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Westmount Hi-Y Members Hear Howard Fullard

An airman, with one leg and with the help of two crutches, crossed Sherbrooke street and entered the Westmount Y.M.C.A. last Friday.

"Gosh, what a handicap," exclaimed several of the Westmount boy and girl Hi-Y club members, which he had come to address.

Two hours later that same airman left the building, not only with the heart-felt sympathy with which he had entered it, but also with the sincere admiration of all the people he had met that night, an admiration for the courageous way in which he has accepted the loss of his left leg.

Ftl.-Lt. H. Kerrigan Is Awarded D.F.C. On Active Service

According to an announcement from London, Ftl./Lt. H. F. Kerrigan, R.C.A.F., attached to the R.A.F., and son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold G. Kerrigan, 387 Roslyn Avenue, has been awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross.

Born in Windsor, Ont., and educated at London, Ont., Ftl./Lt. Kerrigan enlisted in August, 1940, receiving his wings and commission in July, 1941, and went overseas in November, 1941, to serve with the R.A.F. Coastal Command. He is 26, and prior to enlisting was in the Midland Securities Corporation.



FLT./LT. H. F. KERRIGAN, D.F.C.
Toronto. A brother, P/O G. M. Kerrigan, went overseas with the R.C.A.F. shortly after receiving his commission in September, 1941.

Details of the winning of the Distinguished Flying Cross by Ftl./Lt. Kerrigan has just recently been given out by the R.C.A.F., the citation is as follows:

Ftl./Lt. H. F. Kerrigan, Westmount: "This officer is on his second tour of operational duty, having previously completed a tour of airsea rescue sorties. During his present tour he has taken part in six attacks on U-boats as captain of aircraft. In one month he directed two most determined attacks on an enemy submarine in the face of heavy

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The airman was Ftl.-Sgt. Howard Fullard, of 2211 Old Orchard avenue, who has spent eight months in a German prison camp. Howard Fullard joined the R.C.A.F. shortly after war was declared in 1939 and he went overseas as a mechanic in May, 1940. When the mechanic's life became too boring for him, Howard re-mustered and became a flight engineer.

On his sixth operational flight, a raid over Wilhelmshaven, Howard's Lancaster bomber got into trouble and the whole crew had to bail out. It was then that his leg was so badly injured that the Germans amputated.

That was in February of last year. For eight months Ftl.-Sgt. Fullard languished in a Nazi prison camp. And then, in the first exchange of German and British prisoners in more than two years, Howard came back to Canada in December.

He's glad to be back. He wants to get special training that will help him overcome his handicap.

Instead of giving a formal speech Howard let the interested Hi-Y members fire questions at him. They asked him everything. He told them that the younger Germans were fanatical Nazis that couldn't be cured; that the older Germans, the ones that had been through World War I, were not too bad; that escapes from German prison camps were quite common. These and many other things Howard told the youngsters after he had wholeheartedly joined in a sing-song and had even stood up to join in the head table's version of "Mademoiselle from Armentieres."

Ftl.-Sgt. Fullard who is at present attached to No. 3 Training Command headquarters was introduced by Bob Sproule, president of the boys' Hi-Y club and thanked by Joy MacKay, president of the girls' Hi-Y.

Peter Kindersley led the devotional period which preceded the questions and answers.

Local Man Helps Armenian Drive

Montreal Armenians meeting in Rialto hall last Sunday responded to the appeal of Levon Zenlan, New York, secretary-treasurer of the world-wide Armenian General Benevolent Union, by contributing an initial \$1,280 toward the Canadian objective of 35,000.

Yervant Pastermajian, proprietor of Yervant's Oriental Rugs here is a member of the committee in charge.



"SHELL OUT, SHELL OUT"

"Shell out, shell out!" This is the cry of the three young paper salvagers in the picture above. The Boy Scouts of Canada are giving their time in various war drives, not the least of these being the collection of waste paper. They realize that paper is a war material, essential both to the armed forces and to war production. Paper is used in camouflage strips and netting and parachutes... gas mask cannisters and hand grenade containers are made of paper, and some 700,000 different items are paper-wrapped and boxed and shipped from North America to the United Nations' armies.

Westmount Municipal Association Reports Progress In Enrolments

The membership committee of the Westmount Municipal Association reports satisfactory progress in new enrolments. With a large part of the returns still in the hands of the committee members, C. S. Madill, chairman, states that the following names are among those that have been added to the list for 1944:

Wm. Ashworth, G. W. Barrington, Oliver G. Beckett, W. R. Bertram, J. M. Bishop, A. Turner Bone, Wm. Bonnar, Charles L. Brooks, Dr. Henry G. Brown, K. C. Brown Dr. Hugh Burke, R. E. Cameron, W. H. Campbell, E. J. Carsley, F. H. Clements, J. Campbell Colvil, Robert B. Common, L. A. Coulin, Papineau G. C. Couture, W. G. Cottle, Edward Darling, Louis R. Desilets, Geo. C. Drew, W. A. Doig, E. W. Dorken, R. C. Dougherty, Geo. C. Draper, W. M. Drennan, C. J. Dryden, S. T. Dunlop.

J. W. Elliott, A. D. Emory, B. C. Fairchild, John Fauvel, Alex. Ferguson, Francis G. Ferrabee, Arthur S. Findlay, H. G. Files, Dr. J. H. Finnie, J. G. Fitzpatrick, G. L. Fowler, A. J. Foy, Sydney Fraser, John Fry, B. C. Gardner, E. S. Gallop, R. W. Gibb, A. D. Gilchrist, Fred H. Glasby, Ernest Glauser, D. J. Glen, C. A. Govan, E. C. Grant,

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THE WEEK AT VICTORIA HALL

Feb. 21st: Westmount Women's Red Cross; Oasis Temple Daughters of The Nile.

Feb. 22nd: Dickens' Fellowship General Meeting; St. John's Ambulance.

Feb. 23rd: V.O.N. Social Service. Prince Albert Council, Westmount Lodge O.S.E.; Westmount Rotary Club Luncheon.

Feb. 24th: Westmount Stamp Club; Baptist Union Choir Concert; Manchester Unity I.O.O.F.; Mizpah Lodge I.O.O.F.

Feb. 25th: Westmount Women's Club Meeting; Modernaires Orchestra.

Feb. 26th: Johnny Holmes Orchestra.

TRINITY MEN PLAN DINNER

On Tuesday evening, a Men's Dinner will be held at 6.30 p.m., in Trinity Memorial Church Parish Hall. The guest speaker will be Prof. C. P. Martin of McGill University, there will also be an entertainment following, which will consist of sleight of hand tricks and songs.

Rev. Frank Morley Receives Purse

The Rev. Frank S. Morley, Minister of Stanley Presbyterian Church for the past six years, left on Tuesday to take over the charge at Grace Presbyterian Church, Calgary, Alberta. He will be inducted into that church on the 21st.

On the 22nd, the Ladies' Aid will hold a reception in honor of Dr. and Mrs. Morley.

Before leaving Stanley Presbyterian Church the members of the congregation presented Dr. Morley with a purse of \$1,000 and a basket of flowers to Mrs. Morley and gave them their best wishes in their new charge.

F/O K. S. Miller Winner Of D.F.C. Displays Bravery

Word has been received that Flying Officer S. Miller, son of Capt. and Mrs. S. C. Miller, 739 Roslyn Avenue, has been awarded a Distinguished Flying Cross while serving overseas with the Royal Canadian Air Force overseas.

Flying Officer Miller went overseas in January, 1942, and has been mentioned several times in news despatches as a member of fighter escort to bomber forces. Capt. Miller is a paymaster at M.D. 4.

Details of the winning of the Distinguished Flying Cross by



F/O K. S. MILLER, D.F.C.

Flying Officer K. S. Miller has just recently been received by the R.C.A.F., the citation is as follows:

F/O K. S. Miller, Westmount: "This officer has completed many sorties. During all these operations his determination to attack the enemy has been outstanding. On two occasions F/O Miller has led formations against enemy convoys. On both flights the attacks were pressed home courageously in the face of persistent anti-aircraft fire from shore batteries and escort vessels. This officer has also led formations which have accompanied torpedo-carrying aircraft, and has never failed to display the greatest resolution on this dangerous task."

Miss A. Peverley Urges Health Teaching In Home

"The wellbeing of the child depends upon the home, the school and the community, and a better understanding of the aims of parents, teachers and public health workers," stated Miss Anne Peverley, public health nurse of the City of Westmount, when she addressed the meeting of the Roslyn Home and School Association on Monday evening. Speaking on School Health Service, Miss Peverley emphasized the need of a sound program planned so as to have each child reach adulthood with physical and mental health, good habits and knowledge, all culminating in self-direction.

According to Miss Peverley, "The health of the community as a whole and the prevention and control of communicable diseases as well as adequate housing conditions, are all factors that help to influence and decide what the health of the child shall be."

A. Lovell Phillips, chairman of the Westmount Protestant School Commission, spoke about some of the changes they plan to make in the next five years and he made special mention of equipment and material required for the improvement of the system.

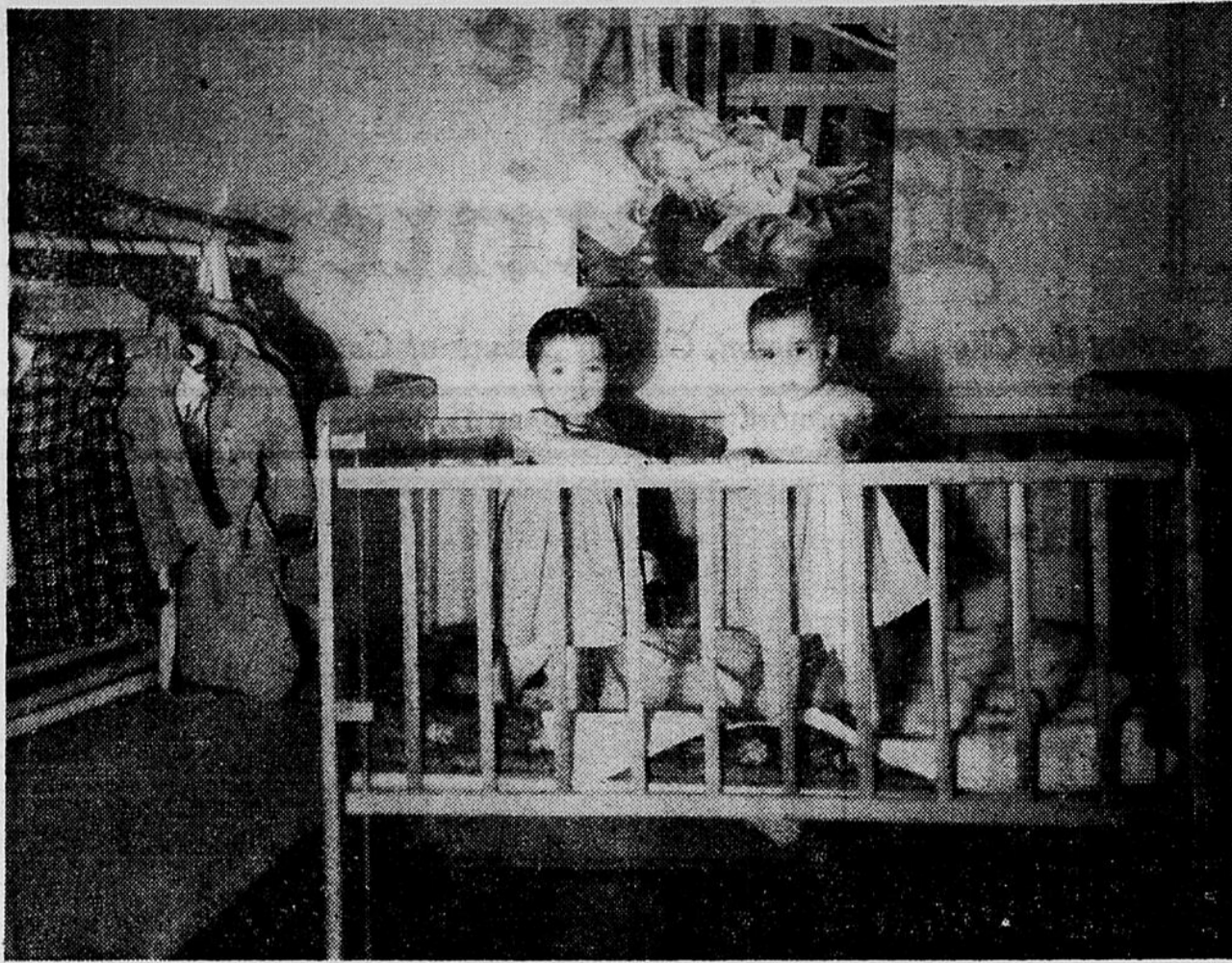
Dean LeMesurier, vice-chairman, in a few words corroborated the changes proposed by Mr. Phillips. The speakers were thanked by G. H. Penrose, principal of Roslyn School.

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Fred Griffiths, W. A. Griffiths, A. W. Hamilton, A. H. D. Hair, W. W. Haldinand, Albert A. Hanna, L. C. Hazelton, J. F. Heller, J. A. H. Henderson, W. R. Hermitage, Fred W. Hirsch, C. H. Holbrook, J. B. Holmes, B. D. Hooper, W. V. Hughes, John D. Hutchins, Ernest E. Hutchison.

H. P. Illsley, E. F. Irwin, Sydney Isaacs, J. Jacobs, John W. Jenkins, J. Johnson, J. H. Johnson, Norman D. Johnson, Wm. Stanley Johnston, A. L. Joyce, W. J. Keating, Reg. W. Louthood, W. H. Love, R. E. MacAfee, Alex MacKenzie, R. N. MacLean, F. J. McNab, Walter E. Markham, Ivan A. Martin, Miss Jean L. McConnell, G. L. McCrae, H. R. McCuaig, M. McGuigan, H. A. McKean, J. D. McKeown, Moore McNaughton, E. L. Millen, Geo. H. Montgomery, Jas. S. Moss, Geo. F. Muir, John Murray, W. A. Douglas Murray, J. W. Norsworthy, C. F. Notman, Oseis Nutik, J. B. O'Brien, Dr. J. J. O'Neill, Paul Outimet, O. N. H. Owens, Frank Parkinson, John C. Paterson, S. B. Peckham, A. L. Perry, H. H. Petry, Dr. Gordon G. Phillips, J. A. Phillips, A. Pollock, D. D. Pope, A. R. Porter.

Roger Randles, Mrs. I. Hyde Reckett, R. P. Reid, W. R. Riddell, J. A. M. Robertson, M. J. Robertson, G. C. W. Ross, Jacques Senecal, Allan O. Seymour, Wm. T. Scott, F. W. Sharp, R. D. Shaw, A. D. Silver, W. Smith, C. Stackhouse, R. R. Steeves, Col. H. A. Stewart, D. H. Taylor, Walter G. Thom, L. W. Townsend, L. A. Tucker, L. B. Unwin, J. R. Wallace, F. B. Walls, W. R. Watson, Alex Walters, J. A. Webster, Sydney T. Webster, D. A. Whittaker, Pert Wilde, H. B. Wilder, V. F. Wilkinson, Dr. N. T. Williamson, E. Wilson, H. Wisenthal, Alex J. Wood, J. K. Wyman.



HOMES WANTED FOR TODDLERS

English-speaking foster homes for toddlers like these twins are being sought this week by four child placement agencies in Montreal—the Women's Directory of Montreal, the Protestant Foster Home Centre, the Catholic Welfare Bureau and the Jewish Child Welfare Bureau. NONE OF THE CHILDREN ARE AVAILABLE FOR ADOPTION. They have been made homeless by illness, death or separation of their parents. They all need to share a home where they can find security and affection. Foster parents are paid a small but steady amount to cover the child's essential needs by the social agency and the final responsibility rests with the agency. Those interested should write Foster Homes for Children, 4635 Queen Mary Road, Montreal.

LOST AND FOUND

The following articles have been found in the municipal parks and they may be claimed at the comfort station in the park where they were found upon proper identification.

King George Park: One Roslyn stocking; white gold ring with stone; two cigarette cases, one black and one silver; boy's pair of brown oxfords with black rubbers; boy's pair of black oxfords with overshoes; blue fedora hat; some odd hockey gloves; navy blue ski cap; pair of tube skates; Roslyn tuque; geography book; Dent's Canadian Atlas; Canadian Speller No. 2; Canadian Speller No. 1; story book.

Westmount Park: Leather wallet with the name Elise Hoyes, Westmount Junior School; red woollen muff-purse.

Prince Albert Park: Pair of boy's brown oxfords with black rubbers.

Sub-Lt. Campbell Gets Commission

It is announced that a recent graduate of H. M. C. S. King's, officers training centre at Halifax is Prob. Sub-Lt. Hector Campbell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hector Campbell, 4647 Upper Grosvenor avenue. Born in Lachine 21 years ago, he was educated at the Lachine High School and Westmount High School, and had completed first year of an engineering course at McGill University before enlisting in October, 1942. He received his navy training here and in Sydney, N.S., before taking an officers' training course, and is now posted to sea duty on a corvette. A brother, Craig Campbell, is also in the navy as a leading supply assistant.

Captain Fred Bell Visits 1st Company Of Boys' Brigade

The 1st Company was highly honored to have as their guest Captain Fred Bell of the 29th Toronto Company and also member of the Canadian Dominion Council of The Brigade. Captain Bell was much impressed with the company and more especially the brass band, which he found extremely well advanced, despite the fact that it had only been functioning since last fall. He spent a few minutes with the boys instructing them in some new games which were thoroughly enjoyed by all. At the close of the evening, he spoke to the company, emphasizing very strongly the object of the B.B. and its application to every-day life. He thanked Captain Richardson for this opportunity of meeting with and taking part in

the company's activities and looked forward to future visits.

The company sleigh drive will take place on Saturday night, meeting at Town of Mount Royal for 7 p.m. Plans for a very interesting evening have been made and Mrs. Geo. Upham has very kindly volunteered to handle the refreshments, which, through the kindness of Rev. Frank Swackhammer, will be at Garden City Baptist Church, Town of Mount Royal. Boys are invited to bring their sisters along with them and the C.G.I.T. groups of Temple Baptist will also be invited on this occasion.

The 1st Company were pleased to enrol four of the N.C.O.'s of the 6th Company into the Fellowship of Anchor, and look forward to many such joint occasions with the other units of the battalion.

KNOW YOUR WESTMOUNT

Q—Has the City of Westmount a Charter?

A—Yes, but not in the sense that it is one proclamation, document or statute. It is to be borne in mind that, in common with all municipalities in Quebec, the City derives its existence and powers from an act of the Legislature or (in many cases) of the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council, taken in conjunction with broader legislation. Thus, originally, there were the Letters Patent issued 9th December 1873, constituting the Village of Notre Dame de Grace, which came under the provisions of the Municipal Code, as the Village of Cote St. Antoine (1879), Town of Cote St. Antoine (1890) and Town of Westmount (1895) the municipality was subject to the Towns Corporation Act; and when created City of Westmount (1908) it came under the Cities and Towns Act of 1903.

As amendments are made from time to time in the Cities and Towns Act, these, in so far as they apply to Westmount, modify the City's powers. There have also been amendments (Special

Acts of 1912, 1914, 1916, and 1920) applying to Westmount alone.

Accordingly, if one seeks the "Charter" of the City, one must have recourse to a "consolidation" consisting of the Cities and Towns Act and its amendments and the Act 8 Edward VII (1908) Chapter 89 (which incorporated the City) and its amendments, having regard at all times to the exceptions, etc., as set forth in the various enactments.

Q—What protection is given to the public by the City as regards restaurants and food establishments?

A—Under authority of Bylaw 500 concerning restaurants and food handling establishments, the duty of the Medical Health Officer of the city is to see that every restaurant and store, down to the smallest soda fountain that handles any edible product, keeps all containers, utensils, counters, show cases, refrigerators, sinks, floors, etc., in an impeccably clean and sanitary condition. Further, strict hygienic standards are exacted in respect of clerks

Drivers Urged To Safeguard Lives On City Streets

An urgent appeal to 100,000 motor vehicle drivers to "safeguard the lives of our children" on the streets and highways of this province, will start Monday, February 21st, the Province of Quebec Safety League announced yesterday.

Fifty thousand insert cards are being mailed to various automobile license issuers at strategic points, including all the largest centres in this province, it is stated.

The insert card, addressed to the motorists, asks them to consider it their responsibility to end street tragedies in seeing in each child on the street or at the curb, a blind and deaf human being ready to become a sudden hazard, and requesting them to drive with extra care on roads which were apt to be crowded with playful youngsters.

Sub-Lt. Langston Wins Commission

Word has been received that Prob. Sub-Lt. Walter J. Langston, 20, is a recent graduate of H. M. C. S. King's, officers training centre at Halifax, N. S.

Sub-Lt. Langston is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Langston, 60 Sunnyside avenue, Westmount. Born in Three Rivers, he was educated at Westmount High School and had completed first year of an engineering course at McGill University before enlisting in January last year. He trained in Montreal, Deepbrook, N.S., and Halifax and has now been posted to sea duty on a motor torpedo boat. A brother, Capt. Henry T. Langston, is serving overseas with the Royal Canadian Engineers.

Flt.-Lt. H. Kerrigan . . . (Continued from Page 1)

opposition. Again, later in the month, he sighted and attacked a U-boat which made determined resistance. With the assistance of other aircraft the enemy was destroyed. Flt./Lt. Kerrigan is an exceptionally keen and efficient captain of aircraft and has instilled a fine spirit of co-operation into his crew."

The brotherhood of man is an integral part of Christianity no less than the Fatherhood of God; and to deny the one is no less and they who are sanctified are

and others handling food products in that they must pass a medical examination, including tests for tuberculosis, typhoid and venereal diseases. In the year 1942 the City authorities took 524 blood samples for Wasserman tests to be made by the Provincial Department of Health. In these only seven "positives" were found.

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Westmount Public Library To Hold Weekly Story Hour

Commencing on Saturday, February 19th, at 11 o'clock, and continuing on every Saturday thereafter, until the end of the school year, the Story Hour will once more be a part of the boys and girls library.

There will be a variety to suit all tastes—if you are a six year old, you will want to hear about Walter, the Lazy Mouse, or The Three Bears. If you are a little older, you will like the myths and legends from the Tanglewood Tales. There will be humorous stories—and, of course, there will be fairy tales, that begin "Once upon a time"—such as The Princess On The Glass Hill.

Come to the boys and girls library on Saturdays—A welcome is extended to all.

Thomas Blaikie Again President

Thomas Blaikie, of 6211 Monkland avenue, was re-elected president of the Mechanics Institute of Montreal at the fourth annual meeting held this week.

Also re-elected were C. J. A. Cook, vice-president, A. J. G. Macduff, treasurer and H. F. Swift, secretary. Returned to the executive board were Dr. A. A. Bramley-Moore, F. P. Jennings, G. Alan Johnson, J. Ernest and Fred D. Roegers.

Substantial increases were reported in attendance at the library and reading rooms and in the number of books in circulation. It has also been noted that increasing use has been made by members of the armed forces of the reference library which now numbers 50,000 volumes.

In 1943 the total attendance at the library and reading room was 64,106, an increase of 1,388 over the previous year, while 7304 more books were circulated than in 1942. Numerous books and magazines were given to various institutions, as well as to the Magazine and Book Depot for distribution to the armed forces.

Hope was expressed that attendance at lectures and film showings would improve as the films, supplied by the National Film Board in co-operation with the Junior Board of Trade, were of a high order.

The treasurer's statement and auditors' report showed the Institute's finances to be satisfactory. Membership now consists of 150 life, 150 annual, and 1,500 associates.

Somehow we don't quite like the Montreal Gazette's heading on the new wage decree: "Injustice Only to Form Basis of Wage Rises."

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THE MODERNAIRES

Pictured above is the band that Westmount High likes to call its own, The Modernaires. Next Friday they are trying something new. In the downstairs ballroom of Victoria Hall they are holding a Sadie Hawkins dance. Peter King, the band's business manager, is in charge of the sale of tickets.

Top row, left to right: Bob Cadieux, Terry Drummond, Morris Lazare, Jim Child, and Geoff. Merrill. Front row, left to right: Doug Robertson, Ken McCrindle, Charles Leger, Bain Macaskill, Bill Drummond, Dick Holbrook, Lillian Adams, and the band's musical director, Walter Gurd.

Westmount Committee To Help With Foster Home Campaign

Seven Westmount residents are serving on the committee of the "Share Your Home with a Homeless Child" campaign now in progress which aims to secure 1,500 foster homes for English-speaking homeless children who are not available for adoption within the city or within a radius of 35 miles. The campaign ends Saturday.

Westmount residents serving on the committee are: Mrs. Philip S. Fisher, Miss E. G. Levitt, Mrs. I. Sydney Isaacs, Mrs. J. D. Shortall, Mrs. R. E. Elliott, Mrs. Cecil G. Smith and Mrs. Alice Macdonald. Rev. Gerald Berry, of the Catholic Welfare Bureau, chairman, was formerly of the Parish of The Ascension of Our Lord. Other members of the committee are: Mrs. J. M. Rudel, Miss M. Traves, Mrs. E. M. Weaver, Miss Edna Dumaresq, Miss L. Rankin, Mrs. J. E. Holler, Dr. Moses Scherzer and Mrs. C. M. McCrea.

The four agencies participating in the campaign are the Protestant Foster Homes Centre, 4635 Queen Mary road; the Women's Directory of Montreal, 1421 Atwater avenue; The Catholic Welfare Bureau, 1201 Phillips Place, and the Jewish Child Welfare Bureau, 2040 Bleury street. They represent three federations—Welfare Federation, the Federation of Catholic Charities and the Federation of Jewish Philanthropies.

Children are placed according to their own religious faith and none of them are available for adoption. Many will return later to their own homes when the emergency which makes them temporarily homeless passes. All have lost their homes because of

illness, death or separation of their parents.

The greatest need is for homes for babies and boys of all ages. The agencies pay a small but steady amount to cover the child's essential needs and give medical and dental care. The final responsibility for the child's welfare remains with the agency but the day-to-day care is the job of the foster parents. The agencies' social workers visit the homes regularly.

Those interested are asked to write Foster Homes for Children, 4635 Queen Mary road, or any of the four agencies participating in the campaign.

Westmount Rotary Hears Reports

The highlights of the Westmount Rotary Club luncheon held on Wednesday was the reading of reports by Vice-President Archie Callard on the various committees' activities for the past six months, and talk by the secretary, Ted Harrison, on "A Few Facts About Rotary."

Chester McBride, president, presided at the meeting. Birthday congratulations were extended to Vic Sprott and Herb Welham.

TEETH AND CLAWS

An essential part of victory must be that there should be set up a world political authority with teeth and claws and adequate armaments, pledged not only to preserve the peace, but to impose peace upon the nations.

Sergeant John C. Grant Is Home Here On Leave

Sergeant John C. Grant, son of Mrs. H. Laird of 5932 Sherbrooke Street, is home on leave from Macdonald, Manitoba, where he received his wings at service flying training school.

Sergeant Grant, who enlisted last August, trained in Montreal, Edmonton, Winnipeg and Quebec before proceeding to Manitoba. Eighteen years of age, he was attending Montreal High

Westmount Stamp Club To Hold Annual Exhibition

The executive of the Westmount Stamp Club is making preliminary arrangements for their annual exhibition to be held in Victoria Hall on the Easter week-end. This is the feature event of the year for the local stamp fans and a display in comparison with the splendid exhibits of other years is expected.

Next week's meeting of the organization will be held in the Oak Room at Victoria Hall when a contest will be held for the entertainment of the members. Lantern slides of various stamps will be shown and the members will try their hands at naming them.

The club held a Red Cross auction, at last week's meeting and another will be held in the near future.

As yet there is no proposal that Sir Oswald Mosley be appointed to the United Commission for the trial of the Fascist criminals.

A French general has been disciplined for using "a bad word." Swearing like a trooper is no doubt classed as conduct unbecoming an officer.

School up to the time of his enlistment. He attended Grace Anglican Church in Point St. Charles and was a member of the Riverview Scouts.

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BOY SCOUT WEEK

NEXT WEEK is Boy Scout Week, when organizations all across the country will pay tribute to the movement established by Lord Baden-Powell in England and which has spread to every town in the entire Anglo-Saxon world. This is an observance which will appeal to everyone, for no movement has done more for the general welfare of boys than the Scouts. Special events have been arranged for Montreal as well as for every city in Canada.

The scout idea, when it was first advanced by the late Lord Baden-Powell, made an immediate appeal to boys. It suggested adventure, service, and countless interesting things to do—camping, marching, cycling, handicrafts. What normal, healthy boy could resist it? It appealed particularly to Anglo-Saxons, nearly all of whom have a life-long yearning to go beyond the distant horizon, to see what lies beyond the distant blue hills—the yearning that drove our navigators and explorers to the four corners of the earth. It was to this intangible urge that the boy scout movement appealed, and it won an instant response, not only among boys, but among their parents. It is the very essence of the spirit that made us great.

OBSERVE AND LEARN

HERE is a kind of man that we have all met. He has been well schooled and able to render the world some needed service. Yet somewhere, sometime, he has heard it said that modesty is a great virtue and that to push himself to the front of the stage in the game of life savors of egotism. He quietly slips in at the back door and takes a seat at the rear while other players in the game of life boldly step to the front. He remains in the back row because he fears "what they will say."

Public opinion, or that which he believes to be public opinion, has him pushed to the rear and the world hears but little of him. He is constantly suggesting to himself that he should remain in the background lest he be criticized, as if criticism would do him any damage or defeat his purpose.

Yes, we pity such men. Yet from them

we can learn a really worthwhile lesson. We can learn to check up on ourselves, make sure our daily thoughts and attitudes are leading us to where we want to go, channeling our lives into the pattern we want.

THE DEVIL'S WEAPON

THERE is an old-time fable that the devil once held a sale and offered all the tools of his trade to anyone who would pay their price. They were spread out on the table, each one labelled—hatred, and malice, and envy, and despair, and sickness, and sensuality—all the weapons that everyone knows so well.

But off on one side, apart from the rest, lay a harmless looking, wedge-shaped instrument marked "Discouragement." It was old and worn looking, but it was priced far above all the rest. When asked the reason why, the devil replied:

"Because I can use this one so much more easily than the others. No one knows that it belongs to me, so with it I can open doors that are tight battled against the others. Once I get inside I can use any tool that suits me best."

No one ever knows how small is the margin between failure and success. Frequently the two are separated only by the width of that one word—Discouragement. Ask any successful man and he will tell you how narrow is the chasm that separates failure from success, how surely it can be bridged by perseverance and faith.

PREHISTORIC WAYS

We've fine institutions in civilized life, The church, the policemen, good roads and your wife;

Monkey-wrenches to toss, far be it from me, In such complicate masses of machinery. But when I'm asleep I can fly like a bird, Dip like a swallow and still race with the herd,

Instincts prehistoric crop up—they are fine— But, tsk, when I wake it's a quarter to nine. To the office I dash, if I like it or not, And work like a slave till I'm ready to drop. Over the way, Oh, it melts me to tears, Is a girl I've adored for long donkey's years. She puts up her nose and stares me right through

Because we can't formally say "How do you do?"

I wish I could snatch her and bear her away And teach her some lessons in fine courtesy, The way they were taught in cave dweller days!

By heck I will try and just see what she says!

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SPECIAL DELIVERY—VIA NORTH AFRICA

THE FORUM

Conducted by HOWARD S. ROSS, K.C., D.C.L.

In Which Subjects of General Interest Are Discussed

The opinions expressed in this Forum are not necessarily those of this newspaper, and it does not accept responsibility for them.



Frederick Kuh, London, correspondent of the Marshall Field newspapers reported recently that the European Advisory Commission has been drafting armistice terms to be presented to Germany if, as and when it may be deemed advisable. This commission is the permanent consultative body on the conduct of the war which was provided for at the Moscow Conference last October. Both the American and the Russian Ambassadors to England served on it. Mr. Kuh is known among journalists as one who, as a rule, has early word of what is going on behind the diplomatic veil. Commission members explain their action as a measure of precaution against a sudden German collapse. The drafting of armistice terms now, some observers believe, may also be a precaution against a German attempt to split the Allies by a sudden offer to surrender either to the Anglo-Americans on the West or to the Russians on the East.

Cold Cure Coming

On several occasions in the recent past the suffering public has had its hopes raised, only to be dashed again, by reports of "cures" for the common cold. It would appear that medical science actually has made some progress in its search for preventives, but "cures," as such, have not come up to expectations. Now, however, comes news and new hope from England. Professor W. E. Gye, Director of the Imperial Cancer Research Fund, has been performing some experiments with patulin, a mold-derivative not related to penicillin, and his findings may be of great importance.

The Lancet, leading British medical journal, says patulin was tried out on British naval personnel, that the drug completely cured fifty-seven per cent. of the men treated, and cured within the brief space of two days. Of a corresponding group which did not receive patulin, only 9.4 per cent recovered in that time. It is also stated that an inhalant containing patulin proved effective in quickly controlling infections of the nose and throat.

This being the case — and further experiments will soon confirm or upset the findings — it may be that long-suffering humanity will soon owe another immense debt of gratitude to the researchers. If patulin turns out to be as effective as reported, millions of people may be saved inconvenience and illness and millions of man-hours of labor may be thus salvaged. This hope is heightened, moreover, by word that patulin is easy to make and does not cost much.

During the six months of the current fiscal year, which began March 1, Dominion government expenditures were \$170,000,000 larger than during the same period a year ago. Total out in this period, exclusive of loans and investments, amounted to \$2,187,000,000 this year as compared with \$2,017,000,000 last year. Of this year's total, \$1,624,000,000 represented war expenditures as compared with \$1,046,000,000 spent on the war a year ago. Ordinary expenditures also increased moderately, amounting to \$277,000,000 during the first half of the present fiscal year as compared with \$254,000,000 last year.

Total revenues of the Dominion also showed an increase. For the first half of the present fiscal year they amounted to \$1,293,000,000 as compared with \$1,069,000,000 during the same period last year. Increases occurred in every category of revenue. Income and excess profits tax rose to \$795,000,000 from \$672,000,000 a year ago. A

similar increase occurred in the revenue derived from excise and sales taxes. These taxes brought in \$277,000,000 this year as compared with \$220,000,000 last year.

As is well known, the Dominion government has endeavored to finance the war as far as possible through taxation and to meet obligations to ultimate investors. The prospect is that this policy will continue to be adhered to throughout the war.

One of the best illustrations I know of man's failure to make the most of his opportunities for good eating is furnished by my native Nova Scotia. In the surrounding sea, for the taking in unlimited quantities, are such delicacies, as oysters, clams, lobster, crabs, trout, salmon, cod, tuna, halibut, swordfish, shad, mackerel, herring and smelts. Despite the shortness of the growing season, the land lends itself to the cultivation of a wide range of excellent cereals, fine vegetables and choice fruits. The best mutton in the world is raised in Nova Scotia. Domestic fowl thrive there, while superb wild-fowl, including duck, grouse and woodcock, abound.

Although the pick of these products is shipped away to Boston and New York to be served at premium prices by the leading clubs, restaurants and hotels, Nova Scotia could still supply her population with all of them it could eat. Yet many families live on a diet mainly composed of salt pork, boiled potatoes, bread, pie or cake, and tea, and choose to neglect the infinite variety of foodstuffs that could be enjoyed and the multiple attractive ways of preparing them for the table.

Bishop Doane of Alban, who died in 1913, wrote a poem when he was refused the privilege of rocking his grandchild, which said:

"The hand that rocks the cradle" — but there is no such hand. It is bad to rock the baby, they would have us understand; So the cradle's but a relic of the former foolish days, When mothers reared their children in unscientific ways; When they jounced them and they bounced them, those poor dwarfs of long ago— The Washingtons, and Jeffersons and Adamses, you know."

The younger generation today must wonder what a cradle looks like when they hear of the often-used phrase:

"From the cradle to the grave." The Beverage and cognate reports should say: "From the baby-buggy to the grave." The cradle is now a museum piece.

Although it provides no nourishment, water is essential to a human being for these important functions. It lubricates the joints; dilutes the blood and lymph, thereby promoting circulation; regulates the body temperature through evaporation; assists in digestion and excretion.

✠ The Church Calls to Worship ✠

Calvary Church

The services in Calvary United Church on Sunday next will be conducted by the Minister, Capt. the Rev. T. W. Jones, M.A., D.D.

The church school in all departments will meet at 10 o'clock, with the pastor's Training Class for church membership meeting at the same hour.

The public worship service at 11 o'clock will be attended by Cubs and Boy Scouts in harmony with the Boy Scout Week plans which include church services on this coming Sunday. The theme of the sermon to be delivered by Dr. Jones, who is Honorary President of the Calvary Boy Scout Troop, will be "The First Scouts on a Great Adventure". The boys and members of the staff of Weredale House will attend this service, and the secretary-manager of the House, Mr. McAdam, will participate in conducting the service of worship.

The evening service will be held at 7.30 at which time Dr. Jones will preach another sermon on Lessons for Life from the Parables of Jesus, the subject of this sermon being "Making Excuses or What Really Determines our Actions?"

On Monday at 8.15 p.m. the Young People's Union will meet.

The Red Cross Group will work from 10.30 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Tuesday, in the ladies' parlours. Wednesday, Feb. 23rd, at 8.15 p.m. (Ash Wednesday) a service of worship will be held in the ladies' parlour introducing a Lenten series, led by the minister.

At the Sunday evening service on February 27th the choir will render a special program of Scotch music, while old favourite hymns will be shown on the screen and will be shared by the entire congregation.

St. Luke's Church

The Boy Scouts, Wolf Cub Pack, and the Girl Guides will parade to the morning service in St. Luke's United Church next Sunday, when the minister, Rev. R. E. Spencer, will speak on "Scouting." In the evening the fourth topic in the series on vital questions will be "What of the Future Life?" A Fireside Hour will follow the evening service at which a musical program will be provided by the Rev. R. S. Katsunoff, of the Church of All Nations.

The Half-Way Club invites the adult members of the congregation to a showing of entertaining and instructive films, to be presented by the Junior Board of Trade, at 8.45 on Saturday evening, Feb. 19th. The program will include music and refreshments. A silver collection will be taken, part of which will be donated to the War Services Committee for overseas parcels.

The change in the Church School hours to the morning has proven satisfactory and the attendance is not lessened thereby. Parents of young children from 3 to 8 years can attend the morning service knowing that their little ones are being taken care of by their teachers. Classes for children from 9 years up meet at 12.15 after the morning service.

Some of the jobs being done by firemen in London during the air raid lull are: making Sten gun springs, counter-sinking armor plate, bending tank covers, assembling propeller plate sections, garnishing camouflage nets, making various small ammunition parts.

-London Daily Telegraph

Dominion Douglas

The annual church parade of the Boy Scouts, Girl Guides, Cubs and Brownies will be held in Dominion-Douglas Church next Sunday morning. The Scout Master, W. J. C. Hewetson and Mrs. Sydney E. Webster, will assist in the worship service. Dr. Lloyd Smith will speak on "Play the Game According to the Rules."

Church School will meet in all departments at 3.00 p.m., as will the minister's class for Church membership.

At 7.30 p.m., the special speaker will be Rev. John Karefa Smart, B.A., B.D., of Sierra Leone, who is a final year student in medicine at McGill. Mr. Karefa Smart is the son of an African Chieftain.

Mavis Johnson and A. Miles Duffus will assist in the service of worship.

The Young People's Union will meet in Friendship Parlour after the service and the young people will be given a chance to meet Mr. Karefa Smart.

The sewing circle will meet as usual on Monday at 2.00 p.m. Every Wednesday from 10.00 a.m. to 5.00 p.m., the Red Cross Unit meets and welcomes anyone who can come to help for even an hour or so.

The attention of all Dominion-Douglas adherents and members is directed to the special appeal being made by all Canadian Protestant Churches for the relief of famine sufferers in India and China. It is hoped that everyone will make some contribution.

Westmount Baptist

Last Sunday evening's service in Westmount Baptist Church was impressively successful. The service was conducted by men of the congregation, assisted by the minister. Mr. George Adam presided, C. E. Stockill led in the invocation prayer, Lt. Col. R. H. Dean read the Scriptures and Mr. H. E. Hinds offered the evening prayer. Four others fulfilled most effectively the duties of Minute Men. Each of these gave a one minute personal testimony to Christ's Grace and Power in life. Those participating were David Jones, S. C. Simpson, Pte. A. J. Francis and C. N. Mornan.

This Sunday evening's service will be conducted by women of the congregation, assisted by the minister. Dr. Johnston's brief address will be entitled: "Of Three Notable Women Which Would You Choose?" At the morning service Dr. Johnston will have as his theme: "Winners who lose and Losers who win—Spenders who save and Savers who spend."

Westmount Fireside Fellowship which is proving such a boon to young people, convenes immediately following the church service. AC. Arthur Holmes of London, England, will deliver a brief ad-

Westmount Baptist Church

Sherbrooke St. W. & Roslyn Ave.

Rev. J. A. Johnston, D.D., Minister
Hibber Troop
Organist and Choirmaster

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 20th
11.00 a.m.
"WINNERS WHO LOSE AND LOSERS WHO WIN."
"Savers Who Spend and Spenders Who Save."

7.30 p.m.
UNUSUAL SERVICE
Conducted by
WOMEN OF THE CONGREGATION,
Assisted by the Minister.

Brief Address:
"OF THREE NOTABLE WOMEN WHICH WOULD YOU CHOOSE?"

WESTMOUNT FIRESIDE FELLOWSHIP
Speaker: AC. Arthur Holmes of London, England.
Visitors will enjoy these services.

A verse for to-day . . .

For ye are all the children of God by faith in Christ Jesus. For as many of you as have been baptized into Christ have put on Christ. There is neither Jew nor Greek, there is neither bond nor free, there is neither male nor female: for ye are all one in Christ Jesus. And if ye be Christ's, then are ye Abraham's seed, and heirs according to the promise.—Galatians 3:26-29.

dress. Dr. Johnston will conduct a fascinating Bible hunt, in which many young folk take part.

Next Thursday evening "Westmount Choir" will join the Baptist choirs of the city in presenting a most interesting recital of sacred music in Victoria Hall.

Mrs. Viola Fanta, of Chicago, dyed her black hair red to please her husband, but when he asked her to turn the red hair blonde, she sued for a separation.

ST. MATTHIAS' CHURCH

Westmount
Corner Church Hill and
Cote St. Antoine Road

Rector: Rev. Canon Gilbert Oliver,
L.Th., M.C.

QUINQUAGESIMA SUNDAY
8.00 a.m. Holy Communion.
10.00 a.m. Rector's Bible Class.
11.00 a.m. Morning Prayer and Holy Communion. Preacher: The Rector.
3.00 p.m. Sunday School.
7.30 p.m. Evensong and Sermon. Preacher: The Rector.
ASH WEDNESDAY SERVICES
7.30 a.m. Holy Communion.
9.00 a.m. Scholars' Service in Church (The School Board gives permission to scholars to attend this Service.)
10.00 a.m. Holy Communion.
8.00 p.m. Evening Service. Preacher: The Rev. W. J. Bradbury, Field Secretary, General Board of Religious Education.
9.00 p.m. Teachers' Lenten Course conducted by the Rev. W. J. Bradbury.

ST. STEPHEN'S CHURCH

Cor. Dorchester St. and Atwater Ave.
Westmount

Rev. A. T. Love, M.A., Rector

QUINQUAGESIMA SUNDAY

8.00 a.m. Holy Communion.
9.50 a.m. Sunday School.
11.00 a.m. Choral Communion.
7.30 p.m. Evensong.

Church of The Advent "The Little Church on Wood & Western," Westmount

Rev. Sydenham B. Lindsay, Rector
Rev. Clifford Andrews, Assistant Priest

QUINQUAGESIMA
8.00 a.m. Holy Communion.
10.15 a.m. Mattins.
11.00 a.m. Solemn Eucharist.
3.00 p.m. Sunday School.
7.00 p.m. Solemn Evensong.

WEEK-DAY SERVICES
Holy Communion: 8 a.m. Monday and Friday; 7 a.m. Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday; 9.30 a.m. Wednesday.
Mattins: 7.30 a.m. daily, except on Wednesday at 9 a.m.
Evensong: 5.30 p.m. daily, except on Saturday at 8 p.m.
Litany and War Intercessions: 8 p.m. Wednesday.

Westmount Park

Mr. Goth is commencing two new series of sermons. In the morning he will deal with the problem of human suffering from the physical and psychological standpoints. We are surrounded on all sides by pain. What is there in our Christian teaching which will help us to deal with this problem?

Paul might be called the great exponent of the teaching of Jesus. Perhaps in no other man do we see so clearly the literal carrying out of Jesus' principles as in Paul. After his conversion Paul's life was filled with thrills, adventures, sufferings and innumerable ex-

periences which make the average Christian's life seem tame in comparison. From what source did Paul draw his amazing courage and creativity?

A special series of studies has been planned for the mid-week services in preparation for the Lenten Season. Mr. Goth will deal with the first of these on Wednesday next at 8.00 p.m. the topic being "The Discipline of Self"

Red Cross group meets on Mondays and Wednesdays.

Young People's Society meets each Tuesday

Dominion-Douglas Church

Westmount Blvd.,
corner Lansdowne Avenue

Minister:
Rev. A. Lloyd Smith, M.A., D.D.

Student Assistant:
Mr. R. J. D. Morris, B.A.

11.00 a.m. Annual Church Parade of Scouts and Guides.

3.00 p.m. Church School.

7.30 p.m. Rev. Karefa Smart, B.A., B.D.

8.30 p.m. Young People's Union.
J. M. Walkley, Organist

Calvary Church

Dorchester St. at Greene Ave.,
Westmount

Minister: Capt. the Rev. T. W. Jones,
M.A., B.D.

10.00 a.m. Church School.
11.00 a.m. Boy Scout and Cub Service, with Boys and Staff of Weredale House attending. Theme, The First Scouts on a Great Adventure.

7.30 p.m. Making Excuses or What Really Controls Your Life?
Monday, 8.15 p.m. Young People's Union.

Tuesday, 10.30 a.m. to 4 p.m. Red Cross Group.

Wednesday, 8.15 p.m. (Ash Wednesday) Lenten Service of Worship, led by the Minister.
Sunday, Feb. 27th, 7.30 p.m. Program of Scotch music and old favourite Hymns.



St. Luke's United Church

Decarie Boulevard
(Just above Sherbrooke Street)

Minister:
Rev. R. E. Spencer, M.A., B.D.

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 20th
11.00 a.m. "Scouting." Boy Scouts, Wolf Cubs, Girl Guides will parade to service.

11.00 a.m. Nursery, Beginners' and Primary Classes.
12.15 p.m. Junior, Intermediate and Senior Classes.

7.30 p.m. Vital Questions:
(4) "What Of the Future Life?"

Fireside Hour—Rev. R. S. Katsunoff, D.D. — Music.

WESTMOUNT PARK CHURCH

(Cor. Lansdowne & Western Aves.)

Minister:
Rev. George W. Goth, B.A., B.D.

11.00 a.m. "The Mystery of Pain."

3.00 p.m. Church School.

7.30 p.m. "Paul—the Magnificent."

The first of a series of sermons on the greatest Christian since Christ.

J. C. Scott, L.R.S.M., Choir Director.

Mrs. S. C. Burgess, Organist.

Social and Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Dautre visited in Magog last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Jory, of Hamilton, Ont., have been visiting Mrs. Taylor, Edgemoor Road.

St. Matthias' Church will hold its Annual Reception in the Parish Hall this evening, at 8.30 p.m.

Mrs. H. B. McFarlane, of Winnipeg, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. P. A. McFarlane.

Mrs. A. B. Powis has been in Kingston, visiting Mrs. A. E. Mowatt.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Kay spent the weekend in Magog, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Pratt.

Last weekend Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Burpe were in Magog, visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. Pratt.

Mrs. T. R. Rennie and Mrs. R. G. Bain spent last week-end at the Selgnoy Club.

Miss Peggy Austin arrived in town last Friday from Washington, D.C., to spend a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John C. Austin.

Mrs. A. E. Walford has returned after a ten day stay at Rawdon, where she was a guest at Heather Lodge.

Mrs. Pauline Evers, of the Canadian Red Cross Corps of Calgary, Alberta, is visiting Captain and Mrs. Jack Rankin, Kensington Avenue, for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Olivier Rolland and Miss Claire Rolland, of Mont Rolland, will be in town tomorrow for the marriage of Miss Andree Papineau and M. Paul Gerin-Lajoie.

Mr. J. G. Glasco, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. P. S. Glasco, left last Friday to visit his son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Grant Glasco, in Toronto, on his way back to his home in Winnipeg.

Mrs. Victor G. Bartram and her daughter, Barbara, left on Wednesday for New York, where they

will spend a few days before proceeding to West Palm Beach, Florida. They expect to be away for six weeks.

Miss Mary Etta MacPherson, managing editor of The Chate-laine, who has just returned from a two months' stay in Great Britain, will be the speaker at the Charter Day Luncheon of the Notre Dame de Grace Women's Club which is being held on Friday, March 3rd, in the Mount Royal Hotel. The soloist on this occasion will be Ada Warren, soprano, accompanied by Mrs. Alfred Fossati.

Our columnist, Mr. H. S. Ross, K.C., left on Tuesday night for Quebec where he was scheduled to appear before the Private Bills Committee of the Legislature in support of the application for incorporation by the Associated Gospel Churches for whom he is acting as attorney.

Mrs. Arthur Fry entertained at luncheon at the Themis Club on Saturday in honor of Miss Cecilia Anne Stethem, whose marriage to Flying Officer William Gordon Bryson, R.C.A.F., takes place on Saturday, February 26. Mrs. J. E. H. Stethem was hostess at a trousseau party on Tuesday evening in her daughter's honor, and on Friday evening, February 25, Mrs. George K. MacDougall is giving a party for the bride-elect and her fiancé.

WEDDINGS WHITE-PRATT

The marriage of Margaret Elizabeth (Peggy), daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Pratt, to Mr. William Anthony White, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. White, of Markham, Ont., took place on Saturday morning at nine o'clock in the Church of the Ascension of Our Lord, the Rev. Father George F. Thoms officiating.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore an afternoon gown of Atmosphere blue crepe with matching hat and brown accessories. Her bouquet was composed of Talisman roses and she wore a string of pearls, the gift of the bridegroom. Mrs. R. L. Skillen, the bride's only attendant, wore a gold-colored dress with brown accessories and brown hat, and carried pale roses. Mr. F. McQuillan acted as best man, and the ushers were Mr. R. C. Pratt, brother of the bride and Mr. J. H. C. Houston.

After a reception Mr. and Mrs. White left for a honeymoon in the Laurentians.

CHRISTENINGS

An interesting baptismal service was held on February 6th, at the home of R.Q.M.S., S. A. Lapointe and Mrs. Lapointe, 110 Columbia Avenue, when their grandchild was christened by the Rev. Capt. T. W. Jones of Calvary United Church, and the baby was given the names Louis Andrew Rivard. The baby who is the son of Desiré Louis Rivard, R.C.A. S.C., and Mrs. Rivard, came over to Canada with his mother when his father went to Italy with his regiment. The godparents are

SUBSCRIBERS TO CHARTER DAY LUNCHEON NDG CLUB

Early subscribers to the Charter Day Luncheon of the Notre Dame de Grace Women's Club to be held Friday, March 3rd, in the ballroom of the Mount Royal Hotel, under the chairmanship of Mrs. C. C. Parkes, are:

Mesdames S. A. MacSween, J. Wilfred Shaw, R. G. Blain, Garnet W. Cross, M. Schade, Lawrence S. Marsh, M. G. Price, A. W. Bell, F. W. Bishop, K. E. Norris, C. H. P. Moore, D. K. Gowans, L. Campbell, H. J. Everett, Percy Clarkson, J. H. Maude, H. B. Meynell, G. E. Stephens, A. F. Bull, R. Varey, I. K. Lowry, A. D. Pelletier, F. N. Ward, Jas. Rillie, Alex. D. Ledingham, J. Webber, H. A. MacKenzie, Geo. G. Wakeman, Norman B. Muir, M. F. Lightfoot, F. W. Benn, J. Fitzgerald, M. Whalen, B. B. Brown, J. T. Keay, R. Drain, E. B. Nilson, T. Parr, W. A. Cooper, N. W. Cunningham, I. Case, Herbert Gilbert, S. W. Angell, V. C. Moulton, J. Cleveland Fraser, J. C. Vibert, Geo. Brown, M. Laing, J. Jones, O. W. Nless, T. Paton, R. Reynolds, B. Duncan, S. Blackwell, E. Freethy, C. V. Curtis, A. T. Metcalfe, W. S. Swetnam, A. Duddridge, F. L. Shonkwiler, R. A. Greenleaf, P. D. Martin, R. A. Robinson, Eric Finch, C. A. Camirand, R. Roberts, W. L. Latimer, Walter French, Wm. Hannah, C. W. Dumas, J. Jack, C. Neal, F. T. Fitzold, A. Adams, H. V. Armstrong, W. Sparks, J. Wilson, S. E. Taylor, R. C. Braithwaite, W. C. Chesney, E. G. Jones, A. G. Coles, G. H. Shepard, S. England, C. J. Chislett, H. C. Spencer, E. T. Tomalty, J. S. Moffat, C. E. Potts, H. A. Adams, W. Wilson and C. S. Ogilvie.

SCHEDULE OF W.M.S. LOCAL MEETINGS FOR DAY OF PRAYER

The World Day of Prayer for Women under the Inter-Board Committee of the Women's Missionary Societies of Canada will be observed in Baptist churches with Presbyterian leaders assisted by representatives of the Salvation Army, Anglican and United churches on February 25th, the first Friday in Lent, at 3 p.m.

In Westmount Baptist church Mrs. Chas. Johnson will lead in Verdun Olivet Baptist Church the leader will be Mrs. A. M. Hill and in Notre Dame de Grace Madison Ave. Baptist Church Mrs. W. Roland Kennedy will be the leader.

At 8.15 p.m. a service will be held in the First Baptist Church, Guy and Dorchester streets, to which all women are invited. Mrs. Norman Dunlop will be the leader.

Corp. G. Dwight Rivard, R. C. A. F., and Miss Suzanne Lapointe cousin and aunt of the baby.

Mrs. D. L. Rivard, formerly Mary D. Coleman of England, with her baby, is now residing with her husband's parents.

Among those attending the ceremony were Mrs. O. Licop, and her son W. Licop of Lachute; Rev. Emile Rivard and Mrs. Rivard, Pointe aux Trembles; Rev. Cleophas Lapointe and Mrs. Lapointe; Mr. and Mrs. Desire Helynek, Major Bartlett Buchanan and Mrs. Buchanan, Jules Lapointe, Corp. Victor Crepelle, R. C. A. M. C., and Mrs. Crepelle, Miss B. Beebe of Port Daniel, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Bourdon, Sergt. Major Black and Mrs. Black, Mr. and Mrs. D. Wilmut, Mrs. Ian McDonald, Mrs. Hilda Moore, Mrs. S. Kraak, Miss Laura Helynek and Mrs. Rinder of London, England.

The house was decorated for the occasion with a profusion of flowers, and refreshments were served by Mrs. S. A. Lapointe, assisted by Mrs. Coleman, Mrs. Licop and Mrs. D. Helynek.

Educational Projects Given Fine Support by Bessborough

The 13th annual report of the Earl of Bessborough Chapter held last Thursday at the home of Mrs. H. Laws, disclosed a year of great activity. Total funds received during 1943 were \$1,350.45, comprising General Fund of \$573.56 and War Fund \$776.89. These funds were raised by means of Military Whists, Rummage Sales, Sales of Work and Baking and Drawings.

A special donation of dressed dolls and animals was forwarded to England to the care of the Earl of Bessborough, to be distributed in British Children's Hospitals. A feature of the Educational work of the Chapter has been the adoption of country schools and in 1943 a third school was presented with an I.O.D.E. Library and other material of an educational nature. The following I.O.D.E. projects were supported during the year:—Agricultural Bursary, MacDonald College Bursary, Dental Clinic, I.O.D.E. work-rooms, Labrador Schools Fund, Work in India, War Guests Fund, Polish Relief Fund, Hospitality House at Lachine, Prisoners of War Fund, Cigarette Fund for Prisoners, Camp Libraries, Cigarettes for Ste. Anne's Hospital, British Children's Clothing Fund, Blanket Fund and Chocolate for the Navy.

A special donation was made to assist in the founding of the N. D. G. Children's Library, \$20.00 being given for this purpose. Five Xmas Baskets and several boxes of Toys were distributed to needy families. Twelve Ditty Bags of the value of \$40.00 were filled and sent in. The younger members of the Chapter were on the list of hostesses to serve at Hospitality House at Lachine and numerous Service men and women were recipients of Home Hospitality from the members. The Secretary in her report thanked the newspapers for their unflinching help. The Examiner and Monitor having at all times given ample space for the activities of the Chapter to be placed before the public.

Many articles both for the ser-

vices and civilians were made during the year and sent in to the Work-rooms, including 26 pairs of men's pyjamas when a special request for a large number of these was made to the I.O.D.E.

Officers elected for the coming year were Regent, Mrs. A. W. Myers; First Vice-Regent, Mrs. A. E. Watts; Second Vice-Regent, Mrs. A. Wallace; Treasurer, Mrs. G. F. Green; Secretary, Mrs. C. T. Groome; Educational Secretary, Mrs. C. Oliver; Echoes Secretary, Mrs. R. J. Grant, Standard Bearer, Miss Mavis Porteous.

R.M.R. Next-of-Kin Enjoy Program Of Sketches, Dancing

Dramatic sketches by Mr. Whitfield Aston were greatly appreciated by the wives and mothers at the next-of-kin meeting of the Royal Montreal Regiment held recently in St. Matthias Parish Hall. A dance recital in costume by members of the Betty Speirs School of Dancing was entertaining. Those taking part included Mr. Peter Miller and Miss Nancy Telfer and the Misses Helen Holbrooke, Ann Macaulay, Elsie Macaulay, Marilyn Harris, Nola Goodgerhill, Dora Whalen, Carl Rollo, Sheila Pettigrew, Helen Donaldson, Lois Rockwell, Patsy Cunningham, Shirley-Anne Moser, Elaine Albert, Maureen Donahue, May Racine, Bernice Bartlett, Florence Cohen, Grace Dean. The Mistress of Ceremonies was Miss Betty Speirs. At the conclusion of the program, lucky door prizes were drawn, and refreshments were served by members of the committee.

Labelling Recommended

Informative labelling of women's clothing was recommended by 14 Regional chairmen of the Consumer Branch when they met in Ottawa recently. Their resolutions also dealt with grading of beef, low-heeled shoes for growing girls, more pressure cookers, and elastic.

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Round Table Chats

THE WOMEN OF FRANCE

When, after the liberation of their country, the French people will elect their "National Assembly," the women of France, for the first time in French history, will be admitted to vote in a general election. The definite scheme of the French post-war setup is still discussed in Algiers, but all parties and groups agree that from now on French women should have the same political rights as Frenchmen.

The French women have not won their right to vote by staging mass meetings and street manifestations. The "suffragette" movement has always been weak in France, and was even opposed by many intelligent women. They shunned the limelight of the political market-place and believed that in their feminine way, by working behind the scene and by influencing the men in power, they could do more to shape the destiny of their country than by throwing in their ballots with the men. Actually, women have always played a very important role in French politics.

Yet the breakdown and the occupation of France, the imprisonment and deportation of millions of Frenchmen, have put new and heavy responsibilities on the shoulders of the French women. Nobody who knows conditions inside France have done more than their share in the defense of their country against the ruthless invaders. It is no exaggeration to say that without the participation of the women in the underground struggle the French movement of resistance would have broken down long since. Paul Simon, editor of the first French underground paper, Valmy, which began to appear in December, 1940, relates how the most dangerous missions of his underground organizations were carried out by courageous women. They gaily risked their lives by stealing typewriters, paper, printers' ink from the offices of the German authorities.

Madame Albrecht Honored

The Germans have shown no mercy for the women they captured in underground activities. Hundreds have been executed, thousands have been jailed or deported. Recently, General Charles de Gaulle honored the memory of a most valiant French woman, Madame Albrecht, who — a new Edith Cavell — saved the lives of dozens of underground fighters and who continued her work until she was eventually executed by the Nazis.

In Algiers, provisional capital of France, French women are taking increasing part in all kinds

of activities. "First lady" in Algiers—Madame Charles de Gaulle preferring to remain in the shadow—is Madame Marguerite Catroux, wife of the Fighting French officer and Governor General of Algiers. Madame Catroux has the official title of "inspector of the women's corps of the French Army," but everybody knows her under the name of "la générale." This middle-aged woman has an enormous working power and the field of her activities is vast. She heads, organizes, and supervises the "Volontaires Françaises." There are today almost 4,000 women volunteers in the French Army; the Algiers branch—by far the most important—is commanded by Maj. Alla du Mesnil, the British section by Capt. Helene Terré. Among the recent recruits of the "Volontaires" is Mademoiselle Eve Currie. Women are particularly numerous in the military transmission service, being radio operators, telephonists, etc., with the armed forces. Besides this, hundreds of women have joined the corps of military nurses.

The women naval corps, the French Waves, are under the command of Lieut. Françoise Driart, wife of Vice-Admiral Léon Driart.

Bullfighter Blouse Is Frilly, Feminine

Elizabeth Anderson is a designer who, finding the careful embroidery of the Mexican women full of charm, conceived the idea of incorporating its beauty in fashions which could be worn by smart women. To her goes credit for many of our clever new blouses, including one which recalls the shirt worn by Mexican bull fighters, inset with fine lace and frothy with ruffles. She has greatly aided the Mexican women of Taxco to market their work.

Women are now buying woollens imported from Mexico. These include coatings and suitings that incline to herringbones in dark color mixtures, sharp black-and-white checks, and plain woollens with thick mat surfaces. But these are less important than some of the fine hand-woven, hand-dyed, hand-printed fabrics that find their way into costumes from the work-shop of The Tillett Brothers in Cuernavaca. These two Englishmen have made a distinguished contribution to fine fabrics, whether their designs comprise conventional Mexican figures, the landmarks of Cuernavaca, or the stealthy tracks of a mountain leopard.

Handmade leather slippers from Mexico, more conventional than the huaraches that have been so promptly accepted for beach wear, are now in the market. These are of moccasin design and come in gay primitive colors with contrasting lacings.

No More Treats for Sparrows

What to do with not-so-fresh cake and cookies is always a problem. What about cutting the cake fingers, adding fruit and uncooked custard mixture. Set in a pan of hot water and oven-poach until set. Ever tried stuffing baked apples with stale cookie or cake crumbs? Good, but don't forget the spices!

CONVOY OFFICERS SHEPHERD BRITISH NOVICES TO WORK

Convoy Officers, of the Ministry of Labour in Britain, are women of fine calibre who spend long hours in crowded railway stations, and whose worth has recently been publicly commended in speeches from high places. The Convoy Officer escorts conscripted girl workers from home to distant factory when they must go into "munitions."

Girls Under Convoy

Traveling at night with large parties of transferred workers, the "escort" does what she can to bring comfort to young girls, many of whom have rarely before slept away from home and mother. Others standing-in for "Our

Thin Stationery Saves Space For More Letters

Letters for nearly half a million Canadians overseas stream into postal depots everyday. Not counting any other mail, these fill up planes, trains and ships for their bulk is enormous! But it is only half as great when thin, airmail type paper is used. This kind of paper weighs only half

Mom" till the peace-bells ring, are wardens in the factory hostels, Land Army hostels, in hostels for husbands whose wives are evacuated, matrons in wartime nurseries, shelter marshals, women with rooms ready to accommodate stranded members of the forces in their homes, those who mend socks for soldiers and canteen workers.

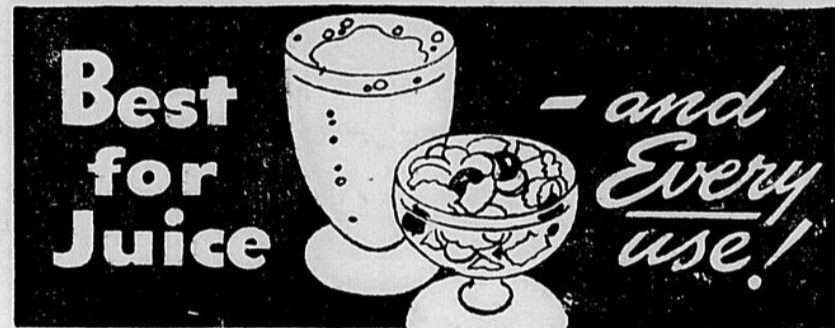
what ordinary letter paper does. This means that more letters can travel at one time and more letters reach their destination without delay. By using lightweight paper for all correspondence Canadians will conserve time and paper and with a paper shortage this is important too.

Postal authorities stress the importance of addressing mail, fully, legibly and correctly. Disappointment and delay are the results of carelessly addressed mail. With the volume of mail increased many times over, and hundreds of untrained postal workers replacing experienced men now in the fighting forces, the public is asked to co-operate in observing these suggestions.

When it seems nigh impossible to remove a glass stopper from a bottle, the bottle should be held under the hot water faucet, allowing the hot water to pour over it for a few moments.

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SODALITY THANKED FOR HOSPITAL WORK BY MRS. REYNOLDS

The regular monthly meeting of the Union of Parish Sodalities was held in St. Paul's Academy, when sodalists of Ascension Parish Sodality were hostesses to the Union. Miss Ali Tremblay, President of the Union, welcomed the large gathering and extended a special greeting to Mrs. Leo Reynolds, President of St. Mary's Hospital Ladies' Auxiliary, who was special guest of the evening. The President announced that an application had been received from St. Raphael's Sodality for membership in the Union. This was voted upon by the delegates and unanimously accepted, thus making the 13th member Sodality in the Union. Plans for World Sodality Day, which falls on 14th May, were discussed and were held over until the next meeting.

Mrs. Leo Reynolds gave a short talk to the group expressing her appreciation of the work done by the Sodalities in the Union in assisting St. Mary's Hospital. To date over 7,000 bandages and dressings have been made and approximately 140 hours have been put in by the Hospital Aides and the Nurses Aides. It was announced that training or relief elevator operators will be started shortly.

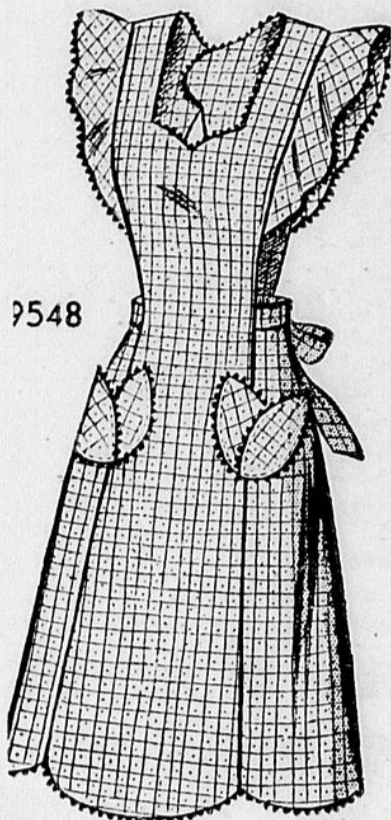
The group committee meetings were held, and the meeting was brought to a close with mental prayer by Father George F. Thoms.

Miss Frieda Matthews To Address Melville Young Ladies

Melville Presbyterian Young Women's Auxiliary will hold their meeting on Monday evening at 8:15 p.m. in the Church Hall. Miss Frieda Matthews is to be the speaker and will discuss vital problems of to-day. Miss Matthews taught in the Indian schools and was Deaconess in the Prairie Provinces before being appointed Field Secretary of the Presbyterian Church W. M. S. and she has a very interesting story to tell of her experiences across Canada. Conditions in Western Canada and what part the Churches will have to take in after the war re-construction will be dealt with.

HOME ECONOMICS

ANGEL WINGS



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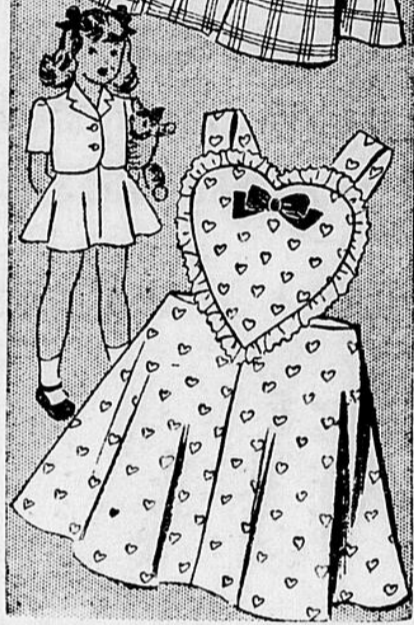
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Each pattern costs twenty-five cents (25c), which should be sent in coin (stamps cannot be accepted), to The Examiner, Needlecraft Department, 2191 Hampton Ave., N.D.G., Montreal. Write plainly, the pattern desired, the pattern number, your name and address. Because of the slowness of the mails delivery of our patterns may take a few days longer than usual.

Accord Honor to Pioneers S. Ells Urges Women's Club

That the spirit of the early pioneers still lives in the Canadians of today is the opinion of S. C. Ells, F.R.G.S., of the Department of Mines, Ottawa, who spoke to the Montreal Women's Club at the Mount Royal Hotel last Monday. Deploring the lack of honour accorded to our pioneers of the 18th and 19th centuries, the speaker urged the women's clubs of this city to foster the setting up of monuments to the pioneers in the national Hall of Fame at Ottawa.

Mr. Ells read selections from his stories and poems "Northland Trails." These readings were illustrated by slides made from his sketches of the dog team, caribou or half-breed mentioned in his writings. These poems served to show the intense influence of their environment on the Northern people. The "Lure of the North" Mr. Ells maintained, was the desire of man to be free from restrictions and conventionalities. Referring to the opening of the

Alaska highway, Mr. Ells contrasted the building of this highway with that of the Burma Road. While both were completed in record time, yet the cost of the Burma Road was high in mortality though low in finance, the exact reverse being true of the Alaska highway.

Mrs. H. G. Hatcher, chairman of the Home and Education Department, introduced the speaker. A question period followed the lecture.

Sunshine Bridge

The Victoria Sunshine Society will hold an afternoon Bridge in the Westmount Y. M. C. A. on February 29th at 2.30 p.m., under the convenership of Mrs. G. C. Davis.

Parsley Preview

There's no charge or priority demanded for the extra ration of iron in tangy flavoured parsley. Its fresh dark green leaves add iron and Vitamins A and C to our diets. Chop it up fine and float it on soup... at the last minute of course. Or use it on vegetables in raw salads, fish dishes.

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ORPHANAGE VISITED BY SODALITY GIRLS

The Union of Parish Sodalities was the guest of the Young Ladies' Sodality of the Church of the Ascension of Our Lord, at the general meeting on Monday in St. Paul's Academy.

Mae Nadig reported that the Valentine Bridge held in Victoria Hall on February 11th was both a social and financial success. The proceeds of this Bridge will enable the Sodality to carry on its charitable works.

A report was given of the visit to St. Patrick's Orphanage on Saturday, February 12th. Both the Sodalists and children enjoyed the various games, and prizes were distributed to the winners. Ice cream and movies were features of the entertainment.

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Ninety-Seventh Annual Report

MONTEAL, FEBRUARY 19TH, 1944.

TO THE SHAREHOLDERS:
Gentlemen,
Your Directors have pleasure in presenting the ninety-seventh Annual Report of the affairs of the Bank and the result of its operations for the Year ending December 31st, 1943.

The net profits for the year were \$398,443.71 and the balance brought forward from last year's Profit Account was \$243,906.13, making a total of \$642,349.84. In addition to the usual quarterly distributions to its shareholders, the Bank contributed from this amount \$16,450.00 to various charitable and philanthropic funds—independently of the sum of \$9,950.00 interest on the Charity Donation Fund, distributed as usual, and has transferred \$200,000.00 to the Reserve Fund, bringing the latter to \$3,500,000.00—leaving a balance at the credit of undivided Profits Account of \$145,899.84, to be carried forward to next year.

As usual, a frequent and thorough inspection of the books and assets of the Bank has been made during the year.

The Report of the Auditors and the Balance Sheet are herewith submitted.

D. A. HINGSTON,
President.

GENERAL STATEMENT
DECEMBER 31st, 1943

LIABILITIES

To the Public:		
Deposits bearing interest, including interest accrued to date	\$77,168,632.85	
Deposits not bearing interest	1,866,120.76	
Charity Donation Fund	180,000.00	
Other Liabilities	1,239,032.44	
		\$80,433,785.85

To the Shareholders:

Capital Stock (Amount subscribed \$2,000,000.00), paid up	\$ 2,000,000.00
Reserve Fund	3,500,000.00
Balance of Profits carried forward	145,899.84
Dividends outstanding	660.66
Dividend payable January 3rd, 1944	80,000.00
	6,726,560.50
	\$85,900,346.05

RESOURCES

Cash on hand and in Chartered Banks	\$ 9,155,833.13
Dominion and Provincial Governments Bonds	61,996,982.76
Canadian Municipal Bonds and Debentures	14,745,355.81
Bonds of Canadian School Municipalities	228,451.05
Bonds of Canadian Public Utilities Corporations	5,373,240.00
Sundry Securities	200,000.00
Call and Short Loans, secured by collateral	2,982,998.61
Charity Donation Fund, invested in Dominion and Canadian Municipal Securities approved by the Dominion Government	180,000.00
	\$84,862,910.87
Bank premises (Head Office and Branches)	1,000,000.00
Other Assets	\$7,435.18
	1,037,435.18
	\$85,900,346.05

On behalf of the Board,
D. A. HINGSTON,
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VICTORY CLUB HOST AT VALENTINE PARTY

A St. Valentine's party was held at the Westminster Central United Church recently by the Westmount Victory Club, in which the Young People's Union of the Church were the guests of honor. Ernest Boon acted as M. C. for the evening.

The party was under the supervision of Allyn Reid, President, and the Rev. Donald Morrison, Minister of the Church, and the evening's activities included a sing-song, with Mrs. G. A. Preston at the piano musical chairs, a quiz show, dancing, a treasure hunt and an Amateur Hour. Refreshments were served by M. P. Bourgon and Mrs. W. Devlin.

Table Protection
In order to prevent the meat grinders from scratching or marring the surface of the table, it's a good idea to put a piece of wood or masonite on the kitchen table before clamping on the grinder. If there is trouble in getting a bowl to fit underneath the mouth of the grinder, the extra height that the wood or masonite gives, will often take care of the bowl problem.

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	GROSZ	LHOTE	STUCKENBERG
CHAGALL	HECKEL	LAURENCIN	SEEHAUS
CHASSERIAU	HEMISWICK		
COUBINE	HERBIN	MAILLOL	TOULOUSE-LAUTREC
DAUMIER	JAVLENSKY	MARC	UTRILLO
DELACROIX		MUNCH	
DELAUNAY		NOLDE	
DERAIN	KOKOSCHKA	PASCIN	VLAMINCK
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Bank Shareholders Hear Optimistic Annual Message

A note of optimism was struck by Dr. D. A. Hingston, president, at the annual meeting of Montreal City and District Savings Bank. Dr. Hingston spoke in part as follows:

During the year that has passed since our last Annual General Meeting, events of supreme importance have occurred and far-reaching changes have taken place. We all realize this more or less fully.

We all realize that the war is not won—far from it—but the sky is brighter, optimism is now permissible and I think, justified. Our fullest co-ordinated war effort must still be directed towards crushing our brutal aggressors—and crushing them fully.

Yet it is wise to cast our thoughts ahead, further ahead even than the day of Victory, and try to foresee, study and as much as lies in our power, help to shape post-war conditions. Even under the best and wisest direction, readjustment to new conditions will be difficult and may possibly cause distress.

It is the duty of all of us to take steps now to minimize future difficulties and, without any doubt, this can best be accomplished by the acquiring and the holding of savings. If from end to end of this country there were less useless spending, greater economy, more money deposited for safe-keeping in the banks and especially more money invested in Government securities, we could pass through the change to post-war conditions without trouble. Now is the time to save when wages and the price of produce are at an abnormally high level and when there is no legitimate unemployment.

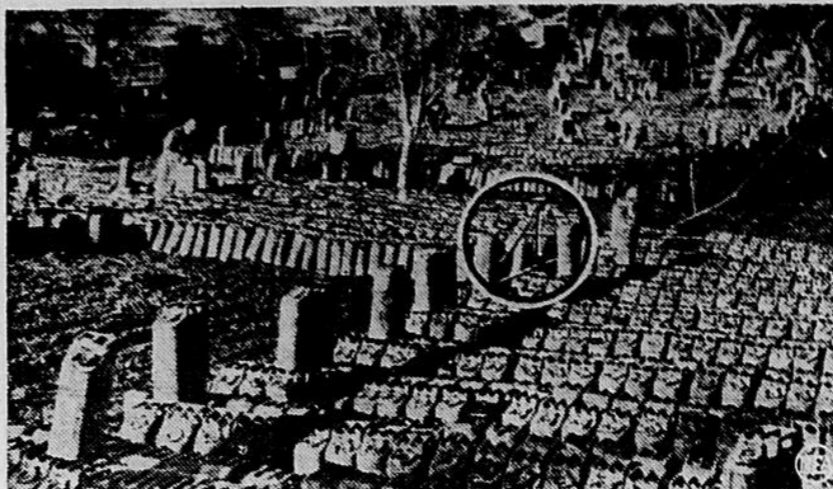
In our Bank, which as its name indicates, is essentially an institution for the safe-keeping of monies entrusted to it, we study very carefully the question of economy. Our great increase in deposits, which you have noted in the report just read to you, shows that economy is practised by many. Still information comes from the managers of our branches, in all parts of the City and

of the District, that there is a very large proportion of people who spend all they make and put nothing aside. Let us hope that in the coming year there will be a change for the better in the attitude of those who do not save.

Moreover, let us express the hope that when the time comes for post-war reconstruction the will of the people and legislation will favour private enterprise and encourage it as much as possible, and that special care and protection will be given to the smaller industries.

There is in the mentality of every Canadian a strong element of individualism that fits him better for individual rather than for Government controlled effort. It is evident to all who have read the history of our country since its discovery, that throughout the early days of her heroic struggles, throughout the years of exploitation and colonization, of hardship and development, Canada owes her progress and finally the proud position she now holds to individual energy, far-sightedness and courage.

Gas, 'Right Off the Ship'



Here is the terminus of the "Little Big Inch" gas and oil pipeline that Yank troops built from delivery port to fighting line in Italy in one week. Using pump (circled), soldiers fill thousands of the "terri-cans" seen in photo for distribution at front.

Obituary

E. H. A. BRUUN

Funeral services were held on Monday for the late Eric Hermann Alexander Bruun, of 400 Kensington Avenue, at the Church of St. John the Evangelist.

Mr. Bruun, who passed away Saturday last, at the Private Patient's Pavilion of the Montreal General Hospital, after a short illness, was in his 70th year, and was the husband of the late Martha Wakefield (Dolly) Mead.

Mr. Bruun was born in Birkenhead, England, and came to Canada 46 years ago. He was secretary-treasurer of the Canada Envelope Company, of Montreal.

His wife, who predeceased him, was the late Martha Wakefield (Dolly) Mead, sister of the late Frank Mead, president of Mead and Company, and a well-known bond dealer before his retirement in 1941.

Mr. Bruun was a member of the St. James Literary Society. In his early days he was an enthusiastic cricketer, having played at Longueuil and at Westmount Park.

Surviving are two nephews, John Bruun, of Agassiz, B.C., and Geoffrey Bruun, of Brooklyn, N.Y.; one niece, Mrs. Leslie Balla, of New Westminster, B.C.; two sisters-in-law, Miss Georgina Mead and Mrs. Ann Telfer, both of Westmount.

Rev. Father W. R. Crummer, B.A., conducted the service and interment took place in Mount Royal Cemetery.

INDIAN ADVANCE

The world still waits for Goebels' surprise weapon. Maybe Joe is going to pull a dove out of his cuff.—Detroit News.

Goethe, the poet, once commented: "The Germans as a nation are eager for conquest and loot." And they haven't changed much since Goethe's time.

Olivier Maurault Booked To Address Dickens Society

University Rector to Talk on Novelist's Visit to America

The members of the Dickens Fellowship will hear the Right Rev. Msgr. Olivier Maurault, C.M.G., rector of the University of Montreal, who is also president of the Royal Society of Canada, at their meeting on Tuesday in Victoria Hall.

Msgr. Maurault has chosen as his subject, "A French-Canadian Travels the America of Charles Dickens," and will deal with the historic visit of Dickens to this continent a hundred years ago.

The evening will be rounded off with vocal numbers by Grace Cowan, contralto, with Phyllis Rowell at the piano; Maude and Whitfield Aston, noted for their Dickensian recitals, will present the sketch, "Mrs. Gummidge Changes Her Mind", which they have adapted from David Copperfield.

F. N. Stephen, president, will be in charge of the evening.

Maj. Clarence L. Thacker, of Kissimmee, Fla., told a girl he would name his Flying Fortress for her. When the major sent her a picture of him standing in front of his plane, she looked for the name of the plane. It was "Bat Out of Hell"

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What is the result? From an actual test under winter conditions, motorists and truck operators, whose vehicles were without chains, caused **81.5% of all delays.**

Please Mr. Motorist, put on chains when road conditions are bad, if you intend to drive on tram tracks.

N.B.—Firemen must "go places" and "get there." These experienced men make sure that their vehicles are equipped with chains.

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Y's Chats

To-night will be a gala night atop Mount Royal, when the youth of Westmount enjoy the thrills of the Park Toboggan Club. Slides open at seven o'clock for an evening of fast sliding. Officials of the club are present to instruct beginners and a doctor in case anyone doesn't follow instructions. With plenty of snow many of the party will be around on skis and Beaver Lake will be the setting for those who prefer to skate. Following all of this outdoor activity the guests will gather in the club house in their many colored sports togs for dancing in their stocking feet.

The regular Saturday night service men's party will have Norman Clelland as master of ceremonies and the hostess will be Florence Goode of the Robin Hood Club. Clare-Margaret Jones will be soloist.

It is regretted that the Claremont Commandos are in quarantine this week a few of the boys ill with scarlet fever.

Valentine Bridge which was held on Tuesday last was well attended. The Montreal Men's Choir sang several numbers under the direction of John Robb. Prizes were much appreciated and a goodly sum of money was raised for the boxes for Westmount Y Boys on Active Service. The Ladies of the Westmount Y War Services Committee who organized the bridge are to be congratulated and the friends who supported the effort thanked.

Hobby Show

The eighth Annual Hobby Show of the Boys' and Girls' Hi-Y Clubs will be held during the Easter holidays. David Johnson, president of the club, is supported by a strong executive, and plans are going ahead very satisfactorily. It is not too soon to start preparing exhibits for this community event.

545 On Active Service

The names of 545 Westmount "Y" boys on active service may be seen on the Honor Rolls in the lobby of the Westmount "Y". Every member is asked to help us keep this Honor Roll up to date, by giving us the names of any former member we may have missed. (42 have made the supreme sacrifice, three are prisoners of war, and one has been reported missing.)

Swimming Pool

Necessary repairs have been completed in the swimming pool and the swim program is speeding up as we approach another spring and summer. Now is the time to pass swimming tests and boys are encouraged to get their Life Saving Certificates in preparation for Camp Leadership this coming summer.

Radio, Woodwork & Photography

Clubs in these hobbies are meeting regularly on Saturday morning, under excellent leadership. Don't miss this opportunity of mastering a hobby.

Badminton

The mixed badminton group which meets in the Jr. High School on Wednesday night, and at the "Y" on Friday night, is having a good season. Mrs. D'Arcy Hubbell has been invited to meet with the Badminton Club on Wednesday evenings. The recent skating, skiing and sliding party at Murray Park was followed by a novelty lunch, under the con- venership of Elsie Patterson, aided by Dorothy Swinden and company.

Saturday Night Servicemen's Party

The regular Saturday night party was brightened by the attendance of 4 Glamour Boys from the Royal Canadian Mounted Police. We were glad to see so many boys from the Claremont Commandos and McGill Army course coming out, but Johnny Walker's boys and girls from the Wireless School still made up the main body of the party.

Volleyball

Wm. E. Cooper and his professional Volleyball players are looking for further opposition for their Volleyball games on Tuesday nights at 8.00.

Boy's Basketball

Glenn Wood and his boys have been participating regularly in the City Basketball League and are making a creditable showing.

Music Appreciation

Mr. Ernest Hammond of the R.C.A. Victor is planning a Music Appreciation Hour in the near future. Keep your eye on the Bulletin Boards.

Centennial

Westmount "Y" Board Members are planning to co-operate in city-wide plans for the Centennial.

Hi-Y

Hi-Y executive, under the leadership of Bob Sproule, had invited some outstanding speakers for their remaining meetings. They are also participating in "Youth Also Plan" discussions.

World Service

Ask at the office for your copy of Post War Plan No. 5001. Westmount "Y" has a reasonable objective for the year 1944. With the help of all our members we can do our part.

2nd Westmount Troop Leads In Inter-Troop

Ian Robert's 2nd Westmount Troop hold a commanding lead in the inter-troop section of the Westmount Municipal Hockey League. The 2nd Westmount troop have been champions of the section since its inception two years ago.

The league leaders have won all four games they have engaged in. St. Matthias, 1st Westmount and the Sea Scouts follow in that order.

In games played last week the 2nd Westmount troop defeated 1st Westmount 8-3 and St. Matthias 6-2.

Five goals by John Choyce together with singletons by Harry Croll, Cam Scott and Bob Berry accounted for the 2nd Westmount's tallies against the 1st Westmount troop. Scorers for the losers were Dave Glassford, two, and George McLanders, one.

Three more games in the schedule remain to be played with two of them four pointers. The Sea Scouts were slated to meet the 2nd Westmount team last night in a four point game while the St. Matthias team is scheduled to play 1st Westmount this Tuesday evening. The third game is a postponed four point game and it will be played Thursday night, February 24th, at King George Park.

Modes Homes For Reformed Cannibals

Used as an example of how quickly native workers can respond to improved environment, a community of miners employed at the Enugu colliery, Nigeria, are being provided with model homes. Of the 3,000 miners, some live in two-room houses on plots 40 by 60 feet, others in four-room semi-detached units on plots 60 by 80. All homes are of brick, and every room has its own porch. Electricity is being brought in, and community recreation buildings developed. Only 30 years ago, in the primitive villages of Ngwo and Abaga, these natives were cannibals.

Greatness, after all, in spite of its name, appears to be not so much a certain size as a certain quality in human lives. It may be present in lives whose range is very small. —Phillips Brooks

St. Leo's Bantam Team Appears Headed For Championship

The unbeaten St. Leo's team in the bantam section of the Westmount Municipal Hockey League, appear headed for the championship of the loop. The Academy team had little trouble eliminating the fourth place Sky Chiefs in the semi-final play-offs series by a 15-1 score, thus eliminating the need of a second game.

The St. Leo's team then came back to hand the Golden Eagles a 4-2 set back in the first of a two out of three game series for the title. The Golden Eagles had previously eliminated Richard Lord's Staynor club 7-3 in a two game total goals to count series.

The St. Leo's-Golden Eagles first game of the final series for the championship was a hard fought game with the losers holding a bit of an edge in the play, but they could not find the net when they were in close. On the other hand, the Academy players made good on nearly every opportunity offered them.

The St. Leo's outfit took a two goal lead when Lorne Foy scored on a breakaway and Bill Melvin added another on a long sliding shot that barely left the ice.

The Golden Eagles got one back when Eddie Moore scored on a passing play with Hebert Lafontaine.

The Academy boys added two more with Ray Losito coming through on both occasions.

Cammie McFadden tallied the last counter for the losers on an individual effort.

The two clubs were scheduled to finish their series last week but the final games may be played tonight.

In the semi-final series, the Sky Chiefs opened the scoring in their game with St. Leo's but after that it was just a parade for the winners as the Academy players banged in 15 goals with Ray Orr and Mickey Bourassa getting three each, while Bob Lunny, Vic Heney and Stu Mc-

Soviets Augment Land's Food Supply

One means by which Soviet authorities have augmented the food supply and emergency conditions is the creation of subsidiary farms for all factories and institutions. In 1943 the iron and steel industry alone provided 62,000 tons of vegetables from its own farms, and it is expected that 1943 figures will be greater in all industries.

Taste

The beginning, the end and the middle of everything that is valuable in taste, is comprised in the knowledge of what is truly nature, for whatever motions are not conformable to those of nature, or universal opinion, must be considered as more or less capricious.

Garr tallied two apiece.

The Golden Eagles captured the first game of their semi-final series with the Staynor team by a 6-2 score, but were held to a 1-all tie in the return game at the Staynor rink.



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Friendliness of Neighbors Felt in Mountains of Wales

Jack Brown, who brought my luggage up the hill, is brother to Bill and Maggie, who, with their mother, an old lady of ninety years, live on the other side of the mountain. They are my nearest neighbours. In the mountains of Wales the word "neighbour" has particular significance, implying a relationship which in other parts of the world might well flatter the word "family." Just as in what Doughty calls "the school and nurture of the desert" men have learnt that the first duty to a stranger is hospitality, so in the school and nurture of the mountains men have learnt that the first duty to a neighbour is helpfulness.

"Is it the loan of the horses to fetch a load of coal from the town four miles away? Is it a bit of wire for the fence? Is it a few boards to make bookshelves? Why, to be sure! Aren't we neighbours now?" ... I thought when I came to my cottage by the lake that I was coming to find peace in solitude. I thought to hear no sound but the cry of the birds, the trickle of the stream through the bog, the breathing of the wind, the crackle of the fire. And so I lived for a time, grudging each moment when a fellow human drew near, counting only those moments happy when I was alone, until the last day of the year.

That night there came visitors, farmers and shepherds, with their wives and their daughters. They sat with me around my fire, and as naturally as the logs took light so their voices took fire, and they sang song after song in their native tongue. The eyes of the old men were closed while their hands beat time to the music. The eyes of the young girls were open but their thoughts were far away. Then I realized that they were born of the same soil as the reeds and the rushes, and that their voices were the spirits of the wind and the rain and the sun that shines golden on the snow. Then I realized too that I need no longer be alone or lonely, for there were men and women who loved the things that I loved, men whose roots were as deep in the soil as those of the gnarled alder-trees on the hillside, women whose hearts were fresh as the starwort in the well. . . . Then they went out into the crisp night

Sailor Captures Rare Japanese Butterflies

Pharmacist's Mate Robert Shulman of Brooklyn, N. Y., finds Bougainville Island a swell place for catching butterflies.

With a net fashioned from a G. I. mosquito head net, the amateur entomologist spends his spare

air and I was glad that it was dark, for there were tears in my eyes. I found it difficult to speak. At last, in an effort to break the tension, I said to Dal: "That's . . . a bright star over the hill, have you any idea what its name is?" "I dunno," he said, "it's been there for years."

And so with the fun that was in their hearts they disappeared into the black belt of fir-trees that straddles the hill.—From "Coming Down the Wye," by Robert Gibings. (New York: Dutton.)

time pursuing his favorite hobby, even to within range of Japanese guns.

A Marine combat correspondent, writes thus of Pharmacist's Mate Shulman to a friend:

"One of the strangest things I've seen on Bougainville was a camouflage-clad warrior, net poised, wallowing through a swamp, chasing butterflies.

"When I saw him he was only a short distance behind the front lines. 'Bougainville is a swell place for butterflies,' he told me. 'Beautiful species here, some so rare you never see them in books.'"

Much time and fretting would be saved around home by having rugs with designs like cigarette ashes.—London Free Press.

I have never heard anything about the resolutions of the apostles, but a great deal about their acts.—Horace Mann.

THIS CURIOUS WORLD
by BILLINO
FOOTBALL

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HOW MANY POINTS DOES A TOUCHBACK COUNT?

AND THEY DON'T GET STUCK FOR CHRYSANTHEMUMS...OR PUT ON KWIZZING BEES.

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS
by Blosser

IF YOU WIN THAT \$5000 PUZZLE CONTEST PRIZE, HENRY, WHAT WILL YOU DO WITH THE MONEY?

WELL, I'VE ALWAYS WANTED A BOAT!

ATTA BOY, DAD... A SMALL SCHOONER WITH AN AUXILIARY!

TH' HECK WITH THAT... WE WANT A MOTOR CRUISER!!

WE WANT ONE THAT'LL GET OUT AND GO FAST! AND I CAN STEER!

YOU CAN NOT... YOU'RE JUST A SQUIRT!

POP, CAN'T I STEER?

DAD, IF HE STEERS, HE'LL SMACK INTO THE FIRST ROCK HE SEES!

I WON'T EITHER! THERE AREN'T ANY ROCKS NEAR SANDY POINT!!

WHO SAID ANYTHING ABOUT SANDY POINT?

WE'LL GO TO KELLY ISLAND... AND THAT'S GOT SHOALS ALL AROUND IT!

WE'LL GO TO PORT SHAD... AND THAT'S FINAL!

WHAT THE HECK IS THERE TO SEE AT PORT SHAD?

FRECK JUST DOESN'T WANT ME TO STEER... HE WANTS A PLACE WITH ROCKS AROUND IT!

AND I WANNA STEER!!!

YEAH, YOU WANNA STEER WHILE I'M OILING THE ENGINE AND POLISHING BRASS!

I GET ALL THE DIRTY WORK... AND YOU GET ALL THE FUN!

CONFOUND IT... BE QUIET!!

CAN'T WE EVER GO ANYWHERE WITHOUT YOU KIDS FIGHTING AND MAKING THE TRIP UNPLEASANT??

NEWS OF THE THEATRE WORLD

At York Theatre

Charles Laughton brings another of his beloved characterizations to the screen in the first recent film to deal with modern Australia, M-G-M's "The Man From Down Under," now playing at the York United Theatre.

Laughton portrays a lovable Aussie who leaves Belgium at the end of the last war, taking back with him to Australia two refugee children whom he believes to be brother and sister. In his hurry to leave he completely forgets Aggie Dawlins. Aggie, played by lovely Binnie Barnes an English entertainer, is left quite literally waiting at the church. Years pass and the children mature. Donna Reed is now a lovely young girl and Richard Carlson Australia's champion boxer. But hard times hit Laughton. When Aggie reappears as a rich widow, he gambles his inn and loses everything he owns to her. With the outbreak of war, Laughton enlists in the land army until the threat of Jap invasion brings him home again—to a commission in the army and into Aggie's arms.

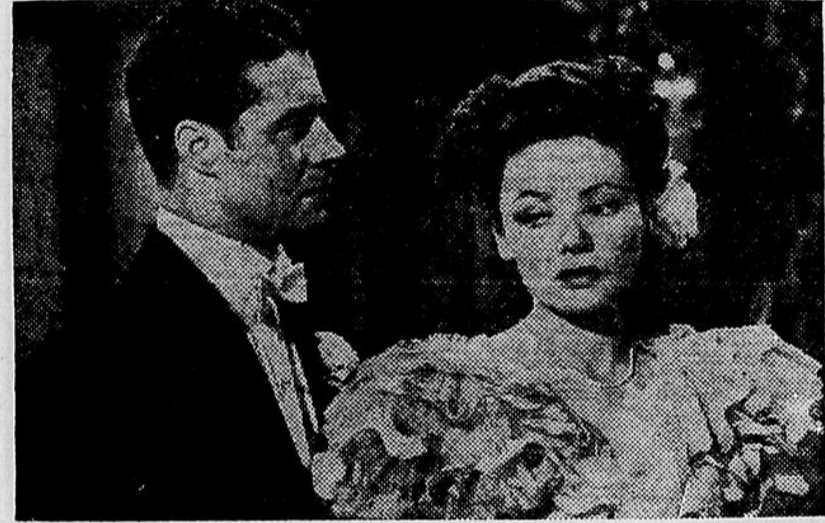
"The Man From Down Under" marks Miss Barnes' first screen appearance in over a year and she is a delightful foil for the Laughton shenanigans. Donna Reed and Richard Carlson, two of M-G-M's most promising younger players, advance another notch toward screen stardom with their work as the young lovers. Miss Reed wears several outfits of unusual design, created espe-

AT THE MONKLAND FRIDAY!



Humphrey Bogart and players in a scene from the thrilling film "Sahara," which opens at the Monkland United Theatre on Friday playing until Monday night.

AT THE YORK UNITED SATURDAY!



Don Ameche and Gene Tierney in a scene from the Technicolor production "Heaven Can Wait," which opens at the York United Theatre on Saturday playing until Tuesday night.

cially for her by Irene. Richard Carlson stars in one of the most

exciting boxing bouts ever staged before the cameras.

In the supporting cast, fine portrayals are contributed by Clyde Cook, Laughton's Aussie pal; Horace McNally, who rivals Carlson for the love of Miss Reed; Arthur Shields and Christopher Severn.

Robert Z. Leonard, who last directed Laughton in "Stand By For Action," repeats with another worthy effort and also shares production honours with Orville O. Dull.

"The Russians can't be as victorious as we are led to believe along a 600-mile front, day after day, for more than two months. It just doesn't happen . . . I'm positive it's all being done according to plan . . . When Russia and Germany unite . . . then we will pay for our "reds and our pinkos"—Mgr. Fulton J. Sheen, reported in the Akron, O., Beacon-Journal.

The funny part about that is that Mgr. Sheen thought it was all right for Russia and Germany to unite in 1939, when the union was against Great Britain.

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NEWS OF THE THEATRE WORLD

AT WESTMOUNT THEATRE

No matter how heartily you have ever laughed, prepare to laugh louder and harder when you see Paramount's hilarious comedy with music, "True to Life," which opened last night at the Westmount United Theatre. It is without doubt the funniest picture this reviewer has seen in a long time and if you don't see it, you will have missed the kind of laughs from down deep that are all to rare these days.

The picture stars Mary Martin, Franchot Tone, Dick Powell and Victor Moore with Mabel Paige and William Demarest in two riotous supporting roles. It tells the story of two high-salaried radio writers, Tone and Powell, who are about to be canned because their program suffers from lack of reality. Tone, the debonaire man about town, seeks no inspiration in night life, but Powell goes among the people. He winds up in a diner in Sunnyside, Long Island, where he meets Mary Martin, the counter girl.

Mary, believing him to be down on his luck, takes him home with her to her zany family which consists of Pop (Victor Moore) who works in a bakery by day and invents unpatentable things by night; Mom (Mabel Paige), the boss of the house; Uncle Jake (William Demarest), chronic-

ally unemployed; Twips (Beverly Hudson), the kid sister with a yen for Mary's boy friend; Clem (Raymond Roe), the young brother who wants to be a doctor but can't wait 'til he grows up.

Mary arranges for Powell to live with them until he finds a job and Dick proceeds to use the family for a true to life radio program. He sends Tone a verbatim account of the daily happenings in the family and these are immediately put on the air by a duplicate radio family.

Dick tries to keep the family from listening to their radio, but, of course, the time comes when he is exposed. It is an uproarious time, as is everything preceding and everything following. The romantic triangle of Dick, Tone and Mary is also very humorously handled and there is, too, some mighty melodic music sung by Dick and Mary — three songs written by Johnny Mercer and Hoagy Carmichael, "The Old Music Master," "Mister Pollyanna" and "There She Was."

"See "True to Life" by all means; it's great fun, and you're sure to enjoy it.

The scientific unity which exists between God and man must be wrought out in life-practice, and God's will must be universally done.—Mary Baker Eddy.

AT THE WESTMOUNT SUNDAY



Humphrey Bogart and players in a scene from "Crime School," which opens at the Westmount United Theatre on Sunday playing until Tuesday night.

At The Monkland

A graphic new revelation of war on the North Atlantic is exhibited in "Corvette K-225," by all odds one of the most stirring documentary screen thrillers yet recorded by movie cameras. The Howard Hawks production, presented by Universal, is now playing at the Monkland United Theatre. It is the authentic saga of those big-little U-Boat smashers which keep dangerous sea lanes open for shipping between North America and Britain.

Filmed with the co-operation of the Royal Canadian Navy, "Corvette K-225" brings a sensational and heroic story to movie audiences for the first time. Every fascinating and hazardous detail of convoy protection seems to have been included and the actual encounters with German submarines and planes are tremendously impressive.

Well-known Players
Intimate roles in the story are played by some of Hollywood's better-known players, but the observer is rarely conscious of conventional cinema technique because the film is authentic. Much of it was photographed from the rolling decks of a real corvette tossing through a perilous sea. Randolph Scott is starred as the Canadian Naval Commander. It is his finest achievement.

Featured importantly are James Brown, Noah Beery, Jr., Barry Fitzgerald and that genial comedian, Andy Devine. Others in the cast are Fuzzy Knight and Richard Lane. A stunning movie newcomer, Ella Raines, has the

leading feminine role and is teamed romantically with Scott. Their scenes together are played with logical restraint and understanding.

Director Richard Rosson, said to have devoted an entire year including three months with his camera crews on actual North Atlantic convoys in the making of the film, has created a vastly important screen chronicle in

"Corvette K-225". Deserving special credit for the undertaking is cameraman Tony Gaudio and Lieut. John Rhodes Sturdy.

The American soybean crop this year will yield approximately 209,000,000 bushels, most of which, because of its high nutrient value, will go into human and stock food.

Sir Oswald Mosley is at the Shaven Crown Inn in the Cotswolds. Sounds more as if he was coming out of jail than out of internment.

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Golden Eagles and Monarchs Play In Hard Fought Battle

The juvenile series between the Golden Eagles and the Monarchs in the Westmount Municipal Hockey League is proving to be one of the hardest fought battles in the history of the league. The Monarchs, created originally as a second string Golden Eagle team, have fought the champions tooth and nail in the play-offs.

The Golden Eagles had very little trouble with the Monarchs during the league schedule administering three defeats to them, but this play-off series for the right to advance into the Q.A.H.A. play-downs has been an entirely different matter.

The Monarchs had the title in their hands on Monday night when they held a one goal lead in the first overtime period of the third and deciding game, but a disputed goal put the champions back into a deadlock and the teams then battled in another overtime session before a sudden snowfall forced the ending of the game.

The series, originally set for a two out of three game affair, went into its fourth game on Wednesday night with the issue still to be decided.

The Monarchs upset the dope in the first game of the series when they beat the Golden Eagles 4-2. MacPherson, Glen Magee, Buddy Cox and Dick McKinnon tallied for the winners, while Frankie and Euard Read were the goal getters for the Golden Eagles.

The second game of the series was just the opposite with the Golden Eagles running off a 5-2 victory with the Read boys again dominating the scoring, each of them tallied a pair of goals with Donn Bussiere adding the fifth. Bud Cox and Warren Chippindale scored for the Monarchs.

Monday night's games was the best of the series. Euard Read sent the Golden Eagles into a one goal lead early in the first period when he tallied on a break-away, but the Monarchs tied the issue up in the same stanza when Bud Cox banged in MacPherson's rebound.

The teams then battled through the two other regulation periods without a score. The Monarchs took a 2-1 lead early

in the first overtime period when Jan Fraser tallied from a scramble in front of the Golden Eagles' nets and then the disputed goal by E. Read sent the game back into a deadlock.

The original intentions were to play until one team won but the sudden heavy downfall of snow forced the game to be called at the end of the second overtime period.

In the other half of the play-off series, the Claremont Barracks and Staynor clubs played a 3-all tie last Wednesday night. The winner of this series is scheduled to meet the winner of the Golden Eagles-Monarchs set to but they will not enter the Q.A.H.A. playdowns. Due to the fact that the Claremont Barracks team will not be able to play till this Monday at least, the final series will probably be deferred till after the Q.A.H.A. playdowns.

Earle MacDonald with two goals and Rupert Rubens with the third were the scorers for the Staynor, while Smith notched a pair of counters for the Army team and Crosby tallied the other.

War a Reversal

There is a much-flogged and rapidly dying horse called the art and science of war. It is losing all meaning because, more and more, men are seeing that war, by its fundamental nature, is the reversal of all art or science.—Humphrey Harman, English Actor.

ST. LEO'S SPORTS

By BILLY HAROLD

Our Bantams will be out to defend the Canon Heffernan Memorial Trophy tonight when they hook up with Catholic High Bantams in the feature game of the Xavier Apostolate Winter Sports Carnival held annually at the Forum. Saturday morning the Bantam B gang will head for Valleyfield where in the afternoon they will be guests of Gault Institute in an exhibition hockey game to be played in the Valleyfield Arena. The last home game of the schedule is booked for the Academy rink on Wednesday when our Bantams will receive the Daniel O'Connell team.

Odds and Ends

Tommy Brenner, former St. Leo's boy, scored his first N.H.L. goal and helped his Boston Bruin Club to defeat Chicago Black Hawks.

Bernie Gato, clever centre of the Bantams, will be lost to his team for the remainder of the season as the result of suffering a rather severe shoulder injury.

St. Leo's Bantam and Senior B. squads are the only thorn in the side of Brother Paul in his aspirations to sweep four hockey titles for his Catholic High School teams. Loyola and McGee have fallen aside as serious contenders in all the Interscholastic Leagues, leaving the tough job to St. Leo's to try and nudge one or two of the Black and White's formidable array of hockey talent.

Our coach, not to be outdone by any of his boys, is quite boastful of the fact he received his invitation to the Sadie Hawkins Social ahead of some of the more reputable Romeos of the high school. This social, sponsored by the girls of St. Paul's Academy, will be held on Saturday evening in the club room at Victoria Hall.

Thanks to Mrs. Melvine, Jack Shannon, Johnnie Rogers and Milton Orr the sleigh drive held last Friday was a big success with all concerned enjoying a full evening of enjoyment.

The Intermural schedule is now finished but a sudden death play-off game between Canadians and Red Wings will be necessary to decide first place as they finished in a deadlock. Vince Heney's Rovers clinched third place, the last play-off spot, and Maroons, who won the title last year, are to be found in the cellar spot.

Intermural Standing (Final)				
	W.	L.	D.	Pts.
Canadians ..	5	4	1	11
Red Wings ..	5	4	1	11
Rovers	5	5	0	10
Maroons	3	7	0	6

Calvary Defeated By St. Matthew's

By REG. GROOME

Calvary United Cub team lost out to St. Matthew's in a hard-fought game on Calvary's ice. St. Matthew's winning 5-0. J. Chalmers was the main figure in the spotlight for the winners, scoring one goal, and helping in the other four. A. Merrick came next, netting the puck three times, and getting an assist in a fourth, while D. Badke registered one goal and two assists to complete the scoring list. Two goals were scored in the first period, and the remaining three in the final period. E. Kall in the Calvary net played an outstanding game, turning aside many difficult shots, while G. Fowler came near to scoring for Calvary, and was a constant threat to the St. Matthew's defence, while J. Besant on the Calvary defence line was responsible for breaking up many a St. Matthew's attack. Calvary play again on Saturday against either Dixie or Queen Mary, and

Royals and Golden Eagles Are Back Where They Started For Championship

The Royals and Golden Eagles are right back where they started from in their quest for mid-get championship in the Westmount Municipal Hockey League. The clubs ended up one-two in the midget "A" group and began their two out of three game series for the league championship on Friday night.

The Royals captured the first

rather easily by a 4-0 score, but the first place Golden Eagles came right back on Monday night to register a 4-2 victory and tie up the series at one game apiece. The third game of the series was scheduled to be played on Wednesday night.

A pair of goals by Ralph Edmison plus single counters by Bob Smith and Don Jackson gave the Royals their opening 4-0 shut-out over the Golden Eagles.

Harold Young was the main cog in the Golden Eagles victory in the second game of the series. Young tallied three goals for the winners with Cam Scott banging in the other. Don Jackson and Bob Smith were the point getters for the Royals.

The winner of this series will represent Westmount in the Q.A.H.A. play-offs scheduled to get underway this week.

The Golden Eagles and Falcons battled to a 3-all tie in the last scheduled league game. This tie game settled the final standing of the ex-league as the one point gained by the Golden Eagles gave them possession of first place in the group standing while the Falcons just missed a play-off berth by one point.

Panthers Meet Tomahawks This Week

The pee wee teams in the Prince Albert section of the Westmount Municipal Hockey League enter their last week of league play this week-end when the clubs get three postponed games of the book. In the first game of the morning, the first place Panthers meet the Tomahawks at ten o'clock, the second game starting at ten forty-five is between the Grads and Hurricanes while the third encounter slated for eleven-thirty, sees the Thunderbolts take on the Spitfires.

The first three teams in the loop standing will enter the play-offs with the second and third place teams meeting in a sudden death game to decide which club will meet the first place Panthers in a two game total goals to count series for the championship.

In games played last week the Hurricanes beat the Spitfires 3-1, while the Panthers and Tomahawks won games from the Thunderbolts by default. The Grads-Spitfires game was postponed and was slated to be played on Wednesday night.

Two goals by Bob Moffat and an added counter by Les Ham led the Hurricanes to their 3-1 victory over the Spitfires. Bob Bunten tallied the lone Spitfire goal.

The standing of the section is as follows:

	W.	T.	L.	Pts.
Panthers	4	0	0	8
Hurricanes	3	0	1	6
Grads	2	0	1	4
Tomahawks	1	1	2	3
Spitfires	0	1	2	1
Thunderbolts	0	0	4	0

will have a chance to come up in the standing.

The present standing is as follows:

	W.	L.	D.	Pts.
Queen Mary	5	1	0	10
St. Matthews	4	0	1	9
Dixie	2	1	2	6
St. Luke's	1	2	2	4
Calvary	0	3	2	2
Hampstead	0	5	1	1

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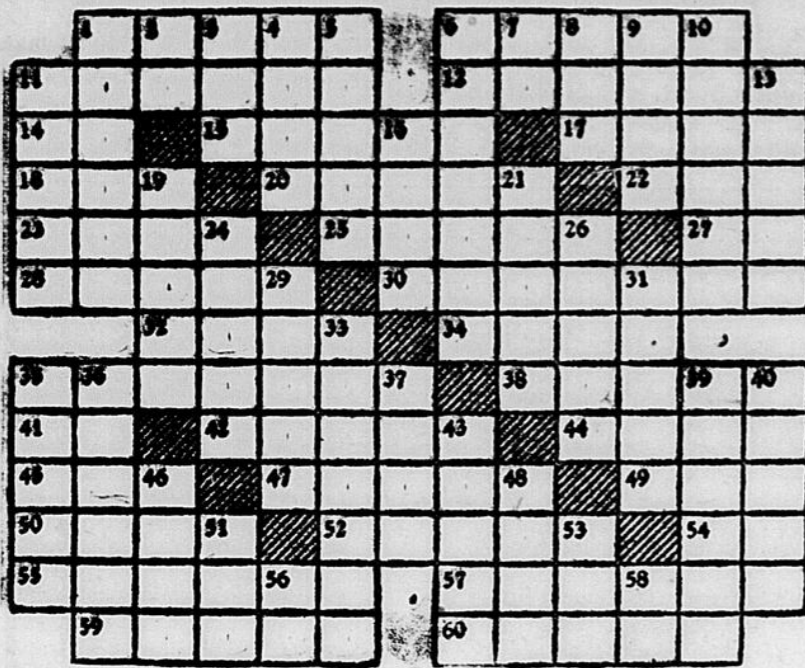
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- 1 Talks complainingly
 - 6 A metal
 - 11 Old Roman army unit
 - 12 Simpler
 - 14 Belonging to
 - 15 That which lays bare
 - 17 A measure of land
 - 18 Near the stern
 - 20 Material
 - 22 To know (Scot.)
 - 23 Oceans
 - 25 Teutonic myth
 - 27 A compass point
 - 28 Crops
 - 30 Denies
 - 32 Tardy
 - 34 Withered
 - 35 To own
 - 38 Brings up
 - 41 Land measure
 - 42 Turkish measure of length, plural
 - 44 A tax
 - 45 An East Indian herb

- 47 Lower House of Irish legislature (pl.)
- 49 A color
- 50 Female help
- 52 Scottish resort city
- 54 Initials of former President
- 55 To allege
- 57 Demonstrated to be true
- 59 Wise men
- 60 Rescued

- VERTICAL**
- 1 A chest for valuables
 - 2 Exclamation denoting triumph
 - 3 To steal
 - 4 British baby carriage
 - 5 To throw about carelessly
 - 6 Scolds
 - 7 Egyptian sun god
 - 8 Man's name
 - 9 Ill

- 10 Peaceful
- 11 Shore
- 13 An extract of sheep kidneys
- 16 English boy's school
- 19 Caudal appendages
- 21 A malt drink
- 24 To crush
- 26 The nostrils
- 29 Advantage
- 31 To instruct
- 33 A landed property (pl.)
- 35 Province in North Italy
- 36 Mountain nymphs
- 37 To agitate
- 39 Dispersed
- 40 Unfeeling
- 43 Spills over
- 46 Opera by Verdi
- 48 Genus of ralls
- 51 Excavated
- 53 Month (abbr.)
- 56 Cerium; symbol
- 58 Brother of Odin

Answer to Last Week's Puzzle

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Westmount Highlights

by Buddy Cochrane

Sheila Baker, 624 Carlton avenue, Westmount, won the Doug Lawley painting that the Westmount High School Red Cross Society offered for competition on Friday last.

About \$252 was added to the swelling Red Cross bank account due to this latest venture and this brings the total to \$1,190. When the society has \$1,250 it will purchase a dental clinic which will be sent to a prisoner-of-war camp in Germany.

The smaller paintings that were awarded to the boy and the girl who sold the most tickets were won by Lewis Phillips, 450 tickets, Peter Scott, 375 tickets, and Marilyn Reade, 45 tickets.

The next Red Cross project is

a tea dance which will be held at the high school this afternoon. D. & D.

Peter Scott and Stan Freedman emerged victorious in third form debate that was held at the school Monday morning. They had the negative of the subject, Resolved: That wars can be abolished. Upholding the affirmative were Ingor Jorgenson and Deborah Pierce.

President James Spencer was in the chair and the judges were E. W. Smith, C. V. Frayn, and Miss Vipond.

Hi-Y

The boys' Hi-Y were the guests of the boys' Menorah Club at the Shaar last night and next Friday, February 25, they will attend a city-wide rally at the Central Y.M.C.A. when Hartley Fowler, a Y.M.C.A. worker who has just returned from Mexico, will speak.

Next Wednesday the girl's Hi-Y will hold their annual mother and daughter meeting. Featured will be Doreen Day and six models from Eaton's.

Highlighting the news at the local Y this week was Flt.-Sgt. Howard Fullard's talk to a joint meeting of the Westmount boys' and girls' Hi-Y clubs held last Friday night. A flight engineer, Howard Fuller was taken prisoner on his sixth operational flight over Germany in February, 1943. He had severely injured his left leg in the jump and it had to be amputated. For eight months, until last December when he was exchanged, Howard was in a German prison camp.

Hobby Show

During the past week the most activity has been shown by the hard-working members of the publicity department who are zealously trying to get as many

Q.A.H.A. Playoffs To Get Underway Monday Evening

The city-wide playoffs of the QAHA (minor series) will get underway this Monday evening with the champions from the Westmount Municipal Hockey League meeting the titlists from some other nineteen districts.

The affair is conducted on a knockout basis, one loss and you hang up your equipment for the season. A change in procedure will take place this year with the island being divided into four zones, east, north, south and

other people as possible making posters. On the publicity staff are Derek Ramsay, Barbara Lamb, John Pepper, and Pat McGoun. They are all looking for poster-makers.

He's a Modernaire
The man who sits away at the back of the bandstand when the Modernaires are playing, is Geoff Merrill.

Geoff started playing three years ago with the Music Makers. The latter are now practically all Modernaires.

Aside from his music-making, Merrill is famed as a comedian. It was he who played the part of Sir Sidney Thumblebottom in the Purple and White Revue.

The long-awaited carnival of the Scout troop, Guide company and Cub pack of St. Andrew's Church will be held next Thursday. All proceeds will go to the "Chins Up Fund."

Aside from demonstrations of Scout, Cub and Guide work there will be a hobby show and varied side-shows.

Everybody is welcome.

Staynors Hold One Game Lead Over Panthers

Richard Lord's Staynor Canadians hold a one game lead over Garth Gilhooly's Panthers in the midjet B group of the Westmount Municipal Hockey League, as the result of a 3-1 decision registered at the Staynor rink last Saturday afternoon.

The clubs commenced a two out of three game series last Friday night at Westmount Park but after one overtime period the score was 3-all so that no decision was reached in this tilt. The second game of the affair was the one at the Staynor rink.

The third game of this series will be played at the Staynor rink this evening. In the event of a win for the Staynor club the series will be over with Richard Lord's club acclaimed as champions, but if the Panthers capture the game, the deciding game will be played tomorrow afternoon at Westmount Park.

Goals by Richard Lord, Jack Gardner and Wolfgang Siemers gave the Staynor club a hard earned victory last Saturday afternoon. Robert Burris scored

west. There are five districts in each zone.


Of course Westmount is in the same zone along with N.D.G., St. Laurent, Snowdon and St. Andrew's. The local champions will meet the titleholders from the St. Laurent district in the second round, both districts having drawn a bye in the first round.

The Westmount-St. Laurent games will be played at the Tremholme Park rink in N.D.G. on Tuesday night with the bantams starting at seven o'clock, the mid-gets at eight and the juveniles at nine.

the lone Panther tally. In the draw game the night before, the teams seesawed back and forth throughout the game. Jackie Martin tallied twice for the Staynor team with Malcolm Turner getting the third goal while Ross Gillingham, Bob Putnam and Leonard McCubbin scored for the Panthers.

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Others, however, contend that the straight sword is the only appropriate symbol of the Empire's attitude against tyranny and wrong of all kinds.

Monster Rats As Large As Pigs

It has been reckoned that there are no fewer than four hundred thousand million rats in the world. That is a number more quickly figured out than counted. These myriads of rats consist of thousands of species, varying

in length to monsters nigh the size of a pig.

Rats are called rodents, because they are gnawing animals, and there are many more rat-rodents than there are rodents of any other kind.

There is a tiny kind of rat which is blind, and is quite harmless. It spends its whole life underground in hot sand. In

West Africa there is a rat with a body a foot long and a tail longer still. Rats should be killed wherever they are found, as most of them carry plague and diseases.

A film cutie lists the 10 masculine qualities she expects in a husband. Or, husbands, as we somehow feel will prove the case.



The Strength of Alcoholic Beverages

During the past several months, a number of misleading statements have been circulated regarding the strength of alcoholic beverages sold under the new Federal regulations. The following facts will no doubt help to clear up a greatly exaggerated situation.

Before the new regulations concerning strength were imposed, the alcoholic strength of beverages sold in this province such as Scotch whisky, rye whisky, gin, cognac and brandy, was approximately 42.8 percent alcohol by volume, corresponding to 75 degrees proof (British Proof Spirit) or its equivalent — 25 degrees underproof (25 U.P.)

That was the situation before the new regulations of November, 1942 were applied. This new wartime law specified that all alcoholic beverages which were to be bottled and placed on the market were not to be stronger than 30 degrees underproof (30 U.P.)—that is, 70 degrees proof or its equivalent, 40 percent alcohol by volume. **Thus it can be seen that most of our alcoholic beverages had their alcoholic strength re-**

duced from 42.8 percent alcohol to 40 percent alcohol.

From these facts it is easily realized that alcoholic beverages in general have not been greatly altered. And it is interesting to note in passing that in Great Britain, most of the alcoholic beverages offered for sale are no stronger than 30 degrees underproof. (30 U.P.) Scottish distillers and all others who engage themselves in this business would be surprised indeed, if told that this particular alcoholic strength indicated an adulteration of their products. A number of these same overseas products are also offered for sale at a strength of 40 degrees underproof (40 U.P.) which corresponds to 60 degrees proof or its equivalent, 34.3 percent alcohol by volume.

The Quebec Liquor Commission publishes this information in the hope that the public will reply to those who see fit to pretend that all alcoholic beverages sold in Quebec today are adulterated heavily. It also takes this occasion to point out to the public that it is in no way responsible for the present situation which was brought about by regulations imposed by Federal authorities. The situation in Quebec is exactly the same as that existing in every other province of the Dominion where alcoholic beverages are sold.

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