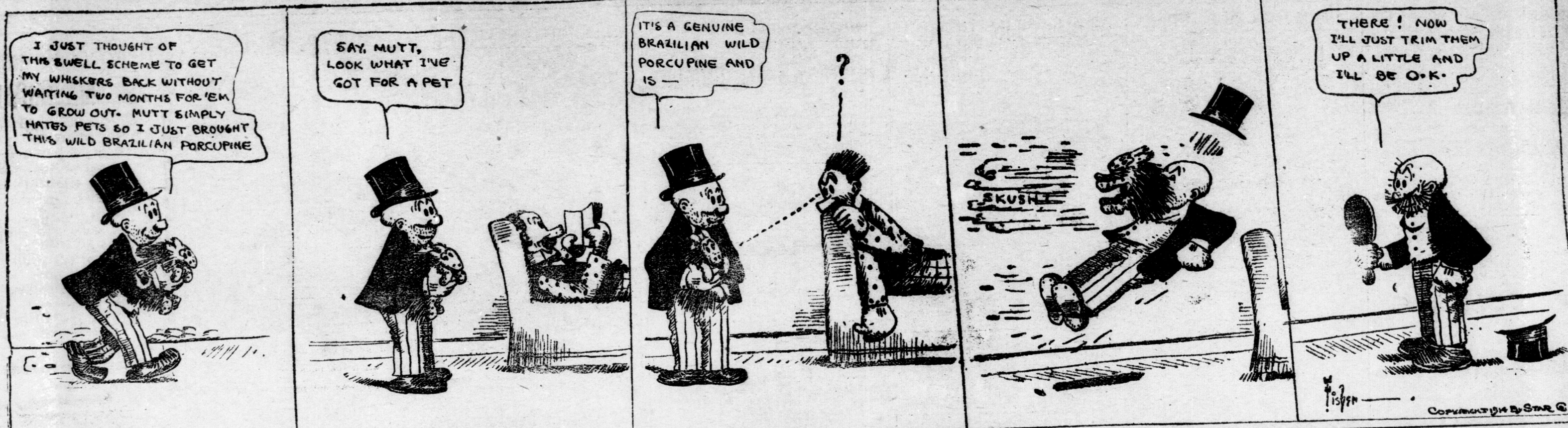


Showing That Jeff Knows Something About Habits of a Porcupine

By "Bud" Fisher



SARNIA WON ROUND BY TWO-GOAL MARGIN

Hamilton Could Only Tie Tunnel Town Last Night.

FINAL SCORE WAS FIVE ALL

Sticky Ice and Too Many Hard Games in a Row Blamed for Hamilton's Showing.

Hamilton, Feb. 20.—Hamilton's hockey aspirations got a decided crimp to night, when the Shedd's Sarnia team held Hamilton to a tie, 5 to 5, and the score in the round by the score of 3 to 2. The score at Sarnia on Monday being 2 to 1. The visitors were leading at half-time by a score of 2 to 2. The score is a fair indication of the play, as the teams were evenly matched. The Sarnia crowd came down prepared for a trimming, but the locals did not play, the four hard games in eight days proving too strenuous for them. The ice was soft and sticky, and that also bothered the Hamilton boys, as they have been faced with hard ice in every previous game this season. Arthur and McCarty were the brilliant men for Sarnia team, while McEwen was the star for Hamilton. Lou Marsh was referee, but had little trouble in keeping the play clean, and three penalties being imposed during the entire game. Sarnia will now meet Berlin in the semi-finals. The team:

Hamilton	Position	Sarnia
Morden	Goal	Cameron
Taylor	Left Defence	Dodds
Reid	Right Defence	McCart
McEwen	Rover	Leser
Cox	Centre	Arthur
Scrimmager	Right Wing	McLellan
Montellie	Left Wing	Storey
Referee	Lou Marsh	

PETROLEA ATHLETICS WON GAME FROM WAGON WORKS

Fast Game in Oil Town Resulted in Score of 3 to 0 for the Athletic Club.

Petrolea, Feb. 20.—A fast game of hockey was played tonight between the Wagon Works and Athletic Clubs teams, resulting in a victory for the latter. The game was fast and fairly clean, and no goals were scored until near half time, when the condition of the Athletics proved better and they scored one. In the second half they scored two more goals, and the game ended with the score 3 to 0. Referee "Buz" Brown gave highest satisfaction to both teams. The lineup:

Athletics	Position	Wagon Works
R. Hall	Goal	J. Fisher
L. Gleason	Right Defence	H. Howlett
E. Thomas	Left Defence	A. Phillips
R. Haller	Rover	S. Howlett
M. McTee	Centre	R. Marshall
R. Harrison	Right Wing	J. Webb
L. Gleason	Left Wing	B. Scott
Referee	Brown	

PORT ELGIN WON ROUGH GAME FROM SOUTHAMPTON

Referee Let Players Get Into Several Fights During the Game—Score Was 8 to 3.

Port Elgin, Feb. 20.—The Northern League teams of Port Elgin and Southampton clashed here tonight in a heated contest. Port Elgin won by 8 to 3. H. Hopkins, of Palmerston, had no control over the locals, allowing several fights without penalizing the offenders. Stevenson and Geddes were in the line-light, while Morton's rushes were spectacular. The teams:

Port Elgin	Position	Southampton
McLean	Goal	Thomas
Morton	Right Defence	McVies
Geddes	Left Defence	McVie
Black	Rover	Knowles
Stevenson	Centre	McPhail
Mann	Right Wing	Louie
Thomson	Left Wing	Brown

SEAFORTH EARNS RIGHT TO PLAY HERE MONDAY

Defeats Clinton 5 to 4 in Second Game, Winning Round by Seven Goals.

Clinton, Feb. 20.—The last of the home and home games in the Northern League to break the tie between Seaforth and Clinton was played here tonight, Seaforth winning 5 goals to 4. The following is the lineup:

Clinton	Position	Seaforth
Johnston	Goal	McGeoch
Rumblall	Right Defence	Hays
O'Neill	Left Defence	Reid
Chff	Rover	McKay
Kerr	Centre	Nicol
Mitchell	Right Wing	Hoffman
Draper	Left Wing	Bert
Referee	J. Shea, Palmerston	

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M'GIBBON, OF SARNIA, WON VENDOME CUP

Defeated J. C. Waddell's Petrolea Rink in Finals.

FOREST WON CONSOLATION

Waddell's Rink Was Also Defeated in Finals of This Latter Event—The Scores.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Sarnia, Feb. 20.—J. McGibbon's Sarnia rink won the Vendome trophy here today, defeating J. C. Waddell's Petrolea rink in the finals by the score of 24 to 12. In the finals of the Consolation trophy event, Waddell's Petrolea rink was again defeated, this time by W. McPherson's Forest rink, the score being 13 to 11. The consolation was a splendid success and the visiting curlers went home well satisfied with the treatment accorded them and the enjoyment the games provided them. The scores were as follows:

VENDOME CUP.
Semi-Finals:
W. McPherson, Forest, drew a bye.
J. C. Waddell, Petrolea, drew a bye.
Ailsa Craig—Sarnia.
Dr. Kennedy, skip 8 J. McGibbon, skip 24 Forest.

CONSOLATION TROPHY.
Forest—Petrolea, skip 12 J. McGibbon, skip 24 Waddell, skip 11 I. Greenizen, skip 14 Forest.
Dr. Walters, skip 11 I. Greenizen, skip 14 Forest.
R. G. Selden, skip 11 D. Coultis, skip 18 Forest.

THIRD ROUND.
Forest—Petrolea, skip 7 D. Coultis, skip 12 Ailsa Craig—Forest.
Dr. Kennedy, skip 12 McPherson, skip 14 Forest.

SEMI-FINALS.
Forest—D. Coultis, skip 9 McPherson, skip 10 Forest.
McPherson, skip 3 Waddell, skip 11 Forest.

This Woman Helps to Make History



MRS. W. J. BRYAN.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 31.—Serious pursuit dominates the women of the cabinet circle. And it is very largely due to the attitude and characteristics of Mrs. W. J. Bryan. She is interested in subjects and pursuits which mean something more than mere pastime.

Mrs. Bryan is a doctor of letters, as well as a lawyer. She is a good linguist, a student of current events, and a capital outdoor woman. Her tastes are simple and her friendships steadfast.

NEW YORK "NATIONALS" OFF TO MARLIN SPRINGS

St. Louis, Mo., Feb. 20.—The first squad of the New York Nationals left here today for Marlin Springs, Texas, where the National League champions will do their training. Dick Kinsella, the club's scout, is in charge of the men. The squad will be met at Marlin Springs by several of the veterans who went to the training grounds directly from their homes.

COMISKY WANTS HIS SECRETARY TO MEET HIM

Kansas City, Mo., Feb. 20.—When the Chicago American baseball team's special train en route to Paso Robles, Cal., where the club will train, arrived here today, Harry Grabner, secretary, was handed a cablegram from Owner Comiskey, ordering Grabner to meet him in New York on the arrival of the world's tourists, now in Paris. Grabner returned to Chicago tonight.

LAWRENCE WATERBURY AND H. F. MCCORMICK WON

Boston, Feb. 20.—Lawrence Waterbury, of New York, the titleholder, and H. F. McCormick, of Chicago, won their matches in the second round today of the national racquet championship. The other survivor is C. G. Osborne, of Chicago.

Shamrock IV. From a Sketch Made by Sir Thomas Lipton Himself.



The new challenger for the America Cup is to be a 75-footer and will be launched in April, and it is expected that she will be ready for her sailing trials early in May.

CONDEMNNS INCINERATOR COST

R. E. O. A. Disapprove of Increased Expenditure Required There.

At a meeting of the Real Estate Owners' Association last night, resolutions were passed approving the stand taken by Ald. J. A. Tancock, in opposing the additional salary for the mayor and condemning the annual requests of the London bill.

The resolutions were:
Resolved, that we appreciate the action of Ald. J. A. Tancock in his endeavors to have the salary of the mayor reduced to \$2,000 per annum instead of \$3,000 as at present, and we regret to see lack of support from his colleagues in such a proper and businesslike move.
Resolved, that this association does not approve of the city council asking for special legislation in the so-called London bill, annually, for various sums of money for any purpose. The complete station, incinerator, etc., are examples of this back-door method of bonding the credit of the city—a very large debt has in this way been saddled on the defenceless taxpayer. Getting another \$20,000 for the incinerator brings the cost of that institution to almost \$100,000, which according to the past half-year has cost \$15,550 to operate. At this rate it will take about \$40,000 of the citizens' taxes to cover interest and running expenses per annum.

MASONIC MINSTREL SHOW

Mocha Temple Will Put One on With Windsor Minstrels.

Mocha Temple Patrol, which has attained a reputation for doing things right when it does them, is arranging a minstrel show. It will be held in the Masonic Temple, Queen's avenue, on Thursday, February 26.
The Windsor Lodge Minstrel Club, A. F. and A. M., is to furnish the show, and it states it will furnish one that will certainly "be different."
The Windsor paper says the following in reference to a performance recently given by these minstrels:
"To make any minstrel show a success any live man must get a bunch of entertainers, inject in them some catchy songs, a few jokes, season this with some burnt cork and a few tambourines and serve up as rapidly as possible."

The Windsor Lodge Minstrel Club, A. F. and A. M., possessed all these ingredients, and as a result the minstrel show staged by the lodge in the Windsor Theatre Monday night was a decided success. The songs were well sung, the jokes brought forth laughter, and the olio was in keeping with the rest of the show—and that was all the crowd that packed the house asked for. Each number earned well-merited applause."

HARRISTON CURLERS WON BY SINGLE SHOT

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Harriston, Ont., Feb. 20.—Two risks of Walkerton curlers visited Harriston for a friendly game this afternoon, with the following result:
Walkerton—W. Walford, G. F. Rourke, A. Johnstone, M. MacNamara (skip), 12.
Harriston—Wm. Fisher, George Blackwood, W. D. McLellan, J. J. Lavery (skip), 14.
Walkerton—George Smith, W. Robert, I. M. Lay (skip), 13.
Harriston—J. Merriam, L. Merriam, W. Erishin, Dr. P. R. McCullough (skip), 12.
Totals—Walkerton 25, Harriston 26. Majority for Harriston, 1 shot.

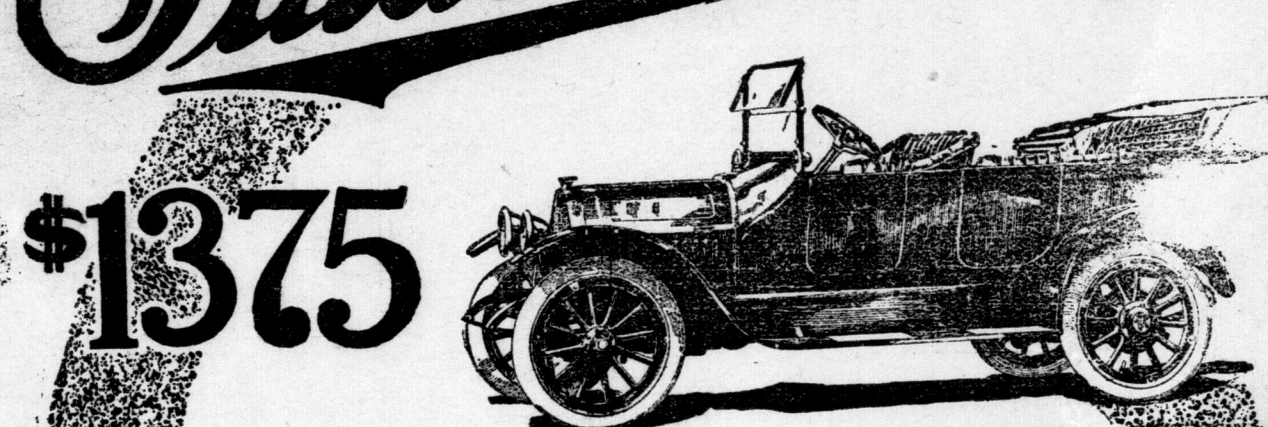
BRITONS GROWING WEALTHIER.

It is quite a mistake to take too seriously all the reports that come to us regarding the financial condition of Great Britain.
Much has been written in England concerning the relief which will be afforded to the money market when the savings of the French middle classes and peasantry are attracted to the French loan which is shortly to be floated. Britons are apt, however, to overlook the growth of thrift in their own country and in their colonies.

Whether tested by the income tax returns, the deposits of the joint stock banks, the postoffice savings banks, the accumulation of funds in the hands of trade unions and friendly societies or the contributions to the Government's insurance scheme, the middle classes and working population of Great Britain are becoming more prudent in their expenditures. This is a wealth "coffer" of undeniable importance.

Although Britain has indulged in expensive methods of social reform and earmarked further large sums for this purpose its national debt during the last ten years has been reduced by no less than \$500,000,000. This is all the more remarkable when it is remembered how the other countries of the world are adding to their indebtedness, and how powerful neighbors like Germany and France are reduced to raising funds by means of assessed contributions from the wealthier

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EXPORTING SKUNKS TO ENGLAND.

Great Britain is going in for fur farming. This is described as a natural result of the recent boom in the prices of furs.

In this connection a large consignment of North American skunks has lately arrived at Liverpool, some of which will shortly be established by Mervyn Chute in a large hillside enclosure on his estate in Northumberland. Despite a malodorous reputation, the skunk is a dainty feeder, subsisting chiefly on insects, and it is considered doubtful whether sufficient food of the correct kind can be produced. Moreover, the value of the fur produced may be affected by the milder climate.

Apart from the fur, the terrible fetid fluid for which this animal is notorious is valuable medicinally, being prescribed for asthma; though an asthmatic clergyman who took a bottle of it into the pulpit to inhale when his breath grew troublesome is said to have found that he had relieved his malady but dispersed the congregation.

SUGGS IS FLIRTING WITH FEDERAL LEAGUE

Baltimore, Md., Feb. 20.—Pitcher Geo. Suggs, for several years a member of the Cincinnati Nationals, and who was sold to the St. Louis Cardinals recently, was in conference with the local Federal League management today. Afterward it was strongly reported

that Suggs had signed with the Baltimore, but neither the player himself nor the club officials would confirm the report and all preserved the greatest reticence regarding the matter.

HELP!

[Houston Post.]
Now: "Thirty-button boots for girls. Is fashion's latest crack. Friend Wife won't wear a pair, unless they button on the back."

Millionaire-for-a-Day Hires Special Train to Washington to Give Congress Statue of Himself.

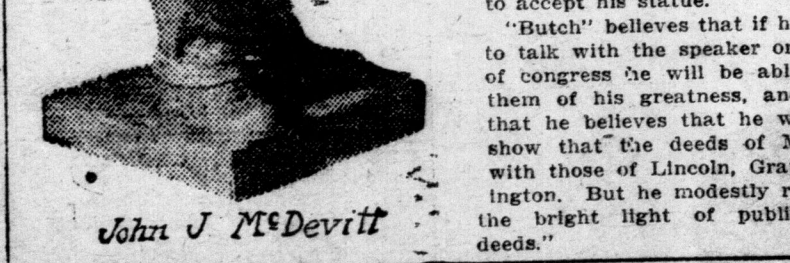
[Canadian Press.]
PICTURE OF JOHN JAY McDEVITT INSET IN ONE OF STATUE HE WISHES TO PRESENT TO AMERICAN PEOPLE.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Feb. 20.—John Jay McDevitt, who became a "millionaire-for-a-day" and went broke when he parted with \$2,500 in trying to brighten old Broadway, once more had money in his jeans! John Jay, who also answers to the name of "Butch," has \$3,000, and most of this money he has to spend in hiring a special train to take him to Washington for the purpose of offering to congress, and the nation a statue of himself.

A band of 50 pieces has been hired to escort John Jay to the train and four special detectives will go along to guard the statue, which cost John Jay \$700. The engineer will throw open the throttle, and the fireman will burn up every pound of coal necessary in making the trip in record breaking time.

With all the pomp and grandeur of a foreign ambassador, McDevitt will enter Washington. He has hired the United States marine band to meet him at the station, and when all is in readiness he will march behind the famous organization to one of the leading hotels. When the private detectives of "Butch" have carefully guarded his statue and taken it to a place of safety, John Jay will send a committee of his friends to Speaker Champ Clark of the house to ask congress to accept his statue.

"Butch" believes that if he is permitted to talk with the speaker or a committee of congress he will be able to convince them of his greatness, and he declares that he believes that he will be able to show that the deeds of McDevitt rank with those of Lincoln, Grant and Washington. But he modestly refuses to turn the bright light of publicity on the deeds."



John J. McDevitt