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Questions Sirhan's guilt

NEW YORK (AP) — Former representative Allard Lowenstein said Sunday that after a personal year-long study "I don't believe the evidence sustains the theory that Sirhan Sirhan is the murderer of Robert F. Kennedy."

Sirhan is serving a life sentence in California for the assassination of Senator Kennedy on June 5, 1968, in a Los Angeles hotel following Kennedy's victory in the California presidential primary.

Lowenstein, a former Democratic congressman from New York, revealed his doubts about the shooting at a news conference. He was accompanied by Paul Schrade, a former United Auto Workers official who was wounded at the time of the assassination.

Schrade said Lowenstein had convinced him there were many unanswered questions in the case.

Lowenstein said he made his investigation because of the "recalcitrance of the authorities" to make all the technical evidence public and because in the wake of Watergate "the country now understands what it didn't before—that things that 'never could have occurred' have occurred."

NO SUSPECTS YET

He said, however, he was not proposing that Sirhan, a Jordanian immigrant who expressed anger over Kennedy's pro-Israel position, was part of a conspiracy. He said he had no ideas so far about who wielded the "true gun" in the killing.



BANK ROBBERY — Between five and six thousand dollars was stolen from the Caisse Populaire Bank in Beebe Thursday night. Thieves entered by the side door of the house

which contains the residence of Mr. and Mrs. J.L. Paquin and the Caisse Populaire on the west side of the house.

Beebe bank robbed

BEEBE — Quebec Provincial Police and Border Police continue their investigation into the Caisse Populaire Bank robbery that occurred five minutes before closing time on Thursday night.

The bank is open each Thursday evening until 8 p.m. At five minutes before closing two men wearing ski masks

By IVY HATCH (Record Correspondent) entered the bank and at gun point robbed the bank of between five and six thousand dollars. Mrs. Jean Louis Paquin was alone in the bank at the time. She is the manager.

The car had been parked for some time prior to the robbery at the nearby Rediker school

building and after leaving the bank, the thieves raced to the school yard and made their get away.

Immediately the alarm was received, the Border Police, Gordon Bronson, Beebe Chief, and John Groleau, Rock Island chief, put operation 100 into effect which set up road blocks throughout points in the Townships.

Two captured in Moncton after kidnapping-murder of policemen

MONCTON, N.B. (CP) — A search for a man wanted in connection with a kidnapping and the death of two Moncton policemen ended Sunday night when he surrendered to police.

James Lawrence Hutchison, 43, formerly of Picton, Ont., was taken into custody by two RCMP officers in front of an apartment building a few blocks from the downtown area.

Supt. Charles Philion said Hutchison telephoned the RCMP earlier Sunday and arrangements for giving himself up were completed after he talked with Sgt. Greg Cahoon and Justin Sullivan, regional district parole officer. Both men knew Hutchison.

"Depending on the outcome of questioning, a decision will be made whether he will be charged," Supt. Philion said.

Police said earlier that Richard Ambrose, 22, of Moncton, was to appear in court today to be charged with last week's kid-

napping of Raymond Stein, 14. The boy was released after his father paid a \$15,000 ransom.

Another man was arrested Friday but was released Sunday after questioning.

This city of 58,000 was shocked Sunday by the discovery of the bodies of the two city policemen, Cpl. Aurelle Bourgeois, 47, a father of four, and Constable Michael O'Leary, 33, a father of two.

The two policemen disappeared early Friday while investigating the Stein kidnapping.

BOTH SHOT

Their bodies were discovered Sunday in shallow graves in a sparsely populated district about 15 miles northeast of here. Both had been shot in the head.

City police and police associations in the Maritimes have contributed to a \$10,000 reward for information leading to the

arrest and conviction of those responsible for the deaths.

"It certainly was a big blow to our department and has quite an effect on the men," said Chief C. M. Weldon.

Mayor Gary Wheeler said the slayings, the first violent deaths of on-duty Moncton policemen this century, has saddened Christmas in the city.

The city administration is considering special financial aid for the families of the two officers in addition to the pensions which they will receive, but details of the amounts involved were not known. Some citizens have raised the possibility of a special fund for the families.

Discovery of the bodies in the isolated Shediac River area followed an exhaustive search.

A police portable radio and two revolvers were found in the river before the bodies were discovered less than a mile away. Sgt. Cahoon told reporters it appears the two officers were shot at the site where the bodies were found.

There also is the possibility the two policemen were ordered to dig their own graves.

CAR FOUND

Their car, a private vehicle being used in the investigation of the kidnapping, was found in Salisbury, about 20 miles west of Moncton, a few hours after their disappearance.

A driver's licence belonging to Cpl. Bourgeois was discovered near the Shediac River site Saturday, and eventually led to the discovery of the bodies.

Sgt. Cahoon said both men had a set of handcuffs dangling from one arm.

The handcuffs were on opposite wrists of each man "so they were not handcuffed together but it is obvious they may have been at some time."

The two graves were about 10 feet apart, one about 24 inches deep and the other about 18 inches deep.

The Stein boy, son of prominent Moncton businessman Cy Stein, was abducted by two hooded men late Thursday as he and his grandmother returned to the family home. The grandmother was tied up but was not harmed.

Watergate cover-up trial in final week of testimony

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Watergate cover-up trial is entering its final week of testimony with the jury verdicts for

five former Nixon administration and campaign aides not expected until after Christmas.

Former assistant attorney-general Robert Mardian is testifying in his own defence and the prosecutors are expected to cross-examine him today.

Only one more defendant, Kenneth Parkinson, former lawyer for the Nixon re-election committee, is waiting to present his case.

Mardian and Parkinson often seemed like spectators in the crowded courtroom during the last 11 weeks of the trial when attention centred on their three co-defendants—former attorney-general John Mitchell and ex-Nixon White House aides H. R. Haldeman and John Ehrlichman.

All five are charged with conspiring to obstruct the investigation of the Watergate break-in.

FACE OTHER CHARGES

Except for Mardian, the other defendants are charged also with obstruction of justice, and Mitchell, Haldeman and Ehrlichman with lying under oath.

The charge against Mardian includes the allegation that he called Gordon Liddy from California June 17, 1972—the day of the break-in—and told him to try to reach then attorney-general Richard Kleindienst and ask him to get one or more of the Watergate burglars out of jail.

On the stand Friday, Mardian denied that and other allegations. He also described his career as an official of the Nixon re-election committee.

Mardian had served under Mitchell in the justice department and said he was ready to return to private life in California when Mitchell talked him into joining the campaign.

"I assumed I was going over to be Mr. Mitchell's deputy," he said. "That was an assumption on my part. Mr. Mitchell never told me that."

PLANS WENT AWRY

It didn't work out that way. Jeb Stuart Magruder was Mitchell's deputy when Mardian joined the re-election committee.

How did they get along, Mardian was asked.

"Poor to begin with, and it got worse," he replied.

Mardian also testified that his impression was that Nixon, not Mitchell, made many major campaign committee decisions. He said he based that on his knowledge that Mitchell occasionally was overruled and that Nixon was the only person he knew who had that authority.

Parkinson is expected to start presenting his case Tuesday. Later in the week, defence and prosecution lawyers will argue before District Judge John Sirica on what sort of instructions he should give the jury before it begins deliberations.

Oil compromise reached at talks

FORT DE FRANCE, Martinique (AP) — President Ford of the United States and French President Valéry Giscard d'Estaing end their weekend summit meeting today with a joint communique expected to reflect a compromise agreement on a conference of oil importing and producing countries.

One official predicted that Ford would agree in principle to France's proposal for a conference within three months of the oil-exporting countries, the leading industrialized consumer countries and the developing countries. The French president in return would agree in principle with the U.S. position that the major consumer countries must unify their negotiating positions before the conference.

The president's talked in a relaxed atmosphere in this Caribbean climate and went swimming together during a luncheon trip Sunday. They seemed to have ironed out their differences over how to cope with the crisis arising from soaring oil prices.

Spokesmen for both described the meetings as "amicable and friendly."

Aides said the subjects discussed included the international monetary situation, Middle East problems, the European security conference and Indochina, as well as the oil dilemma.

EACH IS HOST

Giscard d'Estaing gave a state dinner Saturday night for his U.S. visitor, and Ford re-

sponded with a poolside barbecue Sunday night for 44 guests. Sarah Vaughan flew from the U.S. to sing and received a kiss from President Ford for her performance.

In a toast to the French president, Ford said his visit to Martinique has been a "wonderful experience." He called attention to the bicentennial celebration of U.S. independence in 1976 and recalled "the participation that France played in the achievement of our independence."

"It was a pleasure to meet you and to have the opportunity of broadening a relationship and developing a friendship," Ford said.

Giscard, in response, stressed the atmosphere of the talks, "their very cordial nature, the very simple way in which they have proceeded, their great frankness."

Sometimes at such international conference, he said, "people tend to wonder who won, who came out on top, who gave the concession."

But from the outset, "I said it was my hope that there would be neither a matter of concessions nor victors but we should both emerge from these talks with the feeling that we had achieved something useful, realistic and worth while in furthering the solutions of the problems that we are in fact discussing."

"I now know that it is quite clear that we will be able to work together."

Quebec in focus

PQ opposes increase

SOREL, Que. (CP) — The Parti Quebecois announced its opposition Sunday to any immediate pay increases for members of the Quebec national assembly.

Opposition Leader Jacques-Yvan Morin told a news conference following a two-day party executive meeting that the PQ also opposed pegging members' salaries to the cost-of-living unless the practice was extended to other employees in the province.

Laporte cleared

MONTREAL (CP) — Premier Robert Bourassa said Sunday a report by the Quebec Police Commission inquiry into organized crime showed no evidence of wrongdoing on the part of the late Pierre Laporte in his dealings with underworld figures.

Speaking on the French-language network of the CBC, Mr. Bourassa said the inquiry's report on the former labor minister will be tabled in the Quebec national assembly today.

The premier said the report will show the difference between "unfounded accusations and the report of a serious inquiry."

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Today's Chuckle

Two things worry most people these days: One, that things may never get back to normal; and the other, that they already have.



"Are you ready to see me in my new Rudi Gernreich 'thong suit'?"

Premier Bourassa talks independence in Paris

Premier Bourassa's recent trip to France illustrates the character of his government more clearly than any previous action, surpassing even the arbitrary, dishonest, and fatuous Bill 22. Mr. Bourassa told a Paris newspaper (Le Quotidien de Paris), that the independence of Quebec is the greatest remaining challenge of his career. "It is a challenge that I might take up because I am neither doctrinaire nor dogmatic." This much at least is true, as Mr. Bourassa is well-known to all Quebecers as a rank opportunist lacking not only doctrine and dogma but such other encumbrances as principles and elemental honesty.

Mr. Bourassa added that "I find that we can have a French Quebec in North America within a Canadian common market with an original idea of sovereignty without plunging the population of Quebec into reckless uncertainty." That is his view of Canada: an exclusively French and uniquely sovereign Quebec unseparated by tariff walls from the (other) provinces.

This is the same man who represented himself to the English Quebec community, and was so represented by his sponsor, Mr. Trudeau, in 1970 and 1973, as the nascent saviour of federalism. And it is the same Premier Bourassa who, among other triumphs of wisdom and statesmanship, promised in 1973 to retain the free parental choice of the language of scholastic instruction, and began dismantling that right in 1974.

It is no surprise to the undersigned that Mr. Bourassa should show independentist tendencies. All who know him have heard him express this penchant privately. It became clear some time ago that his view of "profitable federalism" is to seize equalization grants originating in other provinces and to dispense patronage to relatives and friends of the regime with unheard of prodigality. But it is somewhat surprising that the only prominent attention given his remarks, in Canada, was in the separatist newspaper Le Jour, and in the Toronto Globe and Mail. Have the anti-Canadian maunderings of the Premier of Quebec in a foreign capital now become so routine that they are unworthy of comment? This is somewhat peculiar, even allowing for Mr. Bourassa's frequent dullness as a newsmaker.

No reference to Mr. Bourassa's French visit would be adequate without mention of its financial cost and of his pitiable arrival performance. There was a \$100,000 advertising supplement in Le Monde, a Paris newspaper with a smaller circulation than La Presse or the Montreal Star, \$50,000 for a Quebec junket for 40 French journalists, and more than \$50,000 on incidental costs such as a \$20,000 promotional movie that was, typically, completed too late for the trip. Mr. Bourassa, with characteristic honesty, stated on Wednesday that the whole cost of the expedition was \$37,000.

On arriving at Paris airport, like an expectant child presenting his report card, Mr. Bourassa announced to his presumably astonished French audience that Quebec had just, through the virginal interposition of Bill 22, transformed itself into the second French country of the world, and asked France's support in the Bill's implementation. It was, to say the least, a pathetic spectacle.

Eventually, the pretensions of Mr. Trudeau and Mr. Bourassa to successful championship of conflicting national integrities will be exposed in their ghastly infirmity. In those dire circumstances, the end of these impostures will be a small consolation.

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Says coin collectors manipulating market

OTTAWA (CP) — Coin collectors and speculators are manipulating the market for their own profit, a spokesman for the Olympic coins committee said Thursday after a third flaw in the coins series was discovered.

"A messy marketing situation has developed," said Dana Doiron, the committee's public relations spokesman.

He emphatically denied that the Royal Canadian Mint would make an error on purpose to help boost sales.

Increased value of the flawed coins among collectors doesn't bring extra money to Olympic coffers, he said. All the flawed coins, he said, are in the hands of distributors or collectors or in circulation.

The third coin flaw in the two series issued so far was discovered by Real Gilbert, a Montreal coin dealer, who found a Series I \$5 coin with the map on one side tilted 20 degrees from the design on the reverse side.

OFFERED \$350

Mr. Gilbert said he has been offered \$350 for the coin but is not selling it until he knows how many have the flaw.

Mr. Doiron said "maybe 100 of the nine million coins in the issue have a similar flaw."

He said a die might have slipped during production and a few passed by inspectors.

Two previous errors have been discovered. The \$5 coin of the four-coin first series of nine million had an incorrect Olympic symbol design. Two of the five Olympic rings were intertwined incorrectly.

The second error involved about 10,000 coins. One side of the \$10 coin has a Series I design and date (1973) and the other side has a Series II design and date (1974).

Some buyers in recent newspaper advertisements have offered as much as \$500 for the coins while others say they have sold for \$20.

In Montreal Saturday, 200 coins with the date flaw were auctioned as a single package. They sold for \$20 a coin, \$5 a coin more than the store price.

PRICE 'UNBELIEVABLE'
Auction manager Abe Rogo of Empire Industries in Montreal said the price is unbelievable and that offers of \$500 for a single coin are suspect and should be investigated.

Mr. Rogo said there is suspicion that the flawed coins, and

resulting speculation are part of a plot to help distributors of the coins because, he says, sales are slow.

But Eric Bissell of Bissell and Bissell in Montreal, a major national distributor of the coins, said in a telephone interview the coin sales have been phenomenal.

He said speculation surrounding the flawed coins has created a great deal of interest in them.

US plans 25% less automobiles

DETROIT (AP) — U.S. auto makers will build almost 25 per cent fewer cars in 1974 than in 1973, registering the lowest production total in a non-strike year since 1962, an industry paper says.

The Automotive News estimates December car production would be 357,000, down from 518,359 in December, 1973.

That would bring the year's total to 7,295,000 cars, a 24.5 per cent decline from 9,667,118 in the record-year 1973.

In 1970, when a 67-day strike crippled General Motors, the U.S. auto companies built 6,550,077 cars. Auto assembly in 1962 was 6,943,470.

With 10 assembly plants closed as a result of stumbling sales, domestic car assembly was off 31.5 per cent this week compared with the same week last year. Production rose 14.2 per cent from a week ago, the Automotive News says.

Retail sales are down

OTTAWA (CP) — Retail sales were down two-tenths of one per cent in October, mainly due to a decline in sales of food and consumer durables—such things as cars, furniture and appliances.

The October decline followed a drop of 2.6 per cent in September.

The sales figures are adjusted to discount seasonal factors but not price increases.

In October there was a drop of about three-tenths of one per cent in sales by food stores.

The furniture, radio, television and appliance groups of stores had a combined decline of 11.1 per cent. Sales by hardware stores were off 4.3 per cent.

Sales by car dealers were down two-tenths of one per cent.

Clothing store sales were up about 2.2 per cent and department store sales rose by 2.8 per cent.

The largest increase was in sales by heating fuel dealers, up 19 per cent. However, price increases accounted for the increase.



HEADSTRONG employees would appear to have an advantage on this assembly line. What appears to be a case of industrial mayhem involving Stanley Welle, top, and victim Gary Villnow, is only a minor matter of camera angle. They're putting finishing touches on an industrial gas turbine at the St. Cloud, Minn. plant of Turbodyne Corp.

Club parties

STANSTEAD — The happy Chit-Chat Christmas Club party was held at the Beige Room of the Legion Memorial Home in Stanstead.

At attractively decorated table in Christmas motif, members of the Legion Auxiliary served a family style turkey dinner which left nothing to be desired. Place cards marked the table that were the creative work of Mrs. Elizabeth Williams and Mrs. Antoinette Breault. All the members were present except Mrs. Breault who was unable to, as she was called out of town.

With Mrs. Cyril Crawford at the piano, everyone sang songs and carols of the Yule season. Mrs. Mabel Crawford spoke the Blessing.

After dinner, a few games of bingo were played. Marathon winners were Mrs. Madge Miller, Mrs. Cyril Crawford, Mrs. Ina Williams and Mrs. Emma Rollins. A door prize was claimed by Mrs. Theresa Bullock.

Mrs. Elsie Bronson was Santa to distribute the gift exchange from the petty tree.

Mrs. Erna Lepire invited the gang to her home for the January party.

As the Christmas party broke up, all wished the other greetings for a Happy Christmas.

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ROCK ISLAND — Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Thayer, Rock Island, entertained for the Christmas party of the Town and Country Christmas Club at their home "on the hill" on Saturday evening, December 7.

The evening started off with a wine toast, followed by a pot luck buffet supper of casseroles, salads and dessert with other goodies brought by the club members and by Mr. and Mrs. Thayer.

The social evening included dancing, chatting and the distribution of the gift exchange from the tree by Alex Bernais. A good time was enjoyed by all who came from Georgeville, Beebe and Border Villages.

Jail term given for false advertising

OTTAWA (CP) — The two-year jail term handed out this week to a Dartmouth, N.S., man for false advertising pleased regulatory authorities in the corporate affairs department trying to crack down on the offence.

It is only the second time a court has imposed a jail term for violation of the false and

misleading advertising provisions of the Combines Investigation Act. The other term was for only one day.

Earlier this year, Corporate Affairs Minister Andre Ouellet criticized low fines and small penalties normally assessed for violations and called on Canadian judges to follow U.S. judges in handing out ex-

emplary fines and jail sentences.

An official in the department's trade practices branch said Thursday he believes the courts are taking "an extremely serious view" of offences, reflected in a trend to higher fines for convicted violators.

Of 81 misleading advertising charges laid so far in 1974, the department says, 61 fines have been levied, ranging up to \$8,000, with a significant number for \$1,000 or more.

DECISION PLEASED

The Wednesday decision in Halifax County Court involved a charge laid April 27, against James Steven O'Brien of Dartmouth.

He advertised in the April 24 edition of Weekender, a magazine distributed by the Dartmouth Free Press, that his was the only company that could repair a particular brand of television without requiring customers to wait weeks without a television set.

The ad was referred to the corporate affairs department April 26 by the local Better Business Bureau, and the Halifax office of the justice department laid charges of false and misleading advertising against Mr. O'Brien.

The corporate affairs department does not have its own lawyers to prosecute misleading advertising charges, and relies upon the justice department to do so.

Evidence collected against Mr. O'Brien showed he had neither a repair shop nor trained personnel to service televisions and was under suspended sentence for a prior Criminal Code violation.

The \$8,000 fine was levied in a judgment handed down June 11 against Dominion Stores Ltd. of Toronto, charged with false advertising relating to hockey helmets.

There were three \$5,000 fines, with the rest scaling down to as low as \$75 for a Montreal innkeeper convicted of falsely advertising free television for guests.

But the charges laid do not reflect the volume of complaints about advertising received by the corporate affairs department.

The annual report of the director of investigation and research under the act shows the department opened 4,387 files on complaints in the fiscal year ended March 31. Only 110 were referred to the attorney-general for prosecution and 72 convictions were obtained.

Legislation introduced in the Commons in October revising the act to broaden prohibitions against misleading advertising and restrictive trade practices will add to the volume, department officials suggest.

The proposals, which have received second reading and are awaiting detailed committee study, would make an offence any misleading representation, whether on a display, in a store, delivered by mail or even by telephone or by door-to-door salesmen.

Chapter No. 46 OES

UK car industry faces big crisis

LONDON (CP) — Britain's giant automotive manufacturer and largest single exporter, British Leyland, is facing the gravest financial crisis in its history.

But as the government scrambles to scrape together an aid package to save some of the 200,000 jobs which may be threatened, figures show November was one of its gloomiest months on record with auto exports stagnant and imports soaring.

Foreign cars captured a stunning 36 per cent of the British market during the month.

Over-all sales of new vehicles plummeted by more than 20 per cent in November compared

with the same period last year.

Meanwhile, sources indicate, the government is considering providing Leyland with up to £50 million (\$115 million), perhaps in return for a share in the company, to help it over its immediate cash difficulties.

Leyland, which manufactures a vast range of automobiles from Minis through Triumphs and MGs to Jaguars, has also just completed a £50-million deal with Egypt to build a plant there for building Land Rovers and this may provide some further relief.

RUMORS DENIED

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Richmond Regional School reports

YEAR BOOK

Excitement ran high as the 1974 Year Book arrived and even while copies are being distributed the present committee is being persistent in their collecting material for the '75 Year Book. Advance sales will begin soon after the Christmas Holidays.

WALK-A-THON

The Walk-a-Thon last Friday had about 30 members of the meter course walk, 15 miles round trip to and from Kingsbury to raise money for their trip to the Smithsonian Institute in Washington, D.C.

The Walk-a-Thon added another \$300 or more to the fund which has now reached about \$1000 towards the trip. Many more projects are needed to raise another \$2,000 to cover the cost of the trip, which is scheduled for Mid-March.

They plan to sell light bulbs during January as a profit-making scheme to add funds to their bank account. By the time they pay for their trip it will be very much appreciated.

GRAD DAY

One day of each month is set aside as "Grad Day", when the graduating class "dress-up" for the occasion. They have lunch together in the Red House cafeteria and are joined by many of the teaching staff. Dec. 11th was the occasion for their Christmas Dinner, with turkey and all the trimmings.

CHRISTMAS CONCERT

The date has been definitely fixed for December 17th at 8 p.m. Jack D'Arthenay of the music department hopes that the attendance will be as good as in past years.

SPORTS

The Richmond Regional players had a "lost" weekend as far as winning games, but the players still gained something from the experience.

The hockey team played at Bishop's College School the first league game, and after a strong first period when the game was tied 1-1, they went on to lose the game 3 to 2. That the team members were lacking in condition was self-evident. The goals were made by Norman Rioux and Donald Carson.

The Richmond players had a similar experience in Basketball games over the weekend. The Bantam boys, Juniors and Seniors, lost all three games.

Santa due in Lennoxville

LENNOXVILLE — With the old year coming rapidly to an end, the Lennoxville Police Brotherhood would like to wish the citizens of the town a merry Christmas and a happy New Year. They would also like to express their thanks for the support they have received in the past.

And as long as Christmas is also less than two weeks away, town youths will not have to go elsewhere this year to see Santa Claus. The police fraternity has arranged for him to be at the town hall between 7 and 9 p.m. next Thursday, Dec. 19, on the second floor.

At that time, the jolly old fellow will distribute candy and balloons to the kiddies who come to visit him. All children are invited to see Santa in Lennoxville for the first time in many years.

Downtown revitalization brings problems

SHERBROOKE — At a recent meeting of the people responsible for the downtown revitalization program, it was stated there are still certain traffic problems, arriving from the fact that motorists have not begun to heed no parking signs on Wellington St. North.

To avoid these traffic problems and also infractions, the City of Sherbrooke has reintroduced a ban on parking an unattended vehicle on Wellington North. Motorists are, however, still allowed to pick up and let off passengers on the street, as long as it is effected in the shortest time necessary.

It was also noted that there are two bus zones near the intersection of King and Wellington streets, which are reserved exclusively for the loading and unloading of bus passengers. Automobile parking in these zones is also forbidden.

against Seminaire de Sherbrooke. However, the players reduced the score ratio slightly when the Juniors lost to Stansfeld 26-25 and the Seniors lost 42-32.

WINTERAMA

This year Winter Carnival will run from Jan. 24 to Feb. 2. The committee is planning many activities and hopes the Carnival will open with a discotheque on the Friday night at the school at which time the King and Queen will be crowned.

A fashion show will take place on the evening of Jan. 28, a hockey game on Friday night, January 31st, and during noon hour a dating game and other contests will provide activity.

The big event of the carnival will be a Cosom Hockey Marathon to set a world record. This will be in the school gym between Wed. at 6 p.m. and the closing day, Feb. 2.

Lots of work, lots of fun and group participation really makes the carnival a highlight of the school year and a worthwhile project.

Favoritism is charged

WASHINGTON (AP) — Political favoritism played a major role in hiring practices of the department of housing and urban development during former president Richard Nixon's administration, a government study says.

A Civil Service Commission study says department officials violated civil service regulations by keeping extensive political files on employees and job seekers.

The study also says a patronage unit was set up in the agency for the sole apparent purpose of making sure persons with the right political connections got department posts.

The report is based on a commission investigation made in late 1973 and early 1974. As a result of the study, the commission initiated removal proceedings against three top department officials and suspension actions against six others.

The report was released today by the House subcommittee on manpower and civil service. Subcommittee chairman David N. Henderson (Dem. N.C.) said the report contains "serious charges and allegations."

The report on the department hiring practices cites numerous instances of alleged violations of these regulations. It makes these key allegations:

—The special patronage unit maintained files containing political information on as many as 1,300 job applicants and took "follow-up actions to assure preferential consideration" for those with the desired political credentials.

—Department officials kept "political profiles" on many of its current employees, coded to relate political acceptability to the Nixon administration.

CHU relocates two services

SHERBROOKE (RH) — The University Hospital Centre (CHU) has relocated its medical service for speech and hearing, according to a recent news release.

CHU officials state that the new location, on the first floor of the medical centre, will ensure better patient service because



CHRISTMAS DANCE — A Christmas dance was held at the Williams St. armoury Saturday evening. Seen above are some of the guests present. From left to right are: Captain Guy Calce, Merchant Marine; Mrs. Calce; Mr. Romeo Bergeron, pro-mayor of Sherbrooke; Mrs. Bergeron; Mrs. Gaston Lebrun; Mr. Gaston

Lebrun, president of the Navy League; Captain Gisele Collard, commander of Corps 2721; LCDR Claude Bergamin, commander of the Frontenac Corps.

(Record photo: James Bruce)



NEW CADET CORPS — The formation of a new corps of Junior Sea Cadets was announced Saturday night at the Williams Street Armoury. The new corps which will begin operation in January will be called the Abenakis Corps. The members will be 10 and 11 years old. In the back row from left to right are: Patrick Vuillemin, commander of the Sea Cadets; Pauline Vuillemin;

Captain Gisele Collard; and LCDR Claude Bergamin, commandant of the Frontenac Cadet Corps. In the foreground are: Cadet Carlo Belcourt, the first member of the new corps, and his escort Monique Roy.

(Record photo: James Bruce)

Pelletier comments on activities

SHERBROOKE (RH) — Irene Pelletier, local MNA for the Sherbrooke riding, says that Canada made an "excellent impression" on the delegates of the World Food Conference, which he attended in Rome between November 3 and November 17.

He remarked in a newsletter recently that by adopting "a clear, precise and concrete manner" toward the problem of the starving millions of the world, Canada's opinions were well received. He added that the speech to the delegates, delivered by Pope Paul, was a powerful experience.

"The audience Pope Paul granted to the delegates at the conference, as well as the brilliant speech he delivered to us, was a turning point in our stay in the Eternal City," he stated.

Pelletier further remarked that Canada has an important role to play in the elimination of hunger, and that each citizen is under obligation to "ask himself questions" regarding his personal effort to alleviate these problems.

Also in the newsletter, Pelletier pointed out that 25 LIP projects have been granted funding in the Eastern Townships area, all passed by an advisory committee that was set up for the express purpose of helping the MNA choose appropriate projects for funding.

The bulletin mentioned the fact that an office has been in operation since July to which all requests and questions constituents may have can be directed. The office, located at 151 Ontario St., is open between 9

a.m. and 5 p.m. Monday to Friday. A secretary is on duty during those hours to assist the public. The telephone number is 565-1363.

In other news, Pelletier pointed out that he has visited six townships in the Sherbrooke federal riding between September and December of this year. These were: Ascot, Deauville, Fleurimont, Lennoxville, Rock Forest and Sherbrooke. He expressed optimism over the federal municipal rapport established as a result of meetings he held with

municipally-elected representatives there. The newsletter closed with season's greetings, in which Pelletier stated that several "important achievements" were realized over 1974 in Sherbrooke.

He expressed his appreciation for the efforts citizens have made over the past year to "improve the economic and social situation" of Sherbrooke and the Eastern Townships.

"Although we are still faced with economic difficulties," he stressed, "the situation seems to be well on the path to recovery."

World news in brief

SAYS CREWS SPY

JOHANNESBURG (Reuter) — The Sunday Times says security police are using South African Airways crew members to spy on passengers and report their political views. The newspaper quotes an unnamed girl who applied for a job as an air hostess as saying she and others were also asked to gather information on anti-South African organizations and activities abroad.

RIOTERS SENTENCED

RANGOON (Reuter) — Special military courts Sunday sentenced 28 more persons to three years in jail, bringing to 63 the number sentenced for destroying public property in riots last week. Unconfirmed reports said more than 2,000 persons were arrested after the riots following a troop raid to recover the body of former United Nations

secretary-general U Thant from a mausoleum built by students.

CHOLERA KILLS 28

NAIROBI (Reuter) — Tourists rushed for cholera vaccinations Sunday following an outbreak in which 28 persons are reported to have died in the area of Kisumu, Kenya's western city on the shores of Lake Victoria. Meanwhile, an outbreak of meningitis was reported to have taken more than 20 lives in the Machakos district, southeast of Nairobi.

JOURNALISTS RETURN

ROME (Reuter) — Italian journalists went back to work Sunday after a 48-hour strike. But the journalists, demanding higher salaries and a bigger say in the running of their papers, said they will stop work for 24 hours Wednesday and again next Sunday. Reporters are among Italy's highest-paid

employees, earning an average seven million lire (\$11,500) a year not counting fringe benefits.

GAIN EQUALITY

WASHINGTON — The United States Federal Home Loan Bank Board announced regulations Sunday banning sex discrimination in mortgage loans. Lenders making federally related loans must consider, without prejudice, the combined income of both husband and wife for the purpose of extending mortgage credit to a married couple.

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Christmas program planned at school

DERBY LINE (RH) — "Good Tidings" is the title of the Christmas program that will be presented by the students of the elementary school, Derby Line, in the All Purpose room.

The dress rehearsal will be held at 1:30 p.m. on Tuesday afternoon, December 17 and all senior citizens are invited to come and see the youngsters in action.

The evening of Wednesday, December 18, the play will be presented for everyone, parents, relatives and friends.

The school children are collecting toys for Brandon Training School in lieu of giving Christmas gifts to the teachers. In addition to the toys collected, the students government is contributing \$25 worth of new toys. Members of the student government are doing the shopping for these items.

School parties will be taking place Friday afternoon, December 20. Then the

youngsters and teachers will be on holidays until January 6.

Pays tribute to Lippmann

NEW YORK (AP) — President Ford, paying tribute to political analyst Walter Lippmann who died Saturday, said "we have lost a great American."

"As a newsman, political analyst and author, Walter Lippmann played a major role for more than half a century in the development of public dialogue and in shaping a new standard of journalism," the president said.

Lippmann, who died of a heart ailment at the age of 85, was a two-time Pulitzer Prize winner whose column Today and Tomorrow was syndicated in more than 200 newspapers.

Vice-President-designate Nelson Rockefeller said of his friend, Lippmann: "The world has lost a great human being with a lucid, broad-ranging mind, a man who through many decades profoundly influenced the thinking of leaders here and abroad."

Lippmann's secretary, Drew Dudley, said State Secretary Henry Kissinger used to call the writer about twice a week to discuss world affairs.

Dance scheduled

The annual Christmas dance sponsored by Unit 203, Army, Navy and Air Force Veterans Association (Mago) will be held at the veterans hall in Magog on Saturday, December 21st. The Black and White Orchestra will provide the music.

Collects stamps, coupons

THREE VILLAGES (RH) — Mrs. Silas Davis of Derby, noted for her community service work, collecting trading stamps and coupons, invites the general public to assist her.

In her last project she collected and sent in to collect cash on many thousands of Betty Crocker coupons. Now she no longer wants Betty Crocker coupons but she would appreciate especially Bonus Gift Pleezing and Chesterfield, LMC Cigarette coupons, Salada tea tags, and other trading stamps.

Her present project is to collect to purchase items for Derby - Holland - Morgan ambulance service manned by the Derby Line Fire Department. Mrs. Davis' address is Derby, Vt. 05829.

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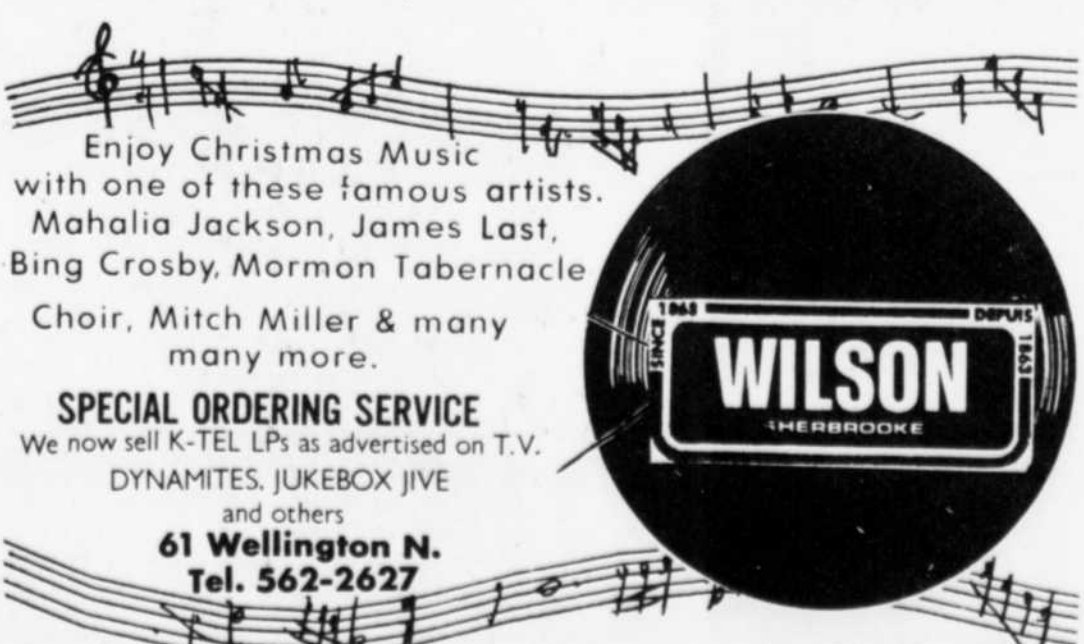
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Back to Controls?

The economic policy rejected by the Trudeau government has been formally recommended to the United States Congress by one of its most respected members. Senator Mike Mansfield, majority leader of the Senate, urges the immediate enforcement of legal controls over prices, wages, rents, profits, dividends and interest rates. He does not stop with mere advocacy but has introduced specific legislation which would empower the president to establish these controls, for the next three years. His bill is now under study in Washington and is well worth study in Ottawa also because, as he said in a notable speech, the worst days of the economic crisis, and the greatest need for policies to meet it, are still ahead of North America and the world.

In his warning to the Senate he said: "We see a situation developing which could, in my opinion, take us back to the terrible days of the depression of the 'thirties if we do not face up to our responsibilities . . . Volunteerism is not the answer. Wearing a button in one's lapel is not the answer. Cleaning one's plate is not the answer. Oil shortages alone are not the problem. A program of voluntary restraint, in effect since President Nixon's Phase Two was abandoned, is inadequate to meet the economic crisis. What is needed is a strong, fair and total program to control the spiral in this nation."

The figures of combined inflation and unemployment in the United States, as cited by Senator Mansfield, differ little from those lately reported in Canada and in both nations they are terrifying. But, so far, the two national governments insist that any plans to solve this unique problem by direct action must fail and have always failed wherever they were attempted. The ghost of Mr. Wilkins Micawber still presides at Washington and Ottawa, hoping that something will turn up.

Senator Mansfield answers the argument that controls have never worked by citing another set of figures. They show that the control measures imposed by President Nixon in August, 1971, quickly reduced the annual inflation rate until he scrapped them too soon. When these measures began, the rate was 4.5 per cent and the government regarded it as disastrous. Now it is about triple that figure, despite the repeated official assurances in Washington (and Ottawa) that, left alone, the red-hot economy would soon cool itself. Instead, its heat continues to rise and so does unemployment.

Since there is no use crying over past mistakes, or blaming the crisis on uncontrollable, worldwide forces, Senator Mansfield addresses himself to the current and future situation. "Assessing blame," he says, "does not provide a remedy. Getting our domestic house in order through a balanced program of energy conservation and economic restraint will do more to remedy the international recession than the rhetoric of countless international conferences."

That advice, though directed at his own country, applies equally to Canada where the government pleads that it is impossible to put the domestic house in order while the world economy remains disordered. All such familiar debating points aside, what chance have Senator Mansfield and his Senate colleagues of persuading the Ford government to reverse its hands-off economic policy?

At first sight the chance looks remote. The government seems more inclined to re-heat the economy, and thus perhaps slow a recession, than to damp down the inflationary fire by anything like the Mansfield program. In Canada the latest budget has started the reheating process already. But the full story has yet to be told.

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Opinion from the French-language press

Sherbrooke La Tribune: The strange alliance between the economically-troubled capitalist superpower and the equally-troubled Communist superpower has gone past the point of mere symbolism.

The confrontations of yesterday between the U.S.S.R. and the United States have given way to a co-operation between the two countries in areas where they are the only ones competing.

We hear only of the Soviet-American detente these days: the era of serious crisis which threatened world peace appears to be over.

American President Gerald Ford and Soviet leader Leonid Brezhnev recently found common ground on the subject of arms limitations in Vladivostok. Each country will be allowed to maintain peace based on equal weaponry at an annual cost of \$18 billion.

The idea of balance of power extends over into the space race.

The planned 1975 joint space mission, where American and Soviet astronauts will dock their ships together, is a concrete symbol of the new Soviet-American alliance.

Space will be conquered by the two most powerful countries in the world, and by them alone.

All this is bound to satisfy the masses and evoke admiration in view of the mutual understanding, the good will, the co-operation for peace and the new friendship of these erstwhile adversaries that everyone thought were irreconcilable . . . but at the same time we must not be so naive as to believe that this famous detente is based purely on altruistic motives.

The United States and the U.S.S.R. have developed increasingly tight and profitable economic ties.

The detente could not have taken place if it had not proved profitable for both superpowers.

What is happening between Washington and Moscow is more than peaceful coexistence.

When they discovered they could not compete against each other without blowing up the rest of the world, they decided instead to team up and compete against the rest of the world. Jean Desrosiers (Dec. 4).

Montreal Le Devoir: Health and welfare ministers from across the country met in Ottawa Nov. 19-20 . . . but because of the announcement of John Turner's budget the federal provincial conference went largely unnoticed.

An important speech recently by Claude Forget, Quebec social affairs minister, happily reminded us of this event. According to the minister, there is reason for increased optimism in the area of guaranteed minimum annual incomes in Canada.

We get the impression from listening to the minister that the arrangement between him and federal health and welfare minister Marc Lalonde is on a more interesting level than the sum total of all prior federal provincial projects in the area of social policy.

It would be very unfortunate for Canada to adopt a nationalistic stand and Mr. Trudeau is well aware of this. He has said many times that the U.S. is Canada's most important ally, and his actions have backed up his words.

Ottawa cannot snub that country but it is imperative that we do keep our distance

before our economy and our politics become totally subordinate to our neighbors to the south. . . . Oil is an important example of this.

We know that Canada exports no less than 900,000 barrels of oil to the U.S. daily and up to now the Americans were satisfied with that.

But Canada, like all the other industrialized nations of the world, is not invulnerable to oil crisis and must protect itself. We must curtail oil exports to the U.S. by a large amount.

In view of these factors, Ottawa has decided to reduce its exports to the U.S. to 800,000 barrels a day from the current 900,000 barrels daily.

These measures obviously worry the Americans and for this reason Mr. Trudeau was called to Washington to explain his government's policies.

It would be wrong for Canada to sell its oil to the U.S. at a particularly low price when it has to import oil at exorbitant prices.

Canadians do not have to sacrifice themselves to help Americans; they do have the obligation of protecting them-

selves so as not to need to go begging to other countries. — Rejean Lacombe (Dec. 6)

Quebec Le Soleil: Our provincial members of the national assembly have decided to join the cost-of-living wage increase game.

The Bonenfant report urges them to vote themselves a retroactive wage increase and cost-of-living provisions similar to those recently granted senior civil servants.

They are stuck between the public image they must present and the material necessities of life and they must undergo the humiliation in public, which is no easy task.

The committee of experts that accepted the task of determining the cost of a national assembly member knew in advance its only option was to recommend an increase because salaries have not budged in two years.

What remained to be determined, however, was how much the members should get. The report recommends a 40-per-cent increase with studies to set up procedure for automatic cost-of-living wage adjustments.

This has forced the members into a humiliating self-evaluation.

On the first question, it has already been determined that 40 per cent is too much.

On the question of automatic cost-of-living increases we should ask ourselves not about the statistics but rather about the future integrity of members on the question of salaries.

In discussing the question, we have to get down to a realistic attitude. . . . This question must be dealt with objectively, without hypocrisy and without greed. — Paul Lachance (Dec. 9)

New library
books

Recent English acquisitions at the Sherbrooke Library are as follows:

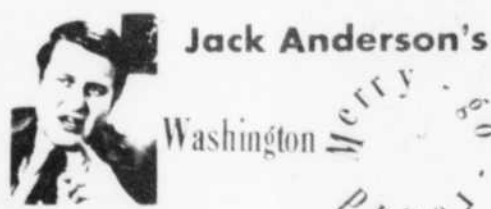
Passell, Peter. — The best; Lorayne, Harry. — The memory book; Ostrander, Sheila. — Handbook of PSI discoveries; Bach, Richard. — Jonathan Livingston Seagull; Baldwin, James. — If Beale Street could talk; Blatty, William Peter. — The exorcist; Erdman, Paul E. — The silver bears; Goudge, Elizabeth. — The joy of the snow; an autobiography; Heller, Joseph. — Something happened; the Rhinemann exchange; Lurie, Alison. — The war between the

ates; MacLean, Alistair. — Breakheart pass; Marsh, Ngaio. — Black as he's painted; Masters, John. — Thunder at sunset; Michener, James A. — Centennial; Plaidy, Jean. — The murder in the tower; Rey, Pierre. — The Greek; Robbins, Harold. — The pirate; Sinclair, Andrew. — Gog; Wallace, Irving. — The fan club; Wright, Richard B. — In the middle of a life; Miller, Merle. — Plain speaking; an oral biography of Harry S. Truman; New York Times. — The Watergate hearings, break-in and cover-up; Ryan, Cornelius. — A bridge too far.



"One lump or two?"

Future death



Jack Anderson's

Washington Merry-Go-Round

being from the inside out, or as the Swedes delicately put it, cause "internal burns (resulting in) coagulation of tissues."

Other Dr. Strangelove weapons include electric sound generators, which could whirr at high frequencies that an ear couldn't detect, and a 60-foot-high pipe organ which would boom out maddening sound against advancing troops.

"It would be almost impossible for a soldier to protect himself against the effects of infrasound," says the report. These effects, according to the study, would produce "disturbance in vision, sense of suffocation, cough, headache, dizziness, . . . nausea, disturbances of breath and digestion, (persistent) fatigue."

The sound cannons might be combined with "light flash" weapons, which would send out blinding light flashes that could "cause permanent eye injury" and worse, induce epileptic attacks. Even those with no present epileptic tendency could be affected.

Far more terrible, according to the Swedes, would be "environmental (and) geophysical warfare." Military science, through use of nuclear weapons and even high explosives, can now wrack large areas with earthquakes. If strategically set off, the earthquake could also cause flash floods and "accomplish famine to the civilians and armed forces of the enemy by destroying growing crops."

As we were the first to report, the United States actually used another form of geophysical war in Vietnam. This was "rain bombing," which turned roads into deep mud and upset the balance of nature.

Such "tampering with climatic conditions may lead," say the Swedes, to "unforeseeable . . . consequences, which may

prevail for long periods after the cessation of armed conflict." As a result, the Swedes suggest "a total ban of geophysical warfare."

The twin of "geophysical warfare," states the study, is "environmental warfare." This involves destroying forests with firebombs, fields with chemicals, rivers with poisons and villages with bulldozers.

"Environmental warfare is, by its nature, indiscriminate. . . . Longterm ecological changes may ensue, . . . changes which may be impossible to restore." This, too, say the Swedes, should be banned.

Action must be taken, conclude the Swedes, "before these systems have been procured by several states and before they become accepted as common features of warfare."

Footnote: Although some 100 countries have supported a measure in the United Nations to get the question of antipersonnel weapons before a world conference, the United States and the Soviet Union are dragging their feet.

Washington Whirl: Incredible as it sounds in this time of sugar price rises, the House Agriculture Committee plans to hold hearings on sugar without allowing consumer groups to testify. . . . So difficult was the identification of bodies in the tragic TWA crash in Virginia a few days ago that pathology sleuths were confronted in some cases with mere scraps of human tissue. To identify the tissue, examiners had to ask families about operations which change tissue structures and to send for dental and medical records. . . . Although California doesn't have 39 per cent of the nation's drug addicts, it has cornered 39 per cent of the \$21 million in new federal antidrug funds. This leaves states like New York and Illinois badly short of antidrug facilities. . . . The new 1975 budget slashes nationwide antidrug programs even deeper. One reason: the false but lingering optimism created by ex-President Nixon's premature announcement that he had "solved" the drug problem.



Don Oakley

Ethnic stew lacks
ingredient of humor

By Don Oakley

Within the space of a few days recently, two prominent Americans were guilty of making thoughtless and unnecessary comments about certain religious or ethnic groups.

First was Gen. George S. Brown, chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, who, following a speech, dropped some off-hand remarks about the allegedly excessive influence of Jews on or in the government.

Soon after him came the controversial and outspoken Earl L. Butz, secretary of agriculture, who told reporters a joke he had picked up at the World Food Conference in Rome which many people construed to be anti-Italian and anti-Catholic.

Both men were called to the White House for a first-hand inspection of the carpet in President Ford's office, and both issued formal apologies.

This was as it should be. A remark or jest that may pass unnoticed if made by a private individual is simply impermissible in a public figure. Whatever the personal opinions an official may have about any group or minority in America, such opinions must not be allowed to enter into — or even appear to enter into — the conduct of his office.

Both episodes were particularly unfortunate in that neither Brown nor Butz apparently harbors the prejudices implied by their remarks. The general, it was all but forgotten in the ensuing furor, had directed the massive airlift operation which rescued Israel in the October War of 1973. The secretary was merely repeating what he thought was a harmless joke told to him by an Italian woman in Rome.

Of the two, however, the words of General Brown about Jews were by far the least defensible. On such beliefs have pogroms — and worse — been based. The world has witnessed in this century the unspeakably ghastly results of a nation permitting anti-Semitism to become its official policy.

The terrible experience of the Nazi holocaust continues to brood upon the world's conscience and one of its legacies seems to be that racial, religious or ethnic humor which was once the stock in trade of many comedians is no longer considered to be very funny, if it is tolerated at all.

This, too, may be unfortunate. We may have become oversensitized to this kind of humor. We have become supersensitive and often see prejudice where none is intended. Humor is the leaven of life, and when people can no longer laugh at themselves or stand to have fun poked at their foibles and characteristics, they have lost something.

It makes all the difference, of course, who pokes the fun. For instance, the old Amos and Andy show, in which white actors played blacks and which brought enjoyment to a previous generation, could not be put on today.

Yet a current series in which blacks play black characters not greatly different from those of Amos and Andy is one of the most popular on television.

Therein, in fact, may lie one of the reasons for the outcry that Butz brought down on his head. It was not just what he said, or seemed to say, about Italians or Catholics but the fact that he is neither Italian nor Catholic himself.

These days, it seems that the only minority that may be maligned with impunity by those who don't belong to it are the so-called Wasps — the white, Anglo-Saxon Protestants.

If any useful lesson is to be drawn from the Brown and Butz episodes, let it be this: There is no minority in this country that need apologize for itself. There is no race or nationality that has not made significant contributions to the world's art and science and culture. There is no ethnic or religious group that is not a valued ingredient in that great mixture of peoples we call America.

(NEWSPAPER ENTERPRISE ASSN.)

Beavers take Quebec, Shawinigan on weekend

By BRUCE PORTER

(Record Reporter)

SHERBROOKE — The Sherbrooke Beavers boosted their win record to 21 wins in 27 starts over the weekend as they defeated Quebec Remparts and Shawinigan Dynamos by respective 6-3 and 12-3 margins.

The Beavers hit for two early goals against Quebec Friday night. Team captain Michel Brisebois scored his first of the evening before 5,001 fans at 2:44 from Sidney Veysey and Jere Gillis on a powerplay.

Daniel Chicoine took a Brisebois pass 17 seconds later and shot it behind Maurice Barrette for the goal.

Regis Valhies, playing his first game in 40 days, also picked up a goal in the first period. He took a Mark Green pass and drilled it precisely past Barrette.

Eddy Godin notched the lone Rempart goal in the period while the Beavers were short-handed at 15:18. The next score was also for the visitors, as Denis Turcotte beat Nick Sanza.

Brisebois hit the mark at 15:44 after receiving a Richard Mulhern pass. Robert Schmoie Simpson collected his marker with 40 seconds remaining in the middle frame on a long, lazy shot that eluded the Quebec netminder and made the score 5-2.

after two periods. Veysey and Valhies assisted on the last goal.

Francois Robert topped the Sherbrooke scoring with his tally at 11:39. Brisebois set up the goal.

Serge Lapierre brought the Remparts a little closer late in the game, but with only nine seconds left, hopes of catching up were in vain for Quebec.

The Beavers outshot the Remparts 49-34 in the game, and only one fight was registered. Sherbrooke received 19 minutes in the penalty box, while Quebec had 15.

PLOUFFE GETS SHOT
In Sunday's match (or mismatch), Shawinigan drew first blood on Jean Thibodeau's short-handed breakaway that eluded Nick Sanza low to his glove side. But the tide was soon to change.

Benoit Plouffe, the 18-year-old Junior A player brought up by the Beavers proved his stuff by potting three goals in the first period to give the Sherbrooke club a lead they wouldn't relinquish for the remainder of the game.

His first one came after he banged in a Sid Veysey rebound while goalie Yves Guillemette was down on the ice. Rick Mulhern also assisted on the 9-10 goal. Just 14 seconds later, he



BEENOIT PLOUFFE
... scores hat-trick

unleashed a backhand that caught the inside of the goalpost. Jere Gillis and Veysey aided on the play. Almost seven minutes after the second, Plouffe pushed a slow sliding puck past a fallen Guillemette following a long scramble in front of the net. Gillis and Veysey got assists on that goal also.

Bernard Harbec, another Junior A player, made his presence felt shortly after the one minute mark when he netted his first of two scores unassisted.

Simpson scored his second at 10:08, from Marsh and Floyd

Somehow, the puck managed to find its way between the goalie's pad and the goalpost and Guillemette was apparently very surprised to hear the cheers from the 4,245 spectators on the play.

Schmoie Simpson also tallied twice last night, getting his first one on a quick shot from close in through a crowd in front of the Dynamos net. Mark Green and Peter Marsh assisted him on the score.

Shawinigan's Claude Larose made his 150th career junior major goal in the last minute of the second period. His shot completely caught Sanza off guard, who didn't move on the shot at all.

BARRIAGE BEGINS
While the shots were fairly close in the first two periods, the Beavers marched back to the Dynamos' net, scoring seven times out of 29 shots on net in the third.

Andre Leduc got the first one at 7:32 on a low shot, with Veysey and Gillis assisting. Rick Mulhern was next when he let a booming slapshot go from just inside the blue line that ricocheted off the post into the net. Dan Chicoine and Robert Desormeaux made the passes on the play.

Simpson scored his second at 10:08, from Marsh and Floyd

Lahache, on a partially-screened shot from the point. Harbec got his pair next with Jacques Rodrigue and Brisebois assisting. Goalie Guillemette had the drive covered well, but it trickled between his legs and rolled over the red line.

The Dynamos came up with their last goal at 12:35 when Yvan Hamelin shoved the rubber under a falling Sanza on a two-on-one situation.

The thoughts of Shawinigan getting a bit of steam up must have bothered the Beavers, because they still hammered away at the opposition for three more goals.

Desormeaux finally put the puck away after several changes had been missed by his teammates. He came from behind the net and tucked the puck between the netminder's legs before Plouffe and Veysey assisted.

A pass from Marsh at the point in the circle provided the Beaver's 11th goal of the evening. Green let go a wrist shot that barely caught under the crossbar on the short side. Mulhern was the third Beaver to get a set of twin goals last night. He beat the Shawinigan goaltender on a low shot from the point, with Rodrigue and Harbec assisting.

Sherbrooke coach Ghislain Delage was surprised about several factors after the game.

First of all, his team scored 'seven easy goals' in less than 10 minutes in the third period. Secondly, only six minutes in penalties was handed out to each team during the course of the game, and thirdly, Shawinigan is playing worse hockey now than they were at the beginning of the season.

"We played two periods of bad hockey... we didn't pass at all," he said, "then we come on strong in the third, like we always do, and score seven goals in ten minutes."

He was almost pleasantly surprised about the lack of infractions. He stated that in earlier meetings, fights and other rough stuff prevailed, but last night, it was a completely different game.

He also felt that Shawinigan has lost some of its style since the beginning of the season, which would account for the 'easy' goals allowed. The defence did little near the end of the game that could protect their goalie from the total of 60 shots from the Beavers. Sherbrooke goaltender Sanza was tested on 32 occasions in the game, being called on only a few times to make a big save.

The Beavers continue tonight in Laval against Nationals at 8 p.m. A postponed game from November in Hull will be played there on Wednesday night and the Beavers return home for their fifth game in eight days on Friday, taking on Sorel Black Hawks at 8 p.m. at the Sports Palace.

The two weekend wins give the Beavers a three point advantage over Cornwall in the QJHL West Division. Sherbrooke has 21 wins and two ties for 44 points. Quebec's 7-0 trouncing of Trois-Rivieres last night kept them in first position in the East Division, one point ahead of Chicoutimi.

Other games played last night had Hull clobber Laval 8-3, Cornwall double Sorel 4-2 and Chicoutimi edge Montreal 9-7. The Sherbrooke Laval game is the lone scheduled game tonight.

West Division					
Sherbrooke	21	4	2	184	94 44
Cornwall	17	8	7	141	111 41
Montreal	15	9	3	173	139 33
Hull	15	12	2	152	136 32
Laval	11	18	4	156	175 26

East Division					
Quebec	15	13	1	120	114 31
Chicoutimi	14	14	2	142	179 30
Trois-Riv.	12	14	4	117	117 28
Shawigan	8	19	3	120	169 19
Sorel	7	24	2	120	190 16



CLOSING IN — A Sherbrooke Beaver closes in on Shawinigan Dynamo netminder Yves Guillemette during last night's encounter. The score wasn't enlarged on this play, but the final 12-3 margin was big enough for the local squad.

(Record photo by Bruce Porter)

Parseghian resigns head coach job at Notre Dame

SOUTH BEND, Ind. (AP) — Ara Parseghian announced his resignation Sunday as head football coach at Notre Dame and said he would take a one year vacation from coaching.

Parseghian, who took the Fighting Irish to 94 victories, 17 loss and four ties as head coach in 11 seasons, declared emotional and physical strain had become too much for himself and his family.

He will make his final appearance as head coach New Year's night when the eight ranked Irish play No. 2 Alabama in the Orange Bowl.

A friend of Parseghian's said the decision was reached after the Navy game this season, which was marred by the suspension of several players from last year's national championship team. Six players were suspended for the year before the season even started.

The 51-year-old Parseghian recommended a successor be chosen from among his 11-man staff.

"After 25 years as head coach I find myself physically exhausted and emotionally drained," Parseghian said in a statement. "This certainly was not an impulsive decision. I've been mulling this over in my mind for some time. I finally decided at mid-season that the health and welfare of my family was more important than anything else."

"I'm not resigning at this time to take any other coaching position either on a college level or in the pro ranks. I just felt that I should get away from coaching for at least one year. I just need time to rejuvenate myself emotionally and physically."

Moscow Selects defeat Sault Ste. Marie 7-3

SAULT STE. MARIE, Ont. (CP) — Moscow Selects earned their fourth Canadian victory while on a cross-country tour, defeating Sault Ste. Marie Greyhounds 7-3 Sunday.

The Greyhounds, who play in the Ontario Hockey Association Major Junior A league, stayed with the visiting Selects for two periods but faded in the final period.

Sergei Korotkov, Vladimir Repnjov, Sergei Kotov, Juri Fjodorov, Vladimir Devjatov, Mladimir Astashev and Vladimir Krikunov shared the scoring for the Selects.

Paul Woods, Greg Keating and Ed Smith scored for the Greyhounds.

The Selects held a 4-3 lead

after the first period and the two teams went scoreless in the second.

The Selects outshot the Greyhounds 45-22 and took five of eight penalties called by referee Jim Ramsay.

A crowd of 2,578 watched Moscow win their fourth game of the tour. On Tuesday and Wednesday the Selects play Nova Scotia Voyageurs of the American Hockey League in Halifax and Moncton.

Card parties

BULWER — On Nov. 30, the last of the present card parties was held at the Bulwer Community Centre with 500 being played at eleven tables.

Ladies' prizes for the evening went to Mrs. Alice Hart, Mrs. Kenneth Johnston and Mrs. Bertha Laroche.

Men's prizes were won by Aymer Pickett, Dwight Forgrave and Edward Hamer.

Mrs. George Judge won the door prize.

Hostesses for the evening were Mr. and Mrs. Terry Williams and Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Prescott, with the Grapes and Lowds serving for the Prescotts.

The card parties will be advertised when they are to resume again in the New Year.

WINDSOR — Lower Windsor Ladies Aid held a 500 card party on Saturday evening at the Langlois home, when cards were played at fourteen tables.

Prizes for high score went to Mrs. Wm. Paterson for the ladies, and to Loyola Couture for the gents. Second high was won by Mrs. C. Nixon and Elie Mercier.

Muriel McCourt and Will Dutka held low score and took home the consolation prizes. The floating prize was won by Mrs. Nina Richards.

The two door prizes were won by Mrs. R. Sloane and Mrs. H. MacKenzie.

A drawing was held on three articles: A Cornishware casserole was won by Mrs. Ceona Roy; a home-baked chocolate cake by Murdo MacDonald, and a box of gift wrap by Roy Perkins.

The card parties will continue, following the holiday season.

Refreshments were served at the close of the evening.

Death
PICARD, LEO M. — At the Hotel Dieu Hospital on Friday, Dec. 13, 1974, Leo M. Picard, beloved husband of Yvonne Veilleux and dear father of Roland, Marguerite, Marcelle, Helene, Yvon, Raymond, Normand, Francoise, Camille, Gerard, Clement, Real, Micheline, in his 71st year. Resting in the R.L. Bishop and Son Funeral Home, 76 Queen St. Lennoxville. Funeral service from the church of the Assomption, Waterville, Que., on Monday Dec. 16 at 2 p.m. Rev. Abbe Laroche officiating. Interment in Assomption Cemetery.

In Memoriam
ENAIR — In loving memory of Evelyn Truda (McCune), dear wife, mother and friend, who departed on Dec. 16, 1965.

We love you and miss you, Mom, Though you are gone away, May God bless you and keep you As we think of you each day. Loved and missed by ALFRED (husband) FAMILY & FRIENDS

MILLS, Margaret — Died December 15, 1973. I remember grandmother dear... When I was just a little tot you used to rock me on your knee and tell me all those fairy tales & bedtime stories.

all from A to Z. Raisins, chocolate bars & lollipops in my pockets I used to find. I used to think that you would empty the Candy Shop to content this little heart of mine. All my lessons, such as Latin & spelling you would oh so patiently take even in my knitting there wasn't a stitch you couldn't retake. Thank you Nanny for these and many, many memories. Your loving grandchildren CLAIRE, MARGOT BOB, DICK MILLS

Card of Thanks
MONTGOMERY — I would like to thank Dr. Quinlan, Dr. Snow and all the nurses and their staff on the third floor of the Sherbrooke Hospital for their kindness to me, the people who sent flowers, fruit and cards and visited me. Sincere thanks to Russell and Margaret who took me to their home when I got out of hospital, to the neighbors in Theford Mines and East Angus, who drove Hilda, Helen and Dorothy to visit me. To all, I thank you so much. E.L. MONTGOMERY Theford Mines, Que.

SLACK — Sincere thanks to all who sent flowers and letters of sympathy and a special thanks to Mrs. Edna Walker for singing the lovely solo, to Rev. Close who took charge of the service, to my sons who did so much that I was unable to do and also to Alice, (Mrs. Mayhew) for the kind care she gave my wife while she was there. To all my sincere thanks. A.H. SLACK

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Births
HARDEN — Bob & Lesley (nee Laird) proudly announce the birth of a son, James Robert, 8 lb. 7 1/2 oz., on Dec. 9, 1974 at the Sherbrooke Hospital. Mother and baby doing well.

SKILLEN — To Bruce and Dale (nee Wight) of Brampton, Ont., formerly of Ulverton and Windsor Mills, a son, 7 lb. 14 oz. All well and happy.

Deaths
BAIRD, Mrs. Chester (Geraldine Stock) — 540 Bowen St., Magog, passed away December 13, aged 71, leaves to mourn her husband, Mr. Chester Baird, and daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Cyr (Patricia), sister, Mary Stock, brother, George Stock, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Baird, Miss Myrtle Baird, Mr. Cedric Baird, and Mr. and Mrs. R. Spencer. Funeral Monday, Dec. 16 at 11 a.m., St. Patrick's Church, Magog, from the Robert and Marc Brien Funeral Home, 280 St. Patrick St., Magog. Interment at Magog St. Patrick's Cemetery.

CATHCART, Elsie — At the Wales Home, Richmond, Que., on Friday, Dec. 13, 1974, Elsie May Cathcart, in her 82nd year. Dear sister of Wallace, Sawyerville, Beatrice (Mrs. Wilfred Ross), Brampton, Ont., Pearl (Mrs. James Coleman), Bury, Que., Edgar, Guelph, Ont., and the late Russell Cathcart. Rested at French's Funeral Home, Sawyerville where the funeral service was held on Mon., Dec. 16 at 2 p.m. Rev. Gordon Simons officiated. Interment was in Eaton Cemetery.

DAVIS, Mary Elizabeth — At Cowansville, Que., on Thurs., December 12, 1974, Mary Elizabeth Glidden, beloved wife of the late Cedric Davis and dear mother of Ada (Mrs. E. Rimbey) of Montreal, Dorothy (Mrs. G. Scott) of Toronto, Sewell of Highgate, Centre, Vt., Brenda of Sutton Junction and of the late Ina and Wayne. Funeral service was held from the chapel of C.E. Wilson and Son Funeral Directors, Knowlton on Monday, Dec. 16.

MAURICE, Mary — At the Youville Hospital, on Friday, Dec. 13, 1974, Mary Morin, beloved wife of the late Alfred Maurice and dear mother of Blanche, (Mrs. Leo Cameron), Alma (Mrs. Roland Lacasse), Romeo, Roland, Gerard, Yvette, (Mrs. Guy Dion) Emile, Maranda (Mrs. R. Gaudette), in her 90th year. Rested in the R.L. Bishop and Son Funeral Home, 76 Queen St. Lennoxville. Funeral service was held at St. Antoine's church, Lennoxville on Monday, Dec. 16 at 11 a.m. Rev. George Gagnon officiating. Interment in St. Antoine's Cemetery.

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Rozelle's initials aren't 'PR' for nothing

By Murray Olderman

NEW YORK — (NEA) — To one of his 26 owner-bosses, he has the second most glamorous job in the United States.

"Next to the president," said Al Davis, the general managing partner of the Oakland Raiders, "who else is there? That's why all he wants to be is commissioner."

True. Alvin (Pete) Rozelle, a tall, composed, somewhat secretive man, has led the National Football League since he hid out in a toilet in a luxury Miami Beach hotel to keep the press from knowing he was a compromise choice as commissioner.

That was in 1960, and a lot of profitable things have happened to pro football since then. Also to Pete Rozelle.

He makes more than \$250,000 a year in salary and when he signed a new multiyear contract he was given a special stock deal as a bonus with a reported quarter of a million dollars put up for investment.

"One of the big things we've got in pro football," said Carroll Rosenbloom, the owner of the Los Angeles Rams, "is that our commissioner is strong. I don't want to see anything done to weaken the commissioner's office."

"He operates as a dictator," agreed Oakland's Davis. "It's got to be run that way in a business like this."

But the hired hands, the players of the NFL, don't agree.

"He has more power than the president of the United States in controlling lives and taking away rights," asserted John Mackey, a former all-pro tight end for the Baltimore Colts.

"It's a damn monopoly. They can use a player any way they want and not give him compensation, like in their highlight films."

Mackey was the president of the NFL Players Association for four years before retiring in 1973. Bill Curry, his successor and a center with the Rams, concurred: "It's not a matter of speculation. All you got to do is look at the documented records. There is only one man who is the judge, jury and the appellate court."

Pete Rozelle doesn't like to see beefs in pro football, by any party, aired publicly. "I think squabbling in public," he once said in a Playboy interview, "will eventually ruin football and there's no doubt that it's hurting us already."

The players' strike this summer, lasting almost into the regular season, cost the owners \$12 million in revenues. They claim it also has cut into their



season attendance because of fan disillusionment.

A key issue was Rozelle's role as the arbiter of noninjury grievances brought by the players. Because he is hired by the owners, the players don't see him in an impartial light. "Impartial arbitration is not a revolutionary concept," said Curry.

There is also the Rozelle Rule, which empowers him to set the price for a player who plays out his option and goes to another team — a condition which imposes servitude, claim the players.

Yet the players went back to work without eroding Pete's position. His power as the czar of pro football remains intact.

Personally, Pete has always been a low-profile man. He is not a podium spellbinder, but he has learned to speak crisply and effectively in both formal speeches and informal press huddles.

He came to New York as a

prim, conservative executive, wearing blue suits and white shirts, a boy wonder of 34 who never said the wrong thing. The 14 years have changed him. He's more casual in his dress and in his speech; his hair is a little longer; he wears Gucci shoes with brass buckles, the trademark of his hip Manhattan set. He has survived crises, both personal and professional.

His marriage broke up, and he discreetly covered up his social life until, in a move surprising even some of his oldest friends, he remarried and moved to a plush Westchester suburb (he used to live on fashionable Sutton Place).

He was severely criticized for not calling a moratorium on league play the Sunday after the late President Kennedy was assassinated. He boldly suspended Paul Hornung and Alex Karras, two all-pros, and fined several Detroit players for gambling. His job was threatened during the intense

was between the NFL and the AFL, but when they merged Rozelle rode on top.

"We've had so many crises," said Pete blandly, "we're inured to them. I just go about my job in the role I'm supposed to play, representing the players, owners and fans."

The players dispute that and, in fact, because of their pressure, he is no longer the sole arbitrator in injury grievance cases.

"Pete did a marvelous job the first ten years," said Mackey, "but pro football just might have outgrown him. The problems with the players, the ideas of strikes in recent years, should never have happened. A good administrator should have anticipated them."

"We're not trying to erode the Commissioner's power," Curry softened the argument. "He still should be responsible for judging acts which are detrimental to football."

Rozelle's intense preoccupation with the details of his office has lessened in recent years. "One of the first things I did as commissioner, till I wised up," he recalled, "was personally sign all player contracts, three copies each. I would sit up half the night then."

Rozelle now spends most of his time dealing with litigation and, in high level meetings, as the spokesman for football.

"We're looked at more than a lot of major industries," he said. "I've testified before at least 19 congressional committees. One year, 44 bills were introduced in Congress that would have affected professional football. Among the agencies that scrutinize our work are the IRS, the FTC, FCC and the NLRB."

"There are 26 teams, with many more internal problems. It requires a lot of p.r. (for public relations)," to soothe his spread-out empire.

Pete is at heart a "p.r." man — that was his start in football — and he is surrounded by similar types who constantly promote the game as the General Motors of American sports.

(NEXT: The TV Bonanza.)



(NEWSPAPER ENTERPRISE ASS'N)



STEPHANIE JEAN, is the seven-month-old daughter of Peter and Helen Palmer of Sherbrooke, the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Palmer of Rock Forest and Mr. and Mrs. Burton Drew of Magog and the great-granddaughter of Mrs. Ada Vancour of Rock Forest and Mrs. Mary Palmer of Montreal.

Women's achievements hailed on own merits

Women in the mid-1970s have come a long way towards seeing their achievements hailed on their own merits, rather than on the basis of their sex. The last year was a vintage one for many appointments in politics, commerce and other fields, and the comparative lack of feminist fanfare can be seen as a measure of the march towards equality.

In the United States midterm elections, for instance, Ella Grasso scored a success in becoming the first woman to win a state governorship in her own right in Connecticut. Denmark's Inger Nielsen rose higher than any woman yet has in the masculine hierarchy of the European Common Market with her appointment as adviser on Mediterranean affairs to Sir Christopher Soames, one of Britain's two EEC Commissioners.

Belgium, where the EEC has its nerve centre, is traditionally conservative in its attitude to the role of women, but in 1974 it started a Feminist Party which contested all major city ridings in the national elections.

21 WOMEN ELECTED

Although it failed to win any seats, its effect was seen as scaring the other parties into accepting more women candidates. Of the 318 directly-elected members of the new parliament in Brussels, 21 were women, compared with only five in the old parliament.

Another woman president was added to the world's leaders with the July 1 election in Argentina of Isabel Peron, the widow of former President Juan Peron.

In Britain, Conservative Margaret Thatcher, an incisive tax-lawyer with sharp debating skills, became the first woman in the running for a party leadership. It happened in the wake of the

Tories' election post-mortem as argument raged over who, if anyone, should replace Edward Heath as opposition leader.

Commentators see Mrs. Thatcher, 48, now a shadow finance spokesman, as a likely chancellor of the exchequer in a future Tory administration; this would be the highest cabinet post ever achieved by a woman in Britain.

WINS PEERAGE

British politics was also enlivened by the rise to the peerage of Marcia Williams, Prime Minister Wilson's personal and political secretary. The new Lady Falkender, always a controversial figure because of her access to and supposed influence with the prime minister, had been involved in allegations of real-estate speculation which seemed at one time to threaten Labor's election prospects.

In France, where women have hitherto played minor political roles, magazine editor Francoise Giroud was appointed minister for women. She has said that Frenchwomen are at a particular disadvantage in the field of birth control and abortion, and in the number of working women aged 60-65—one of the highest in Europe.

Four North American political wives caught world attention this year.

Margaret Trudeau spoke with unprecedented frankness on television about the psychiatric illness she suffered after last summer's federal election campaign. Pat Nixon maintained a superhuman composure during the tortured last hours of her husband's presidency, when Richard Nixon himself came close to a public breakdown before the TV cameras in his White House farewell speech.

UNDERWENT SURGERY
Betty Ford, the new president's wife, and Happy Rockefeller, wife of Ford's vice-presidential candidate, were both, by an eerie coincidence, operated on for breast cancer within weeks of each other. Mrs. Ford is the first wife of a U.S. president to have been divorced—a marital background she shares with Mrs. Rockefeller.

Almost unseen, one more masculine fortress in Britain fell to the new wave: the Baltic Exchange, forum of shipping brokers, breached a 300-year-old tradition to let women members trade on the floor of the exchange.

And in another segment of British society, women made direct impact on a labor dispute when the wives of striking car workers at Oxford publicly challenged the union officials fomenting the strike and harangued their husbands back to work.

Ayer's Cliff

Mrs. Flora Carter of Beebe is again in residence with Mrs. Doris Sutton for the winter months. Friends are glad to welcome her back again.

The many friends of Mr. Everett Martin are sorry to learn he is a patient in the Sherbrooke Hospital and hope his condition will improve soon.

Scotstown

Mr. Gerald Ladd of Ottawa, Ont., spent a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W.A. Ladd.

Mrs. Dewar Scott spent an afternoon visiting her brother Mr. William MacLean at the Grace Christian Home in Huntingville.

Your Scotstown Correspondent wishes all who read her news a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year and is very grateful for all who give her news items, renewals and subscriptions, and to the staff at the Record office.

Friends of Mrs. Jack MacKenzie are pleased to hear that she is improving nicely at the Sherbrooke Hospital and expects to be able to return home. John Lloyd has returned home after his stay in the Sherbrooke Hospital where he was having tests.

Mr. Ben Waldron of Montreal spent a day recently with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Waldron.

The family

Ann Landers



Rules for parents

Dear Ann Landers: As a teacher, I would like to pass along a set of rules for parents. If followed they are guaranteed to produce a spoiled brat who will later develop into a thoroughly messed-up adult.

1. If your child has trouble with a teacher, don't go to the school and talk to the teacher. Run directly to the principal, to the superintendent of schools, or to the head of the board of education. It's always best to go straight to "the top."

2. Whenever your child complains about how mean or unfair a teacher is and describes some incident of cruelty or injustice, accept every word as the gospel truth. You know YOUR child would never color or slant the facts.

3. Don't bother to write a thank-you note or offer a word of praise if a teacher does something special for your child. After all, teachers are paid by YOU, the taxpayer. That's thanks enough.

4. When your child complains that there is too much homework, agree with him and if necessary do it for him. Children need recreation and rest.

5. If your child reports that the teacher embarrassed him in front of the whole class for some little thing he did, phone the school and make it clear that you will not permit any teacher to discipline your child because he is very sensitive — "not like most children."

6. Don't bother about PTA meetings, Visiting Night, or any of the other school functions that make for better relationships

between parents and teachers. They are a bore.

We appreciate your help, Ann Landers. You are a real friend.

— Oklahoma Teacher

Dear O.T.: Thanks for a fine set of rules. I agree that if followed, they will produce a permanently damaged child and chronically miserable parents. Dear Ann Landers: I hope my letter isn't so personal that you can't reward it and use it in your column. My former problem is one that millions of women still suffer from. I hope I can help them through you.

For ten years of marriage I had a very difficult time enjoying sex. Most of the time it was a "Duty," faking satisfaction (and orgasm) so my husband's feelings wouldn't be hurt.

Several months ago I confided this to my new gynecologist (after having been told by two others that my "problem" was "95 per cent mental"). A simple surgical procedure called a "dorsal clip" was suggested. It has changed my sex life completely. Now I need no longer pretend. The enjoyment is real. I'm so happy about the change in my life that I want to shout it from the housetops but of course, I can't. But you can. Will you? — Reborn

Dear Re: Your problem was at least in part physical, since the dorsal clip obviously helped. The decision should be made by a gynecologist, however, and not be sought as the magic solution to a problem which, in most cases, is psychological.

Dear Ann Landers: This friend at work was very pleasant until I borrowed \$100 from her. I had hoped to pay it back within a month, but unexpected expenses came up and I was unable to. I'm not a deadbeat and WILL pay eventually but I'm amazed at her coolness. What do you think about this? — Disappointed

Dear Dis: I think Mark Twain was right when he said, "The holy passion of friendship is so sweet, so steady, loyal and enduring that it will last a whole lifetime — if not asked to lend money."

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Even if drinking is the "in" thing in your crowd, it needn't crowd you out. Learn the facts from Ann Landers' booklet, "Booze and You — For Teen-Agers Only." Send 35 cents in coin and a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope to Ann Landers, P.O. Box 1400, Elgin, Ill. 60120.

But lawyer Bernard Karrel, appearing for Mrs. Retzer, argued that differences in religious views cannot cause mental cruelty as alleged by the husband.

Evidence was that for 12 years the couple lived a normal family life until 1969, when Mrs. Retzer left the Lutheran Church to join the Seventh Day Adventist Church.

L. L. Decore, appearing for the husband, said the mother then asked the children to give up meat in accordance with her new religion and referred to the husband's meals as garbage and unclean.

He said the wife's "zeal and narrow-mindedness led her to call her husband "liar" and "Satan" in front of the children and say that he didn't see the light and didn't love the children."

NOT GROUNDS
But Mr. Karrel argued that what the wife did to the children was not grounds for the husband seeking a divorce on grounds of mental cruelty.

Mr. Karrel said that the husband had often said he was willing to allow his wife to "live her own life." He said it was the wife who found life so intolerable in the home that she left with the children.

A milestone called 'Decasalon'

Big D does fashion up BIG

By Hellen Hennessy
NEA Women's Editor

NEW YORK — (NEA) — Like most places in Texas, the Dallas Apparel Mart is BIG. It's one of the six buildings which make up the huge Dallas Market Center. It opened its doors 10 years ago and is now the second largest wholesale fashion market in the country.

In the celebration this fall of its 10th anniversary, entitled "Decasalon," a particularly important event was the inauguration of "The National Preview of Designer Collections" at Dallas.

The designers' names were big, too, befitting the setting — Leo Narducci, Louis Costa, Maurice Antaya, Eleanor Brenner and Ronald Kolodzie for Concept VII, Albert Nipon, Harold Standard for Chateau du Tricot, Kay Unger for St. Gillian, Les Wilk and Louis Estevez. With that cast the Spring Collections had to be beautiful.

The Apparel Mart during the past decade has developed from a regional show to number-two fashion showcase in the United States and has registered a staggering 129 per cent increase in buyer attendance. So the occasion was made for a gala.

Kim Dawson, fashion director of the giant Mart since its opening, was honored for all she had done to make "Decasalon" a success. Her award was called, "The Order of the Decasalon," an 18-karat gold link chain with a jade medallion.

Kim is unique. Her fashion office backstage in the Great Hall is one of the busiest spots in the building. Yet her background seems an unlikely one for such a career. She entered business college in Dallas. Then World War II intervened and she found herself in the office of Sen. Tom Connally in Washington.

By selling an extraordinary number of war bonds she won a trip to New York.

While here, her beauty caught the eye of Harry Conover and with his help she became a top couture model. She worked for Vincent Monsanto at Monsanto-Prizan and while there he sent her to museums saying, "I want a fresh perspective on fashion through your young eyes."



The wrapped look, a major spring trend, is interpreted by Les Wilk, a leading Texas designer. Fabric is Mogashal linen embroidered with black butterfly motif combined with solid black.

Silver Anniversary

BURY — Mr. and Mrs. Roy Dougherty were pleasantly surprised on Saturday evening, December 7, when several of their relatives unexpectedly dropped in to spend the evening, the occasion of their 25th wedding anniversary, the actual date being Monday December 9.

The evening was pleasantly spent playing cards, followed by a delicious lunch.

They were the recipients of several lovely gifts and anniversary cards including a gift and picture of her parents in Chilliwack, B.C. On the following day she had a phone call from her father in B.C.

Roy and Dora were married on December 9, 1949 at their former home in Chilliwack. They have one daughter, Miss Maureen, who is employed in Sherbrooke.

Those present on this occasion were Mrs. Winnifred Dougherty, Mrs. Marjorie Dougherty and Mrs. Mayotta Wooten of Lennoxville, aunts, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Dougherty aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Dougherty, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Dougherty, cousins, and daughter Miss Maureen of Sherbrooke.

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Pastor charged for letting women priests perform sacraments

CLEVELAND, Ohio (AP) — A lay official said recently that church charges have been filed against an Episcopal (Anglican) pastor who permitted women priests to perform the sacraments in his church.

Cleveland lawyer Sterling Newell said the charges filed with the standing committee of the Ohio Episcopal diocese accuse Rev. Peter Beebe of violation of his ordination vows and various canons of the church.

Beebe, 29, is rector of Christ Episcopal Church in Oberlin, Ohio.

Newell said the charges stem from Sunday's services at Christ Episcopal during which two women priests celebrated the Eucharist.

"There are no canons that authorize the ordination of women to the priesthood," Newell said. "This has been debated in the

highest bodies of the church, and the interpretation of general conference and the house of bishops is that it is not provided in the canons that women can be ordained as priests."

Rev. Carter Heyward, 29, of New York, and Rev. Allison Cheek, 47, of Washington, were among 11 women ordained as Episcopal priests July 29 in Philadelphia. The house of bishops later declared the ordinations invalid.

Beebe said the charges are "unfortunate for the church, and if it is carried to trial it will be even more unfortunate."

Newell, chairman of the committee on canons of the standing committee, said if the standing committee finds probable cause it can issue a presentment to the bishop, which would mean bringing the case to trial.

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Wednesday evening when cards were played at two tables. Prizes were won by Miss Dorothy Shattuck, Mrs. Helen Hayes and Mrs. Murray Labonte. Lunch was served by the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas MacLeod and family spent a few days guests of Mr. and Mrs. Murray Labonte.

Mrs. Ransome Hayes Sr. spent a few days guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ian Gregory and family in Quebec City.

Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roger Heatherington were Mr. Mevin Nadeau, Mr. Kirby Nadeau and Mr. Tim Nadeau of Hebron, Maine, and Miss Jackie Nadeau and Miss Karen Nadeau, Lennoxville.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Hall of Red Rock, Ont., and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hall of Shawville, Que., were in town to attend the funeral of their brother Mr. Allan Hall.

Mrs. Murray Labonte accompanied by Mrs. Ronald Stokes of Bury spent a few days guests of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas MacLeod and family in Milton, Vt.

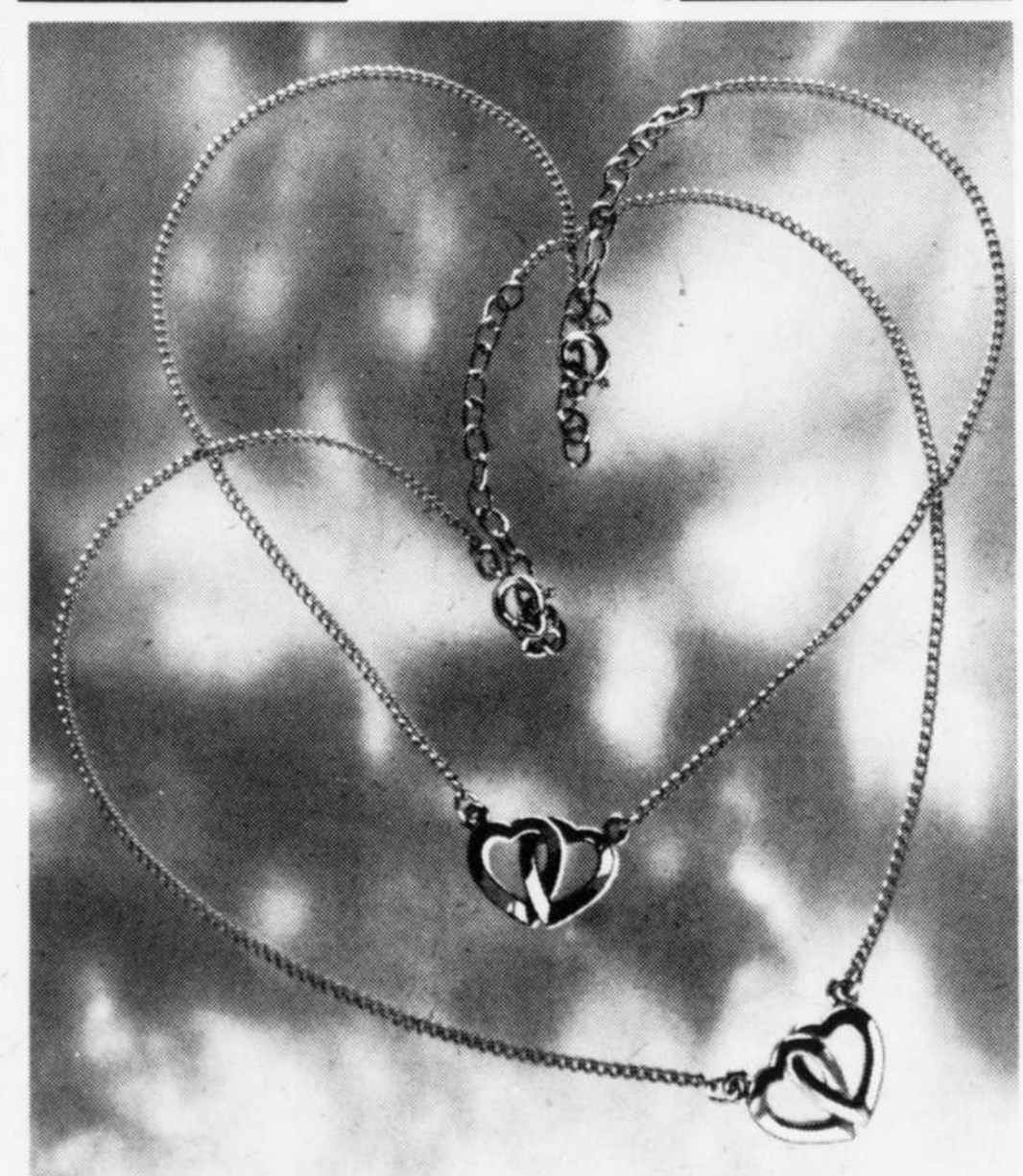
Mrs. Douglas Bell Sr., spent a few days with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Donald King in Cookshire.

Mrs. Ruby Gray spent a week in Montreal guests of Miss Nancy Haley and visited her sister in Ottawa, Ont.

Mrs. Herbert Stickles Sr., entertained the bridge club on

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Security for Royal Family poses bigger problems in '75

LONDON (CP) — Security for the Royal Family in an age of increasing violence and terrorism is likely to pose bigger problems than ever in 1975.

Britain is still generally considered safe for the Queen and her family to travel about relatively unprotected, but that comfortable belief was jolted last March when a lone gunman ambushed the limousine carrying Princess Anne and her husband Mark Phillips home from a movie premiere.

The incident happened in The Mall, the imposing processional way leading to Buckingham Palace from Trafalgar Square, and the apparent object of the attacker, Ian Ball—who was captured and sentenced to life imprisonment—was to kidnap the princess.

But he also fired a volley of shots at the car while Anne and Mark crouched on the floor and, in effect, it was the first attempted assassination of a member of the Royal Family since a man with a loaded revolver tried to fire at King Edward VIII at a 1936 parade.

EGG MISSED QUEEN

Towards the end of the year, a minor but disturbing incident happened in Leicester when a woman threw an egg at the Queen. It narrowly missed and the Queen did not bat the proverbial eyelash. But police were acutely aware that in the present state of terror bombings in Britain, the missile might well have been something more lethal.

The ambush of Anne and Mark, who had just settled into married life after a tour of Australia, New Zealand and the Pacific which took in the opening of the Commonwealth Games in Christchurch, N.Z., was the most sensational royal story for many years.

Unobtrusive security measures went into effect as a result—one of them being that royal chauffeurs now take a course in how to evade cars driven into their path with hostile intent. All involved, including Anne herself, received decorations from the Queen for their cool conduct in the attack.

Speculation continued to simmer as to the bridal choice of Prince Charles, the heir to the throne, who celebrated his 26th birthday in November. Lady Jane Wellesley, daughter of the Duke of Wellington, was still thought to be among the front-runners, despite a categorical denial from her father.

During the summer, an improbable but entertaining prospect was blonde American Laura-Jo Watkins, the daughter of a U.S. admiral. Charles had met her when his ship called at San Diego, Calif., and invited her to England for Ascot race week.

Charles plainly enjoyed teasing reporters whose papers blew the story up to front-page proportions. Countering questions one day on the polo field, he retorted: "You don't think I'd be such a bloody fool as to bring her here, do you?"

Late in the year, Charles, who still has at least two years to serve in the Royal Navy, represented the Queen at centenary celebrations in Fiji and toured several cities in Australia.

The Queen Mother and

Princess Anne both visited the Toronto area during the year. For the 74-year-old Queen Mother, it was her first trip abroad in seven years. Anne and Mark flew to Toronto the day after their first wedding anniversary for the opening of the Royal Agricultural Winter Fair.

The first half of 1975 sees a crowded schedule of overseas tours for the Queen and Prince Philip. They pay a state visit to Mexico in February, preceded by two days each in Bermuda, Barbados and the Bahamas. Prince Philip then goes on a whirlwind tour of several Central American republics.

The Queen visits the West Indies again to open the Commonwealth Heads of Government conference in Jamaica April 26, followed by a state visit to Hong Kong.



CFB TRENTON — Colonel J.C. Henry, Base Commander, Canadian Forces Base Trenton, presents the United Nations Medal to Cpl F.L. Smith. Cpl Smith is a member of Aircraft

Maintenance based at CFB Trenton. He served as part of Canada's contingent to the United Nations Peacekeeping Force in the Middle East. Cpl Smith resides in Trenton, Ontario.

Wales Home News

By MARJORIE ARMSTRONG
RICHMOND — On Dec. 2, about 25 local ladies met in the Rec. Room to perform the pleasant task of wrapping Christmas gifts for the Residents' Christmas Eve party. With such a good attendance the work was finished in short order and the ladies adjourned to Mrs. M.M. Armstrong's apt., where the semi-annual meeting of the Richmond Wales Home Auxiliary was held.

Mrs. J. Davis, president, conducted the business meeting and Miss N. Moorhead acted as secretary in the absence of Mrs. R. Butler.

After the minutes of the June meeting were read and approved, new business included the presentation of a substantial gift of money to be used at the discretion of Mrs. L. Farley-Matton and Mr. R. Butler, administrator. It was suggested that priority be given to food blenders and commercial toasters for the Infirmary as well as a portable hair dryer and Christmas records.

A committee of two, Mrs. J. Barrington and Mrs. E. Newell was formed to bring in a slate of officers for the next meeting.

It was noted that since we have no membership fees, all ladies of this area, interested in the Home and assisting in any voluntary work, whether it is serving as an officer, working in the tuck shop, or on the cart, acting as hostesses at the regular Friday teas or monthly birthday parties, or in any capacity at the Open House Reception, all are considered members and are welcomed as such.

Those attending were interested in hearing minutes read by Miss Moorhead of the 2nd meeting of this Aux. on June 13, 1972. (The minutes of the

organizational meeting were not available). Many familiar names were heard and brought back memories of the many dedicated women of this area who for the past 52 years have given of their time and talent to provide extra comforts and material things for the Residents besides serving a moral as well as financial support for the administration.

Mrs. E.C. Atkinson was the first President and Mrs. H. Hardy the first Sec.-Treas. There were 26 ladies present at that first meeting. Mrs. Hardy spent her declining years at the Home.

After the meeting, a dainty lunch was served by Mrs. Armstrong, assisted by Mrs. L. Farley, matron, Miss J. Bell, asst. matron and Miss R. Christie.

Mrs. L. Farley, R.N., Miss J. Bell, R.N., and Miss Pryce, R.N., were in Montreal where they attended a two day seminar on Geriatric at the Maisonneuve Home for the Jewish aged. They report a good attendance with interesting speakers, as well as practical discussion in the work shops.

Nineteen Residents and a few friends celebrating their birthdays in November were pleasantly entertained by the Young Women's Institute of this vicinity with Janet Banfil, Lyla Beattie, Mae Stimpson and Mary Abercrombie acting as hostesses for the party.

Several games of Bingo were played and prizes given before lunch was served.

A lovely birthday cake decorated with candles centered the table and each guest received a gift and a small cake with tiny candle to take to his room. Mr. Young, aged 94 and one of the 46 who are over 90 years old and resident in the Home, expressed his pleasure at being able to

attend the party after being confined to his room for several weeks, and on behalf of the assembled guests thanked the hostesses for the lovely party and remarked how nice it was to be remembered on a birthday regardless of how many have been celebrated.

The guests included Miss I. Blanchette, Miss E. Cathcart, Mr. E. Jeffreys, Rev. B. Murray, Miss E. Shaw, Mrs. L. Baker, Mrs. J. Beers, Miss F. Mackenzie, Mr. E. Davis, Mrs. E. Marston, Mrs. S. Butler, Mr. T. Fraser, Mrs. E. Rothney, Mrs. W. Clark, Mrs. B. Knight, Mr. N. Barlow, Mrs. M. Cameron, Mr. J. Young and Mr. L. Bartlett.

Mr. E. Lancaster of the maintenance staff and his wife met with a serious motor accident, near St-Hyacinthe when returning from a day's shopping in Montreal. Mrs. Lancaster was hospitalized for several days in St. Hyacinthe, later being transferred to the Sherbrooke Hospital, where she is in the I.C.U. for a few days. Fortunately Mr. Lancaster escaped serious injury and is now able to resume his duties here.

Mr. Geo. MacLeay was pleasantly surprised on his 89th birthday to have several of his old neighbours from Richmond, and 12 of his friends from the Home gather in the Rec. Room in his honor. A lovely lunch was served including the traditional cake as the guests were seated at the long table. It all looked very festive with the room and table featuring Christmas decorations. All wished Mr. MacLeay a very happy birthday.

Former active members of the Melbourne Group of the Chalmers' U.C.W., and now

residents of the Home, were able to be with their group at a regular meeting chaired by Mrs. E. Wentworth when they met at the Home recently. After the business had been disposed of, a dainty lunch was served and a social hour spent. We are happy that Church and other groups elect to hold an occasional meeting at the Home so that those residing here have an opportunity of joining with their former co-workers and do not feel so cut off from organizations when they retire.

Rev. W. Glover, minister of Danville United Church, assisted by Mr. R. McMorine and Mr. L. Sennevald held an evening Communion service here recently and several Residents as well as the Danville members attended. Five young ladies, Linda Murchie, Janice Horan, Terry Knowles, Sandra Frost and Jennifer Leet led in the Hymn singing and presented a special number accompanied by Terry on the guitar. This group expects to make a return visit nearer Christmas and all look forward to that occasion.

The December birthday party for the Residents held on Dec. 4 was a great success and much enjoyed by all the guests. Games were played and prizes given. After lunch had been served individual cakes and gifts were given to each guest. The hostesses were Mrs. K. Patrick, Mrs. B. Hayward, Mrs. R. Blanchette, Mrs. L. Bernard and Mrs. C. Lloyd, all members of the Olive Branch of the Rebekah Lodge.

Guests were: Mrs. H. Owens, Miss M. Davis, Miss A. Duncan, Mrs. E. Stinson, Miss A. Truax, Mrs. V. McMorine, Miss G. Thompson, Miss M. Manning, Mrs. M. Singleton, Mr. G. MacLeay, Mr. A. Lockwood, Mrs. D. Coddington, Mr. P. Schoolcraft, Mrs. E. Magoon, Mrs. R. Taylor, Mr. J. McHarg, Mrs. M. Wheeler, Mr. H. Knight, Mrs. H. Bullock, Mrs. H. Knight, Mrs. E. Tribble, Miss M. Nixon and Mr. A. McMorine.

Mr. A. Lockwood thanked the hostesses on behalf of everyone present.

WI meeting

ABBOTSFORD — The Abbotsford Branch of QWI held their Christmas meeting at the home of Mrs. H. Marshall.

Eighteen members attended and brought many gifts to be given to needy children at Christmas time, shut-ins are also to be remembered.

Health-Welfare convener, Mrs. Rowell, purchased these gifts. Mrs. Fisk read a story on the legend of the poinsettia. Mrs. L. Crossfield read a delightful Christmas Story at end of

meeting followed by a contest on words, Mrs. Edwards being the prize-winner.

Several Christmas carols were sung as is the custom every December in this Branch, with Mrs. W. Edwards at the piano. Tea-money \$4.25 and Pennies for Friendship also collected.

Mrs. Rayson adjourned the meeting and closed with the Christmas message from Prov. Pres., Mrs. G. Westover. Dainty refreshments were then served.



Dr. Lamb

The doc's no effete Easterner

By Lawrence E. Lamb, M.D.

DEAR DR. LAMB—As a native Hoosier born in 1912 I deeply resent your remarks about Adelle Davis. I was very much alive at the time she received her bachelor degree in 1927. Farm kids in Indiana did not walk two miles to one-room school houses.

Nobody—no, nobody—is as narrow-minded, provincial and just plain ignorant about the U.S.A. outside the limits of their own cement jungle as New Yorkers. You included!

DEAR READER—Feel better? You won't when you find out I was neither born nor raised in New York. I have only guessed there on business. Guess what—I was born and raised on a Kansas farm and walked from one to two miles to a one-room school until 1939 at the beginning of World War II. I can't speak for what you had in your community, but I can assure you that in the '30s many farm kids walked to school and ate from the lunch pail. Now, you don't suppose that other farm communities in the country might have been different from your experience, do you?

No, I'll stick to my statement. The nutrition problems in the country have changed drastically since before World War II. That has a lot to do with the change in the incidence of heart and vascular disease. The same can be said for physical activity as part of the life style. We eat more and richer foods and exercise less as a society, and it begins each day with the kids riding to school.

DEAR DR. LAMB—I have had diverticulitis and have suf-

fered for years. It got so I suffered from one spell after the other. I was to have an operation for it. Then I got the piece you had in the paper and went on the bulk diet and haven't had a pain since. It's been more than a month now. I feel like a new person, and I want to thank you for the wonderful help you have given me.

Will you please answer these questions for me? Can I eat tomatoes with seeds, corn and nuts? I have been on a bland diet for years.

DEAR READER—I'm delighted to hear that you have done so well. Many patients with diverticulosis improve markedly when they get their bowel problems licked and that usually requires increasing the bulk in the diet. Sometimes a complete bowel training program is also necessary. Those who want more information on using bulk in the diet and bowel training for this condition can write to me at P.O. Box 1551, Radio City Station, New York, N.Y. 10019 and ask for the booklet on diverticulosis. Send 50 cents to cover costs.

After years of a bland diet you sometimes have to feel your way along on what you can eat. I should think you could use tomatoes all right. The corn should also be no problem. If you had experienced bleeding from your diverticula, I might suggest a little more caution. The nuts are a little more difficult for some people, but try a few and find out. Meanwhile, keep up your diet with plenty of bulk for good bowel function.

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QFA holds meeting

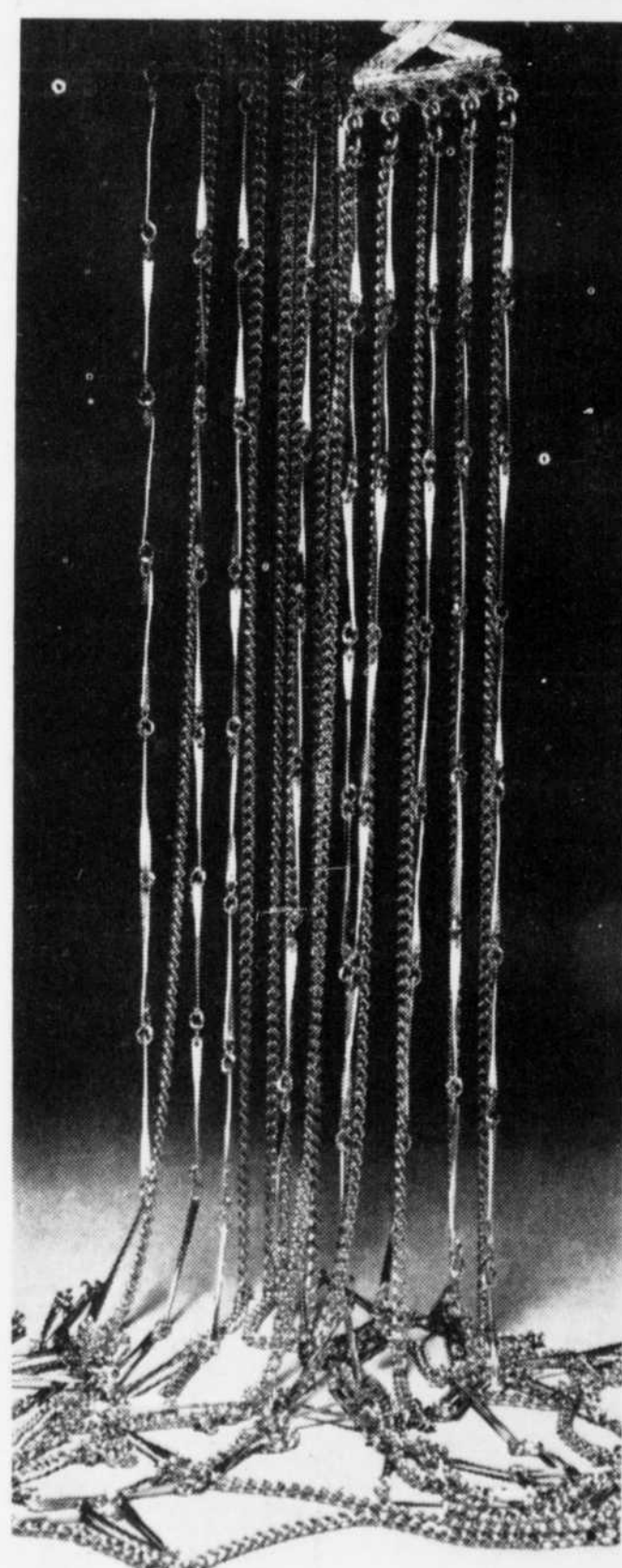
KINGSBURY — At the last meeting of the Kingsbury Quebec Farmers Association the following slate of officers were presented.

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Secretary — Mr. Ernie Wilkins
Treasurer — Mrs. Judy Johnston

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Around the Townships

BIRCHTON

J.A. Murray

Mr. R. Brown visited his daughter, Mrs. Matteau and Dr. Matteau in St. Bruno.

Miss Debbie Taylor of Ottawa, Ont., spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Neil Taylor, Donna and Dean.

Several from this area enjoyed the evening of the Gathering of the Clans in the Sherbrooke Armory.

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Turchyn spent a Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Turchyn in Montreal and welcomed a new niece of Nicks, most of his families have nephews.

Miss Debra Todd of Toronto, Ont. spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. W. Oliver Todd.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Allen spent a recent weekend with relatives Down Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Murdo Edward Morrison of Dell were recent callers at the Halsall home.

Mrs. F. Ball of Bury spent an afternoon with the Murrays.

Friends of Mrs. Donald MacLennan of Sherbrooke are pleased to know that she has recovered sufficiently from her hospital stay to accompany Donald to see his sister, Mrs. Murdo MacKinnon and the Logans.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Richards and Carol were overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. Jenne in Lennoxville.

Mrs. Henry has returned from a few days observation and treatment in the Sherbrooke Hospital.

BULWER

Friends of Mr. Leamon Low are sorry to hear that he had the misfortune to fall and crack three ribs. He then developed pneumonia and is now recovering in the Sherbrooke Hospital. All wish him a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Alberta Cutler and daughter Chris of Lennoxville and Mr. Lloyd Johnston of Cookshire were Sunday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Johnston.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Prescott and Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Picken and daughter Brenda Lee attended the Gathering of the Clan in Sherbrooke. Brenda Lee took part in the Scottish dances.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Herring were Wednesday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Herring and boys.

Miss Kathleen Richardson, Willowdale, Ont., was a weekend guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Smith.

Mrs. and Mrs. Kenneth Johnston were recent dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harley Laroche in Sawyerville.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Herring, John and David were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Frank in Kingsbury, when they took Mr. Frank home from the Sherbrooke Hospital, where he had been a surgical patient.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Grapes and Miss Melvina Buckle spent the weekend in Ormstown as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roger D'Aoust.

KNOWLTON
The community has suffered a series of tragedies, which always seems to be so much worse at this time of the year. During the last few days we have lost by death Mr. Donald H. Taylor and Mike Gilmore, both of Foster, Mr. Bruce McClay and Mr. Harry Parkes of Knowlton. Masonic Services were held for the late Bruce McClay and Harry Parkes. Deepest sympathy is extended to the families concerned.

Mrs. Stephen Morson is a patient in the B.M.P. Hospital, having undergone surgery on December 10; she is under the care of Dr. Duprat and Dr. Donoghue.

The Rev. David Stanway and Mr. George Donald were in Montreal at Fulford Hall for the purpose of the election of the new Anglican Bishop of Montreal. The Rev. Reginald Hollis was elected after eight hours and nineteen

nominations.
The Knowlton Post Office, along with all other Post Offices, will be closed on December 25, 26 and January 1st, 1975.

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Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Beaton and Mrs. Alec Beaton were Messrs Dave and Gordon Taylor of Lachine and W. MacCaskill and daughter Laurie Anne of Scotstown accompanied by Mrs. Larry Goodin and daughter Teresa of Ottawa.

Mrs. J. O'Brien has returned to her home after spending a few days in Watertown, Mass., visiting her daughter Mrs. Mike Turnbull and Mr. Turnbull.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Wintle and family of Ayer's Cliff were visiting at the home of Mr. Wintle's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Wintle.

Visiting at the MacKay home on North Hill were Mr. and Mrs. George MacKay and Mr. Byron Beaton of Bury.

Mr. Bruce Matheson of Sherbrooke spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Beaton.

BEEBE

Mrs. Charles Aulis
Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Tweedie of Port Carling, Ont., were guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Colt. Mr. Robert Colt of St. Hubert was also a guest of his parents.

Mrs. Madge Miller has returned after spending some time with relatives in Newport, Vt.



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WI meetings

MELBOURNE — The December meeting of the Gore Branch WI was held on Saturday Dec. 7 at the home of Mrs. Reta Hughes.

The livingroom where the meeting was held, was tastefully decorated in accordance with the Christmas season. A gaily trimmed tree stood in one corner of the room and around it were placed gifts and candy for the children of members as well as two boxes which were filled with brightly wrapped gifts of toys, clothing and candy to be sent to Mountain Cottage Children's Home in Montreal and Dixville Home for Retarded children.

The president, Mrs. Dale Hughes, was in the chair for a short business meeting. The roll call was answered by 15 members bringing in a package of candy for the Christmas party. One guest was present.

Minutes of last meeting were read and approved and the treasurer's report adopted.

Mrs. Muriel Griffith reported that the new order of Quik-Kutters had arrived and that these, like all other things, have been affected by inflation and will now be sold at a new price of \$1.25. Twenty-six dollars was handed to the treasurer from the sales of these cutters.

Correspondence consisted of a letter of thanks for a donation made to the Sherbrooke Hospital by our branch.

Presentation of the County Trophy was made to Mrs. Neil Mountain by County Agriculture convener Julia Griffith for placing first in the knitted socks contest at Richmond Fair in July.

Instructions from the Butters Home re the making of diapers, one of our annual projects, was read. These articles are now required to be of three thicknesses of flannelette 36" x 27" sewed around the edges and diagonally from corner to corner.

Mrs. Merlyn Griffith brought in fifteen finished shirts for the Cancer Society.

The special gifts from the Branch for three children at the Dixville Home had been purchased by Muriel and Jessie Griffith and were displayed before being packed in the box with other gifts for the Home.

The programme committee passed around a draft of next year's programme to be viewed by each member. It was accepted with some minor changes.

The next meeting will be on January 4 with Mrs. Muriel Griffith.

The mystery parcel donated by Julia Griffith was won by Audrey Millar.

The meeting was then adjourned and, for the young folk present the real business of the afternoon began. Mrs. Rodney Duffy was asked to distribute the children's gifts and when they had been opened the exchange of gifts among the members took place.

Refreshments were served by ladies named on the last half of the membership roll, bringing to a close a very pleasant afternoon.

SPOONER POND — The December meeting of Spooner Pond branch of the Q.W.I. met on Dec. 5 at the home of Mrs. Gerald Fortier, with Mrs. A. Mallette and Mrs. D. Oakley assisting hostesses.

The meeting was opened in the usual way by the President, Mrs. Orvis Taylor. Roll call: Give half your weight in pennies for the Sunshine Fund — was answered by 15 members.

Mrs. R. Hughes reported that the gifts which had been brought in at the November meeting had been sent to the Douglas Hospital.

The new program was read by Mrs. Hughes and accepted. It will be read again at the January meeting.

The treasurer, Mrs. D. Biggs, gave her report and bills were paid.

Reports of standing committees were read.

Agriculture, read articles of Beefalo meat, which is obtained by crossing beef cattle with buffalo. This meat is reported to be very good.

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ASTRO-GUIDE

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Tuesday, December 17

The Day Under Your Sign

- ARIES** (Born March 21 to April 19): You complain of roadblocks, but you may unconsciously set them up for yourself. Think about it.
- TAURUS** (April 20 to May 20): Let your imagination wander freely. Creativity accented and new ideas tumble out.
- GEMINI** (May 21 to June 21): People are in a holiday mood as the time draws near, but you are somewhat frantic.
- CANCER** (June 22 to July 21): Don't satisfy your own desires without consideration for wishes of others involved.
- LEO** (July 22 to Aug. 21): Makeshift travel plans should not be relied upon at this time of year. Make reservations.
- VIRGO** (Aug. 22 to Sept. 22): Distractions plague you, slowing your productivity considerably, particularly in a.
- LIBRA** (Oct. 23 to Nov. 22): Question may be clarified at least. Now your problem is to make a decision, which you find hard to do.
- SCORPIO** (Nov. 23 to Dec. 21): Begin at the initial event and trace subsequent happenings to present situation to solve puzzle.
- SAGITTARIUS** (Dec. 22 to Jan. 20): Last-minute purchases may not be just what you want, but you pay a price for procrastination.
- CAPRICORN** (Jan. 21 to Feb. 19): Irresponsible person may try to take credit for your accomplishments. Don't sit still for it.
- AQUARIUS** (Feb. 20 to March 20): Keep your ideals on a high level despite temptation. Morale improves under current configurations.
- PISCES** (March 21 to April 19): Take your medicine instead of trying to shift the blame. Be ready to face yourself in the mirror.

Crossword

People/Places

Answer to Previous Puzzle

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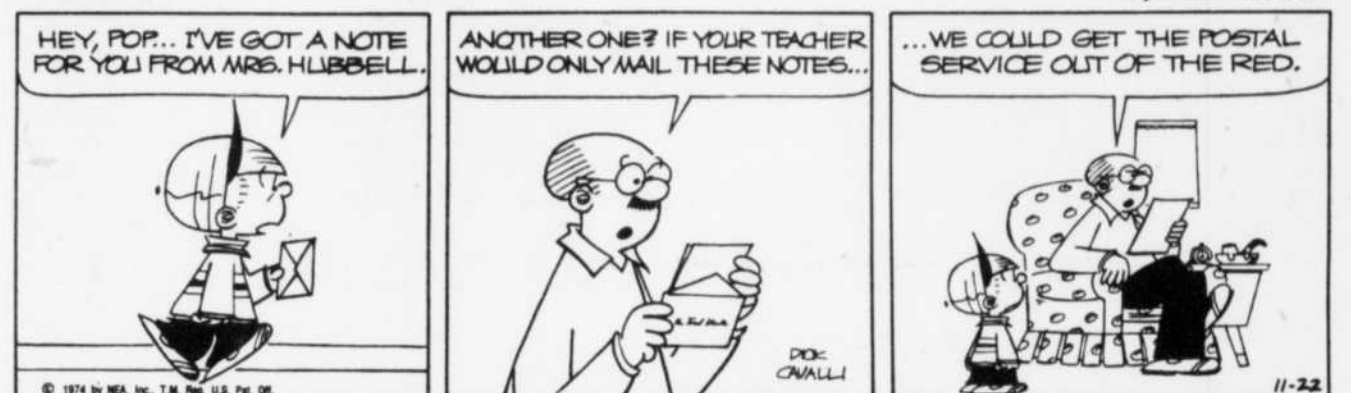
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HUSTLE FOR IT — Everyone seems to be chasing the puck after this scoring attempt by the Bishop's Gaiters failed Friday night against Trent University. Mike Whitworth (14)

LENNOXVILLE (BP) — The Bishop's University Gaiters got back on the winning trail on the weekend, even if it was just exhibition.

Saturday afternoon, the local squad defeated Trent University by a 5-3 count, after tying them the night before 3-3.

The win is the second for the Gaiters this year, and the other one was also in exhibition play. The BU team tied RMC earlier this season, in pre-league action.

Jim Moysiey put the Gaiters back within one at the end of the first period Friday, after Trent's Glen Ferguson and Michel Poirier scored at 11:58 and 13:31.

and Warren MacDougald (10) head back out after the black object while Trent defenders also take flight.
(Record photo by Bruce Porter)

Gaiters tie, defeat Trent U

Rick Kemp gave the Nationals a two goal lead in the second frame near the midpoint.

Kim Ellis replaced Stan Pepin in nets between the second and third periods and shutout the Ontario team in the final period. Stan had a fairly bad outing, but the defence wasn't stopping the opposition like they could have.

Cam Farquharson and Yvon Emond gave the Gaiters the equalizing markers in the third period.

Saturday, Ellis started the game and went the distance, facing 31 shots. The Bishop's contingent went ahead in the first frame and were never behind in the contest.

Brian Roy made the opening score at 5:10 assisted by Warren Miller and Warren MacDougald. Trent's Bill O'Connor tied it up before the period ended.

Phil Hermitte and Farquharson added more points for Bishop's in the second, while Rick Kemp tallied for the Nationals.

Don MacGregor scored the last Trent goal early in the third, but Farquharson and Dave Dussault finally came to the rescue and salvaged the match. Dussault's goal happened with 19 seconds left when the Trent goalie had been pulled for an extra attacker while Bishop's was short-handed.

Both games saw many penalties doled out by the referees. Thirty-three minor infractions were called, while each game had a fight.

The Gaiters take a break now for Christmas and coach Jimmy Moore hopes the rest can set things back into perspective when the new year rolls around. The team is still winless, 0-7, in QAAA league action this season.

Boundary events set

BOUNDARY (IH) — Mid-winter will be another exciting one at the Boundary with the fifth annual Snowmobile Races on February 9, sponsored by the Beebe Fire Department and on February 1 and 2 the sixth annual International Sled Dog Derby, sponsored by the Boundary Rotary Club will take place.

The Beebe Fire Department is busy planning the 1975 racing event to top any of the past. Admission buttons are now on sale, at half price. So it is wise to get the buttons now. Many are giving them as stocking stuffers for Christmas.

The boys hope to have some of the best racers participating and that evening, after the races, trophies and awards will be presented at Salon Bavaorois in Beebe.

For a time it looked as if the Sled Dog races could not be held due to the present non-existence of the Laurentians Club this year. R.C. Gilbert, a former resident of Beebe, and Fred Robertson, of Rock Island, both former members of the Laurentian Club, have volunteered to head up the two-day event for the two days.

Scoring only their third win of the season, the Capitals had their biggest home crowd of the year—11,526.

A goal by Greg Polis late in the third period at New York gave Rangers the tie with Los Angeles.

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Mariners their third win in four games against Houston. The win pulled San Diego to within nine points of the leading Aeros in the West Division.

Sabres and Canucks hit sudden stoppers

Buffalo Sabres and Vancouver Canucks, two of the top three teams on points going into weekend National Hockey League action, have suddenly hit the skids.

Buffalo, tops in the league with 47 points, lost 4-2 Saturday to Minnesota North Stars and then had to come from behind to tie 5-5 Sunday with California Seals who have won only six of 32 games.

Vancouver, third in the league with 43 points, managed only a 2-2 tie against the expansion Kansas City Scouts Saturday and then lost 4-2 to Chicago Black Hawks Sunday. The Hawks, 6-3 losers to Pittsburgh Penguins Saturday, still are 14 points back of leading Vancouver in the Smythe Division.

In other games Sunday, Boston Bruins beat New York Islanders 5-2, Philadelphia Flyers defeated St. Louis Blues 7-2, Washington Capitals dumped Toronto Maple Leafs 3-1, Pittsburgh edged Detroit Red Wings 3-2, and New York Rangers tied Los Angeles Kings 3-3.

In other action Saturday, St. Louis beat the Rangers 6-2, the Islanders blanked Los Angeles 3-0, Toronto beat Atlanta Flames 4-2, Montreal defeated California 5-3, and Boston whipped Washington 12-1.

California was led by Al MacAdam's two goals. The Sabres, frustrated by goalie Gary Simmons, gained the tie on Rene Robert's 22nd goal of the season. The Sabres outshot California 46-17.

Chicago outshot Vancouver 45-34 in a fight-filled game.

Toros finally break puzzling win-loss pattern

Toronto Toros appear to have finally broken out of their puzzling win-loss pattern set in the early part of the World Hockey Association season.

The Toros started the season with a string of wins at home

but couldn't win on the road. Then, they started losing at home and winning on the road.

Sunday, the Toros continued their winning ways on the road with a 7-2 victory over Michigan Stags at Detroit after having ended their six-game losing streak at home last Friday.

The win pulled the Toros back into a five-point lead in the Canadian Division over second-place Quebec Nordiques who dropped a 6-4 loss to Minnesota Fighting Saints.

In other games Sunday, Edmonton Oilers beat Indianapolis Racers 3-1, San Diego Mariners defeated Houston Aeros 4-3, New England Whalers edged Winnipeg Jets 4-3 and Vancouver Blazers defeated Cleveland Crusaders 2-1.

Saturday, New England whipped Quebec 9-4, Chicago Cougars blanked Michigan 6-0, Houston defeated Winnipeg 5-3, Phoenix Roadrunners edged Minnesota Fighting Saints 4-3 and San Diego shut out Indianapolis 2-0.

Tom Simpson scored three goals to lead the Toros who outshot the Stags 43-27.

Simpson, pushing his season goal total to 24, got assists on all three goals from Wayne Dillon who also scored once.

Paul Terbenche, moved from defence to left wing, scored his first goal of the season to break a 1-1 tie in the second period, lifting the Blazers over Cleveland at Vancouver.

Two goals by Miek Byers in the second period to lead New England against the Jets at Winnipeg.

Ken Baird's goal at 18:16 of the second period broke a 1-1 tie and the Oilers hung on for the victory over the Racers at Indianapolis. Bruce MacGregor added the final goal into an empty net.

Goals by Fran Huck, George Morrison, Mike Antonovich and Wayne Connelly gave Minnesota a 4-0 lead late in the first period and the Saints stayed even with the Nordiques the rest of the way.

Quebec's Serge Bernier

scored twice late in the third period.

At Houston, a goal by Andre Lacroix late in the third period, broke a 3-3 tie and gave the

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Sports

Briefs

TEAMS SUSPENDED
MUNICH, West Germany (AP) — The Soviet Basketball Federation was fined \$3,200 and Russian teams suspended two years from European Cup play withdrawing two entries from the 1974 European club championships. The International Basketball Federation announced the penalty after the Soviet federation withdrew Stroitel Kiev and Dynamo Moscow from quarter-final play.EVERT IS QUEEN
NEW YORK (AP) — Nineteen-year-old Chris Evert of Fort Lauderdale, Fla., has replaced Billie Jean King as the queen of United States tennis. Miss Evert was ranked No. 1 among women players by the U.S. Lawn Tennis Association. Billie Jean, 31, led the rankings for the last four years and seven times since 1965.Roy Transport Enr.
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The standings

NHL

W L T F A Pts

Patrick Division

Phila.	20	6	4	116	66	44
Rangers	12	9	8	112	94	32
Islanders	12	10	8	99	83	32
Atlanta	13	14	5	86	94	31

Smythe Division

Vancouver	19	8	5	121	89	43
Chicago	13	13	3	102	80	29
St. Louis	12	13	5	101	106	29
Minnesota	10	17	4	85	123	24
Kansas City	5	21	3	71	128	13

Norris Division

Montreal	16	6	10	136	97	42
Los Angeles	15	4	10	88	56	40
Pittsburgh	11	13	5	115	106	27
Detroit	9	16	3	81	114	21
Washington	3	24	4	72	169	10

Adams Division

Buffalo	21	6	5	150	104	47
Boston	17	7	6	141	87	40
Toronto	8	15	6	94	114	22
California	6	20	6	78	138	18

Results Sunday

Los Angeles 3 New York Rangers 3
Boston 5 New York Islanders 2

Philadelphia 7 St. Louis 2
Washington 3 Detroit 1
Pittsburgh 3 Detroit 2
Chicago 4 Vancouver 2
Buffalo 5 California 5

NHL Top Ten

	G	A	Pts.
Orr, Bos	20	36	56
Esposito, Bos	25	29	54
Perreault, Buf	21	30	51
Robert, Buf	22	23	45
Lafleur, Mil	21	24	45
Martin, Buf	21	23	44
Clarke, Pha	10	33	43
Dionne, Det	15	26	41
Mahovlich, Mil	13	28	41
Unger, SL	16	20	36
Bucyk, Bos	12	24	36
Schock, Pgh	12	24	36

WHA

W L T F A Pts

Canadian Division

Toronto	18	11	1	139	113	37
Quebec	16	11	0	113	99	32
Winnipeg	14	11	1	109	79	29
Edmonton	13	8	0	81	63	26
Vancouver	11	13	1	77	85	23

Eastern Division

New England	19	8	0	110	88	38
Cleveland	10	11	1	67	71	21
Chicago	10	15	0	87	96	20
Indianapolis	5	24	0	63	132	10

Western Division

Houston	19	10	0	131	87	38
San Diego	14	12	1	84	90	29
Phoenix	12	12	2	89	92	26
Minnesota	11	15	0	104	107	22
Michigan	8	19	1	74	125	17

Results Sunday

Edmonton 3 Indianapolis 1
Minnesota 4 Quebec 4
San Diego 4 Houston 3
New England 4 Winnipeg 3
Toronto 7 Michigan 2
Vancouver 2 Cleveland 1

Catfish Hunter given
free agent status

NEW YORK (AP) — The American League's top pitcher, Jim (Catfish) Hunter, was expected to become a free agent today in an historic arbitration ruling.

The formal announcement was scheduled to be made in New York today, but unnamed sources revealed the arbitrator's decision Sunday.

Hunter's attorney during the arbitration hearing, Jerry Kapstein, said Sunday that neither he nor Hunter knew of the decision, although both have felt all along that they would win.

Arbitrator Peter Seitz refused to confirm the reports, but said the decision could be expected today. It was learned his signed decision had been forwarded to the Major League Baseball Players Association as well as to commissioner Bonie Kuhn's office.

Earlier Sunday, a Western, R.I., radio station, WERI, said that Hunter's lawyer told them

Hunter probably would sign with either New York Yankees or Boston Red Sox.

Hunter, the 1974 AL Cy Young winner who pitched Oakland A's to three consecutive World Series championships, sought to become a free agent because the A's failed to live up to the terms of his existing contract.

As a free agent, the right-handed pitcher, is free to offer his services to any of the 24 major league clubs, including the A's.

The 28-year-old pitcher signed a two-year \$200,000 contract with the A's last season. He was to get \$50,000 a year in salary and \$50,000 a year was to be paid to some deferment plan of Hunter's choosing.

The salary part was paid routinely, but the deferred payments were not made. Hunter said the deferred payment was to be made to a North Carolina insurance company for investment purposes.

Woods makes 100 yards
plus for seventh time

SAN DIEGO (AP) — Rookie running back Don Woods gained more than 100 yards rushing for the seventh time this season, leading San Diego Chargers to a 17-0 victory Sunday over Denver Broncos in a National Football League game.

Otis Armstrong of the Broncos picked up 142 yards on 18 carries for a total of 1,407 yards this season.

Woods, who broke John Brockington's first-year rushing

mark of 1,105 yards, had 105 yards in 24 carries and finished the season with 1,162, which also broke the Chargers' team record of 1,121 yards set by Paul Lowe in 1965.

San Diego finished the season with a 5-9 record, while the loss dropped Denver to 7-6-1.

Woods got San Diego's first touchdown on a six-yard run up the middle with 6:23 left in the first quarter to complete a 10-play 80-yard drive.