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Maple Avenue This Year

Completion of the link between the two Maple Avenues is a distinct possibility this year, according to Mayor Armstrong's inaugural speech to council on Monday.

The project, when it comes, will be a welcomed addition to town, particularly to residents in the eastern sections who must now traverse a long stretch of highway and cross a busy intersection to get uptown.

It will be an advantage, too, for routing some of the highway traffic towards Milton and Hamilton, which at present is funnelled through a bottleneck up

the post office hill and along Main St. When the roadway is finished, there will be a direct route from No. 7 down Maple instead of the torturous winding through several downtown streets.

The mayor also pointed out a further advantage, for when the third public school is constructed, pupils from the park district may be shifted from Chapel St. School. They will have a shorter and safer walk, without having to cross the highway, or take a long detour along No. 7.

Much Money Still Needed

While donations to the Community Swimming Pool have been generous so far, there is some concern about the outcome of the \$50,000 campaign.

The total of cash and pledges received now stands at \$27,500, just over the halfway mark. And while there are still several to hear from before the official canvass ends, it is problematic that \$50,000 will come in without more generous support.

It would be nice for the committee who have worked so hard to make the pool a reality if (a) those who have declined to give, would re-examine the situation and have a change of heart; (b) those who, by

chance, may have been missed by a canvasser would leave a donation at their bank; and (c) those who have already made one donation, might see their way clear to a further sum.

If all this happened, and organizations continued to give financial support whenever possible, the pool could still open debt-free next summer.

Failing this, there would seem nothing for it but another spring campaign, with canvassers calling at every home, and with further pleas for payroll deductions from those employed in industry.

School Boards Work Hard

Recently we spoke editorially of the huge volume of work which faces last year's council and which will also be there for the incoming ruling body.

Perhaps we should have included the school boards in our remarks, for they too are dealing with questions much bigger than those of a few years ago, and it requires more meetings, more thought and more behind-the-scenes activity than ever before.

It is only a few years ago that the greater part of one school board's year was spent in discussing the erection of Wigglesworth School. It seemed like a busy year then, and it was. But it was only the start.

In succeeding years, two additions have been made to that building, and at present plans are in progress for building a third public school. Meanwhile, arrangements have had to be made for temporary classrooms in several locations, new teachers have had to be engaged, swelling the staff to 24 at present, and as the town's population continues to grow, administration becomes a bigger and bigger chore.

The school board members deserve credit for the hours they give to this important public service. Without men willing to give their time to planning, our school system would not be the fine one that it is.

Recipe for New Year's Punch

Take yourself
 Peel off the layers of egotism and jealousy
 Remove the seeds of unkind thoughts
 Cut out the prejudices, worries and fears
 Then add:
 One firm belief that life is worth living
 One strong determination to live at your best
 One resolve that you will strive for the goal of real success

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 Season with a sense of humor and optimism
 Garnish with smiles and pleasant words
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 Then patiently wait for your plaudits.



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The Bible Today

The term "suspense thriller" could well be used to describe the story of the recent translating of the Bible into the Hankul script for Korea.

About the turn of the century a missionary had literally worn out his eyes putting the Bible into the classical Korean script. Few people could read this, however. As the new, simpler script was developed and novels and newspapers were printed in it, the decision was made to print the Bible in it also.

After years of painstaking efforts the manuscript was completed and the first 400 pages were set up in the press in the Bible House at Seoul. Then war broke out. The Bible House was bombed and almost everything destroyed.

The remainder of the previous hand written manuscript however was smuggled out by the wife of Rev. Young Bin Im, the master mind behind this translation. She hid it in a pickle jar in the cellar of their home and hid her husband in a wood-pile.

As expected the communists searched the place but miraculously missed the manuscript and the man.

Knowing they would return she again smuggled it away over miles of guerrilla-infested fields to a farm owned by a friend. There it was buried in a barnyard.

When it had finally been smuggled out of the county to Japan the first 400 pages were laboriously rewritten out by hand. As war cleared around Pusan it was returned to Korea for printing.

Now it is coming off the presses daily and eagerly snatched up as fast as it can be printed.

The Bible which is so easily available to us reaches others around the world only by difficulty and danger on the part of Bible Society workers.

PAFEMAKERS STILL LEADING BOWLERS

Provincial Paper retained their lead last week in the Industrial bowling league, scoring 5 points to boost their total to 78. There were no changes in the season high scores and Jud Davidson still holds triple honours with 922 and Lew Brandford has high single of 405.

G. Storey bowled 360 for the week's high single, with other good singles including B. Hale 314; G. Webster 314; G. Barber 298; L. Boyd 297; J. Hall, 297; O. Herrington, 292; E. Madson led the triple scores with 815. Following were G. Storey 799 J. Pearson 780; G. Barber 779; B. Hale 773; G. Jamieson 767; L. Cross 746.

Big Ten leaders are J. Graham (Kentners) 224; B. Anderson (Andersons) 219; A. Bailey (Firemen) 216; G. Barber (Kentners) 216; N. Shipway (Silvers) 215; F. Anderson (Silvers) 213; T. Williams (Andersons) 213; J. Hall (Andersons) 211; H. Chaplin (Kentners) 210; B. Korzack (Legion No. 2) 209.

Name of Team	W	L	Pts.
Provincial	32	19	78
Legion No. 1	32	19	73
Andersons	31	20	71
Silvers	31	20	71
Kentners	26	25	64
Legion No. 2	26	25	61
Kays	26	25	60
Lorne Scots	23	28	54
Firemen	22	29	52
Misfits	22	29	52
Imperials	21	30	46
Ramblers	15	36	34

O'keefe's SPORTS CALENDAR

INTERMEDIATE HOCKEY

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