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Leger suggests semester change

A new school term system has been suggested by Rosaire Leger, Director of Education, for the SD&G County Board of Education.

Mr. Leger's proposal would see the terms changed from the traditional September to June months with holidays at Christmas, mid-March and the summer months. This could be replaced by two equal terms, the first semester of which would run from August 10th and end December 22nd. Classes for the second semester would start on February 15th and end June 30th.

The two semesters would be comprised of 92 and 93 teaching days without major interruptions.

This is merely a proposal, explains the director, and is intended for people to consider and make further suggestions. He feels Board members owe it to the taxpayer to consider new ideas to improve the existing system.

The fact that the traditional school vacation would be split with five weeks in the summer and seven in mid-winter, would be a drastic change, but the main advantage of the revised system would be a reduction of energy consumption leading to savings in the cost of operating schools in the winter time.

The most obvious advantage of this is financial, saving about $74,000 in hydro, gas, oil and snow removal costs, the director estimated. "We are being advised that there is going to be an energy shortage. We have to look to the future with this in mind, and plan accordingly."

If the schools were closed completely from Dec. 22nd to Feb. 15th the heat level in the buildings could be maintained at 50 degrees Fahrenheit, a substantial cut in energy.

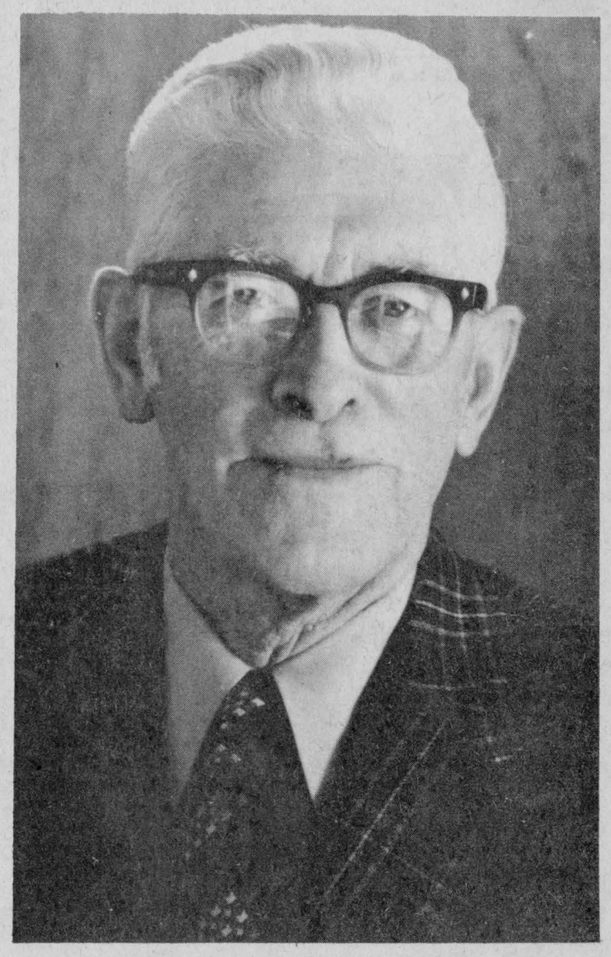
Maintenance of winter vehicles is another factor, he explained. It could mean a saving of $3,000 in gas expenses on Board vehicles. Such a system would also be advantageous to the high school student as the semester would co-incide with the college semester. As it is now, a student who must wait until the end of January to finish his high school semester must wait until the following September before he can enter college.

Sam McLeod, familiar with the farm situation, thought the idea would not be readily accepted by the farm population who rely heavily on high school students for help with the August farm work.

This, agreed, Mr. Leger, was possibly the greatest disadvantage of the proposal.

However, several trustees commended the director for his plan.

Nothing is final, the director explained. We don't try to bring about drastic changes without letting people have time to think about them. The Ministry of Education has final control of the school year and this proposition is in the stricly local and tentative stage.



ALEX McDONALD

Lochiel reeve new ROMA chairman

"The man from Glengarry" was elected chairman of the Rural Ontario Municipal Association which met in its 45th annual conference at the Royal York Hotel in Toronto, February 6th to 9th.

"I'm very happy I was able to bring this honor to our area," reported Alex McDonald, Reeve of Lochiel, following his appointment.

Elected to ROMA in 1973 as representative of Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry, Leeds and Grenville which comprises Zone Seven, Mr. McDonald served as second vice-president last year. However, the first vice-president was not re-elected to rural office in his municipality this term so Mr. McDonald was chosen president a year before he expected to be elected.

As Chairman of the Roma Resolutions Committee, the Lochiel farmer had an important role at the convention because there were a great many submissions from all over the province and as the reeve commented "When there are about 500 delegates sitting out in front voting on a topic, it takes considerable concern to try to run a meeting."

Resolution sparked discussion

The resolution presented from the United Counties was "That the Government of Ontario be petitioned to amend the planning act to permit a landholder to convey or lease land that has been acquired under one registered deed without the need or consent under section 29 of the Act."

This, basically, explains Counties Clerk-Treasurer, Raymond Lapointe, concerns selling parcels of land from property. If a farmer owns an original 100 acres and somehow acquired the abutting 100 acres, he cannot sell a lot off the newly acquired property without going through Section 29, even if the properties are registered under separate deeds. The two 100 acre properties are considered as one, when acquired by one owner and this makes for problems when it comes to severance. This also applies to smaller properties, as well as farms.

At the convention, Rona Bihun, secretary of the regional land division committee in Halton County complained that the human factor was ignored in county land division committees. "We have no guidelines to tell us how to deal with the individual who believes he has a right to a severance off his father's farm or the widow with young children who must sell off a couple of lots to pay her bills. An individual is left to fight his own case while there are an abundance of government agencies rushing forth to protect the public interest."

Line fences are a major problem

As the Lochiel reeve was one of the participants in the "Report on Line Fences Committee" we questioned him as to what was discussed.

"This business of line fences has grown into a major problem," Mr. McDonald said. "Times have changed and conditions change with it. There was a time when neighbors agreed on a line fence between two farms. One neighbor would agree to look after the north end of the property while his neighbor would accept the south end. Now, for instance, one of the neighbors might sell a lot at one end of his property and this newcomer might not find the original agreement acceptable. If he decides he doesn't need a fence and then cows stray on to his property, there is trouble. The new homes going up in rural communities cause a great many problems which were unforeseen, yet have to be resolved. We have to try to look ahead in making decisions to avoid further trouble."

Dealt with local problems

The convention sessions dealt with several problems of general interest: There was a Report on the Ontario Mineral Aggregates Working Party, which deal with soil, gravel, etc.; a Report on the ROMA Committee on Property Tax Reform; a Revised Report on Planning in Rural Ontario and Mobile Homes in Ontario-Municipal Viewpoint.

It was a time-consuming and interesting convention, reports the new chairman, and he feels his work load will be getting no easier. With ROMA, he will be meeting once a month with representatives of ACRO, the Association of Counties and Regions of Ontario and AMO, the Association of Municipalities of Ontario, as well as two groups from the City of Toronto.

These groups also meet once a month with different ministries of the government, depending on the problems at hand.

Local MPP, Osie Villeneuve was a guest of Mr. McDonald at the Association Banquet.

George Crites, Reeve of Roxborough Township replaces Mr. McDonald as representative for Zone Seven.

Third local chairman

Two Glengarrians have previously held the post of chairman in the ROMA; John MacLennan in 1954-55 and Archibald MacDonell in 1968-69. The fiscal year of the organization begins and ends in February, and the post is usually held for one year.

ROMA includes memberships in 300 rural municipalities in Ontario. There were representatives of several of the local councils present at the Convention.

Reached agreement

A threatened strike at Alexandria Moulding plant was prevented at the last moment, Monday, when members of Local 91 of the Teamsters' Union agreed to a new two-year contract.

The local could have walked out legally on Monday and there had been strike rumors over recent weeks. The workers were demanding a contract covering 18 months and the company was insisting on a two-year contract. At Monday's meeting there were new concessions and the local agreed to the two-year term.

Wage increases over the life of the contract will be 50 cents an hour for the first year and another 50 cents in the second year. There are changes in holiday time-off and other fringe benefits.

Richard Scott is chief steward of Local 91 and Bill Beattie of Cornwall, is business agent.



OFA PRESIDENT HERE—Members of the Glengarry Federation of Agriculture held their annual meeting at the Green Valley Pavilion Tuesday, Feb. 8th. Guest speaker for the evening was Peter Hannam, Provincial President, (centre of photo). Among those in attendance were left to right, Morris Koggel, member of the executive, Adrien Carriere, vice-president Glengarry, (Hannam), Donald Thomson, Glengarry president, and Michel Bourgon OFA fieldman for Prescott, Russell, Glengarry and Stormont Counties. —Staff photo

Lochiel man accident victim

Peter McPherson, 71, of McCormick Road, Alexandria, was seriously injured, Wednesday of last week while driving to town. He was conveyed to Glengarry Memorial Hospital where he was treated for a severe cut to the head, broken collarbone and a possible concussion.

According to the report of OPP Constable Brian Cook of Lancaster, Mr. McPherson was driving from his home to Alexandria on Power Dam road when his car was in collision with a milk truck driven by Roger Lauzon, RR3 Dalkeith.

The McPherson car was wrecked.

Oldest fair was largest in 1976

The 1976 Williamstown fair was the largest and best in the 164-year history of Ontario's oldest continuing exhibition, President Wilfred McNaughton told the annual meeting of St. Lawrence Valley Agricultural Society, Saturday night. The increase in gate receipts was a healthy $1,500 he noted.

Mrs. Ruth Mowat, secretary-treasurer, reported a total cash transfer connected with the fair of $33,687 last year.

Oliver McGee was elected Society president to succeed Mr. McNaughton.

Dates chosen for the 1977 fair are Aug. 5, 6 and 7. This is following up the success of two changes the fair board has made in recent years, moving the fair to a mid summer date instead of in October, a time of year when rain and snow often hampered the fair, and a Sunday family day, with an exhibit of local handicrafts a major feature.

Robert McDonell, manager of the annual exhibition, noted that one of the improvements needed at the fair grounds is better electrical services and rearrangement of concessions.

With Mr. McGee on the 1977 fair board executive are 1st vice-president Francis Chretien, 2nd vice-president Robert McDonell, and Mrs. Mowat, secretary-treasurer.

Besides these executive members the directors are Garry O'Connell, I. E. St. Jean, Brian Greer, John Peters of Lancaster, John Peters of Martintown, Donald Martin, Garnet MacDougall, Allan Burn and Mrs. Clifford Wightman.

Mrs. Wightman reported on behalf of the ladies' section of the fair.

The associate directors are Clark McDonell, Ray Howes, Hugh Blair, Mrs. Helen Mackenzie, Allan Ward, Robert MacRae, David Harrington, Mac Edwards, Derek Veldman, Ron Kubelka, Wilfred McNaughton and Mrs. Catherine Miller.

During the dinner meeting at Lancaster Curling Club the Society honored Mrs. Jean McGee for her many years of service in the ladies' division. A certificate was presented by Vice-President Francis Chretien.

An agricultural service diploma was presented by agricultural representative J. Y. Humphries on behalf of the board to Stanley Wightman for his services to agriculture in general and the fair in particular.

The board also presented a certificate to Johnson Raymond, a regular exhibitor at the annual show for more than 60 years, but Mr. Raymond was unable to be present.

OFA president addresses Glengarry annual meeting

Addressing the annual meeting of the Glengarry Federation of Agriculture in Green Valley Pavilion last week, Peter Hannam of Guelph, president of the Ontario Federation of Agriculture reported the provincial body is now attacking farm problems from several angles.

In reference to a local problem he remarked that the matter of beavers in Kenyon Township has been placed before the government and he could only express the hope that action would be taken in due course.

"In the government the wheels turn slowly sometimes but the OFA is trying to get them started on beaver control," he said.

The main part of Mr. Hannam's remarks was devoted to marketing and the contrast between Canadian tariffs on incoming products and the tariffs faced by Canadian farm products in the export market.

In some cases the tariff against Canadian exports is as much as 10 times the Canadian tariff on imports. The federation is seeking what it considers a more equitable balance in this matter.

The federation is also interested in the manufactured milk problem. The federal government is believed to be considering raising the market levy against farmers from $1.35 a hundred to $1.90. The levy is used to pay carrying charges and marketing costs on certain milk products in storage, especially milk powder.

In recent months, Mr. Hannam said, only relatively small amounts of milk powder have moved into storage and the federation is asking for an explanation of the proposed increase.

Directors were elected and they will meet in two weeks to choose a president. Donald Thomson of Martintown, is the retiring president.

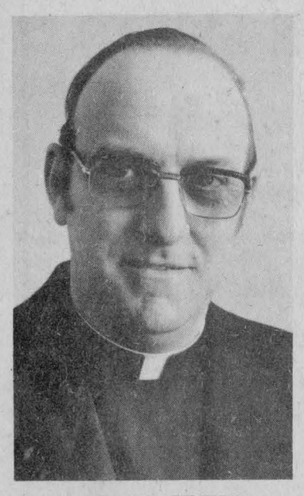
Vocations committee in diocese

A special vocations committee has been set up in the Diocese of Alexandria-Cornwall, Bishop Eugene LaRocque has announced.

It will be headed by Father Gilles Deslauriers of St. Mary's Parish in Green Valley and Rev. Thomas Villeneuve of the parishes of Long Sault and Ingleside.

They will be assisted by Sister Margaret Scanlan and Sister Suzanne Cormier of St. Theresa's Parish in Cornwall.

Special prayers are also to be said on the First Friday of each month for the fostering of vocations.



REV. DESLAURIERS

New trophy for fiddlers' contest

"We are looking forward to a terrific night," reports Ian MacLeod, secretary of the Glengarry Old-Time Fiddlers' Association, speaking of the competition coming up on Saturday, February 19th, at the Bonnie Glen.

In addition to the Father MacPhail trophy which was earned by Bobby Lalonde last year, the Glengarry Fiddlers have donated a new trophy.

Last year Marcel Lanthier, owner of the Bonnie Glen, whose pet project is to promote old-time fiddling, put on a contest himself at the hall and donated the Father MacPhail trophy.

The contest brought out contestants from Embrun, St. Polycarpe, Williamsburg, Ottawa, Valleyfield, Maxville, Wendover, Fournier, Chalk River, Carleton Place, St. Hubert, Forrester Falls, Ste. Anne de Prescott, Ste. Justine, Pembroke and Chateauguay, in addition to Glengarry County.

Mr. Lanthier was overjoyed; he had never expected such a response. "It just goes to show there are a great many more besides myself who are interested in fiddling," he said. "So this year with the help of the Glengarry Old-Time Fiddlers, it should be a real success, if we just get the weather for it."

Each contestant must play a waltz, jig and reel with the three tunes completed in three minutes. Sixteen finalists will be chosen with the first eight competing in the "A" final and the second eight competing for the "B" final.

The contests will be interspersed with dancing to the music of Art Jamieson's orchestra and Mr. Jamieson will also act as Master of Ceremonies.

The playdowns start at 6:30 p.m. and the massed fiddlers will be playing at 8:15.

Remanded for trial March 1st

Gerard Dicaire of Martintown pleaded "not guilty" to the charge of dangerous use of a firearm and was remanded for trial on March 1st when he appeared in provincial court here Monday.

He had been charged by the Ontario Provincial Police when a complaint was made by a member of the crew on the pipeline which traverses the Dicaire farm. Inter-Provincial Pipeline has just completed the route of the Sarnia to Montreal oil line.

Won award

Anne Jardin, a swimmer from Pointe Claire who took part in the Olympic Games was chosen outstanding swimmer of the year at a sports award night held in Montreal last week.

Anne is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Alex Jardin of Pointe Claire, formerly of Glen Nevis.

Lions fulfill pledge

The $50,000 pledge made to the Glengarry Sports Palace by the Alexandria Lions Club has been fulfilled!

The announcement was made at the Valentine dinner held Monday evening at the Hub Restaurant. Naturally, there was great rejoicing.

Just a little over a year ago, the Lions pledged this amount to the community drive then in progress to raise funds for the building.

They had just completed a $40,000 donation to the Glengarry Memorial Hospital, and it was a big project to shoulder as there are only about 25 active members in the club.

Gaetan Ravary was chairman of the "early bird" draw of the Lions 300 club and he did a fantastic job, reports Lions President Marcel Ranger. The 300 Club tickets are $100 each and the early collection of this money enabled the pledge to be fulfilled by Monday night. It was a mighty impressive Valentine gift.

Lions had their wives out as guests for the evening and danced to the music of the Riviera Orchestra.

Winner of the "early bird" draw worth $500 was Dave Irvine of Alexandria.



SD&G BOYS' CURLING CHAMPIONS—Members of the GDHS curling team walked off with the United Counties Curling Championship, Friday, when they won three in a row at the annual event held at the Cornwall Curling Club. Their first win was over St. Lawrence, 10 to 3; next they defeated CCVS 10 to 3 and went on to win over Seaway in the final 3 to 1. This win allows them entry in the EOSSA bonspiel in Hawkesbury, March 4th. If they win there they go on to the All Ontario Championships in Kapuskasing the next week. Front row, left to right, lead, Denis Desrosiers, second, Richard Aubry; back row, third Terry Labonte and skip Jim Labonte.

—Staff photo

SPORTS in the GLENS



by ANGUS H. McDONELL

That history has a habit of repeating itself is an old, old saying. The expression is often used in writing and discussions of this adage that we think positively (as we said in last week's column) of Maxville arena success. Despite the small area to canvass and the high hurdle of almost prohibitive costs.

About 50 years ago, in 1930, Maxville's old rink near the station had become just a pleasant memory. A decade of weather elements had tolled the bell—not bureaucracy.

A representative community committee was organized to explore the possibility of building a covered rink. Like today, costs were nearly prohibitive. But due to a different reason. A world depression, not inflation.

It was estimated that the project could be realized by raising $10,000. That much money in 1977 figures would only be as a Georgia Democrat would say, "peanuts." However, in reality let us remind this generation that in the "Hungry Thirties" a sale of the average cow was less than the value of one hundred pounds of milk today.

On a high note of optimism and determination the campaign was launched. It was successfully completed, thus giving Glengarry its first covered hockey rink. This notable achievement was not aided by any municipal grants and Wintario windfalls. All personal donations amounted to $4,500. The total cost was $9,990. Having faith in the integrity of the leaders, the bank didn't hesitate a moment in covering the balance. Community rink benefit programs soon wiped out the bank loan. History does and will repeat.

Another example. We wrote last week that World War Two ended the glory reign of the Millionaire hockey club. Those war and rehabilitation years had brought to an end the hockey league patterns that had succeeded senior hockey as we knew it in the Golden Twenties. The intermediates gave way to juniors and minors. Maxville hockey leaders did not stand idly by. They quickly adopted this new level of hockey that prevailed throughout the Valleys. They supported the keen desire of their youngsters to play in both recreation and competitive tournaments similar to that accorded the Millionaires, in their day. That spirit will repeat in anticipation of playing in a new arena.

Another winning instance of history repeating is the Maxville community area accepting the challenge to have the Kenyon Agricultural Society join the spring fair circuit.

In our youth the local fair in September meant a school holiday. You got there by horse and buggy. In Glengarry you attended the fair closest to home. Either Alexandria, Maxville, Williamstown or Vankleek Hill. Such other exhibitions as Cornwall, Valleyfield, Malone and Ottawa were too far away. Competition and often rain could have a deterrent effect. Hence Alexandria and Cornwall threw in the towel.

In 1947 the field was open to Williamstown and "The Hill." Maxville had moved up to the spring circuit. That meant joining Lachute and Ormstown big league. Lachute was widely known, nudging Ottawa in exhibits and popularity. Every sport fan in Glengarry knew of Ormstown. Our county's championship exhibit there was the prowess of the Apple Hill-Martintown tug-of-war team.

At first, around Maxville, there were a few doubting Thomases. And rightly so as this was quite a gamble. But what they didn't realize was the fact they had quite a Gamble in their midst, a capable, driving force leader. That was 30 years ago. Today, if there is a better spring show staged anywhere in Canada, on a pro rata basis of course, and in a more spacious, accommodating and colorful setting, we would like to hear about it.

While the Fair Board improved their complex, the Maxville Curling Club members also accepted the challenge of rebuilding their rink. This wasn't an easy project as the plans called for a duplex style clubhouse. It was costly. But once again a financial barrier had been moved aside and success prevailed. The Maxville and area curlers have a posh home comparable to any in a like community.

The feat of history repeating as each of the foregoing financial challenges was met and conquered was a remarkable achievement for a small community population wise and without a single industry. However, those accomplishments paled beside this 1967 mid-January announcement: "A home for the aged to be built in or near Maxville at a cost of $700,000 is the goal of a group of Maxville citizens."

Regardless of whether our economy is in the depth of a depression or the height of inflation, there is no comparison between raising $10,000 in 1930 and a three-quarter of a million package 35 years later. The only comparison was the unity of civic pride, co-operation and determination to meet the Maxville Manor challenge head on and be a decisive winner on the achievement score board. This great victory, we all know and appreciate, gave our senior citizens a local, private enterprise home in administration, setting and atmosphere that is truly a model to any community, regardless of size, in Canada and the United States.

And finally the Glengarry Highland Games. Just a brief synopsis fitting our alotted space. However, we do wish to record here that some day, ere too long, we trust the fascinating history of the "Games," the founders, the leaders, the bands, the distinguished guests, etc., coupled with our notable Glengarry athletes, will be housed in an inexpensive (Glengarrians anywhere could contribute) yet attractive building in the fairgrounds complex—"A Hall of Fame."

At this time suffice it to say that the Glengarry Highland Games was the brain child of a Greenfield-Maxville piper Peter MacInnes and his enthusiastic colleagues.

The 1947 launching pad was manned by a Maxville nucleus and county representation. The initial attendance exceeded all expectations creating unexpected problems. This caused some criticism but the general satisfaction was overwhelming. Hence the possibility of transforming the old fair grounds into a new and modern home to house the two infant enterprises, the Spring Fair and the Highland Games, became the objective of those concerned. Each year tangible improvements were made on the grounds and the present layout would be considered, 30 years ago, a landscape architect's dream.

This dream became a gradual reality because yearly attendance never faltered. It can be truthfully written that in excess of 600,000 people will have wended their way to Maxville in three decades to be part of this Scottish culture extravaganza.

And now this same community of village status and limited farm area, without a single industry we repeat, once more faces a challenge of considerable magnitude, the erection of an arena. Have no fear, Garry, (Garry Smith committee chairman) the old and the new forces will rally around you and your colleagues as has been done so nobly in the past, thus adding further evidence that history does repeat.

4-H Club to hold enrolment night

The Glengarry 4-H agricultural program for 1977 will begin with a new innovation this year. We are holding an Enrolment Night rather than an Enrolment Day.

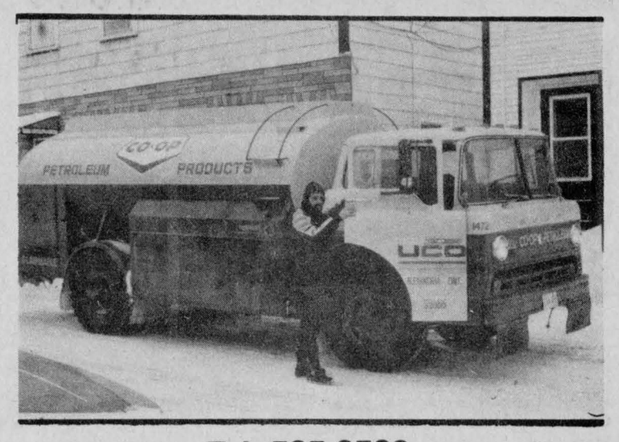
This Enrolment Night will be held on Thursday, February 24th, in the Glengarry District High School Cafetorium, from 8:00 —9:00 p.m.

The Enrolment Night provides the opportunity for young people between the ages of 12 and 19 years, as of January 1st, 1977, who live on farms or in rural communities, to find out what the 4-H program has to offer them and to register in the 4-H club or clubs of their choice.

The Glengarry program allows Pre 4-H members, 11 years of age as of January 1st, 1977, to participate in the County program. While these members participate in the club meetings and club events they are not eligible for Regional or Provincial Awards.

Even though we hope that everyone will be in a position to attend, if you are interested in joining the 4-H agricultural program and you are unable to come to the Enrolment Night, contact Glen Smith, the 4-H Co-ordinator or Mrs. Catherine Stewart, the 4-H Secretary, at the Ontario Ministry of Agriculture and Food Office in Alexandria.

4-H can be for you. Everyone interested in joining should attend the Enrolment Night.



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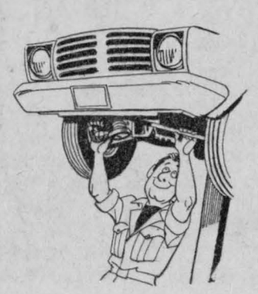
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NEW PHN

The new Public Health nurse for the district is Mrs. Jan Mazhar.

SKATE-A-THON RESCHEDULED

The Minor Hockey Skate-a-thon which was stormed out the first time has been rescheduled for Thursday evening, February 24th.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Smith of Ottawa were weekend visitors with Mrs. Eva Kippen.

Mrs. Edna Rolland spent the past two weeks in Montreal with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Stritch and family.

Kerry Franklin of Guelph spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Keith Franklin and family.

ANGLICAN SERVICE AT MANOR

There will be no service this Sunday, Feb. 20th at St. Michael's Anglican Church . . . Rev. Fr. Peter Durrett having the 3:00 p.m. service at the Maxville Manor.

READY FOR CRAFT SHOW

The Maxville Girl Guides recently had a slumber party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Stan Jasiewicz of Greenfield . . . food, games and lots of fun. On the 18th of February the Guides are all going to Cornwall to see My Fair Lady, and on the 19th their crafts' entries will be judged and on display at the Annual Hobby Show at St. Francis de Sales parish hall, Cornwall.

In honor of Lord and Lady Baden-Powell and Scouting Week, the Maxville Guides and Brownies, Scouts and Cubs, will all attend the 11:00 a.m. service at the Maxville United Church this Sunday, Feb. 20th.

MINOR HOCKEY DANCE AT HALL

Should be another good dance at the Community Hall this Friday Feb. 18th . . . Bobby Lalonde and the Four Sons are helping the Minor Hockey Association raise a little more money.

500 ATTEND LIONS BREAKFAST

Recent winners in the Lions' Club draw were, last week . . . Linden Kippen, and this week Mansel Paquette. The Lions' Breakfast Sunday morning was extraordinarily successful, about 500 people came to dine with them.

MONTHLY MEETING

The regular meeting of the Maxville Manor Auxiliary will be held on Monday, Feb. 21st, beginning with the sing-song at 7:30 p.m.

WI TO HOST MANOR PARTY

The Maxville Women's Institute will hold their meeting on Wednesday, Feb. 23, at 2:00 p.m. in the Maxville Public Library. Guest speaker will be a representative of the VON. The Institute is also hosting the February birthday party at the Maxville Manor on Monday, Feb. 28th.

EVENTS AT SENIOR SCHOOL

Events at the Senior Elementary School . . . school photos were taken Feb. 10th and the annual Winter Carnival was on Friday, with Berwick Public School participating too. George Tyo, E.M.O. co-ordinator, presented a program of first aid instruction on Wednesday, which the pupils appreciated a great deal. The Canadian Tests of Basic Skills have just been completed . . . when the results are returned parents wanting to see them can do so by making an appointment at the school. Next reports Friday, March 11th. And would any parents like to volunteer for the Upper Canada Village trip Feb. 28th?

Presbyterian annual

The annual meeting of Knox Presbyterian Church, Moose Creek, was held in the schoolroom of the Church, on Saturday evening, January 22.

The Worship Service was conducted by Mr. Larry Welch, Student Minister, after which Dr. Iver D. MacIver, Interim-Moderator, presided for the business of the meeting.

The Session Report was given by John K. MacLean; the Board of Management by John K. MacLean in the absence of Sterling MacLean, Secretary.

The Women's Missionary Society Secretary and Treasurer reports were read by Mrs. Cecil Robertson.

The Ladies Aid Secretary's report was read by Mrs. J. C. Robertson and the Treasurer's report by the Treasurer, Mrs. Angus Bethune.

The Choir Fund Report was read by Mrs. Fraser MacMillan.

The Sunday School Secretary and Treasurer's Report was read by Mr. Larry Welch; The Cradle Roll Report was given by Mrs. Cecil Robertson, Supt.

The "Atomic" Young Peoples' report was given by Mr. Larry Welch. The Auditor's report was read by Mrs. Angus Bethune. The Congregational Treasurer's report was read by Mrs. David Ross.

The Presbyterian Record Report was read by Mrs. Fraser MacMillan. A committee was appointed to secure a Treasurer, as Mrs. Ross had resigned after 37 years service to the Congregation. The office has yet to be filled.

The officers for the year 1977 are:

Kirk Session: Rev. (Dr.) Iver D. MacIver, Interim-Moderator; Mr. Larry A. Welch, Student Minister; Elders, Charles E. Blair, Archie Buchanan, Kenzie MacCuaig, Angus Bethune, Alex McLean, John K. MacLean.

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Trustees, Donald McKay, Earl MacNeil, John K. MacLean. Cradle Roll Supt., Mrs. J. C. Robertson. Flower Committee, Mrs. Kenzie MacCuaig, Mrs. Norman McCuaig, Mrs. J. C. Robertson.

A letter was read stating the Budget Allocation for the year 1977 and an Allocation for the Congregation was agreed upon.

MANOR EUCHRE

There was a Euchre at the Manor this week . . . for the Men the winners were Sinclair Feek of Avonmore, Herbie O'Byrne, and Willie Clark. For the Ladies . . . Mrs. Dan MacRae, Mrs. Sinclair Feek, and Mrs. Annie Grant. Ralph McIntosh won the door prize. The next euchre will be on Wednesday, Feb. 23rd, . . . convened by Mrs. Martine McDonald and Mrs. Julie Danskin.

Horticultural annual

The North Roxborough Horticultural Society annual meeting was held on January 25th in the Senior Citizens Club room, with an attendance of 11. Miss Florence Gentles, president, presiding. The minutes of the last meeting were read by the Secretary, Mrs. David Ross. In the absence of the Treasurer, the report was read by the president.

Mrs. Fred Scott presided for the election of officers for the year 1977. President, Miss Florence Gentles; First Vice-President, Mrs. Anton Baas; Second Vice-President, Mrs. Emery Brunet; Secretary, Mrs. David Ross; Treasurer, Mrs. Fred Scott; Auditors, Mrs. E. L. Blair and Nelson Munroe.

Directors for one year—Mrs. Hilda McRae, Mrs. Margaret Hoople, Mrs. Chester Valley, Mrs. Elmer McDermid, Mrs. William M. Campbell. Directors for two years, Mrs. J. Brozincevic, Mrs. Gordon McKercher, Mrs. Maria Laramie, Mrs. Gerald Emburg, Mrs. William Valley.

It was agreed that we hold our annual Flower Show on Wednesday, August 17th in the Community Hall, and that the judging of the lawns, flower boxes, etc. be done the day prior to the Show.

Mrs. Gordon McKercher was appointed as Juvenile Director.

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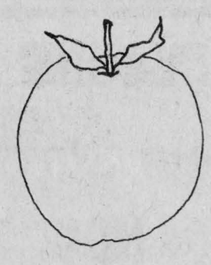
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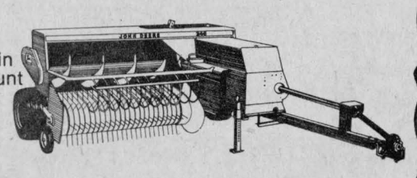

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Lochiel, Trottier Bros face elimination

After two games in the semi-finals Glengarry Hotel and North Lancaster find themselves in a comfortable situation, as they both lead their opposition two games to nothing in a best of five series.

In the first game of the series, Jean Paul Claude led the way for North Lancaster with two goals as they overpowered Lochiel by a score of 4 to 0. Phil Dumouchel and Johnny Vincent added the other two markers. Bruno Lalonde picked two assists while Leroy Robinson added another.

The shutout "King" of the regular season Gerry Laferriere picked up his 19th shutout.

Glengarry Hotel won their first game in an overtime victory against Trottier Bros. At the end of regulation time the score was tied 1—1. Gerald Oetelaar did the scoring for Glengarry while Rejean Menard replied for Trottier Bros.

Trottier Bros. thought they won the game as Richard St. Denis put the ball into an empty net, only to have it called back because he was in the crease.

Glengarry came right back as Remi Decoeur broke by Trottier's defenceman and was going in to score. In a desperation attempt, one of the Trottier players threw his broom in the direction of the ball. In overtime a goal is automatically awarded, thus giving the victory to Glengarry Hotel.

Monday night it looked as if Trottier Bros. were going to even the series up. Trottier led two to nothing at the end of the first period as Richard St. Denis and Gerry Deguire combined for both goals.

In the second period however Glengarry fought valiantly back. Aurel Decoeur got the first goal and that seemed to have sparked Glengarry, as they took the game away from Trottier.

Remi Decoeur scored the tying goal at 6:32 and then added the winner with 3:12 remaining in the game. They now lead their best out of five series two games to none.

Lochiel came out stronger this game after suffering a 4 to 0 defeat at the hands of N. Lancaster last Thursday.

It was a tight defensive battle during the first and part of the second period as there weren't very good scoring opportunities on either side. Then at 10:14 of the second period Dale MacDonald banged in a loose ball in a scramble in front of N. Lancaster goal.

Three minutes later Doug Dumouchel set up Leroy Robinson in the slot as he let go a hard shot that beat Ian MacKay.

Then just two minutes later John Vincent passed the ball out from the corner and Guy Bellefeuille alertly drove a hard shot that Ian MacKay got a piece of but not enough as it rolled behind him into the net. N. Lancaster also leads their series two games to none.

Next Games

Thursday, Feb. 17th, 8:00 p.m., Lochiel vs North Lancaster; 9:00 p.m. Glengarry vs Trottier.

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Midget Glens win B honors

The Alexandria Midget Glens won their second "B" series trophy in eight days Saturday when they defeated Iroquois 8 to 1 in the final game of the Chesterville Hockey Tournament.

Their first trophy this year was won in their own tournament Feb. 12 at the Sports Palace. On Saturday they repeated the performance. Losing their first game to Ottawa West 3 to 1, they went into the "B" series elimination.

Char-Lan was their first victim as the Glens won that game 7 to 2 with points coming off the sticks of Mike Sullivan with a hat trick and two assists, Paul Depratto with a pair and Mike Bellefeuille and Mike Crack with singles.

In the trophy-winning game over Iroquois they won by the considerable margin of 8 to 1.

"The defence has been super hot in both tournaments," said coach Barry MacDonald, "allowing only three goals in the home tournament and six in this one. They're really doing their job and moving the puck out of their end."

On defence for the midget Glens are Terry Epp, Scott Hay, Carter MacDonald and Sandy Maclaren.

Making the eight points for Alexandria were Mike Sullivan, with his second hat trick of the tournament and two more assists. Dan Giroux and Mike Crack each scored a pair and Doug Brown got a single.

Scott Hay was voted his team's MVP for the tournament. Monday night the midgets played in St. Isidore de Prescott and came away with a 3 to 2 victory.

It was the fastest game I saw them play this year, said Coach MacDonald.

Scoring for Alexandria were Carter MacDonald with an assist from Sandy Maclaren; Leo Seguin assisted by Mike Bellefeuille and Mike Crack. The game winning goal came off the stick of Mike Sullivan with assists from Doug Brown and Scott Hay.

Scoring for St. Isidore were Marc Lavoie and Yves Laforge.

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Winners at St. Raphael's

Winners at the card party held at St. Raphael's on Friday, February 11th were: Men's, Paul Valade, Charlie Williamson and Donald Cuggy. Ladies', Mrs. Ernest Johnson, Mrs. Alcide Brunet and Mrs. Ewen MacDonald. The door prize was won by Miss Maureen MacDonald and the lamp raffled went to Cuthbert MacDonald.



TOM FOOLERY—Members of the Montreal Old Pros gathered around Friday night, following a collision between two of their teammates. Fortunately the whole thing was part of the evening's entertainment and was only put on for show. Fortunately, also, for Lucien Chenier, (Red Cross outfit) and Marcel Francoeur, (morgue attendant) as the stretcher they were using could hardly hold itself together, let alone be used to carry anyone off the ice.

Old-timer Canadiens put on fine show

Ability is the key word in winning and losing hockey games and Friday night was no exception when the Alexandria Old Timers were defeated by the Montreal Old Pros 18 to 6 in front of a capacity crowd at the Sports Palace.

The Montreal team was made up of past members of the Montreal Canadiens organization. Their average age was probably fifteen years senior to the local team but it had little effect on the eventual outcome of the game.

Without exception the Montreal team won every face-off and made their abilities known at the dropping of the first puck which was passed about two or three times and slipped by Bob Leroux for the first point of the evening.

This was the beginning of the end as they proceeded to score another four goals before Denis Martin was able to put one in the net for the locals.

Gaetan Giroux who played defence for the locals and was also responsible for organizing the competition, said about Phil Goyette, Montreal centre, "That guy can put a move on you that leaves you just standing there wondering where the puck went."

Phil made four goals for Montreal and at one point gave a stick handling performance that left the locals in a state of shock.

The Montreal team was playing with only five men after referee Red Storey handed out one of his comical 20-second penalties.

Phil took the puck from behind his own net and made his way up the ice avoiding every form of poke-check from the Alexandria players. He turned a few fancy moves around the defence and pushed the puck in the net.

With Red Storey as referee, monkey business had to enter into the game at some stage and a collision between two Montreal players was as good a reason as any.

Both players lay on the ice in what was staged as an injury. This gave an opportunity for Lucien Chenier who was dressed up in a nurse's type outfit and Marcel Francoeur, who was got up in a morgue uniform, to attempt to carry the players off the ice.

Their stretcher unfortunately was built for show and not service which left them with no alternative but to drag one player off the ice.

For no reason at all, which is usually a good enough excuse for Red Storey, he placed himself and linesman Carman MacMillan in the penalty box.

The locals played a full game of hockey for the entire 60 minutes. However they were no match for the abilities of the Montreal team.

When the locals would get in a tight spot with the puck their natural impulse was to get rid of it to another team mate. The Montreal players on the other hand would simply skate around them never losing control of the puck.

Just prior to the end of the second period the Montreal team was ahead 10 to 6. At this point they decided to allow the locals to keep their six points while they returned their score to zero.

As if this made any difference, for the locals were unable to make one point in the third period compared to eight that the old Canadiens were able to score.

Scoring for Alexandria were Denis Martin who made both the first and last goals for the locals, Gerry Beauclair and Roch Lajoie who both got singles and Jean Yves Jeaurond who was able to make a pair.

The top scorers for Montreal were Claude Goyette with five and Phil Goyette with four. Lee Hardy, Claude Provost and Fleming MacKell each got a pair, and singles were made by Georges Bouchard, Yves Sarazin and Andre Pronovost.

Fleming MacKell played the entire game wearing a neck brace. He was also the only Montreal player to wear any head protection.

Players like Dollard St. Laurent, who played defence Friday, and at one time filled the same slate with Doug Harvey, didn't appear to have lost any of his timing and ability.

Ken Mosdell was by far the tallest player on the team and possibly the oldest, 57, but he could skate circles around almost any of the Alexandria players. Not so much with speed as with ability.

And ability was the name of the game. The Alexandria players have nothing to be ashamed of in losing to so much hockey talent.

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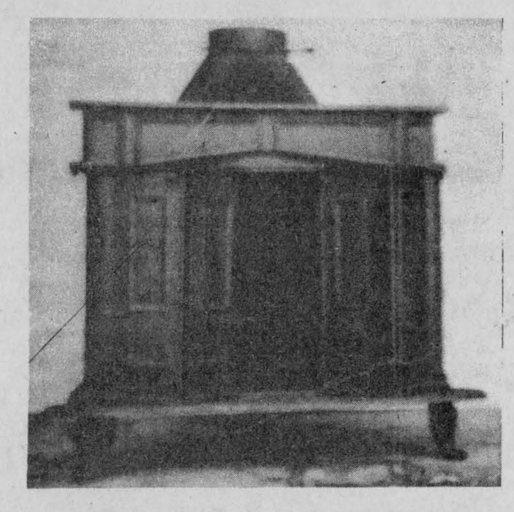

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Glens lost big one to Metcalfe

Some you win and some you lose. That was exactly what the weekend's competition proved for the Jr. Glens when they lost in Metcalfe 10 to 4 then defeated Embrun at the Sports Palace 6 to 2.

The Glens played poorly in the first and third periods of Friday's game allowing Metcalfe four goals in the opening period and five more in the last with only one in the second twenty minutes of play.

Scoring for the Glens were Paul Seguin, Wayne Cameron, Randy McDonell and Norman Laliberte. All four points came in the second period.

Sunday's game at the Sports Palace saw the Glens defeat Embrun 6 to 2 with the locals outshooting the visitors 39 to 29 and only four minor penalties being given each team.

Point getters in that game were Paul Seguin, Frank St. Pierre, Wayne Cameron, John Charlebois, Claude Roy and Mike Beauclair.

The Glens are now only three points ahead of Metcalfe in the race for fourth place and a slot in this year's play-offs. They face each other again Friday night in Metcalfe.

Metcalfe then plays first-place Vanier and the Glens will be playing in Navan on Wednesday, Feb. 23rd.

These games will be the deciding factor as to who gets the fourth place slot in the play-offs. Whoever it is will host first place Vanier in the series opener.

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Gaels on the warpath

(by Warren Everson)

On Monday the senior and junior boys finished their seasons with games against Osnabruck. Though neither team qualified for play-off competition, both had excellent games to finish the season. The junior boys scored over 90 points while allowing only 60, while the senior boys also scored a season high; this time a modest 66. The only basketball team not finished is the midget boys. They have an EOSSA qualifying tournament on Saturday at our school, and their future competitions will be dictated by this tournament. Only first and second place finishers will be considered for EOSSA and the midget Gaels must be regarded as possibilities particularly after their victory over Osnabruck, Monday. Like their older schoolmates, the midget boys scored a decisive victory and with some intense practice, should be ready for Saturday.

The midget boys will become an important test regardless of the outcome of this season. Basketball seems to be at a crossroads in our school this year, with some coaching confusion, and almost no student support or interest. This particular midget team is skillful, enthusiastic, and knowledgeable about the sport. With support and good coaching they could be a major basketball name in the years to come. If they fail to develop to their potential (and that will be very good indeed) then the fault will probably lie with the school rather than the players.

A team is only as good as its coach, particularly in high school where they have so much to learn. Furthermore, they are only as spirited and enthusiastic as their school atmosphere encourages them to be. The challenge for our school is to fulfill our responsibility to the athletes who are prepared to give their best efforts to the school and their teams.

This does not apply only to basketball. Without dedicated coaches like Cairncross and Kelly, the girls volleyball teams would be most likely forgotten. The same applies to badminton and wrestling and gymnastics. Only certain devoted people keep these sports alive in our school, in spite of crushing student indifference. It would be a very sad day if these and other sports had to be cancelled because the particular guiding force for that sport retired or moved elsewhere.

Furthermore, it would be a failure to fulfill the responsibility to the students that any athletic program in any school has—to allow the student the chance to develop in each sport to his or her potential.

Meanwhile, the dedicated few struggle on. Girls' volleyball will come to a climax Friday as both teams will compete in an EOSSA qualifying tournament at CCVS. If they are successful they will go on to further competition; if not they will probably be finished for the season.

Mid-winter is a dull time for the Gaels. Unless some of our teams go on to further events, there will be a brief, boring period before they re-emerge in the spring. The Gaels haven't given up, they're merely resting up.

Tourney decided by two-man teams

Always a bridesmaid and never a bride is the attitude the Bantam Glens will be taking after losing their fourth chance at a tournament championship last Saturday in Maxville.

They started the competition like gang busters downing the host team of Maxville, 6 to 0 in a show of strength that made them look like the team to beat.

Point getters in that game were Andre Lortie with a pair and singles from Carl Campbell, Grant Crack, Marc Bellefeuille and Frankie Morris.

Their second game had them facing off against Char-Lan and they came out of that one winning 2 to 1 with points coming off the sticks of Jed Barker and Carl Campbell.

Char-Lan goalie Doug Spink was chosen MVP of the series.

The bridesmaid game was when they faced off against Ottawa East and lost a squeaker in overtime on a penalty type shot, 1 to 0.

Both teams played exceptional games of hockey and at the end of three periods the score was still 0 to 0.

The normal way of deciding a winner in a tournament is to have both teams pull their goalies and the first team to score wins the game.

However a new twist was given tournament play this time when each team appointed a player to go one-on-one against the goaltender and the first one to get the puck past him would win.

It was set up in the same way as a penalty shot would have been and Alexandria, after winning the toss, was given the first chance. But they hit the goal post.

Ottawa East then gave it their best shot and didn't make it nor did Alexandria on their second shot. However someone had to beat the goaltender sooner or later and Ottawa just happened to be it.

Final score, Ottawa East 1, Alexandria Bantam Glens 0.

On Sunday, the Alexandria team travelled to North Franklin, N.Y. only to lose there 4 to 3.

"We were down 4 to 2 with only one minute left to play," said Coach Wayne Crack, "and we pulled the goalie. The extra man allowed us to make one more point bringing the score to 4 to 3 but we were unable to make one more to tie it up. The boys played one heck of a game regardless of the loss."

Alexandria's next tournament competition is scheduled for Feb. 26th in Char-Lan.

Won girls' tug-o-war

Iona Academy lost out on any broomball prizes at the Blessed Sacrament Parish Carnival last Saturday but they were top champions in the tug-o-war.

Tugging for Iona were Heidi Oeggerli, Cindy St. Onge, Carol Leblanc, Anita Hennessy and Elaine MacDonald.

Five high school girls from General Vanier who were watching the games, challenged them to a fun pull but by this time Iona had the knack of the tugging and walked off with them as well.

Stars down Scotia

by Carman MacMillan

Saturday, February 12th the Glengarry Stars played Scotia in what everybody thought would be a close game. Scotia last season tied us and this season came close to beating us in the first game which ended with the Stars winning 11 to 9.

After the first five minutes into the game the Stars were losing 2 to 0. It took almost 15 minutes into the game before Pierre Theoret notched the first one for the Stars. Right after that goal Gerald Chenier took a good pass from Wally Martin which made the score 2—2. From then on Herbie Maley and John MacPherson got one each to take a 4—2 score going into the second half.

The second half was all for the Stars as we scored five times and Norman Laliberte did not allow any more goals.

Pierre Theoret scored two more while Carey MacMillan also got two with John MacPherson rounding out the scoring.

The boys played a great passing game and also a good checking game. Norman came on after a shaky five minutes and blanked the opposition from then on.

On Saturday Feb. 19th we play the Maple Leaf Oldtimers at 2 p.m. at Canterbury High School.

This week's photos are Carey MacMillan and Ian MacLeod.

Carey is a rookie this season. He has played in the Glen Sandfield minor system and last season played senior ball for the Glengarry Stars in senior division



in Glengarry. He also played for the junior soccer team in GDHS.

Ian played in the Glen Sandfield minors and played senior ball for the Glengarry Stars last season. Ian is no stranger to indoor soccer as he played last season for the Stars in the indoor league. Ian is one of the oldtimers on the team. He is also full of music. If we get to travel to Ottawa in Mr. Eugene Bergeron's van again we are going to be entertained by Ian on the violin.

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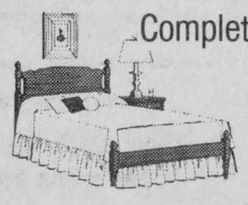

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News of

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Mrs. Rena Upton has returned home after spending several days with her son Robin and family in Manotick. En route she visited Mrs. Florence Hewitt in her new home in Chesterville.

Good wishes are extended to Mr. and Mrs. Laurier Charlebois and family who have moved to Alexandria and a welcome is extended to Mr. and Mrs. Theo Van den Oetelaar and family who have purchased their farm in the 4th Concession of Lancaster.

Mr. and Mrs. John Nolan of Carleton Place spent the weekend with their daughter Mrs. Charles Osborne, Mr. Osborne, Stephanie, Angela and Colin.

Miss Roxanne Pidgeon of Dalkeith spent several days with her grandmother Mrs. Mary Pidgeon, Suzanne and Gordon. Suzanne and Roxanne spent Friday in Cornwall with Mrs. Hector Sauve.

Word has been received that Alan McIntosh, a former Glengarry resident, passed away last week in La Morada, California. As a child he moved to Vane, B.C. He married a girl from Wisconsin and lived for a time in Winnipeg. They served for some time as Missionaries in Africa and on their return were associated with the Bi-o-La Institute in Los Angeles. When the Institute moved its college to La Moranda the McIntoshes took up residence in that city. He is survived by one brother John, of Vernon, B.C.

The First Lancaster Brownies will hold a social evening in Knox Church Hall, Saturday, February 26th at 7:30 p.m.

Trains again run

The CPR line at Dalhousie was clear and trains were again moving last weekend, a week after the big derailment that saw 40 freight cars hurled across Dalhousie real estate.

Officials say that a problem with the drinking water is still possible as the milder weather will cause some of the sulphuric acid, which was spilled from two tank cars, to seep into the ground, and into the wells.

Total damage of the mishap has been set at approximately $3 million.

Five-year sentences for trio on robbery

Maurice Seguin, 20, Bernard Seguin, 18, and Alexander Aubin, 28, all of Moose Creek, were each sentenced in provincial court at Cornwall last week, to five years imprisonment for robbery in connection with the theft of more than $9,000 from two elderly brothers in Moose Creek, Jan. 10th.

The three pleaded guilty to robbery Jan. 18 and were remanded in custody for sentence. They were arrested outside Moose Creek two days after Wilfred and Hector Lalonde were beaten and robbed of $9,140.

Court was told the brothers were injured during the robbery, Wilfred Lalonde the most seriously. Court was also told the three accused gained entrance to the Lalonde house by using a ruse and that after completing the robbery, they left Wilfred Lalonde with his hands bound.

Court was further told the telephone in the house was ripped from the wall to prevent assistance being summoned and that Hector Lalonde went to a neighbor's house to get help.

In passing sentence, Judge Michael Fitzpatrick noted that the crime was not impulsive but planned.

"It is a most disturbing fact in society today that attacks upon the elderly are increasing day by day," the judge said.

He added that such attacks are part of the terror experienced by the elderly in cities such as New York and that they are now occurring with growing frequency in Canada.

"My paramount concern," he said, "is that the deterrent effect of sentence must be known and that crimes of this nature will not be tolerated and that offenders will be treated with the full severity of the law."

Talk on family

Dr. Pierre Turgeon, Faculty of Education, Ottawa University, will be guest speaker at the annual meeting of Family Counselling Centre of Cornwall and United Counties. The meeting will be held at Cornwall Civic Complex on Monday, February 21, at eight o'clock. The topic will be "The Family in Search of Self—An Essential Unit for Communicating Values to Children."

Dr. Turgeon is associate professor, Faculty of Education, University of Ottawa; Psychotherapist, Ottawa General Hospital, and President of Canadian Guidance and Counselling Association. Dr. Turgeon has a wealth of experience and has written several professional papers and articles. He has conducted workshops in Human Relations Training and in 1973, conducted a Communications Workshop in Cornwall.

The meeting is open to the general public.

Bookmobile

The bookmobile of Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry County Library will visit the following locations during the week of Feb. 21, 1977:

Monday: Riverside Heights, 9:45-10:00; Stampville, 10:20-10:40; Hainsville, 10:50-11:10; Hulbert, 11:20-11:40; Williamsburg, 1:00-1:30; Sunnybright, 1:45-2:00; Winchester Springs, 2:15-3:00.

Tuesday: Gravel Hill, 10:20-10:40; Monkland, 10:50-11:30; Apple Hill, 1:00-1:30; Martintown, 1:45-2:15; St. Raphael's, 2:30-3:00.

Wednesday: Curry Hill, 10:00-10:30; Bainsville, 10:45-11:10; North Lancaster, 11:25-11:55; Glen Norman, 1:10-1:30; Greenfield, 2:00-2:30; Dalkeith, 3:00-4:00.

Thursday: Green Valley, 10:00-10:30; Glen Robertson, 11:00-11:30; Glen Sandfield, 12:45-1:15; McCrimmons Corners, 1:30-2:00; Dunvegan, 2:15-3:00.

Friday: Dunbar, 10:40-11:10; Morewood, 1:00-1:30; Hallville, 2:00-2:15; Mountain, 2:30-3:00; Inkerman, 3:15-3:45.

Peewee tourney Saturday

Alexandria will be holding a Peewee hockey tournament Saturday at the Sports Palace starting at 8:30 a.m. However they have been forced into holding it with only six teams, two of which are from Alexandria.

Unfortunately at this time of year many area towns are holding hockey tournaments and local organizers were unable to sign up the necessary eight competing teams.

Only four other municipalities were able to enter a team so area organizers were forced into the position of either entering a second Alexandria team to make an even number of six or cancel the tournament.

Included in the tournament are Long Sault, Char-Lan, Maxville and Chesterville.

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The proposed zoning by-law is in conjunction with the official plan of the Glengarry Planning Area which was approved by the Ministry, March 23rd, 1976.

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PEOPLE on the MOVE

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Trottier were in Quebec City last weekend attending the winter carnival.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Hurtubise were in Toronto last weekend visiting her mother, Mrs. Helen McGarvey and other members of her family.

Misses Joy and Rita McPhee of Ottawa visited with their mother, Mrs. Gertrude McPhee at the Community Nursing Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Guindon have returned from an extended holiday in Australia.

Miss Helen Costello of Ottawa spent last weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Archie McDougall and family.

Dr. and Mrs. Andre Cuerrier and Dr. and Mrs. J. Y. Bourdeau have just returned from a vacation in Haiti.

Miss Margaret Theoret, Ottawa, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Theoret, Fassifern.

95th birthday

Mrs. Margaret MacDonald, a resident of Apple Hill for most of her life, celebrated her 95th birthday on Tuesday, February 15th at the Community Nursing Home in Alexandria where she is now a resident.

Mrs. MacDonald is the mother of Mrs. Hilda MacDonald of St. Raphael's and Mrs. Albert Filion of Apple Hill.



ECOLE ROULEAU ROYALTY—The 1977 Queen was chosen at the school's winter carnival last Friday following a competition which included such points as poise, speech, talent and an ability to answer a surprise question. This year's winner was Francine Massie, centre, with the first princess Sylvie Ranger, right and second princess, Rachel Beauclair, left. —Staff photo

Suggestions for topics of study made at Inter-Agency

Suggestions for topics of discussion at future meetings of Glengarry Inter-Agency Incorporated were received in response to a request from Chairman Allan Burn at the February meeting.

Pauline Roussin of the United Counties Social Services would like to see some discussion devoted to the problems of young people who leave school before the age of 16 and find themselves without jobs. The number of children in this situation is a cause of grave concern, she felt.

Joan Cho-Sik underlined the problems of young people in mental health and was anxious to see some steps taken to give this aspect some consideration.

Karen Costello referred to the previous seminar sponsored by Inter-Agency on Addiction and Research and thought this was a good method to study a particular problem as guest speakers and time for discussion brought out ideas and plans for progress.

Dan Filliol thought the group should consider a meeting on the Consumers Association of Canada with discussion on suggestions made by people like Ralph Nader, Bill Edmunstun, etc.

Sylvio Cleroux suggested having a speaker on juvenile law to learn about court cases young people are involved in.

Mike Fouhy was also concerned with mental health of both young and older patients and was anxious to see some study on the subject.

Most of the others present were in agreement with the topics suggested and wanted to see the problems of different agencies brought to light to see where gaps existed for specific needs.

Mr. Burn announced that a grant of $2500 had been approved in principle by the Ministry of Community and Social Services as an operating budget for the Glengarry group. Up to this point no money had been available to sponsor a seminar, guest speaker etc.

Diamond jubilee in Seattle, Wash.

Glengarry News readers in Seattle, Mr. and Mrs. Alex R. MacDonell, 5312 Woodlawn Avenue, North, celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary recently.

The couple were married in St. Raphael's on February 5, 1917; the late Rev. D. A. Campbell officiating. Mr. MacDonell is a native of Greenfield and Mrs. MacDonell is the former Janet Anne MacDonald, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Duncan H. MacDonald, of the Eighth of Lancaster. She is a sister of Mrs. John D. McRae, Glen Gordon, and Mrs. Ella McDonald of Alexandria.

One daughter, Angela, also resides with them in Seattle.

Approaching marriages

SAUVE—MONTCALM

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Sauve, Maxville, are pleased to announce the approaching marriage of their daughter, Huguette to Gerald Montcalm, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Montcalm of Moose Creek. The wedding is to take place in May.

Mrs. Lacombe leaves 78 descendants

A large family connection mourns the passing of Mrs. Rose Lacombe of RR5, Alexandria, who died in Hotel Dieu, Cornwall, on Wednesday, February 9th at the age of 74. She was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Peter Lavigne.

She is survived by her husband, Peter Lacombe, four daughters and five sons. They are: Rene, Rheal, Fernand, Richard, Claude, Della, Simone, Mrs. Florent Leroux; Yolande, Mrs. Carmel Sabourin and Nicole, Mrs. Claude Gareau; all of Alexandria. She was predeceased by two sons Albert and Romeo.

She also leaves eight brothers: Paul, Arthur, Donat, Fred, Albert and Leo, all of Alexandria; Alex of Moose Creek and Henry of Montreal. There are 38 grandchildren and 31 great grandchildren.

Rev. Lucien Lussier officiated at the funeral mass in St. Alexander's Church, Lochiel, on Saturday, February 12th. Spring burial will be in St. Alexander's Cemetery.

Pallbearers were: Michael, Jacques, Norman and Romeo Lacombe; Gilles Leroux and Maurice Lauzon.

J. Jeaurond died at 78

Jeremie Jeaurond died in Cornwall General on Feb. 1st at the age of 78, following a lengthy illness. He had been a patient at the rest home in Glen Walter for the past few years.

Born on Nov. 6, 1898, he was the son of the late Denis Jeaurond and his wife, Cecilia Quenneville of Alexandria. He married Alexandrine Lauzon and they lived in Lochiel for some years before moving to St. Catharines where he was employed with Bright's until he moved to Alexandria eight years ago.

In addition to his wife, he is survived by five children: Artel, Gaston, Anatole, Germain and Arlette, Mrs. Jim Hooker, all of St. Catharines. There are 12 grandchildren.

Five brothers and six sisters also survive: Evariste, William, Andre, Albina, Mrs. Aldema Seguin and Flora, Mrs. Leo Lauzon all of Alexandria; Isaac and Joseph of Cornwall; Margaret, Mrs. William Lapierre, Martintown; Melvina, Mrs. Eugene Berlinguette, Vaudreuil; Emma, Mrs. Ernest Lauzon, St. Catharines, and Soeur Marie Jeaurond of Ottawa. He was predeceased by one brother, Ferdinand and one sister, Mrs. Josephine Decaire.

The funeral was held on February 4th to Sacred Heart Church where Rev. Denis Vaillancourt offered the funeral mass. The body was placed in the vault to await burial in the spring.

Pallbearers were Jacques, Richard and Laurent Jeaurond; Louis, Maurice and Gerald Lauzon.

Bridge results

Winners of the Alexandria Bridge Club Wednesday, Feb. 9th were:

1st, Jim Dorsey and Maurice Lemieux; 2nd, Joe Contant and Archie Lebrun; 3rd, Robert and Ray Lemieux; 4th, Laura Lacroix and Fred Shaw.

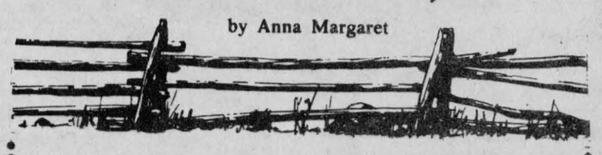
Engagement

FRASER—HODGSON

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Fraser, Dalkeith, are pleased to announce the engagement of their daughter Deborah Margaret, to Edwin Grant Hodgson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Hodgson of Thorne, Ont. The wedding to take place in East Hawkesbury United Church, March 5th, at 2 p.m.

'From the old rail fence'

by Anna Margaret



Joe Rowan who writes the "7th Column" in the Winchester Press has summed up our weather situation with a nostalgic look at the past. It contains such a familiar picture of the "olden days" I'm sure you will enjoy it as much as I did. It follows:

It's wintertime in the Ottawa Valley and, for a genuine old-timer, it's downright ridiculous the way writers and newscasters continually attempt to instill fear into everyone with yarns of a 'shifting world,' a coming 'ice age' and other such utter nonsense. Forty years ago we actually 'enjoyed' worse winters than this and, as you've probably noticed, the old world didn't 'tip'. Matter of fact it's still floating merrily along. But hang it all, we weren't so concerned about digging out in a hurry then. There was really no great rush—why should there be with an entire winter's supply of potatoes, vegetables and preserves in the 'cellar'; a barrel of salt pork in the summer kitchen; a daily supply of fresh eggs at the henhouse and two cows that milked all winter. Fuel? There was no problem there either since the woodshed was filled with neatly-piled dry wood. Sure, the snow piled deep, and driven by fierce winds buried miles and miles of log fences, but in the home there was a feeling of safety, security and contentment. And possibly the very heart of that contentment was the old kitchen range (that's a stove kids, not a cow pasture). Kitchens were kitchens then, and there was plenty of room for the giant with 'six lids', a reservoir and an oven door large enough to easily hold at least five pair of cold feet. The kettle was always boiling, water in the reservoir was always hot, and when the 'front draft' was open the reflection of glowing embers danced on the ceiling. Strange, isn't it, we've "advanced" so far that a winter storm now creates panic and literally brings a nation to its knees. Maybe while we're on our knees we should pray for some of that courage, patience, love and understanding we lost somewhere along the way.

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How often have we all crept right up to the railroad track to wait for the train to pass? Within just a few feet of the line of cars whizzing by? Sometimes events make us change our habits.

One night last week as I drove home on Highway 34 the train was travelling west as I approached. Mindful of the Dalhousie wreck I decided I would stop quite a distance back from the track. The driver in front of me must have seen the wreck too. He was already stopped—and well back from the crossing.

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Richelieu Tournament Convener Gaetan Giroux and the members who all worked so hard must have felt a sense of satisfaction as they noted the wall-to-wall people in the Sports Palace bleachers on Friday night at the Old Pros game. Promoters who work as hard as they did last week need a few moments of gratification because money can't buy effort like this.

The exhibition hockey game was of course more of an exhibition than a hockey game and the kind of show people must enjoy as every spectator in the Palace bore an expression of relaxation and pleasantness as he walked out. How different from so many games as fans file out, disappointed at players, mad at the referee and begrudging their tickets.

The kids, and there were quite a few of them, were mighty impressed with the position playing and precision passing of the Old Pros. Not to mention the good effort put forth by our own not-quite-so-old-pros who will be touring England and Scotland next month for their schedule of exhibition games.

My only disappointment was that the Old Pros didn't have their names on their sweaters. Granted, their names were announced in the opening line-up, but it is hard to remember names and numbers rhymed off like that. There aren't that many of us around I'm sure, who recognized them all and it would have been nice to have associated their names with their plays for after-the-game discussions.

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I was feeling pretty sorry for myself last Fall when I fell down the basement stairs and threw myself out of kilter for a while. But at least I survived with nothing worse than a few twists and bruises.

Not so with friend Melina Vaillancourt, who put on the same act and suffered two broken arms. Mrs. Vaillancourt was released from hospital this week and is mighty thankful that son Pierre and his wife are now running the pavilion. She sure isn't going to feel like doing much for a while, and that I can understand.

Equally unfortunate is Mrs. Marshall, whom we have come to know as the friendly cashier at Western Tire. She was getting out of her car a few weeks back when she slipped and has been in hospital the past few weeks with a broken pelvis. She too, was just released from hospital this week. She must be fairly sorry for herself too, as the same thing happened to her three years ago.

They really made my tumble seem very insignificant. No envy, ladies.

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Our friendly little Susie-girl who joins our office staff after school hours tells us her mother's admiration for partridges was shaken somewhat on the weekend. One of the flock who has been hanging around the back yard eating frozen crabapples and the like just couldn't take this miserable winter any more and decided to commit suicide. The problem was, he did it by trying to fly through their picture window. Mrs. Sabourin feels he could have done it a lot cheaper as the rest of the flock are not volunteering to take up a collection to pay for her smashed window.

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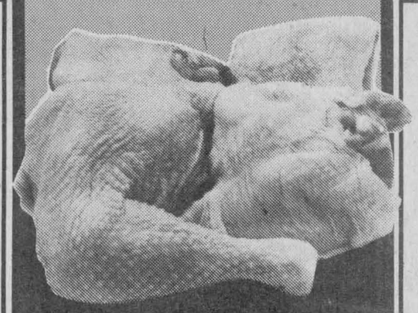

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SECOND SECTION

Indexing but puts off the evil day

The federal government is committed to a future of continuing inflation or it finds itself unable to control the spiral. Else how explain the decision to index the pensions of public servants so that in their retirement years members of the civil service will not have their incomes disaffected by the cheapening dollar.

The treasury will keep raising their pensions each year to compensate for lost purchasing power and we, the taxpayers, will be expected to finance that heavy extra outlay despite the fact our own incomes are being steadily victimized by inflation.

Finance Minister Donald C. Macdonald was being quizzed by members of the media on a recent television talk show and they stressed the unfairness of this policy of indexing civil servant pensions when the ordinary taxpayer could not enjoy the same advantage. Mr. Macdonald would not admit to any fault in the policy of indexing, rather did he suggest if the taxpayers felt discriminated against they should be pressuring the insurance companies for a better pension plan that takes inflation into account.

We refuse to believe Mr. Macdonald is as stupid as he made himself out to be in that interview. As Finance Minister he must know the extra cost of those indexed pensions will escalate ever higher until inflation is controlled. He must also be aware how impossible it would be for the insurance companies to set premium rates that could take into account the ever softening dollar.

Unless inflation is controlled all pensions will eventually become as worthless as our dollar. The Trudeau government is well aware of that fact but it refuses to take a firm stand against inflation.

Must be frustrating

John Reynolds, Member of Parliament for Burnaby-Richmond-Delta in British Columbia, has decided to resign his seat in the Commons and take a job in business. The 35-year-old Tory MP has had his fill of the political life and it is probably the case that many other Members would follow suit if an acceptable job opportunity presented itself.

The perquisites look attractive enough, a $26,000 pay cheque with another $10,600 of tax-free expenses, free air travel, two furnished offices with secretarial assistance. A generous pension is another plus and there can be junkets abroad, possible cabinet post or public service sinecure.

Mr. Reynolds has weighed all these advantages and found them wanting. Undoubtedly he feels he is underpaid and he has been finding life in and around the House of Commons frustrating and tedious. The distance from home, family and constituents no doubt is another factor and it is probably true that Mr. Reynolds much of the time sees himself serving no useful purpose in his backbench seat in the House.

Other parliamentarians including members of the governing party must grow as frustrated due to concentration of power in a few hands. Prime Minister Trudeau seems to do most of the decision making with the advice of his inner brain trust. Members of the cabinet and their assistants have some problems to take up their time and interest but the private members must find it difficult to justify their role of public administrator and law maker.

The federal politician now spends most of the year in Ottawa and that must be a real inequity for those far from home and constituents. We can recall a day when Parliament conducted all or most of the year's business in a winter session. Now the sessions are interminable and the longer they last the less they achieve in meaningful legislation.

The private members might not be so unhappy if they were kept busy. That appears impossible under the present set-up but surely the sessions could be shortened to allow Members of Parliament to spend more time at home.

Tougher gun controls needed!

Last year's assassination attempts on the life of U.S. President Gerald Ford spurred research into the personalities of assassins, both male and female, American and other.

According to Priscilla Johnson McMillan of Harvard, a common characteristic of assassins is their desire to escape direct confrontation. That means, in her view, that anything—anything at all, that will make it more difficult for an assassin to carry out the deed might prevent it.

Lee Harvey Oswald might never have shot John F. Kennedy if he had to risk a confrontation by buying a rifle across the counter instead of ordering it by mail, according to Mrs. McMillan.

She adds that Oswald, like the other assassins she studies, was constantly torn within about whether or not to carry out the deed. They were not single-minded fanatics obsessed with assassination. They were not dedicated and angry activists. Rather, they were quiet people who could not express their anger directly.

But with guns easily available, they found a way.

Nor need these guns always be used on others. A mental patient in Whitby, Ontario, recently blew off his own head with a gun he had purchased moments before.

A waiting period, like the pause for reflection between the purchase of a marriage licence and the wedding, would help to eliminate many impulsive uses of guns, suggests an editorial in The Iroquois Post.

Those who oppose gun control regulations as an infringement of personal rights ought to consider that sudden death by a bullet is the ultimate infringement of personal rights. If stiffer controls will impede even one such killing, they should be encouraged.

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TEN YEARS AGO
Thursday, Feb. 16, 1967

A native of Alexandria, Willie Leboeuf, 81, died at Montreal, Friday, of injuries suffered when he was struck by a car.—The site of the tennis courts for the past 40 years has been sold by the K of C to the federal government. A new post office will rise on the spot.—The editor of the News was named Ontario weekly newspaperman of the year at last week's convention of the Ontario weeklies in Toronto.—Bernadette Lalonde of Martintown was chosen Charlottenburgh's centennial queen in a contest at Char-Lan on Saturday. Princesses are Brenda MacDonald of Lancaster, and Helen Ann McDonald, Glen Roy.

TWENTY YEARS AGO
Thursday, Feb. 14, 1957

Mr. and Mrs. Hartley McCrimmon and seven children were left homeless early Monday morning when their farm home at Glen Gordon was destroyed by fire. They have moved into a second house on their farm.—Alexandria Lions Club welcomed 10 new members in recent weeks. They are: Norman MacDonald, Ronald Ayoub, Rene Roy, Max Graham, Lawrence Sauve, Laurent Crevier, Ed Dupuis, Michael Barbara, Tom Gauthier and Earl Leroux.—Ronnie Shirtliff of Glen Roy, in his final year of the Arts course of University of Toronto, has been awarded a Dominion-Provincial Student Aid bursary in the amount of $350.

THIRTY YEARS AGO
Friday, February 14, 1947

The worst weekend blizzard of the year stopped all traffic over a wide area. Highway 34 was blocked by 10-foot drifts at some points. Two rinks of curlers from Lachute, here for a Bankers' trophy game Saturday night, had their stay extended to Monday afternoon.—Mrs. Ernest Quenneville left Tuesday for Portage du Fort, Que., to join her husband, who has been appointed station agent.

FORTY YEARS AGO
Friday, February 12, 1936

J. W. MacRae of Lochiel, was elected president of the Ontario Plowmen's Association, at the annual meeting held in Toronto, Tuesday.—Among those from the North Lancaster area who took advantage of the excursion to Chicago, were Alex. R. McDonald, Mrs. Jas. A. McDonald, Mrs. John A. McDonell, Dan R. McDonald, Angus S. McDonell and Duncan McGillis.—Misses Betty Morris, Carmen Danis, Evelyn Marcoux, Claire Huot, students at Iona Academy, St. Raphael's, were at their homes here for the weekend.

FIFTY YEARS AGO
Friday, February 11, 1927

A very clever, interesting and amusing comedy entitled "Never Again" was staged in MacLaren Hall, on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings to capacity houses. Those taking part included Mrs. H. L. Cheney, Mrs. G. Layland, Miss G. McIntosh, Miss E. Playter, Miss I. MacGillivray, Messrs. J. T. Smith, Fergus McRae, W. Graham, G. Layland, W. Nute, E. Bradley and I. Macleod.—The chapel of the Congregation Sisters of the Holy Cross at St. Laurent, Que., was the scene February 2nd of the reception of several young ladies into the Order. Among those invested was Miss M. Cecilia Macdonald, daughter of the late Dan A. Macdonald and Mrs. Macdonald, "Hillcrest", 4th Kenyon, who will be known in religion as Sister M. of St. Clair.—Wallace Morris, son of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Morris, last week joined the local staff of the Bank of Nova Scotia.—Miss Edith Cluff, of Maxville, has entered the Civic Hospital, Ottawa, as a nurse-in-training.

SIXTY YEARS AGO
Friday, February 9, 1917

The new Grand Trunk station here has been completed and the local staff expect to enter into possession early next week. —Miss Edna Proctor left on Monday for Ottawa, where she will attend the Henry Shorthand School. On the same day, Miss Margaret Wylie began a course at the Gowling Business College, Ottawa.—Lieut. Duncan J. McRae, a son of Andrew McRae, of Ste. Anne de Prescott, is mentioned as missing in Wednesday's casualty list. He is well and favorably known here, having been employed by Messrs. John Simpson & Son.—Ranald R.

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RRSP fever

(The Prescott Journal)

This month and next there will be approximately 500,000 Canadians rushing to invest millions and millions of dollars in Registered Retirement Savings Plans. For some persons these are excellent plans through which to set aside extra money for retirement and for others it is good investment of excess capital.

RRSPs, however, are not as attractive as tax savings as the banks, insurance companies and trust companies who are flogging them at present, make them out to be. Sometime, somewhere, this income tax is going to have to be paid, and all indications today are that when the time comes to use this tax-free invested money, taxes will be a great deal more than what they are today. Even a person in the 50 per cent income tax bracket can take $4,000 today, pay the $2,000 income tax on it, put it in a high interest savings account, and in ten years have more money than he would with a similar $2,000 RRSP investment. And the nice thing about this is the fact that the money would be all his.

One thing many of us forget at this time of year when we start looking for income tax deductions, is that the money is never yours until we have paid the income tax on it.

Weeklies say

Newspapers will survive

We were amused to read in Cable Communications the prediction that newspapers are doomed to extinction. Bill Pryde, in an editorial, says, "There is no doubt about it, the newspaper of the future will be electronically produced . . . give it 30 to 50 years and newspaper publishing houses will have co-ordinated their knowledge and services into this practical modern medium." He was referring to cable television.

You know, Bill, your news is a bit stale. That's what they said 50 or 60 years ago when radio was the eighth wonder of the world. The same prophecy was heard 25 or 30 years ago when television captured everyone's attention. However, we still have newspapers and they have far greater circulation than they had 50 years ago or 30 years ago.

Have you ever tried sending a copy of your daughter's wedding to Aunt Lucy after clipping it out of television? Have you ever spent an afternoon thinking about something you heard on TV and then going back to re-read the article in the evening? To get right down to the gritty—have you ever tried to wrap the garbage in a radio script or attempted to light the fireplace with a television program?

—Wingham Advance-Times

Peanuts By Charles Schulz



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WITH OUR RAMBLING REPORTER
by Ed.

A hangover is something that occupies a head that wasn't used.

IT'S LONG ENOUGH ALREADY

A radically new school year that would see all elementary and secondary schools using the semester system was outlined to trustees last week by Rosaire Leger, director of education for the SD&G Board of Education. The big change suggested by Mr. Leger would see the school year starting in early August, with a break between the two semesters occurring through January and into Feb. 15th.

In other words, today's long summer holiday would be shortened to Aug. 10th and the compensation would be a winter break through Christmas to mid-February. Mr. Leger points out a considerable saving in fuel might be effected if schools were empty through January and their heating systems turned down to 50 degrees.

He has other arguments in favor of such a school year and we don't mean to disparage his plan, which no doubt will be thoroughly considered by the school board and Queen's Park officialdom.

We're thinking, though, that the first reaction of a lot of homemakers will be negative. After the January we've been through it may not be all that appealing for mothers to visualize a home in which overactive youngsters are cooped up day after day, week after week, from Christmas to mid-February. The schools may save on energy but there'll be so much unused in the household the result could be chaos or a parental visit to the head shrinker.

Our educational system could use a real going over and Mr. Leger is but doing his job in seeking to improve it. He may find, though, that a lot of parents see advantages in sending their children off to school through a long, drear winter.

Could Florida cope with the crowds if our schools were closed through January?

WE HAD THAT COURSE

The farm woodlot is making a comeback, we're told in a news release from Kemptville. It seems hundreds of rural families are again using wood for heating in face of high heating bills and rumors of fuel shortages.

"This winter has been the turning point," says the Eastern Ontario forestry specialist. He estimates that three to four times the amount of fuelwood is being burned in the rural areas this year as compared to last.

It's also predicted many developers in rural areas would design homes with wood as the principal heating source. This would involve the use of modern, efficient wood stoves and furnaces as well as combination furnaces which burn both wood and oil.

Wood stoves are again in demand, not only by collectors of antiques, but your Rambling Reporter is hopeful the fuel shortage won't get so acute he's got to go back to a wood furnace. He recalls hauling out the ashes up a precarious cellar stairway and he doubts he'd be up to it today. Those furnace ashes were a bane and he long ago decided he'd settle for a wood fire in the livingroom fireplace, and that's it. That hearth fire gives one a cosy feeling, doesn't it?

So did the wood stove a half century ago. It started feeling cosy about 10 minutes after you'd put a match to the kindling and it felt ever cosier as you thawed out after shivering in your bed through a particularly chilly January night. Once the maple "caught," the welcome heat started bringing up room temperature and one could finish dressing in comparative comfort.

It's been a tough January to get through but we find it difficult to credit the reports the winters are getting colder. Maybe they are; but we've got a furnace roaring all through the night now since we got away from a wood fire. We

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Martintown Rumor Mill

Art Buckland—528-4261

This week I reveal some of the secrets of passing through college. Most of this information comes from Lawrence MacDonald, a college graduate and a self-employed maker of books, a man who I met outside Rideau Carleton racetrack on my last trip up to feed the horses.

Lawrence was standing outside in the cold, selling computer printouts projecting the night's winning nags. When I asked him why he was out in the cold and not in the clubhouse, he told me that his relations worked inside and were jealous of their territory. At least I assume they were his relatives, because he mentioned something about his godfather and mama-mia.

He expected to get "to work on the inside" with more education; he needed two more courses; one on how to influence friends with money and an analytical study of life inside a pizza.

Lawrence's advice on passing at college hinged on getting to know the teachers and apparently he had worked out quite a system.

First, never approach teachers on Monday because they are winding up for the week. Next, never approach them on Friday when they are unwinding from the week, and filling out massive information sheets for the computer. Wednesday is not a good day either because they are involved in departmental meetings. Pay day is impossible because of the line up of creditors at their door.

Lawrence then divulged some snappy sayings—to be used as conversation openers in attempting to get a pass:

—"But, please sir, yours is the only subject which I am failing." (He advised against using this line with more than seven teachers).

—"Sir, you are so smart about everything."

—"I know I didn't attend more than 15% of your lectures, prof., but surely math isn't important in electronics."

—"What about Suzette, she copied off me and passed?"

—"Look prof., I paid good money for my essay and yet I failed."

—"I know you can't be bribed, but could you use a pound of coffee?"

Another suggestion he had was to avoid all English courses. They are notorious as tough courses. A student has to actually work in these courses.

I asked Lawrence what he had his degree in and he told me that he had spent three months at Way Below Normal College studying as a braille anatomy lab technician. When he graduated at Christmas, he realized that experience was really the great teacher. He then worked for Honest Car, the used John dealer, and picked up quite a bit. He learned about the double book system of accounting, chain saw repairs and the barter system.

His future plans called for him to become a jockey at the track. In addition, he has started a book called "Working My Way Forward from the Money End of a Horse." Another possibility was a job teaching at a college: Math in Mohawk or Stargazing in Swahili were his two most likely subjects.

I wanted to continue our conversation but Granny Cain had given me some money for a bet on the daily double, so I had to gallop away.

Congratulations to St. Lawrence College (Louis Tremblay and Chris Wilson) for presenting the Vimy Band and Mummenschanz in our magnificent new college theatre. If you missed the three member Swiss Mime-Mask troupe, you may have another opportunity when they appear at the Ottawa National Arts Centre next month.

Future exciting events in the posh new college theatre include a one-man dramatic presentation of Santo Cervello, February 24; Entre Six, contemporary dance company, March 1st; The Second City Touring Company in a satirical humorous review, March 16th; French theatre; Harmonium, and The Barber of Seville. Phone 933-6080 for more information.

Andre Desjardins has commenced a new passenger bus service for commuters in Glengarry. The route is the same as that covered by stage coach 200 years ago; Andre's coach leaves Martintown for Alexandria, Lancaster and Cornwall and points in between. Bon chance Andre!

Donnie Ross is back in the garage business after being burned out last September. He is capable of vehicle repairs, big and small on diesel, gas or even pig manure fired engines. He was able to tune my old horse up last summer so that I could make a 3,000 mile run to the rock and back. That however was a miracle, and he may not be able to repeat such a feat—but try him. Good luck Donnie!

Dale Miller, Stormont Agricultural Representative, has predicted an ideal farmer's summer this year; that is, unless we don't get the weather.

Glen Falloch water lines have been frozen this year, at Doug Murray's and at Gordon Taillon's farm. We had an accident this week when a neighbor's dog smashed into Gordon Taillon's car.

Martintown Mac asks you to show appreciation to someone today.



SMART GIRLS WITH A BROOM—The girls from Sacred Heart School in Martintown were winners of the girls broomball tournament held recently in Green Valley. From left to right they are, front row: Betty Ann Lalonde, Linda Amell, Roxanne Lavigne. Back row: Ginette St. Amour, Kelly Aubin, Joanne Aubin, Chantale Lalonde.

—Staff photo

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Macdonald, who for the past three years has been a member of the staff of the Maxville branch, Hochelaga Bank, has been appointed to the charge of the Moose Creek branch.—Miss Hanna Chisholm, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Chisholm, Lochiel, left the latter part of last week for Montreal, where she entered in Western Hospital as nurse-in-training.

SIXTY-FIVE YEARS AGO
Friday, February 9th, 1912

The fifth annual meeting of the Glengarry Telephone Co-operative Association was held at Lochiel on Wednesday, with the president, Peter Chisholm, in the chair. During the last year, 17 miles of pole lines had been constructed and 75 new phones intalled at an outlay of $3,500, the sum required to defray the extension of the present system, as follows: from Lochiel to Glen Norman, from D. J. Cuthbert's corner, east Eig road, west the 4th Kenyon to Greenfield and again from Fassifern west 6th Kenyon.—The movement is now well on foot for securing of a rural mail delivery throughout the Maxville section.—The two upper storeys of the Commercial Hotel here were badly damaged by fire which broke out Saturday afternoon.

EIGHTY YEARS AGO
Friday, February 12, 1897.

On Friday night fire broke out in the second flat of the Ottawa Hotel, caused by a defective chimney. Willing hands quickly removed the furniture, but damage to the building will approximate $650, covered by insurance.—The contract for repairing the high school, recently damaged by fire, has been let to John R. Chisholm, contractor, of this place.—Alfred St. John, the well known tonsorial artist, has purchased the business in his line in connection with the Grand Union Hotel.—The school house at No. 16, Charlottenburgh, was burned down on Tuesday morning by fire which originated from defective pipes.

Rambling . . .

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never had it so good, except when the oil bill comes in.

We look back with warm affection to those wood stoves of our youth. We hope they make a comeback, if only to rid us of our dead elms. But we'll settle for a heating system that doesn't demand the filling of the woodbox and the removal of ashes. We had that course.

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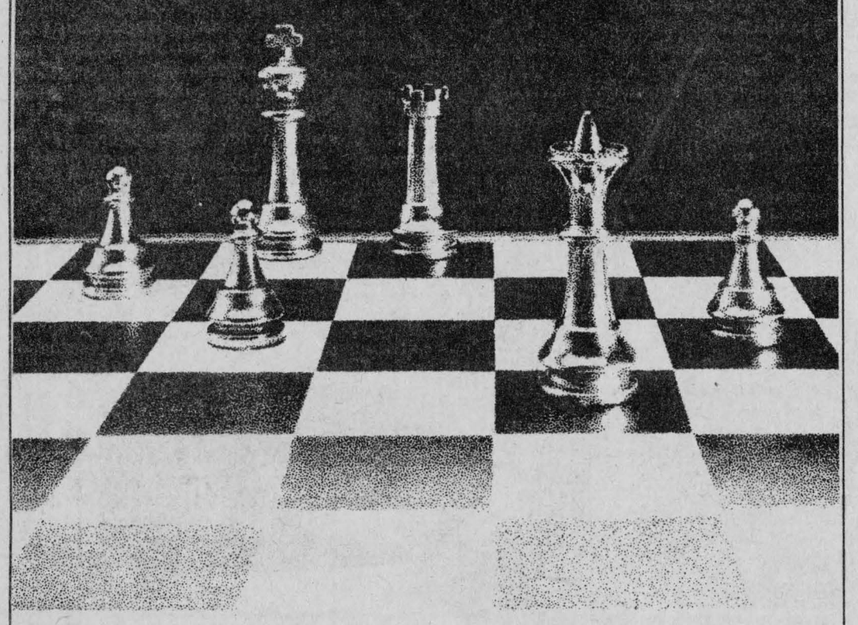
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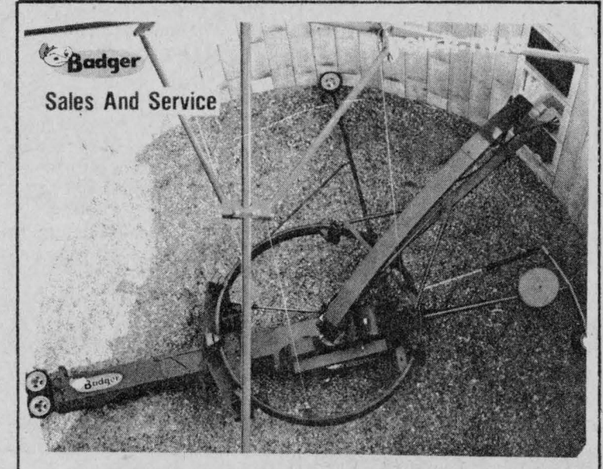

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Neighborly News From Round the County



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Mrs. Alex MacCuaig
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Mr. and Mrs. M. N. Grant were in Toronto last week while he attended the convention of Rural Municipalities.

On Wednesday evening, February 9th an enjoyable skating party was held on the school rink where the young and older skaters mingled together. This was followed by a bean supper and other goodies in the school. The oldest skater was Harry Franklin.

On Thursday Mr. and Mrs. Norman Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. Alex M. MacCuaig visited the former's sister, Mrs. Donald MacLeod and other friends at the Manor in Maxville.

Congratulations to Carl Campbell who won the medal for the most valuable player in the Bantam tournament at Maxville on Saturday.

Glen Sandfield

Mrs. Lorna Chapman
874-2408

Welcome home to Thomas MacDougall who has been under treatment for a few weeks at the Smiths Clinic in Hawkesbury. Hope you'll soon be feeling fit again.

Happy birthday wishes to Miss Mary MacKenzie, a Valentine baby and now a resident of Maxville Manor. Your friends and neighbors are thinking of you.

Twelve members of the National Farmers Union met at Stanley Fraser's home the evening of February 8th to get acquainted with their new national vice-president from Prince Edward Island. Jim Mayne is to be in the area about two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Frigault of NDG were recent visitors to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ronald MacLachlan and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Kennedy of Cornwall spent the weekend at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Claude MacNeil.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfrid Aubin, accompanied Miss Georgette Paiement to Casselman last Saturday afternoon to visit Mrs. Berthe Gratton.

While playing hockey at the arena in Alexandria recently Erwin MacLennan caught a chip of a hockey stick on the ice with his skate and was pitched into the boards, breaking his knee cap and badly tearing the muscles and ligaments in the back of his knee. He is home now in a cast, his knee cap wired together and will be six to eight weeks in a cast, and six weeks of therapy afterwards.



BROOMBALL TOURNAMENT WINNERS—Glen Robertson school won the honors at the annual school broomball tournament held at Green Valley. They are left to right, front row: Royden Larocque, Denis Lefebvre, Joel Sauve, Andre Seguin, Mark Wray, David Moran. Second row: Andre Larocque, Patrick Henri, Richard Lauzon, Jacques Larocque, Roch Cadieux, Denis Legault and Ghislain Claude.
—staff Photo

Mrs. Dan E. MacDonald died at 94

An elderly and highly respected resident of Glen Robertson area, Mrs. Dan E. MacDonald died in Maryvale Nursing Home, Glen Nevis, on Wednesday, February 9th.

She was the former Mary Kennedy and was born in Glen Robertson on March 22nd, 1882, the daughter of the late Donald Kennedy and his wife, Mary MacDonald. She and her husband lived throughout their lifetime in Glen Robertson where they farmed in the 10th.

Predeceased by her husband on December 16th, 1955, she leaves to mourn, three sons and two daughters: Donald and John of Glen Robertson; Patrick of Cornwall, Catherine, Mrs. John Merchant of St. Andrews, N.B. and Miss Rita MacDonald of Montreal. She was predeceased by Alex, Margaret, Rachel and Christena.

There are 29 grandchildren and 24 great grandchildren.

The funeral was held on Friday, February 11th to St. Martin of Tours Church, Glen Robertson, where Rev. Lucien Lussier offered the mass. Msgr. Jas. A. Wylie was in the sanctuary.

Pallbearers were Daniel McIntee, Robert Rainsforth, Lawrence McIntee, Ronnie MacDonell, D. J. MacDonald and Barton McDonell.

Area man died at 84

A large family connection mourns the death of Thaddie Brabant of Glen Robertson which occurred Feb. 7th at Bestview Nursing Home in Cornwall. He was in his 85th year. Mr. Brabant was a native of St. Bernardin.

Mr. Brabant married Alberta Malboeuf who survives with two sons and one daughter: Rheal Brabant of Cornwall; Henri and Yvonne, Mrs. Paul Decoeur of Glen Robertson.

Thirty grandchildren and 26 great grandchildren also survive, as do two brothers and four sisters. They are: Alcide of Massena, N.Y.; Aurel of Montreal; Mrs. Louis DeVillieres (Anita), Penetanguishene; Mrs. Camille Gervais (Laurentia) of Sudbury; Mrs. Eugene Levac (Laurette) and Mrs. Lucien Lalonde (Irene) of St. Isidore de Prescott.

The funeral was held Thursday from the Aime Marcoux Funeral Home to St. Martin of Tours Church, Glen Robertson. Rev. Denis Vaillancourt offered the mass.

The pallbearers were: Andre, Jacques, Jean-Guy and Donald Brabant, Yvon and Laurent Decoeur.

Interment will be at Glen Robertson.

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A statement showing the affairs of the Company on the 31st day of December 1976, will be presented and read, exhibiting receipts and expenditures, assets and liabilities.
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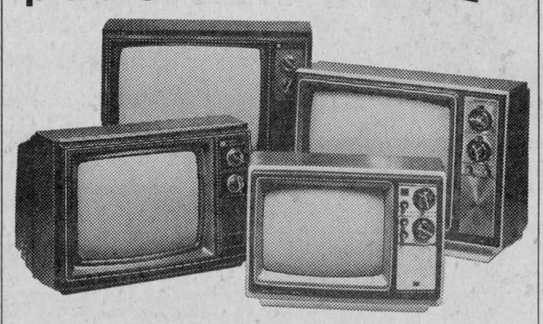

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Coming Events

GLEN Robertson Golden Age Club will sponsor a card party Tuesday, Feb. 22 in the Recreation Centre. Lunch and prizes. Everybody welcome. 7-1p

MAXVILLE and District Minor Hockey Dance, Fri., Feb. 18, Maxville Community Hall, Bobby Lalonde and Four Sons Orchestra. Admission $2 advance, $2.50 at door. Tickets available from coaches. Door prizes. Lunch. 6-2c

DANCE, sponsored by Lochiel Men's Broomball Club, Sunday night, February 20, 1977, Chez Paul, Hotel Union, Dalhousie, Que. 6:30 p.m. to 10:30 p.m. The Brigadoons. Advance $2, door $2.50. 6-2p

LAGGAN Recreation Association presents returning engagement of Guy Lombardo and his Royal Canadians on June 2, 1977, at Gray Centre, Maxville. Tickets $12.50 each are available from Grant MacGillivray, RR#1, Dalkeith, or 525-3472. 6-3c

ALEXANDRIA and District Minor Hockey Dance on Sat., Feb. 26th, at the Bonnie Glen. Sylvester and his Clansmen. Tickets, advance, $2, at door, $3, available at Hub, Cosy Inn or any minor hockey player. Drawing for a quilt. 6-3c

FLORIDA-Ormond Beach, Daytona, 16 days, March 19—April 3rd. $308 per person, twin accommodation. Transportation and Motel accommodation included. Special rates for triples and quads. Contact Frank's Tours Williamsburg, Ont. Tel. 535-2888 evenings. 6-3c

MR. and Mrs. Achille Michaud and Mr. and Mrs. Roger Campeau cordially invite you to a wedding reception in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Campeau (nee Rachel Michaud) at Sacred Heart Parish Hall on Sat., Feb. 19, 1977. Everybody welcome. 6-2p

Coming Events at the

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2nd Annual Fiddling Contest and Dance sponsored by the Old Time Fiddlers Association, at the Bonnie Glen, on Sat., Feb. 19th, from 6:30 to 1 a.m. Music and MC Art Jamieson. Admission $3.75, includes contest, dance and lunch.

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Alexandria and District Minor Hockey Dance on Sat., Feb. 26th at the Bonnie Glen. Sylvester and the Clansmen. Drawing for a quilt.

Dance to the Nowicky orchestra on Sat., March 5th. Sponsored by the Martintown Recreation Association. More details later.

Char-Lan Junior Farmers annual St. Patrick's dance on Saturday, March 12th. The Clansmen orchestra.

Green Valley Pavilion

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A couple of summer bookings are still available for your summer wedding or anniversary. Avoid disappointment, reserve now.

Saturday, Feb. 19th, dance to the music of the Country Hill Top Singers, from 9—1. Adm. $1.50 per person.

SAT., FEB. 26th
Dancing from 9 to 1 a.m. The Country Hill Top Singers.

The Centennial Dining Lounge is officially open; Monday to Thursday, from 12 noon to 10 p.m., and Friday and Saturday, from 12 noon to 1 a.m. Special businessmen's luncheon served every day.

Coming Events

SHOP to the music of Wilf Gillis and Ron Clare at the Maxville Provipop Supermarket, your one-stop shopping centre, every Wednesday evening from 6 to 9 p.m. 3-tf

YOU are cordially invited to the 25th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Gamelin (nee Jeanita Lajoie) Saturday, Feb. 19th, 1977, at 9 p.m. Cabaret Room, The Parkway Inn, orchestra—Candylyns. Lunch served. Everyone welcome. No minors except with parents. 6-2p

MAXVILLE United Church Women will be holding their Christmas Bazaar on Saturday, Nov. 19, 1977. 7-1p

LAGGAN Recreation Association presents returning engagement of Guy Lombardo and his Royal Canadians on June 2, 1977, at Gray Centre, Maxville. Tickets $12.50 each are available from Grant MacGillivray, RR#1, Dalkeith, tel. 525-3472; at Danskin's Store, Maxville and City Smoke Shop, 15 Second St. E., Cornwall. 6-3c

THE Glengarry Memorial Hospital Auxiliary will hold its annual Country Garden Spring Tea, April 30th, in Alexander Hall. Be sure to attend the next meeting, Wednesday, February 23, at 8:15 in the Hospital Cafeteria. 7-1p

THERE will be a mixed party in honor of Betty Grant and Donald McLennan on Saturday, February 19th at St. Mary's Parish Centre in Williamstown. Dancing will be from 9 to 1 to the music of Zodiac. Refreshments will be served and admission will be $3.00 per couple. 7-1c

Births

CADIEUX—Michel and Micheline (Lalonde) of Alexandria are happy to announce the arrival of their first child, a daughter, Chantal, 7 lbs. 5 oz., at Glengarry Memorial Hospital on January 25, 1977.

McEACHERN—To Mr. and Mrs. Joe McEachern, Judique, Cape Breton (nee Anne-Marie McCormick) a daughter, born on January 10, 1977, at St. Mary's Hospital at Inverness, N.S., 8 lbs. 10 oz. Her name is Mae Rita.

MUNRO—David and Cheryl (nee Armstrong) are delighted to announce the birth of their second son. Blair Alexander Armstrong was born at Hotel Dieu, Cornwall, Tuesday, Feb. 1, 1977. He weighed in at 6 lbs., 9 oz., a brother for Christopher.

STANCZYK—At St. John's Hospital, Santa Monica, California, on Feb. 8, 1977, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stanczyk (nee Mary Macdonald)—a son, Michael James.

VALADE—Leo and Alana (nee Cuggy) are happy to announce the birth of their son, Ryan Don, 8 lbs. 2 oz., on Jan. 24, 1977, at the Lachine General Hospital. A brother for Tara.

Deaths

LeVOGEUR—Catherine, Janet (Jennie) nee McRae, died Jan. 28, 1977, at Riverside Hospital, Ottawa, after a short illness; widow of the late Francis LeVogeur, formerly of Greenfield and Moose Creek. She leaves a daughter Eleanor (Mrs. James Diotte) and two sons Rae of Ottawa and Hubert of Valleyfield, nine grandsons and two brothers, John A. McRae of Greenfield and Glendon McRae of Vancouver. Committal service at Funeral Chapel, Ottawa, Jan. 30, 1977, funeral mass at St. Brigid's Church, entombment in Ottawa for spring burial in St. Catherine's Cemetery, Greenfield. 7-1c

Cards of thanks

FRASER—We wish to thank friends, relatives, and neighbors for their many acts of kindness, expressions of sympathy and the baking, at the time of the death of our mother, grandmother, and great grandmother.
—The family of the late Margaret A. Fraser. 7-1p

POIRIER—My sincere thanks to relatives and friends for visits, cards, flowers and gifts while I was a patient in Glengarry Memorial Hospital. Special thanks to Dr. Roman, nurses and staff.
—Mme. Flore Poirier. 7-1p

LeVOGUER—We wish to extend our thanks and appreciation to our friends and relatives for their many acts of kindness, masses, messages of sympathy and floral tributes in the recent loss of our dear mother, Jennie.
—Sincerely, Eleanor Diotte, Rae and Hubert LeVoguer. 7-1c

Cards of thanks

DEWAR—Sincere thanks to all my friends and relatives for cards and visits while I was a patient in Glengarry Memorial Hospital and also to nurses and staff and Dr. Nadeau.
—Hugh A. Dewar,
Glen Robertson. 7-1p

LACOMBE—The family of the late Rose Lacombe express their sincere thanks to relatives, friends and neighbors for acts of kindness and sympathy at the time of her death. Special thanks to Dr. Nadeau and Dr. MacLean, the staffs of Hotel Dieu and Glengarry Memorial Hospitals.
—The Lacombe family, RR#5, Alexandria. 7-1p

MacDONALD—The family of the late Mrs. Dan E. MacDonald express their sincere thanks to neighbors, relatives and friends for acts of kindness, messages of sympathy, spiritual and floral tributes at the time of her death. Special thanks to the staff of the Maryvale Nursing Home, Glen Nevis. 7-1p

MacPHERSON—I wish to extend my sincere thanks to relatives and friends for their visits, cards, gifts and phone calls while I was a patient in the Hotel Dieu Hospital, Cornwall. Special thanks to Dr. MacLeod and the nursing staff on the 3rd floor north.
—Lynus MacPherson,
Dalkeith. 7-1p

OUIMET—Sincere thanks and appreciation to all our neighbors, friends and relatives who donated at the time of our fire. Special thanks to the collectors who gave their time.
—Mr. and Mrs. Herve Ouimet,
Glen Nevis. 7-1p

JEAUROND—We would like to express our sincere thanks and appreciation to all our relatives, friends and neighbors for mass offerings, floral tributes, cards, and kindnesses received at the time of the death of the late Jeremie Jeaurond.
—Jeaurond family. 7-1p

GLAUDE—I wish to extend my most sincere thanks to everyone for their visits, cards and good wishes, while I was a patient in Hotel Dieu and MacDonell Memorial. Special thanks to the doctors and staff. All these kindnesses will be long remembered.
—Fernande Claude. 7-1p

MacLEOD—We wish to thank relatives, friends and neighbors who attended a successful dance given in our honor at the Curling Club. Special thanks to Karen and Harold who organized it and anyone who helped in any way, to the ladies from the club who had such a tasty lunch and fiddlers Donald (Dougie), Donald J., Bev and Linda; pianists Steve and Jim, and piper Ray Brodie. It was an evening that will be long remembered. Thanks to those who sent cards.
—Annie and Fraser. 7-1p

In Memoriam

McLEAN—In loving memory of a dear wife and mother Kathleen I. McLean, who passed away Feb. 9th, 1962.
Today recalls the memory,
Of a loved one gone to rest,
And those who think of her today
Are those who loved her best,
The flowers we lay upon her grave,
May wither and decay,
But the love for her who lies beneath,
Will never fade away.
—In fondest memory, her husband, John K., and family, Sterling, Fairley and Jack. 8-1c

GOLDEN—In fond and loving memory of a dear father, father-in-law and grandfather, Arthur Golden, who passed away on Feb. 9, 1976.
Always remembered and in our thoughts.
—Daughter Nora and family. 7-1c

LANG—In loving memory of Daryl Hewston Lang who passed away Feb. 16, 1976.
God gives us grace for each trial
And courage for each sorrow
And faith to face in confidence
A blessed bright "Tomorrow".
—Mom and Dad; Garry and Colette,
Avonmore. 7-1p

MASSIA—In loving memory of my dear son Jean Guy who suddenly passed away Feb. 21, 1975.
When loved ones have to part
It leaves a wound that never heals,
And an aching heart
To some you may be forgotten
To others a part of the past
But to me who loved and lost you
Your memory will always last.
—Sadly missed by Dad,
Montreal. 7-1p

In Memoriam

GOLDEN—In loving memory of a dear father, father-in-law and grandfather, Arthur Golden, who passed away on Feb. 9, 1976.
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Mr. T. J. O'Brien,
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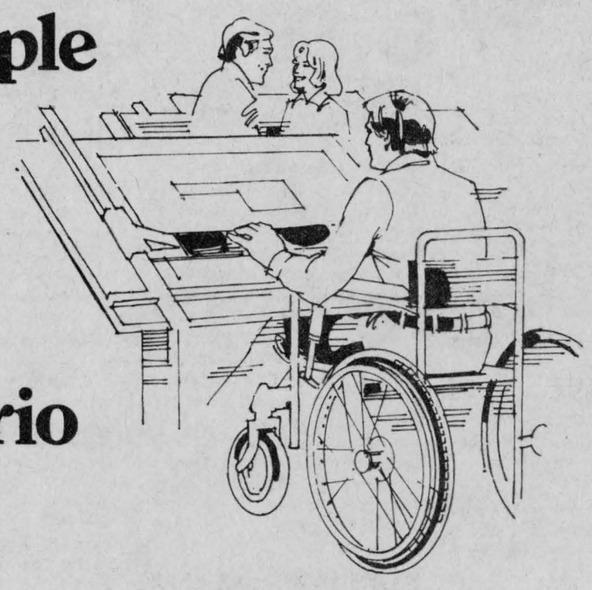

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Province of Ontario

Maxville wants to keep school

by Velma Franklin

Principal Mel McCormick welcomed over a hundred concerned parents and ratepayers to the auditorium of the Maxville Senior Elementary School last week in order that they might meet the SD&G Board Committee of Schools Review who are proposing to close seven area schools including the Maxville Senior, and take part in a discussion of the whole matter. Trustee Fraser Campbell introduced his fellow committee man Lorne Thompson . . . Earl Myers was unable to be present. And Ken MacLennan, Superintendent of Schools, who presented a meticulously detailed explanation of population trends, costs, taxes, transportation, the national economy . . . all the factors bearing on the Board's intention to increase efficiency and economize by closing the seven schools. He also outlined various plans for accommodating the displaced children in other schools.

The drastic decline in the birth rate all over the province is an accepted fact. In Glengarry for example, there were 2,125 elementary pupils in 1964, but 1421 in 1974. When the Board was formed in 1969 the enrolment was 9,020 . . . in 1976 it was down to 7,365. The separate school has suffered the same decline . . . the total loss for both boards is over 4,000, and barring external influence such as massive migration, this decline will continue. Glengarry is officially listed as a "slow growth" area.

The Maxville Junior Public School once had an enrolment of 400 . . . its optimum capacity is 350, and the present attendance is 159. The Senior School would have an optimum of 250, and now has 156. The main proposal is to close Monkland Public and transport the village children to Roxmore School in Avonmore, close Roxborough Public in Moose Creek and take those children to Maxville. Grades 7 and 8 from the Senior School would go back to the Public school too. Closing the Maxville Senior would allow the Board a saving of $22,216, and all seven area schools a total of $156,000.

After Mr. MacLennan's presentation Mr. Campbell declared the meeting open for discussion and questions from the floor, and a remarkably productive dialogue followed, with a score of parents making clear and emphatic their many reasons for firmly opposing the closing of the school.

Among the program advantages in the Senior School are the rotary class system, the gym, shops, labs, noon hour program, hot lunches, and a general preparation for secondary school academically and socially. One parent pointed out that transporting students miles away for Home Ec. and Shop is in no way comparable to enjoying these facilities in the home school.

Mr. MacLennan explained that some semblance of the rotary system would still be possible in the Public school if grades 7 and 8 were kept in a separate wing of the building. From parents familiar with the layout already the response was "No way." Many parents expressed their great satisfaction with the Senior School, and the way their children developed and matured in its atmosphere and had gone easily into high school. Laughter greeted an inquiry . . . "If the schools were closed, and all that money saved . . . will our taxes go down?" Another man made the interesting observation that this was the youngest gathering he had ever attended, and he objected to the emphasis on matters financial when the real concern was our children. The Board is indeed hard up for money . . . but has never asked local parents if they are willing to cover some of the costs . . . many parents expressed their willingness to do just this. Apparently a great many people are not dedicated to getting everything for nothing for the rest of their lives.

Roxborough Reeve George Crites was in attendance . . . he inquired what the cost of bussing the displaced students all around would be, without getting any specific answer. He went on to disagree with the Board's population projections, pointing out that Roxborough has issued 54 building permits this year, a million-dollar development in the vegetable bog is imminent, and the approval for an 83-lot development on Highway #43 was confirmed in Toronto last Tuesday. All certainly implying an increase in population. He also felt that a possible dangerous situation in Quebec could send additional floods of immigrants over the border. The savings of $156,000 over the counties would amount to $1.56 per capita . . . no big deal.

Fraser Campbell pointed out that the Board is responsible for the wise and judicious expenditure of the ratepayers' money, and financial loss can no more be tolerated in a school system than any other business. Mr. Crites pointed out that even when the birth rate was obviously plummeting, from 1969 on, that the Board had gone on spending millions on expansion and new schools, and with a few exceptions these were mainly being paid for . . . and therefore their capital costs must decline. The current policy of closing many schools was no solution to the problem . . . "People are afraid to have babies in case there is no school." Another parent reminded the audience that equality of education had been one of the most publicized planks in the platform of the Davis government . . . that the Senior school concept is an enormous advantage for rural children, and that this advantage should be more widely extended, rather than given up. If the children in Maxville profit mightily the same advantage ought to be extended to Roxmore and Laggan.

Mrs. Ryner, Chairman of the Senior School Committee, spoke briefly. She presented a petition to the Board . . . this was a petition that the students of the school had drafted and circulated themselves, with almost a full signature, requesting the continuation of their school. The committee had considered means of economizing in the school operation . . . sealing off the unusable old part of the building, which would result in a great saving in fuel; asking parents to provide all school supplies as in senior school; even school fees. There is also the important fact that the Senior School serves a very important function in the village of Maxville, being equipped with better facilities than the community hall and used continually by a dozen local groups. The school is in use as a community centre almost every night of the week, and Saturdays . . . here meet the St. Lawrence classes, First Aid Courses, Cubs, Recreation Association, 4-H Clubs, Minor Hockey, and the Glengarry Pipe Band.

To the inquiry as to what effect all this might have on the decisions of the Board . . . if any . . . Mr. Campbell announced the next Board meeting for Feb. 24th. A brief can be presented there by phoning for an appointment six days in advance. He re-iterated that no decision of any kind had been taken yet . . . the matter in hand was to sound out public opinion, and this evening had been very rewarding in this aspect. Mr. Lorne Thompson spoke briefly, making clear a few further points. On the matter of transportation, that the cost to the Board is two and a half million a year. This is for 10,753 students for 185 days . . . about $1.50 a day each. He also emphasized the importance of a continuing dialogue between the Board and the people.

As the adults were preparing to leave two small but determined figures marched steadfastly to the front of the hall. Head Girl Dawn Davies and Secretary Donrey Guindon on behalf of the student body presented a further petition to the Board Committee . . . "That the Board give consideration to their earnest request that their school be kept open, and that they not be shunted around any more, to any other schools."

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