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Mrs. Damien Quenneville, 85, Victim Of First Street Fatality In Over Four Years

Mrs. Damien Quenneville, 85, died Sunday evening shortly after admittance to Hotel Dieu, Cornwall, to end almost four-and-a-half years of fatality-free street traffic in Alexandria.

Mrs. Quenneville was struck by a car as she attempted to cross Main street south to her home immediately north of the United Church cemetery, about 5:30 p.m. Sunday. She suffered two broken legs and undetermined internal injuries to which she succumbed shortly after being conveyed to hospital.

It was the first fatal accident on an Alexandria street since July 3rd, 1954, when Maurice Dore, 7, met death.

Mrs. Quenneville had been visiting friends and was returning home when the accident occurred. Police report a car driven by David McBride, 23, of Ironsides, Que., was proceeding south on Main street and was meeting an oncoming car. A light snow was falling and though he applied his brakes when he spied the woman, slippery road conditions prevented the car from stopping in time.

Police Chief Ed Dupuis and Constable Fern Seguin investigated. Dr. D. J. Dolan was called and had the injured woman removed to hospital where death ensued.

A respected resident of Alexandria for the past 20 years, Mrs. Quenneville was born at Pointe Fortune, Que., a daughter (Delima) of Napoleon Proulx and his wife, Emma Meilleur, who later moved to this area. She would have been 86 on Sunday.

Following her marriage 62 years ago to the late Damien Quenneville, she resided in the 4th Kenyon, the couple coming to reside here 20 years ago when he retired from farming. Mrs. Quenneville had been in good health despite her advancing years and had been active in the Ladies of Ste Anne and other women's organizations of Sacred Heart Parish over many years. News of her tragically sudden death was received with regret by many relatives and friends.

Mr. Quenneville predeceased her 11 years ago and she is survived by

seven daughters including Mrs. Arthur Carriere (Ida), with whom she resided. The others are: Albina, Mrs. Telephore Paquette, Maxville; Yvonne, Mrs. Edgar Deschamps, Green Valley; Agnes, Mrs. Noe Cadieux, Brockville; Mrs. Bertha Deschamps and Mrs. Stella Cook, Montreal; and Mrs. Arthur Trottier, Greenfield.

One brother, Armand Proulx, of Alexandria, also survives.

The body rested at the Marcoux & Morris Funeral Home until Wednesday morning, when the very largely attended funeral was held to Sacred Heart Church and vault. Rev. Emillen Houde, P.P., chanted the Solemn Mass of Requiem, assisted by Rev. Hollis LaPiere and Rev. C. F. Gauthier.

Six grandsons acted as pallbearers: Guy, Marcel, Claude and Roger Deschamps, Leonard Paquette and Rene Trottier.

Attending the funeral in addition to many residents of town and district were relatives and friends from Montreal, Ottawa, Cornwall and other outside points.

Publishing Early Next Week

Our Christmas week edition will go to press Tuesday of next week, and correspondents are asked to try and have their budgets of news reach our desk on Monday; or not later than Tuesday morning.

This edition will carry greetings of town and district businessmen and others. Anyone wishing to insert a greeting in this issue, or other advertising, is reminded copy must reach us no later than Monday.

Ottawa Couple 60 Years Wed On Saturday

Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. McIntosh, 133 Smirle Ave., Ottawa, will celebrate their 60th wedding anniversary on Saturday, December 20th. They will be "At Home" to their friends from 2 to 5 p.m. on that day.

Mrs. McIntosh was the former Christena McDougall of St. Elmo. They were married on December 20th, 1898, by the pastor of Gordon Presbyterian Church in St. Elmo, the Rev. H. D. Leitch.

They resided at Moose Creek until 1920, when they moved to Ottawa, where they have since resided.

They have a family of one son and five daughters. All but one of the family reside in Ottawa. Mrs. A. M. Rutherford lives in Calgary.

George L. McIntosh of Moose Creek, is a brother of Mr. McIntosh, and A. D. McDougall of Maxville, is a brother of Mrs. McIntosh. They have thirteen grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Many At Funeral Mrs. MacDonald

The funeral of the late Mrs. James H. MacDonald of Green Valley, was held from Marcoux & Morris Funeral Home last Saturday, December 13th, at St. Raphael's Church at 10 a.m. Rev. D. A. Kerr, P.P., was celebrant of the Solemn Requiem High Mass, assisted by Rev. John D. McPhail, as deacon, and Rev. Leo MacDonell, as sub-deacon. Rt. Rev. Msgr. R. J. Macdonald was present in the Sanctuary and officiated at the graveside.

Chief mourners included her husband; one son, Mervyn MacDonald; one sister, Catherine Ellen Blair, Montreal; and one brother, Albert Blair of Smiths Falls. Unable to be present at the funeral were four brothers, Allan B. Blair of Edmonton; Fred and Gordon, in England, and Edward of Ottawa.

Her death, which occurred on December 10th, at Hotel Dieu, Cornwall, followed an illness of two months. A resident of the Glen Nevis and St. Raphael areas throughout her lifetime, she was known as a kindly neighbor and devoted parishioner.

Pallbearers were: Hugh Murphy, Prescott; Rod A. R. MacDonell, Glen Nevis; John A. D. MacDonell, Alexandria; James MacDougall, Louis Menard and Albert Seguin, Green Valley.

Members of the St. Finnan's and St. Raphael units of the OWL called at the funeral home in a body to recite the rosary.

Many friends and relatives attended the funeral from Montreal, Cornwall, Prescott, Smiths Falls and O'Brien, Ont., as well as from the surrounding area.

Dalkeith Man Died Suddenly Shovelling Snow

Suffering a heart attack while clearing snow with his tractor about his buildings, William MacLaurin, 71, Dalkeith area farmer, died about 4 o'clock Tuesday afternoon. Mr. MacLaurin apparently was shovelling snow at the wheels of the tractor when he suffered the seizure and collapsed. Members of the family found him there.

Coroner Dr. D. J. Dolan of Alexandria, was called.

Mr. MacLaurin had been in apparent good health, and his sudden death came as a shock to family and friends. A lifelong resident of the area, he was held in high regard.

To mourn, he leaves his wife, the former Norma Cass; two sons, John and Stuart, at home; and two daughters, Ruth, Mrs. Hugh Montgomery of Montreal, and Margaret, in Ottawa.

One brother and two sisters also survive: Albert MacLaurin of Cornwall; Miss Sadie MacLaurin of Ottawa, and Mrs. Mary Sinclair of Vankleek Hill.

The funeral is being held today at 2 p.m. to Vankleek Hill Baptist Church and the vault. Interment will be in Breadalbane Baptist cemetery in the Spring.

Rolland Brisson Heads Richelieu's

Rolland Brisson was elected president of the Richelieu Club of Alexandria when elections were held at the Monday dinner meeting of that service organization. He succeeds Rene Gauthier in that office.

The club voted a sum of money in support of a new youth movement, the Jeunesse Etudiante Catholique, which the Holy Cross Sisters are introducing at Maryvale Abbey, Glen Nevis. Purpose of the J.E.C. is to direct teen-agers into more profitable ways of occupying their leisure hours, and through their example to influence other juveniles away from the present-day trends to delinquency. It is hoped the J.E.C. movement will spread in time throughout the diocese.

Summs of money were also voted to local charitable cases and to the Santa Claus Parade fund.

Officers to be installed at the first meeting in January are:
Past President—Rene Gauthier.
President—Rolland Brisson.
Vice-Pres.—Donat Boisvenue.
Sec.-Treas.—Ronald Cholette.
Cardinal—Raymond Rochon.
Master of Ceremonies — Lionel Poirier.
Directors — Laurent Crevier, Gerard Lefebvre, Gerard Roy.

Rare Operation On Child A Success

Little Francine Poirier, 5, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Laurent Poirier, Alexandria, came home from hospital Monday, following a serious heart operation which promises a more normal life.

A closed valve in the heart was opened by surgery at the Montreal Children's Hospital, where the child was a patient three weeks. Doctors pronounced the operation a complete success.

Francine is the oldest of Mr. and Mrs. Poirier's three daughters.

Two Bainsville Area Men Escape Injuries When Train Strikes Truck

"I felt the cold breath of death down my neck . . . I was sure we were goners."

Harry Lahnemann, 31-year-old Bainsville farmer, was one of two men in a truck which was sliced in half by a speeding passenger train near Bainsville, Friday afternoon.

Mr. Lahnemann was able to jump clear in time before the locomotive "tore the whole front end of our truck to shreds", but his friend Hugh J. McQuaig didn't make it.

Ontario Provincial Police officers at Lancaster described Mr. McQuaig's escape as "miraculous". Next day the driver of the ton truck was resting at his Bainsville home "getting over the shock" and suffering from minor cuts.

It was just another work day for the two farmers who in the winter take on jobs as electrical contractors. But the day turned out to be far from "just another work day."

Instead Friday, December 11th, 1958, will be remembered for the "closest encounter with death we

ever had."

"And I've been through the war and have had a few close calls before", said the still upset and unbelieving Mr. Lahnemann.

"But never this close."

The two men had just pulled out from the McQuaig farm when the collision happened shortly after two p.m.

"As we drove toward the crossing just near the McQuaig farm, we were thinking of the job we had to do out in the country."

It was supposed to be just another day in their lives. The road was not sanded. It was like a skating rink.

Both the passenger and police officers described the crossing as "one of those dangerous ones."

There was no wig-wag or any other warning to announce the train which because of the banks along the track and crossing is "out of sight until it's right on top of you."

Other than the fact that both are alive and well, Mr. Lahnemann's

recollection of the tragic experience "is uncertain."

"It happened so fast. I think we slid up the slight grade onto the track and I remember at first we thought we were going to make it."

They didn't. The difference between making it and being hit was described in inches.

"We took one look at that big hunk of steel bearing down on us and we knew it was no use. We had to get out."

Lahnemann had his hand on the door handle.

"All sorts of things were running through my mind." Seconds became hours. The train kept coming towards them. "I couldn't wait any longer."

The passenger jumped.

As he crashed to the ice he heard a "thud" and the sound of the steam escaping from the demolished truck. But above all was the roar of the westbound train.

"My first thoughts were of Hugh", said Mr. Lahnemann. Had his friend jumped, or was

Speeding Freight Derailed On Outskirts Of Maxville Tuesday

Train service on the CNR's Montreal - Ottawa line was disrupted for the second time in ten days early Tuesday morning when four cars of a speeding freight train left the tracks on the western outskirts of Maxville. The wreck followed that of December 6th when four cars of the morning passenger train left the rails near Vars.

There was the threat of fire or explosion in Tuesday's wreck when four tank cars, three of them carrying high octane gas were involved. The gas from the overturned cars spilled out onto the right-of-way and Maxville Fire Department under Chief Merton Casey was called out as a precaution. No fire resulted, however.

A broken wheel carriage under one of the cars caused the derailment and the break occurred as the train passed the station. One wheel assembly snapped off a telegraph pole beside the coal shed of Maxville Feed & Seed, disrupting telegraph and telephone service between the two cities. The cars left the tracks just west of the Borden plant. The road bed was badly ripped up in that area and traffic was being rerouted over the siding tracks yesterday as special crews labored to restore the line.

Tuesday's wreck recalled that of July 18th, 1955, when an open switch caused derailment of a speeding freight practically at the same spot.

The train — 43 loaded cars and 13 empty — was running from Montreal to Ottawa. After the cars jackknifed across the main line the oil tankers flipped on their sides but the boxcars remained upright.

CNR passengers scheduled to leave Ottawa for Montreal at 7:40 that morning were told the run was cancelled.

The 9 a.m. train from Montreal was rerouted on the CPR line. A CNR official said passengers on that train for Alexandria, Maxville and Casselman were dropped at the nearest point to their destinations and taken the remainder of the way by taxi.

Normal schedules were resumed Tuesday night.

Unconscious Three Hours When Truck Left Road

Jean-Guy Sabourin, 19, of Alexandria, driver of a Glengarry Transport rig, lay unconscious for three hours in sub-zero weather near Gananoque early last Thursday morning, but escaped ill effects from exposure. He suffered only minor bruises, too, when the transport plunged off Highway 2 onto the frozen over St. Lawrence River.

The accident occurred about 2:30 a.m. and Sabourin regained consciousness only about 6 o'clock. He was able to regain the highway and flag down a car that brought him to hospital in Gananoque.

The transport was taking a load of empty cheese boxes to Toronto and it suffered an estimated \$8,000 damage, owner Gerard Lefebvre reports.

Santa Claus At Lancaster Saturday

Santa Claus comes to Lancaster Saturday on the invitation of Lancaster Legion Branch and the Recreation Association.

He arrives at 2 p.m. and a colorful parade is now being organized that will see the grand old gent paraded in state from the Hydro yard to the Library grounds where the community Christmas Tree is already set up.

The Char-Lan Girls' band will head up the parade and all the kiddies of the district are invited to get in on the doings.

Dr. Peat Takes Hospital Plan Post

Dr. R. S. Peat, Medical Officer of Health for the United Counties for the past 12½ years, has resigned to take an important post with the Ontario Hospital Services Commission.

Dr. Peat will join the commission on January 1st, the date on which the new Ontario Hospital Plan comes into effect. He will be in charge of developing a program for the handling of chronic and convalescent care under the plan.

Dr. Peat came to Cornwall in 1945 to become director and Medical Officer of Health of the Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry Health Unit. It has charge of all public health work in Cornwall and the United Counties.

Many At Funeral D. A. MacDonald

Relatives and friends from near and far, many of them from Montreal, thronged St. Finnan's Cathedral, Sunday, for the funeral of Donald Angus MacDonald (Sandy Angus), held from the Marcoux & Morris Funeral Home at 2:30 o'clock.

Mr. MacDonald, a resident of the Third Kenyon, died December 11th at Hotel Dieu, Cornwall, following a stroke suffered at his home two days previously. He was 69.

He was born at Lot 16-2nd Kenyon, a son of Sandy Angus MacDonald and his wife, Annie McGillis. Before returning to his native Glengarry to reside, he had spent some years in Western Canada, in the mining country of Northern Ontario and in Montreal. Blessed with a strong physique, Mr. MacDonald also possessed a personality which won him many friends as was evidenced by the large attendance at his funeral.

Rev. J. D. McPhail, rector, sang the Libera. Rev. C. F. Gauthier was in the Sanctuary. The funeral Mass was sung on Monday morning.

Pallbearers were: Rod O'Brien, Grant Kennedy, Donald McPherson, Ronald McDonald, Angus H. MacDonell and Albert Faubert.

Some 1,500 Saw Santa Saturday

Saturday saw a busy street scene in Alexandria with Santa Claus the big attraction.

The jolly old gent reached the station promptly on time for the parade down Main street at 2 o'clock. His sleigh was preceded by a sound car dispensing cheerful Christmas airs and he was accompanied by a couple of clowns calculated to make small eyes grow even bigger than would the sight of Santa alone. The new fire truck was in the parade, as were a new Chev and an old wreck, compliments of Glengarry Motor Sales. The wreck was a reminder to drive carefully through the holidays.

Arrived at the municipal parking lot, Santa received some 1,500 small fry from town and district and dispensed as many treats to the tots.

Funeral Today To Glen Nevis

The death of Mrs. Rod A. R. MacDonell, a well known and highly respected resident of Glen Nevis parish, occurred Monday, December 15th, at St. Mary's Hospital, Montreal. Aged 68, she had been in declining health for some months.

The former Annie McDougall of Green Valley, she was the daughter of the late Dan MacDougall and his wife, Bella MacDonell.

In addition to her husband, she is survived by two sons and four daughters. They are: Woodrow of Kirkland Lake; Donald, Glen Nevis; (Myrtle) Mrs. Tom O'Hare, (Theresa) Mrs. Vincent Alary, and the Misses Loretta and Norma MacDonell, all of Montreal.

She also leaves seven brothers: Joseph and John of Green Valley; Frank and Angus of St. Catharines; Ranald of O'Brien, Ont.; Archie of Summerstown, and Angus J. of Calgary, Alta.

A resident of the St. Raphael and Glen Nevis areas throughout her lifetime, she was a member of Glen Nevis CWL for many years. A kindly and cheerful disposition endeared her to a wide circle of friends who received with sorrow the word of her passing.

The funeral was held from Marcoux & Morris Funeral Home this morning to St. Margaret of Scotland Church, Glen Nevis, where the Solemn Requiem Mass was chanted by Rev. Leo MacDonell, assisted by Rev. D. A. Kerr as deacon and Rev. Francis Foley as sub-deacon. Rev. J. H. Oulmet was in the Sanctuary. Prayers at the graveside were led by Rev. D. A. Kerr.

Pallbearers were: John McLeod, John D. A. MacDonell, Ambrose MacDonell, Roddy MacKay, Mervyn MacDonell, Mark MacDonell.

A wealth of floral tributes and spiritual offerings was received by the family, and numerous messages of sympathy indicated the regret felt by a host of friends.

The funeral was largely attended, with relatives and friends present from New York City, St. Catharines, Montreal, Cornwall, Kirkland Lake and Coteau, as well as the surrounding locality.



60 YEARS WED ON SATURDAY — Former residents of the Moose Creek area, Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. McIntosh of 133 Smirle Ave., Ottawa, will mark their diamond wedding anniversary Saturday. They will be "At Home" to their friends from 2 to 5 p.m. that day. Mrs. McIntosh is the former Christena McDougall of St. Elmo, and they were married in Gordon Church, December 20th, 1898.

Gardens Open For Skating As Municipalities Promise Aid

Glengarry Gardens' ice is ready for skating and other winter sports less than a week after the heads of area municipalities promised substantial aid in the way of grants at a meeting held here last Thursday night.

Trouble with the ice-making machine over the weekend spoiled the first sheet of ice, but it has since been rectified and Alex DaPrato, manager, expected to have a good ice surface ready Wednesday or Thursday night.

Not only did the area reeves promise temporary financial aid for this year, but they also promised to take up with the new councils of 1959 the possibility of all co-operating to purchase the arena if that was found feasible under existing provincial legislation.

A possible \$3,000 will be granted the Gardens directorate to guarantee them against loss on this year's operations. Alexandria's council has promised \$1,000; Lochiel Township, whose council was almost entirely represented at the meeting, will give a \$500 grant, and the heads of the other three townships promised to go back to their councils and try to match the Lochiel grant of \$500.

Assured of this help, directors of the Gardens promised to start making ice Friday, and they have lost no time in fulfilling that pledge.

Thursday's meeting was well attended, particularly by Lochiel residents who had spearheaded efforts to restore the arena to use, and by citizens of Alexandria, whose representation included several of the so-called weaker sex.

Town Clerk Peter A. Charlebois was chairman and Mayor George Simon led the discussion which reviewed the rather hazardous life of the arena since its erection. Television was seen as Public Enemy No. 1 and it was generally agreed that if such community recreation facilities were to survive they would require help in the form of grants

from the municipalities.

Representing the townships were: Lochiel — Reeve Eugene Ranger, Reeve-elect Roy MacMillan, Deputy Reeve-elect Alfred Joanette and Clerk-Treasurer A. J. McDonald; Kenyon — Reeve-elect D. A. Gray and Deputy Reeve-elect Dan Flaro; Charlottenburgh — Deputy Reeve Bernard McPherson and Clerk-Treasurer W. J. Murray; Lancaster — Reeve Jos. Fillon.

Mrs. Lloyd McHugh spoke for the CWL, and Mrs. Doug. Baxter for the United Church, while Hugh D. MacQuaig was representing the Legion. They pointed up the healthful aspects of arena activities and its contribution to the community in preventing juvenile delinquency.

Following agreement on the amount of assistance that might be provided, the Gardens' directors were called in to confer and readily agreed to provide ice at once.

The grants are conditioned on the provision of artificial ice, on free skating hours for children and supervised minor league hockey. The ice plant, which broke down early this week, will be ready for use Friday, the manager reports.

It was emphasized at the meeting that any move to purchase the Gardens by the co-operating municipalities would require not only approval of the Municipal Board but probably a vote as well.

Martintown Man Found Dying

Louis Parent, 87, residing just north of Martintown, was found dying in his home, Thursday morning of last week, and death ensued shortly after Rev. H. J. Oulmet had been called. A neighbor found Mr. Parent in the home in which he lived alone.

Coroner Dr. D. J. Dolan of Alexandria, was called and attributed death to natural causes.

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EDITORIALS

IT'S OUR OPINION

Co-operation Can Even Make Ice

DECISION to provide ice in Glangarry Gardens for winter sports comes as a nice Christmas present for the youths of town and country. Now those skates, hockey sticks, pads and such that Santa was doubtful about giving, will be received with delight. And minor league hockey can be resumed on the same high plane it knew last Spring.

We were too involved in getting out a heavy paper to attend last Thursday night's meeting, when the decision was made to open the doors of Glangarry Gardens and resume activities without delay. But from all accounts it was a good meeting, widely representative, and the ladies, there in numbers, acquitted themselves well in pleading that some means be found whereby these fine winter sports facilities should once again be available for the young fry.

The Gardens' directors must have no doubt now, but that a lot of area people value highly the local arena. And they have the assurance of the heads of area municipalities that substantial financial help will be forthcoming to prevent further losses in operation. There is some hope, too, that the municipalities may find a way to pool their efforts in purchasing the arena and thus assure its future as a centre of winter sports.

That readiness to co-operate, shown by the heads of the various municipalities, we see as one of the nice things emerging from the Gardens' squabble. If it is found possible for councils of the Glangarry municipalities to get together on this project, perhaps that same spirit of co-operation can later be extended to cover other problem fields such as fire protection, area planning and such. The more they get together, the happier will be Glangarry as a whole.

Right now the important thing is that there will be ice in Glangarry Gardens by the time schools empty for the Christmas holidays this weekend.

On behalf of the young fry who will enjoy that ice most, we commend all those who worked to end the impasse and find at least a temporary solution. And we leave a thought with John Q. Public and his spouse.

The best guarantee that there will be ice in Glangarry Gardens a year hence can be provided by you, and you, and you. Tear yourselves away from television and darken the Gardens' doors this winter, whenever the occasion arises. Support activities on the arena ice at least a bit more than heretofore, and there may be no more need for annual grants from the municipalities.

If We Only Had The Time

THE Christmas card we appreciate most came to our desk last weekend. This is not the first time we have received such warm greetings from this subscriber. But each time the message is so friendly and encouraging we have rather got into the habit of looking forward to its arrival.

This year the message reads, "Thank you for your newspaper. Each week I look forward to receiving it and I realize the many long hours you give to your task as editor".

We reprint it here not in an effort to picture the editor as a slave to his desk. He has his job to do and if he insisted on working only union hours he long ago would have quit the weekly newspaper field.

We mention it, rather, because it gave us such a lift and because we envy the writer her ability to get such missives in the mail. How often have we had such promptings to

pat someone on the back. And how often have we failed to follow through, either because we did not find the time or because of an ingrained reticence that made us hesitate to put such thoughts on paper.

Some people make it a point to find time to express these kind thoughts and we much admire that attribute in them. Some day, we vow, we are going to reorganize our schedule and find time to join that select circle that is out-giving, that finds its pleasure in brightening the days of its fellows with a kind word or deed.

That is but goodwill, the spirit of Christmas some people seem imbued with all through the year.

This would be a much better world, a pleasant, friendly sphere, if more of us found time and energy to follow up these good inclinations.

It All Adds Up To Propaganda

THE headlines flared it in Saturday's papers, "Monkey Fired Into Space".

The facts were there. The U.S. Army had hurled a monkey into space early that day in the nose cone of a missile. This was the first attempt by American scientists to fire a living thing into space "and bring him back alive". The late news reports even admitted the planning had been faulty, that the search for the nose-cone of a U.S. Army Jupiter, and its monkey passenger, had been given up.

And reading it, our mind went back a year or so to the time the Russians lofted a dog into outer space in what ever since has been known as their "Mutnik".

What a difference there is between a dog and a monkey; especially as the newspaper reports play it up on this continent.

Recall if you will, the picture of cold-blooded, callous Communists the papers pictured when Fido went flying beyond the Moscow horizon. Man's best friend was being brutally treated and the editorial pages went to his defence in no uncertain terms. The Society for the Prevention of Cruelty To Animals never before knew so many backers as letters to the editor kept flooding in to the papers, berating Russia's scientists for their total disregard of things humane.

It was more than a little overdone, we thought at the time. Dogs have been used since time immemorial for experiments aimed at bettering the human lot. And we saw nothing wrong with that. Humans have offered themselves as guinea pigs countless times, and we have yet to hear of the SPCA objecting to the practice.

We wondered at the time what the reaction would be when U.S. space scientists caught up to the Russians and started their own series of experiments with live animals. And Saturday's stories but confirmed our suspicions.

The facts were there; but the treatment was entirely different. This wasn't man's best friend that was being sacrificed; it was only a monkey and he was described as a "tiny rider". Hours after launching of the missile, the chances of recovering Mr. Monkey somewhere in the South Atlantic appeared very slim, but an unidentified scientist was quoted, "We haven't given up hope, we're still trying, but the chances don't look good".

Poor monkey was referred to as

"precious cargo" and there were countless other references to indicate the rocket passenger's fate was the first concern of these American scientists.

Why do they bother, we wondered? Why do news columns so often take on the appearance of propaganda where this 'cold war' is concerned? Why is almost every move beyond the Iron Curtain criticized, castigated and looked on with suspicion, in news reports emanating from Washington? Are the American people not thought adult enough to sift the facts for themselves and come to the right conclusions?

What possible end to the 'Cold War' can there be, short of nuclear reaction, as long as the Communists keep training their propaganda against us of the democracies; and our leaders descend to the same level while piously affirming their readiness to bury the hatchet?

Both sides keep talking "peace". But it is peace at their own price; not the peace on earth to men of goodwill the Christmas message clarions.

If we are to see the Iron Curtain lifted in our time, we of the democracies must make up our minds our system has nothing to fear from Red propaganda. No amount of counter-propaganda on our part is going to convince any of us that it is much more despicable for Russians to airlift dogs into outer space than it is for our space scientists to sacrifice monkeys. Such guff but weakens our cause.

Fatality-Free Record Ends

ALEXANDRIA'S fine record of four years free of traffic fatalities on its streets came to an end with Sunday's accident which took the life of an elderly lady. Police investigation indicates this was one of those accidents that seem to have to happen, a combination of slippery road surface, of darkness and of two cars meeting at a point where a pedestrian, has stepped into the street.

No local driver was involved, yet Sunday's accident should be a grim reminder to all area motorists, and pedestrians, too, that accidents will happen. Extra precaution while driving on Alexandria's narrow streets could result in another four fatality-free years for our town.

The Weeklies Say

"WELFARE" MONEY

When the State hands out money to people under the "welfare" label, there is grave danger in store when those payments become a substitute for earned income and disincentive to seek employment. — Elmwood (Man.) Herald.

COMPLEX PROBLEM

Municipal leaders asked that Victoria assume the entire burden of education costs. School trustees on the other hand voiced concern over the increasing interference which school boards face from the provincial education department. The two points of view illustrate the need for expert analysis of the divisions of responsibility.—Abbotsford (B.C.) News.

WINTER EMPLOYMENT

The day will come when we will find ways and means in this country to beat the hazards of winter construction. Within the past 25 years we have solved many winter problems, including transportation. — Stanstead (Que.) Journal.

EARLY STRUGGLES

Those were the days when we said our paper was a tri-weekly. . . . If it didn't get out this week, we tried to get it out next week. — Deloraine (Man.) Times.

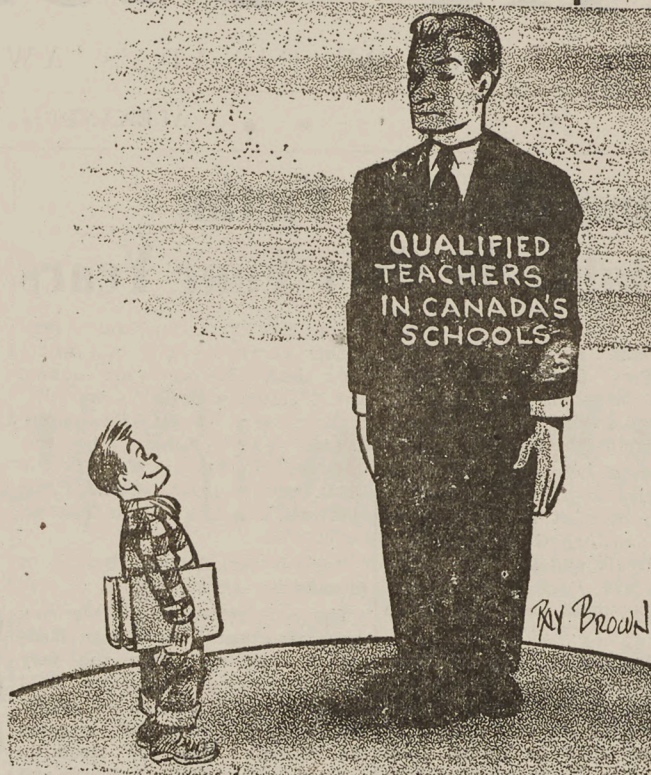
CONFIDENT FUTURE

With pulp companies spending millions of dollars and planning ahead for the next 100 years, and mining companies spending millions to determine and develop their properties, it is little wonder that every person in the area has a confident feeling for the future. — Geraldton (Ont.) Times Star.

HUMAN FAULTS

We humans are a sorry lot in the eyes of the motel manager who in answer to a letter asking for a reservation, and if a man could bring a dog along had this to say in reply: "We have never had a dog fall asleep in bed smoking and burn our bedding up. We have never had a dog spill alcoholic drinks all over the furniture and ruin it. We have never caught a dog leaving the premises with a bath towel or pillow case belonging to us. Sure your dog is welcome."—Portage La Prairie (Man.) Enterprise.

Give Him Something To Look Up To

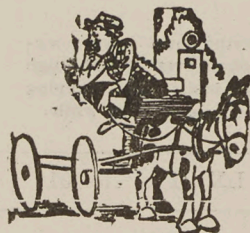


Big Labor And The Weeklies

(The Letter-Review)

From Washington comes word that Big Labor is out to acquire a nationwide string of weekly newspapers. Purpose of move, according to AFL-CIO officials, is to use the weekly press to carry labor's message to the country's grass roots. This recognition of the power and influence of the weekly press is flattering. Whether that power and influence will remain if Big Labor sets out to turn the weeklies into propaganda organs is, however, doubtful.

Popularity and influence of weekly press arise from its independence and individuality. Each weekly has its own character, its own strengths and its own foibles. Weekly newspapers succeed because they publish the local news, reflect the local point of view, and put the doings and sayings of individuals before the interests of national pressure groups in their reporting. This is a very different thing from the "stable" of weeklies contemplated by the AFL-CIO. Such a "stable" of weeklies, controlled in their news and editorial policies by labor tycoons seated in plush offices in the big cities aren't likely to keep their influence or their readership for long if their prime purpose is to print the economic mish-mash so dear to the hearts of union officials. The folks back home just won't read it. Another thing the AFL-CIO boys ought to keep in mind before getting too deeply involved in the weekly publishing business is that the average weekly just can't be run on the 40-hour week. Nor can weekly editors and publishers be troubled about jurisdictional matters. Often they work a 60-hour or 70-hour week, do their own reporting, editorial writing and maybe set some type — all without overtime pay.



WITH OUR RAMBLING REPORTER

By ED.

Life is just one fool thing after another. Love is just two fool things after each other.

TAKES ALL KINDS
● Then there's the character who walked into the local Liquor Store on Saturday and purchased five bottles of wine. Spying on the counter the Lions Club jar seeking donations toward its Christmas-basket fund, our friend asked the store staff to put his name down for a Christmas basket.

Seems man cannot live by wine alone; not when there's the prospect of a free meal.

Postscript — Needless to say, said character was politely told the store staff had nothing to do with the distribution of Christmas baskets. These go to carefully screened families who otherwise might be doing without a Christmas treat. Treat generously these donation jars, scattered through various business places in town.

Remember—
Christmas is coming,
The geese are getting fat;
Please put a penny
In the old man's hat.

If you haven't got a penny
A half a penny will do;
If you haven't got a half a penny
God bless you.

Some people's idea of keeping
a secret is to refuse to tell who
told them.

CAN YOU SPARE A TEN-SPOT?

● We've known for a long time that the dollar is steadily becoming cheaper. But the fact had not been so forcibly brought to our attention until last weekend when we kept running out for change.

People were coming in to solve their Christmas gift problems with the perfect gift: a subscription to this paper. And we thought we were well fixed for change.

But we were way off the beam. Almost everyone proffered a \$10 bill, or a \$20 note; and one even flashed a \$50 beauty. And we kept fluttering out to the neighbors for needed small change: ones, and twos, and fives, and silver.

We were enjoying the whole thing, mind you; but it suddenly struck us that we had never before been so flooded with bills the cigarette makers might describe as 'King size'. No customer flashed a fiver, and it was this realization that brought on the thought, "inflation, you're already here".

We don't mean to scare you at this time of Christmas spending. But we know from personal experience that a five-spot is scarcely enough to purchase a roast of beef, today. And we're old enough to recall the days of depression when \$5.00 bought a lot of groceries, and a roast, too.

If you haven't finished your Christmas shopping this is just a reminder that \$5.00 doesn't go far today. But it's much better to have the cheap five-spot than to be asking your neighbor if he can spare a dime.

A silly, childish game is one
in which your wife can beat
you.

SLOW DOWN AND LIVE

● "Slow Down And Live" was the theme of last week's Highway Safety campaigns, and this was in the nature of a warning. If you don't slow down you may die, the slogan threatened.

The same four words might be interpreted in another sense by motorists. "Slow Down And Live" could be an argument for drivers to ease up on the gas pedal; forget about getting farther faster; and learn to relax and enjoy the better things in life — even the view.

This deep thought was prompted by the remark of one area motorist who was complaining about the Christmas tree on the Mill Square. "It's taking up too much space, it's dangerous and a nuisance," was his line of thought.

To all of which we took instant umbrage.

Granted, the municipal tree takes up space on a busy Mill Square. Granted, car and truck drivers may find it necessary to slow down and take extra precautions while navigating between tree and parked cars. Granted, there may even be times when the tree ties up traffic momentarily.

But are those lost minutes so awfully important? Is the extra (Continued on Page 3)

Auld Lang Syne . . . DO YOU REMEMBER?

TEN YEARS AGO

Friday, December 17th, 1948—

William A. MacEwen was elected reeve of Maxville in Monday voting. Serving with him in 1949 will be Dan Ferguson, Leonard Hurd, Dolphus Pilon and Wm. Duperron. — Victim of a heart attack while working on Main street, Wednesday afternoon, Archie B. McDonald, 68, died almost immediately. — A. H. Johnston, CNR agent at Lancaster, died suddenly at his home Monday, following a heart attack. — Attractive windbreakers were presented to members of the Maroons Lacrosse Club, Friday. Recipients were: Gabe Poirier, Ian, Lee, Cameron and Ronnie McCormick, Lloyd Kennedy, Jim Weir, Ernest Brunet, Cameron McDonald, Francis Perliard, Alex D-Prato, manager; and David Dale, trainer. — Marie Carmen Marcoux became the bride of Earl Laverne Waters in St Augustine's Church, Montreal, November 13th.

TWENTY YEARS AGO

Friday, December 16th, 1928—

Three Apple Hill youths were drowned early Sunday evening, and three escaped when their car plunged into the Soulages Canal near Coteau du Lac. Dead are Albert Leger, 23, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hilaire Leger; Stollan O'Shea, 24, son of Mrs. P. W. O'Shea, and George Chevrier, 18, a native of Cedars, Que. Wilfred Villeneuve, 20, his brother Ernest, 15, and Lawrence St. John, 19, were able to escape. — Col. George A. Drew was named leader of the Ontario Conservatives at a convention held in Toronto, Friday. — Attended by many friends, the funeral of the late E. Leo Laurin, publisher of the Morrisburg Leader, was held at St. Finian's cemetery, Thursday morning. — Miss Phyllis Gormley is being extensively entertained prior to her approaching marriage.

THIRTY YEARS AGO

Friday, December 21st, 1928—

One of the most widely known residents of Glangarry passed away Wednesday, December 12th, in the person of James MacPhee of Alexandria. At the time of his death Mr. MacPhee was the oldest born resident of Alexandria, he having been born on the 10th day of October, 1844, in a small house situated on the south side of the Garry. — The Barred Rock pen of Angus Urquhart, Greenfield, retained the

lead in the second week of the Canadian Egg Laying Contest at Ottawa, its score being 82.5 points for 89 eggs. — An esteemed Maxville physician, James T. Munro, M.D., passed away on Sunday evening, December 9th. — D. A. Campbell, Athol, has installed a Delco lighting plant and under the able workmanship of Leslie Kippen will soon be enjoying the benefits of electricity.

FOURTY YEARS AGO

Friday, December 20th, 1918—

Lieut.-Col. Donald John MacDonald, M.C., D.S.O. and two bars, Officer Commanding the Strathcona Horse, has arrived in Montreal on leave and is expected to visit Alexandria before the close of the week. — During the past few days, R. F. McDermid of Sandringham, purchased from D. J. McKinnon, Kirk Hill, a mare of the Castle Baron strain. — The semi-annual report of the Medical Health Officer, J. T. Hope, M.D., contains the information that approximately 60% of the population of Alexandria was affected by the epidemic of influenza.

Twenty-one deaths resulted or about one per cent of the population. — Corp. D. H. MacMillan, fifth son of Mr. and Mrs. Angus A. MacMillan, McCrimmon, who has been with the OEF in France for four years, arrived home Thursday, December 11th.

FIFTY YEARS AGO

Friday, December 18th, 1908—

An interesting and solemn ceremony will take place in St. James Cathedral, Montreal, at 7 o'clock tomorrow morning, when Rev. Alex L. McDonald, son of Mr. and Mrs. Duncan J. McDonald, 14-3rd Lochiel, will be ordained priest by Mons. Racicot. — On Monday, D. K. McDonald, caretaker of the post office here, delivered to Capt. Gillies the keys for the local armoury, which is now complete in every particular. — W. C. Summers, teller in the Union Bank, has been ordered to Hastings, where he will fill the position of accountant. Mr. Robert Procter moves up to the teller's box, while John James McPhee, son of Duncan D. McPhee, 2nd Lochiel, joins the staff as junior. — John McMillan of the College of Pharmacy, Toronto, arrived Saturday to spend the Christmas holidays with his mother, Mrs. D. B. McMillan, Elgin street.

SIXTY YEARS AGO

Friday, December 16th, 1898—

The roads are badly drifted in many places. About 11 o'clock Tuesday evening the mercury was down to 23 below zero, the lowest it has reached this season. — Miss Flora Corbett and Jos. McLennan, who had been students at the Cornwall Model School, returned home this week. — The butter factory belonging to H. and P. Grant at St. Elmo, was burned one evening last week. The fire was supposed to be incendiary. That same evening two shots were fired through the house of Graham Bros., and also considerable damage was done to the inside of the school house. — Dan Dewar of Kirk Hill, who had been a resident of South Dakota for the past three years, arrived home on a visit last week. — At the regular meeting of council held yesterday, it was decided that from this date the electric lights will be run from 5:30 to 7:15 every morning as well as at night. — Glen Sandfield's latest acquisition is a tinsmith shop which will be opened in a few weeks.



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NEWS OF INTEREST FROM MAXVILLE AND SURROUNDING DISTRICT

High School students will welcome Christmas vacation. They are all hoping that Santa will mark their term examinations written this week. Santa's always kind!

Christmas parties were held in each of the four Public School rooms. Each was beautifully decorated and the Christmas tree held the place of honor. Santa distributed treats and presents.

Friday afternoon the High School students met in the hall and enjoyed a concert and Santa and a tree.

BROKE ARM IN FIRST HOCKEY GAME

John Derouche, one of Maxville's star players on the Millionaire team, had his arm broken in the game at the Arena on Friday night. He was hospitalized for several days, and will be out of the game for some time.

Maxville, despite accidents and injury, defeated Williamstown 3-2 in the hockey game at the Arena here.

Maxville women curlers and guests enjoyed a Pot Luck Supper at their clubrooms on Monday evening. Then a social time and games were enjoyed.

Mrs. Don Shaw and two small daughters spent a few days in Montreal last week.

Misses Jean McNaughton, Florence Vallance, Joan Currier, Marilyn

McDermid, all of Ottawa, spent the weekend at their homes here.

Messrs. Ross Urquhart, Fraser Cumming, Gordon Winter, John Campbell and Jack Campbell, Herbert Robinson, Harvey Metcalfe, all of Ottawa, spent the weekend in Maxville and district.

Mrs. W. A. MacEwen visited Mrs. Jean-Paul and Mrs. Anna Usher in Ottawa last week.

Skating was the sport of the week. It is over two weeks earlier this year, thanks to Old Man Winter.

Each day, new Christmas decorations appear. Private homes are wreathed in green boughs and colored lights. Outside trees twinkle their welcome and vie with the strings of lights across the streets. Visit Maxville and see how its residents welcome the Christmas season.

Mrs. K. Cameron of Dunvegan, is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. E. Bickerstaff, and visited in Ottawa on Friday.

EVENING AUXILIARY MET

The December meeting of St. Andrew's Evening Auxiliary was held at the home of Mrs. W. A. MacEwen. Mrs. W. R. MacEwen's unit was in charge of the devotions. Mrs. MacEwen presided.

The meeting opened by singing the First Noel. The scripture passage was read by Mrs. Kenzie Mac-

Leod. The scripture lesson, "The Meaning of Christmas", was given by Mrs. W. R. MacEwen. Prayer was offered by Mrs. Metcalfe. "A Christmas Dream", an article from the Glad Tidings, was read by Mrs. H. Graham.

"O Come All Ye Faithful" was sung.

A Christmas service in dialogue and song was carried out by Mrs. MacEwen and members of her unit.

Mrs. W. S. MacLean read from the Presbyterian Record, "The Divine Christmas Gift".

Prayer closed the devotional period. Mrs. Archie Murro presided for the business portion.

The officers for the Evening Auxiliary for the year 1959 were installed. Mrs. A. D. Stewart conducted the installation service.

Mrs. John W. MacEwen was presented with a Life Membership. Mrs. W. S. MacLean made the presentation.

The offering was received and dedicated.

The meeting closed by singing "Away In A Manger". Mrs. MacEwen was thanked for the use of her home. Lunch was served and a social time enjoyed.

UNITED CHURCH W.A. HAD DECEMBER MEETING

The December meeting of the Women's Association of Maxville United Church was held at the home of Mrs. Wilfred MacEwen presiding for the devotional period. The meeting opened with a hymn, followed by the scripture lesson read by Miss Bertha McEwen. Mrs. George Greer read a Christmas story, and Mrs. Clarence MacPhail a poem entitled "Memories To Remember". The devotions were closed with the singing of a Christmas hymn.

Mrs. Hugh Smith presided for the business session. A committee to decorate the church for Christmas, and one to pack the Christmas boxes for the shut-ins, were appointed. It was also agreed that the WA pay 10c a lb. on shipping charges for the bales packed and shipped by the Associate Helpers of the Evening Auxiliary. Mrs. L. E. MacKillican reported on proceeds from the bazaar and tea which was very gratifying and also reported a bank balance of \$2,190.00.

Mrs. Rupert Metcalfe presented the slate of officers for 1959, which are as follows: president, Mrs. Hugh Smith; vice-presidents, Mrs. Harold Willis, Mrs. Edward Hunter, Mrs. C. J. MacPhail and Mrs. Wilfred

McEwen; Manse committee, Mrs. E. S. Winter and Mrs. L. J. MacNaughton; convener of Ways and Means, Mrs. R. J. Hoople; treasurer, Mrs. L. E. MacKillican; press secretary, Mrs. C. J. MacPhail; lunch committee, Mrs. Gregor McEwen, Mrs. Wm. Metcalfe, Mrs. Ralph McIntosh, and Mrs. Donald McIntosh.

The meeting then adjourned and a social hour followed.

EVENING AUXILIARY UNITED CHURCH MET

The December meeting of the WMS (Evening Auxiliary) was held in the Maxville United Church hall, the theme being Christmas. Mrs. Wilfred McEwen's unit was in charge of the devotional period, the following taking part: Mrs. Ken Jack, prayer; Mrs. Melville McEwen, scripture reading; Mrs. Charles Blaney, Bible lesson; Mrs. Hubert Quart, reading; Mrs. Howard McEwen gave the Study Book, the chapter being on Alaska. Mrs. Wilfred McEwen closed this portion of the meeting with prayer.

The president, Mrs. Colin B. McDermid, opened the business part of the meeting with a reading, "Breaking Barriers".

The new slate of officers was presented. Installation is to take place at an evening service some Sunday before the next meeting.

Mrs. Colin B. McDermid, in closing, thanked the members for their co-operation and help during her three years as president, and extended best wishes to Mrs. Howard McEwen, incoming president for 1959.

The meeting closed with the benediction. Lunch was served by Mrs. Wilfred McEwen's unit.

DUNVEGAN

On Saturday evening, a reception was held in the Orange Hall, for Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Campbell. Melville MacLeod piped the young couple into the hall, where a large crowd of friends and neighbors gathered.

After dancing had been indulged in, Donald Duncan MacKinnon, as chairman, called on Billy Carpenter to read an address, while Jimmie Fletcher presented a well-filled purse. John D. MacLeod, and others, gave short speeches of good wishes. The ladies served coffee and a sumptuous lunch, and all present enjoyed the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Miers and children, of Sudbury, arrived here Saturday to spend some time with Mrs. Mier's mother, Mrs. N. Montgomery.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. MacLeod of Montreal, and baby Heather, spent the weekend at the former's home.

Her many friends were glad that Mrs. John D. MacLeod was able to come home from hospital, and hope she makes a good recovery.

Her many friends are glad that Mrs. Forbes MacKinnon is able to continue her teaching again after her recent illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Austin of Alexandria, and Eldon, of Montreal, visited the former's parental home Sunday.

Those here over the weekend were Misses Shella Ferguson and Kathleen MacRae, and Malcolm Dewar.

LAGGAN

Mrs. James Learie was in Hawkesbury on Friday.

Mrs. Keith MacMaster was in Kemptville attending the funeral of her uncle, Erwin Hagerty.

Mrs. Mina Thompson, Mrs. Tom Maltby, Donald M. MacRae and Eddie MacRae of Montreal, visited with Mr. and Mrs. John D. MacRae and Jack, on Sunday.

We are glad to see R. D. MacLeod around again after being confined to bed for a few days.

Fred MacCrimmon and Callum were in Cornwall on Monday.

Rambling...

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effort demanded in manoeuvring truck or car through a narrow space so taxing? Should the slight inconvenience caused a few drivers weigh against so intangible a thing as the delight to the eye said Christmas tree provides for us who are pedestrian in our habits and with more time to look for beauty?

This is the day of automation, we know. But let's not get so machine-minded that we think only in terms of "Body by Fisher".

Only God can make a tree. But a lot of us mere mortals see it as a thing of beauty, and a delightful touch of Christmas, when it is transported to the Mill Square and bedecked with colored lights.

For only a few weeks of the year we suggest motorists should look at our municipal Christmas tree not as a menace but as a gesture of goodwill. And this holiday time is a specially good time to "Slow Down And Live."

Miss Annabelle MacMaster, R.N., was home with her mother, Mrs. Gregor MacMaster and Douglas, over the weekend.

Miss Joan O'Meara and Sydney Williams of Montreal, visited with Mr. and Mrs. E. L. D. MacMillan for the weekend.

Mrs. John T. MacDonald of Vankleek Hill, spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. R. D. MacLeod.

Miss Joan MacSweyn spent the weekend in Ottawa.

The football club held a very successful dance at McCrimmon Hall on Friday evening.

Visitors during the week with Mr. and Mrs. James R. Grant were: Mr. and Mrs. Mack MacCuaig of Vankleek Hill; Mrs. Frank Willows of Lyn, Ont.; Mrs. D. D. MacMaster, Mr. and Mrs. Mack MacCrimmon and Mr. and Mrs. Angus MacDonald of Ottawa; Cpl. and Mrs. L. A. MacNeice of Ottawa; Miss Rhoda MacLennan of Cornwall.

Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Cameron and Wayne, Roddie and Donna, of Montreal, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wilson and David, of Vankleek Hill.

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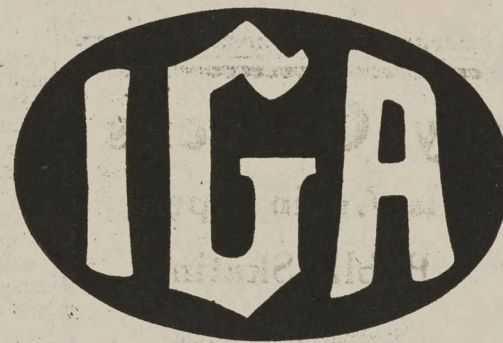
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Sunday, Dec. 21—Skating, 7:30 to 9:30

• May we take this opportunity to express appreciation to the area municipalities whose promises of assistance have made it possible to again operate the Gardens. —THE DIRECTORS

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Alexandria Entry In Border League, Play Starts At Maxville Friday

Reopening of Glengarry Gardens has resulted in some last-minute changes in the Border League picture.

An Alexandria entry, made up of last year's junior team players and the Loks of Lochiel and the district, will be competing with Maxville, Lancaster and Williamstown entries. A Hawkesbury team is now uncertain since club representatives failed to turn up at a meeting here Tuesday night.

However, the door is being left temporarily open for the fifth entry, with a proviso. It was decided all games would be played in Maxville's Jubilee Rink or Glengarry Gardens, here. If the Hawkesbury team becomes an entity, it will be expected to play all games in these two Glengarry centres rather than in Vankleek Hill as first proposed.

The league opens play Friday night at Maxville when the Millionaires play host to Lancaster. Four games are scheduled, the rest to await definite word as to Hawkesbury's plans.

Williamstown meets the new Alexandria entry here on Sunday afternoon. Lancaster and Williamstown tangle in Glengarry Gardens on Sunday, December 28th. Alexandria goes to Maxville on Monday, December 29th.

Loks Won Another

The Loks won their second start in the Cornwall Classical League last night, when they took the St. Andrews - Harrison's Combines by an 8-2 score.

Scorers were: Rosaire Lefebvre and Ray Quesnel, two each; Keith McDonald, Germain Pigeon, Harold and J. K. Robinson, one each.

Hockeyists To Meet Friday At Gardens

A meeting will be held in Glengarry Gardens, Friday night at 9:30 to organize the local hockey entry in the Border League. Anyone interested in playing and adult hockey fans as well are asked to attend.

STEWARTS GLEN

Donald Ewen MacPhee and Lloyd MacPhee have returned to the West after spending a holiday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. MacPhee, and other friends here.

A number from here attended the reception of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Campbell at Dunvegan on Saturday night.

Funeral Held To St. Raphael

Moses Dupuis, a retired farmer, died at his daughter's residence, 410 Fourth street west, Cornwall, Monday, after a lengthy illness. He was 83.

He was born in L'Orignal, Ont., the son of Jeremie Dupuis and his wife, the former Zoe Clement.

His wife, the former Rose St. Germain, predeceased him in 1953.

He leaves three sons, Lawrence, Green Valley; Eugene, Martintown; Hartley, Martintown; two daughters, Mrs. Charles MacDonald (Freda), St. Eugene, Ont.; Mrs. John Pilon (Margaret), Cornwall; one sister, Mrs. Joseph Barnique; and 22 grandchildren.

The body rested at Miller's Funeral Home from where the funeral left at 9 a.m. Wednesday for Requiem High Mass at St. Raphael's Church, St. Raphael West, at 10 a.m., followed by interment in the parish cemetery.

Station, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Zolique Ethier.

Garry McLennan and sister Linda, were in Montreal recently to see Santa Claus.

Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ken MacLennan were Mrs. Doris Connors and son Ray and Mrs. Greta Connors, all of Montreal.

GLEN ROBERTSON

(Intended for Last Issue)

Bill Robertson, Verdun, spent the weekend with Miss Georgina Robertson and Alex Robertson.

Miss Edythe Lacombe spent a few days' holidays this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Lacombe and her brother, Paul, Jr.

Mrs. Mike Furgoch was in Montreal on a business trip last Monday.

Miss Mary McGillis was on a business trip to Montreal last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Enright and Patsy Nantel, Montreal, and Mr. and Mrs. Rene Tremblay, Coteau

Alexandria Commission Auction

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during the holiday season

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Tuesday, Dec. 23rd

and

Tuesday, Dec. 30th

Lancaster Curlers Were Hosts Wednesday Night

The local curling season is practically in full swing despite the demands of the yuletide season. The new artificial ice plant provided ice for curling last weekend and though a kink still remains to be ironed out of the north sheet, enthusiasts of the roarin' game have been hard at it since Sunday.

Number one sheet is just about perfect, they aver, and there's just a bit of a fall to be removed from number two.

George Sangster has been appointed caretaker and Donat Boillard was in charge of ice making.

The Lancaster members played hosts last night at a pre-Christmas dinner which was designed to try out the new ice. The delicious dinner served up by their ladies was followed up by a minimum of discussion and then the new ice was in constant demand. Many potential new members got their first taste of the roarin' game and appeared to like it.

Vice-President Leonard MacLachlan chaired the dinner and he called on President J. Pilon and Secretary-Treasurer D. N. McRae for brief talks. Pete Bonneville acted as auctioneer for a couple of Chinese auctions and the draw conducted by the Ladies' Club.

Former Resident Of Area Buried At Smiths Falls

The funeral of a former resident of this area, James H. Blair, was held on Friday afternoon at Smiths Falls, where he had resided for the past 30 years. The service was conducted at the Ray Lamin Funeral Home at 2:00 p.m., with burial in the United Church cemetery.

A resident of the Green Valley and North Lancaster areas for 50 years, he was a native of Brownsburg, Que. He was twice married, to Annie MacDonald of North Lancaster, and, following her death, to Mary MacMillan of Alexandria, both of whom predeceased him.

Chief mourners included a son, Albert Blair of Smiths Falls, and one daughter, Catherine Ellen Blair of Montreal. Unable to be present at the funeral were four sons: Allan B. Blair of Edmonton; Edward of Ottawa; Gordon and Fred of England.

He is also survived by two brothers and one sister. They are: Herbert of Stettler, Alta.; Fred of New Westminster, B.C., and Mrs. Emma Hasty of Montreal.

Palbearers were: Donald Finlayson, Arnold Gough, James Brenagh, Victor and Henry DeSalvo, and a nephew, Albert Blair.

Attending the funeral from this area were: Miss Catherine Ellen Blair, Mr. and Mrs. Mervyn MacDonald, Lloyd McDonald, Ramal McDonald, Mrs. Charles MacDonald, Dan H. MacDonald, Neil J. McDonald, and Angus S. MacDonell.

GREEN VALLEY

Dr. and Mrs. Duncan Kennedy and Miss Patricia Kennedy visited on Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Hattie Cuthbert and members of the McDougall family.

Misses Sheila and Betty MacDonell were home for the weekend.

Mrs. C. E. MacDonald of Montreal, was a weekend guest of Mr. and Mrs. Angus R. MacDonell.

Misses Mary and Loretta Etherington, Montreal, spent the weekend with James H. MacDonald.

Miss Catherine E. Blair and Mrs. Charles MacDonald, Montreal, were weekend guests of Mrs. John P. MacDonald and family.

Ronald MacDougall, O'Brien, who spent the past week visiting here, returned to his home on Sunday night.

The sympathy of the community is extended to the families of the late Mrs. James H. MacDonald, Mrs. Rod A. R. MacDonell, Moses Dupuis and Mrs. Delima Quenneville, who passed away during the past week.

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Visitors with Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Morris on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Donald McPhee, Lachine; Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Morris, Paula and Richard, of Montreal; and Miss Patricia Brady of Iona Academy. Mrs. Morris is spending this week in Campbell's Bay with Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Morris and family.

Mrs. John Dufort, Dalhousie; Mrs. Euclid Vandette, St. Telesphore; Mr. and Mrs. Marcin Lajoie of Vaudreuil; Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Campeau, Mrs. Euclid Roy and Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Rose of Cornwall, were amongst the many who attended the anniversary Mass of the late Joseph A. Campeau, which took place in Montreal on Saturday.

Mrs. John MacMillan left this week for a two-month trip to Vancouver, where she will visit her brother, John Chisholm, and Mrs. Willie MacMillan.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McKinnon over the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Ian McCormick, Cornwall, and Miss Bertha MacDonald, Ottawa.

Miss Jeannine Levac of Ottawa Teacher's College, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Levac.

Mr. and Mrs. Aurele Bellefeuille were in Bourget for the weekend visiting relatives and friends.

Miss Anne Marie McCormick of Cornwall, was at her home here for the weekend.

Miss Lucille Dapratto of Hawkesbury, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Dapratto.

Mrs. Garland Tinsley of New York City, visited with Wilfred McLeister and Mr. and Mrs. Frank McLeister over the weekend.

Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ronald MacDonald were Miss Lise Sauve and their son Robert, of Montreal. The latter has recently joined the Sun Life Assurance Co. in Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Coulas and baby daughter, Montreal, arrived here to spend the Yuletide season with Mr. and Mrs. Adrien Charlebois.

Miss Norah McRae spent Wednesday in Montreal.

David Dawes, McGill University, is spending the Christmas holiday at home with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. C. H. Dawes.

Entertained Prior To Marriage

Prior to her marriage, Thursday afternoon, November 13th, Miss Gloria Jean Hay was guest of honor at a miscellaneous shower, by Mrs. Gilbert MacRae, Glen Sandfield as hostess, and attended by some fifty guests. The bride, wearing royal blue taffeta and metallic lace, was met at the door, where Mrs. MacRae pinned on a corsage of pink carnations and escorted her to a decorated chair to the strains of "Here Comes The Bride", played by Mrs. Angus MacLennan. Her mother, Mrs. John Hay, was presented with a corsage of red roses by Mrs. Neil MacLachlan, who escorted her to a chair beside the bride. Mrs. Doris MacMaster, the bride's former school teacher, read a most appropriate address, then pulled the ribbon from the white wedding bell overhead, showering the bride with confetti. Little Phyllis and Ewen MacMaster pulled in a gaily decorated wagon laden with gifts wrapped with good wishes.

Mrs. Della MacDonald, the bride's sister, and Mrs. Doris MacMaster assisted the bride in unwrapping and displaying them. The bride then thanked her friends for their beautiful and gracious goodwill, and hoped to have them visit her in her new home, 89 Ross street, Ottawa. All joined in singing "For She's A Jolly Good Fellow".

Mrs. Reid took flash pictures of the bride and her gifts. Mrs. Anne MacMillan then sang two lovely solos, accompanied by Mrs. MacLennan. The guests were invited to sign their best wishes in the bride's book.

The bride's wedding cake, decorated in pink and white, centred the tea table flanked with tall white candles on either side. Mrs. Rev. R. H. MacKelvy asked the blessing, after which the ladies served a most delicious lunch including the bride's cake.

Gloria Jean was honored at her office by the members of the staff, when Mr. Bowman, superintendent, delivered an eloquent address expressing pleasure "you are continuing to work at government" and presented her with a clock radio and cheque. The office girls arranged a miscellaneous shower when she received useful and lovely gifts.

The girls at the Laurentian Terrace completely took by surprise to a room in darkness, where she was showered with confetti and presented with an adjustable ironing board and clothes hamper, and all good wishes.

On return from their honeymoon, they were honored at a wedding reception in Berwick, Ont., Friday evening, November 28th, where a most entertaining evening was spent, and best wishes extended Jim and his bride for a happy wedded life.

LAFF OF THE WEEK



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Isabella Group Christmas Plans

The December meeting of Our Lady of Fatima Circle, Daughters of Isabella, was held in the Knights of Columbus rooms last night with a large attendance.

Chancellor Mrs. Isadore Secours led in prayer and Mrs. Laurier Lefebvre presided as regent. Director Rev. Emilien Houde thanked the group for their spiritual offerings and for their gift of \$20 on the occasion of his 20th anniversary of ordination.

Plans are now underway for the installation of new members on February 22nd, to be followed by a banquet in Sacred Heart hall.

Mrs. Ubald Poirier was presented with a past regent's pin by Mrs. Lefebvre in recognition of her services to the group.

A complete Christmas dinner will be sent to the Precious Blood Monastery, for 20 Sisters, and baskets will be distributed to needy families.

Door prizes were won by Mrs. Lucienne Lamarche, Miss Claire Courville and by Mrs. Donat Major. Each member gave her date of birth, and will be greeted by a card on that day.

Father Houde closed the meeting with prayer.

D.A. MacDonald...

(Continued from Page 1) and several nephews and nieces. Among the many from a distance were:

Montreal — Mr. and Mrs. Ray Labrosse, Miss Rita Cameron, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Lachapelle, Mr. and Mrs. Myles Drazic, Miss Marilyn Waas, Mr. J. Waas, Miss Janet Kennedy, Angus Cameron, Mr. and Mrs. George Terry, Miss Helen McDonald, Rene Cardinal, Innes Campbell, John Kennedy, Alex Gilmour, Mr. and Mrs. Anthony McMenamin, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Filetreault, Ranaid McDonald, Miss Sheila McPhee, Miss Anna Margaret McPhee, Mr. and Mrs. Pat MacIver, Findlay MacDonald, Campbell McDonald, Patrick Hammill, Mrs. Steve Giroux, Mr. and Mrs. Barton MacDonald, Ambrose MacDonald.

Mrs. Bessie McDonald, Mary Janet McDonald, Christina Kennedy, Miss Sarah McDonald, Mr. and Mrs. Henry D. Duggan, Mr. and Mrs. C. Fisher, Miss Mary O'Halloran, Miss Doris Belcher, Edgar McDonald, Vincent McDonald, Dr. and Mrs. D. J. Kennedy, Pat Kennedy, Dougald McDonald, Norman McDonald, Angus W. McDonald, Hughie J. McDonald, Donnie McDonald, John James McCormick, Mary McIntosh, Pat McIntosh, Mrs. Frank Jackson and David, Mrs. M. Kelly, Mr. and Mrs. Ryan Giroux, Mr. and Mrs. Bill George, Miss Diane George,

Winners At Cards

A successful card party was held on December 7th in St. Mary's parish hall, Green Valley, when 33 tables of players turned out to compete for the many prizes.

Successful at the euchre tables were: Mrs. Alcide Roussin, Bruno Legault, Mrs. Albert Laporte, Louis Menard, Miss Jeannette Crevier, Mrs. Armand Menard, Mrs. Victor Lefebvre, Wilfred Roy, Nicole Deooste, Henri Lefebvre and Mrs. Evariste Jeaurond.

Winners at "500" included: Bruno Carriere, Mrs. George Lajoie, Laurent Beaupre, Dan Lajoie, Jean Trottier, Andre Lefebvre, Mrs. Eugene Ouellette, Mrs. Laurier Saborin and Robert Lemieux.

Three items raffled in a Chinese auction were: a doll, won by Mrs. Victor Lefebvre; a set of cuff links, by Emile Robinson, and a tablecloth, by Charles Driscoll.

The door prize was won by Emile Robinson, and a raffled bedspread went to Mrs. Alan Fogel.

Father Joyal spoke briefly at the close of the evening, thanking everyone for their efforts to make the evening a success.

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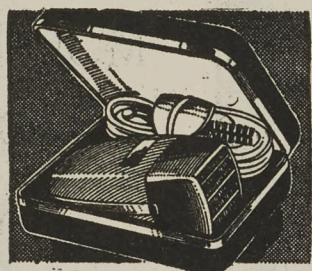
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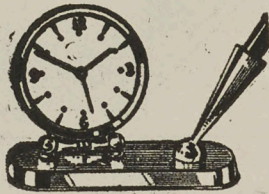
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the needy of Canada and countries throughout the world, the congregation sang: "As With Gladness Men of Old".

The presentation of the offering was read by Helen MacMillan.

The well-selected Christmas story was told by Marjorie Fraser.

In a brief address, Pastor J. Filson Reid illustrated with a true happening, the value of positive prayers. Jesus said, "Have faith in God... what things soever ye desire, when ye pray, believe that ye receive them, and ye SHALL have them". (Mark II:22-24).

The closing prayer was said by Hugh MacDougall.

CANDLE-LIGHT SERVICE FOR GLEN SANDFIELD

On Christmas Eve at 8:00, a Candle-Light Service following the pattern of the touching service held last year, will be conducted in the United Church in the village. The candle-lighting will be carried out by the girls of Dalhousie, East Hawkesbury and Glen Sandfield. There will be special music, and colored lantern slides portraying the birth of our Saviour, will be shown.

An invitation is extended to all who wish to participate in a soul-stirring service of worship, but folks who are travelling distances are warned to be at the church early, for there was not a vacant seat last year.

With Mrs. A. MacLennan at the organ, the children sang: "Away In A Manger".

While the wee ones filed to the front with their offerings to help

THOUGHT FROM THE GLEN:

"On Christmas eve they filled the house, some fifty guests all told; O little Lord of Christmas, were You left out in the cold? They ate and sang, played cards and danced 'til early morning light; O little Lord of Christmas, did they think of You that night? Next morning came the presents on a glittering Christmas tree; O little Lord of Christmas, was there any gift for Thee?

The dinner was a Roman feast, and how those guests did eat! O little Lord of Christmas, were You hungry in the street? Then came some drink, a movie, and at night the last revue; O little Lord of Christmas, what had this to do with You?

By midnight all were tired and cross, and tumbled into bed; O little Lord of Christmas, did they think that You were dead? They all awoke with headaches; had no joy in work or play; O little Lord of Christmas, did they mark Your birth that day

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Glen Gordon W.M.S. Held Annual Meeting

On Wednesday afternoon, members of Glen Gordon Presbyterian W.M.S. Auxiliary and several visitors met at Mrs. Ross Fraser's home for the annual meeting, with the president, Mrs. George Fournie, presiding. During the devotional period, Mrs. E. L. McNaughton led in prayer. The Bible reading was taken from the second chapter of St. Luke's Gospel, and the lesson entitled "No Room in the Inn", was read by Mrs. J. C. McPherson. The roll call was responded to with scripture verses. The minutes were read and approved; correspondence was dealt with and a number of business matters discussed.

Junior Life Membership certificates and pins are being given to several Mission Band and Explorer Group members. A chapter of the Study Book, "They Reach For Life", told a story of how a single copy of the Bible given by the Bible Society to a man in a Japanese village had transformed the entire village and a church had been built. There can be no missionary work without Bibles, so the Bible Society needs the support of everyone. Mrs. D. J. Morrison gave a short inspiring reading on "The Joys of Christians" and an article on "Modernizing Christian Missions" from the Presbyterian Record was read by Miss M. J. McLennan. It is expected that the amount pledged by the members for this year will be fully met.

At the close of the meeting, a pleasant social hour was enjoyed when the hostess, assisted by several ladies, served lovely refreshments.

The 1959 executive is as follows: honorary presidents, Mrs. F. W. Fraser, Mrs. D. McNicol; president, Mrs. G. Fournie; vice-presidents, Mrs. G. McCallum, Mrs. Ross Fraser; secretary, Miss M. J. McLennan; treasurer, Mrs. E. L. McNaughton.

Secretaries — Glad Tidings, Mrs. G. McCallum; Welcome and Welfare, Mrs. D. J. Morrison; Home

W.M.S. Auxiliary Met At Martint'n

The WMS Auxiliary of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Martintown, held its regular meeting at the Manse, with Mrs. Robertson Millar presiding over a fine attendance.

The Christmas service from Glad Tidings was followed, Miss Clara Murray giving the scripture lesson and Miss M. E. McMartin leading in prayer.

The minutes of previous meeting were read by the secretary, Miss Lila Robertson, and nominations were made for the vacant offices in the Presbyterian executive.

Announcement was made of the obtaining of a further seal towards life membership for Mrs. Stewart Campbell, the gift of Mrs. Kenneth McRae.

The reports of the various secretaries recorded an active year in all departments. The treasurer's report showed that, apart from special gifts, the regular contributions of the members had exceeded those of the year before.

Rev. Robertson Millar extended congratulations to all concerned in the accomplishment of a good year's work.

Officers were re-elected for 1959, and installed by Mr. Millar, as follows: hon. president, Miss Etta Smith; president, Mrs. Robertson Millar; vice-presidents, Mrs. Clingen, Mrs. Hope, Mrs. H. MacMillan; secretary, Miss Lila Robertson; treasurer, Mrs. Neil McMartin; Home Helpers, Miss Clara Murray; W. and W., Mrs. G. McDermid; G.T., Mrs. Fraser; Supply, Mrs. Kenneth McRae; Library and Literary, Miss Mabel Grant; press, Miss Robertson; Cradle Roll, Mrs. H. MacMillan; accompanist, Mrs. Clingen.

Helpers, Mrs. G. McCallum; literature, Mrs. G. H. Goodfellow; press, Mrs. G. McCallum; Gift Fund, Mrs. G. Fournie; Supply and Work Fund, Mrs. I. Demoulin; Mrs. Ross Fraser; Mrs. G. McCallum; Mrs. G. Fournie; Program committee, Mrs. J. A. Sangster; Mrs. Ross Fraser; Mrs. G. McCallum.

LANCASTER

Mr. and Mrs. Harding, Montreal, visited friends in South Lancaster, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Derry and two sons, of Lachine, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Derry, on Sunday.

Mrs. William Hunsburger and family left last week to join Mr. Hunsburger in Burlington, Ont., where they plan to reside.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Jehu and three sons, Lachine, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McDonald and Mrs. B. McLeod, on Saturday.

LADIES' AID MET

The South Lancaster group of the Ladies' Aid of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church met at the home of the Misses Gamble, for the December meeting, with Mrs. Cable in charge. The meeting opened with scripture reading, followed with the minutes of last meeting, and financial report by Mrs. Mossop. A good display of fancy and useful articles and home cooking were for sale and disposed of.

Plans were made for packing Christmas boxes for the aged and shut-ins.

The meeting closed by all joining in singing "Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow", after which

lunch was served by the hostesses.

SUNDAY SCHOOL PARTY

The annual Christmas entertainment for St. Andrew's Sunday School, was held in the church, South Lancaster, on Friday night last, and was well attended. A good programme was provided by the children. Santa Claus appeared on the scene and delighted all the children.

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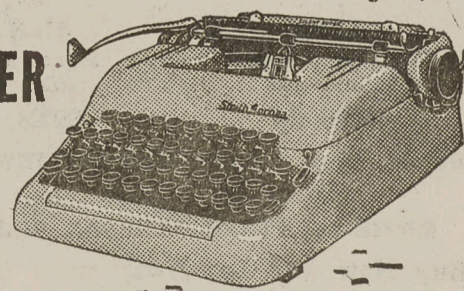


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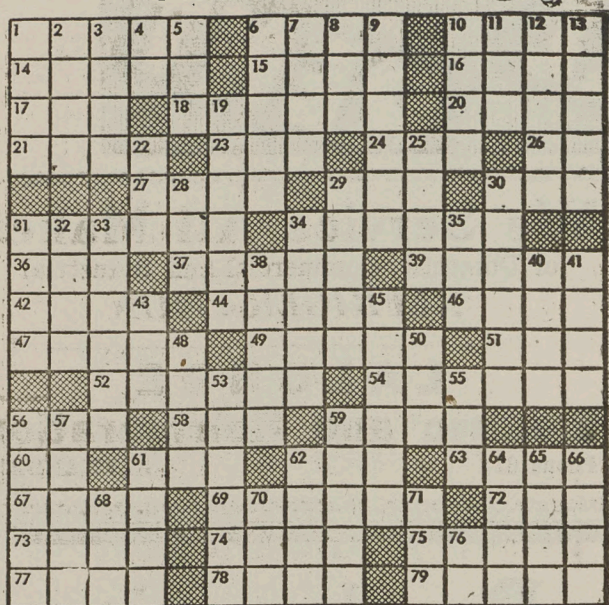
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Dr. N.D. MacLeod Dies At Ottawa

Dr. Neil Duncan MacLeod of 121 Cartier street, Ottawa, died at his home on Friday following a lengthy illness. He was 81. Born and educated in Roxborough, Stormont County, he was the son of the late Duncan MacLeod and the late Jessie MacFintosh. He attended the University of Toronto, where he graduated in medicine in 1907. He then moved to Ottawa and was superintendent of St. Luke's Hospital for two years. In 1909, he went into private practice there. He was also a member of the No. 2 Field Ambulance unit of the reserve army and joined the permanent force at the outset of the First World War. He served as a medical examiner at Val Cartier, Que., before going overseas with the first Canadian Expeditionary Force in September,

will speak on "Marketing Potatoes"; N. M. Parks, Central Experimental Farm, "New Varieties of Potatoes"; and "Highlights of the Second Annual Canadian Potato Industry Conference" will be given by R. E. Goodin, Toronto.

Dies Suddenly At Glen Robertson

1914. He served in England and was one of the first Canadian medical officers to land in France. Wounded during a German gas attack, he was returned to Canada in 1916. He remained in the Army and in March, 1917, was appointed president of the Standing Medical Board in Ottawa and in 1919 assumed a similar position at Kingston. Dr. MacLeod resumed his private practice in Ottawa in 1919 until he re-enlisted in the permanent force of the Canadian Army at the outset of the Second World War. From 1939 to 1945 he served on numerous medical boards and later with the Department of Veterans Affairs. He later returned to his private practice until his retirement due to ill health 10 years ago. He was married here in 1917 to the former Alice MacGrady, who survives. Also surviving are a daughter, Mrs. T. B. (Kathrine) Doxford, of Yorkshire, England; three sisters, Mrs. Neil MacLean, Mrs. Peter Christie and Mrs. M. M. MacLeod, all of Maxville, and two grandchildren. The body rested at Hulse and Playfair, Limited, 315 MacLeod street, Ottawa, where funeral services were held in the chapel on Monday at 1 p.m., with Rev. J. Logan-Veneta officiating. Interment was in Beechwood cemetery.

Dies Suddenly At Glen Robertson

A resident of Glen Robertson for the past three years, Romeo St. Laurent, 74, died suddenly at his home Saturday evening as the result of a heart attack. Dr. D. J. Dolan, Alexandria, was called but death had been instantaneous. Mr. St. Laurent was a native of Quebec City, who had spent most of his adult life in Montreal. He was employed with Canada Steamship Lines and later was in government relief and employment work until three years ago when he retired and came to live in Glen Robertson. To mourn his sudden passing he leaves his wife, the former Louise Poirier of Glen Robertson, whom he married 35 years ago; and one daughter, Jacqueline, Mrs. John Guarda of Montreal. Mr. St. Laurent served as a Justice of the Peace in Montreal for several years and he had received that appointment from the Ontario Government last year. The funeral was held at 10 o'clock Tuesday morning from the Brunet Funeral Home to St. Martin of Tours Church and cemetery, Glen Robertson. Rev. Bernard Plon, P.P., chanted the Funeral Mass. The family received many expressions of regret and sympathy in the unexpected death of Mr. St. Laurent.

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Varied Program Prepared For Eastern Crop Conference

The annual conference of the Eastern Ontario Soil and Crop Improvement Association will be held on December 29th, 30th and 31st at Kemptville Agricultural School. An interesting and instructive program has been arranged, during which there will be a special meeting for potato growers, Monday afternoon, December 29th. Registration is at 11 a.m. on the 29th. Mr. A. M. Barr, Principal of Kemptville School, will extend a welcome during the luncheon which follows. The afternoon program will deal with the importance of good seed and the subject of weed control. Among the speakers will be D. L. Parks, KAS, whose subject will be "Field Crop Recommendations for 1959". "Sowing and Killing Weeds"

will be discussed by A. G. Grubbe, Agricultural Representative for Lanark County, and John Steele, Assistant Agricultural Representative, Leeds County; and Prof. George Jones, OAC, will talk on "New Chemicals for Weed Control". Monday evening, W. H. McDonald, Bank of Nova Scotia, Toronto, will speak on "Financing the Farm Business". Russell C. Hodnet, County Agent, Watertown, N.Y., and George Gear, Agricultural Representative, Bruce County, will discuss "Managing the Farm Business". Tuesday morning, December 30th, will be chiefly devoted to the subject of farm machinery. Wm. Sutherland, Manager, Massey-Ferguson Farms, Milliken, will have as his subject "Selecting Farm Machinery". "Repairing Farm Machinery" will be discussed by Ian Balsille, KAS; Tom Dickison, Sr., City View; and Tom Dickinson, Jr., City View. In the afternoon among the speakers will be Hugh Blaine, Mountain, who will give some advice on "Producing Championship Pastures"; Dr. B. J. Flinn, Central Experimental Farm, "Fertilizing Pastures"; and James Alexander, Hillier, "Making Hay in a Day". Mr. T. R. Hilliard, Director of Extension, Ontario Department of Agriculture, will speak on "The Ontario Farm Accident Survey", during the afternoon. Tuesday evening, the H. H. McNish Award and Pasture Competition and Corn Competition prizes will be presented, the guest speaker being Dr. W. David Hopper, Agricultural Economics Department of OAC, whose subject will be "Contract Farming". The theme of Wednesday morning's session will be "Bulk Handling of Farm Materials", and there will be several excellent speakers dealing with various aspects of this subject. At the special meeting for potato growers, D. E. Williams, Toronto,



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2-Births

CHISHOLM-To Westley and Flora Chisholm (nee MacDonald), Hawkesbury, at Smith's Clinic, on December 4th, 1958, a son.

LEFEBVRE - To Mr. and Mrs. George Lefebvre, Lochiel St., at Hotel Dieu, Cornwall, on December 2nd, 1958, a son, Michael.

MacDONALD - To Mr. and Mrs. Roddy MacDonald (nee Sandra MacDonell), Ottawa, at Grace Memorial Hospital, on December 10th, 1958, a daughter.

McGILLIS - To Mr. and Mrs. Stanley McGillis (nee Mary Quinn, R.N.), Green Valley, at Hotel Dieu, Cornwall, on December 7th, 1958, a son.

MacLEOD - To Mr. and Mrs. Alexander D. MacLeod (nee Helen Nixon), Dalkeith, at Smith Clinic, Hawkesbury, on Saturday, November 29th, a son, Ian Roderick.

6-Deaths

McARTHUR-At hospital in Barrie, Ontario, on Monday, December 15th, 1958, Donald Munro McArthur, beloved husband of Norma MacLeod, in his 55th year.

9-Personal

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7-Cards of Thanks

GRANT - I want to thank all my relatives, neighbors, friends and the ladies of the church, for all the flowers, gifts, fruit and beautiful cards you are all sending me while I am a shut-in.

12-Articles For Sale

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10-Lost - Found

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