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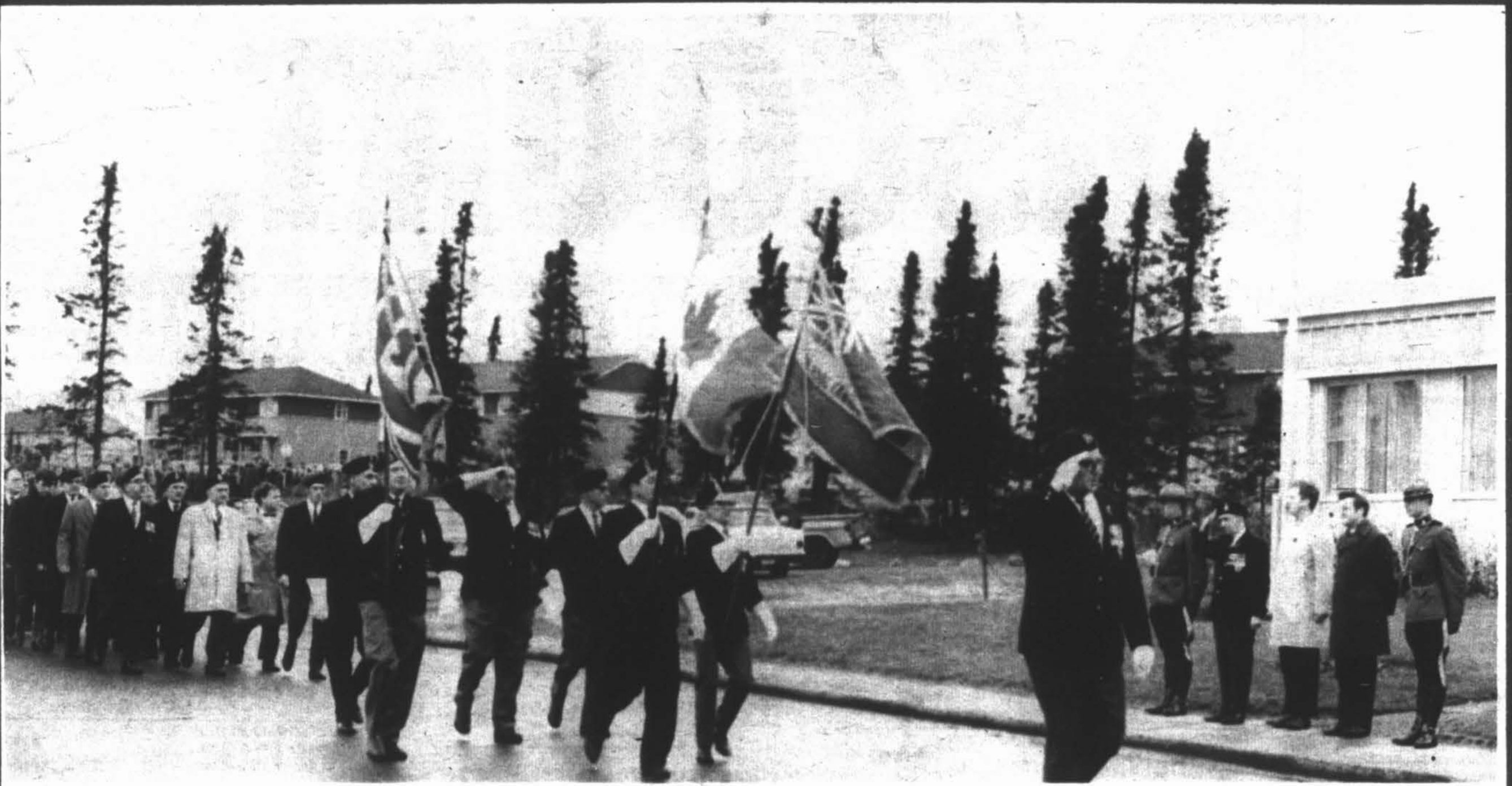
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# On the local scene

Visitors to our area last week included Mr. G. Hobbs, Chairman of the Newfoundland and Labrador Power Commission and Mr. J. Robinson, Chairman of the Provincial Civil Service Commission.

I'm afraid we "struck-out" in attempting to obtain the reason for the visit of the Power Commission head.

However we hope we are spared the "benefits" of Provincial Power Comm. control which was bestowed on Happy Valley several years ago. There through the assistance of the U.S. Air Force the community had a satisfactory power supply, but since coming under the wing of the Provincial body, service has deteriorated and rates have increased to a point where it must be considered one of the worst set-up's in North America.

Mr. Wilson Kean, part-time bartender of the Sir Wilfred Grenfell Hotel has received an honorable mention in a cross country cocktail contest. His winning Cherry Heering Cocktail will be the hotel's special drink for the coming winter carnival. The management of the Hotel wishes to congratulate Mr. Kean for his interest shown on behalf of the Sir Wilfred Grenfell Hotel.

Several days ago we read an interesting article on a typical large city Bingo game in the Province of Quebec. The average

number of people in attendance was 1,200 and they spent \$4,807.00 (just over \$4.00 a player) on the games, during the evening.

Prizes awarded \$1,850.00. Other expenses, including amusement tax, were \$927.00. Average profit to the operators was \$2,093.00.

If our local clubs and organizations operated on a 43% profit margin, I don't believe we would have many people here playing their favorite game of chance. While now perfectly legal, to Aurora, it seems like legalized robbery.

The Carol-Wabush Co-op Society require the following personnel for their new store (1) Grocery Manager. (1) Meat Manager (1) Produce Manager. (6) Cashiers (5) Stock Clerks. (4) Staff for Meat Department (1) Head Cashier. (1) Warehouse Man. (1) Truck Driver (1) Clerk for Produce Dept. (1) Coffee Bar Attendant.

Applicants are requested to apply Carol-Wabush Co-op Society P.O. Box 1149, Labrador City or call the Secretary, Mrs. E. O'Neill at 944-2146 and leave their local phone number.

A Co-op spokesman has advised Aurora that the membership & financial targets are just about met. A meeting will be held early in December when items such as acceptance of further members, opening

date of store, etc. will be discussed.

At last week's meeting of the Board of Trustees, Local Improvement District, Labrador City, members decided to lend their support to Dr. N. Murphy of Humber Valley Radio, in his application pending before Canadian Radio Television Commission, to have a local commercial Radio station established in our area.

What is the average temperature in the various rooms of your home? According to a recent chart the following was suggested, with outside temperatures from zero to freezing. Hallway 65 degrees; Dining Room & Kitchen 70 degrees; Living Room 72 degrees; and Lavatory 74 degrees. We were somewhat surprised no bedroom temperature was given. Could be the Hydro companies are taking the advice of our Prime Minister and are staying out of the bedroom's of the nation.

The Sir Wilfred Grenfell Hotel has announced that New Year's Eve Tickets, at \$25.00 per couple, will be on sale early in December. Negotiations are presently under way to obtain the services of an out of town group. Only 100 tickets will be sold to ensure comfort and sufficient dancing space at this annual event.



R.C.S.C.C. Labrador's Color Party (L. to R. L/cP. Walsh, P.O. 2 J. Hart and P.O. 2 R. Butler) give an "eyes right" as they march past. N.C.O. in charge of Color Party is P.O. 1 A. Lawrence.

## The Cadet scene

By PO. 2 JOHN HART

The purpose of this column is to keep the general public aware of what is happening in the Sea Cadet movement. This column will appear each week and will contain such information as what the Sea Cadets have done, what they are doing and what they plan to do in the future.

On Tuesday October 20 we had the Presentation of Colors. On parade the night of the presentation were 34 cadets which consisted of color party, Guard and Souix division. The night started as a normal Tuesday night parade until the inspection of the Color Party, Guard and Souix Division by our Guest of Honor, Mrs. H.P. Whaley. After the inspection was completed the color ceremony started. The color party was marched to a position in front of the dais and Mrs. H.P. Whaley, wife of the General Manager of Wabush Mines, then proceeded to present the corps with their colors. (This is the only time in the life of the corps that such a ceremony will take place.) Then came the trooping of the colors where the colors were marched throughout the corps.

Next came the Presentation of awards to two cadets who attended a six week Trades

Training Course last summer. Chief Petty Officer Joe Boulet successfully completed a P&RT Course at Camp Borden, Ontario while Petty Officer 2nd. Class Robert Butler was successful in completing the Boatswain's Course at CFB Halifax.

Mr. Bill Rough and Mr. Joe Ansara were jointly presented with the Navy League of Canada's trophy for the Most Improved Sponsoring Committee for the year 1969-70.

Following the presentation of awards, Mrs. H.P. Whaley and Mrs. N. Wood were presented with a bouquet of flowers. After all the presentations had taken place the parade then went through its sunset ceremony, which concluded the evening's activities.

The officers and Cadets of R.C.S.C.C. Labrador would like to thank Mrs. N. Wood and Mr. P. Walsh for donating the colors to the corps, the parents for showing interest and attending the ceremony, the Labrador City Scout band for doing such a fine job of playing such excellent drum and bugle music throughout the night, and a special thank you to Mrs. H.P. Whaley for being on hand to present the colors to the corps.

## Development group discusses topics of interest to Labrador

The trans-Labrador highway, a human resource development project, a year-round mail service by air to the Labrador coast, the improvement of the CNR coastal service to Labrador, jobs for Labrador people in Labrador industries - these were some of the topics discussed by LARDG (Labrador Resources Development Group) at its meeting in Labrador City, November 1, 1970.

LARDG grew out of the Conference, Labrador in the Seventies, held in Happy Valley in February 1970.

In attendance were Mr. Frank Kelly, President of CLARDA; Mr. Bert Brett and Mr. Bill Rompkey representing the Labrador North Chamber of Commerce, and Mr. Art Rendell of the Labrador West Chamber of Commerce.

The meeting noted progress made toward the establishment of the Labrador Vocational School in Happy Valley and felt that the contract for the school should be let by May 1971.

It was further noted that since Labrador in the Seventies Bell Canada had installed telephone service in southern Labrador as far as Charlottetown. However telephone service had not yet been provided to Cartwright and Black Tickle. The meeting agreed to contact Bell Canada to see what progress was being made in this regard.

The Chairman, William Rompkey, reported that the

Hon. Donald Jamieson, Minister of Transport, had been approached to set up a transportation committee to study all aspects of transportation in Labrador, particularly the CNR coastal operation. It is expected that word will be forthcoming on this shortly.

The Group noted attempts to establish the proposed trans-Labrador highway and agreed to support the Provincial government in its efforts to have the road built.

Effort have been made by LARDG during the past year to have the Federal Government establish a year-round mail service by air to the Labrador coast but so far there has been no progress in this matter. The meeting agreed to renew its efforts in an attempt to have this set up.

On the question of live TV, LARDG will carry on discussions with CBC to find out where satellite receiving stations will be built in Labrador and what areas they will cover.

It was decided to approach Memorial University asking them to take the initiative in creating a Human Resource Development Project for Labrador. This Project would assess the social, educational and cultural needs of the Labrador people and

attempt to find ways and means of satisfying them.

Other topics discussed were:

1. the role of Canada Manpower in finding jobs for Labrador people on industrial projects in Labrador.

2. the student exchange program of the Dept. of Labrador Affairs and the possible extension of it to students and adults travelling within Labrador.

3. improvements in the fishery on the Labrador coast.

LARDG will be in contact with the various agencies responsible for solutions to these problems and will press for answers to them as soon as possible.

During their stay in Labrador West the executive of LARDG were the guests of the town of Labrador City and the Labrador West Chamber of Commerce at receptions and dinners. Included was a tour of the IOC mine and pellet plant.

The meeting further cemented relations between the various regions of Labrador as LARDG, a group representing all the people of Labrador, sought answers and solutions to Labrador's problems in the seventies.

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## Editorially speaking

Here we go again with our "pet peeve" C.F.G.B. Radio. While listening to the "On The Go Show" from St. John's last week we heard announcer Brown of the Goose station state that while T.V. was poor in Labrador (he noted that viewers in Labrador City-Wabush were only now receiving the World Series) Radio service was excellent. He also noted that representatives of Tele-sat Canada were in his area looking over possible locations for a tracking station.

On point one: for programs such as World Series Baseball, C.J.C.L. has the same delay, approximately one week, as C.F.L.A.-T.V. We did in fact see the series about a month ago.

Point two: the employees of the Happy Valley station may feel the radio service provided to their area is satisfactory but I wonder how many people in Western Labrador think the same way. What I consider a perfect example of local broadcasting were the five minute Labrador Sports Programs of November 12 and 13. In that period Labrador West was not even mentioned. Yes we heard of Happy Valley Hockey, Goose A.B. Basketball, Bowling, etc., but that was it. Possibly the sponsor should rename his program.

On point three: several representatives of Tele-sat Canada were in this area last month and discussed with local officials, the installation of facilities to receive live television. Aurora was aware of this visit but thought publishing of such reports would be giving premature hope to the early availability of live T.V., when the tentative date is still at least two years away. However it is now obvious that one thing we should press for is that the Labrador tracking station should be constructed in this area. Western Labrador has a comparatively bright economic future whereas the Goose Bay area faces a most uncertain existence especially if the U.S. Air Force closes its operation there. We pay by far the greatest amount of taxes collected in Labrador and in our opinion the Federal Government (or private interests) should build the station here.

Oh yes! As a final remark to our C.B.C. friends. The Labrador City-Wabush detachment's of the R.C.M.P. seem to be more humane than their counterparts in Happy Valley. Here they PROSCUTE those who commit violations of the Highway Traffic Act. According to C.F.G.B. in that area they PERSECUTE such offenders. It now being 01.00 hours we are signing off.

P.S. Apologizes to our readers regarding the installation of drop-boxes. The gentlemen who was to have done this work was out of town last week. However we hope these boxes will be available tomorrow.

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## Here 'n' There

**BOWATERS & CORNER BROOK UNIONS SIGN NEW AGREEMENT:** Bowater's Nfld. Ltd. and its four joint mill unions recently signed a memorandum of agreement for a new labor contract covering a period of three years expiring 31 May 1973. The contract provides for a 7% increase retroactive to 1 June 1970, and additional wage increases throughout the life of the contract. Improvements of fringe benefits were also negotiated in such areas as welfare plans, pension and vacations. At the end of the three year contract the basic rate for employees will be \$3.85 and in "A" class, mechanic trades this will go to \$5.25 per hour. The international representative, who headed the negotiations, said the total package is worth approximately \$1.32 per hour.

**AID FOR POOR:** A new program of aid for poor families has been announced by the British Conservative Government. The plan, designed to help working people on low incomes, sets a minimum standard of \$36 a week for a family with one child, an amount increased by \$4.80 a week for each additional child. A family whose breadwinner earns less than the minimum figure will be entitled to an income supplement of half the difference.

**REPUBLIC STEEL:** Republic Steel Corp. of Cleveland reports profit of \$33,151,464 or \$2.05 a share for the nine months ended 30 Sept. 1970. This compares with \$54,286,984 or \$3.42 a share for the like 1969 period. Sales were \$1,063,274,005 compared with \$1,117,124,901. Steel shipments in the nine months totalled 5,213,829 tons, down from 5,508,784 tons. Third-quarter profit was \$11,303,182 or 70 cents a share, down from \$14,112,337 or 89 cents a share. Sales were \$349,113,891, down from \$369,852,496. Shipments were 1,682,581 tons, down from 1,814,847 tons a year earlier.

**CO-OP BRANCH OPENS:** A new branch of the Newfoundland

Co-operative Services was opened recently at the west coast town of Midland. The \$150,000 store is located about 20 miles north of Corner Brook and was opened by Charles Bonnell, president of the Midland Co-Op Society. The store is one of several projects in the planning stages or underway in the province by the Co-Op movement. New branches are being built at Clarenville, Labrador City, St. John's, and Springdale. Expansion is planned for stores in Gander, St. Anthony, two fish plants at Fogo Island, Dildo and Eastport.

**MAN OF IDEAS:** Mining companies may be, slightly taken aback by the new chairman of the Canadian Export Association, Mr. George A.E. Couture. Mr. Couture is a firm supporter of legislation to require that more mineral resources be smelted or refined in this country before being exported. The new CEA chairman is president of St. Lawrence Manufacturing Co. Inc. in Quebec City. The mineral-processing scheme is part of his theory that Canada must process and finish its own goods if its industry is to thrive, thus eliminating the social and economic disparities which plague eastern Canada. Mr. Couture says incentives and other inducements are the main tools to influence mining companies, but he does not exclude the idea of a tax on raw mineral exports.

**NECCO AWARDED CONTRACT:** The Newfoundland Engineering and Construction Company was recently awarded a \$2 million contract for an 80,000 sq. ft. extension to the Science and Engineering building at Memorial University. The two main mechanical contracts, plumbing and heating went to William Tiller Ltd. and the electrical contract went to Art Noseworthy Ltd. Another major government contract went to Seaboard Construction. It was a \$437,000 contract to construct a hostel at the Salt Pond, Burin District Vocational School. The contract is being carried out in co-operation with DREE.

**PRINCE PHILIP & THE**

**B.B.C.:** Prince Philip accused the British Broadcasting Corp. of asking a "bloody silly question" during a press conference held at the British Embassy in Rome. He made a statement about a visit he paid to Italy's Abruzzo national park the previous day, when the local B.B.C. correspondent asked him: "I have a question from London here, and that is, what was the color of the bears you saw this morning?" The prince replied "only such a mammoth organization as the B.B.C. could think of asking such a bloody silly question. Tell your directors to go and look at the zoo." His interpreter hesitated before translating the remark for Italian journalists, and the prince said "Don't translate that. Tell them the B.B.C. wanted to know what the color of the brown bears was, and the answer is—brown."

**U.S. TO LEGALIZE MARIJUANA?** Clash of views inside U.S. government. A government study panel on crime, proposes that the use and possession for use of marijuana be legalized in the U.S. It further suggests that sale of marijuana through "a Government licensing system" be considered. The panel, in a report made public last month, termed present laws forbidding sale or possession of marijuana both archaic and ineffective. It also deplored "a loss of respect for the law" on the part of young people, growing out of harsh penalties for marijuana use. "Marijuana", the panel reported "has relatively mild effects on the user, and there is no evidence that it leads to the use of more dangerous drugs or that it causes aggressive behavior." The National Commission on the Causes and Prevention of Violence, for whom the panel prepared its report, took a different view. The full Commission declined to endorse legalization of marijuana. Instead, it asked for new medical studies on the subject. Pending the outcome of such studies, it favored a lessening of penalties for possessing and smoking marijuana.

# Church calendar

**OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP**  
 Rev. F. Lemire Rev. J. Laperriere O.M.I.  
 7:00 p. m. Mass (Sat. Evening).  
 9:00 a.m. Mass  
 11:00 a.m. Mass  
 5:00 p.m. Mass (French)  
 7:00 p. m. Mass  
 Weekday Masses 7:00 p.m.

**OUR LADY OF ASSUMPTION (WABUSH)**  
 Rev. Jos. Blouin O. M. I.  
 10:00 a.m. Mass  
 7:00 p. m. Mass  
 Weekday Masses 5:00 p.m.

**PENTECOSTAL CHURCH GLAD TIDINGS**  
 Pastor Gillett  
 11:00 a.m. Morning Worship  
 3:00 p.m. Sunday School  
 7:30 p.m. Evangelistic Service  
 Thurs. Young People's Meeting.  
 Tues. 8:00 p.m. Prayer Meeting.

**ST. PETER'S ANGLICAN CHURCH**  
 Rev. W.J. Bellamy  
 11:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist  
 11:30 a.m. Nursery.

**CAROL UNITED CHURCH**  
 Rev. Wm. Mayberry  
 10:30 a.m. Sunday School (Kind. Prim. Inter.)  
 11:30 a.m. Morning Worship  
 11:30 a.m. Nursery & Junior  
 7:15 p.m. Evening Worship.

**SALVATION ARMY CITADEL**  
 Lieut. R. Bungay  
 11:00 a.m. Holiness Meeting.  
 2:30 p.m. Sunday School  
 7:30 p.m. Evangelistic Service  
 Nursery During 11:00 Service.  
 Mon. 6:30 p.m. Band Practice Y.P.  
 Wed. 7:30 p.m. Corpscadets.  
 Thurs. 7:30 p.m. Band Practice SR.  
 8:00 p.m. Home League  
 Sat. 7:00 p.m. Youth Group.

**CHRIST CHURCH (WABUSH)**  
 Rev. J. B. Dickey  
 9:45 a.m. Church School  
 11:00 a.m. Morning Worship  
 Nursery Held During Worship.

**ST. PAUL'S ANGLICAN CHURCH**  
 Rev. W.J. Bellamy  
 8:00 a.m. Holy Communion  
 10:00 p.m. Holy Eucharist  
 7:15 p.m. Evening Prayer.



Miss EMBERLY with the winning ticket for the E.P.A. prize donated to the Wabush Volunteer Fire Brigade and drawn at their Annual Ball. Proceeds were turned over to the Wabush Stadium fund.

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## ILLOGIC MUST GIVE WAY TO THE METRIC SYSTEM

By FRASER ROBERTSON—From The Toronto Globe and Mail.

Prepare Now for a Metric Future is the self-explanatory title of a book written by Frank Donovan, published in the United States by Weybright and Talley and in Canada by Clarke, Irwin and Co. Ltd. The United States, the book recalls, casually adopted British units of weights and measures in colonial times, but after achieving independence, it came very close to adopting the then new French system, based on decimal arithmetic.

Thomas Jefferson persuaded Congress to adopt money units of 10, but he could not persuade it to interfere with parochial custom concerning weights and measures. Indeed, as still happens when men of intelligence try to use logical instead of emotional arguments to change customs, Jefferson was suspected of being an agent of the devil.

Curiously enough, although Jefferson and other advocates of the metric system failed to persuade Americans to drop the confusing traditional system, which Mr. Donovan says is not a system at all, he points out that the metric description of weights and measures is the only legal system in the United States. In 1866, Congress passed a law authorizing its use. It

never has got around to legalizing the system in use.

Although the French advised the metric system and other European countries adopted it, it was not made the official French system until 1840. Moreover, general adoption of the system in Europe was brought about, by all people, by the British, who refused to have anything to do with it themselves. The famous Exposition in London in 1851 made Europeans aware of the need for international uniformity.

Mr. Donovan has quite a lot of fun showing just how ridiculous the popular systems can be. Some North Americans, but not all by any means, know that while a mile is a mile in both Canada and the United States, your automobile will not go as far on a gallon of gasoline in the United States as it will in Canada. But not many Canadians know that you can buy two jars of pickles or jam each marked 16 ounces and one may weigh more than the other. That is because ounces of weight and of fluid measure differ.

Scientists devised the metric system, which in addition to making it easy to divide quantities, unmistakably reveals whether it is distance, volume or weight that is being measured. There is no nonsense about a bushel being dry weight or volume. Scientific measurement almost universally is based now on the metric system.

Yet for much of the last century and some of this, Mr. Donovan shows, scientists were amongst the chief opponents of an orderly and universal system of measuring.

Although it might be wiser if the metric system were adopted for universal use, Mr. Donovan shows it is not absolutely necessary. Even in France, some of the popular old weights and measures as well as the nomenclature survives for local use. But for international use, a common system is necessary and even in North America, the metric system rapidly is being adopted by industry, unofficially. In Britain, where currency is in the final stages of going on a decimal basis, the metric system will be in full official use probably by the end of this decade, but the general public will experience little difficulty.

According to Mr. Donovan, the practical difficulty of conversion for North America has been shown by experience, to be less than feared and the cost and time required far less than estimated. But in any event, since 127 countries now use the metric system, and Britain is converting to it, only Australia, Canada and the United States remain as major exceptions to the rule. The argument already has been lost and the sooner we replace sentiment with logic, the better, he argues.

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R.C.L.: The Royal Canadian Legion Branch No. 47 (Labrador City) announced its Annual Christmas Party for children of Legionnaires, up to 8 years, will be held at the Legion on Sunday 20 Dec. at 1:00 p.m. Forms may be obtained at No. 47 and on completion dropped in the bulletin board mail box. No phone calls will be accepted. Closing date for those wishing to attend is 30 Nov.

RETARDED CHILDREN COMMITTEE: Class for retarded children received the first visible sign of community assistance on Wednesday 11 Nov. (Remembrance Day). Proceeds from the joing Ministerial Service were passed over to the local group. The committee

wishes to acknowledge the sum of \$48.71 which money will be used to assist in the purchasing of some special teaching material required by the class. Thanks on behalf of the Retarded Children go to the Ministerial Assoc. and all who contributed to the collection.

NEWFOUNDLAND TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION: Collective bargaining for teachers; a step into the present. On Wednesday, November 3 an important meeting was held at the J.R. Smallwood Library. The meeting was sponsored by the local branch of the N.T.A. and concerned itself with the proposal of collective bargaining for teachers. The primary purpose of the

gathering was to help the members get a clearer idea of what collective bargaining entailed as far as the teaching profession is concerned. With this aim in view, two gentlemen, well versed with collective bargaining in the local area, were invited to discuss basic notions of the subject.

Mr. Ken Hubbard and Mr. Tom Riggs gave the members many interesting pointers from both sides of the collective bargaining procedure. Some discussion was given to the advantages of collective bargaining on the level of trade unions, but many agreed that the Newfoundland Teachers' Association could not accept the "union" idea in toto. The crucial point is that the benefits of collective bargaining must in some way be combined with professional ideals. In the hoped for legislation (which is necessary for teachers to bargain collectively) care must be taken to prevent the teacher being put in the "punch-clock syndrome" type of behaviour. This is not the hope of the supporters for teacher bargaining rights.

During the meeting it was pointed out that other Provinces have surged ahead with regard to such legislation. It is being felt strongly by some members that the teachers of Newfoundland should gather themselves in a professional union, so that some men in high places will not ask with such scorn, "who do the teachers think they are, anyway?"

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# Speaking of Sports

**HOCKEY:** "A" League. With but one game remaining in the 1st round, the Saints are still undefeated, having won all 5 games for a total of 10 points. The Braves & Huskies trail badly with but 3 points each. A surprising feature of the statistics showed goals for Saints 26, Braves 27, Huskies 24. However it was in the goals against column where the Saints showed their superiority. We understand the Braves have signed Guy Belanger and Leon Cote is considering a comeback: these moves may strengthen the Braves in round two. Attendance to date has averaged 400-450 per game.

In the scoring race three players are tied for the lead with 14 points each: H. Hynes (Saints) 9 Goals - 5 Assists, B Kelley (Huskies) 7 Goals - 7 Assists, J. Latourneau (Saints) 5 Goals - 9 Assists. B Smyth & S. Traverse of the Braves have 12 points while E. Blundell of the Saints has 11. Smyth has the most goals (10) with Latourneau & Traverse tied for the most assists with (9). Don Hong leads the P.I.M. with 45 minutes in the cooler. The leading goalie is M. Rene of the Saints, who has allowed 16 goals in 4 games played.

In the "B" League standings as of Nov. 12, showed the Huskies are in a class by themselves having defeated both the Juniors & Indians on two occasions, giving them 8 points with the Juniors & Indians, zero-zero.

J. Power of the Huskies is the leagues' leading scorer with 7 goals and 6 assists.

Pee-Wee's are just starting their regular schedule. We should

## Statutory Notice

In the matter of the Estate of Frederick Ross Woodward, late of Labrador City, in the Province of Newfoundland, Mechanic Foreman, deceased.

All persons claiming to be creditors of or who have any claims or demands upon or affecting the Estate of Frederick Ross Woodward, late of Labrador City aforesaid, Mechanic Foreman, deceased, are hereby requested to send particulars thereof in writing, duly attested, to Norma Woodward, P.O. Box 458, Labrador City, Administratrix of the Estate of Frederick Ross Woodward, on or before the 15th day of December, A.D. 1970, after which date the Administratrix will proceed to distribute the said Estate having regard only to the claims of which it then shall have had notice.

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ARTHUR F. MILLER  
Solicitor for Norma Woodward,  
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Sept. 24, Oct. 22, Nov. 19,

have some statistics later this month. Fans are given advance notice of the Pee-Wee Invitational Tournament to be held here Dec. 29-30. To date teams from St. John's and Schefferville have signified their intention of participating; it is expected Seven Island's will also be entering. Players will be billeted in homes by the local "Mom's Club."

Players and spectators are requested to note the following changes in the "A" & "B" schedule. "B" League play Sunday & Tuesday at 7.00 p.m. followed by the "A" League at 8.30 - 8.45. Thursday "A" League at 8.00 p.m. Friday "B" League at 9.00 p.m.

**BROOMBALL:** League standing's prior to Monday's games showed a close battle for 1st place, with Points as follows: Raiders 9, K of C. 8, Bears 7, Rangers 6, Lambs 4, Aces 4, Hawks 2, and Apollos zero.

**SKI NEWS:** Although the ski enthusiasts are bemoaning the lack of snow, the Smokey Mt. Ski Club has been very busy organizing what they hope will be the most successful season yet.

The membership drive has been on for a little more than a month, with over 600 applications turned in to date. Membership chairman, Tom Keough, is hopeful that the club roster may reach 1,000 before the end of the season. The price for a family membership is now \$65.00, for Seniors \$45.00, and for Juniors \$15.00. Membership cards will be in the mail shortly.

Now that Nancy Greene has made an appearance, the young skiers are anxious to get going with their Nancy Greene Ski League Races. Registration for this will be 21-28 Nov. and 5 Dec. from 10.00 a.m. to noon at the ski lodge. Boys and girls up to the age of 14 should come out for the fun.

On the social scene, the Friday night dances are proving extremely popular. A 1970-71 membership card must be presented at the door, and membership forms will be available for those wishing to join. On Friday, November 20, the music will be provided by the "Black Velvet Band." Beginning on November 22, the Sunday evening steak bar-b-ques will resume.

Attendance at the dry-land conditioning classes has been very high. Adult classes are conducted by Bob Crook on Wednesday nights at 8.00 p.m. L.C.C. gym, and Sundays on the ski hill at 1.30 p.m. These classes are free, so come out and "give" a little. All we need now is lots of snow.

Remember these social events. Friday, November 20, Dance or members, at the Club. Music by the Black Velvet Band. Sunday, November 22, The regular steak-fry will resume at the Smokey Mt. Ski Lodge. Members only.

**SNOWMOBILES:** The new executive of the Tanya Sno Kart Club elected at the General Meeting held on November 12 were: President, Mr. P. Besner,

Vice-President, Mr. W. Bevan, Secretary Mrs. M. LeClerc, Treasurer Mrs. G. Burgstaller. Directors are Mrs. E. Besner, Mrs. F. Thompson, Mr. W. Burgstaller, Mr. W. Pouliot, and Mr. G. Huteroft.

**LADIES' PHYSICAL FITNESS:** A program is presently in progress at the A.C.L. Gym every Monday night at 9.15 under the direction of Mr. Dennis Furlong (Master Phy. Ed.). A nominal fee of fifty cents per evening is charged. The class can still accommodate a number of new members. For further information call 944-2621. It should be noted that participants are given an opportunity to develop at their own pace.

**DARTS:** We have received the following from the O'Brien Hall Leagues. Men's Team standings: Invaders 33, Mets 30, Flyers 26, Knights 25, Pirates 24, Pikes 24, Downcasts 23, Fishers 21, Wings 20, Sharks 14. Highest 3 Darts C. Hounsell 150; highest 3 legs E. Martin 1,102; highest single E. Martin 517; highest average E. Martin 15.4; most finishes B. Pitcher & D. Turner 9.

Ladies' Team standings: Labs 12, Lakers 11, Beavers 7. Highest 3 Darts M. Pike 127; highest 4 legs G. Lane; highest single G. Lane 445; highest average E. Lucas 10.6, most finishes O. Murphy 5.

A very successful club singles handicap tournament was held on November 8th, the results of which -

Men - 1st, R. Rasku; 2nd F. Sullivan; 3rd D. Edwards;

Women - 1st - M. Capper, 2nd R. Pantry, 3rd - M. Rasku & K. Belliveau.

The club is at present practising for a tournament with Sept-Iles Badminton Club on November 28th in Sept-Iles. We are hoping to send a team of approximately 15 players.

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Our aim is to raise funds to help build a Stadium in Wabush. The funds will be used to provide better recreational facilities in this area, to provide better equipment and facilities for the players and also for the spectators. If you, your friends or your fellow workers want to join the walk you will be very welcome. Walk one mile or 8 and wear your blisters with pride. As long as you are young in heart there are no age limits.

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Pete Ryan receiving trophy as outstanding amateur boxer. Award was made prior to a recent card at the L.C. Arena. (Hlipko Photo).



King Lion J. Morency (left) presenting the keys to the winners (5) of recent Lions Car Raffle.



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The Carmania is a tiddley ship, spanking white under the southern sun and bejewelled with colored lights after dark. She's not too large to create a neighborly atmosphere, with a British accent. Friendships are formed easily and smoothly aboard when couple from Oklahoma City find themselves sharing a table with people from St. John's, Newfoundland. But those who crave solitude can have it their way too. It's all part of the pampering technique, like the freedom to dress as one pleases. Dinner jackets and evening gowns aren't necessary items in this cruise wardrobe and simple sports clothes are the order of the day. However, for the Captain's Reception when passengers queue up to meet the Captain and his officers and get acquainted with fellow travellers over rum punch, most sociable souls enjoy dressing up to the occasion, the ladies in short cocktail dresses or dinner gowns, the gentlemen in black tie.

After this reception, most people have met a lot of new friends and the vacation tempo falls into a pleasant pattern of sunshine, fresh air and each passenger's idea of a smashing good time. For some, happiness is rising early to watch the dawn, organized deck sports, bingo games, quiz contests, cha-cha lessons, bridge tournament, movie matinees and early-to-bed with a good book from the ship's library.

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## For your information

Avoid the Christmas rush and do your shopping early at the Jackman Memorial Hospital Ladies Auxiliary's "Holly Tea and Sale". There will be handiwork, items from the pantry and white elephant tables from which to choose your gifts. Kids, there will be a fish pond too!

The bazaar will be held on Saturday, November 21 from 2 until 5 p.m., downstairs in the hospital cafeteria. Tea tickets are available from the hospital switchboard, members, or at the door.

The regular monthly meeting of the Jackman Memorial Hospital Ladies' Auxiliary will be held in the cafeteria on Monday, Nov. 23 at 8:15. This will be Membership night and dues for the coming year will be paid. Anyone interested in joining this worthwhile volunteer group is most welcome. The guest speaker will be the lawyer, Mr. Arthur Miller. His topic is "The Property Rights of the Newfoundland Woman" followed by a question and answer period.

The meeting of the Jackman Hospital Ladies' Auxiliary originally scheduled for 23 Nov. has been postponed until 30 Nov. du to the awards night at Labrador City Collegiate being 23 Nov.

**BROWNIE NEWS:** The Fourth Brownie Pack held its annual Hallowe'en party on Monday October 26. All Brownies were in costume for the occasion. The best three costumes were worn by: Rae Murphy, first prize; Jeanie Laing, second and Jennifer Plue, third. Brownies from all five Packs are hard at work making centrepieces for the Hospital Auxiliary Holly Tea, coming up shortly.

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**TUESDAY**  
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 5:00 - 55 NORTH MAPLE  
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**THE CAROL PLAYERS**

The Carol Players of Labrador City and Wabush, winners of the 1970 Regional Drama Festival and chosen participants in the Dominion Drama Festival Finals in May, have scored two successes so far at the start of the new season. The two one act plays performed on October 25 introduced twelve new members to a very large and appreciative audience. These plays were the result of an introductory

workshop, and were performed in Notre Dame Academy.

A card party held in the Ashuanipi Social Club on November 14 was also a great success. Mrs. D.A. Matthews, Past President of the group, did a wonderful job in organizing this event, and the members would like to say a big "Thank's, D".

The group would like to say "Welcome back" to Miss Patricia Carroll Brown, affectionately referred to as "Our Patty" by

the members. Patty is the Professional Director sent by the Dominion Drama Festival last season to hold a workshop. This workshop proved so successful that the Carol Players, with the generous assistance of the Iron Ore Company of Canada, invited her back to direct their Festival production.

A grant of \$1500.00 was awarded the Carol Players recently by the Canada Council, the Province of Ontario Council for the Arts, and the Quebec Ministry of Cultural Affairs to be used for the purpose of engaging the same professional director to work with the group for two consecutive seasons, and view their progress. The DDF chose Miss Brown as the Director because of her past association with the group.

The United Steelworkers of America have asked the Carol Players to entertain the children of the members at a Christmas party to be held at the Arena on December 12. The group, under the direction of Mrs. Jean Farr have written a pantomime for the occasion.

The group will be performing a three act play by Noel Coward, entitled HAYFEVER, on November 25, 26, and 29. The play is a high comedy and promises to provide an evening of rib-tickling entertainment. The play is set in England, in the 20's - "jolly hockey sticks and anyone for tennis" type characters give reason for much laughter.

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**THE ACROBAT:** "I'm sure glad you could come, Auntie," the small boy greeted the visiting relative. "Now maybe my Daddy will do that trick he talked about."

"What is that dear."

"He said if you came to visit us, he would climb the wall."

**THE GIFT: Prodigal:** "Darling, I know I've been away three days but I've got something for the person I love best in the world."

Wife: "A box of cigars, I bet."

**THE DARLING:**

Little Jimmy with a grin,  
Drank up all of Daddy's gin.  
Mommy said, when he was plastered,  
"Go to bed, you little love-child."

**THE CHIEF:** There once lived a famous Indian chief who possessed a fabulous memory. A reporter, doubting his vaunted ability, asked him, "Chief, I'll bet you can't tell me what you had for breakfast on 3 June 1912." Without a moment's hesitation, the chief answered, "Sausage." Two years later, the reporter again had occasion to visit the chief and approaching the old Indian, greeted, "How!" "Broiled," replied the chief.

**THE DETECTIVES:** Heard over the police radio: "We have a report of a nude, female walking on 39th St. near Maple. Car 19, with policewoman, will proceed to scene. Other cars, please stay in your own district."

**THE TELE:** A pre-schooler with considerable TV-watching experience wasn't stumped for a remedy when her mother lost her voice during a bad siege of laryngitis.

"You've lost the sound, Mama!" diagnosed the child. "Maybe you need a new tube."

**NEW CLASSIFICATION:** You've heard of the new classifications for movies, grading them for Adults Only to Recommended for Children? There's one classification called D.O.M.O. That's for Dirty Old Men Only.

**GOLF:** Near the end of a tense golf match, one contestant, very temperamental, was thrown off his game when his caddie developed a severe attack of the hiccups. On the 17th hole he sliced his drive clean out of bounds and growled fiercely at the caddie: "That was only because of you and your hiccups."

"But I didn't hiccup then, sir," protested the caddie.

"That's just the point," screamed the player. "I had allowed for it."

**THE PIGEONS:** In Moscow, recently, citizens were talking about a new statue of Lenin to be built in a small park. Remarked one man: "I think this statue is just what our city needs. It will give us shade in the summer, shelter in the winter, and an opportunity for the pigeons to speak for all of us."

**LOTS OF PEP:** A prospective used-car buyer was getting a demonstration ride. "What makes it jerk when you put it in gear?" he asked the salesman.

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## UCW reports Nov. meeting

The Carol United Church Women's group held their November meeting at the home of Mrs. M. Hedd. The meeting was chaired by Mrs. L. Snell and 17 ladies were present. During the evening plans were finalized for the Christmas Bazaar and Tea which will be held in the Church basement on Saturday, Nov. 28 commencing at 2:30 p.m. Tea tickets are available from members or at the door. There will be a Children's Corner at the Bazaar and babysitting services will also be available so mothers can enjoy their tea. There will be baked goods, white elephant items, handiwork, and a parcel post booth. The members will be telephoning the congregation to inform them of the sale. If anyone would like to donate articles or give a donation, they can contact a member or bring their items to the church on Friday the 27. That same evening anyone who would like to help decorate and set-up for the Bazaar is very welcome. It was also discussed that the U.C.W. group would have a congregational supper to be held in the beginning of the new year.

The December meeting will be elections of the 1971 executive and convenors. All nomination sheets are to be in on or before the meeting date, Dec. 7. This meeting will be in the home of Mrs. W. Mayberry.

**WHIPPED:** Nearly 40,000 persons were sentenced to whipping in South Africa last year, Justice Minister Petrus Pelsers disclosed in the S.A. Parliament recently.

## Scanning the Market

BY CHARLES DEVINE

This market seems to continually dumbfound the experts. Last week with the announced reductions of the prime lending rate in both the U.S. and Canada the first reaction of analysts was "on and thru 800" (the Dow was then near 780) but the actual result was a loss of nearly 12 points, the biggest drop since August. This in spite of the fact General Motors and U.A.W. had just signed a tentative agreement ending what must have been one of the most expensive strikes in U.S. history. So it's now wait and see if "Dow" can regain its January 1970 starting point of 801.

**RECORD DIVIDEND YEAR EXPECTED IN CANADA:** Dividend payments by Canadian companies are expected to be a record in 1970 for the 12th consecutive year. For the 11 months ended November 30th payments will total \$1.382 billion up 5.6% from the 1.309 billion paid a year earlier, according to Bongard, Leslie & Co. Ltd. of the Toronto Stock Exchange.

The November total of \$79 million will be up from the \$69 million paid a year earlier. Miscellaneous industrials will pay \$30 million in November, an increase from \$28 million, attributed mainly to a change in the payment date to Nov. 2nd by Hudson's Bay Co. of Winnipeg.

For the 11 months ending November 30th, miscellaneous industrials will pay \$637.7 million down from last year's \$640.3 million. Mines will pay \$14.3 million in November, compared with \$10.3 million a year earlier. Endako Mines Ltd. of Vancouver, which began paying dividends last year, has switched its payment date to November from December. For the 11 months ending November 30th mines will pay \$257.1 million, compared with \$227.6 last year.

Utilities will pay \$6.6 million in November, up from \$4.3 million in 1969. The increase is mainly because of a third-quarter dividend declared on preferred shares of Bell Canada of Montreal. For the 11 months ending November 30th, utilities will pay \$261.8 million up from \$249.8 million a year ago.

Institutions, trusts and similar firms will pay \$27.9 million in November, an increase from \$26.7 million in the similar year-earlier period. Larger payments by three chartered banks as well as Investors Mutual of Canada Ltd., Winnipeg account for the increase. For the 11 months ending November 30th, institutions will pay \$226.0 million, compared with \$191.9 in the corresponding 1969 period.

**CANADA LEADS U.S. LIFE COMPANIES:** Canadian life insurance companies operating in the United States continued to do a higher volume of business last year than U.S. life companies operating here, according to figures released by the Canadian Life Insurance Association. The 12 Canadian companies in business in the United States received \$420.4 million (U.S.) in premiums and annuity considerations, compared with \$347.1 million (Canadian) received by 62 U.S.

companies operating in Canada.

Total premium income received by Canadian companies operating in the United States has exceeded the U.S. companies' total here each year since 1952. Canadian companies paid benefits of \$289.6 million to their U.S. policyholders last year, compared with \$266 million paid by U.S. life companies to Canadian policyholders.

After allowances for expenses and benefit payments, the Canadian life companies report \$3,257,000,000 (U.S.) invested in the United States. U.S. companies have \$2,283,000,000 (Canadian) of their total premium collections from Canada invested here for Canadian policyholders. A further \$6 billion is invested in Canada for U.S. policyholders by U.S. life companies.

Although investment by U.S. policyholders in Canadian annuities offered by Canadian life companies exceeds that by Canadians in U.S. annuities, the total of life insurance premiums collected by U.S. companies from Canadian policyholders is greater than that collected by Canadian companies in the United States. Last year, Canadian companies received \$96.6 million (U.S.) in annuity considerations from U.S. policyholders, compared with the \$18.7 million (Canadian) received by U.S. companies from Canadians. In contrast, U.S. companies were paid \$328.4 million (Canadian) in policy premiums, compared with \$323.8 million (U.S.) in life premiums received by Canadian companies from U.S. policyholders.

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