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CARNIVAL FUN BEGINS—Alexandria's Carnival 1971 got off to a noisy start Tuesday night as Bonhomme Carnaval made his entrance into the crowded High School auditorium for the Coronation Night program. The audience rose to applaud his entrance, escorted by last year's queen, Mrs. Margaret (MacDonald) Henri. She later transferred her crown to the head of Lyse Rochon, the new Carnival Queen. Flanking her, below, are her Princesses, Paule Gauthier and Joanne Viau. Some 750 attended Tuesday's program despite the heavy storm and snow blocked roads. —Photos by Robert

Large Turnout For Choosing Of Queen Lyse Rochon, Despite Storm-Blocked Roads

Lyse Rochon, 17, of Alexandria, will reign as Carnival Queen this week following her victory in Tuesday night's Coronation competition. The Grade 13 student at Glengarry District High School outpointed six other contestants to win the judges' decision. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Rochon.

Chosen first princess was Paule Gauthier, 16, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rene Gauthier, Alexandria. The second princess is Joanne Viau, 14, a student at Char-Lan and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gerard Viau of Lancaster.

Runners-up included Lucette Beriault, 19 of Dalhousie Mills; Lise Dubeau, 16 of Alexandria; Glenda Gratton 19, Alexandria and Monique Larocque, 18, of Alexandria.

The talented competitors presented what was described as the finest program in the history of Alexandria's Carnival. Some 750 enjoyed the program in the auditorium of Glengarry District High School despite the raging blizzard and snow-blocked roads. Carnival organizers expressed relief and satisfaction with the success of the night in view of weather conditions which almost forced its postponement.

Judges were His Excellency Bishop Proulx, Sister Pauline Rheaume, principal of Perpetual Help School, Mr. and Mrs. Laurent Major, North Lancaster and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Beauchamp of Rockland. Michel Hurtubise served as escort for the various contestants and Pierre Vaillancourt of Hawkesbury, entertained on the organ. Paul Poirier was the capable Master of Ceremonies.

A recitation was the talent piece presented by Queen Lyse. Paule Gauthier entertained with a gymnastic ballet while Joanne Viau played a Mozart Concerto on the piano. The queen and her princesses won money awards from the Richelieu Club and gifts from many local businessmen.

Bonhomme Carnaval was on hand to lend a carnival touch and the new queen received her crown from last year's winner, Mrs. Margaret Henri.

Councillor Ranald MacDonald spoke briefly and declared the 1971 carnival officially open.

Bingo was the Wednesday night attraction and tonight the snowmobilers revel on the lake and make trail for the Bonnie Glen Pavilion. A half-holiday Friday will see activities on the arena ice with teachers and high school students tangling at hockey and broomball and a masquerade for the youngsters. Free shows at the Garry will be a simultaneous attraction. The annual Peewee tournament opens at the arena at 7 o'clock and will continue through Saturday. In Alexander Hall adults will be trying their luck at a Little Las Vegas night.

Something new has been added for Saturday morning, a Pancake Breakfast in Alexander Hall which will be served from 7.15 to 10 a.m.

Four groups of majorettes with their bands and the SD&G Pipe Band from Cornwall will add sound and color to the Carnival Parade which leaves the High School at 1 p.m. The Queen, her princesses and the other contestants will ride in convertibles behind the Alexandria Lions majorette group which heads the parade down Main Street to Lochiel St. and back to the Mill Square. The Rothman sound truck will be there for a brief program of speeches and presentations followed by the tug of war and other events. Other majorette groups will be from Valleyfield, Dorion and Hawkesbury.

A bazaar in Alexander Hall will be another Saturday afternoon attraction and that night there will be adult dancing at the Bonnie Glen and a teenagers' dance in Sacred Heart hall.

The new track north of town is being cleared of excess snow for Sunday's program of snowmobile races expected to attract racers from a wide area. The big Carnival Supper in Sacred Heart hall will wind up what promises to be an action-packed weekend.

Car Hit C.P.R. Plow

An area man and six children escaped injury, Sunday night, when a car was in collision with a CPR snow plow.

Lancaster OPP said a car driven by Clifford MacCulloch, Glen Roy, was travelling south on the Johnston side-road near Williamstown when it was in collision with a Canadian Pacific Railway snowplow.

Neither MacCulloch nor his six passengers, all children, were injured, but the car sustained $400 damage.

Maxville Manor Annual Reports Reflect Strong Community Support

The auditorium of the Maxville Manor was almost filled for the Corporation's annual meeting and the board was pleased with this evidence of public interest and support. Chairman was Allan C. Vallance, and secretary-treasurer Verna MacGregor. The list of voting delegates was read and approved for this year and Mrs. MacGregor presented the financial statement and gave a detailed explanation of it.

There was a complete comparison between 1969 and 1970. Costs were considerably higher in 1970, but this was mainly due to the fact that the Manor was only operating at full capacity for the last half of the previous year.

In his address Mr. Vallance outlined the very large district the Manor serves. There are presently 52 people on the staff, full and part-time, of which 33 are from Maxville, and 19 from nearby communities. The projected payroll for 1971 is $200,000. There were two serious problems which will have to be dealt with soon. A constant worry for the Board is that the government subsidy, upon which the Manor depends for much of its income, is always at least two months late, and occasionally even three.

Since bills come in regularly and have to be paid immediately it is

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Still A Lot Of Unsold License Plates

Some kind of carnival is threatened this weekend at the local office of the automobile licence issuer where some 1600 sets of 1971 plates should be purchased before the March 1st deadline.

Mrs. O'Connor expects no extension of time for buyers due to the fact issuers have been ordered to remain open Thursday and Friday until 8.30 p.m. Saturday's closing of the office will be at 5 p.m.

Town Water Is Perfectly Healthy

Alexandria's water may be discolored at times but it is free of bacteria and fit to drink, reports Ambrose Lalonde, secretary of the Public Utilities Commission.

Tests were taken Saturday by a health inspector, he reports, and our water's coliform bacteria test was zero. The tests were taken after rumors reached the PUC that a citizezn had had the water tested and it was found hazardous to health.

A special meeting of the PUC was immediately called at noon Saturday and Lochiel Deputy Reeve Alex McDonald was contacted in his role as chairman of the Counties Board of Health. He called in Raymond Leblanc of L'Orignal, a Board of Health inspector, and he obtained samples of the water at several points in town.

These were sent to Ottawa for testing and Mr. Leblanc notified PUC officials yesterday that the water was perfectly safe for drinking, its coliform bacteria count zero.

The town water has been discolored at times since recent trouble with the filter beds was encountered, reports Mr. Lalonde, but appearance notwithstanding the water is safe to drink.

Plane Pilot Gets Jail Term For Public Mischief Games' Day

David Weid, formerly of Embrun, Ont., was sentenced to one year in reformatory Thursday of last week after being convicted on a charge of public mischief involving a mid-air plane crash Aug. 2, 1969.

In a statement read in county court at Cornwall, Weid blamed himself for the mishap which forced one plane to crash-land. There were no injuries.

In the statement Weid, who now lives in Inuvik, NWT, said he did not like the idea that another group was chosen to carry passengers on sightseeing flights during the annual Highland Games in Maxville.

Weid was flying for the Golden Triangle Air Services at Embrun. "I made deliberate improper turns because I did not want the plane to land too soon," the statement read.

"The accident was caused when my plane, going slower than a craft operated by Donald Fraser, came up in front of his. His propeller hit the tail section of my plane and caused a crash landing. The air transport committee should have given permission for passenger flights that day to our club."

A 12-man jury deliberated for about 75 minutes before delivering its verdict.

Won Area Honors Public Speaking

The trophy for public speaking competition for the public schools of Area No. 3 has been won by Sandra Kennedy, a grade eight student at Laggan Public School. Sandra is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh A. Kennedy of RR1 Dunvegan. She chose as her topic the famous Scottish poet Robert Burns.

There were five contestants from various area schools entered in the competition which was held in the Williamstown Public School on the evening of February 3rd. Judges for the events were Messrs. Lorne Lawson and J. T. Smith of Alexandria and Rev. Kenneth MacDonald of Martintown.

Previous to this Sandra had been declared school champion in



an inter-school competition. Sandra also competed at Zone 10 finals in Ottawa on February 20th. The trophy for this competition was won by an Almonte girl and as the adjudicators did not place or comment on any of the other competitors we are unable to give a judge's view of her entry.

She was accompanied to Ottawa by her parents and by two teachers on the Laggan staff, Mrs. Duncan MacDonald and Mrs. Leslie Clark. They received favorable comments on Sandra's speech on Robbie Burns which was considered an appropriate topic for a Glengarry entry.

The competition is sponsored jointly by the Ontario Public School Trustees' Association and the Hydro Electric Power Commission of Ontario.

Blocked Roads Force Dumping Of Milk

Some area farmers were forced to dump their milk this week because of lack of storage, reports Ag. Rep. Jim Humphries. Their bulk tanks were full and the snow blocked roads prevented the bulk milk truck from reaching them to siphon off their supply.

Night Shift To Be Instituted At Moulding Plant

Ten more employees will be taken on payroll by Alexandria Moulding, formerly Alexandria Sash & Door, which is planning to introduce a night shift. The new employees will be trained in the plant operations before the night shift is started and it is expected some 30 additional employees will be needed to man the night shift.

The local plant is finding it difficult to meet the demand for its mouldings and introduction of a night shift will ease the heavy overtime present staff has been working. The plant now has a payroll of 50.

The air pollution problem at Alexandria Moulding has been solved since the new $30,000 shavings shed went into operation last fall reports Guy Cholette. There are no more complaints from people living in the area, he informs.

TV Sets Taken In Lancaster Break-In

Six television sets, a stereo and radio valued at $1300 were taken by burglars who broke into Andy's Radio, TV Shop at Lancaster, early Wednesday morning. Entry was made by forcing the front door.

Lancaster OPP are investigating and have yet to find anyone who can pinpoint the time of entry. Andy Bronzon, proprietor, reports there was no insurance on the loss.

Girl's Slayer Gets Eight Years

Richard Kordus, 21, was sentenced in Ontario Supreme Court at Hamilton, last week to eight years in prison for manslaughter in the Sept. 26th slaying of Gail MacDonald, 16.

The court was told earlier that the girl, who was baby-sitting across the street from her house, died of asphyxiation from smothering or strangulation after her throat was slashed.

Kordus, who was originally charged with non-capital murder but pleaded guilty to manslaughter, said he realized what he had done only after he was kneeling beside his victim.

Mr. Justice Patrick Galligan said Kordus "scarred the memory" of Karen Van Eyk, 10, who witnessed the slaying and required 45 stitches to close a head wound inflicted by Kordus as he attempted to hide his identity from the child.

The murdered girl was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Milton MacDonald of Stoney Creek, Ont., who left Cornwall two years ago to reside in Hamilton. Mr. MacDonald is a native of Lancaster while his wife is the former Helen McRae of Glen Nevis.

Miss Duperron Died Montreal

A native of Maxville, Miss Mary Bertha Duperron of Montreal died suddenly in that city on Feb. 18th.

Miss Duperron was a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Donald Duperron of Maxville. She had resided in Montreal for a number of years.

To mourn she leaves three brothers and seven sisters: William of Windsor; Frank and Donald in California; Florence, Mrs. J. Isaac Macdonald, Pointe Claire; Evelyn, Mrs. Paul des Rues, Georgetown, Ont.; Jean, Mrs. George Harrison, Arnprior; Evette, Mrs. Steve Sarnulack, Ottawa; Rose, Mrs. Gerald Deschene, Misses Blanche and Yvon Duperron, Montreal.

The funeral was held Monday to St. John Fisher Church in Pointe Claire, where Rev. John Purcell offered the mass. The body was conveyed to the vault in Alexandria and burial will be at Greenfield in the spring.

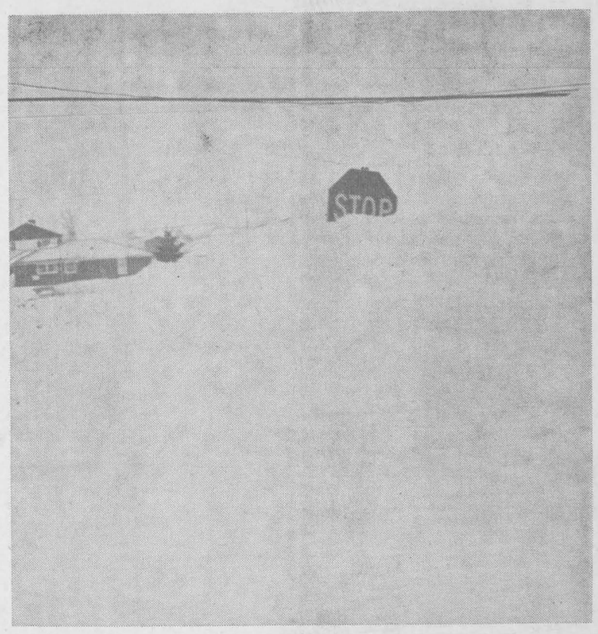
Roads Battered By Two Storms

Snow and wind hit the area again on Saturday and Tuesday, closing roads and slowing highway traffic to a crawl.

Twenty-one additional inches have fallen on Glengarry since Saturday, reports George Hambleton, weather observer at Dalhousie Mills. Saturday 9.3 inches came down with accompanying winds and the fall on Tuesday measured 11.3 inches, again with heavy drifting that forced more school holidays as buses were unable to operate.

A total of 121 inches has fallen on the Dalhousie area this winter, Mr. Hambleton reports. That may not be a record but there are no comparative figures over the years. The average snowfall is about 100 inches, he reports.

His figures show 49 inches of snow have fallen so far in February and there are a few more days to go.



STOP, YOU'RE CHOKING ME!—Town Council is doing a herculean job of keeping the main arteries and most of the sidewalks clear. But the blizzards blow in so frequently it's impossible to do more than keep open some of the side streets. That snowbank at the corner of St. George St. East and Main already towers four feet over the traffic sign. If motorists approaching Main fail to see it the onus is on the weatherman who needs it not. —Photo by Robert

Board Authorized To Sell Cheese Plant Forced Out Of Business Due To Quotas

Officers of the Quigley Cheese Manufacturing Association have been authorized by the shareholders to negotiate sale of the plant to a going concern.

The decision to sell out came at the annual meeting last Thursday night in Lochiel Township Hall when the meeting was told "we are being squeezed out of business by policies of the Ontario Milk Marketing Board".

The cheese factory is already operating on part of its 1971 milk quota and has been told by the OMMB it will have to close down for three months now or carry on until fall when its quota will have been used up and it may have to close for six months.

A further cut in its milk supply came on the weekend when all can shippers to the plant had their milk transferred by the Marketing Board to the local Carnation plant.

A. K. MacPherson of Glen Sandfield, president of the Association, stressed the unfairness of OMMB policy in relation to their group. When we started six years ago we had to buy out the rights of other area plants for a six-vat factory. We haven't finished paying for those rights and now our quota of milk is being cut to a point we cannot continue in business. He argues, too, that the Board's $1.30 world market price is unrealistic and makes it impossible for dairymen without adequate quotas to continue producing.

Morlin Campbell, secretary-treasurer, points up an ironic situation: "We received a government grant of $60,000 to build our plant which is only six years old. Now we can get another grant of $37,000 to close up. It's an awful mess. The legislation is geared to close down the small plants."

That $37,000 grant under the government's Plant Consolidation Program, will not be available if the plant is sold to a going concern, the meeting was told by Albert Nyholt, milk commissioner, of the Ontario Milk Commission.

"We are sad about the way things are going with the milk situation," said cheesemaker and plant manager Henri Giroux. "Our quota is done as of last January until the first of May, and there is no guarantee for 1971-1972."

The plant has a quota of 15,500,000 pounds which is needed to make any kind of profit. They were promised 98 percent of their quota, but last November the OMMB informed them their quota would be cut to 83 percent or 12,700,000, a reduction of three million pounds or one-fifth of their production.

Cheese went up to 51 cents, but with the increase in the price of milk, it was no better than the 47 cent price. "I can't see any way with the amount of milk we are going to get that we can meet our obligations," said Mr. Giroux. He thanked all members of the board and farmers for their cooperation and the high quality of milk which enabled them to produce the highest grade cheddar cheese. Mr. Giroux is proud of his staff of five to 13 employees and the modern, well-equipped plant.

Mr. MacPherson chaired the meeting and he was returned with the full slate of officers except for one change. Gordon MacMillan is vice-president, Morlin Campbell, secretary-treasurer and directors are: Lewis Fraser, Vernon Crowley, Raymond McDonald and Campbell McDonald.

J. Y. Humphries, ag. rep., spoke of the many complications in the present system and offered any help his office can provide.

Bert Rombough, eastern district director of the National Farmers Union emphasized the NFU is against closure of the Quigley plant and does not agree with recommendations of the Murchie-Stewart report of 1969 which would cut Ontario cheese factories to 12. His group is trying to arrange for a meeting with the Ontario Dairy Commission to protest the closing of so many small plants.

Barn Bowed To Snow

The barn on the farm of Oliver Trottier, on old Highway 2, three miles east of Lancaster, collapsed under its load of snow at noon, Monday. The herd of Ernest Dubeau housed in the stable escaped without injury.

Mr. Trottier was warned of the impending collapse by cracking timbers and shut-off the electric power before the roof caved in.

Cornwall Teacher Possessed Drugs

A Cornwall high school teacher pleaded guilty to possession of drugs in provincial court here Friday and will be sentenced March 3rd.

Gordon Gilchrist, 27, of RR1 Maxville, was art director at General Vanier Secondary School.

Judge Michael Fitzpatrick was told Gilchrist had six grams of marijuana and $5 worth of hashish in his home when it was searched. He was remanded for a pre-sentence report.

In a related case, Ralph Robert Barth, 18, of Glen Walter, a GVSS student, will appear in provincial court in Cornwall on March 3rd on a charge of possession of marijuana.

Mrs. V F. Crowley, Lochiel, New President Of Historical Society

The annual meeting of the Glengarry Historical Society was held on Thursday evening, February 18th, in the Board Room, Department of Agriculture, Alexandria, at 8.30 p.m. with a very good attendance of members and visitors. The weather proved cooperative, compared to previous days. Major Grant MacGillivray presided while reports were read and the nominations committee presented its slate.

Lloyd MacMillan read the treasurer's report which showed the Society to have operated efficiently within the limits of its budget. The items reflected the wide range of activities engaged in during the past year.

Mrs. W. A. MacKinnon commented on the 1970 Fiddlers' Contest, which endeavored to promote the interest and growth of Scottish music in Glengarry. Although by no means a profit-making undertaking, it is considered that young violinists, in particular, should be encouraged to keep up the tradition of Glengarry fiddling.

The Antiques Show, 1970, was spoken of briefly by Mrs. Marjorie Young Crowley and plans for the Fifth Annual Antiques Show, to be held at Green Valley Pavilion, September 17th and 18th, 1971 are already under way.

Mrs. J. Russell Harper, Essay Contest Chairman, reported that Sheila Conway and Mike Mitchell of GDHS, had won 1st and 2nd prize, respectively in the Historical Essay Contest held recently, with Kevin Gawne, Joanne Charlebois and Louise Leger sharing honorable mention.

Mrs. J. P. MacLeod, Curator, Glengarry Museum, Dunvegan and Mrs. Duncan Grant, Nor'Westers

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Homes Change Hands

Mr. and Mrs. Gilles Lefebvre have sold their home on St. Paul Street to Mr. and Mrs. Aldema Seguin of Alexandria, formerly of Glen Robertson. Mr. and Mrs. Lefebvre will soon be moving into their new home in the same area.

In a related deal, Mrs. Albina LeGuerrier Seguin has sold her home on the Glen Robertson road to Mr. and Mrs. Evariste Jeaurond, Alexandria.



15-YEAR PINS FOR LIONS—Presentation of perfect attendance pins was a feature of Monday night's regular meeting of Alexandria Lions Club. Attendance pins ranged from one year to 15 years' perfect attendance. President Paul Roy is seen pinning the latter on Lions Sam Brunet and Doug Baxter. Two new members were formally welcomed to the club, Gilles Houde and Bill Upper, and the meeting was attended by seven members of the Valleyfield Lions Club. —Photo by Robert

EDITORIAL

IT'S OUR OPINION

It's Carnival Time

For weeks now people have been making carnival in various area centres and Alexandria is now in the midst of its winter week of fun. The queen and her princesses were chosen Tuesday, snowmobilers will be rallying on the lake tonight and a busy weekend lies ahead.

Members of the Richelieu Club have been working on this annual project over many months. The organizing is over and the only uncertainty is in the kind of weather we'll be experiencing. In a winter that will be remembered for stormy weekends, Carnival organizers are hoping at least the roads will be open and our streets clear of snowbanks. They'll settle for settled weather and a warming sun from here into March.

Way back when winter carnivals were first conceived the idea must have been to add a bit of brightness and jollity to the long gloom of winter. This one has been particularly gruelling on the nerves and we should be in a mood to celebrate the approach of March with its promise of melting snow and spring.

This month of February has provided plenty of reasons for celebrating its going. We've managed to make it to March. It's time to make carnival.

Keep It Scenic Please

The King's Road, from the Brown House to Martintown, is without doubt the most scenic route Glengarry boasts. It is also the most historic, pre-dating even the Military Road that is now Highway 34. In Upper Canada's early days when invasion was threatened from the U.S.A., this King's Road carried traffic at a safe distance from the river front to and from Kingston and York.

Now its scenic aspect seems threatened by progress. A reader reminds us that much of its beauty may be lost if the right-of-way is widened to one hundred feet. All the trees that line it now will fall prey to the power saw and some of the old houses and barns that lend it color may have to go, too.

She wonders why the counties road department must gobble up one hundred feet of right-of-way to provide 22 feet of road surface with five-foot gravel shoulders. She also asks if it is advisable to plan for traffic at 55 miles per hour on a country road the beauty of which can only be seen at its best at a slower speed.

That 100-foot clearance is probably called for in planning a development road but in instances like this one is left wondering why provincial specifications are not left more elastic.

The King's Road has had its share of accidents and certainly is well below today's safety standards. Rebuilding is long overdue and widening will no doubt make it easier to keep open in winter.

It is to be hoped, though, that in planning improvements, road engineers will preserve as much as possible the trees and other features that lend charm to so scenic and historic a route as the King's Road.

Something Stinks In Milk Marketing

A going concern, Quigley Cheese Manufacturing Association is going out of business. Rather, it is being forced out of business by the Ontario Milk Marketing Board. The farmer-owned Lochiel plant which showed a gross profit of $28,000 last year will probably have to be sold because it is being squeezed out of business by the Marketing Board's quota system.

At the annual meeting last week, Association members were faced with two alternatives because of the limited milk quota it is restricted to by the OMMB. Their plant would have to shut down for two or three months because its quota is already used up; or it might continue using its 1971 quota of milk and face a six-months shutdown by the fall. This latter alternative became even less possible when all can shippers to the plant received orders from the Milk Board to ship to Carnation.

Without an assured milk supply the plant must close down or sell out, as it has long been advised to do by provincial milk authorities who consider it too small to be viable. Rather than close down the plant officers have been authorized to explore the possibilities of selling.

Surely this mess into which Ontario milk production has been plunged is a classic example of the damage that can be done by planners in government. Milk was in surplus supply, the bureaucrats decided, and so they dreamed up a system of quotas which would force dairymen to produce only enough milk to supply marketing needs. The Ontario Milk Marketing Board was given power not only to set quotas for each milk producer. It can also ordain where his milk is to be shipped and so we have the unlikely picture of shareholders of the Quigley plant being ordered to weaken their dollar investment by shipping elsewhere. And they have no alternative, even though it means the loss of their plant.

So well did the planners plan, there is now a shortage of cheddar and the Quigley plant is being deluged with orders for cheese even as it is ordered to shut down. There is no surplus of powdered milk and province-wide the shortage of milk is becoming so acute Glengarry production is being trucked all the way to Toronto.

The quota system was so well thought out it has resulted in a new way to get rich quick, by trading in quotas. At their present price one is left wondering how many milk producers will lose their shirts come the day this entire plan is found unworkable and the quota system is thrown out.

One is left wondering, too, if this system of quotas was dreamed up as a means of getting rid of the fringe farmer and the smaller milk processing plants. Quotas are going to the highest bidders and are already priced beyond the reach of the small producer. The few remaining independent cheese plants almost all succumbed to the giants last year and the reports from officers of the Quigley's Association suggest it is Milk Marketing Board policy to force the small plants out of business.

A lot of milk producers are left with the suspicion the quota system was devised to thin out the ranks of dairymen and centralize processing in a few big companies. When those corporations have control of all Ontario milk they wonder if the Milk Marketing Board will not be forced to lower the price to the producer.

We have yet to find anyone in the milk industry who can satisfy us as to how this quota system is supposed to work. Ignorance breeds fear and that is probably why we distrust this Ontario Milk Marketing Board. Something stinks and milk shouldn't be smelling in February.

Downhill In Switzerland

(The Smiths Falls Record-News)

The Swiss, as any travel agent will tell you, are a happy and contented people. With their Alpine hats stuck on at jaunty angles, they yodel happily among the mountains of money brought to their door by the rest of the world. Five hundred years ago the Swiss won independence by slaughtering the flower of the Austrian and Burgundian armies; today they present a picture of unalterable neutrality.

How do they achieve this happy blend of prosperity and tranquillity? It is, after all, against certain odds. They have to maintain internal stability among three distinct language groups (German, French and Italian) while the federal Government does its best to respect the language of a fourth (Romansch). They do not have much by the way of natural resources and they do not have a great deal of elbow room.

The fact remains that they have stayed out of costly wars and done pretty well for themselves. Could this have had anything to do with the fact that they do not let women vote. Did they realize that the hand that rocks the cradle would also rock the boat if given half a chance? Did instinct warn them that a suffragette movement could start an avalanche big enough to bury them?

The theory is soon to be put to the test. Browbeaten, cajoled or coerced, Swiss men have voted to give women the right to vote in federal elections and to hold federal office. It should be noted that women outnumber men in Switzerland, so the development is something more than merely symbolic.

It is said that there was a growing sense of discomfort in Switzerland over the fact that Saudi Arabia and the Yemen were the only other independent states that do not permit women to vote. ("But Daddy, nearly all the other girls in the class wear make-up . . .")

Oh, well; it is too late now.

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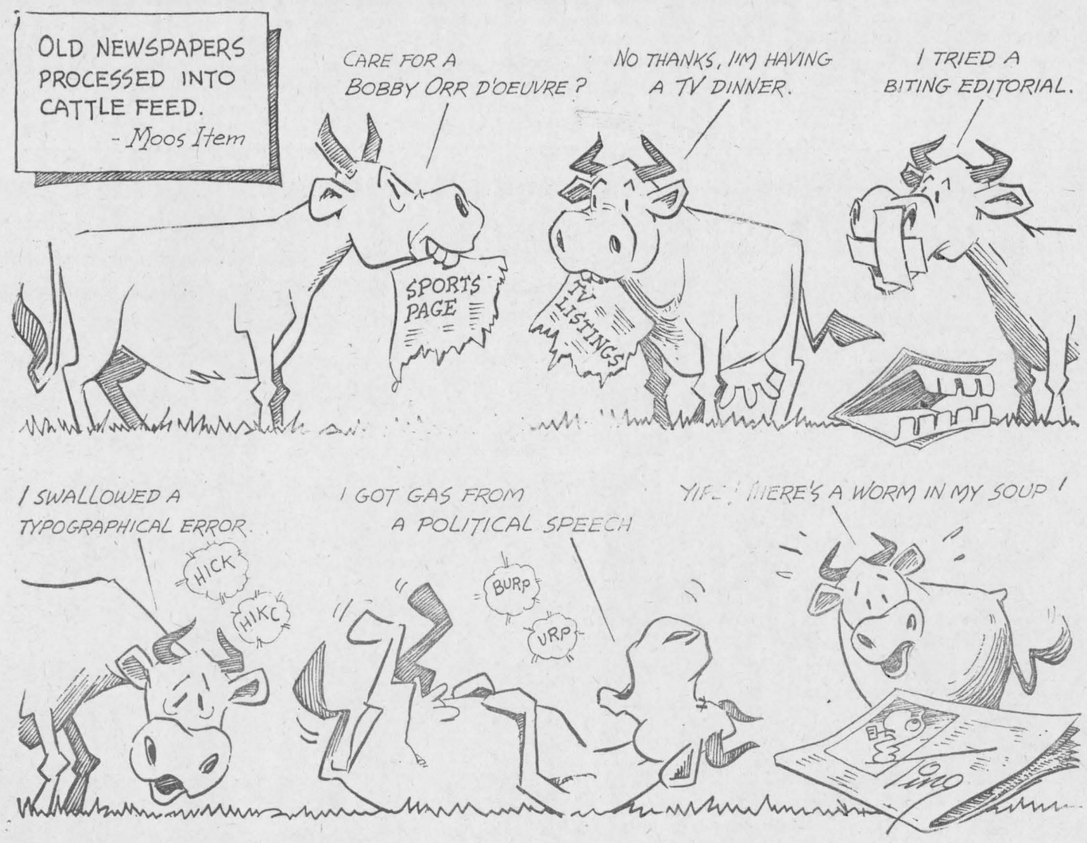

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TEN YEARS AGO—

Thursday, Feb. 23, 1961

Two farm homes were destroyed by fire last weekend. John Pringle of the 7th Con. Lancaster lost his home Friday morning and the home of John Gareau, two miles west of Glen Gordon, was destroyed Sunday evening. — A new restaurant "The Town House" will open here in late April under the joint ownership of Alex McDonald and his sister, Mrs. Julia Munro. — Robert J. McDonell is president of the Glengarry Society of Toronto. He succeeds Corbet McDonald in that post. — Partly burned n November, the Glen Roy cheese factory has been purchased by Raymond Filion. — Glenn McCuaig of Glen Norman, has joined the Navy and left Sunday for Cornwallis, NS.

TWENTY YEARS AGO—

Friday, Feb. 23, 1951

Archie MacDonald, 28, of Greenfield, suffered internal injuries near Belleville, Saturday, when his car left the icy road and struck a tree. — A ladies' auxiliary of Alexandria Legion Branch was organized at a meeting Tuesday when 29 members were initiated. Miss Joan Gormley is president. — George Lanthier has begun construction of a 45x97 cement block addition to his bakery. Mr. Lanthier's business is steadily expanding and he now has eight trucks on the road. — A Brewers' warehouse will be opened in the former Simon store in early summer.

THIRTY YEARS AGO—

Friday, Feb. 21, 1941

A few hours after reaching Toronto, where he was to meet his son, Capt. Harold Macdonell of the RCASC, Mr. Allen Macdonell (Bailiff) died suddenly Wednesday evening. A native of Loch Garry, Mr. MacDonell had resided in Winnipeg until his retirement three years ago when he returned to Alexandria. — Louis Kemp, son of Thomas Kemp, has joined the artillery at Petwawa. — Friends honored Mr. and Mrs. Francis McCormick at a reception held Thursday evening in Lochiel Township hall. — Mansell Goodwin was here over the weekend before leaving for South America, where for the next three months he will act as fieldman for the Aluminum Company of Canada.

FORTY YEARS AGO—

Friday, Feb. 20, 1931

A Pontifical Solemn Mass for the repose of the soul of the late Rev. Joseph Aime Huot, was celebrated by Right Rev. Felix Couturier, OP, DD, in the Church of the Sacred Heart, on Saturday. On Sunday morning at the conclusion of the parochial Mass, His Lordship blessed an imported Marble Table erected by the parishioners in memory of a beloved pastor. — Alexandria curlers took a 33-23 lead in District Medal play on Saturday when two rinks from St. Anne de Bellevue visited the local club. T. J. Gormley's rink won 15-10 over R. H. Angrove, while D. N. McRae was victorious over E. Foy, 18-13. — Dan McLennan, Dalkeith, is preparing to build a new house this year and has unloaded a carload of brick for that purpose. — The home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence St. John, Maxville, was destroyed by fire early on Friday morning.

FIFTY YEARS AGO—

Friday, Feb. 25, 1921

An epoch making event in the history of Maxville took place on Tuesday, when the town was connected up with Hydro power lines and streets, business places and homes were for the first time lighted by electricity. To celebrate the advent of electricity a public meeting was held that night in the Women's Institute hall. Maxville's full complement of 5½ p.c. Hydro Electric debentures were sold at par, and all were sold in Maxville. — Miss Millie McKinnon, nurse-in-training, returned to Kingston on Tuesday, after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McKinnon, 4th Kenyon. — George H. Goodfellow of Lancaster, recently shipped fourteen head of high grade Holstein cattle, tuberculin tested, for foundation stock in the accredited herd of A. N. Clark, Mountain, Ont. — Donald A. McKercher of McGill University, weekended at his home in Maxville.

SIXTY YEARS AGO—

Friday, Feb. 24, 1911

Archbishop Charles H. Gauthier, a native of Glengarry, in future will preside over the destinies of the Catholic archdiocese of Ottawa. In the presence of a galaxy of prelates and dignitaries of state he was duly enthroned Tuesday evening. — The last issue of the Militia Gazette contained the announcement that Martin Lewis Shepherd, son of G. W. Shepherd, is about to take a commission in the 59th Regiment as signalling officer. — Monday evening Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Ballatier left Ogdensburg, NY, for Montreal, in the first winter balloon flight ever made in this part of the country. The balloonists landed at Tyotown the following morning after having experienced great hardship. Later in the day they returned, as they came, to Ogdensburg. — Peter McNaughton of the Schell Co., left Wednesday evening for Winnipeg, where he will be engaged in installing the new fixtures in the main post office.

SEVENTY YEARS AGO—

Friday, Feb. 22, 1901

Members of the executive of the Clan Macdonald came here from Ottawa on Saturday to make preparations for the July 1st clan rally to be held on the Driving Park Ground. A local committee, consisting of A. McDonald, chieftain, Alexandria; D. McDonald, 25-4th Kenyon; Angus McDonald, 24-6 Kenyon; Angus R. McDonald, Glen Robertson; Dr. A. L. Macdonald, John A. Cameron and A. G. F. Macdonald were named to assist. — The stables and barns of A. Lalonde, 8 3rd Kenyon, were destroyed by fire, Saturday afternoon, with contents which included eight cows. — Prominent ratepayers met with the Council of Lochiel on Monday, when the question of the abolition of the statute labor system and to commute same at the rate of 50 cents per day, was discussed. The board favored the Good Roads question, but found that the ratepayers were not yet in favor of

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LETTERS to the EDITOR

RISING PRICES

St. Raphael's
Feb. 17, 1971

The editor,
The Glengarry News,

There has been a frightening rise in food prices in the past two weeks. Here are a few that I have met in my shopping:

Bread, 19c to 21c—2 cent rise.
Milk, 33c to 36c.
Potatoes, 10 lbs. 39c to 45c.
Sugar, 10 lbs. 99c to $1.18—19 cent rise.

Lunch bags for school lunches, 25 packs 2 for 27c to 2 for 29c to 2 for 31c.

For people on fixed incomes this is disturbing. May I point out that during the '30's depression prices went down, not up. People had no money, therefore necessarily prices went down. But at this time people on relief have more money to spend than those who pay taxes to supply it.

What to do? You are a wise man if you know the answer!

Sincerely,
Willa McDonald.

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Insurance Should Be Extended

(The Wingham Advance-Times)

There has been some talk in official Ontario circles recently that hospitalization insurance may be extended to cover persons confined to nursing homes in the province. We certainly hope that the story is more than speculation for we have always believed that our older people should be protected from the high costs of illness.

Admittedly, of course, the cost of medical care has long since assumed alarming levels. The Ontario Hospital Insurance Commission fights a constant and losing battle to keep health costs within limits which we can afford to meet. The premiums charged directly to the people of the province cover less than 50 percent of the actual cost.

Nevertheless, no segment of our population deserves more consideration in the realm of health insurance than the old people. As matters now stand a nursing home resident must be declared indigent before there is any assistance with daily costs. In many cases those who are in nursing homes have no choice whatever about being there. If they have previously occupied a hospital bed and it has been decided that such expensive care is not necessary, a nursing home is the only alternative.

These people pay their premiums for hospital insurance like everyone else. The particular type of hospital or home in which they are cared for should not make any difference. Nursing home costs should be covered by OHSC.

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RAMBLING REPORTER

by Ed.

It's not the Abominable Snowman that bothers us. It's the inevitable snow, man.

WE'RE BEFUDDLE DUDDLED

What manner of man is this we have placed in the seat of power on Parliament Hill? Is he a person as uncouth as members of the Opposition paint him after last week's bit of lip-reading in the Commons? Did Canada's Prime Minister actually mouth an unmentionable four-letter word in the hallowed halls of Parliament where, Hansard tells us, most MP's are content to murmur "Oh, Oh"!

We may never know for certain, but there's more than a suspicion Mr. Trudeau is quite capable of coming out with almost any word or phrase, in either English or French, when the spirit moves him. He's certainly fluent.

If he did mime a phrase more suited to barracks rooms than the House of Commons count us among the disapproving. Parliamentary debate has been cheapened enough by petty politicians without the interjection of dirty words to further lower standards of conduct in the House.

Prime Minister Trudeau may or may not have demeaned himself with this bit of miming but perhaps unwittingly he later proved himself a master politician when he came up with fuddle duddle to explain what his lips weren't actually saying. He coined a phrase that promises to catch the public fancy to such an extent the threat of unemployment will be forgotten for a time as the news media make the most of two little words.

Fuddy duddy is what Mr. Trudeau probably meant to tell newsmen he was wordlessly calling his Conservative opponent in the Commons debate. When it came out fuddle duddle his explanation sounded so unlikely it was mirth-provoking and the producers of novelties are laughing their way to the bank with the proceeds of fuddle duddle sweatshirts, pins and what have you.

When the nation stops laughing, though, there may be more serious second thoughts concerning Mr. Trudeau's use of words most people see as objectionable. If he can't control his temper or his tongue, a lot of his supporters may begin to wonder if he is a responsible enough person to be left in charge of a federal government that is so under his thumb.

The Prime Minister remains an enigma to this Rambling Reporter.

There's talk of reviving the Saturday Evening Post. Was it smothered under one of those Saturday night snow drifts?

COULD BE DOING WORSE

We've a lot of sympathy with the viewpoint of an area reader who in a letter in last issue took the editor to task for condoning lotteries. Those items on Loto Quebec and a Hamburg lottery appeared in this column and so your Rambling Reporter feels this is the appropriate spot to air his views on the subject.

We agree with the writer that gambling, narcotics and such are the main sources of income for organized crime. She is on our wave-length when she suggests it is not healthy to encourage the idea of getting something for nothing, without working. Government should be encouraging production, not the weaknesses of citizens, we heartily agree.

But it's doing just the opposite with its spending and taxing policies. Government welfare is encouraging sloth and punitive taxation is discouraging initiative. And we the people apparently want something for nothing, for we keep voting in these promising politicians.

It's human nature, too, to want to take a chance, to gamble on hope of easy riches, if you will. If men of means can win or lose millions on the stock market, can legally bet on a horse race, why should not the little fellow be permitted the chance of winning something in a sweepstake? It's about the only way middle-class Canada can get capital under our taxing laws, unless he cheats on income tax, or steals.

Bingo is a mild form of gambling, too, and who'd be so cruel as to rule out a game so many enjoy as a pastime?

People are going to gamble whether or not it's legal and we'd much rather see government control an honest lottery than watch the crime syndicates grow fat on the numbers game or the hockey pool. It's much easier to pay part of your taxes on a government lottery where there's at least a hope of getting some of it back, than to see all that hard-earned money poured into the hog trough.

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NEWS OF INTEREST FROM MAXVILLE AND SURROUNDING DISTRICT

Another miserable snow-bound weekend, with few visitors venturing out. The brave ones were the volunteer firemen, their families and friends, of the three counties who managed to get to the Maxville Curling Club on Saturday for their 4th annual Bonspiel. Sixteen teams arrived and had a very enjoyable day.

John M. MacCrimmon is spending a few days in Maxville visiting friends and relatives.

Maxville High School had a busy and successful carnival, beautifully timed in between the worst storms.

Emerson Franklin spent several days in Ottawa visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Franklin.

Mrs. Peggy Cline was the lucky winner this week, in the Lions' Club draw.

Mrs. Albert Boisvenue had her daughter Lillian of Ottawa, with her for the weekend.

YOUNG AT HEARTS HAD VALENTINE PARTY

Maxville's "Young at Heart Club" celebrated Valentine Day with what might be termed a "swinging" party.

The evening began with the "Maxville Marvels", a young group consisting of five girl singers, Nancy Haramis, Sandra Ramsbottom, Deliane Lariviere, Wendy Crawford, Joanne Guindon, accompanied by the two guitars of Glen Marjerrison and Herb. Sporring.

This group is essentially of today's world, but their selections were given so harmoniously, and their personalities reached out so pleasingly to their audience, that inevitably the feet started tapping and after a while the hands a-clapping.

Glengarrians are most partial to music, and surely this was the nicest valentine the under 20's could give to the over 50's.

After intermission the club once again enjoyed a presentation of colored slides by Jim Whissel.

Mr. Whissel is surely an artist with his camera studies. In each instance the background of the slide complemented the subject, so that one gets the full feeling of what is shown. and each slide becomes a mini-story.

The dejected looking group of Eskimos, with their kayaks, looking at the rough and turbulent sea. No fishing today! One could sense the empty pot and hungry family. waiting in the igloo.

The swoop of the eagle as he dived from the sky, surely a desperate little creature just a trifle beyond one's vision.

And then, as a treat because we are all a little weary of snow and indeed winter itself just now, Maxville Fair.

The trampled grass and parading cattle, the racing horses and so beautiful Clydesdales. The high in the sky ferris wheel and bare armed children eating spun sugar and, above all, the hot sun pouring down.

Happy days are here again!

The evening finished with the ladies of the refreshment committee's own presentation, a repast rendered the more festive with gay valentine serviettes.

AVONMORE

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Dillabough spent the weekend with their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Daryll Dillabough, and family, Brampton. Mr. Dillabough this week becomes manager of the Bank of Nova Scotia at Clarkson, Ont.

Mrs. Isaac Goodman is spending two weeks with her son, Dr. Joseph Goodman, Mrs. Goodman and family, Meriden, Conn.

Mrs. Bella McMaster spent a few days in Cornwall with her daughter, Mrs. Adelard Quenneville, Mr. Quenneville and family.

Ian Ferguson, Regina, Sask., spent a few days with his mother, Mrs. John D. Ferguson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Tinkess and family, Elgin, spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. James Tinkess.

Mac Arbuthnot spent a few days in Toronto with Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Arbuthnot.

Norman Sinclair and son, Scott, Ottawa, spent Tuesday visiting friends in Avonmore.

Robert MacGregor, Kingston, spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John R. MacGregor.

CARNIVAL A SUCCESS

At a recent meeting of the executive of the Avonmore Sports Committee, members were highly pleased with the reports that were presented from committee chairmen on the successful Winter Carnival staged on Jan. 29th and 30th.

Modestly sidestepping the tremendous amount of work which they themselves had done, the executive expressed appreciation to all the citizens who had cooperated so enthusiastically in the scheme. While the carnival had not been staged as a money making project, yet the treasurer, Mrs. Yvette Delaney, was able to report a substantial balance in the treasury from the event.

At the meeting members discussed at some length their projects for the coming months. Undoubtedly this year promises to be the most strenuous on the committee's treasury since its formation two years ago. Of the projects now under consideration, the one taking top priority in coming months will be the installation of lights at the local ball park. The project is one, the ladies feel, which must capture the enthusiasm and support of all local citizens. Donations will continue to be gratefully received.

Plans were made for a gala St. Patrick's ball to be held in the auditorium of Roxmore Public School, Avonmore, on Friday, March 5th. Music will be supplied by Russ Hay and his orchestra. Tickets will be available from committee members within the next few days.

Conveners were appointed to head up the various committees responsible for organizing details for the dance.

D. A. MacRAE DIED

Relatives and friends throughout the district were saddened by the announcement of the death of D. A. MacRae, who passed away in a Woodstock hospital on Tuesday, Feb. 16th. Mr. MacRae had been seriously ill for about two months.

Mr. MacRae was born in Avonmore 51 years ago last December 28th. He was a son of Murdie MacRae and the late Mrs. MacRae, the former Christena MacMillan.

Mr. MacRae received his education in the Avonmore Public School.

During the Second World War he served overseas in the Canadian Army. Mr. MacRae was a member of the Royal Canadian Legion, Apple Hill Branch No. 312 and a charter member of the Royal Canadian Legion, Heather Branch, Finch.

Mourning his loss are his aged father, two sisters, Mrs. Winnifred Rickerd and Miss Queenie MacRae, Ottawa, and one brother, John M. MacRae, Bramalea, Ont.

The body rested at the Brownlee Funeral Home, Finch where many relatives and friends called to pay their respects and to offer their sympathy to the members of the family.

On Thursday evening Legion members conducted an impressive service of remembrance.

Rev. W. E. Sayers, MA, minister of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Avonmore, had charge of the funeral service Friday afternoon.

Pallbearers were W. M. Campbell, Oarn Flanagan, Clifford McElheran, Arnold Mills, Ronald Mills and Auley Morrison.

Relatives and friends were present from Bramalea, Ottawa, Cornwall, Glen Robertson, Apple Hill, Winchester, Chesterville, Monklands, Crysler and surrounding communities.

The body was placed in the vault at Paul's Hill cemetery to await burial in the spring in the family plot.

FORMER RESIDENT DIES

Mrs. James Shanks, one of the district's older and most respected residents, passed away Sunday, Feb, 14th, at the MacDonell Memorial Hospital, Cornwall, where she had been a resident for the past seven years. Shanks was in her 93rd year.

The former Alma Victoria Blair, she was born in the Sixth Concession of the Township of Roxborough, on Sept. 9, 1878, the daughter of the late Edward Blair and his wife, Margaret Cameron.

Following their marriage on Sept. 13, 1905, Mr. and Mrs. Shanks farmed in Roxborough for a number of years until the time of Mr. Shanks' death in October 1918.

After disposing of the farm Mrs. Shanks and her daughter Nora moved to Avonmore where her daughter was teaching school at the time. After her daughter's marriage Mrs. Shanks lived for a number of years in Toronto, Belleville, Odessa and Napanee.

Mrs. Shanks came to Cornwall about 20 years ago and was a resident for a number of years in the Stewart Home for the Aged.

She was a member of St. Paul's United Church, Cornwall. Mrs. Shanks, always interested in all forms of community work had been a member of the Moose Creek Women's Institute and active in the Avonmore WI in later years. She was also a member of the Rebekah Lodge, Belleville.

The body rested at the Brownlee Funeral Home, Finch, where the funeral service was held Wednesday afternoon. Rev. Henry Funge, minister of St. James United Church, Avonmore, conducted the service.

Pallbearers were W. M. Campbell, James A. Blair, John Blair and D. D. Cameron.

Relatives andd friends attended

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CROSSWORD - - - By Eugene Sheffer

HORIZONTAL

1. —— de deux
4. Saucy
8. Facts
12. Labium
13. Laboratory need
14. Ancient Greek country
15. Japanese shrub
16. Fanciful ones
18. Revolutionary general
20. An affirmative
21. Wolf or Manger
24. Sorceress
28. Purifying
32. Actor Talbot
33. Honest one
35. Cicatrices
36. Actor Cameron
37. Russian inland sea
39. Science of causes
41. Andrea
43. Sicilian sight
44. Matron's title
46. Love feast
50. Able
55. Married
56. Jai ——
57. Samoan seaport
58. Annoy persistently
59. Unvarnished
60. Tears
61. Vicious place

VERTICAL

1. Inferior horse
2. Verdi opera
3. Blemish
4. Clergymen
5. Self
6. Aries
7. Dog's name (Shakespeare)
8. Part of a whole
9. Fourth caliph
10. Spasmodic twitch
11. Kish lost one.
17. Novel
19. Mr. Whitney
22. European resort
23. Growing out
25. Novice
26. Stout, clumsy shoe
27. Actress Lamarr
28. Electric catfish
29. Spanish river
30. Dread
31. Sand
35. Musical compositions
38. Clear
40. Loiter
42. Exist
45. Name on marquee
47. Beards
48. Fuel
49. Irritable
50. Vehicle
51. Palm leaf (var.)
52. —— de mer
53. Finial
54. Pinch

Answer to Saturday's puzzle.

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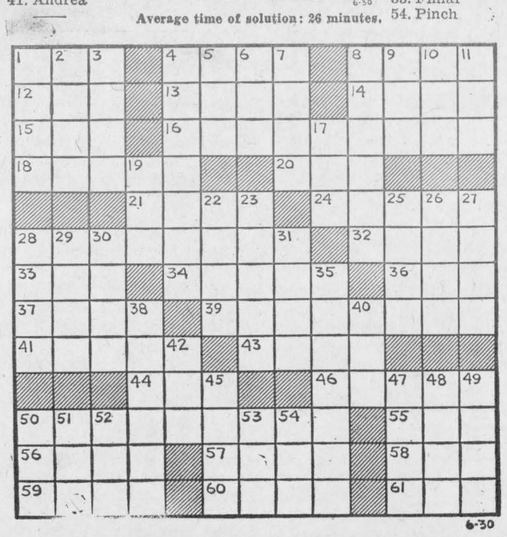

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LETTERS

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NEW BOOK ON JOHN SANDFIELD MACDONALD

88 Lowther Ave., Apt. 5,
Toronto 180, Ont.

The editor,
The Glengarry News,

I quite agree with your editorial of Feb. 1st as to the reprint of books of Glengarry historical content. I am sure that you are aware of the little factual history that has been written about the county. All we have are the early book by John McDonell (Greenfield) and what Harkness has given in his history of the United Counties. There have been some good articles written throughout the years that might be printed and published in pamphlet form. "The Early Settlers of Glengarry" by Hugh Munro of Alexandria, is one of these, an excellent article of United Empire Loyalist content, which appeared in the News some forty years or so ago.

I would like to mention a present publication, one of the Canadian biographical studies which is allied with the project of the Dictionary of Canadian Biography. The title is simply "John Sandfield Macdonald". It was written by Bruce W. Hodgins an associate professor of history at Trent University. He has published articles on Confederation and recent Canadian political and foreign affairs. The book is printed in English and French by the University of Toronto Press and should now be available at any book shop.

On the flap of the cover Mr. Hodgins comments: "This biography of a man who has been for too long only in the company of other Confederation figures gives a valuable look at the background and foreground of Canadian, especially Upper Canadian, politics during the Union and the years immediately following Confederation. It also gives a picture of the man himself, too often seen as an enigma by his associates."

This is a worthwhile book for any Canadian library and after reading this little volume of 123 pages one has a feeling of great admiration for John Sandfield Macdonald, the Glengarrian who became the first premier of Ontario and was a positive force in the politics of his day and time.

Sincerely,
Elizabeth Blair

SEAL CAMPAIGN A SUCCESS

Cornwall

The editor,
Glengarry News,

January 31st marked the close of our 1970 Christmas Seal Campaign for the United Counties. Thanks to you and the publicity we received in your paper our campaign was a success, and we exceeded our target, receiving $18,-198. This was a 9.2% increase over last year. It may be of interest to you to know that although our average contribution was down, presumably because of economic conditions in the United Counties, we had many new contributors to offset a possible drop in returns, and we attributed this to the wonderful job done by the media in the Counties to publicize our campaign. We estimate that we received almost $2,000 worth of free or contributed advertising and for this we are extremely grateful.

To those 7,065 families who so generously contributed to our Christmas Seal Campaign I extend on behalf of the St. Lawrence Tuberculosis and Health Association our sincere thanks.

Thanks to your contributions this year, we have already spent almost $2,000 to purchase Intermittent Positive Pressure Breathing Machines for hospitals in the United Counties for out-patient's use. Your donation to those people who use the machines was indeed a matter of life and breath.

Yours truly,
St. Lawrence Tuberculosis and Health Association,
R. A. McClelland

Auld Lang Syne...

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a change. — Miss Alice McKinnon, Breadalbane, left on Saturday for Pendleton to assume the duties of school teacher at that place. — Eddie McCrimmon and Angus Cameron of Bonnie Hill, have finished their contract of repairing the roads between Sandown and Skye.

Rambling...

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Perhaps we'd all be better off if there were no lotteries, but there's the sneaking suspicion we might throw our money away on something worse if there was no dream of easy riches.

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NOTICE - ANNUAL MEETING

The seventy-sixth annual meeting of the members of the Glengarry Farmers' Mutual Fire Insurance Company will be held on

Saturday, February 27th 1971

at their office, Alexandria, Ontario, at the hour of 1.30 p.m. for the purpose of electing three directors.

A statement showing the affairs of the Company on the 31st day of December, 1970, will be presented and read exhibiting receipts and expenditures, assets and liabilities.

A. J. McDONALD, Secretary — C. B. PROUDFOOT, President

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The Annual Meeting

OF THE

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Wed., March 3

at 8.00 p.m.

Dr. K. A. McEwen, chairman of the Milk Commission of Ontario, will be guest speaker

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Pennant Winning Glens Open Play-Offs Here Thursday Night

On top of the league ladder as the regular season play ended last weekend, Alexandria Jr. Glens start the play-off round tonight on home ice.

Winchester will provide the opposition and the Carnival Queen will face off the puck at 8 p.m. to officially open the play-offs. Her princesses will attend her and league president Keith Carkner will be present to present the Winchester Press trophy to the league leaders.

The best of five series will continue in Kemptville Saturday night and the bus will leave the arena at 5.30 p.m. Third game is set for local ice Friday, March 5th.

Maxville and Metcalfe meet in the other series of the Northern section. Maxville is at Metcalfe Sunday and Thursday nights, with a game at home next Tuesday night.

In the league's southern sector Cardinal and Cornwall play-off as do Morrisburg and Prescott. The latter have already won the first game of their series.

The Glens made certain of the league pennant Friday night with a 4-2 win over Winchester on Kemptville ice. Ray Poirier, Bruce Libbos, Robert Boisvenue and Mike Kelly scored for Alexandria. Donnie Morris was credited with two assists to bring his league leading point total to 76.

Sport Shop In Top Spot As Play-Offs Open

Sport Shop heads into the play-offs of the men's broomball league after finishing in first place. Top four are:

Sport Shop	55 points
Brown Shoe	40 points
McEwen	34 points
Dalhousie	29 points

Play-offs start on Monday, March 1st with the girst game at 8 p.m., Sport Shop vs. McEwen. In the second game at 9 p.m. Brown Shoe meets Dalhousie.

On March 4th, at 8 p.m. Brown Shoe meets Dalhousie and at 9 Sport Shop takes on McEwen.

Play-offs are best out of five. Admission for all games, adults, players and students 25c, children free.



LEAGUE'S TOP SHARP SHOOTERS—Big guns for the Alexandria Junior Glens as they head into the league play-offs tonight on local ice are expected to be Donnie Morris and Ray Poirier. Morris, left, was top scorer in league play with a fat 76 points while Poirier was in second place in the scoring race.

—Photo by Robert

GLENGARRY HISTORICAL NOTES

by HUGH MacMILLAN



McRae The Precentor From Glengarry

We are mostly all familiar with the works of Ralph Connor and in particular his best known novel —"The man from Glengarry". In fact the title is so well-known across the country that if you mention any Glengarry connections you are sure to be asked—"are you the man from Glengarry?"

What is not so well-known is that Ralph Connor (Rev. C. W. Gordon) drew the characters from real life in the "Indian Lands", around St. Elmo and Dunvegan. This was where he grew up and got to know all the people, many of whom later became characters in his novels. Even today Ralph Connor remains the best selling Canadian author. In fact his novels are fast becoming collectors' items.

The following story from the Winnipeg Free Press for November 22, 1906 tells about the death of a character from "The man from Glengarry". He was Donald McRae the precentor. The reporter who interviewed Dr. Gordon at this time gives us a vivid description of how he regarded this particular character from his famous novel. Anne Henderson of Winnipeg, is related to the late Donald MacRae. Because of her interest and knowledge of both Glengarry and Western history this account was saved. She has more stories about Glengarry I hope to write on in the future.

The following is the account as it appeared in the Free Press, edited slightly for the sake of brevity.

PROTOTYPE OF THE PRECENTOR DEAD

D. McRae, the Sweet Singer referred to in the Man From Glengarry died on Sunday at the residence of his son-in-law, A. G. McArthur, 103 Ross Avenue, Winnipeg. He inspired the character of the precentor in Ralph Connor's famous novel "The Man from Glengarry". In fact he was more than the object which inspired the author, as Ralph Connor says, that every word in the description of "John Aleck" and his wonderful voice was nothing more than a truthful description of Donald Aleck McRae over whose remains Rev. C. W. Gordon (Ralph Connor) read the funeral service on Monday afternoon. Donald McRae's voice has been listened to in the fervor of religious enthusiasm by thousands, while many thousands more have heard that voice in imagination as they read the vivid description of the author as he told of the early days and doings of his father's church in Indian Lands, Glengarry, and they felt the thrill of the strains of the "Old Hundred" as they read the pages that made Ralph Connor famous.

"Was Donald McRae the original of the precentor in "The Man from Glengarry"? was asked of Rev. Dr. Gordon by a representative of the Free Press who called on the author at his residence last evening.

"Yes" was the reply, and Dr. Gordon was induced to talk of him. They were old personal friends and Dr. Gordon keenly felt his death.

"Yes, he was the prototype of the precentor" said the reverend gentleman, and then he was asked to talk of him. "Well", he started, as he took from a shelf of his well-stocked library a copy of the book in which Donald McRae will live for generations, and settled himself in a comfortable library chair, "the McRaes are a large and important family in the district of Indian Lands, Glengarry, the district in which my father was a minister for twenty years. It was there that I was born and lived until I was eleven years of age. There is a block of Scottish people there and the McRaes are a large family who go a long way to making up the block. The particular branch to which Donald belonged was associated with the Sinclairs, another large and important family in the district, and it was into this family that Donald married."

"Both families were musically inclined and Donald became the teacher of singing in all that district. They were all farmers and the long evenings used to be spent in singing. Singing parties were held in the houses of the neighbors and a larger singing school was held in the church of which my father was a minister. On winter nights the whole community would turn out."

Here Mr. Gordon paused and enjoyed again the memories of his early days in Glengarry, the memories that so impressed him that he was enabled to put them in black and white for the entertainment of all who could read the printed page. "I can now see the church full, one hundred or two hundred people gathered together to be trained in singing by Mr. McRae". It was in a reminiscent, more than in a dictatorial tone, that he said this, and he continued slowly. "Yes, McRae, handsome, strapping Highlander was a powerful fellow physically and they tell how two stallions got to fighting in his father's stable and were likely to kill one another. McRae rushed in and with his bare hands faced the maddened brutes. He knocked one down with his fist while he yanked the other out."

Back to his peaceful nature returned the thoughts of the raconteur, and again the interior of the little church presented itself to his mind. "He would lead the singing and he would give a thorough training. It was the best training I have ever known in vocalizing, tone and volume. He had no instrument, all he used was a tuning fork and his own voice. He gave them the tone and they held it. He drilled in tempo, expression and all parts magnificently. So much so that what I have said in "The Man from Glen-

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Curlers Discuss New Clubrooms

Members of Alexandria Curling Club met last night to consider three or four proposals for improving club accommodations.

President Lorne Lawson had cost estimates on the various plans and following lengthy discussion the officers were directed to look further into the possibilities of replacing the present clubrooms.

Moose Creek Won Play-Off Opener

In the first game of the play-offs in series (A) of the Seaway Valley Intermediate B League, played in St. Isidore, Sunday afternoon, Moose Creek Jets took a 1-0 lead in the best of seven, semi-final series by defeating the home squad 11 to 4.

The game was a wide open contest, with plenty of stiff body contact. A total of 20 penalties was handed out, ten to each team.

Moose Creek scorers were Don Blaney 3, Melvin MacLeod 2, Ronnie Beausoleil, Wendal Lafave, Roger Levert, Doug Britton, Lucien Sauve and Ricky Duchaneau one each.

St. Isidore goals were notched by Roch Lalonde, Marcel Lemieux, Pierre Maisonneuve and Denis O'Rourke.

The series resumed Tuesday in Maxville. Other games Friday, Feb. 26 in St. Isidore and Sunday, Feb. 28 in Maxville at 2 p.m.

Martintown School Volley Ball Winner

A team from Martintown Public School was the winner at a Volley Ball Tournament held on Saturday at Glengarry District High School. Other schools participating were Berwick, Laggan and Williamstown.

Players on the winning team were Marianne McPhadden, Don Thomson, Patrick Lemieux, Robert McIntosh, Kevin Robertson, Jack Kristensen, Lorne MacDonald, Mervin Sloan, Robert Pilon and Douglas Murray.

Char-Lan High Enjoyed Carnival

Lucille Marleau reigned as carnival queen and Carl Abrams as carnival king last week as students at Char-Lan High School in Williamstown enjoyed their week of winter fun.

Among the features were special music and films and the physical activities such as broomball, basketball, tug of war, egg tossing contests and a cross country race through waist high snow. Several teachers were kidnapped Thursday and the closing features were a pillow fight and pie-eating contest in the gym.

Snow sculptures outside had their share of attention also with a first prize of $30.

Robert Brodeur, Dwaine Lapointe, Albert Latreille and James Farbotnik split the top prize with a sculpture entitled "The Cave".

Second prize, $20 went to Leo Quenneville, Lynn Lapierre, Robert Bedard and Luc Dubeau for their ice interpretation of "Snoopy's Doghouse".

James Fourney, Mike Gagne, Peter Van Sleewven, Debbie St. Onge and Alden Aardsma won the third prize of $10 for their "Porpoise".

Second Cub Pack At Lancaster

At the meeting of the 1st Lancaster Cubs, Scout Commissioner Fred Kitchener was in attendance for the purpose of investing Charles Rogers and Mrs. Ruth Rathwell as Cub leaders. Assisting Mr. Kitchener was Assistant Cub Commissioner Roy Sayeau. Members of the group committee were on hand to congratulate the new scouters.

Mr. Sayeau conducted a sing song and presented badges to the Cubs who attended the weekend camp in June 1970. The new scouters took part in the regular meeting.

Scouter Harry Lahnemann thanked Mr. Kitchener and Mr. Sayeau for their attendance and announced to those present that because of increased membership and new leaders a second pack has been formed.

At Convention

The Good Roads Convention is the attraction in Toronto this week. Representing the local council are Reeve Massie, Deputy-Reeve Ranger, Councillor Andy Menard, Clerk-Treasurer D. O. Collin and Road Superintendent Jean Paul Theoret.

Major Touchette and Councillor Martin Clement were there for a meeting with Highways officials.

Attending ACFO Toronto Annual

The Convention for the Association Canadienne Francaise d'Ontario was held last week in Toronto. Delegates to the gathering from affiliated organizations were sponsored by this parent organization.

Forty members represented the section east of Ottawa including: Omer Claude, North Lancaster, Pres. of Union des Cultivateurs Franco-Ontariens; Mme Lucille Desjardins and Mme Dora Ranger, Vice-Pres. and Sec. respectively of Federation des Femmes Canadiennes Francaises de l'Ontario; Sr. Madeleine Boudreau, Maria Goretti Academy, Sec. of the ACFO regional council; Sr. Marcella Laurin of the Sacred Heart Parish Education Committee.

Elected to the Board of Directors from this area were Rheal Leroux of Hawkesbury and Miss Jeannine Seguin of Cornwall, formerly of Alexandria.

Lawyer Ryan Paquette of Hamilton is president; Lucien Bradet of Ottawa is vice-pres. and the remaining directors are: Omer Deslauriers, Gerard Levesque, Claude Charpentier, Jean Quesnel, Liliane Beauchamp, Jacques Henri, Berthe Carriere and Jean Louis Bourdeau.

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THURSDAY, 25th—
4.30-5.30—High School teachers
8.15-11.00—Glens vs. Winchester

FRIDAY, 26th—
6.00-11.00—Carnival Peewee Tournament

SATURDAY, 27th—
8.00 a.m. - 10.00 p.m.—Carnival Peewee Tournament

SUNDAY, 28th—
8.00-9.00—Algonquins vs. Red Wings
9.00-10.00—Midget Allstars vs. Bantam Allstars
7.00 p.m.-8.00 p.m.—Mr. Clement

MONDAY, MARCH 1—
8.00-10.00—Men's broomball play-offs

TUESDAY, 2nd—
8.00-11.00—St. Zotique

WEDNESDAY, 3rd—
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7.30-9.30—Ladies' broomball play-offs

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SOCIAL and PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. Ron Buss and Donna and Miss Rita Cameron of Montreal, called on Mrs. John McIver on Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Allinott and Carrie Ann of Sudbury, spent part of last week with Mr. and Mrs. Francis Allinott and Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Russell of Glen Roy.

Mr. and Mrs. Rolland Menard and Mr. and Mrs. Bruno Brunet have returned from a three-week trip to Florida.

Miss Grace Morris from Western University, London, is spending this week with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Morris. Home from Loyola on the weekend were Bill Morris and Miss Cheryl Paul.

Mrs. Edgar MacLeod and Mark of Beaconsfield, were Sunday guests of Mrs. J. J. Morris.

Spending the week with Mrs. Rachel Conway during their study break from St. Patrick's College are Don Conway and Miss Donna Joy.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Allinott and Tracy and Kevin MacDonald, Brockville, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Mervyn MacDonald, Green Valley.

Vincent McDonald, Ottawa, spent the weekend at his home.

Miss Andrea Macdonell of Western University, London, is spending this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Duncan A. Macdonell.

Alan Macdonald and Peter Mosher of Carleton University, returned yesterday to Ottawa after spending a few days here.

Day Of Prayer Set For Cathedral

The World Day of Prayer service will be held Friday, March 5th, at 8.15 p.m. in St. Finnan's Cathedral.

Women from the three local churches will be taking part and Mrs. Iver MacIver of Maxville, will give the address.

Sister Catherine of the Alexander School will direct the school choir.



SIGN OF PROGRESS?—Thirty-one shop windows in Alexandria will be sporting this decal next week as that number of local businessmen unite in a common effort to promote shopping at home. Monthly prize draws will be held with prize money for lucky shoppers and grand prizes at intervals through the year. Tickets with every $5 purchase are yours at any store sporting the sign of a Progressive Merchant. This opening effort by businessmen united in a common cause could be a famous first for our town.

Isabella Group Told Of Tour

A very interesting meeting was enjoyed by the Daughters of Isabella last week when one of their members gave a narrative of her seven-week trip to Europe and Asia last summer. Sister Marcella Laurin, teacher at Glengarry District High School, with the aid of films and slides gave a detailed account of the most important places visited: Paris and its steeples, the Arc de Triomphe and Eiffel Tower were a prelude to more beautiful views to come. Visits to Le Mans, birthplace of the Congregation of the Sisters of Holy Cross, Lourdes and Lisieux, with an atmosphere of miracles and piety, Rome, the Vatican and its splendour and a visit to Castel Gandolfo were complemented by a public audience with the Pope.

A cruise along the Rhine with its sumptuous castles and picturesque landscape, the Alps and Switzerland, Austria and Tyrol, then to Oberammergau where she attended the decennial passion play, a five hour performance, extraordinary in every way, enacted by the people of this humble German village. Visits to Zurich, Lucerne and Venice were followed by a Mediterranean cruise to Greece, Cyprus, Israel and the Holy Land.

Christmas and Easter in America will seem more realistic to anyone who has actually seen the Hills of Bethlehem, Jerusalem with the calvary and the Mosque.

After touring London, Windsor Castle, Buckingham Palace and Hampton Court, a four day motor coach holiday allowed her to visit English stately homes and castles, as well as Stratford and its Shakespearean plays. Woburn Abbey, a wild animal kingdom set in 3,000 acres of parkland, gave her the impression of being on an African safari. All of this stimulated the group with a desire to visit these enchanting places and, to those who have been abroad, it revived memories.

While members were still in a travelling mood, Mrs. Romeo Vaillancourt told the meeting of the recent trip by His Excellency Bishop Proulx to missionary fields in Honduras and Guatemala. A priest of this diocese, Father Romeo Major, is presently in the Diocese of Chaluteca, where deprivation and poverty reign. The Daughters of Isabella have pledged a donation to help financially in this diocese.

Mrs. Real Castonguay was the lucky winner of a drawing for a hand-made tote bag donated by Mrs. Aime Lalonde and raffled off amongst the members. The door prize was won by Mrs. Gilbert Gauthier. Mrs. Yvonne Carriere and Mrs. Laurette Lefebvre brought a souvenir of their trip to Mexico and this was won by Mrs. Henri Nolin. Mrs. Aurel Lajoie chaired the meeting and asked members to help at a booth for the Richelieu Carnival, Saturday afternoon, February 27th.

Plans for a bake sale and fashion show to be held at Easter time will be finalized at the March meeting.

Joint Service At South Lancaster

The Lancaster, Bainsville and Curry Hill joint Worship Service for the "World Day of Prayer" will be held on Friday afternoon, March 5th, at 2 p.m. in St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, South Lancaster. The theme is "A New People for a New Age".

WI Met At Lancaster

St. Lawrence Women's Institute held their February meeting at the home of the President, Mrs. Alex Lalonde, with 12 members and two visitors answering the roll call "One step I can make towards world peace".

The president commented on the motto "Love one another". Mrs. Graham Copas for Citizenship and Education, read "Estate Planning" by Lyall MacLachlan. Mrs. Albert Seguin, for agriculture, read an item "Agriculture Minister Announces Price Raise".

Miss Christina Cumming, home economics and health, gave tips on rhubarb and eggs and also gave a report on the Advanced Leathercraft Course held recently in Lancaster. Mrs. Raoul Leclerc, public relations, read the Aims and Achievements of Institute Women. It is a history of the Women's Institute written by Mrs. Donald MacLachlan, Williamstown.

It was decided to give prizes for a special class at Williamstown Fair for a "Ladies Knitted Poncho."

We are having a bazaar and tea on May 26 to mark our twentieth anniversary and each member was requested to turn in one article for the bazaar table at each meeting until that date. Conveners were named for same. For short courses our first choice was "News and ideas for the kitchen". Second choice "Furniture Facts". Leaders training school courses first choice "Quilts" and second choice "Ontario Fruits". Food forums first choice "A dollar's worth of meat". Second choice was "Add a touch of you".

During the social period winners of contests were Mrs. Robert Blair, Mrs. Alex Macdonald, Mrs. Bert White, Miss Christina Cumming and Mrs. C. Lalonde.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Alex Lalonde assisted by Mrs. Clifford Lalonde.

Sunday Services

Services at Glengarry East Pastoral Charge on Feb. 28th will be as follows: Alexandria, 9.30 a.m.; Dalhousie Mills, 11.15 a.m. and Glen Sanfield, 7.30 p.m.

BOOKMOBILE

The United Counties Bookmobile will visit the following locations during the week commencing March 1st, 1971:

Monday, March 1, Green Valley 9.45-11.45; St. Raphael's W. 1.00-3.00; Apple Hill 3.30-4.00.

Tuesday, March 2 — Summerstown 10.10-10.25; Bainsville 11.00-11.15; Glen Nevis 11.45-12.00; Glen Robertson 1.15-1.30; Glen Sandfield 1.45-2.15; Dalkeith 2.45-4.15.

Wednesday, March 3—St. Andrews 11.50-12.00; Gravel Hill 1.15-1.30; Monkland 3.20-4.00; Osnabruck 4.30-4.45.

Thursday, March 4—Martintown 9.45-10.25; Williamstown 3.15-4.30.

Friday, March 5 — Alexander Hall 10.00-1.45; Laggan 2.00-3.00; McCrimmon's Corner 3.15-3.45; Dunvegan 4.00-4.30.

Mrs. Crowley . . .

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Museum, Williamstown, said a few words about the museum's activities during 1970.

Mrs. W. A. MacKinnon, nominations committee chairman, presented the following slate, which was adopted by the meeting.

Past president, Major R. G. MacGillivray; president, Mrs. V. F. Crowley; vice-president, Mrs. Duncan Grant; recording sec'y, Mrs. J. Loewen; corresponding sec'y, Mrs. W. A. MacKinnon; treasurer, Lloyd MacMillan.

Directors: Kenyon, James Ferguson; Maxville, Mrs. W. C. Scott; Alexandria, Lorne Hall; Lochiel, Mrs. Grant MacGillivray; Lancaster, Philip Ross-Ross; Charlottenburgh, Archibald MacDonell.

Yearbook editor, Miss Frances Clark; genealogists, Mrs. Gordon Blair, Harold MacMillan. Glengarry Museum, Curator, Mrs. J. P. MacLeod; building committee, W. A. MacKinnon; social committee, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil MacRae. Nor'westers Museum, building committee, Ian McMartin; social committee, Mr. and Mrs. James Hill.

Library and Archives, Mrs. W. A. MacKinnon. Historical research, Mrs. Keith Franklin, Ewan Ross.

Chairmen of the Society's committees are: Program and school projects, Mrs. J. R. Harper; antiques fair, Mrs. V. F. Crowley; Highland games booth, Major R. G. MacGillivray; refreshments committee, Mrs. Elizabeth Clingen; official piper, Archie McDonell.

Following the adoption of the nominations slate, the newly-elected president, Mrs. V. F. Crowley, introduced the program. Mrs. J. R. Harper and Mrs. Crowley collaborated in comments on "Mail Order Catalogues, past and present, referring to them as good sources of social history, and Mrs. J. P. MacLeod gave a short reading. Members and friends then re-grouped around tables for a social hour.

Maxville Manor ...

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often necessary to borrow the money and incur the additional expense of paying bank interest. Residents are never asked to pay in advance, but the operating funds must be found somewhere. The second problem concerns the continuing decrease in the number of paying residents. This is a nation-wide trend mainly due to the fact that in a welfare state there is very little incentive to save money. Seventy-five percent of the residents have their accommodation paid by the government, which covers the exact cost and no more. But no corporation can function for long on an exact cost basis.

The Manor now have 92 beds, due to conversion of another small room, and is always full. There is always a waiting list, and about 20 applicants have had to be turned away in the last three months alone. During the year all wages were raised to the provincial minimum. Only about $2,000 of the money pledged in the original campaign would probably not be collectible. Chairman Vallance emphasized that from now on the main problem would be finding the money to keep the Manor functioning at its present efficient level.

The list of directors for 1971 was presented. For Maxville United Church, Gordon Winter; St. Andrew's Presbyterian, Allan Vallance; Kenyon Presbyterian, Duncan N. McRae; St. Michael and All Angels, Irwin Shields; St. James, Lionel Villeneuve; Kenyon Agricultural Society, Keith Franklin; Maxville Lions Club, Les. Gauley; Maxville Chamber of Commerce, John Jamieson; Village of Maxville, Hubert Quart, John McEwen; Roxborough Township Council, George Crites; Kenyon Township Council, Norman M. McLeod.

Executive for this year: President, Allan C. Vallance; vice-pres., Keith Franklin; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Verna MacGregor. There were two appointments to the Board of Management—Lionel Villeneuve and Duncan N. McRae.

Administrator Archie Hughes gave a brief report on his residents, 51 women and 39 men. Twelve of the women are over 90 and 3 of the men. They come from an area between Williamsburg and Vankleek Hill and one is from Montreal. He particularly appreciated the extra efforts the staff have made in the severe winter weather, many of them have stayed in town over-night to be on hand the next morning even when all roads were blocked, and many of them worked overtime when their replacements were snowbound at home.

A wonderful variety of entertainment for the residents has been provided by dozens of groups in the community and the Auxiliary gave constant support. The area clergymen provide unfailing service and the Chapel is in continual use. Many donations were received through the year, including over a thousand dollars worth of equipment from the Thomas J. Johnson Foundation in Toronto; surgical instruments, tables, a drinking fountain, aquarium, white Bible, and paintings.

New this year is the adjuvant's room, in charge of Mrs. Kowalski. Here she has a morning class emphasizing massage and exercise for the rehabilitation of eight residents who have had stroke. An exerciser encourages the resumption of walking and craftwork done with one hand helps to restore weakened muscles. Crossword puzzles and games increase mental alertness.

Mrs. Margaret Mutch, nursing supervisor, complimented the staff on the care and kindness with which they look after the residents. Visitors immediately notice the cheerful atmosphere, "The only residence where you hear people talking and laughing all the time, some times even singing!" This keeps the old people alert and active, not just sitting around and helps to explain the Manor's waiting list.

Mrs. Hilda MacLean has 23 residents presently working in her craftsroom. The main idea here is occupation, but the financial basis is exceedingly sound. Sales last year totalled $2407, an average of $200 a month. Forty percent of this goes to the residents and sixty per cent towards expenses. Some popular items are even sold out and on order.

Mr. Vallance expressed the Board's appreciation of the unfailing service and good humor of the two maintenance men who look after the Manor, John McBain and John Wensink, and the hours they put in at all sorts of odd jobs.

Mrs. Nick Haramis, president of the auxiliary, outlined organization's activities in the past year, euchre parties, raffles, the garden party, antique show and bazaar. Forty members take turns staffing the Tuck Shop which is open two hours a day. The Auxiliary arranges rides to church for the residents who wish to go out, helped the Senior Citizens' Club get started and publishes a quarterly news letter.

Osie Villeneuve, MPP, expressed the great pleasure and satisfaction that the excellent reports from Maxville Manor always give him, in comparison with those that are too often heard from other residences in Ontario. "A splendid record", and he was sure the residents enjoyed being "fussed over". He also felt that any financial problems could be solved with time and application to the proper authorities.

Donanld Cumming, Reeve of Roxborough, brought greetings from Counties Council, and deputy-reeve J. A. MacLennan from Kenyon Township. Reeve Hubert A. Quart expressed his council's pride in having the Manor in Maxville and moved a vote of thanks to Chairman Vallance and the Board of Management for their many hours of dedicated and competent voluntary service.

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News from Here and There

DUNVEGAN

We are sorry to hear Miss Bertha Ferguson is a patient in Smith Clinic Hospital. Hope she will soon be home again; also James Swan who is a patient there, too.

Norman M. MacLeod (Glen), attended the Good Roads Convention this week at Toronto.

We are pleased to hear Mrs. John S. Loewen is home from hospital after a short stay.

Due to the stormy weather on the weekend there was no church service again this weekend.

Next euchre in Dunvegan hall will be on Monday evening, March 1st, at 8.30 p.m.

Donald Ivor MacLeod spent the weekend in Willowdale and attended the wedding of his nephew, Alex J. MacLeod. He also visited with his brother Alex F. MacLeod and family.

McCRIMMON

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Alcide Taillon, who celebrated their 28th wedding anniversary on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ken Eller of St. Catharines, Bobby MacCrimmon of Brampton and Miss Ruth MacCrimmon, RN, of Ottawa, were weekend visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Stanford MacCrimmon.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh A. Kennedy and Sandra, Mrs. Duncan MacDonald and Mrs. L. Clark, motored to Ottawa, on Saturday, where Sandra represented Laggan Public School in the public speaking contest held in Canterbury High School. Our heartfelt congratulations are extended to Sandra.

Mrs. Stanford MacCrimmon paid a visit to her sister Mrs. Donald Kelly of Ottawa. Mrs. Kelly had the misfortune of breaking her leg and has been a patient in the Ottawa Civic Hospital.

Norman MacTaggart, of Montreal, was a visitor in the neighborhood, recently.

Another stormy weekend has set the record snow fall, at 138" inches. One cannot see the cars because of the huge banks of snow on our local roads.

Mr. and Mrs. Marcel D,Aoust and family spent Sunday with friends in Vankleek Hill.

LAGGAN

Mrs. Arthur Franklin visited recently with Mr. and Mrs. Doug MacLean and family, Athens.

Mrs. Fergus McRae spent Monday and Tuesday of last week in Ottawa.

Dr. and Mrs. Ian MacLennan, Saint John, NB, visited on Sunday with Mrs. Donald MacLeod.

Mrs. H. Goodman and Benton Goodman spent Sunday in Metcalfe with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bray and Debbie.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Pecket, Ottawa, visited with her father, Malcolm N. Grant on the weekend.

On Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Allan Campbell and Jonathan, Brockville, called on Mrs. Fergus McRae.

Weekend visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Franklin were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Franklin and family and Paul Scott, Picton.

Home for the mid term holiday from Queen's University, Kingston, are Gail Campbell, Anne MacCrimmon and Glen MacSweyn.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Campbell and Mr. and Mrs. Archie MacGillivray and Margaret MacGillivray were in Toronto on the weekend and attended the marriage of their nephew, Alex MacLeod and Catherine Jorgenson.

MARTINTOWN

WI MET

As the February meeting of the Martintown WI was held during International Week, Mrs. George Kinloch spoke on the City of Oslo, Sweden. Two points of interest noted: Oslo has a population of a half million people and three quarters of the area is covered by forest.

Citizenship being the topic of the day, 23 members answered the roll call. "World affairs and how they affect you" brought forth some interesting views on the world today.

President Mrs. Ian Kennedy gave a report on articles supplied to the fire victims. A letter was received from Mrs. Norman McLeod, district president, asking the members to give some thought to having city people spend their vacations on the farms during the summer months.

Penny round up bags for the mental health association were distributed among the members.

The branch voted to contribute to the Federated Women's Institute 75th anniversary project which is support of the Macdonald Institute of Guelph.

Mrs. John Peters, first vice-president, will attend the officers' conference in Guelph on April 27, 28 and 29.

Choices for the courses and resolutions were discussed. Mrs. Leslie West was chairman of summary day for the course, "The main dish makes the meal," held at Alexandria. Mrs. Ian Kennedy, Mrs. Eugene Dupuis, Mrs. Alex Lagroix, Mrs. W. Veenstra and Mrs. Morley Trainor attended.

A euchre will be held on March 1st at Martintown Public School, at 8 p.m.

Two contests were conducted by Mrs. Herbert Goudie. Winners were Mrs. Kenneth Barton and Mrs. Leslie West.

Mrs. John Peters was hostess for the day assisted by Mrs. James Hinks and Mrs. Finley MacIntosh. They were thanked by Mrs. Alex Lagroix.

Next meeting will be held at the Martintown Public school at 8 p.m. instead of Institute hall.

BAINSVILLE

UCW MET

Mrs. H. J. MacCuaig was hostess for the February meeting of the UCW of St. Andrew's United Church, Bainsville. An interesting feature of the meeting was a film "Bread, Laughter and Dignity", shown by Mrs. Laws.

The meeting was opened by the president, Mrs. Ruth Fourney and with Mrs. R. Robertson conducting devotions.

A number of items of correspondence were dealt with, the members agreeing to lend financial help to Camp Kagama and to Columbo House in Montreal. A money apron is presently making the rounds of the members.

PICNIC GROVE

Mrs. Martin Van Sleevwen, assisted by Mrs. Dennis Morgan, was hostess for the February meeting of Picnic Grove WI.

The theme of the meeting was Canadian Industries, in charge of Mrs. Alex McNaughton, who chose as her study The T. Eaton Co. Mrs. McNaughton read a short story on the Eaton family telling about Timothy Eaton, being born in Ireland, and at the age of 20 coming to Canada to join his two brothers. The story went on to tell how he started the store business which today is one of the largest family owned enterprises in Canada Timothy Eaton had high ideals which have been carried on from one generation to the next, even today you can never find cigarettes sold in an Eaton's store.

Mrs. Gordon Ferguson chaired the business meeting. Letters were read from the district president, Mrs. Norman McLeod, dealing with district funds, nominating committee preparations, and farm vacation business in Glengarry County. These were fully discussed so that the district director, Mrs. Hartley McCrimmon, can speak for the group at the district executive meeting.

A complaint, about cash registers in our groceterias being almost hidden by piles of cigarette boxes and other articles, thus preventing the customer from watching her grocery bill being tallied up, was discussed. All the women present are grocery shoppers and each one felt she had a right to watch the cash register and thought this disturbing situation should be drawn to the manager's attention.

It was decided to give a special prize of six dollars for the best display of four hand-crafted buttons at Williamstown Fair.

Plans were made to hold a euchre party at Mrs. Van Sleevwen's. Mrs. John Krol, Mrs. Hartley McCrimmon and Mrs. Donald MacLachlan were chosen as a nominating committee to prepare for the annual meeting.

The roll call "Why we should buy Canadian goods", brought forth interesting comments and the motto was "Work must not master us, we must be master of it."

At the close of the meeting the hostesses served lunch and all enjoyed a social time.

LANCASTER

Mr. and Mrs. Callum MacLeod of Bells Corners spent Sunday with Mrs. George McCallum.

Mrs. Mabel McIntosh spent a few days last week with her son, Ian McIntosh, Mrs. McIntosh and young daughter in Chesterville.

Marcel and Reta Hebert, Ottawa, were weekend visitors with Miss Bertha Hebert.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Fraser spent this week in Toronto where Mr. Fraser attended the Ontario Plowmen's Association convention and visited their daughter, Mrs. Russell Craig, Dr. Craig and family.

The Ladies Aid of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church have set the date of their spring supper for April 17th and turkey supper on October 23rd.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rogers and family, Montreal were last Sunday visitors with Mrs. Marion Westley.

Mrs. J. R. Fourney is visiting her son Robert Fourney, Mrs. Fourney and young son at Chatsworth.

Mrs. Janet Dufresne and family, Cornwall and Paul Lozon, Martintown were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Norman Woods.

Mr. and Mrs. Ken Kaye visited relatives in Montreal on Sunday.

Discussed Plans For Camp Kagama

The annual meeting of Camp Kagama Limited was held recently in Ingleside. The chairman, Rod Rabey, conducted the meeting which was attended by ten members and four guests.

Reports were read by various committees and the following accomplishments reported: one cabin was completely lined, an archery set purchased and a stove and rubber matting were donated to the camp by North Valley congregation.

The following camps were held in 1970:

Junior girls directed by Mrs. Donna Groves and Mrs. Lois Johnson. Intermediate girls directed by Mrs. Joan McEwan, assisted by Mrs. Ruth Adams and Miss Brenda McEwen. A Co-ed Junior camp directed by Mrs. Beverley Rabey and Rev. Reginald MacDonald. Intermediate boys directed by Pierre Maisonneuve.

Counsellors were willing and enthusiastic giving and encouraging outlook by their reports of the valuable work camp is achieving. A report concerning counsellors Martin Schilt and Clive Brinkworth was received from the Ontario Camp Leadership Centre at Bark Lake. These boys proved to be most capable at the camps in which they acted as counsellors and made use of their training to the betterment of camp. The committee hopes that there will be some young people interested in attending this excellent course in 1971.

The business manager, Mrs. Freda Brownell, reported on the summer camps regarding costs. In spite of new ways to cut costs, the food bill was considerably higher than in 1969.

Nominations were opened for offices and the following were reinstated:

Chairman, Rod Rabel, Cornwall; administration, Lena McLaren, Ingleside; finance, Fred Barkley, Avonmore; property, Charles Crump, Long Sault; treasurer, Wilbur MacArthur, Martintown; business manager, Mrs. Freda Brownell, Ingleside; maintenance, Keith Brownell, Ingleside; plumbing, Floyd Heagle, Ingleside.

Following the resignation of Mrs. Dorothy Myers, Mrs. Joan

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MASTITIS CONTROL PROGRAM KEEPS PROBLEM IN CHECK

Mastitis costs the average Eastern Ontario farmer $2,000 annually.

This startling figure was revealed by Dr. George Fisher of the Regional Veterinary Laboratory, Kemptville College of Agricultural Technology, who recently conducted a mastitis survey of 11 counties in Eastern Ontario. For the survey, 111 herds were visited and 3,667 of 14,560 udder quarters tested. While survey results are not yet fully analyzed, 48% of the cows tested showed positive evidence of mastitis. Udder quarters had an incidence of 25.7% of mastitis-causing bacteria.

The mastitis survey also studied milking equipment, an important factor in mastitis control. Faulty or below-capacity equipment can produce stress on the udder resulting in injury which speeds up mastitis infection. Of the total equipment tested, 53.3% was found to be faulty or below capacity.

Although the incidence of mastitis is high, Dr. Fisher says facilities are available to deal with the problem. The Ontario mastitis control program, sponsored by the Ontario Department of Agriculture and Food, is a three-phase program which costs the farmer $2.25 per cow every 6 weeks for a period of 6 months, and specific recommendations based on the findings of the survey.

Results can be dramatic, following analysis and treatment, says Dr. Fisher. In one instance, the mastitis frequency was reduced from 68% to 9% in a short time. However, vigilance must be maintained to keep the problem in check after the control program has ended.

When the farmer finds mastitis in his herd, Dr. Fisher advises him to contact his Ontario Dept. of Agriculture and Food county agricultural representative or a veterinarian for more information about the mastitis control program.

WHAT'S UP

Wed., March 3, 8.00 p.m.—Annual meeting Glengarry Milk Marketing Committee, Glengarry District High School.

Thursday, March 4, 1.00 p.m.—Annual barn meeting, Glengarry Holstein Club, farm of Peter Nysten and Frank Henssen, Lancaster.

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Mrs. Shanks' passing is mourned by three grandchildren, Ron Zeran and Mrs. David Elliott (Noreen), both of Willowdale; Bruce Zeran, Kingston; two sisters, Mrs. Grant Tinkess, Avonmore, and Mrs. E. L. Blair, Moose Creek; and one brother, James Blair, also of Moose Creek.

The body was placed in the Finch vault to await spring burial in the Sixth Concession cemetery.

Many floral tributes about the casket bore evidence of the high esteem in which Mrs. Shanks was held by her many friends and relatives.

Discussed . . .

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McEwan accepted the position of publicity chairman and Mrs. Verna Gallinger, Long Sault, will conduct program and leadership training.

A committee was formed to discuss finance consisting of Fred Barkley, Lena McLaren, Charles Crump, Donald McEwen, and Joan McEwan. This committee has met and settled on a financial campaign. Also, fees will continue at the same rate for 1971. Approved organized groups can rent the camp for $50 per day which includes premises, cook and assistant, services, sanitation supplies, electricity and gas. Ten-day camps sponsored by Camp Kagama Limited, cost $34 and seven-day camps cost $25. These are non-denominational, non-profit camps and include campers from Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry Counties and as far away as Belleville, Ottawa and Montreal.

Camp Kagama annual Open House and Sunday Service will be held on June 27th.

The dates for the coming season are as follows:

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June 25-27—St. James United group from Montreal.

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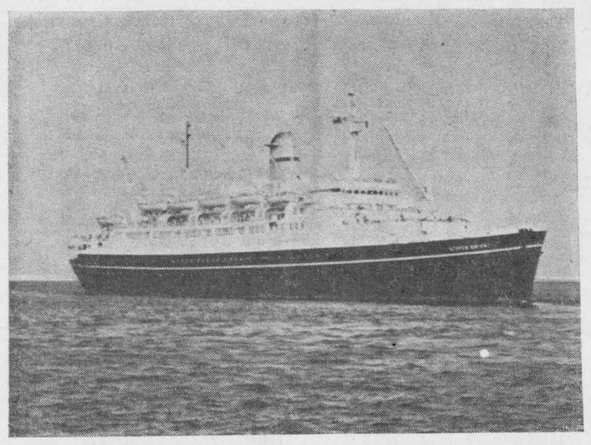

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31 GOOD REASONS FOR SHOPPING IN ALEXANDRIA

1—Coming Events

RICHELIEU Carnival Breakfast at Alexander Hall, Sat., Feb. 27th, 7.15 a.m. - 10 a.m. Pancakes, syrup, sausages, juice and coffee $1.00. Children 60c. 8-1c

CARD party in Alexander Hall, Sun., Feb. 28th at 8 p.m. Sponsored by St. Finnan's Parish Council, Bridge, Euchre, 500. Prizes and lunch. Admission 50c. 8-1c

ANNUAL barn meeting Glengarry Holstein Club Thurs., March 4th at 1.00 p.m. Mapleboom's Farm of Peter Nysten and Frank Henssen, ½ mile west of Glen Gordon. Everyone welcome. 8-1c

OLD time dance in St. Martin of Tours parish hall, Glen Robertson, Friday, March 5th, sponsored by the ladies of the parish. Music by local talent. Refreshments served. 8-2c

BREATH of Scotland, Alexandria High School, March 18. All seats reserved, $3 and going fast. Tickets at Jamieson's or Danskin's in Maxville; Loewen's in Dunvegan; Goulet's or MacDougall's in Dalkeith, The Hub in Alexandria; Clare's in Vankleek Hill; O'Shea's at the Brown House, Glen's Hardware in Lancaster, Rozon's in Williamstown, Bickerstaff's in Glen Sandfield and Lortie's in Glen Robertson. 8-2c

UNITED Empire Loyalists' Association of Canada, Charter 1914, wishes prospective members to write National U.E.L. Headquarters, 23 Prince Arthur Avenue, Toronto 180, Ontario. 8-1c

"200 Club" tickets available from Father Leo MacDonell, Glen Nevis, Tel. 347-3345, at $10 each. 6 drawings of $10 each for 6 weeks from March 7th to April 11th, grand prize of $500 will be drawn at social evening at Green Valley Pavilion on April 16th. All weekly winners have free admission. Regular admission $1.50. 6-3c

DANCE sponsored by N.F.U. at Legion Hall, Alexandria, Friday, Feb. 26, 1970. Lavigne Orchestra. Refreshments served. Everybody welcome. 7-2p

COMING EVENTS
AT THE
BONNIE GLEN
THURSDAY, FEB. 25th

LATE evening supper will be served at the Bonnie Glen Pavilion folowing snowmobile rally on the lake, $1.25 each, everyone welcome, refreshments available.

SATURDAY, FEB. 27th, 9 P.M.
RICHELIEU Carnival Dance for adults. Reserved tickets.

SATURDAY, MARCH 6th, 9 P.M.
DANCE at the Bonnie Glen Pavilion. Special dancing teachers Kelly and Jean Guy as well as other artists will display several dance routines. $2.50 each, good orchestra, lunch included, refreshments available.

SATURDAY, MARCH 20th, 9 P.M.
BENEFIT dance in aid of Roy MacDonells of Greenfield who lost their home by fire. Good orchestra. Local violinists and pipers are invited to donate a few numbers. Refreshments available.

SAT., MARCH 13th, 8.30 P.M.
ST. Patrick's concert and dance, Bonnie Glen Pavilion, $3 per couple. Ron Clare and the Glengarrians. Sponsored by SD&G Highland Dancing Association.

COMING EVENTS
AT THE
GREEN VALLEY
PAVILION

RESERVE now for your future engagements. Tel. 525-1079 or 525-3873.

LET'S join in with the Alexandria Carnival for a weekend of fun.

VALENTINE Dance, at Green Valley Pavilion, sponsored by U.C.F.O. postponed until Sat., March 6th, Riviera Orchestra. Buffet and refreshments. Tickets available at the door.

2—Births

GAUCHER—To Mr. and Mrs. Leo Gaucher (Beverley Seyeau) Lancaster, at Hotel Dieu Hospital on Thursday, February 11, 1971, a son, Michel Leo.

SAMSON—To Mr. and Mrs. Michel Samson (nee Shirley Goodman) at Glengarry Memorial Hospital on Feb. 3rd, 1971, a daughter, Joanne, a sister for Michael.

7—Card of Thanks

BELLEFEUILLE—We wish to thank our friends and relatives who sent cards and visited while my husband, Joseph Bellefeuille was a patient in Glengarry Memorial Hospital. Special thanks to Dr. Roman, nurses and staff for the excellent care shown him.
—Mrs. Bellefeuille and family.
Alexandria, Ont. 8-1p

TAILLEFER—I wish to express sincere thanks to my friends and relatives who visited me while I was a patient in Glengarry Memorial Hospital, also for the cards and flowers. Special thanks to Dr. McLean and Dr. Boudreau, nurses and staff.
—Mrs. Shirley Taillefer,
Alexandria, Ont. 8-1p

WANT ADS
DON'T COST
—THEY PAY!

(Continued)
7—Card of Thanks



BEAUPRE—Our sincere thanks to our many friends, neighbors and relatives for spiritual and floral offerings, messages of sympathy and acts of kindness at the time of the death of a dear husband and father, Leonel Beaupre.
—Mrs. Lyse Beaupre, Sylvie and Jean Francois.
Alexandria, Ont.

BEAUPRE—Merci sincerement a nos amis, voisins et parents pour les offrandes spirituelles et floraux, les marques de sympathie et aides morals lors du deces d'un cher mari et pere, Leonel Beaupre.
—Mrs. Lyse Beaupre, Sylvie et Jean Francois.
Alexandria, Ont. 8-1c

JAMES—Sincere thanks to relatives, friends and neighbors for spiritual and floral offerings, Tel. calls and acts of kindness at the time of the death of my mother, Mrs. Leonard James. Special thanks to Dr. Roman, Dr. Nadeau, nurses and staff of Glengarry Memorial Hospital, Mrs. Ronald Carriere, Mrs. Leo McCarrick and Marcoux Funeral Home.
—Mrs. Duncan McCormick.
Alexandria, Ont. 8-c

WRIGHT—My sincere thanks to everyone concerned who were instrumental in the recovery of my purse lost Feb. 20th in Alexandria outside Supertest Station. Special thanks to Postmaster and Town Police for prompt action. Thanks also to the finder for at least returning my personal papers and property. I hope you needed my money more than I.
—Esme Wright,
Toronto, Ont. 8-1c

8—Personal

WILL the Sunday curler who is walking around in my shoes kindly collect his at Alexandria Curling Club and return mine to the News Office. No charges are contemplated.

WILL do all kinds of carpenter work, cupboards and all kinds of repairs. Wilfrid Vachon. Tel. 874-2291, Glen Robertson. 8-4p

WE pick up dead and disabled horses and cows. Tel. 874-2308, John D. McMeekin, Dalkeith, licence No. 174-C-69. 1-tf

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LOST, Airedale dog in Lancaster Village, black and tan answers to name of Monty. Reward for return. Tel. 347-2208. 8-1c

12—Articles for Sale

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24—Houses for Sale or to Let

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26—Lots for Sale

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29—For Rent—Miscellaneous

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32—Business Opportunities

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35—Rooms — Boarders

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37—Jobs primarily of interest to Women

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38—Jobs primarily of interest to Men

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WILL keep children in my home at any time while mother works. Tel. 525-1255. 7-2c

WILL baby-sit for children in my home in Alexandria. Tel. 525-1984 after 6 o'clock. 7-2c

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF FERGUS McRAE, LATE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF KENYON, COUNTY OF GLENGARRY, RETIRED CIVIL SERVANT, DECEASED.

TAKE NOTICE that all persons having claims against the estate of FERGUS McRAE, Retired Civil Servant, deceased, who died on or about the 18th day of December, 1970, are hereby notified to send in to the undersigned solicitors, on or before the 5th day of March, 1971, full particulars of their claims, and after that date the Estate will be distributed having regard only to the claims of which notice shall then have been received.

DATED at Alexandria, Ontario, this 5th day of February 1971.
MACDONALD & AUBRY,
Solicitors for the Executor.
Box 1000,
Alexandria, Ontario.
6-3c

McRae . . .

garry" is exactly true, and it was well worth a pilgrimage to that little church on a Sunday to hear those people sing. One hundred trained voices led by that fellow, with about four hundred voices following in unison all around, you can see what volume there was in the music.

That was at the time of the discussion as to whether instrumental music should be admitted into the service of the Presbyterian Church. My father was opposed to it, and strenuously talked against it. One day one of those who favored the instruments in the church came and heard the congregation sing. "Well Mr. Gordon", he said, 'I don't wonder you oppose the organ, but is it not unfair of you with such singing to take such a decided stand against it? If we all could get such music the question of the organ in the church would never be suggested. Since I have grown up and since others who heard it have grown up, we are still of the same opinion, that nothing we have ever heard could equal the singing of that congregation under the leadership of Donald McRae. I have heard congregations in other parts, the United States and England, but I never heard congregational singing that went with the same swing, had the same volume, purity and correct tempo.

Along with this musical training came a great wave of religious fervor which is also described in my work, under which special services were held in my father's church of eighteen months, every day except Saturdays. Such fervor brought about by the singing of 400 or 500 trained voices was something perfectly wonderful and Swas never heard of anywhere else.

McRae left Glengarry and later toured Western Canada, the United States and he held important positions in many churches, including Knox at Toronto and Knox at Galt. I think because of his singing and qualities as a leader he joined an evangelist and did really very fine service. His voice developed sweetness as well as strength and was a powerful rotund baritone. He gave his services freely to the church and a great many Manitobans who heard him still speak of his voice. He had all the culture of a refined singer while the Glengarry people, like the Welsh, Germans and Swedes, had music in their souls and he thus had a strength and purity of tone from the cradle that no training could have produced.

"Personally he was a very fine man, warm-hearted, generous of nature and possessed of a fine sense of humor. He was, in fact, a fine type of Highland gentleman. There are men from Glengarry all over tde West, concluded the author, "fine hardy men of a sturdy stock and wherever they have gone they have left their mark."

Mr. McRae leaves four daughters, three of whom are in Winnipeg. These are, Mrs. A. G. McArthur, wife of the principal of Gladstone School, who used to accompany her father at concerts and evangelistic meeting; Mrs. D. Munro of Nelson, BC, and the Misses Eliza and Donella, trained nurses in Winnipeg.

This gives us a graphic picture of what real singing was like in the Indian Lands. No doubt there are descendants of McRae both in Glengarry and the West who know more about the Glengarry Precentor.

THE ST. LAWRENCE PARKS COMMISSION
REFRESHMENT CONCESSIONS

SEALED TENDERS, marked clearly on the outside as to contents, will be received at the head office of the Commission (Box 340, Morrisburg) until
5.00 p.m., E.S.T.
Thurs., March 18, 1971
for the operation of refreshment concessions, during the years 1971, 1972, and 1973, at Charlottenburgh and Glengarry Parks (both east of Cornwall off Highway 401 interchanges Nos. 126 and 127, respectively).

Only persons who have a proven record of successful operation of a similar type business should apply. Bids may be made on more than one concession, but a separate tender must be submitted for each location.

Complete information re tendering procedure, type of contract, etc. will be provided to interested parties by calling Morrisburg 543-2951 and, where an interview is deemed necessary, it will be arranged.

The highest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.
8-1c

The St. Lawrence Parks Commission
SUPPLY AND DELIVERY OF BREAD, MILK AND ICE TO CAMPING GROUNDS

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for the privilege of supplying and delivering bread, milk and ice during 1971, 1972 and 1973 at the following camping grounds:

Ivy Lea, Brown's Bay, Grenville, Cedar, Riverside, Nairne, Morrison, Farran, Woodlands, Dickinson, McLaren, Wales, Mille Roches, Roches, Charlottenburgh and Glengarry.

Bids may be made to provide the above services to more than one location but, if tendered on more than one, separate figures must be submitted for each location. Individual bids are required for bread, milk, and ice, and must be made on tender forms which are obtainable by writing to the above address or by calling Morrisburg 543-2951.

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