

## BYRON'S GREEN CAT MYSTERY IS CLOSED

Good Samaritan Mistaken For  
Rogue On Little  
Episode.

A green cat at Byron, the cause of a hurried investigation on Sunday night by High Constable Wharton and License Inspector Bolton, has been further investigated by George Tustin of the Humane Society, who reports that the cat caused all the trouble by upsetting a can of green paint on the fluffy white hide while playing ring-around-rosy with a cute little mouse.

The humane inspector states that the cat, the pride and joy of a Byron woman, emerged from a neighbor's shed dripping with paint, and this neighbor, quite horrified by the sight, endeavored to rub the paint off with a cloth. The owner of the cat saw her at work and came to the conclusion that she was dealing the "green" on instead of taking it off, and such was her indignation that she phoned for Mr. Wharton.

However, Mr. Tustin straightened the affair out yesterday, and peace in the village has once more been restored.

### QUEEN'S GIRLS UNBEATEN.

The senior girls' team at Queen's Park has yet to lose a game in the Playgrounds League. They have become a very polished aggregation under the tutelage of Miss Marion Drew, and are hoping to bring the championship to that section of the city.

## Mortgage Sale

UNDER and by virtue of the powers contained in a certain mortgage, which will be produced at the time of sale, there will be offered for sale by public auction on Wednesday, July 17, 1924, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, on the premises, the following property, namely: Lot Number Ten, on the north side of Guelph St., according to Registered Plan Number 423 for the City of London, and being the premises known as Number 13, on the North Side of Guelph St. On the premises is a 1 1/2-story house.

TERMS: Ten per cent of the purchase money to be paid down at time of sale, balance to be paid in thirty days.

For further particulars and conditions of sale, apply to Buchanan Ramsay, 426 Talbot St., London, solicitors for mortgagee.

DATED at London this Fourteenth day of July, 1924.

### Notice to Creditors

IN THE SURREGATE COURT OF THE COUNTY OF MIDDLESEX, IN THE ESTATE OF ANDREW ELLIOTT, DECEASED.

All persons having claims against the estate of Andrew Elliott, late of the City of London, in Ontario, gentleman, deceased, who died on or about 31st May 1924, at the Ontario Hospital, London, are notified to deliver, duly verified, statements of such claims to the undersigned solicitor for the London and Western Trusts Company, Limited, the administrator of the said estate, and, forthwith, the administrator will proceed to distribute the estate assets amongst the entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which it shall then have received notice.

Dated at London this 15th day of July, 1924.

JARVIS & VINING,  
101 Dundas Street, London,  
Solicitors for the Administrator.  
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### SEALED TENDERS

addressed to the undersigned and enclosed "Tender for Reconstruction of East Pier at Port Burwell, Ont." will be received at this office until 12 o'clock noon (daylight saving), Wednesday, August 6, 1924, for the reconstruction of 275 feet of East Pier at Port Burwell, Elgin County, Ont.

Plans and forms of contract can be seen and specification and forms of tender obtained at this department, at the offices of the District Engineer, Royal Bank Building, London, Ont.; Equity Building, Toronto, Ont.; and at the four offices, Port Burwell, Ont. Tenders will not be considered unless made on printed forms supplied by the Department and in accordance with conditions contained therein.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted check on a chartered bank, payable to the order of the Minister of Public Works, equal to 10 per cent of the amount of the tender. Bonds of the Dominion of Canada or bonds of the Canadian National Railway Company will also be accepted as security, or bonds and a check if required to make up an odd amount.

NOTE—Blue prints can be obtained at this department by depositing an accepted check for the sum of \$10.00, payable to the order of the Minister of Public Works, which will be returned if the intending bidder submit a regular bid.

By order,  
S. B. O'BRIEN,  
Secretary.  
Department of Public Works,  
Ottawa, July 14, 1924. J 15 23 20

## ACTION IS EXPECTED ON C.N.R. SUPPLY PLAN

Survey Being Carried Out  
Over Lines Is Nearing  
Completion.

Some definite action is expected soon by C. N. R. car shops employees throughout Canada regarding their proposal to have all supplies used by the company manufactured in the company's own shops following the completion of the survey conducted by O. R. Byers, consulting engineer for the railway employees, and R. J. Tallon, chairman of shop trades division four.

It is the proposal of the employees to have the above plan put into effect as part of a scheme of inaugurating a system of co-operation between the men and the company to reduce waste all over the C. N. R. lines.

Mr. Byers and Mr. Tallon conducted a survey of the local shops about a month ago and then left for Winnipeg and other western rail centers. They are now back east and will soon have a report ready for both the union and the company, following which it is expected the two bodies will get together to work out a method of carrying out the proposals included in the report.

## In Canada's Parliament

Canadian Press Despatch.  
Ottawa, July 15.—Today in Parliament: The Senate will not sit.

The Montreal bridge and the Toronto viaduct bills will have precedence in the Commons. The House Bank discussion may come up later in the day.

Yesterday in Parliament: The Senate gave third reading to the bill authorizing the trade convention with Belgium. Senator David introduced a motion to suspend the British preference.

In the House of Commons second reading was given to a bill authorizing the Montreal harbor commission to proceed with a bridge across the St. Lawrence. First reading was given to a bill respecting the Toronto viaduct. Committee stages on the redistribution bill were practically completed.

### CRANKSHAFT OF MOTOR PROVES PERFECT UNIT

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### COMMITTEES ARE READY FOR GREAT C. N. R. OUTING

Committees in charge of the annual C. N. R. picnic, to be held at Erie Beach this Saturday, express confidence that the occasion this year will outshine any previous outing of this nature. It is expected that local and district C. N. R. employees and their friends, numbering about six thousand, will journey from London to the popular summer resort on Lake Erie between Port Colborne and Port Erie.

Five special trains will convey the picnickers to the lake. They will leave as follows: London East station, 4:45, 5:00 and 5:45 a.m.; Richmond street station, 4:45 and 6:20 a.m. They will leave for London between 6:30 and 11 p.m.

Tickets can be secured at the C. N. R. downtown depot or from the tickets committee.

**RALPH JONES RECOVERING.**  
Ralph Jones, Lorne avenue, who fell off a swing at Queen's Playgrounds last Saturday and suffered a deep cut in his head when he swung came back and hit him, is around again.

Several stitches were made in the wound before it could be closed, and he is weak from loss of blood.

## Banking Service that Travels with You

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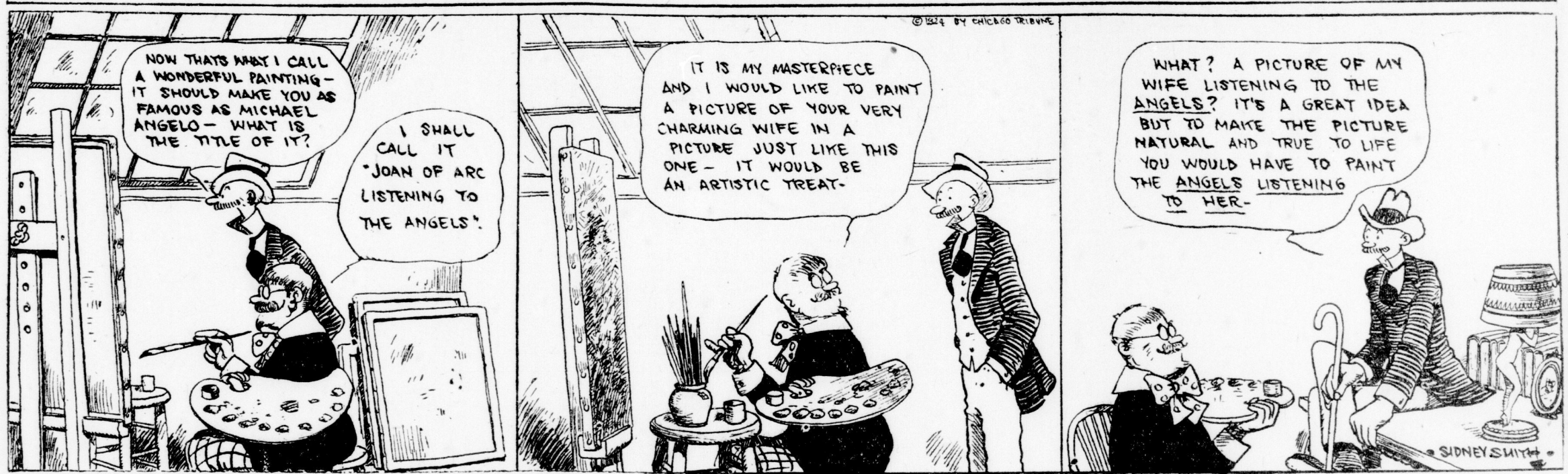
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