

WEATHER

Fresh to strong northwest winds; mostly cloudy and cold with light snow over south portion.

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TEMPERATURES

Yesterday: Maximum, 21; minimum, 12.  
Same day last year: Max. 3; min. 7 below.

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Forty-Second Year.

## FRANCE REFUSES AID TO LOYALISTS

### British View Prevailed In Cabinet Talk

**Desire to Maintain Friendship of Great Britain Led Cabinet to Resist Growing Demands for Assistance to Barcelona Government—Fear of Italian Domination of Iberian Peninsula May Force Action.**

Paris, Jan. 18.—(A)—The French cabinet, under steadily increasing demands for aid to Government Spain, debated the problem for two and one-half hours today. No decision was announced.

Foreign Minister Georges Bonnet, who held the floor throughout, was understood to have maintained that France must keep in the good graces of Great Britain by adhering closely to the policy of non-intervention.

The campaign continued in Parliament and the press, however, for aid to Barcelona to counteract Italian support for General Franco. One section of the cabinet itself was understood to be swinging around to this view.

The executive committee of the General Confederation of Labor, representing French labor, voted to join Socialists and Communists in trying to get the Government to send military help to the Spanish republic.

The customary mention of unanimous approval by the ministers for policies presented was omitted from a communiqué issued after the cabinet met in the Elysee Palace, President Albert Lebrun's residence.

The Government, meanwhile, ordered an air raid defence trial in Paris tonight, with two thousand civilian defence volunteers to be "evacuated" from the capital by train.

The Communist party, supported by many workers and its newspaper L'Humanité, carried on a campaign to "open the frontier immediately" so that the Republican Government of Spain will not be deprived of means to assure its defence.

Former Premier Leon Blum, Socialist leader, in his Le Populaire declared one should view skeptically any reports Premier Mussolini would withdraw his Italian legionnaires after an insurgent victory.

#### BRITAIN TO REFUSE SALE OF ARMAMENTS

London, Jan. 18.—(A)—The Cabinet was reported authoritatively today to have reaffirmed Great Britain's decision to refuse to sell war material to the Spanish Government.

Prime Minister Chamberlain was understood also to have rejected the request of Clement Attlee, Leader of the Opposition, that the House of Commons be summoned immediately because of "the gravity of the situation in Spain."

In a letter to the Prime Minister, Mr. Attlee wrote:

"It is obvious that the policy of Continued on Page 2, Col. 6."

### Big Round-Up Of Suspects Through Britain As Terrorism Is Resumed

London, Jan. 18.—(Cable)—Three men were taken to Albany Street police station today as Scotland Yard pressed its investigation into numerous explosions throughout the country yesterday in the belief they might indicate a renewal of the old Irish Republican Army feud against the British in Northern Ireland.

Almost simultaneously seven men appeared in police court at Manchester and were remanded for a week on charges of being in unlawful possession of explosives.

No charges were laid immediately against the three men being questioned in London. They were accompanied by officers from a North End house where they were found after an all night search for six men whose descriptions had been circulated throughout the country.

Police reported they were seeking three men who spent Monday night at a small Strand hotel and left early in the morning by taxi, telling the driver they hoped to meet three friends. Hotel employees, who did not recognize any in the rogue's gallery pictures of known agitators, said one of their guests spoke with a strong Scottish accent.

The seven men at Manchester were Continued on Page 2, Col. 3.

#### HEAVY LOSS IN MONTREAL SYNAGOGUE FIRE

Montreal, Jan. 18.—(A)—Fire that swept through the interior of the Shaare Zion did heavy damage to the synagogue today. Valuable books and religious documents were destroyed in the two-hour blaze fought by Montreal and Westmont fire departments.

### Demands Dominion Co-Operate Openly On Defence Measures

**Conservative Leader in Senate Decries Hypocrisy and Pretence on Ability of Dominion to Care for Own Defence Needs—Completion of Montreal Terminal Attacked as Political Interference.**

Ottawa, Jan. 18.—(A)—Conservative Leader Meighen has called upon the Dominion Government to bring its defence policy into the open and admit Canada never had and never could be able to defend herself.

The fact the Government intended to spend a few more millions this year on national defence preparedness was not enough in itself to assure this country's security and everyone knew it, Senator Meighen declared in the Senate address debate yesterday.

"Why all this hypocrisy and pretence that we are going to look after our own defence?" he demanded. "The Government leader knows we never did and never can."

The increase in defence appropriation was welcomed but would be effective only as it was linked to a policy of co-operation, he contended. He begged the Government to admit it was constantly in touch with the British Admiralty and War Office and was fitting its defences into the British defence system.

Senator Meighen attacked the "policy of drift" he said the Government was following, particularly regarding a cure for unemployment. He attacked, too, as an example of political interference the announced construction of a new Canadian National Railway terminal at Montreal. Two Cabinet Ministers had promised the terminals to electors in a bye-election in St. Henri.

Mr. Meighen called for re-establishment of the Senate Committee which investigated the railway problem last year. He suggested that body continue its probe where it left off last year. The Committee's report suggested it should do so this Continued on Page 2, Col. 4.

### U. S. TO INTERVENE IN EUROPEAN FIGHT

Paris, Jan. 18.—(CP-Havas)—The United States will intervene in any European war six weeks after it breaks out, the German General Staff was informed last week, General Tabouis, political commentator, wrote today in L'Oeuvre (Radical Socialist).

Mme. Tabouis said the German staff generals received a report Friday of the outcome of the Rome conversations between Prime Minister Chamberlain and Premier Mussolini. They were told at the same time that Mr. Chamberlain had received assurances of a virtual United States alliance, as well as aid from Russia, six months ago. Mme. Tabouis said, American intervention in six weeks' time was assured, according to alleged secret German reports.

#### LOOKS TO DEFENCES

Calcutta, Jan. 18.—(A)—India is trying to stimulate the production in ordnance factories of armament for defence purposes. Recently the first three-inch anti-aircraft gun manufactured in India was produced at Cossipore near here.

### SAYS GASOLINE SELLING COSTS NOT EXCESSIVE

**Alberta Oil Company Executive Declares Company Lost Money in British Columbia Retail Business.**

Vancouver, Jan. 18.—(A)—An Alberta oil executive testified in Supreme Court yesterday he did not think the cost of retail marketing and distribution of gasoline in British Columbia too high.

Oecil D. Melbarger, of Calgary, manager of Texas Oil Company of Canada, Limited, gave the testimony during trial to determine validity of the British Columbia Coal and Petroleum Products Control Board Act.

"Mr. Justice Macdonald reported that the cost of retail marketing and distribution of gas is too high," said Attorney-General Gordon Wismer, conducting the Government's case.

(Mr. Justice M. A. Macdonald reported on the coal and petroleum products industries in the Province after investigations preceding setting up of the Control Board Act.)

Melbarger said he would not agree with Mr. Justice Macdonald's Continued on Page 2, Col. 4.

### CONSTITUTION NOT BASIS FOR UNEMPLOYMENT

**Reorganization of Currency System, Not Changes in B.N.A. Act, Needed to Restore Prosperity Says Social Credit Leader.**

Ottawa, Jan. 18.—(A)—Alberta will never agree to the constitutional changes contemplated by the Federal Government, in the opinion of Social Credit Leader Blackmore. He believes other provinces will take the same stand.

Opening the resumed debate in the House of Commons yesterday on the Address in Reply to the Speech from the Throne, Mr. Blackmore urged adoption of monetary policies in Canada and expressed fear the Government was going to excuse its failure to produce social reforms on the ground of constitutional obstacles.

J. S. Woodsworth, C.C.F. leader, who followed Mr. Blackmore, said the barriers set up by the British North America Act were "the ever present help in time of trouble."

Scoring those who engaged in lavish and expensive display at social functions in Ottawa while thousands were in want and suffering, Mr. Woodsworth urged the rejection to the King and Queen next May be "dignified but simple."

Mr. Woodsworth moved an amendment to the amendment urging Government control of financial institutions and other enterprises "which exploit the people of Canada."

The House listened to a procession of eleven speakers, four Liberal, four Conservative, two Social Credit and one C.C.F. member. M. J. Coldwell (C.C.F.-Rosetown-Biggar) decried the debate and will speak today.

Yesterday's speakers were, in addition to the two party leaders, J. H. Harris (Conservative, Toronto-Danforth), D. McIvor (Liberal, Fort William), W. A. Tucker (Liberal, Rosthern), E. H. Hensall (Social Credit, Macleod), Mrs. George Black (Conservative, Yukon), Elie Bertrand (Liberal, Prescott), T. A. Thompson (Conservative, Lanark), Elsie Mutch (Liberal, Winnipeg South) and Gordon Graydon (Conservative, Peel).

Mr. Blackmore said his travels through the country disclosed a general feeling that democracy had failed. It was the responsibility of the Government to see that democracy did not fail and in a country so vast and so lightly populated there was no excuse for failure.

A democracy should give the people what they want and every body knew what they wanted in Canada—jobs, good wages and equitable prices.

It was evident from the Throne Speech the Government planned to Continued on Page 2, Col. 7.

#### FALLING OUT OF RANKS



The tension of inspection was too much for Cadet A. J. Wildy, of the Royal Military Academy in Woolwich, England. He fell in a dead faint as his colonel approached, but like a good soldier, he held on to his gun. Like good soldiers, too, his comrades stayed at attention. Only one man broke ranks—in military fashion—to help him.

### UNITED STATES AMBASSADOR TO CHINA RETURNS

**Minister to China Will Report to President on Developments in Oriental War—Response to Japanese Proposals Not Enthusiastic.**

Washington, Jan. 18.—(A)—Nelson Johnson, United States Ambassador to China, returned to Washington today to report to President Roosevelt on the war in the Orient.

He said on landing in New York last night that the Chinese were "very hopeful of an eventual victory" over Japan.

With Johnson's arrival, the United States now has four ambassadors here, and only two of the most important posts outside Latin-America are occupied—Rome and Tokyo. Ambassadors Joseph Kennedy, William Bullitt and Hugh Wilson, accredited respectively to Great Britain, France and Germany, are here for conferences, and the post at Moscow is vacant.

Officials were interested in dispatches from Tokyo declaring Japan's willingness to conclude peace in China and to guarantee American and British rights there in exchange for trade concessions and change for lowering of barriers against Japanese immigrants into the United States and British Dominions. The dispatches indicated to some observers that Japan was sending

### ONCE WEALTHY BROKER SEEKS LODGING PLACE

**Man Who Claims to Have Made \$100,000 a Year for Twenty Years Sleeps in Police Station After Disposition.**

New York, Jan. 18.—(A)—George Litchfield, who said he had earned \$100,000 a year for twenty years as a Wall Street broker, is looking for a place to sleep—at eighty-three.

The aged former financier and his son, Frank, fifty-five, spent last night in a police station after a futile attempt to barricade their home against deputy sheriffs sent by the Home Owners Loan Corporation to dispossess them.

Police persuaded them to leave their once richly furnished ten-room home in Brooklyn by promising lodging for the night and agreeing to help them find another place to stay.

Their eviction resulted from the foreclosure of a Home Owners Loan Corporation loan for \$11,676. Litchfield told police, who raised five dollars to furnish him food, that he still had an equity in a \$30,000 property in Brooklyn but that it had been tied up in litigation over

### Valiant Montreal Police Officer Loses Week-Old Struggle For Life

Montreal, Jan. 18.—(A)—Lucien Bourgeais, forty-two-year-old police constable wounded in a gunfight a week ago with a bandit whom he killed, died early today today in hospital. Bourgeais's condition had been so serious since admittance to hospital that physicians had not removed a bullet from his chest.

The evening on January 10 as Bourgeais was about to board a street car to go to his beat in another section of the city, he fought it out with the bandit, later identified as twenty-four-year-old Victor Perreault, who had been in an attempt to hold up an elderly woman storekeeper.

The bandit was the first to find the mark, hitting Bourgeais in the chest. But the police officer knelt on the icy sidewalk, took aim, and two of his six shots hit Perreault. One slug struck Bourgeais in the right side of the chest and the other directly over the heart.

The bandit was interrupted in his hold-up attempt by the entrance of a little girl. He shoved his gun under his coat and fled from the store. A moment later Antoine Larose, a Canadian Pacific express carter, entered and was told of the attempt. Larose rushed out and accompanied Bourgeais in pursuit of the bandit.

It was the first time that Bourgeais, a ten-year-man, had been injured on duty. His widow and four children survive.

#### RING RECOVERED

Rochester, Ind., Jan. 18.—(A)—Mrs. Oral Clevenger lost a gold band ring twenty years ago on a farm— and recovered it recently at a church social. Mrs. Sam Horn, who lives on the farm now, found the ring a year and a half ago. During the social, she mentioned finding it. Mrs. Clevenger pointed to her initials on the ring—and got it back.

### SUGGESTS NEW PANAMA CANAL LOCKS SYSTEM

**United States War Secretary Would Float \$200,000,000 Bond Issue to Finance Third Set of Locks.**

Washington, Jan. 18.—(A)—War Secretary Harry Woodring, it was learned today, has recommended a bond issue to finance a third set of Panama Canal locks. He suggested the \$200,000,000 project to the United States Congress as a part of the defence programme, contending the bonds could be retired out of canal receipts.

Woodring was reported to have told the Military Committee of the House of Representatives and Senate that about \$8,000,000 of the annual receipts of \$13,000,000 could be used for the bonds. The new locks, designed primarily for military use, would provide an alternate route across the isthmus in case of attack.

President Roosevelt recommended in his defence message the expenditure of \$27,000,000 to maintain an adequate peace garrison in the canal zone, but did not mention additional locks.

### Barcelona Receives New Hope By Stiffened Defence Lines

**Poorly Masked Worry That Grippled Capital When Insurgents Drove Within Thirty-Five Miles of City Gives Place to Bustling of Wartime Business—Insurgent Forces Slowly Tighten Grip on Loyalist Capital.**

Barcelona, Jan. 18.—(A)—The stiffening of Government defence lines gave Barcelona new heart and made it a bustling city of wartime business today in the face of the gravest insurgent threat to Government Spain since the civil war started exactly two and a half years ago.

The poorly-masked worry that gripped the Government capital when the Insurgents drove within thirty-five miles of Barcelona disappeared today. The greyish morning sunlight found the streets full of hurrying crowds and noisy truck traffic.

The traditional idle Spanish stroller vanished from the streets and pedestrians walked as if they were late for vital appointments. The Insurgents' haven, Ciudadela Park, was deserted. A few forlorn animals, still in their cages in the park, looked startled by stray passersby.

Nowhere was there a sign of fright or panic. Any siege of Barcelona seemed further removed as the Government announced the southern defence line had been stabilized after the retirement from Tarragona. In the north the Government said the rough terrain would make the going hard for the Insurgents.

### ROOSEVELT IS PUSHING AHEAD WITH POLICIES

**Congress Asked to Grapple with Problems of Taxation, National Health, Railroad Rehabilitation and Trade with Philippines.**

Washington, January 18.—(A)—Franklin D. Roosevelt, approaching the half-way mark of his second term as United States President, today began rounding out his 1939 legislative programme for expansion of New Deal social and economic agencies and for finding new sources of revenue.

With his budget, emergency relief, defence and social security recommendations already made, he let it be known that in the next few days he would ask Congress to grapple with the problems of further taxation, a national health programme, railroad rehabilitation and trade with the Philippines.

Little legislation has reached the Senate and House of Representatives floors, but committees rapidly are getting it into shape. Two committees were studying the President's \$552,000,000 armament programme and a Senate sub-committee was holding hearings on his request for relief funds, from which the House trimmed \$150,000,000.

In addition, it appeared that by Friday—second anniversary of his second inauguration—Mr. Roosevelt would have Senate approval of the last of his recent major appointments.

The nomination of Harry Hopkins to be Secretary of Commerce was before the Commerce Committee today and is expected to come up for a Senate vote tomorrow. Government supporters were confident it would be approved despite criticism by some Senators of his work as head of the Works Progress Administration.

#### HEAVY WINDS PREDICTED FOR NORTHEASTERN STATES

Washington, Jan. 18.—(A)—The United States Weather Bureau said today strong northeast winds "probably reaching gale force" were in prospect from Delaware Breakwater to Nantucket. By tonight, the Bureau said, the blow will extend even farther north. It ordered storm warnings north of Sandy Hook, N.J. to Eastport, Me.

### Heavy Programme Likely As Quebec Legislature Annual Session Resumes

**Continuation of Reforms Started at Special Session of House Immediately After Election and Reorganization of Provincial Taxation System Expected Highlights of Session Opening Today.**

Quebec, Jan. 18.—(A)—The Quebec Legislature, Canada's only preponderantly French-language parliamentary body, goes today into its fourth session since the election of the Union Nationale Government of Premier Maurice Duplessis.

The session opening, accompanied by a display of ceremony mustered traditionally, will bring together ninety members of the Province's elective Legislative Assembly and two dozen appointed Legislative Councillors.

During the Legislative term, lasting about three months usually, the Government will seek to further a programme of reform that was started in an emergency session only a few weeks after the newly-organized Union Nationale had swept the Province in general elections in August, 1936.

The programme, carried out in considerable extent in regular sessions last year and the year before, was aimed mainly at re-establishment of farming as the Province's top industry, expansion of mining and lumbering, improvement of workers' wages and conditions and restoration of economic stability.

Just what will be done this session to push the Government's plans along has not been disclosed officially so far. An outline of proposed measures is contained in the Speech from the Throne which Lieutenant-Governor E. L. Patenaude will read today, but contents of the speech are a closely-guarded secret.

Expected are minor amendments to labor laws, re-drafting of the Succession Duties Act, new rural credit grants, further highway improvement plans and extension of colonization.

Though there has been no official confirmation, the belief has grown lately that the Government might set up a provincial commission to administer a relief programme of public works throughout Quebec.

No sweeping taxation changes are believed likely though the Legislature probably will take action on some of the recommendations of the Provincial Taxation Revision Commission which took more than a year to study Quebec's fiscal machinery.

The colorful start of the session will be at 3 p.m. sharp. From his official residence, Spencerwood, on the southwestern outskirts of the city, Lieutenant-Governor Patenaude will drive to the Legislature buildings to preside at the ceremonies.

### INSURGENTS CROSS GAYA RIVER

Hendaye, France, Jan. 18.—(A)—Spanish Insurgent troops pushing northeastward along the Mediterranean toward Barcelona today fought their way across the Gaya River where they had been held since shortly after the fall of Tarragona Sunday.

Burgos field bulletins reported Continued on Page 2, Col. 6.

### Predicts Lasting Peace To Result From Talks Among European Powers

Chicago, Jan. 18.—(A)—General Charles Gates Dawes, who shared the Nobel Peace Prize with Sir Austen Chamberlain in 1925, predicted today an enduring European peace would emerge from parleys now in progress among Great Britain, France, Germany and Italy.

He based his belief on experience drawn from service as Vice-President of the United States, Ambassador to the Court of St. James, president of the American Commission on German Reparations, and general purchasing agent of the American Expeditionary Forces during the Great War.

In one of his rare public addresses, prepared for delivery before the Chicago Association of Commerce, General Dawes came to the defence of both the Munich pact and Prime Minister Chamberlain of Great Britain, whom he called "a great and fearless leader."

"European people are now in the play of a tremendous force, the fear and hatred of war," he said. "In the grasp of this force are dictators and dictatorial governments, as well as democratic governments, and if the result of its operation is not eventually an enduring peace in Europe, then the world may despair of any civilization hereafter which will not destroy itself by war."

### CREW RESCUED FROM BURNING FREIGHTER

Gibraltar, Jan. 18.—(A)—Lloyd's reported today that the steamship Waziristan had rescued the crew of the 2,733-ton British freighter Almus after a fire had caused the men to abandon the ship near here early this morning.

The Waziristan, also British-owned, picked up the fourteen men from a lifeboat shortly after receiving a S.O.S. from the burning vessel and brought them to Gibraltar for treatment of minor injuries. Cause of the fire was not explained.

## AUTO SMASH-UP HAS AFTERMATH IN CIVIL COURT

Action of Glen Falls Insurance Co. and Kenneth Lyon, of Norton Mills, Vt., Against Paul Guay, of Barnston, Being Heard Today.

Echoes of an automobile accident which occurred on the Ayer's Cliff-Barnston road over a year and a half ago were heard in Superior Court this morning when proceedings in the damage action instituted by the Glen Falls Insurance Company and Kenneth Lyon, of Norton Mills, Vt., against Paul Guay, of Barnston, were inaugurated before Mr. Justice Hector Verret.

The insurance company and Lyon, driver of one of the cars involved in the collision, are claiming \$124.64 and \$50 respectively, alleged value of repairs to Lyon's car. In their declaration plaintiffs claim that Lyon was proceeding at a moderate rate of speed towards Barn-

## FURTHER PLANS ARE DRAWN UP FOR CONVENTION

Gala Event Friday Night, January 27, Will Open International Snowshoers' Convention — Monster Parade Saturday.

The International Snowshoers' Convention, which is expected to bring over one hundred Canadian and American clubs to Sherbrooke on January 27, 28 and 29, will be opened on Friday night, January 27, with a gala dance and entertainment in the Sherbrooke Regiment Armory, William street.

Open to the public, the evening will feature the music of a ten-piece orchestra and a programme of vaudeville attractions supervised by Ernest Loiselle, Montreal radio comedian.

Final arrangements for the monster parade of Saturday night were drawn up last night at a meeting of the executive in charge of details for the convention. In order to make it easier for the crowds to identify the various clubs as they file through the streets, cards numbering the different groups will be printed, and the corresponding numbers carried by the leading marchers of the clubs. Two cups, one for visiting and one for local clubs, will be presented to most represented and most efficient organizations on parade and will be placed on display in the window of the Tourist Information Bureau on Depot street.

Efficient police protection is assured, it was announced, all along the route of the parade.

## LT.-COL. JENCKES IS RE-ELECTED LEGION'S HEAD

Excellent Financial Report on Past Year's Activities Was Tabled Last Night at Canadian Legion's Annual Meeting.

Re-election of Lt.-Colonel K. B. Jenckes, former O.C. 6th Field Brigade, R.C.A., as president for the ensuing year and tabling of an excellent financial report featured the annual meeting of the Sherbrooke branch of the Canadian Legion, B.E. S.L., held last night at the I.O.D.E. hotel on Woodway avenue.

An indication of the work that is done among veterans was given when the report of W. E. Buck, secretary-treasurer, was submitted to the assembly, showing that seventy-three families, ninety-eight per cent of whose heads are Legion members, were given aid in 1938 at a total cost of \$4,775.16. Besides this work, board and lodging were provided for one hundred and five transients who last year applied to the local headquarters.

A net balance of \$1,440.50 was realized on the year's activities, it was revealed, while the annual Poppy Campaign resulted in a profit of \$1,590.10, with gross receipts reported at \$2,238.70.

In the absence of Lt.-Col. Jenckes, Col. S. Eichenberg presided over the assembly, reading the report of the president, which expressed appreciation to Col. Bohenberg, Secretary-Treasurer Buck and Major W. L. Greenland for their efforts on behalf of the ex-service men, and also paying tribute to Mrs. W. E. Buck and the ladies of the Legion Auxiliary for their untiring contribution to the success of the organization.

During the evening the Jackson efficiency trophy was presented to Comrade W. E. Spackman. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Buck and a reminder of the annual Women's Auxiliary dinner was also given. The following officers were elected for 1939: Hon. President, Col. E. B. Worthington, C.M.G., V.D.; Honorary vice-president, Col. the Hon. Johnny Bourque, Minister of Public Works, Lands and Forests; President, Lt.-Col. K. B. Jenckes; first vice-president, Col. S. Eichenberg; second vice-president, W. E. Spackman; executive, V. R. Beattie, Guy Bryant, R. Symes, W. E. Hume and J. B. Valiere; sergeant-at-arms, J. B. Valiere. W. E. Buck was re-appointed secretary-treasurer.

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accused of having possession of six barrels, each containing 100 pounds of potassium chlorate, a large quantity of powdered charcoal, forty sticks of dynamite, a box of candles, and a solidified composition of paraffin and potassium chlorate.

The men were remanded for a week in connection with an explosion in Manchester in which one man was killed and two injured.

The bombings apparently were aimed mainly at disruption of electrical services. Three sacks of explosives were discovered near an electrical transmission tower along the Manchester Ship Canal at Barton, Lancashire. The discovery was made after a civilian found an alarm clock connected by wire to the clock, set for six, had stopped at 12.35.

It was announced that a power tower with one leg severed was found near Colehill, Warwickshire, with charges of explosives lashed to the steel frame. The charges apparently failed to detonate.

It is believed in some quarters the bombings were a protest against the imprisonment in Belfast without trial of thirty-four alleged agitators against Viscount Craigavon's Northern Ireland Government. The men are held under a 1922 law permitting detention without specific charge of trial.

The bombings, described as the greatest outbreak of terrorism since the days of the Fenians, aroused popular indignation even in quarters which previously had expressed sympathy for the men detained in Belfast.

The Liberal News Chronicle in an editorial said that if the explosions were the work of the Irish Republican Army they were doing it for cause considerable harm. The paper had previously condemned the detention of the Belfast men without trial.

One of the accused in Manchester, who gave his name as Mike Campbell, of Belfast, protested against "English oppression" and said that the others gave their names as Patrick Walsh, Patrick Devine, and Dennis Duggan, of Manchester; Duggan, of Manchester; Joseph Broderick, of Salford; Patrick O'Connell, who gave no address, and Jack Glenn, of Rushmore.

Replying to a question from the magistrate, J. Wellesley Orr, Superintendent of Police, declared evidence had been collected associating all seven men with the specific charge laid.

Protesting against the remand, Jack Glenn shouted: "We aren't associated with the explosion. Is there any evidence against each man?"

"The officer says there is, but desires not to give it at present for reasons," the Magistrate observed.

"Apparently it is because we are all Irish," Glenn shot back.

"Oh no, it isn't that at all," the Magistrate replied. "He is entitled to hold up his evidence if it is desirable in the interests of justice."

## RE-NAMED HEAD OF LOCAL CANADIAN LEGION BRANCH



LT.-COL. K. B. JENCKES, former O.C. 6th Field Brigade, R.C.A., who was last night re-elected to the presidency of the local Canadian Legion branch at the annual meeting of the organization.

## LARGE NUMBER PAID TRIBUTE TO CHURCHMAN

Bishop Carrington Conducts Funeral of Rev. J. J. Roy, Oldest Anglican Clergyman in Quebec Diocese.

Quebec, Jan. 18.—Funeral services for Rev. J. J. Roy, retired Anglican clergyman who died Sunday in his ninety-third year, were held in St. Peter's Church yesterday, officiated over by Bishop Philip Carrington of the Quebec Anglican Diocese.

The church in Limousin Ward was filled to capacity with men from all walks of life and of all denominations. Bishop Carrington was accompanied by his chaplain, Rev. Harold Church, while Archdeacon F. G. Scott read the lesson at the services.

Bishop Carrington delivered an eulogy on the life and career of Rev. Mr. Roy, who was the oldest Anglican clergyman in the diocese at the time of his death.

Mourners were Mr. Roy's sons, John V. Roy, Montreal, Rev. Canon E. R. Roy, Waterville, and Rev. P. P. Roy, Quebec.

Interment took place in the family plot in Mount Hermon cemetery.

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After the Senate session Government Leader Dandurand said he did not think the Committee's inquiry would be resumed.

Senator Duncan Marshall (Liberal, Peel), sponsor of the motion for the Address, devoted practically all of his remarks to lauding the new opening for Canadian chilled beef in the markets of the United Kingdom. This had been in progress for thirty-two weeks, and Canadian beef had been commanding a premium. This was because of Government inspection and the maintenance of a high standard.

Mr. Marshall believed the market was also receptive to Canadian dairy cattle and urged that farmers give attention to this matter as a means of relieving some of the ravages of low prices.

Support of the Government's programme of increased defence was voiced by Hon. J. E. Prevoist (Liberal, Terrebonne), who seconded the motion. The education of Canadians in questions of defence was still imperfect. He disclaimed any imperialism, but believed Canada should shoulder her responsibilities in a manner fitting to the country's pretensions to autonomy and nationhood.

## Says Gasoline Selling Costs Not Excessive

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conclusion a reduction of service stations would reduce the price of gasoline.

Witness continued that his company had money on operations in British Columbia, Alberta and Nova Scotia.

Earlier Mr. Melabarger testified his company had allowed secret rebates on gasoline sold in Alberta.

publican Army sympathizers were responsible for attacks on the country's power system.

Guards were stationed at Prime Minister Chamberlain's residence, and at the homes of other officials.

## PERMISSION TO APPEAL LOCAL RULING GIVEN

Justice Verret's Decision That New Jury Hear Re-trial in Clark-Guerette Damage Action Will Be Appealed.

Permission to appeal a judgment of Mr. Justice Hector Verret, who ordered a new jury for the re-trial in the \$15,000 Clark-Guerette damage action, was accorded in Appeals Court in Montreal yesterday.

Sanson and Gerin, counsel for Guerette, indicated this morning that they would immediately enter their appeal and demand the same jury that sat when the case was first heard over a year ago.

The action was instituted following a collision between Clark's automobile and Guerette's motorcycle on August 3, 1937, and was withdrawn from the jury by Mr. Justice C. D. White after twenty-five witnesses had been heard. After an appeal which was carried as far as the Supreme Court of Canada, a new trial was awarded.

## BRITISH PRESS WORRIED OVER SPANISH MOVES

Even Opposition Papers Were Guarded in Demands that Great Britain Lift Ban on Arms Shipments to Loyalists.

London, Jan. 18.—(C.P. Haves)—War developments in Spain and Italy's angry warnings to France occupied the attention of the British press today.

Conservative organs were guarded in their comments and even among the Opposition newspapers the News-Chronicle (Liberal) was the only one which came forward with an energetic demand for a removal of the arms embargo on Government Spain.

The Times (Independent) said: "It is a matter of some surprise, indeed, that at this crisis in their fortunes the Barcelona Government should still proceed with the release of their auxiliaries (the foreign fighters), even though there are some obvious moral advantages to be gained from it—including the reproach to General Franco that he needs foreign help to become master of Spain."

The News-Chronicle said: "For thirty desperate months the Spanish people have asked, not for any privileges, but for the ordinary right to which they are entitled as a recognized Government—the right to buy arms where they will."

According to the Daily Mail (Independent) Premier Edward Daladier of France does "not need outside counsel to persuade him not to take action which might plunge all of Europe into war."

"He also knows that the terms 'intervention' and 'non-intervention' are capable of a very free translation," it added. "Nevertheless, he is not likely to budge from the policy of strict non-interference in Spain which he has steadily pursued with Britain."

Boston, January 18.—(P)—Those famous last words of the household "molder known best—make mother an autocrat and threaten democracy in the home," a noted psychologist said here. And lack of democracy in the home, added David Seabury, "is a main cause of insanity in the United States. 'We have a bad case of jitters,' he said, declaring there

## BROME COUNTY LIBERAL PARTY MET AT FOSTER

W. D. Soles and Maurice Halle Re-elected Joint Presidents of Liberal Association at Annual Meeting — Session Well Attended.

Foster, Jan. 18.—Featuring the re-election of officers with W. D. Soles, of Knowlton, and Maurice Halle, of East Farnham, as chief executives, the annual meeting of the Brome County Liberal Association was held here yesterday with nearly every poll represented.

Convening at 10:30 a.m., general business was dispensed with after which the delegates adjourned to the Foster Hotel for luncheon.

Re-assembling at one p.m., the delegation held a period of general discussion pertaining to the general welfare of the Association. Representatives of each poll were called upon to render an account of its activities and many constructive ideas and views were advanced and acted upon.

Interesting remarks were made by Leslie Roberts, Rev. R. H. Brock, R. C. Crowell, W. D. Soles, M. Halle and others. Mr. Roberts gave an interesting resume of the convention held at Quebec for the election of a Provincial leader.

Telegrams were sent to Prime Minister Mackenzie King and Provincial Leader Gendron promising continued support. Telegrams of regret were received from several influential citizens who were unable to attend the meeting and resolutions of importance were placed before the assembly and passed.

Other officers elected were: Leslie Roberts, of Knowlton, and M. G. Messier, of East Farnham, as joint vice-presidents, and George A. McClay, of Bondville, as secretary.

## Heavy Programme Likely As Quebec Legislature Annual Session Resumes

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Philippe Adam, Union Nationale member for Bagot, victorious in a bye-election only a year ago, will move the address in reply to the Throne Speech. Second of the address, an English-speaking member, will be Louis Fitch, K.C., also Government member of a bye-election, in Montreal-St. Louis, on November 2nd.

## Barcelona Receives New Hope By Stiffened Defence Lines

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the capture of Altafulla and Vespella, both on the east side of the river which until late yesterday had marked the Government's defence line. Both villages are about forty-two miles from Barcelona.

While the advance in this sector placed General Franco's troops about three miles nearer the Catalan capital, the insurgent columns led personally by Franco, directly west of Barcelona apparently were slowed down by stiffened Government resistance.

These forces, moving along the Lerida-Barcelona highway, were roughly about thirty-five miles from Barcelona. They devoted their attention mainly to cleaning up a wide Government pocket south and southeast of Cervera, reporting the capture of a dozen villages.

## British View Prevailed In Cabinet Talk

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non-intervention has now become the means of ensuring that the Spanish Government shall be unable to provide for its defence against aggression by a foreign power.

It is inimical to the honor and interests of this country that it (Great Britain) should continue to deny to the Spanish Government the right freely to purchase arms and supplies necessary for its defence.

While the policy not to sell arms applied to both sides in Spain, it is generally acknowledged the British stand does not hamper the insurgents, who get their materials from Germany and Italy.

Mr. Chamberlain outlined to the Cabinet his Rome visit and Viscount Halifax, Foreign Secretary, told the ministers of his meeting at Geneva with Georges Bonnet, French Foreign Minister, who is said to have described French fears that a victory for General Franco would seriously threaten vital French interests.

The Cabinet meeting lasted two hours and twenty minutes. Earl Baldwin arrived at 10 Downing Street immediately after the Ministers left.

While the Cabinet was still in session, Harry Pollitt, Communist party representative, arrived to hand in a letter which asked the Prime Minister if he would "dare admit" that Chancellor Hitler "had recently threatened France with war if she protected herself by allowing the Spanish Government its legal international rights."

## FRANKNESS

Phoenix, Ariz., Jan. 18.—(P)—Policeman James Russell stopped a young negro who was looking into a parked automobile and arrested him although the latter had not stolen anything and honestly answered all questions.

"What are you doing?" was Russell's query.

"Prowling," was the reply. "Well, have you taken anything?"

"No, I haven't—I can't find anything."

was insanity evidence in "the fact that we spend more time teaching students how to raise hogs than how to raise children."

## CASE AGAINST MAGOG WOMAN IS DISMISSED

Dame Yvonne Chaut Declared "Not Guilty" of "Possession with Violence" Charge After Suggestion by Crown Prosecutor.

Dismissal of the case against Dame Yvonne Chaut, charged with possession with violence, featured this morning's session of Court of King's Bench where the Magog woman appeared to stand trial.

A few minutes after the jury had been chosen and the first witness heard, Crown Prosecutor Antonio Drolet rose and stated that as far as the Crown was concerned the case was more of a civil than a criminal nature and indicated there would be no objection if a motion for non-suit were made. Mr. Justice C. D. White concurred with Mr. Drolet and declared the accused not guilty of the charge as laid.

Dame Chaut was ordered to appear before the Assizes after her preliminary hearing when it was alleged she had occupied a house owned by Dr. Armand Doyce, of Magog, in suite of the fact she had no legal right as tenant. Only twice heard this morning, before the case was dismissed, was Dr. Doyce, who established his ownership of the property where the accused resided.

## Constitution Not Basis For Unemployment

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excuse its failure to do certain things by claiming it could not act without amendments to the British North America Act.

"May I say that so far as my native province is concerned and I believe so far as all the provinces with which am familiar are concerned, they are not prepared to grant those changes."

Fresh expenditures were proposed in the Speech from the Throne and the Opposition leader had been talking of costly things to be done but Mr. Blackmore said neither leader had indicated where they were to get the money.

It was possible to create the necessary credit and the power rested with the Dominion Government, Mr. Blackmore declared, but it was afraid to experiment.

"We are as helpless as our ancestors of three hundred years ago would be if placed in a modern power plant. They would not dare to move for fear they would touch the wrong button and blow themselves up."

Mr. Woodsworth said in his judgment there was "altogether too many gold and social functions in Ottawa" and he suggested it would be a good thing if Parliament could meet among the lumbermen of British Columbia, the farmers of the West, the miners of Ontario or the steel and coal workers of Nova Scotia so that Cabinet Ministers might get a different idea of what Canada is.

Mr. Woodsworth proceeded to give reports on conditions in some parts of the West where people were suffering poverty without relief or hope and contrasted them with newspaper reports of social activities in Ottawa.

Mr. Woodsworth criticized the Government for failing to disallow or refer to the Supreme Court the Padlock Law in Quebec and scored the recognition of the Ethiopian conquest by Canada as "weakly following the lead of other nations."

Proposed increases in defence expenditures were a case of entering an armament race—"that bloody pathway which, all through history, has led to disaster." He urged that Canada become a member of the Pan-American Conference.

Mr. Harris castigated the Government on almost all counts and called the roll of the Cabinet Ministers with particular charges against all but Finance Minister Dunning whom he absolved because of the heavy burdens he carried.

Mr. McIvor praised the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation for refusing to be "bought" in connection with the request of George McCullagh, publisher of the Toronto Globe and Mail for use of a network. He urged the institution of a system whereby when a Member of Parliament dies some member of his family, if available, finish out his term, thus obviating the need of a bye-election.

Mr. Tucker recommended a Government commission to examine industrial projects, such as mineral development, if they were found to be profitable. The Commission would order the banks to lend the necessary money with the guarantee of return of two per cent.

Mr. Hensell regretted failure of the Government to include monetary reform in the Speech from the Throne and wondered how long it would be before some action would be taken in that direction.

Mr. Thompson resented references made yesterday by the Prime Minister to lack of patriotism on the part of Conservative Leader Manion and compared the latter's record with those who, during the Great War, "slipped quietly across the border to good positions and remained there until all was quiet on the Western Front."

Mr. Mutch made a plea for Government policies that would reclaim the lost generation of youth, victims of the depression and urged that the Federal Government assume full responsibility for relief and abolish or ignore constitutional barriers to that end.

Mr. Graydon asked the Government to face and accept the fact that when the Empire was at war Canada was at war. He suggested that before getting embroiled in international affairs the Government should make sure all was well at home.

## SURVEY REPORT CONSIDERED BY TEACHING BODY

Executive of Provincial Association of Protestant Teachers Expresses Approval of Survey Committee's Findings.

Meeting to discuss the recent report of the Survey Committee on Protestant Education, the executive of the Provincial Association of Protestant Teachers of Quebec declared itself as favoring re-organization and stabilization of the Protestant Committee in order to give it greater powers than it possesses at present and make it more representative.

It was agreed that the P.A.P.T. should use its influence to bring about the establishment of larger administrative units, and that it should press for greater financial support of schools.

A further resolution empowered the executive to initiate action with reference to those parts of the Survey Report suggesting changes that are within the power of the teachers, individually and as a group.

## NEW TOO MUCH ABOUT MEXICAN PETROL SALES

New York Times Correspondent, Expelled from Country, Denies Charge that He Entered Illegally.

Brownsville, Texas, Jan. 18.—(P)—Frank Kluckhohn, New York Times correspondent, expelled by Mexico, said today the United States embassy at Mexico City had made photostatic copies of credentials showing he entered the Republic properly.

The Government Press Bureau at Mexico City stated last night Kluckhohn entered the country "in violation of an order of immigration authorities" and charged Kluckhohn "falsely misinterpreted Mexico's policies."

"Over a period of two full years in the Mexican Republic I have sent hundreds of news stories. The Mexican Government during that period has not denied the facts in these stories. I think that speaks for itself," Kluckhohn said.

Kluckhohn said he had been "secretly made the butt of a general move to crack down on the American press correspondents in Mexico."

"I found out too much about the activities of Mexican oil exporters and other affairs in connection with the Mexican Government's oil deal in Germany," he asserted.

"The United Press has just been fined \$5,000 pesos by the Mexican Government and other correspondents were severely reprimanded last week," he said.

## BIRCHTON

Moccasin dance Birchton Rink Jan. 21st, 15c. Lunch extra. Good music.

## DEATHS

STEVENSON—Entered into rest at Thorndike Mines, Tuesday, Jan. 17, 1939, Wm. C. Stevenson, beloved husband of Hilda Forbes. Interment in St. John's Cemetery, Thorndike Mines, Thursday, at 2 p.m.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank all those who showed kindness and sympathy at the time of the death and burial of our wife and mother; those who sent flowers, cards, telegrams and messages of sympathy.

SIMON DAIGLE

MR. AND MRS. RAYMOND DAIGLE.

CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. Henry Townshend wishes to thank her many friends for letters, cards and gifts received by her at the Montreal General Hospital.

## Detailed Weather Report

MOSTLY CLOUDY AND COLD

Synopsis: Pressure is high over Northern Ontario, Quebec and the New England States and relatively low over the Prairie Provinces and Newfoundland with a moderate disturbance moving eastward across Virginia. Light snow has occurred in Southern Ontario and snowfalls in Cape Breton and Manitoba, while in the other parts of the Maritime weather has been fair. It is cold from Manitoba eastward to New Brunswick but continues mild in Alberta.

Ottawa and Upper St. Lawrence Valleys: Fresh to strong northeast winds; mostly cloudy and cold with light snow over south portion. Thursday—Northeasterly winds; partly cloudy and cold; probably snowfalls.

Yesterday's maximum temperature was 21 and the minimum 12, while the maximum on the same day last was 3 and the minimum 7 below.

## WHITE HORSE SCOTCH WHISKY

NAME YOUR SCOTCH



## PREMIER

— TONIGHT —  
Big Amateur Contest  
\$5.00 to the Winner  
Other Cash Prizes.  
Don't Miss All This Entertainment and Fun.

TODAY Until SAT.  
MIGHTY SCREEN DRAMA!  
SO REAL—You'll Live Every Thrill!

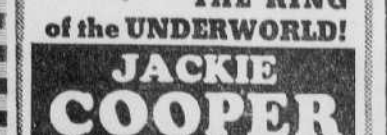
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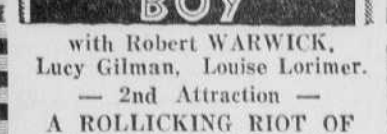
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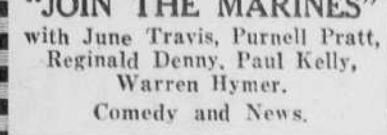
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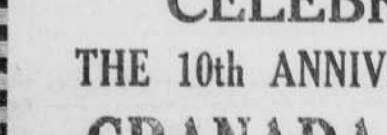
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THE GANGSTER'S BOY

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— 2nd Attraction —  
A ROLICKING RIOT OF ROARING ROMANCE!  
Highly Hilarious Hi-Jinks When A Madcap Mischief Declares A Personal War on the Soldiers of the Sea!

"JOIN THE MARINES" with June Travis, Purnell Pratt, Reginald Denry, Paul Kelly, Warren Hymer.

Comedy and News.

## CELEBRATING THE 10th ANNIVERSARY OF THE GRANADA THEATRE

BIG GALA PERFORMANCE TONIGHT!  
STAGE PRESENTATION, ORCHESTRA, DELIGHTFUL SONGS AND MUSICAL SPECIALTIES.

— COME —  
And see what happened ten years ago in Sherbrooke — The Mayor and Aldermen, the construction work, the street crowds, see how you looked — And how pictures were presented in those days, after which you will see in contrast modern motion pictures that are the last word in the art of photography, sound and color.

— STARTING TODAY FOR FOUR GREAT DAYS —  
THE KING AND QUEEN OF SONG IN THE BIG SHOW OF UNEQUALLED THRILLS... DAZZLING SPECTACLES... GORGEOUS FASHIONS... GRAND FUNSTERS!  
YOUR HEART WILL SING... your pulse will pound... to the greatest musical love story ever brought to the screen! "Maytime" singing sweethearts... in M-G-M's mightiest achievement!  
Jeanette MacDONALD, Nelson EDDY, in VICTOR HERBERT'S  
"Sweethearts"  
with Frank MORGAN, Ray BOLGER, Florence RICE, Mischa AUER

## Sherbrooke Boy Scouts Association In Busy Session As Activities Of Past Year Are Placed Under Review

Lewis Rosenbloom Re-elected President of Local Association at Annual Meeting Held Last Night at Y.M.C.A.—Toy Shop Report Indicated No Less Than 1,311 Kiddies Received Playthings at Christmas Time—Four Troops and Five Packs Have Membership of 204.

The activities of the Sherbrooke Boy Scouts Association during the past year came under review at an enthusiastic meeting of the organization held at the Y.M.C.A. last night, when Lewis Rosenbloom was unanimously re-elected for another term.

The treasurer's report, as submitted by T. Herbert, indicated that a balance of \$234.64 remained on hand at December 31st, the receipts for the year having aggregated \$820.41 and the expenditures estimated at \$585.57.

Elected to office with Mr. Rosenbloom were: First vice-president, Harry Grundy; second vice-president, C. G. Blake; third vice-president, D. Stevenson; treasurer, T. J. Harbert; recording secretary, T. J. Bonner; corresponding secretary, C. G. Blake; badge secretary, Neil Tracy; historian and press representative, G. L. Loke. The Association will recommend to the District Commissioner, W. N. Miner, the appointment of E. F. Waller as District Scoutmaster and of J. W. Blake as District Cubmaster.

In submitting the Toy Shop report, George Loke announced that splendid work had been accomplished this year, no less than 1,311 kiddies being supplied with play things at Christmas time.

Mr. Loke added that cash donations to the Toy Shop amounted to about \$91, including a donation of \$25 from the Rotary Club. Toy Shop expenses, he said, totaled \$116 for toys, delivery teams, candy, paint and other items. Approximately 1,800 toys were distributed, half of these being repaired by the Scouts.

### Many Once Deaf Now Hear Again

Many who once were "Hard of hearing" have solved their problem through the prescription of a well known ear specialist. It is called AURINE EAR BALSAM. Before you invest in expensive hearing devices, try one bottle of AURINE EAR BALSAM. See if it doesn't help you, too. If you are hard of hearing, bothered by earaches, ringing and buzzing in ears, get AURINE EAR BALSAM today. Relief is quick. Costs only a few cents a day. Money back if it does not help you.—Budin's Drug Store, 25 Wellington St. North—Phone 561.

The annual reports submitted by various units and District Scoutmaster E. Waller indicated that four troops and five packs were functioning actively, embracing ninety-seven Scouts, eighty-seven Cubs and twenty Leaders.

Included in the many activities of the Association during the past year were the District Rally, Patrol Leaders' rallies, church parades, Scouts' Own Services, hikes, two Lyster Trophy inspections, the Armistice Day service, the Easter egg collection, Apple Day and ushering duties at the Fair. The Scouts also conducted the funeral of Scout Sayer, killed in an automobile accident.

Passing of 115 Scout badges, the Association was told, indicated the keen interest taken by members in Scouting activities.

Reporting upon the District Camp site at Lake Aylmer, Mr. Grundy announced that the location was highly satisfactory and that plans for improvement were well in hand. He also expressed the appreciation of the Association to R. G. Price for his interest in the group and the help he has accorded the Scouts.

In his remarks, President Rosenbloom lauded the Leaders for giving so much of their time to Scout work and for the active part they have taken in the Leadership training activities.

An interested visitor to the meeting was F. G. Hicks, of Montreal, Provincial Field Secretary, who declared there was a lack of leadership throughout the Province and urged the leaders to encourage the Scouts along these lines.

A. V. Ottwell, of St. Peter's Church, was also present, and announced the formation of a new Group Committee to back up the 5th Troop.

It was stated that the St. Andrew's Troop expects to resume activities this coming week. The Mothers' Auxiliary of St. Paul's Troop announced they would inaugurate their year's activities with a card party on Thursday evening in St. Paul's Church.

Thanks of the Association were extended to the press, the Y.M.C.A. and the Rotary Club.

Record Want Ads—Cash rates: two cents per word—Minimum charge of 25c for ten words or less.

## MANUFACTURERS OF SHERBROOKE BACK ULVERTON

Meeting Under Auspices of Local Branch of C. M. A. Endorses Sherbrooke Power Development Project and Canada Paper Contract.

Representatives of the major industries in Sherbrooke signified their approval of the Ulverton power development project and the contract which will be concluded between the city and the Canada Paper Company in the event the Ulverton by-law becomes effective.

Feature of the assembly was a comprehensive survey of the position of the municipality as regards the proposed development, given by S. R. Newton, chief engineer of the Canadian Ingersoll-Rand Company and one-time president of the city's electrical committee. Confidence in the report submitted by H. G. Acres and A. C. Crepeau, consulting engineers, was expressed by members of the Association who appointed Mr. Newton to prepare a report for the press outlining the reasons why the local manufacturers' group are endorsing the project.

General discussion on the \$865,000 development revealed that members of the Association were in favor of the continuance of the municipalization policy now followed with economy to the taxpayers. Among suggestions advanced was that all new power expansions should be made with the object of supplying local needs primarily, without attempting to venture too far afield for a market for surplus electricity.

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### NEWSY ITEMS

#### OUR CONGRATULATIONS TO:

Marcus G. Crombie, of Richmond, 93 today.

#### POPE CASE AGAIN POSTPONED

Another postponement in continuation of John Henry Pope's preliminary hearing on a charge of murder occurred in Magistrate's Court this morning. Judge Lemay fixed the hearing for January 25th upon request of Crown Prosecutor Antonio Drolet.

#### ABERCORN

Dance, Crepeau's Hall, Abercorn, Fri. Jan. 20th a.s.p. Improvements Assoc. Prizes. Lunch.

## Should Teach Poetry To Increase Youth's Natural Love For It

In order to become a famous poet in the present age one must employ an unusual style, but true poetry will always remain the same, Wilson McDonald, of Montreal, well known Canadian poet, declared last night in an address given before the Sherbrooke Rotary Club in the New Sherbrooke House, "Ladies' night," an annual feature of the group's activities, was observed at the meeting and a large number of ladies were present.

Mr. McDonald observed that his writings were between those of the modernist and the classicist and consequently his name was not as familiar as it would be if he were to write in the style of Gertrude Stein.

Declaring that he had been taught poetry in an "atrocious" manner, Mr. McDonald said that all children love poetry and that most men do, although many men are not aware of this fact because verse was not properly presented to them in their schooling. He believed that eventually poetry will be taught in such a manner that the young students' natural love for it will be increased instead of killed. Poetry should never be analyzed, he said.

Athletes also have a love of good poetry, Mr. McDonald said, mentioning among others the names of Frank Patrick and Howie Moreau, noted in the hockey world. Before reading his "Song of the Ski," the last verse of which was used at the Lake Placid Olympics as an inspiration for contestants, Mr. McDonald declared that Mount Orford, site of the proposed National Park, could easily be developed into one of the best skiing resorts on the North American continent.

Mr. McDonald's address, liberally sprinkled with witticisms, was featured by a recital of several of his compositions, including a humorous volume dealing with crows and one titled "I Love Old Things," in which is used the Gregorian chant. Mr. McDonald was the first poet since the second century to employ this chant in his writings.

In his youth Mr. McDonald journeyed to England on a horse boat and he gave a vivid description of the difficulties encountered on the voyage and later in England, where he spent several weeks.

He was introduced by Rotarian Wright Gibson and thanked by President Doug Stevenson. Past President George Ewing presided and seated with him and the speaker at the head table were Mrs. Ewing, Rotarian Gerry Wiggott and Mrs. Wiggott, Rotarian A. Eichenberg and Mrs. Eichenberg, Pa. President Rotarian Samson and Mrs. Samson, and Rotarian J. K. Flaherty and Mrs. T. Flaherty.

## Officers Were Elected And Reports Tabled At Vestry Meeting Held By St. George's Church At Lennoxville

Election of officers and tabling of reports were highlights of the annual vestry meeting of St. George's Church in Lennoxville last night. The statement presented by Roy S. Clarke, the people's warden, indicated that a satisfactory bank balance remained on hand after all 1938 bills had been paid.

Held in the parish hall, the session was presided over by the Venerable Archdeacon Albert Jones, rector of St. George's.

W. A. Bown was re-elected rector's warden for the fourth term and Roy S. Clarke returned to the office of people's warden. The finance committee was re-appointed and consisted of R. T. Atto, W. A. Bown, Roy S. Clarke, A. T. Speid, Robert Borlight, R. McMurray, F. C. Baker, C. S. White, E. J. Tapp, W. R. Baker, Wesley Nichol, D. G. Harrison, R. G. Ward, R. F. McFadden, L. M. Watson, F. E. Halls and Archdeacon Jones.

Sidemen were returned as follows: Wesley Nichol, H. W. Downs, Jr., E. Roy Bown, A. T. Speid, E.

Deacon, J. Pearson, C. Waite, E. Robinson, E. Frost, F. Glass, E. J. Tapp, H. Nichol, F. B. Day, R. G. Ward, W. E. Pratt, W. R. Baker, G. Waite, J. Thompson, C. Parkin, L. Atto, C. Wayne Hall, R. G. Atto, W. Hartley, T. Saunders and K. N. Baldwin. The auditors, R. J. Balfour and A. T. Speid, together with the vestry clerk, Mrs. E. L. Day, were also re-elected.

Hearty votes of thanks were extended to the rector and Mrs. Jones, St. George's Parish Guild and St. Monica's Guild for financial assistance rendered during the year, and to the Women's Auxiliary, other missionary societies, the Sunday School teachers, the finance committee, the sidesmen, Mrs. E. L. Day, F. B. Day, the sexton and others who had assisted in any way towards the betterment of the church.

A. Bown and A. T. Speid were appointed delegates to the Diocesan Synod, with James Thompson and R. G. Ward as substitutes.

### RE-ELECTED GUILD PRESIDENT

Mrs. Charles Parkin was unanimously re-elected president of St. Monica's Guild of St. George's Church at the annual meeting last evening at the home of Mrs. E. Roy Bown, Main street, when Miss Vivian Camp acted as hostess.

The other elections were as follows: Mrs. Albert Jones, honorary president; Mrs. Roy S. Clarke, first vice-president, re-elected; Miss Dorothy Woodward, second vice-president, elected to succeed Mrs. James Thompson; Mrs. Norrey's Hunting, secretary, re-elected; Miss Della Sterling, treasurer, re-elected. The Venerable Archdeacon Albert Jones, rector of St. George's Church, presided during the election and congratulated the members upon their success in 1938, extending his thanks for their loyal support during the year, with the wish that 1939 might also be a successful one.

A food sale and baked bean supper was planned for this month.

Letters of thanks were read by the secretary from those who had received gifts from this society at the Yuletide season.

At the close of the business session those present enjoyed a pleasant chat while they partook of the delectable refreshments which were served by the hostesses, who were assisted in serving by Miss Dorothy Woodward. Mrs. Albert Jones presided over the gleaming silver tea service on the attractive lace-covered table, which was centered with a silver basket of pink snapdragons and tall pink tapers in silver holders.

COMMITTEES NAMED

The following committees for 1939 were appointed to take charge of the activities of the Young Women's Association of the Lennoxville United Church last evening at their meeting at the home of Mrs. Howard Crosby, Park avenue: Ways and means, Mrs. Thompson; Noble Smith, assisted by Mrs. Allan Willard, Mrs. Eric Lennon and Miss Rita Spry; visiting, Mrs. W. Bassett, Mrs. Philip Walton and Mrs. Harry Teal; entertainment, Mrs. Frederick Bickley, assisted by Mrs. Eileen Stalker; programme, Mrs. Eileen Stalker, assisted by Mrs. A. L. Kuchner, Mrs. Hart Montgomery and Mrs. Ernest Gilbey.

Miss Florence Rollins, president of the Association, was in the chair and during the meeting the reports of the secretary and treasurer revealed that the past year had been both socially and satisfactorily remunerative, with a good bank balance remaining.

Arrangements were made to hold a Valentine tea near the middle of February.

Later a delicious lunch was served by Mrs. Crosby, assisted by Mrs. M. Holmes and Miss Maude Cole, bringing a happy and enjoyable evening to a pleasant conclusion.

ADULT EDUCATION SESSION

Members of the Community Council of Adult Education in Lennoxville held their regular Tuesday evening meeting in the Women's

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## HEAD OF LOCAL MILL HAS SEEN LONG SERVICE

Joseph W. Booth, General Manager of Paton Plant, Has Devoted Lifetime to Development of Textile Industry.

General manager and assistant treasurer of one of the largest mills in the United States when but thirty-five years of age, Joseph W. Booth, of this city, can today look back with just pride on a lifetime devoted to the development and betterment of the textile industry.

For the past eight years general manager of the Paton Manufacturing Company plant here, Mr. Booth was recently made a director of the firm, testimony to the high regard in which the company holds his services.

Born in Lancashire, England, Mr. Booth went to the United States at an early age and began his long career in the textile field at the Arlington Mills in Lawrence, Mass., where he remained for twenty-two years.

From the Arlington plant Mr. Booth moved to the Kumbard Mills, also in Lawrence, where he remained for two years before shifting again, this time to Providence, Rhode Island, and the Atlantic Mills, where 2,500 looms were employed making ladies' dress goods.

Mr. Booth rose to general manager and assistant treasurer of this company at the age of thirty-five.

After ten years in Providence he returned to the Kumbard firm, remaining there for the next fourteen years before moving to Albany, N. Y.

Mr. Booth stayed in Albany until 1931, when he came to Canada to work for the Barrymore Cloth Company in Toronto. He remained in the Ontario metropolis but four months, however, before coming to Sherbrooke as general manager of the Paton plant, which position he has filled since.

A number of improvements have been made to the local plant since Mr. Booth was placed in charge, chief of which was the construction of a finishing plant in 1937 at a cost of \$130,000. Between five and six hundred men are employed at the Paton mill in normal times.

Constantly seeking to develop new and better material, Mr. Booth counts among his achievements since joining the Paton company the marketing of a tropical weight cloth, a waterproofed material for ski suits and a tuxedo cloth guaranteed to be mothproof.

Mr. Booth, well and favorably known in Sherbrooke, is a valued member of the Sherbrooke Rotary Club and is keenly interested in matters of a civic nature.

CITY BRIEFLETS

S.S.S.C. TRAMP TO TUQUE ROUGE TONIGHT

Sherbrooke Snowshoe Club members will meet at the Magog House at 7.45 sharp for the boot tramp to the Tuque Rouge Club House. This will be counted as a regular tramp so all Out.

Plymouth Church parish supper for all members and adherents, 6.30 p.m., Thursday. Annual meeting following.

300 cups and saucers—Genuine bone china, reg. \$1.00 for 65c; reg. \$1.50 for 95c.—Skinner Bros.

The hostesses for St. Patrick's weekly tea, Thursday, Jan. 19th: Mrs. James Davary, Mrs. Thompson, Mrs. William Murray, Mrs. Ernest Paquette, Mrs. J. T. Hawkins.

ARE YOU BEING CHEATED?

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## Soviet Russia, Not Represented At Munich Parley, Was Eager To Hurl Her Might Into A Bloody Conflict

Russia "Would Have Emerged the Only Victor" Had War Broken Out During Time of European Crisis, in Opinion of Rev. Father F. X. Talbot, Who Gave Address Here Last Night—Declares Certain Forces Striving to Overthrow Remaining Democracies—Idea of Peace "Vanishing."

While millions awaited in tense anxiety as four men jangled the fate of the world at the history-making Munich conference, a power not represented at the parley—Soviet Russia—stood poised, eager to hurl her might into a bloody conflict from which she would have emerged the only victor, Rev. Father Francis X. Talbot, S.J., editor of "America," leading Catholic weekly in the United States, declared in a stirring address here last night.

Addressing an audience which packed St. Patrick's Church hall, the noted commentator declared that if Chamberlain, Daladier, Mussolini and Hitler had not been able to reach an agreement and war had followed, Communists throughout the world would have hailed the outbreak as the beginning of the world revolution which Moscow has been instigating.

Liberals may speak in scathing terms of Chamberlain and Daladier, bitterly denouncing them for cowardice and holding them at fault for the growing power of dictators, but the two leaders averted a war which would have been unjust on the part of every nation, Rev. Father Talbot declared.

"No country had a clear case for starting a war," he said, "and with the exception of Russia, each country entered in the fight would have been a loser. Only the Soviet wanted war and only the Soviet would have won."

Spouting on the subject "Peace in a Mad World," Father Talbot admitted a pessimistic outlook on present world conditions. Forces are striving to overthrow the remaining democracies, he believed, and the threat of war casts a constant shadow over the globe.

The idea of peace, something we all desire, meaning as it does security in our social order, is vanishing," he said. "With peace we know that Christian elements are still ruling, but this peace is gravely endangered by hatred, greed and ambition, which mean injustice in our social order and an ever-growing threat of war."

Menace to world peace and contentment is looming up from three sides and struggles threaten to break out between nations, between races and between classes, Father Talbot contended.

Munich was not the final settlement, he held, pointing out the increasing danger of a European war flame being kindled in Spain. France stands on the threshold of a great decision, he believed, and if Premier Daladier yields to Leftist pressure and openly assists the Loyalist cause war may quickly follow. The same

forces that are endeavoring to enlist French aid for the Loyalists are working in the United States in hopes of having the arms embargo to Spain lifted, Father Talbot stated.

Driving home his point, the editor told his audience of a story related to him by a member of the U. S. Intelligence Service, of how France's Premier Blum had resigned the day his envoy to Berlin was sent to Paris carrying word from Hitler that unless the French Government halted plans to aid the Spanish Loyalists German troops would start goose-stepping towards the Seine.

The Spanish Civil War is misunderstood in Canada and the United States, Father Talbot said, for if the Loyalists win, the real victor will be Russia, while if Franco's armies are successful the Spanish people will be the winners.

Canada and the United States must beware of European entanglements, the commentator warned, urging a policy of isolation on the grounds that no nation on the North American continent can safely meddle with countries as involved as they are in Europe.

"We must have a policy of isolation unless the civilization and culture of the world are at stake," Father Talbot repeated. "We want to war to save democracy and get to dictatorship." He declared that the United States would not take up arms to save a democracy such as exists in Russia, but might if democracy such as is known on this continent were menaced.

Stressing the need of a continued peace in the world, Father Talbot declared that war would mean a catastrophic decline in Europe.

In commenting on racial disputes prevalent in the world, the speaker said that Canada had gone about the task of adjusting the differences between French-Canadians and English-Canadians in the right way. He said that Negroes presented a major racial problem in the United States and it was only recently it was realized the injustices that had been done the colored man.

Major racial difficulty of the day is the Jewish problem, Father Talbot believed. The Nazi Government committed one of the greatest crimes in modern times by persecuting the Jews, he declared, and the German anti-Semitic horrors constitute a definite threat to world peace.

Referring to the conflict between classes, Father Talbot held that the world is in the midst of a vital change in the economic system. He believed that the day of the capitalist was nearing its close, declaring that he did not regret the collapse of Continued on page 7, col. 4.

# THE ULVERTON PROJECT

(Compared With Two Miles Falls)

(ARTICLE 3)

## THE CANADA PAPER COMPANY

We have seen, in our last article that, according to the report of our engineers, the Ulverton project was preferable to that of Two Miles Falls. Today we give the reasons why it actually is better.

At Ulverton, the banks and the bed of the river are of solid rock. It is thus relatively easy to erect a dam there.

At Two Miles Falls, rock is apparent on one side only and in the bed of the river. On the other side it will be necessary to excavate to a depth of thirty feet before rock can be reached. Moreover, it would be necessary to construct a wall about 1,500 feet long, and its cost cannot be definitely established, owing to the depth to which it should be built to assure its solidity.

At Ulverton the engineers estimate the cost of erecting a dam and build a 10,000 h.p. plant at \$864,000. To obtain the same amount of power at Two Miles Falls the cost would be \$1,052,800, that is practically \$200,000 more.

Once we have developed 10,000 h.p. at Two Miles Falls, we will have reached the capacity, because the flow of the St. Francis river at that point is such that a greater supply cannot be depended upon. At Ulverton, it is planned to build the dam and to immediately install generators having a capacity of 10,000 h.p., and to construct the plant in such a way as to provide for another turbine and generator capable of developing an additional 5,000 h.p., in three or four years, if the demand for power warrants such installation.

This means that the total potential capacity of the Ulverton plant would be 15,000 h.p., another advantage over Two Miles Falls.

Let us examine, now, the contract offered us by the Canada Paper Company.

After having taken into account the net cost per horsepower at Ulverton, the City Council came to the conclusion that it could sell 3,000 h.p. at \$18 per h.p. per year, to the Canada Paper Company, making a total of \$54,000 a year. As these 3,000 h.p. are for primary use and are guaranteed, it ensues that the Company must pay this amount of \$54,000 per year whether this power is used or not. This will constitute an assured annual revenue to the City of Sherbrooke.

In the two following articles which will be published Saturday and Monday next, we will reply to the serious objections which have been raised against the project. For instance: "Flooding of Richmond"; "Why Ulverton was never developed sooner by other electrical companies," etc.



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To accept a favor from a friend is to confer one.—Churton Collins.

## THE MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS

The manner in which those retiring mayors and councillors who sought re-election were returned by the ratepayers in many Eastern Townships rural municipalities this week indicates that the great majority of the local administrations enjoy the complete confidence of their home district ratepayers. This feeling is strengthened by the large number who were returned without opposition on nomination day, held the week previous.

That opposition developed in certain quarters to the return of one or more members of the Council is no reflection on the capabilities of those opposed nor does it mark any undue desire for the limelight on the part of the aspirants for office. Rather it indicates a healthy civic spirit which is just as important in the small village as it is in the larger centres.

The efficiency with which the great majority of the rural municipalities are administered provides one of the wonders of governmental activity, the work accomplished with an extremely modest expenditure of money being little short of miraculous. Many of the rural Councils carry on their entire business for a year at less cost than many a medium-sized city will pay for a single official or will squander on a minor department in a solitary week.

Perhaps the most plausible answer to the question of why this efficiency exists in rural sections is the greater responsibility felt by the Councillors towards the municipal treasury. As a general rule the seven men gathered about the rural Council board are included among the leading taxpayers of the village or the township and as a result any wasteful expenditure generally hits back directly at their personal bank account which tends to serve as a brake on extravagant ideas. In the larger cities and in provincial and municipal governments, the elected representatives are often professional politicians, more interested in the fruits of office than in the good of the district they were elected to serve. Thus they tend to favor expenditures which in any way will strengthen their position with the voters and thus help to maintain themselves in office.

It is the old difference of a man spending his own money and he who spends somebody else's.

## THE SESSION OPENS

The fourth session of Quebec's Twentieth Legislature, which opens this afternoon, will likely be the liveliest since the election of the Union Nationale Government to the management of the Province twenty-nine months ago.

Though few hints of the projected legislation have been given, the volume of laws is expected to be lighter than in the emergency and the two regular sessions held since the elections of August, 1936, and fireworks are practically certain, especially in view of the nature of the Opposition forces. Besides the Liberal group cut down during the past year by Government gains in two of four bye-election victories, the Opposition benches include F. J. LeDuc, Roads Minister, ousted from the Cabinet of Premier Duplessis last June. And by LeDuc's side will sit two members elected in the landslide Union Nationale victory but now tagged as dissidents and allotted seats to the Speaker's left. A third group on the Opposition side of the Legislative Assembly, the five-man Nationale party, also made up of dissident Union Nationales, has as its leader another one-time Government Minister, Oscar Drouin, who held the Lands and Forests portfolio in the original Duplessis Cabinet six months before Drouin resigned over policy.

Recently reports went the rounds that the score of members in the Opposition section might line up a solid front before the Government. Whether or not they do, their numbers counted as one group or three separate groups might present the Union Nationales with larger opposition than they have encountered in any of the three preceding Legislative sessions.

The Government, however, will wield a majority formidable enough to carry through the Legislative Assembly without great difficulty any measures it plans.

One of the most important matters to be dealt with during the new session will be the report of the Provincial Taxation Revision Commission, headed by Edouard Montpetit, which spent a year examining the Province's financial structure. Other business bearing on taxation is expected to be a complete revision of the Provincial Inheritance duties regulations.

The Legislature will make minor changes in last

year's labor legislation and new grants will be necessary to carry on the provincial farming loan system through which in the past few months \$27,000,000 has been turned at low interest rates into the hands of hundreds of hard-pressed farmers.

In all probability the Public Accounts Committee's inquiry into the handling of provincial monies by former administrations will be continued. Begun by the last Liberal Government a few months before the 1936 election ended forty years of Liberal administration for Quebec, the investigation was picked up by the Union Nationales and carried on during the three sessions held since.

The Throne Speech at the opening of the 1938 session forecast continued warfare against Communism by the Government which a year before had enacted the padlock law.

Defending the greatly-discussed measure recently, Premier Duplessis declared whatever hold Communism had held in Quebec was broken as a result of police operations under the law which permits padlocking of any buildings used as centres for Communist gatherings or dissemination of propaganda.

Possibly when Lieutenant-Governor E. L. Patenaude reads the Speech from the Throne today with its forecast of proposed new legislation he will mention the results credited to the padlock measure.

## HITLER AND THE LADIES

Until now, Hitler has enjoyed the pretty general approval of the feminine population of Germany. He was described as handsome when he first came to power and there were some of them who believed he had brought about better days for the German nation.

But when he issued his call for German girls for labor on the farms and in households barely a hundred thousand responded.

Now he has issued an order that all girls who seek private or state jobs must furnish evidence they have labored for a year on farms or in households. He said nothing about pay, and that year of hard labor may be just a patriotic requirement.

The ladies, it is reported, have now learned that Adolf is not the handsome cavalier they once thought him.

## Editor's Note-Book

It costs two cents to ride a hotel elevator in Budapest. Prices are going up and coming down every day.

A novelty bed, exhibited at the Chicago furniture show, has a nautical appearance. Apparently the designer has never been seasick.

Women are against doing the proposing themselves, says a Philadelphia newspaper. Then why do so many of them do it?

Russian movie directors will be paid according to the quality of their productions. Say what you like about the Soviet, it must have stopped the double bill menace.

The story of the Pennsylvania man, arrested for drunken driving with a horse and buggy, will not find a welcome spot with father who claims it never used to happen.

If they call many more radio personalities into court, we'll expect a commercial.

Broadcasting the proceedings of Parliament might be better than some of the programmes that are being handed out.

## Thirty Years Ago Today

From the Files of the Sherbrooke Record.

January 18th, 1909.

Rev. Dr. Bidwell, principal of Bishop's College School, Lennoxville, has been appointed Dean of Ontario and Rector of St. George's Cathedral, Kingston, Ont. It was learned today. Rev. Bidwell succeeds Dean Farthing, who was recently appointed Lord Bishop of Montreal.

The complimentary banquet tendered Dr. Pichel and F. X. A. Giroux, Conservative candidates for the Federal and Provincial Parliaments, at the recent general elections, was a splendid success. The event, held in the Sweetsburg House, was in charge of the organization committee, composed of Messrs. James Miller, E. Leonard, W. H. Lynch, Dr. Fuller and Major Gibson. It is understood that Messrs. George Van Dyke and E. P. Lindsay, of Boston, Mass., C. C. Wilson and W. N. Munroe, of Auburn, Me., and F. N. McCrea, of Sherbrooke, will apply to the Provincial Legislature at its next session to obtain incorporation of the Angus Short Line with power to construct and operate a railroad from East Angus to Cookshire, through the Townships of Westbury and Eaton.

At a special meeting of the Artisans Canadian-Francois, Court Sherbrooke, No. 21, the following officers were elected: R.C.E., J. F. X. Boisvert; president, E. P. Bedard; first vice-president, George Delorme; second vice-president, J. B. Duchesneau; treasurer, A. Lefrancois, R. S., E. A. Bernard; first C. Ord., J. C. Gosselin; second C. Ord., A. Bouchard; auditors, J. O. Genest, E. J. Desruisseaux, Z. Boisvert.

Winners in the swimming races held in the Y. M. C. A. have been announced as follows: Stuart Lowe, James Bell, E. G. Ritchie and R. Neilson. Marriages reported: At Abbott's Corner, Miss Sadie Bridge to Stuart Gilroy, of Regina, Rev. C. P. England, pastor of the Baptist Church, officiating.

Deaths reported: Mrs. M. MacDonald, of Shipton; William H. Murphy, of St. Mary's.

## A FRIEND

I'll take your part when you are wrong;  
I'll fight your battles to the end;  
I'll listen when you sing a song,  
And never count your tales too long,  
Because you are my friend.

The fragrance of a thought may rise  
To nobler life and subtler guise;  
As still as violets by the brooks—  
A thing too rare to set in books,  
Or cage in song, my friend.

—R. E. May.

## The Educational Situation From A Layman's Point Of View

By R. MacLeod Ross, Richmond, Que.

What has happened to our educationists? Have they gone to sleep at the switch?

When the Fisher bomb disturbed the somnolency of the Council of Public Instruction there was a tremendous fluttering in the dove coats of our educational administrators. What did it mean? There must surely be a mistake somewhere. It was unthinkable that the magnificent services so altruistically and gratuitously rendered to the cause of Protestant education in Quebec by the wisecracks, to whom had been entrusted the responsible duty of training our youth in the way it should go, could fail to be appreciated by any unprejudiced person. Of course not. It was just a slight misunderstanding, and we were all quite sure that when the party who had sprung the mine was thoroughly informed as to the extent and value of these services, and how unimpaired were his charges, he would immediately withdraw them and apologize. But, amazingly, the aforesaid party was quite sure that he would do nothing of the kind. Instead, fortified by a fairly extensive practical experience and supported by a considerable volume of public opinion he came boldly out with the blunt declaration that the Council had been staging a Rip Van Winkle act; that some of them were there because of the prestige association with such an august body conferred upon them; that some were too old and some too lazy, and some indifferent to the point of uselessness, and that, in effect, the aggregate brain power of the entire bureau was not equal to the task of successfully operating a chicken ranch.

That was enough to start a regular costermongers row. The fat not only got into the fire; it set the whole structure ablaze. Charges of inefficiency were met, not by proofs of their falsity, but by counter charges of political partisanship. Vociferous denials of culpability followed on the heels of the claim that the Council were simply bursting with reconstructive ideas which could not be translated into practice because of legislative restrictions and lack of funds. Walls of protest assailed us on every hand until it seemed as if the notorious wall of Jerusalem had been catapulted on to Dufrere Terrace. Dignity was thrown to the winds. Oracular dissertations on the problems confronting the high school student pilgrim in his progressional march towards matriculation were, for the time being, relegated to the dustbin. Serviceable though they were in times of tranquility as a means of conveying to the untutored minds of the common herd the impression that halos of supernatural wisdom illuminated the sacred heads of the literati and doctors of philosophy, they were of little use in a scrap. Personal recriminations and counter recriminations were effective and these were ineffectively resorted to. Naturally, now that the racket got down to the point where he could understand it, the man in the street butted into the fray, and the press became positively hysterical. Something had to be done and easiest way out of the difficulty was to appoint a committee to survey the field in the hope that by the time it had completed its work the excitement caused by the exploding bomb would have to some extent subsided.

And then there was hurrying to and fro, and gathering tears, etc. There was a traffic jam at the door of the chamber in which the Scotch magician entertained his guests by mirroring satires with such jems of constructive thought that the walls of the room positively scintillated. Board of Trade officials and business executives vied with each other in telling all they knew (and it didn't take long) to this Ayrshire schoolmaster with the second sight. Colours of the rainbow appeared in the air as the public and the private selves by rubbing shoulders with common high school principals in elucidating the mysteries of what they called briefs, and clergymen of every denomination, from high churchmen to holy rollers, took a hand in the game, since it would be little short of criminal to pass up such a good opportunity to demonstrate their irrepressible propensity for talking. The job was a big and an arduous one, or, at least, so we were told. And it ought to be since it probably cost fifty thousand dollars, money which would have been much better spent in shingling some of the leaking roofs on our rural schools.

But, anyway, the job is done and where are we now? A sepulchral silence would appear to have descended upon the scene. I have been looking hopefully, but in vain, for a scholarly analysis of this Committee's report. Perhaps our educational authorities have not yet made up their minds whether to be eulogistic or condemnatory. Are they sitting on the fence, waiting patiently to see which way the political cat is going to jump, fearful lest a too enthusiastic homologation of the report might have disastrous repercussions for them? Or can it be that the brain trust which evolved the brilliant idea of a survey are brought now face to face with the inescapable fact that after several months of great travail the mountain has brought forth a mouse? In any case, this one thing we do know, that the belated thundering which instigated the feverish activities of our scholastic authorities a few months ago have pale into the piteous bleatings of a spring lamb.

Let us review, very briefly, this report, in an effort to discover what, if anything, of value it contains. First, compulsory free education with free equipment for its application. Good. But was it necessary to utilize the valuable time and services of a dozen people over a period of several months in order to arrive at such an obvious conclusion. The application of this reform, however, demands legislation, and this is where our educational reformers with political attachments are exposed to the danger of falling between two stools, a danger which be-

comes quite apparent when we find that this item in the report has already developed into a controversial issue with an ex-president of the Teachers' Association sitting in opposition.

Second, regional boards. This, also, should be a step in the right direction if it is the intention that these boards should supercede the obsolescent rural boards which, hitherto, have been more of a liability than an asset to their respective communities. Too often these rural boards are motivated by a passion for economy bordering on parsimoniousness. The best teacher is the one who will teach for the lowest salary and the school is all right so long as the rain does not destroy the scribes. Also, it is a recognized fact that in many rural schools nepotism is rampant, and this evil cannot be stamped out unless, and until, the controlling authority be centred in a regional board unhampered by local influences.

The question of how these boards are to be constituted and how their personnel will be selected is one which may quite possibly give rise to considerable friction, but let us fervently hope that appointments will be made on the strength of the appointees' appreciation of the difficulties and problems with which their school staffs have to contend instead of, as hitherto, on the strength of their financial standing in the community. The fact that an individual has succeeded in acquiring material wealth grubbing among his sugar bags or his legal documents is no indication of his ability to deal efficiently with the many problems arising in connection with the administration of the affairs of any seat of learning. Even on our High School boards we have today commissioners who have no more capacity for interpreting the ideas perpetually clamoring for expression in the mind of the average child than the writer of this article has for grasping the intricacies of the Einstein theory of relativity.

Third, it is rather difficult to apprehend what possible benefits the Committee could have contemplated as the result of their suggestion that the present Council of Public Instruction should be enlarged. As presently constituted it is unwieldy and innocuous and the most probable result of any enlargement will be to increase its inefficiency in proportion to its increase in numerical strength. There may be a necessity for a better Council but certainly not for a larger one. The ideal committee, some cynic has said, is composed of one who is wise, one who is dead and one a chronic invalid. It might, perhaps, be a good idea to call back our superman, Hepburn (what's in a name) and make of him a sort of educational Hitler.

It may be argued that my criticisms so far are valueless since they are largely negative. Very well. Let us try a few suggestions from the positive angle, confining ourselves to points which were not incorporated, so far as I know, in any of the briefs submitted. The report carries on its face the stamp of Metropolitanism, and yet I am sure that no educationist will contend that our rural schools are not deserving of equal consideration with those of our metropolitan areas in view of the fact that the former are, equally with the schools, the nurseries of our high schools and universities. Keeping this fact in mind let us deal primarily with the rural schools.

First, the advantages to the pupils resulting from continuity of service on the part of the teacher and in the same school should be stressed. It is a logical assumption that a teacher who brings a child along from the primary to the sixth grade will develop his or her faculties to a greater extent than would be the case when changes occur from year to year and time is consequently lost at the beginning of each school year while pupils and teacher are getting acquainted with each other. Fixity of tenure would follow as a natural corollary, and in order to achieve this, school boards, whether regional or local, should be deprived of the power to discontinue a teachers' services when such services are approved by the district inspector. Also, well defined salary increases, from a fixed minimum to a fixed maximum should be compulsory.

Second, a register list of all teachers in the Province should be kept at the offices of the provincial board of control and teachers classified on the basis of the inspectors' report. A copy of this register should be available to all school boards who would thus be in a position to staff their schools with the class of teacher which their local circumstances warrant. Naturally, there would be a prior demand for those teachers listed in the senior category, and many schools in the lower-priced field, some of them at present very capably staffed, would find themselves facing the alternative of raising salaries or getting along with inferior material.

The introduction of some such simple system of classification could be inaugurated with little effort since the implementing factor of legislation would not be necessary. Teachers would have an incentive to work in the knowledge that their achievements would be on record and the reward would be in proportion to such achievements. I believe the benefits resulting from such an arrangement would far surpass those derived from a summer course at Macdonald College.

Incidentally, the proposal to extend the training course for teachers to a two-year period, of which Dean Laird would appear to be a doughty proponent, raises an issue which is many faceted. At each succeeding graduation ceremony during the last few years we have listened to the gloomy Dean's dismal forebodings relative to the future of education in this Province. Time and again he has assured us that the lack of efficient teachers is becoming acute. Continued on page 6, col. 4.

## MR. CHAMBERLAIN AND HIS UMBRELLA



## Letters To The Editor

The Record will be pleased to publish letters of interest from its readers. We reserve the right, however, to reject any letters which we do not feel are in the interest of the general public. Letters must be signed although a pen name may be affixed. Unsigned letters will not be considered. Opinions expressed in this column are the personal views of the writer and the Record is in no way responsible.—The Editor.

## GOOD WATER MORE IMPORTANT THAN MORE POWER

To The Editor,

Sherbrooke Record.

Dear Sir:—

My Mayor, in his answer to my letter, plainly tells everybody that "Our water supply is unsatisfactory." Unsafe, is the gist of his reply.

At no time have I discussed this question with him, so there can be no possibility of collusion between us. Mayor Armitage says it is now up to the City Council and the citizens.

Let me state, without any fear of contradiction from any bacteriologist, the chlorination of water does not kill bacteria, but causes it to spor in self-defence. This spore may be compared to seeds of plants on trees, which do the same thing in the fall, to protect themselves against the rigor of winter and when conditions are favorable they germinate.

This is the identical process of all bacteria. How many of our citizens have had to replace hot water tanks in the past few years? And when they complained to the plumber, he was told: "It's the chlorine in the water; it just eats your tank." Tanks just can't take it. Nice water for you to put in your "tummy," isn't it?

Sherbrooke's water supply is paramount to anything, everything, and to quote Mayor Armitage: "It is the city's first obligation." So it is up to you, and you, and you, Mr. Citizen.

It is up to you, Mr. Mayor, and your Council for the year 1939, to build a monument to yourselves, by providing your city with an up-to-the-minute water supply to which we can all point with pride and thank you.

How much better than a polluted water loaded with chlorine! A mere makeshift.

The Canada Paper Co. is in more urgent need of power than the City of Sherbrooke is at the present moment, it seems. The citizens of Sherbrooke are in most urgent need of good water. Yet they should wait until the Canada Paper Co. is attended to. It's a "bit" illogical.

Will Mr. Acres guarantee no danger and the Canada Paper Co. assume any and all damages that might be caused by floods at Richmond? Will this be written into the contract of the City of Sherbrooke with the Canada Paper Company?

Suppose Sherbrooke did vote down this project this time, just as a lesson, if nothing more, won't they get another chance if it is "O.K."? You can safely bet they will.

Yours truly,

F. J. McKENNA.

Sherbrooke, Jan. 18.

## FURTHER DUBUC COMMENTS ON ULVERTON

To The Editor,

Sherbrooke Record.

Dear Sir:—To date we have studied more or less in detail the records of flow in the St. Francis, according to his report, be raised a few feet by placing the dam further down in the rapids or by using conduits to bring the water to the discharge end with the turbines further down the river. His report does not state there is a capacity of primary power of 2,454 H.P. and I do not think he would have been justified in so doing because the flow of 1,350 cubic feet per minute,

held back at the height of three feet at the proposed dam.

From the legal point of view, if I may express myself in this way, the intrinsic value of the Ulverton development should be estimated with the site in its natural state and not after permanent or semi-permanent improvements have been made to it and the level of the water more or less regulated. We can figure on certain quantities of water, as much as there is at disposal, and on the fact that the machinery and equipment would be in good condition. In fact, what could we hope for if the Allard dam were carried away?

We have practically indisputable bases for establishing the facts. The drainage basin of the St. Francis at Ulverton is approximately 3,456 square miles in area. The actual drainage is 0.25 cubic feet per second (11.33 cubic feet per second). It could prove a minimum of 0.21 cubic feet per second opposite Richmond. The height of the water at the proposed Ulverton dam has been estimated as being thirty-three feet. All these factors give us a capacity of power at the Ulverton turbine shaft which is easy to establish. From the figures above the flow at Ulverton would be 864 cubic feet per second. Then the power or energy at the Ulverton turbine shaft would be 3,142 H.P. Of this only 2,199 can be delivered to the customer.

Then the true capacity in primary power at Ulverton is 2,139 H.P. Save this, or deliver it to the City. Now, from the practical point of view, depending on the operation of the Allard dam and that at Lake Memphremagog we might in addition to that, hope for a slight increase in the volume of flow. But the minimum flow recorded, that of 750 cubic feet per second, was recorded when the Allard dam was built and when Lake Memphremagog was partly regulated. (It must be noted in passing that the regulation of Lake Memphremagog is neither in our hands nor in those of the Government, but belongs to a group of companies more or less linked up as regards their interests.)

It might be of interest to consider the 1917 report of Ulverton submitted by civil engineer Mr. Bourbonsais to the Commission of Running Waters. He advises that at the elevation at 360 feet of the river level flood damage would be avoided, at 365 feet there would be light damage, and at 370 feet the dam would extend to the rapids.

Richmond and "perhaps could not be recommended because of the marked variation in the level of the river each year." This last sentence was taken from the text of his report. But let us pass this important detail. I say that the vital question is the proposed raising of the water to an elevation of 375 feet and, at times, as high as 375 feet. We must not lose sight of the fact that an elevation of water 373 feet at Ulverton does not necessarily mean the same elevation at Richmond. If it were all held back as a pond this would be the case but it is a river, and of necessity, must have a slope for the flow, thus causing an even greater elevation at Richmond and creating still greater dangers.

This question of high elevations caused by the flow of water is complicated, because it varies with the amount of required flow, but can still be appreciated. We will remember for the moment the flow of 1,350 cubic feet per second which Mr. Bourbonsais figured and which, with a thirty-three foot head of water at Ulverton, would produce 4,910 H.P. at the turbine, in other words, 3,437 to the customer. But this engineer recommended only twenty feet of head water which could, according to his report, be raised a few feet by placing the dam further down in the rapids or by using conduits to bring the water to the discharge end with the turbines further down the river. His report does not state there is a capacity of primary power of 2,454 H.P. and I do not think he would have been justified in so doing because the flow of 1,350 cubic feet per minute,

on which he based his primary power was not the lowest flow possible and he knew this perfectly well.

Now we come to considerations more critical for us and almost vital to our system of municipalization, affecting our actual revenues, of which we are so proud, in spite of certain imperfections on which we will probably point a more or less friendly finger. We will continue our study because the dangers are imminent and real.

Your truly,

C. P. DUBUC.

## CANADIAN PRESS

## CLARENCE DECATUR PADLOCKS THE AIR

(Quebec Chronicle-Telegraph)

The ineffable Clarence Decatur Howe, the very dubious gift of Uncle Sam to this country, is in hot water again. This is not news for it is an almost daily occurrence but the interesting point is that he appears to be falling foul of increasingly important interests as time goes on so that the day may yet come when he will discover that there is no room for a dictator in Canada. As Minister of Transport, Mr. Howe not only controls everything that moves on earth, in the water and in the air but also all agencies of communication. Not Prime Minister King himself exercises half the power that does this engineer turned politician who in four short years has done more than anyone or anything else to alienate popular support from the Liberal Administration of which he is a member and who enjoys the unenviable distinction of being the best-detested man in our public life today.

The latest exploit of Mr. Howe is to undertake to decide who may or may not make use of radio facilities. In Sir Edward Beatty, President of the Canadian Pacific Railway and Chancellor of McGill University, or if Mr. C. George McCullagh, President of the Toronto Globe & Mail, has some public statement to make, some public message to deliver, Mr. Howe insists him the use, not merely of the facilities of the Canadian Radio Commission but also of those of the private broadcasting stations, even although these regularly sell their time and he is able and willing to pay for it. We trust that those who have been so aggressive in assailing Premier Duplessis' Padlock Law, aimed only at the enemies of Law and Order, will be as vigorous in protesting against a much more dangerous padlock regulation which gags citizens, who are not merely law-abiding and responsible but men of outstanding distinction.

The alibi of the Canadian Radio Commission for its ukase is that it becomes responsible when individuals who have no public responsibility express their personal views over the air. This sounds plausible enough but, after all, the McCullaghs and the Beattys do represent something and are answerable to public opinion through their positions. And why should such men be barred arbitrarily from the air when the Commission allows individuals who have neither prominent position nor substantial responsibility to make regular use of private stations in this city to preach racial hatred, distrust of political parties and discrimination against certain newspapers in favor of certain others?

These men, too, are expressing personal opinions that are incendiary, strife-provoking; if personal opinions, then, are to be barred from the air, surely the dispensation should apply to them equally with Mr. McCullagh and Sir Edward Beatty? What has Mr. Howe to say?

"Democracy is on trial as never before in the history of Canada, and it cannot survive unless it becomes more intelligent, more responsible and more Christian."—Rev. F. N. Elliott.

# IN THE WOMEN'S SPHERE

## 99TH BIRTHDAY IS CELEBRATED AT MELBOURNE

Friends Congratulate Mrs. John Gallup on Attainment of Near-Century Mark—Still in Very Good Health.

Melbourne, Jan. 18.—One of the oldest residents of this district received the congratulations of relatives and friends on January 11th when Mrs. John Gallup celebrated her ninety-ninth birthday.

In spite of her advanced age, Mrs. Gallup, who lives alone, is still hale and hearty and took keen delight in personally serving refreshments to the many who called upon her to mark the event, looked forward to every year by her friends.

Mrs. Gallup received many gifts and expressions of good will on the occasion of her birthday.

## Mind Your Manners

Test your knowledge of correct social usage by answering the following questions, then checking against the authoritative answers below:

- 1—Is it good manners to invite a professional entertainer to a party, expecting him to perform without pay?
  - 2—Should the introduction of a speaker be brief?
  - 3—Should one introducing a speaker try to get a laugh at the expense of the speaker?
  - 4—Should a public speaker be careful not to run over the time allotted him?
  - 5—Is it rude to rattle a programme while a speaker is talking?
- What would you do if—
- You are corresponding secretary for an organization that wants to ask an out-of-town to address it—
- (a) Tell him that the organization would, of course, pay his expenses for the trip?
  - (b) Assume that he will know the organization intends to pay the expenses of the trip?

### ANSWERS

- 1—No.
  - 2—Yes.
  - 3—No.
  - 4—Yes.
  - 5—Yes.
- Best "What Would You Do?" solution—(a).

### LINES ON LINEN

Fine linen deserves excellent care. When laundering, avoid strong bleaches, strenuous wringing (wring by hand, and gently, please), dampen evenly, iron with a hot, but not scorching iron, and air thoroughly before storing.



I'll be out of the store in two shakes. Then drive like mad for my camping club is layin' for us with knives and forks. They know 'ma sent me for a loaf of Harmony Bread.

**ALLATT'S**  
Just Phone 724w

## SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Miss Bessie Milford returned last night from Montreal, where she was a guest for the week-end of Mr. and Mrs. William Ware.

Members of the Mayfair Christmas Club met last evening at the home of Mrs. H. Hamel, Queen street. Cards were played at three tables, the prize being won by Miss Patricia Maskell. At the close of the game the hostess served refreshments, assisted by Miss Thelma Hamel. This being the first meeting for 1939 the members elected their officers for the ensuing year, namely: Mrs. H. Hamel, president, and Mrs. H. Maskell, treasurer. Mrs. W. Cotterell will entertain the members for the next meeting at her home on St. Charles street.

### MARRIAGES

#### VARNEY—WHEELER

A very pretty wedding took place in St. Peter's Church, Sherbrooke, on Saturday, December 24th, when Iris Vivian, youngest daughter of Mrs. F. J. McGee, of Lennoxville, and the late C. R. Wheeler, became the bride of Kenneth Varney, of Windsor Mills, Rev. Canon H. Reginald Bigg, rector of St. Peter's, officiating.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her stepfather, Mr. F. J. McGee, of Lennoxville, looked charming in a blue dress with black accessories. She carried an arm bouquet of red roses.

Miss Kaye Cross, of Sherbrooke, the bride's only attendant, wore a green dress with black accessories, and carried a bouquet of pink carnations.

Mr. Maxwell Varney, brother of the bridegroom, acted as best man. Mrs. F. J. McGee, the bride's mother, was becomingly gowned in a blue dress with a corsage of pink carnations.

Mrs. Varney, mother of the bridegroom, looked lovely in a black dress with a corsage of red roses. Following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. E. Patton, Ontario street, Sherbrooke.

Among the out-of-town guests were the Misses Mildred and Muriel Varney, of Stanstead, sisters of the bridegroom; Miss Marion Varney, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Simms, and their daughter, of Windsor Mills; Messrs. Robert Dunphy, Clifford Morse and Alfred Lindsay, of Montreal.

The many and beautiful gifts received by the young couple testified to the esteem in which they are held. Later Mr. and Mrs. Varney left on a trip to Montreal. On their return they will reside in Windsor Mills.

### THE HOT BATH

The effect of a hot bath is said to be in its tonic action, by which the circulation is stimulated. Not only does it stimulate the action of the pores of the skin, but it eliminates bacterial toxins and deepens respiration. After a tiring day one's social obligations still further draw up one's energy. One returns home late, the nerves whipped up by the excitement of the game or party, and hours of sleeplessness follow. What the system needs is rest—complete rest to restore nervous energy that has been expended.

The best thing to do is to take a hot bath. To make it particularly effective add one or two tablespoons of mustard powder to it, mixing it first of course with a little cold water to prevent the dry powder from floating in the tub, and also to bring out the medicinal qualities of the mustard oil which responds to cold water immediately. Then soak, and after a good rub-down a delicious feeling of drowsiness will be experienced which invites deep, health-giving sleep.

Don't be afraid of the hot bath at night nor of the added mustard. The value of this treatment lies in its ability to open and cleanse the pores, but the night's action of steady circulation of the blood closes the pores sufficiently to guard against taking cold.

Mrs. Ashton Tobin, after spending a week visiting her parents, Mr. Justice and Mrs. Fabre Survever, in Montreal, came back to Sherbrooke last night.

Mr. A. P. Bell, 192 King street west, spent Sunday in Montreal, visiting his brother, who is dangerously ill at his home, 664 Second avenue, Verdun.

Friends of Miss Margaret Elia McManus, of Toronto, formerly of Sherbrooke, will be interested in hearing of her nomination as secretary of the Women's Conservative Club, Ward No. 5, in the Queen City.

Mrs. Walter Kinkead, president of the Sherbrooke Ladies' Curling Club, and her associate officers, Mrs. Russell Tace, first vice-president; Mrs. B. N. Holtham, second vice-president, and Miss Kathleen Leonard, secretary-treasurer, were hostesses yesterday afternoon for the weekly tea party which followed the exciting games in competition for the McCrea trophy. Interest in the matches attracted a large number of visitors, who with the members enjoyed the hospitality extended by the Club's officers. Mrs. E. Fuller did the honors at the pretty tea table, which was centered with spring flowers in a silver basket and lighted green candles in silver candlesticks, and Miss B. Lawrence assisted in serving.

Mrs. Wilfred Davey, the newly-appointed president of St. Andrew's Ladies' Aid Society, was in the chair for the largely-attended regular meeting in the church hall yesterday afternoon. Following the disposition of routine business, plans were completed for a Scotch tea on January 26th. During the pleasant social hour, which was enjoyed after the business session, tea was served by the hostesses, Mrs. Malcolm Wilson and Mrs. John Imrie, Jr., assisted by Mrs. Angus Morrison and Mrs. E. E. Messenger, with Mrs. Irvine Smith doing the honors at the pretty tea table. The attractive decorations consisted of candles in a silver bowl and blue candles in silver holders, while the smaller tables, placed about the hall, were centered with dainty spring flowers.

Members of the Municipal Chapter I.O.D.E. met at the MacKinnon Memorial yesterday afternoon to receive reports and dispose of routine business. Mrs. W. E. Loomis, Municipal Regent, was in the chair and after the adoption of monthly reports, correspondence was attended to. This included letters of thanks and appreciation from settlers in the Newport Colony who had been recipients of the Order's bounty at Christmas. Mrs. Matthew Graham, treasurer, was authorized by the meeting to order five new sets of books for the treasurers of the five Sherbrooke chapters. The "Echoes" secretary, Mrs. R. M. Loughheed, made a request to the members to have all notes for the I. O. D. E. magazine, sent in before February 10th. Discussion ensued regarding plans for recognizing Founders' Day. There being no further business the meeting was adjourned.

The same fine spirit of co-operation which assured the splendid success achieved by the Evening Branch of St. Peter's W.A. during the past year featured the largely-attended annual meeting at the home of Miss Edith Smith on Bellvedere street last evening. Mrs. M. L. McFadden, later acclaimed president for another year, was in the chair and, as is the regular custom, opened the meeting with prayer. Miss Edith Smith, secretary, then gave a most interesting summary of the several activities undertaken by the Evening Branch during 1938. This was followed by the annual financial statement presented by Miss Hope Seiveright, treasurer, both being unanimously adopted by the members, who were sincerely gratified at the success which had crowned their efforts on behalf of the church's missionary work. For the election of officers, which was the next item on the agenda, Miss Marion Tomlinson assumed the chair. The results followed: Mrs. M. L. McFadden, president, by acclamation; Mrs. Jack Grime, vice-president; Miss Edith Smith, secretary; Miss Hope Seiveright, treasurer; Miss Susie Davidson, Dorcas secretary; Mrs. John Parr, Thank-Offering secretary, and Miss Ethel Brington, secretary for "Living Message." After Mrs. McFadden had re-assumed the chair the only new business consisted of plans for a social evening on February 16th at the Howard Residence, Y.W.C.A., for which Mrs. Jack Grime and Miss Susie Davidson will act as conveners. The meeting was then adjourned. Dainty refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Jack Grime.

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## IF YOU FEEL SUNK

Read this and cheer up

Are you as blue as life is no longer worth living? Do you cry easily? Do you feel low, mean, depressed—just absolutely SUNK? Then here's good news for you in case you need a good general system tonic—Just take famous Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Let its wholesome herbs and roots help Nature build up more physical resistance and tone up your system, so that it can more easily throw off the "blues" and give more energy to enjoy life.

MILLIONS of women have depended upon this Compound and have passed the word along to friends and neighbors, and to their children.

Why not take Pinkham's Compound and go "smiling thru"?

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The Rev. A. S. Mittleman is leaving tonight for Toronto, where he will attend the Fourth General Assembly of the Canadian Jewish Congress, which will be held at the Royal York Hotel on January 21st, 22nd and 23rd.

Mrs. L. Morehouse was hostess for yesterday's largely attended meeting of the Women's Auxiliary of Trinity United Church at her home on Frontenac street. President, Mrs. E. Hodge presided, and Mrs. S. Emerson conducted the opening devotional exercises. Business comprised the completion of plans for next week's supper under the convenship of Mrs. M. Broadbelt, Mrs. O. Williams and Mrs. H. Martin. At the close of the meeting the hostess served afternoon tea and dainty refreshments, assisted by Mrs. J. Blake and Mrs. O. Williams.

Enthusiasm featured the deliberations of the members of the Y.M.C.A. Ladies Auxiliary, who met yesterday afternoon at Mrs. Claude Spafford's home on London street, to formulate plans for continuing their good work during the coming year. Mrs. Z. W. Griffith, the president, was in the chair and following the disposition of routine business two donations were gratefully acknowledged, five dollars from "Echenbergs" towards the linoleum fund and five dollars from the Y's Men's Club for the same purpose. Plans were made for a rummage sale in February and for a skating party. Mrs. A. E. Wiggins and Mrs. Claude Spafford were appointed a nominating committee to select a slate of officers for the coming year. The secretary read a letter from Mr. and Mrs. Butler gratefully acknowledging a Christmas gift. At the conclusion of the meeting the hostess served afternoon tea. Mrs. Stavert doing the honors at the pretty tea table.

## ELECT LEADERS FOR DIXVILLE LADIES' GUILD

Dixville, Jan. 18.—The Ladies' Guild met at the home of Mrs. Nelson Beaton and the election of officers for the coming year occupied the first part of the session.

Mrs. Nelson Beaton was appointed president and Mrs. George Tanner vice-president, while Mrs. Ora McIntyre accepted the office of treasurer. The planning of the needle work done by the ladies was left to Mrs. William Howe.

New suggestions for the year were brought forward by members. Rev. J. C. Tanner visited the Guild and talked over the purchase of prayer and hymn books. Lunch was served by the hostess.

### GROUP HOLDS ANNUAL MEETING

The members of the Baptist Young People's Union held their annual meeting in the hall with the president, Mrs. Kenneth Norris, in the chair. Following the devotional service, the minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved and the financial report for the year was presented.

The officers elected for the ensuing year follow: President, Mrs. Kenneth Norris; vice-president, Carroll Major; secretary-treasurer, Muriel Chamberlain; ushers, Eunice Bailey and Lorna Ham; librarians, Beulah Thomas and Pauline Wallis; programme committee: Rev. Mr. Campbell, Mr. Thomas, and the officers; social committee, the Misses Frances Parker, Verna Bailey, Muriel Chamberlain and Vonda Ham.

After adjournment, a social hour was enjoyed and refreshments were served.

### MISSION CIRCLE PLANS SEASON

The Ladies' Mission Circle met with Mrs. W. T. Parker, Mrs. George Ham presiding. After the opening hymn a selection was read responsive and the report of the year's work was given by the secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Parker.

After the "Watch Tower" period plans were made for future work, and the meeting closed with the hymn, "Onward Christian Soldiers."

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## Tested Recipes

### CHEESE PLUS SALAD GIVES NUTRITIONAL BALANCE

Cheese makes manifold dishes for days when meatless meals are in order. Include a large green salad in these cheese menus, and you will have a high protein dinner complete in minerals and vitamins.

### Cheese Croquette

(Serves 4 to 6)

One cup Canadian cheese grated, 3-4 cup Canadian cheese cubed, 1 1-2 tablespoons butter, 1-2 teaspoon dry mustard, 2 tablespoons flour, 1 cup milk, 1 teaspoon Worcestershire sauce, 2 eggs, salt, pepper, paprika, fine bread crumbs.

Heat butter. Stir in mustard and flour. Cook two minutes, then slowly stir in milk. Add grated cheese. Mix well. Add salt, pepper and paprika.

Cook over hot water five minutes. Add more milk if needed. Add diced cheese, and immediately remove from heat. Beat in the eggs.

### Tomorrow's Menu

Breakfast: Sliced bananas in orange juice, corn flakes, nut muffins, cherry marmalade, coffee, milk.

Luncheon: Egg-tomato rarebit, buttered toast, stewed fruit, cookies, tea, milk.

Dinner: Grapefruit juice, cheese croquettes, Spanish sauce, warm French bread, large bowl salad of mixed greens and grated carrot, chopped celery and green peppers, apple brown Betty, whipped cream, coffee, milk.

Yolks and add Worcestershire sauce. Cool. When thoroughly cool shape into croquettes.

To egg whites, add 1 tablespoon cold water. Roll croquettes in egg whites and water. Then roll in bread crumbs, then again in egg whites and again in bread crumbs.

Fry in deep fat until browned. Serve with Spanish tomato sauce.

Cheese and Tomato Rarebit (Serves 4 to 6)

Six eggs, 2 tablespoons butter,

## Mix Bit Of Understanding With Your Relief Taxes

It's easy for taxpayers to resent people on relief. We don't want the jobless to starve—but we aren't very gracious about keeping them from starving.

At that, our attitude is no worse than it is toward the member of our own family who is down on his luck. We're all sympathy and generosity at the start. But pretty soon we start getting critical, feeling it is our right to judge his attitude and his back-bone.

If we can get that way about a member of the family—and we all do—it's no wonder we become so critical of the unknowns who we feel are living on our money.

We encourage each other to be critical by making jokes and sharp remarks. And isn't often we try to put ourselves in the places of the people who can't hit back at criticism.

So it's a good thing for us to see the other side once in a while, as we

do when we look at the report of a University of Chicago graduate who studied 157 families receiving public aid in Chicago.

Amaretta Jones, who made the study, didn't find families on relief content with their lot and looking forward to a lifetime of support. Instead she found them trying desperately to get jobs.

And her study showed that during a six-year period the 157 families averaged only slightly more than one child per family. Perhaps the jobless aren't as willing to add new names to the relief rolls as we sometimes like to think.

No matter what our political beliefs, it wouldn't hurt us to mix a little understanding with them. So that even when we feel most confident that we can "take care of ourselves," we can imagine what it must mean to the head of a family to lose that confidence.

### BRISTLE BRUSHES NEED CAREFUL WASHING

A soft floor brush is a convenient tool for dusting room walls as well as brushing smooth floors and linoleums. The brush, of course, must be absolutely clean, and it may be safely washed when necessary in a mild solution of borax and warm water or ammonia and warm water. Douse only the bristles in the bath, taking care not to wet the back of the brush, lest the bristles loosen and shed. Rinse in clear water and hang bristles pointing down, in an airy place to dry.

Have six rounds of hot buttered toast pieces ready. Cover with sliced hard cooked eggs, then pour the rarebit over the eggs. Serve piping hot.

More than 1,000 French criminals are said to be hiding in Great Britain.

REJUVENATE LEFTOVER ICE CREAM

Leftover ice cream that has melted can be stiffened again by adding a level tablespoon of gelatin dissolved in a little cold water or milk to one pint of cream. Mix thoroughly and chill in refrigerator until solid.

## YOUNG COUPLE ARE FETED AT BOLTON PASS

Bolton Pass, Jan. 18.—About thirty-five friends and neighbors gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Langevin to welcome them to their new home and offer their good wishes.

Mr. and Mrs. Langevin were married in Montreal on December 31st and have purchased the farm owned by Mrs. Mason Baird.

After a pleasant evening spent in card playing, music and singing, refreshments were served. Mr. Gordon Badger then presented Mr. and Mrs. Langevin with a purse of money on behalf of those present after which Mr. Langevin expressed his thanks. The singing of "For They Are Jolly Good Fellows" brought the evening to a close.

### General Notes

Mr. and Mrs. C. McClay entertained on New Year's Day as did Mr. and Mrs. J. Badger, Mr. and Mrs. Wing and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Pibus.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Pibus, of Montreal, spent the holidays at the home of Mr. John Pibus. Miss Olin Pibus, of Montreal, was a guest on New Year's Day at the same home.

Mrs. Roy Norton has returned from the Royal Victoria Hospital and spent a few days at the home of her parents, in South Bolton.

### IMPORTED WINTER SPORTS ACCESSORIES

Much old world beauty of design and ripe color is brought to the skating pond or ski trail in this season's winter sports togs. Matching hand knit sweaters, hoods, scarfs, gauntleted mittens and short-cuffed socks of softest wool, imported from Estonia, and bordered with wide bands of original motifs, are comfortable and becoming accessories to the sports wardrobe.

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Treat the family and yourself to delicious Assorted Biscuits.  
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**FILL YOUR TIE RACK AT SMALL COST!**

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A grand assortment of smart new patterns to please discriminating men. Come in NOW and make YOUR choice. They're priced so low that you'll be buying them by the half-dozen. **SPECIAL!**

**RAYON DAMASK: 50c Value!**  
In deep, glowing shades of rust, rose, brown, gold, green, burgundy and plum. 40 inches wide — all first quality!  
**SPECIAL! Yard 39c**

**LACE DOILIES**  
Hand-made Doilies, runners, centre pieces and many other items. A worthwhile assortment at a special price.  
Each **17c**

**CASHMERE BOUQUET TOILET SOAP**  
Special offer — buy one cake at the regular price of 10c and pay only 1c for an 2 for **11c**

**BOYS' WEAR SPECIAL!**  
SWEATERS: \$1.00 Value! Of soft, warm wool in Maroon and Royal, with popular cadet neck and zipper front. Sizes: **69c**  
24 to 32. **SPECIAL!**

BREECHES: Sturdy whipcord in popular shades of brown and grey, with double self-seat and knees. Lined for warmth. 4 pockets. 5 belt loops. Sizes: **84c**  
26 to 34. **SPECIAL!**

**HOUSE DRESSES**  
Sizes 16 to 44 **59c**

Trim new styles of gay, tubfast prints to make you look and feel "dressed-up" all day long. With pockets, pleats, or full, flaring skirts. **VERY SPECIAL!**

**LOVELY COLLARS! SPECIAL!**  
For a crisp, new note to your dark costume: one of these dainty little collars. Piques, Laces, Taffetas and Rayon Satins. **25c and 39c Values. SPECIAL! 14c**

**ADVANCE SPRING PRINTS!**

New, new styles in gay, bold prints to wear now and right through Spring. Featuring tucks, flares, and pleats, with pretty flower and ornament trimmings, in smart, flattering models that will do wonders for your winter-weary wardrobe. **SPECIAL!**

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38 to 44  
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## ANNUAL MEETING

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## MANSONVILLE SCHOOL MARKS MADE PUBLIC

**Entertainment Presented by Pupils of Learned School—Names of Successful Pupils in Examinations Released.**

Mansonville, Jan. 18.—An entertainment was presented by the teacher and pupils of Learned School when the school closed for the holidays. The programme was enjoyed by a large attendance of parents and friends. The marks obtained by successful pupils writing first term examinations have been issued by authorities and are as follows:—Grade VII, (1,400): Norma Smith, 1,123; Grade VI, (1,400): Grant Macdonald, 1,149; Shirley Aiken, 1,115; Grade IV, (1,200): Ruth Macdonald, 1,034; Hilda Nixon, 937; Grade III, (1,200): Leona Tracey, 969; Janice Clark, 935; Robert Smith, 928; Ralph Fountain, 911; Grade II, (600): Eleanor Aiken, 467; Gordon Macdonald, 466; Jack Tracey, 440; Grade I, (400): Beverly Clark, 318; Ross Smith, 287.

## General Notes

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Aiken and son, Aiton, spent a day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Smith. Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Jersey visited Mrs. L. Jersey. Mr. Robert Christie is spending some time at the home of Mr. Arthur Aiken. Mr. George Braventier was visiting friends here. Mr. Ralph Fountain had the misfortune to lose a horse recently. A party of young people met in the Baptist Young People's Hall to welcome the New Year. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Merriam and children were calling on Mrs. Jersey on New Year's Day. Miss Evelyn Aiken spent a week at the home of her sister, Mrs. V. Gately. Miss Claire Tucker has returned home. Mr. and Mrs. Murphy spent a week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Fountain.

## Radio Programmes

**TODAY**  
7:00 p.m.—WEAF: Amos 'n' Andy; WABC: County Seat; WJZ: Easy Aces; CFCE: Rhythmic Makers' Orchestra.  
7:30 p.m.—WABC: Ask It Basket; WEAF: The Revelers; KDKA: Horace Heidt's Orchestra; CFCE: Uncle Troy.  
8:00 p.m.—WJZ: Roy Shield's Orchestra; WABC: Gang Busters; WEAF: One Man's Family; CFCE: Tonight at Eight.  
8:30 p.m.—WABC: Paul Whitehead's Orchestra; WEAF: Tommy Dorsey's Orchestra; WJZ: Hobbs Lovett's Orchestra; KDKA: Radio Melodians.  
9:00 p.m.—WJZ: Magnolia Blossoms; WEAF: Town Hall Tonight; WABC: Star Theatre; CBM: Labor Relations.  
9:30 p.m.—WJZ: Wings for the Martins; CBM: Music by Faith; KDKA: French Programme.  
10:00 p.m.—WABC: It Can Be Done; WJZ: People I Have Known; WEAF: Kay Kyser's Orchestra.  
10:30 p.m.—WJZ: The Public Interest in Democracy; WABC: Buddy Clark's Musical Weekly; CBM: Gems from the Lyric Stage; CFCE: Gilbert Darrise's Orchestra.  
11:00 p.m.—WEAF: Johnny Messner's Orchestra; WJZ: News; Dance Orchestra; CBM: News; CFCE: Sports; News; KDKA: News.

**TOMORROW**  
7:00 p.m.—WEAF: Amos 'n' Andy; WJZ: Easy Aces; WABC: County Seat, sketch; CFCE: Dance Hours.  
7:30 p.m.—WABC: Joe Penner; WEAF: Schaefer All-star Revue; WJZ: Swinging to Chieftains; KDKA: Dick Gasparre's Orchestra; CFCE: Uncle Troy; KDKA: French Programme.  
8:00 p.m.—WABC: Kate Smith; WEAF: Rudy Vallee; CFCE: Concert Symphonique de Montreal; CFCE: Tonight at Eight; KDKA: Under Western Skies.  
8:30 p.m.—WJZ: Roch. Philharmonic Concert; KDKA: Ensemble Melodia; KDKA: Grand Slam Revue.  
9:00 p.m.—WABC: Philharmonic Concert; WABC: Major Bowes' Amateur Hour; WEAF: Good News of 1939; CFCE: Hockey Broadcast.  
9:30 p.m.—WJZ: Town Meeting of the Air.  
10:00 p.m.—WEAF: Music Hall; WABC: Tune-up.  
10:30 p.m.—WJZ: Minstrel Show; CFCE: George Hamilton's Orchestra.  
11:00 p.m.—WABC: News; WJZ: News; Artie Shaw's Orchestra; WEAF: Gliding Swing; CBM: News; KDKA: Sports; pianologue; KDKA: News.

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KDKA—Montreal ..... 520  
WEAF—New York ..... 460  
WGY—Schenectady ..... 1050  
KDKA—Pittsburgh ..... 950

Hostess: "I hope my husband wasn't rude when he asked you to play?"  
Foreign Pianist: "Oh no. 'E ask me that I not play a certain tune!"  
Hostess: "What did he say?"  
Pianist: "He said, 'Don't play for the love of Mike.'"

## The Educational Situation From A Layman's Point Of View

Continued from page 4.  
and the standard is gradually but surely falling. At first we were alarmed, but as the realization was borne in upon us that the Dean's pessimistic prognostications were not well-founded we began to breathe a little more freely. But even if the truth of this latter charge was admitted, might it not be pertinent to ask to what extent he, personally, and the College of which he is the head, is responsible for this pedagogic deterioration?

Presumably he will take the stand that a two-year course would remedy this situation. But would it? There is no profession in the world in which aptitude is of greater significance than in the profession of teaching and in a two-year course or a ten-year course would be of little avail in the case of the individual who lacks the capacity to impart to others such knowledge as he or she possesses.

Further, if this drastic innovation should be adopted it is not tend rather to aggravate the existing situation in view of the fact that conditions of supply are largely governed by the numerical standing of the register at the College? It is conceivable, at a conservative estimate, that fifty per cent of the students who enroll for this course come from the homes of working class people, many, if not all, of whom would be quite unable to finance a second year's course. In consequence this field, upon which the college so largely depends for its recruits, would be irretrievably lost. The proposal may have some virtues, but it is also pregnant with dangers.

In this ever-changing world it must, of course, be recognized that the science of teaching never can be reduced to the level of a fixed science. There is no finality to it and changes must, of necessity, be introduced to meet ever-changing circumstances and conditions. In this connection it is encouraging to note that our educational communities are beginning to realize the significance of the part which the camera and screen will play in the further development of our educational system. Just what proportion of the funds earmarked for the purpose of making these developments available will be allocated to our rural communities is a question which might well bear investigation by those who hold in their hands the destinies of these under privileged institutions. Surely it ought to be possible to provide at least one mobile outfit, accompanied by a qualified commentator, for each insular district. I use the adjective, "insular," because, in the present scheme for the commentator who slurs his vowels or drops his consonants. Our children must not be exposed to the danger of contagion from the type of individual who speaks of "Amurika" or the "Marinimes" or the "innervazhmal situation." Clarity of expression and beauty of diction modulation of tone and absolute mastery of voice inflection should be the determining factors in making the appointments to this exciting position.

If, in addition to these mobile screen outfits, there could be added an instructional course in applied mechanics and domestic economy for the rural communities, the latter would be inestimable. The latter who can mend his own wheel barrow is likely to make a more successful farmer than the one who, lacking this accomplishment, yet can tell you with astonishing exactitude the distance in light years from the earth here to our rural communities, and the girl who can make over her last year's coat so that it will look like something which it will look like from the mail order house will conceivably make a better farmer's wife than the one whose only accomplishment is proficiency in the elegancies of the Lanes walk. Common sense observations, admittedly, but it is high time we took our heads out of the clouds, ceased fooling with fanciful educational theories and got down to basic facts. Never was there a time more propitious than the present for the adoption of a policy of incoercible ruthlessness in dealing with the educational fetiches not the least of which is insistence on the enforcement of a curriculum so rigid and inflexible that the imaginative faculties of teacher and scholar alike are dulled to the point wherein it becomes a debateable issue whether it would be best as well and less expensive to install a gramophone in each classroom.

Finally, while the question of the re-organization of the entire fabric of our scholastic system is under review it might not be amiss to devote a little attention to the tendency, which has manifested itself in recent years, towards the Americanization of sport (academically encouraged) and the caption of extra curricular activities in our collegiate institutions. The trend in this direction should be carefully watched and rigidly controlled for, after all, the primary function of any educational institution is the inculcation of knowledge; the cultivation of brains rather than biceps. Concealed that a reasonable amount of recreation is not only a desirable, but a necessary adjunct to college life, yet the fact cannot be too strongly impressed upon our high school graduates that the pedestal upon which their athletic achievements have placed them is not by any means the towering structure which they themselves conceive it to be, and that the frenzied paragon shouts which rock their football fields and hockey arenas will dwindle away into empty echoes when the gladiators who inspire them are faced with the task, as inevitably they must, of satisfying a business executive that they possess the qualifications necessary to enable them to hold down the job for which they are being interviewed.

**R. MacLEOD ROSS.**  
Richmond, Que.  
"Eyes right!" thundered the negro lieutenant.  
"You're wrong!" came from the depth of the black troops.

## DEATHS REPORTED

**MRS. EDWARD PERCY, OF COWANSVILLE.**  
Cowansville, Jan. 18.—The funeral of Mrs. Edward Percy, who passed away at her home following a heart attack, was held in L'Eglise St. Therese on Friday morning, Rev. Abbe J. V. Davignon officiating. The deceased was survived by her husband, two sons, Edward, of Sherbrooke, and Goudais, of Cowansville; four daughters, Mrs. Goyette, of Cowansville, Mrs. Sylvestre, of Montreal, Mrs. Moisan and Mrs. Goyette, of Itherville.

The bearers were Messrs. Joseph Dion, Thomas Fournier, A. Lebeau, J. Larocque, J. Dion and August Dion.

Mrs. Percy was seventy-two years of age.

## MRS. ANSON PELLERIN, AYER'S CLIFF

Ayer's Cliff, Jan. 18.—The funeral of Mrs. Sarah Jane Meigs, wife of Anson Pellerin, took place from the home of W. E. Hurd on Tuesday, January 17th, at 2 p.m. Rev. Mr. Baxter, of North Hatley, officiated and spoke comforting words to the family and friends who had gathered to pay their last respects to a fine and upright Christian woman, who suffered constantly for the last two years but always had a smile and an encouraging word for all.

Mr. and Mrs. Pellerin gave up their home in September and since then made their home with Mr. and Mrs. Hurd who had done their best to make the deceased's last days as pleasant and comfortable as possible.

The bearers were E. H. Chadsey, W. E. Hurd, Charles Taylor and Elvin Ham, of Massawippi. The relatives who attended were Mrs. Ida Boomer, a sister, and Mr. Boomer, of St. Johnsbury, Vt.; Mr. Albert Meigs, a brother, and Mrs. Meigs, of Beebe; Mrs. Marjorie Lemire, a niece, of Compton; Mr. Archie Taylor, nephew, and Mrs. Taylor, of Ayer's Cliff.

Interment was at Massawippi in the family lot.

## HAROLD W. ARMSTRONG, BURY

Bury, Jan. 18.—On December 31, the death of Harold W. Armstrong occurred at the Sherbrooke Hospital, where he was a patient. He had been ill for some time, but his passing came as a great shock to his many relatives and friends.

Deceased was the eldest son of Walter and Theresa Armstrong, and was born in Marlow, Beauce County, in February, 1902, from where his parents moved to Bury where he made his home until his death. In 1928 he married Eileen Orr, and of this marriage two children were born, Jean and Walter, who survive.

The funeral was held January 22nd. Prayers were read at the home, Rev. Mr. Smith officiating. The funeral was held at the home of the deceased, which was a fine home, of which the deceased was a devoted Master for the past two years, held their service, followed by service at St. Paul's Church.

Mr. Armstrong was secretary-treasurer of the Town of Bury, and held the position for eight years. The Councilors attended in a body, headed by Mayor A. J. Hunt.

The hymns rendered by the choir were "Safe in the Arms of Jesus" and others. The hymns were sung by the choir, which was a fine choir, of which the deceased was a devoted member.

The many beautiful floral tributes, cards and letters of sympathy received by the family were evidence of the esteem in which he was held by all who had had the privilege of knowing him. Among the floral tributes was one from the Lennoxville Women's Institute, of which she was a former member, having given most generously of her time and

## HATLEY CHURCH WORKERS HEAR MANY REPORTS

Members of St. James' Church Women's Auxiliary Review Varied Activities of Past Year.

Hatley, Jan. 18.—The Women's Auxiliary of St. James' Church met at the home of Mrs. H. B. Whitcomb for the annual business meeting and election of officers with eight members and one visitor present.

The president, Mrs. H. W. Parry, opened the meeting with Scripture reading, special prayers, the Litany, from the Living Message, and the members' prayer, and the minutes of the last meeting were read by the secretary, Miss Dorothy Brown, and confirmed.

The monthly W. A. Bulletin was presented and the Prayer Partner secretary, Miss MacDougall, read an interesting letter from the branch's prayer partner, Miss Hewer, of Aklavik, which was followed by distribution of the Living Message.

The president announced that the girls of the A. Y. P. A. had made part of an outfit for an eighteen-year-old girl in the Shingwank Residential School, Sault Ste. Marie, and that they are now working on one for a fourteen-year-old girl in the same school. The outfit is to be completed by the senior branch. The secretary's report for the past year showed that twelve regular meetings had been held.

It was revealed that the Coaticook W. A. Deaneys, held in Hatley in October, was represented by nearly all the parishes in the deanery. The W. M. S. united with the Women's Auxiliary in February in the parish hall for the annual world's day of prayer.

A number of members including two delegates attended the annual meeting of the W. A. Diocesan Board held at Cookshire in May. Corporate Communion was held in St. James' Church on St. Andrew's Day at which twelve communicated. Slides on the Study book, "Kangra Calling," were shown by the rector at the meeting of the Coaticook Deanery, a synopsis being given by Rev. St. John, rector of St. Stephen's, Coaticook, who had spent some years in India.

The treasurer, Miss Lillian MacDougall, then read the financial statement, which showed total receipts of one hundred and two dollars, with a total expenditure of ninety-nine dollars. She remarked that this was the most successful year financially in her fifteen years as treasurer of the St. James' branch.

A pleasing feature of the report was the response to the Bishop's appeal for help for the diocesan missions on the Gaspe coast and the Magdalen Islands, which is being met by the "extra cent a day" fund self-imposed by the members and friends of the Women's Auxiliary. The amount sent thus far from the St. James' branch is \$34.61. The future of this fund will be definitely decided at this year's annual W. A. Diocesan meeting to be held in Quebec.

Miss MacDougall also reported that nine members subscribe to the "Living Message," two of which are from the Way's Mills Guild. It was also acknowledged with thanks that over \$4.00 was received in the "sunshine" bags from members of the Way's Mills Guild.

In the absence of the Dorcas secretary, Mrs. Hugh Bowen, her report was read by the secretary, that a bale valued at \$46.30 had been sent in April for Western missions, included in which was the "friendship quilt." Some material has been bought for completion, if possible, of the outfit which the girls of the A. Y. P. A. have commenced. Some donations towards it have already been made.

The Thank-Offering secretary, Mrs. H. B. Whitcomb, reported the splendid sum of \$11.42, which was presented at the St. Andrew's Day Corporate Communion. Mrs. Gordon Pocock, Little Helpers' secretary, who was unavoidably absent, reported five members all having mitre boxes, and the sum of a little over a dollar sent in to the Diocesan Little Helpers' treasurer. The president then thanked all the members for their wholehearted work and loyal co-operation during 1938. Much of the gratifying year's work was due to the kind thought and distribution of the sunshine bags by Mrs. MacDougall. The rector was then asked to take the chair and preside at the election of officers, which resulted as follows: President, Mrs. H. W. Parry; vice-president, Mrs. Bert Brown; secretary, Miss Dorothy Brown; treasurer, Miss Lillian MacDougall; Dorcas secretary, Mrs. Hugh Bowen; thank-offering secretary, Mrs. H. B. Whitcomb; Living Message and prayer partner, Miss Lillian MacDougall; Little Helpers' secretary, Mrs. Gordon Pocock.

The president then resumed the chair, and ways and means were discussed for raising the necessary funds to provide material for the outfit. It was decided to hold a food sale in conjunction with the Guild dinner at the first meeting in February, and for which orders may be placed in advance with all Women's Auxiliary members. The meeting then adjourned and supper was served by the hostesses, Mrs. H. B. Whitcomb, assisted by Miss Nyl White, and the president expressed thanks on behalf of the members.

## Y.P.U. IS HOST TO GROUPS AT COWANSVILLE

Twenty Visitors from Stanbridge East Attend Meeting in United Church Parlors—Fine Programme Presented.

Cowansville, Jan. 18.—About twenty members of the Young People's Union of Stanbridge East were guests of the local Y.P.U. at a meeting held in the United Church parlors one evening last week. The devotional period was conducted by Miss Dorothy Wright and Mr. Harry Parker and the president, Medland Tessier, extended a cordial welcome to the visitors.

The programme was in charge of Group One and consisted of a paper by Darlene Sweet on the life of Abraham Lincoln and a paper by Miss Cleary entitled "Pioneers of the Past in the East."

A few of the facts related were that the Huguenots first brought Protestantism to this land in 1595, and it was established by the Church of England. The first Congregational Church was established in Halifax between 1750 and 1760 and after the Acadians were expelled in 1765 new settlers were invited to come from the New England colonies. Many of the grandsons of the Pilgrim Fathers came and their descendants still claim the heritage of the Mayflower.

The Presbyterians, who came from Scotland and New England, had their first minister in 1764. The beginnings of Methodism go back to 1772 and the first Conference was organized in 1789 by William Black.

A sing-song was led by David Christie and a trio, composed of D. Christie, H. Christie and Merlin Lewis, sang two numbers, accompanied by Mrs. S. W. Boyd.

At the lunch hour two readings were given by Miss M. Cleary and a guessing contest and games under the direction of Miss Eliza Judd and refreshments concluded the pleasant evening.

Mr. Johnson, president of the visiting Union, on behalf of the members, tendered a vote of thanks to their hosts, and Medland Tessier expressed a desire that the visit might be repeated in the near future.

The meeting closed with the national anthem.

### General Notes

Miss Frances Carleton, of Dunham, spent a few days assisting in the care of Mrs. Ewart Martin, who is confined to her room through illness. All join in wishing Mrs. Martin a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Eric Pickel has been suffering from an attack of grippe.

Mr. and Mrs. Peasley and daughter, Sylvia, of Cranby, were guests of Mrs. Peasley's brother, Mr. John Hall, and family.

Mr. Volney Ingalls and Miss Nina Ingalls have received word of the death of their brother, Henry Clayton Ingalls, of Frelighsburg, who passed away following a lengthy illness. The deceased, who was sixty-two years of age, is survived by his wife, two daughters, two brothers, Roy, of Plattsburg, N.Y., and Volney, of Cowansville, and one sister, Miss Nina Ingalls, of Cowansville.

Mr. J. H. Doak is making a splendid recovery after undergoing an operation for appendicitis in a Montreal hospital. As soon as he is able to travel, Mr. and Mrs. Doak will leave for Toronto, where they will spend the remainder of the winter.

Mr. Abe Ellison, who has been seriously ill with pneumonia, is rapidly recovering and hopes to be able to sit up next week.

Miss Alice Draper accompanied her aunt, Mrs. Martin Fisher, and Hon. Martin Fisher, to Quebec, to attend the opening ceremonies of the Provincial Parliament.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Bisillon and little daughter, of West Brome, and Miss Marie-Rose Morissette, of Farnham, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Morissette, James street.

Mrs. Hagan, of Frelighsburg, is a patient at "The Hedges," Church street.

Mrs. Alan Farley and daughter, of St. Johns, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Bell.

Mr. R. J. Forster, formerly Chief of Police, who has been ill for several months, is now confined to his room.

Due to illness the Rev. G. R. Addie was unable to officiate at the services in Trinity Church. The services were taken by Rev. John Peam, of St. Matthew's Church, Hampstead.

Dale Morrison and Garth Dean spent the week-end in Montreal with their cousin Fraser Logie.

Mr. A. C. McPhee is leaving shortly for Florida. He will be accompanied by his daughter, Mrs. Archie Reid, and young son, of Toronto.

Mrs. L. H. Rowse, of Dunham, is assisting in the care of her daughter, Mrs. E. Martin, and infant son.

### GRANITEVILLE

Mrs. F. T. Cowens, of Rock Island, and Mrs. Bert Meigs, of Beebe, visited their mother, Mrs. M. Keniston one day last week.

Mr. Wesley Reynolds, of Capleton, spent a week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Reynolds.

Mrs. Bert Allen and daughter, of North Newport, were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Guerin.

Miss Bessie Denis, of Beebe, was a visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Angus Eryou.

Mrs. Rupert Carr, of St. Johnsbury, Vt., is visiting her mother, Mrs. Frank Rollins.

Mrs. Carrie Somerville, of Newport, and Mr. and Mrs. James Coppitt, of Bangor, Me., were callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Moir.

## Officers Were Elected And Reports Tabled At Vestry Meet

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Institute room of the Town Hall under the chairmanship of Mrs. M. Elizabeth McCurdy, with C. Howard Aikman, M.A., principal of the Lennoxville High School, conducting the discussion which dealt with the chapter, "The Democratic State" of the study book, "Sociology," by John Macdonald. The members discussed the meaning of the term "State," as distinct from nation or race. Other forms of state were also considered, under the headings of autocracy, the idea being to show the advantage of each as opposed to the other. Various sub-divisions of democratic government were dealt with under several headings.

Next week's discussion will be led by Miss E. L. Stevens.

A programme was decided upon for the forthcoming meeting of the Associated Groups at the end of this month, when reports of the activities and progress of the various groups will be given by their leaders, pictures will be shown, an address on some phase of Adult Education will be given and community singing will also take place. Address, pictures will be shown, an exhibit by Mrs. Lawrence E. MacAllister, instructor of the Handicraft Course being inaugurated this evening under the Community Council's sponsorship, to show what has been able to accomplish in this work and what can be done.

### W. C. T. U. SESSION

The liquor traffic was the main topic of discussion at the regular meeting of the Lennoxville W.C.T.U. held yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. E. L. Atto on Park avenue with the president, Mrs. L. W. Smith presiding.

Following the devotional period, conducted by Mrs. M. Elizabeth McCurdy, the topic of which was, "Building a Christian World," each member contributed a fact about the liquor traffic.

A paper prepared by Dr. Mary O. Vaudry, on "Marijuana," was read and greatly enjoyed. From it, it was learned that this weed, which grows wild and is also sometimes cultivated, is being used in cigarettes which are sold in large numbers to high school children. It is one of the worst forms of drug known, as it turns its users violently insane in a very short time. It grows in large amounts on this continent, is known in Canada as "Indian Flax," and in the south under the name of the "loco weed." Although the Government has prohibited its growth, it is still being grown and sold.

It was reported that Dr. Vaudry has distributed two hundred temperance blotters to children at the Lennoxville High School in the past month, and the sum of three dollars was given to the Lennoxville United Church Sunday School in connection with the distribution of prizes for the National Temperance campaign just completed in Sunday Schools.

A large amount of literature has also been distributed within the past month.

Following adjournment a pleasant social hour was enjoyed, when afternoon tea was served informally by Mrs. Atto, assisted by Mrs. Ethel L. Seale.

### General Notes

Plans for a Valentine's tea to be held early in February were discussed at a meeting of the Lennoxville Women's League of St. Andrew's Church, Sherbrooke, yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. B. Christison, on Clough avenue. During the business period, conducted by Mrs. J. G. Trenholme, the president, several letters read by the secretary thanked the members for flowers sent to shut-ins and the distribution of cheer at the Yuletide season. A pleasant hour of social intercourse took place during the serving of a dainty afternoon tea by the hostess, Mrs. Christison, who was assisted by Mrs. A. M. MacKenzie and Mrs. Raymond Stevenson.

All are sorry to know that Mrs. Dav' Harrison is ill at her home on Clough avenue, and a speedy recovery is wished for her.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Bown have returned to their home on Conley street after a pleasant trip to Newport and other points in Vermont.

Her many friends are indeed sorry that Mrs. W. R. Baker has been confined to her home through illness, but are pleased to learn that she is feeling somewhat better. It is the sincere hope of all that she will quickly be restored to complete health.

Mrs. E. J. Astell has returned to her home on Academy street after journeying to Danville, where she assisted with the installation of officers of Confederation Chapter, O.E.S., on Saturday.

Mrs. Lillian Hall, of Eaton Corner, is spending a week visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. J. E. Bellam, and Mr. Bellam, at their residence on Prospect street.

Mrs. F. Duval has returned to her home on Main street after spending a few days in Montreal.

Members of the Mission Band of the Lennoxville United Church listened to an interesting story, "Emily Finds a Home," being a story of Manitoba, told to them by their superintendent, Miss Erma Ross, at their regular meeting in Douglas Hall yesterday afternoon. After opening with the Mission Band Purpose, Miss Isabel Ross presided at the piano for the singing of the hymns, "What a Friend We Have in Jesus" and "Jesus Loves Me," and Marion Kerr gave the offering prayer. Letters of thanks were read for Christmas cheer and also for sympathy to a member. Later various games were enjoyed.

Members of the Past Noble Grand's Bridge Club were most enjoyably entertained last evening by their president, Mrs. Maude Mills, at "Fairview Farm," when contract bridge was played at three tables, the prize being won by Mrs. Howard Nutbrown. At the conclusion of the card games delicious refreshments were served by the hostesses, assisted by Mrs. Charles Herring.

Rev. Nelson Macdonald, to whom Rev. F. A. C. Dossie, pastor of Plymouth United Church, Sherbrooke, referred in his address to members of the Y.P.U. of Lennoxville United Church, is vice-president of the Extension Department of St. Francis Xavier University, and ont vice-president of the University.

Mrs. D. L. Herbert, of Georgetown, Ont., is spending the winter months in town.

Baked bean supper and food sale Sat., Jan. 28th, St. George's Church Hall.

## Soviet Russia, Not Represented At Munich Parley, Was Eager To Hurl Her Might

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"fortune holding combines." Society is now essentially changing, he said, adding that there must be a readjustment to avoid open war among the classes. Labor is the coming force in democracy, he said, and labor will assert the power it possesses.

The United States could solve its labor problems if left free from outside intervention, Father Talbot stated. Moscow is busy itself in American labor troubles, he declared, and is fermenting hatred. Strikes are organized not to help the working man but to aid the world revolution, the editor said, declaring that "a Communist is always a trouble maker."

In concluding his address, Rev. Father Talbot repeated the need for peace in the world and appealed to each individual to use his or her influence in daily life towards its preservation.

At the close of the lecture questions pertaining to his address were asked Father Talbot by members of the audience.

In addition to his editorial duties, Rev. Father Talbot has written a dozen books and has occupied a unique position in America with regard to the drama. He is one of the best known Jesuits in the world and as a leader in contemporary thought is constantly quoted.

His lecture here was given under the auspices of the Catholic Women's League, which obtained his services through the efforts of Rev. Father Thomas Walsh, S.J.

T. G. Walsh introduced Father Talbot and a vote of thanks was tendered him by Mrs. Francis Hoyer, president of the local branch of the Catholic Women's League.

### FRESH EXCURSIONS TO WESTERN CANADA

Montreal, January 18.—Low rate excursions to Western Canada with generous time limits is the offer to the Canadian public by the railways of Canada under announcement by P. Riddell, chairman, Canadian Passenger Association, here. Those who aim to exchange the rigors of eastern Canada for the spring-like weather of the Pacific Coast will have the opportunity at comparatively low cost to escape the blizzards of the east and enjoy the balmy breezes and ample sunshine of the far west. Others again who wish to make business trips or visit relatives or friends at any point in the west of Canada can do so at their convenience and for a period of time amply sufficient to cover their needs.

Fares will apply from territory including Port Arthur, Armstrong and all stations east thereof in Ontario and in Quebec and the Maritime Provinces to all points in the three Pacific Provinces and British Columbia. Railway tickets will be good going any time between February 14 and March 4, inclusive, and provide for a generous time limit for the return movement of forty-five days from the date of purchase.

### WEST BROME

Miss Dorothy Greene and Mr. Robert Robinson, of Montreal, spent a recent week-end with Mr. Robinson's mother, Mrs. Eva Robinson, at West Sutton.

Miss Dorothy Greene spent the past week in West Brome as a guest of Miss Marguerite Bisillon.

Recent supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bisillon were Mr. and Mrs. J. Bowker, Mrs. E. K. La Brun and daughters, Renee and Colette, Mr. and Mrs. Boisvert and son, Guy, Mr. and Mrs. L. Morissette, Mrs. G. Boucher, Mr. R. Rheume and son, and Mrs. M. Gagnon and son, Maurice.

Mr. and Mrs. Adrien Bisillon recently gave a young people's party, which was attended by Mr. and Mrs. Morissette and Mr. J. Bombardier, Dunham; Mr. J. T. Doyle, Quebec City; Mr. R. Doe and Mr. R. Bombardier, Bedford; Miss F. Boucher, Mr. R. Rheume, Miss Colette Le Brun and Miss G. Boucher, Cowansville, and Mr. P. Rochelleau, Bedford.

Mr. Ernest Farmer, of North Sutton, passed away in Montreal in the Royal Victoria Hospital on January 10. The funeral was at Sutton on January 12, conducted by the Odd Fellows.

Hull, England, Jan. 18.—After battling through heavy seas the Teesmouth lifeboat reached the Hull trawler Matabele which had gone ashore off the mouth of the Tees and saved the crew of eighteen.

# FINAL LIQUIDATION SALE

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## FUTURE PLANS DISCUSSED BY MINTON GROUP

Women's Institute Branch Held First Meeting of New Year at Home of Mrs. John Jenkins.

Minton Jan. 18.—The first meeting in the new year of the Women's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. John Jenkins with Mrs. Jenkins and her daughter, Mrs. R. Conner, as joint hostesses.

The devotional period, consisting of a hymn and the Club Women's Creed, was followed by presentation of reports on the Christmas cheer distributions by the members. Several letters of acknowledgement were read showing that the recipients had appreciated this gesture.

Future activities were discussed during the business session and remarks made concerning plans under consideration by the Provincial organization.

The president called the members' attention to important facts in the report recently issued by the Education Survey Committee in the Province and read extracts from an article contributed by a resident of South Africa on the subject of homework for school children.

Mrs. Banfill, convener of immigration, then contributed an interesting paper on the life of Alexander Bell. At the close of the meeting refreshments were served by the hostesses.

### General Notes

Mr. and Mrs. John Jenkin entertained Mrs. Mary Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Johnson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Bean, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Johnson and family, Mr. William Gigg, Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Conner and family on New Year's Day.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Johnson were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Edkins, Mr. H. L. Johnson, Miss Florence Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Lord and daughter, Miss Rita Lord.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cowan, of Ives Hill, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charles Daintrey.

## COMPTON HALL WAS SCENE OF BUSY SESSION

Vestry Meeting of St. James' Church Featured by Election of Officers — Year's Activities Reviewed.

Compton, Jan. 18.—Featuring the election of officers, St. James' Church vestry meeting was held in the Guild room.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed. The financial report, presented by Mrs. C. G. Hyatt, showed that a successful year has been experienced and that all obligations were met. Canon XI was then read by Canon Kelly.

The election of officers resulted as follows: Rector's warden, R. F. Findlay, re-elected; people's warden, C. G. Hyatt; auditors, Mr. A. L. Pomeroy and Mr. F. A. Hall; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. C. Hyatt, re-elected; sidesmen, A. G. Spafford, William Young, F. A. Hall, H. O. Burt and Edward Hyatt.

The church cemetery and the Guild reports were read and a vote of thanks was extended to the ladies of the Guild for their assistance during the past year. A vote of thanks was also expressed to the members of the choir and the organist for their services. At the conclusion of the business period the meeting was closed with grace.

### COWANSVILLE

Mrs. E. Moynan, of Brigham, is a guest of her daughter, Mrs. Lloyd Lewis and family.

Miss Helen Durack and Miss Margaret Allenby, of East Farnham, attended the meeting of the Young People's Union here on Tuesday, January 10th.

Miss Janet Roy, of Sweetsburg, was a week-end guest of the Misses Florence and Lorna Lewis.

Mr. Francois Monast spent a day in Montreal.

Mrs. Nelson Demague has recovered sufficiently from her recent illness to be able to journey to Sutton where she is a guest of her daughter, Mrs. T. Reid, and family.

Mrs. Pattilo, of Farnham, was a recent guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Demague.

## LOWER IRELAND GUIDES ENJOY SLEIGH DRIVE

Fine Outing Gives Girl Guides Healthy Appetites for Refreshments Served on Return.

Lower Ireland, Jan. 18.—The first Lower Ireland Girl Guide Company, with their friends, under the leadership of Miss A. Johnson, enjoyed a sleigh drive, when five double sleighs filled with young people drove for about ten miles, afterwards returning to the Guide Hall where an appetizing lunch was served.

Games were then enjoyed and Rev. J. Barnett, on behalf of the Guides, presented Miss Johnson with an atomizer and a cut glass perfume bottle.

### SUNDAY SCHOOL ENTERTAINMENT

The Y. P. A. of Christ Church, Lower Ireland, entertained the Sunday School pupils in the hall when about thirty-five children enjoyed games from four to six p.m., after which a delightful lunch was served. Rev. J. Barnett distributed gifts, candy and apples from a well-laden tree. Prizes for best lessons in each class were awarded as follows:

Miss A. Johnson's class, Phyllis Little, Miss Effie Porter, Billy Porter; Miss Ghenna Porter's class, Rena Porter; Miss Laura Lame's class, Mildred Wright.

A vote of thanks tendered the young people by Miss Phyllis Christie was responded to by the Rev. J. Barnett. In conclusion the pupils joined in singing "Jesus Loves Me" and the National Anthem. After the Sunday School pupils had returned about fifty of the Young People's Society enjoyed a social evening in the hall.

### General Notes

Mr. Murdoch McKinnon was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Bennett. On his return home he was accompanied by his aunt, Mrs. Clara Bennett, who will spend an indefinite time there.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Robinson were Misses Constance and Eva McCrea, Dorothy Cox, Frances Ward, Miss Helen McCrea, Messrs. Kenneth and Donald McCrea.

Friends are sorry to know Mrs. W. J. Thurber is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Moore entertained at dinner on New Year's Day for Mr. and Mrs. Robert Moulton, of Sherbrooke, Mr. John Robinson, Messrs. Lloyd, Bernard and Milton Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Robinson and Mr. Charles Robinson. Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Robinson were guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Ward on New Year's Eve.

Mr. Howard Wright, of Thetford Mines, was a guest of his brother, Mr. R. Wright and Mrs. Wright.

The Misses Frances Ward, Dorothy Cox and Dorothy Wright have returned to Thetford High School to resume their studies.

Mr. Fred Cox and Mr. Douglas Cox were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Robney on Christmas Day. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ward entertained at dinner for Mrs. E. Johnson, Misses Annie and Margaret Johnson, Miss Elsie McCrea, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Christie and family, and Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Ward.

### MELBOURNE

Sympathy is extended to Mr. Henry Armstrong in the death of his sister, Mrs. Mary Estee, who passed away in the Montreal General Hospital.

Friends of Mr. L. C. Lemoine will be sorry to learn that he is quite ill. Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Bellevue, of St. Hyacinthe, were calling on friends and relatives in town.

Miss Elaine Lemoine, of Stansfeld College, is spending an indefinite time at her home.

Miss Irene Lariviere, of North Halley, is the guest of her parents for a few days.

Mr. Fred Newell was in Montreal recently.

## NEW OFFICERS FOR GROUP AT NORTH SUTTON

Mrs. F. G. Edwards Replaces Mrs. Derby as President of Ladies' Guild of Church of the Ascension.

North Sutton, Jan. 18.—The annual meeting of the Ladies' Guild of the Church of the Ascension was held at Mrs. Derby's, Mrs. Derby, retiring president, thanked the ladies for their help during the year she had been president.

Mr. Gedye took the chair for installation of officers and minutes of the last meeting were read by the secretary and accepted. There were twelve meetings during the year with an average attendance of eighteen and an average of \$2.30 tea money. The financial report was read by the treasurer, Mrs. D. H. Pettis, showing all bills paid and a balance of \$197.90.

Officers for the coming year were elected as follows: Mrs. F. G. Edwards, president; Mrs. Howard Short, vice-president; Mrs. George Mathew, second vice-president; Mrs. D. H. Pettis, treasurer; and Mrs. William C. Strong, secretary. Mrs. Derby served tea.

### RETURN VESTRY OFFICERS

The annual vestry meeting of the Church of the Ascension was held at Mrs. Derby's home, with Rev. F. W. Gedye, the church warden, and several ladies present.

Mr. Gedye opened the meeting with prayer after which he thanked the church warden for their excellent work during the year the also thanked the organist, choir, Sunday School teachers, Ladies' Guild and all others who helped in any way, especially Dean Pettis and George Mathews for their help while reporting and installing new fixtures in the basement.

Minutes of the last meeting were read by the vestry clerk, Mrs. A. C. Pettis and accepted. The financial report was read by George Mathews, people's warden, showing all bills paid and a balance in the treasury. C. E. Sweet, minister's warden, and George Mathews, people's warden, were re-elected, as were Mrs. A. C. Pettis, vestry clerk and all sidesmen.

### General Notes

Mr. and Mrs. George Salisbury acted as host and hostess at a delightful New Year's dinner party at their home. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Milton Darbe, Mrs. M. McHugh, Miss A. Ingalls and Mr. H. Heslen, of West Bromie; Miss Cecile Darbe, of Montreal; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Harvey and Miss Geneva Harvey, of Sutton; Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Darbe, of North Sutton; Miss Evelyn Harvey, of Montreal, and Mr. Donald Martin, of Knowlton.

The local school re-opened January 4 after two weeks' holidays. Mrs. W. Strong spent New Year's week-end in Knowlton visiting relatives.

Mrs. W. Prentice is in Richford, caring for Mrs. Jack Strong who is ill at her home.

Mrs. Henry Wells and Miss Mary Wells were in Sutton as guests of the former's son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Darrah.

Miss Doreen Patch and Mr. Eddie Person were callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Darbe.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Marco and son, Allan, were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Marco, of West Sutton.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Brown and family were calling on friends.

Mrs. Howard Short has been caring for her mother, Mrs. P. McCarthy, who is ill at her home in Sutton Junction.

Sympathy is extended to Mr. Ivan Foster in the loss of his mother, who passed away quite suddenly.

For a few days.

Mr. Fred Newell was in Montreal recently.

## LODGE INDUCTS ITS OFFICERS AT COATICOOK

R. J. Wilson, D.D.G.M., Officiates at Installation Ceremonies of Victoria Lodge No. 16, I.O.O.F.

Coaticook, Jan. 18.—At the installation of officers of Victoria Lodge No. 16, I.O.O.F., Coaticook, this lodge, one of the most active and progressive in the province for a good many years, entered into its 1939 activities with a good year of accomplishment behind and ready to proceed with the initiation of a dozen or more applicants for membership in 1939.

Officers installed were: J.P.G., H. W. Adams, N.C., F. L. Armitage; V.G., R. A. Fraser; recording secretary, W. R. Fleming, P.G.; financial secretary, J. J. Forrest, P. G. Rep.; treasurer, S. A. Meade, P.D.D.G.M.; warden, J. N. R. Murray; conductor, A. L. Grady; R.S.N.G., William Wallace, P.G. Rep.; L.S.N.G., M. G. Grady; R.S.S., B. C. Sweet; L.S.S., L. H. Akhurst; O.G. H. Chamberlain; I.G., F. S. Smith; chaplain, E. J. Cromwell; R.S.V.G., Cedric Brennan; L.S.V.G., Leonard Plunkett.

R. J. Wilson, D.D.G.M., was the installing officer, and was assisted by William Wallace, D. D. Grand Marshall, B. W. Chamberlain, D.D. Grand Warden, A. D. Grady, Grand Recording Secretary, W. Fleming, Grand Financial Secretary, A. C. Jones, Grand Treasurer, J. R. McDonald, Grand Chaplain and C. G. Akhurst, Grand Inside Guardian.

### LAKE MEGANTIC

The regular meeting of the Women's Association of Knox United Church was held at the home of Mrs. J. A. McLeod with a large attendance. During the business period the officers were re-elected with Mrs. Clifford Campbell, president; Mrs. John N. Matheson, vice-president; Mrs. J. B. Lavalliere, secretary; and Mrs. F. Greenway, treasurer. At the conclusion of the meeting refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by her daughters, the Misses Margaret and Phyllis McLeod.

The regular meeting of the Ladies' Aid of St. Andrew's Church held at the home of Mrs. J. O. McDonald was well attended by members and visitors. Mrs. John Bailey was elected president, and Mrs. Angus Morrison and Mrs. Dan Matheson, vice-presidents. Mrs. Allan McDonald was re-elected secretary-treasurer. At the close of the meeting the hostess served delicious refreshments, assisted by her daughter, Mrs. Henry Audet.

The Young People's Society of St. Andrew's Church met at the home of Miss Hazel MacKenzie with a large attendance of members and visitors. Officers elected were: President, Barbara McLeod; vice-president, Dorothy McDonald; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Henry Audet. At the conclusion of the business period the hostess served refreshments, assisted by Miss Virginia Wessels.

Mrs. Dan Matheson and sons, Glenn and Warren, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Duplessis in Sherbrooke.

Master Lloyd MacDonald has returned from Coaticook where he was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. MacDonald.

Miss Virginia Wessels has resumed her studies at the High School after spending the holidays with her grandmother, Mrs. M. W. MacKenzie, in Marsboro.

Miss June Rider, of Montreal, spent Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Rider, in Ditchfield.

The High School re-opened on January 4th.

Miss Elsie Rider has returned from the Sherbrooke Hospital. Her many friends will be pleased to know that she is improving daily.

Master Allan Wilson has returned from St. George.

Miss Margaret Kavanagh has returned to Newcastle, N.B., after spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Kavanagh.

The many friends of Miss Shirley MacDonald, who is a patient in the Sherbrooke Hospital, will be pleased to learn that she is improving.

Miss Louise MacDonald has returned from Scottstown where she spent the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Norman Nicholson.

Miss Agnes MacDonald, who has been spending a few weeks with her aunt, Miss Barbara McLeod, has returned to Scottstown.

Mr. Colin MacKenzie has returned to Albert Mines after spending the holidays with her father, Mr.

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M. D. MacKenzie, and sister, Miss Hazel MacKenzie.

The many friends of Miss Mabel Booth, of Ditchfield, will be sorry to learn that she is a patient in the local hospital. All join in wishing her a speedy recovery.

Mr. Malcolm Gonyer spent the holidays in Ottawa.

Miss Shirley Crandall, of Montreal, was a week-end guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Crandall.

Mrs. J. J. Stewart and Miss Sylvia

were guests of Mrs. Catherine Morrison in Marsboro.

Miss Phyllis McLeod has returned to Macdonald College. She was accompanied to Montreal by her mother, Mrs. J. A. McLeod.

Mr. and Mrs. Findlay MacDonald, of Montreal, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. J. MacDonald.

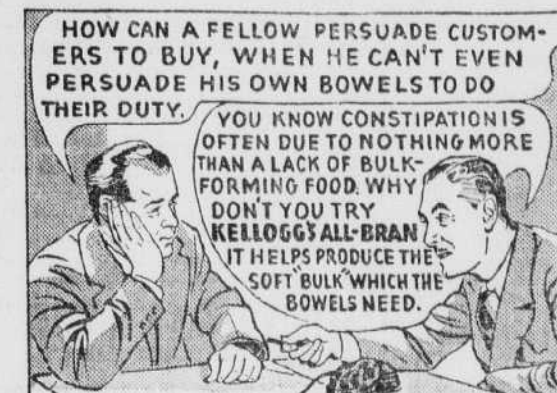
Miss Catherine McDonald, of Springfield, Mass., was called home by the death of her brother, Mr. John McDonald.

Mr. John Carson, of the Presby-

terian College, Montreal, conducted the services in St. Andrew's Church recently.

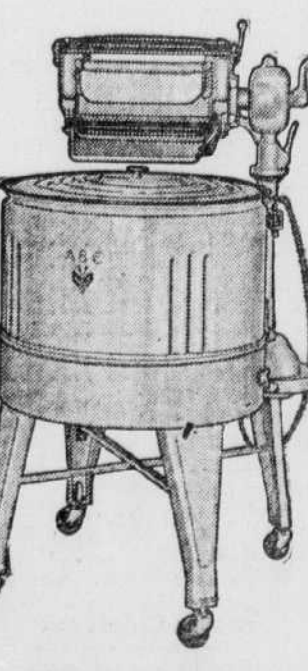
TRAIN BETTER THAN CAR. Salt Lake City, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Motorist Frank Crane, approaching a crossing, saw a train coming and applied his brakes. The car skidded on icy pavement, careened into a pole, overturned in a ditch. Crane sustained several broken ribs, a lacerated face. The train stopped fifty feet before reaching the crossing.

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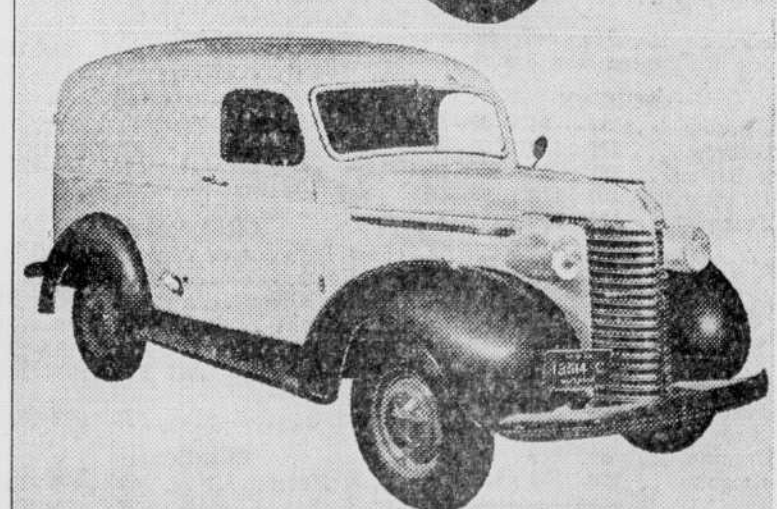
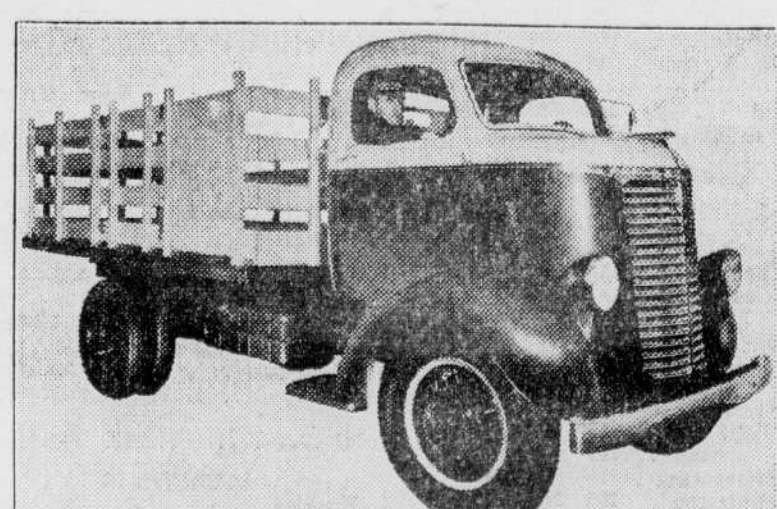
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## 1939 CHEVROLET TRUCKS



Coinciding with the observance of National Truck Week from January 13 to January 21, the new 1939 Chevrolet and Maple Leaf trucks recently announced by General Motors Products of Canada Limited, are being presented and exhibited in dealer showrooms from coast-to-coast. Shown above in the upper illustration is the new 2-ton cab-over-engine model added to the Chevrolet line this year. The lower reproduction shows the Chevrolet 1 1/2-ton panel.

## FINANCIAL AND MARKET NEWS

## OPENING AND NOON QUOTATIONS

## MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE

The following quotations of today's prices on the Montreal and New York stock exchanges are furnished by McManamy & Walsh:

|                         | Open   | High   | Low    | Noon   |
|-------------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| Bell Telephone          | 168    | 168    | 168    | 168    |
| Bell Canada             | 8 1/2  | 8 1/2  | 8 1/2  | 8 1/2  |
| Building Products       | 16     | 16 1/4 | 16     | 16     |
| Can. Steamships Ltd.    | 10     | 10     | 10     | 10     |
| Can. Car & Fdy.         | 16 1/2 | 16 1/2 | 16 1/2 | 16 1/2 |
| Can. Car & Fdy. Pfd.    | 33 1/2 | 33 1/2 | 33 1/2 | 33 1/2 |
| Can. Celanese           | 13     | 13     | 13     | 13     |
| Can. Pacific            | 5 1/2  | 5 1/2  | 5 1/2  | 5 1/2  |
| Can. Smelters           | 54 1/2 | 54 1/2 | 54 1/2 | 54 1/2 |
| Dom. Steel & Coal "B"   | 11 1/2 | 11 1/2 | 11 1/2 | 11 1/2 |
| Galvaneum Pfd.          | 89     | 89 1/2 | 89     | 89 1/2 |
| Gen. Steel Works        | 7      | 7      | 7      | 7      |
| Hollinger Consol.       | 14 1/2 | 14 1/2 | 14 1/2 | 14 1/2 |
| Imperial Tobacco        | 16     | 16     | 16     | 16     |
| Imperial Oil            | 16 1/2 | 16 1/2 | 16 1/2 | 16 1/2 |
| International Nickel    | 53 1/2 | 53 1/2 | 53 1/2 | 53 1/2 |
| Montreal Power          | 30 1/2 | 30 1/2 | 30 1/2 | 30 1/2 |
| National Breweries      | 42 1/2 | 42 1/2 | 42 1/2 | 42 1/2 |
| Nat. Steel Car.         | 81     | 81 1/2 | 81     | 81 1/2 |
| Noranda                 | 11 1/2 | 11 1/2 | 11 1/2 | 11 1/2 |
| Power Corp.             | 21 1/2 | 21 1/2 | 21 1/2 | 21 1/2 |
| Shawingam               | 21 1/2 | 21 1/2 | 21 1/2 | 21 1/2 |
| Steel Company of Canada | 75     | 75     | 75     | 75     |

## MONTREAL CURB MARKET QUOTATIONS

The following quotations of today's prices on the Montreal Curb Market are furnished by McManamy & Walsh:

|                 | Open   | High   | Low    | Noon   |
|-----------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| Abitibi Pfd.    | 18 1/2 | 18 1/2 | 18 1/2 | 18 1/2 |
| Asbestos Corp.  | 106    | 106    | 106    | 106    |
| B. A. Oil       | 22 1/2 | 22 1/2 | 22 1/2 | 22 1/2 |
| Cons. Paper     | 6 1/2  | 6 1/2  | 6 1/2  | 6 1/2  |
| Fraser Co. V.T. | 15 1/2 | 15 1/2 | 15 1/2 | 15 1/2 |
| MacLaren        | 14 1/2 | 14 1/2 | 14 1/2 | 14 1/2 |
| Price Bros.     | 17     | 17     | 17     | 17     |

## NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

|                      | Open    | High    | Low     | Noon    |
|----------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| Am. Smelting         | 15 1/2  | 15 1/2  | 15 1/2  | 15 1/2  |
| Am. T. & T.          | 31 1/2  | 32      | 31 1/2  | 32      |
| Anacosta Copper      | 38 1/2  | 38 1/2  | 38 1/2  | 38 1/2  |
| Atchafalca           | 7 1/2   | 7 1/2   | 7 1/2   | 7 1/2   |
| Baltimore & Ohio     | 73 1/2  | 73 1/2  | 73 1/2  | 73 1/2  |
| Chesapeake & Ohio    | 36 1/2  | 36 1/2  | 36 1/2  | 36 1/2  |
| Chrysler             | 77 1/2  | 77 1/2  | 77 1/2  | 77 1/2  |
| Com. Solvents        | 12 1/2  | 12 1/2  | 12 1/2  | 12 1/2  |
| Du Pont              | 149 1/2 | 149 1/2 | 149 1/2 | 149 1/2 |
| Erie R.R.            | 1 1/2   | 1 1/2   | 1 1/2   | 1 1/2   |
| Hudson Motors        | 41 1/2  | 41 1/2  | 41 1/2  | 41 1/2  |
| General Electric     | 47 1/2  | 48      | 47 1/2  | 47 1/2  |
| General Motors       | 55      | 55      | 55      | 55      |
| Int. Harvester       | 39 1/2  | 39 1/2  | 39 1/2  | 39 1/2  |
| Kennecott            | 49 1/2  | 49 1/2  | 49 1/2  | 49 1/2  |
| Montgomery Ward      | 13 1/2  | 13 1/2  | 13 1/2  | 13 1/2  |
| Northern Pacific     | 20 1/2  | 20 1/2  | 20 1/2  | 20 1/2  |
| N. Y. Central        | 22 1/2  | 22 1/2  | 22 1/2  | 22 1/2  |
| Penn. R. R.          | 22 1/2  | 22 1/2  | 22 1/2  | 22 1/2  |
| Republic Steel       | 72      | 72      | 72      | 72      |
| Sears Roebuck        | 50 1/2  | 50 1/2  | 50 1/2  | 50 1/2  |
| Standard Oil of N.J. | 19      | 19      | 19      | 19      |
| Southern Pacific     | 47 1/2  | 47 1/2  | 47 1/2  | 47 1/2  |
| Texas Oil Corp.      | 38 1/2  | 38 1/2  | 38 1/2  | 38 1/2  |
| United Aircraft      | 47 1/2  | 47 1/2  | 47 1/2  | 47 1/2  |
| U. S. Rubber         | 61 1/2  | 61 1/2  | 61 1/2  | 61 1/2  |
| U. S. Steel          | 61 1/2  | 61 1/2  | 61 1/2  | 61 1/2  |

## STOCK AVERAGES

Compiled by the Montreal Stock Exchange:

|                          | 10    | 20    | 30    | 15     |
|--------------------------|-------|-------|-------|--------|
| Util. Ind. Comb. Golds   | 63.5  | 81.3  | 75.3  | 122.72 |
| Prev. Day                | 63.6  | 81.6  | 75.6  | 123.44 |
| Week Ago                 | 64.2  | 82.2  | 76.9  | 125.90 |
| Month Ago                | 63.7  | 81.9  | 75.8  | 122.28 |
| Year Ago                 | 67.4  | 79.8  | 75.6  | 121.41 |
| 1939 High                | 64.2  | 85.0  | 78.0  | 126.48 |
| 1937 Low                 | 63.7  | 81.4  | 75.6  | 123.07 |
| 1938 High                | 69.3  | 88.8  | 81.9  | 130.77 |
| 1938 Low                 | 57.6  | 61.1  | 60.5  | 103.06 |
| 1937 High                | 64.2  | 82.2  | 76.9  | 125.90 |
| 1937 Low                 | 64.7  | 86.2  | 75.9  | 98.24  |
| 1929 High                | 198.4 | 174.5 | 182.8 |        |
| 1929 Low                 | 125.0 | 83.9  | 98.6  |        |
| 1926 average equals 100. |       |       |       |        |

## HOCKEY'S BIG SEVEN

With none of the leaders in action in the only National Hockey League game scheduled, hockey's Big Seven remained unchanged last night as Boston Bruins defeated Toronto Maple Leafs by two to one. Johnny Gottselig, of Chicago, still holds first place by a point over Dave (Sweeney) Schirmer, of New York Americans.

The leaders:

|                     |    |    |    |
|---------------------|----|----|----|
| Gottselig, Chicago  | 11 | 13 | 24 |
| Schirmer, Americans | 7  | 16 | 23 |
| Blake, Canadiens    | 11 | 10 | 21 |
| Anderson, Americans | 9  | 12 | 21 |
| Barry, Detroit      | 8  | 13 | 21 |
| Stewart, Americans  | 10 | 10 | 20 |
| Smith, Rangers      | 7  | 13 | 20 |

## Where do the wages paid to textile workers go?

In Sherbrooke, when the great plant of Dominion Textile Company Limited is able to run fulltime, over \$20,000 in wages is being paid out every fortnight. Even a city the size of Sherbrooke feels the benefit of so much cash being put into circulation.

Look at the towns and cities of Quebec where textile manufacture is providing wages and employment to a large proportion of the population. Look at Valleyfield, Magog, Drummondville, St. Hyacinthe, Sherbrooke, Granby, and many others. These are prosperous communities, with good schools, fine parks, attractive stores, and healthy finances.

Where does the money come from that makes these towns prosperous? The money comes from the wages paid by the textile companies.

## Dominion Textile

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## TORONTO MINING EXCHANGE

The following quotations of today's prices on the Toronto Mining Exchange are furnished by Langevin & Company, members of the Montreal Stock Exchange and Montreal Curb Market 22 Wellington St. North

|                    | Close   | Opening | Noon   |
|--------------------|---------|---------|--------|
| Aldermere          | 45      | 45      | 45     |
| Base Metals        | 26 1/2  | 25      | 25     |
| Canadian Malartic  | 1.00    | .97     | .97    |
| Central Cadillac   | .21     | .21     | .21    |
| Central Patricia   | 2.58    | 2.58    | 2.58   |
| Chibougamau        | .27     | .27     | .27    |
| Coniarnau          | 1.50    | 1.54    | 1.54   |
| Dome               | 33 1/2  | 33 1/2  | 33 1/2 |
| East Malartic      | 2.38    | 2.44    | 2.45   |
| Eldorado           | 2.11    | 2.16    | 2.15   |
| Falconbridge       | 5.30    | 5.30    | 5.30   |
| God's Lake         | .24     | .25     | .25    |
| Hardrock Gold      | 1.80    | 1.84    | 1.84   |
| Kerr Addison       | 1.97    | 1.99    | 2.02   |
| Kirkland Lake      | 1.35    | 1.36    | 1.38   |
| Lake Shore         | 48 1/2  | 48 1/2  | 48 1/2 |
| Lamaque            | 6.00    | 6.00    | 6.00   |
| Little Long Lac    | 3.45    | 3.45    | 3.45   |
| Macassa            | 5.70    | 5.70    | 5.70   |
| MacLeod Cocksfoot  | 2.90    | 3.00    | 2.97   |
| McIntyre           | 54 1/2  | 54 1/2  | 54 1/2 |
| McKenzie Red Lake  | 1.23    | 1.24    | 1.25   |
| McWatters          | .66     | .66     | .66    |
| Mining Corporation | 1.84    | 1.84    | 1.84   |
| Moneta             | 1.39    | 1.37    | 1.37   |
| O'Brien            | 2.90    | 2.90    | 2.90   |
| Pamour             | 4.40    | 4.45    | 4.45   |
| Paymaster          | .55     | .55     | .55    |
| Payson E. Dome     | 1.64    | 1.64    | 1.64   |
| Sheritt            | 1.25    | 1.25    | 1.25   |
| St. George         | 1.42    | 1.42    | 1.42   |
| San Antonio        | 1.28    | 1.28    | 1.25   |
| Sladen Malartic    | .72     | .70     | .70    |
| Stadacona          | .60     | .59     | .60    |
| Sullivan           | .92     | .92     | .92    |
| Sylvanite          | 3.50    | 3.50    | 3.50   |
| Thompson Cadillac  | .25     | .25 1/2 | .25    |
| Tech Hughes        | 4.40    | 4.40    | 4.40   |
| Ventures           | 5.45    | 5.45    | 5.45   |
| Wood Cadillac      | 1.8 1/2 | 1.8     | 1.8    |
| Wright Hargreaves  | 8.45    | 8.45    | 8.45   |
| OILS               |         |         |        |
| Alberta Pacific    | .20     | .20     | .20    |
| Calgary Edmonton   | 2.30    | 2.30    | 2.30   |
| Calmar             | .47     | .49     | .49    |
| Dalhousie          | .50     | .50     | .50    |
| Foundation         | .12     | .12     | .12    |
| Home Oil           | 2.94    | 2.93    | 3.00   |
| Okalta             | 1.27    | 1.27    | 1.27   |
| United Oils        | .12     | .12     | .12    |

## MONTREAL LIVE STOCK MARKET

Montreal, Jan. 18.—There was a slightly easier tone on the Montreal wholesale butter market, with the United Kingdom market off a little and demand, both domestic and export, quiet. Quotations, however, showed little change. Dealers were awaiting the next turn in the British market. The egg market ruled steady, with receipts moving readily. One, potatoes and poultry were unchanged. Odd export business in cheese was reported.

There were again no sales at the Commodity Exchange. Spot butter was quoted there at the close at 22 1/2 c to 23 c for 92 score, with 38 score offered at 22 c and fresh 38 score offered at 22 1/2 c. Futures were offered at 23 c. Futures were offered at 23 c for January, 23 1/2 c for February and 23 c for March.

The open spot market was 23 1/2 c for No. 1, with small lots to the retail trade selling by jobbers at 24 c to 24 1/2 c for solids and 24 1/2 c to 25 c for prints.

The open cheese market was 12 c to 12 1/2 c for No. 1 Ontario. On the egg market graded shipments in used free cases were selling on spot at 25 c for A-large, 24 c for A-medium, and 23 c for A-pullets. Offerings at the Commodity Exchange were at the same levels.

Small lots to the retail trade, and selling by jobbers in cartons, were one, two cents less for loose, as follows: A-1 large, 34 c; A-1 medium, 32 c; A-1 pullets, 31 c; A-large, 29 c; A-medium, 28 c; A-pullets, 27 c; B, 27 c; C, 25 c.

The potato market was \$1.25 to \$1.30 for P.E.I. Mountains, \$1.20 to \$1.25 for P.E.I. Whites, per 80 lbs. per 80 lbs., and 70 c to 72 c 60 lbs.

On the poultry market wholesale houses were quoting the retail trade the following prices for dressed stock A grade, and one to two cents less for B grade: Turkeys, 26 c; milked, 24 c; selected, 21 c; Brome Lake ducklings, 27 c; geese, 21 c.

**FOREIGN EXCHANGES.**  
The following rates furnished by the Bank of Montreal are the approximate quotations for transactions between banks at the close of business yesterday:

|                | New York | Montreal |
|----------------|----------|----------|
| Cable          | 4.68     | 4.71 1/2 |
| Demand         | 4.68     | 4.71 1/2 |
| Australia      | 3.74     | 3.77     |
| New Zealand    | 3.76     | 3.79     |
| France         | .026     | .027     |
| Italy          | .026     | .027     |
| Belgium        | .053     | .053     |
| Switzerland    | .226     | .228     |
| Holland        | .543     | .547     |
| Germany        | .402     | .405     |
| Sweden         | .241     | .243     |
| Norway         | .235     | .237     |
| Denmark        | .384     | .385     |
| Czechoslovakia | .059     | .060     |
| Brazil         | .189     | .191     |
| Poland         | .238     | .239     |
| Hong Kong      | .273     | .275     |
| Yen            | .273     | .275     |
| U. S. dollars  | % D.     | % P.     |

**N.H.L. LEADERS**  
Standing—Boston, won 18, lost 6, tied 1, points 37.  
Points—Gottselig, Chicago, 11 goals, 13 assists, 24 points.

Goals—Gottselig, Chicago; Shickley, Rangers; and Blake, Canadiens, 11.  
Assists—Schirmer, Americans, 15.  
Penalties—Hornor, Toronto, 59 minutes.

Shutouts—Brimsek, Boston, and Broda, Toronto, 6.

## Country and Dairy Products Prices

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## CUTS CORNERS CARPET LOOP'S FIRST SESSION

Joe Jowett Takes Second Place in Temple League—Third Place Play-Off Necessary.

First half of competition for the Mitchell Cup by the local Temple Carpet Bowling League squads has been completed, and Bob Cuts recognized champion. Joe Jowett snagged the second berth, while Luther Stevenson and Larry Dwyer will play off for third place.

Wives and friends of the trundlers are invited to take part in a mixed bowling tournament this evening, the games to start at seven thirty o'clock.

Games scheduled for Friday, January 20th, will be played the following Saturday afternoon, and the Stevenson-Dwyer play-off will be held on that date.

**Scores of latest tilts:**  
R. Mead J. Stebbins  
F. Palmer F. Gasque  
H. Moffatt J. Anderson  
L. Stevenson Bob Cuts  
Skip—6 Skip—4

H. Miller C. Watt  
H. Hopkinson C. Osborne  
J. Scott W. Davidson  
G. Davidson R. Benton  
Skip—6 Skip—4

L. Logan H. McCulloch  
E. Price Ed. Bradley  
W. Wilson W. Oman  
J. Jowett P. Mathias  
Skip—10 Skip—4

W. Joiner B. Sawyer  
E. Chapman W. McCabe  
T. Johnston T. Gelinas  
R. Cuts R. Cuts  
Skip—8 Skip—6

A. Bell W. Ballantyne  
J. Gardiner R. Whately  
T. Hurn L. Dwyer  
Skip—6 Skip—5

D. McDonald Bert Hyman  
F. Gelinas A. Armstrong  
H. Tribble J. Kay  
J. Cook Alex Smith  
Skip—14 Skip—3

W. Wilcox W. Bailey  
F. Cuthbert H. Barlow  
C. Robertson R. Armitage  
W. Duncan G. McLeod  
Skip—15 Skip—2

First half final league standing:  
P. W. L. F. A. P.  
Bob Cuts 13 10 3 109 60 20  
J. Jowett 13 9 4 88 81 18  
L. Dwyer 13 8 5 90 72 16  
L. Stevenson 13 8 5 89 84 16  
R. Benton 13 7 6 94 82 14  
T. Molyneux 13 7 6 87 85 14  
R. Cuts 13 7 6 78 81 14  
P. Mathias 13 6 7 82 91 12  
G. Davidson 13 6 7 87 97 12  
W. Duncan 13 5 8 89 85 10  
J. Cook 13 5 8 96 95 10  
T. Hurn 13 5 8 82 95 10  
A. Smith 13 4 9 74 99 8  
G. McLeod 13 4 9 69 107 8

**RESULTS IN CITY LEAGUE**  
Orianda, New Wellington, Blais and Codere chalked up three-string City Bowling League victories over Continental, Redmond-Kirby, Red Sox and Dent Harrison, respectively, while Belleau also took three from Kayser and Hodge defaulted to Burton.

C. Jackson, of Burton, was high man with a single of 202 and an aggregate of 518.

**SCORES FOLLOW:**  
**ORIANA**  
E. Houde 150 143 156—449  
C. Katadotis 139 130 141—410  
H. Boivert 141 151 105—397  
G. Mathieu 129 128 100—355  
J. Katadotis 138 201 100—339

**CONTINENTAL**  
A. Martin 84 71 90—245  
W. Sawyer 102 122 108—332  
N. Gagne 158 129 126—412  
A. Filion 128 132 110—365  
J. M. St. Cyr 80 167 155—402

**REDMOND-KIRBY**  
R. Fiset 77 105 112—295  
G. Roy 122 143 137—442  
M. Delorme 91 87 81—259  
F. Bouchard 110 104 76—290  
F. Courchesne 147 130 110—387

**NEW WELLINGTON**  
M. Gold 101 84 101—286  
B. Roy 152 145 130—427  
B. Rousseau 148 117 128—393  
L. Bignoness 171 143 138—452  
M. Dufresne 166 146 101—413

**BURTON**  
Jim Burton 88 91 89—268  
B. Lother 122 103 101—326  
Jack Burton 102 93 125—320  
L. Corcoran 104 119 98—321  
C. Jackson 15



# SHERBROOKE FALTERS IN BID FOR THIRD

## Wilcox's Braves Take 2-1 Win From Raiders

Valleyfield's Home Victory Prevented Sherbrooke from Hurdling into Second Place—Bert Peer Breaks Away from Raider Power Attack to Slap Winning Tally Behind Ferley.

After all the nice things said lately about his successor's work, Archie Wilcox must be at peace with the world today for the first time since he quit Sherbrooke Raiders of the Provincial Senior Hockey League and signed to coach Valleyfield Braves in the same loop.

Nothing could have been so sweet to Wilcox as the way his Valleyfield proteges outgott the Clint Benedict-guided Red Raiders last night to come through the spoils of a two-to-one victory. Especially since the spoils in this case meant the possession of the circuit's second berth.

Triumph, too, was a long time in coming. Braves beat Sherbrooke just after the switch of coaches but that scarcely counted, for the Raiders were dropping games right and left then.

Since that, Benedict rebuilt the Sherbrooke squad into a power in the loop; his reputation as a manager rose on a par with their stock; and Valleyfield twice went down to defeat before their fury.

The Braves changed that for Archie in Valleyfield last night, however. Of course, they were playing at home and that sometimes makes a one-goal difference but it was a win nonetheless and prevented Sherbrooke from hurdling into second place.

Bert Peer was the man of the hour as Valleyfield turned probable defeat into victory.

With the clock deadlocked midway through the final frame, Ray Mullins of Braves took a penalty and Sherbrooke sent waves of power plays into the homesters' territory.

From one of these, Peer emerged with the puck and raced down the ice with none to beat but Goals Zeke Ferley. He made no mistake with a high drive to the corner for the score.

Play had been even until then with each team counting in the first session and the middle period scoreless. "Guidoo" Roy bagged Sherbrooke's tally three minutes after the game opened and Jules Cholette evened up assisted by Ed Mentzel twenty-two seconds before the end of the session.

The teams: Sherbrooke goal Lascelles; defence Philbin; Laforest centre; Hamel; Roy wing; Cholette wing; Mentzel wing; Sherbrooke subs: Bastarache, Bell, Lafontaine, Harris, Cormier, Piche.

Valleyfield subs: Boyer, Graboski, Deneault, Peer, Mullins, Gromoll, Laplante, Godin.

Referee: Lebel and Mallinson.

First Period  
1-Sherbrooke Roy ..... 3.00  
2-Valleyfield Cholette (Mentzel) ..... 13.35  
Penalty: Bastarache.

Second Period  
No score.  
Penalties: Gromoll, Bastarache, Ranger.

Third Period  
3-Valleyfield Peer (Godin, Gromoll) ..... 11.10  
Penalties: Mullins, Despelteau, Cormier.

PROVINCIAL LEAGUE  
P. W. L. D. F. A. P.  
Cornwall ..... 24 17 7 0 105 68 43  
Valleyfield ..... 26 15 10 1 97 76 35  
Sherbrooke ..... 29 14 13 2 95 94 32  
Lachine ..... 27 13 12 2 96 80 31  
Shawinigan ..... 24 9 15 0 74 113 20  
x-Boston ..... 22 5 16 1 54 81 16

x—Gets three points for home games; Canadian teams get four points for home games against Boston.

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## GRANBY MOVES INTO B. M. H. L. SECOND BERTH

Crescents Clout Sutton 11-5 to Climb Within One Point of Cowansville—Knowlton Holds Third Spot.

Granby, Jan. 18.—Handing the Sutton team an eleven-five pasting on home ice last night, Granby Crescents moved up past Knowlton into second place in the Brome-Missisquoi Hockey League, and now trail Cowansville Victorias by a single point.

N. Goyette had a big night beside his forward line partners, Fournier and Forand, slapping in five goals and handing out an assist. The trio picked up fourteen scoring points.

N. Goyette performed the "hat trick" for Sutton, with Bowers and Darraugh notching the other two goals.

The teams: Sutton: E. Coulombe, goal; Dyer and B. Goyette, defence; Darraugh, centre; N. Goyette and Eland, wings; subs: Bowers, Bonneau, Menard, Lassonde, M. Coulombe and Royer.

Granby: Martin, goal; Monk and Legare, defence; Hebert, centre; Larose and Bessette, wings; subs: Hebert, Tarte, Boyd, St. Onge, Mitchell, Forand and Fournier.

Referee: Eddy Ducloux.

First Period  
1-Granby Hebert (Fournier, Forand) ..... 5.27  
2-Granby Fournier (Forand) ..... 7.27  
3-Granby Boyd (St. Onge) ..... 9.30

Second Period  
4-Granby Hebert (Forand) ..... 5.10  
5-Granby Hebert (Forand) ..... 7.00  
6-Granby Hebert (Forand) ..... 9.15  
Penalties: Lassonde, Bessette, Hebert, Dyer.

Third Period  
7-Granby Hebert (Fournier) ..... 3.55  
8-Sutton Darraugh (Eland, N. Goyette) ..... 6.48  
9-Granby Boyd (St. Onge, Mitchell) ..... 8.32  
10-Granby Fournier (Hebert) ..... 12.45  
11-Sutton N. Goyette (Eland) ..... 13.39  
12-Granby Tarte (Forand) ..... 14.42  
13-Granby Hebert (Forand) ..... 15.04  
14-Sutton Bowers (Royer, Eland) ..... 18.34  
Penalty: Legare.

LEAGUE STANDING  
P. W. L. D. F. A. P.  
Cowansville ..... 5 4 1 0 11 14 8  
Granby ..... 4 3 1 0 13 24 7  
Knowlton ..... 5 2 2 1 18 15 5  
Farnham ..... 3 2 1 0 11 8 4  
Magog ..... 4 1 1 2 22 15 4  
Sutton ..... 5 0 5 0 9 35 0

The full name of "Boots" Weber, vice-president of the Cubs, is Carl August Friedrich Wilhelm von Walenweber, and he has a birth certificate to prove it. What a break the linypters got when Carl August, etc., decided to go into the front office.

RAND RASCALS ROUT BRACKSHOE BRUIERS  
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## JIM WATSON TO CARRY WARS IN JUBILEE JOUST

Veteran Skip Eliminates Bruce Millar and Will Travel to Montreal for Playdowns Friday.

This section's challenge for the Royal Victoria Jubilee Trophy will be carried by the Sherbrooke Curling Club rink skipped by Jim Watson, who last night eliminated the quartette handled by Bruce Millar, also of the local club.

A challenge from Theford Mines was expected by the club, but since it has not been received it is expected the Watson rink will journey to Montreal to start play-downs against other sectional winners Friday.

Members of the Watson rink are J. N. Fuller, S. G. Newton and D. J. Salls, while working with Millar on the losing quartette were Oscar Stenson, J. S. Mooney and M. F. Mackay.

MCCREA TROPHY MATCHES  
Mrs. Kinkead edged out the rink skipped for Mrs. Jenckes by Mrs. Wiggitt in a close match by a score of eight to seven. Miss Ingram downed Mrs. Kellett, nine to seven, and Mrs. Tate trimmed Miss Leonard fourteen to five in McCrea Trophy matches yesterday at the local Curling Club.

Rinks and scores:  
Mrs. Rose Mrs. Provencier  
Mrs. Belmont Mrs. Norcross  
Mrs. Fidler Mrs. McLaughlin  
Mrs. Kinkead Mrs. Jenckes  
Skip—8 Skip—7

Mrs. Holt Mrs. Healy  
Mrs. Arnold Mrs. Kennedy  
Mrs. Salls Mrs. Holtham  
Mrs. Kellett Miss Ingram  
Skip—7 Skip—0

Mrs. Woods Mrs. Carr  
Mrs. Paquette Mrs. Lacroix  
Mrs. Johnson Mrs. Holtham  
Mrs. Tate Miss Leonard  
Skip—14 Skip—5

RINK MATCHES AT LENNOXVILLE  
The rink skipped by Mrs. Sadie Hall won by a margin of one point over Mrs. Austin Scott's foursome in a rink match at the Lennoxville Ladies' Curling Club yesterday afternoon, while Mrs. R. C. McAdams' foursome won by five points to Mrs. T. E. Burton's ladies.

Rinks and scores:  
Mrs. Bell Mrs. Hartley  
Mrs. McNaughton Mrs. Marsh  
Mrs. Downs, Jr. Mrs. Mosher  
Mrs. Scott Mrs. Hall  
Skip—7 Skip—8

Mrs. Hutchison Mrs. Buckley  
Mrs. Boxer Mrs. Hartley  
Mrs. Saunders Miss Woodward  
Mrs. Burton Mrs. McFadden  
Skip—9 Skip—4

CAMPBELL CAPTURES LADIES' CUP  
Handling his players in heady fashion, Alf Campbell last night skipped his rink to an eleven-seven victory over Bob McMurray in the final for possession of the Ladies' Cup, which has been competed for during the last few weeks by members of the Lennoxville Curling Club.

McMurray scored one on the first end, but the second saw Campbell grab six and the canny Scot stayed ahead for the remainder of the match.

Rinks and scores:  
R. McCombe S. N. Pergau  
A. M. MacKenzie E. W. Gilbey  
A. M. McLean R. Dunn  
A. C. Campbell R. McMurray  
Skip—11 Skip—7

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## Hub Squad Dominates National Ice League

Schmidt and Gettiffe Score as Bruin Machine Cuffs Leafs 2-1 in Only Game—Boston Leads in Scoring Goals, with 68 and Have Been Scored on Only 31 Times in Twenty-Five Contests.

It needs no Sherlock Holmes to ferret out the reasons that Boston Bruins are leading the National Hockey League, for as the great sleuth of fiction said many a time it is: "Elementary, my dear Watson."

The Bruins lead all other teams in the seven-clubs circuit in scoring goals, and have been scored on fewer times than any other team. That's as near to perfect as even such an exacting taskmaster as Manager Art Ross could demand.

To simplify things still further let it be told that the Bruins have been scored on only thirty-one times in twenty-five contests, which is only a little more than a goal a game against them. And in those games they have scored sixty-eight goals, or nearly three goals a game. It's not hard to understand then why they have won eighteen, lost only six and tied one.

Sparking the team offensive has been the young "Kraut Line" of Milt Schmidt, Bobby Bauer and Porky Dumart, although the other Boston front ranks are forces to be reckoned with. On defence they present the great Eddie Shore, a brilliant Dit Clapper, burly Jack Portland and Goalie Frank Brimsek, co-leader with Turk Broda of Toronto Maple Leafs in shutouts so far with six.

The qualities of this year's Bruin machine, proven more than once already this season, were demonstrated again last night as they topped the Maple Leafs two to one in the only scheduled N.H.L. game of the night. Victory put the Bruins four points ahead of the pressing second-place New York Rangers.

The sturdy Boston defence, which always seems at its best before a home crowd, faltered only once when it let Gord Drillon through for a goal in the second period. Ten minutes later in the same session the Bruins evened matters when Schmidt beat Broda, and in the fourteenth minute of the final period Ray Gettiffe scored the goal that meant victory for the Bruins.

It was the fifth meeting of the season between the rivals, who battled for the N.H.L. championship last season when the League operated in two sections. Last year during the regular season the Bruins welcomed the Leafs five times and lost only once, but then went down to defeat in three straight games in their playoff for the League title.

Boston has demonstrated almost the same superiority this season, for they have won three of the games, tied one and lost one. However, the single Toronto victory was a two to nothing shutout scored January 7th. The Bruins have been blanked only twice this season, both times by the same score, with Montreal's last place Canadiens turning the trick the first time December 1st.

LEAGUE STANDING  
P. W. L. D. F. A. P.  
Boston ..... 25 18 6 1 68 31 37  
Rangers ..... 25 15 6 3 64 41 33  
Americans ..... 26 12 8 6 66 66 30  
Toronto ..... 27 10 13 4 55 55 24  
Chicago ..... 27 9 14 4 55 69 29  
Detroit ..... 28 8 14 4 53 67 29  
Canadiens ..... 27 5 16 6 53 86 16

DECIDE FUTURE OF NEW YORK'S YANKEE CHAMPS  
Edward G. Barrow Takes Over Presidential Reins of World's Baseball Titans—Trustee Board Chosen.

New York, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Edward G. Barrow, seventy, and a powerful character in every way, is the new president and dictator of the World Champion New York Yankees.

As a fitting reward for nearly two years of service with the club as its secretary and business manager, Barrow was named to fill the vacancy created by death last Friday of Colonel Jacob Ruppert, whose wealth combined with Barrow's baseball wisdom to create the Yankee ball empire.

The Colonel's brother, George Ruppert, declined the presidential post at the meeting of the estate's directors and assured the election of Barrow.

Active in baseball for more than forty years and acknowledged to possess one of the shrewdest brains in the business, Barrow is the proper man to carry on the Yankee tradition of victory. Only in the most important matters, such as the sale of a Yankee property, will he consult with his three fellow trustees of the trust—George Ruppert, Frederick Grant and H. Garrison Silleck, Jr.

"There won't be any real change," he said last night. "I always made the decisions, and only seldom Colonel Ruppert questioned my judgment. I wouldn't be surprised if we won another championship this year."

George Weiss, by Colonel Ruppert's express request, will continue as directing force of the vast Yankee farm system which he created and brought to its present perfection. He plans no immediate alterations in the system.

Barrow developed two of the greatest stars the game has known, Honus Wagner and Babe Ruth. He considers Wagner, whom he sold for \$2,000, the best ball player he ever saw, because "he could play more positions brilliantly than any of the others, including Ruth."

He managed the Babe in 1918 and 1919 when Ruth was with Boston Red Sox and was mainly responsible for converting Ruth from a nitcher into the greatest slugger of all outfielders. He handled the Babe with a heavy hand. After they both

came to the Yankees Barrow always growled at the huge salaries Ruth argued Ruppert into paying him.

Scotstown and Bury chalked up Compton County Hockey League victories over Sawyerville and Lime Ridge, respectively. Scotstown ploughing through for an eighth-three win, their fourth in five games, and Bury sneaking off with a two-one advantage.

Joe Gauthier was the individual scoring star of the Scotstown team, rapping in exactly half of the eight goals scored by the winners. His first opened the scoring at the seven-minute mark, Henri Dube drawing an assist.

Dube notched the second tally, Allaire assisting, while Rousseau took a pass from Torry Heigeson for the third. Gauthier went through with Heigeson with two minutes of the frame left to give Scotstown a four-nil advantage.

R. Thompson put Sawyerville back in the running with two second-period goals, the first with the aid of Mullins and the second on a pass from his brother, Earl Thompson, but Gauthier slipped through alone to put Scotstown three up again.

Heigeson hit the hemp twice and Gauthier once for Scotstown in the final frame while Thompson found the twine for Sawyerville.

In the Bury tilt Herman Lapalme and Wells McDonald scored for the winners while Willard averted a shutout for the Lime Ridge Lancers, who battled grimly but were unable to push over a tying tally.

LEAGUE STANDING  
P. W. L. D. F. A. P.  
Scotstown ..... 5 4 1 0 17 7 8  
East Angus ..... 4 3 0 1 20 8 7  
Bury ..... 5 2 3 0 7 10 4  
Sawyerville ..... 2 2 0 12 19 4  
Cochrane ..... 4 1 2 1 10 12 3  
Lime Ridge ..... 5 1 4 0 12 19 2

LAST NIGHT'S STARS  
Ray Gettiffe, Boston, scored winning goal in a two to one victory for Bruins over Toronto Maple Leafs.

Frank Brimsek, Boston, allowed only a first period goal by Gordon Drillon in game against Leafs.

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