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How Romans Counted

Instead of adding a day to February the Romans, in order to make the lunar cycles come right, omitted the 24th of February twice and called the day Bissextus, the sextile or sixth day before the first of March. This day being reckoned twice in leap year was called "Annus Bissextus."

KI-MOIDS For INDIGESTION

Canadian Parliament Re-opened Yesterday.

Home Secretary Elected by a Large Majority in Brunley—Four Killed in Collision on Canadian National Railway—Belgian Premier Declines to Form Another Cabinet.

HENDERSON WINS BURNLEY ELECTION.
LONDON, Feb. 28. In the Burnley bye-election, to-day Arthur Henderson, Secretary for Home Affairs received 24,571 votes against 17,534 for Mr. Camp, his Conservative opponent.

CANADIAN PARLIAMENT OPENED.
LONDON, Feb. 28. To the booming of guns and with all the ceremonial that runs away back to the early days of English history, His Excellency, Governor General Baron Byng of Vimy, to-day formally opened the third session of the Canadian fourteenth parliament. His Excellency arrived accompanied by a mounted escort from the Princess Louise Dragoon Guards. The speakers both of the House and Senate wore knee breeches, silk stockings and buckled shoes in reminiscence of Westminster, although in the afternoon, prior to the arrival of the Governor General, the members of the Commons met in their own chamber to await the summons of the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod. A few changes from last session were noted on Government side. There was missing the figure of Canada's veteran Minister of Finance, Hon. W. S. Fielding, who is too ill to attend also missing was the face of Sir Louis St. Laurent, former Minister of Justice, who is away in the West Indies seeking to recover his lost strength. On arrival of the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod, members headed by the Sergeant at Arms bearing the Mace, who was preceded by the Speaker, filed down the long corridor across the hall of fame to the bar of the Senate where they stood while His Excellency read the speech from the Throne. Then the Premier arose with the first Bill of the session, that regarding administration of oaths of office. There was more preliminary business and the Commons adjourned till Monday when the debate on the address will open and the battling begin.

ANTI-PROHIBITIONISTS INTRODUCE A BILL.
WASHINGTON, Feb. 28. Forty members of the House joined to-day in an announcement that next week they will introduce a bill to legalize the manufacture and sale of beverages with alcoholic content 2.75 per cent. by volume.

CASS OUT ON RAIL.
BOSTON, Feb. 28. Ray Cass, of Somerville, arrested yesterday on a warrant asking his extradition to Nova Scotia for trial on piracy charges, was admitted to ten thousand dollar bail to-day. The hearing was set for March 15.

"I'll Pledge You!"

THE HUMOUR OF RUSTIC TOASTS.
When the Danes held sway in these blessed isles, people were not inclined to drink in company unless someone said, "I'll pledge you!" meaning, I will act as surety that no one stabs you in the back while drinking; for the Danes, it seems, had the habit of taking this advantage of their guests, according to the story of the origin of pledging itself.

One toast leads to another, and so the practice has sometimes been in disrepute; as when Charles II. issued a proclamation against those spending too much time in taverns and dipping-houses. "Giving no other evidence of their affection to us, but in drinking our health."

BILL TO ABOLISH DEATH PENALTY.
LONDON, Feb. 28. The seventeenth century Chief Justice, Sir Matthew Hale, left this injunction to those inheriting his estate: "I will not have you begin or pledge any health, for it is become one of the greatest artifices of drinking, and occasions of quarrelling in the Kingdom."

U. S. SHIPPING BOARD FLEET FOR SALE.
WASHINGTON, Feb. 28. Bids on the entire United States Shipping Board fleet of 1325 vessels, under slightly changed contract terms were asked for to-day by the Shipping Board. This action was taken through the emergency fleet Corporation. Offers received on or before March 14 will be considered and no award will be made before that date.

FOUR DEAD IN C. N. RAILWAY COLLISION.
BROCKVILLE, Ont., Feb. 28. The death toll in the Mallory Town collision of the Canadian National Railway, early yesterday morning, mounted to four last night, when Albert Boyes, engineer of the passenger train, died of injuries. Harole deede were performed in removing the bodies of men from the debris, and great credit is given to Egbert Mallory for valor in releasing engineer Boyes from the cab of his engine. So intense was the heat that Mallory was obliged to discard part of his clothing in the work of rescue, and the clothing which he removed he saturated in water in wrapping it around the imprisoned man to keep him from perishing in the flames, sustaining painful burns himself while doing so.

FIVE PERSONS PERISH IN FIRE.
ST. JOHN, N.B., Feb. 28. Fire exacted a terrible toll last night at the little farm house of Adlard Savoie, at Maltempene Village, eight miles from Carleton Place, Gloucester County, N.B. According to a telephone message received this afternoon, four children and a maid lost their lives when flames broke out in the little room. Mrs. Savoie and an infant son were rescued.

PRESIDENTIAL PRIMARIES.
LANSING, Mich., Feb. 28. Names have been certified by the Secretary of State for places on the Michigan presidential preference primary ballot to be voted upon April 17th, with last closing March 1st. There has been no indication that additional names will be entered. The four candidates whose names appear in the Republican column are President Coolidge, United States Senators Robert H. LaFollett and Hiram W. Johnson and Wm. O. Simpson of Detroit. Henry Ford and Woodbridge N. Ferris, United States Senator from

Michigan, have been certified for the Democratic ticket. Ford, however, announced some time ago that he would not stand against Coolidge, if the latter is nominated by the Republicans.

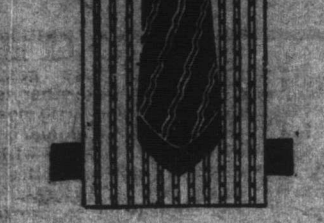
BEER AND BEEF TOAST.
Still, it flourishes, and nowhere more strongly than in Arcady. I heard a stone-breaker, as he raised a bottle to his lips, while sitting on his wayside heap of stones, thus pledge a passing coney: "I wish ye well, and I wish ye honest, Bill, but I shall see ye again afore that, I reckon." Bill took the bottle in turn, and said solemnly: "May this moment be the worst of our lives."

"The Three B's."
Beer and beef figure largely in rustic toasts, as "Here's to the inside of a loaf, the outside of a jell, a pound of beefsteak, and a pot of good ale," and in this version: "The three B's, mates—beer, beef and bread." A companion to this is the "Three S's toast": if any Cockney happens to be present, this will raise a great laugh when he inquires what it means, and is told: "Sit still, stupid." To the beer and beef, a wife is sometimes added, as in the toast, "Good beer a year old; good bread a day old; good beef, hot or cold; and a good wife who'll never scold." Wives are remembered also in the toast, "A little farm well tilled, a little house well filled, a little wife well willed."

HERE'S TO THE MAID WHO TAKES A KISS AND GOES AND TELL HER MOTHER.
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