Marlboros were 19 players, not one."

There's no question that young Howe deserved winning the Stafford C. Smythe Memorial Trophy, given to the MVP in the tournament, just as there was no doubt that Toronto should have won Saturday's finale, the team's first national junior title since 1967.

Howe, Glenn Goldup and Peter Marrin each scored twice for Toronto and team-mates Wayne Dillon, Brad Winton and Paulin Bordeleau scored once.

Yvon Dupuis got the only goal for Quebec, outshot 53-20 by Toronto.

Howe scored four goals and four assists in Toronto's three games and two of his goals and three assists came in the final game against Quebec.

"That Howe, he's quite some hockey player," noted Rem-

parts' coach Orval Tessier.

**WERE BEST TEAM**

"I don't think there's a junior hockey club in Canada that could have beaten the Marlies tonight. They checked us really well. Every time we got near the puck, they were near us. I have to say they were the best team we've seen this year."

The Remparts grabbed a 1-0 lead in the first period on

Dupuis' power-play goal that skipped in off Mike Palmateer's pads at 2:02.

But Toronto, Ontario Hockey Association Junior A series winners, game back with two power-play goals in 37 seconds before the period ended to carry a 2-1 lead into the second period.

Bordeleau tied the score at 18:15, tipping in Goldup's pass from the right wing. Then Howe

scored his first of two, taking a pass from Bordeleau and blasting a shot from the top of the left wing faceoff circle to the far side past goaltender Pierre Perusse.

The Marlies then pulled away from Quebec in the second period scoring three unanswered goals and outshooting the Quebec Major Junior A Hockey League champions 20-5.

Goldup made it 3-1 at 7:09 on a

power play and Winton scored Toronto's fourth goal at 9:15, stealing the puck in centre ice and walking in to fire a backhand past Perusse.

Marrin, making a return to the Toronto lineup after being sidelined with an ankle injury, got his first of two at 18:30 of the middle session while Quebec's Daniel Beaulieu was off serving a double minor.

Goldup then scored on the second half of Beaulieu's double minor 11 seconds into the third period and the Marlies rapped home three goals while team-mate Dennis Owchar was off serving a major penalty for knocking out Quebec's Guy Chouinard with an elbow.

Howe, Marrin and Dillon scored the goals, with Howe's forcing Perusse out of the game.

Howe was tripped by Remparts' defenceman Jean Landry as he cut in front of the Quebec goal and went crashing into Perusse, who aggravated a groin injury on the play. Mike Corran came in and was beaten twice.

## Oldtimer Riggs takes grudge match

RAMONA, Calif. (AP) - As an early ancestor of Bobby Riggs might have put it, the race is not always to the swift.

"She's better than me in every department," the frail-looking, 55-year-old Riggs said Sunday after seemingly proving just the opposite in his celebrated match with women's tennis champion Margaret Court.

Putting his racket and court wisdom where his mouth was in issuing a challenge to all women players, Riggs scored an effortless 6-2, 6-1 victory and pocketed \$10,000, plus another \$7,500 from television coverage.

"She has a better serve, a better volley, a better forehand, a better backhand," Riggs said.

"But the question is, can you pull that game out when you need it? Can you play your best when the money's on the line?"

Margaret's a great player and a great sport. But in this kind of contest, you know, battle of the sexes, she was out of her depth."

Riggs started his "attack" Sunday with a bouquet of roses

for his opponent on Mother's Day.

Then, against the slashing shots of the 30-year-old Mrs. Court, a rangy Australian at the peak of her career, Riggs, the 1939 Wimbledon champion, offered patty-cake tennis. He hit spinning chops and lobs to the back line, a floating serve that broke like a sidarm curve ball and bounced like a football, a drop shot that seemed to clear the net by mistake and died like a pitch shot on a wet green.

He ran her from one side to the other, toyed with her big serve until she started to miss with it, fed her overheads that she netted or hit out of court, joined with the crowd in applauding her winners, and made the world's best woman player—may be the best ever—look very much out of her league.

She won only two games on her service and a third when Riggs, playing to the camera and a largely pro-Court crowd of 3,500, nearly missed the ball on an exaggerated spinshot and committed his only doublefault.

"He kept changing his pace and breaking up my rhythm," Mrs. Court said afterward. "I started badly and never got into the match."

Two years ago Riggs said he'd like to play the top-ranked woman, Billie Jean King, "every day and twice on Sunday." The remark eventually led to Sunday's match with Mrs. Court, after Mrs. King rejected the challenge.

**PROVES A POINT**

"I guess it proves that the top ladies are about equal to a 15-

year-old boy or a 55-year-old man, or maybe not so good," commented Jack Kramer, the former star who promoted both men's and women's pro-tennis several years ago.

"That's the way those women should play Margaret," said Riggs. "Give her a lot of deep, high, slow stuff. I just played my sloppy, municipal park game. I didn't have to hit a really good shot all day."

"None of them try that on Margaret," Kramer agreed.

"But you have to have super control and a damn good second serve, plus the ability to lob deeply."

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Then Bernie Carbo's single delivered two more runs, giving the Cards the victory.

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## Yaz' homers lead Sox to victory

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS  
 Carl Yastrzemski ripped two home runs and Tommy Harper hit a bases-loaded homer as Boston Red Sox came from behind for an 8-3 American League baseball victory over Cleveland Indians Sunday.

The Indians had grabbed the early lead on a three-run homer by Dave Duncan in the first inning and Yastrzemski's first homer made it 3-1.

In the sixth, John Kennedy opened with a double and scored on Doug Griffin's single. Dwight Evans walked and Rick Miller hunted for a single, loading the bases for Harper, who hit the first pitch for his first major league grand slam.

That made it 6-3 and in the eighth, Yastrzemski tagged a two-run homer, completing the scoring.

In other American League games, Milwaukee Brewers beat Detroit Tigers 6-5, Minnesota Twins blanked Kansas City Royals 5-0, California Angels defeated Chicago White Sox 3-0, Texas Rangers beat Oakland A's 7-2 and in a doubleheader, New York Yankees beat Baltimore 4-0, then the Orioles won the second game 9-6.

In the National League, New York Mets beat Pittsburgh Pirates 6-4, St. Louis Cardinals defeated Montreal Expos 3-2, Cincinnati Reds stopped Houston Astros 2-0, Los Angeles Dodgers beat San Francisco Giants 15-3, and in a pair of twin-bills, Chicago Cubs swept Philadelphia Phillies 4-2 and 9-6 and San Diego Padres beat Atlanta 6-4, then lost to the Braves 8-2.

Dave May's ninth home run of the season and second of the game, a leadoff blast in the top of the 10th inning, powered the Brewers over the Tigers.

Dick Woodson didn't yield a hit until the sixth inning, then settled for a three-hitter in the Twins' victory over the Royals.

Rudy May fired his fourth shutout in five games and Vada Pinson homered in the Angels' victory over the White Sox.

Home runs by Bobby Murcer, Roy White, Ron Blomberg and Graig Nettles powered the Yanks to their first-game triumph. Larry Brown, giving veteran third baseman Brooks Robinson a rest, hit a two-run homer to cap a four-run fifth-inning surge for the Orioles in the second game.

Jim Beauchamp drove in four

runs with a pair of singles as the Mets handed the Pirates their fifth straight setback.

The Cardinals, limited to two hits over the first seven innings by Bill Stoneman, rallied for

three runs in the eighth, two of them on a bases-loaded single by Bernie Carbo, to defeat the Expos.

Jack Billingham stopped the Astros on four hits for the Reds' victory.

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## Expos bow 3-2

ST. LOUIS (AP) - Limited to two hits over the first seven innings by Montreal's Bill Stoneman, St. Louis Cardinals rallied for three runs in the eighth inning to defeat the Expos 3-2 in a National League baseball Sunday.

Rookie Mike Tyson opened the Cards' eighth with a single and Tim McCarver, batting for winning pitcher Bob Gibson walked.

Stoneman almost escaped,

getting Lou Brock on a forceout and retiring Jose Cruz on a fly ball. But Joe Torre singled for one run and Ted Simmons walked, loading the bases.

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## Hawks get Tallon for Korab, Smith

CHICAGO (AP) - Chicago Black Hawks announced Sunday they have traded goalie Gary Smith and defenceman-forward Gerry Korab to Vancouver Canucks for defenceman-centre Dale Tallon.

General manager Tommy Ivan of the Hawks said: "Tallon is the big centre we have been looking for. Tallon will play centre full time for us."

Smith had 10 victories and 10 losses with a 3.54 goals-against average during the 1972-73 National Hockey League season. Korab had 12 goals and 15 assists.

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## Baby Bucs lose 5-3

SHERBROOKE (LH) - The Sherbrooke Pirates dropped a 5-3 decision to the West Haven Yankees at Amedee Roy stadium last night before only about 200 shivering Mothers Day fans. The two teams play a double header tonight, with the first game slated to begin at 6:30.

The Yankees struck for single runs in each of the first three innings and added two more in their half of the fifth before Sherbrooke got untracked with three in the bottom of the fifth.

Dave Pagan turned in a strong performance going all the way for the Yankees, yielding only seven hits and allowing just three walks. He struck out 10 and brought his record to 3-0.

Jim Minshall for the Pirates wasn't nearly as effective. The young righty left after four and two-thirds innings and was charged with three earned runs and 11 hits, two walks, a wild pitch and a hit batsman. Juan Jimenez, DeWayne Mason and Jim Sadowski were effective the rest of the way for the Pirates.

The Yankees scored after two were down in the first when singles by Mike Krismanich and Tom O'Connor put men on first and third. A third single by Ed Pacheco drove in the run.

In the second, Bill Stearns reached first on a walk and was sacrificed to second by pitcher Dave Pagan. The next batter, Al Crawford, was hit by a pitch, putting men on first and second. A single by Paul Baretta brought in the run.

The Yankees scored again in the third. Ed Pacheco reached first on a throwing error by Pirate third-baseman Luther Quinn. He moved to third on M.L. Princes' single then scored on Doug Stodgel's single.

An infield hit by Bill Stearns loaded the bases with only one out but Minshall got out of the jam by getting pitcher Dave Pagan to strike out and centre fielder Al Crawford to pop up to third.

The Yankees added two more in the fifth when M.L. Prince led off with his third single of the evening, then took second on a passed ball. He was cut down at the plate on a good throw by centre fielder Rimp Lanier following Doug Stodgel's single

but Stodgel managed to get to second base on the throw. Bill Stearns' single brought Stodgel home and a wild pitch allowed Stodgel to get to second. He scored on Al Crawford's single.

The Pirates got three runs in their half of the fifth but blew a chance for many more. Tony Armas led off with a double, then shortstop Mario Mendoza walked. Pinch hitter Terry Collins also walked loading the bases. A single by Rimp Lanier drove in two runs with no one out. But the next man up, second baseman Al Zavala, struck out.

Ron Mitchell drove in the third run with a double leaving men on second and third with only one out. But the next two men up, Dave Arrington and Luther Quinn, struck out and grounded out respectively. And that was it for the Pirates.

Brad Gratz and Dennis Malseed will face Jim Golden and David Lawson of the Yankees tonight.

The Pirates record now stands at 8-7. Friday night, Chuck Ross of the Bristol Red Sox twirled a no-hitter against the Pirates.

Elsewhere in the Eastern League last night, Quebec City and Pittsfield were rained out. Waterbury downed Bristol 6-1 and Reading clobbered Three Rivers 11-4.

On Saturday, it was Three Rivers 7, Reading 1, Pittsfield 1, Quebec 0 and Bristol 5, Waterbury 4.

**NOTES?**

Sherbrooke witnessed its first organ transplant over the weekend when the organ which is supposed to supply the music at the Pirates games was removed and returned to its original owner. That leaves New York organist Cathy Baar without an organ to play although there are those who claim the music sounded better than usual last night (sorry about that Cath).

Future games, it would appear, will start without the benefit of national anthems and Cathy can be heard humming that well known Monkees tune, Last train to Denver. For the time being, she's amusing herself with the scoreboard.

Oh well, playing the organ was a grind anyway, wasn't it Cathy??

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