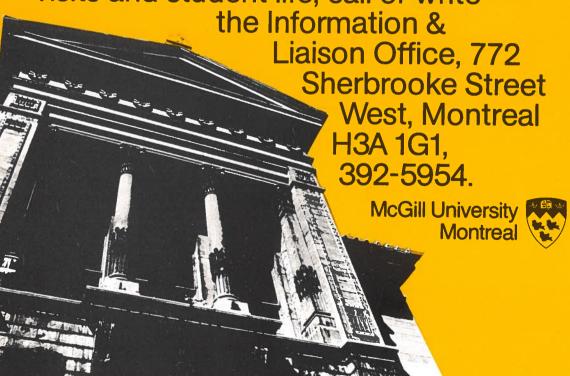
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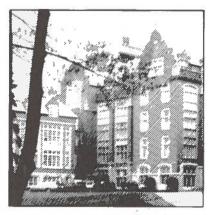
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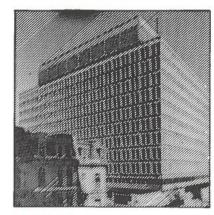
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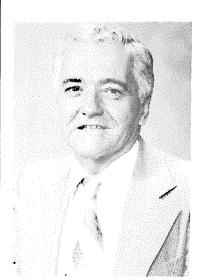
## LESLIE N. BUZZELL AWARD For outstanding service to Quebec Federation FAY RICHARDSON

Fay was born and educated in the United States, where she trained as a registered nurse. She married and moved to Montreal in 1955 and became involved in Home and School at the local level when the oldest of her five children began attending school. At Algonquin Elementary School she served as Chairman of Class Mothers, Membership Chairman and President. Fay has also served on the Mount Royal High Home and School executive in several positions, including two terms as President (1976-78) and is still a member of their Home and School executive as well as the School Committee.

On the provincial level she has served Quebec Federation as area representative, 1973-74; as a Vice-President in 1974-75 and as Executive Vice-President in 1975-76. She is presently Membership Chairman and has been so for the past two years. This year she also assumed the chairmanship of the Membership Development Committee. This committee has undertaken to hold mini conferences in various areas of the province off the island of Montreal. To date conferences have been held in the Gaspé, Magog, Aylmer/Hull region and Quebec City.

Fay has also handled the Leadership Conference and Annual General Meeting arrangements in 1974-75 and 1975-76. Mrs. Richardson has also represented Quebec Federation at national meetings of the Canadian Home and School and Parent-Teacher Federation as one of their delegates.

The Buzzell Award is meant to recognize service to Quebec Federation on the provincial level and the furtherance of the aims and objectives of Home and School. Fay Richardson is an outstanding example of the qualities this award honors.



#### GORDON PATERSON AWARD

#### For outstanding service to the education of children WILLIAM RALPH

Bill Ralph has been a principal, vice-principal and teacher for thirty years, including two years as head of the Science Department at Lachine High, one year as vice-principal of Riverdale High School and four years as vice-principal of Lachine High. For the past nine years he has served as principal of Lachine High School, as well as continuing to teach Physics.

He has been Honorary President of the Lachine High Home and School Association during these nine years and has participated fully in all their activities both locally and provincially, including the preparation of resolutions. The local association feels that Mr. Ralph has done an exceptional job of encouraging rapprochement between the school and the parents; between the teachers and the students and between the Home and School and the School Committee. The unusual degree of cooperation between Lachine High School and the community and between Lachine High and its feeder schools must be credited almost entirely to his untiring efforts.

The Gordon Paterson Award is given to honour an outstanding educator who has also encouraged parent participation in the education of their children and involvement with their school. William Ralph exemplifies these qualities.

# President's Message



On behalf of the Board of Directors I welcome all delegates, members, observers, and guests to the 36th Annual Conference of the Quebec Federation of Home and School Associations.

We live in a constantly changing world. We are accustomed to this phenomenon in the contest of commercial products and we readily accommodate to it because in that domain there is a freedom of choice which enables voluntary adjustment. When social changes alter basic educational and political institutions, however, because individual freedom to choose is more constrained, we tend to be more hesitant and doubtful in our response to changes.

This year's conference addresses the question of where society in general and education in particular is going in the Eighties. What is enduring amidst our social change is the basic concern of parents for the welfare of their children. What can we, as parents, do to ensure that foreseen changes are for the benefit of our children and not to their detriment? To sketch out the foreseeable changes and their implications we have invited distinguished speakers to address you.

The workshops are designed to permit a more intimate setting wherein panelists and audience can exchange views and explore implications. Those attending the conference have the opportunity to sample several facets of the changing social scene by visiting workshops which have been scheduled to run concurrently during the workshop sessions.

We are very indebted to our speakers and panelists for their willingness to share with us their experience and ideas. Their leadership in helping us formulate the nature of future challenges and the modes of appropriate response is very deeply appreciated indeed.

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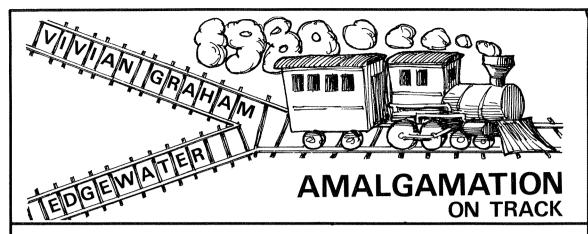
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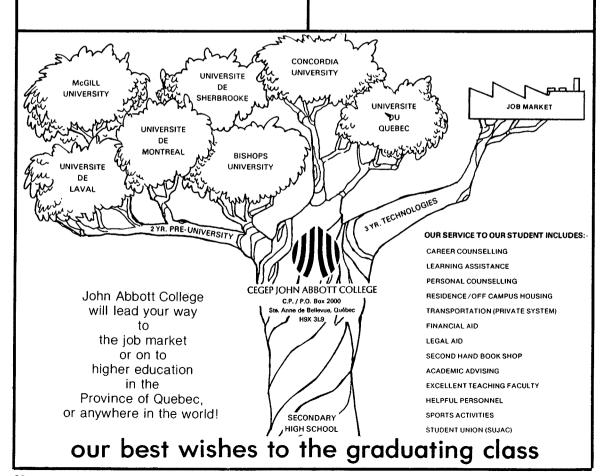
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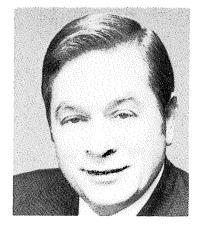


Dr. Stanley Brice Frost received his education in England and Germany where he obtained his PhD at Marburg. He is an ordained minister of the Methodist Church.

He came to Canada in 1956, was appointed Professor of Old Testament Studies, Faculty of Divinity, McGill University, and became Dean the following year. Six years later he was appointed Dean of Graduate Studies and Research. In 1969 he became Vice Principal (Administration and Professional Faculties). In 1975 he took up his present responsibility as Director of the History of McGill Project.

Dr. Frost is a Past President of the American Association of Theological Schools and the Canadian Association of Graduate Schools. He has written a number of books, contributed to many journals and other works including the Encyclopedia Britannica. He has honorary degrees from Memorial and Victoria Universities.

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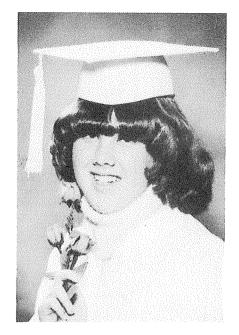
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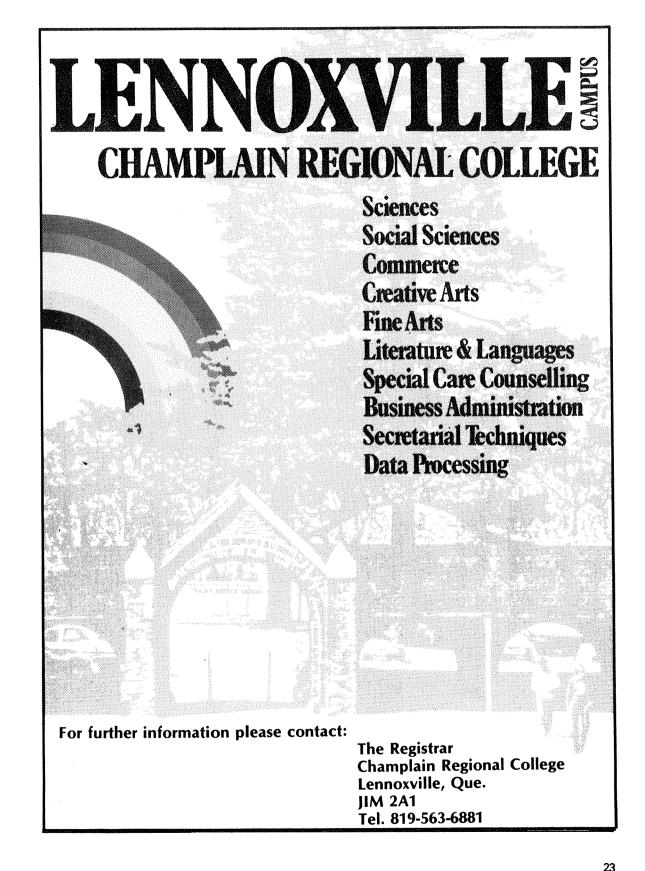
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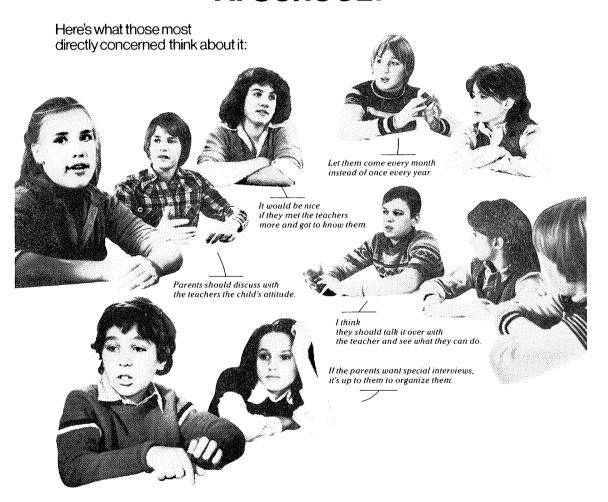
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10:00 a.m 12 noon	CONCURRENT WORKSHOPS	9) PITFALLS OF YOUTH — ADDICTIONS Jim Anderson of the Police Technology Department at John Abbott will show a film on some of the services available to youths, while Dr. Alan Mann, Psychiatrist in Chief, Montreal General Hospital, and Dr. Peter McLeod, Associate Professor in Medicine and Phar- macology, McGill University, will discuss the psychological aspects of drug abuse, shoplifting, smok- ing and anti-social behavior in teenagers.	126
		10) CRISES IN FAMILIES — HOW FAMILIES COPE Rev. Bryan Pearce, Certified Pastoral Counsellor (C.A.P.E.) and staff member of the Diocesan Counselling Center, will discuss major crises in family life and how they affect school-age children—divorce, separation, etc.	166
		A DEAD END OR A NEW BEGINNING?  Dropping out of high school need not necessarily mean a dead end. With the proper guidance and the right kind of on-going training opportunities it can mean a chance for meaningful careers. This workshop will present a more positive approach to the problem of drop-outs and will include a discussion of alterative educational possibilities and/or on-the-job training. Panelists will include the following:  Bruce Kelly, Teacher, LaSalle High School Extended School.  Selma Greenblatt, Guidance Counsellor, John Abbott CEGEP.  Geoffrey Dunn, Chef, Hyatt Regency Hotel.  Plus students from LaSalle Extended School and John Abbott CEGEP.	165
		12) PSYCHOLOGICAL EFFECTS OF BUSING We concern ourselves with the safety aspects of busing, but what about the other effects? What psychological factors come into play when children sit on a bus for two or three hours a day? Bus drivers look after our children and supervise them as much as and more than some teachers. A learned psychologist, Dr. Henry Feenstra, will tell us what stresses are placed on the children, what we should be doing other than safety, and courses that are now in operation to train bus drivers in child management. A very interesting speaker from far-off Markdale, Ontario, and a very timely subject.	125
		13) PROGRAMS FOR THE HANDICAPPED What effect does mainstreaming handicapped children into the public school system have on the curriculum, on the other students, on the handicapped students themselves? Reverse mainstreaming—does it work? Resource people from the Mackay Center for Deaf and Crippled Children. Panelists: Owen Buckingham, Principal, Seigniory School, Lakeshore School Board. Karen Hulme, MacKay Centre for Deaf and Crippled Children, Liaison Officer between handicapped children and regular schools.	101
		A parent of a handicapped child.	

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# **Convention Proceedings**

#### FRIDAY, MAY 2, 1980

7:30 - 8:30 a.m.	BREAKFAST	Main Conference Room	
8:30 - 9:00 a.m.	REGISTRATION	Fish Bowl, Hingston Hall	
9:00 a.m 12:30 p.m.	ANNUAL BUSINESS MEETING	Main Conference Room (If the business meeting is not completed at this time, it will have to be continued Friday evening at 10:00 p.m.)  AGENDA 1. O Canada 2. Opening Remarks 3. Appointment of Parliamentarian; Credentials Committee & Scrutineers. 4. Adoption of Agenda. 5. Adoption of Minutes of 1979 AGM. 6. Nominations Committee Report. 7. Resolutions. There will be a Coffee Break at 10:45 at which time the balloting for vacant positions on the Executive Committee will take place. 8. Treasurer's Report: Budget for 1980-81 Membership Fee 1980-81 Conference Fee 1980-81 9. Amendments to the Constitution. 10. Reports: President's Report Membership Report & Presentation of Membership Awards NEWS Committee Report & Presentation of Newsletter Awards Insurance Committee Constitution Other Committee Reports 11. Site of 1981 AGM. 12. Installation of new Executive. 13. Adjournment.	
12:30 - 2:00 p.m.	LUNCH	A light sandwich lunch will be served in the Main Conference Room or delegates may eat in the student services cafeteria.	
2:00 - 3:25 p.m.	CONCURRENT WORKSHOPS	1) FAMILY LIFE AND MORAL AND RELIGIOUS EDUCATION AT HOME AND IN SCHOOL Mrs. Margaret Capes, human awareness consultant with the PSBGM and Mrs. Connie Middleton-Hope, Assistant Director General for the School Council of the Island of Montreal, will lead a discussion with parents on how to reinforce sex education in the home and school as well as discuss moral education.	166
		2) THE PUBLIC SCHOOL DILEMMA — ACADEMIC INSTITUTION OR SURROGATE PARENT Public elementary and high schools are continually faced with the dilemma of who they are. Is their role to instruct children in academic and manual skills, or is it to be a compassionate and long-suffering parent trying to change the attitudes of many socially maladjusted children? Mr. C. Ford, Principal of LaSalle High School, PSBGM Mr. W. D. Stafford, Principal of Woodland Elementary School, PSBGM	165

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		3) WATER — FRIEND OR FOE? A subject such as drowning may sound rather morbid, but our speaker, Dr. Gary Johnson, known throughout Canada as a leading expert on the subject, will tell us what actually happens from a medical point of view. Dr. Johnson will also touch on other aspects of water injuries and, judging from the response he has received in other parts of the country from his talks, this should be the highlight of our workshops.	125
2.05		4) CULTS II Professor Frederick Bird, Dept. of Religion, of Concordia University will conduct a workshop on cults similar to the extremely popular one held at last year's AGM.	126
3:25 - 3:50 p.m.	COFFEE BREAK		
3:50 - 5:15 p.m.	CONCURRENT WORKSHOPS	5) SAFETY PROGRAMS Mr. Yves Mondoux, Executive Director of the Quebec Safety League, will explain the various safety programs available in schools, as well as discuss all aspects of school bus safety.	166
		6) SPACE AGE EDUCATION Your child will probably be taught by a computer in the very near future. What may he or she be expected to learn? Computers are here to stay, not only in education, but in all facets of our daily lives. Because of this, computer literacy becomes of primary importance. But how will this computer literacy be brought about? What role will the school play? What can be done in the home? How will the instruction be delivered—through giant brains, or tiny personal computers? These are some of the questions to be answered by the speaker in this workshop. A question and answer period will follow. Speaker: Dr. Glenn F. Cartwright, Associate Professor, Dept. of Educational Psychology and Sociology and the Centre for Teaching and Learning Services, McGill University; the Director of the Division of Educational Computer Applications, McGill and a practising psychologist.	126
		7) PROVINCIAL EXAMS A presentation and panel discussion of high school examinations. What types are used, how marks are calcutaed and why they vary as they do. Mr. G. Humair, Coordinator, high school leaving exams, PSBGM Mr. Robert Rae, Vice-Principal, Malcolm Campbell High School, PSBGM.	125
		8) INDIFFERENCE TO CHILDREN — THE CRUELEST AND COSTLIEST OF ALL HUMAN BLUNDERINGS Ray O'Collin, President, LaSalle High Home & School Association and a member of the Verdun Police Force, will lead a workshop which will discuss the value of time spent with children, combining discipline, love and understanding.	165
5:15 - 6:15 p.m.	HAPPY HOUR	Faculty Club	Particular de la constanta de
6:30 - 8:00 p.m.	DINNER	Main Conference Room. Speaker: Reginald Groome Mr. Groome is Chairman of the Board and President of Hilton Canada Limited, as well as being Past-President of the Montreal Board of Trade.	
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8:15 - 9:45 p.m.	PLENARY SESSION	CHALLENGE, CHANGE AND OPPORTUNITY Topics to be covered:
		Classe d'accueil Plan d'Action Speakers: Dr. Ellen Adiv, Research Officer, French as a Second Language, PSBGM. Owen Buckingham, Principal, Seigniory Elementary School, Lakeshore School Board, and Chairman, QFHSA Educational Advisory Committee. Miss Rhoda Tafler, French Consultant, PSBGM.
10:00 p.m midnight	HAPPY HOUR	Faculty Club (or continuation of business session if required)  There will also be available in the Fish Bowl a continuous showing of the CTV television program The National Driving Test which was shown on December 4, 1979 and was watched by almost three million viewers.

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