

LEGAL RECIPROcity CALLED POSSIBLE

International Efforts Made To Indemnify Canadian Motorists in Tourist Crashes.

PROBLEM PUZZLES

An international effort will soon be made to provide improved legal machinery to indemnify Canadian motorists following crashes between Canadian and American cars in Canadian territory. The secretary of the London motor club points out that if a native of Ontario gets into a smash with an American car, he has no legal redress unless the car from the U. S. is caught before it reaches the border.

"Because of this unfair position," he says, "the Ontario motor league, in the persons of Oliver Hezlewood, past president, and W. G. Robertson, introduced the question at the recent annual convention of the New York state automobile association. Through their efforts it was decided to refer the matter to the American automobile association, with an urgent recommendation that it do all in its power to co-operate with the Ontario motor league in finding a solution for the problem."

Compulsory Insurance. Compulsory insurance was suggested, but discarded on the ground that recovery of damages would be difficult in cases where tourists from a distance were insured in local companies. Another suggestion was that the Ontario government compel every motorist entering the province to take out a bond or make a substantial cash deposit to insure the indemnification of anyone hurt in an accident. This also was turned down, the reason being that with American tourist traffic forming such a large part of the revenue of the province, it would be an impolitic move and not productive of the results desired. The tourist traffic at the present moment ranks third among all sources of provincial income.

A proposal made by Mr. Robertson which met with general approval was that the tourist, in the event of accident, should be compelled to proceed to the nearest magistrate, and allow to depart only after he had convinced him that he was not guilty or had left a satisfactory guarantee of indemnity.

Position of Americans. The position taken by the Americans is shown in a letter from John R. Hoyle, assistant general manager of the American automobile association, to Mr. Robertson a few days ago. In this he quotes American law on the recovery of damages as follows:

"Suit must be filed by the plaintiff in the place of permanent residence of the defendant. In other words the Massachusetts tourist would have to file suit against the Californian in California, and of course the same thing would apply in the case of a Canadian."

"The only other way is for the plaintiff to obtain a mechanic's lien on the car of the defendant. This is a fairly complete remedy, as it ceases to fill a bond equivalent to the full value of the car to be attached."

"While in Europe the question is overcome by the filing of a cash bond, such a method in Canada would keep out a vast amount of tourist traffic, which, for the 3,000 cars entering the country, every year must mean a great deal of money."

Mr. Hoyle suggests a legal reciprocity between all motor clubs on the continent, so that tourists could file suits through the club attorney of the club of which the defendant was a member. The question would be left to the discretion of the annual meeting of the A. A. A. this autumn.

WALLACEBURG PASSES BYLAW FOR SIDEWALKS

New Concrete Work To Be Put On Number of Town's Streets.

Special to The Advertiser. Wallaceburg, Oct. 22.—The Wallaceburg town council met last evening, Mr. J. Ford and C. Armstrong addressed the council regarding a sidewalk and sewer in their respective localities, and both these matters were passed over to the chairmen of the respective departments to deal with.

Bylaws were passed for the construction of concrete sidewalks on Queen street, Albert street, Water street and Murray street. The mayor, reeve, deputy reeve and Councilors Drummond and Asseltine were named a committee of revision on assessment.

May Sell Poppies. The G. W. V. A. were granted permission to sell poppies from November 8 till November 11 inclusive, Sunday excepted.

SECOND ROUND. The second round of the ladies' tennis tournament of the University of Western Ontario will be completed by Oct. 25.

The following players will meet: Miss O. Miller vs. Miss M. Goodwin; Miss F. Montgomery vs. Miss A. Pirih; Miss K. Richardson vs. Miss P. Shambles; Miss B. Collins vs. Miss K. Cooper; Miss E. Berry vs. Miss J. Duncan; Miss L. Garbutt vs. winner of game between Miss R. Left and Miss J. McIntosh.

PREPARE NOVELTY PARTY. Pumpkin pie, novelty costumes, prizes for boys and girls are some of the features of the Y. M. C. A. Halloween masquerade party to be held at the association building on Thursday evening, Oct. 30.—The Y. staff is putting out a snappy invitation to members to prepare fancy costumes for the frolic.

By GLUYAS WILLIAMS Snapshots Of A Man Reading A Continued Story



BABOONS PLACED IN IRONS AFTER HAZING PASSENGERS

Two Playful Nubians Keep Ship's Company in State of Nervous Prostration.

TEASE ANTELOPES

Captain Acts After "Pesky Monkeys" Work Other Animals Into an Uproar.

New York, Oct. 23.—The steamship American Shipper has arrived from London, after a voyage enlivened by the playfulness of two Nubian baboons, whose antics, taken from Captain Cummings, kept the ship's company in a state of nervous prostration.

Among the baboons' fellow-passengers were ten sable antelopes, one lechwee (a species of antelope), six ant-eaters and a Brazilian anaconda thirteen feet long.

"Give me an anaconda any time," said Captain Cummings. "I'd rather ship a hoghead than one of those pesky monkeys."

The trainer accompanying the baboons told the captain it was safe to let them roam the ship, and the first thirteen hours they roamed to their hearts' content. They twisted the tails of the ant-eaters, teased the antelopes, caused the lechwee to break one of its antlers, and aroused the anaconda.

When they tired of hazing the other animals they nuzzled the ship's crew and tormented the man in the wheelhouse "until it was a wonder the boat wasn't going around in circles," the captain said.

Captain Cummings then ordered the baboons in irons for the remainder of the trip.

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Five sons were born to this couple, and the three living were present, as also the only living brother of the bride, John Harrington of Kingsville, now in his 94th year. Dr. Andrew Wigle of this place, who died in June, was the last living brother of the groom.

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Mexican Rebels Are Executed

Associated Press Despatch. Mexico City, Oct. 23.—The court-martial and execution of three rebel leaders is reported from Piedras Negras by General Juan Almazan, chief of military operations in the state of Vera Cruz.

The rebels are believed to have participated in the attack upon a train near Joachim recently, when nearly 30 military guards and passengers were killed and several young women carried off.

SOVIETS HOLD BACK ON FRENCH OFFER

Will Accept Only Recognition Without Reservations Concerning Debts.

Paris, Oct. 22.—The recognition of the Soviets which was semi-officially announced for Friday last is now understood to have been delayed by the Russians themselves. Moscow, it is said, has intimated through its French supporters that even tacit recognition "until it was a wonder the boat wasn't going around in circles," the captain said.

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BRITISH LIBERALS FIGHT LABOR PLAN

MacDonald Government Supporters Make Unusual Overtures to Asquith Party.

Associated Press Despatch. London, Oct. 23.—The Labor party's more or less successful advances to Liberal voters over the heads of the Liberal leaders is becoming one of the jokes of the election. An official of the Labor party quite frankly said yesterday that his party was aiming to end Liberalism in this country and Liberal papers are furious in consequence of Labor's overtures to Liberal electors and Labor's avowed object in connection therewith.

Several Conservative organs make the chief issue of the election the question: "British Empire versus Russia."

The Daily Telegraph suggests that the proposed Russian loan should be diverted to support the Asquith party. It attacks the colonial office as an effete bureaucratic institution which must be revitalized after the election by the "introduction of the torch of Liberalism," but the Liberals would seem to be effectively prevented from swinging towards the "torches" by reason of a speech made yesterday by Stanley Baldwin, who asked women to support the Conservatives in encouraging empire trade by imperial preference.

The Asquithian papers especially charge Mr. Baldwin with having blurted out the real intentions of the Tory party, and they are resuscitating all the old free trade slogans.

RADEL TO FACE CHARGE OF THEFT IN WINNIPEG

Harry Radel of this city will probably be sent to Winnipeg tonight, where he will face a charge of theft of an automobile, according to local police, who expect the arrival of a Winnipeg officer in London today.

Radel was arrested on Tuesday following information received from Winnipeg, stating that he was wanted there on a theft charge. He had been arrested in London several weeks ago on a charge of stealing money from the cash register of Dodge Bros. garage. At that time, where his case came before Magistrate Graydon, he was allowed to go on suspended sentence and under bond of \$500.

BRANTFORD MEN FINED FOR CRUELTY TO HORSES

Ingersoll, Oct. 22.—Johnston Brothers, Limited, of Brantford, were fined \$10 and \$21.50 costs in the Ingersoll police court today for working horses that were in an unfit condition.

The prosecution was made by George Tustin of the London humane society, who on making an inspection of that district on October 16 found that the horses were suffering from injuries and sores that should have kept them in the stable.

NESTING IN LEAVES EXPENSIVE PASTIME

Police found Malcolm Stewart asleep on a heap of leaves at the rear of an Elmwood avenue home last night. But in police court this morning he was not an out-of-the-ordinary place for a little snooze. Stewart was informed by Magistrate Graydon that he was charged with being intoxicated. He was dazed when the constables roused him from his slumbers. He staggered, he said, when he got to his feet.

Stewart might better have secured lodgings at the most expensive hotel in the city, a fine of \$10 and costs being imposed by Magistrate Graydon for sleeping in such a place in an uninhabited condition. Malcolm, however, will not have to worry about lodgings for the next ten days. He will have comfortable quarters in the county jail, police state, providing he fails to pay his fine.

NO DATE SET. No date has yet been set aside for a meeting of residents of Chelsea Green regarding the closing of Terrace street. City authorities expect to be able to make an agreement with the Terrace street is closed, Edna Col. Gillespie is pleased with the support given by the council in donating \$50 to help defray expenses.

LA FOLLETTE IS BRANDED AS RED

Martin W. Littleton Makes a Sensational Charge in New York Speech.

COOLIDGE ATTACKED

Associated Press Despatch. New York, Oct. 23.—While party leaders continued the manufacture of ammunition for the final campaign bombardment before the senate campaign fund investigating committee today a steady flow of oratory from politicians of every stamp and calibre was directed at the voters in every section of the United States.

Charges by one or other of the main contending parties are now being uttered daily. Overnight "sensations" included an assault upon President Coolidge by Samuel Untermyer, the noted New York attorney, in connection with the laxity in the enforcement of the prohibition law, for which Untermyer holds the president to blame; a new display of the communist bogey in connection with the La Follette-Wheeler ticket; and a violent attack upon Tammany in connection with New York state's school system by Theodore Roosevelt, Republican candidate for the governorship. There was also the customary attack upon Coolidge by La Follette.

The assault upon La Follette is directly linked up with the Russian reds was made by Martin W. Littleton, a prominent member of the New York bar, in a speech before the American defence society here. He declared "the forces seeking to destroy the United States government" is linked between the La Follette headquarters and the Communist party.

The Republican newspapers regard Mr. Littleton's assertion as a sensational disclosure, and display it with heavy headlines. This morning the Democratic papers, however, refuse to become excited over it.

NEW INSURANCE RATES PLEASE FORESTERS

Government Intervention Aids in Fixing New Scale After Long Fight.

Members of six city lodges of the Canadian order of Foresters have received good news recently, when the new rates which have been established for lodge insurance. Following a 7-year fight against a change in rates, the lodge members are now satisfied.

The rates are credited by local lodge officials as being light in comparison to other organizations, with special distinction to the British Empire.

Capt. Alfred P. Van Someren of Brantford, high court secretary, was a guest of London lodges this week. He is covering Western Ontario in a campaign to post members on changes. Officials declare that membership is good, and that only 10 per cent of the enrollment has been lost.

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LONDON'S "GIBRALTAR" FACES CRUEL FATE

Workmen Will Begin to Wreck Old Registry Building Monday.

Workmen of the Matthews' Lumber Company will commence on Monday to wreck the old registry office building at the corner of Talbot and Carling streets. Sale of the building has been agreed upon, and the building is being dismantled. The building is being dismantled. The building is being dismantled.

MRS. W. J. MAY RESIGNS AS SOLOIST OF CHURCH

Mrs. W. J. May, 522 Grosvenor street, has resigned as soloist of Knox Presbyterian church choir, the resignation to take effect at the beginning of the new year.

Mrs. May has been soloist of Knox choir for several years past. Her resignation was accepted by the officials of the congregation with the greatest regret. The appointment of a successor has been placed in the hands of the music committee.

FOREST CITY BOY SCOUTS HOLD PLEASANT EVENING

On Wednesday evening the seventh troop of boy scouts of Christ church gathered at headquarters and journeyed to St. John's church, where a friendly visit was paid.

Both troops were in charge of Scoutmaster West of St. John's troop and a talk on first aid was given. The main theme of the evening.

Mrs. Forsythe and Miss Davis of St. John's ambulance corps gave instructions in first aid and life saving.

CROSS WORD PUZZLE NO. 9

Here's a comparatively easy one containing many two-letter words in the solution. Hundreds of Advertiser readers have found the puzzles entertaining and watch daily for this fascinating feature.

"One cross word leads to another" is the slogan of this game, and the key to its solution. All the words in these puzzles, across and up and down, horizontal and vertical, interlock. When you find a word crossways, it helps you at the same time to determine the other, up-and-down, word.

Cross-word puzzles form ingenious patterns. You will be fascinated in working them out.

The directions for working out the puzzle are printed below.

Each number in the puzzle indicates the position of the first letter of a word.

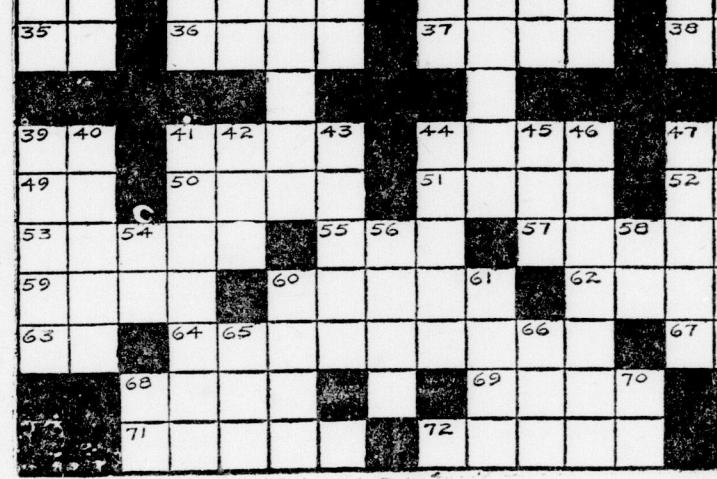
Each word reads from left to right (horizontal) or downward (vertical), according to position. Lettered in correctly, words that cross will interlock.

Each number in the white squares also refers to a definition in the accompanying table.

Each definition suggests a word possessing the exact number of letters to fit the white spaces allotted to it.

Each white space is to receive one letter only. Words start only in numbered squares.

THE ADVERTISER'S CROSS-WORD PUZZLE NO. 9.



HORIZONTAL

- 1 Signify
- 2 Appointments
- 3 Nimbus
- 4 Mexican dollar
- 5 Negation
- 6 Timid
- 7 Exclaim, of surprise
- 8 Above
- 9 Moderates
- 10 Chill
- 11 Violent strains
- 12 By
- 13 Salutations
- 14 Prescribed regimen
- 15 Exclamation
- 16 French article
- 17 Passage out
- 18 Certain quantity
- 19 Printers' measure
- 20 Parent
- 21 Deposited
- 22 Holds a session
- 23 Another parent
- 24 One or any
- 25 On the top
- 26 Reentrant angle
- 27 Primeval deity
- 28 Rent
- 29 Wear away
- 30 Musical character
- 31 Acts involving
- 32 By word of mouth
- 33 The man or person
- 34 Head hunters
- 35 Selenium (symbol)
- 36 Break
- 37 Rate of exchange
- 38 City in Utah
- 39 Angry

VERTICAL

- 1 Hush (exclam.)
- 2 Master
- 3 Man's name
- 4 Part in a warehouse
- 6 Mimics
- 7 Cardinal number
- 8 One sensible of
- 9 Consequence
- 10 Galvanize
- 11 Part of a knot
- 12 Egg shaped
- 13 Impos
- 14 Turning machine
- 15 Plaintiff crime
- 16 Unit of measure
- 17 Relating to
- 18 Goddess of
- 19 To go about idly
- 20 Asterisk
- 21 Self
- 22 Incess
- 23 Toe or finger
- 24 Style of capital
- 25 Repair
- 26 Inebriate
- 27 A lodge warrant
- 28 Cape on Atlantic Coast
- 29 Vigorous argument
- 30 Definite article
- 31 Women's club
- 32 Greedy king
- 33 Lurid
- 34 Anoint
- 35 Symbol for tellurium
- 36 Misses
- 37 Marking an alibi
- 38 To go about idly
- 39 Self
- 40 Incess
- 41 Toe or finger

SOLUTION TO NO. 8.

JORUM WRACK
CONE ANY SAND
DIET RACE BOA
ON PATCHES SPI
UNCANARY LIVES
OVAL GET EDDY
SHED ENUENI
TITIT LATEO
YE NOTABLE IS
LAW MELEE HOE
ECHO ILL PETS
HORAL LILAMA

NEW STEEL TUG ARRIVES FOR SERVICE AT PORT

Was Towed From Erie, Pa., at Speed of Five Knots an Hour.

The large steel tug boat built in Erie, Pa., for Morgan Bros. of Port Stanley arrived in the harbor this morning at 6:55, after completing a trip which started at 6 o'clock yesterday morning.

The tug, which is to be called the Woodrow Wilson or the Helen W. was towed from the American port by the Morgan, another of the Morgan Bros' boats. They did not run on the lake during the whole trip.

The cabin and engine from the old Onalag, which is being scrapped, will be used for the new tug, and the new tug is that with her sharp bow and water line and the wide deck will be able to race any tug on the lake.

F. S. ROUTLEY APPOINTED AS TEMPORARY MANAGER

F. S. Routley of Kitchener has been appointed temporary manager of the Bell Telephone Company for the district during the absence of C. H. Beard, who has been confined to his home for the past few weeks through illness. The appointment of Mr. Routley's duties commenced on Oct. 18.

Mr. Beard's illness, although not serious, is expected to render him unable to return to his duties at the Bell Telephone Company for some time. He was reported to be progressing favorably today.

FAIR BOARD MEETS. The executive of the Western fair board held a brief meeting this morning to discuss elections. The fair board is in session this afternoon, when business relative to this year's exhibition will be cleared away.

MASONRY IN CITY VIVIDLY RECALLED

Henry T. Smith, of Toronto, Addresses Members of St. John's Chapter.

BANQUET HELD

R. Ex. Comp. Henry T. Smith, Grand Scribe E. of Toronto, delivered an interesting lecture on the history of Masonry in London last night to St. John's chapter, R. A. M., No. 3, in the Masonic Temple. The occasion was the visit to the chapter hall of the visiting companions of R. Ex. Comp. R. C. Ives and the Minewawa chapter, No. 78, of Parkhill.

Following the address, supper was served and several toasts honored. The toast to the Grand Chapter of Canada was proposed by R. Ex. Comp. Thomas Rowley and responded to by R. Ex. Comp. H. C. Ives and Edwin Smith. R. Ex. Comp. A. M. Erick proposed the toast to "Our Honored Guest, R. Ex. Comp. Henry T. Smith," and following his remarks, R. Ex. Comp. John Graham presented to Mr. Smith a sterling silver flower vase with red roses. The toast to Minewawa chapter was proposed by R. Ex. Comp. Norman Newton. The toast to the visiting companions, proposed by R. Ex. Comp. James Elgie, was responded to by the visiting first principals of the city chapters.

Among those in attendance were: R. Ex. Comp. John S. Barnard and Col. A. A. Campbell, Very Ex. Comp. T. P. Elliott and Ex. Comp. J. C. Cooper of St. Alban's chapter, Toronto.

Tells of Early History. Speaking of the early history of St. John's chapter, Mr. Smith stated that one year after London became a village, in 1841, a lodge warrant, No. 209, was issued by the Grand Lodge of Ireland to Bros. Samuel Peters, Jeremiah H. Joyce and William Gunn. This lodge ceased working under the jurisdiction of Ireland in 1872, when it became known as St. John's lodge, No. 209.

"Lodge 209," he continued, "was constituted in January, 1842, with Samuel Peters as the first worshipful master and John Farley, secretary. In 1844 the corner stone of the St. Paul's church was laid with Masonic honors by members of this lodge. W. Bro. Samuel Peters, the records show, wielded the trowel on this occasion." The corner stone of the old Union school, the corner stone of Elgin county buildings, St. Thomas, and the corner stone of the buildings of prominence were laid by Lodge No. 209.

"On May 13, 1844, the Supreme Grand Chapter of Ireland issued a Royal Arch warrant to 209, London, Canada west, to the following companions: John McDowell, Samuel Peters, William C. Gunn, Alexander Armstrong, David Combe, James McDowell, George Cook, Henry Groves and Andrew McCormick. This warrant was worked until 1866.

"In 1848 to 1854 London was recognized as a town and Masonry was looked upon favorably as a social center by the people. Then in 1855 London became a city and Masonry began to take upon itself more progressive strides befitting a growing city."

After referring to the organization of the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of Canada, on Jan. 20, 1857, and that St. John's chapter was represented at that time by R. Ex. Comp. Thomas Francis, Z. Joseph F. Rolfe, P. Z., and William Daniels, M. the Grand Scribe E. referred to many old citizens who, long ago, had been connected with the old chapter, namely, A. S. Abbott, who had been city clerk of London for 33 years; James Galt, who subsequently became a judge; Thomas Scatcherd, who had been city clerk; E. J. Purkis who had been police magistrate of the city for many years; and many others he mentioned.

Mr. Smith concluded his address by a comment on the work and development which had taken place in London during the span of Masonry's existence here as well as the healthy growth of Masonry itself. Each chapter undoubtedly is doing good work, thus fulfilling the royal crafts mission and ministry."

SARNIA HOSPITAL NURSES HONOR GRADUATING CLASS

On Wednesday evening, Oct. 22, a banquet and theatre party was given in honor of the graduating class of the Sarnia general hospital and superintendent, Miss Scott, by the nurses of the training school. Miss Brown and