







The Evening Times and Star

ST. JOHN, N. B., OCTOBER 3, 1917
The St. John Evening Times is printed at 27 and 29 Canterbury Street, every evening (Sundays excepted) by The St. John Times Printing and Publishing Co., Ltd., a company incorporated under the Joint Stock Companies Act.

WITHIN OUR OWN REACH

What is it that makes for civic betterment and material development in any community? Is it not the time and thought the citizens individually and collectively give to other than the promotion of their own business and their own pleasures?

the company, President Mitten, in the light of his experience, says:—"If the forces of labor and management will combine so effectively as to produce almost 100 per cent more per man employed, much if not all that is required to overcome the high cost of living will have been accomplished."

Montreal Herald:—Every investor in the victory loan will be in the position of a banker who lends money to a client for the development of his business. It is every way desirable that the sum required should be raised within Canada.



Rippling Rhymes by Walt Mason

INDISPENSIBLE
I once was clerking in a shop, dispensing lemonade and pop, and doodads of the kind; and as I worked I used to think the store would store the patrons would go there no more, but follow where I went;

CANADA—EAST AND WEST

DOMINION HAPPENINGS OF OTHER DAYS
THE COMING OF CONNAUGHT
On October 8, 1869 Prince Arthur of Connaught, destined to be known in later years as the Duke of Connaught, arrived in Montreal to assume the duties of an officer of the C. O. Rifles.

IODINE TO LAST FOREVER

Iodine that household first aid for cuts, bruises, and sprains, as well as the antiseptic which saved thousands of lives during the war, is a medicament about which most persons hold the vaguest ideas.

EXTENSION SIDEWALK SKATES

These Skates have high-grade steel tops, and are strong and durable. They are constructed with high steel backs, fitted with web straps and steel rolls. Extend from 7 1/4 to 9 1/2 inches. Adjustment is easily made and will hold.

Price \$1.75

McAVITY'S 11-17 King St. Phone M. 2540

The Most Important Article In The Household Is The Kitchen Range and it should be the best. In buying the ENTERPRISE "ROYAL GRAND" RANGE you are sure to get the best that money can buy or that expert mechanics can produce.

JUST RECEIVED A Very Beautiful Collection of CAULDON CHINA W. H. HAYWARD CO., LIMITED 85-93 Princess Street

SPECIAL VALUES IN LADIES' BLACK, BROWN AND GREY LACED BOOTS. Long Sighted Buying permits us to sell these beautiful goods at astonishing low prices.

Auto Insurance Fire, Theft, Transportation, Liability, Property Damage and Collision at Lowest Rates. C. E. L. Jarvis & Son 74 Prince William St.

O day of smoke and flame, O ancient festival! Upon the altars of the earth The sacred fires play.

O day of smoke and flame, O ancient festival! Upon the altars of the earth The sacred fires play.

O day of smoke and flame, O ancient festival! Upon the altars of the earth The sacred fires play.

O day of smoke and flame, O ancient festival! Upon the altars of the earth The sacred fires play.

NEWS NOTES ABOUT PROMINENT BAPTISTS
Miss E. E. Gaunce, Missionary in India, Resigns and is Married
Rev. Milton Addison, home mission evangelist has closed a successful campaign with the Second North river church.

Hon. P. J. Venot need not have applied to the Standard regarding the wharves on the St. John river, since nobody takes the Standard seriously. It is worth while, however, to have the facts clearly presented, especially in regard to the record of the former government.

WHAT CO-OPERATION DID. In the City of Philadelphia street car fares are only five cents. Yet in eight years wages have been raised, service improved, and dividends developed from nothing at all to five per cent per annum.

The federal government proposes to pass the prohibition back to the provinces, but they may be contented to make the most of the amended C. T. A.

The long deferred inquest on the defect opposition party in this province is to be held on Nov. 6. The harrowing details will perhaps be withheld but the verdict will be interesting.

Denkine and Kolchak have each given the Bolshevik another jolt. Their ailing success will bring more recruits to the cause of real democracy.

THE UNCHANGEABLE TRUENON. (London Morning Post) Germany is always ready to change sides to repudiate a pledge, and to betray a friend.

MILLION DOLLAR HOTEL. London, Ont., hears that a syndicate is planning the erection of a million-dollar hotel in that city.

COMMON SENSE NEEDED. (Shoe and Leather Reporter) In almost every instance where merchandise is huddled or trampled in cost, one of the important contributory causes was the reckless and imprudent use of the consumer.

THE PRICE OF MILK. (Montreal Herald) The result of the hurried visit of the Board of Commerce to Montreal is that that body has itself advanced the price of milk exactly by the amount that the Herald intimated.

LIHTER VEIN Nothing is Worry About. The village shop was very full when the dusty youth, with a pack on his back, entered.

Then She Screamed. A certain young actress had a small part in a "war" drama—very small, and she was not satisfied.

BURGLARIES INCREASE. A marked increase in crime, particularly in the burgling of vaults, safety deposit boxes and in daylight hold-ups was noted by L. W. Cannon, protective manager of the American Bankers' Association, reporting at the annual convention in St. Louis.

The Retort Crisp. After a grand review of the German troops at Potsdam some years ago the Kaiser called out to the officer commanding the Prussian Guard in a voice loud enough to be heard by all the distinguished guests who were grouped in front of the palace.







POOR DOCUMENT

M 2 0 3 5

THE EVENING TIMES AND STAR, ST. JOHN, N. B., WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 8, 1919

YOU HAVE A COLD WE HAVE A CURE The Ross Drug Co., Ltd 100 KING STREET St. John, N. B.

Take a Peep at The NEW FALL HATS MARR MILLINERY CO., LTD.

Ladies' and Misses' Wool and Silk Sweaters, Slip-Ons and Pull-Overs F. S. THOMAS 539 to 545 Main Street

NOW SHOWING SPECIAL VALUE IN BLACK AND GREY FALL OVERCOATS Turner 440 Main St. St. John, N. B. Cor. Sheriff

After the Show, Have a Savory Hot Supper at THE ROYAL GARDENS Garden Cafe - Royal Hotel

Fireplace Furnishings Fenders - Andirons Spark Guards W. H. THORNE & CO., LIMITED

LOCAL NEWS HOME FROM NORTH SHORE HAD PLEASANT TIME COLONEL RAMSAY HERE

MRS. JAMES CULLINAN Former St. John Man at Head Again R. G. Larsen President of Boston Theatre Managers' Association

THE LOWERING OF PRICES GRADUAL O'Connor, in Halifax, Says Sudden Drop Would Mean Ruin—A Word For Traders

REMARKABLE GERANIUM IN A CARLETON HOME Description of Freak Plant That Will Interest Many People

THE VICTORY MEDAL Further information regarding the "Victory Medal" has been received at local military headquarters.

TREATED ISLAND CHILDREN The first J. D. O'Connell picnic in P. E. Island took place last week at Victoria Park.

Men's New Shirts For Fall MACAULAY BROS. & CO., LIMITED

A Ten Days Sale of Heating Stoves Offering Unusual Values D. J. BARRETT

Great Special Sale Boy's Suits \$10.98 Oak Hall - Scovil Bros., Ltd.

Here's A Severe Test! Hercules Spring Holding 12 Kegs of Nails for Five Days in our Window A. Ernest Everett

STETSON BUY APPAREL That You Know IS GOOD D. Magee's Sons, Limited - Saint John, N. B.





THE PRINCE LAYS CORNER STONE OF CITY HIGH SCHOOL AT VANCOUVER



GERMANY'S CRIMES COLOSSAL BLUNDER

Gave Britain Legal Weapon Which Spelt Defeat to Enemy

BY INDIRECT BLOCKADE

Viscount Finlay Gave Montreal Canadian Club Instructive Address on Great Britain's Retaliatory Measures

(Montreal Gazette.) "Retaliation and the Indirect Blockade" was the subject of an address given yesterday by Rt. Hon. Viscount Finlay...

In opening, Lord Finlay dealt with the much-abused phrase, "freedom of the seas," and the contention on some sides that private property should be as free from seizure on the seas as on land...

A blockade of no use against an enemy whose fleet was off the ocean and who secured supplies indirectly through neutral ports...

As to retaliation for wrongs done by the enemy, Lord Finlay said this dated back to Napoleon's time, when he in 1807 proclaimed a blockade of the British Isles...

Napoleon's provocation was great, but was absolutely nothing as compared with the ruthless policy announced by the enemy...

Advertisement for ROYAL MINT Virginia Cut Plug TOBACCO. Includes the slogan 'STOP! Now take your signal from the traffic policeman. Go ahead smoke ROYAL MINT.' and a picture of a man smoking.

Advertisement for Challenge Cleanable Collar 'THE CANADA'. Features a portrait of a man and text describing the collar's features and availability at The Arlington Co. of Canada.

German submarine campaign, in attacking and sinking any vessel carrying traffic to or from Great Britain. "If what Napoleon tried to do deserved seven-fold vengeance, said Lord Finlay, when what the Germans did deserved seventy-fold vengeance. (Applause.)

This doctrine of the indirect blockade, considering not merely the ostensible, but the ultimate destination of supplies had been laid down in the American civil war, and this principle of ultimate destination still held good in determining contraband with an indirect blockade...

Watching New York Boat at the Canal

A sojourner within a certain belt of territory lying across Cape Cod would be likely to be immensely surprised some day when looking out across the land he saw emerging from behind a stretch of woods and then making steadily on right across the country a tramp steamer or perhaps a yacht or a tow of barges...



JIM was a lineman before the war. It was difficult to find a uniform broad enough across the shoulders for him when he "joined up" in 1914.

Jim found army discipline hard at first, but picked up the "war business" very quickly. He was one of the first of the "trench raiders," a Canadian contribution to the art of warfare.

But one fell night his luck gave out. He stepped into a stream of machine gun bullets. When consciousness came to him again, far in the rear of our lines, he was horrified to find his right leg missing.

During the ensuing months Jim's progress was—Clearing Station,—Boulogne,—"Blighy" and Home—Canada!

The shock of the operation left Jim pretty weak for a time. He was content to sit idly in a chair in the sun. But this grew tiresome after a bit. When he began to think about getting back to work he realized that a lineman with an artificial leg was rather impractical.

At this critical juncture, the Department of Soldiers' Civil Re-establishment came forward and with knowledge and experience pointed the way out.

After long and earnest discussion, it was mutually decided that the nearest thing to his old trade was that of a telegraph despatcher. If Jim couldn't any more string wires on the poles he could learn to send

the messages over the wires that the other fellow put up. So under the direction of the D.S.C.R. telegraph instructor Jim studied and perfected himself as an operator. This accomplished, the D.S.C.R. quickly found him a position.

Jim is all right now. He's contented as only a man who works can be contented. He is earning more money than before. His enthusiasm is high for the D.S.C.R., which gave him the training whereby he is again an independent and prosperous citizen.

The records of the Department of Soldiers' Civil Re-establishment contain endless details in the matter of re-training ex-soldiers—a disabled farm laborer is now a machinist; a carpenter who lost four fingers on his right hand is now a draughtsman at a good salary; a former plasterer is now a printer.

Department of Soldiers' Civil Re-establishment. Brief summary of the work to August 31st, 1919. Table with categories: VOCATIONAL, MEDICAL, INFORMATION AND SERVICE, and various numerical statistics.

This great nation-wide organization of the D.S.C.R. requires a considerable expenditure. To meet its expenses a part of the Victory Loan 1919 is to be used. But its maintenance, until every disabled ex-soldier is fitted with a vocation enabling him to earn for himself an adequate and independent living, is one of the most sacred obligations that Canada has to discharge.

VICTORY LOAN 1919

"Every Dollar Spent in Canada"

Issued by Canada's Victory Loan Committee in cooperation with the Minister of Finance of the Dominion of Canada.

has a lift span that is opened to let the boats through. The New York boat, on its way from Boston, enters the Massachusetts Bay end of the canal about 8:30 p. m. Before that hour the roads have begun to stream with automobiles and the bridges have begun to fill with people who have come about to see the spectacle. Many of the automobiles follow the canal along both sides, going from their starting points on one side and back on the other. Many park at or near one of the bridges; some park along the way.









WHITE SOX STAGE COMEBACK

Defeat Cincinnati Reds in Tenth Inning After Game Seems Hopelessly Lost

The Chicago White Sox came across with one of the big surprises of the present world's series yesterday afternoon when they defeated the Cincinnati Reds in ten innings by a score of 5 to 4.

The game was a loose one, but was replete with good plays and hard hitting and proved more interesting to the thousands of fans than any other played so far in the series, which is to decide the baseball supremacy of the world.

MEET HERE FOR FOOTBALL LEAGUE

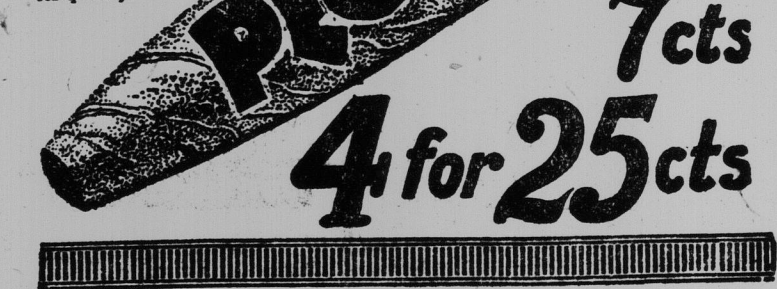
Renewal of Inter-Collegiate Play to be Talked Over on Next Saturday. Fredericton, N. B., Oct. 3.—The inter-collegiate football league of the maritime provinces will be revived at a meeting to be held in St. John on next Saturday.

Semi-ready Tailoring:

"Not a week passes by without our being able to show some styles and fabrics that are new and distinctive—

Try a "Peg Top"

FORGET THE PRICE! If you appreciate a good, long, sweet smoke, try a PEG TOP. Imported Tobacco, Long Filler. NO SCRAPS, NO CUTTINGS.



Advertisement for Master Mason Plug Smoking Tobacco, featuring an illustration of a man smoking and text describing the product's quality and availability.

Baseball score table for Chicago White Sox vs Cincinnati Reds, showing innings, runs, hits, errors, and totals for both teams.

Summary—Two base hits, Groh, Duncan, Reuther, Weaver (2). Three base hits, Neale, Stolen bases, Daubert, Rath, Schalk, Liebold. Sacrifice hits, Kerr, Daubert. Double plays, Roush to Groh, Jackson to Schalk, Hiseberg to E. Collins.

SPORT NEWS OF A DAY; HOME AND ABROAD

BOWLING

Interesting Match Game. An interesting bowling match was played on the "Great War Veterans" bowling alleys last evening between a team representing the G. W. V. A. and one from Emerson & Fisher.

BASEBALL

A \$60,000 Bet. Cincinnati, Oct. 3.—Seven baseball fans, business men, today bet \$60,000 on the Reds winning today's contest. The money was wagered in Chicago.

FOOTBALL

U. N. B. Freshmen Win. Fredericton, Oct. 3.—(Special)—The Rugby season was opened here last night when the freshmen team of the U. N. B. defeated Fredericton High school 12 to 0.

Advertisement for The Star Theatre featuring William Farnum in "Hoodman Blind". Includes text: "The Name of William Farnum is Sufficient to Guarantee An Exceptionally Good Feature."

Advertisement for Empress Theatre Tonight featuring Baby Marie Osborne in "The Little Diplomat".

Advertisement for Queen Square Theatre featuring Mae Murray in "The Twin Pawns".

Advertisement for Opera House Vaudeville featuring Mardo and Hunter, Dorothy Bard, and the Canton Trio.

Advertisement for Germany Wants An Enormous Loan To Restore Position, discussing international financial matters.

Advertisement for Grand Circuit Events, including a feature event at the grand circuit and a race at the Phoenix Hotel.

Advertisement for Macdonald's Twist Plug Chewing, featuring an illustration of a man mining and text: "The Tobacco with a Heart."

Advertisement for Imperia featuring Anita Stewart in "Mary Regan". Includes text: "FINAL DAY FOR THIS GREAT FEATURE Which inaugurates Our 6th Anniversary Month of Big Photo-plays."

Advertisement for Opera House Vaudeville featuring Mardo and Hunter, Dorothy Bard, and the Canton Trio.

Advertisement for Germany Wants An Enormous Loan To Restore Position, discussing international financial matters.

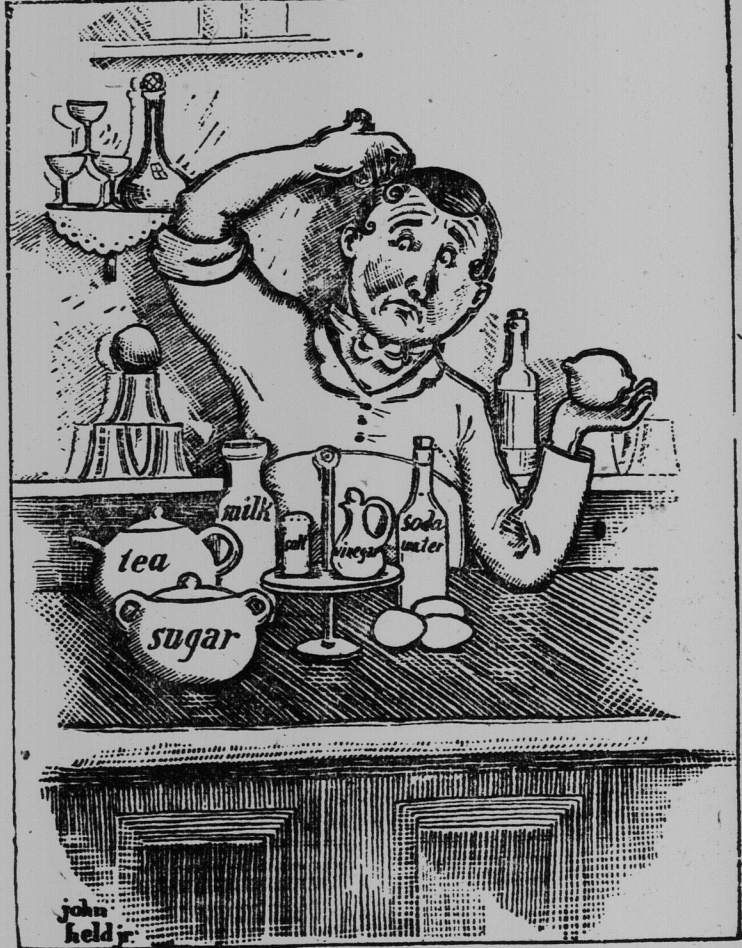
Advertisement for Grand Circuit Events, including a feature event at the grand circuit and a race at the Phoenix Hotel.

Advertisement for Macdonald's Twist Plug Chewing, featuring an illustration of a man mining and text: "The Tobacco with a Heart."

Advertisement for The Kola Process, featuring an illustration of a pipe and text: "The Kola Process is a secret treatment of the briar root."

Advertisement for The Kola Process, featuring an illustration of a pipe and text: "The Kola Process is a secret treatment of the briar root. Price: One Dollar."

A BARTENDER OF THE FUTURE



The Great American Drought As Viewed By An Englishman

(By E. B. Osborn, in the London Morning Post) America has been dry for two months and some of the consequences of being so sober rather than free are now more or less clearly apparent. One has a distressing vision of 100,000,000 American citizens, all "naturally free born," according to the preamble of their written Constitution (which now has as many holes in it as a Gruyere cheese), living through the hottest season of the year with their tongues and even the tabs of their boots thirstily hanging out at full length. It is not altogether a true picture. America is not yet bone dry. The wealthy man can still drink as much "hard" stuff as he likes at home. There are plutocrats in New York and other cities both great and small, who have hundreds of barrels of whiskey and other stanch liquors stored up in the cellars of their brown stone residences. A New York journal gives a list as follows of the effect of prohibition in the metropolis: It is impossible to buy whiskey unless you have money. Scotch and cocktails are served in coffee cups. "Sherry" is the new trade name for brandy. The large hotels are keeping strictly to the law, but there is always a place nearby. One restaurant which made a specialty of wine is losing \$1,000 a day. At one restaurant cocktails may be had in the telephone booth. Free lunch has been re-established on an elaborate scale. The savings banks report business about normal. A leading pawnbroker notes a slight improvement. Domestic strife as revealed in the Domestic Relations Courts continues without abatement. Bellevue hospital reports an increase of cases of the psychopathic ward for July, 1919, over July, 1918. Other hospitals note little change. Generally speaking, then, the drought which has been imposed upon a population that was never directly consulted has the aspect of a Puritanical imposture. We are supposed to be a nation of hypocrites—but American can beat us at the game of hypocritical look-see as easily as a first-rate professional team from New York or Chicago could out-sport and out-play a side of cricketers at baseball. In the course of a single year some 30,000 Acts, many of them enforcing dictates of a sky-high morality, are placed upon the statute-books of the various states of the Union. But barely 1 per cent of these acts will ever be carried out, or for that matter, were ever intended to be carried out. Prohibition if we judge it by the intentions of the men who intend to prohibit and the men who are prohibited, is the most sublime and the most ridiculous of all these legislative impostures. The "dry" journals are busy striving to prove that prohibition has already diminished the volume of American crime. There is of course a residue of truth in the statistics they submit. It is not as easy as it used to be for a criminal in the making, who cannot afford to pay two or three dollars for an illicit dram of spirits, to work through the table of wet measures: 2 drams or horns—1 jag. 3 jags—1 year. 2 years—1 arrest-cure. until his courage is keyed up to assault his mother-in-law, or sandbag a citizen

for his wad of dollars. Drunkenness is the immediate cause (though not the cause causans) of many serious crimes and anything that prevents the drunkard from getting all the liquor he wants will have an effect which is promptly reflected in the statistics of crime. So it is not at all surprising to learn from the Boston Police Department that last July, as compared with July, 1918, arrests for drunkenness are fewer by five-sixths and that the prison population has diminished to some extent. But we shall not know what the diminution really amounts to until the ill-balanced persons who cannot get whiskey or rum have had time to become consumers of drugs. In New York the Health Commissioner notes an increase in the use of cocaine, and the police authorities say that the substitution of drugs for liquor makes criminals harder to catch. But, seeing that criminals form only an infinitesimal part of the total population, the ease for prohibition is not strengthened by these small diminutions, which may be largely due to the fact that a criminal when sober has a much better chance of escaping than when he is tanked up as the saying is. William H. Anderson, who has been chiefly responsible for bringing about the great American drought has been interviewed by the Forum (New York) and some of his answers to leading questions should be seriously considered by those who, like myself, think freedom a better thing than enforced sobriety. He justifies the use of corrupt and undemocratic means for achieving his ends on the plea that he "thought Satan with his own fire." Mr. Anderson says it down that there is no such thing as personal liberty, which is a remarkable thing for an American citizen to say, and requires no comment. Asked if the churches thought that light wines and beer affected a man's religion, he gave a qualified affirmative, asserting "that it is wrong for a man to drink alcoholic liquor as a beverage, because he thereby defiles his body as a temple of the Holy Spirit." He promises to finance a world-wide campaign against the cup of kindness which you and I take at times, the whole planet to be governed by his pussy-footed cotests. But I do not think he will find Englishmen as easily deprived of personal liberty as his American compatriots, and should he try to preach his Coca-Bolshevism over here I think he will get a kick from John Bull's sturdy booted leg which will land him back in the middle of his own thirsty continent. Prohibition has had some curious commercial effects. Picture theatres and ice-cream parlors are doing a vastly increased business. Enormous numbers of appliances for making liquor are being sold for ten dollars you can procure your own private still. Immigrants of wine-drinking races are flocking out of the United States; many, no doubt, will go to the Latin-American States and help to build them up into first-class powers. Vast stores of wine and spirits are being accumulated at strategic points outside United States territory—in readiness for the time when the drought breaks up and the average American is no longer compelled to drink 2 7/8 per cent beer and a host of gaseous substitutes for the decent tipples he formerly consumed in moderation. A thunder of trundling kegs will echo round the world when the "wets" call the bluff of the "drys" and Mr. Anderson and his lieutenants ride out on fence-nails in tar and feathers. It is certain that these Coca-Bolsheviks will use their temporary victory with tyrannical insolence—their next step is to

Mothers! Don't Miss This Great Special Sale of BOYS' SUITS

Sizes 6 to 18 Years

\$10.98

Regular \$14, \$15 and \$16 Suits



This is a wonderful lot of Suits—stylish, well made, staunch wearing—intended for selling in the regular way for up to \$16, but our buyer procured them from a well-known maker at a price which means splendid economy for our customers.

If You Only Knew the condition of the clothing market today as we do, and how much more Boys' Suits are likely to cost in the near future when present stocks are sold, you would not hesitate a second in making up your mind to outfit your boy now with one or more of these suits. This great saving will be yours for

Three Days Thursday, Friday, Saturday

SUITS in fancy grey and fancy brown Tweeds and Worsteds, Norfolk style, stitched belt or loose belt. Pockets are slash, patch or set-in. Sizes 6 to 18 years.

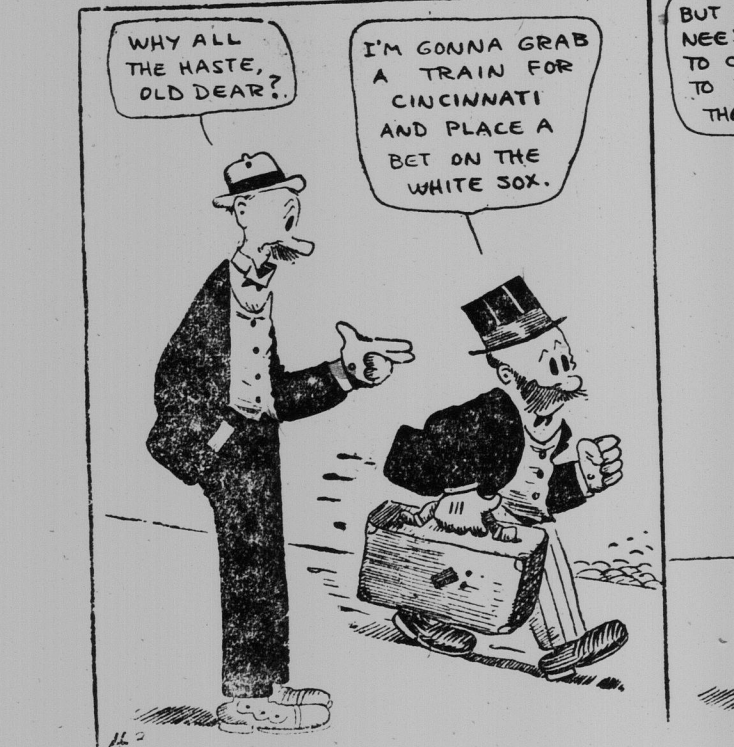
Sale Starts Tomorrow Morning

See These Suits in Our Windows

Boys' Shop—Fourth Floor

OAK HALL - Scovil Bros., Limited King Street

MUTT AND JEFF—FOR A MINUTE JEFF



THOUGHT HE WAS GONNA TO PICK UP SOME EASY COIN



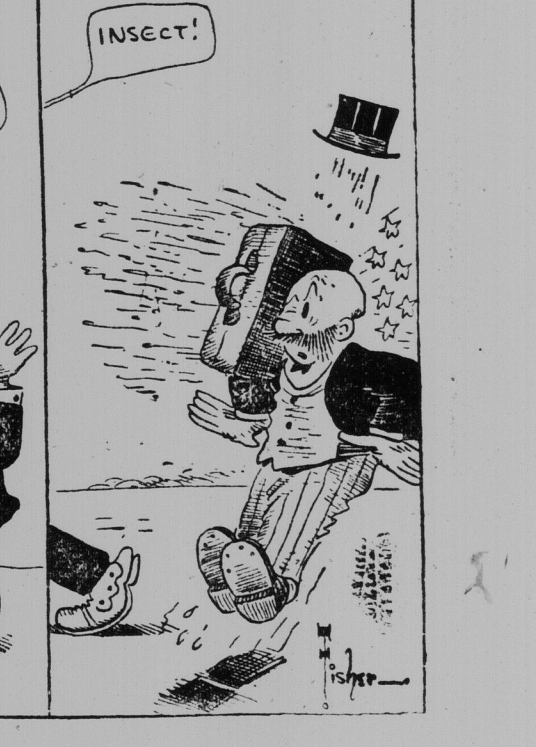
Read Actresses' Letters to Wife



Woman Complains She Had to Listen to Spicy Epistles to Her Husband



USE The Want Ad Way



By "BUD" FISHER