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MANAGER REPORTS FROM CONGO

impenetrable forests, high plateaus and grassy meadows. The total population of the Congo is approximately 13,000,000 including 100,000 Europeans. The Belgians who fled this country last June after Independence Day, are returning by the hundreds every day.

The City of Leopoldville, the Capital of the Congo and of the province of Leopoldville has a population of 400,000 native inhabitants and approximately 20,000 whites. The climate is hot and very humid (80 F to 90F), very much like Montreal in July. There are over sixty native languages in the Congo but the principal one is "Linguala". Unfortunately I have not yet learned to master it, but the natives speak and understand sufficient French so that with a little patience we get along very well. The Congolese are friendly and responsive to kindness (It has cost me many packages of cigarettes so far but I have managed to maintain excellent public relations). They insist on shaking your hand all the time (a European custom denied to them before Independence Day), and wish to be called "Monsieur". If you desire a favor, you must say "please" and thank you.

There are approximately 300 Canadians in Leopoldville, 60 civilians employed by the U.N. (many girls doing secretarial work - most of them from the province of Quebec because of their ability to speak and write French) and 500 members of the armed services (Engineers R.C.E. and Signal Corps R.C.A., J.C.). They are responsible for communications and have done an excellent job so far. We are very highly regarded by everyone and it makes me feel quite proud to be a Canadian.

Leopoldville is a city divided

into two sectors, the European and African. The European sector is most attractive with large boulevards complete with mercury-vapor street lights of the latest standards. Large hospitals, schools, convents, churches (the people here are mostly Catholics), parks, office buildings (10 to 20 stories) beautifully designed and laid out, apartment projects (with swimming pools), 8 to 12 stories high, large shopping areas with "super marchés" mostly all air-conditioned. The latest principles of town planning and zoning were applied in the design of the City and were rigidly enforced. All in all, it is a most attractive city, clean and well organized. The majority of the buildings are air-conditioned and the atmosphere is European, complete with sidewalk cafes.

I am temporarily staying at the Stanley Hotel (named after Stanley who found Dr. Livingstone in Africa) which is comparable in quality to the Queen Elizabeth in Montreal. In America one can hardly expect to find such high standards in the heart of Africa.

The African quarters, however, are more crowded. The people of Africa live in tribes; there are four different tribes in Leopoldville, therefore, the African sectors are divided into four parts, some more prosperous than others. Every morning between 9:00 and noon they hold an open market where the natives congregate and display their wares. It is most picturesque and colorful. I could write a book on that one phase of their life alone. I will, therefore, make it the subject of another article.

Kindest regards to all Lakeshore residents, from the Congo.

Rene A. LeBlanc, City Manager, Dorval.



The report, submitted by Messrs. P. Garlepy, Co-ordinator; R. Bastien, Chief Welfare Officer; and G. Blanchard, Chief Engineering Officer, provided a complete, chronological log of reports and requests for assistance and the steps taken by the different civic departments and the civil defence organization to solve the various problems as they arose.

The reports made note of the special assistance rendered by Mayor John Pratt and Civil Defence Chairman, Alderman George Goodale. It also lauded the cooperation received from school and church authorities, scouts and girl guides, radio stations, local suppliers and individual citizen volunteers.

The report went on to commend the excellent collaboration among civil defence authorities, police, public works, parks and recreation staff, and made the following recommendations as a result of experience gained during the emergency.

- (a) Public utility companies might accept suggestions from municipal authorities as far as priority of work is concerned.
- (b) Gas generators should be bought and installed at City Hall, at the Municipal Works Building and at the Filtration Plant.
- (c) A loud-speaker system would be useful if bought and installed whenever needed either on a police car or on some other city vehicle.
- (d) Some means of identification should be provided for city officials and employees as well as for members of the Disaster Control Organization.
- (e) The City Hall switchboard should be manned at all times while an emergency exists.



W.G. (Bill) Milsom, Independent aldermanic candidate for the West Ward in the forthcoming municipal election has been a resident of Dorval for over six years and has actively participated in many community civic committees and projects. A Past President of the Dorval Jaycees, he is currently concluding a term of office as Provincial President and National Director of the Canada Junior Chamber of Commerce. He is also a member and past Chancellor of the Dorval Senior Chamber of Commerce.

Mr. Milsom holds a Bachelor of Arts degree from the University of Toronto and is presently employed as Vice President of the Metallcrete Floor Co. Ltd.

Council at the same meeting. Of this sum \$180,514 covered an extension to the school at 50 Decary Avenue. Gross value of permits granted in January and February of 1961 amounts to \$443,160. At the end of February in 1960 this accumulative total was only \$138,000.

SUNDAY PARKING

As a result of protests from a number of affected citizens concerning Sunday morning parking on Brookhaven and Touzin, Acting City Manager N. Innes Fraser recommended that there be "no parking" 9:00 to 12:00 a.m. Sunday only on Brookhaven south of Carson Avenue on the odd number side as far as civic number 27; and on Touzin Avenue on the even number side as far as civic number 40.

A police report on the situation revealed that under winter and snow conditions in particular, these streets might be too crowded for traffic to move in case of a fire or similar emergency in that area on a Sunday morning.

In view of the above, Council approved the parking restriction as recommended.

INDEPENDENT IN EAST WARD

Just prior to printing deadline, The Dorval Reporter learned that Mr. Alex W. MacKenzie of 3 Martin Avenue intends to campaign as an Independent for an aldermanic seat in the East Ward.

Mr. MacKenzie, who is married and has two children, is 35 years of age and has been a resident of Dorval for the past eight years.

A member of the Royal St. Lawrence Yacht Club, he is Vice President of McDougall & Christmas Ltd., investment dealers.

hand report on the situation in the Congo from an on-the-spot observer. For reasons that you will all understand I will refrain from discussing the political situation except to mention that contrary to reports that you read in the Canadian Press, life here is serene and peaceful, where everyone goes about his business in a friendly way.

The only signs of conflict consist in U.N. troops patrolling the streets in military vehicles equipped with machine-guns and armed guards (with sub-machine guns) guarding the entrances to all public buildings. It is also necessary to show your identification card wherever you go. We have also been told to avoid discussing the political situation with the natives.

The Congo (formerly the Belgian Congo) lies entirely within the tropics, mostly south of the Equator. It has only a narrow outlet to the sea at the mouth of the Congo River, separating the main part of the Portuguese province of Angola from the Cabinda Enclave, which forms the north boundary for a short distance. The eastern part of the Congo is very beautiful and is generally known as the "Gem of Africa". The scenery is most diverse and includes active volcanoes, lakes,

SEVEN CANDIDATES SUPPORTED BY C.B.L.

Dorval's Civic Betterment League has announced its slate of candidates for the municipal elections on April 1.

With the exception of Ald. Sarto Desnoyers, all the sitting members, headed by Mayor John Pratt, MP, will be seeking re-election. Newcomer to the seven-member slate is Doug Dawson, who is well-known for his activities in junior sport in the

city. Ten pictures of the candidates follow:

SCOTT BRADDELL, who has represented the West Ward on City Council since 1958, is a senior engineer with Trans-Canada Air Lines chief architect's department. He is a university graduate in engineering and arts. During the war he served overseas with the RCAF. In addition to his activities in local civic matters he is active on his local church board. He is also a former director of Strathmore Community Council.

Since his election three years ago to City Council he has served on the architectural and building commission, public works and parks and recreation commissions.

DOUG DAWSON, the only newcomer to the C.B.L. slate, is perhaps best known for his work with the Little League in Dorval. The son of a L.C. Canadian mother and an English father, he was born in Winnipeg in 1918, moving to Montreal at an early age. He holds an executive position with the Royal Typewriter Co., Ltd., with whom he has been employed for 26 years. He has lived in Dorval 10 years. He has served five years with the city's parks and playgrounds committee, was on the DRA board in its formative years, and is a past president of the 100 Community Club of Dorval, and director and secretary of Dorval East Recreation Assoc-



R. JOHN PRATT



S. BRADDELL

G. GOODALE



G. GOODFELLOW

G. DOME



D. DAWSON

H. BALLANTYNE

Fire Causes Heavy Damage

A fire last Saturday morning at the residence of Mr. Gordon Ellacott, 230 St. Leon St., Dorval, resulted in serious damage to the house and furnishings. Twenty-two firemen fought the blaze which started before nine a.m. Four streams of water were used to extinguish the fire which kept firemen on the spot until after eleven a.m.

MEET THE CANDIDATE NIGHT

The Dorval Junior Chamber of Commerce has advised that it will sponsor Meet the Candidate Nights on March 27th and 29th in connection with the forthcoming Dorval municipal election. The place will be announced next week.

The meetings will be under the chairmanship of Mr. Jack Robinson, who may be contacted at OX 7-1066.



F.R. BALENKO, a Justice of the Peace, and a former fire and police commissioner in Dorval, has announced his candidacy for the post of Mayor in the forthcoming civic election.

Mr. Balenko served a three-year term as alderman in Dorval from 1955 to 1958 and has been a resident of the city for the past twelve years. Born in Montreal, he is fluently bilingual, is a graduate of the Institute of Science and Technology, and has a law degree.

City Council News & Notes

NEW INSPECTOR

Approval was granted by City Council at their March 3rd meeting, for the employment of an Assistant Building Inspector for Dorval.

BUILDING PERMITS

Permits to the total value of \$201,514 were approved by

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These are just excerpts from stories which appeared recently in The Reader's Digest and The Montreal Star concerning flower beautification programs in Cape Girardeau, Missouri, and Tanawanda, New York.

Can it be done here in Dorval? Picturesque Lakeshore Drive alone would seem to offer endless opportunities for such a project, not to mention the parks, residential and commercial areas.

Admittedly it would require careful planning, a good deal of contagious enthusiasm, true pride in one's community and the co-operation of civic authorities with all the various local associations, clubs, etc., to achieve this new look. However, we are inclined to feel the end results would be well worth the effort involved.

RED CROSS SICKROOM LOANS

Of the many services provided by your Red Cross for the benefit of all in the community, none is more appreciated than the Sickroom Loan Service, or "Cupboards" as they are often known.

Through this free service various articles are loaned by the Canadian Red Cross to see the individual through periods of convalescence or recuperation from accidents or hospitalization.

Dependent upon the size, needs and resources of the community the Cupboard inventories vary from place to place, but generally include a wide variety of sickroom articles which can be loaned, returned to the Red Cross and then loaned again to someone else.

Crutches in varying lengths and sizes, wheelchairs, back rests, cones, bed-lifting blocks, sickroom enamel ware, air cushions (and hospital beds in many centres) are some of the items which generally may be borrowed from the Red Cross Branch with a Loan Cupboard service.

When you contribute your dollars to the Red Cross during its annual campaign for funds you are helping to support not only the Sickroom Loan Service but many other programmes provided by your Red Cross for the benefit of the community in general.

When the Red Cross volunteer canvasser calls on your this year make your donation the most generous you can afford, to help your Red Cross to serve you and your community in so many ways.

BANTER by Benedict



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Canada is providing \$2 million annually to provide experts, training facilities and technical knowledge, on request, to under-developed countries to help to raise standards of living and to stimulate economic growth.

Canada is providing \$2 million annually to the United Nations Special Fund to help under-developed countries to undertake surveys of national resources and to establish education, public administration and technical training facilities.

The Canadian Government has provided \$2.5 million worth of flour to the United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine refugees.

Canada has pledged to contribute \$50,000 to the International Atomic Energy general fund, and a possible additional \$25,000, conditional on the response of other countries.

The Canadian Government's programme of economic aid and technical assistance has been advanced by the Commonwealth Scholarships scheme under which 250 students from other countries will study in Canada.

THE CONGO
Faced with the inflammatory situation in the Belgian Congo, the Canadian Government acted quickly in making effective and concrete proposals in reply to a request from the United Nations.

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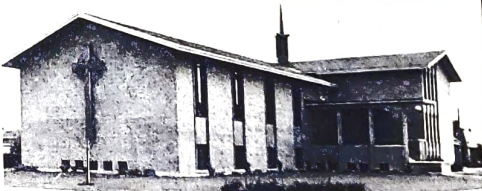
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ONE OF SEVERAL GROUPS of Dorval citizens who have approached W.G. (Bill) Milsom to run as Alderman in the West Ward, pause for the photographer at the entrance to Mr. Milsom's residence on Castlefield Avenue. In a post-interview, Mr. Milsom stated that in view of the encouragement received, he would present himself as an independent candidate, completely divorced from any group slate or political association.

CBL SLATE

(Continued from page 1)

ciation. GILLES DORE is another alderman of long standing, having represented his ward since 1955. A man of considerable experience in local community affairs, he has been chairman of the city's finance commission, a position well-suited to him as he is by profession a chartered accountant with a master's degree in commerce. He is comptroller of Community Enterprises Ltd. GEORGE GOODALE is also experienced in civic administration. It was he who set up the city's Civil Defence Organization which acquitted it-

self so well during the recent island-wide storm. He is also police and fire commissioner for the city and has done much toward re-organizing both these departments. Before joining city council he was a citizen member of the parks and playgrounds commission. Mr. Goodale is a stockbroker with G.E. Leslie and Co., in Montreal. JOHN PRATT, MP, is widely known throughout Canada as a Member of Parliament for the Jacques Cartier - LaSalle area, which embraces the Lakeshore. Before entering Federal politics he served as an alderman in Dorval from 1952-1955. In 1955 he was elected Mayor and again in 1958. During his term of of-

fice Mr. Pratt was instrumental in bringing Dorval city status. J.B. GOODFELLOW is a newcomer to City Council, having been elected to the seat left vacant by G. Mitchell Bourke, who left the district last year. An engineering graduate of McGill University, he is a professional engineer and holds memberships in the Engineering Institute of Canada and the Corporation of Professional Engineers of the Province of Quebec. A resident of Dorval for 10 years, he is active in Dorval United Church Christian education movement. Before becoming an alderman he was active in various community groups and was also a member of the city's planning and

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IN FOCUS

By K. M.

AT POLICE HEADQUARTERS: It was interesting to talk with Captain Garlepy after all the excitement of the storm emergency had died down. The Captain, with Mr. Gilles Blanchard of Public Works, Mr. Roger Bastien of Emergency Welfare, had spent the entire day before writing a complete report of the activities of the various departments, an impressive log of the work done during the storm. The report was presented to the Dorval City Council at last Friday's meeting.

The full picture of the work done by the Police Force had some interesting sidelights. The police, most of them with families of their own in difficulties, did double duty as policemen and firemen. One fire which called them out on Wednesday evening on Brookdale at 6:00 p.m. was followed by another alarm at 6:15 on Pine Beach Ave. South. "We were really moving!" said Captain Garlepy. A reassuring note to the report -- "Whole streets, I am sure, were vacant at one time, but there was surprisingly little trouble with thefts."

Did you know? All police cars in Dorval are equipped with fire extinguishers which enable the police to cope on the spot with small fires. Larger extinguishers were added to the cruisers during the storm. The water pressure is automatically stepped up at the Filtration plant when a fire alarm is turned in, and this proved a big boon during the storm aftermath when 12 fires were dealt with.

Most impressed with the discipline of the Scouts and their eagerness to share in the work, the Captain said it was wonderful to see their training, which is of necessity, carried out mostly on a "make-believe level", become very much the real thing.

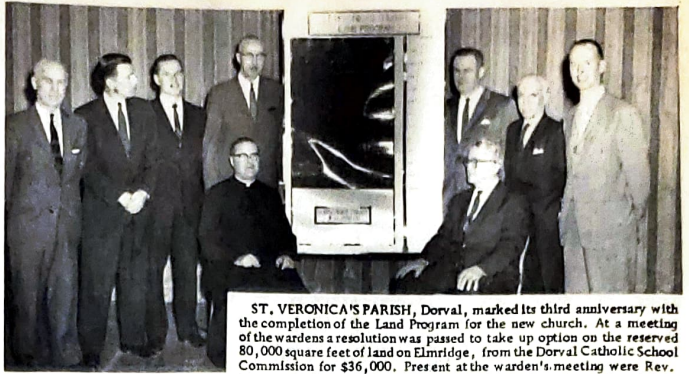
WORD FROM RENE: News from the Congo may be disturbing but word from Dorval's City Manager, Rene Leblanc concerned the more pleasant aspect. In a letter to his wife written before he took off for Kamina province, Rene pronounced the city of Leopoldville, very modern, and beautiful, with gorgeous flowers everywhere, and weather "like Montreal in mid-July". Mr. Leblanc, delayed in Leopoldville, put in time at swimming in and golf with other Canadians, among them five Canadian Professors on UN assignments. Rene also made a tour of the African section where he was most impressed with the display of wares and handicrafts. Reports of speeding up of all operations in the Congo may mean that Dorval's City Manager will have the tough assignment of closing the Air Base in less than the allotted time.

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BANTER by Benedict

AH, SUBURBIA! People are still telling their stories about experiences during the storm. One lesson learned in an unheated house is that clothes hang neatly on chairs are mighty chilly in the morning whereas clothes folded and slept upon are warmer... The street lights on Violet Crescent which were off schedule for days, coming on in the day time and going off at night are back to normal... People will not forget the restaurant (in Lachine) which charged exorbitant prices for hunting up baby bottles, and an unheard-of price for a cup of coffee, nor the hardware stores that packed up the prices of commodities such as fuel and candles... In contrast there were stories of service. At Lac St. Louis restaurant where everyone ate well, at ordinary prices, patrons helped to bring in supplies. Mrs. P. South reported that when she put their private phone on the counter when the pay phone failed to work, dimes were piled up before the phone in payment for its use... Police checking on doors of business establishments during the crisis found several unlocked, including one local bank... One family went home to grandmother during the power shut-off, all the way to Winnipeg... A business man called from Chicago to have police check on the welfare of his family... The teenage fad for transistor radios is meeting with more approval since the storm... The electricity age was showing in the small messengers sent to each house on one street without electricity. Reporting back to a police constable in amazingly short time they said, "We rang every doorbell on the street and no one answered. They've all left home!"... Conflicting reports from living room campers... the very young would have liked it to go on forever, whereas, in the adult group, have pronounced such togetherness "for the birds"... Members of a Pine Beach family create a negotiation every time they take the family pet for a stroll. After all one does not expect to see a raccoon on a leash!

YOUNG PEOPLE: An opportunity awaits some girl living in the Lakeshore who intends to go to an accredited University next year. Mrs. D.L. Smith, Scholarship Convener for the Montreal Lakeshore University Women's Club said the application forms will go out shortly to the High Schools. Reporting on the success of this year's "Fatenite at Home" fund raising event, Mrs. Smith said that the club will be able to match last year's scholarship amount of \$500. The Lakeshore Variety Players will audition next Sunday, March 12, at 2:00 p.m. at 5070 Sir George Simpson, Lachine, for Variety 2000. The theme of the Variety Players coming production will be satire on local Montreal and Lakeshore affairs. Pat O'neil promises that there will be lots of laughs in the script. Tom Hader is writing some of the original songs to sell the theme... The three choirs of Lachine High School, Lachine High School Singers, The Glee Club, and Lachine Alumni singers are having a busy season. A most impressive Choir Festival last week was followed by successful participation in Montreal Competitive Music Festival where the Lachine High School Singers placed first in their class. Other events in which the singers plan to participate are the Quebec Festival at the end of April, and the Ottawa Festival early in May. Mr. P.L. McEnton is the choir director.



ST. VERONICA'S PARISH, Dorval, marked its third anniversary with the completion of the Land Program for the new church. At a meeting of the wardens a resolution was passed to take up option on the reserved 80,000 square feet of land on Elmridge, from the Dorval Catholic School Commission for \$36,000. Present at the warden's meeting were Rev. Norman Griffin, and Mr. Frank Ganley, seated, and standing, left to right, Mr. Leo Dolan, Mr. Ed Cox, Mr. Gerry Glasman, Mr. Gerry Dolan, Mr. John Audette, Mr. Pete Lariviere, Mr. Barney O'Connell, Acting warden, Mr. George Worden, and Mr. Ed Norris were absent. Following the warden's meeting, the resolution was presented to a general meeting of parishioners.

Local Police to Take Lectures

Captain Garlepy has announced that, in answer to a request submitted at the beginning of February, Instructors from the Montreal Police Department will give a series of lectures for members of the Dorval Police Force beginning, Thursday, March 9. The lectures on the following topics will be given on consecutive weeks: Behaviour of the Constable toward the Public; A Study of the Motor Vehicle Act and Criminal Code; Traffic Circulation Problems; General Duties of a Constable; Procedure and Interrogation; Juvenile Delinquency; Maintenance and Driving of Police Vehicles. A police officer from the C.P.R., with wide experience in work on procedures following vandalism and theft, will speak on Procedures.

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At present a number of the Dorval Police Force are taking a course in Physical Fitness and Discipline under Provost Corps Instructors of the Canadian Army, Corporal G.W. Elliott is Drill Instructor, and Corporal M.H. Wright, Instructor for Unarmed Combat, Serg. R. LeClerc, Instructor, Physical Training. The course which began on Feb.

20 will continue for a month with twice a week training sessions for each group. Included in the fitness programme will be Revolver Practice and Training under

Captain Garlepy. A Retreat for the Roman Catholic members of the Dorval Police Force is scheduled for March 12 to 18, Rev. Father Hoegg as speaker.

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The many friends and neighbours of Mr. J. Ross Liard, Green Circle, join in wishing him a speedy recovery from the operation he underwent recently in the Montreal General Hospital.

The Dorval Work Group of the Women's Auxiliary of the Lachine General Hospital will meet Wednesday, March 15th at the home of Mrs. E.F. Viberg, 76 Claude Avenue.

Sincere sympathy of his many friends and neighbours is extended to Mr. Charles Harris, Lagace Avenue, on the death of his mother, Mrs. Bruce H. Hooper, last Saturday.

The next meeting of the Senior Citizens' Club will be held Thursday afternoon, March 16th, in St. Mark's Church Hall. A reading will be given by Mrs. R. Ovenden while the other members sew or knit on various articles for the poor. Tea will be served by members of the DeCourcelles Chapter of the I.O.D.E., who sponsor this Club.

Mrs. D.J. Allen, Touzin Avenue, entertained her Bridge Club last week when the prize winners were Mrs. C. Ledger, Mrs. D. Moreman and Mrs. A. Westcott.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. S. Wood, St. Leon Ave., who will celebrate their twentieth wedding anniversary on March 15th.

Birthday greetings to Chris Brown, Lakeshore Drive, who will be eight years old on March 10th; Victor Pare, Stream Ave., six years old March 12th; Frankie Armitage, Meadovale Ave., seven years old on March 13th; Cheryl Ann McDougall, Pheasant Ave., four years old the same day; to Wayne and Ernie Heavens, Prince Charles Ave.,



MISS PAT HURDLE, Miss Carolyn Kerr, and Miss Susan Hurdle, three young Dorval Skaters and members of the Lachine Figure Skating Club who competed in the Eastern Championships at St. Hyacinthe, Quebec. Pat Hurdle with Marilyn Reid ranked third in the Ladies Junior Pairs, and Carolyn Kerr ranked third in the Juvenile Ladies Singles.

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ther on February 26th, the Church Parade for Scouts, Guides, Cubs and Brownies was postponed until next Sunday, March 12th. Therefore, all the Protestant members of the Strathmore, Courtland Park and Pine Beach Scouts, Guides, etc., both North and South, will attend a Church Service to be held in St. Andrew's Anglican Church, corner Brookhaven and Carson Avenues, on March 12th at 3:30 p.m.

Congratulations and all best wishes to Mrs. Haire, Senior, who resides with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Haire, Lakeshore Drive, and who will celebrate her ninety-sixth birthday tomorrow.

Mrs. Gledhill, Sources Road, entertained the Tuesday Afternoon Bridge Club last week when the prizes were won by Mrs. D. Moreman, Mrs. Heavens and Mrs. F. Campbell.

who both celebrate their birthdays on March 14th.

The regular monthly meeting of the Executive of the Dorval Safety Council will be held Monday, March 13th at 7:30 p.m. in the City Hall.

In spite of the inconveniences caused by the storm last week The Committee on Children's Safety Education met to finalize the plans for the Bicycle Safety Tests to be held in the Dorval Schools. The dates: May 27th from 9:30 to 12 noon for the Test Day,

and June 3rd from 10:00 to 12 Noon for the Finals, are being announced at this early date, so that other organizations may avoid planning their events which would involve school children for these dates. The Trophies presented last year will be up for annual competition among pupils from the various schools, as well as a number of prizes for the children passing the safety tests with the highest number of points.



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AUTHORS and ARTISTS



By Mary Ellen Scott

CAPRI RESORT OF ROMAN EMPERORS

Capri has been a mecca for distinguished tourists since ancient times. Augustus and son-in-law Tiberius began the trend, building fine villas — 12 in all — the remains of which are still one of the island's outstanding attractions. As a matter of fact, Tiberius found the atmosphere so relaxing, the climate so salubrious, he settled there permanently, con-

ducting correspondence. At Capri, it seems with humanity — evidence of its intrinsic qualities, if not the villas, are intact. However, it's the off-season periods — especially the weeks preceding and following Easter and during fall when the island is at its most charming, report Scandinavian Airlines System tour experts. During these months, only a minimum come to see and be seen. Then you can peacefully wander



marked its third anniversary with a new church. At a meeting held to take up option on the reserved site, from the Dorval Catholic School at the warden's meeting were Rev. Stanley, seated, and standing, left to right, Mr. Gerry Glanagan, Mr. Gerry Lariviere, Mr. Barney O'Connell, and Mr. Ed Norris were absent. A resolution was presented to a gene-

FEMMES DES PEINDRE

Under the sponsorship of the Parks Department of Montreal an exhibition of Women Painters is currently being held in the foyer of the Helene de Champlain Restaurant on St. Helene's Island. Several lakeshore artists are taking part in the exhibit which is being held in two parts, "to assist the largest number of exhibitors." The purpose of the exhibition is to give women painters who might not otherwise have a chance to exhibit their work the opportunity to do so. Judged from this viewpoint, it reveals a range of subject, style and medium which is exciting and very much alive.

We do wish that the designers who do Rorschach tests in two colours, or black and white spatters, or purple and turquoise oblongs, or concentric ellipses could be relegated to a separate section labelled "Patterns in Paint." We wish that these designs did not get mixed up with something called "Art."

"They remind me of the principal of forging a signature upside down," remarked Mr. R. "The artist must avoid confusion by never deciding what to name these paintings until they are completed."

Nevertheless Miss Poirier's Retour with its off-kilter shadows and its figure standing on a slanted floor seemed to be trying to say something about this cockeyed world, and succeeding.

Outstanding contribution to the show was Audrey McNaughton's portrait of John. Technically excellent, it is a pleasure to look upon and caught our eye each time we glanced toward that end of the room! Audrey McNaughton is presently in the Near East where she is sketching under the auspices of the United Nations. One other portrait we considered memorable because of its revelation of character. It was "Girl from Barbadoes."

Still lifes seemed to be among the best contributions. One by Betty Moss of a green bottle, a pewter plate and an orange managed in its solid simplicity and play of light to convey a sense of peace and oneness. Another entitled "Nostalgie" grouped gloves, jewellery, a ballet programme and an aperitif in a piquante combination which was unusual and charming.

The landscapes seemed to be the least appealing canvasses offered. Harsh, garish colours, unbecoming compositions and inaccurate draughtsmanship were faults to be found in many of these. It was refreshing, therefore, to come upon Lois Eastman Coates' restful picture of an old farm house in the snow, and find that warmth of expression and appreciation of beauty in the commonplace which characterizes her work.

An tantalizing note on which to end is our thought that only one picture could be regarded as typically female! It was called, "Afternoon Tea," and done in sweeping, line and pastel colours it looked like an illustration for a story in Chatelaine with the caption, "Suddenly I realized that Natalie was the woman George had been seeing secretly all these months!" One does get these flights of fancy at art exhibitions. Open Saturdays and Sundays from 12 to 9 p.m., this exhibit is worth seeing if you are interested in painting.

L. U. W. C. to Sponsor Book Review

The Education Study Group of the Montreal Lakeshore Women's Club is sponsoring a Book Review, Friday March 10th at 8:15 in the Parish Hall of St. Paul's Anglican Church, 375 44th Avenue, Lachine, Dr. E.J. Bailey, D.D., of Westmount Baptist Church will review "The House of Intellect" by Jacques Barzun. All members of the U.W.C. and their guests are welcome at the review and discussion which will follow.



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