

# Sherbrooke Daily Record

Today's Chuckle  
Many men manage to keep their heads above water because wood floats.

THE WEATHER  
Mainly clear and cold today; winds westerly 15 to 25. High at Sherbrooke, 10 above. Outlook for Wednesday, clear and cold.

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## Asbestos man held in RCMP raid

A 45-year-old Asbestos man will be arraigned in Court of Sessions in Sherbrooke today on a charge of possession and, possibly, a charge of distribution of illicit spirits, the Royal Canadian Mounted Police said today.

Rosaire Gosselin was arrested last night in Asbestos and some 35 gallons of alcohol were seized by a five-man force of RCMP officers, the Sherbrooke detachment said.

### WORLD NEWS

#### Sugar up again

MONTREAL (CP) — Three major sugar refineries — St. Lawrence, Canada and Dominion and Atlantic — today announced a 20-cent increase in the wholesale price of refined sugar, bringing it to \$16 for a 100-pound bag.

The price had been lowered 35 cents to \$15.80 only Monday.

#### Berliners agree

BERLIN (Reuters) — Western and Communist negotiators today reached an agreement allowing West Berliners to make Yuletide visits to relatives across the border wall in East Berlin.

Horst Korber, West Berlin city councillor, and Eric Wendt, East German deputy culture minister, thrashed out the final problem at a session today.

#### Hostages freed

ORURO, Bolivia (AP) — Four Americans held hostage for 10 days by Communist-led tin miners hoped to return today to La Paz, Bolivia's capital, following their release Monday night.

The Americans and 15 other hostages got their freedom after a noisy, tense meeting of 4,000 miners approved an agreement between the government and dissident Vice President Juan Lechin, boss of the Mine Workers' Federation.

#### Arrest Americans

BENTWATERS, England (Reuters) — Twenty-four American airmen, all Negroes, today faced narcotics charges after a massive drug investigation among American servicemen which led to allegations of race discrimination.

A spokesman at Bentwaters U.S. Air Force base near Ipswich, eastern England, said the men were accused of either possessing or using marijuana.

#### Fair director

MONTREAL (CP) — The appointment of Pierre de Bellefeuille, editor of Le Magazine Maclean for the last three years, as director of exhibits was announced Monday.

#### His first setback

### Johnson loses on foreign aid

WASHINGTON (AP) — The foreign aid battle has cost President Johnson his first setback in Congress since becoming the new U.S. leader.

The House of Representatives dealt the administration a double jolt Monday, upholding an \$800,000,000 cut in foreign aid appropriations and adding a surprise amendment prohibiting the government from guaranteeing private financing of wheat sales to the Communist bloc.

There seemed a good chance that final passage would have to be put off until next year.

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## McNamara tells NATO

# Conventional defence possible



PACKING TOYS — Firemen at Sherbrooke's number 2 station, at Jacques Cartier and Prospect Streets, have collected more than 6,000 toys to be packed and distributed to children this week. From left are: Firemen R. Dumont and Paul Lemay, and Lieutenant Andre Dion. (Record photo by Gerry Lemay)

PARIS (AP) — U.S. Defence Secretary Robert McNamara said today the West could defend itself by conventional arms against Communist aggression without plunging the world immediately into a nuclear war.

He told the ministerial meeting of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization that this was a new factor of great importance.

McNamara challenged the conventional picture of a world in which the West was so hopelessly outnumbered and outgunned by Communists that Western military leaders would have to resort to nuclear weapons in case of attack.

### Believes Russia is friendly

PARIS (CP-AP) — External Affairs Minister Paul Martin of Canada says there is a definite detente developing between Russia and the Western powers and one of the reasons is Russia's troubles with Red China.

Martin filled in reporters Monday night at a press conference on his speech earlier in the day to the NATO ministerial meeting behind closed doors. The gist of his remarks was this:

"The Soviet Union wishes a detente, or relaxing of tensions, and this tendency should be encouraged. This detente results from the following pressures on the Soviet camp:

—The Cuban crisis when the world "looked for the first time into the pit of nuclear fire. This had never been done before."

—The Soviet Union faces serious allocation problems within Russia and must concentrate its efforts in civil fields.

—Russia may believe that a relaxing of tensions would contribute to bickering and disunity within the Western powers.

—The China-Soviet dispute which forces Russia to give more and more attention to its dissident Communist neighbor.

—The signing of the Moscow test-ban treaty last August and the assassination of President Kennedy.

Martin said the Moscow test-ban treaty has opened the door to areas of other possible agreement with Russia, including perhaps progress toward nuclear disarmament.

"But despite this improved climate (with Russia) no basic problems have been solved between East and West," Martin said. "The dialogue should be continued."

### Break car mark

OAKVILLE, Ont. (CP) — Ford of Canada Monday broke its record annual production figure when the 165,711th vehicle rolled off the assembly lines at its plant here.

## As Christmas rushes Commons

# Five bills beat bog-down

OTTAWA (CP) — Driving for a pre-Christmas prorogation, members of Parliament showed rare unanimity Monday as they churned five pieces of legislation through final debate stages, approved most of the northern affairs department estimates, and made plans for extra sitting hours later in the week.

Not until the Commons took up an amendment to the National Centennial Act at the night sitting did the apparent spirit of goodwill crumble under the sensitive subject of biculturalism.

With the amendment "mat-ers are being pushed to a crisis" Gordon Churchill (PC-Winnipeg South Centre) charged.

State Secretary Pickersgil rose and repudiated earlier remarks by Auguste Choquette (L — Lotbiniere) that Canada has a foreign queen.

At issue in the amendment was the question of removing the word "national," Mr. Pickersgil said that the word, with two meanings in French, gives rise to misunderstandings, and when any such word causes irritations it was wise to change it providing it didn't cause problems in other languages.

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## Provinces ponder how to use \$25,000,000

OTTAWA (CP) — With an extra \$25,000,000 of Ottawa's money almost in their treasuries, representatives of the provinces sit down today with the federal government to begin the detailed study of projects proposed for Canada's Confederation centenary in 1967.

The federal-provincial conference, with representatives on hand from national groups, was to meet first in three sections, then hold a final plenary closed-door meeting.

Committee discussions were scheduled on the historical, cultural and ceremonial aspects of the centenary. The reports will go before the later general meeting.

The provinces already were planning how to spend an extra \$2,500,000 eight of them each expect to receive, although Maurice Lamontagne, president of

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## RCMP searches

BURIN, Nfld. (CP) — Eight RCMP constables were to continue their search today for four men who have not been seen since leaving nearby Fortune for Marystown, Nfld., late Saturday night.

Missing are Leslie Hayden of Petit Fort, Nfld., principal of the Roman Catholic School at Burin; Vincent Mason of Catalina, Nfld., a teller at the Burin branch of the Bank of Nova Scotia; Hubert Morgan, Bell Island, Nfld., a department of transport radio operator, and Frank Penney of Burin, reported unemployed. All are in their early 20s.

Johnson used as a vehicle for his criticism the foreign aid authorization bill which puts restrictions on the program and fixes a spending ceiling of \$3,600,000,000.

In his statement after signing the measure, Johnson said he considers \$3,600,000,000 "a dangerous reduction in funds" and that anything less would represent "a policy of weakness and retreat."

Senator Hubert Humphrey, assistant Senate Democratic leader, predicted that the Senate appropriations committee would restore a great deal of the House cut and reject the amendment banning the Import-Export Bank from guaranteeing private bank financing of grain sales to Russia and other Soviet-bloc countries.

The committee was expected to act this afternoon.

## Miners die in blast

HELPER, Utah (AP) — Nine coal miners were killed and another injured Monday in an explosion in what was described as a "model mine in the West."

The blast occurred at the face, or end, of one of two shafts which branch out from the end of a 2,800-foot tunnel into the side of a mountain near this central Utah community.

"They never knew what hit them," said James Diamanti, mine co-owner. "They fell right where they were working. It was a tremendous, terrific explosion. They must have hit a pocket of gas."

State Industrial Commission officials at the scene theorized the blast was caused by either coal dust or methane gas. Mine officials have opened an investigation.

It was the second major mine disaster in Utah this year. Eighteen men were killed Aug. 27 in a potash mine explosion at Moab, about 100 miles south of Helper.

Jesus Nunez, 45, was near the entrance to the west shaft, about 2,000 feet from the explosion. The blast hurled Nunez 200 feet, broke his arm and cut him badly. "I know I was lucky," he said.

Heavy, white smoke and dust poured out of the mouth of the mine for an hour after the blast. "We've been told that the mine was a model mine in the West," Diamanti said. "Every safety precaution was taken. There hasn't been a trace of gas in the area for many, many months."

Diamanti said the nine victims were drilling at the face of the west shaft and theorized a drill bit may have exposed and ignited a pocket of methane. Explosives were not being used.

The bodies of the victims, all from the Helper area, were brought to the surface Monday night.

## Nationalize CPR farmers suggest

OTTAWA (CP) — Nationalization of the CPR under the control and operation of the CNR was recommended today by the National Farmers Union.

The union urged the purchase of available farm land for resale to young farmers or those seeking to shape economic farm units. It also said it supported a national medical care program and the proposed Canada Pension Plan.

The union, representing farmers in the four Western provinces and Ontario, was making its annual submission to the federal-provincial agriculture conference.

This year promises to be a record one for farm income, the union said, due to livestock and grain sales. The cost of farm production is at record heights.

## Hays okays inquiry in payments practice to Western farmers

OTTAWA (CP) — The Liberal government is prepared to have a judicial inquiry into certain Prairie Farm Assistance Act affairs, Agriculture Minister Hays announced Monday.

The Progressive Conservatives showed immediate signs of wanting the inquiry to dig back to the days of James G. Gardiner, Liberal agriculture minister from 1935 until 1957 and reputed to have had one of the smoothest political machines in Canada.

The Liberals apparently aren't so sure about digging that far into the days before the Conservatives came to office in 1957.

Mr. Hays offered a judicial inquiry into the circumstances surrounding the dismissal last August of George Walker, PFAA supervisor at Swift Current, Sask.

His offer to the Commons privileges committee was immediately accepted.

But by a vote of 17 to 5 the committee decided to recommend to the Commons that such an inquiry also encompass "alleged irregularities" in PFAA payments early this year.

The committee's decision followed two days of testimony last week by Howard Riddell of Regina, PFAA director, who said he didn't think it was right to make payments of possibly \$500,000 just before last April's federal election until an investigation was made of information required to support claims on the PFAA funds.

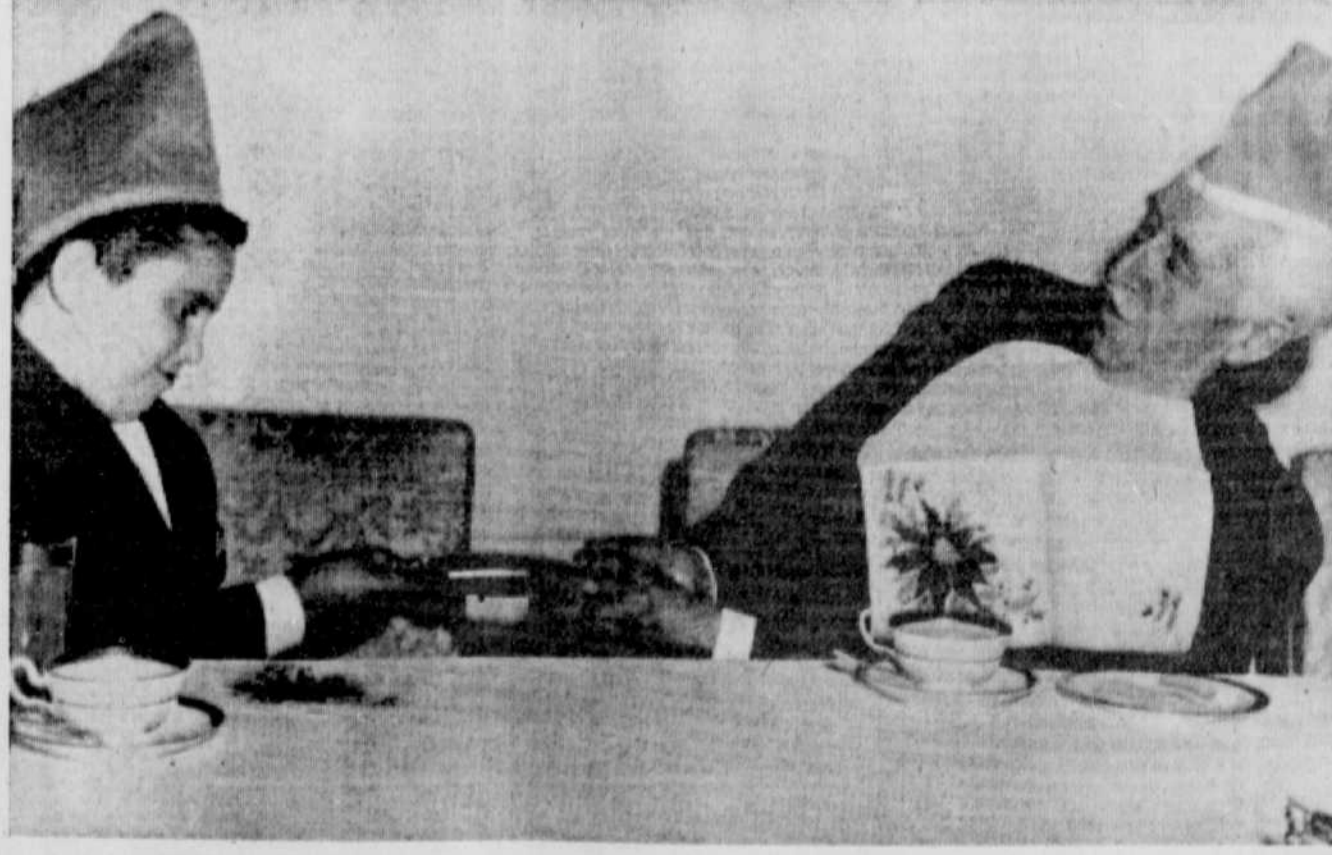
PFAA was established in 1939, in the Gardiner years, as a kind of insurance against low yields and widespread crop damage.

When crop yields in one year fall below certain figures over a wide district, application can be made to have the district's farmers declared eligible for Prairie farm assistance up to a maximum of \$800 per farmer.

Mr. Riddell, testifying under oath, said he wanted to take head office investigators into the Swift Current area to examine some of the information supplied in support of applications.

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POW! — Governor-General Vanier and a young guest tug mightily at a Christmas cracker at the annual Christmas party for members of the Ottawa Boys' Club at Government House. Almost 200 youngsters between the ages of five to 12 were the guests of Governor-General and Mrs. Vanier. (CP Wirephoto)

### JACOBY ON BRIDGE

**SOUTH'S REBID WAS UNFORTUNATE**

South's reason for his one no-trump rebid was that he wanted to show that his hand was minimum in high cards for an opening bid. This reason is frequently given for such bids, but it is not a good one.

It is much more important to show your distribution and hand pattern than it is to get across the message that you have opened a minimum. Of course, a no-trump rebid does

tell partner that you have a minimum hand, but it is more important that you also tell him that your hand is suitable for no-trump play.

I could have still saved diamonds had I bid either three diamonds

<b>NORTH</b>		17	
♠ Q 8 6 4	♥ Q 8 3		
♦ K Q 9	♣ K J 4		
<b>WEST</b>			
♠ A 10 2	♥ 9 4 2		
♦ J 5	♣ Q 10 8 5 3		
<b>EAST</b>			
♠ K J 9 5 3	♥ A 7		
♦ 8 6 5	♣ 9 7 2		
<b>SOUTH (D)</b>			
♠ 7	♥ K J 10 4 5		
♦ A 10 7 4 2	♣ A 6		
Both vulnerable			
South	West	North	East
1♥	Pass	1♠	Pass
1NT	Pass	3NT	Pass
Pass	Pass		
Opening lead—♠ 3			

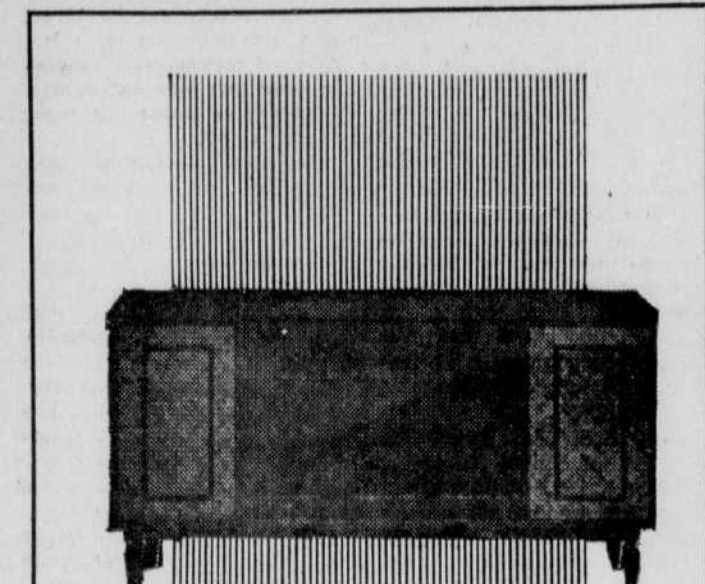
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**STUDEBAKER ASSEMBLY LINE** — The Studebaker Corporation has decided to halt its automotive production in the U.S. and close its plant at South Bend, Ind., but to continue Canadian production from its plant in Hamilton. The Hamilton plant turns out 48 units a day on its assembly lines, one of which is shown here. The South Bend

and led the five of spades to his partner's ace. Back came the ten of spades and we went down two.

Even three no-trump bid and made would not have been any good from a duplicate standpoint. Every other South played four hearts and made five.

Had South just rebid two diamonds we would have run with the pack. I would have jumped to three hearts and he would have continued to four.

**Q—The bidding has been:**

North	East	South	West
1♠	Pass	1♦	Pass
3♦	Pass	3♠	Pass
3NT	Pass	?	Pass

You, South, hold:  
♠ A-J-4-3, ♥ A-6-5, ♦ K-Q-7-4, ♣ 8-2.

**What do you do now?**  
A—Pass. There may be six but any further move is too dangerous.

Instead of bidding three clubs over your one diamond your partner raises you to three diamonds. What do you do?  
**Answer Tomorrow**

### Sutton Baptists hold meeting

**SUTTON** — Mrs. Willard Seeley opened her home for the meeting of the Sutton Baptist Church Ladies Aid on Dec. 6, with Mrs. Andrew Moffat conducting the devotional period, followed by a short program of Christmas readings and carols.

Minutes of the last meeting were read by Mrs. Thomas Surtees, in the absence of the secretary-treasurer.

The co-hostesses, Mrs. Roland Gibson, assisted with the serving of refreshments at the close of the meeting.

The next meeting will be held

### Christmas recital is presented by music pupils in Richmond hall

**RICHMOND** — The Christmas Music Recital held Dec. 6 in Richmond Legion hall by the pupils of Mrs. G. O. Malboeuf of Kingsbury, was very successful.

Mrs. Real Larochele welcomed the audience and pupils. Mrs. Malboeuf read a poem to the large number of parents and friends who had gathered for the entertainment. Mrs. G. O. Malboeuf, acted as chairman.

The opening number was sung by everyone, with Mrs. Malboeuf at the piano.

The teacher played piano duets with the following pupils: Andre Chalifour, Marilyn Coddington, Myrna Armstrong, Suzanne Pelletier, Lise Salois, Bertrand Pelletier, Grace Coote, Heather Kerr, Linda Jonston, Susan Lowen, Denise Salois, Pierrette Bouchard, Marilyn McKenzie, Margaret Coddington, Gay Johnston and Celine Fortin.

Names of those who played piano solos were: Heather Kerr, Denise Salois, Marilyn Coddington, Andre Chalifour, Grace Coote, Mrs. Neil Mountain, Pierrette Bouchard, Bertrand Pelletier, Susan Lowen, Marilyn McKenzie, Lise Salois, Margaret Coddington, Margaret Perron, Linda Johnston, Bruce Kerr, Celine Fortin, and Gay Johnston.

Those who sang were: solo, Heather Kerr, accompanied by the teacher.

Piano duet by the Misses, Myrna and Gloria Armstrong, Solo Marguerite Perron.

The local boys who gave a few selections were, Eddie Malboeuf, of Richmond sang and accompanied himself, guitar playing and singing were: Robert Dunn, of Melbourne, and Willy Sullivan of St. Felix; Wayne Malboeuf, Richmond, traps.

Refreshments were served by the hostesses, Mrs. Markwell and Miss Kathryn Maloney were pourers at an attractively decorated table which carried out the theme of the season.

### U.C.W. officers are re-elected at Cleveland

**CLEVELAND** — The December meeting of the New London U.C.W. was held at the home of Mrs. George Healy, with devotionals led by Mrs. George Healy, after which she read two Christmas poems.

Mrs. Gladys Perkins thanked the members for their co-operation during the past year and Mrs. Russell Sloane took the chair for the election of officers. All officers were re-elected, with Mrs. Wilton Day being named to the program committee.

Mrs. Leslie Taylor and Mrs. John Hawker offered to pack and deliver Christmas cheer boxes. A card was sent to a member, Mrs. Flora Monahan of Edmonton, Alta.

Refreshments were served by the hostess assisted by Mrs. Russell Sloane and Mrs. Chesley Banfill.

The next meeting will be held with Mrs. Clarence Pease.

### Dec. bride-to-be feted at shower in Ayer's Cliff

**AYER'S CLIFF** — Miss Margaret Markwell, a December bride-to-be was the guest of honor at a miscellaneous shower on Dec. 7, when the hostesses Mrs. Sterling Dezan, Mrs. Sherman Maloney, Mrs. Alex Hibbard, Mrs. Guyle Clough, Mrs. Lyslie Thompson, Mrs. M. O'Leary, Mrs. Merle Whipple and Mrs. Warren Robinson, entertained in the United Church Hall.

Mrs. Robinson escorted the bride-to-be to a special seat, after presenting her with a Christmas corsage. Mrs. Markwell, mother of the guest of honor received a Christmas corsage from Mrs. Maloney, who accompanied her to the place of honor beside her daughter.

Mrs. V. Ladoux, of Coaticook sister of Miss Markwell, also was seated with her mother.

Mrs. Whipple presented the bride-elect with an electric frying pan and a purse of money from a number of guests, and individual gifts were received from several others.

Mrs. Nelson Pierce made a presentation from the Ayer's Cliff Institute, and Mrs. E. J. Astbury presented Miss Markwell with a gift from the United Church Women.

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### About Television

**NEW YORK (AP)** — Television crews had cameras focused on the Baldwin Hills reservoir in Los Angeles from the time the crack in its walls was discovered. And the cameras stayed with the flood as shocked residents returned to sash through the wreckage of their homes.

In a NBC news special Sunday night, dramatic film showed torrents of water sweeping everything before it through residential streets.

Homes were smashed and cars piled up as though pitched into a giant junkyard. The film also reflected the anguish of the victims.

"We have one stick of furniture left, a chair," said a woman. "Oce chair."

It was an example of the network's enterprise in news coverage, and an effort to be appreciated.

Most television dramas about long dead composers, artists or

writers look and sound like old, old movies.

Sunday night's A Cry of Angels, which dramatized circumstances around Handel's composition of The Messiah fitted neatly into the mod of struggle, mis-understanding, hardship and final triumph.

It was NBC's Hall of Fame Christmas program, lavishly and lovingly produced and, in color, a joy to watch.

### Legion Auxiliary names executive at Waterloo

**WATERLOO** — The final selection for the Ladies Auxiliary was made at a meeting in the Legion Hall on Dec. 10. Members of the executive being Mrs. Reba Holloway, Mrs. Audrey Blampin, Mrs. Edna Irwin, Mrs. Margaret Lewis, Mrs. Olive Westover, Mrs. Myrtle Wilkinson, Mrs. Olive Tetreault, Mrs. Grace Rainville, Mrs. Elaine Seguin, Mrs. Christal Singfield and Mrs. Phyllis Savage.

Plans for Christmas giving were completed.

The program for the social evening was a trip to Europe via colored slides, shown by Mrs. Alice Buckland.

### Yuletide party is planned by Bishopton Guild

**BISHOPTON** — The last regular meeting of the Ladies Guild met at the home of Mrs. Roy Betts on Dec. 5.

Plans were made for the Christmas party which will take place at Mrs. Vintinner's home on Dec. 17. The annual meeting to be held in January.

Bills amounting to \$18.55 were ordered paid.

Committees were appointed for forthcoming events. The secretary reported on the Christmas sale and tea.

Mrs. Betts was assisted at the tea hour by the co-hostesses, Mrs. L. Harrison and Mrs. L. Herring.

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TBA—To Be Announced	12—CFCE—Montreal	8—WMTW—Mount Washington

TUESDAY		
5:00 p.m. 1) Ozlie & Harriet 2) Razzle Dazzle 3) Superman 4:15 p.m. 1) Ozlie & Harriet 2) Wyatt Earp 3) Sports 4) Come Listen Awhile 5) Early Show 6) Walt Disney Presents 5:40 p.m. 1) Cartoon Carnival 6:00 p.m. 1) World of Sports 2) Rock and His Friends 3) Youth Special 4) A Kin To Win 4:10 p.m. 1) Weatherwise 2) Richard Boone Show 3) News 4) Atlantic Weatherman 4:30 p.m. 1) Newstime 2) Huntley - Brinkley 3) Watch Your Watch 4:45 p.m. 1) Sammy Davis Jr. 2) Huckleberry Hound 3) Mr. Novak	6:00 p.m. 1) CBC TV News 2) News 3) The Littlest Hobo 7:25 p.m. 1) Sports 2) Weather 7:30 p.m. 1) Marshall Dillon 2) Adventure 3) Combat 4) My Favorite Martian 8:00 p.m. 1) Red Skelton 2) The Deputy 3) Patty Duke 4) Sunset Theatre 8:30 p.m. 1) Ben Casey 2) McHale's Navy 3) McHale's Navy 7:00 p.m. 1) Petticoat Junction 2) Richard Boone Show 3) Big Movie 7:30 p.m. 1) Jack Benny 2) Front Page Challenge 12:15 a.m. 1) Harry's Girls 2) Eleventh Hour 3) Weather 11:30 p.m. 1) The Tonight Show 2) Cinema Starlight 3) The Pierre Bertron 12:10 midnight 1) Newsroom 12	12:00 p.m. 1) News 2) Changing Times 11:00 a.m. 1) Your 11 o'clock Reporter 2) Eleventh Hour Report 3) CBC National News 4) Regional News Final 12: National News 11:10 a.m. 1) Vermont Edition 2) News 3) Patricia and the Weather 3) Eleventh Hour Sport 4) Viewpoint 5) Weather Final 12) Pulse 11:20 a.m. 1) Weather 2) Final Edition 3) World's Best Movies 11:25 a.m. 1) Tuet. Night Adventure 2) Eleventh Hour Weather 11:30 a.m. 1) The Tonight Show 2) Cinema Starlight 3) The Pierre Bertron 12) The Pierre Bertron 12) Newsroom 12

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MARCEL CHAPUT

## Says no centenary in Quebec

Marcel Chaput, head of the separatist Parti Republicain du Quebec, said Monday night celebration of the centenary of Confederation in 1967 will not be held because "Quebec will have gained its independence by that time."

He made the statement at a press conference in Sherbrooke. Speaking earlier in Drummondville, Que., he said a fast he started 28 days ago has raised \$8,000 of an objective of \$50,000.

He said the Republican party was trying to raise \$50,000 from Quebec citizens. "It is normal and legitimate that the people of Quebec pay for their independence."

### BRIEFLETS

#### LENNOXVILLE

The annual Christmas program, presented by the Sunday School, at the Huntingville Christian Church, welcomes everyone on December 19th, at 7:30 p.m.

#### SHERBROOKE

A Christmas gift suggestion, a year's subscription to the Sherbrooke Library, a gift that would be enjoyed every day, throughout the year.

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## To adopt bylaw for regulation of auto ports

Sherbrooke city council announced last night its intention of adopting a bylaw next week regulating the building of temporary winter car ports in Sherbrooke.

According to the council decision these car ports will be allowed in the city from November 1 to May 1.

They will not be allowed in any way, council agreed, to depreciate the surrounding property.

These two points, like others in the proposed bylaw are similar to ones in a Ste. Foy bylaw which Sherbrooke is using as a model.

The car ports will be acceptable, council ruled, if they are put up at least three feet from the edge of the sidewalk.

The Ste. Foy bylaw also stipulates that car ports are to be erected within 15 feet of the sidewalk at corners at least for the first fifty feet.

Council noted that it will not be responsible for damage to the temporary structures by snow removal operations.

Fines for violation of the city bylaw will not exceed \$100 council said.

The mayor said that there is a general need for these structures in the city.

Sherbrooke city council will give a pair of garage owners three days in which get rid of a scrap heap near their Denault Street quarters.

If by then the debris has not been cleared, council announced its intention of sending in the bulldozers at the owners' expense to clean up the mess.

Alderman Antonio Pinard who introduced the matter termed the site at 1534 Denault Street "disgraceful . . . dangerous for children."

St. Joseph Parish Priest Msgr. Raoul Bruno appeared last night at council and asked that the city pave a road through its woodlot at Chapelleau that would go from Courcellette to Kingston.

Council told the priest that it intended to complete the work next spring. Msgr. Bruno said that he represented 3,500 taxpayers in that area and noted that the opening of the street would considerably help the developing area as well as the small children in that neighborhood who now must make a lengthy detour in order to get to school.

The stretch, council said, is about 800 feet long.

Another request put before council for the paving of Desnoyers Street from Bachand to Verdun Street was put aside as a springtime job by Sherbrooke council.

A request by the National Institute for the Blind for an increase in its annual grant from city hall was set aside.

If the group is in need of the extra money, council noted, then the grant will be awarded.

## Name Simard to head QPP in Sherbrooke

Corporal Rene Simard has been named officer in charge of the Quebec Provincial Police office in Sherbrooke. He will take up his new post Friday, Dec. 20.

He succeeds Sergeant Maurice Lamoureux who was directing the operations of the Sherbrooke QPP in the two week interim

between the departure of Corporal Roy and the arrival of Simard.

Corporal Simard has been with the QPP for the past ten years and has a good deal of experience behind him. He began his career with the Montreal division in 1956 and remained there for three years.

In 1956 he was transferred to Sherbrooke as a detective and pursued a number of successful criminal investigations.

In Nov. 1961, he was promoted to the rank of corporal and was made officer in charge of the new QPP bureau in St. Jean.

Corporal Simard is 32 years old, is married and has two children.

## Cradle Roll party held at Beebe

BEEBE — About 20 children of pre-school age, members of the cradle roll of Wesley United Church, gathered in the church school room on Dec. 6, with their mothers, Rev. Ralph Rogers was in attendance some of the time.

Games were played and later cookies and ice cream were served.

The party was arranged and carried out by Mrs. Winifred Rollins, cradle roll superintendent assisted by Mrs. Carroll Cooper and Mrs. Lawrence Goodsell. Mrs. Rollins reported an enrollment of 44 children.

### MASSAWIPPI

Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Yetter, Betty Anne and Roy, of Lennoxville, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Paley, St. John, N.B., and Mr. John Williams, of Montreal, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Francis Yetter, to attend the Paley-Hoyt wedding on Dec. 7.

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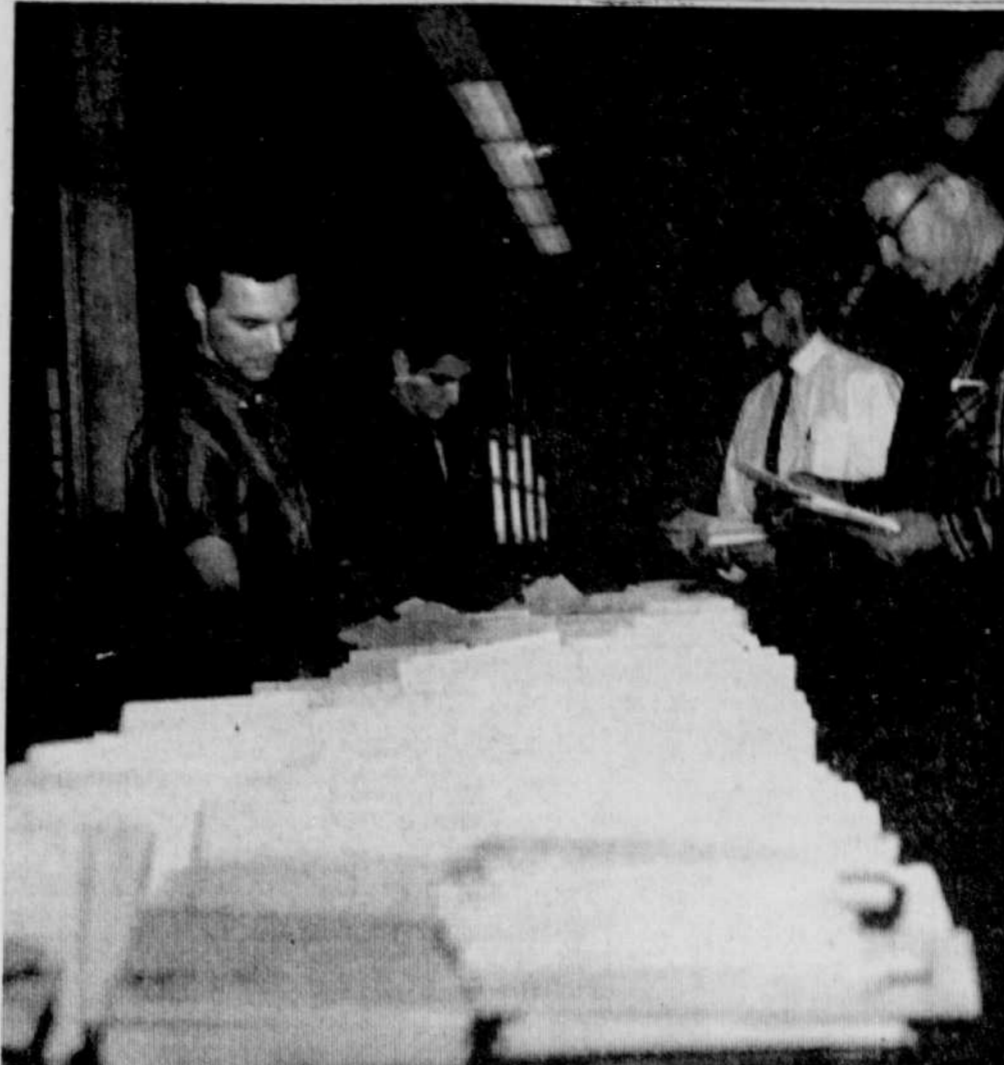
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CHRISTMAS MAIL — Four forgotten heroes of the holiday season are seen as they courageously attack part of the masses of mail which is pouring into Sherbrooke's post office this week. The two men on the left are temporary employees who are helping regular employees to complete their "appointed rounds". (Record photo by Gerry Lemay)

## Deluge of greetings floods post office

By IRWIN BLOCK  
(Record staff reporter)

Neither rain nor snow nor hail shall prevent the postman from completing his appointed rounds.

This is part of the well-known inscription on the facade of the New York post office building and it has been adopted as the motto of most post offices the world over.

About this time of year, most post office employees regret that this has even been said. Aside from the forbidding conditions which the postman usually faces — the weather and unfriendly domestic animals — he must carry the traditional holiday greetings which swell the size of the load which he slings over his shoulder every day.

The postmaster informed the Record that 150,000 letters are going through the post office's hands each day this week compared with the usual total of 40,000 per day.

Mr. Cayer said that in two or three years the post office located in the Federal Building on Couture Street will be too small.

He advised Sherbrooke residents to mail early. The peak mailing period is this week and if you want your cards and letters to be received by Christmas mail them before Dec. 20, the postmaster said.

Conrad Cayer practises what he preaches. All his cards were placed in the mailbox yesterday.

## County agricultural society elects officers for '64 year

At a recent meeting of the Stanstead County Agricultural Society the following officers were elected for 1964.

The honorary president is Yves Forest, M.P., and the honorary vice-president is G. Vaillancourt, M.P.P.

The president is Tom Ride and the vice-presidents are Archie Juby and L. G. Taylor.

The secretary-treasurer is Mrs. M. B. Corey and the auditor is Ivan Wood.

The agronomes are J. H. Bruneau and Narcisse Dery.

The directors of the Agricultural Society are as follows: Barnston, Harold Baldwin, Emile Begin, Paul-Emile Chagnon, and Fernand Tremblay.

Barnston West, Turner Hunt, Carl Corey, and Leo Roy; Ogden, W. E. Hatch, Benoit Cote, Allan Batchelder, Clark Jones, and Edgar Caron; Stanstead East, George Butler, Crawford, and Douglas Johnston; McClary, R. Letourneau, and Edward Hyatt; Stanstead Township, George Curtis, Major Jas. Routledge, J. P. Verpaelt, Merton Dustin, and Dewey Mosher; Rock Island, H. M. Cass, H. Major, and Mrs. Ivy Hatch; Beebe are A. A. Bachelard, Stanley Emslie, and Donald Young.

From Ayer's Cliff there are R. G. McHarg, George Mosher, Kenneth Gale, S. Cass, J. Voisard, Colin Lax, Reginald Young, A. Tardif, and Robert Goodsell; West Hatley, P. J. Whitcomb, S. J. Whitcomb, Dale Miller, Russell Taylor, Miss E. B. Speyer and Albert Gass.

From Hatley and North Hatley, there are Reg. Conner, Mrs. A. R. Virgin, K. G. McRae, J. Johnston, Albert Mollere, and E. M. Detchon; Hatley Village, Tom Ride, Archie Moulton, and H. Ayer; Coaticook, Dr. R. R. Frechette, Dr. Fleurent, Brunton Mosher, N. Dery, and Emile Faucher; Magog Township, Russell Gail, L. G. Taylor, Archie Juby, Dr. H. Cayford, Derek Price, and Gilles Gagne; Magog Town, Dr. C. S. Harris, J. H. Bruneau, Dr. R. Charpentier, Jeff Moynan, Fernand Lacasse, and Edmond Rioux; Lennoxville, W. G. MacDougall, W. W. Nichol, Marvel Smith, and Leo Pelletier; St. Catherine de Hatley, O. Gardiner, Ernest Gauthier, and Guy Gaurin.

From St. Mathieu de Dixville there is Claude Tremblay; St. Hermenegilde, Germain Hebert, St. Hermenegilde Parish, H. St. James; Barford, Ernest Bon-

## Horticultural society list of officers named

At its recent annual meeting the Stanstead County Horticultural Society elected officers for 1964.

The honorary president is Yves Forest, M.P., and the honorary vice-presidents are Georges Vaillancourt, M.L.A., and Helen Norton.

The president is Clifford Curtis and the vice-presidents are Mrs. Helen Thayer and Mrs. Ruth Waite.

The secretary-treasurer is Mrs. M. B. Corey and the auditor is Ivan Wood.

George Mosher is Superintendent of Buildings and Grounds.

The executive committee is made up of Clifford Curtis, Mrs. Mrs. Helen Thayer, Mrs. Ruth Waite, Mrs. D. Johnston, Mrs. Johnston, Mrs. D. Johnston, T. W. Sautiere, T. E. Hunter, R. G. Ride, T. Hunter, Mrs. J. Dezan, Conner, A. M. Joby, Mrs. Joby, J. P. Verpaelt, Mrs. L. O. J. H. Bruneau.

Piercy, Jas. Hargreaves, Douglas McKinnon, Mrs. J. S. MacKinnon, Douglas Johnston, George Stevenson, Emile Begin, Mrs. M. Gibson, Mrs. J. Dezin, Mrs. Laliberte, R. Bowen, L. G. Taylor, Mrs. P. Deslandes, Mrs. Creagh, Tom Ride, Mrs. Fred Keet, H. Riches, K. E. Dean, Mrs. Norma Bailey, (Mrs. H. Riches), Mrs. R. G. Conner, J. H. Bruneau, Mrs. Multarzynski, Mrs. Norman Evans, and Mrs. A. Tardif.

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## TWO EXTRA CONSTABLES FOR PORTLAND AVENUE

Following a meeting between Alderman Everett Nicol, a member of the Protestant School board and municipal police chief Edouard Moreau yesterday, council accepted a suggestion that two more traffic constables be placed on duty on Portland Avenue.

One will be placed at the Victoria - Portland intersection and the other at the London - Portland intersection according to reports at council last night.

The decision follows two accidents on Portland Avenue last week in which school children were struck by cars. As a further safety measure, stop signs have been placed at the corners of Portland and Viny Streets.

## Compensation is being asked for water damage

Councillor Antonio Pinard last night focused the attention of Sherbrooke council on the numerous requests in its possession for compensation as a result of flooding damage to property this summer during heavy rainfalls.

As a result, council decided to hold a special meeting during the week, or at the latest to clear up the matter by the end of next Monday's regular council meeting.

City clerk Henri Paul Emond said that there were over 50 requests for compensation from the City of Sherbrooke as a result of the basement floodings.

Engineers at city hall have been in possession of the requests for the past four months, Alderman Pinard said, and "the people are beginning to wonder when the matter is going to be handled."

Mayor Nadeau expressed the opinion that if the floodings were the result of inadequate piping on the city's part, then the City and Town's Act empowers council to compensate the property owners.

Alderman Pinard, cited the particular case of a Sherbrooke priest who had his book collection destroyed by water to impress upon council the urgency of the matter.

L'Union Canadienne Compagnie d'Assurance informed Sherbrooke that its rates for group insurance for 1964 would be the same as last year's. The company holds the policy for all municipal employees.

The date for official opening of the new North Ward fire station, now in operation, was postponed by Sherbrooke council last night on the request of the mayor. The ceremony should be held after the holidays.

## Kinney's Mills Institute meets

KINNEY'S MILLS — The Women's Institute met on Dec. 6, at the home of Mrs. George Rothney, when a pot luck lunch was enjoyed.

Mrs. George Crawford presided at the business meeting, and the program was an exchange of gifts.

The lucky box, was won by Mrs. George Crawford. A donation was made towards buying a treat for the children at Christmas.

At the close of the meeting, a social hour was spent.

## Carry-on Society meets at Milan

MILAN — The Carry-On Society meeting was held at the home of Mrs. K. A. Ross, opened by the singing of a Christmas carol. Mrs. Duncan McLeod and led the devotional.

Several donations were received. All officers were re-elected.

## NOTICE QUEBEC LIQUOR BOARD

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## Hears first case

Three young men involved in a minor fracas inside a Windsor hotel last weekend found themselves in the spotlight—although not at the centre—yesterday as Sherbrooke Court of Sessions opened for the week.

Main interest was focused on Judge Benoit Turmel who was hearing his first case.

Guy Pelletier, Roger Brouillard and J. C. Brouillard, all in their mid-twenties, and from the vicinity of Montreal had pleaded guilty to one count of disturbing the peace and another of inflicting bodily harm on the person of Aime Marceaux.

Judge Turmel sentenced each of the first offenders to \$25 and costs, or fifteen days, and allowed them two weeks to make the payment.

Crown Prosecutor Guy Blanche requested the magistrate impose individual fines of \$50 apiece on the three, plus ordering them to "a few days of meditation", because he said that they had broken property up inside the hotel valued at \$125.

The group contended that they had not provoked the brawl.

### RICHMOND

Mrs. Lloyd Fuller a n d son, Master Terry, are spending several days with her brothers, Mr. H. Wheeler, and Mrs. Wheeler, at Lachine; Mrs. Ellsworth Wheeler, and Mrs. Wheeler, N.D.G., Montreal, and with her son Mr. Garry Fuller, and Mrs. Fuller, at Ville LaSalle.

Mrs. Julie Gagnon has returned from the Sherbrooke Hospital, where she was a patient.

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The last spruce tree we looked at bore a remarkable resemblance to real spruce.

Artificial Christmas trees have become popular for a number of reasons. Fire departments and insurance companies like their unflammability. They don't drop needles that require sweeping. The farseeing point out that, after several years' use, they prove less expensive than the old fashioned handy disposable cellulose tree.

Traditionalists are, of course, less en-

thusiastic about the artificial trees and their shimmering silver, gold and even pink hues.

They may argue that it is not only the having of a real tree, but the getting of it that is fun.

On many farms in the Eastern Townships, fathers, sons and grandsons make an annual event of a trek into the woods on a tree hunt.

For the city dweller, Eastern Townships cities are close enough to the country, that many residents have friends or relatives with land and a tree to spare for the getting.

A family drive into the country, a tramp through the woods, and personal selection of a tree, combined with general merriment, the excitement of children, perhaps a long over-due visit and presto, an economy item that looks exactly like real spruce.

The cost of a real job of fall cleaning puts the cleaner on Dad's wallet.

Tightening up on hunting licenses

Quebec province, and the Eastern Townships in particular, appear to have escaped the 1963 hunting season with very few woods fatalities. But this one-year respite should not deter government officials from imposing more stringent safety regulations upon those carrying guns in the forests of the province.

Perhaps this province might study the plans now being undertaken in Nova Scotia where, according to an official of the lands and forests department, the day is fast approaching when hunters will be required to meet rigid standards of woods safety knowledge before they will be issued hunting licenses.

The Nova Scotia Department is aiming toward the establishment of schools where hunters would be given safety and hunting instruction and receive permits

only after passing an examination.

The day will come when a hunter who goes to buy a license will have to show his certificate from a hunters' safety school.

But a knowledge merely of the handling of a rifle and certain other factors is not enough.

Prospective hunters should also undergo some psychological and emotional tests. There have been many instances of individuals with a complete knowledge of the handling of firearms losing control of their mental faculties when faced with the possibility of bringing down a deer, or even a rabbit or a partridge. The sound of rustling bushes sets off some sort of reaction which causes them to blaze away at the disturbance without waiting to determine if their objective is a dog, a cow or even another hunter.

Some women like to dress fashionably and some like to be comfortable.

Another hare-brained tax proposal

The ease with which one government agency can shrug off the needs of another by seeking to deprive its counterpart of the revenues required to carry on its operations has been evidenced again by the Quebec Union of Municipalities president, Mayor Robert Cauchon of Valleyfield.

Mayor Cauchon has announced that the Union of Municipalities will request the Provincial Government to divest the school commissions of their right to impose property taxes. He proposes that in the future all realty tax revenues be the property of the municipal councils and the school boards be allowed to find their

needed cash elsewhere. By inference he suggests that the provincial government make good the lost school board revenues.

Just where the provincial authorities, already enmeshed with serious budget deficits would find the additional revenues required for the added school subsidy is not made clear.

Recent orders given local school commissions by Quebec to increase their mill rates should be enough to deter the Union of Municipalities from making the hare-brained suggestion advanced by its president.

Other papers say:

Unemployment and deficit financing

Ottawa's latest report on unemployment indicates that this is no longer a serious national problem. In mid-November, the percentage of the Canadian labor force unemployed was 4.5 — the lowest mid-November figure since 1956. Considering the seasonal nature of much employment in Canada, and considering the Canadian Government's rather loose definition of what constitutes unemployment, this is a substantial accomplishment.

Unemployment remains a serious problem in specific areas — for example, in the Atlantic Provinces, where it runs at 7.5 per cent. British Columbia and Quebec may well be dissatisfied with their unemployment levels — 5.8 per cent each. But with the national rate at 4.5 per cent, and with Ontario and the

Toronto Globe and Mail

Prairie Provinces down to 3 and 3.1 per cent respectively, unemployment is no longer Ottawa's chief cause for concern.

There are still some who would make it so. Officials of the Canadian Labor Congress gave unemployment top billing in their submission this week to Prime Minister Lester Pearson. Disagreeing with Finance Minister Walter Gordon's announced intention of working toward a balanced budget, the CLC leaders argued that he should continue to run up deficits as a means of creating employment. Mr. Pearson gave a carefully qualified reply: "We accept deficit financing, providing it does what it was intended to do — put people to work."

Does deficit financing put people to work? The experience of the past six years is worth noting. The federal budget presented in 1958 ran into a deficit of \$609 million; unemployment that year averaged 7.1 per cent of the Canadian labor force. For 1959 the figures (budget deficit and unemployment) were \$413 million and 6 per cent; for 1960, \$340 million and 7 per cent; for 1961, \$791 million and 7.2 per cent; for 1962, \$891 million and 5.9 per cent; for 1963, \$655 million and (the 11-month average) 5.6 per cent.

No clear pattern of cause-and-effect emerges from these figures. The size of the unemployment figure went up and down without relation to

the size of the budget deficit. The size of the budget deficit went up and down without relation to anything. The highest level of unemployment (7.2 per cent in 1961) followed four budgetary deficits totalling \$2.1 billion.

Hence Mr. Pearson's reservations on the subject of deficit financing. In a period of genuinely large-scale unemployment, governments cannot and should not deliberately go into debt for the purpose of making work. But work does not automatically result from deficits which, like those of the past six years, came about simply because of governments living beyond their means.

Whatever the job-making power of budget deficits, there should be no need or reason for them in periods of general prosperity when unemployment has been reduced to moderate levels.

In his June budget, Mr. Gordon said: "It is important that we begin to put our national house in order; that we begin to move toward balancing our federal budget under conditions of high employment." Mr. Gordon should, therefore, proceed toward balancing his budget. He should do this as a means of maintaining our present high employment, for he himself went on to say in the same budget speech:

"A restoration of confidence in our country is a necessary prerequisite to business expansion and the creation of more jobs. Confidence is not something one



THE SPIRIT OF '57

Bygone days

TWENTY YEARS AGO

(From the Record of Friday, December 17, 1943)

John Peters, of Magog, was re-elected president of the Eastern Townships Fair Association at a meeting held at the Magog House in Sherbrooke. Re-elected to the office of vice-president, was A. E. Dyson, of Richmond, while W. R. Stevens also of Richmond, was appointed secretary with Miss A. Linahan as assistant secretary.

FIFTEEN YEARS AGO

(From the Record of Friday, December 17, 1948)

The first pictures of Prince Charles, infant son of Prince Elizabeth and Prince Philip, who was born Nov. 14, were taken following the christening ceremonies at Buckingham Palace this week. The Royal Prince was christened by the Archbishop of Canterbury and was given the names Charles Philip Arthur George.

TEN YEARS AGO

(From the Record of Thursday, December 17, 1953)

Many Greats died in 1953, also Royalty. The death of Stalin on March 5, 1953, brought a nominal end to the Stalinist era of Soviet Russia. Another death, that of Queen Mary on March 24, in London, also ended an era. The 84 year old Queen did not live to see her granddaughter crowned, but her last wish was that the June 2 coronation go ahead as planned. The year also brought death to other royalty and former royalty. Ex-King Carol of Romania, died in Portugal, at the age of 59; King Ibn Saud, 73, Arab ruler of Prince Chichib, brother of Emperor Hirohito, of Japan, Princess Irene, sister of deposed Kaiser Wilhelm, were among the royalty whose deaths occurred in 1953.

TODAY IN HISTORY

By THE CANADIAN PRESS Dec. 17, 1963 . . .

Orville Wright made man's first flight in an airplane near Kitty Hawk, N.C. 60 years ago today — in 1903. He flew 120 feet in 12 seconds, a distance sufficient to assure him and his brother Wilbur that sustained flights in power-driven, heavier-than-air machines were possible. Orville spent much of the later part of his life in research, dying at Dayton, Ohio, in 1948.

1954 — The North Atlantic Treaty Organization advised its military commanders to plan on using atomic weapons in the event of Communist aggression.

can count on or measure. It is a state of mind. It is psychological in character. And its recovery might well be shattered if we failed to take clear and positive steps toward some reduction in present budgetary deficits."

Stalled after arrest

US-Russian cultural exchanges continue, but how cultured?

By LEON DENNEN

NEW YORK (NEA) — The State Department has decided, however reluctantly, to continue negotiations with Russia for a new cultural exchange program.

The talks were suspended in November after the Soviet secret police arrested Prof. Frederick Barghoorn on the usual flimsy charge of espionage.

To be sure, even while the Yale scholar was held incommunicado in Moscow, an unofficial delegation of Russian cultural "tourists" roamed the United States in an effort to gain friends and influence Americans.

In the State Department's view, cultural exchanges might benefit the West since they will expose visiting Russian scholars and artists to the free atmosphere of American institutions. However, a check by specialists of Moscow's latest 16-member delegation revealed that a majority of the emissaries were seasoned Communist party members whose mission in America was anything but cultural.

Two of them, writers Boris Polevoi and Aron Vergelis, are also believed to be veterans of the Russian secret police.

Boris Polevoi is no stranger here. After his visit in 1955 he printed a volume of "impressions" in Russian entitled "American Diaries" which was full of slander and fantasy but contained few objective facts. Truth is no part of a Red intellectual's baggage. And Polevoi is no exception. During his 1955 tour he was asked at a press conference about the fate of the famous Jewish-Russian poet Lev Kvitko.

"Kvitko is well and happy," Polevoi replied. "I saw him before my departure for America and he asked me to convey his best regards to his friends."

Some weeks later Moscow announced that "the poet Lev Kvitko" was executed in August, 1952. He was one of 600 Jewish writers murdered by Stalin.

Kvitko had been dead more than three years on the day Polevoi brought his "best regards" to friends in America.

The Kremlin "cultural" emissary told this writer recently in New York that he was "misunderstood." But, unhappily for Polevoi, he told a similar story about the dead Kvitko to the American novelist Howard Fast who subsequently printed it in his biography "The Naked God." Fast has since quarreled with the Communists. But in 1955 he was a Stalin Prize winner, Polevoi's friend and a shining literary light in the Red world.

BECAME PROVINCE Alberta became a province in 1905 and the first legislative assembly met in Edmonton the following year.

Equally unsavory among Moscow's recent cultural emissaries is Aron Vergelis, editor of the only Yiddish-language publication in Russia.

Even before Vergelis landed on United States soil the Synagogue Council of America warned Americans not to fall into the trap "of one of the architects of the destruction of Judaism" in Russia.

Vergelis was also charged with having been a "participant" in the purge of Jewish writers under Stalin's rule.

Some of Russia's cultural delegates, like the young poet Robert Rozhdstvenski, are undoubtedly honest and able practitioners of their art. But they are generally a minority among the emissaries and are never permitted to travel unescorted or mingle freely with Americans.

At year's end

Commonwealth grows, levels

By ALAN HARVEY

LONDON (CP) — A year of change in political relationships is forecast for Britain and Europe.

The ending of the Adenauer era in the federal republic of Germany, the uneasy groping toward a centre-left coalition in Italy and the appointment of Sir Alec Douglas-Home as Britain's new prime minister all point to a realignment of policies in the coming months.

Of the former European Big Three—Chancellor Adenauer in Germany, Harold Macmillan in Britain and President de Gaulle in France—only the towering figure of de Gaulle holds the stage. And the new relationships in Europe are bound to be affected by the uncertainty in the United States following the assassination of John F. Kennedy, an event that caused a profound reaction in Britain, France and Germany.

LEADERSHIP IS OPEN

Kennedy's blend of courage and restraint had made him the tacitly accepted leader of the Western world. With his successor Lyndon B. Johnson untried in foreign affairs, a larger role seems in the offing for Sir Alec, whose experience as Britain's foreign secretary equipped him for a share in the cold-war dialogue with the Soviet Union.

Former premier Macmillan had joined with Kennedy in pressing the Soviet Union to accept the nuclear test-ban treaty, signed in late summer and hailed as a welcome first step in an easier new relationship between the Communist and capitalist powers.

Sir Alec was in Moscow for the signing of the treaty and in several speeches as foreign secretary developed the thesis that Russia may be developing a more "humanized" approach in relations with the West.

DE GAULLE ALOOF

After Kennedy's death, there was some speculation in London that Prime Minister Douglas-Home might become a leading figure on the Western side in efforts to keep in being the precarious balance that seemed to have been established between Kennedy and Russia's Nikita Khrushchev.

It was noted that de Gaulle had remained outside the recent East-West negotiations, while Ludwig Erhard, stepping into

the German chancellorship filled for so long by Konrad Adenauer, is still settling into his new job.

Italy remains in a state of suspended animation. Efforts to form a centre-left coalition government of Christian Democrats and Socialists have been constantly imperilled by a tendency of left-wing Socialists to insist on policies that in turn alienate right-wing supporters among the Christian Democrats.

A key figure in the changing Europe of 1964 will be Erhard, the so-called "Rubber Lion" of German politics whom some accused of indecision and weakness because of his long-suffering docility while Adenauer's heir-apparent.

DOUBTS ABOUT ERHARD

A supporter of European political unity, Erhard was regarded as the man most likely to oppose de Gaulle's apparent goal of a loosely linked Europe led by France. Now some wonder whether Erhard, shorn of pres-

The PRAYER FOR TODAY FROM The Upper Room

As many as received him, to them gave the power to become the sons of God, even to them that believe on his name. (John 1:12)

PRAYER: O God, we are weak and unworthy. Help us to open our hearts to receive the Lord Jesus Christ as our Lord and Savior. Help us to trust in Him for forgiveness, guidance, and help. In His name we pray, as He taught us, "Our Father who are in heaven . . . Amen."

BANS WORDS

DARWIN (Reuters) — The Australian government's native welfare branch has banned the use of the words boy, lubra, piccaninny to describe the country's aborigines. The words, used to describe an adult, female and a baby respectively, had been used in official correspondence. They reflected a "poor attitude," an official said.

Gerald Waring REPORTING



OTTAWA — You can drink heavy water if you want to. It's potable. It's also expensive: \$64.50 a quart.

Matter of fact, I'm told that while it won't make you drunk, it won't do you any more harm than whisky.

So with whisky only \$6.00 a quart, why drink heavy water? Exactly. Nobody does.

But even without drinking it, the government's got a hangover from heavy water, and it's apt to get worse, not better.

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Heavy water is 10 per cent heavier than "light" water, the stuff the rivers and lakes are full of. But in this rivers & lakes water there's also a tiny bit of heavy water. To be exact, 0.015 per cent, or about one part in 7,000.

Now, if you concentrate the heavy-water by picking out one molecule in 7,000 and putting them into a gallon jug, by the time you fill the jug you've got something that's worth \$258 at current prices.

The government committed itself a fortnight ago to buy \$41 millions worth of the stuff from a company that agreed to build a \$30 millions plant in the Cape Breton coalfields. The company, called Deuterium of Canada Ltd., put a price of \$205 a gallon on the heavy water it proposes to produce by the hydrogen sulfide process.

To digress momentarily, this is a process whereby hydrogen sulfide, a gas, reacts chemically with water vapor at high but controlled temperature, and the individual molecular reactions involving the 0.015 per cent of heavy water molecules take place at one end of the column because the heavy water molecules are heavier. So the workmen draw off from this end, and after further concentrations and reactions they've got heavy water. It's a complicated process, and that's why heavy water costs \$258 a gallon.

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But no sooner had the government got this all teed up, with a lot of political hanky-panky to put the plant in Cape Breton and give jobs to coal miners, instead of on top of a western gas well, than someone up with a better mousetrap.

Specifically, British American Oil Co. Ltd., a major Canadian producer, refiner and distributor, developed a new basic process for recovering heavy water from ordinary water more cheaply than the price at which the government had just agreed to buy 41 million dollars worth. Unofficially it's said the BA process will yield heavy water at \$170 a gallon.

If current evaluation of the BA process by government scientists proves the BA claim, then obviously the government and Deuterium of Canada Ltd. will have to cancel their Cape Breton deal. Obviously the company couldn't invest \$30 millions in a plant to fill only one order, with other potential customers flocking to buy BA's low-priced heavy water. Moreover, if the government won't do business with BA, then obviously BA will look for someone who will — say, the US Atomic Energy Commission.

Deuterium proposed to undercut the USAEC price by 20 per cent. If the USAEC got a patent licence from BA to use the new process, it could undercut its old price by a third, and Canada could forget its hopes of supplying western Europe, Japan, India and other countries with heavy water for atomic research and power reactors.

Oh, I forgot to mention — instead of drinking heavy water, you use it to keep nuclear reactors under control. So they won't go BANG.



The book copyists of medieval monasteries worked only during the daylight hours for fear of fire from artificial light sources. After the scribe had finished a page, his work was proofread against the original by a second person and the sheets were sent on to another who inserted titles, headlines, initials and notes. Still another artist on this assembly line did any necessary illuminations (ornamenting).

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Sportstime

Crossword puzzle grid with clues for Across and Down words. Includes a 'Sportstime' header and a grid with numbers 1-48.

# Courville's oldest patient enjoys afternoon with Christmas callers

By ALICE BUCKLAND  
(Record correspondent)

**SOUTH STUKELY**—Christmas starts early at the Courville Nursing Home here.

Callers began their Christmas visits Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Henry Savage and Mrs. Henry Bowering were coming to meet the newest member of the Home, Archibald Byron Bissell. Mr. Bissell, is in his 100th year.

"You're late," was his greeting when the two ladies walked in. "They said you would be here at one o'clock. If you're late, some day you will be left behind."

There was truth in the man's statement, even if one shouldn't be censured too seriously for a fifteen minutes delay. The time had seemed long. Nevertheless, Mr. Bissell was pleased and complimented to be the center of attraction for the afternoon. He sat in his well-padded rocking chair which he sits in every day for short periods and reads his favorite newspaper.

When the two ladies from South Stukely arrived with their gifts Mr. Bissell was delighted that his share was sweets and not tobacco. He is "death against tobacco," he said.

"When I was running the farm I asked any new help—do you smoke? If he said yes, I told him, give me your pipe and tobacco or cigarettes. When you leave, you can have them."

Just as simple as that! But no one smoked around him. Ask Mr. Bissell where he lives or where his ancestors

came from. On the Bissell road, in the Bissell neighborhood are his most explicit directions. Like all of us, he is proud of his name.

Daniel Bissell, his father was born in 1842 in the Fitch Bay area. Archibald was the eldest of his family of nine boys and one girl. He has one son, Alfred, who lives on the family farm until he sold it recently. Alfred is 74 years of age.

Archibald Bissell is a favored guest of the Courville staff. He is in a large bright room, close to the kitchen, with one other patient who is well known in Waterloo, Hormidas Lussier.

Mr. Bissell is the oldest patient ever admitted to this nursing home. The nurses say he always greets them with a smile, or even a wink. Mr. Bissell expressed interest in watching the staff de-

corate his room with wreaths and bells. Every room at the Courville has its decorations—a tiny tree and bright wall plaques.

Everyone here enjoys Christmas. In front of the Home is a tall fir tree with colored lights. On the verandah of the adjoining staff house and office is a large Nativity scene, illuminated at night, which helps bring the spirit of the season to everyone.



**CHRISTMAS CALLERS**—Christmas season at the Courville Nursing Home in South Stukely brings many visitors. Above Archibald Byron Bissell, in his 100th year, is receiving a call from two local ladies, Mrs. Henry Bowering left, and Mrs. Henry Savage. (Record photo by W. Bessette)

# Sutton fire Blaze guts barn, kills 17 cattle

**SUTTON**—(Special)—About \$30,000 damage was done when fire destroyed a barn owned by Gerald Harvey of Dyer Road, about a mile and a half west of Sutton today.

Also destroyed were 17 head of cattle and about six calves.

The fire was discovered at about 4:30 a.m. this morning and the Sutton volunteer fire brigade was summoned. However when the fire brigade arrived the fire had gained too much headway to be stopped, and the barn, about 40 by 60 feet, burned to the ground.

Causes of the fire unknown.

Mr. Harvey, 33, lives on the farm with his wife and two small children.

## WATERLOO

Miss I. M. Gilmour had a visit from her nephew, Mr. R. W. Cooke, of Westmount, over the weekend.

Mrs. F. R. Graves and son, Buddy, were in Shawingam recently to attend the funeral of Mrs. William (Viola) McGregor.



**SANTA PAYS EARLY VISIT**—With Christmas drawing close the children of the Cowansville Co-operative Kindergarten last Friday enjoyed an early Christmas party. Games, songs, a lunch, arranged by parents, were all on the program and each child found a little present under the tree left by Santa. The kindergarten now has some 19 pupils and still room for more. It meets in the Memorial Hall at Trinity Anglican Church, Cowansville. (Record photo by Studio Eclair)

## MANSONVILLE

Mrs. Leslie Gardner and little daughter, also Mrs. Harold Marshall and two children of Grand Isle, Vt., were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ray W. Gardner.

## WEST BROME

The card club met with Mrs. William Coughtry on Dec. 3, when cards were played at five tables, prize winners being Mrs. Michel Domingue and Miss Cecile Darbe.

## Sherbrooke Daily Record Correspondent for Knowlton

A correspondent for the Sherbrooke Daily Record is required in Knowlton. Interested persons are asked to write to:

Miss Fannie Williams,  
Sherbrooke Daily Record,  
119 Wellington St. North,  
Sherbrooke, Que.

# Dunham man killed

**COWANSVILLE** (Staff)—Adelard Racicot, 68, of Dunham, was killed instantly when he was struck Friday night by a car on route 52, between Cowansville and Dunham.

The car which struck Mr. Racicot was driven by Bertrand Deladurantaye, of Ange Gardien.

At the time of the accident the victim was walking along the road. Apparently Mr. Deladurantaye was blinded by the lights of a truck coming towards him and was unable to see Mr. Racicot.

No inquest will be held. Guy Charbonneau, chief of the Cowansville detachment of the Quebec Provincial Police said the victim was dead Friday night when Dr. N. E. Monast, district coroner, arrived at the scene of the accident.

# SHOPPING CENTRE IS VOTED FOR

**GRANBY**—(Special)—Citizens of Granby have voted this week in favor of a shopping centre here. About 75 per cent or more voted in favor of the proposed project. Of the 1,489 votes 1,169 were in favor and 294 were against while 26 voting slips were spoiled.

The votes in all voting polls in the city hall, were as follows:

Roll 1: 248 for, 98 against and five spoiled; Roll 2: 382 for, 80 against, 12 spoiled; Roll 3: 257 for, 43 against and five spoiled; Roll 4: 157 for, 57 against and four spoiled; Roll 5: 125 for 16 against.

The polls opened at 9:00 a.m. and closed at 9 p.m. on the two days that voting took place. Mr. Zavalkoff, the promoter of

the proposed shopping centre project was on the scene, constantly with the legal counsel George Dureault of Elgin Street. Mr. Zavalkoff wishes to thank the citizens of Granby for showing their good civic spirit and promises them that they will be proud of Granby's Shopping Centre. He also stated that the first store of 12,000 square feet will be finished by the early spring. The centre, he said, will be finished by the late summer of 1964.

## NO PARKING

The City of Granby has issued a report notifying all the residents of Granby and in surrounding areas that there will be no parking on the city streets at night between these hours:

No parking during December, January, February and March, between 12:00 a.m. (midnight) and 6 a.m.

Infraction of this bylaw will mean the vehicle will be towed away to a garage at the owner's expense.

The notice was issued to the city by director of Police, Raymond Forand.

## NEW SHELTER

A new type of shelter building will soon be seen at the Granby Zoological Gardens. This is to be for use of citizens or visitors in case of unfavorable weather during the coming season. The Zoological Society administration foresees the possibility of constructing other

See "Shopping" Page 7



**CONCERT INTRODUCES PIANO REPERTOIRE**—The second in a series of four concerts to be held this year at Cowansville, sponsored by the Jeunesses Musicales of Canada, last week introduced the young audience to the piano repertoire. Guest artist for the evening was pianist Czeslaw Kaczynski, who performed works by Bach, Schumann, Beethoven and Chopin. The commentary was by Mrs. Arthur Rousseau, of Three Rivers. Mrs. Rousseau and Czeslaw Kaczynski are shown above signing programs for some of the young people who crowded the stage looking for autographs following the concert last Thursday night. (Record photo by Studio Eclair)

# Superior Court opens Dec. 19 at Granby

**GRANBY**—(Special)—The Hon. Rene Hamel, Procuror of the Province of Quebec will be here on December 19 to participate in the opening of the Superior Court of Granby.

The ceremony will be presided over by Judge J. P. Cliche, of the Superior Court for the Districts of St. Francis and Bedford.

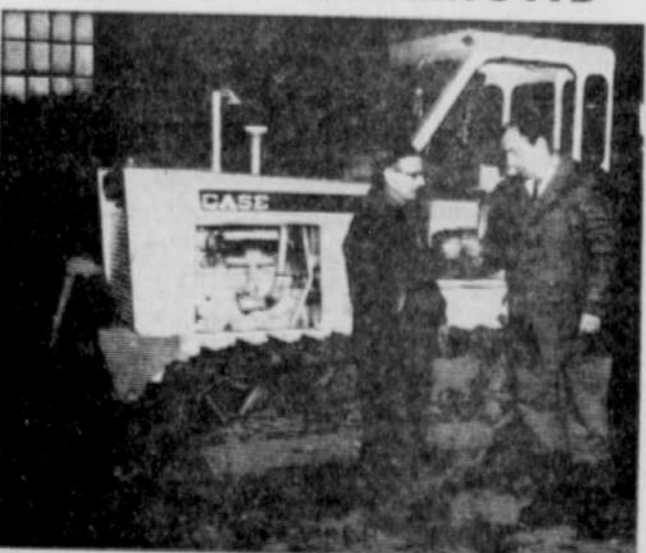
The magistrate will be accompanied by his colleagues,

Hon. Judge Evender Veilleux of Sherbrooke.

This will be a historical day in the judicial annals of the City of Granby and the District of Bedford, when for the first time Granby will have a Superior Court.

Among the personalities to be present at the ceremonies will be Mayor Horace Boivin of Granby and the Batonnier of the District, Henri Lizotte.

# NEW AT RICHMOND



**CHARLES BROCK**, Richmond dealer in Case farm machinery, recently handed over the keys to a "sidewalk crawler or tractor" to the superintendent of roads, Alberic Beaulieu, of the Town of Asbestos. The machine is one of a number to be purchased by the city.

In the absence of Mayor Beauchemin, Mr. Beaulieu accepted the keys to the machine which was delivered by Brock to the municipal garage at Asbestos. Photo shows Brock, right, handing over the keys to Beaulieu.

# Yes...there's an "at home" insurance service in Sherbrooke

**N**OWADAYS—with such a great need for a local, truly personal type of insurance service, it may be timely to mention again what every Metropolitan policyholder knows so well.

Metropolitan has been a pioneer in the "at home" type of insurance. For a great many years, our capable representatives have been calling on policyholders at their offices, places of business, and their homes as well.

The Metropolitan district office in Sherbrooke helps the Agent who gives you complete "at home" insurance service. This Office employs local people who are trained insurance specialists. They are always ready and anxious to give you the prompt, personalized insurance service that has become synonymous with the name Metropolitan.



**Mr. Jean-Paul Lesperance**

Mr. Lesperance has just been promoted to Manager of Metropolitan's Sherbrooke District. He succeeds Mr. Maurice L. Cabana who has moved up to the position of Regional Manager.

Mr. Lesperance was formerly a Field Training Instructor at the company's Canadian Head Office. He has been with Metropolitan since 1947, when he became an Agent at the Champlain District in Montreal. In 1954, he was promoted to Assistant Manager and in 1959 he was promoted to Field Training Instructor.

He is a career insurance man, and his extensive experience and knowledge along with that of his associates are available in matters relating to Business and Family Life Insurance, Health Insurance, and Group Insurance and Retirement Plans.

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## Youngsters eagerly --



CINDY ANN and ANDREW WILLIAM, children of Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Holden and grandchildren of Mr. and Mrs. John MacIver of Sherbrooke and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Holden of Derby Line, Vt. They are the great-grandchildren of Mr. and Mrs. Birrell of Montreal. (Photo by Gerry Lemay)

## St. Bridget's Parish Council Christmas songs climax evening

The monthly meeting of St. Amy will speak at the January meeting of the parish council on the subject of "Closed Retreats". The meeting was adjourned by Mrs. Lyle Sager, after which gifts were exchanged by the members and distributed by Andy Hall, in the absence of Santa Claus. Group singing of a variety of Christmas songs was enjoyed by all, accompanied by the Rev. Father Clark at the piano.

Lunch was served by the hostesses, Mrs. Clifford Mills, Mrs. Laurier St. Onge, Mrs. Donat Gregoire, Mrs. Bert Paquette, Mrs. Bernard Brousseau, Mrs. Bernard Mayhew, Mrs. John Branswell, Mrs. Roland Grandpre and Mrs. Fred White.

# For and about Women

## Brompton Road W.I.

## Last meeting of year concludes by exchange of Christmas gifts

The December meeting of the Brompton Road Women's Institute, was held Saturday afternoon, December 7, at the home of Miss Elsie Winget, with Mrs. H. McLeod as joint hostess.

The president, Mrs. G. Decoteau, was in the chair, and welcomed the members and several guests. The roll call "a donation of a Christmas tree decoration," was answered by 16 members.

Owing to the illness of the secretary, Mrs. E. M. Goodfellow, the minutes were read by Mrs. Elgin Decoteau.

The treasurer, Mrs. G. Hadenko, gave a satisfactory report. Several thank-you notes for gifts and cards were read by Mrs. Decoteau.

**CONVENERS REPORTS**

Mrs. McLeod read several household hints, in the absence of the home economics convener, Mrs. N. Hatch.

Mrs. S. Billing reported a sum of 31 dollars had been raised for the UNICEF card party. Christmas cards had been purchased.

Mrs. F. Goodfellow, Welfare and Health, reported on the trip made by members to the Cecil Butters Home, when stuffed animals had been given to the children.

Mrs. D. Cullen, publicity, reported all meetings to the press. Miss E. Winget, sunshine convener, reported on several gifts and cards being sent to sick and shut-ins.

Mrs. S. Sayer gave a detailed report of the county meeting held in November at the Huntingville Hall. She was thanked by the president.

Business included plans to remodel the hall kitchen, and preparation for the New Year's Eve dance, being held at the hall.

The citizenship convener, was asked to buy Christmas gifts for immigrants in the community. A crate of oranges is to be sent to the Wales Home, by the Welfare and Health convener.

It was also decided to buy new drapes for the room in the Sherbrooke Hospital, furnished by the Institute.

The Sunshine convener, was asked to buy gifts for the sick and shut-ins at Christmas.

The meeting was adjourned by the president, after which Mrs. G. Westman acted as Santa Claus, when an exchange of gifts was made.

Refreshments were served by the hostesses, assisted by Mrs. Harold Riches.

## -- awaiting arrival --



KEVIN SCOTT, 1 year and CATHY LEE, 2 years, children of Mr. and Mrs. Art Lesard. Grandchildren of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Bray and Mrs. Jules Lessard, all of Lennoxville. (Photo by Doug Gerrish)

## Women's groups in the news

**PLYMOUTH U.C.W.**

Plymouth United Church Women met for a regular meeting on Tuesday evening with the president, Mrs. M. W. Williams, presiding.

The minutes of previous meeting were read by the secretary, Mrs. R. Gosselin. Correspondence was read by Mrs. F. Sangster, at which time a letter of thanks was acknowledged from Mrs. D. Conley, thanking Plymouth U.C.W. for their part in serving a turkey dinner to the Teacher's Workshop.

Mrs. G. LeBaron, social function chairman, gave a detailed account of the recent Thanksgiving dinner.

In the absence of the treasurer, Miss E. MacIntyre, the financial report was given by Mrs. P. Gray, after which several Christmas donations were made.

Miss V. Brownlow, presented the budget of 1963, showing Plymouth U.C.W. had completed a very successful year.

Mrs. E. Lavallee, nominating chairman, presented a slate of officers which will be nominated and inducted at the opening meeting of the new year, January 7, 1964.

Miss Joan Beers, then conducted a devotional period with "Christmas" as the theme. Mrs. E. Lavallee was at the piano for the singing of the hymns.

A social hour followed, at which time bingo was played, also Christmas gifts were received by all members present.

A lunch was prepared and served by the hostesses, Mrs. N. S. Lothrop, Mrs. D. MacPherson, Mrs. C. C. Skinner, Mrs. G. Spafford, Mrs. A. M. Swan, Mrs. E. Westerman and Mrs. M. W. Williams.

There were 40 members present.

**ST. ANDREW'S LADIES' AUXILIARY**

The regular meeting of St. Andrew's Ladies' Auxiliary met in the church hall on Dec. 10, with a good attendance of members and visitors.

The vice-president, Mrs. Douglas Ross, was in the chair and opened the meeting.

Routine reports were given, and fancy work was brought in by some of the members.

The meetings have been changed to the second Tuesday in the month, next meeting January 14.

The vice-president, Mrs. Ross, wished everyone a Merry Christmas and thanked the members for their support in the past 2 months.

The meeting closed with the Mizpah benediction followed by refreshments being served by the members.

## Polly's pointers

**DEAR POLLY** — When light switches are taken off the wall to be painted, insert the screws (which fasten them to the wall) into holes punched in the end of a paper cup or a small box. Painting the heads of the screws is then a cinch.

— MRS. B. B.

**DEAR POLLY** — It was always hard for me to take aspirin tablets. They would dissolve before I could swallow them. Now I put them in the refrigerator. When I need one, I get out a glass of cold water and an aspirin at the same time. They go down easily.

— MARY

**UNIVERSITY FOUNDED**

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## ★ Cherry bread brightens holidays ★

Cherries on top and cherries inside give Cherry Party Bread color, flavor and its name. This festive coffee cake is a good choice for a Christmas breakfast or brunch. It also is a tempting offering at a holiday coffee hour.

With the cherries in the topping are butter, brown sugar and nuts. Cherries and nuts also highlight the cake portion of this whole bran cereal bread. Cherry Party Bread is at its best served warm.

**CHERRY PARTY BREAD**

3 tablespoons soft butter or margarine  
 1/2 cup brown sugar, firmly packed  
 3/4 cup cut maraschino cherries  
 1/2 cup chopped nuts  
 1 cup whole bran cereal  
 1 egg  
 1/4 cup soft shortening  
 2 1/2 cups sifted flour  
 1 teaspoon baking powder  
 1 teaspoon salt  
 3/4 cup sugar  
 1/2 cup cut maraschino cherries  
 1/2 cup chopped nuts

sugar. Add to whole bran cereal mixture together with cherries and nuts. Stir only until combined. Spread in greased 13 x 9-inch pan. Sprinkle evenly with topping. Bake in moderately hot oven (400° F.) about 35 minutes. Serve warm.

Yield: 12 3-inch squares

## Today's recipe

### GRAND OPENINGS

There are many ways of introducing a festive meal. One of the most impressive is with oysters served on the half shell. This dish is so widely acclaimed that Larousse Gastronomique, French dictionary of dining, defines the shellfish as, "a bivalve mollusk usually eaten raw".

Whether you prefer your oysters raw or cooked, epicures are agreed that raw oysters should be well chilled and served cradled in their shells. True oyster fanciers contend that oysters should be seasoned only with a sprinkling of freshly ground pepper and a drop or two of lemon juice. There are others, however, who prefer their oysters accompanied by a sweet-spicy "cocktail sauce".

### OYSTERS ON THE HALF SHELL

36 shell oysters, Lemon wedges, Cocktail sauce (optional).

Scrub oysters with a stiff brush under cold running water to remove sand. Do not allow oysters to stand in water before opening. To open, hold each oyster in a folded cloth, deep shell downward and hinge toward you. Insert the tip of an oyster knife between the shells at the hinge. With a twisting motion, pry the shells apart. Cut muscle holding oyster to shallow top shell. Remove and discard this shell. Sever muscle holding oyster to bottom shell. Retain as much of the delicious, salty oyster liquid as possible.

Have ready 6 oyster plates, or soup plates containing finely crushed ice. Place 6 half-shell oysters in a circle on each plate and garnish with a lemon wedge. Pass pepper at the table. If desired, sink a small container of cocktail sauce in the center of each plate. Makes 6 servings.

## Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Lockwood, of Danville, announce the engagement of their daughter, Janet Louise to Mr. Gerard Clement, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Clement, of Asbestos. The marriage will take place in February.

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## -- of Santa Claus



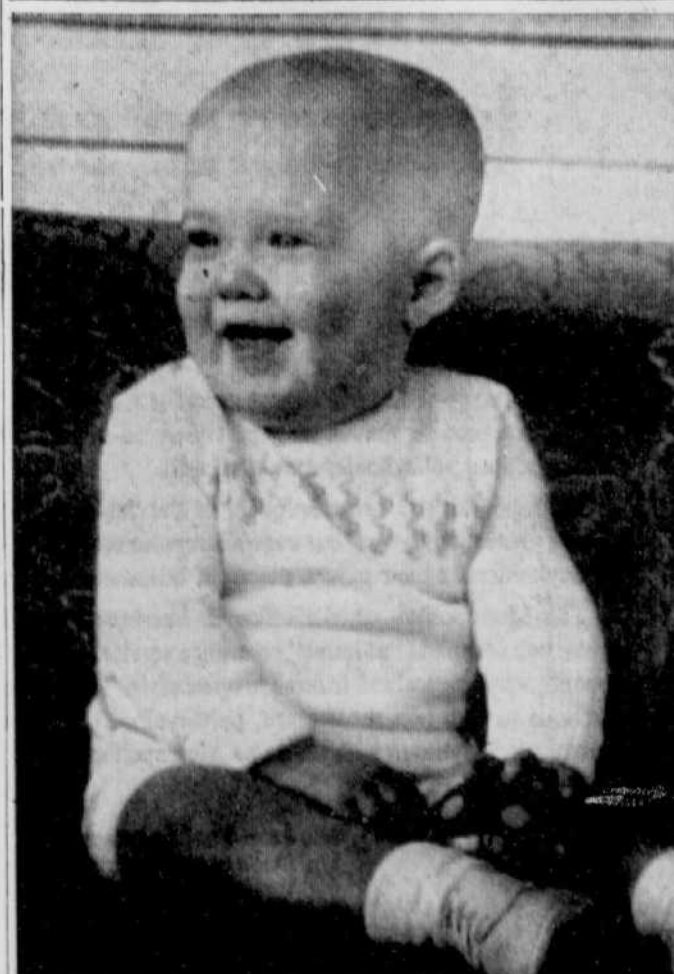
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## Ruth Millett

### Advice to teen-age bride

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The poor kid evidently hadn't been married long enough to know that a husband can be told any kind of blood-pressure raising news if his wife just follows the age-old rules for broaching unpleasant subjects.

Next time she puts a dent in the fender of the car, or lets a door-to-door salesman talk her into buying an expensive set of books, or forgets to give her husband an important telephone message from his boss she needn't run away from home.

She can stay at home and face the music—which won't be too bad—if she will manage the way most wives manage under such circumstances.

First, she'll spend a few hours in the kitchen cooking her husband's favorite dinner, which she'll serve looking just as pretty and pert as possible.

During dinner she'll listen with wide-eyed admiration to everything he has to say (just as she did during their courtship days.)

After dinner, she'll leave him alone in his easy chair for awhile until he has had time to read the evening paper.

Once she has decided that he looks rested, well-fed, and more than ordinarily content she'll say, "Honey, there's something I've got to tell you—but first you've got to promise me that you won't get mad. Promise?"

Then in sweet but faltering words she'll confess to her "crime" and wait to see how he is going to take it. Of course, promise or no, he may get mad and start to yell but if he does, she will just remind him that he gave his word.

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1964 officers

COATICOOK — The annual meeting of the Coaticook Golf Club was held at the clubhouse and members heard a report of a successful first year's activity.

Officers were elected for the coming year as follows: President, Luigi Massariel; vice-presidents, Pierre Dutil and Louis Abdalla; secretary, treasurer, Russell Murphy.

Directors are Dr. G. Germain, Jacques Laurence, Bob McAlpine, Andre Brouillard and Paul Bruhmuller.

Following the meeting a social hour was enjoyed.



PRESENTS FOR CANCER PATIENTS — Mrs. Joseph Labrecque, right, gift convener

for the Sherbrooke branch of the Canadian Cancer Society, shows one of 125 gifts that the branch is sending to cancer patients throughout the Eastern Townships, to Vice President Mrs. Antoinette Couture, as Secretary Mrs. Lucienne O'Bready, left, looks on. The gifts are being included in the packages of

dressings that the society sends twice a month to 63 patients in the area. They were donated by groups who supply the dressings, the Women's and Professional Business Club, the Milby and Lennoxville and Belvedere Heights Women's Institutes, and the Birchton UCW. (Record photo by Gerry Lemay)

At Granby Winter works campaign proclaimed

GRANBY — (Special) — The Winter Works campaign here this year was proclaimed by Mayor Horace Boivin, December 14 at the Knights of Columbus Hall on Dufferin Street when a banquet was given at 7 p.m.

The home of the Knights of Columbus was attractive with its decorations of Christmas and its huge Christmas tree. A special ceremony took place following the dinner when the Mayor spoke on the way that Granby has progressed and the various projects that would be undertaken during the winter months.

His theme this year is When everyone works, everyone profits.

On this same occasion the Junior Chamber of Commerce of Granby presented the Chief of Police Raymond Forand with a certificate making him an honorary member of the organization. The National Employment Bureau hopes that all citizens and surrounding area will participate for employment during the winter.

BANK OF MONTREAL APPOINTMENT



G. A. RHEAUME Appointment of Gilbert A. Rheaume as assistant general manager of the Bank of Montreal's Eastern division, at the head office in Montreal, has been announced by G. Arnold Hart, president and chief executive officer. Mr. Rheaume has been superintendent of the bank's Quebec division since July 1963 after six years as manager of the main office in Quebec City. Prior to that Mr. Rheaume was, successively, assistant manager at the main office in Montreal, manager at Sherbrooke and European representative in Paris, France.

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Births

FOX — Kenneth and Marlene (nee Bunnell) are proud to announce the birth of a daughter, Leslie Kay, 10 lbs., at the Sherbrooke Hospital, on Monday, December 16th, 1963.

CARSON — To Stuart and Nicole (nee Choiniere), a daughter 9 lbs. on December 15th, 1963 at the Hotel Dieu Hospital. Both well.

Deaths

HASTINGS, Maude — At Tomi-folia on Tues., December 17, 1963, Maude Berline, beloved wife of the late Brigham J. Hastings in her 81st year, 39 Dufferin Road, Stanstead, from Wednesday on, and where the funeral service will be held Friday December 20, at 2:30 p.m. Rev. C. Gustafson officiating. Interment Crystal Lake Cemetery.

HOVEY, Phoebe — In Melrose Mass., on December 16, 1963, Phoebe Davidson, widow of Leslie R. Hovey in her 86th year. Remains resting in the Robinson Funeral Chapel, 800 Main Street, Melrose, Mass., where the funeral will leave on Wednesday, December 18th, for service in the Trinity United Church, Melrose, Mass., at 2:00 p.m. Please omit flowers. Interment will take place in Massawippi, Quebec.

MUGGETT, Bertha Helen — At the Bromie Missisquoi Perkins Hospital, Swetsburg, Quebec, on Monday, December 16, 1963, Bertha Helen Allen, beloved wife of Kennys Mudgett, in her 81st year. Resting at C. E. Wilson & Son Funeral Home, 104 Buzzell Avenue, Cowansville. Service in the chapel on Thursday, December 19th, at 2:00 p.m. Rev. John Deacock officiating. Remains will be placed in Swetsburg vault for burial later in Fairmount Cemetery, Sutton, Quebec.

ROLFE, Roy — Entered into rest at the Hotel Dieu Hospital, Sherbrooke, Que., on Monday, Dec. 16, 1963, Bertram Roy Rolfe, beloved husband of the late Bertha Ann Batley and father of Clement, of Ramsayville, Ontario, and Mrs. Fred Pettigrew, (Evelyn) of Sherbrooke, Que., in his 75th year. Funeral service from the R. L. Bishop Funeral Chapel, 300 Queen Blvd., No. Sherbrooke, on Wednesday, Dec. 18, at 2 p.m. Rev. J. D. R. Franklin officiating. Interment St. Peter's Church Cemetery.

WEBSTER, Homer W. — At Sherbrooke, Quebec, December 15th, 1963, Homer W. Webster, husband of the late Roxina V. Christie, and Alice Martin. Resting at the J. H. Fleury Funeral Home, 83 Adam Street, Richmond, Quebec. Funeral service will be held Wednesday, December 18th, at 1:30 p.m. in St. Ann's Church, Rev. H. I. Apps officiating. Interment Fitch Bay, Quebec.

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hardier, Ovilla Trudeau, and Paul Gilbert. Representing Dixville municipality is J. A. Laliberte. The executive committee is made up of T. Ride, A. Juby, I. Taylor, T. E. Hunter, A. A. Bachevalier, P. J. Whitcomb, Mrs. M. B. Corey, H. Baldwin, H. M. Cass, J. H. Brunneau, W. G. MacDougall, George Mosher, R. G. Conner, J. P. Verpaalen, P. E. Chagnon, D. Johnston, and H. Majory.

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Practices of guarding top people differ widely in various countries

LONDON (AP) — President Kennedy's assassination caused many European nations to look carefully into the way they guard their own top people. Some modifications undoubtedly will be made in the light of the Dallas tragedy, but these probably will be kept secret to make them more effective.

A survey conducted by The Associated Press shows that security practices differ widely from country to country. The Soviet Union, France, Italy and Spain have tight protection systems, with large numbers of men on duty when their leading figures appear in public.

MEASURES VARY Among protective measures in use in Europe: Soviet Union — Premier Khrushchev and other leaders are protected by a screen of security agents, usually with un-cloaked felt hats pulled down over their brows, and volunteers wearing arm bands.

France — Despite strict precautions, security always has been difficult to insure in this country. Several attempts have been made on the life of President Charles de Gaulle. Now de Gaulle generally travels the 150 miles from Paris to his country estate at Colombey les Deux Eglises by helicopter instead of automobile.

Italy — Top Italian leaders are guarded closely. By some standards, security agents are rough in their handling of crowds. Pope Paul VI is protected by the picturesque 120-man Swiss Guard and about the same number of papal gendarmes. Beneath the pomp and fancy uniforms these men know how to handle security problems unobtrusively and efficiently.

Spain — Generalissimo Francisco Franco and other Spanish leaders are protected by elaborate security precautions. Many public occasions have some religious connection and therefore are relatively easy to police.

Norway, Sweden and Denmark — The pattern here is different from most other places in the world. Members of the royal families are seldom guarded except for the sentries at the royal palaces. Police keep a closer watch on political figures.

Belgium, The Netherlands and Luxembourg — The situation is similar to the security precautions taken in Britain. Such measures are stepped up in periods of tension during the country's two linguistic groups, the Dutch-speaking Flemish and the French-speaking Walloons.

McNAMARA TELLS

Continued from Page 1 militancy to pay dividends." Although he conceded the NATO allies were a long way from resolving differences with Russia, he said: "We in the West should let Moscow know that we are interested in peaceful coexistence."

External Affairs Minister Paul Martin of Canada said the Soviet Union wishes a detente, or relaxing of tensions, and this tendency should be encouraged. FORCES ATTENTION One of the reasons for this detente, Martin said, is the Soviet dispute with Red China forces the Russians to give more and more attention to its dissident Communist neighbor.

Mr. Riddell said the examination he had wanted never was carried out and the cheques were paid, dated in the final week of March. Election day was April 8.

Mr. McIntosh denied categorically that he ever directly or indirectly interfered with Mr. Walker or any other PFAA employee. He had done what every other MP did—place problems of individuals or groups of individuals before PFAA.

Mr. Hamilton said there was a misunderstanding of the principle that information supplied with claims is, inspected by local PFAA inspectors and a three-member board of review whether the claims should be paid.

After the arguments, the bill passed committee stage—on division—and only the formality of third reading remains. Also going through second reading and committee Monday was the bill to establish a representation commissioner to reshape Canada's electoral boundaries and carry out any other revisions in the election process.

He said the centennial act was accepted by the Liberals when it first came up in 1961, but

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shelters like this if this one proves successful. This construction will form a part of the winter works program. The construction of the first shelter is now under way.

CHRISTMAS CONCERT

The Granby High School will hold a Christmas Concert, December 18 at 7:30 p.m. in the High School auditorium. Tickets may be purchased at the door.

HAY OKAYS

Continued from Page 1 ilton backed him, Roy Faishub at that time was Mr. Hamilton's executive assistant had telephoned him from Ottawa instructing him to make the payments.

NOTES PRINCIPLE

Mr. Hamilton said there was a misunderstanding of the principle that information supplied with claims is, inspected by local PFAA inspectors and a three-member board of review whether the claims should be paid.

Mr. Hamilton said he wondered whether it was proper to hold up payments legally belonging to a large number of farmers because one farmer made a mistake in reporting his crop or one complaint of such a mistake was received.

when it becomes unacceptable to the Premier of Quebec it "suddenly becomes wrong." NEEDS THIRD READING After the arguments, the bill passed committee stage—on division—and only the formality of third reading remains.

Caribbean Cement Co. Ltd. reports earnings for the ten months ended Oct. 31/63 of 38c a share against 66c in the same period of 1962.

Montreal livestock market

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The London stock market was firm in quiet trading at the opening. British Columbia Power Corp. Ltd. plans to make an asset distribution of \$23.50 per common share Jan. 2 if the Montreal Trust Co. / Liquidator of the former utility holding company — can obtain clearance from the Federal Income Tax Department and the B. C. Supreme Court.

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Laura Record Candy Shops Ltd. reports earnings for the year ended Sept. 30/63 of 84 cents a share against 88 cents a share in 1962.

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Stork shower is held at Border

STANSTEAD - Mrs. Keith Armstrong, Mrs. Donald Whitehouse, Mrs. John Cox and Mrs. Wilfred Molway were co-hostesses for a stork shower honoring Mrs. Edward Bushnell, of Rock Island, on Dec. 9, in the lounge of the Legion Memorial Home.

Upon arrival Mrs. Bushnell was greeted by her assembled friends and presented with a corsage of a tiny rattle and ribbons and escorted to a chair where the color theme was in pink and blue.

The guest of honor was assisted in opening the gifts by Mrs. E. J. Curtis.

Refreshments served by the hostesses included a shower cake, made and decorated by Mrs. Armstrong.

JEWS SETTLE

Jews first settled in England at the time of the Norman conquest but were expelled at the end of the 13th century by Edward I.

A-Nephrosclerosis is the disease that results when the changes of arteriosclerosis are seen chiefly in the kidneys. It usually occurs in persons who have had a high blood pressure for many years. The victims have albumin in the urine. If the condition is recognized early in its course, measures to reduce the blood pressure will check the progress of the disease, but treatment of the high blood pressure before any kidney damage has occurred is even better.

Q-For a recurrent external ear condition, my doctor has for the last 10 years had me use Neo-Cortef ear drops. Is its continued use likely to cause cortisone side effects?

A-Neo-Cortef ear drops contain not only hydrocortisone but also the antibiotic, neomycin. These drops rarely cause side effects, but if they increase the local irritation, they should be stopped.

Baptisms held at South Durham Magog

SOUTH DURHAM - The infant sons of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Millar and Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Fleming, were baptized in the United Church, Rev. R. A. Cameron of Richmond officiating. The Millar baby received the name Randy Ernest, the Fleming infant was christened Charles Russell.

Supper precedes closing meeting of Bedford W.A. U.C.W. members

BEDFORD - The closing meeting for the year of St. James Woman's Auxiliary was held in the parish hall on Dec. 4, preceded by a supper for the members.

The arrangements were in charge of Mrs. W. B. Bradshaw and Mrs. Grisdale Gould. The supper table was ornamented with lighted red candles and Christmas decorations. Thirty were present and a vote of thanks was moved to the originators of the project, Mrs. Bradshaw and Mrs. Gould. This is the first time that a supper had been served and it was decided to make it an annual event.

The treasurer, Mrs. George Harland, reported a bank balance of \$276.96. Mrs. Earl Bockus reported \$35 as the final amount for the Little Helpers party. The collection from the St. Andrew's service for W.A. members was \$11.05.

A letter from Miss Hazel Robinson of Nagasaki, Japan, thanked the members for \$25 sent to the family of Rev. Mr. Aizawa in Nagasaki. Mrs. Jack Paton, Dorcas secretary, reported the shipment of two cartons of Christmas gifts to the Diocese of Caladenia, also five cartons to St. Michel's Mission, Montreal, including the white gifts given by the Sunday School students and a shipment of skates in answer to an appeal for La Tuque.

Mrs. Austin Campbell, social service convener, reported birthday gifts given to several shut-ins. A sum of money was voted Mrs. Campbell for her work and she requested that the names of all who are ill be given to her.

Ten dollars was sent as a Christmas gift to the branch's adopted child in Hong Kong through the Save the Children Fund. A special gift was also sent the little girl by Mrs. W. H. Taylor whose birthday is the same day, Dec. 17. Thirty dollars was voted paid on the second installment for the child.

Mrs. John Ewing, calendar secretary, reported all calendars sold.

A memo to all diocesan presidents was contained in the M.D.W.A. Notes, asking that all appeals for Bibles received from Gambia and Nigeria be rejected. Bibles can be obtained by all desiring them in these countries at a very low price as the sale of Bibles is subsidized by the government in these countries.

At the annual meeting, which will be held on Jan. 8, a shower of jams, jellies and marmalade will be held for the Nesbitt Residence, Cowansville.

General Notes

Mrs. R. S. Grebbatt who has spent the past weeks in Exeter, N.H., with her mother, has returned home.

Mrs. D. Sampson, of Montreal, spent the weekend with her mother Mrs. William Campbell.

Mrs. Russell Blinco has returned from Montreal, where she visited her sister, Mrs. L. Ingraham, and Mr. Ingraham.

Mrs. F. E. Best has returned from Montreal, where she was with her daughter, Mrs. Donald Peets, and Mr. Peets.

Miss Nancy Campbell, of Pointe Claire, was with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Austin Campbell over the weekend.

Miss Judy Cameron, student nurse at the Catherine Booth Hospital, Montreal, spent the weekend with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Baglow.

On Dec. 7, at the Curling Club, Gordon Westcott's rink, with Mrs. W. B. Bradshaw, Raymond Whitcomb, and Mrs. S. Bird, defeated W. B. Bradshaw rink which included Miss Dorothy Ewing, Frank Lasara and S. Bird. The hostesses for the evening were Mrs. Kenneth Trickey and Mrs. Russell Blinco. Prize-winner at bridge was Miss Margaret Cockerline.

A Christmas party was planned for Dec. 23, at 8 p.m. in the church hall, for which the Sunday school children drew names, for an exchange of gifts.

Several Christmas cheer gifts will be purchased for shut-ins. The children to be remembered with candy, oranges and apples.

Mrs. Murray Nugent conducted a Christmas devotional period. Carols were sung, and the C.G.I.T. girls rendered Infant Holy.

The convener of nominations read the slate of officers for 1964, as follows: President, Mrs. J. M. Allen; first vice-president Mrs. M. Nugent; second vice-president, Mrs. Russell Rothney; recording secretary, Mrs. Lewis Eager; corresponding secretary, Mrs. R. L. Allan; and treasurer, Mrs. Lawrence Allan.

GENERAL NOTES

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Rothney were Mr. and Mrs. Ray Nutbrown, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Nutbrown and family, Mr. Lyman Rothney and son, Dale, of Lennoxville.

Mr. Andrew Nugent was a weekend guest of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Nugent, in Lennoxville.

AYER'S CLIFF

Mrs. Guyle Clough entertained at a supper party for the Christmas Club. The members played bingo and enjoyed a social evening.

Mrs. Ruby Davies is spending some time in Montreal, where she has a position.

The Doctor Says



DREAD HODGKIN'S DISEASE ISN'T HEREDITARY IN NATURE

By WAYNE G. BRANDSTADT, M.D. Newspaper Enterprise Assn.

Q-My sister is 25 and has Hodgkin's disease. Will irradiation with cobalt help her? Is this disease hereditary?

A-Hodgkin's disease is a malignant disease characterized by enlargement of the lymph nodes. It is not hereditary. Surgical removal of the tumors is helpful if the disease is localized in only one or two areas, but more often than not the disease is widespread by the time it is recognized. Irradiation is beneficial in some cases. Nitrogen mustard, a war gas, has been used but more recently a related substance, cyclophosphamide, has replaced it because it is better tolerated. Another drug, vincleuoblastine, is said to be better than any other drug tried so far.

These drugs bring about a marked improvement for a time, even in persons with far advanced disease. Their effects vary greatly in different persons and the dosage is hard to adjust without unpleasant side effects. No claim can be made that any drug will give a permanent cure.

Q-My doctor has me taking four Equanilate pills a day. Is that too much?

A-Equanilate is a combination of meprobramate (a tranquilizer) and pentaerythritol (to dilute the coronary arteries). It is used to prevent angina pectoris and is said to work better than either drug alone. It comes in a large and small size. Since four a day is the usual dose for the large size you probably are not taking too much, but your family doctor is the best judge.

Donations voted at meeting of Beebe U.C.W.

BEEBE - The December meeting of the United Church Women was held at the manse on Dec. 4, with Mrs. Rogers leading the devotions. Members and guests taking part in the candle-light service. List of donations voted is \$10 to the St. John's Hall at Quebec City, a home maintained by the United churches, for the aged and homeless; to the flower committee, to help buy flowers for the church at Christmas; \$25 for the Sunday School, to help carry on their work and \$20 was given to the Church Board.

The January meeting will feature a silent food sale, date to be announced later.

Mrs. Margaret Mosher reported on the nomination of new officers, but all officers agreed to re-elect for another year.

The slate presented was: President, Mrs. Arlene Ewan, vice-president, Mrs. Harold Emslie; treasurer, Mrs. George Wilkin; secretary, Mrs. Norman Somerville. Gifts were distributed among the members, from a tree followed by refreshments. Mrs. Rogers was assisted in serving by Mrs. H. Stubbs, Mrs. A. Pocock and Mrs. R. Denney as co-hostesses.

MORTY MEEKLE

DEC 17/63

GEE! WINTHROP LOOKS FUNNY UPSIDE-DOWN.

CINDY LOOKS FUNNY UPSIDE-DOWN, TOO.

MACTAVISH GURE LOOKS FUNNY UPSIDE-DOWN!

I GUESS IT'S ALL IN HOW YOU LOOK AT IT.

FRECKLES

DEC 17/63

MIDGET GOLF CLOSED BY WINTER.

I'VE GOT SPECIAL PERMISSION FROM THE OWNER!

BOY! A GUY HAS TO BE A REAL GUY FRIEND TO PLAY IN THIS WEATHER!

ER... NOT EXACTLY!

THIS IS THE ONLY SEASON LARD CAN GET A GOOD SCORE, THANKS TO THE FROZEN WATER HAZARDS!

BLONDIE

DEC 17/63

I'M LEAVING, DAGWOOD - I WON'T SEE YOU UNTIL THIS EVENING

AREN'T YOU COMING OUT TO KISS ME GOODBYE?

OH, SURE

NO NO

FIRST SHE WANTS ME TO KISS HER - THEN SHE DOESN'T

ALLEY OOP

DEC 17/63

STUCK IN THE MUD? HOW LONG HAVE YOU BEEN OUT THERE?

SINCE YESTERDAY AFTERNOON!

ALL NIGHT? MY GOODNESS, WHO'S THAT WITH YOU?

GHOCK!

NEVER HEARD OF HIM? WHO'S GHOCK?

OH, A LEMMAN!

SHE?

L'IL ABNER

DEC 17/63

IT WERE LUCKY YO' UNNERSTOOD OLE MAN MOSES' PRE-DICKSUN 'BOUT TH' SANDS O' TIME RUNNIN' OUT ON TWILIGHT ZONA!!

YO' SAVED ME RUM - SHUPPER - MARRIAGE!!

WAL, DON'T LOOK FO' ME TO SAVE YO'...

WHEN TH' RIGHT GAL COMES ALONG! WHEN THAT HAPPENS

AH!! HELL HER !! - AN' SHE MIGHT COME 'LONG ANY MINUTE!?

CAPT. EASY

DEC 17/63

YOU WERE SO LIGHTEARTED IN TH' PLANT, ALAN! WHAT HAS UPSET YOU?

QUIET, KATE!

ALIEN... COME TO THINK OF IT, I HAD A CASE THAT MAY KEEP YOU DETECTIVES BUSY FOR WEEKS!

DAT'S GREAT! PALLI NOT KINDA CASE!

WE'LL DISCUSS IT WHERE WE HAVE MORE PRIVACY! NOW IF YOU'LL FOLLOW US IN YOUR CAR.

BUT-

HAVE YOU GONE COMPLETELY BERSERK? IF YOU HAVE NO CASE, KEEP 'EM AWAY FROM FOR THESE MEN!

NO... I MUST THINK OF ONE FAST! ONE THAT'LL MAKE 'EM TILL THEY FORGET ABOUT THAT HEAVY BOWLING BALL!



**STOCKTAKING** — While some of her youngsters object in no uncertain terms, Macho, a chocolate-point Siamese cat, takes a stock count. She gave birth to 12 kittens in Novem-

ber but two died soon after birth. Owned by Mr. and Mrs. G. MacInnis of Halifax, the kittens are likely to prove a handful, or, in Mr. MacInnis' case, a "sockful."

(CP Photo)

**OBITUARIES**

**MRS. E. TICEHURST, OF NEWPORT, VT., Formerly of Tomifobia.**

NEWPORT, VT. — The funeral of Mrs. Erwin Ticehurst took place on Dec. 2, from the Curtis Funeral Home to the United Church for the service at two o'clock. Rev. Scudder Parker officiated, speaking in tribute to the deceased.

The bearers were her grandsons, James, Robert and Philip Currier and Erwin Taylor. The interment took place in the family plot at Griffin Cemetery where Rev. Ralph Rogers, of Beebe, conducted the committal.

Amelia Eve Buchanan was born on March 20, 1884, at Rangoon, India. At the age of 12 years she came with her mother to Montreal. On Feb. 26, 1908, she was married to Erwin Ticehurst, of Ticehurst Corner, near Tomifobia, the ceremony taking place at St. Johnsbury, Vt.

The bride came to the Ticehurst homestead with her husband and was a mother for his family by a previous marriage. Mr. Ticehurst died in 1935 and shortly afterwards Mrs. Ticehurst went to Newport to make her home with her daughter, Jessie, Mrs. Maynard Currier, and family. In 1954 she became a citizen of the United States.

Mrs. Ticehurst while in Tomifobia, with her family, attend-

ed the United Church and after going to Newport she became a member of the church there, where she attended faithfully as long as her health would permit. She had been in poor health the past several months. Her death occurred on Nov. 29.

Mrs. Ticehurst is survived by her twin daughters, Jessie, Mrs. Currier, and Bessie, Mrs. William Gahagan. Their brother Alfred, died at an early age. She also leaves a stepdaughter, Mrs. Grace Taylor; a stepson, Austin Ticehurst; 18 grandchildren and 32 great grandchildren; two brothers, William Buchanan, of Montreal, and John Buchanan, Vancouver, B.C. Three stepsons, Oral, Harrison and Leslie Ticehurst predeceased her.

Among those attending the funeral were: Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Currier, and family, Newport; Mr. and Mrs. William Gahagan, Mr. and Mrs. Neil Walker, Winooki and Essex Junction; Mrs. Grace Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Austin Ticehurst, Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Anderson, Mr. Roger Dutil, Mr. Ronald Ticehurst, all of Stanstead; Miss Doris Dussault, Beebe; Miss Evelyn Huekins, Derby Line; and others.

**EDGAR WORSLEY BIRCH OF RICHMOND.**

RICHMOND — The death occurred at the Wales Home on Nov. 20, 1963, of Edgar Worsley Birch.

Born at Bolton Abbey, Yorkshire, England, he came to Canada in 1923. After studying forestry, he went to Price Brothers, Quebec, eventually working for the Donnacona Paper Co., as assistant woods manager.

Surviving are his mother, Mrs. Stephen Birch, Yorkshire; his wife, the former Gladys May Worth, Melbourne; two sons Robert, of Donnacona, and John, of New Orleans, La.; a daughter, Monica, Mrs. Fraser Taylor of Kenya, East Africa; five grandchildren; also a brother in Montreal, and three brothers and two sisters in England.

The funeral was held at S. L. Lockwood Funeral Home, on Nov. 23, at 10:30 a.m. The service was conducted by Rev. R. A. Cameron, assisted by members of the United Church choir.

The casket was borne by six woodsmen from the vicinity of

Quebec, who had become close friends during long association in the woods.

Interment took place in Maple Grove Cemetery, Melbourne.

Among those present were relatives and friends from Donnacona, New Orleans, La., Montreal, Quebec, Stanham, Lorretteville, St. Germaine, Silery, and Coaticook.

**MRS. FREDERICK MCGOWAN OF STANSTEAD.**

STANSTEAD — The funeral service for Mrs. Frederick McGowan was held on Dec. 2, at two o'clock, in the presence of relatives and friends at Cass Funeral Home, Stanstead. Rev. Carl Gustafson officiated.

The bearers were Andrew Covens, William Dawson, Oscar Reeves, E. Goff Probyn, Clifton Sloggett and A. A. Bachelier. Interment took place in the family plot at Derby cemetery.

Mrs. McGowan, the former Addie Dailey, was born at Georgeville on Sept. 13, 1877, a daughter in the family of six children of Harrison and L. Bell (Morrison) Dailey.

She was married to Frederick McGowan of Georgeville on Oct. 14, 1896 the ceremony taking place at Derby. For several years the couple lived on a farm at Georgeville, which they later rented when Mr. McGowan went to Boston, Mass., where they resided in Boston for several years then returned to Newport.

After the death of Mr. McGowan's brother, Charles, Mr. and Mrs. McGowan sold their farm and purchased what is known as Rainbow House, a summer tourist home, which they operated until the death of Mr. McGowan on Dec. 2, 1945.

Mrs. McGowan sold Rainbow House and went to Coaticook, where she lived for two years with Mr. and Mrs. Archie Mosher. In 1947 she built a home on Daily Street, Stanstead, where she and Mr. and Mrs. Mosher have since resided.

The past five years Mrs. McGowan had been in declining health from a heart condition. She died Nov. 29, at the Sherbrooke Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. McGowan had no children but they were known to a great many as Uncle Fred and Aunt Addie.

Prior to her marriage she attended the United Church. After her marriage she became a member of the Anglican communion and was active in the St. George's Church Guild, at Georgeville. Since coming to Stanstead she was a supporter of Christ Church.

Mrs. McGowan is survived by a brother, Selah Dailey, of Newport and other relatives.

Among those attending the funeral were Mr. Selah Dailey, his daughter, Mrs. Reginald Bradford, and Mr. Bradford, of Newport; Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Partington and Ann, Mrs. Howard Bachelier, Georgeville; Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Copp, Derby Line and others from Ayer's Cliff, Beebe, and the Boundary Villages.

**15,660 dressings made at Bury for Cancer group**

BURY — A report on work for the Cancer Society during 1963 shows that 1,044 packages, each containing 15 four by four dressings, a total of 15,660 and 143 bed pads were made here during 1963, by 10 volunteer workers. The sum of \$367.75 was collected in drives.

The volunteers from three organizations, contributing one afternoon a week, spent 294 hours on Cancer Society work.

**Farnham group names officers**

FARNHAM — The Ladies Auxiliary Lodge to the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen held their regular monthly meeting in St. James church hall on Dec. 4, with a good attendance.

The nomination of officers for 1964 took place as follows: President, Mrs. J. Lesperance; vice-president, Miss Gladys McCorkill; secretary, Mrs. Rita Balthazar; treasurer, Mrs. Rita Balthazar; collector, Mrs. Mary Cautotte; conductor, Mrs. Theresa Devault; chaplain, Mrs. Laura Fontaine; Warden, Mrs. Gertrude Tart; Flag Bearer, Mrs. Henrietta Balthazar.

Inside Guard; Mrs. Dorothy Benson, Outside Guard; Mrs. Germaine Robillard, musician; also Mrs. Germaine Robillard, past president; Mrs. Elora Banks, Legislative Representative; Mrs. Laura Fontaine, delegate; Mrs. Reta Balthazar, alternate delegate; Mrs. Laura Fontaine.

Trustees, Mrs. Germaine Robillard, Mrs. Verona Williams and Mrs. Dorothy Benson.

At the close of the meeting, refreshments were served and Christmas gifts exchanged.

**Group meets for discussion on Border H and S**

ROCK ISLAND — A group of parents of Sunnyside School and the principal, Clarence Kendall, gathered at the school to see what could be done to revise the dormant Home and School Association. Parents felt it was most essential to have the Association active for the best interests of the students.

Last year the nominating committee had been successful in completing the slate of officers, with the exception of a president. At the last meeting Alan Greer agreed to act as president; Delmar White replacing him, as treasurer; Mrs. William Black, secretary. Others on the executive are Roland Drew and Mrs. R. W. Peirce. It is expected more names will be added after the association is once again functioning actively.

Mr. Greer and the executive hope the parents will make an all out effort to become active members and participants of the association after the new year, when meeting dates will be established and projects undertaken.

This Association can act as a liaison between the parents and the teachers of their children, who are students at Sunnyside.

**Waterloo HS staff guests at Montreal concert**

WATERLOO — The Staff of the high school was entertained on Dec. 9, by the School Board at Place des Arts. The program Handel's Messiah, was conducted by Victor Feldbrielle, guest conductor of the Montreal Symphony Orchestra, with the Montreal Elgar Choir, under the direction of Gifford Mitchell. Solo parts were taken by Adele Addison, soprano, Maureen Forrester, contralto, Leopold Simonneau, tenor and Donald Gramm, bass.

The concert was enjoyed by the party of 38, who attended this masterpiece in the gorgeous setting of Montreal's new concert hall.

**GENERAL NOTES**

Mrs. O. T. Pickford entertained at three tables of bridge on Dec. 6, prizes being won by Mrs. Leslie Durrell, Mrs. Roger McKergow and Mrs. A. F. Robinson.

**U.C.W. officers installed at Ayer's Cliff**

AYER'S CLIFF — The December meeting of the United Church Women was held in the final session of the year. The treasurer's report for the Christmas sale was most gratifying.

Rev. G. Joyce installed the officers for the coming year. Mrs. Rexford, convener of the Nominating Committee, presenting the slate as follows:

Mrs. Edward Astbury, president; Mrs. Sheldon Fleming, vice-president; Mrs. Nelson Pierce, secretary; Mrs. Kenneth Gale, treasurer.

This year there are to be two groups, one meeting in the afternoon, under the leadership of Mrs. Willard Rexford and the second group to be an Evening Group, under the leadership of Mrs. Sheldon Fleming.

Donations were voted to be made to the Sunday School, the Youth Club, St. John's Home,

Quebec City, and a special donation to help defray the cost of a turkey dinner, given to the school children in the cafeteria at the school.

A committee consisting of Mrs. Walter Berwick and Mrs. Lyle Thompson, was named to assist the Sunshine convener, Mrs. Stuart Taylor, with special Christmas cheer baskets and remembrances from the Association.

Following the business meeting Mrs. Fleming led the group in a devotional period.

A basket lunch was enjoyed by the members with the hostesses, Mrs. Lyle Thompson, and Mrs. Astbury pouring tea.

**UCW sponsor film of Martin Luther at Mansonville**

MANSONVILLE — On Dec. 8, the United Church sponsored a film depicting the life story of Martin Luther.

Rev. Malcolm Galbraith, of St. John, acted as emcee. A silver collection was taken between the acts.

Ernest Bradley, an elder of

the United Church, on behalf of the assembly, thanked Mr. Galbraith and Merton Bailey (expressed thanks to Vance Patterson for the use of the school gymnasium and picture equipment).

Many in the audience renewed the acquaintance of Mr. Galbraith, who was formerly pastor of the United Church here.

A large number of school children were among the well attended film showing.

The next meeting of the U.C.W. will be Dec. 18, at the home of Miss Ruth Heath.

The annual Christmas candle-light service will be held in the United Church Dec. 22, at 4 p.m.

The ladies of the Parish of St. Cajetan were hostesses at a buffet supper served in the basement of the church on Dec. 8, the proceeds were \$268.47.

**HATLEY —**

Miss Geraldine Parker, of Montreal, spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. Pearl Parker.

Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay Pocock, Russell and Joanne, of Waterville, were recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Willis Emery.

**St. Mary's Guild entertains WA at East Angus**

EAST ANGUS — The Christmas meeting of St. Mary's Guild was held Dec. 3 at the home of Mrs. A. Rowland, with Mrs. George Rowley as co-hostess.

The Guild had as its guests members of the Woman's Auxiliary. Cards were played during the evening at four tables, prizes going to Mrs. Alfred Ratcliffe and Mrs. Gerald Gaultin.

A short business meeting was held when plans were made to send plants and baskets to the shut-ins at Christmas, also for members to decorate the church on Dec. 23.

An invitation to join with the United Church Women at their Christmas party on Dec. 11 was received and accepted.

Mrs. A. Rowland, treasurer, reported that extra money had been voted to the wardens for

the church. Refreshments were served by the hostesses at the close of the meeting.

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## St. Francis blanks Indians 4-0 as Jr. Beavers eke out 5-4 win over Tech in Sherbrooke Junior League

St. Francis rallied to post a 4-0 victory over the Indians last evening in first game of the weekly doubleheader of the Sherbrooke Junior Hockey League. In the second fixture the Jr. Beavers eked out a close 5-4 win over the Tech School.

The win enabled the Saints to extend their lead to three points over the second-place Beavers, who hold a two-point cushion over University of Sherbrooke Carabins, Tech School and the Indians are deadlocked with four points each in fourth while the Maroons are in the cellar with one point for their five starts.

Coach Gilles Courchesne and his Indians held their own against St. Francis for the first two periods but in the last frame they folded and the Saints ran in four unanswered goals. The first marker was registered just after the half way mark.

The Saints banged in a goal at 10:44 and then followed with three more within four and a half minutes to post their victory. Pierre Viens posted his shutout of the season while holding the Indians off. He has allowed only six goals in seven games.

Alain Bergeron opened the scoring and then Richard Dion, Pierre Potvin and Nil Charrest finished off the scoring for the evening. It was a wide open battle with only seven penalties being called.

In the other tilt Tech held a 4-3 advantage with only five minutes left in the game but the Beavers struck fast potting two goals to pick up the win. Gaston Caron banged home the equalizer and then less than a minute later Gilles Caron came up with the winning tally to give "Gee-Gee" Roy's Beavers the victory in a hard-hitting battle.



AWARDS PRESENTED — Stanstead College held their annual Sports Award dinner when the top trophies for football and soccer seasons were presented. In the photo, left to right, Mr. Edward Cayley, Headmaster, Bob Wilton, holding the Senator C. B. Howard Trophy, for winning the football championship over Bishop's College School, Mr. Stewart Large of Bishop's, who was guest speaker, Michael Tobin, with the W. A. Kitchen Trophy, for being named all-around athlete, and J. Ames Gordon, captain of the Senior soccer team. (Photo by Andre Pepin)



### HOCKEY

#### PROVINCIAL LEAGUE

W	L	T	F	A	Pts.
Granby	9	7	1	60	49
St. Hyacinthe	9	7	0	62	32
Drummondville	9	6	0	71	41
Sherbrooke	4	11	1	51	92

#### NATIONAL LEAGUE

W	L	T	F	A	Pts.
Chicago	17	5	7	101	63
Toronto	14	8	5	89	66
Montreal	14	5	5	66	77
Detroit	13	4	6	62	89
Boston	6	14	7	60	20
New York	7	13	4	81	102

#### AMERICAN LEAGUE

##### EASTERN DIVISION

W	L	T	F	A	Pts.
Providence	12	10	3	96	77
Hershey	12	14	1	85	99
Baltimore	12	16	1	73	85
Quebec	12	15	0	99	97
Springfield	10	15	1	85	103

##### WESTERN DIVISION

W	L	T	F	A	Pts.
Pittsburgh	13	2	0	97	73
Cleveland	15	10	2	83	69
Rochester	14	11	0	100	81
Buffalo	7	16	2	66	96

#### TUESDAY'S GAMES

Cleveland at Quebec

#### INTER-CITY LEAGUE

W	L	T	F	A	Pts.
Asbestos	6	3	1	39	29
Coaticook	5	3	0	43	28
Windsor	4	4	2	38	42
Rock Island	2	7	0	29	50

#### EASTERN TOWNSHIP JR. 'B'

W	L	T	F	A	Pts.
Richmond	6	0	1	39	12
Theford	5	1	0	32	15
Asbestos	5	4	9	27	28
Waterloo	2	4	1	29	34
Megantic	2	7	1	26	36
Magog	2	6	0	18	4
Drummondville	2	7	0	32	39

#### TUESDAY'S GAMES

Richmond vs Magog (at Waterloo)

#### SHERBROOKE JR. LEAGUE

W	L	T	F	A	Pts.
St. Francis	6	0	1	27	6
Beavers	5	1	0	26	10
Carabins	4	4	0	25	8
Technical	3	6	0	18	24
Indians	2	4	0	11	22
Maroons	0	4	1	8	21

#### MONDAY'S GAMES

St. Francis 4, Indians 0  
Technical 4, Beavers 5

#### LAST NIGHT'S FIGHTS

Los Angeles-Jesus Pimental, 118, of Mexico, knocked out Rey Asis, 118½, of Stockton, Calif., 6.

## Punch Imlach and Billy Reay are fined \$1,000 each, blamed for affair, players tagged \$100 each

MONTREAL (CP) — President Clarence Campbell of the National Hockey League blamed coaches Billy Reay and Punch Imlach Monday for a wild brawl between Chicago and Toronto Dec. 7, backing up his verbal blows with a solid punch to the pocketbook.

Campbell fined Reay and Imlach \$1,000 apiece for not making any attempt to control their players during the 10-minute donnybrook. He also slapped \$100 fines on every player who left the teams' benches to take part in the brawl, either as sluggers or peacemakers.

The total fines levied for what Campbell called "the worst donnybrook that the league has experienced in many years" came to \$4,925, the largest total fine ever imposed by the league for a single incident.

Campbell, who interviewed all parties concerned and viewed films of the game, absolved referee Frank Udvari. He blamed the players and, specifically, the two coaches.

#### BLAMES BAUN

Reay, interviewed in Chicago, said he still believed the brawl was started by Leaf defenceman Bobby Baum, who attacked Chicago's Reggie Fleming at penalty box. Fleming had been banished for five minutes for spearing Eddie Shack.

"I can't understand the rest of it," he said.

Imlach, reached in Montreal, obviously was not happy with the fine but refused to comment. But Leaf president Stafford Smythe said in Toronto he thought Reay instigated the ice war by sending Fleming out to get Shack.

Smythe said he was surprised Reay was not fined more than Imlach.

"In taking this severe action," Campbell said, "it is hoped that this type of conduct will be stamped out for good and that it will serve as an effective warning to all other coaches and players that the league does not, and will not, tolerate it."

"If not, more drastic penalties can be employed."

The fight resulted in \$825 in automatic fines, mainly to players who left their benches to take part, and most of them did. But Campbell said he did not feel the \$25 fines were adequate and raised the punishment to \$100.

The hardest hit player was Fleming, who incurred \$200 in fines.

Campbell said he found no evidence to support a charge by Chicago's Murray Balfour that he was punched by Imlach or Leaf trainer Bobby Haggart while wrestling with Carl Brewer near the Leaf bench.

He did not blame any individual for the brawl and said the game appeared under control until the benches emptied.

"In my opinion there was no real control exercised by coaches Billy Reay and George Imlach over their players on the bench, and there was no indication of any effort being made by either of them to bring them under control after the outbreak."

## Wonderful Ski Trail Changes at Orford



EXTENSIVE WORK ON ORFORD TRAILS — The Grande Coulee at Mt. Orford, pictured above, has been largely rebuilt and fall program to improve ski trails on the mountain. The famous Three Creeks and Contour trails were also extensively worked on, and should prove most popular with all caliber skiers during this new ski season. The Orford ski centre has over 12 miles of trails.★★★

### Curling Results

#### SHERBROOKE CURLING CLUB

##### MEN'S TURKEY

Main Event

W. J. Fuller	6
Dr. J. Dion	3
L. Humbert	6
J. Hibbard	5
J. N. Fuller	8
G. Burt	2
O. Goyette	10
F. Pearson	6
B. Jackson	8
B. Holtham	3
E. Taylor	8
R. Mawhood	6

## Mikita-Hull tie for honors, Hall top goalie

MONTREAL (CP)—Wily little Stan Mikita turned in his best week's work of the current National Hockey League season last week, and caught up to his big Chicago teammate Bobby Hull at the top of the individual scoring roster.

The week's gain for Mikita was a whopping nine points, five of them goals, for a total of 41.

That gave him a tie with Hull, who picked up only three points last week. But since the five-foot-nine centre also took over the goal-getting leadership—he has 19 goals to Hull's 18—he gets top billing too.

The second-largest gains last week, seven points each, were chalked up by Jean Beliveau of Montreal and Rod Gilbert of New York.

#### BELIVEAU THIRD

Beliveau retains third place in the scoring race, two points behind Mikita and Hull, and retains the league leadership in assists with 27. Gilbert, tied for 14th spot last week, jumped into a ninth-place tie on the strength of his performance.

Although individual Chicago players fared well, the Black Hawks went through their worst week of the season as a team. They won only one game—against the cellar-dwelling New York Rangers—tied one and lost two, but kept their eight-point lead atop the team standings.

Toronto and Montreal share the runner-up spot with 33 points each. An 11-point gap separates them from the bottom three teams—Detroit with 22, Boston 19 and New York 18.

#### HAWKS BADMEN

Chicago, the team leader in penalties with 535 minutes, also claims the two top individual badmen — defencemen Reg Fleming, 84 minutes, and Howie Young, 82 minutes.

Its goaltending team of Glenn Hall and alternate Denis DeJordy stayed ahead in the Vezina Trophy race, but the team's margin over Johnny Bower and Don Simmons of Toronto was cut to five goals from eight.

Chicago has been scored on 63 times this season, Toronto 68. Montreal has the third-best record in this department so far, 77 goals against, and Boston is fourth with 80.

Ed Johnston, the Boston goaltender, is the only regular who has not yet been replaced by an alternate this season.

The leaders:

G	A	Pts.	PIM
Mikita, Chi	19	22	41
Hull, Chi	18	23	41
Beliveau, Mtl	12	27	29
Wharram, Chi	16	16	32
Goyette, NY	11	21	32
Bathgate, NY	9	23	16
Hay, Chi	13	14	27
Pilote, Chi	4	23	42
Oliver, Bos	11	14	25
Gilbert, NY	10	15	25
Howe, Det	8	16	24
Henry, NY	12	10	22
Keon, Tor	9	13	22
McDonald, Chi	9	13	22
Balon, Mtl	13	8	21

## Sherbrooke Juvenile Hockey League opens Wednesday, Pres. Messier to hold official opening Dec. 22.

The official opening of the Sherbrooke Juvenile Hockey League will be held on December 22 but league activities will open Wednesday, December 18, weather permitting.

League activities will start on December 18 when Esso Bertrand of Magog will visit the Noe Ponton School on the school open air rink.

The official opening will take place on Sunday, December 22, when East Angus visits Optimist at 1.00 and Classique of Magog visits Optimist at 2.30 at the Sherbrooke Arena. It is expected Worship Mayor Armand Nadeau will put the puck in play.

There are six teams in the league this year, Esso Bertrand and Classique of Magog; Kodiac of East Angus; Noe Ponton School, last year's champions; St. Pat's Old Boys and Optimist of Sherbrooke. Each team will play ten games with five at home and five away. St. Pat's and Optimist play their home games at the Sherbrooke Arena. Denis Messier is president for the coming season and he has stated that a raffle will be held in order to raise funds for the league. Transvision (Sherbrooke), Inc., have donated a sum of \$125.00 which will be raffled on January 18 at the Sherbrooke Arena between the league double header. The price of tickets is very small and sportsmen of the City are asked to support by buying tickets.

## St. Pat's Old Boys wallop Magog 103-78 in ETABA tilt, Mike Bryson sets pace for winners with 35 points

St. Pat's Old Boys defeated Magog 103 to 78 in a regular game of the Eastern Townships Basketball Assoc., played at Magog.

The Old Boys took the lead early in the game, and at half-time the score stood at 51-32 for the green and white squad. Magog never gave up and scored 46 points in the second half, but the accurate shooting of the St. Pat's forwards saw them add another 52 points for a total of 103 to 78.

Mike Bryson, with 35 points to his credit, followed by Eldon Mullin, with 21, paced their squad. Brian Harding and Bob Gaulin, with 16 points each, and Ken Pariseau with 11 followed.

As the scoring indicates the Old Boys have a strong, well-balanced team whose main asset is team-work.

McKell, with 27 points, was high scorer for Magog, followed by Ian Syvan with 18. The Magog team put up a good fight, and were particularly good at fast breaking.

St. Pat's: M. Bryson (35), B. Harding (16), G. Gaulin (16), K. Pariseau (11), E. Mullin (16), D. Brady (2), D. Findlay, B. Smith, G. Addis. Total: 103.

Magog: McKell (27), I. Syvan (18), J. P. Berube (7), M. Rancourt (6), P. Brodeur (4), D. Parker (4), E. Hensen (3), C. Whittier (2), R. Langlois. Total: 78.

## Baylor's Don Trull could smash Bluebonnet Bowl passing records Saturday against Louisiana State

HOUSTON (CP-AP) — Don Trull of Baylor could smash a parcel of Bluebonnet Bowl passing records Saturday just by enjoying one of his usual good days.

Trull, U.S. collegiate passing champion, will guide the Baylor Bears against Louisiana State in the fifth annual Bluebonnet football classic here. It's one of three big college post-season games on tap Saturday. The others are the Liberty Bowl at Philadelphia and the North-South All-Star game at Miami, Fla.

Trull has averaged 30.8 passes a game in 10 contests this year and has completed 17.4 for a per-game average of 215.7 yards.

The most passes thrown by a team in the four previous Bluebonnet Bowls were the 20 Rice recorded against Kansas two years ago. Rice quarterback Randy Kerbow, now with the American Football League, proposed Banff, Alta., site for the 1968 Winter Olympic Games and were honored at a civic banquet Monday.

The team, which opens an 11-game Canadian tour tonight against an intermediate A all-star squad, toured Banff, 80 miles west of here, as guests of the Canadian and Alberta Amateur Hockey Associations.

The mountain resort town is one of the leading contenders for the 1968 winter games.

Monday night the team attended the banquet. They remained quiet throughout, seldom applauding remarks.

Tonight they meet an all-star team drawn from the Big Six Hockey League, which lost 5-3 to Russia's national team in 151 yards and one touchdown 1959.

## \$4,000,000,000 bet on horses in US in 1963

NEW YORK (AP) — Nearly \$4,000,000,000 was bet on legalized horse races by 54,373,386 persons during 1963, both yearly record totals, an annual survey by The Associated Press showed today.

The total amount wagered on thoroughbreds, trotters and pacers in the United States was \$3,616,867,750 in 1962. Attendance was up 3,435,013 from 50,938,373 last year.

The breakdown from the 26 states which permit legalized wagering on thoroughbreds showed 35,447,849 bet \$2,739,992, 286 compared to 34,280,991 and \$2,688,126,543 in 1962. Some of the state figures are estimated, but official statistics will not materially change the over-all picture.

Harness racing reached the \$1,000,000,000 plateau for the first time with \$1,067,090,033 bet by 18,925,587 in the 14 states where pari-mutuel wagering on the standardbreds is authorized. The United States Trotting Association said this compared to \$928,740,959 and 16,637,382 in 1962.

### Record of goalkeepers:

G	GA	SO	Avg.
Hall Chi	24	1-3	4.9
DeJordy, Chi	4	2-3	1.4
Chicago totals	29	63	4.2
Bower, Tor	18	42	0.23
Simmons, Tor	9	26	2.89
Toronto totals	27	68	2.52
Hodge, Mtl	20	51	1.255
Worsley, Mtl	7	13	2.2
Morissette, Mtl	2	3	4
Montreal totals	28	77	2.75
Johnston, Bos	27	80	2.96
Sawchuk, Det	21	1-3	6.2
Gray, Det	2	3	0.75
Crozier, Det	3	9	0.300
Bassen, Det	1	4	0.400
Detroit totals	26	80	3.08
Plante, NY	24	84	2.350
Villemure, NY	5	18	0.360
NY totals	29	102	2.352

Penalties in minutes by clubs:  
New York 280, Boston 298, Detroit 311, Toronto 443, Montreal 467, Chicago 535.

## Reg Fleming tagged \$200 for tops in rumpus, \$4,925 largest sum ever collected for single NHL battle

TORONTO (CP)—The \$4,925 in fines assessed by President Clarence Campbell Monday against the culprits in the Toronto-Chicago brawl Dec. 7 was the largest sum ever collected for a single misdeed in National Hockey League history. But individuals have suffered more in the past.

The \$1,000 apiece charged against coach Billy Reay of the Black Hawks and Punch Imlach of the Maple Leafs was doubled two years ago when coach Toe Blake of Montreal Canadiens paid a \$2,000 fine. Blake was punished for assaulting referee Dalton McArthur. Imlach and Reay paid for failure to exercise control over their unruly players.

Reg Fleming of the Hawks, whose \$200 was the stiffest sentence imposed against any of the actual battlers, doesn't even make the top six.

Two players share the distinction of paying the top price of \$500 for their misdeeds. Andy Bathgate of New York Rangers paid that amount in 1959 for collaborating in writing a magazine article accusing other players of roughness. Campbell declared the article prejudicial to hockey.

#### GRABBED REF'S TIE

The other \$500 was assessed against Maurice Richard of the Canadiens for grabbing referee Hugh McLean by the tie in a New York hotel lobby. McLean had given him a game misconduct penalty—costing another \$50—the night before.

One of the NHL's most turbulent years was 1953, in which general managers Jack Adams of Detroit and Bill Tobin of Chicago paid \$500 fines for invading referees' dressing rooms, a Toronto-Montreal free-for-all brought 15 misconducts and a total of \$375 in fines, and Montreal's Bernie Geoffrion paid \$250 for pushing referee Frank Udvari into the boards.

The same year, Campbell slapped one of the toughest suspensions in NHL history on Geoffrion and Ron Murphy, then with New York Rangers, for a stick-swinging duel in which Murphy suffered a broken jaw. He banned Geoffrion for eight games and Murphy for five. It cost The Boomer an estimated \$1,100 in lost salary and Murphy about \$600.

#### STARTED BLOWUP

Richard paid another \$250 in 1954 for a stick assault on Toronto's Bob Bailey and then was involved in what blew up into the stormiest incident in hockey the following year.

High-sticked by Hal Laycoe of Boston, he whacked the Bruins' defenceman over the head with his stick and punched linesman Cliff Thompson in the eye when the official tried to intervene.

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## Czechs open tour tonight in Calgary

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#### SET THREE RECORDS

Trull set three U.S. collegiate records during the Bears' seven-win, three-loss season. He had the most passes completed—2,157, and handled the ball more often than any other player, being involved in 406 plays.

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### \$150 realized at Christmas tea by Border Unit

ROCK ISLAND — Mrs. Mer-Piatti and Mrs. Lee Wood will act on a nominating committee to bring in a slate of officers for the annual meeting of the U.C.W. on Jan. 6, in the church hall.

Mrs. Arthur Judd, Sr., pianist and assistant leader of the Junior Choir thanked the members for their contributions towards the care of the choir gowns.

A vote of thanks was extended to Mrs. Selby, who as leader of the Circle Unit has done such a tremendous good job the past three years.

Mrs. Ruth Darby agreed to act as chairman and choose a committee to fill the Christmas baskets for shut-ins of the congregation prior to Christmas Day. Instead of a gift exchange the members brought in gifts for the baskets, which were placed at the base of a decorated tree. Also, left in a place where they might be found later the group brought good

ton Davis, was hostess in her new home, attractive with Christmas decorations, for the Christmas meeting of St. Andrew's South Church Circle Unit, held on Dec. 11. A minute of silent prayer was observed in memory of the late President John F. Kennedy.

It was reported that the Circle Unit had realized over \$150 as their share of the Christmas tea and from their sales table, while the Aid Unit and Canusa Units had also realized a similar amount.

Mrs. Lloyd Selby, leader, thanked everyone who had worked and supported this project.

Christmas donations were voted for the North Eastern Vermont Association for Retarded Children, Newport, Cecil Butters Memorial Home at Austin and Home for Retarded Children at Dixville.

Mrs. Joe Racine, Mrs. Daisy

MILAN — Mr. Leslie MacLeod has returned home, after visiting Mr. and Mrs. Murdo E. Murray and Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Welch, Virden, Man.

Friends of Miss Alene Graham will be sorry to hear that she is a patient in the St. Vincent de Paul Hospital.

Mr. Fraser C. McLeod and son Robert, of Drummondville, were weekend guests of Mr. N. M. McLeod.

In the absence of Rev. R. D. Sandford, Dec. 1 and 8, Mr. Blackwell and Mr. Pettigrew, of the Presbyterian College, Montreal, were in charge of the services.

Lunch was served by Mrs. W. B. Dustin, Mrs. Johnston, Mrs. Selby and Mrs. George Caruthers.

RAISED BY QUEEN  
Fredericton, incorporated as a town in 1788, was raised to city status by Queen Victoria 60 years later.

Church group meets at Border  
DERBY LINE — The meeting of the A.U.W. of the Derby Line Universalist Church was held on Dec. 10, at the home of Mrs. Gale Bascombe.

The Leader, Mrs. Cyril McGill, read an article pertaining to the Christmas season, followed by the devotional period.

Reports stated that the Christmas sale and tea of Dec. 7, had been a success.

It was voted to send the membership dues to the U.U.W.F.

The group packed Christmas baskets for the church member shut-ins, which will be delivered for Christmas.

A gift exchange took place from a decorated tree and the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Millie Adam, served lunch.

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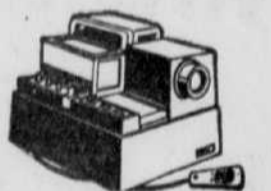
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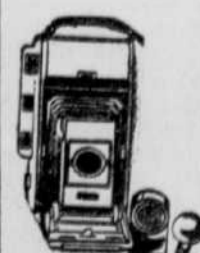
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IT'S OFFICIAL — Bob Shaw signs an unprecedented two-year contract as head coach of Saskatchewan Roughriders of the Western Football Conference. Looking on is club president R. A. Kramer. (CP Wirephoto)

### Young folk are guests at Gore Institute meeting

GORE — The Women's Institute held its Christmas meeting at the home of Mrs. Ross Carson in the evening of Dec. 6. A 44 pound parcel of used clothing was packed by Mrs. Husk and sent to the Unitarian Service of Canada. Mrs. Inez Fallona presented the Richmond County W.I. silver cup to Mrs. S. Husk, who won first prize on a pair of



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### Busy session is held by WI at East Angus

EAST ANGUS — The December meeting of the Women's Institute was held at the home of Miss Dorothy Shattuck, with Miss E. Waldron as co-hostess. Christmas cards were received from the office at Macdonald College and from other members. It was decided to send Christmas greetings to the

### AUSTIN —

Friends of Mrs. Cortland Drew will be sorry to learn that she is still a patient in the Royal Victoria Hospital, Montreal. Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Watson and Mr. Larry Boyd, Canterbury, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Patterson and Mrs. J. W. Sharman. Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Juby and family Waterloo, were guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Royea.

### THREE VILLAGES —

Archdeacon T. J. Matthews, of Lennoxville, will be at Christ Anglican Church, Stanstead on Dec. 15, for Evensong Service at 7:30 p.m. and at 8:00 p.m. to give an illustrated talk on the summer Anglican Congress in Toronto. The congregation is urged to attend and all friends of the communities are cordially invited. Miss Jennie Howe, Stanstead, is again at the Royal Victoria Hospital, Montreal, Pine Avenue, Montreal, 9th floor West, Room 9518. Mr. Robert McCammon, Kenora, Ont., is a guest at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Lawrence Wallace, and Pastor Wallace, Rock Island, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace's son, Mr. Ernest C. Wallace, Mrs. Wallace and family of Toronto, Ont., will be their guests for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Roberge Rock Island, recently spent a week with their daughter, Mrs. Maurice Morin, Mr. Morin and family, in Winooksi, and in Barre, Vt. Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Wright and daughter, Robin, Nanuet, N.Y., spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Treffe Vachon, and also visited Mrs. Wright's sister, Mrs. Alfred Davis, Mr. Davis and family, in Derby Line.

Mrs. Charles Farrow is to act on a nominations committee of Christ Church Women's Auxiliary. It was erroneously stated that Mrs. Leo Perrault was named to the committee. Miss Patricia Mayhew, Mr. William Brock, Miss Beverly Dustin, all of Boston, Mass., spent the weekend with their respective parents, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Mayhew and Bonnie; Mr. and Mrs. William Brock, Stanstead; Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Dustin, of Derby Line.

Following the funeral service of Mrs. Erwin Ticehurst, at Newport, on Dec. 2, over 30 members of the family were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Austin Ticehurst for refreshments at their home in Stanstead. Mr. Frank Meekren, Victoria, B.C., called here by the death of his brother, Mr. Robert Meekren, of Stanstead, was a guest of Mrs. P. M. Poaps, Sr., Stanstead.

STANBRIDGE EAST — The United Church Congregational supper proved to be very successful over 10 adults and children were served. Later a social hour was enjoyed. Mrs. Irene Drapeau has returned home, after spending a few days with her sister, at Highgate, Vt. Mrs. Bernice Moore, who spent a week in Montreal with relatives has returned home. Miss Barbara Wightman is back at school after being ill at home for three weeks. Mr. and Mrs. Paul Boulet motored to Montreal recently. Mrs. Max Boomhower spent the weekend in Knowlton with her father, while her mother, Mrs. Wilson is in the Sherbrooke Hospital. Mrs. Ann Harvey was in Montreal recently. Weekend visitors of Mr. Ernest Brown were Mr. and Mrs. Lester Chadwick, Lynda and Gale Chadwick, Mrs. Claire Robidoux, and Mrs. A. Tanguay all of Montreal. Friends of Mrs. Walter Brown, who has been a patient in the Bedford Hospital for six weeks, will be pleased to hear that his condition is improving. Friends of Mr. Jim Hunter will be sorry to hear he is confined to the house with a bad cold. Mrs. F. Laraway has taken over the mail route until Mr. Hunter recovers. Weekend visitors at the E. Maguire home were Mr. and Mrs. Martin Royea and family of Granby, Mrs. Tom Harding and family of Farnham, Miss Phyllis Maguire and Mr. James Maguire, of Montreal. Mr. Ronnie Cheek was home for the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Cheek. Miss Valerie Moore, of Montreal, spent the weekend at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Dussault. Mrs. Tom Brown and Mrs. Jimmy Cheek motored to Montreal recently. Miss Barbara Brown and Messrs. Arthur and David Brown, of Montreal, were at their home here over the weekend.

### Anglican Guild hold Yuletide sale at Sutton

SUTTON — Many attended the Christmas sale sponsored by the Women's Guild at the Anglican Grace Church parish hall on the afternoon and evening of Dec. 6, the event proving very successful. The hall was attractively decorated in the theme of the season with a lighted Christmas tree. Tea tables, an apron table, and a novelty table, held many gift suggestions. There was also a table of homemade cookery.

### Megantic Society elects officers

INVERNESS — The first meeting of the newly elected Board of Directors of the Megantic Agricultural Society Div. A was held on Dec. 7, in the Council Room with eight directors present. The election of officers for the current year resulted as follows: President, Edgar Nugent, re-elected; William Dinning, elected as vice-president, replacing George Pelletier, who resigned; and Raymond Dempsey engaged as secretary-treasurer, replacing C. W. McVetty, who had served as secretary-treasurer since 1942. Three directors, Alger Patterson, John Longmoor and Hubert Cook also resigned. The dates selected for the 1964 fair are Sept. 3, 4 and 5.

### Scotstown

The Young People's Fellowship Group met at St. Paul's Presbyterian Church Hall with a good attendance of members present. Leader Mr. Robert Sandford, of Canterbury, conducted the study period. Hymns and choruses were sung and a period was spent in playing games. At the close of the meeting, refreshments were served.

### DUDSWELL JUNCTION

Mrs. Cecil Coates, and son, Ricky, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lucian Lessard. Mr. Lyford George is spending some time as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Thompson and other relatives in Bristol, Conn.

### All Cookshire U.C.W. officers are re-elected

COOKSHIRE — The U.C.W. of Trinity United Church met at the home of Mrs. D. D. MacRae on Dec. 11, with Mrs. A. Morrow and Mrs. G. W. Learned in charge of the devotional period. Mrs. Cooper read a poem. The officers for the ensuing year, all re-elected, are as follows: President, Mrs. O. C. Farnsworth; vice-president, Mrs. J. W. Robinson; secretary, Mrs. E. S. Heatherington; treasurer, Mrs. D. D. MacRae. Mr. C. M. Cooper was appointed to audit the books. Motions were made for donations to the Presbyterian Allocation Fund, the Cecil Butters Memorial Home and some Christmas remembrances. The secretary stated that convalescent, sympathy and Christmas cards had been sent and read a number of thank you notes for favors received. The treasurer reported very favorably on the proceeds from the recent sale and scallop supper. At the close of the afternoon the hostess served refreshments.

### Christmas clubs meet at Pinnacle

PINNACLE — Mrs. Roy Monahan, was hostess to the Pinnacle Christmas Club, at her home Dec. 5. The afternoon was spent in playing bingo, and the exchange of gifts, between members. Later lunch was served by the hostess.

### HAPPY GANG

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Good enough entertained the Happy Gang Christmas Club on Dec. 7, when bingo was played and Christmas gifts were exchanged.

### Abbotsford WI sewing course proves success

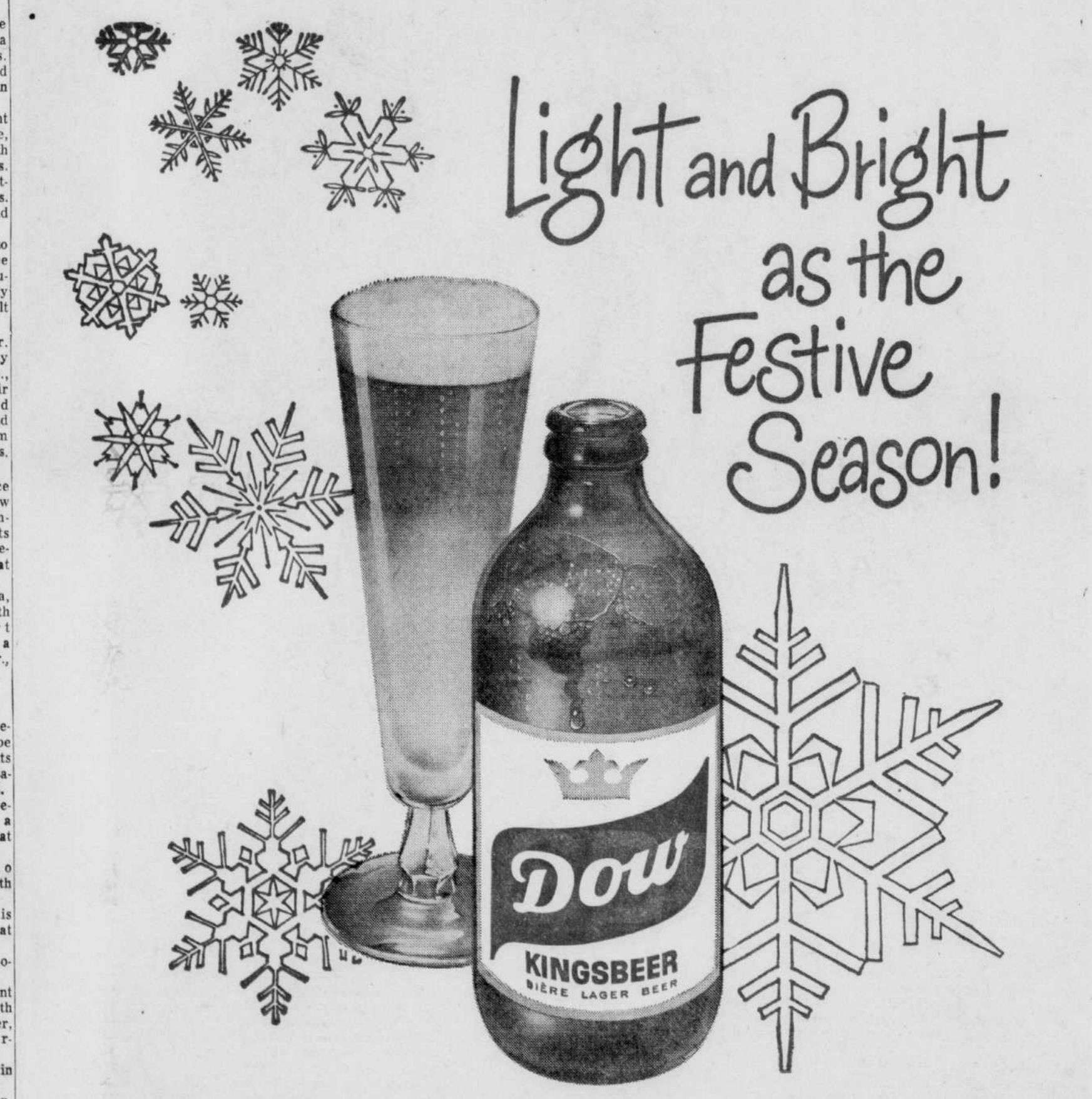
ABBOTSFORD — The Women's Institute held a very successful meeting on Dec. 4, at the home of the secretary, Mrs. Hamilton Marshall, when members read poems and readings were given centering around the Christmas season. The home economics convenor, Mrs. G. Pelletier, presented an excellent report of the sewing course held in the community for a week in November. The members learned many details of measuring, fitting and finishing articles from altering slacks to a completely finished lined suit. Subjects that came up for discussion were Leadership Training Course, Survey of Social Services of the area.

### Supper party, meeting held by Border BPW

DERBY LINE — Mrs. Alfred Aldrich was hostess for the Christmas meeting of the Border Business and Professional Women's Club meeting held at her home on Dec. 9. The members enjoyed a chicken pie supper at a candle-lit table. Later all gathered around the fire place in the livingroom which was attractive with Christmas decorations and a Christmas tree, from which gifts were distributed. At the brief business meeting the president, Mrs. Mabel Wallace, read some communications from the Provincial executive and these were discussed. Everyone donated to a fund from which Miss Ruth Wing and Mrs. Merilla agreed to purchase gifts for motherless children, for Christmas. The secretary, Mrs. Charles Merriman read an interesting letter from a Croyden, England, B.P.W. Club pen pal and a 1964 calendar which she had sent, was passed around for all to view the English scenes. Mrs. Wallace conducted four quiz games. The next meeting will be on Jan. 20, at the home of Miss Helen Cosgrove, Rock Island.

### KINGSEY

Master Jamie Senes, of Montreal, spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Max Parker and Cathy. Mrs. Henry Mastine has returned home from the Sherbrooke Hospital.



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