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NOW THAT THE CIVIC ELECTIONS HAVE BEEN HAD until 1955, we can all join in a word of welcome, congratulations and best wishes to the members of the new council. Here they are, with an indication of the particular aspect of the town's business for which each is primarily responsible.

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In introducing the new council members, we cannot help repeating what has been said in these pages at various times in the past--that civic office in Baie D'Urfe is strictly an honour, carrying with it a lot of hard work, very little in the way of thanks, and absolutely no reward. For this reason, we owe a thoroughly sincere vote of thanks to the retiring aldermen, Messrs. Fred Dorion, Don Menzies, Bill Parker, Doug Laird and Peter Smith, all of whom have served the people of this town conscientiously and well for the past two years or longer.

All of which reminds us--how long has it been since you attended a council meeting? You owe it to yourself, as a taxpaying citizen, to

sit in on some of these gatherings and see for yourself just how the town is run. Council meets in the Town Hall on the first Tuesday evening of each month.

SPEAKING OF ELECTIONS AND SUCH, we rather suspect that if there had been public balloting on July 1, a lot of people would have been surprised and irked to learn that Baie D'Urfe does not have universal suffrage, as do most municipalities. Only property owners have the vote here, we are told. This is not unexpected since the town's charter dates back to 1911, when women had no vote in Canada in any general election, and there never has been an election in the town in the intervening 42 years to call the matter to anyone's attention.

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Except for some newcomers in town, everyone in Baie D'Urfe remembers the overwhelming protests by mass meetings of citizens last year, when a building promoter proposed to build 80-odd houses of almost identical type on the former Ogilvie farm.

Everyone said, "But we passed a by-law expressly designed to prevent that. We passed it to keep Baie D'Urfe beautiful, and to prevent the drop in our property values that will come with these mass housing developments." In effect, the promoter replied, "That's what you wanted your by-law to say, but it doesn't say it." And he won, to the extent of about 20 building permits.

The new Town Council, working on an idea advanced by ex-Alderman Doug Laird, has drawn up a wording which it hopes will be legal as all-get-out and, at the same time, will say what the Baie D'Urfe folks want it to say. And, following that, they have arranged for a referendum of all property owners to be held at the Town Hall on August 17-18.

The present wording of Section 302 (a) of the building by-law will be supplemented by two explanatory sub-sections, if the by-law passes, to define "superficial" and "group" in the present by-law. The present wording, the first paragraph that follows, would be amended by these definitive additions:

"Buildings shall be designed in harmony with their surroundings. Applications for new building permits shall be accompanied by drawings or photographs showing the appearance of the proposed buildings in relation to neighbouring buildings. In groups of buildings, the use of identical plans, or plans with only superficial variations in appearance shall be prohibited".

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- I. A group of buildings shall consist of the buildings on the lots, or any part of a lot, fronting on the same street and within a radius of 300 ft. from the center of the lot frontage of that lot for which application for a building permit is made.
  - II. For the purposes of this section the following shall be considered as more than superficial variations in appearance:
    - a. a change of length of foundation wall fronting on the Principal street of at least two ft. for each house in the same group; or  
a basic change of the shape of the foundation plan and
    - b. Different exterior finish material or a different combination of materials for each house in the group.

The people of Baie D'Urfe have a lot of money at stake in the effort to make the by-law effective. If you want to keep Baie D'Urfe on much the same footing as it is now--a town of home-owners who are proud of their homes because they are not segments in a horizontal cliff-dwelling--you will vote for the proposed amendment.

in the course of amendment--Lawyer Jacques Viau is polishing up a bill for the Quebec legislature later this year--and if anyone thinks Baie D'Urfe adults should be allowed to vote regardless of their real estate holdings, now is the time to do something about it.

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AN UNBROKEN RECORD OF WATER SAFETY IN BAIE D'URFE was shattered on July 18, when a teen-aged boy, formerly of Ste. Annes and more recently a Pointe Claire resident, drowned a short distance out from the Town Hall. Jean Saison, 18 years old, was passing in a motor boat with a friend when he decided to stop, and go over the edge for a swim. That was the last seen of him until the grappling hooks brought him to the surface the next morning. The cause of drowning is unknown.

Jean Saison was not bathing at the Baie D'Urfe beach, and no one knew anything was wrong until his friend (a non-swimmer) realized he had been under much too long and raised the alarm. Lifeguard Harold Smithman and many other swimmers joined in the search, and a number of boats, as soon as they could reach the spot. It was known where Jean had gone down, but the water was weedy so little could be seen of the bottom; and it was too deep for anyone to walk around, searching with his feet. So, very needlessly, a young life was ended.

This sad event has, of course, focussed everyone's attention on the subject of water safety at the town's beach. The lifeguard since has been given a boat and some extra part-time help--but nothing will prevent drowning unless the individual swimmers behave sensibly. Some safety rules for the waterfront were adopted, and circularized earlier in the season to every home in town. Maybe it is time to look at them again:

- Positively no swimming alone.
- Non-swimmers must remain in the boomed area.
- No swimming under the boom.
- No diving from the dock, or swimming under the dock.
- Pushing, throwing and other fooling on the rafts is prohibited.
- No swimming under the rafts.
- No boats in the swimming area (i.e., between rafts and shore).
- No dogs or bicycles on the beach.
- Absolutely no swimming after dark. Positively!

This last-mentioned point, incidentally, has been strengthened by a ruling at the July Town Council meeting--Reg. Vidler has been instructed to report any transgressors to Secretary John Long for legal action.

After the tragic experience ten days ago, when a lad was drowned in broad daylight within a stone's throw of a large crowd of bathers, it should not be necessary to emphasize the wisdom of these rules.

And of the group, two seem to stand out as particularly important. Don't swim alone--and don't swim after dark.

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#### BAIE D'URFE YOUNGSTERS SHOW GREAT PROMISE

#### AS GARDENERS, ACCORDING TO CONTEST JUDGES

Don MacDonald, president of the Horticultural Society, and Ewing Tait, chairman of the Childrens' Garden Competition Project, have completed their first visit to forty-odd gardens in the town and report lots of enthusiasm and effective work on the part of the younger generation entered in the competition. In this project, of course, the children are seeking to qualify for their Gardeners' Badges according to Boy Scout, Girl Guide, Cub and Brownie requirements.

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To meet the requirements, the children have planted gardens which they cultivate all summer. Results so far have been very satisfactory indeed. The majority of the entrants have maintained their interest in the project and appear well on their way to successful achievement.

At the final visit of the judges in August the young gardeners will be required to answer questions based on lectures delivered last April. Candidates have to have some knowledge of elementary gardening principles as well as show some proficiency in practice.

## ROAD BUILDING AND IMPROVEMENT PLANS VERY MUCH TO THE FORE

### AT FOUR TOWN COUNCIL MEETINGS DURING MAY AND JUNE

Authorization of various road-building and road-repairing proposals, and tentative, plans for the 1953-54 budget took up most of the Town Council's attention during May and June, when two regular and two special meetings were held. Construction of Cambridge Road in the College Green, and the entire set of roads for the Oak Ridge development were approved, and widening of Oxford Road authorized. On the budget front, no budget was adopted but it seems most probable that the 1952-53 general tax rate of 12½ mills will be repeated, with the town showing a deficit of about \$1,000 for the year.

Some highlights of the various meetings follow, in brief form.

#### Regular meeting, May 5th

Tree planting activities previously discussed and adopted for this year have been completed. Reg Vidler will supervise chimney sweeping this year to try to forestall the need for complaints heard after last year's sweeping service. The Town Hall floor will be sanded and oiled for \$60. Arrangements were made to buy a triangular slice of land from H. J. Harrington to join Cambridge Road to the Miller development. Eastern Investors Ltd., owners of Oak Ridge development, deeded land to the town for roads and a park in the subdivision.

#### Special Meeting, May 29th

A report on proposed roads and drainage in Oak Ridge was presented by J. C. Desjardins, engineer, estimated to cost \$47,000 plus 5% engineer's supervision fee. It was decided to try to avoid the need for a referendum by contacting remaining property owners affected, and in the meantime it was suggested that the promoters should go ahead and lay the roads' foundations. Cambridge road construction: all owners except Morgan interests wanted a road, so it was decided to get in touch with Morgans to see if a referendum could be avoided. Total cost of the proposed road was estimated by Mr. Desjardins at \$12,103 plus 5% supervisory fee, plus \$1,500 to move hydro poles.

Repairs estimated to cost \$1,065 were authorized for Lakeview, Morgan, St. Andrews, Sunny Acres and Victoria. Improvements to Morgan northwest of Victoria costing \$1,150 plus supervision were authorized, to install concrete pipes and catch basin instead of a ditch. Widening of Oxford Road was authorized, to cost \$5,632 plus supervision, including the cost of moving 20 culverts, estimated at \$720. After some discussion it was decided to take this out of the reserve fund, except for cost of culverts which will be charged to the owners concerned.

#### Regular Meeting, June 9th

Building Inspector Ware reported that the Provincial Health Inspector had given two residents 30 days in which to put their septic tank systems in order; he was instructed to follow this matter up, and also the question of a cottage which is supposed to be a tool house only, on another property. A resolution authorized Jacques Viau to study the

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town charter and make a complete revision, and to present it at the next session of the provincial legislature. A tentative budget for 1953-54 fiscal year, starting July 1, was drafted, but it was left over for the incoming council which takes office at that date. The views regarding the desirability of locating a community centre on the town hall property, expressed at the May meeting of the Citizens' Association, were received and expenditure of up to \$150 for architectural sketches along these lines was authorized. It was decided that henceforth the Building Committee should report monthly to Council on the permits approved, rejected or suspended during the previous month.

#### Special Meeting June 25th

A by-law was passed authorizing a bond issue to raise money for building Oak Ridge roads, ditches, culverts and lighting, and spending of not over \$55,000 for this purpose. The municipal voter's list was approved. It was decided that the snow plow, in future, shall plow only the part of the Lakeshore Road that lies within the town's boundaries.

#### STRAW VOTE BALLOTS COUNTED AND COUNCIL SLATE APPROVED

#### AT PRE-VACATION MEETING OF CITIZENS' ASSOCIATION

Nominations for the 1952-53 Town Council held the spotlight at the June 12th monthly meeting of the Citizens' Association, the last until September. Ballots cast in the "straw vote" conducted by the Association were counted at the meeting and given the necessary official approval by those present, with the Association's nomination going to the citizens whose names are listed on the front page of this issue.

During the general business session, Membership Chairman Una Grimm introduced two new members, Mrs. Dixon and Mr. Ryden. Town Planning Chairman Charlie Johnstone reported no new action on the Building By-law; that a beginning has been made on building Oak Ridge roads, that it is planned to widen Oxford Road; and that Council is prepared to spend \$150 for draft plans for possible extensions to the Town Hall for a Community Centre. School Affairs Chairman Ted Fry reported that eight more male teachers will be on the Macdonald staff next year. Chester Ellis gave an interim report of the special committee on taxes and assessments, and suggested the subject be held over for a later meeting. Baie D'Urfe Day Chairman Phil Amys reported on progress, pointing out that two new features this year would be the sale of corsages and a Handicraft exhibition.

After a short intermission the evening's special subject, the election letter ballot, came to the floor. From here on we quote from the minutes of Recording Secretary Marion Amys:

The following were appointed scrutineers: Mrs. Elsie Persson, Mrs. Polly McGuire, Mrs. Bernice Ellis, Mrs. Ruth Tait, George Buch and George Moore.

It was moved by Mr. Chester Ellis "that this association appoint a special committee which is instructed to get in touch with all the Aldermen not included in the Association's slate, to ask their co-operation in an effort to ensure some measure of continuity in the council for the next 2 years, with the object of getting at least 2 of them to run for office in the coming election, and that the Association shall give to any Alderman so running the usual guarantees against losing his deposit".

This was seconded by Mr. Bill Norcott. The motion was strenuously objected to as being non-constructive by Mr. Osborne, Mr. Vauthier and Mr. Buch. Mrs. M. Amys pointed out that such a motion coming from a member of the executive was out of order. She also mentioned that in the following election two years hence, that it would be wise for the Association to dis-associate itself from being formally involved in elections. She felt that in spite of the very sincere efforts on the part of the executive to be completely democratic there would always be criticism until the proper frame-work be established for a democratic election of a government or a council. A council should be responsible



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The chairman reported on the results of the letter ballot. He pointed out that 64% of the citizens had shown their interest in Community Affairs by voting. Before the motion of approval Mr. McGuire felt that Mr. Ellis's motion should be considered. The motion was voted on and 4 were in favour and 34 against.

It was moved by Mr. O. Grimm and seconded by Mr. George Moore that the slate of nominations as chosen by the citizens in the letter ballot be presented on nomination day to the Secretary of the Council. The motion was carried.

Mr. McGuire advised that since it is illegal for an association to finance nominees it would be advisable for the nominees to put the money up themselves and that the Association would guarantee that they get their money back.

#### WISDOM OF WIDE, FAST ROADS IS QUESTIONED BY READER

To the Editor of News & Views:

I have been amazed and horrified at the mad orgy of road building which has taken place in College Green during the last month or two. Since it was done and over with before anyone had a chance to object, this letter is rather pointless except that there is a rumour that all other Baie D'Urfe roads will get the same treatment in ensuing years, and that would be an even greater tragedy.

One of the things that led me to move to Baie D'Urfe (and most of the neighbours I have discussed this with) was the charm of the place. No sidewalks, no curbs, and no taxes to pay for them, because they were not necessary. Trees close to the road, and long lawns from the houses, helped to create a very attractive neighborhood in the Green. The very fact that the roads were not very wide has done a tremendous lot to keep traffic under control and make the streets safe for our children.

The widening and straightening of Oxford Road has changed it from what has been a safe place for dozens of children to what will be a three-lane speedway when the tar has finally been laid, but it is nothing to compare with the demolition job done on big, beautiful trees in order to excavate the full 65 foot width of Cambridge Road. The decrease in property values resulting from destroying these irreplaceable (in our time) assets and the extra cost of construction might be excused if there was some reason for it--but what reason can there be? Oxford Road never can have more than about 20 or 25 houses on it, nor can Cambridge Road. One runs a short distance to the cemetery, the other the same distance to a park. Who can ever conceive of the need for a 65 foot roadway to provide room for the bread men, milk men, laundry and oil trucks to service 20-odd houses?

It is fantastic, Mr. Editor, and I hope you will print this so the people in other parts of town will come over our way and see for themselves the cars whizzing down the Cambridge Road speedway--the modern design in Baie D'Urfe roads. Then, if they do not want to lose their lawns and trees and pay the bill in taxes for similar purpose,--no purpose at all, except to incite motorists to dangerous speeds--perhaps they can prevail upon the council to cease and desist.

Yours for keeping Baie D'Urfe beautiful--and safe.

College Green Resident

(Editor's Note-- We have heard so much grumbling on this subject lately, and have told so many neighbours "Well, why don't you write a letter to the editor?" that finally one did. After all, the second half of the name of this paper is "Views".)

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To draw attention to some of the finer looking properties in the Town, the Horticultural Society appointed an expert on such matters to pass judgment on members' gardening efforts. The "Walking Seed Catalogue" Richard Fitzelle, who made a hit with all those who attended the gardening course last winter, made the rounds early in July selecting the outstanding artists of landscape gardening in Baie d'Urfe.

Here's the list folks -- take a good look at them the next time you pass -- and appreciate the effort of these hard-working citizens to "Help Make Baie d'Urfe More Beautiful".

The Quebec Federation of Horticulture Trophy for attractive home grounds goes this year to Nina and Bob Christian, Lakeshore Road. The Christians obtained 13 points out of 15 for general neatness of the property; 7 out of 10 for their lawn; 9 out of 10 for a very fine display of flowers; and 6 out of 10 for vegetables and fruit for a winning total of 35 points. Anyone who knows the Christians will agree they deserve credit for the long hours of toil in dressing up their beautiful lakeshore home.

Fitz awarded the runner-up position for attractive home grounds to the E. C. Osbornes, also of Lakeshore Road. An outstanding feature of the Osborne property is a particularly fine lawn -- in fact, the best in Baie d'Urfe according to Fitz.

The holder of the Federation Trophy last year, Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Cruickshank were again close to the top this year. Visitors to the Cruickshank home will agree they have one of the picture spots in the Town.

Honourable mention for home grounds goes to Dr. and Mrs. W. L. Glen, 20122 Lakeshore, and Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Tait, 20821 Lakeshore.

Judging grounds from the standpoint of most pleasing appearance from the street, Fitz picked the C. H. McGuire home on the Lakeshore Road. Well balanced planting and the colourful floral display were features that caught the judge's eye.

Runner-up for most pleasing appearance from the street is the A. R. L. McNaughton home, 20726 Lakeshore Road. Honourable Mention in this section goes to the Osbornes as well as Cec and Mary Coulter, Oxford Road. D. W. MacDonald

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For the information of those who would like to know the basis for judging, here is an extract from the letter in which Fitz announced his decisions in the contest:

"First I must thank your Society for having invited me to judge the gardens of your very beautiful community and to say how much I enjoyed yesterday spent visiting the various gardens of your members. I would also like to congratulate the winners and to console the losers and wish them better luck next time.

"I think I should explain just how I arrived at my decisions so that you can pass on the information if you wish for I, like other judges before me, will undoubtedly displease some and it is my hope that if the losers know why they lost it may serve to encourage them to greater effort for the future.

"Using 50 as a maximum score, each property was rated as follows:  
Neatness - 15 points; Lawn - 15 points; Floral - 10 points; Vegetables - 5 points; Fruits - 5 points."

BATE D'URFE HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

FLOWER AND VEGETABLE SHOW

SATURDAY, AUGUST 15, 1953

BATE D'URFE TOWN HALL

Entries receive 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Judging commences at 1:00 p.m.

Exhibition open for inspection from 3:00 p.m.

Presentation of Prizes 4:00 p.m.

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VEGETABLE AND FLOWER CLASSES

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| 1) Beans, bush or pole - 12                                | 24) Gaillardia - 6 blooms  |
| 2) Beets - 6   | 25) Gladioli - 1 spike   |
| 3) Cabbage, any kind - 1                                   | 26) Gladioli - 3 spikes  |
| 4) Carrots, any kind - 6                                   | 27) Marigold, or Calendulas - 6 blooms                                       |
| 5) Cauliflower - 1   | 28) Marigold, small - 6 blooms   |
| 6) Corn, half shucked - 3                                  | 29) Nasturtium - 10 blooms   |
| 7) Cucumber - 2  | 30) Pansies - 6 blooms   |
| 8) Onions, from seed - 4                                   | 31) Phlox (perennial) - 3 heads  |
| 9) Onions, from sets - 4                                   | 32) Petunia, double - 3  |
| 10) Peppers - 3  | 33) Petunia, single - 6  |
| 11) Potatoes - 6   | 34) Roses - 3 blooms   |
| 12) Squash, any kind - 1                                   | 35) Salpiglossis - 3 sprays  |
| 13) Swiss Chard - 1 plant                                  | 36) Scabiosa - 6 blooms  |
| 14) Tomatoes - 6   | 37) Sweet Peas - 12 blooms   |
| 15) Turnip - 1   | 38) Zinnia, large - 3 blooms   |
| 16) Vegetable Marrow - 1                                   | 39) Zinnia, small - 6 blooms   |
| 17) Any vegetable not listed above of<br>outstanding merit | 40) Any flower not listed above of<br>outstanding merit                      |
| 18) Collection of vegetables in 11<br>quart basket         | 41) Collection of cut flowers  |
| 19) Children's collection of vegetables                    | 42) Table centre   |
| 20) Asters - 6 blooms                                      | 43) Flower arrangement   |
| 21) Antirrhinum (Snaps) - 6 spikes                         | 44) Children's entry of wild flowers   |
| 22) Carnations - 6 blooms                                  | 45) Children's entry of cultivated flowers                                   |
| 23) Cosmos - 6 blooms                                      | 46) Children's entry of flowers (For<br>Brownies in Garden Competition only) |

The Binz Trophy will be awarded the family scoring the highest total points. The trophy donated by Mayor J. Gelinas will be awarded for the most points in flower classes. The Horticultural Society Trophy will be awarded for the most points in vegetable classes.

In case anyone wonders what has happened to this venerable publication lately, the July mid-summer issue, which replaces both the July and August numbers, was intended to come out about the end of July--but Cornish and the Macdonald College multilith department staff went on vacation during the last two weeks of July. So we're dated "July" and coming out in early August.

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If everything goes according to plan--that is, if this lazy midsummer weather doesn't encourage the editor to procrastinate even more than usual--you should receive the August issue, in the form of a municipal directory similar to last year's effort but possibly more accurate, in the course of the next couple of weeks.

FUN AND GAMES, DANCE, ENTERTAINMENT AND PRIZES GALORE

MARK ANNUAL CELEBRATION OF BAIE D'URFE DAY, JULY 11

Something new is added to the many-sided attractions of Baie D'Urfe Day with every passing year, it seems. This year the annual gala day, on July 11, saw the introduction of an Arts and Crafts exhibition in the Town Hall, which held everyone's admiration for the astonishing range of hobbies pursued by local residents, and the beautiful products which result. The display ranged from painting to pottery, from woodwork to weaving to metal-working, and most points in between.

Apart from the Handicraft Show, the day followed its usual pattern of providing fun and games for everyone. During the daytime, morning and afternoon, sports events of every description filled the hours, supplemented by a certain amount of free drinks and ice cream for the children. Cocktails with Mayor Jean Gelinas as host started off the evening for the adults, with dancing, entertainment, a draw and refreshments following in due course until the small hours.

As usual, the day was made possible by the co-operation of many people--Chairman Phil Amys estimated about 100 helped in one way or another. Most active, of course, were the various sub-committee chairmen helping Phil, including Florence Pinkney, in charge of Hospitality; John Fisher, Corsages; Marion Amys, Arts and Handicrafts; Fred Dorion and Kai Bjorn, Entertainment; Bill Perks, Refreshments and Prizes; Bob Higman, Grounds; George Lint, Dance M.C.; Bill Norcott, Land Sports; Frank Smith, Water Sports; Ken Millar, Publicity; Clary McGuire, P.A. System; Leslie Tait, Raffle; and Tony Rooney, Dance Ticket Sale. Others in the first line were Honorary Chairman Frank Pinkney, Vice Chairman Ross Davidson and Treasurer Lars Firing.

Lars had not yet been able to balance the books when last heard from, but he seemed to be sure the day was going to come out "in the black". If this proves to be correct, it is foregone conclusion that the money will be put to good use in providing recreation facilities for children, or some other activity of general advantage to all Baie D'Urfe citizens.

Many valuable prizes were donated for the draw, which was held during the course of the evening's dance. In order to protect the interests of children who, of course, could not attend but who had been very active in selling tickets, prizes were held for the winner whether he was present or not. An incomplete set of prize winners includes Bill Norcott (radio), Brian Smith (Electric kettle), Paul Lefebvre (child's rug), Les Tait (thermometer), Alex Poe (chair), Tom Martin (clock), Bill Evans, Clary McGuire, Mary Bjorn, Ginny Higman, Doug Wells and half a dozen others whose names have been lost.

Among the more active sporting types, young and old, we have the following list of winners of various events; Running Races, three and four year old boys: Donald Owen, first; Tommy Cooper, second; Jimmy Guiton, third; Girls: Mary Jane Brookhouse, first prize; Barbara Brown, second prize. Five and six year old boys: Tony Rider and Walter Maughtan, tied for first prize; Bobby McCortney, second prize. Girls: Patsy Ware, first prize; Susan Godwin, second prize; Kathy Wickson, third prize. Seven and eight year old boys: Geoffrey Albulet and Malcolm MacDonald, tied for first prize; Jimmy DeWitt, second prize. Girls: Mary Dorion, first prize; Myra Johnstone, second prize; Donna Loke, third prize. Nine and ten year old boys: Trevor Kinmond and John Brookhouse, tied for first prize; Girls: Mary Ellen Johnstone, first prize, Judy Corbett, second prize. Sack races, nine and ten year old boys; Geoffrey Albulet, first prize; Malcolm MacDonald, second prize; Girls: Mary Dorion, first prize; Margaret Glen, second prize. Nine and ten year old boys: Jimmy Higman, first prize; Stuart Proudfoot, second prize. Girls: Dianne Comber, first prize; Mary Yates, second prize. Eleven and twelve year old boys: Terry Higman, first prize; Ted Fry, second prize. Girls: Gale Mitcham, first prize; Lorraine DeWitt, second prize.

Thirteen to fifteen year old boys: Peter Ellis, first prize; Murray Brown and John Spriggs, tied for second prize. Girls: Heather Case, first prize; Carol Mitcham and Jill Higman, tied for second prize. Three-legged races, six to eight year old boys: Stuart Kinmond and Eric Persson, Jimmy DeWitt and Craig Higman, tied for first prize. Girls: Sandra Willetts and Beverly Burnidge, first prize; Susan Godwin and Linda Waverley, second prize. Nine to ten year old boys: John Brookhouse and Jimmy Higman, first prize; Trevor Kinmond and Nicky Nikolaiczuk, second prize. Girls: Eleanor Vidler and Mary Yates, first prize; Dianne Comber and Leslie Jackson, second prize. Eleven and twelve year old boys: Bruce Davidson and Terry Higman, first prize; Ewing Winters and David Lint, second prize. Girls: Judy Bjorn and Lorraine DeWitt, first prize; Donna Albulet and Dianne Newton, second prize. The Afternoon events started at 2.00 with the three-legged races for thirteen to fifteen year old boys. Winners were: Peter Ellis and Murraray Brown, first prize; Ian Baker and Johnnie Spriggs, second prize. Girls: Heather Case and Jill Higman, first prize; Margaret Brookhouse and Phyllis Moore, second prize. Winners of the Shuttle Relay race, with two boys and two girls on each team ages thirteen to fifteen years were the College Green team composed of Heather Case, Carol Mitcham, Peter Ellis and Murray Brown. Three-legged races for sixteen to eighteen year old boys; Allan Baker and Dick Smythe, first prize, Tommy Dawson and Doug Newton, second prize. Girls: Barbara Robertson and Carol Smythe, first prize; Jean Barnes and Isabel Brown, second prize. Winning couples for the Paper Bag Race were Jean Barnes and Allan Baker, first prize; Carol Smythe and Barbara Robertson second prize. Three-legged man and wife winners were Bob and Ginnie Higman while Jerry and Dora Bastien won the Egg Throwing event.

WINNERS OF THE TEN to twelve year old girls swimming race were Judy Bjorn, first prize; Marilyn Maughan, second prize. Boys: Ted Fry, first prize; Bruce Davidson, second prize. Thirteen to sixteen year old girls: Jean Barnes, first prize; Jill Higman, second prize. Boys: Allen Baker, first prize; Dick Smythe and Peter Bjorn tied for second prize. Girls over seventeen: Judy Case, first prize; Vivian Mitcham, second prize. Men over seventeen: John Fisher, first prize; Roy Cape, second prize. Rowboat race using one set of oars and one paddle, girls thirteen to sixteen years: Marilyn Brown and Phyllis Moore, first prize. Boys: Dick Smythe and John Carson, first prize; Pat Sanders and Brian Smith, second prize. Canoe Race for boys thirteen to sixteen years; John Carson and Dick Smythe, first prize; Brian Smith and Pat Sanders, second prize. Rowboat race for couples, using one set of oars and one paddle: Roy and Doris Cape, first prize; Doug Comber and Audrey Parkinson, second prize. Canoe race for girls thirteen to sixteen years: Sheila Ross and Marilyn Smith, first prize; Phyllis Moore and Marilyn Brown, second prize. Rowboat Race using one set of oars and one paddle, boys thirteen to sixteen years: Brian Smith and Dick Smythe, first prize; Ian Baker and Murray Brown, second prize. Canoe Race for couples over seventeen: John Fisher and Virginia Higman, first prize; Doug and Kay Sauer, second prize. Tilting Competition: Jerry Bastien and Billy Irving.

#### AROUND OUR GROWING TOWN

Widening of the paved area at the town hall to allow room for parked cars makes it necessary to take out some perennial plants. If you would like some, at extremely modest <sup>(PRICES)</sup> call Mr. or Mrs. Vidler at 537. Available are peonies, phlox, oriental poppies and tiger lilies, among other flowers.

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For sale--Eatonia washing machine in good condition, and Gleneaton lawn mower, new last year. Phone Bernice Ellis, 2024.

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The Town of Mount Royal on July 22 was the first municipality to take advantage of Quebec's new legislation providing discretionary power to set a 30 m.p.h. speed limit on all streets. The Town also has a 20 m.p.h. speed limit at intersections, which is enforced.

# BAIE D'URFE BUYERS' GUIDE

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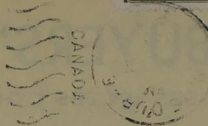
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