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Sherbrooke Daily Record

THE PAPER OF THE EASTERN TOWNSHIPS

SHERBROOKE, QUEBEC, THURSDAY, JANUARY 24, 1946.

WEATHER

LIGHT SNOW
 Forecasts: Fresh winds and a little milder tonight and Friday with occasional light snow.
 Temperatures — yesterday: Maximum 25, minimum 18 below zero. Minimum 18 below zero. Maximum 27, minimum 15.

Established 1897.

Forty-Ninth Year

U.N. ACTS TO PREVENT ATOMIC ARMAMENTS RACE

World News In Brief

Yokohama, Jan. 24.—(P)—The war crimes trial of Kaichi Hirata closed today shortly after the former commandant of Muroan prison camp admitted he was in some measure responsible for the death of Raymond C. Suttle, a British prisoner of war.
 A verdict is expected tomorrow from the war crimes commission. Hirata is charged with responsibility in the deaths of Suttle and three other prisoners of war.

Nuernberg, Jan. 24.—(P)—France charged today that the Nazis executed at least 29,000 innocent hostages in their occupation of the fallen republic.
 Charles Dubost, French prosecutor, made the accusation before the international military tribunal and attributed prime responsibility to Field Marshal Wilhelm Keitel and former Reichs-Marshall Goering. They are two of the 22 leading Nazis on trial as war criminals.

Another defendant, Baron Constantin von Neurath, former Foreign Minister and "protector" of Bohemia and Moravia, was called Hitler's "handiest tool" in German plans for conquest. The British prosecution demanded his conviction as a war criminal.

New York, Jan. 24.—(P)—Or. John R. Dunning of Columbia University, one of the scientists who helped develop the atomic bomb, said yesterday that new techniques already have made "technically obsolete" the extensive plants used in the atomic bomb project at Oak Ridge, Tenn.

Dr. Dunning spoke at the winter convention of the American Institute of Electrical Engineers.

Maj.-Gen. Leslie R. Groves, director of atomic bomb project speaking at the evening session, said that "today our equipment has very little salvage value." He proposed that the plants for producing atomic power be largely written off the books as a wartime investment.

Quebec, Jan. 24.—(P)—Edouard Asselin of Montreal has been named to the Quebec Legislative Council — lone provincial Upper House in Canada — Premier Maurice Duplessis announced at the Legislature building last night following a regular cabinet meeting.

Mr. Asselin succeeds the late Hon. L. A. Giroux, Union Nationale representative for Wellington Division, who died last fall.

Tonight's appointment completes the 24-member Upper House. Party representation in the council is five for the Union Nationale and 19 for the Liberal opposition.

TROOPS ON THE MOVE
 Homebound Bound
 Due at Halifax — S. S. Lady Rodney (Friday) with 490 Canadian servicemen including the Sherbrooke Fusilier Regiment, returning from overseas.

Due at Halifax — S. S. He de France (Friday) with 9,800 repatriated service personnel.
 Due at Boston — S. S. City of Lille (Friday) with 16 members of Canada's armed forces.

SPEAKING FOR CANADA
 AT U.N.O.



HON. LOUIS ST. LAURENT, Canadian Minister of Justice and leader of the Canadian delegation, addresses the General Assembly of the United Nations Organization in Central Hall, London. Mr. St. Laurent is returning to Canada today.

Members Agree On Creation Of Special Commission To Control Use Of Atomic Power

Commission Will Have No Power, However, to Compel Any Country to Disclose Any of Its Atomic Energy Production Secrets or Disclose How Atomic Bomb Is Made—Byrnes Warns if Armament Race "Continues Uncontrolled the Civilization We Hoped to Save May Be Destroyed."

London, Jan. 24.—(P)—The United Nations general assembly voted unanimously today for the creation of a special atomic energy commission to save the world from an atomic armaments race.

The action came after little more than an hour of discussion during which both State Secretary Byrnes of the United States and chief Soviet delegate, Andrei Vishinsky, urged prompt action.

The vote was 47 to 0, with four nations abstaining. Almost simultaneously the world security council announced that it would meet tomorrow to consider complaints involving Iran, Greece and Indonesia.

The complaints, providing the basis for the first major tests of the U.N.O.'s machinery to settle disputes, will be considered at 3 p.m. (10 a.m. E.S.T., 11 a.m. A.S.T.)

The commission would have no power to compel the United States or any other country to disclose any of its atomic energy production secrets or disclose how the atomic bomb is made, according to interpretations given by Mr. Byrnes. Its responsibility will be to work out ways of keeping atomic energy from being used destructively.

It will be composed of representatives of the 13 nations on the Security Council and Canada, and will be responsible to the Council for its work and policies.
 M. Vishinsky who arrived Tuesday from Moscow, made his first appearance before the assembly in support of the atomic commission proposal.

He called it a "sound and realistic approach to the problem" and the "first important act of the joint efforts of the United Nations to secure peace and security in the world."

Mr. Byrnes opened the general assembly debate on a proposal, approved by the assembly's political and security committee, to create a special commission to devise controls to prevent destructive use of atomic energy.

The United States entered an armaments race during the war "not to destroy but to save civilization," Mr. Byrnes said. He added that "if the race continues uncontrolled the civilization we hoped to save may be destroyed."

Duckworth Barker, U.N.O. public relations officer, in announcing that the Security Council would take up the Iranian, Greek and Indonesian issues tomorrow, said the Council would not act at that time on the question of selecting a nominee for the key post of U.N.O. secretary-general in an issue on which the five major powers apparently were deadlocked.

"The Council will be asked formally what it wants to do about the Russian and Ukraine communications drawing attention to the presence of British troops in Greece and Indonesia," Mr. Barker said.

He said the Council would be asked by Chairman Norman J. O. Makin of Australia along what lines it should proceed with the Soviet charges against Britain.

Atomic Bomb Will Be Tested On Huge Armada Of Warships

Washington, Jan. 24.—(P)—The United States Navy raised the curtain today on its plans for testing the atomic bomb against a great armada of fighting ships—an experiment expected to revolutionize sea warfare.

A guinea pig fleet of 97 vessels, ranging from carriers and battleships, submarines and transports to an assortment of smaller craft such as landing ships, will be the atomic target in the vast operation to start in May.

The laboratory selected is the anchorage of Bikini Atoll, one of the northernmost of the Marshall Islands which were wrested from Japan by amphibious assault two years ago.

Vice-Admiral W. H. P. Blandy, head of the Navy's division on special weapons, ticked off for the Senate Atomic Energy Committee these details of the experiment, known by the codeword "Operation Crossroads":

1. In the target fleet will be fifty operating ships—two aircraft carriers, 16 destroyers, eight submarines and 15 transports from United States fleets, plus a German

REPORT URGES SCHOOL TAXES REDISTRIBUTION

Investigating Committee Recommends Technician Bureau to Help Schools Realize Uniform Evaluation Methods.

Quebec, Jan. 24.—(P)—Recommendation that school taxation in Quebec be placed on a provincial roll rather than on the individual roll of each municipality, was made in the preliminary report of a Government-sponsored commission which investigated the taxation system of the province's schools and municipalities.

The report, made public last night by Premier Maurice Duplessis, recommended too that the cost of education be borne by commerce, industry and individuals as well as real estate owners and that it be met in part by the Dominion Government's family allowances.

Taxes suggested by the commission to help meet a proposed \$7,750,000 expenditure on education included levies on pulpwood, to raise \$850,000; on saved lumber, to raise \$1,000,000; and on electricity, to raise \$5,000,000.

The report, dealing with schools, recommended that the Government institute a studies programme that would "give the best distribution of studies needed in different parts of the province" and redistribute equally throughout industry and commerce the burden of the responsibilities in education matters.

Headed by de la Bruere Fortier, the Commission has met every week since July 4, 1945, to study the question of evaluation of taxation of schools and has travelled throughout the province conferring with many.

Other members of the board are J. R. Latier of Quebec; Henri Ferron of Montreal; and Charles Bourassa, secretary of the Quebec Union of Municipalities.

It recommended that the government inaugurate in the Ministry of Municipal Affairs a technician bureau charged with aiding school corporations and municipalities realize uniform evaluation methods.

GUNMAN TO DIE FOR SHOOTING OF DETECTIVE

Ottawa, Jan. 24.—(P)—Eugene Larment, 24-year-old Ottawa gunman, today stood convicted of the murder last October of City Police Detective Thomas Stoneman and faced death by hanging March 27.

Found guilty by a 12-man jury, which acquitted two other jointly charged with the murder, Larment was sentenced late yesterday by Mr. Justice F. H. Barlow of the Ontario High Court of Justice.

The co-accused, Wilfrid D'Amour, 25, and Albert Henderson, 24, also of Ottawa, are being held on charges in connection with the theft of guns from the National War Museum here and stealing of an automobile October 22.

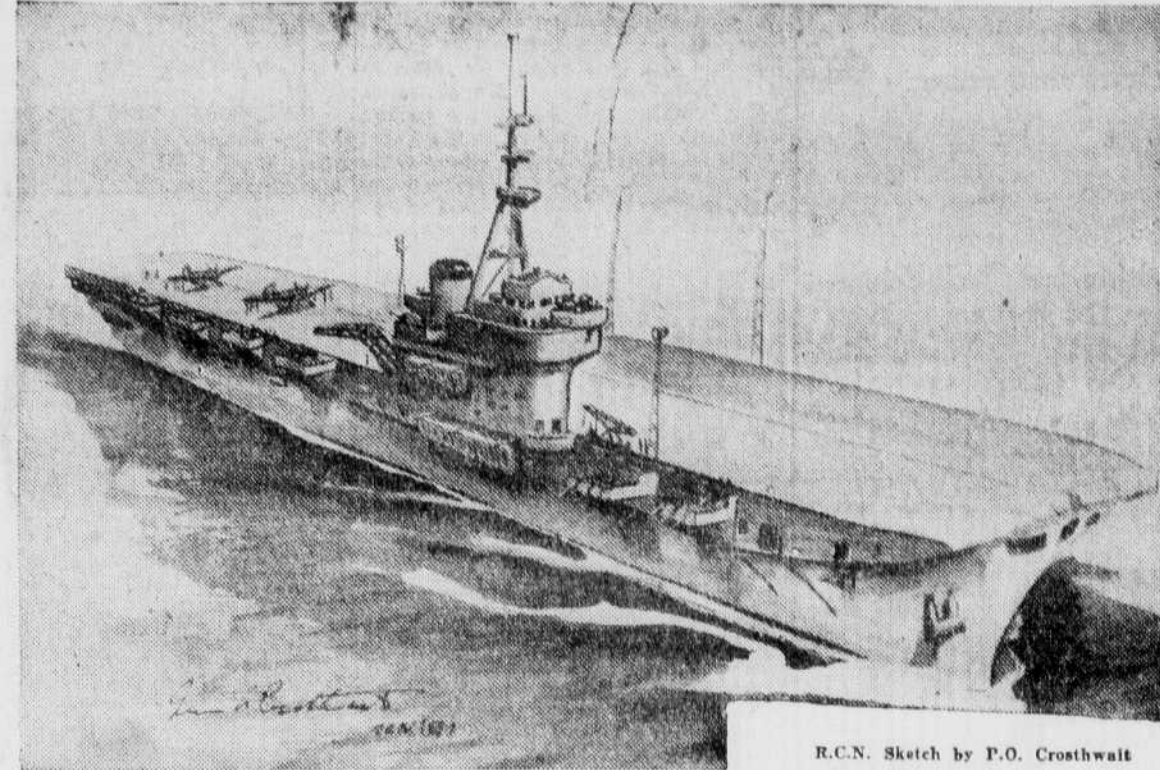
Before the sentence was passed, D'Amour and Henderson were dismissed from the court. Larment then was asked whether he had anything to say.

He replied at once, but in stumbling, broken phrases: "What I have to say to your Lordship is that I am absolutely innocent of my crime with which I am charged. I am also very, very sorry. I am sorry and I regret ever since I have been charged for what happened last October. I have prayed. I have prayed to God for the misunderstanding which occurred to me. I have done my best and now I am found guilty. All I have to say is I am not guilty."

One juror, Thomas Bradley of Ottawa, broke down after the verdict had been announced. Last week Bradley had asked to be excused on the ground he did not believe in capital punishment, but he was told to remain on the jury because he already had been sworn.

As Mr. Justice Barlow thanked the jury for its "long and arduous task" Bradley wept silently into a handkerchief.

New Carrier Joins Royal Canadian Navy



R.C.N. Sketch by P.O. Crosthwaite

With the commissioning of the 18,000-ton aircraft carrier, H.M.C.S. "Warrior" at Belfast, Ireland, today, the Royal Canadian Navy's post-war fleet acquires its largest ship. "Warrior" is a Light Fleet aircraft carrier of the improved "Colossus" class and is commanded by the former Head of the Canadian Naval Mission Overseas, Captain F. L. Houghton, C.B.E., R.C.N. She has a flight deck 700 feet by 80 feet, is powered by two Parsons turbines developing 40,000 horse-power and capable of driving her through the water at 25 knots. She carries a complement of 1,200 officers and ratings.

CANADA'S NEW NAVY ADDITION COMMISSIONED

Aircraft Carrier "Warrior" Will Be Largest Unit of Dominion's New Navy—Halifax to Be Home Port.

Belfast, Northern Ireland, Jan. 24.—(P)—Canada took one more step toward the building of a "big ship" navy with the commissioning of the aircraft carrier H.M.C.S. "Warrior" here today.

The "Warrior", one of the 18,000-ton "Colossus" class, is small in comparison with the giant carriers of the British and United States fleets, but she will be the largest unit of Canada's new navy. She joins the new cruisers Uganda and Ontario to form the backbone of the Dominion's post-war fleet, in contrast to the four destroyers which comprised the nucleus of Canada's pre-war "small ship" navy.

With a crew of some 1,200 Canadian and British personnel under Capt. F. L. Houghton, C.B.E., of Ottawa, she will sail for Canada later and make Halifax her home port. The sailing date is undecided.

British officers and technical ratings will coach the Canadians in the sailing and fighting of the ship and how to handle the British Seaforce fighters and Firefly reconnaissance fighters which will make her 700-foot flight deck their home.

The "Warrior's" eight decks are completely equipped with the latest equipment for rapid launching, landing and servicing of aircraft. Her armament includes 19 Bofors anti-aircraft guns and six four-barrelled pom-poms.

Her 48-year-old skipper, Capt. Houghton, headed Canada's naval mission in London during the last two weeks of the war and in recent months has made a special study of problems peculiar to carrier operation. He commanded the auxiliary cruisers Prince Robert and Prince Henry earlier in the war.

Her complement is divided almost equally in groups responsible for the ship and the planes and Capt. Houghton chose "Haul Together" as the ship's motto.

Cmdr. K. L. Dyer, D.S.C., a Canadian, is executive officer while two royal commanders—P. L. Mortimer and K. C. Grieve—are responsible for the air branch. Cmdr. Mortimer has charge until aircraft are airborne, while Cmdr. Grieve directs operations in the air.

Name Spaatz Chief Of U.S. Air Forces

Washington, Jan. 24.—(P)—President Truman today announced Gen. Carl A. Spaatz's appointment to be Chief of the United States Army Air Forces, succeeding Gen. Henry H. (Hap) Arnold.

The President told his press conference that Gen. Arnold will retire upon his return from his current South American tour and that Gen. Spaatz will take over his assignment.

Gen. Arnold wanted to retire sometime between February 1 and February 15, the President said, but added that he did not know the exact effective date at this time.

Fear 7 Dead In Airplane Crash

Calgary, Jan. 24.—(P)—The seven-man crew of a Royal Canadian Air Force Dakota training plane was believed to have perished when the twin-engine craft struck a mountain Saturday.

A wisp of smoke yesterday led Alberta forestry service men to the base of almost-impenetrable Mount Polony, 10 miles south and west of Coleman, in south-central Alberta. There they found the charred wreckage of the plane and three bodies so badly burned they could not be identified.

All available aircraft of the R.C.A.F.'s western air command had been searching the area since the plane was reported overdue. It last was heard from near Cranbrook, B.C.

U.K. IS OFFERED USE OF ELEVEN LIBERTY SHIPS

Washington, Jan. 24.—(P)—The United States has offered Britain the use of 11 Liberty ships as a substitute for the present arrangement under which United States troops are ferried home aboard the Queen Mary at a tentative charge of \$110 each.

Government officials said the offer has not yet been accepted. Presumably, the British authorities are weighing the need for troop carriers for their own tommies, soldiers and men from the dominions, against that of reaching a settlement which would supplement their dollars credit in the United States.

Since the end of lend-lease Sept. 2, the Queen Mary has brought home 84,804 American troops. The Queen Elizabeth, before being withdrawn from the U.S. run, carried another 20,322.

Gouin Is Facing Difficult Task As France's President

Paris, January 24.—(P)—The Constituent Assembly last night elected Socialist Felix Gouin to succeed Gen. de Gaulle as France's interim President under circumstances that forecast a difficult task for the 61-year-old lawyer.

A Communist tangle with the Mouvement Republicain Populaire over the principle of three-party harmony that preceded the assembly's vote, put M. Gouin in office with the same problems that plagued Gen. de Gaulle's effort to direct a coalition government.

M. Gouin, who had at first refused to be a candidate, said after the election that he accepted the office "through duty, principally toward the Republic to which I owe everything, but also and especially toward the France for which we must be ready to sacrifice, not only our existence but also that which is sometimes more important than life — personal popularity."

He indicated he hoped to form a cabinet today. He will serve until the assembly finishes work in May on a new constitution and new elections are held.

The vote came only after the M.R.P. had retreated from its insistence that the Communists and Socialists publicly proclaim the necessity for a three-party coalition government.

Wage Policy For U.S. Asked By Fairless

Government Goes Ahead With Plans to Seize Packing Industry on Saturday—Trainmen Call off Impending Strike.

Washington, Jan. 24.—(P)—The United States Government went ahead today with its plans to take over operation of strike-bound meat packing plants Saturday amid speculation whether similar presidential seizure orders against other struck industries were under consideration.

There was no word from the White House that the government planned to take possession of the steel industry, paralyzed by a walkout of 750,000 C.I.O. workers, or other industries affected by work stoppages.

Meanwhile, union and management officials turned anew to President Truman to find a solution to the four-day oil steel strike, with U. S. Steel President B. F. Fairless proposing a national wage policy.

Mr. Fairless urged that Mr. Truman call a conference of industrial leaders for their advice "on what

CANADA FACES EMERGENCY IN STEEL INDUSTRY

Ottawa, Jan. 24.—(P)—Steel control has been re-established on a temporary basis to meet an emergency situation arising from the United States steel strike, Reconstruction Minister Howe announced today.

Mr. Howe said the effect of a prolonged United States strike on Canadian industry would be "disastrous." A meeting of the wartime advisory steel committee has been called for today to work out plans for increased production from Canadian mills and for any control measures which may be considered necessary.

Kind of a wage increase the economy of this country can endure without incurring the danger of an inflationary spiral.

Mr. Fairless in a radio speech said his proposal might pave the way for settlement of the steel walkout "and other strikes that now plague the country."

The President also was offered a suggestion by the C.I.O. steel workers' wage policy committee which asked him to turn over "a billion dollars worth" of government-owned steel plants for operation by individuals willing to accept his recommendation of an 18½-cent-an-hour wage increase.

Brightest development on the labor front was the calling off last night of a scheduled strike by 1,500 trainmen on the three shuttle railroads, a vital link in handling freight for 21 converging major railroads in Chicago.

An agreement on issues in the dispute was reached by Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen leaders and officials of the three roads. Details were not disclosed.

As the government set up machinery for running the struck packing plants, there remained a possibility that 193,000 of the 263,000 packinghouse workers on strike would not end their walkout which started January 16.

FRANCE'S NEW PRESIDENT



FELIX GOUIN, who has been elected interim president of France in succession to Gen. de Gaulle. Sixty-one years old, Mr. Gouin, who has represented his home town as a socialist deputy for twenty-two years, was a resistance leader during the Nazi occupation of France. Although he was president of the French National Constituent Assembly and earlier president of the Consultative Assembly in Algiers, he is relatively unknown to the French man in the street.

NEW BUSINESS INCREASES IN INSURANCE CO.

In its 56th annual report the Manufacturers Life Insurance Company reports that for the first time in its history new business passed the hundred million dollars mark, the actual figure being \$107 1/2 million.

COATICOOK

The Coaticook High School Christmas examination results from Grade III up, in order of merit, follow:

Grade III: Barbara Gill; Allan Smith and Keith Percy, equal; John Adams and Shirley Plunkett, equal; Robert Sanson, Leonard Andrews, Peter Church.

Grade IV: Eloise Bishop, Jean Dunn, Lois Bean, Hazel Stone.

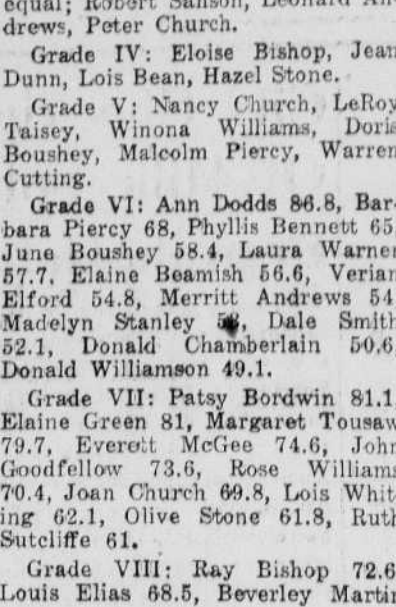
Grade V: Nancy Church, LeRoy Taisey, Winona Williams, Doris Boushey, Malcolm Percy, Warren Cutting.

Grade VI: Ann Dodds 86.8, Barbara Percy 86, Phyllis Bennett 85, Jane Boushey 84.4, Laura Warner 83.7, Elaine Beamish 83.6, Verian Elford 84.8, Merritt Andrews 84, Madelyn Stanley 84, Dale Smith 82.1, Donald Chamberlain 80.6, Donald Williamson 49.1.

Grade VII: Patsy Bordwin 81.1, Elaine Green 81, Margaret Tousey 79.7, Everett McGee 74.6, John Goodfellow 73.6, Rose Williams 70.4, Joan Church 69.8, Lois Whiting 62.1, Olive Stone 61.8, Ruth Sutcliffe 61.

Grade VIII: Ray Bishop 72.6, Louis Elias 68.5, Beverley Martin

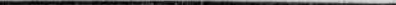
THIS CURIOUS WORLD By William Ferguson



PERFUME WAS WORN AS A CHARM AGAINST THE PLAGUE BACK IN THE DAYS OF CHARLES I OF ENGLAND.

THERE ARE 70,000 MILES OF FISHING STREAMS IN U.S. NATIONAL FORESTS.

Kutz Korner



IN WINTER, WHAT BECOMES OF BATS, FROGS AND MOLES?

ANSWER: Most bats hibernate in caves, frogs in mud, and moles go deeper underground.

WAY'S MILLS

The January meeting of the Women's Institute was entertained at the home of Mrs. W. B. Sargeant, when in spite of icy roads nine members and one visitor were present.

The meeting opened with the usual routine, each member giving in response to the roll call "An interesting fact for needle women." After the reading and acceptance of the minutes of the last meeting, a report of the Christmas dinner committee was given and bills were ordered paid.

Several letters of thanks were read. Correspondence included a letter from Mrs. W. S. Smallman and one from the Chairman of the National Clothing Collection stating that over twelve million pounds of good used clothing had been collected for the relief of the stricken Europeans.

The programme for 1946 of Extension Work in Agriculture and Home Economics in the State of Vermont had been sent us by request. It was decided to study this programme and invite a member from this group to attend one of their meetings.

The Pamphlet, "Legislation Concerning the Employment of Women" is to be ordered also one by the Canadian Palestine Committee. Mrs. Sargeant spoke of the great loss sustained by the community in the death of Mrs. E. W. Perry and a resolution of sympathy for Mr. Perry and his daughter, Mrs. Mayhew, was passed.

A two minute silence was observed in memory of Mrs. Perry, who had been a faithful member of the Institute for many years.

Before adjournment there was a short discussion "How I maintain my wardrobe during the war?" This was followed by an IQ test when Mrs. Geddes and Mrs. Dobb were the winners.

A basket lunch was served by the members and a social hour followed.

The National Films were shown in the Hall, on Friday, January 18th, when "Power and the Land," "A Community Sing Song" and "Physical Culture in Sweden" will be among the films shown.

Restoration and dancing will follow the pictures.

BROME

The annual vestry meeting of St. John's Anglican Church was held at the home of Mrs. Lyla Owens with the incumbent, Rev. K. W. Gedy, in the chair.

The Treasurer, Mrs. William Chapman, Jr., read the financial report of the year, which was very satisfactory.

All obligations were met and there was a balance of twenty-six dollars and twenty-two cents.

Rev. Mr. Gedy, sincerely thanked his wardens, treasurer, organist, sidesmen, sexton and the senior and junior guilds for splendid work throughout the year.

He appointed Mr. William Chapman, Jr., as his warden and Mr. David Tracey was re-appointed people's warden and Mrs. H. P. Jackson, vestry clerk.

The sidesmen were re-appointed. The following were appointed a committee in charge of St. John's cemetery: the incumbent, Rev. F. W. Gedy, the wardens, Messrs. William Chapman, David Tracey, Mayor William Blake, H. A. Holden, Wilson Frizzle, James Frizzle, G. Soles, A. D. Vail, with R. V. Mason, treasurer.

Those present at this meeting were Rev. F. W. Gedy, Messrs. R. V. Mason, William Chapman, David Tracey and G. E. Soles and Mrs. G. A. Mason, Mrs. Lyla Owens, Mrs. William Chapman, Jr., and Mrs. G. E. Soles.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Tibbits were business visitors in Waterville.

The Brome Knitting Club recently forwarded to Red Cross headquarters in Sherbrooke the following articles: Ten sheets, seventeen afghan squares, four pairs of children's stockings, ten pairs of girls' bloomers, two pairs of mittens, three pullover sweaters, one pair of child's pullover sweaters, one pair of men's socks.

Master Robert Johnston, who has been confined to the house for a week due to an attack of the grippe is on the gain.

Mr. J. O. Ostiguy, of Adamsville, was in Brome for a time.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Tibbits motored to Sherbrooke and spent a day.

Friends regret to learn that Mrs. W. Kather is a patient in the Brome-Missisquoi-Perkins Memorial Hospital, Sherbrooke, having fallen and broken her hip, at her home in West Brome.

Miss Grace Johnston is convalescing from the grippe.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Tibbits were guests of Mrs. Edward Smith, at Sutton Junction.

Mrs. E. H. Chamberlain and son, Master Jack Chamberlain have returned from spending some time in Gould Station, where they were guests of Mr. Chamberlain.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Wilson entertained Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. George Clark during the holiday season.

Mrs. A. W. Morse has returned to her home in Abercorn, after spending the holidays with relatives in this locality.

Mr. A. Gingras, of Granby, was in town for a short stay.

Mr. Arthur Sheldon was an overnight guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Tibbits.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

Table with columns: American Can., Chrysler, General Motors, Southern Pacific, U. S. Steel, Westinghouse. Includes Open and 11 a.m. prices.

MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE

Table with columns: Asbestos Corp., B.A. Bank Note, Bathurst Paper, Bell Telephone, Canadian Pacific, etc. Includes Open and 11 a.m. prices.

MONTREAL CURB MARKET

Table with columns: Aulic, Aulic Ptd., B. C. Packers, Cons. Paper, Coochour Willams, etc. Includes Open and 11 a.m. prices.

HERE IT IS!

The event you've all been waiting for! Jack Echenberg's Annual January Sale — the greatest money-saving event of the year! ALL STOCK MUST BE CLEARED REGARDLESS OF COST to make room for our new Spring stock.

AFTER INVENTORY SALE DRESSES

- 1 LOT OF DRESSES AND BLOUSES TO CLEAR AT \$1.95
1 LOT OF DRESSES: CREPPES, COTTONS, JERSEYS Values up to \$9.95. TO CLEAR AT \$2.95
1 LOT OF DRESSES Valued up to \$11.50. TO CLEAR AT \$3.95
1 LOT OF DRESSES ESPECIALLY PRICED TO CLEAR AT \$4.95
1 LOT OF DRESSES — WOOLS, CREPPES AND JERSEYS — TO CLEAR AT \$5.95
1 LOT OF DRESSES — Latest styles, assorted colors and sizes. TO CLEAR AT \$6.95

COATS

- 1 LOT OF FUR-TRIMMED COATS TO CLEAR AT \$7.95
1 LOT OF SPORT AND FUR-TRIMMED COATS Values up to \$25. TO CLEAR AT \$9.95
1 LOT OF POLOS, TWEEDS AND FUR-TRIMS Values up to \$55. TO CLEAR AT \$12.95
1 LOT OF WOMEN'S SMART FUR-TRIMMED COATS Including blacks, with Squirrel Trim. Value \$35. TO CLEAR AT \$14.95
1 LOT OF WOMEN'S AND MISSES' FUR-TRIMMED COATS Assorted colors and sizes. Values up to \$50. TO CLEAR AT \$19.95

FUR COATS

- "PERSIANA" IMITATION PERSIAN COATS Value \$59. TO CLEAR AT \$44.50
RACCOON FLANK Very smart — Value \$89.00. TO CLEAR AT \$69.50
1 ONLY VISCACHA COAT Originally priced at \$110. TO CLEAR AT \$79.50
1 ONLY BOMBAY LAMB COAT Originally priced: \$185. TO CLEAR AT \$69.50
COONEY COATS (Dyed Rabbit) Tuxedo styles. Value \$140. TO CLEAR AT \$109.00
BLACK SEAL (Dyed Rabbit) Originally priced \$175. TO CLEAR AT \$127.00
RACCOON COATS Originally priced at \$200. TO CLEAR AT \$159.00
SILVER RACCOON COATS Very beautiful. Formerly \$400. TO CLEAR AT \$275.00
1 ONLY PERSIAN LAMB COAT Originally priced \$275. TO CLEAR AT \$219.00
MUSKRAT (Mink Dyed) Tuxedo Coats. Formerly \$410. TO CLEAR AT \$319.00
1 ONLY WALLABY BEAVER COAT Originally priced \$375. TO CLEAR AT \$295.00
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— Latest World Events — Performances Daily 1:30 until 5: 6:30 until 11.

Advertisement for 'BROME' featuring a portrait of a man and text about a medical condition.

BROOKBURY

Friends of Sgt. Major George Everett of Bury, will regret to hear that he is confined to the Sherbrooke Hospital with a fractured hip caused by a fall on the ice.

Mrs. R. W. Jenkerson's condition does not improve as fast as her friends would wish.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Hooker and little Beniah Frances, of Bishopton, were calling on Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Jenkerson, Messrs. Ernest Grey and Milton Coates were callers at the same home.

Mr. Claude Jenkerson, Miss Claire Weir and Mr. E. J. Weir were calling on Miss Theresia Weir, R.N., at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Pehlemann, prior to her leaving for Montreal to spend the winter with her aunt, Mrs. V. Weiler, and Mr. Weiler.

STANSTEAD

Rev. Frank Stanton has returned to Stanstead College, and has resumed his teaching duties, after several weeks' illness.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bullis, Mr. Fred Hills and Miss Alice Hills have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wright, in Sherbrooke.

Mr. Claude Alger, of Fitch Bay, was in town on business.

Dr. R. O. Ross spent a day in Sherbrooke.

Mr. J. St. Onge, of Montreal, was in town on business.

Mrs. J. D. Ferguson and Mrs. H. W. Lamb entertained the Stanstead Chapter of the I.O.D.E., in the Stanstead College reception room. Tea was served following the business session.

Messrs. Jack Bobsois, Henry Rosen and Herbert Shalinsky motored

Appointments Announced



R. M. MURRAY Ralph M. Murray, (left), who has been appointed sales supervisor, Flooring Division, of Building Products Limited, Montreal. Born in Saint John, N.B., and completing his education at the University of New Brunswick, Mr. Murray joined Building Products Limited in 1934 and has served in various sales capacities since that time.



P. G. CARRIER Paul G. Carrier, (right), who has been appointed assistant to the general sales manager of the same firm. Born in 1910 and receiving his education at the High School of Montreal and McGill University. Mr. Carrier had a successful business and sales career before joining the Building Products organization during the past year.

STANBRIDGE EAST

Mr. Ray Boomhower went to Montreal on business.

Mr. Marcel Carter is up and about again, after having the grippe.

Messrs. Archie Sazer, George Tremblay and Kenneth D. Tree were the new councillors appointed to office.

Mrs. B. G. Appleby has been spending a week in Toronto, Ont., with friends.

Mr. Clarence Johnson is sick at the home of his sister, Mrs. B. Boomhower.

Mrs. Alice Butler went to Montreal to welcome her husband home on his arrival from overseas.

Mrs. Earl Bracey and daughter, Carol, were guests of Mrs. D. C. Blinn.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Blinn were calling on Mrs. F. J. Laraway, who has been very sick.

Mrs. M. Boomhower is confined to her bed with a leg injury.

Douglas Rows has returned to the Montreal General Hospital for further treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Dougherty were guests of Mr. and Mrs. K. D. Tree.

Mr. Cedric Kemp is confined to the house with the grippe.

Mr. and Mrs. K. D. Tree and Mrs. C. M. Blinn were driven to Farnham by Mr. L. K. Weston.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Knight and Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Blinn were party guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Bradshaw, in Bedford.

GOULD

Mr. Angus MacMillan and Miss Sarah MacMillan, of Gould Station, called on Miss MacMillan.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Chapman, of Canterbury, spent a day with Mr. and Mrs. Percy Sherman.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Morrison were Mr. and Mrs. Murdo Morrison, of Canterbury.

Mr. Ernest Hall and Miss Helen Sherman spent a week-end in Sherbrooke.

Tea guests of Mr. and Mrs. George MacKay were Mr. Edmund MacIver, Marilyn Duffy and Ellen MacIver.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Sherman, Miss Helen Sherman and Mr. Ernest Hall spent a day with Mrs. Sylvester Goodin, in Canterbury.

Congratulations are extended to Mrs. Edwyna M. Beaton MacKay for having received a gratuity cheque of thirty dollars from Dr. Percival, of the Department of Education, for the successful term 1944-45 in the Gould School.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter MacIver and Messrs. Raymond and Donald MacIver during the holidays.

Miss Jessie MacMillan has resumed her teaching duties in Montreal, after spending her holidays with her sister, Miss Margaret MacMillan.

DEATHS

SMITH—At the Montreal General Hospital, on Wednesday, January 23rd, 1946, Muriel Maud Sumbury, wife of the late Hibbard A. Smith, 3961 Newmarket Street, Verdun, at the age of 80 years. Service on Friday evening at 8 p.m. at J. W. MacGillivray Chapel, 3067 Wellington St., Verdun. Remains will arrive on noon train Saturday, January 26th, and be taken to Johnville, Que., for interment. Rev. Fred Williams officiating. For information telephone J. W. Blake, Reg'd, 404.

WELLS—At his late residence on Sherbrooke Road, Sergeant-Major John Wells, Veteran of 1914-18, beloved husband of Ella Carroll. Remains resting at O. H. Leroux new funeral home, 8 Sherbrooke Street, Magog. Funeral 2:30 Sunday afternoon, at St. Paul's United Church. Interment, Pine Hill Cemetery.

CARD OF THANKS I wish to send my heartfelt thanks to the Women's Institute and all my kind friends of East Clifton and Sawyerville for their kindness in sending me all the nice gifts which were put on a Christmas tree. I wish to thank Mr. and Mrs. Guy Waldron for bringing the tree and gift down to me. I am very grateful to you all and thank you again to each and every one.

MARY STODDARD

CARD OF THANKS We wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation to all who assisted us at the time of the death, funeral and burial of our dear mother and grandmother, Eva Jensen Sweet, of Knowlton. Especially we wish to thank Rev. R. A. Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Coates who sang, Miss G. Lafont, who accompanied, the bearers, those who sent flowers and expressions of sympathy and all neighbours who so kindly sent food and assisted in every possible way.

Signed: MR. AND MRS. J. R. WORDEN, Foster. MR. AND MRS. R. SHUFELT AND MARGARET, Cowansville. MRS. E. DRYBURG, Montreal.

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\$4,100 Superior Court Action Involving Rock Island Interests Rejected By Mr. Justice White

Mr. Justice C. D. White, of the Superior Court, yesterday dismissed with costs the action of John R. Spendlove, artist, of Westmount, against Dame Doris A. Bacon, nee Arnot, of Rock Island, wife separate as to property of Harry A. Bacon, of Rock Island, and Harry A. Bacon.

Plaintiff Spendlove alleged that he was the owner of the undivided two-thirds of lot 1325 of the Township of Hatley, and the owner of the one-third part of lot 1417 of Hatley; that under the terms of the last will and testament of the late Henry D. Spendlove, the ownership of the real and the immovable property described was bequeathed to the plaintiff, subject, however, to a life interest or usufruct in favor of his widow, Maud M. Spendlove, nee Bacon; that in accordance with the will of Henry D. Spendlove, the usufruct of the property until her death in March, 1936; that following the death of Mrs. Spendlove, the defendants, who had been making their home with her, continued to reside on the property and exploit it to their own interest and benefit;

that he had a right to demand an accounting from the defendants of their administration of the immovable property to the extent of his undivided interest.

Spendlove asked \$4,100 in the action, which was dismissed considering:

"That the plaintiff and defendants are in undivided ownership of the properties and that plaintiff has had possession of same since 1942, and has never rendered any account of his administration to the defendants; that the only method to establish the rights of the several parties is by an action en partage, and that the plaintiff not having rendered himself an account, cannot demand the rendering of an account from the defendants; that it appears from the evidence that the defendants were only in possession of the property for about a year after the death of Maud Bacon Spendlove; that plaintiff has not established the allegations of his declaration, but that defendant has established the allegations of his plea."

PASSES TO BE GIVEN OUT FOR UNIT'S ARRIVAL

Citizens without an official pass will not be permitted on the C.N.R. station platform when the Sherbrooke Fusilier Regiment arrives on the week-end, it was made known today by Chief of Police E. Moreau.

Depot Street will be closed off to traffic while parking on Wellington Street South, from Aberdeen to King, Wellington North, Marquette and Dufferin Streets will be confined to the left-hand side of the street.

COMMERCE BODY TO REVIEW WORK ON FILTER VOTE

A general meeting and business session of the local Chamber of Commerce will be held in the New Sherbrooke at 6:30 o'clock tonight when principal item on the agenda will be a report on the work done by the local group in connection with the referendum on the filtration plant defeated two days ago.

For some time now, the Chamber has been carrying on a "Get Out and Vote" Campaign in an effort to stimulate more local interest in municipal affairs.

An executive of the local Chamber said this morning that there was a strong feeling among local business men that a good deal could be done by the city to insure smoother operation of local voting.

"On voting day, the Chamber received several telephone calls from members stating that their names had not been included on any voting list and complaints of difficulty in finding the proper polls were many," he said.

Undoubtedly the Chamber will petition the city to distribute notifications to each voter a few days before an election advising him of his polling station and thus eliminate the confusion in the last referendum.

J. A. Archambault, Vice-President of the local Chamber, who will be chairman of tonight's meeting stated that the general feeling among local business men was that practice would be one of the greatest steps in encouraging people to vote. "Too many people spent their noon hour and even a half hour in the evening trying to find their polling station. Others, office workers, whose hours were from 9 to 6, did not have an opportunity to vote at all," he said.

Main Body To Leave Training Centre At 3.30 p.m. Tomorrow

Following the advance party of 75 officers and men which left last Tuesday morning for the Farnham Training Centre, main body of the 6th Infantry Battalion at the Lord Sherbrooke Training Camp on the Drummond Road, will board the 3.30 train tomorrow afternoon for the same destination, it was learned from camp officials today.

No word has been received from the Defence Department, however, at either the camp itself or at the City Hall of the Government's decision to favor the Farnham Camp for a permanent training centre in that area of Drummond Road camp.

Defence Minister Abbott alluded to this, however, when he stated that it was necessary for some of the training centres throughout Canada to close down in order that expenditures be cut and that it was generally felt that the grounds at the Farnham camp were more satisfactory for military manoeuvres.

Some time ago a resolution, passed by the City Council outlining certain disadvantages the city would realize with the loss of the camp, was forwarded to Major-General E. J. Renaud, Officer Commanding Military District No. 4, and Maurice Gingués, M.P. However, no reply was received from the commander.

With the main body leaving tomorrow afternoon, it is expected that a small number of men to form the rear party will remain here for at least another week. Accordingly, all members of the 6th Infantry Battalion will have left the local camp by the end of next week.

Many Activities Reviewed By Scouts At Annual Meeting At Which James Wark Re-Elected

J. H. Wark was re-elected president of the local Boy Scouts Association at the annual meeting of the organization held here on Tuesday. Mr. Wark presided at the meeting, and spoke a few words in appreciation of the work done by men and women for scouting and cubbing during the difficult war years.



J. H. WARK

Lewis Rosenbloom, elected Youth Council representative, spoke on behalf of those interested in scouting and thanked the association and leaders for their effort and time given freely. Clarence Blake, district commissioner, referred to the passing of the Rev. Dr. Ellery Read, who had been district chaplain for the Boy Scouts of this area.

The treasurer's report for the year 1945 was given by Stewart Roy, and District Scoutmaster E. Blake gave a short summary of his activities as D.S.M., discussing the P.L.'s banquet, ushering, district hikes, etc. He announced that there were now 83 Scouts and eight leaders compared with last year's 57 Scouts and six leaders.

Neil Tracey reported on the activities of the badge board, stating that last year 110 proficiency badges had been passed. Culmaster Les Humphries reported on the Toy Shop as well as the activities of the District Leaders Council. J. Lary, of the camp committee announced that the committee was still trying to locate a suitable camp site. Scar Loke gave a short report on his activities as press secretary and Clarence Blake gave a full report of the year's activities.

In his report, Mr. Blake stated that the past year had been one of great change in personnel and conditions in Scouting. Group activities included the conducting of Hallowe'en and Christmas parties, Parents' Night, concerts, etc. The Lennoxville Troop organized a bugle band. There were a number of unit hikes during the past year. Mr. Blake declared that there was room for improvement in this direction, adding, "Unfortunately we were unable to conduct our usual Easter Egg Collection and Apple Day, and our services were not required at the Sherbrooke Winter Fair of the Dominion Day celebrations."

The Toy Shop headed the list of district activities. Under the direction of Culmaster Humphries, assisted by Acting Scoutmaster S. Loke, the affair was a decided success and had generous support from leaders and boys. It was discovered that Les Scouts Catholics were rendering a similar service in the community, and it has been agreed with J. O. Dubuc, their Local Commissioner, that consultations should place in order to avoid duplication of effort. The Cub Italy in November was an outstanding success and boys did a good job at the fall Exhibition. Groups assisted at the Church parade and two Lister Trophy Inspections. District hikes were successful and the Patrol Leaders Banquet, organized by District Scoutmaster Robert Blake was also a success.

During Good Turn Week, free moving pictures were presented at various schools and churches in the City for children who are not permitted to attend the regular movies. The observance of National Scout Week was restricted to publicity because of the financial campaign being conducted at the time.

During the year the District Commissioner and the District Secretary received Akela Badges, and it is hoped that additional awards will be made in the coming year as a result of Gilwell training taken. One Sphinx training course was conducted and five certificates issued under the direction of F. G. Hicks. The District Secretary was also awarded her Warrant as Cubmaster. The Badge Committee was active, having completely revised the list of badge examiners and system of handling. Examinations were conducted in the passing of King Scout Badges which were more successful than previous attempts. Four leaders attended the Gilwell reunion in Montreal and Thanks Badges were awarded Mr. and Mrs. John Morrison, of Lennoxville, and Stewart Roy, the treasurer. Mr. Blake received the Long Service Medal through the Provincial Office. Sea Scout Training was not undertaken last year.

The District Commissioner referred to registering and records and commended Stanley Loke for his work on publicity and public relations. Mr. Loke is editing a Leaders' paper. Mr. Blake spoke of the cordial relations existing with the local press and radio station, and recorded appreciation to these organizations: Canadian Legion, the Independent Order of Foresters, the Sons of England, the School Boards and the Rotary Club.

Four members of the Association attended the annual Provincial meeting at Quebec and three attended the conference held in Montreal early in the year. At that meeting, no progress was made in the matter of districting, and the resignation of the Provincial Commissioner, W. R. Allen, was received. Jackson Dodds succeeded him. An outstanding feature of the year was the inauguration of a Council in an effort to co-ordinate the work among youth and to eliminate duplication and competition.

The war service of the Boy Scouts consisted in co-operating in community ventures such as UNRRA clothing appeal, salvage work, carrying chairs and assisting at meetings of patriotic organizations, providing messenger service on V.E. and V.J. Days, etc. The Scouts have continued to forward cigarettes and chocolates to those in the service. A number of leaders have returned their former duties. Captain and Mrs. Blake have returned to their former duties. Captain and Mrs. Blake have returned to their former duties.

The Association obtained a place for storing camp and other equipment. One boat and one motor were disposed of during the year. There were 48 in camp in 1945 as compared with 35 the previous year. According to the last census, there were 116 Cubs, 82 Scouts and 21 Leaders, a total of 219, or an increase of 19 over the previous year. The Leaders' Council was more active during the past year. The group appreciates the co-operation of F. G. Hicks, Montreal, Mr. Roberts and Rev. Geoffrey Guillon.

Mr. Blake will maintain the office of District Commissioner. The complete slate of district Association officers follows: Patrons: Hon. Senators C. B. Howland and J. Nicol, Members of Parliament and Legislative Assembly of Sherbrooke County, and Mayors of Sherbrooke and Lennoxville. Hon. President, W. E. Paton. Hon. Vice-Presidents, J. R. Sangster, G. E. Murphy and Crawford Grier.

President, J. H. Wark. Vice-Presidents, H. E. Grundy, R. E. Blake and H. J. Drew. Hon. Secretary, H. F. Saunders. Hon. Treasurer, W. S. Roy. Trustees: D. J. Sallis chairman, J. A. Lary, J. W. Wark and B. Miller. Chairman of Lister Trophy Judges, J. W. Buckell. Youth Council Representative, Lewis Rosenbloom. Finance Committee, W. S. Roy chairman, C. Campbell, G. Ewing, C. E. Soles and D. J. Sallis. Badges and Awards Committee, R. A. Benton chairman, J. K. Doherty, J. W. Blake, B. Miller and R. E. Blake. Publicity Committee, G. Beerworth chairman, D. S. Beaman, Dean Bishop and S. Loke. Camp Committee, J. M. Galvin chairman, J. A. Lary, J. W. Blake, B. Miller and R. E. Blake. Camp Site Committee, F. Keene chairman. District Chaplain, Rev. Professor Elton Scott.

ANOTHER COLD RECORD NOTED IN THIS AREA

Early yesterday morning Sherbrooke hung up another national record, its second inside of a week. Though it wasn't recorded in the field of sports, literature, or local improvement through city projects, it came well within the realm of common interest. For when it comes down to cold weather, natives of the vicinity are making the members of Operation Musk-Ox look like a bunch of tropical isle beach-combers.

The mercury wanged down to 18 degrees below in the little hours before dawn yesterday, an even 10 degrees below the temperature recorded in Dawson, Yukon and 21 under that registered in that chilly northern community, Prince Albert, Saskatchewan.

What with the sun and a warmish southwest zephyr from the middle States, the temperature climbed rapidly during the day, whisking up to 28 above. Today it was still quite mild and the weather seer predicts the continuation of moderate temperatures, together with light snow. Though there was no snowfall yesterday skiing conditions are considered favorable.

The weather right across Canada has been generally mild the past few days. Vancouver and Kamloops noted 38 above temperatures yesterday, high-placed Jasper and same, Lethbridge 36, Toronto 31 and Halifax 24. When another cold snap approaches, it will in all likelihood be reported by Operation Musk-Ox, which will bear the brunt of it first, if not as severely.

TRAMP ENJOYED BY MEMBERS OF SNOW SHOE CLUB

Members of the Sherbrooke Snow Shoe Club enjoyed their first tramp of the season last night. Meeting at the corner of Quebec and Portland the snowshoers led by Rupert Carter and the skiers under Rudy Stalport journeyed to the clubhouse on Prospect Road.

Volleyball and cards were played while the hot supper was being prepared. Rev. Norman McLeod said Grace before the gathering sat down to the meal. Secretary Ted Messenger read the minutes of the last meeting to open the business session.

President Howard Thompson called for a minute's silence in remembrance of the Rev. Dr. G. Ellery Read. Don Shaw and Major M. Parker of Quebec City, were introduced as guests of the club. Major Parker, recently returned from Hong Kong, was formerly a member of the "Black and Red" Club of Quebec City. Major Parker spoke briefly, congratulating the members upon the progress the club had made since his last visit.

The "Red Rebel" (Cliff Bryant), perennial leader of the Red Party, was heard from on several occasions during the evening, striking a blow home for the Reds by accusing the officers of holding the Ladies' Day dance without an orchestra. Francis Parker led the singing, assisted by Giz Gagnon at the piano and Ashley Hunting and his trumpet.

President Howard Thompson turned the programme over to Capt. Rupert Carter, who introduced Marcel Lamontagne. Mr. Lamontagne gave several musical selections on his accordion. The meeting closed with God Save the King.

The next meeting will be held on January 30, when Veterans' Night will be observed. All veterans who were formerly members of the club are asked to make an effort to attend.

KIRKDALE Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Nixon attended service at St. Anne's Church, Richmond, and were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Munroe.

City Checking Up On Quality Of Milk Sold Here—Cancels Permits Held By Two Vendors

With the cancellation of two milk vendors' permits this week and with a view to giving the population of Sherbrooke complete statistics on the quality of milk sold in this city, the City of Sherbrooke, beginning April 1, will publish periodically a list of local vendors along with bacteria classifications according to laboratory tests made by the Provincial Health Department at Montreal, it was learned at the City Hall today.

In releasing this decision for publication, City Clerk Antonin Deslauriers stated that although, on the whole, the milk sold in Sherbrooke was up to the standards required by the Health Department, two local dealers in particular have been selling milk that was "definitely detrimental to the health of the local population," and that in an effort to curb this practice and keep other dealers on their toes, samples would be demanded each week from milkmen chosen at random.

This decision was taken following reports from the Provincial Health Bureau indicating that samples from two dealers were contaminated and "unfit for human consumption."

"Because it is the duty of the local health department to look out for the welfare of citizens, it is felt that this would be the best method of advising consumers of the classification of milk vendors," a civic official stated this morning. Although these bulletins will not be published on any definite dates, it is understood that they will appear in the local papers periodically. This action is in line with a report read at the last Council meeting from Dr. J. A. Dion, Municipal Health Officer, urging the compulsory pasteurization of milk sold within the city limits "in order to improve the general health of the citizens."

The health officer also recommended that the licenses of offending distributors be cancelled until such time as the City Council was convinced that they had made the improvements necessary to protect the health of the consumers. This clause was adopted without debate, but his recommendation that all milk sold be pasteurized was tabled for further discussion.

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Dance, Canadian Legion, Victoria Hall, Cookshire, Fri., Jan. 25th. \$1.00 couple, Giz Gagnon's Orch.

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Gay Gambols Dance, Chateau Frontenac, Fri., March 1. Giz Gagnon's Orch. Benefit public library.

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Dance in I.O.O.F. Hall, Sawyerville, Sat., Jan. 26. Len Lobb's Orch.

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NEWSY ITEMS CHAMBER OF COMMERCE MEETS TONIGHT Members of the Sherbrooke Chamber of Commerce are requested to attend a dinner and general meeting to be held tonight at the New Sherbrooke, commencing at 6:30. This meeting is essentially to discuss business matters and all members are expected to be in attendance.

RICHMOND The annual meeting of the Guild and W. A. of St. Ann's Church was held in the Parish Hall. There were thirteen members present. The following officers were elected for the coming year: president, Mrs. A. Smith; first vice-president, Mrs. Mabel Morrill; second vice-president, Mrs. E. J. Newell; secretary, Mrs. Pearl Carson; treasurer, Mrs. William Fuller; Dorcas secretary, Mrs. F. A. McKee; literature secretary, Mrs. Henry Wyatt; superintendents of Juniors and Little Helpers, Mrs.

George W. Walker and Mrs. E. J. Newell. It was announced during the afternoon that the annual Vestry meeting would be held on January 28, in the Parish Hall. Refreshments were served at the close of the meeting by Mrs. Henry Wyatt and Mrs. A. Smith.

DEATH CLAIMED SGT. MAJ. WELLS THIS MORNING

Magog, Jan. 24 — Sgt.-Major Jack Wells, well known here, died in provincial military circles, died at his home on the Sherbrooke highway one mile from Magog this morning, after a lengthy illness.

A resident of Magog for the past fourteen years, Sgt. Major Wells came to this district as a pensioner soldier, after working in Montreal following World War I. During the last war, he was active in the Quebec Mobile Police, Magog Branch, and acted as a spare constable on the Dominion Textile special war guard.

A native of Liverpool, England, he served seven years' apprenticeship as boiler-maker with McKeeler, Cunard Lines on the Mersey. In Liverpool he belonged to the King's Own Liverpool Regiment. He came to Montreal as a youth and joined the Prince Royal Scots Regiment. He served in that unit and with the Army Service Corps as a sergeant. He proceeded overseas in the First Great War as a Sergeant-Major with the 244th Regiment. After the war he was employed in the C.P.E. Angus Shops in Montreal as a boiler-maker. During that period he acted as shop steward of the Boiler-makers' Union, and was a member of Branch No. 14, Army and Navy Veterans in Canada. In 1932 he was pensioned from the army and came to Magog.

Here, he took an active part in all veterans' affairs, and was well respected for his honesty and straightforwardness. Surviving from his marriage to Marion Ross in Montreal are four children, Matthew (Mattie) Wells, of Cadillac, Que., Redvers Dundonald Wells, of Pagwash, N.S., Miss Gladys Wells, R.N., Ste. Anne de Bellevue, and Mrs. Frank Brophy (Ivy), of Montreal. He was also survived by his wife, the former Mrs. Ella Carroll, of Eastman, and her son, Arthur Page Carroll, of Montreal. Five grandchildren survive. The funeral will take place on Sunday afternoon at 2:30 at St. Paul's United Church, the Rev. P. Matthews officiating. Interment will take place in the soldiers' lot, Pine Hill Cemetery.

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THE BATAVIAN INDEPENDENCE LEADERS

One fact in connection with the present independence movement in Batavia which is frequently unappreciated and which weighs heavily against the success of the campaign is that all the leaders are collaborators with the Japanese, and that most of them were expelled by the Dutch as trouble-makers before the war. Discussing this phase of the situation, the Batavia correspondent of the New York Times declares that if there is any jubilation in Tokyo these days, it must be over what has happened in the Netherlands Indies.

The Indonesian independence movement, as attested by uprisings in the past and by the fact that almost every one of the present Indonesian leaders was exiled some years ago by the Dutch for political activity, does not bear the stamp, "Made in Japan." But there can be no doubt that the movement reached its present proportions through propaganda fostered by the Japanese, hoping thus to secure greater cooperation in the war effort and greater blindness to Japanese exploitation.

The present Indonesian government was born with Japanese midwifery just as the surrender negotiations were reaching completion in mid-August. Despite all this, however, there is scarcely an Indonesian Nationalist who is not bitterly anti-Japanese as the result of the way their conquerors looted the country and impoverished its people.

There is also evidence that the Japanese organized the Kipas Hitam, or the Black Fan, a secret society composed of Japanese who resembled Indonesians and spoke the language perfectly, which has been acting as an agent provocateur. In several instances Japanese bodies have also been identified within captured Indonesian positions and a few Japanese have been captured alive.

President Sukarno of the republic was avowedly and, undeniably, because of published and broadcast utterances, a collaborationist with the Japanese, as were many members of his first cabinet. Sukarno's defence to this is his desire for independence for his people, which, he says, he regards as impossible under the Dutch.

OUTLOOK FOR CANADIAN AGRICULTURE

Despite the tremendous advances which have been made by Canadian agriculture under the stress of wartime conditions, there are many problems which are bound to arise in the near future. Many of these will be a revival of the difficulties which agriculture encountered prior to the outbreak of hostilities and which disappeared when demand for farm products reached record levels, with a consequent strengthening of the price structure. But others will result from the carrying out of the wartime control policies. These are so great that H. H. Hannam, president of the Canadian Federation of Agriculture, declared at the opening session of the Federation yesterday that the Canadian farmers are facing the future with some apprehension and are anxious for the development of national and international policies which will assure equity and security for the industry.

Reviewing the Canadian farmer's position on both a domestic and world basis, Mr. Hannam declared that his position in a properly balanced economy is far from clear and that the grower fears that even within the present year fundamental changes in policy are almost certain to be made. One such change might well be in the matter of subsidies. The subsidy programme was accepted in wartime as being essential to price ceilings, but many farmers feared these were unwise at that time and today they are more afraid than ever that the policy was a mistake, claiming they have not had a satisfactory explanation as to how their prices are to be restored to a fair exchange position with the prices of things they have to buy.

The extent to which subsidies have entered into the Canadian price structure is best appreciated when it is realized that without subsidies butter would cost eight cents more a pound, bread two cents more a loaf and milk three cents more a quart. There is strong doubt expressed in some quarters whether the proposed floor prices for agricultural products will be placed high enough to equal percent prices plus subsidies, and if they were placed at that height whether such a policy could be successfully administered.

If the fund of \$200,000,000 which has been voted to carry out the provision of the Agricultural Prices Board Act is used largely to provide supplementary payments to farmers—and even at that some think the amount is inadequate—the question

arises if this does not risk launching agriculture on a permanently subsidized basis. The Federation itself favors the adoption to farm produce of the policy now applied to wheat, establishing a five-year floor price with a higher initial payment guaranteed for the current year.

The Federation chief claims, with a degree of justice, that the cancelling of subsidies without increasing basic farm prices by a corresponding margin would be an injustice to food producers. It would mean the deliberate resort to a lop-sided economy; and under the prevailing price structure, would so depress farm purchasing power as to render futile all hopes for full employment for industry and labor.

The Government was also criticized for having aggravated the situation by failing to act on a recommendation made by the Federation last year for an early announcement of food price policy. Now it is more urgently needed than ever and the Federation fears serious difficulties and economic upsets may not be far distant unless adjustment is made to put agriculture on a sound peacetime basis.

THE AMERICAN GOVERNMENT IMPASSE

The recent appeal by President Truman made directly to the American people urging them to "ginger up" the Congressional representatives so the latter would get ahead with the business of the country draws attention to one phase of the United States Government set-up which is far from satisfactory. The existing situation of dilatoriness, blocking and inactivity of which the President complains is not new and his predecessors have found themselves in the same position of frustration. The President asks that certain legislation be passed but he finds Congress hostile and has no redress. Congress can do nothing if it assumes that attitude and there is nothing the President can do about it.

Such a condition is impossible in the various countries of the Empire. The Prime Minister and his Ministers, known as Secretaries in the United States, are in the House and when he or they introduce legislation the House either passes it with or without amendment or rejects it. In the latter event, or even if a destructive amendment is passed, the Prime Minister says in effect: "Very well; you have rejected our legislation and we will let the people decide between us." Then a general election follows and the people either return the government with a mandate to proceed with its plans or a new government is elected from the opposition groups.

This situation is discussed by the well-known Washington commentator, David Lawrence, who strongly favors the British parliamentary system in comparison with the American. He points out that the United States Congress has ceased to function as an exponent of presidential policies. The British system makes for honest and sincere attempts at government because the members naturally do not want to fight elections oftener than necessary and they do not oppose measures out of "cussedness" or because they dislike the chief executive.

Under the American system the chief executive can have one policy or viewpoint and Congress another. But apart from a partial Congressional election half way through the four years term, the people can have no way of expressing their views, and it may be nearly four years before they can do so. Mr. Lawrence says the present condition is strong evidence of the need of reform of the American system of government. The impasse is serious at the present time because it is delaying the entire programme of reconversion.

AUSTRALIA AND IMMIGRATION

Events of the past six years have impressed upon an important section of the people of Canada the grave dangers which under-population holds for this country and there is a strong demand in many quarters for an increased flow of immigration. But in laying any such plans it must be remembered that other countries, notably Australia, are making their own preparations to enter the same competition. Australia especially appreciates the danger which under-population offers. The Japanese got close enough to invading the Commonwealth to impress the need of greater manpower on every Australian. The maximum number of immigrants that can be absorbed is put at seventy thousand annually and naturally British settlers would be preferred but Britain no longer has a surplus, though Australia hopes get fifty thousand British orphans. She may also seek twenty thousand Poles who fought with the Royal Air Force in addition to other European war veterans.

The Canberra Government, however, is approaching the question of peopling the country from more than one angle, the most important being the complementary one of building up secondary industries and trying to induce British manufacturers to transport plant and personnel for production in Australia. The expansion of industry, of course, would produce a better balance in economic life and meet the fears of excessive competition.

Another plan urged by the Immigration Minister is a broad social service programme which would encourage Australians to have larger families. At present the birth rate is decreasing, a statistical fact which, in the light of the country's war experience, stresses the importance of making immigration the primary post-war task.

Australia has had the same experience as the other Dominions in building up new industries under the compulsion of war—armaments and ship-building, to mention only two, in both of which considerable efficiency was shown. These skills can be turned to profitable peacetime production.

A similar economic condition exists in Canada and sooner or later it will be necessary to go forward on a more vigorous plan of selective immigration.

JUST AS GOOD AS NEW



Rev. C. Ellery Read, D.D.—A Tribute

To the Editor of the Record.

Sir:—There passed to his just and certain reward, on January 17th, one who held a unique position in the life of this city. George Ellery Read held the love and respect of its citizens to an extent enjoyed, I believe, by no other man today and by few who had gone before him. It is not without significance that this tribute is paid by one who does not belong to Dr. Read's Church or congregation. Those who worshipped at Plymouth United Church under his guidance for so many years knew him best and are in a better position perhaps to evaluate his contribution to the spiritual life of the community. But the great quality of his life, I believe, is that it had such profound influence on people of all ages, all creeds and all nationalities.

We who belong to the Anglican community regarded him with an extraordinary degree of admiration, love and respect. So, I know, did those of the Protestant churches even apart from his own congregation. More significant, possibly, was the fact that he counted as legion his friends who were Roman Catholics and Jews. For him it did not matter whether one were born or raised a Protestant, Roman Catholic or Jew, nor whether a man spoke as his maternal tongue English or French, nor whether he were rich or poor, nor whether he were learned or illiterate. A man, to Dr. Read, was God's creature who was here to be loved by his fellow-man and to be helped if he were in need. His acts of kindness and his help to others, both by private charity and by words of love and cheer, were continuous and constant.

Dr. Read would probably be astonished to know that his passing is so much lamented, for like most great men, he was essentially humble. He showed his humility, as the great Master he so faithfully served had shown, by his love and kindness to little children, for whom he always had time for a cheery word and smile.

Despite the demands of a large congregation, which he so faithfully served as pastor for thirty-five years, he found time to devote to

organizations working for the community as a whole. He served for some years as a member of the Protestant Board of School Commissioners, and those of us who were at school in those days will not forget his friendly visits and the simple but truly great addresses which he gave us from time to time. His love for children was further shown by the fact that he was one of the organizers in Sherbrooke of the Boy Scout movement, and one of the most ardent supporters of the Young Men's Christian Association. He was a leader among that small group of men who some twenty-five years ago, organized the Rotary Club in the city and they named him their first president—the first man in a body which has done so much for the welfare of the poor and unfortunate.

A native of England, Dr. Read ever maintained a deep devotion to the Old Land and the Empire. Few patriotic addresses have been so inspiring as those which he delivered in this district through the course of years—particularly, perhaps, during the First Great War, when he was at the height of his vigor. All his addresses, on whatever subject, were marked by their scholarship, their sincerity, their simplicity and their beautiful choice of English.

His greatness was further shown when, a few years back, he retired from his active leadership of Plymouth United Church because of advancing age and ill health. He might well have decided that he had earned the right to complete rest. But so long as he could keep going, he was determined to help his fellow men. He devoted himself principally to the work of the Victorian Order of Nurses, and had served as the Order's President in Sherbrooke for some years past. He died literally "on the job"; on Thursday night last he started out to attend the annual meeting of Plymouth Church, but feeling unwell, returned to his house. In a few minutes he was dead.

A great soul has passed. He will always be remembered by the people of Sherbrooke. They cannot help but be better people as a result of that memory.

"G."

PRESS COMMENTS

WHAT LABOR WANTS FROM "THE BOOKS"

An enlightening article on the demand of the United Automobile Workers for an examination of the books of the General Motors Corporation appeared in a recent issue of Newsweek Magazine written by Ralph Robey entitled, "What Labor Wants from 'The Books.'" The article follows:

EDITOR.

Have you ever stopped and tried to figure out in one-two-three order exactly what it is that labor hopes to gain by having employers show their "books"? On the surface the demand appears to be quite reasonable, especially when it is accompanied by the statement that if the facts show that the company can't pay 30 per cent higher wages, then the union demand will be scaled down in harmony with the "arithmetic" of the figures. But that type of pretty statement gets us no place. The important point is just what is it that the labor leaders want from "the books" which is not available in the published reports of the corporations?

Is it the amount of profits of the company? No, that cannot be what the union wants because—using General Motors as an example—that is set forth in the published annual reports and is readily available to anyone who is interested.

Is it the amount of sales? No, that also is in the report.

Is it the amount of depreciation and amortization charged off by the company on its plants, equipment, and so forth? No, that is all given in published material.

Is it the amount which the company has set aside in past years for postwar contingencies and reconversion? No, that is a matter of public record.

Is it the amount the company has invested in other concerns or the profits received from these investments? No, that is all given in the annual report.

Is it what the company has done with its income of the past year—how much has been paid to stockholders, how much has been added to surplus, and so forth? No, that is all published.

Is it how much the company has in cash, or government bonds, or accounts receivable, or inventory, or other assets? No, one only has to look at the financial statement of the corporation to get all that information.

Now, since there already are available in published form the facts on sales, on costs, on profits, on the distribution of profits, on reserves, on the amount charged to depreciation, on cash holdings, and on all the other data which is normally contained in the reports of our large corporations, and since these figures have all been attested to by independent certified public accountants—since we already have all this information, just what is it that labor is looking for in "the books"? The most complete answer to this question that has been made public is in a statement submitted by the union's spokesman, Walter Reuther, to President Truman's fact-finding board. In this Reuther says that what the union wants is General Motors' predicted production schedule, its estimated sales and profit margin on each type of car so produced, its anticipated cost of materials and complete information on the relation of GM to its suppliers, and data furnished to the OPA as a basis for the determination of the new automobile price ceilings. (Mr. Merritt, a spokesman for the company, says the union has also demanded figures on overhead costs and the amount the corporation spends for advertising and good will.)

Now obviously not a single item of this information which the union

From The Record Files

THIRTY YEARS AGO

Ernest Sylvestre, N.P., was duly sworn in as Mayor of Sherbrooke, succeeding James MacKinnon whose two-year term of office expired. Under extended tradition a mayor is not subject to an immediate re-election.

The increasing tempo of the aerial warfare marks the operations on the Western Front, with both sides making raids many miles inside the territory of opposing forces. However, grave uneasiness is being felt in Great Britain over the German plans for an air war against London.

Officers elected for Compton County Agricultural Society No. 2 were C. M. Smith, M.D., R. A. Scott, W. W. Bowman, G. Cowan, M. H. MacLeod, J. R. MacRitchie, William Irving, John R. MacDonald, M. Bourrett, D. L. MacLeod, Joseph Cameron, D. M. MacDonald, Dr. Alex MacDonald, Finlay G. Bennett, William MacCaskill and Malcolm A. Smith.

TWENTY YEARS AGO

Cardinal Mercier, Primate of Belgium and one of the heroic figures of the Great War, passed away in Brussels after a short illness at the age of seventy-four. He won fame for the resistance which he offered to German occupation authorities.

The Conservative Opposition in the House of Commons is lining up its forces for a fresh attempt to defeat the Liberal Government when the vote is held on the Address in Reply to the Speech from the Throne.

The following officers were installed for Tomfobia Lodge, I.O.O.F. at Rock Island: Robert Nourse, Charles Wade, Walter Curtis, V. A. Davis, F. H. Young, A. E. Webb, Fred Ellis, Walter Reagle, Howard Nutbrown, Henry Farrow, W. J. Whitehouse, W. Burroughs, A. R. Witeman, C. B. Libby, W. T. Gibson, Alden Peasley and R. Middleton.

At the annual meeting of St. James' Church Guild at Bedford the following officers were elected: Rev. F. L. Whitley, Mrs. F. S. Saunders, Mrs. R. L. Craighead, Mrs. Hiram Best, Mrs. F. C. Saunders, Mrs. William Cockerline, Mrs. H. Hulburd, Mrs. F. E. Draper, Mrs. Wilbur Borden, Mrs. William King and Mrs. F. E. Currie.

TEN YEARS AGO

Breaking a precedent of twenty-five years, President Roosevelt has vetoed the bill which provides for the immediate payment of \$2,491,000,000 of deferred bonuses to veterans of the World War. Congress is expected to override the veto.

Italy is distributing a memorandum to the Members of the League of Nations declaring that Great Britain is acting beyond League authority in the manner it is applying sanctions. She also declares the Anglo-French Mediterranean pact a menace to world peace.

Col. Emile Rioux has informed a large delegation which waited upon him that he is ready to accept the candidature for the Sherbrooke mayoralty.

The Canadian dollar reached a high point of five-eighths of one cent premium over United States currency. The pound sterling touched the five-dollar mark.

Officers elected for the Ladies' Guild of St. Augustine's Church at Danville were Mrs. Sydney Wood, Mrs. A. Ward, Mrs. Thurber, Mrs. Parmalee and Mrs. Greer.

A miniature blizzard sweeping over this district has closed every highway leading out of Sherbrooke.

FIVE YEARS AGO

The Government forces have regained control of the situation in Rumania and drastic punishment is promised for the leaders of the anti-German movement.

The British occupation of Tobruk is expected to result in an intensified drive along the Libyan front, with the idea of carrying out Prime Minister Churchill's promise to "tear the Italian Empire to pieces." Emperor Haile Selassie has returned to Africa to take personal charge of the anti-Italian activity in Ethiopia.

Officers elected at the annual Congregational meeting of Plymouth United Church were H. V. Haight, F. S. Rugg, K.C., L. Pergau, S. H. Gallinger, W. G. Cross, J. Fraser Armstrong, R. R. Larrabee, L. MacCallum, and N. B. Pritchard.

The following officers had been elected for the Marbleton branch of the Canadian Red Cross Society: Mrs. M. Hunt, Mrs. Alex Stewart, Mrs. Fred Currie, Mrs. H. H. Bishop, Miss Currie and Mrs. B. F. Staples.

At the annual meeting of St. Alban's Guild at Scotstown the following officers were elected: Mrs. Basil Woolley, Mrs. A. H. Cowling, Mrs. Bernard Atkin, Mrs. E. S. McMannis, Mrs. Nathan Maher, Mrs. G. McLaughlin, Mrs. Scott Parsons, Mrs. W. T. Gray and Mrs. J. A. Pennoyer.

is demanding is in "the books" of conditions become more or less the corporation. What Reuther is favorable. In a word, then, Reuther's caveat is not the record—which is intention that he wants to settle the what is in "the books," and also is wage issue on the "arithmetic" of what makes the request appear so the company's books is eyewitness. reasonable—but the company's de- What he really wants is to get away tailed plans and predictions for the from the "arithmetic," or establish- future. Of course these plans and ed facts, and drive management ince predictions are written down some a corner because of the optimistic place; they have to be in order for plans and predictions it has made management to operate effectively. for the future.

But in no sense are they "the That may be good union strategy, books." They merely reflect man- but it is a mighty poor way to get agement's hopes for the future, and production started at this time, and as such will be changed from month to month as market and production what is in the company's "books."

McKENNEY ON BRIDGE

By Wm. E. McKenney, America's Card Authority

NICE PLAY BECOMES DEFENSE BOOMERANG

It gave me great pleasure to report to John Whitely Richmond of the War Finance Committee of New York that the American Contract Bridge League's recorded figures for the Victory Loan drive amounted to \$1,921,675. This meant that, with unreported sales, the League had gone over its quota of \$2,000,000.

John said today's hand reminded him of the end of the Victory Loan drive. It came at the end of a hectic evening of bridge, so without ado he opened the bidding with four spades. You can't blame West for doubling, can you? But see what happened in the play.

West made his king and ace of hearts, and made a nice play when he continued with a heart, hoping to establish a spade trick for himself. The third heart was ruffed in dummy with the three of spades, the

♠ A 3	♠ 2		
♥ J 10	♥ Q 6 4		
♦ K Q J 3	♦ A 10 9 8		
♣ K J 9 8	♣ 7		
♠ Q 10	♠ N 8		
♥ A K 9 8 7	♥ W 6 4		
♦ 6 4	♦ E 7		
♣ A Q 10 7	♣ Dealer 6 5 4 2		
Richmond	♠ K J 9 8 7 6 5 4		
♥ J 5 3 2	♥ 5 3 2		
♦ 5 3	♦ None		
♣ None	♣ None		
Duplicate—E-W vul.			
South	West	North	East
4♠	Double	Pass	Pass
Opening—♥ K.			

ace of spades was cashed, and John established a club in his own hand. The king of spades picked up the queen and John spread his hand, conceding a diamond trick.

Yale's Youngest

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| HORIZONTAL | 57 Bachelor of Arts (ab.) |
| 17 Pictured graduate of Yale | 58 Expend |
| 59 Spent | 60 He is the youngest ever to graduate from Yale |
| 11 Pay back | 12 Whirlwind |
| 13 Wrongdoings | 14 Issue forth |
| 15 Sea eagles | 16 So be it! |
| 17 Right to hold court | 18 Whirlwind |
| 19 Veherent | 20 Vegetable |
| 21 East India (ab.) | 22 Near |
| 23 Upon | 24 Candlepower (ab.) |
| 25 Ontario river | 26 Charge |
| 27 Scottish sheepfold | 28 River (Sp.) |
| 29 Years between 12 and 20 | 30 Run away to wed |
| 31 Mystic syllable | 32 Size of shot |
| 33 Nova Scotia (ab.) | 34 Part of "be" |
| 35 Mimic | 36 Type of poem |
| 37 Summer (Fr.) | 38 Cut length-wise |
| 39 French city | 40 Stove part |
| 41 Gateway | |

Answer to Previous Puzzle

EDWIN PAULEY	EDWIN PAULEY
CHRISTIE ARMITAGE	CHRISTIE ARMITAGE
ROBERT BROWN	ROBERT BROWN
EDWIN PAULEY	EDWIN PAULEY
CHRISTIE ARMITAGE	CHRISTIE ARMITAGE
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EDWIN PAULEY	EDWIN PAULEY
CHRISTIE ARMITAGE	CHRISTIE ARMITAGE
ROBERT BROWN	ROBERT BROWN

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11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30
31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40
41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50
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61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69	70

DOROTHY DIX

Wife and Philandering

Woman Should Forget Card Uncovering Soldier's Love Affair

DEAR MISS DIX: I find myself facing a situation that is no doubt confronting many another GI wife. My husband, who has been serving in the Army in Europe for the last two years, is about to return home. When I received his letter telling me that he was coming back to the children and me for keeps, I was the happiest woman in the world. But my bliss was wrecked by a little post card addressed to my husband and which had been forwarded from his overseas' address to his home one. It said: "Dear Jim: Do not write any more, for Joe is coming home. I'll never forget you. Love, Mary."



DOROTHY DIX

Imagine my heartache when all of his letters had been telling me how true he was to me and how he loved me and longed to be back with me, when he was having an affair with a woman perhaps younger and prettier than I. What shall I do? Shall I just accept this as one of the tragedies of war and be thankful that he is coming back alive and sound? Shall I go on in silence, or shall I show him the card and ask for an explanation? I love my husband with all my heart and I think God that I have been true to him every second while he has been away, for I would not want him to bear the heartache that I have.

\$64 QUESTION

G. N. C.

ANSWER: Ah, Mrs. G. N. C., you are asking the \$64 question about what to do with philandering husbands to which thousands upon thousands of other wives would like to know the answer. For plenty of husbands besides yours have solaced themselves for the horrors of war by having little affairs with the attractive women they have met in their wanderings.

Of course, in the end you have to unriddle your riddle yourself, but I would advise you to bear in mind that the great majority of married men do not take their philandering seriously, and it is perfectly possible for them to still be true in heart to the Little Woman while they are making love to some other woman.

Being lonesome, or bored, or because they miss having a woman to talk to and tell their troubles to, as they did to their wives, is enough to start them to gallivanting. It is ironic, but true, that many a man is attracted to a woman because she reminds him of his wife.

So your husband's little affair with the post card lady probably was only a skin deep attack, and my earnest advice to you is to burn it up and forget and never, never, never let your husband know that you ever saw it. Bury it in your heart in silence, and in that way he will never have anything to apologize for, or any reason to suspect that you know of his folly.

DEAR MISS DIX: We are group of men who believe that if a man loves a woman enough he will give up any bad habit he may have when he marries her. Who, we ask you, is a better judge of such a situation than a GI?

SOLDIERS AND SAILORS.

ANSWER: Thank you, gentlemen, for the good news that matrimony is a sure-fire cure for all the vices of men. Maybe it is the war that has done it, although Mr. Kipling asserts that it doesn't turn fighting men into plaster saints. Also, it is contrary to general observation, for most married men are even as they were before marriage, only a little more so.

Of course, when a man is in love with a girl, his main selling argument has always been that as soon as he is married to her he would never think of a highball again, or long to see the ponies run, or have an eye out for a pretty girl, but couldn't you count up on the fingers of one hand the drunkards and gamblers and philanderers who reformed just because they didn't want to worry the Little Woman? Human nature is human nature before and after taking.

DEAR MISS DIX: My husband is 25 and I am only 23, so we have practically our whole lives ahead of us. He was dreadfully wounded in the war and the doctors tell him he is hopelessly blind. Ever since he returned home he has begged me to divorce him because he can't bear the thought of being a burden on me and only being able to hear, but not to see or touch me. He says he would be much happier if I would leave him.

Believe me, I haven't been staying with him out of pity. It is because I love him and am thanking the Lord that he is alive. Isn't there any way that I can make him realize this and believe that there is still happiness in life for us?

ANSWER: Yes, stick to him. Don't let him drive you away in his despair and unselfishness. Take him to one of the many rehabilitation centres the government provides, where they can practically make him over by providing him with mechanical devices to overcome his handicaps.

The Record will be pleased to receive any letters to this Dorothy Dix column. These will be forwarded to Miss Dix who will answer them as quickly as possible.

In The Women's Sphere

MARRIAGES

DELANEY—MARION

Granby, Jan. 24.—The marriage of Gabrielle, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. I. Marion, of Joliette, to Patrick E. Delaney, son of the late Mr. Delaney, of Granby, took place on Saturday morning, January 6, at nine o'clock in the chapel of St. James' Cathedral, Montreal. Rev. Father Felix Gaboury, of Joliette officiated. During the ceremony Mrs. Gerard Boudreau, of Beloeil, sister of the groom, sang "Le Noel du Mariage."

Mr. and Mrs. Delaney are spending a honeymoon in Florida and on their return will reside in Granby. Guests from out of town were Mr. and Mrs. Ian Dryden, of Toronto, Ont., Mrs. N. Faulkner, Miss Carol Giddings and Mrs. G. E. Nixon, Jr., all of Montreal.

WALLACE—VAN HORN

Bedford, Jan. 24.—St. James' Church, Bedford, adorned with Christmas decorations, was the scene of a four o'clock candlelight wedding on January 2, when Miss Mary Alice Van Horn, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Chapman Van Horn, of Bedford, was united in marriage to Lieutenant Russell Ernest Wallace, elder son of Dr. and Mrs. Ernest Wallace, of Winnipeg, Man.

Rev. Hector Victor Fricker officiated, while Mrs. Harry Jones presided at the organ. The maid of honor was Miss Ruth Van Horn, sister of the bride. Acting as best man was Mr. Harry Land, of Toronto, Ont., while the ushers were Lieutenant Donald Ferguson, of Edmonton, Alta., and Flight-Lieutenant William Fitch Van Horn, brother of the bride.

Miss Van Horn was given in marriage by her father. She wore a gown of white satin with fitted bodice, yoke of sheer fabric and long sleeves ending in points over the wrist, and a softly-gathered floor-length skirt. Her tall fingertip veil fell from a modelled cap of matching satin and she carried a shower bouquet of white roses. The maid of honor wore a floor-length gown of wine red velvet, fashioned with fitted bodice and sweetheart neckline. She carried a tall bouquet of pale yellow Tulleman roses.

Mrs. Wallace, mother of the groom, was gowned in a street-length dress of black crepe with sequin-trimmed coat, matching hat with decorative touch of fuchsia ostrich tips and a corsage of American Beauty roses. Mrs. Van Horn, mother of the bride, wore seafoam crepe with black accessories and a corsage of pale yellow roses.

The reception after the ceremony was held at the bride's home. The select and intimate group had for their wedding trip. For traveling the bride wore a soft blue wool dress, grey coat with black fur trim and matching accessories.

Out of town guests were Mrs. Ernest Wallace, of Winnipeg, Man., Miss Elaine Ross, of Westport, Mrs. W. C. King and Mr. Dick King, of Aurora, Ont., Miss Freda Ste-

Social and Personal

Major Merritt H. Bateman, second in command, will be arriving with the Sherbrooke Fusilier Regiment after spending almost four years Overseas, and will be registered at the New Sherbrooke. Major Bateman will spend his leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Bateman, in Theford Mines.

Mrs. R. C. Muir and Mrs. H. A. Peabody were hostesses on Tuesday evening for the regular meeting of the Church Union Group, held through the courtesy of Mrs. Howard Kennedy at her home on Dominion Avenue. Mrs. Wesley Bradley, president, presided over the business period, following which a social hour was enjoyed, refreshments being served later by the hostesses.

The weekly tea at the Sherbrooke Ladies' Curling Club on Tuesday afternoon, was an exceptionally delightful and largely attended social event at which the following members acted as hostesses: Mrs. G. Pouliot, Mrs. D. O'Keefe, Mrs. A. J. Whelan, Mrs. J. R. Simms and Mrs. Ronald Mooney. In addition to the scheduled games, bridge was played at several tables. Later tea was served. Mrs. Pouliot and Mrs. Gordon Richards presiding at the table which was centered with a miniature curling rink, and lighted with red candles in silver candlesticks.

Miss Kathleen Clark and her sister, Miss Florence Clark, acted jointly as hostesses for the regular meeting of St. Patrick's Mission Circle, which was held in the new library of the Church Hall. Miss Eva McConnell, president, was in the chair, and opened the meeting with prayer. The secretary read the minutes of the last meeting, and after their approval read letters from the Sisters of the Atonement at Smoky Lake, Alberta, to whose mission the gifts of toys and clothing, received at the November collection, were sent. Charmingly the little children were read, all expressing their joy and gratitude for the gifts they had received.

A report from the mission at Paddle Prairie, Alberta, where the Mission Circle is sponsoring a little chapel, stated that the building work had been delayed but that it was hoped to have the building under way next summer.

Miss Geraldine Hebert, who is to direct the play planned for February 26th and 26th, stated that owing to the unfortunate circumstances that another group had been chosen, the theatrical play which had been chosen, another play had been selected and rehearsal on "Happy Days," a very amusing comedy, would begin this week.

The Valentine Tea, scheduled for February 16th, was advanced to February 20th, and the convenor, Miss Roberta Tobin, outlined plans for the event.

The hostesses served refreshments to the large number of members attending, and their several guests. The library table was covered with a lovely embroidered cloth, and centered with red carnations and white lilies.

GLEN LLOYD

Miss Verna White has returned to Rock Island, after spending the holidays with her parents and other friends here.

Mr. Herbert George has returned to Theford Mines, after spending his holidays with his parents and other friends here.

Miss Ida Stevenson has returned to her home in Parkhurst, after spending some time here with her sisters, Mrs. Verne Robinson, and Mr. Robinson.

Mrs. Fred George spent a day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Verne Robinson.

Miss Ethel Beattie, of Lemesurier, spent a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edge Walker.

Mr. Howard Walker has gone to Danville, to work.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Ross and son, Curtis, of Lemesurier, spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Walker and family.

Mr. Herbert Walker is spending a few days in Lemesurier with friends.

Mrs. E. Walker was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. Robinson, at Reedsdale.

Mr. and Mrs. Verne Robinson: 1 daughter, Dorothy were evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. Walker.

Mr. Roland White spent a day in St. Agathe on business.

Mr. Fred George spent a day in Adderley on business.

Mr. Fred George and Mr. Ben. George spent a day at Kinnear's Mills, visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred George spent a day in Inverness Village visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. William Robinson and family, of Reedsdale, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roland White and family.

Mr. Alger White was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Marshall, at Inverness Village.

Mrs. and Mrs. Kenneth Brown and Mrs. W. P. Montgomery, of Montreal, Mrs. Harry Lane, of Toronto, Ont., and Mr. and Mrs. Rodrick Fitch, of Walton, N.Y.

The bride is a graduate in occupational therapy of the University of Toronto, class of 1944, and the bridegroom is a graduate of the College of Dentistry, of the University of Toronto, class of 1945; Lieutenant and Mr. Wallace will reside in Winnipeg, Man.

Mrs. Raymond L. Haggett, of Boston, is spending several weeks in Sherbrooke, a guest of her sister-in-law, Mrs. J. Keith Edwards, and Mr. Edwards, at their residence, 21 Dominion Avenue.

Mr. O. R. Boyce, of Compton, Que., wishes to announce the engagement of his daughter, Roberta Marguerite, to Mr. Edward J. Stiles, of Huntingdon, Que. The marriage will take place very quietly in the near future.

Mr. Douglas Read, who was summoned here by the sudden passing away of his father, the Reverend G. Elery Read, D.D., and has since been at his father's residence 175 Quebec Street on Tuesday for his home in Gatineau, Ont.

Mrs. S. J. Bloomfield and her sister, Miss J. Morrison, who have spent some time in Sherbrooke, their former home, and have since been at Mrs. Herring's home near Lennoxville, have returned to St. Catharines, Ont.

Mrs. W. L. Goddard and Mrs. E. E. Gilson were hostesses on Tuesday evening, when members of the Women's Association of Trinity United Church assembled in the Club Room to dispose of business and later enjoy a social hour. Mrs. R. Havard, president, was in the chair, and prior to conducting the opening devotional period, paid tribute to the Reverend G. Elery Read, D.D., whose passing is a real grief to all who were privileged to enjoy his friendship. At the president's request, the members observed a minute's silence, standing with bowed heads in tribute to his memory. After the devotional exercises final arrangements were made for the Valentine Luncheon, to be held on February 14th conveners and committees being named to take charge of this eagerly anticipated social event. Later the hostesses served refreshments. Mrs. Mackie Fuller doing the honors at the pretty table on which lighted red candles formed an attractive centerpiece.

RED CROSS NEWS

RED CROSS EMERGENCY CALL. A shipment of supplies has been received at the Red Cross Rooms consisting of sheets, women's blouses and layettes. This work must be completed before March 1st. Sewers are urgently needed. Will anyone willing to loan sewing machines please notify the Red Cross.

All Red Cross work must be completed and returned to Red Cross Rooms, Sherbrooke, before March 1st. Sewers and knitters urgently needed to finish work now on our shelves. Please help us.

HILLSIDE

Miss C. Dougherty and her pupils held a Christmas tree at the School House. Songs, dialogues and recitations were presented by the children.

Miss C. Dougherty spent her holidays at her home in Bury.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Sherrer entertained Mr. and Mrs. F. Hagerty and three children, of Glen Sutton. Mr. and Mrs. George Dymond and three children, and Alden and Lloyd Sherrer, of Sutton, Miss Shirley Sherrer, of Bedford, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Sweet, of Richmond, Vt., and Mr. Hugh Sherrer, of Abercorn. Cpl. Royce Chamberlain, of Sutton, spent a few days at the home of Mr. L. Sherrer.

Mr. and Mrs. H. St. Pierre entertained all their family at Christmas.

Audrey Sherrer and Gordon Jones spent a few days in Richmond, Vt., with Mr. and Mrs. Sweet.

Sgt. D. Sherrer, Hugh Sherrer and Mrs. L. Sherrer spent a day in Richmond, Vt., with Mr. and Mrs. Sweet.

Mr. Oscar Johnson has returned home, after visiting his daughter, in Cowansville, and his son, Harvey Johnson, in Brome.

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BETHANY

Mr. and Mrs. Emile Demons entertained a large number of relatives and friends at the tea hour. After supper the evening was spent in dancing.

Mr. and Mrs. Aldge Fevreau spent a day with relatives in Roxton Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Lamarche and Raphael Brin have returned to their home in St. Cessaire, after spending the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Amie Brin and other relatives.

Mr. Harvey Moffatt spent the week-end in Granby.

Mrs. R. Favreau and Mr. and Mrs. Donia Desmarais entertained at a family party.

Mr. and Mrs. Donat Gagne and family, of Roxton Falls were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Emile Demons.

Mr. and Mrs. Emile Demons were called to Waterloo by the seriousness of Mrs. Joseph Deschamps. Mrs. Deschamps was taken to a hospital in Sherbrooke for medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Derome and family have been confined to the house by the "flu".

Mr. and Mrs. Emile Normandin entertained at a holiday dance.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Norris and Mr. Neal Norris were guests at the dinner hour of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Gopping and Mrs. C. Smith, in Boscobel.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Moffatt entertained at the dinner hour during the holidays.

A black bird was seen in a tree during the mild weather.

Mr. and Mrs. Jules Demons entertained at a pleasant dance during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. U. Ouellette and daughter, and Mr. and Mrs. Lionel Favreau, of Roxton Falls, attended the dance at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jules Demons.

Miss Delores Lavallee has returned to St. Hyacinthe after spending the holidays at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Lavallee.

Mr. Alexander Lavallee and Miss Claire Lavallee spent a day in Acton Vale and visited relatives.

Mrs. Archie Moffatt spent an afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. George Osborne and Mrs. Haslett.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Clark and family, of South Durham, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Osborne and Mrs. Haslett.

The local school re-opened on January 8, after being closed for the holidays.

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Mrs. George Osborne was a visitor of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Gopping, in Boscobel.

Mr. Lucien Verrier has gone to Granby, where he has a position. Miss Claire Lavallee has returned to her school duties at West Ely, after spending the holidays at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Lavallee.

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To authorize the town to construct, acquire and maintain an immovable or immovables to be used wholly or in part for municipal purposes, the cost thereof not to exceed one hundred thousand dollars, to lease or sell the same, provided the price be not less than the cost thereof, and for the purposes aforesaid to borrow a sum not exceeding one hundred thousand dollars by law approved according to form.

To amend the Cities and Towns' Act for the town as follows:

By adding section 484A to 484F, authorizing a fund to be known as Working Capital Fund of twenty-five thousand dollars to be placed at the disposal of the council the moneys it may need pending the receipt of income derived from taxes and other revenue in matters in which a long term note would not be sufficient;

By replacing section 484, whereby no person who is not owner of immovable and who has not paid all his municipal taxes and dues except those for the current year, may be entered on the list of electors or have a right to vote;

By replacing section 220 the words "at exactly seven o'clock in the morning" by the words "at the hour fixed for opening the poll";

By replacing section 247, whereby when two or more candidates receive an equal number of votes they must declare whether they will make application for a judicial recount, even if in the affirmation the returning officer shall give the casting vote only if there is equality after the judicial recount, and if in the negative he shall give it immediately in writing and a recount thereafter shall not be available;

By adding section 352A, whereby attendance at any sitting of the council by all the members shall be a waiver of notice and cause any default or defect in connection therewith;

By adding paragraph 10A to section 425, whereby when a street is the division line between the town and an adjacent municipality the buildings erected on the side of the street in the adjacent municipality shall conform with the by-law of the town;

By adding paragraph 8A, to said section 425, whereby the officers of the town may cut any tree that may endanger life, after notice, unless cut by the owner;

By adding paragraph 50A to section 427, whereby every person in certain employments may be compelled to undergo an annual medical examination and be in possession of a certificate that he is not carrying infectious germs;

By adding paragraph 280A to section 427, whereby the town in order to prevent future damage from floods may clean out, widen and deepen the brook running through the town, and may construct and maintain a dam, levee or other works for the purpose of preventing and making protective works and forbid under penalty throwing debris therein, and cut and clear in winter, without notice, against the town arising from the foregoing, and levy a tax for the expense of so doing and maintaining said water-courses on the owners or occupants of land bordering on the same, even if the same are not liable to a feet of frontage of land along said brook;

By adding paragraph 110 to section 428, whereby a tax or duty in the form of a licence may be imposed on dance halls, billiard rooms and restaurants;

By adding paragraph 110A to section 429, to regulate or interrupt traffic in the streets when works of public improvement are being done, also in case of fire and removal of snow;

By adding paragraph 200 of section 429, whereby the council may regulate the construction of roofs to prevent water, ice or snow falling on the sidewalks or streets;

By replacing paragraph 270 of section 429, whereby the council may regulate circulation of motor vehicles on certain streets on one-way streets and to exclude heavily laden vehicles from certain streets;

By adding paragraph 220 of section 429, whereby the planting of poplars or willows may be prohibited;

By adding section 480A, whereby owners of land desiring to sell the same for building purposes may be compelled to have a plan of the same made by a land surveyor showing lots and proposed streets, and subject same for approval of the council before deposit as proof of the industrial plan;

By adding section 480A, to compel persons contracting for electric energy beyond the limits of the municipality to comply with the rules respecting such service;

By adding paragraph 80A to section 480, to limit the number of taxicabs, to levy an annual licence fee and regulate the same, to establish taxi stands and regulate parking of taxicabs;

By adding paragraph 220A to section 489, ordering that all places of business be closed every day or any day after the hour fixed by by-law, and the closing of different categories at different hours according to the category, and that all places of the same category shall close at noon on any day of the week;

By adding section 485A, allowing the valuation roll completed and deposited on May 31st, 1946, with such changes and additions as may be legally made and provided for, to be the valuation roll of the town until the roll under a proposed new system shall be in effect, not later than the roll of the year 1948;

By adding to section 484, whereby the clerk or treasurer may correct any clerical errors in the rolls, and the notice of deposit shall mention the place and time where and when complaints will be heard and decided;

By replacing section 485, whereby the appeal is made to the board of revision instead of to the council;

By replacing section 496, whereby the board of revision, comprising all the assessors and two others appointed by the council, shall hear and decide the complaints instead of the council, under procedure prescribed by the council;

By replacing section 497, whereby the board of revision instead of the council shall proceed to revise and homologate the rolls;

By replacing section 498, whereby the board of revision shall decide the rolls homologated instead of the council;

By replacing section 499, whereby after notice to the owner at his last known address, he may file a complaint in writing and be heard by the board of revision instead of the council;

By replacing section 500, whereby when any property has considerably increased in value or considerably decreased in value, the valuation may be increased or decreased to its real value by the assessors, and the amendment homologated by the board of revision after notice to the owner;

By replacing section 501, whereby the failure of the assessors or of the board of revision to act within the time prescribed, shall not prevent the completion or homologation of the roll thereafter;

By replacing section 502 the words "lot of land" by the word "immovable";

By replacing section 504, whereby the reference to the council therein shall be eliminated;

By replacing section 510, whereby the board of revision as well as the council may be ordered to exercise its functions;

By adding section 505A, whereby the

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By replacing in section 558 the word "land" by the word "immovable";

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And for other necessary purposes. Dated at Coaticook, Que., this 4th day of January, 1946.

SECRETARIES: J. BOUCHARD, Attorney for the Town of Coaticook.

OBITUARIES

MR. EUGENE W. WELLS, OF ROCK ISLAND

Rock Island, Jan. 23. — Funeral services for Eugene W. Wells, who passed away very suddenly at his home in Rock Island were held at his home on Railroad Street, Rock Island, on Tuesday afternoon, January 1, with Rev. H. A. Carson, pastor of Stantsted South Church, officiating.

Mr. Wells was the second son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence C. Wells and was born at Rock Island, on June 30th, 1893, and at the time of his death was employed at the Butterfield plant in Rock Island.

He served in the first World War and afterwards married Miss Jean Waite, of Montreal, where they lived until her death in 1937.

When the second World War broke out Eugene Wells enlisted for overseas service in the European theatre and at the close of hostilities returned to Rock Island to live with his mother.

There was a very large attendance at the funeral and masses of beautiful flowers. The burial was made in the Derby Line Cemetery.

The bearers were Messrs. Byron Ellis, Ralph Cooper, Cecil Miller, Raymond Wheelock, Howard Wells and Kenneth Barlow.

Surviving are his mother, and two brothers, Charles W. and Dr. Thomas J. Wells.

MRS. ALEX RUTHERFORD, OF GRANBY

Granby, Jan. 23. — Mrs. Alex Rutherford, a highly respected resident of Granby on New Year's Day, January 1, at the home of her son, Mr. Nelson Rutherford, on Granby Hill.

Mrs. Rutherford, whose maiden name was Elizabeth Ennis, was born in Granby seventy-eight years ago. She was married in April, 1888, to Mr. Alex Rutherford, who predeceased her in November, 1944. She has lived in Granby her entire life and was a devoted wife and mother.

She is survived by one son, Mr. Nelson Rutherford; two grandchildren, Mr. Stuart Rutherford; and Miss Lois, one brother, Mr. Thomas Ennis, and one sister, Mrs. William Williams; all of Granby; and a number of nieces and nephews.

The funeral took place on Thursday afternoon, January 3, at the Granby United Church with burial in "Pinewood Cemetery." Rev. N. B. Patterson officiated. The bearers were Messrs. L. Williams, Wendell Williams, Ivan Williams, Nelson Samworth, Alfred Wade and George E. Payne.

MRS. STEPHEN RUNDLE, OF SWEETSBURG

Sweetsburg, Jan. 24. — Mrs. Stephen Rundle, who fell in her home breaking her hip, passed away in the Brome-Missisquoi-Perkins Memorial Hospital, where she had been for two weeks, on January 23.

Mrs. Rundle, the former Effie Marshall, is survived by her husband, one daughter, Gladys, Mrs. Orville Hunt, of Kingston, Ont.; and two sons, Norman and Leon Rundle, of this place.

The funeral service was held at the J. W. Draper Funeral Home, with Rev. John A. Peacock, Rector of the Anglican Church, officiating, on January 9.

Interment was made at Iron Hill.

MRS. FREDERICK LOTHROP, OF COATICOOK, FORMERLY OF ST. JOHNSBURY, VT.

Coaticook, Jan. 24. — Mrs. Abigail Lothrop passed away peacefully on Tuesday morning, January 8, at the home of Miss Robertson, Coaticook, in her ninety-second year.

Born in North Hatley, she was the only daughter of Sarah Norton Ball. Her two brothers, Charles and Porter, predeceased her several years ago.

She was married to Frederick Lothrop, of Coaticook, at an early age, and went to live in St. Johnsbury, Vt.

A great tragedy occurred when she was twenty-five years old, due to the death of her husband and two children within two weeks from diphtheria. Leaving St. Johnsbury, Vt., she went to Lowell, Mass., to live with her mother. After her mother died, she came to Coaticook and lived with Mrs. F. E. Lovell for many years. She has lived at the home of Miss Robertson for thirteen years.

A member of St. Stephen's Church, she was interested in all of its activities, especially the Sunday School, until some three years ago, when her health began to fail.

The death of Mrs. Lothrop has removed another of the diminishing number of those whose years date back to the early days of local settlement. Many of her relatives and friends have passed on, but to those living she will be remembered for her strength of character and bright disposition.

The funeral service was held at St. Stephen's Church, Coaticook, at one-thirty p.m., on January 10, with Rev. Harold Church officiating. Interment was made in the family lot in St. Johnsbury, Vt.

The bearers were Messrs. L. M. Thomas, William Wallace, C. F. Ducloux, F. T. Samson, G. W. Cunningham and B. N. Robinson.

Out-of-town relatives who attended the funeral were Miss Helen Norson and Mrs. O. B. Thomson, of Montreal, and the Misses Edith and Louise Webster, of Sherbrooke

Q—What do seeing-eye dogs cost?
A—Around \$150.

Q—How many homelands Japanese are Christians?
A—About 315,000.

THE RECORD'S RADIO PROGRAMME

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THURSDAY EVENING

6:15: News.	6:00: Your Favorite Band.	6:00: Supper Serenade.
6:30: Serenade.	6:15: News.	6:15: Newscast.
6:45: News, Commentary.	6:25: Recorded Interlude.	6:30: Sportscast.
7:00: Evening Scrapbook.	7:00: Evening Scrapbook.	6:45: Cal Tinney.
7:30: Ski Broadcast.	7:30: Radio Bino.	7:00: Allan Roth's Orchestra.
7:45: Talk.	8:00: Reporting Home.	7:15: Musical.
8:00: Radio Repertory.	8:15: Black and White Sketches.	7:30: Uncle Troy.
8:30: Voice of Victor.	8:30: Norman Cloutier Orch.	7:40: Musical Interlude.
9:00: The People Ask.	9:00: The People Ask.	8:00: Black and White Sketches.
9:30: Peerless Parade.	9:30: Light Up and Listen.	8:30: Town Meeting of the Air.
10:00: News.	9:15: Musical Interlude.	9:30: Light Up and Listen.
10:15: Canadian Round-up.	10:30: Rudy Vallee Show.	10:00: Western Trails.
10:30: Panorama.	11:00: News.	10:30: Rudy Vallee Show.
11:00: Drama.	11:10: Musical Comedy Time.	11:00: Dance Orchestra.
11:30: The Story of Music.	11:30: Story of Music.	11:55: News.
12:00: News—Sign-off.		

FRIDAY MORNING

7:30: News—Music.	7:30: Musical Clock.	7:00: News—Early Bird.
8:00: News—Music.	8:00: News.	7:30: News—Early Bird.
8:15: Devotional Period.	8:30: Morning Devotions.	8:00: News—Musical.
8:30: Musical March Past.	8:45: Musical Pot Pourri.	8:30: Top of the Morning.
9:00: News Roundup.	9:00: News.	9:00: Breakfast Club.
9:05: Honeymoon in N.Y.	9:05: Interlude.	9:45: Break ast Club.
9:30: Classic Classics.	9:15: Mason's Programme.	10:00: News Flashes.
9:45: Music While You Work.	9:30: Variety in Music.	10:15: Life Can Be Beautiful.
10:00: National Schl. Bldst.	9:45: Music While You Work.	10:30: Spotlight on Hollywood.
10:30: Consumers' Information.	10:00: Parade of Bands.	10:45: Listening Post.
10:45: Concert in Cameo.	11:00: Mason's Programmes.	11:00: Morning Serenade.
11:00: Fred Waring's Orch.	11:30: The Troubadours.	11:15: Telo Test.
11:30: Soldier's Wife.		11:30: In the Woman's World.
11:45: Lucy Linton's Story.		11:45: Musical Interlude.

FRIDAY AFTERNOON

12:00: News.	12:00: The Sunshine Hour.	12:00: Middy Melodies.
12:15: Road of Life.	12:35: Home Folks Frolics.	12:30: Soldier's Wife.
12:30: Farm Broadcast.	1:00: News.	12:45: Truth and Fiction.
1:00: News.	1:30: Mason's Programmes.	1:00: Press Bulletins.
1:15: The Happy Gang.	2:00: Matinee for Moderns.	1:15: Constance Bennett.
1:45: They Tell Me.		1:30: But Not Forgotten.
2:00: Big Sister.		2:00: Concert Orchestra.
2:15: Swing Matinee.		2:15: Ethel and Albert.
2:30: Pop Concert.		2:30: Music of Manhattan.
3:00: A Woman of America.		3:00: Al Pearce Show.
3:15: Ma Perkins.		3:30: Ladies Be Seated.
3:30: Pepper Young's Family.		3:45: Musical Gems.
3:45: Right to Happiness.		4:00: Jack Berch and the Boys.
4:00: Modern Minstrels.		4:15: The Fitzgeralds.
4:20: Modern Musicians.		4:30: Time for Women.
5:00: Concert Classics.		4:45: For Distinguished Service.
5:15: Interlude.		5:00: Terry and the Pirates.
5:30: Robinson Family.		5:15: Dick Tracy.

FRIDAY EVENING

6:15: News.	6:00: Your Favorite Band.	6:00: House of Fashion.

BIRCHTON

One afternoon Mrs. Oscar Desruisseaux entertained a number of ladies of the community at a very enjoyable afternoon tea, about twenty being present. Mrs. Desruisseaux was assisted in serving by Mrs. Fred Hodge.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Clark and son, Ronald, of Lennoxville, spent a week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Coates.

Mrs. Jack Murray visited her sister, Mrs. Raymond Wood and Mr. Wood, in Bedford.

A "bee" was held to get up a wood pile for Mr. Jack Murray. A very good crowd attended and a good amount of work was accomplished.

Mr. Charles Stowe, who spent the holidays with his parents, has returned to a military hospital, in Montreal.

Mr. Edward Smith has gone to Ascot, where he has employment by Mr. Anson Rowe.

Miss Mary Lawrence, who has been spending her holidays with her parents in West Shefford, has returned to the "Parsonage."

The regular Red Cross meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Robert Kane one afternoon with a very good attendance. Owing to the absence of the President and Secretary, no business was transacted. The afternoon was spent sewing on children's wear. At the close of the work period basket refreshments were enjoyed.

Mr. and Mrs. Anson Rowe, of Ascot, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Desruisseaux.

Miss Ada Ross was in Sherbrooke on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Smith were tea guests of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Desruisseaux.

Mrs. M. B. Hodge, of Lennoxville, spent a day with Mrs. R. A. Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Stowe were business visitors in Sherbrooke.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Desruisseaux attended the funeral of Mrs. Nourse, in Cookshire.

Mrs. S. J. Taylor and Mr. Paul Taylor, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Jack Murray were in Sherbrooke, Mr. Murray going to the

CARNIVAL

By Dick Turner



"I don't see how you can doubt I been livin' wit' th' little woman an' goin' straight when you see these dishpan hands!"

Sherbrooke Hospital for examination. The many friends of Mr. Murray will be glad to learn that he is progressing favorably.

Mr. Isaac Kirky spent a day with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Kirky, in Eaton Corner.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lefebvre were business visitors in Sherbrooke.

Mr. Thoms Harbinson was a visitor of Mr. and Mrs. Guy, in Eaton Corner.

The regular Farm Forum meeting after the holidays was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lefebvre. After the regular radio

broadcast and discussion was over, a very interesting discussion took place on the Blue Cross Hospitalization Plan. It was decided to get more information on same and try to form a group in this community. A basket lunch was much enjoyed at the close of the evening.

Rev. Mr. Thompson, Miss Alice Thompson, Mrs. Fred Hodge and Mrs. Nora Harrison attended an afternoon tea in aid of the Women's Association in Bulwer, at the home of Mrs. W. H. Hill.

The Boy Scouts of Birchton spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Waymer Laberee, Bulwer. Mr. Laberee is their Scout Master. The afternoon was spent in skiing and playing games and the evening in Scout work. Much appreciation is voiced by the Scouts' parents for the kindness shown to the Scouts by Mr. and Mrs. Laberee.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Caswell were dinner guests of Mrs. M. Lothrop and Mrs. Duncan Lothrop, in Sherbrooke.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Gill and Miss Hope Gill were visitors in Sherbrooke.

Many in this community are on the sick list and under the care of Dr. Bennett, of Cookshire.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Smith visited Mrs. Celia Crawford, in Bury.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Stowe were business visitors in Waterloo.

Mr. Ray Desruisseaux, of Scotts-town, was visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Desruisseaux.

ST. CYR

Miss Muriel Bernard, of Danville, spent the week-end at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Rose spent a day with Mr. Rose's sister, Mrs. B. Vance, and Mr. Vance, in North Hatley.

Mr. A. J. Scott has returned to Morin Heights, after spending the holidays at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Findlay. Mrs. Scott and son, David, are remaining for a longer visit.

Miss Leona Findlay, of Drummondville, was a week-end guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Findlay.

MELBORO

The Young People's Union held a meeting at the "Manse," in Kingsbury, one evening with a good attendance. The president, Ernest Wilkins, presided and the meeting opened by singing "Lead On, O King Eternal." The secretary, Bernice Adamson, read the minutes of the last meeting, which were adopted as read. Roll call was answered by nineteen members. Nine members handed in their membership fees. All joined in singing "O God Our Help in Ages Past" followed by prayer led by Rev. Scott Milley. A business period followed during which many items of business were discussed and disposed of. Games, contests and quizzes were enjoyed for a time, after which the meeting closed with the singing of the National Anthem. The hostesses served delicious refreshments, assisted by some of the young folks present. A meeting was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Adamson on Friday evening, January 18.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. Miller were the Misses Jessie and Vera Miller, of Montreal, Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Ames, Mr. R. Young, Mr. and Mrs. Maxwell Miller and Miss Adelaide Walker.

Mr. Roy Davidson spent a few days in Montreal with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Booth were guests at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Urban Massey in Ulverton.

Mr. Raymond Woods was an overnight guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Booth and family.

Pte. Robert Beauregard has returned to his military duties after spending his furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Beauregard, and family.

Many families in the community have been ill with severe colds and the grippe.

Mr. and Mrs. Kermit Doyle, of Toronto, Ont., spent the holidays with Mrs. Doyle's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Fleck, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Johnston and family, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Ames and Mrs. Annie Wright were guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. Cote in South Durham.

Miss Jessie Miller has returned to Montreal after spending two weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Miller. She also spent some time with her sister, Mrs. Lorne Ames, and Mr. Ames.

BULWER

The January meeting of the Women's Association was held at the home of Mrs. W. H. Hill with a large attendance of members and visitors. During the afternoon a jumbled word contest was much enjoyed, the prizes being won by Mrs. K. Johnston and Mrs. E. H. Parker. A number of mystery parcels found a ready sale. A business meeting was held at the home of Mrs. J. Johnston. Tea was served by the hostesses, who were assisted in serving by Mrs. Damon and Mr. Cobb, bringing to a close a very enjoyable afternoon.

Mrs. Graydon Bennett, of Lennoxville, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Parker.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Ward and son, James, of Montreal, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Wheeler.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hill, Mrs. Ida Damon, Miss Alice, and Mrs. Allen Hill spent a day with Mrs. Mabel Hodge, in Birchton.

Friends of Mrs. Flora Herring are pleased at her improvement after her illness.

Mrs. Morris Smith spent a week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hiram McLeod, on the Brompton Road.

Mr. and Mrs. Randall Williams and son, Terry, of Lennoxville, Miss Shirley Smith, of Sherbrooke, and Mr. Alan and Mrs. Gerald Williams were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Moris Smith.

Mrs. Edith Rand spent a day with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Berwick, in Sawyerville.

The Bulwer Farm Forum met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chauncey Richardson and the Kingsley Neighbourhood Forum met with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Merrill.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Houghton, of eVridun, spent a week-end with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Rogers.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Smith spent a day in Bury with Mrs. Ceila Crawford.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Parker had as their holiday guests Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur McCurdy and son, Edgar, of the Spring Road, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Parker and sons, Stanley and Douglas, Mrs. Beatrice Bailey and Mr. James Duncan.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Drake and Mrs. Harold Wheeler were in Canterbury to attend the funeral of Mrs. Drake's mother, Mrs. Rudd.

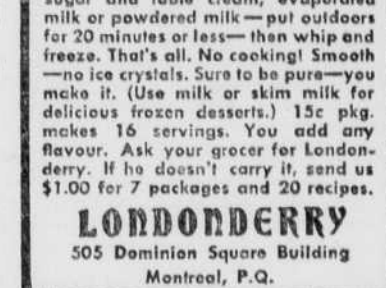
Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Rogers and their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Houghton spent a day in Hatley with Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McClary.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Johnston entertained Mr. and Mrs. Hazen Lowery and children, of Low Forest; Mr. Grant Forgrave and two children and Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Forgrave, of High Forest; Nursing Sister Gareth Forgrave, of Cornwallis, N.S.; and Mr. and Mrs. L. Low.

Mr. H. A. Gallup, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Gallup and son, Roland, and Mr. George Wright were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Nutbrown.

Mr. and Mrs. William Delisle and children, of Montreal, and the Misses Estelle and Pauline Delisle of Sherbrooke spent a holiday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Delisle.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Parker and Stanley Parker were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur McCurdy, on the Spring Road.



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CHEESE	Old 1 lb. 31¢ New 1 lb. 27¢ Monarch 1 LOAF 2 lb. 65¢

BRAN FLAKES	KELLOGG'S NEW 7 lb. Bag	10¢
FLOUR	ROBIN HOOD 24 lb. Bag	73¢
CUSTARD	HARRY HORNE'S 16 oz. Tin	25¢
BABY FOODS	HEINZ ASSORTED 3 tins	23¢
MUSHROOM SOUP	Clark's 3 tins	25¢

PURITY FLOUR	7 lb. 23¢ 24 lb. 73¢
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BAKING POWDER	ANN PAGE 16 oz. Ctn.	17¢
VEGETABLE SOUP	Aylmer 2 tins	15¢
VEGETABLE SOUP	Heinz 2 tins	25¢
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BEETS	TEXAS - Fresh Tops BUNCHED	lb. 7¢
TEXAS BUNCHED CARROTS	Large original bunches	lb. 7¢
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3 tbs. butter
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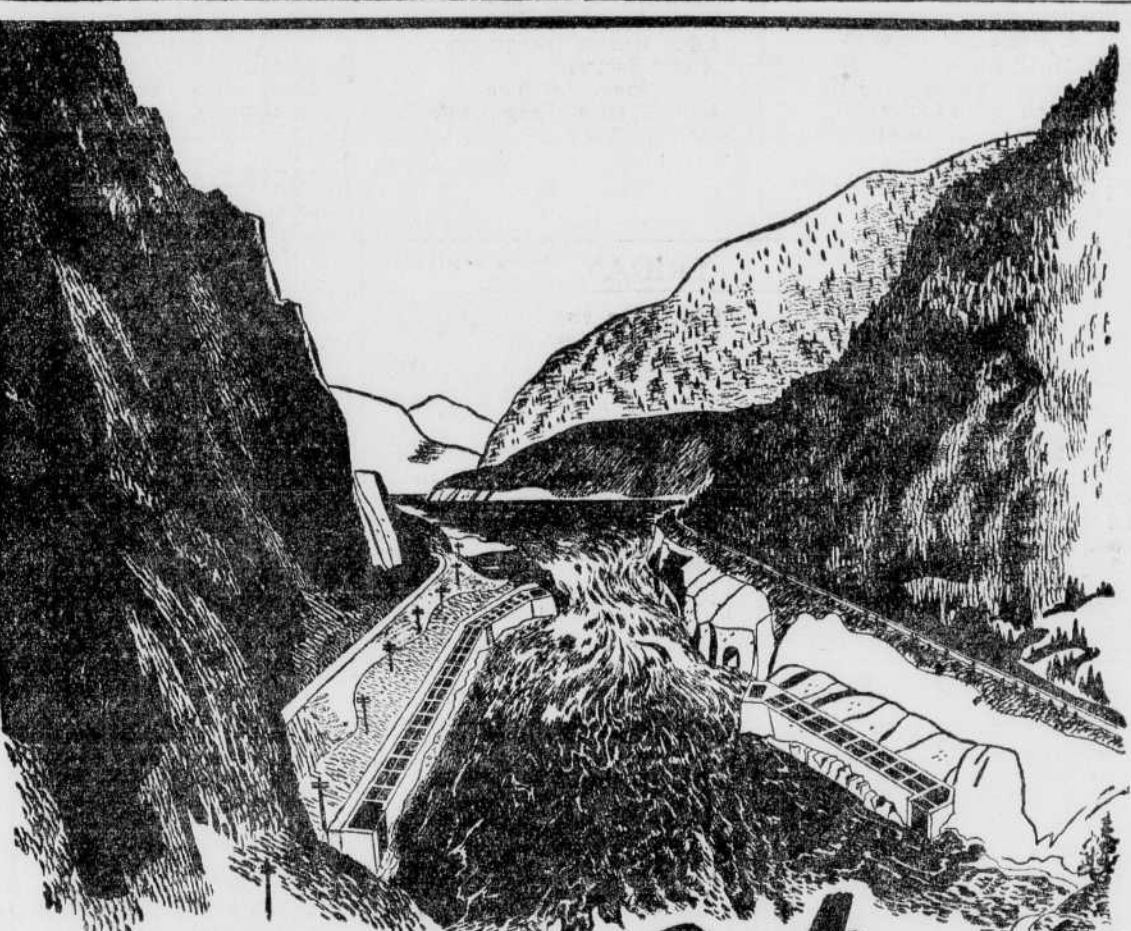
Yolks of 3 eggs
1 1/4 cups of flour

Cream butters; add sugar slowly; add egg yolks which have been beaten until thick; add flavoring. Sift together flour and baking powder; add alternately with milk to first mixture. Bake in two 7" greased layer-cake pans at 375° F. for 20-25 minutes.

SUGARLESS ICING
CHOCOLATE FROSTING: 1 egg white; 1/2 cup Maple Syrup; 1/4 tsp. salt; 1/4 cup Cocoa; 1/2 tsp. vanilla.

Put egg white, maple syrup and salt in top of double boiler over boiling water and heat with rotary beater for 9 minutes. Remove from heat and fold in cocoa gradually, blending well. Add vanilla and spread over cake.

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Hell's Gate

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Just beyond Yale, B.C., 136 miles up from the sea, the waters of the Fraser River must pass between towering ramparts of rock. This is Hell's Gate, whose walls are only 120 feet apart at low water. Through this narrow passage rush the accumulated waters of approximately 80,000 square miles of watershed.

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By engineering, ingenuity, steel and concrete, Hell's Gate is now only a memory—at least for spawning salmon. Planned and supervised by the International Pacific Salmon Fisheries Commission, great fishways now pass the fish up river by easy stages, with resting pools at each level. Fisheries experts estimate 8,000,000 Sockeye salmon will traverse these fishways in a good year, exclusive of other species native to the Fraser.

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The Doctor Says

OUTLAW CELLS RESPONSIBLE FOR CANCER

By William A. O'Brien, M.D.
The public health officer had just finished his talk on cancer to the women's club and invited questions from the audience. A woman asked, "Is cancer contagious?" Cancer is not contagious, was his immediate reply. He had forgotten that many people still believe that it is.

Cancer is a growth of our own cells. If a surgeon in operating on a cancer should cut his finger with the knife, and if cancer cells were on the knife, no growth would result. The cancer cells would not survive. Cancer is a lawless growth of our own cells and would not survive in anyone else.

The smallest working part of a body is a cell. There are many different kinds of cells but they have certain features in common. Cells can do anything that the body as a whole can do. They are created, live and die, work and rest, eat and rid themselves of waste, and reproduce themselves. Cells of one kind never reproduce another kind.

Outlaw Cells Are Cause

Cancer cells are like normal cells in every respect save one. They reproduce themselves in a lawless way, producing an excessive number for which there is no need. Every cancer cell possesses the power of limitless reproduction. Unless something is done to rid the body of these abnormally growing cells, the patient forfeits his life.

Let us trace the development of

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By Galbraith



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MILLFIELD

Mrs. Lewis Eager of Kinross Mills, spent a week here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George E. Davidson.

Mr. Alvin Wright received the news of the sudden death of his father, Mr. Richard Wright, of Henderson Vale, after an illness of a few days, at the home of his brother, Mr. William Wright.

Mr. Charles Wright spent a few days visiting his mother, who is in poor health, in Theford Mines.

Mrs. Ray Little and Mervyn Little were guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Little, in Bury. They were accompanied home by Billy Little, who is now attending the Montreal High School.

Mr. William Cruickshank and son, Cromarty, spent a day with Mr. and Mrs. George Davidson and Mr. and Mrs. Guy Davidson.

This community extends sympathy to Mr. Alex Watson and his daughter, Katherine, in the loss of their wife and mother, who passed away suddenly.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Little and son, Robert, spent their holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Little, in Theford Mines.

Mr. Charles Henderson spent a week with relatives in Theford Mines.

Mrs. Peter Matheson and Miss Ethel Cook were called here owing to the illness of their mother, Mrs. Peter Cook.

A sunshine basket was sent to Mrs. W. G. Wright by her neighbors and friends. The basket was packed and beautifully decorated at Mrs. Ray Little's by Mrs. Lyman Little and Mrs. Peter Matheson. Good wishes went with it for a speedy recovery to health.

Mrs. Ray Little and Mervyn and Billy Little were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Little and of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Moore, in Theford Mines.

Mrs. Murray Kelse, of Chalk River, Ont., and Mrs. Leonard Bennett, of Hatley, were calling on Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Learmonth.

children, Gordon and Elinor, of Stanbridge East, were guests at the Black home. Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Westcott and daughter, Jean, of Stanbridge East, spent an evening at the same home.

The Farm Forum met at the home of Mrs. M. Crosby and sons.

DUBOYCE'S CORNER

Mr. and Mrs. Vernal Lewis were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. Duboyce.

Mr. Henry Chapman has returned to the home of Mr. Harry Beaks, after spending the holidays in Quebec with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Ducette and family were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Johnson, in Call's Mills.

Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Brown were guests of their daughter, Mrs. Jack Bailey, Mr. Bailey and Harold Bailey.

Mr. and Mrs. Hillary were called to Dorval due to the illness and subsequent death of the former's father. They remained in Dorval until after the funeral.

Guests of Mr. Albert McGoach and Miss O. Thompson were Mr. George Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Thompson and Miss Margaret Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. William Badger were dinner guests of Mrs. Badger's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Russell.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Bradley and the children, of Sherbrooke, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Badger.

Mr. and Mrs. Brooks, of Dixie, were tea guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Badger.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Mizener were Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Mizener and son, Garry, and Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Miller, of Granby, and Miss Carol Mizener and family, of Brockville, Ont.

Mr. William Russell spent a day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. Badger.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Bell were calling on Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bell.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Mizener and son, Garry, have left for Noranda by car. Mr. Mizener has accepted a position there.

Mr. and Mrs. William Badger entertained at a family gathering during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. William Stone attended the Rebekah Lodge meeting in Knowlton.

BURY

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Stokes entertained Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Stokes, Major and Mrs. W. A. Bishop and son, Eugene, Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Stokes, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Stokes and daughter, Edith, Mr. and Mrs. Wright Goodenough and daughter, Hilma, and Miss M. Tamba, of Milby.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Hunt were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Hunt, in Sawyerville.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Parsons were Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Parsons and family and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Thompson and family, of Sawyerville, Miss Nina Parsons, of Sherbrooke, and Mrs. Stuart Doherty.

Mrs. Celia Crawford was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Trevor Pehleman.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Hawley are visiting their sons, Messrs. Eric and Rupert Hawley, in Montreal. From there Mrs. Hawley will go to Cornwall, Ont., to visit her daughter, Mrs. R. G. Flander, and Rev. Mr. Flander, while Mr. Hawley will remain with his sons in Montreal until her return.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Smith, of Bulwer, were guests of Mrs. Smith's sister, Mrs. Celia Crawford.

Miss Jean Morrison, of Montreal, was a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Murdo Morrison.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cuming were Mr. and Mrs. Percy Cuming and son, Gordon, Mr. and Mrs. Irvine Cuming and son, Leonard, Messrs. Murdo K. and Victor MacLeod and Mrs. Margaret MacLeod. Evening guests at the same home were Mr. and Mrs. Osborne Pickford and Mr. and Mrs. Steven Prankley.

Cpl. Lawrence Doherty, having returned from Overseas on the Mauretania, after almost four years' service, is now visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Doherty, here.

Mr. Percy Cuming has returned to Montreal, after spending a holiday here, leaving Mrs. Cuming and son to spend a week visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. William Provis entertained at their home, Pte. and Mrs. Fred Provis and son, of Quebec City, Pte. Provis having just returned from Overseas, Mr. and Mrs. William Provis, Jr., and little daughter, of Sawyerville, Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Joyce and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bennett, of Bishop-ton.

Little Marion Rudd met with a very painful accident while sliding. Her toboggan hit a fence post at the foot of the hill and swerved, hurling her against the fence and fracturing her leg between the knee and hip. Dr. Bennett, of Cookshire, was called and advised her removal to the Sherbrooke Hospital.

Cpl. Edward Doherty, who has returned from nine months' service Overseas, was accompanied here by his wife and little daughter, Eleanor, of Quebec City, where they spent a holiday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Doherty.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Cook and family were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Parsons.

Mrs. Evelyn Dougherty, of Nantasket Beach, Mass., spent a holiday with her mother, Mrs. Annie Dougherty, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. Brazenal.

Friends of Mr. E. A. Leonard will be sorry to learn that he is in very poor health.

Miss Edith Stokes, of Magog, spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Stokes.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Davidson and family spent a holiday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Macdonald, in Magog.

DANVILLE

Mrs. Nagel, an old and respected citizen, passed away after only a few days' illness. Mr. Nagel was a resident of this town, and a sister of the late Mr. J. McCaffrey. Her funeral was held on January 7, the day her brother died.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Zwicker have returned to their home in Halifax, N.S., after spending two weeks with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Paige.

The many friends of Mr. Joseph McCaffrey, a former resident of this town for many years, will learn with regret of his passing. Sympathy is extended to the family.

GRANBY

A number of friends of Mr. K. Scrimgeour met in the Curling rink one afternoon to bid him farewell, as he is leaving Granby to reside in Truro, N.S., where he has secured a position with the firm of Lewis Limited. Mr. Gordon Taylor acted as chairman and presented Mr. Scrimgeour with a handsome leather travelling bag, which he remarked was a gentle reminder to him to pack a few things in it and come back to Granby frequently.

Mr. Scrimgeour in reply expressed his surprise and appreciation for the gift. A short programme of monologues by Mr. Leo Arel and songs led by Mr. Herve Bosseau followed.

One afternoon at her home on Mountain Street, Miss Jane Senft entertained from 5 to 7 o'clock at a delightful party in honor of Miss Helen Legge and Mr. John Freeman, whose marriage takes place shortly.

Under the beautifully trimmed honor, expressing their appreciation Christmas tree were arranged many Miss Legge and Mr. Freeman thank beautiful gifts for the guests of ed their friends most heartily.

Now for a GOOD BREAKFAST—

You'll make a bee-line for VITA-B every time!
For flavour and energy it's 'tops'! Costs so little, too!

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What About Bleeke?

HAL WAS MURDERED BECAUSE HE WAS ABOUT TO FIND THE KIDNAPER OF EVA SASSO. SHERIFF HE SAID JULKIE HAD BEEN LIVING HERE FOR 16 YEARS!

HE MUSTA BEEN CRAZY! JULKIE'S ABOUT SIX FOOT NINE—AN' WITH THAT SCAR, ANYBODY'D KNOW HIM!

YOU ALSO THOUGHT JEROME BLEEKE WAS BURIED IN THIS GRAVE—BUT HAL WAS RIGHT ABOUT THAT!

WE HAVE NO EVIDENCE THAT JULKIE EVER HEARD OF SOPPS HOLLOW... BUT A MAN'S BEEN MURDERED AN' I'M GONNA FIND OUT WHO DONE IT!

GOOD! FIND HIM AND I THINK YOU'LL FIND JULKIE, TOO!

HAVE IT YOUR WAY, SON, BUT FIRST WE'LL SEE IF OLE MAN BLEEKE KNOWS HOW JEROME'S BODY COULDA BEEN MURDERED FROM HIS GRAVE!

BY LESLIE TURNER

VIO FLINT

YOU SAY A STRANGER, A BIG GUY, FOLLOWED ME IN HERE THIS MORNING AND ASKED YOU WHO I WAS? DID YOU TELL HIM?

I TELL HIM I DON'T KNOW. WHY SHOULD I TELL A STRANGER SOMETHING THAT IS NOT HIS BUSINESS, MR. FLINT?

Good old Tony. There was a guy you could trust. I ducked out and grabbed a cab.

I got out at the apartment hotel where the blond lived that Libby and I had trailed from the racetrack.

KEEP THIS DRIVER, AND STICK AROUND ABOUT 15 MINUTES. IF I'M NOT DOWN BY THEN, DON'T WAIT.

RIGHT.

BY MICHAEL O'MALLEY AND RALPH LANE

ALLEY OOP

OH, ALLEY, YOU'RE BACK, SAFE AND SOUND!

WELCOME HOME, LAD!

BOY, YOU'RE A SIGHT FOR SURE! EYES! WE THOUGHT YOU'D NEVER MAKE IT!

AND YOUR MANAGER SAYS YOU GOT 'EM BACK!

BUT THEY'RE SO RASCALY—AND MY STARS, THEY'RE RED!

SAY, HOW ABOUT THAT? US I REMEMBER YOUR HAIR WAS BLACK!

WHISKERS, YEH! I'LL SHOW YOU ABOUT THEM—

THEY REALLY AIN'T AIN'T! I BORROWED 'EM FROM AN OTHER GUY!

BY FRED HARMAN

RED RYDER

WE FOUND OUT YOU SALTERED HIS GOLD CLAIM, ANITA!

SALTERED! I JUST BOUGHT AN INTEREST IN IT!

CAN I GET MY MONEY BACK?

MYSE—IF HE DOESN'T SKIP OUT!

WE'VE GOT TO MAKE HIM THINK IT'LL BE WORTH THE RISK TO STICK AROUND ANHIE!

BY EDGAR MARTIN

BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES

ROO! IN MY NICE CLEAN KITCHEN!!

HELLO, HON! WHAT LUCK GETTING MRS. HORNER TO TAKE OVER AS DANCE DIRECTOR?

IT'S A DEAL! BUT WHAT'S ALL THIS STUFF?

PROPS FOR YOUR SHOW! THE PLAY-HOUSE WAS CLOSED SO THEY SENT IT HERE!

I WAS GOING TO UNPACK IT BUT THE GANG JUST PHONED! THEY'RE ALL SET FOR A POWER PARTY AT KIBBY'S!

OH, THEY ARE, ARE THEY? QUITE A MUSS, YOU KNOW!

COULDN'T WE DO THIS SOME OTHER TIME? IT'LL MAKE A MESS OF YOUR SHOW!

ROO, HOW CAN YOU BE SO LACKING IN CURIOSITY?

BY ZANE GREY

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AND WHEN THE MOUNTIES FIND HE WANTED SERGEANT KING HE'LL BE DEAD FROM PTOMAINE... NOT A MARK ON HIM? HA HA HA!

YOUR FINAL MEAL'LL BE TOMORROW... SO YOUR DEATH THROES WON'T DISTURB MY NIGHT'S REST!

AND IN THE ATTIC, EXHAUSTED BY HER JOURNEY THROUGH THE BLIZZARD, EMILY STRUGGLES TO REMAIN AWAKE...

BY ZANE GREY

"SO BRISK! HOW DO YOU DO IT?"

"What wonderful flavour, Mrs. Brown. How do you do it?" "Very simple, Mrs. Primrose, I buy brisk tasting Lipton's Tea... that's all there is to it!"

For richer, finer tea enjoyment than you've ever had before, ask your grocer for brisk tasting Lipton's Tea. Lipton's lively, fresh, full-bodied flavour is always spirited and tangy, never flat or insipid. So for a pleasure that increases with every cup, change to Lipton's, the tea with the lively, brisk flavour.

CONFED. LIFE REPORT SHOWS RECORD GAIN

Reports submitted to the annual meeting of Confederation Life Association showed new paid-for business at \$76,435,969, an increase of \$10 million over 1944 while the gain in business in force of \$50,436,493 was the largest in the company's history and new highs were reported in underwriting surplus for the year of \$3,250,916 and in income. The expense rate on a ten to one basis was lower than in any of the past 15 years. Mortality rate was equal to that in 1944, which had been the lowest of the war years. There was an increase in group welfare activities with the largest gain in new group life insurance in the company's history. During the six war years business in force increased from \$431 million to \$621 million, or over 44 per cent.

In presenting the 74th annual report, President V. R. Smith stressed dangers that may follow the Government's policy of forcing down interest rates to an artificially low level and pointed to the necessity of holding a large surplus (\$14,329,243) because of this policy.

Mr. Smith continued, "I do not use the word 'danger' lightly; nor is it selfishly, as if life insurance companies' affairs were paramount. The danger is to Canada itself. In the 1930's reduced interest rates stimulated business recovery; and during the war years, low rates, together with stringent policies of taxation and wage and price controls, assisted materially to limit

FUNNY BUSINESS

By Hershberger



"He's making sure he'll hold his own at the table!"

the monetary cost of waging war. One result was that the per capita debts of the three countries which most nearly concern us were, at December 31, 1945: United Kingdom, \$2,200; United States, \$2,100; and Canada, \$1,400. Thus the low interest rate policy of Canada's central bank was justified up to that point. But to continue such a policy is now dangerous, because it has resulted in a deliberate expansion of credit, one effect of which is that Canadian bank deposits have been enlarged out of proportion to the growth of Canada's capacity for wealth production. Thus a powerful inflationary force has been set in motion. While it was necessary to restrict production of civilians' goods in war time, governments should stimulate civilian goods' production now. Business men want to know whether our planners can do this?

"On the one hand we are told that price controls are still neces-

sary to check inflation, and therefore should be continued. But at the same time the Government appears to persist in the deliberate forcing downwards of interest rates to ever lower levels — no doubt to make smoother and easier their management of the national debt. Both of these techniques are evidently regarded as desirable for our guidance through the reconversion period. But we should recognize that there may come a point where low interest rates become positively dangerous. The Government's 'easy money' policy may legitimately be regarded as an attempt to stimulate production, but the continued output of prices tends to restrict output — by making unprofitable or keeping unprofitable the production of certain kinds of goods.

"Thus, the conflict between the two policies sets up further inflationary pressures which ultimately can make the enforcement of price and wage controls impossible — more especially since the public conscience does not as wholeheartedly condemn 'black-marketing' in time of peace as it did in time of war."

Banquet And Presentation Tendered Over One Hundred Bury Servicemen

Bury, Jan. 24.—Bury citizens again came to the fore on January 5, when a welcome reception with a gold signet ring for every returned serviceman, and a bountiful turkey dinner for all who had returned since a similar dinner and reception were held in November.

The Citizens' Committee left no stone unturned to make the affair a success. With Mrs. A. J. Hunt, the organizer, assisted by Mrs. L. D. MacLeod, Mrs. A. Whitehead and Mrs. V. Desjardis, a bountiful and delicious turkey dinner was served to upwards of one hundred guests. Many ladies of Bury and the surrounding districts served and acted as waitresses. R. N. Mayhew and John Dougherty carved the turkeys. The dining hall presented a very attractive appearance. The long tables with snowy white linen and many lighted red tapers in silver holders on a centre of evergreens lent a festive air to the occasion.

Mayor Hunt made the welcome address. He expressed great pleasure at having so many of the servicemen home, and extended them a hearty welcome and best wishes for their future success.

Rev. J. W. Rowe acted as chairman for the toasts and addresses, and proposed the toast to the King. Rev. Hillyer proposed a toast to the services. This was replied to by Major W. A. Bishop, who said that he could speak only for the army, the Royal Rifles of Canada, and what has been termed by many as the ill-fated expedition to the Far East in October, 1942. He said those responsible were blamed for sending the regiment without more forethought and judgment. But, he added, two things are now known to have resulted from this. First, that had Japan not been engaged at Hong Kong, they would have invaded Australia; and secondly, that two millions of the yellow race looked on Major Bishop paid a glowing tribute to the men who fought valiantly against such odds as has seldom been encountered in warfare. He also paid a warm tribute to the men whom they had to leave behind in the Far East and said that they had not died in vain. Major Bishop made no reference to his own valor and courage. It is officially known that at the risk of his own life he boldly ventured in an underground movement to bring all possible aid and medical supplies to his men, knowing full well the penalty he would pay to the Japs should his act be discovered. In conclusion, he heartily thanked the citizens of Bury and all who were responsible for the splendid welcome given the men for the dinner and all that had been done for them but, he added, to him the best reception put on was by the crowds who had met the trains, night after night, when one or more men were expected and gave them a heart-warming welcome. He thanked everyone for all they had done for the regiment. Major Bishop was heartily applauded.

Murdo M. MacAulay, president of Branch No. 48 of the Canadian Legion, and a veteran of the First World War, as well as of this one, gave an interesting address in which he expressed his regret at being unable to proceed overseas in the Second World War, due to his age. He expressed great pleasure at being present on this occasion and heartily welcomed the returned men.

Rev. Mr. Rowe, in his address, praised the work done by the ladies of the Red Cross Society, the Gift Fund and other organizations, which had done so much to help the war effort, and proposed a toast to the ladies. This was replied to by N. G. Bennett, who spoke of the splendid work accomplished by the ladies and also of all who had contributed in so many ways to the war effort. "In the Victory Loan," he said, "Bury had surpassed many places with a larger population." He said he hoped that those who had remained at home had done their part.

Rev. Mr. Rowe extended a hearty welcome to the war brides from other countries and expressed a wish that their lives in Canada would be happy and proposed a toast to them. Mrs. M. N. Garneau responded, saying that she was delighted with the welcome given her and the other war brides and the many kindnesses shown her since coming to Canada.

Rev. Mr. Rowe paid tribute to those who had fallen and extended sympathy to those who mourn. He heartily thanked Mrs. Hunt and her co-workers for the bountiful dinner provided.

After the singing of "O Canada" and "God Save the King," the guests assembled in the upper hall, where a large number of friends and relatives had gathered for the presentations. On the presentation committee were Rev. Mr. Hillyer, Rev. W. Rowe, S. Frangley, O. T. Webster and Mayor Hunt, who presented a beautiful gold signet ring to the parents or husbands of those who had given their lives for their country. Mrs. J. D. Harrison, Mrs. Carlton Goodenough, Mrs. H. E. Morrow, Mrs. Omer Lapalme and Mr. Walter Costes, and then each returned man present was presented with a ring, accompanied by the best wishes of the Mayor.

that each soldier would always keep his signet ring as a slight token of appreciation from the citizens of Bury. He said that much was owed to all of the servicemen and he earnestly hoped that if any of them were in any difficulty that they would ask for advice and help and that it would be given them.

Rev. Mr. Hillyer, who during most of the war years resided in Ontario, said that in no other place had he seen so much done for the war effort as he had in Bury; the number who had enlisted in the armed forces and the spirit which prevailed among those at home, and the work accomplished by the women in the Red Cross Society and other organizations was a credit to the citizens of Bury.

Rev. Mr. Rowe read a poem composed by himself, which was most appropriate to the occasion. He thanked one and all who had in any way helped to make this happy occasion such a great success.

Rev. Mr. Hillyer then led in community singing which was greatly enjoyed. All heartily joined in singing "When Johnny Comes Marching Home," "Hail, Hail, the Gang's All Here," "My Bonnie Lies Over the Ocean," and "Allouette." Dancing was then enjoyed, with music furnished by Mrs. Russell Dougherty, Miss Muriel Dougherty and Miss Gloria Costes.

Everyone enjoyed to the utmost this happy occasion in welcoming home the valiant lads who had risked their all for King and country, many of whom spent years in prison camps.

The guests of honor were Rev. and Mrs. Hillyer, Rev. W. Rowe, Mayor Hunt and Mrs. Hunt, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Frangley, Mr. and Mrs. Murdo M. MacAulay, Mrs. A. M. Dougherty and Mrs. H. E. Morrow.

EAST ANGUS

Mrs. Alden Wilson entertained at a delightful tea in honor of the birthday of her mother, Mrs. Smith, on January 6. Mrs. Smith, who has been confined to her home for six years gratefully received her guests. Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess assisted by Mrs. Smith's great-granddaughter, Miss Norma Herring, of Bishopston.

Holiday guests at the home of Mrs. Augustus Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Alden Wilson were Mr. and Mrs. Clayton McCormick, of Cowansville; Mr. and Mrs. Elwin Herring, of Scotstown; and Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Herring and Misses Norma and Fern Herring of Bishopston.

Miss Marion Barter, of Windsor Mills, who was a guest of Mrs. S. B. Somers for a week, has returned home. Mrs. Carrie Weston, of Sherbrooke, was a guest at the same home.

There are many cases of the gripe in town, but so far they have not been very serious.

KINGSEY

Miss Enid Moore is spending a few days in Montreal with her sister, Miss K. Moore. Mr. and Mrs. L. Clarkin, of Isle Bigras, were guests at "Maplewood."

Mr. and Mrs. C. Robinson, of Greenlay, called on Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Moore.

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HEALTHY BABIES are not cross. Your baby should not be cross. If he is, then something in his little system is "out of order." Probably Baby's Own Tablets can promptly "put it right." Mrs. H., of Fenelon Falls, had the experience. She writes: "My little girl was irritable, feverish and sometimes sick at her stomach — what a relief it was after giving her Baby's Own Tablets, to see how much better she was."

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If you suffer like this — we urge you to give Pinkham's Compound a fair and honest trial.

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Values \$7.50 to \$12.95
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QUALITY CANNON SHEETS 72 x 90 \$2.10 each	CANNON PILLOW CASES 42 x 36 49c
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CLEARANCE OF LADIES' SKI JACKETS
Sizes 12 to 20. Reg. \$9.50 to \$16.95.
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FINEST QUALITY SHEETINGS 9/4 89c a yard	PART LINEN TOWELING 18 inches wide 33c
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COLORED PLAID FLANNELETTE BLANKETS
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RANDERS KNOCK OFF INTREPIDES TO DEADLOCK THIRD PLACE

Paul Gagnon Assists On Four Goals As Locals Win 5-2—Game Tonight
Drummondville, Que., Jan. 24.—Sherbrooke Randers whistled into a third-place tie with St. Hyacinthe Saints in the Provincial Hockey League last night when they turned back the Intrepides 5-2.

Table with columns for Provincial League, National League, American League, and Standings. Lists teams like Victoriaville, Lachine, and Drummondville with their respective scores and positions.

ICE CYCLES TO APPEAR HERE IN FEBRUARY

Greatest names in musical ice shows, Ice Follies and Ice Capades have combined resources and talent to produce Ice Cycles of 1946, which will appear at the Sherbrooke Arena February 17, 18 and 19.

Table with columns for Provincial League, National League, American League, and Standings. Lists teams like Victoriaville, Lachine, and Drummondville with their respective scores and positions.

H. Peabody's Sherbrooke Rink Splits In Second Round Of Quebec Bospiel

H. A. Peabody's Sherbrooke rink split even in the second round of the International Goodwill bospiel at Quebec City yesterday, defeating the Quebec rink skipped by Dr. H. N. McKinnon 11-8 and losing 11-10 to L. Cote's Jacques Cartier rink.

Table with columns for Provincial League, National League, American League, and Standings. Lists teams like Victoriaville, Lachine, and Drummondville with their respective scores and positions.

Going Down—Lachine Belted Again By League-Leading Victoriaville, 9-3

Lachine, Que., Jan. 24.—Victoriaville Tigers, who climbed into first place in the Provincial Hockey League last week, extended their lead to three points when they defeated Lachine Rapides 9-3 before 1,200 fans here.

Table with columns for Provincial League, National League, American League, and Standings. Lists teams like Victoriaville, Lachine, and Drummondville with their respective scores and positions.

ASPIRIN advertisement. Text: 'STARTS WORK IN JUST 2 SECONDS. RELIEVES PAIN AND SORE THROAT. DUE TO COLDS. GENUINE ASPIRIN IS MARKED THIS WAY.' Includes a small illustration of an Aspirin tablet.

HOCKEY RULES advertisement. Text: 'HOCKEY RULES. BILL GRAY. ICING THE PUCK. Rule 61, Sec. (g). If the referee shall have erred in calling an "icing the puck" infraction when a team is below the numerical strength of the opponents, the puck shall be faced five feet in the defending zone of the team at greater strength, and midway between the sides of the rink.' Includes a diagram of a hockey rink.

Canadian Sport Snapshots

By FRED KERNER. Canadian Press Staff Writer. Toronto, Jan. 24.—Where's Kelly? Chances are she's potting baskets which are contributing to the unbeaten streak of Carlton ladies' ball team.

GROLEAU LEADS MINES LEAGUE SCORING RACE

A recent compilation of the scoring averages in the Theoford Mines Hockey League, shows Marius Groleau as the leading point-getter with 12 goals and 11 assists for a total of 23 points.

Protection FOR SMALL ESTATES advertisement. Text: 'Every estate deserves the safety of Trust Company protection. The smaller your resources, the greater the need to ensure to your dependants the utmost benefit from what you leave.' Includes logo for THE ROYAL TRUST COMPANY.

JOHNSON ENGINES advertisement. Text: 'JOHNSON ENGINES Again In Stock. 1/2 HP. Air Cooled, \$41.50. 1.34 H.P., Air Cooled, \$61.00. Hatley Craft Ltd. Johnson Sales & Service NORTH HATLEY, QUE.' Includes a diagram of an engine.

Victories By Boston And Chicago Drop Habitants Into No. 3 Position

By The Canadian Press. Montreal Canadiens and Toronto Maple Leafs returned today from games in the United States licking the wounds of decisive defeats. The Chicago Blackhawks humbled Canadiens 7-2 while Toronto absorbed a 7-1 walloping at Boston.

WATERLOO AND SUTTON SLUG TO DRAW AGAIN

Sutton entertained the Waterloo Mack Hockey team on their rink on Friday evening, when the result was one of the fastest and cleanest hockey games seen in that town for quite some time.

INDIANS BOW SECOND TIME TO WINDSOR, 5-2 advertisement. Text: 'Windsor Mills Paper Makers jumped back into a first place tie with Sherbrooke Indians last night by defeating them 5-2 in a regular E.T.H.L. game played at Windsor. This marks Windsor's second triumph over the Indians in as many meetings. Longpre, the Windsor netminder, was outstanding for the home team and was called upon to make save after save, many of them verging on the sensational.'

HOCKEY At The ARENA THURSDAY advertisement. Text: 'JANUARY 24th, at 8.30 p.m. DRUMMONDVILLE vs. SHERBROOKE-RAND. A Provincial League Game. Adm.: 50c and 75c. Reserved Seat and General Admission Tickets Now On Sale at Oscar Bourque Reg'd., 31a King St. West, Phone 2846. (Season Ticket No. 14)'

Blue Gillette Blades advertisement. Text: 'You're ahead two ways when you use Blue Gillette Blades... made of steel hard enough to cut glass! You get: 1-Faster, cleaner shaves 2-More shaves per blade Save time and money... Ask for Blue Gillette Blades. For extra shaving satisfaction, always use Gillette Lather Cream... 33¢'. Includes an illustration of a Gillette razor and a pack of blades.

CANADA DRY advertisement. Text: 'Whenever You're Thirsty! CANADA DRY. "The Champagne of Ginger Ales"'. Includes an illustration of a Canada Dry bottle and a woman holding a glass.