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Reminiscing

Speaker Says Montreal's History Is In Its Houses

The old, scenic and historic residences of Montreal were the subject of Edgar Andrew Collard's talk to the Rotary Club of Westmount on Wednesday at Victoria Hall. The reason that Victorian-age buildings now grace downtown Montreal is that the city grew much more quickly than anyone anticipated, he said.

Pointing out the location of some of these residences, Mr. Collard also had an interesting tale to go with each one.

One of the more distinguished gentlemen to live in the Prince of Wales Terrace near McTavish avenue was Sir William MacDonald, founder of the MacDonald Tobacco Company. It was here that a ball

was in progress when word was received that the Fenians were crossing into Canada. There were many army officers present and just as in the Battle of Waterloo, the ball was broken up by the call to duty.

Another famous home is that of the late Sir William Hingston, near the corner of Mansfield avenue and Sherbrooke street. Famous as a doctor, this former resident was known to be able to amputate a leg in two minutes without the aid of an anaesthetic which he called a "modern contrivance". However, his devotion to his patients was so great that he received them until one hour before his death. Mr. Collard stated.

The building now occupied by a restaurant on the corner of Drummond and St. Catherine has a row of shamrocks under each window sill. This was the house bought for and presented to the Hon. D'Arcy McGee. It is said that McGee's assassin called there only to find that he was in Ottawa. So off he went and discharged his pistol into McGee's head at such close range that powder burns were found in the Irishman's hair.

Little known is the fact that Jefferson Davis, formerly president of the Confederate States, lived in self-imposed exile in a house on Mountain street, just below the present Legion Memorial Building. Tried as a war criminal when the Confederates lost the war, Davis fled to Montreal, once released on parole. He resided

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Summer Playtown Supervisors Start Season's Program

The Westmount Park Recreation system has now opened up pre-season programs in the various playgrounds in the city. At Westmount Park, Mrs. Ann Johnson will be looking after the needs of the girls and younger fry. Mrs. Johnson, a graduate of McGill, is a veteran in the field of athletic endeavour.

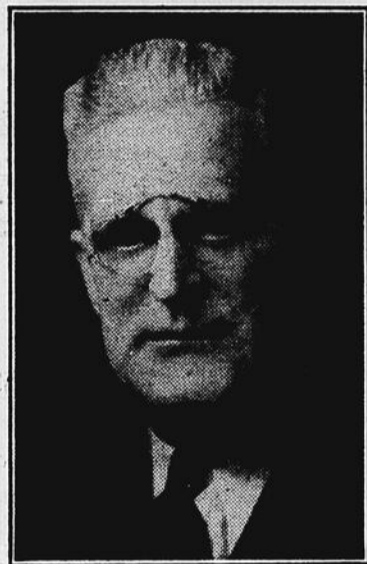
Mrs. Sheila Wakeley, who has been working with the Unity Club girls for the Rotary set-up in Westmount, is well-known for her work here and is taking over duties at Staynor and Clondeboye Playgrounds, looking after the girls and younger children.

Jim Johnson will also be at Staynor as a summer supervisor and this area should see an active program in full swing.

Miss Kathleen Neale will be at Prince Albert and with her knowledge of arts and crafts should carry out a full and varied program well.

A great deal of planning, purchasing and organizing has been done to make this a great year for recreation in Westmount, and the permanent supervisors, Cliff Thompson,

IMPROVEMENTS VOTED



ALDERMAN R. H. DEAN

Playtown Elections Now Set For June 10

The election and installation of playground mayors and police and fire chiefs will be the feature of a program to be held in Westmount Park on June 10th at 8 p.m.

All elected officers will take office in a ceremony conducted by His Worship, Mayor James S. Cameron and Alderman Real Panet-Raymond, Commissioner of Parks, who will hand over the keys of the city.

Both the Police and Fire Departments and the general motoring public came in for benefits at the meeting of the Westmount City Council this week. Alderman R. H. Dean, Commissioner of Police and Fire, brought forward a list of recommendations for replacing old and buying new equipment.

The council approved the purchase of a tape-recorder for the police and four automatic sirens for police vehicles, and an overhead automatic door for Number 2 Fire Station.

The removal of existing traffic lights at the corner of Lansdowne avenue and Sherbrooke street was also approved. City Hall authorities say that although these lights were necessary at the time they were installed, they no longer serve any purpose. Instead, they merely slow up traffic on Sherbrooke street, while there is not enough traffic going north and south on Lansdowne to make the traffic-break necessary.

The present lights at the corners of Western and Green avenues and at Greene and St. Catherine are fixed so that they alternate at specific intervals. Authorities have come to the conclusion that such lights are outmoded and they have received authorization to have them replaced by the traffic actuated type, such as are on most other intersections where the flow of vehicles changes direction at different times of day.

The overhead automatic doors to be installed at Number 2 Fire Station will be push-button operated and will come back to their normal down position after a certain length of time has elapsed. At present, the doors are manually operated.

Blue Cross Paid Out Over \$90,000 In City Last Year

E. D. Millican, executive director of the Quebec Hospital Service Association, said recently that "in the course of 1948, Blue Cross paid a total sum of \$90,718.96 to the only Westmount hospital for care given Blue Cross subscribers".

Throughout the Province, Blue Cross handled 71,211 hospital, surgical and medical bills in 1948, necessitating a disbursement of \$4,298,867.84.

"These figures", said Mr. Millican, a resident of Westmount, "speak for themselves. They constitute a definite proof of the value of Blue Cross to our community, and they tell that Blue Cross is doing a real service to the public in making available to them the best health care at the lowest possible cost, while preserving the people's cherished freedom in hospital-medical-patient relations."

Answering a question as to why Blue Cross enjoys so much popularity, having enrolled to-date nearly 450,000 Quebec residents, Mr. Millican said: "One of the reasons for the public's endorsement of Blue Cross is its lack of red tape. People dislike filling one form after another. When a Blue Cross member is hospitalized, he has no claim form to fill, the hospital forwarding the bill directly to us."

Westm't Rotary Announces Dates Of Annual Carnival

June 21 to June 25 will be the dates on which the Rotary Club of Westmount will hold their Annual Carnival in Westmount Park, it was announced by P. G. Delgado, chairman of the Carnival Committee.

This year the major portion of the proceeds of the Carnival will go towards completing the amount necessary for the construction of a permanent clubhouse for the Unity Boys Club, on the site already donated by the City of Westmount.

Started in 1942, in a modest way under difficulties of war conditions, this annual festival of fun has grown to become a major operation for Westmount Rotarians, an outdoor carnival which has won its place as a fixture in the community life of the district.

As in previous years the Midway will contain 28 booths, each of which will offer a different form of entertainment. Hundreds of prizes have already been collected to be given away. One new feature just announced will be a Record Booth catering to 'teen agers' and album collectors.

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A buffet supper was then served, followed by dancing.

In his remarks at the close of the official part of the program, Mr. Lindsay paid tribute to the excellent work done by the committee in charge of the reception and presentation. The committee was composed of all the executives of the parish organizations. He also thanked Mrs. Ivor Roche, of the Mothers Club, convener of the refreshment committee; M. B. Bonsetter, A. W. Quinn, and C. H. C. Short, of the special names committee; and R. S. White, Leon Boyer and the staff of St. Leo's School Commissioners.

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Six Months Sentence For \$400 Ring Theft

Roger Hethier, 21, of St. John, N.B., was sentenced to serve six months in jail by Recorder C. A. Hale on May 25, when he pleaded guilty to theft of a \$400 diamond ring from his employer on Grosvenor avenue who employed him as an odd-job man.

The theft occurred on May 16 and he was arrested by the investigating officers, Sgt. Det. H. Belec and Dets. Talbot and Ward, on May 19.

College Names 12 Westmount Grads

Names of those receiving Bachelor degrees and Associate's diplomas from Sir George William's College today were recently announced. Of the 173 graduates, 65 completed their courses in the evening division; 66 of the degree winners are veterans; and 20 of those receiving diplomas are veterans.

Westmounters included in the list of graduates are as follows: — Associates In Science — George Maunder Hill and Frances Edith Margaret Mannard. Bachelor of Science — Erwin Theodore Frank and Wendell Lyndhurst MacConnell. Bachelor of Arts — John Gordon Clarke, James Thomas Elo, D.D.S., William Padriac-Pierce Keating, Alexander Molli-son Lindsay, John Stewart Myles and Frances Louise Starkey. Associate in Commerce — John Stewart Morrison. Bachelor of Commerce — John Hutchison.

Parishioners Honour Msgr. McDonagh

The Right Reverend Monsignor Wilfrid E. McDonagh, pastor of the Church of the Ascension of Our Lord, was honoured Wednesday night by his parishioners at a reception held in Victoria Hall.

Those attending were received at the door by the presidents of the various parish organizations and by the acting wardens. Amongst the latter were: — Justice F. T. Collins, past warden, and Mrs. Collins; T. V. Burke, president, Holy Name Society, and Mrs. Burke; J. Harold Platt, president, The Parents' Association, and Mrs. Platt; J. P. O'Reilly and his wife, the latter being president of the Westmount Subdivision of the Catholic Women's League; Mrs. G. A. Meagher, president, League of the Sacred Heart; R. S. White and his wife, the latter being president of the Mothers' Club; Miss Eileen Cullen, vice-president, the Business and Professional Women's Association; Miss Helen Kierans, prefect, the Young Ladies Sodality; H. E. McKeen, warden, and Mrs. McKeen; Sidney Peckham, warden, and Mrs. Peckham; and C. C. Lindsay, warden, and Mrs. Lindsay. Shortly after 9 p.m., Msgr. Mc-



MSGR. W. E. McDONAGH

Donagh entered the hall accompanied by Rev. Fathers Feron, McMahon, and Decary, curates of the parish. After the official party had taken their seats, a musical programme was given under the direction of Prof. A. J. Brassard, which included such well-known singers as Mrs. K. Berry, George

Scouts & Cubs

By REG. GROOME

The Staff for Camp Tamaracouta, 1949 season, was announced this week by Field Commissioner Stanley A. Richardson, of Montreal Headquarters. Mr. Richardson, of course, is again Camp Factor, while Leslie Houldsworth, also of Montreal Headquarters, is again Deputy Factor and Trader. George Sherman and Russell Knubley, the latter of St. Matthew's Troop, are both Assistant Traders, while Bud Perry of Drummondville and Ron Allen of St. Cuthbert's are Apprentice Traders. Neville Harisay of 2nd Westmount Troop is Artificer, with Robley Mackay, Jr., of Montreal West, as Hospital Assistant and Bill Edwards of Rawdon as Canary Cottage Runner.

Bruce Berridge of St. Matthew's Troop will be the Office Assistant with Jim Thompson, ex of St. Matthias Troop, as Voyageur. The doctor this year will be Dr. Douglas Huestis, an ex-King's Scout of Selwyn House Troop and now with the Montreal General Hospital. Dr. Huestis has won a scholarship recently and will be going to Sweden in September, after camp closes. Chief of Canoe Trips will be Fred Tees, of 2nd Westmount. Doug Stewart of Mount Royal Troop will be in charge of the Advance Party, which went up to Camp yesterday, with more to follow on Saturday.

Appointments still open on the staff are those for Harbour Master, Chief of Cumberland House, Incinerator Operator and two resident ASMs, one to assist in handicraft instruction. It is worth noting that the camp staff has been cut this year to approximately 17 or 18 members, far below last year's all time high of 28. The Camp Committee believes this will aid in running the camp more efficiently, with every assistance being extended to Scouters i/c camp-sites. Several older camp-sites have been closed down this year to allow for re-growth of the trees, grass and foliage. New

camp-sites will be opened in their stead.

Our old friend, Mel Burge, takes over from here on in . . . take it away, Mel!

Trinity Pack

Twenty-seven Cubs attended last week's meeting, with Sixer Roy Smith leading the Grand Howl. Ronald Leadbetter was presented with his First Star and Second Richard Howard was invested as a Second Star Cub (to the tune of an exploding flash bulb). Akela presented Garth Stuart with his Team Player Badge and David Shaw with his Swimmer's badge. Garth has also qualified for his Collector's, which will be presented at a later date, due to shortage of same at HQ.

Following inspection, two relays were run off, followed by instruction. Tests passed: Shoe Cleaning — Allan Brown; The King — Garth Stuart; Somersault — Paavo Wright and Buster Armstrong; Union Flag — Warren Franklin, Bruce Angers; Book Balancing — Warren Franklin, Paavo Wright. Graham Martin is reminded to return the Six Competition Cup this Monday. Sixer Mike Schell was presented with the honour pennant, the Blue Six winning it for the evening.

Suggested National Flag



This is the design for a Canadian flag recommended by the provincial convention of the Canadian Legion. The field is composed of equally spaced blue and white bars, symbolizing the 10 provinces. Forming part of the design is the Union Jack, with the fleur de lis superimposed on a red maple leaf in white. Designed by G. A. Henstridge, of St. Lambert, it will be submitted to the Secretary of State for consideration when Parliament once again takes up the matter of a national flag.

Y. M. C. A. NOTES

YOUNG ADULT SECTION

The summer season is with us. June the month of brides is also the month when many new faces appear at the local branch. The reason for this, of course, is the fact that the summer memberships started on the 1st. This is your opportunity of enjoying holidays all summer — swimming, social dances, trips to nowhere, bridge, and softball. These and many other activities take place when Y members get together and find out their mutual interests.

The first of the Tuesday Trips will be a bus ride to the Y camp at Isle Perrot for a weiner roast. Tickets are now on sale and the response would indicate a good time for all. The bus will leave the Y at 7.45 p.m. and return to the city around midnight. This is a good opportunity to meet the people you like to meet.

The "Splash Party" last Thursday was also a "first" — first of the season and first in a good time. The swimmers, both ladies and men, were in the pool at 9 p.m. and then they went upstairs to join the bridge players in a social dance until midnight. As the requests come in, so will the activities grow, and next week a short film show will be given at 9 p.m. for those who do not wish to take the dip.

The regular Bridge Club enthusiasts continue to come out in full strength on Monday evenings. If you are interested in playing or learning to play, come out and visit us next Monday. The time, of course, is 8 p.m., but the swimmers come up a little later. Come early if you can, if you can't, come anyway.

Tonight is softball night on King George Park at 7 p.m. The gang will be there, and there will be a chance to play for everyone. Here is your opportunity to take a swing at the ball — and maybe miss; I know, I did.

The first game which our team played in the N.D.G. "Y" Softball League on Monday last resulted in a loss. Stelco won out 12-10, but the bases were loaded and only one man out in the final inning when a double-play finished the game. The next game on the schedule for the Westmounters is on Tuesday when they play the NDG Y Cubs, and on Thursday when they meet the NDG Y Redcaps.

The Spring Retreat or the backward-glance-with-a-forward-look of the members of the Young Adult Section will take place on Sunday June 12 at the Y Camp on Isle Perrot. This is the members' opportunity to take a look at the past program and make their recommendations for the future. Here too the delegates to the City-wide Conference will learn of the branch-wide activities, and the two delegates to the Fifth National Young Adult Program Conference will get an opportunity to

hear the views of the members at large on the problems to be discussed at the conference.

Plan your holidays now! Plan to spend them at the Y.M.C.A. Young Adult Camp at Otoreke, P.Q.

BOYS' DIVISION

Junior Hi-Y Induction — On Monday, May 30, eight boys were inducted as full-fledged Westmount Junior Hi-Y members. The meeting was presided over by Maxwell Caplan, president of the club, and the club advisor, Bill Johnstone, was present. The boys newly inducted were Robert Matthews, John Woodburn, Lloyd Kishino, William Fell, John Black, John Gibb-Carsley and Richard Carling. This meeting brings to a close the Junior Hi-Y's year activities, which, if not in quantity, in quality were fruitful; the highpoint being the two-day visit to Ottawa, where the boys attended a session of the House of Commons, visited the Mint, toured the Museum of Natural History, the Dominion Archives, and the Second World War Museum.

Boys' Cycling Trip — A trip to Caughnawaga for boys 9-14 with bicycles has been planned for Y members. Monday, June 6, a school holiday, is the date, with the group leaving the Westmount Y.M.C.A. on Monday morning at 10 a.m. sharp. Boys going on the trip will bring their lunches. The group will arrive back at the Y.M.C.A. for the 4.30 p.m. afternoon swim, giving them ample time for their supper. Those interested are asked to contact Bill Johnstone at the Y before Friday night.

Camp Westmount — "The-in-the-City Camp" — Camp Westmount, "The-in-the-City Camp", operated at the Westmount Y.M.C.A. for boys who are spending some of their time in the city during the summer holiday period, will open Monday, June 27th.

Many of the boys in the Westmount area are already familiar with this summer camp program, which operates each day of the week from 9.30 a.m. to 4.30 p.m. The purpose of the camp is to provide an interesting and educational experience for boys who would otherwise be left to their own devices in the city. The theme of this year's camp is "Know Your City".

Registration is limited to boys 9 years of age and over. The program commences Monday, June 27th, and will operate continuously until the end of September. The program includes morning assembly periods with films and speakers on the theme "Know Your City", all-day picnics and outings to such places as St. Helen's Island, Mon Repos Beach, Caughnawaga, St. Lambert, Chambly, Belmont Park, and other well known picnic spots. Regular swimming periods for instruction and improvement are held in the mornings and general swim periods

YMCA Teenagers Visit Plattsburg

Some one hundred and twenty-five members of the Westmount Y. M. C. A. Teenage Club and their friends will take part in the bus trip to Plattsburg, leaving the Westmount Y.M.C.A. tomorrow afternoon at 2 p.m.

While in Plattsburg, the group will shop and swim, and then join with the teenage members of the Plattsburg Y.M.C.A. in a social evening.

The group will be well supervised and the trip is planned with the hope that friendships may be made and friendships established with the American Association.

Speaker Says . . .

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here with his family and his wife's mother who is now buried in Mount Royal Cemetery, the speaker continued.

Another eccentric person whose famous home is in Montreal, although few people realize its history, is that of Dr. Philip Percival who lived until his death on Guy street near Sherbrooke. While travelling abroad, he came across a store in Liverpool displaying thousands of shells. He bought them all and spent the rest of his life trying to classify them, Mr. Collard said.

each afternoon. Baseball, soccer, track and field, crafts, and city-wide competitions with other Y.M.C.A.'s also find a place in this varied program. A feature of the camp is the lunch club periods with amateur contests, sing songs, quizzes, etc. Industrial trips and trips to other places of interest are also included.

Registration for this year's city camp — Camp Westmount — is already underway.

Movie — This Friday Night — In the future the regular weekly movie at the Westmount Y.M.C.A. will be held on Friday evenings commencing at 7 p.m.

The first Y.M.C.A. Friday Night film will take place this evening commencing at 7 p.m. in the gymnasium of the Westmount Y.M.C.A.

This will be a double feature, with Charlie Chan in "The Golden Eye" and "Back Trail", a western story.

The movie is open to children in the Westmount area. Parents are asked to accompany younger children.

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Karnak Temple Helps 12,350 See Wild Animal Show

The recent Wild Animal Show at the Forum, sponsored by the Karnak Temple, made possible the thrilling entertainment of some 12,350 children through efforts of the Daddy's Club.

Included among these was a special class from Alexander School, a special class from Britannia School, and Children from the Catholic orphanage, Decarie boulevard.

Also attending the spectacular event through the same facilities were children from the Foster Home Centre; Grey Nuns' Orphanage; Grey Nuns' Hospice St. Cunegonde; Griffintown Boys' Club; Institut des Sourds-Muets; Iverley Community Centre; Lachine Children's Home; Mackay Institute, Decarie Blvd.; Montreal Day Nursery; Montreal Military Hospital adult patients; Mont St. Antoine Reform School; Negro Community Centre; Province of Quebec Society for Crippled Children; Sarah Maxwell School; Shriners' Hospital for Crippled Children; St. Arsene Orphanage, St. Anne's Military Hospital adult patients; St. Joseph Italian Orphanage; St. Patrick's Orphanage; School for Crippled Children; School for Handicapped Children; Shawbridge Boys' Farm; Summerhill House; Royal Arthur School; Waredale Home; Ecole Bethleem; and University Settlement.

Service Clubs throughout Greater Montreal co-operated by supplying transportation in the form of buses and private cars to bring the children to the Show and to return them to their destinations afterwards. All arrangements were made by Charles Douglas, of Karnak Temple.

Dinghy for Scouts at Camp



On behalf of a number of well-wishers, all members of the Royal St. Lawrence Yacht Club, R. C. Stevenson, O.B.E., presented to R. G. Talbot, chairman of the Scout Camp Tamaracouta, a 12-foot National dinghy for use this summer at the camp. The presentation was made recently at the club's waterfront just before a meeting of the Association's committee. Standing behind Mr. Stevenson is Earle T. Moore, president of the Montreal district Scout association.

Jr. Philatelists Tour Post Office

G. M. Desautels, of the public relations department of the Post Office, and his staff conducted junior members of the Westmount Stamp Club on a tour of the General Post Office last Saturday afternoon.

Over forty members of the club took advantage of this event, taking notes and generally gaining knowledge of how the mails get to their destinations.

From the bottom entrances where the trucks bring in the mail, through the various mazes of distributing chutes and conveyors on the various floors, the system of getting the mail sorted was unfolded.

The Post Master General is offering a prize to the Junior Stamp Club member writing the best essay on the tour.

Holy Name Rally Has Weather Plan

June is proverbially pleasant but provision has been made for the contingency of unfavorable weather Sunday afternoon, June 5, when the Holy Name Society of Montreal will meet at Outremont Park, Outremont, for their annual demonstration of faith.

Should rain fall, arrangements have been completed to transfer the religious services to a neighboring church. This is announced by H. J. Carter, of St. Augustine's, president of the Archdiocesan Union.

The church chosen is that of St. Michael Archangel, eastward from Outremont Park, on St. Viateur Street at St. Urbain Street. St. Michael's, an imposing Byzantine structure, can seat a large congregation.

Arrangements at the church will follow the order set for the open air at Outremont Park. Rev. John D. Purcell will conduct the service, Rev. Louis J. Hickey, of Toronto, will preach, and Bishop Lawrence P. Whelan will preside and impart solemn benediction.

If Sunday's noonday weather is doubtful the place of service will be announced in the 1 p.m. newscast. At either park or church, the event will be broadcast for shut-ins through radio station C.J.A.D.

World Service In Action

Great strides were made last year in the reconstruction of Polish YMCAs. In Warsaw, practically a new building has risen from the ruins of the old, and clubrooms and gymnasiums are giving almost double the service they used to. The shattered boathouse on the Vistula has been replaced by a new building which serves also as a community branch. Gydnia and Lodz, too, made big reconstruction gains.

Over-all statistics for the year show: a membership of 15,000 a staff of 81, Associations in 10 cities, and an estimated 85,000 people participating in Y activities. The number of volunteer workers increased 100% over 1947, and Hi-Y clubs spread to 22 schools.

Eleven summer camps provided vacations averaging one month each to 5,800 boys — mostly from cities where tuberculosis deaths totalled 100,000 in the last two years. Educational classes, vocational and language especially, attracted 4,500 students. Sports flourished, with a YMCA team from Lodz winning the basketball championship of Poland and a team from the two-year-old Association in Gdansk winning that city's basketball championship. Over 300 boys' clubs met regularly throughout the year. And 250 cultural programs — of concerts, lectures, art and drama — formed a significant part of the cultural life of the nation.

AFRICAN VIOLET CLUB MEETING WEDNESDAY

Sponsored by the West End Horticultural Society, a meeting of the newly formed African Violet Club will be held in the Board Room of Wesley Church Hall on Wednesday at 8.15 p.m. Suggestions for projects for the forthcoming year will be presented and officers will be elected.

All residents interested in joining a club of African Violet enthusiasts should attend this meeting.

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Cancer Society Elects Officers

Hon. Chief Justice Albert Sevigny and Dr. Jonathan Meakins, C.B.E., were re-elected joint presi-

dents of the Canadian Cancer Society, Quebec Division, at the annual meeting held (Tuesday afternoon) in the Conference Room of the Laurentien Hotel. Vice-presidents, also re-elected are: Elliott M. Little and Brig. Marcel Noel, C.B.E. Executive director and sec-

retary is Percy W. Ward.

Dr. Meakins, who presided, stressed the fact that this year the Society will be called upon to raise \$180,000 in order to carry out its research program. He noted that there was perfect harmony between all provincial and lay bodies.

The Canadian Cancer Society, Quebec Division, is making solid progress in its all-out effort to help conquer cancer, according to the report of the Board of Directors, read by Mr. Ward. He stressed the fact that the meeting marked the first full year of organization.

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**The
Pillar**

By **GEORGE COCHRANE**

A JOY TO READ

There are times when I am very thankful that I am able to transmit black symbols on a page of paper into something more or less intelligible. In simpler language, I am grateful that I am able to read. Admittedly, I do not read as well as I possibly should. But the fact remains that I can read. (I am neither boasting nor complaining.)

I started off to say that sometimes the ability to read is a real blessing. One gets that altogether too rare feeling while reading such a tome as "The Diary of Marchbanks" by Robertson Davies. Since the death of Professor Stephen Leacock, there has been a great void in the realm of Canadian humour. Robertson Davies gives promise of filling that void in a fashion which Canadians will long, and gratefully, remember.

"The Diary of Samuel Marchbanks" was published in 1947 so these words are about two years late. But, if you can possibly get hold of a copy, do so. The blurb on the jacket cover gives an inkling of what is to come. At the risk of infringing on copyright law, I quote from it as follows:

"The publishers make no exaggerated claims for 'The Diary of Samuel Marchbanks'. They do not positively guarantee that the reader will die laughing while reading this book. Nor do they claim that 'The Diary of Samuel Marchbanks' is the funniest book ever written in any language. One reading of it will not give an education equal to a four-year university course. It will not replace a tour of Europe, or even a tour of Ontario. It cannot be listed amongst the 'how to' books. Its readers are unlikely to learn how to cope with atomic bombs, how to solve the problem of Germany, how to be a social success, how to build a ten-room house for \$7.69, or even how to make friends and influence people.

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Don't Die This Summer

By Douglas Thatcher

During the coming summer there will be many days and nights when we shall have to think of ways to keep cool.

Extremes of heat cannot be overcome merely by an exercise of the will; conjuring up mental pictures of sub-arctic regions or mountains of ice cream will not bring relief miraculously. Something has to be done. These common sense reminders which follow may be useful in maintaining comfort at maximum and reducing accident to minimum.

Women will need no guidance in the matter of clothing, but men, conservative even in the sweltering heat of mid-summer, should

cast aside cramping inhibitions with much of their apparel.

Fat producing foods should be omitted from summer menus and an abundance of salads served in place of heavy meals. Liquids, particularly alcohol, should be used sparingly. Overdrinking will produce excessive perspiration and much clammy discomfort.

Those who cannot leave home for the seashore or river will find an effective substitute in the use of the shower and bathtub but to achieve that cooled off feeling tepid water should be used. Hot water enervates and water too cold tightens the muscles. Remember, too, no bathing for at least two hours after eating is applicable to bathing in the home as well as outside.

Beach Warning

City dwellers, naturally, will flock to the beaches in their thousands. Some will die there. Others, also as a result of wilfully ignoring pertinent warnings, will suffer minor or serious inconvenience.

It is never wise, even for a good swimmer, to venture into the water alone or remain in it for too long a period. Group bathing is safer. If trouble looms help will be at hand. When others get into difficulties it is foolish, for those not trained in lifesaving, to attempt a rescue by swimming out. There are safer and saner ways to help. Forming a human chain is a sound method. Another, usually more immediately effective, is to throw a rope, a life-jacket, or anything that will float, within reach of the person in distress.

Other seasonal hazards, often with death in their wake, are sunburn and boating. Sun treatments should be taken in small doses and the warning, oft repeated, not to change places once a craft has left its moorings, should be observed.

An electric fan in the home, properly employed, is a boon, but with blades unguarded and care-

lessly positioned, it may become a bane.

Foolhardy "Valour"

"Show-off," a summer malady to which the middle aged male is particularly allergic, often incapacitates and sometimes kills. Striving to impress friends with his vigor he runs his heart ragged — outswims and outplays himself. From a weekend that should have served to re-create he returns a spent and wilted wreck. Eighteen holes of golf may act as a tone up but thirty-six may prove a decided let down. Three sets of tennis may be just what the doctor

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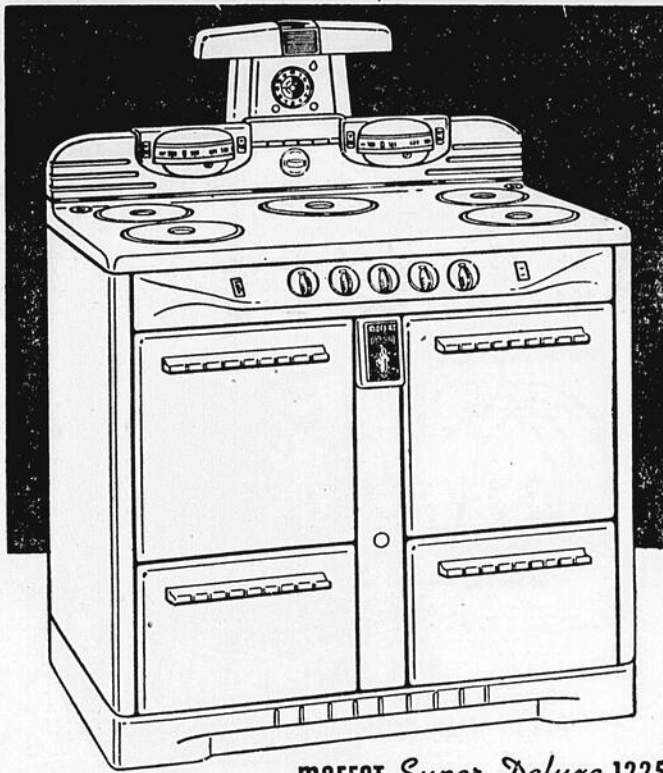
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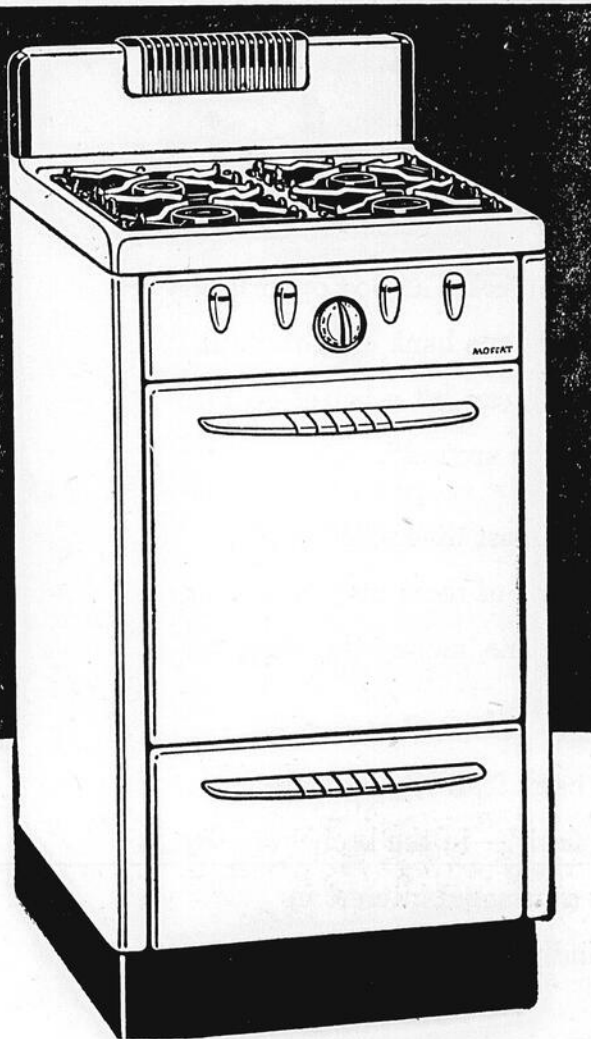
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MRT To Present "The Cradle Song"

The Montreal Repertory Theatre's School production will be "The Cradle Song" and it will be shown at the MRT Playhouse June 10th and 11th. The play is being directed by Roberta Beatty.

"The Cradle Song" is a well known play. It originated in Spain and is the product of the combined efforts of Gregori and Maria Martinez-Sierra. The former was that brilliant man of letters whose works have gained recognition outside his own country. It will be remembered that MRT produced as a major production last season Martinez-Sierra's "The Two Shepherds".

The MRT School of the Theatre production, although the work of the students, are given the same precision in production as other work originating from the Playhouse. Last year's show "Dear Octopus" was well received and a credit to both students and instructors. This year's production of "The Cradle Song" will be given along similar lines.

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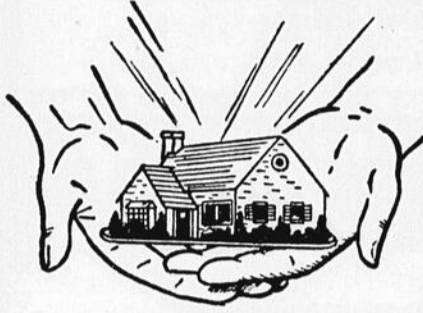
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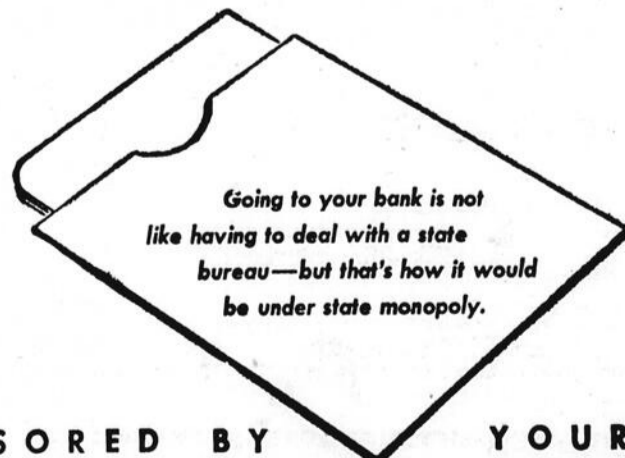


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TOPICS OF THE WEEK

By R. J. DEACHMAN

THE COMING ELECTION

This is election year. What are we going to do about it? The answer to that question is that we can do a great deal — now is the time for the voter to act.

We have passed through the greatest conflict in human history. It has been followed, as usual, by a boom — a period of abundant money, a scarcity of goods. It has gone beyond that. We are seeking now, in a distributive age, new years of dividing the existing income but the real problem is increased production and broader markets so that we may reduce our obligations and, over a period of time, improve our standard of living.

Wages Tied To Production

History tells us that every boom is followed by a depression. In a time of free spending and high prices the people fail to see the impending danger. They are confident that they can exalt the poor by pulling down the rich. Labor assumes that hours of work can be shortened without reducing wages. Wages depend on production, high wage levels cannot continue indefinitely unless production is increased.

Don't Count The Cost

Meanwhile the political parties vie with each other in supporting a spending program. Be clear on this point: the money we spend, unless it functions to increase the national income must, in the end, be met out of taxes. The tax level is high now but it is masked by high prices. When taxes are high and the price of farm products manufactured goods declines the burden of taxation will be harder to bear.

We cannot blame our political parties for this attitude if the people support it. They neither look ahead nor count the costs. They regard high government expenditure as one side of the shield, the obverse, in their opinion, full employment, high wages. In reality, it means higher taxes — lower earnings, it tends to unbalance the whole economy.

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Glance for a moment at the records. Production of manufactured good in Canada in 1929 totalled \$3,883,000,000. By 1932 this had fallen to \$1,980,000,000. Tax rates never fall in similar fashion. They are held up by the inflexibility of costs. Wage rates will not decline in a depression though there may be a minor downward tendency. Total wage and salary payments fall with the depression but declining prices benefit those employed — so they take their troubles with some measure of complacency, and leave the unemployed to the care of the state.

What happens to taxes and expenditures? Revenues decline, expenditures increase. The outstanding change is a decline in the national income. In 1928 the national income was \$4,689 million — in 1932 it was \$2,582 million — 55% of the 1928 level. If we had a similar decline the national income of \$12 billion in 1948 might fall to \$6.6 billion in the same period of time. Our present level of taxes would be a real load if that change took place.

There Is Nothing For Nothing

Our fixed charges are too high. They will increase rapidly if a depression should develop, that is, they will constitute a higher percentage of the national income. They are the result of altered conditions. There are increased expenditures for defence. Interest charges on our federal debt, despite lower rates, add to our burdens. We face the cost of increased social services arising out of the theory that things which are paid for out of taxes are costless. The general feeling is that if taxes are concealed, they have no real existence. When a depression comes we shall face again the problem of railway deficits. They will return for the simple reason that the public refuses to pay the full cost of the service railways render. The people would like to have the cost of moving the goods concealed by hiding it, in our tax bills.

Some Solutions

There are several solutions. Old age pensions might be placed on a contributory basis. The general costs of government might be substantially reduced. A rapid increase in population would help to carry a part of our increased overhead but the greatest hope lies on the constructive

Honeymoon Trip To Make History Expert Believes

History records famous love affairs, famous divorces — but no famous honeymoon. That oversight is now in the process of being corrected. Some seventy-five newlywed couples will arrive at Montreal, July 10, midway through a "mass honeymoon trip" that starts at San Francisco on June 25. Through Canada their train, handled over Canadian Pacific Railway lines, will operate as a special, designated "The Honeymoon Limited".

The train will reach Toronto, July 12, from which city a side trip to Niagara Falls, mecca of all honeymooners, will be made. Then it's on to Winnipeg for July 15, Banff for July 18 to 20 and Vancouver July 21.

Wesley Oliver, the Los Angeles travel agent who dreamed this one up, assumes that a honeymoon doesn't necessarily have to be a hideout trip. He also figures that the groom doesn't want to be continually bothered about financial arrangements.

That's the reason the trip comes in what travel folk call a "package". It's a fairly expensive package — approximately \$1,000 per person — but that sum takes care of everything — rail ticket, pullman and hotel accommodations, all meals, all sight-seeing, transportation of baggage and all tips. That last is important. Honeymooners can hold hands, look into each others' eyes, ignore any outstretched palms, and the "package" does the rest.

Separate Homes For Farm Hands

The federal government may pay subsidies to farmers to enable them to build homes for farm laborers. Such a future development is still in the speculative stage, but would tie in with Ottawa's long range desire to stabilize farm labor.

Even now farmers are being encouraged by Ottawa to provide separate houses for their workers so that they may marry and continue on farms.

Federal farm labor officials believe too much emphasis is put on high wages. They say young men leave farm work for industry to marry and raise families.

The trend has begun among farmers to supply homes for farm laborers. It's showing up in Ontario, Alberta's sugar beet areas, and British Columbia. But in the great wheat areas like southern Saskatchewan, there's no chance to establish farm laborers, Ottawa officials say.

Granting of land in most provinces does not give the recipient the right to mine it.

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side, by an increase of the total national income.

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In viewing expenditures we might well ask, as the average business man is compelled to ask: Will it pay? There is something supremely disgusting in the upsurge of expenditures in an election year. It grows out of the conception that government expenditures differ from all other forms of expenditure, that it is nothing less than a new form of manna. There may come a time when governments will be judged by the wisdom of their expenditures rather than their volume.

Weekly Review

Casting the World's Horoscope

By LEWIS MILLIGAN



Scientists today dismiss astrology as an ancient and exploded superstition, and they laugh at the idea that the conformation and motion of the stars have any influence upon human affairs and that future events may be foretold by a horoscope. Nevertheless, the superstition dies hard. The desire to peer into the future is deep-seated in human nature, and it is not confined to the patrons of astrologists, teacup readers and palmists. Scientists themselves, sociologists and economists have in recent years been practising fortune-telling on a large scale. Jules Verne, Bellamy and Wells practised it in fiction with considerably accuracy, and their works were immensely popular.

Political economists and Socialists have long been gazing into the magic crystal and seeing things that are going to happen, and they have drawn up a variety of plans for averting them. So far their predictions have not been very accurate, and their theories and plans were chiefly responsible for bloody revolutions, the two greatest wars in history, the present social unrest, and the division of the world into two militarized ideologies. "The best laid schemes o'mice and men gang aft agley," and the planned Utopias are as far as not farther off than ever.

Scientists are prominent among the latest gazers into the future, and they are forecasting terrible things, not only for nations but for the entire human race. They are casting the world's horoscope, and their misfortune-telling is alarming many people. They warn us that the planet is rapidly becoming over-populated, and that the resources of life are being depleted at such a rate that the human race will perish from starvation. Aldous Huxley has been studying this horoscope and has dramatized it in his latest book, "Ape and Essence." He paints horrible pictures of the future of mankind as a result of overcrowding, soil erosion, bad farming, deserts spreading, forests dwindling and the leaching out of minerals. Listen to this and tremble:

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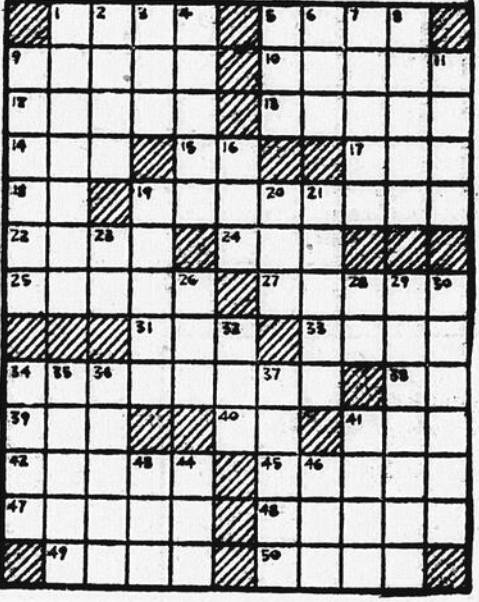
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Decoratively Speaking
 By FRANCIS JAMES

It's strange the difference a few fresh, bright slip-covers can make in a tired room. And though the finished job looks like a difficult one, actually there's no reason why any woman who can thread a needle should not re-cover her own chairs, chesterfield or whatever. It takes care, of course, and patience — but the results are worth it.

In looking for slip-cover material, remember that the best fabrics for this purpose are those that are heavy enough to tailor well, yet not so heavy that they will make bulky seams. Good slip-cover fabric include chintz, twill, rep, linen and cretonne.

The type of slip-cover depends largely upon the type of room in which it is to be used. The best type for most rooms is probably the good old plain tailored seat cover with welted seams and box pleating (though ruffles in the place of pleating are charming in an informal room).

Plain fabrics are, of course, easier to work with since materials with large patterns require extra care in fitting the pattern evenly on seat and chair or chesterfield back.

To measure for a chair, start from the floor at back and take tape to top of chair, down back to seat, across seat and down to floor at front. This will give you the length. To get the width, start at the floor on the side and take the tape up and over the side to the seat. You'll have to double

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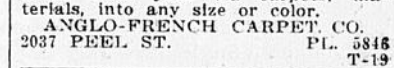
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O.S.S.M.S. Mervin McCartney, R.C.N., is expected home on leave, June 7th, from Esquimalt, B. C.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Dowden and Mr. Gordon Gillis returned home recently from a motor trip to Springfield, Mass.

Mrs. F. Chard, Sommerville Avenue, Westmount, will travel by T. C. A. to England, June 17, to visit her family in Bristol. She will return August 12.

Mrs. Thomas Connolly and Mrs. Gerald Tracey were joint hostesses at a shower held recently at the home of the latter, 359 Victoria avenue, in honor of Miss Edna Perry, whose marriage to Mr. George W. Gosham is taking place June 18.

Miss Patricia Denman, Oxford Avenue, was hostess on Friday evening last at a cocktail party for the September graduating class of the Montreal General Hospital, prior to the dance which was held at the Nurses' Residence, for 1949 graduates. About eighty guests were present. Those assisting were Mrs. Lindsay Robertson, Mrs. Lorne Sullivan, and Mrs. Kay Blackadar.

ENGAGEMENTS

Dr. and Mrs. L. F. Lavigne, of Montreal, announce the engagement of their niece, Irene, to Mr. Donald Duncan McIntosh, elder son of Mr. and Mrs. E. D. McIntosh, of Westmount. The marriage will take place at eleven o'clock on Saturday morning, June 4, in Westmount Park-Emmanuel Church.

The engagement is announced of Shirley, only daughter of Mr. S. W. Shier and of the late Mrs. Shier, to Mr. Elliot Cay, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Cay. The marriage will take place on Saturday, July 2, at three o'clock at Dominion-Douglas Church, Westmount.

Married In Dominion-Douglas



Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Duncan Bryant, photographed on Saturday afternoon, following their wedding in Dominion-Douglas Church, Westmount. The bride, formerly Miss Beverly Florence Stewart, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Llewellyn Stewart, of Hampstead. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur S. Bryant, of Montreal.

BRYANT-STEWART

The marriage of Beverly Florence, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Llewellyn Stewart, of Montreal, to Mr. Herbert Duncan Bryant, of Windsor, Ont., son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur E. Bryant, of Montreal, took place on Saturday afternoon, at five o'clock, in Dominion-Douglas Church, Westmount, the Rev. A. Lloyd Smith D.D., officiating. Mr. John Robb played the wedding music and standards of white lilac, snapdragons, stocks and palms were used to decorate. The bride, who was given away by her father, was in a gown of

white bridal satin, fashioned on Empire lines, the bodice having a low, square neckline, trimmed with Guipure lace, sleeves ending in points over her hands and the flared skirt falling into a fan-shaped train. Her veil of tulle illusion extending beyond the hem of her train was held by a bandeau of Guipure lace, trimmed with orange blossoms and she carried a cascade bouquet of gardenias and lily-of-the-valley.

Mrs. James K. Mellor, as matron-of-honor, and Miss June McDonald, Miss Carol Price and Miss Elinor Mellanby, as bridesmaids, were in frocks of blue lavender marquisette, the fitted bodices having shawl collars trimmed with ruffles. They wore poke bonnets to match their frocks, tied with tulle bows, lace mittens and carried cascade bouquets of variegated sweetpeas.

Mr. Ralph Hodgson, of Blind River, Ont., acted as best man for Mr. Bryant, and the ushers were Mr. Wesley Bryant, brother of the bridegroom, Mr. Ross Tait, Mr. Ralph Farrell and Mr. John Robertson.

Mrs. Stewart, the bride's mother, was in a gown of bois-de-rose silk chiffon, the tucked bodice having cap sleeves and the full skirt, draped at the back, falling into a slight train. She wore a hat and gloves of the same color.

Mrs. Bryant, mother of the bridegroom, wore a floor-length gown of Queen's blue English lace with a scalloped bolero with a lace hat to match trimmed with small flowers and carried a bouquet of Sweetheart roses.

The reception was held in the Prince of Wales Salon of the Windsor Hotel where white lilac, stocks and snapdragons, arranged with palms, were used to decorate. Later Mr. and Mrs. Bryant left for New York, the bride traveling in a suit of skylark green gabardine and wearing a hat of matching candy straw, trimmed with zenna red, zenna red accessories and a corsage bouquet of gardenias.

JAMIESON-WRIGHT

The marriage of Audrey Colatia, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William L. Wright, of Montreal, to Mr. James Turner Jamieson, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Jamieson, of Westmount, took place very quietly on May 30 in the chapel of the Church of the Advent, Westmount, with the Rev. Sydenham Lindsay officiating.

The couple were unattended.

Mrs. W. F. Brownrigg left Saturday to spend a month in Vancouver with her son and his family. She will travel to the coast via California.

A full week was planned for the graduating class of the Homeopathic Hospital. On Tuesday night, a dinner was given by the alumnae in the Nurses' Residence. Following the graduation last evening, a reception was held in the Residence, and a Mother and Daughter Tea is planned for this afternoon. The graduation dance will be held tomorrow night in the Nurses' Residence.

The Queen's Bridge Club celebrated the end of another season with a closing dinner at the Queen's Hotel yesterday. Following the dinner, the ladies enjoyed one of the current moving picture shows at a downtown theatre. Those attending were: Mesdames Stanley Alder, A. H. Mason, G. S. F. Bennett, A. W. C. Richards, Dean T. Davis, George E. Riley, R. S. Echlin, Walter R. Somerville, R. C. Hey, Miss Thelma Alder, Mrs. H. W. Hughes and Miss Myra Levy.

Among those who have entertained in honor of Miss Helen Marian Evans, whose marriage to Mr. Thomas Walter Norwell is taking place on Saturday, June 4th, are: Mrs. W. G. MacDonald, Mrs. E. Cheeseman and Mrs. E. Hastie, who gave a kitchen shower; Miss Lilian MacDonald, Miss Doris Muir and Miss Margaret Lawson, who entertained at a bathroom shower; Mrs. James A. Dundas, who gave a crystal shower; Mrs. Albert S. Fraser, who gave a pantry shower; Mrs. E. Horsnell, who entertained at an evening party, and Mrs. Arthur Cross and Mrs. R. H. King who gave luncheons.

APPROACHING MARRIAGES

The marriage of Georgette, youngest daughter of the late Joseph Cinq-Mars, and of Mrs. Cinq-Mars, of Westmount, to Mr. Eugene Manny, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. O. Manny, of Montreal, will take place very quietly on Saturday morning, June 11, at St. Leo's Church, Westmount.

The marriage of Miss Evelyn Wills Randell, daughter of Capt. and Mrs. Egbert Randell, of Montreal, to Mr. Bruce Mayo Reid, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold M. Reid, of Westmount, has been arranged to take place on Saturday afternoon, June 18 at four o'clock, at St. Matthew's Church, Hampstead.

The reception will be held at the Montreal Badminton and Squash Club.

The marriage of Jane, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth P. Macpherson, of Westmount, to Mr. Robert John Hope, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Hope, of Oakville, Ont., has been arranged to take place on Saturday afternoon, June 18, at four o'clock, in St. Andrew's United Church, Westmount.

At the marriage of Elizabeth Anne, younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Cuttle of Westmount, to Mr. William Charles (Bill) Derry, son of the late Fred Derry and of Mrs. Derry, of Montreal, which will take place at four o'clock on Saturday, June 11, in Dominion-Douglas Church, Westmount, Mrs. Preston C. Read of Three Rivers, Que., will be matron of honor for her sister. The other attendants will be Mrs. Howard T. Oliver and Miss Joey Abbey.

Mr. S. H. Derry will be his brother's best man, with Mr. Ian Gillespie, Mr. Robert Brown and Mr. Gordon Cuttle, brother of the bride, as ushers. The reception will be held at the home of the bride's parents, on Lexington Avenue.

and left immediately after the ceremony for Boston, after which they will reside in Montreal.

Mrs. A. L. Swinden has recently returned from her country house at Big Lake Long in the Laurentians, where she spent a week.

Mrs. William Rosengarten entertained at a cocktail party in honor of the Hon. D. C. Abbott at her home, 277 Upper Belmont avenue yesterday, from five to seven o'clock.

Among those entertaining recently in honor of Miss Gladys Jessie Turner, bride-elect, were Mrs. P. Edwards, Mrs. P. G. Edwards and Miss M. Edwards who were joint hostesses at a linen shower; Mrs. L. Gelineau and Mrs. H. McCarthy who gave a kitchen shower and Mrs. Ross McKee, who held a miscellaneous shower.

Pupils of Edna Marie Hawkin will be heard in a recital on Wednesday evening, June 8, in the Prince of Wales Salon, Windsor Hotel, at quarter past eight o'clock. Those taking part will be Lorraine McKay, Chopin Viger, Pat Walker, Sadie Batstone, Donald Garrett, Mary Iwasaki, Winifred Drysdale, Joan Githero, Maida Le Baron, Ray Jackson, Doreen Fairman, Giana Lyman and Barbara Martin.

WEDDINGS

ALEXANDER-JACKSON

The marriage of Marjorie Winnifred, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William M. Jackson of Westmount, to Mr. Ian McMurtry Alexander, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley G. Alexander, of Ottawa, took place on Saturday afternoon, at four o'clock, in St. Matthias Church, Westmount, the Rev. Canon Gilbert Oliver officiating. Mr. W. J. Hislop played the wedding music and Mr. F. C. McMillan sang during the service. Pink and white carnations, stocks and snapdragons and lighted candles in candelabra were used to decorate.

The bride, who was given away by her father, was in a gown of blush ivory satin, the fitted bodice having a yoke of French lace, edged with seed pearls and sleeves ending in points over her hands outlined with the same embroidery and the full skirt, fashioned with tucks in front, falling into a long, circular train. Her veil of tulle

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...tion, extending beyond the hem of her train, was held by a coronet of orange blossoms and she carried a cascade bouquet of gardenias and lily-of-the-valley.

The bridal attendants, Miss Isabel Plant, of Ottawa, as maid-of-honor, and Miss Eileen Jackson, of Toronto, the bride's cousin, Mrs. Hugh Stratton, of Ottawa, and Miss Elizabeth Stockwell, were in frocks of ice-blue satin, the fitted bodices having square necklines and cap sleeves edged with pale blue French lace and the full circular skirts falling into slight trains. They wore headdresses of pale pink carnation petals; the maid-of-honor carried a bouquet of pale pink carnations and lily-of-the-valley and the bridal attendants' bouquets were of pale pink carnations and yellow stephanotis and snapdragons.

Mr. James McCallum acted as best man for Mr. Alexander and the ushers were Mr. Hugh Stratton and Mr. Cedric Winser, of Ottawa, and Mr. Norman McLean.

Mrs. Jackson, the bride's mother, was in a floor-length gown of rose grey Chantilly lace, the bodice having a heart-shaped neckline and long sleeves and the skirt fashioned with a side panel of accordion pleats. She wore a pale pink straw hat, trimmed with navy blue lace and pink roses and a corsage bouquet of pink roses.

Mrs. Alexander, mother of the bridegroom, wore a floor-length gown of grey crepe, fashioned on simple lines with a matching hat, trimmed with tulle and pale pink roses and a corsage bouquet of pale pink roses and sweetpeas.

The reception was held in the Blue Room of the Ritz-Carlton, where the bride's table, centred with the wedding cake, was arranged with shell pink flowers and candles in candelabra.

Later Mr. and Mrs. Alexander left by motor for the Southern States, the bride travelling in a suit of navy blue crepe, trimmed with white pique and wearing a

hat of navy blue lace and candy straw, trimmed with white flowers and tulle, Kolinsky furs, navy blue accessories and a corsage bouquet of gardenias.

CAMPBELL-ANDERSON

The marriage of Harriet Elizabeth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Gordon Anderson, of Westmount, to Mr. James Barrie Campbell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Campbell, of Westmount, took place Saturday afternoon, at four o'clock, in the Chapel of Divinity Hall, the Rev. D. M. Grant, of St. Andrew's United Church, Westmount, officiating, assisted by the Rev. Angus de Mille Cameron of the Church of the Messiah. Mr. Donald MacKay played the wedding music and Mrs. Leslie Taylor Dewing, aunt of the bride, played the violin. White and pink snapdragons and mauve stocks were used to decorate, the pews reserved for guests being marked with bouquets of white lilac.

The bride, who was given away by her father, was in a gown of ivory satin and lace, the bodice having an off-the-shoulder neckline with a yoke of lace and the full skirt fashioned with wide godets of lace outlined with satin scallops. Her fingertip length veil of tulle illusion was held by a bandeau of lace over satin and she carried a semi-cascade bouquet of white lilac.

Miss Joan Erzinger and Miss Frances Gyde, as bridesmaids, were in frocks of taffeta faille, Miss Erzinger being in moss green and Miss Gyde in emerald green. They wore bonnets of natural straw, tied under their chins with ribbons to match their frocks and carried bouquets of mauve and white lilac.

Mr. Cranford Pratt acted as best man for Mr. Campbell and the ushers were Mr. Donald Mackenzie, Mr. Harold Leavitt, and Mr. Alec Anderson and Mr. Bruce Anderson, brothers of the bride.

Mrs. Anderson, the bride's mother, was in a floor-length gown of pale grey crepe and lace and wore a hat of lilac tulle and a corsage bouquet of lilac.

Mrs. Campbell, mother of the bridegroom, wore a floor-length gown of water-lily green crepe with a hat of matching mohair, trimmed with pink roses and had a spray of pink roses fastened to her handbag.

The reception was held at the Themis Club where lilac, snapdragons and stocks were used as decorations, the bride's table, centred with the wedding cake, being arranged with lily-of-the-valley, forget-me-nots and white candles in candelabra.

Later Mr. and Mrs. Campbell left by motor for the White Mountains, the bride travelling in a light grey wool suit, and wearing a white hat, trimmed with pink and navy blue and navy blue accessories.

Among the out-of-town guests

were Mrs. A. O. Anderson, grandmother of the bride, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Aylen, Mr. John Aylen, Miss Andree Choquette and Miss Anne MacDermot, of Ottawa; Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Odell, Mr. Bruce Odell and Mr. William Odell, of Wellesley Hills, Mass.; Dr. and Mrs. F. R. N. Gurd, Miss Dusty Gould, Miss Jeannette Weeks, of Boston; Mrs. Arthur Dewing and Miss Sara Dewing of Norwich, Vt., and Miss Mary Knowlton, of Knowlton, Que.

COHEN—ROSENGARTEN

The marriage of Sima, daughter of the late Philip Rosengarten and of Mrs. Rosengarten, to Mr. Irving Cohen, son of the late Morris Cohen and of Mrs. Cohen, of Hartford, Conn., took place on Sunday at the residence of the bride's brother, and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. William Rosengarten, Upper Belmont avenue, Westmount, Rabbi H. Stern officiating assisted by Cantor O. Staeren. Miss Eva Abramovitch played the wedding music.

The bride, who was given away by her brother, Mr. William Rosengarten, was in a gown of Chantilly lace, the bodice having a high neckline and long sleeves. Her veil of tulle illusion was held by a bandeau of flowers and she carried a bouquet of white roses and lily-of-the-valley.

Mrs. George Rosengarten was matron-of-honor and Mr. Edward Cohen acted as best man for his brother.

Among the out-of-town guests were Dr. and Mrs. J. K. Rafal, and their daughters, Stella and Beatrice, of Coaticook, Quebec, Mr. and Mrs. P. Becker, Mrs. Ida Cohen, Mr. Edward Cohen, Mr. Myer Cohen, Mr. and Mrs. Ule Cohen, Mr. and Mrs. H. Landerman, Miss Muriel Landerman, Mr. Robert Landerman, of Hartford, Connecticut.

MORGAN-MacPHAIL

The marriage of Kathleen, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. A. MacPhail, of Regina, Sask., to Mr. Stanley Morgan, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Morgan, of Westmount, took place on Saturday afternoon, at half-past three o'clock, in Trinity Memorial Church, the Rev. R. Kenneth Naylor officiating. Daffodils and tulips were used to decorate.

The bride, who was given away by Mr. Noel Macadam, was in a frock of French blue tissue faille, the bodice having a portrait neckline and sleeves ending in points over her hands and the skirt fashioned with a fantail back. She wore a tiny crownless hat of matching tulle, trimmed with pink roses, and carried a cascade bouquet of pink roses and lily-of-the-valley.

Mrs. Noel Macadam, as matron-of-honor, was in a frock of pink crepe, fashioned on simple lines. She wore a matching headdress trimmed with flowers and tulle and carried a bouquet of pink sweetpeas.

Mr. William Morgan acted as

best man for his brother and the ushers were Mr. Burton Churchill and Mr. Hector Bales.

Mrs. Morgan, mother of the bridegroom, wore a gown of navy blue sheer with a matching hat, trimmed with pink rosebuds and a corsage bouquet of Sweetheart roses.

The reception was held at the Mount Royal Hotel. Later Mr. and Mrs. Morgan left for the Laurentians.

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The Light Fantastic

Success! Now the secret is out. Paula and I have been learning to dance at ARTHUR MURRAY'S STUDIO. I have two reasons for wanting to tell you about it. First is the recent conclusion the doctors and psychiatrists came to at the Montreal Convention regarding play. Everyone needs an outlet. If you have a problem — relax. Give yourself resilience. Perhaps dancing will help you find the giant weak spot in your insurmountable wall. The other is our thrill because we have reached a standard where we may join the Saturday afternoon Club Sessions for pupils. You simply won't believe it when you see our shy little Paula dancing. She is a dream. Dancing is really a poetic expression of the body as easy to learn as twisting your tongue around vowels and consonants. ARTHUR MURRAY will teach you the secret of leading and following. Glamour people are made not born. Play the game of social contact gaining pleasure, profit and popularity. In a one hour lesson with a charming, expert teacher we began to feel comfortable in the fox-trot, waltz, rumba, tango, samba and also some swing steps. We intend to follow up with a regular course and learn many more. There is a new one, the Mambo, which is gaining popularity. It is a sort of cross version of the samba and rumba wherein the music plays around, highlighting the virtues and toning down the wild beat of the rumba. I think, perhaps the first thing we learned was a sense of composure as our teacher put us completely 'at ease'. Wouldn't you like to waltz? — that beautiful lilting, graceful step done to three-quarter time which once shocked Vienna? It is as old as grandmother's gold band, yet ever youthful — one, two, three, repeat; or feel the stimulating throb of the Brazilian tropics in a beat which has been refined and synchronized to ballroom tempo. Know the joyous gaiety of Rio at carnival time in the samba. The Americanized version of the tango is a simple ballroom dance easy to learn. ARTHUR MURRAY has two STUDIOS in Montreal — one on Mountain Street and a very convenient one at Snowdon. ARTHUR MURRAY is, of course, the ARTHUR MURRAY you have been hearing about with over two hundred studios, Paris, London, Bermuda, Honolulu, seven in Canada and in all the large cities of the United States. He is Mr. Dance in the Encyclopedia. The fifty teachers in Montreal dance on the average of one thousand hours a week, and their pupils have no age limit unless it be ninety-five. One hour he is seventy, the next eleven or twelve. A Teen-Age Class will start at vacation, giving a baker's dozen of lessons. If you are already an exponent of this art visit the Esquire on Wednesday night Fiesta when ARTHUR MURRAY conducts a Champagne Hour and you have a chance of winning a bottle. With the arrival of hot weather you might enjoy Belmont Park on Fiesta night, Mondays. May "I cut-in". ARTHUR MURRAY'S STUDIOS, Mountain Street, and Snowdon. MARquette 2376.

HOME EDUCATION

A RED TRICYCLE

By LOUIS CARPENTIER

My four-year-old Laura and I had that morning returned from a three-weeks' visit at Leicester—my parents' home. As I sat sewing I thought about our new next-door neighbors, who had moved in during our absence. I was hoping that we could be friends and that their little daughter — apparently about the same age as mine — would prove to be a well-behaved child. Laura was so easily influenced. I had thoroughly realized that when she was with her adorable but decidedly boisterous boy cousins in Leicester. Then suddenly I thought, "Where is Laura?"

Stepping to the window, I at once caught sight of her yellow dress in the new neighbors' yard — and what was she doing? Actually, pulling the little girl, who belonged there, off of that child's own bright red tricycle. Laura then climbed onto the seat and started for home. I tried to call to her but was too benumbed to speak. The small neighbor's mother was looking on, and I was sure she must be saying, "Oh, what a dreadful child!"

The "dreadful child" rode up to me, laughing delightedly. "My bike-tricycle!" she exclaimed. Instantly I understood. My father had given Laura a red tricycle — the exact counterpart of the one on which she now sat. Father, Mother, and I had always spoken of it as a "tricycle," but the little cousin had called it "Laura's bike," and she herself had called it "my bike-tricycle."

"No Laura," I answered. "Your tricycle has not yet come from Grandfather's. This one belongs to the little girl from whom you took it. You pulled her from her own tricycle, Laura, and rode off with it. What are you going to do about it?"

My daughter's eyes were large with surprise. "Is it her bike-tricycle?" she said slowly. "Then I'll take it back. I'll tell her I thought it was mine. I'll say, 'I'm sorry.'"

"And I must tell her mother how sorry I am." I thought. And we started. It would be simple enough to establish the claim of mistaken identity regarding the small vehicle, but how could I ever excuse my child's rough behavior in pulling another child so rudely from her seat. Surely a well-brought-up little girl would never behave like that.

We arrived, Laura delivered her speech very well, but Margaret, the victim of her recent onslaught, was not to be so easily mollified. She directed a hard push at Laura, who, losing her balance, fell over in the grass. But my daughter's three weeks with her cousins now proved of value. She took both the push and the tumble in good part and laughed so contagiously that Margaret soon joined in, and the two, right then and there, were friends. Meanwhile, rather haltingly, I had explained the mistake and asked pardon for my child's behavior.

My neighbor looked from me to the two children. "For once, I'm glad Margaret was ill-mannered," was her surprising remark, followed by, "She has been feeling a bit superior — an attitude I should much dislike to have her develop. Later, she and I will have a talk on the courtesy with which one accepts an apology. Guiding offspring is a full-time job, isn't it? Do come up and have some tea. Margaret knows how to prepare a tiny tea table of her own and I feel sure she will be able to induce Laura to have 'tea' with her. Please?"

Legion Provincial Command Aux. Holds 18th Annual Convention

The eighteenth annual convention of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Quebec Provincial Command, Canadian Legion, B.E.S.L., came to a close with a joint banquet with the men of the Senior Command Convention. Sessions were held each morning, and resolutions were sent to the Provincial Command for approval regarding the sale of margarine in the Province of Quebec. It was pointed out that those who would buy margarine would be those people who could not afford the price of butter, and it would therefore not affect the sale of the butter.

Resolutions were also sent regarding the rental control in this city, a request for more houses in a hurry, with rentals within the reach of the lower salaried men. A resolution requesting a pension for the widows of Imperial Veterans was also forwarded at this time with the hope that consideration would be given to the number of Imperial Widows in Newfoundland, who will now come into this category. An appeal was also sent to the men for approval to appeal to the city for more and better stands for the Veterans Taxi Association.

Forty drivers of the Veterans Taxi Association donated their cars and services to transport all the convention delegates to Pointe Claire, where they took part in the service held there by the Last Post Fund. The ladies placed a flag and a poppy on the grave of each soldier resting there. His Excellency, the Governor General, paid tribute to the men of all creeds, colors, and religions who fought side by side for their country, and are now resting side by side in death.

A request has been sent in for a Medal of Merit for Mrs. Alice Crossley and Mrs. E. Richardson, both Past Presidents of the Provincial Command, and also for Charter Members who have given the greater part of their time for the last eighteen years to the work of the Legion of Veterans. The Granby Branch (No. 52) of the Ladies Auxiliary was presented with the Countess of Haddington Cup for securing the highest percentage of members during the year.

Mrs. L. Devost, the President, informed the ladies in her annual report, that the membership of the auxiliary now stands at a total of 57 Auxiliaries in the Province of Quebec, with a total enrollment of 3000 women. The outgoing executive and the delegates to the Convention presented Mrs. Devost with a beautiful gold wrist watch as a token of their esteem for the work she has done during the past two years.

The newly elected officers of the Command for the coming year are: President, Mrs. S. Sheriff; Past President, Mrs. L. Devost; 1st Vice-President, Mrs. E. Saferriere; Chairman, Mrs. B. Taylor; and Treasurer, Mrs. E. Richardson. The officers were installed by Mr. C. Rhodes-Smith, President of Manitoba Provincial Command, representing the Dominion President of the Canadian Legion. Mr. W. V. Neish, Immediate Past President of the Quebec Provincial Command acted as Sgt.-at-Arms for the Installation Services.

Interior Moisture Is Paint Failure Cause

Moisture, which works out from inside a painted surface and upsets the anchorage of the paint film, is one of the most common causes of paint failures. It's a trouble that stems directly from the damp condition of the object to be painted and prevents the paint "keying" to the surface. It cannot be blamed on the paint itself—for no paint can be expected to withstand interior moisture no matter how well it stands up against the exterior variety.

The presence of blisters in the paint is the common sign of a moisture-faulted surface underneath. The sun's rays, or warmth cause the moisture to go through the wall or siding. The moisture in turn forms and collects between the wood and the paint surface, pushing the paint outward in blisters.

HINTS ON Fashions



Printed organdie, dainty and diaphanous, joins the procession of sweet summer fabrics. It is used for a charming little afternoon dress of French blue, yellow and pink nosegays on a navy blue background. Bands of the fabric are worked in folds from a double plastron on either side of the bodice, in shawl collar formation. The neckline underneath is round and low. Folds compose the snug midriff and unpressed pleats make the skirt. Topped with a cart-wheel hat, here is a nice choice of pleasing summer afternoon wear.

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Replacement of your old heating system with one of the more compact, cleaner heating plants that have been developed by engineers in recent years will do much to solve your problem. New wiring and an up-to-date thermostat will help eliminate heat control worries as well as cut the fuel bill. The heating units in each room, if they are old and outmoded, should be replaced with new ones that actually "do" something for interior appearance and comfort. The newest heating units, such as the new convector-radiators, are much more compact than the old type, and if installed will leave more floor area for other purposes. Space-saving is a direct advantage of modern engineering in the new heating units. Convector-radiators can be installed in any of three ways — fully recessed in walls, partially recessed, or free-standing against walls. By recessing them in walls, no floor area is used and attractive arrangements of furniture is facilitated. Convector-radiators may be installed on almost any new or existing steam or hot water system.

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Serve Shrimp Chowder New Orleans Style

Large bowls of steaming hot shrimp chowder is a good menu suggestion. The price of canned shrimp is running about 20 per cent lower than last year. Canned peas, used in the recipe, are in the bargain list. And rice, served with the chowder, is inexpensive. The shrimp are packed in 5-ounce cans in jumbo, large, medium and small sizes.

Shrimp Chowder
 (4 servings)
 Four tablespoons butter or fortified margarine, ½ cup diced celery, 1 large onion, chopped, ¼ cup chopped green pepper, one 5-ounce can shrimp, 1 No. 2 can peas, 1 No. 2 can tomatoes, ½ teaspoon chili powder, 1 bay leaf, 2 cups hot cooked rice.
 Melt butter or margarine in saucepan. Add celery, onion and green pepper, cook until onion is tender but not brown. Drain liquid from shrimp and peas; measure and add water to make



Serve canned shrimp chowder New Orleans style, with rice.

1½ cups. Add to saucepan with tomatoes, chili powder and bay leaf, cover and cook over low heat 20 minutes. Add shrimp and peas, cover and simmer 30 minutes or until slightly thickened. Serve in soup bowls with mounds of rice in centre.

Shrimp and Rice au Gratin
 (4-6 servings)
 Three tablespoons butter or fortified margarine, 3 tablespoons flour, 1 2/3 cups tomato juice, ½ teaspoon salt, ¼ teaspoon tabasco, 1 cup grated American cheese, 1

5-ounce can shrimp, drained, 1½ cups cooked rice, 1 cup soft bread crumbs, 2 tablespoons melted butter or fortified margarine.
 Melt butter, blend in flour. Add tomato juice, stirring constantly and cook until thickened. Add salt, tabasco and grated American cheese; stir until cheese is melted. Add shrimp and rice. Place in 1-quart casserole and cover with crumbs which have been mixed with the melted butter or margarine. Bake in a moderate oven (375 degrees F.) 15 minutes, until crumbs are brown.

Let's Eat

By IDA BAILEY ALLEN
 "Breakfast can be the best meal of the day. We should take time to prepare a good menu, and eat it leisurely and with enjoyment. But the great American breakfast is an eat-and-run meal, juice, toast and coffee and off for the day's work. With a poor start like that, a man feels tired all the morning. He tries to make up for it at noon with a sandwich, a piece of pie or cake and coffee. When he comes home from work he eats a heavy dinner and feels all stuffed up. Maybe before he goes to bed he feels hungry again and takes a snack. Then he has no appetite for breakfast."

"But, Madame, we have a wonderful déjeuner at noon."
 "Yes, and the French take off two hours in the middle of the day to eat it. That won't work with our business system. The midday meal should be sustaining, but light enough not to overtax the digestion and slow up the afternoon's work."

"Madame, this week you are giving special suggestions for the bride. I think she will make a hit with her husband if she will get up early enough, put on a nice negligee, make herself pretty without the hair curlers, and prepare a nice breakfast for two, with conversation minimum, service maximum."

"Now, Chef, what do you call a good breakfast?"
 "I would say fruit, cereal, an omelette, or bacon with eggs, or some form of meat or fish; warm rolls or toast and coffee. Any good healthy man should be able to enjoy such a meal."
 "I agree; that's a good start. Then at noon, lunch should be light. Orange or other fruit juice in the late afternoon if he feels tired, and a substantial dinner. Nothing during the evening except fruit, fruit juice or a glass of milk. If breakfast seems a bit too heavy, serve a big dish of cereal and milk, or eggs, meat or fish, on alternate days."

All Measurements Are Level Recipes Serve Two
Lamb Chop and Potato Broil
 Buy 4 rib or loin lamb chops cut a scant inch thick, or use 2 big shoulder lamb chops. Pre-heat the broiler 10 min. Put ¼ c. water in the broiler pan, so the drippings from the meat will not burn. Then rub the broiler rack with a little fat. Dust the chops with salt and pepper. Put them on the rack. Around arrange slices of peeled

BROILED DINNER FOR TWO
 Chilled Tomato
 Lamb Chop and Potato Broil
 Green Peas Tossed Green Salad
 Chocolate Cake with Whipped Cream
 Coffee, Tea and Milk
 1 Prepare salad greens and put in bowl. (Hubby will do the tossing.)
 2 Chill tomato juice.
 3 Bake cake in a 7"x11" pan. Use a chocolate mix.
 4 Put lamb chops and potato slices to broil.
 5 Cook fresh or quick frozen peas, or use a good grade canned peas; season with butter or margarine.
 6 Start coffee.

raw potatoes cut lengthwise. Then tuck into the empty spaces ¼ lb. washed mushroom caps. (The stems should be removed to saute and use for breakfast in scrambling eggs.) Put a small piece of butter in each mushroom cap and dust with salt and pepper. Brush the potatoes with salad oil, melted butter or fat. Slide into the broiler and cook five minutes, finish at a lower heat. Allow from 12 to 15 minutes altogether. Turn the chops and potatoes when browned on one side. The mushrooms do not need turning.

Tossed Green Salad
 Salad greens must always be thoroughly washed and rinsed. Drain them in a colander; or, if you do not own one, use the dish drainer. Then dry further on absorbent paper towels; wrap in a clean tea towel, or put in the hydrator of the refrigerator to crisp a few moments before cutting to make the tossed green salad.

Prunes are considered a good source of iron. Use them frequently but remember that they do not have a good vitamin C content and must not be considered a substitute for citrus fruits or high vitamin C foods.

**Tea Held In Honor
 C.R.C.S. Presidents
 And Conveners**

The Women's Work Committee of the Montreal Branch of the Canadian Red Cross entertained at a tea yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. W. Chipman, 4877 Jean Brillant avenue, in honor of presidents and conveners of Canadian Red Cross groups in the city. The Committee giving the tea included Mrs. W. W. Chipman, Chairman Women's Work Committee, Montreal Branch, C.R.C.S.; Mrs. Don Brown, Co-Chairman; Mrs. Rod Campbell, Vice-Chairman; with the following supervisors:

Miss Florence Butteris, Mrs. B. S. Scott, Mrs. E. Burkett, Mrs. N. S. Whittall, Mrs. C. L. Shotton, Mrs. Whiteford, Mrs. N. L. Saunders, Mrs. L. Luke, Mrs. Tippet, and Mrs. Bogert.
 Lilac, Snapdragons and yellow candles were arranged on a blue table cloth, in pleasing effect, and those pouring were Mme G. Boudrias, Vice-President of the Montreal Branch and Co-President of the Women's Work Committee of Provincial Division; Mme M. Forget, wife of Colonel Forget, President Montreal Br., C.R.C.S.; Mrs. W. W. Chipman; Mrs. Rod Campbell, Miss F. Butteris, Mrs. Tippet and Mrs. Bogert.

**CBF Winners to Appear
 At Fur Fashion Show**

Louise Roy and Jean Pierre Comeau, winners of the final awards of the CBF programme 'Nos Futures Etoiles' will appear as guest artists at the Fur Fashion Show being held in Windsor Hall of the Windsor Hotel on June 7th, 8th and 9th.

Prominent Montreal furriers will display their fur styles for next fall and winter at 2 showings daily—2.30 and 8.30 p.m. Five fur coats will be given away—one to the lucky winner at each show.

Mademoiselle Huguette, Oigny will act as commentator. The first public sale of tickets will be for the 8.30 show on June 7th. Tickets are available from your furrier—or at the door before each show.

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Westminster Abbey Organist to Give Recital in Montreal

The examiner for the Royal Schools of Music this year is Dr. Osborne Peasgood, Mus. D., F.R.C.O., G.R.C.M. He is Organist at Westminster Abbey and played for the Coronation of King George VI and for the marriage of Princess Elizabeth.

Dr. Peasgood will give a recital at the Church of St. Andrew and St. Paul, 3415 Redpath St., on Monday evening June 6th at 8.30 p.m. There will be no charge for admission.

Canon Scott I.O.D.E.

The Canon Scott Chapter, I. O. D. E., will hold a business meeting at the home of Mrs. G. E. Riley, 3799 Kent Avenue, Tuesday, at 8 p.m.

Mrs. Wright Hostess To Club Drama Group

Mrs. J. W. Wright, directress of the Drama Group of the Notre Dame de Grace Women's Club, entertained members of the Group at tea on Monday afternoon, May 23rd, at her home 6876 Sherbrooke St. West. Mauve and white

lilacs lent a festive air to the occasion.

Mrs. H. L. Taylor and Mrs. J. B. Rice presided at the teatable. Other guests were Mesdames J. W. Perks, J. H. Maude, R. Japp, C. W. Thompson, L. Campbell, H. P. Lockhart, J. C. Cairns, Frank Lindsay, M. T. B. McIntyre, C. R. Sellar, M. C. Moore, S. Turner, C. A. Morgan, F. Luxton, W. Robertson and L. Unsworth.

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Homoeopathic Holds Graduation Exercises

Graduating exercises of the Homoeopathic Hospital of Montreal were held last night at 8:30, in the Nurses' Residence.

Prayer was offered by Rev. H. Douglas Smith of Trinity Memorial Church, and the Address of Welcome was given by Mr. Douglas Bremner, President of the Board of Management. Miss M. G. Russell, Director of Nursing, gave the Nursing Report. Mrs. A. R. Griffith made the presentation of the diplomas, and Mrs. M. Stoker, President of the Woman's Auxiliary, presented the medals. An address was given by Dr. Frederick Smith, Dean of the Faculty of Medicine, McGill University. Dr. H. R. Griffith, Medical Superintendent, presented the prizes.

Among those graduating were: Eunice Arnott, Outremont, Que.; Elizabeth Banford, Lachute, Que.; Doris Beebe, New Carlisle, Que.; Roberta Fosbrooke, Montreal, Que.; Helen George, Corner Brook, Newfoundland; Helen Goodyear, Corner Brook, Newfoundland; Patricia Hackett, Three Rivers, Que.; Edith Hall, Napanee, Ont.; Verna Lane, Sydney, N.S.; Dorothy Legge, Verdun; June Lyle, Montreal; Florence Morrison, Sydney, N.S.; Maude McKell, Riverfield, Que.; Joan McMartin, Lachute Mills, Que.; Shirley McRae, Howick, Que.; Pamela Poole, Westmount; Marie Soga, New Denver, B. C.; Jean Tomalty, Lachute Mills, Que.; Mrs. Jean Yeates, Montreal West, Que., (in absentia).

Madison W.C.T.U.

The monthly meeting of the Madison W. C. T. U. will be held at the home of Mrs. L. B. Fuller, 16 Severn Avenue, Westmount, Friday evening. Reports from the two conventions will be given. Members will meet at Greene and Sherbrooke at 7.45 p.m.

Rummage Sales

The Shaar Hashomayim Chapter of Hadassah will hold a rummage sale on Wednesday, at 10 a.m. at 5251 St. Lawrence Blvd.

The committee serves schools in Montreal, Verdun, Lachine, Westmount and other parts of Greater Montreal. Its report shows an increase of more than 100 in the number of school dental clinics held. It showed 561 children treated dentally from Sept. 14 to May 20 and an appreciable increase in the number of fillings put into children's teeth.

During the term the committee had purchased a dental X-ray machine, installed in Aberdeen School, and which may be moved to Lachine for a period next autumn. Central clinics had been held in Aberdeen School; at the University Settlement; in the Welfare Federation Building, and in George Esplin School, Lachine. Twenty seven different schools in the Greater Montreal area had been served by the clinics and their full or part time dentists and dental assistants, numbering 13.

The Greater Montreal Children's Dental Committee is composed of representatives from its supporting organizations, such as the American Women's Club, the Cote des Neiges Women's Club, the Montreal Gyro Club, the I.O.D.E., Jewish Welfare League, Montreal Dental Club, Montreal Women's Club, Mount Royal Dental Society and the Rotary Club of Montreal. The largest single supporter is the Canadian Junior Red Cross. Chairman of the committee is Dr. D. P. Mowry, dean of the faculty of dentistry, McGill University. The report was submitted by Miss E. Lorraine How, director, Junior Red Cross, which administers the work.

Calvary. W.M.S.

The Woman's Missionary Society Auxiliary of Calvary Church, Westmount, will hold its June meeting in the church parlours, Wednesday, June 8, at 2.30 p.m. Taking part in the programme are Mrs. Colin Green, soprano; Mrs. Wm. Hewetson, contralto; Mrs. George A. Sheen, who will give a monologue; and Mr. Peter Griffiths, who will give pianoforte selections. Mrs. Noel Hardy will be the accompanist of the afternoon.

Tea will be served and a cordial invitation is extended to all friends to attend.

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"Gimme a Little Kiss — — — Will "Ya", Huh? — — — And I'll Give it Right Back to You!"



WHEN Billy Eckstein sits to play the piano in his modest but comfortable home at 5682 McLynn Avenue, he has 39 tropical birds for an audience. He didn't always have them, and it's only recently he's had that number, but Billy likes the birds so much that he's a little sorry he didn't start collecting them long before he did, three years ago.

In a special room tagged "The Jungle", Billy keeps his feathered friends, which, when itemized, the inventory is something like this: two canaries; eleven finches; two

love birds; two parrots; one African ring neck parakeet; ten budgies; two cardinals; four cockateels; one weaver one linnet; one African finch, and two Java Sparrows. His favorite is the ring necked parakeet, "my pet", who keeps saying "Comment ce a" and "Ohhhh," whenever anyone enters the room.

Polly the Parrot has little to

Birds and Music

By MEL JAMES

say other than she is "all right", and Laura, the other parrot, doesn't say very much, but she does show an ear for music by perking up whenever Billy plays Brahms' "Lullaby". Polly has a special composition, one which Billy wrote himself and entitled, "Sleep Kitty Casey", while "My pet" the parakeet's favorite is "Now is the Hour", and a radio commercial which starts off "Um um Good". During their favorites the birds are perched on Billy's shoulders.

Some of the birds are very rare, and perform the most unusual things which makes them a source of delight and entertainment for Mr. and Mrs. Eckstein.

THERE is the Weaver, a colorful bright orange and brown feathered bird, which is given the title weaver because that is exactly what it does. Colored pieces of wool are hung up in his cage, and before long, the weaver takes the wool, a different colored strand each time, and weaves them into a small mat.

Four cockateels have a big cage to themselves; and they may need a bigger one soon for the mother is sitting. An unusual highlight here, is to see the male cockateel take over and nest the eggs, while the female goes out to eat. Sometimes the male brings the food to her and other times, they will sit in on the eggs together.

Late To Bed—Early To Rise

THOUGH Billy doesn't get home from work until four in the morning, he's up by ten to help his wife feed them. Nearly two shelves of a large pantry are kept stocked with bird-food alone, not counting what some of the birds eat that are left-overs from their own meals. "My Pet", the Parakeet likes bread soaked in cream for breakfast, while the parrots, in addition to their regular sunflower seed diet, and toast in the morning, get fruits, nuts and meat bones as delicacies during the day.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Eckstein are very fond of birds. The other week a little girl brought them a newborn robin which she had found on the grass. For three days and nights, the Eckstein's tried to save the tiny creature that was still featherless, but it died, probably because it got too much food and over attention. Mrs. Eckstein stayed up with it most of the three nights, thinking it

could be saved, but they both admit that a bird of that age, is so delicate, it needs its mother to know what is good and what isn't good for it to eat.

IN THE winter time too, Billy has an extra hundred or more birds to feed. The sparrows who fail to fly south for the winter months, head towards the Eckstein homestead every day knowing full well that food will be plentiful in the back yard of their home.

A squirrel that makes his home in a nearby tree, is getting tame enough to not dash off when Billy goes into the yard, and another joy with Billy is his Casey, the eleven year old collie which he's had since three weeks old. Casey, a big friendly dog, takes life easy now, except when he is ordered to chase away two or three black cats that try to disturb the sparrows in winter-time. Billy likes cats too, but they play havoc with the sparrows during their eating time, so he hasn't any around the house.

But if Billy didn't have the birds or the dog or the squirrel to contend with he openly admits he'd have other pets including cats, for as he says, "My wife and I would find the house empty without some pets to look after".

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Irene Nichols' Pupils to Hold Concert at Westmount High

Pupils of Irene Nichols, L.R.S.M. (London), will present a pianoforte recital, entitled the Merry Melody Makers, on Friday, June 10th, at 7 p.m., in Westmount Junior High School, Academy Road. Proceeds from the recital will go to the Royal Edward Laurentian Hospital.

Those taking part are all 11 years of age or under and the youngest is five. Master of Ceremonies will be John Foote.

Leading off the program will be two duets by Peter Jacobs and Ian Forrest; and Karen Hall and Helen Beal. Then playing music that comes under the title of Favorite Melodies, will be Elizabeth Daly, Andrea Daly, Brenda Keddie, Miriam Cooper and Barbara MacLean.

The Very Young Beginners will play several selections and members of this group are Angus MacDonald, Brenda Bridgman, Lynda and Loring Hale, George Montgomery, Jennifer Robinson, Elizabeth Abbott, Paul Wisenthall, Karen Kaufman, Elizabeth Horner and Elliott Smith. Following this, John Foote will play

Prelude in C Sharp Minor by Rachmaninoff.

Always popular with the youngsters are nursery rhymes and they will be played by duets composed of Merrick Walsh and Ian Harris; Janet Martin and Patricia Archibald; Betty Griffiths and Ian Harris; Judy Cooper and Jean MacArthur; Margaret Jacques and Susan Craig; Jean MacArthur and Susan Maughan; Elaine Liverman and Susan Craig; Joan Wright and Penny Hugman; Diana Fairman and Heather Forrest; and Judith Parker and Elizabeth Jeffries.

Getting into the more serious music will be Lynda Melling, John Wilson, Margaret Clegg, Venetia Elliott, Alan Frosst and John Hardy who will play classical favorites.

Twelve second year students

will be featured in Safety Songs. They are Helen Bertram, Eric Lande, John Bridgman, Anne McLean, Elizabeth Beamer, Jack Yuille, Ann Henderson, Janet Smith, Irene Elkin, Bruce Stavert, Marilyn Maughan, and Wendell Laidley.

Playing other numbers under the heading of Contrast In Dance Melody will be Douglas Dawson, Jane Woodburn, Sandra McMaster, Janet Taylor and Judith Bennett.

Pamela Gould, Eddie Rodney and Elizabeth Coffey will play Famous Concertos.

Showing the range of the pupils' talents, popular music also comes into its own under Neil Lande, Barbara Gillespie, Peter Darling and Nancy Willis.

The finale will feature Betty Smith, Heather Wilson, Helen Tucker and Diana Currie.

Heather Wilson will be soloist and John Wilson, accompanist, during God Save The King. Ferns for decoration are through the courtesy of H. A. Reilly, and Chas. J. Hill Reg'd.

"June Bride" Starts Sunday At The Westmount Theatre

With due respect to the other, both Bette Davis and Robert Montgomery, stars of the laugh-provoking film, "June Bride," to be shown at the Westmount starting Sunday, recall that their first professional encounter more than a few years ago was something less than memorable.

In Montgomery's case, it seems that he was too dazzled by a captivating lady called Billie Burke to notice another member of a Rochester, N.Y., stock company — a snip of a girl name of Davis.

And as for Bette Davis, she recalls that her principal concern in a brief engagement with the company was to make an impression on the director, George Cukor. The fact that there was a leading man named Montgomery left her completely unmoved. She couldn't have cared less.

How the leading man fared with Miss Burke or how much of an impression the young blonde made on the director nobody knows. That was years ago, and the event is now so hazy in the minds of the principals that they can't even recall the title of the play in which their talents briefly touched.

"I played in so many that season," Montgomery says, "that it

might have been anything from Shaw to Shakespeare."

"Well, hardly Shakespeare," Miss Davis replied. "As a matter of fact, it's more likely to have been Ibsen. Or St. John Irvine."

Danny Kaye's Latest Musical Comedy At Seville, Saturday

Versatile Danny Kaye again dominates Samuel Goldwyn's newest Technicolor musical, "A Song Is Born", which opens Saturday at the Seville Theatre. Danny shares stellar honors once again with gorgeous Virginia Mayo.

Supporting the agile Kaye, Samuel Goldwyn has gathered what is probably the most famous and expensive group of jazz musicians the screen has ever seen. Kaye, a youthful professor in search of a jazz education, calls on the enormous and entertaining talents of Benny Goodman, Tommy Dorsey, Louis Armstrong, Lionel Hampton, Charlie Barnet, Mel Powell, The Golden Gate Quartet and The Page Cavanaugh Trio.

The search for musical knowledge finds Kaye, one of seven squirrely professors—Hugh Her-

bert, Felix Bressart, J. Edward Bromberg, Ludwig Stossel, O. Z. Whitehead, and Benny Goodman are the others—venturing out into the world of jive and boogie in the interests of science. Their investigation lead them through a sparkling mixture of swing tunes a delightful Danny Kaye—Virginia Mayo romance, sinister menaces, and a climatic jam session that will put you on the edge of your seats.

Danny Kaye in his fifth straight success for Samuel Goldwyn proves himself still one of the screen's top funnyman. Howard Hawks' happy combination of his talents with sparkling performances by the "greats of jazz," as well as the decorative Virginia Mayo, offer unbeatable entertainment. By all means, put it on your must list.

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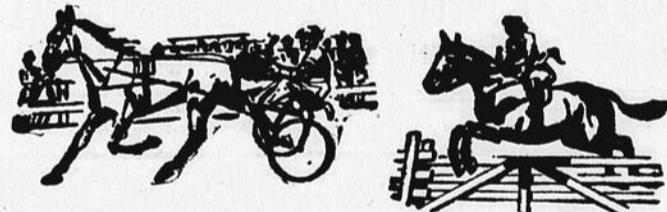
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Ascension Ascend To First Place

Meet St. Augustine's Tonight at N.D.G. Park

By GEORGE COCHRANE
They're great. They're wonderful. They're superb.
They're Ascension's hustling band of ballhawks who climbed into a first place tie in the Snowdon Senior Fastball League this past week with a well-earned 7-4

win over a battling St. Augustine's team last Sunday evening.
To get that win the locals had to come from behind a four-run lead which Fritz Crowdis's St. A's had piled up in first inning of the ball game.

At time of writing, Ascension and Robitaille are all even at the top of the heap. Steinberg's and Columbus are next in line, only half a game behind the league leaders, while St. Augustine's and Hampton are way down in the fifth and sixth slots. The Hamptonites, who absorbed two very bad drubbings over the week-end, have only one victory in seven starts.

Ascension meet St. Augustine's again tonight at N. D. G. Park. Starting time is 6.45.

Other games scheduled for the coming week in the Snowdon Senior Fastball League are as follows:

Sunday afternoon at Macdonald, 1.45: Hampton vs Columbus; St. Augustine's vs Robitaille.

Sunday night at N. D. G. Park, 6.45: Columbus vs Steinberg's.

Monday night at Trenholme Park, 6.45: Ascension vs Hampton.

Wednesday night at Macdonald Park, 6.45: St. Augustine's vs Ascension.

LEAGUE STANDINGS

	W.	L.	Pct.	GB
Ascension	4	2	.667	
Robitaille	4	2	.667	

Looking Up



Freckle-faced Jackie Guthrie, 6, admires Willard Marshall at Giants' Phoenix, Ariz., training camp while the big outfielder obliges with an autograph.

SPORTIVELY SPEAKING

By George Cochrane

FAN MAIL—AND AN ANSWER

Dear George:
I read your column every week and wonder if you could find space to publish a little information for me and some friends. We'd like to know just how many men have held what the Americans call "the world's heavyweight boxing title". Can you oblige?

Sincerely,
ALLAN LOCKE,

Well, strange as it may seem, with the help of Nat Fleischer, editor of Ring Magazine, I can. Here is Fleischer's list of heavyweight titleholders:

Name	Tenure of Title	Years
Tom Hyer	1841-1849	8
Yankee Sullivan	1849-1853	4
John Morrissey	1853-1857	4
John C. Heenan	1857-1863	6
Joe Coburn	1863-1865	2
James Dunn	1865-1866	1
Mike McCool	1866-1869	3
Tom Allen	1869-1880	11
Paddy Ryan	1880-1882	2
John L. Sullivan	1882-1892	10
James J. Corbett	1892-1897	5
Robert Fitzsimmons	1897-1899	2
James J. Jeffries	1899-1906	7
Tommy Burns	1907-1908	1
Jack Johnson	1908-1915	7
Jess Willard	1915-1919	4
Jack Dempsey	1919-1926	7
Gene Tunney (retired)	1926-1928	2
Title vacant, 1928-1930, until Schmeling and Sharkey fought for it.		
Max Schmeling	1930-1932	2
Jack Sharkey	1932-1933	1
Primo Carnera	1933-1934	1
Max Baer	1934-1935	1
James J. Braddock	1935-1937	2
Joe Louis	1937-1949	12

JOTTINGS

At this time a year ago St. Augustine's were in first place in the Snowdon Senior Fastball league with a record of four wins and two losses. Today the Saints are in fifth with only two wins against five losses. However, last year the St. A's started off like a little group of balls of fire, wound up with the same amount of animation, and success, as a package of damp firecrackers. This year, manager Fraser "Fritz" Crowdis and his cohorts are hoping that things will work in reverse . . . A couple of birthdays coming up of interest to those in the sports world. Gus Mell, the whirlwind mitt slinger from Griffintown, will be 24 next Wednesday . . . And Thomas Patrick Gorman will be observing his natal day, few people know just which one it is as Tay Pay is rather secretive on the subject, a week from today.

Robitaille established the supremacy of the local fastball league over that of Verdun on Sunday night when they took on Viar of the Verdun Independent League and handed them a memorable 27-2 trouncing. Bill Todd, who hasn't had too much success as a hurler for the mechanical men up this way, went the route for the winners . . . Local members of the N.D.G. Royals will be honored during tomorrow's St. Augustine's-Ascension game at N. D. G. Park. Phil Wimmer, who saw these boys begin their organized hockey careers in the local pee wee loops, is the man largely responsible for tomorrow night's affair . . . Tommy Maltby, Hampton third sacker, became a father last week. It was a daughter, to be called Patricia Victoria. Johnny Coy is the infant's uncle.

side in the sixth but was lifted for a pinch hitter in the seventh. Devlin took over from there and was tagged with the loss, his second of the day.

Gerard "The Team" Lecavalier tossed for the winners and was credited with his fourth win of the season against one loss. The calm righthander brought his strikeout total up to 45 by whiffing 12 of the Saints.

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Batteries: Dyke, Labelle, Devlin and Gray; Lecavalier and Harvie.
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Prunes Whip St. Leo's 17-4

Four games took place in the Westmount Bantam Softball league.

Dave McDougall pitched tight ball for the Prunes as they defeated the St. Leo Bantams 17-4. Ray Baily hit 2 homeruns and John Petry connected for the circuit to lead the Prunes attack. C. Sawyer smashed a homer for St. Leo's.

The Cardinals went on a hitting spree to defeat the Sox 14-8. Ross Southward receiving credit for the win and Gerry Apostolatos suffering the loss.

On Monday the Prunes had an easy time against the Cardinals coming out on the right side of a 23-4 score. Dave McDougall pitched 5-hit ball to chalk up his second win of the season. John Petry, Ray Baily, Dave McDougall and C. Bowles all connected for homers.

Gerry Apostolatos came up with his first win of the season pitching 6-hit ball for the Sox to set back St. Leo's 14-5. Joe Raskin and Pat Baker banged out homers for the winners.

Tennis Instruction Classes Underway

Classes for tennis instruction are now underway, and registration for new classes still open.

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Ottawa Cricket Team Plays Here Tomorrow

The Ottawa Cricket team will be playing a representative team of the Montreal Cricket Club at Westmount Park, tomorrow at 1 p.m.

Mr. G. Pike, Secretary of the Cricket Club advises that the game should be a very interesting one as this team is the one which has played here before and once at Rideau Hall, Ottawa, against the local club.

The game will be played under M.C.C. rules.

DARWIN TREK

Sixty aborigines and their wives marched down the main street of Darwin, Australia, after a 300-mile trek in quest of tobacco. A few weeks ago the natives learned that their local shop at a mission only 100 miles from their habitat along the Liverpool river, was out of tobacco. They picked up their spears and knapsacks and set out for Darwin. The native affairs branch there furnished them tobacco, as well as clothing coupons for those who needed apparel.

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He was born in 1852 and brought up in an atmosphere of gigantic exhibitions. And although rumor for many years said that he never kept a dog himself he knew the innate affection of Englishmen for dogs. He died in 1938.

Among the first exhibitors was Queen Victoria. Her collie took a prize, but her three pomeranians were outpointed by dogs belonging to her more humble subjects and never had a mention.

For the first time the show is being staged by the Kennel Club, the organization that keeps the register of dogs and their pedigrees.

An official told me that over 70 per cent of the dogs now kept in this country are registered; or, as the layman would say, are purebred without a trace of the mongrel. About two and a half million licenses to keep a dog are issued by the Post Office annually.

The biggest entry for the show is by cocker spaniels, far and away the most popular dog of the day and responsible for one-quarter of the Kennel Club's registrations.

Three newcomers will be seen—the white Norwegian Buhund, or sheepdog, the creamy Maremma sheepdog of Italy, and the Leonburgher, rather like a large golden retriever, from the Wurtemberg district of Germany.

Three Leonburghers are believed to be now in England. How the dog to be seen at Cruft's got here is interesting. During the occupation of Germany a tank, with Gunner Gower, of Alton, Hants, and his brother, drove into a farmyard on the Italian-Austrian border and saw a dog tethered — a

rather nice one they thought.

The farmer told them he was fattening it up to render it down to make soap. So Gunner Gower gave up his soap issue and got the dog.

But some popular pre-war breeds will not be there. There are no entries of Newfoundlands or mastiffs, breeds that became war-time casualties chiefly because of feeding difficulties. There are only eight bloodhounds.

Breeds that have come forward since 1939 include the barkless dogs from the Congo, the red, curly-tailed Basenji; the large white Pyrenean dog — the one which was presented to Lord

Credit Men To Hold Golf Tournament, June 7

The Montreal Chapter of the Canadian Credit Institute, will hold their Annual Golf Tournament at the LaSalle Golf and Country Club, Tuesday, June 7.

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Every person who takes a 10" bass in the spawning season kills at least a potential 40 adult bass which are needed to propagate the species. It is not hard to visualize the speed with which bass would become a rarity when it is known that any number of people fish on their spawning beds. They show no regard for tomorrow. Today only is considered by them. Wardens do their best, but it seems a shame that they should be necessary.

Every year people are becoming educated to the reason for protecting fish while spawning, but there are some, who, knowing the reasons still do not practice them. The only way to protect our bass from these poachers is by maximum fines for all offences, already provided for in our fish and game laws. It follows, therefore, that we should do all our power to protect these fish while they are spawning. It also follows that they should not be taken under the legal size.

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