

30-35¢, 35¢-45¢; beans, hampers, wax and green, \$3.25; beets, 35¢; carrots, 40¢; onions, green 20¢; celery, 60¢ to 75¢ per dozen; new potatoes, \$5 per barrel; watermelon, \$1; cabbage, \$3 per crate.

Ramsay MacDonald Tries To Avert Crisis Pending London Conference

EXPLAINS HIS TRIP TO GOVERNMENT

British Premier Says He Visited Paris to Remove Complicated Situation.

MUST TAKE TIME

Associated Press Despatch.
London, July 10.—Prime Minister MacDonald declared today in the House of Commons that he had made his trip to Paris in order to remove an unfortunate complication which had threatened to destroy the work which had been done to make possible the holding in London, July 16, of an inter-allied conference on the Dawes report.

Mr. MacDonald said the British government had taken the view that the experts' report should be put into operation without delay. He asserted that many details would have to be settled in conference preparatory to carrying out the report.

Premier Ramsay MacDonald returned last night from Paris. He drove immediately to Downing street, and announced that he felt too tired to make any statement regarding his conversations with Premier Herriot of France. At the government's request the proposed debate in the House of Commons today on the outcome of Mr. MacDonald's visit to Paris has been postponed to a later date. No official reason was given, but the delay probably was decided upon because of the prime minister's health and the suggestion of the advisability of giving him brief rest.

Great satisfaction was expressed today throughout British officialdom over the results of the premier's visit to Paris and confidence seemed to be felt that the allied conference on reparations would open here July 16 as planned.

Mr. MacDonald is still suffering from ill-health, but made known his intention to make an important statement in the House of Commons this afternoon regarding his meeting with Premier Herriot of France.

BRIDGE MAY BE BUILT TO BECHER'S ISLAND

Playgrounds Officials Consider Erection of Pontoon Type Structure.

Playgrounds officials are working on a scheme whereby a pontoon bridge may be built at Becher's Island playground. If such a structure can be put up economically it will be built at an early date.

At the present time access to the playground and swimming pool is available from St. George street, only from a steep bank and through a thickly wooded bit of land. The construction of a temporary bridge to the island would greatly convenience the swimmers and bathers at the swimming pool.

A good bathing beach, with clear, running water is available now. Capt. Wooding, the instructor of swimming there, is an expert in this work and well-liked by the children and other patrons. Easier access to the playground would make it immensely popular, officials declare.

SUPERVISOR IN CITY.
J. R. Collins, general commercial supervisor of the Bell Telephone Company, here today and tomorrow making his semi-annual visit to the local offices of the company and conferring on matters of business with E. Burrows, division manager, and F. B. McCleary, commercial supervisor, London district.

PAYS \$10 FINE.
William Perkins paid \$10 and costs for speeding along the Pipe Line road at 28 miles an hour, when he appeared before Magistrate Graydon this morning.

Motorcycle Officer Notified stated he stopped Perkins, and the latter told him to "stick the number down, I want to get along."

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THE HAPLESS STEAMER MODJESKA.

A jinx must be pursuing the steamer Modjeska, running between Hamilton and Toronto, these days, for she has been in three accidents recently. This is what happened when the boat, with 40 passengers aboard, ran into the breakers at Sunnyside in the fog. The boat was pushed in three or four feet. On the left side she is shown with sea-surgeon's patch of canvas, a big tarpaulin pulled tight with ropes, over the crushed-in bow.

DOMINION RIFLE MEET WILL OPEN AUGUST 18

Connaught Ranges To Be the Scene of Sixteen Competitions.

There will be sixteen competitions in the forthcoming meet of the Dominion of Canada Rifle Association to be held at the Connaught Ranges, Aug. 18 to 23.

There are seven competitions open to members of His Majesty's Forces, as follows: The MacDonald, 200 and 300 yards; The King's Medal, 200, 300 and 600; The Borden, 200; The Donald, 300; The Bankers, 200 and 300; The Gzowski, 100, 600; the governor-general's, 200, 300, 500, 600.

The Walker, 200 and 300 yards; the MacDonald, 200 and 300; the City of Ottawa, 300 and 500; will be open to all. The judging distance and the post entries will be open to all. The Bostock Memorial of 200, 300, 600, will be open to mounted men; the Transvaal open to South African veterans. The Cadets, 200 and 300, will be open to cadets only. The Tyro open to Tyros.

The Grand Aggregate will be open to all. The Whittier Aggregate open to cadets. Gooding Aggregate open to Juniors.

The following aggregates will be open to all: The Extra Series Aggregate, the Revolver Aggregate, the Membership and the Subscription to the Marksman Aggregate.

In Canada's Parliament

Canadian Press Despatch.
Ottawa, July 10.—Wednesday in Parliament.—The Senate adopted the bill to authorize a Canadian National branch from Kamloops to Kelowna, B. C. The government leader said he expected prorogation next Wednesday or Thursday.

The Senate made progress on routine business today. The bill to amend the insurance act was given a second reading. The bill to authorize an inspector-general of banks passed committee and stands for third reading.

Good progress was made with routine bills and orders.

Today in Parliament.—The Senate will sit.

In the Commons estimates will be considered.

LAIRD'S SUNDAY SCHOOL HOLDS ANNUAL PICNIC

Over one hundred members and friends of Laird's Sunday School gathered in the woods of H. Murrell on July 5 to hold their annual picnic. Baseball between the married and single men was a close contest, which was won by the married men.

Sports and races conducted by W. Bent and H. Jones consisted of the following:
Boys' race, under 8—H. Houlton.
C. Bent, G. Jones.
Girls' race, under 12—G. Bent, V. Brass, M. Logan.

B. Murrell.
Boys, under 12—T. Jones, E. Evans, B. Murrell.
Girls, 16 and under—M. Henderson, V. Jones, H. Judge.

Boys, 16 and under—B. Murrell, N. Woods, J. Jones.
Young ladies' race—J. Bent, M. Murrell, M. Woosman.
Young men's race—C. Jones, V. Woods, W. Jones.

Young married ladies—Mrs. F. Houlton, Mrs. Lackey, Mrs. J. Judge.
Men's race—A. Scott, R. Jones.
Middle-aged ladies—Mrs. Bent, Mrs. Brass.

Middle-aged men—H. Jones, J. Judge, H. Brass.

Three-legged race—G. and G. Murrell, N. Woods and J. Jones, V. Woods and W. Jones.
Chums race—V. Woods and J. Bent, M. Woosman and C. Jones, G. Murrell and M. Murrell.

Another great feature was the baby show. G. Henshaw, M. Lackey, A. Logan and R. Judge winning.

CADET INSTRUCTION.
The fourteen students taking the cadet course at the summer school of the University of Western Ontario met for instruction today. The course opened on Tuesday. There will be classes on Tuesdays and Thursdays at 4:30 p.m. for students taking cadet training.

MAYOR OFFERS TROPHY FOR RED-HEADED BABY

Competition One of Many Novelties at Annual Grocers' Picnic.

A shield donated by Mayor Wenize for the best red-headed baby on the grounds will be one of the features of the grocers' annual picnic at Port Stanley on Wednesday next. Nine other cups and prizes will be offered for beautiful babies.

The grocers' picnic is one of the best attended events of the summer season. The committees, under Chairman H. B. Rosser, P. H. Ranahan, Thomas Shaw, F. Cummings, Frank Pierce and Fred Laphorne, are busy drawing up a program which is calculated to eclipse all previous successes.

There will be a drawing for ten special prizes. The tickets will be free. Everyone going to the grocers' picnic will be given a ticket with their railway ticket. The ten prizes will be made up of grocery lines, sugar, tea, coffee and other such goods.

A trophy for the best amateur in the 100-yard dash will be donated by Fred Lawerson. To hold the trophy permanently it will have to be won two years in succession.

The music for the occasion will be supplied by the Hussars band.

TWO GIRLS ORDERED TO LEAVE LONDON

Case Against Chinaman Dismissed When Evidence Is Not Sufficient.

Jean Burgess, nineteen, and Dorothy Manning, eighteen, were ordered home to Detroit by Magistrate Graydon this morning. The girls were apprehended in the backroom of a Chinese laundry at 247 Clarence street at 10 o'clock last night in company with Wong Lee, by Constables Langford, Loader and Fuller.

The girls, who are both quite pretty, were charged with vagrancy, and the Chinaman with being disorderly.

The Burgess girl was in court several weeks ago and discharged at that time, being implicated in a liquor charge with a visiting ball player.

Today's case was heard in the magistrate's office, after which the girls were placed on the noon train for Detroit. The Chinaman was discharged, as evidence was not sufficient to warrant a conviction.

RUTH CHAPTER PATROL TO BRING CARNIVAL HERE

Ruth Chapter Patrol, Order Eastern Star, has arranged to bring the Happyland Shows in London from July 14 until July 19 in Queen's Park for the benefit of their building fund and the Florence Nightingale Home Fund.

Happyland is one of the foremost amusement companies to be seen in Ontario this year. The amusements to be presented are the circus side show, featuring Al Salvai, a magician and entertainer; Wonderland, with its freaks and strange people; the Mysterious Kick, a new mechanical show; the Dixieland Minstrels, a company of 20 singers, dancers and comedians; wild animal arena, hip-podrome, merry-go-round, Ferris wheel, chair-a-ride, seaplanes and the children's playgrounds, where miniature rides and other attractions suitable for the little ones will be had.

Everything in connection with Happyland is up-to-date and clean, and will be under the management of Ruth Chapter Patrol.

MANY PICNICS PLANNED FOR SPRINGBANK TODAY

Yesterday was a record-breaker in picnic making at Springbank Park, and this afternoon the pilgrim age of holiday-makers was maintained. Among the picnicers at the popular park were the Aberdeen School Mothers' Club, Knollwood Park Mothers' Club, the McNeill clan, Springbank reunion, Hale Street Methodist Church and Empress Avenue.

MRS. D. L. MCRAE MAN IN CHATHAM ADDRESSES W.M.S. NOT LOST PASTOR

Kintore Ladies' Aid and the W. M. S. Hold Joint Meeting.

Mrs. D. E. Henderson was hostess of the Kintore Ladies' Aid Society and W. M. S. of the Presbyterian Church at their regular monthly meeting which was held on Tuesday afternoon with a large attendance of 58.

Mrs. F. R. Thornton presided over the Ladies' Aid meeting. The 53rd chapter of Isaiah was read alternately and Mrs. W. J. Borland offered prayer. After singing "I Am Thine, O Lord," Miss Gladys Borland played a much enjoyed piano solo.

The secretary was instructed to obtain prices of communion trays with glasses. Two members were appointed to see about buying a new cook stove for the church basement, and were asked to report at the next meeting. The members were asked to send flowers through the summer to the sick and shut-in members.

Mrs. A. D. Riddell then favored the meeting with a beautiful vocal solo. The collection and fees amounted to six dollars. Mrs. D. L. McCrae of London made a short prayer.

The W. M. S. held their meeting directly after the Ladies' Aid and the president, Mrs. Walter Oliver, presided. Mrs. George Oliver read Romans 12 for the Bible reading and Mrs. Joseph McMurray led in prayer.

It was decided to hold the thank-offering service on the second or third Sunday in October, and Mrs. Galbraith, the district W. M. S. president, who was present, was asked to find out if Miss Mitchell could be the speaker on that day. If she can come, the thank-offering sister societies are to be invited. Mrs. Chalmers gave an interesting report of her visits and Mrs. Oliver's last month to the sick members.

James McCaul and Mrs. G. B. Anderson, senior, kindly volunteered to do the visiting this month. A vocal duet, "Dear to the Heart," was sung by Mrs. Riddell and Miss Jean McGee. The interesting feature of the meeting was a most inspiring address by Mrs. McCrae of London. Mrs. McCrae outlined briefly the history of the W. M. S. down through the years. She said that all W. M. S. members be loyal to the W. M. S. and so help in reaching the longed-for membership of 100,000 this year in Canada. She also urged that all W. M. S. members be loyal to the whole church in the present crisis.

Mrs. McCrae offered a prayer at the close of her splendid address. The roll call was responded to by the repeating of a scripture verse beginning with the letter "E". Mrs. I. H. Macdonald spoke a few words in deep appreciation of Mrs. McCrae's address and expressed gratitude to Mrs. Galbraith for bringing the speaker to the meeting.

Mrs. Henderson served a dainty refreshment and everyone enjoyed a pleasant social period.

The music for the occasion will be supplied by the Hussars band.

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PROGRESS OF "TECH" GRADUATES CHARTED

Attendance Officer Sims Is Working On Plan To Aid Training Methods.

Progress of graduates of the technical high school is being checked up by M. M. Sims, attendance officer of the board of education. This co-ordinating work by Mr. Sims is intended to provide the technical school with information regarding the progress of its graduates and is expected to be a guide to the efficiency of training met in the technical school.

The co-ordinating work, it is pointed out today, was supplementary to the plan whereby students first were aided to intelligently select a vocation. Half of Mr. Sims' salary is to be paid by the advisory vocational committee, according to information contained in the technical school report to the board of education today.

The officers in charge of the program were: William Johnson, James E. Walsh, Charles Ings and members of the File and Drum Band.

STRAWBERRY SOCIAL HELD IN ULSTER HALL

The strawberry social held in Ulster Hall, Dundas and Clarence streets, last night was given under the auspices of the Hackett L. O. L. File and Drum Band. Two hundred members and guests attended.

William Johnson, worshipful master, was present. The program included selections by the band, solo, Norma Cunningham; recitation, Mrs. Lucas; song, W. Keyes; violin and piano, Burgess and Prince; reading, Miss Montith; song by Luscombe, and a musical number by Hackett's Specialty Company.

The officers in charge of the program were: William Johnson, James E. Walsh, Charles Ings and members of the File and Drum Band.

VISIT LONDON OFFICE.
A party of about 20 members of the staffs of the industrial branches of the London Life Insurance Company at Kitchener, Guelph and Galt paid a visit to the local offices of the company this morning. The party was headed by W. Lang, city manager of the industrial branches in the three cities named.

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YE DAINTY DAMSEL OF YORE CHAPERONED FAMILY BOVINE

Last night, while sitting in a dreamy mood, I travelled back in fancy to the time, some thirty-five or forty years ago, when as a child I "minded" the family cow, to see that she did not pass the forbidden boundary line, Grosvenor street, in London North.

Tourists Run Into Economy De Luxe

Two Eggs Have Double Yolks, So 10 Equals 12.

Found—the most economical woman in the world.
A group of London campers holidaying at Port Stanley discovered her when they sent one of their group for a dozen eggs to be purchased at a nearby farm. The lady of the house into whose private exchequer flowed the money resulting from the enterprise of all hens in the barnyard, placed ten in a basket brought for the purpose. She explained that the ten constituted a full dozen since two had double yolks.

The campers decided that the fairest means of disposing of their unique dozen was to scramble them.

LARGE SPACE.
Very deep in places was this pond and taking up nearly as much space as a city block.

On one occasion my illustrious career was nearly brought to a sudden and untimely end, when, having seen the boys safely navigate an unswerving path over the pond, I begged them to let me try. Once I travelled safely over its surface, then becoming bolder, I took my little chum on with me, but alas, when we reached the deepest part Annie became frightened and, getting too close to me, capsized our craft, and both were spilled into the dirty water.

Down I went to my chin, but managed to keep a hold on the raft, while my little friend jumped right on my back, with her arms round my neck.

When winter had frozen over this pond, the happiness of the boys and girls was unbounded.

Well do I remember, sitting on a chair before the stove, with my short legs outstretched, while mother heated a gimlet red hot to bore holes in the heels of my shoes, so that my wooden skates with steel blades might be screwed on.

Resort of Hundreds.
Day after day, and night after night, the "pond" was the resort of hundreds of skaters.

When we reached our teens and the neighbors' boys asked us to skate with them, our joy reached its heights. In memory I can plainly see the remains of an old dredging machine half sunken at the edge of the pond. This furnished a resting place. When tired of skating, our request to our attendant swain was "Please take me to the digger." What pleasant companions are the memories of a happy youth.

Mr. Hope conducted a successful business in Princeton, while Miss Hope was engaged as a member of the high school staff there.

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Ask your friends and relatives to save these labels for you. If they are not taking Parnell's Bread, ask them to start and save the labels for you. They can get the bread either from their grocer or from our wagons.

By doing this you not only help yourself by securing more labels, but you introduce to your friends the finest, most wholesome and best bread made. Start today. It's possible for you to have a dandy new Bicycle by Labor Day.

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- 1.—No employee of the Parnell Baking Co., or any member of their family, is eligible to enter this contest.
- 2.—Contest will positively end at midnight of Aug. 30.
- 3.—Keep the labels together neatly.
- 4.—Don't keep all the labels until the end of the contest. They must be turned in at the end of each two weeks at the office of the Parnell Baking Co., 75 Bruce street, where vouchers will be issued covering the number of labels you turn in.
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—LONDON—

Edmonton Girls Defeat French Basketball Stars 64 to 16 At Olympic Games

CHAMPS ON WAY TO OLYMPIC LAURELS

Edmonton Girls' Basketball Team Wins Over French at Olympic.

Canadian Press Despatch. Edmonton, July 10.—The Edmonton commercial grade girls' basketball team, champions of the world, defeated the French picked team in the Olympic basketball trials Wednesday by a score of 64 to 16, according to word received here this morning.

NURMI REAL STAR.

Associated Press Despatch. Olympic Stadium, Columbus, France, July 10.—Paavo Nurmi, the great Finn, crowned himself a double Olympic winner and one of the greatest distance runners of all time today when two hours after winning the 1,500-metre race in Olympic record time, he won a thrilling victory in the 5,000-metre event by his fellow-countryman, Ville Ritola, setting another Olympic and world's record.

Sets New Record.

Nurmi's time of 3 minutes 53.5 seconds for the 1,500 metres set a new Olympic record. The old record was 3 minutes 56.5 seconds. He also holds the world's record for the distance, 3 minutes 53.5 seconds flat. Nurmi's startling achievement gave him the greatest glory any Olympic athlete ever won in a single day, but he was hardly pressed to capture his second crown, for which Ritola, running his fifth straight day and bidding for a third title, gave his teammate one of the greatest races of his life and finished but a yard behind.

The World's 500-metre record was shattered by an unbelieved star.

Impulse of surprise, however, won the last of the half-dozen elimination trials in 48 seconds flat. The old record was 48.5 seconds, made by C. D. Redpath, United States, in 1912.

U. S. Has 157.

The point score of the leaders after the 1,500-metre and 5,000-metre events and the hammer throw was United States 56, Finland, 193. The results are: 400-metre run, second heat, two to qualify for second round, Ray Robertson, U. S. A., first, Jensen, Denmark, second, time 50.1 seconds. Fourth heat—Eric C. Wilson, U. S. A., first, Norman, Australia, second, time 49.3 seconds. Seventh heat—J. C. Taylor, U. S. A., first, Noto, Japan, second, time 49.5 seconds. Fifteenth heat—Horatio Pith, U. S. A., won; Astrom, Finland, second, time 52 seconds.

DECREASE EXPECTED IN PART-TIME CLASSES

Registration Shows Only About 50 New Permits Will Be Issued.

While the total enrolment of the part-time classes in London schools during the past year reached 303, only 128 of these will have permits renewed for the coming year. Others have passed the age limit of the adolescent act and are no longer affected by the statute. Registration has shown that probably 60 new permits will be issued in autumn, or a decrease in part-time class enrolment is expected.

Part-time classes receive instruction in public or Sunday school.

Subjects two half-days each week. A slight change is to be made in the schedule when school opens in September. Junior girls will receive instruction in public or Sunday school, in place of Wednesdays and Fridays.

FIVE SLIGHTLY INJURED WHEN AUTO DITCHES

Machine Belonging to A.R.C. Hound Is Complete Wreck After Crash.

Five people were slightly injured in an automobile accident this morning at Lambeth. A car driven by A. R. C. Hound, 520 Queen's avenue was coming to London from Port Stanley. There were four other passengers in the car and in attempting to pass a truck belonging to Silverwoods, Limited, which swerved to turn into a gate on the left-hand side of the road, the Hound car ditched. The auto struck a telegraph pole and then turned over. The telegraph pole was broken to two as well as a mail box.

None of the occupants was seriously hurt, although all received a bad shaking up and a good scare.

They were rushed into London by a passing motorist.

The car was a complete wreck.

"TECH" STUDENTS WILL AGAIN USE "Y" GYM

No further building program having been laid out for this year, students at the Technical High School will continue to use the gymnasium equipment at the Y. M. C. A. The gymnasium equipment there will be used by all the day classes of the school for physical training. Physical Director G. R. Sinclair will again be instructor of the boys' classes.

The girls' classes will be under the guidance of Miss B. J. P. of the Y. M. C. A.

The boys of the school showed considerable efficiency in athletics during the past year, winning the intermediate championship at the W. O. S. & A. track meet.

NAMIE CHAS. W. BRYAN FOR VICE-PRESIDENT

Democratic Convention, After Days of Violent Struggle, Adjourns.

CREATES PRECEDENT

Presidential Nominee Appears in Person To Thank Supporters.

Associated Press Despatch.

New York, July 10.—John W. Davis of West Virginia and Governor Charles W. Bryan of Nebraska are the Democratic party's candidates for president and vice-president. Emerging on the 103rd ballot as the Democratic National convention's choice for the presidential nomination, Davis had the support of the party's leading newspaper and diplomat sweep away great waves of bitterness churned up during the fifteen preceding days of storm conflict. Then, taking command immediately, the new head of the party guided the convention swiftly toward the selection of his running mate, the brother of William Jennings Bryan, his most vigorous opponent throughout the balloting. When the convention adjourned at 2:24 a.m. today it had filled many pages of political history, rising in dramatic force from the violent struggle twelve days ago over naming the Ku Klux Klan in the party platform, through the record-breaking deadlock through the supporters of William McAdoo and Governor A. E. Smith, that held through one hundred ballots before the presidential nomination was in sight. And in the closing scenes came a new precedent in the personal appearance of the nominee to thank his supporters.

But Single Ballot.

The final adjournment that marked the formal ending of the convention came two minutes after Governor Bryan had been declared nominated for the vice-presidency. It was accomplished with a single ballot, through the changing of many votes that eliminated most of the principal names that first appeared, but it was not made unanimous. The weary delegates had finished their work. Not all the scars suffered in the long struggle had been healed at the end, despite the votes which lifted the Davis forces to victory. But the election of the vice-presidential nominee, the long struggle had been healed at the end, despite the votes which lifted the Davis forces to victory.

When the balloting for the presidential nominee began, the Davis forces were in the lead, many of the leaders in the long fight for McAdoo and some of those who had struggled with equal zeal for Governor Smith were absent for the first time in days, but others were on hand expressing happiness in the decision. The Democratic National convention, sending Mr. Davis a message of "best wishes for success and my promise of heartiest support," accepted an invitation to the Davis camp last night, and reiterated his pledge, "I'll take off my coat and vest," he said, "and so will everybody else who follows me in this state, and do what we can to improve conditions in the United States by the election of the ticket."

Is Not Accepted.

A similar invitation extended to Mr. McAdoo by the Davis camp, he made no comment beyond a message to Mr. Davis, saying: "Please accept congratulations on your nomination." William Jennings Bryan, although asserting he would "support the ticket," was clearly disappointed at the result, but he was a development progressed toward the nomination of his brother for the vice-presidency, and at the end he was smiling broadly, convinced, he told friends, that the decision to put the western governor on the ticket assured a campaign for progressive principles.

Thomas J. Walsh of Montana, chairman of the convention after Mr. Davis had swept the field on the 103rd ballot, avoided the vice-presidential nomination by acclamation only by declaring an adjournment until 8:30 p.m. in the face of a thundering chorus of "noes" against such a postponement. Mr. Walsh stood, insisting his usefulness would be greater as a senator throughout the dinner recess, and his decision to canvass the vice-presidential nomination after he released it, then emerged as the most prominent prospect for the second place on the ticket. But he, too, was firm in his determination not to be considered, and the nomination of various vice-presidential candidates proceeded.

The period of speech making, starting with an address by James M. Cox of Ohio, the 1920 standard-bearer, who took an active part in the efforts that finally ended the deadlock between the McAdoo and Smith forces. A one-hour speech was then arranged to give Mr. Davis and the other leaders an opportunity to canvass the vice-presidential situation, with a view to facilitating the vice-presidential nomination.

The midnight conferees found the arguments advanced by Governor Bryan's friends detailing his executive experience, familiarity with agricultural problems, sympathy with liberal sentiment and the geographical advantages of Nebraska, so persuasive, Mr. Bryan expressed amazement when informed of their decision. He had not even been nominated.

But that was taken care of as soon as the recess ended, and as it turned out, the supporters of only one other candidate, George L. Berry of Tennessee, one of the group of active pre-convention candidates for the nomination, attempted to stem the tide of compromise and weariness.

Heroes To Sleep On War Soil

Canadian Press Despatch.

Ottawa, July 10.—The question of removal to Canada of bodies of soldiers buried in the war zone has been raised in the House of Commons last night by John Evans (Progressive, Saskatchewan). The case of a particular parent who had been refused the right to bring his son's body from Passchendaele to Saskatoon was cited. Could not the government ask the Imperial government to authorize transhipment of this body? Hon. E. M. MacDonald, minister of defence, said that he appreciated the feelings of bereaved parents. Whatever might seem the humane thing to do in isolated cases, the minister thought the rule made by the Imperial government, that Canadian soldiers should sleep their last sleep on the soil they fought for, was the right one.

DAVID COOK, DRESDEN, FOUND DEAD IN BARN

Body Discovered by Relatives When He Failed To Come Back To House.

Special To The Advertiser.

Dresden, July 9.—Death removed one of Dresden's old and respected residents on Monday night in the person of David Cook, aged 44 years. About 10:30 he went to the barn to water the horse, and was absent so long that members of the family went to see what was the cause of his delay. They found the old gentleman seated upon a stool in the stable leaning against the wall. A doctor was summoned and stated Mr. Cook had been dead for some time.

He suffered a stroke about four months ago, but had recovered, and was apparently in the best of health and spirits when he left the house. Born in Hastings County, near Belleville, Mr. Cook was married about 40 years ago, and had spent most of his life in this district, the last 14 years as a citizen of Dresden.

Survivors are the widow and four daughters, Mrs. J. Dougherty, Belleville; Mrs. J. McDonald, Thamesville; Mrs. M. Woolman, Sarnia, and Miss Mabel at home. Mrs. E. J. Wells, Warren, Mich., is a step-daughter.

Mr. Cook became a member of the Orange order when 18 years of age, and the funeral services will be held at his home on Monday afternoon. The question of stopping county pupils from attending the Collegiate unless they pay the full 100 per cent of tuition instead of 80 per cent, as at present, was brought up. Clinton Exeter, Parkhill, Lucan, Stratford, Senfirth, Ingersoll and Mitchell are now in the same position. The matter was finally decided by a motion empowering the chairman of the board, and the finance committee to arrange a meeting of the boards of the towns interested, so that a mutual decision may be had. It was decided to engage Mr. Stephens as physical instructor to succeed Mr. Stephens, providing he has the necessary qualifications.

A check was received for \$104.20, in payment of their account for tuition of county pupils.

Examination fees were received amounting to \$20.00.

PARIS TOWN SOLICITOR TENDERS RESIGNATION

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Change Made as Result of Recent Action of Canadian Pacific.

OFFICIAL WORD

As intimated in The Advertiser earlier during the week the Canadian National Railway Company has found it expedient to adopt a tariff rate on certain freight commodities shipped to western points to compete with rates of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company in accordance with the terms of the Crow's Nest Pass agreement of 1908, which automatically went back into effect at midnight last Sunday after having been suspended for the past two years.

This fact became known today when it was learned that A. S. Munro, local commercial agent for the C. N. R., received a telegram this morning from R. J. Weatherstone, division freight agent, Hamilton, to the effect that the C. N. R. would publish tariffs applying strictly from and to competitive points only with the C. P. R.

While the new tariffs have not been received as yet, being still in the hands of the compilers and printers, western shipments are being taken care of in the ordinary way, and since the order is retroactive to July 1, any refunds will be made in accordance with the new rates when published.

The fact that neither the C. P. R. company or the C. N. R. company have the new tariffs prepared ready for their freight agents can be explained on either one of two grounds. First, that they were confidently expecting that the Crow's Nest Pass agreement would be suspended by the government for a further period of twelve months, or second, because they were playing safe by not going to the expense of preparing the minute and preponderant list of new tariffs again in effect as the result of the re-construction of the agreement, if by chance the agreement were suspended for a further term.

The latter reason is probably the actual one, since by means of making the rates retroactive to July 1 the same end is achieved, though it may be a delay of some ten days or so.

COUNTY PUPILS' FEES, COLLEGIATE PROBLEM

St. Marys Board Considers Enforcing Full Payment of Education Costs.

Special To The Advertiser.

St. Marys, July 9.—The regular meeting of the Collegiate Institute Board was held on Tuesday evening. The question of stopping county pupils from attending the Collegiate unless they pay the full 100 per cent of tuition instead of 80 per cent, as at present, was brought up. Clinton Exeter, Parkhill, Lucan, Stratford, Senfirth, Ingersoll and Mitchell are now in the same position. The matter was finally decided by a motion empowering the chairman of the board, and the finance committee to arrange a meeting of the boards of the towns interested, so that a mutual decision may be had. It was decided to engage Mr. Stephens as physical instructor to succeed Mr. Stephens, providing he has the necessary qualifications.

A check was received for \$104.20, in payment of their account for tuition of county pupils.

Examination fees were received amounting to \$20.00.

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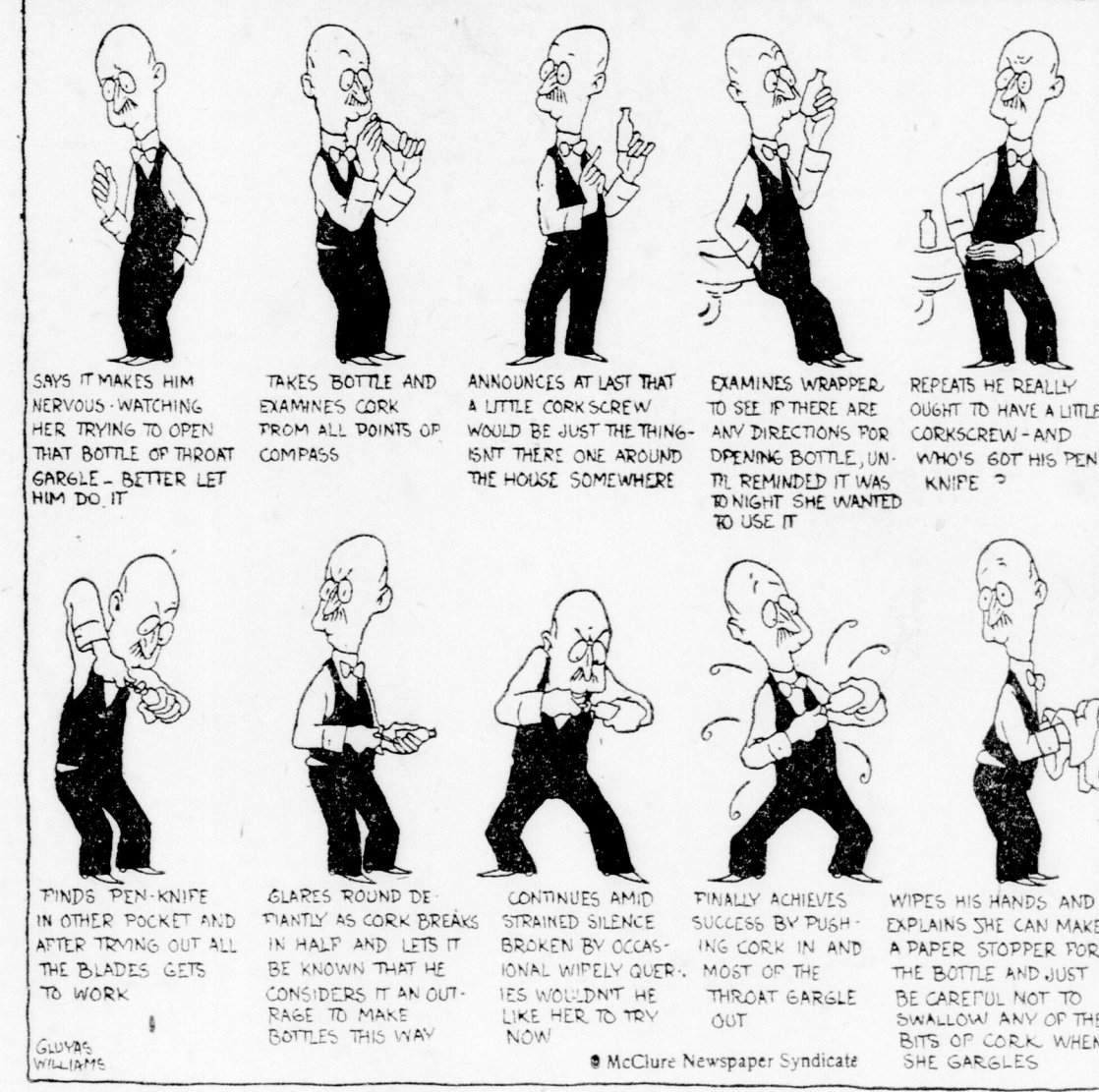
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Snapshots Of A Man Opening A Small Bottle



SURVEY OF SCHOOL SYSTEM ADVOCATED

Board Will Again Consider Having Dr. Horace Britain Make Report.

A Brittain report for London's school system, under the board of education, is again advocated and discussed at this afternoon's session of the trustees.

A year ago, Dr. Horace Britain, head of the Citizens' Research Institute, investigated the city hall, fire and police departments and made reports to the city thereon. He came before the board of education and discussed survey possibilities. At the time the matter was turned down as an economical move.

This afternoon it was reported on good authority that the matter would be brought up once more, though no specific resolution in favor of a survey was given.

Besides committee reports, which hinged chiefly on accommodation questions for the coming year, there were some communications to be read this afternoon.

CITY HALL GLEE CLUB LOOMS ON HORIZON

Resonant Voices May Be Put to Good Use If Present Plans Mature.

A city hall glee club is about to be formed, according to some of the singing lights in the civic world. There are said to be a number of very fine voices that resound once in a while within the sacred portals of the city hall—when the department heads are out for a walk. It is held that such a club would brighten up the dull days of the staff, and sing a little music would smooth out some of the rough places in the regime.

One or two of the artists suggest that they could appear at the council meetings from time to time and render a few Swiss yodels or Hawaiian love songs, accompanied by a few Swiss milk chocolate and an Hawaiian pineapple.

Obituary

MRS. L. FRANKLIN.

Mrs. L. Franklin, a resident of Norfolk County who was brought to St. Joseph's Hospital yesterday, died last night. She had been ill for some time and was brought to the hospital for an operation, but died before this could be performed. She has been a resident of Norfolk County all her life.

The body will be shipped from the A. L. Oatman funeral home this afternoon via the C. N. R. to Port Rowan. The funeral will be held in Port Royal on Saturday, interment to be made at that place.

The survivors are two sons, Stewart of Port Rowan, and Roy of New Castle, and two daughters, Miss Ethel, and Mrs. J. A. Sutton, both of Toronto.

WARNING SIGN PLACED AT PLAYGROUND ENTRANCE

Warning signs for motorists were placed at the entrance of the playgrounds yesterday afternoon. These signs caution automobile owners to drive slowly and carefully.

Some criticism has been heard regarding the entrance to the playground, most children having to cross the street and run risks when passing street cars and automobiles. While no serious accidents have been reported this year, playground officials urge the co-operation of motorists in making the street safe for the children.

20 Years Ago

In The Advertiser.

"London is quiet and restful on the Sabbath, while Montreal is noisy and has street cars running," is contrasted drawn by newly-arrived Anglican cleric here.

Fireman falls from Pere Marquette train crossing high bridge over gully just outside of St. Thomas, but life is saved by striking telegraph wires.

Shamrocks win the Minto cup in Montreal by defeating the Brantfords by 9 to 4 in last of lacrosse finals.

"White Star Line to Europe"—Railroad rates 5-10. Third-class rates to Liverpool, London, Glasgow and Derry, \$28 and \$29.50.—Adv't.

Kid Curry, notorious bandit and last of the bad men of the west, goes over the divide, turning his gun on himself after he is wounded by sheriff's posse in Colorado.

Kai Chau falls to Jap troops after three days of strenuous fighting, and Russians suffer reverses elsewhere.

Democratic presidential nominee, Judge Parker demands gold plank in platform and asks for what?

Investigation within the inner sanctum of the office brought to light the fact that the painter's name was J. G. Green, and that he was no member of that spectacular branch of the brush trade known as steeplejacks, but just the ordinary company painter usually performing a job hitherto new to him.

Tourist Flapper Floors Masher

Hubby a Match, Wife More Than That.

The saucy masher who frequents the downtown sections met his match at the corner of Richmond and King streets last night at 8:30. A young woman, dressed a la tourist, wearing a hat and a long coat, was walking along the sidewalk when she was accosted by a new shingle bobb sauntered south. The masher started himself to go after the contest.

"Have you got a match, Jack?" he flippantly asked of the young lady. His wit was his undoing.

"Yes," replied the lady, "my husband is sitting in that car. He is a match for you."

The masher just melted into the shadows.

DIZZY COMB ORCHESTRA HOLDS JOLLY OUTING

A small but particularly jolly picnic held at Port Stanley yesterday afternoon was that of the members of the twelve-piece Dizzy Comb Orchestra of the London Life Insurance Company head office staff. The afternoon was spent in swimming, boating and other sports, the evening in tripping the light fantastic at the Casino. Included in the party, headed by Miss Hazel Stone, leader of the orchestra, were Misses Muriel Atkinson, Betty Dale, Blanche McKenzie, Lotta Fisher, Edith Jones, Annie Bear, Madeline Watson, Clara Arkell, Hazel Jones, Carrie E. Fitchett and Mrs. Frieda Stephens.

DRIVER WITHOUT LICENSE FORCED TO PAY COSTS

Frank Jacobs, who drove one of the Carling Brewery trucks on Saturday without a chauffeur's license, was allowed to depart in police court this morning on payment of the costs. Jacobs explained he was merely driving the truck to a garage.

The attention of a constable was called to Jacobs, when the latter seemed to be having difficulty with the truck in a traffic jam on Talbot street. The officer asked Jacobs for his chauffeur's license, the summons following because the driver couldn't show his permit to drive a car.

EXPRESSES APPRECIATION.

The local branch of the G. W. V. A. has received a letter from the governor-general of Canada, who has been instructed by the secretary of the colonies to thank the G. W. V. A. on behalf of His Majesty the King for the message that they sent on the occasion of his birthday.

CITY PAINTER PROVES REAL STEEPLEJACK

Pedestrians Stop To Watch Nerve Employee Daubing Ball on Flag Pole.

Wandering along Dundas east this morning about 11 o'clock, the reporter noticed a number of London's busy people hesitating for a moment in their rush of business to gaze up and afar at what?

The reporter let his eye rove, first casually and then minutely, over the blue skyline, and finally spied the cause d'être. It was a steeplejack painter brightening up the flagpole of the London Life Insurance Company building. The bold, brave painter was perched aloft, daubing the ball on the topmost limits of the pole, some 35 feet above the roof of the building, and nearly 100 feet above terra firma.

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Commenting on the plan of issuing permits for picnic grounds at the city of London, the assessment committee, over four-fifths have an income of less than \$2,000, in the opinion of Commissioner Bennett. The reason for the forms being sent out regularly by the department is in order to show where there is income received from investment outside of the wage or salary received.

MAJORITY TAXPAYERS EARN LESS THAN \$2,000

Assessment Commissioner Reaches Conclusion After Probing Records.

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In one case recently a form was returned by a man working in a local factory as shipper for \$30 a month. There was also a return of a matter of \$2,000 a year received from investments which gave the city the taxes on the wages of \$600. In this case the man was a retired farmer living in the city.

It is expected that the new road will be replaced by pavement some time in the future. In the meantime a gravel road will be a distinct improvement over the present dirt road that has been cut up by the heavy traffic in building material for the new buildings.

TEMPORARY GRAVEL ROAD WILL SERVE NEW "U"

Work commenced yesterday on a temporary road from Richmond street to the new buildings of the University of Western Ontario. The road will be of gravel from Richmond street to the new bridge. Two teams and a gang of men are at work. The gravel is being taken from a pit on the north

The Life of a Bird.

Some birds live to a great age. The age of 90 is known to have been reached by a gray parrot and there are many statements of birds of the parrot family having lived for over a century.

PARENTS KEEPING YOUNG MUST COMMAND RESPECT

Believes Modern Father and Mother May Be Going to Extreme.

BAD INFLUENCE

Seeing Mother in an Unworthy Light Is Not Good For Child.

By JULIO HOYT.

A "commandment" which seems to me right and extremely opportune just now, reads: "Thou shalt not give thy child an opportunity to disrespect thee." Parents should think of this all through the lives of their children. We have all heard a great deal lately about the terrific behavior, morals and manners of the younger generation. To a certain extent there is some foundation for this, although I believe it is slightly exaggerated. Every older generation has always complained of the actions of the younger.

The book, "Told By An Idiot," by Rose Macaulay, expresses this tendency of the older generation very clearly. However, I do believe that it is true that there has been a more drastic departure in the present younger generation than in many prior to this one. I believe also that much of the fault for this can be credited to the parents, and that the commandment quoted in this article is one of the main causes. If children really respect their parents, if they achieve certain standards and ideas through the example of their parents, words are really unnecessary. This is exactly what they are not getting from their parents today.

Should Stay Young.

I believe very much in parents staying young and being companions to their children, but I do not believe in the exaggerated degree that is true of the modern parent.

Have children any longer, as soon as they are capable of thinking for themselves, any real, deeply founded respect for their parents? Has it not come down to a question of their deciding whether they like them or not and discussing quite frankly whether they find them congenial and good?

"TIZ" FOR TIRED, PUFFED-UP FEET

The minute you put your feet in a "Tiz" bath you feel pain being drawn out and comfort just soaking in. How good your tired, swollen, burning feet feel. "Tiz" instantly draws out the poisonous exudations that puff up your feet and cause sore, inflamed, sweaty feet. "Tiz" and only "Tiz" takes the pain and soreness out of corns, callouses and bunions. Get a box of "Tiz" at any drug or department store for a few cents. Your feet are never going to bother you any more. A whole year's foot comfort guaranteed.—Advt.

Fashions by Wire

Mediaeval Effect.

London, July 9.—The mediaeval pageantry connected with the big British exposition has already had its effect on clothes. Old Italian buckles, brooches and other ornaments are appearing here and there on new gowns.

Mandarin Coat.

New York, July 9.—The Oriental influence has at last reached the swimming costume. Its latest phase is a mandarin coat of flamed Chinese silk, held in place at the hips by big buttons. Beneath this is worn a modified form of Chinese trousers.

PERSONALS

Mr. Jack Ramey, Maple street, is holidaying at his home in Thorndale.

Professor H. R. Kingston and Mrs. Kingston will spend next week-end at Port Bruce.

Dr. L. H. Douglass and Mrs. Douglass, Central avenue, are summering at Port Stanley.

Mrs. C. F. Ede of Detroit is visiting her sister, Mrs. B. G. Sheriff, Lorraine Apartments.

Miss Marjorie Young of Galt is a guest with Professor Fred Landon and Mrs. Landon.

Mrs. E. S. Detwiler and family are at their summer cottage, Sauble Beach, Lake Huron.

Mrs. George Reid and daughters are at their summer home, Invererie Heights, Port Stanley.

Miss C. Moote, Princess avenue, has left for Albany, N. Y., where she will spend her vacation.

Master Norman Robinson is spending a week at Port Stanley, the guest of Master Kenneth Eberhard.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. German left this week for their summer home at Sauble Beach, Lake Huron.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Kiley and family, Thornton avenue, are spending the summer at Port Stanley.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Morris have returned to their home in Windsor after visiting friends in the city.

Mrs. W. R. Holland is a guest with her sister, Mrs. Ross Thomas, at Columbia Cottage, Port Stanley.

Mrs. George Grange is the guest of Mrs. Winnie Thompson at her summer home at Niagara-on-the-lake.

Mrs. Wendell Holmes and family are spending the summer at their cottage, Sauble Beach, Lake Huron.

Mrs. Marshall Graydon and family are leaving this week to spend their holidays on the Manitoulin Islands.

Mrs. J. J. Cox, Miss Marjorie Cox and Miss Madeline Cox are at their cottage, Port Stanley, for the summer.

Mr. Lyle Whaley and Mr. Kenneth Baskette were week-end guests with Mrs. Ross Thomas, Erie Rest, Port Stanley.

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Doherty and family are spending the summer at their cottage at Ipperwash Beach, Lake Huron.

Dr. and Mrs. S. M. Kennedy and Miss Eleanor Kennedy are spending the summer at their summer home, Sauble Beach, Lake Huron.

Rev. D. C. MacGregor and Mrs. MacGregor are spending the summer at the old homestead, Briar Hill Farm, near Owen Sound.

Major Hume Cronyn left yesterday for Beaumaris, Muskoka, where he will join Mrs. Cronyn and Miss Cronyn at their summer home.

Mrs. A. K. Melbourne of Nelson, B.C., formerly of this city, is visiting her sisters, Mrs. William Lamb and Miss Cannell, Dufferin avenue.

Miss Merlyn Pococke and her brother, Maurice, have gone to Chilhowee, where they will spend the summer with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Summers.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Dawson Keenleyside and family, Mallard street, are leaving next month for Sauble Beach, where they will spend the remainder of the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Carling, Colborne street, are visiting the former's brother, Mr. Fred Carling, and Mrs. Carling of Ottawa at their summer cottage, "Fernbank," on the St. Lawrence.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Bamford and daughters, Alice and Gwendolyn, of Sherbrooke, Que., are spending the vacation with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Bamford, Dufferin avenue.

Mrs. Hugh McCreery and small daughter, Nora, of Toronto, are guests with Mrs. McCreery's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Talbot, King street, before leaving for Vancouver, where they will reside in future.

Miss Alice H. Archer of New York, formerly of this city, is visiting in Galt, the guest of her brother, J. W. Archer. She is coming to town Saturday and will visit Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Archer, St. James street, for ten days.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Ewen and small son have returned to Detroit, accompanied by Mrs. Ewen's mother, Mrs. George L. Pearson. Mrs. Ewen will visit her mother, Mrs. Pearson, before leaving with her husband on a motor trip through Northern Ontario.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Cartwright, Hellmuth avenue, have returned from an interesting motor trip of some 300 miles in the Eastern States, during which they attended the centennial celebration of the founding of Rideau Falls, which city was Mrs. Cartwright's former home.

The students of the summer school at the University of Western Ontario are planning a jolly party to Springbank tomorrow. A private car has been chartered, and after games and sports in the park, an informal dinner and dance will take place at the Banquet House.

Rev. Wilfred E. Gaetz of First Methodist Church, St. Thomas, is in Montreal for the month of July, where he is in St. James' Methodist Church, the largest of his denomination in Canada. Mr. Gaetz evening sermon on Sunday, July 13, will be sent broadcast by radio.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Smith and children, Teddy and Shirley, formerly of this city, who have spent the past year in Los Angeles, California, have returned by motor, and were recent guests with Mrs. M. Hicks, Bruce street, and Mrs. Chester Herald, Matland street, en route to their new home in Detroit, Mich.

Miss Marguerite Ford, a bride-elect of this month, was the guest of honor at a miscellaneous shower given at the home of Miss Mary Spry, Prospect avenue, recently when the members of the Builders' Club of the Wellington Street Methodist Sunday school, which Miss Ford has been a valued member for some time, were the guests. Miss Kathleen Jenkins, acting as the groom, presented the bride with a beautiful bouquet of lettuce and onions. The wedding march was played by Mrs. Young, and the bride couple were led to a room richly decorated with pink and white ribbons and bells. The bride-to-be was then presented with a basket filled with many beautiful and useful gifts. A noted palmist was present and during the evening much amusement was afforded in foretelling the future. A dainty supper closed the evening.

WOMEN and THE HOME

Dorothy Dix's Letter Box

Should the Older Brothers and Sisters Take Care of Younger Ones? Why There Are More Divorces Now Than There Used To Be—Husband Who Gives Beefsteak Instead of Ambrosia.

Dear Dorothy Dix—What duty do the grown-up brothers and sisters owe to their younger sisters and brothers, who are of school age and under? Is it their duty to help support them if the father is unable to do so?

B. AND O.



Answer:

I think it is the duty of the older brothers and sisters to help the younger ones get an education and a start in life, but this done, the youngsters should be made to stand upon their own feet. There is certainly no reason why the older brothers and sisters should be made the perpetual family goats, as they so often are.

For this reason I think it is a good thing if the older ones make the younger ones understand that they must pay back, when they get to earning money, all that the older ones have spent on their education. Younger brothers and sisters are very apt to depend too much upon their older brothers and sisters, and that is because of the balance of their lives.

I know many cases in which the eldest son or daughter of a family has sacrificed his or her entire life to taking care of younger brothers and sisters, and often enough they have gotten scant pay in appreciation or gratitude. I recall one case in particular in which a pretty young girl refused to marry the man she loved in order to educate a brilliant young brother. For many years she toiled like a slave, all of her earnings going to pay for his education, and law school, and maintain him until he got a start in his profession, and later on, when he was a distinguished judge, and she was poor and old and sick, he paid his debt to her by boarding her in the poorest, cheapest place in a miserable little town and refusing to pay her doctor's bills.

Nevertheless, there is such a thing as duty to one's family, and there is an obligation of honor for the strong to help the weak. Sometimes it happens that one member of a family seems to inherit all of the strength of body and mind, and to get all of the intelligence and backbone and initiative that the parents had to bequeath to their offspring, and in such cases the gifted one should surely look out for his brothers and sisters who have no faculty for getting along themselves.

The man with executive ability should make places in his business for his brothers and sisters who are too blind to ever see the open door of opportunity for themselves. The rich man should give of his plenty to those who are poor, but he should be careful not to let the spineless lean on him too heavily, nor make parasites of those to whom he is generous.

DOROTHY DIX.

Dear Dorothy Dix—Why are there so many more divorces nowadays than there used to be? Do you think that the way women dress now, and the modern style of dancing has anything to do with it? Do you think that backwash is said to marry now because they see so many examples of unhappy marriages?

Answer:

I don't think that the way women dress has any bearing on the divorce question. A man's grievance against his wife has to do with the length of her skirt to make him willing to pay alimony to get rid of her. Husbands have always criticized their wives' clothes, and declared that the fashion was no matter what it was, in any age, was the limit of decency, but they went on living with the women whose costumes they derided. Nor do I believe that jazz is responsible for marital infelicity.

The reason that there are more divorces than there used to be is because people are demanding more of life than they used to. We demand better houses, better food, better clothes, more amusement, more luxuries, more happiness, than our parents and grandparents did.

In former times when people got married they expected to settle down to a life of hard work and self-denial, and to putting up with whatever sort of a disposition their husband or wife had. Now when a young couple get married they expect to continue to amuse themselves pretty much as they did before marriage, and to find a super-agreeable companion and playmate in the man or woman they marry.

And when they don't, they don't suffer in silence. They hop to the divorce court and try it over again.

Undoubtedly, also, the emancipation of women swells the number of divorces, for far more women divorce their husbands than men divorce their wives. Probably men are just as good as grandpas, no matter how unfaithful he were, but grandmother had to stand grandpa, no matter how unfaithful he was, for no matter how he abused her or how stingy and cantankerous he was, for grandpa was grandma's meat ticket and her card of admission to good society.

A divorced woman was a disgraced woman no matter how righteous she was, nor how justified she was in ridding herself of a fiend, so she had to endure a miserable marriage with what patience she could. But now ice cream is achieved by keeping two people together who have come to hate each other, and who bring out the worst that is in each other and that no one should be made to pay with a lifetime of misery for a mistake that was made in all innocence and good faith.

And, when every woman can support herself, she does not have to stay tied to a man she loathes for the sake of a livelihood.

These bachelors are kept from marrying by the spectacle of unhappy marriages. We never learn from the mistakes of others because we all feel that we could have succeeded where they failed. The high cost of living and selfishness are the real reasons why bachelors stay bachelors.

Dear Dorothy Dix—Do you think because I have been married ten years, and am thirty, I am entitled to want my husband to pay me love letters and attentions? He is very good to me and the children, but when I hug and kiss him, he says: "That's enough," and if I tell him I want to be loved he jokes it off. Do you think me too old to want to be loved?

AN AFFECTIONATE WIFE.

Answer:

The tragedy of marriage, my dear, is that a woman can keep the heart of a bride to seventy, while a man gets over being a bridegroom when he leaves the altar. You will always hunger and pine for sentiment. You will always be asking for ambrosia and getting a beefsteak, but do try to realize that a beefsteak is just as much a love token as a bunch of orchids, and try to be satisfied with it. And believe this, an undemanding man who is good to you and to the children, and makes you a good living, is worth a million pink love-letters, who are probably having sentimental adventures with other women on the side.

DOROTHY DIX.

At a recent meeting, The Guides are arranging a garden party to be given on the lawn of the old McClary residence, at the corner of McClary and High streets. A fine program of folk dances and songs will be given on this occasion.

VICTORIA AUX. BOARD.

The July meeting of the auxiliary board of women of Victoria Hospital is being held Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the hospital.

CAMPBELL BECHER CHAPTER.

Further plans for the cafeteria being held at the Western Fair under the auspices of the Campbell Becher Chapter, I. O. E. E., were made at a meeting of the conveners which took place yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. E. Stevenson, Dufferin avenue. Mrs. Stevenson is joint convenor of the venture, with Mrs. F. W. Kirkpatrick, and they will be assisted each day by a special committee.

Superfluous Pocket.

New York, July 9.—If there is any place where a pocket is superfluous, it is in a step-in envelope. However, the little slanting pocket with which some of the new envelopes are equipped serves at least as decoration.

COFFEE—LINDSAY.

A quiet wedding took place in Detroit on June 17 when Helen Adelaide Lindsay daughter of Mrs. Catherine Lindsay and the late William Lindsay, of this city, was married to Jack Coffey of Detroit. Mr. and Mrs. Coffey will reside in Detroit.

SMART—McLAUGHLIN.

An interesting marriage took place Monday, July 7, at Baltimore, when Anna Cornelia McLaughlin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. McLaughlin of Mason-Dixon, Maryland, was married to Alfred Merritt Smart of this city. Rev. Charles A. Wheeler, D.D., performed the ceremony. After a honeymoon spent motoring through the States, Mr. and Mrs. Smart will reside in Kent street, this city.

A Swanky Hat.

New York, July 9.—One swanky little midsummer hat worn here today is a small, close-fitting affair with a narrow, upturned brim. The hat is composed entirely of navy taffeta ribbon, closely pleated and sewn in rows with the edges standing straight out.

Dr. Arthur Post, chief house surgeon at Victoria Hospital, leaves the first of the week for Port Rowan to spend the vacation.

Miss Florence Graham, Central avenue, left on Wednesday for Bear River, Nova Scotia, where she will spend a month with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hathway, formerly of London.

Rubber Hose History.

The first fire-hose was invented in 1672, and consisted of a narrow strip of leather with the edges riveted together, so as to form a tube.

SATURDAY SPECIALS

VOILE DRESSES

Swiss Voile Dresses in the darker shades; navy blue, copen, brown, black and white. These are well made and are trimmed with silk ribbon and have pleated side drapes and panels. Sizes 36 to 42. Special Saturday \$12.50

GINGHAMS

Fine imported Gingham, in stripes, checks and plaids. These are absolutely fast color and just the thing for summer dresses. Specially reduced from 65c. 49c Special 49c

CANTON CREPES

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Women's Silk Sleeveless Sweaters, with fancy fronts and plain back. Colors sand, gray, sandalwood, crabapple, helio, copper, copen and black. Extra special \$4.95

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Made from fine flibe silk, in all the new shades with well shaped ankles and reinforced heels and toes. They would regularly sell at 75c, but slight imperfections make them the cause of this low price. 29c

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RECORD ATTENDANCE FOR ELGIN INSTITUTE

Over Two Hundred Gather At Aymer For Annual Convention.

Special To The Advertiser.

Aylmer, July 9.—The East Elgin Women's Institutes held one of the most successful conventions in their history in the Baptist Church here on Tuesday. The county president, Mrs. Blanche Haight, presided.

Officers elected were: President, Mrs. Wm. Dunn, Luton; first vice, Mrs. H. H. Wright, Aylmer; second vice, Mrs. J. Carlton Dance, Kingsmill; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. T. G. Winder, Luton.

During the morning session a piano solo was rendered by Mrs. L. Grady of Kingsmill, and a vocal solo by Miss Bette Chute, Luton. The address of welcome was given by Mrs. James Rogers of Aylmer.

One hundred and twenty-five sat down to a dinner provided by the members of the Aylmer Institute, served in the basement of the church. There was a record attendance at the afternoon session, more than two hundred being present. An address on institute work was given by Mr. George Putnam, superintendent of Women's Institutes for Ontario, and an address on "Education and Life" by E. W. Geothe Quantz of London. Miss Brown, representative from West Elgin, also gave a short address, and Mrs. E. Haggan gave a paper.

The musical numbers of the afternoon were: Piano solo, Miss Dora McConnell; vocal solo, Mrs. Eubanks, Cleveland; quartet by the Bayham Ladies' Quartet; vocal solo by Mrs. Hovey, Aylmer, and a piano duet by the Misses Clifton of Union.

It was decided to hold the convention in 1925 at Kingsmill.

ENGAGE NEW TEACHER.

Special To The Advertiser.

Strathroy, July 9.—At a special meeting of the public school board held last evening, Mrs. M. Nettleton was engaged to fill the vacancy on the staff caused by the retirement of Miss M. Stevenson. The other teachers were re-engaged with the exception of Miss McGueary, who did not accept the board's offer. The recommended alterations to Colborne School building were laid over for further consideration.

A Swanky Hat.

New York, July 9.—One swanky little midsummer hat worn here today is a small, close-fitting affair with a narrow, upturned brim. The hat is composed entirely of navy taffeta ribbon, closely pleated and sewn in rows with the edges standing straight out.

Dr. Arthur Post, chief house surgeon at Victoria Hospital, leaves the first of the week for Port Rowan to spend the vacation.

Miss Florence Graham, Central avenue, left on Wednesday for Bear River, Nova Scotia, where she will spend a month with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hathway, formerly of London.

Gray Earrings.

London, July 9.—It is not necessary at the moment to have your earrings match. Since gray pearls became the fashion, one earring is likely to be blue gray and the other greenish. Gray earrings are seen on a third of the smart women who dance at such places as the Savoy, Berkeley and Caridge's.

ENGAGEMENTS

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Comets Shed Their Tails Occasionally.

Comets have the quality of sometimes shedding their tails just as the deer does its horns, except that the latter operation is an annual affair.

WOMEN and THE HOME

John Bull the Smoker.

England always takes the best of the Havana tobacco and allows the rest of the world to get along with the leavings. An English importer of Havanas says there are 100,000 cigar smokers in England.

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Our Entire \$10,000 Stock of Oriental Rugs Greatly Reduced—Some at Half Price

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128-132 DUNDAS STREET.

Farmer Brown's Boy and Bowser the Hound Effect a Rescue

BY THORNTON W. BURGESS.

Peter Rabbit couldn't see any chance for escape. He knew that he couldn't tire out Reddy Fox by running. He himself was growing more tired every minute. It was harder and harder work to dodge. He knew that Reddy Fox felt absolutely sure of catching him this time and he himself felt that Reddy had every reason to feel sure.

Still there was just a wee wee bit of hope left in Peter's heart. Something might happen. He couldn't think of anything that would be likely to happen, but still something might happen. Anyway, he wouldn't give up. He would run and dodge just as long as he had strength enough to move a leg.

"You may as well give up, Peter Rabbit," snarled Reddy at his very heels. "You haven't a chance. Some lucky things have happened to save you in the past, but now I've got you where I want you. Nothing can happen to save you this time."

Peter thought that Reddy was right, but he had no intention of giving up on that account. Twice Reddy's black paws all but landed on him as he dodged. Each time Peter seemed to gain new strength from the narrowness of his escape. But this couldn't keep up much longer, and Peter knew it.

At last Peter was out in the Lone Little Path once more. Just ahead of him was a sharp turn. Around that turn he went lipperty-lip. It was down hill. Peter, with his eyes rolled back to watch Reddy Fox, didn't see what was ahead of him. And so it was that he almost ran right into Bowser the Hound and Farmer Brown's Boy. He didn't see the latter at all, but he did see Bowser just in time to keep from running straight into his mouth. He made a frightened leap to one side, and then all his strength seemed to leave him. He couldn't make another jump to save himself. He just fell flat and



Around that turn he went, lipperty-lip.

panted and panted as if he never would get his breath. Peter closed his eyes to wait for the end. But after a few seconds he opened them again and found that Reddy had come around that turn in the Lone Little Path right at his heels. But Reddy had been looking ahead and had seen Bowser the Hound. Without a pause Reddy had dodged to one side, and away he had gone as fast as his legs could take him. Bowser hadn't even looked at Peter. With a roar of his great voice he had started after Reddy. Peter heard a step close to him. He looked up. Farmer Brown's Boy was standing there looking down at him.

Table Talk

Rompers in London are at a premium. Many women have nothing else for their children. Freshly-starched muslins and gingham were packed last week in readiness for a vacation trip. They are still waiting for the journey, as cloudy skies and a continuous prophecy of local thunderstorms are anything but auspicious for the commencement of a holiday trip. Farmers are not waiting alone for a promising sky.

Approval is not general of tourists of the feminine sex, who invade the main streets in hiking breeches. But of the delightful innovation in travelling costumes seen on Dundas street yesterday, not even the most huge blue touring car, bearing a New York State license, stopped in front of a restaurant, and as the woman driver stood up, she revealed golfing knickers beneath the coat of what appeared to be a tailored suit of powder blue and white in a natty check. A reach into the rear seat of the car, a rapid buttoning and the tourist was clothed in a wrap-around skirt, making the smartest suit imaginable.

A white silk wig! And not so far away as Paris, either! A few Londoners had an opportunity of seeing this distinctive style last week when "You poor little chap," said Farmer Brown's Boy, "Bowser and I came along just in time."

He stooped down and picked Peter up, and Peter didn't even struggle. He carried Peter up the Lone Little Path until they came to a bramble tangle. Then he set Peter down gently, and Peter slowly hopped into one more. It didn't seem possible, but it was true.

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The next story: "Farmer Brown's Boy Is Much Puzzled."

an American guest appeared at a tea in her honor, her own hair thus disguised. The wig was bobbed and curled in the approved manner. The required clear complexion for effective wear was forthcoming, and the sheen of the silk, some said, no human hair could possibly reflect.

Smoking compartments for the ladies have been suggested on the railway cars. Men, at any rate, will approve. Numbers have been heard to give strenuous objection at having the few women who do smoke on trains usurp the special masculine privilege of the smoking car. A local shop recently disposed of an imported stock of natty feminine cigarette holders, which might indicate that the need is not exaggerated.

Picnics are no longer the especial province of school children. Women's organizations in the city are finding annual picnics among their most successful occasions. The number held weekly at Springbank and Port Stanley indicate their recognition as invaluable in sustaining interest throughout the dog-days.

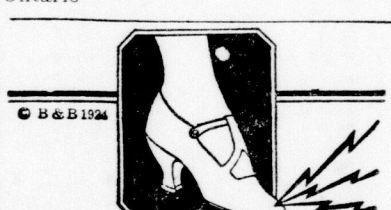
Local barbers as yet can report no women fallen prey to the new American bobbed-hair fad. American papers have printed the photograph of a California maiden wearing her hair in the "masculine bob," which is simply the old-fashioned hair-cut. Some think the style is too reminiscent of what used to happen to little girls who had typhoid fever.

Many a girl's fond dream is how she might meet the Prince of Wales. Two enterprising Chicago women, the wives of millionaires, are reported from Paris to have devised a unique way. They were stopping at the same hotel, when the prince attended the Olympic games the other day. The result of their assiduously cultivated acquaintance with the house manager was that one entered the royal suite as a manicurist and the other as her assistant. His royal highness was reported as showing polite surprise at their ropes of pearls and emeralds. The masquerade was successful, because one lady, before her

wealthy marriage, had been an expert wielder of the buffer in her native country.

RUTH CHAPTER PATROL IS STAGING "HAPPYLAND"

Ruth Chapter Patrol, O. E. S., has launched a new venture and is lending its auspices to "Happyland," which is being held at the Fair Grounds, July 14 to 19. In addition to the twelve shows, the patrol is running an ice cream and hot-dog booth, under the patronage of Mrs. Lora Dunn, Mrs. Blanche Brigham, who is acting as general convenor, will be assisted by the president, Mrs. Lena Logan, the captain, Mrs. Malone, and Mrs. E. Bowman, secretary. The proceeds of this affair will be in aid of the O. E. S. building fund and the Florence Nightingale Home of Ontario.



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WHITE FANG by Jack London



UP TO NOW: Two mushers, Henry and Bill, bound south bearing on their sled the cock of a titled prospector, are trailed by wolves. Each night the circle of pursuers closes nearer; each night a sled dog disappears, lured by a she-wolf who looks like a former sled dog. Bill sets out to drive away the pack. He never comes back. Henry builds a fire circle to keep off the wolves. Relief comes just as the wolf pack is about to devour him, and the wolf pack, headed by the she-wolf and old One-Eye starts out to run new game.

INSTALLMENT 4. THE BATTLE OF THE FANGS.

It was the she-wolf who had first caught the sound of men's voices and the whining of the sled dogs; and it was the she-wolf who was the first to spring away from the cornered man in his circle of dying flame. The pack had been loath to forego the kill. It had hunted down, and it lingered for several minutes, making sure of the sounds; and then it, too, sprang away on the trail made by the she-wolf.

Running at the forefront of the pack was a large gray wolf—one of his several leaders. It was he who directed the pack's course to the heels of the she-wolf. It was he who snarled warningly at the younger members of the pack or slashed at them with fangs when they ambitiously tried to pass him. And it was he who increased the pace when he sighted the she-wolf, now trotting slowly across the snow.

She dropped in alongside by him, as though it was her appointed position, and took the pace of the pack. He did not snarl at her, nor show his teeth, when any leap of her chance to put her in advance of him. On the contrary he seemed kindly disposed toward her—too kindly, some might say, for he was prone to run near her, and when he ran too near it was she who snarled and showed her teeth. Now she was slashing at him, and he was snarling sharply on occasion. At such times he betrayed no anger. He merely sprang to her side and ran stiffly ahead for several awkward leaps, in carriage and conduct resembling an abashed country swain.

This was his one trouble in the running of the pack; but she had other troubles. On her other side ran a gaunt old wolf, grizzled and marked with the scars of many battles. He always ran on her right side. The fact that he had but one eye, and that the left eye, might account for this. He, also, was addicted to crowding her, veering toward her till his snarled muzzle touched her body, or shoulder, or neck. As with the running mate on the left, she repelled these attentions with her teeth; but when both bestowed their attentions at the same time she was roughly tossed, being compelled, with quick snaps to his side, to drive both lovers away and at the same time to maintain her forward leap with the pack and see the way of her feet before her. At such times her running mates flashed their teeth and growled threateningly across at each other. They might have fought, but even wounding and its rivalry waited upon the more pressing hunger need of the pack.

After each repulse, when the old wolf sheered abruptly away from the sharp-toothed object of his desire, he shouldered against a young three-year-old that ran on his blind side. This young wolf had attained his full size; and, considering the weak and famished condition of the pack, he possessed more than the average vigor and spirit. Nevertheless, he ran with his head even with the shoulder of his one-eyed elder. When he ventured to run abreast of the older wolf, which was seldom, a snarl and a snap sent him back even with the shoulder again. Sometimes, however, he dropped behind and edged in between the old leader and the she-wolf. This was doubly resented, even triply so, when the she-wolf, who snarled her displeasure, the old leader would whirl on the three-year-old. Sometimes she whirled with him. And sometimes the young leader on the left whirled too.

At such times, confronted by three sets of savage teeth, the young wolf stopped precipitately, throwing himself back on his haunches, with forelegs stiff, mouth menacing, and mane bristling. The confusion in the front of the moving pack always caused confusion in the rear. The wolves behind collided with the young wolf and expressed their displeasure by administering sharp nips on his hind leg and flanks. He was laying up trouble for himself, for lack of food and short tempers went together, but with the boundless faith of youth he persisted in repeating the manoeuvre every little while, though it never succeeded in gaining anything for him but discomfiture. Had there been food, love making and fighting would have gone on apace, and the pack formation would have been broken up. But the situation of the pack was desperate. It was lean with long-standing hunger. It ran below its ordinary speed. At the front were the weakest members, the very young and the very old. At the front were the strongest. Yet all were more like skeletons than full-bodied wolves. Nevertheless, with the exception of the ones that limped, the movements of the animals were effortless and tireless. Their stringy muscles seemed founts of inexhaustible energy. Behind every steel-like contraction of a muscle, lay another steel-like contraction, and another, and another, apparently without end.

They ran many miles that day. The next day found them still running. They were running over the surface of a world frozen and dead. No life stirred. They alone moved through the vast inertness. They alone were alive, and they sought for other things that were alive in order that they might devour them and continue to live.

They crossed low divides and ranged a dozen small streams in a lower lying country before their quest was rewarded. Then they came upon a nose. It was a big bull they first found. Here was meat and life, and it was guarded by no mysterious fires nor flying missiles of flame. Spiny hoofs and palmed

antlers they knew, and they flung their customary patience and caution to the wind. It was a brief fight and fierce. The big bull was beset on every side. He ripped them open or split their skulls with shrewdly-driven blows of his great hoofs. He crushed them and broke them on his large horns. He stamped them into the snow under him in the wallowing struggle. But he was foredoomed, and he went down with the she-wolf tearing savagely at his throat, and with other teeth fixed everywhere upon him, devouring him alive, before even his last struggles ceased or his last damage had been wrought.

There was food in plenty. The bull weighed over eight hundred pounds—fully twenty pounds of meat for mouth for the forty-old wolves of the pack. But if they could fast prodigiously, they could feed prodigiously, and a few scattered bones were all that remained of the splendid live brute that had faced the pack a few hours before.

There was now much resting and sleeping. With full stomachs, bickering and quarrelling began among the younger males, and this continued through the few days that followed before the breaking-up of the pack. The famine was over. The wolves were now in the country of game, and though they still hunted in pack, they hunted more cautiously, cutting out heavy cows or crippled old bulls from the smaller moose herds they ran across.

There came a day, in this land of plenty, when the wolf pack split in half and went in different directions. The she-wolf, the young leader on her right, led their half of the pack down the Mackenzie River and across into the lake country to the east. Each day the grizzled fellow could be seen, two by two, male and female, the wolves were deserting. Occasionally a solitary male was driven by the she-wolf, or by his rivals. In the end there remained only four: the she-wolf, the young leader, the one-eyed one, and the ambitious three-year-old.

The she-wolf had by now developed a ferocious temper. Her three suitors all bore the marks of her teeth. Yet they never repelled in kind, never defended themselves against her. They turned their shoulders to her most savage slashes, and with waggling tails and mincing steps strove to placate her wrath. But if they were all mildness toward her, they were all fierceness toward one another.

Three-year-old saw two ambitious in his fierceness. He caught the one-eyed elder on his blind side and ripped his ear into ribbons. Though the grizzled old fellow could see only on one side, against the youth and vigor of the other he brought the wisdom of long years of experience. His lost eye and his scarred muzzle bore evidence to the nature of his experience. He had survived too many battles to be in doubt for a moment what to do.

The battle began fairly, but it did not end fairly. There was no telling what the outcome would have been, for the third wolf joined the elder, and together, old and young, they attacked the ambitious three-year-old and proceeded to destroy him. He was beset on either side by the merciless fangs of his erstwhile comrades. Forgotten were the days they had hunted together, the game they had pulled down, the time they had suffered. The business of love was at hand—ever a sterner and crueler business than that of food getting.

And in the meanwhile, the she-wolf the cause of it all sat contentedly on her haunches and watched. She was even pleased. This was her first adventure upon it, yielded up his life. On either side of his body, even his rivals. They were snarling at the she-wolf, who sat smiling in the snow. But the elder leader was wise, very wise, in love. He turned his head to lick a wound on his shoulder. The curve of his neck was turned toward his rival. With his one eye the elder saw the opportunity. He darted in low and closed with his fangs. It was a long, ripping slash, and deep as well. His teeth, in passing, burst

the wall of the great vein of the throat. Then he leaped clear. (Copyright by Jack London and by the MacMillan Company. Released exclusively through the North American Newspaper Alliance.)

Tomorrow: Love In the Wild.

BEACHVILLE S. S. PICNIC.

Beachville, July 9.—The Sunday Schools of the Methodist, Baptist and Anglican Churches of the village united in their annual picnic at Southside Park, Woodstock, on Tuesday. The picnic was well attended. Nearly 200 children and adults being present. After the dinner which was arranged under the supervision of Lydia E. Burke, the children enjoyed a free half hour on the merry-go-round. Races and treats were then provided by the sport committee, headed by Rev. J. G. Vanlyke. A softball match, between Swaborg and Beachville was the feature of the afternoon. Swaborg won a hard-fought game by a score of 3-2. Batteries for Swaborg: Mrs. Pullen, J. Bastedo; for Beachville: Irene Sandick, M. Mogach, P. Graham.

Ornate Umbrellas.

Paris, July 9.—There is no apparent limit to the wildness of decoration permitted nowadays to an umbrella. But the designs are colored with wooden handles painted in barbaric patterns.

MRS. BUDGE SO WEAK COULD HARDLY STAND

Tells How Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Restored Her Health

River Desert, Que.—"I used to have a severe pain in my side. I would be unable to walk fast and could not stand for any length of time to do my ironing or washing, but I would have to lie down to get relief from the pain. I had this for about two years, then a friend told me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound as she had had good results. I certainly got good results from it, too, as the last time I had a sore side was last May, and I have not had it since. I am also glad of having good nursing for my baby, and I think it is your medicine that helped me in this way."—Mrs. L. Y. Budge, River Desert, Quebec.

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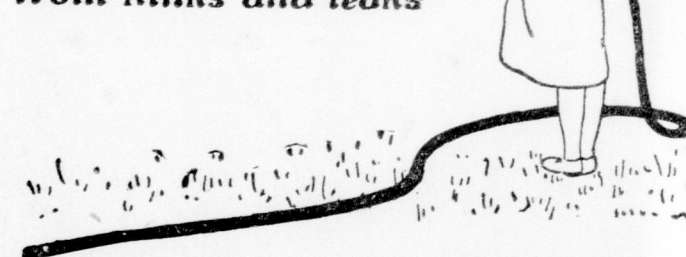
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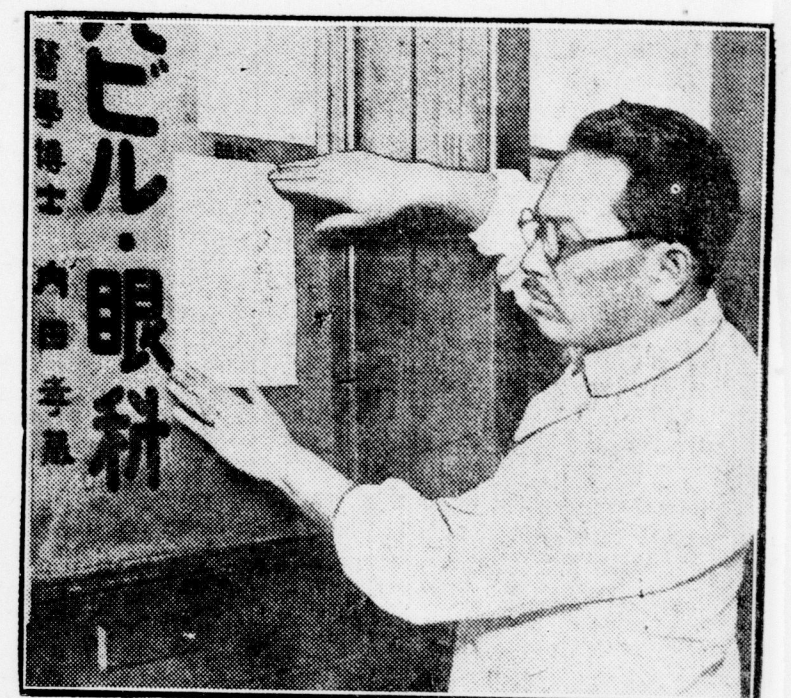
The above photograph shows Mrs. A. C. Gandy, of Richmond, Indiana and her children, Anna and Joseph, winners of the first prize in a national mother and children beauty contest held recently



Walter Hagen, photographed with his wife, just after he was presented with the cup emblematic of the British Open Golf championship which he won recently for the second time



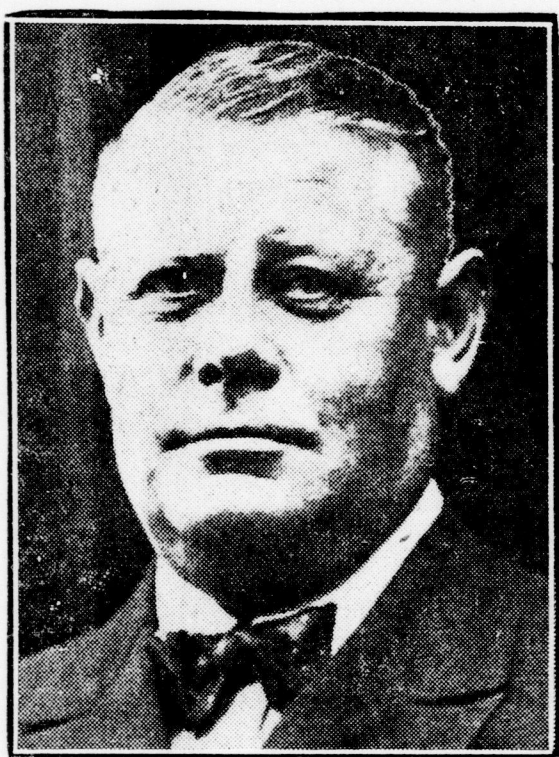
Wesley Smith, pilot of the U.S. air mail service, photographed while being greeted by his wife upon his arrival at Long Island, New York, with the first shipment of mail from the Pacific coast



Dr. Kozi Uchida of Tokyo photographed while posting a sign on his office door which reads, "Americans must not enter here." In this way the doctor expressed his resentment at the Japanese exclusion act



The above photograph shows Claire Delores, movie star, who was second choice in the search of Ernst Linnenkamp, European portrait painter for the ideal American beauty



Sir Eric Geddes, brother of Sir Auckland Geddes, former British ambassador to the U.S., photographed on his arrival in New York for a tour of the States



Spring flowers in velvet and in all shades trim the neat straw toque displayed by the young lady above



When Cecil Sillman, wealthy Detroit realtor, came east for the Democratic convention he met the young lady shown above, Miss Addie Rolfe, a Follies girl, and four days after the meeting they married



Rear-Admiral Brand photographed at Vancouver on his arrival with the squadron from the British fleet



The Shetland mare, Sunrise of Roscobie and foal, Skewbald, prize winners at Royal Richmond Horse Show at Richmond, England, attracted a great deal of attention



John Tiller, famous instructor of dancing troupes, photographed on his arrival in England, his homeland, after several months in America where he arranged dances for Ziegfeld's Follies



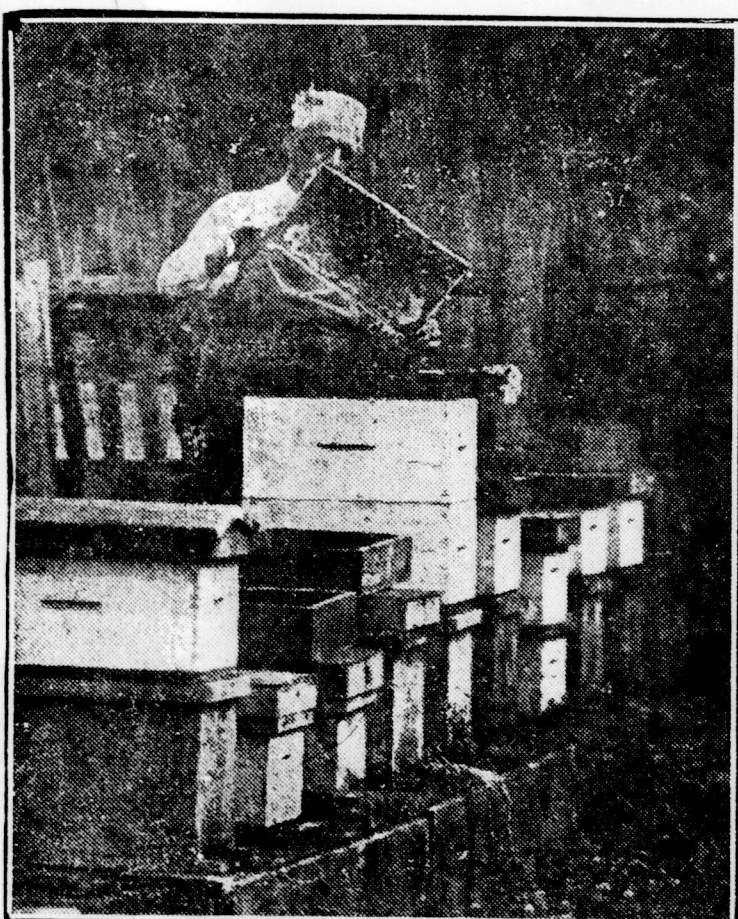
The Duke of York photographed while inspecting the powerhouse of the Pooley Hall Colliery when he visited Tamworth to open a memorial hall in honor of 600 men who fell in the war



Miss Katherine Locke, noted lecturer, who sailed from New York recently to interview King George and other rulers abroad



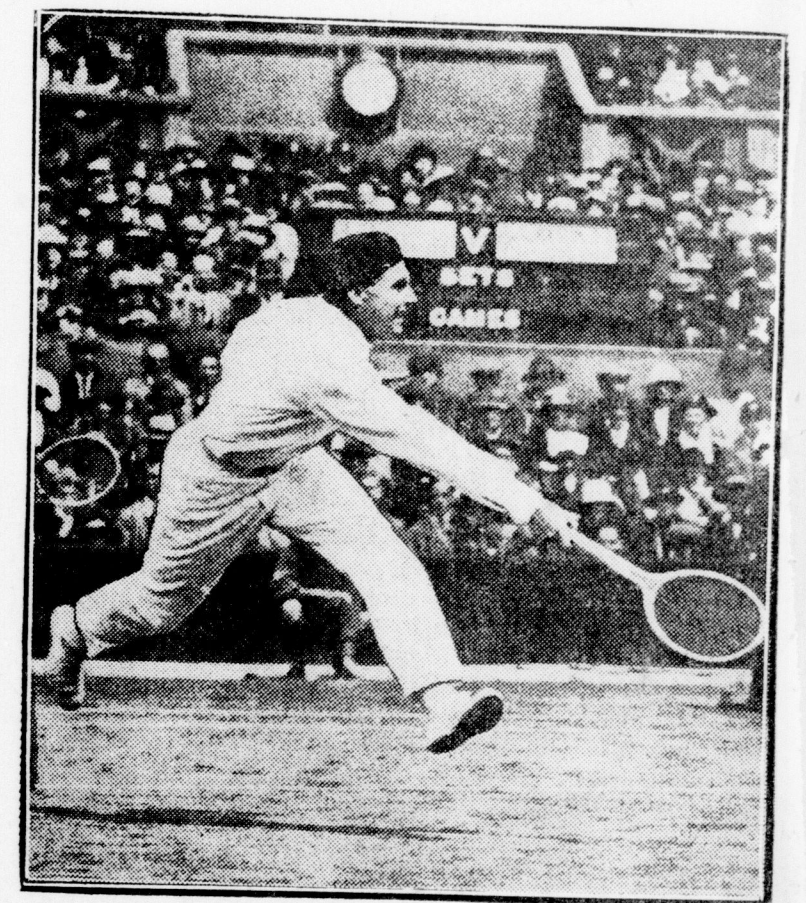
The cameraman passed by a spot on the Atlantic City beach just as four of the largest bathers of the day were enjoying a splash. The bathers were elephants from the zoo



Honey and lots of it—a hundred pounds in each hive—is to be found on the Kelly bee farm at Oakville, and in the photograph above Mr. Kelly is shown at work with his busy little friends



The above photograph shows the members of the Edmonton Newsboys' Band, the only Canadian band which so far has been engaged to play at the British Empire Exhibition at Wembley. The boys sailed on Saturday last to fill a four weeks' engagement at the big fair



Jean Borotra, French tennis star, who won the singles title at Wimbledon, photographed while in action. Borotra was the sensation of the tournament and his victims included the U.S. star, Vincent Richards

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A Point He Should Not Overlook.

The by-election in Northwest Toronto has come and gone, and with it all the hastily devised appeals of Dr. Forbes Godfrey and J. A. McCausland about a plebiscite on the temperance question.

Premier Ferguson has not yet broken his silence about when the vote is to be taken, nor has he given any intimation concerning the nature of the questions to be asked. He has had the enabling legislation passed, and promised some time ago that when he was convinced that the people desired an opportunity to vote on the matter they would be given a chance to do so.

It would be interesting to know if the premier has discovered a large and an insistent voice among the people calling for a chance to again vote on a question about which they so emphatically declared their mind in the vote preceding the coming into effect of the O. T. A.

It is not asking too much that the premier, when announcing the day and the nature of the coming vote, shall implement it with a statement showing how he arrived at the conclusion that the people wanted a vote at all.

There have been hundreds of resolutions passed in various parts of the province stating that no vote was desired. Where are the gatherings presenting petitions or resolutions that the vote should be taken?

Or has Mr. Ferguson some other reliable way of testing public feeling? Can it be that he has some secret method of running out his line, or does he listen to Dr. Godfrey and J. A. McCausland, who attempt to interpret public feeling for him by measuring it with a broom handle from their own doorsteps?

The public is entitled to a fair statement on this matter when the premier sees fit to tell when the vote is going to be taken and what the questions will be. It will give him an opportunity to answer a question which he himself propounded. If he has found that there is a popular demand sufficient to warrant a vote, the people will be very much interested in knowing just how he tested public feeling and arrived at the conclusion.

The Democratic Convention.

Probably the best news that came from the Democratic convention in New York was that it was over so far as the selection of a presidential candidate was concerned.

The public tires of watching such a performance. It is like the man who goes for the first time to watch a three-ring circus; at first he is amazed and interested; later on he worries because he can't watch it all at once. When it is over he has a confused idea of what he did see. It was too much for one set of eyes.

To the disinterested Canadian the convention was remarkable for the way in which the great national issues which must have been beating at the front door for a place on the stage were smothered under a riot of noise, and the desperation with which factions warred to batter down opposition to the name of their particular candidate.

The Democrats for almost 100 years have held to the policy of insisting that a candidate must secure two-thirds of the votes of the convention. The Republicans abide by a simple majority rule. Had this been followed by the Democrats William McAdoo would probably have been the nominee for president—but not necessarily president.

John W. Davis, who came from obscurity in the race and is now Democratic candidate for president, has seen much of public life, not only in his own country, but as ambassador to Britain in 1915-21.

He enters the race under the handicap of a convention that has been conspicuous for the absence of good leadership and clear thinking.

In Renting a House.

Renting a house has the same elements of risk as David Harum's horse trading, according to a decision given by Judge Gault in division court at Hamilton.

A tenant had rented a house, and sought redress in court because he had found the heating system faulty. The court ruled that he had no claim because he had not made any inquiries about it at the time of renting.

If this decision holds good it creates a precedent that renters of houses would be well advised to remember. Ask lots of questions. Draw up a whole list, and shoot them at your prospective landlord in the presence of a witness. Once fortified by such a document you can enter in with a sense of security that Judge Gault's ruling shows now to be lacking.

Senator Pardee's Position.

Senator Bennett's latest outbreak against the Canadian National Railways found a ready reply from Senator F. F. Pardee.

The way in which he placed the case of the National Railways before the antagonistic senators was one of the bright spots of an otherwise sordid passage.

Senator Pardee reminded Senator Bennett of the peculiar circumstances under which the Dominion had taken over the railways, and had the splendid audacity in that stuffy atmosphere to state his belief that the road was destined to become a national asset.

Senator Pardee also warned the Senate that if the effort to keep the Canadian Nationals in

politics was successful it would be a severe detriment to the road. Nor was he unkindful of the spirit of the men controlling the road who had voluntarily forfeited part of their pay to take from the burden of operating expenses. Senator Pardee's protest was timely and well stated.

The group of senators who are banded together to thwart the success of the National Railways are overlooking one thing, viz., that by the vehemence of their attacks and the persistence of their unfair methods they are increasing the volume of protest that is certain to take the form of a determined demand for drastic Senate reform.

Evidence of this is furnished by the protest wired to Ottawa by the Saskatchewan Legislature, where the killing by the Senate of branch lines of the National Railways that are seriously needed in that province is regarded as too great an affront to be tolerated any longer.

The House of Commons in Britain fought the House of Lords and made it take and keep its proper place; Canada is fast approaching the state where the same fight will be fought and won here.

Our Sense of Values.

Some of the promoters in New York want to stage a fight. So they have approached Jack Dempsey, through his manager, to see if he will appear in a bout in Long Island City.

For this event they have offered \$200,000, and of course there will have to be something in it for the man who stands up and takes his punching. No real prize fighter in the States is going to get licked for nothing.

Then there will be the expenses and, of course, something for the promoters, because no real promoter is going to work for nothing—otherwise he wouldn't be a promoter.

So there will have to be over \$300,000 come from the dear easy public.

A man and his wife are working on a fruit farm near London for a week or so. He has been out of work, so with his wife is taking advantage of anything he can get to do to earn a few dollars. They are working and working hard, but only at two cents a box. It's not very exciting, and the dear discerning public would never spend \$300,000 to see them work.

Right now on the farms all over the continent men are working. Crops are getting ripe; hay must be taken in. It is hard labor, useful too, but not spectacular. It would not be possible to sell any ringside seats in a hay field, so the farm hand works away at \$30 a month with none to watch or yell for him.

Here's the man with the garbage wagon. He lugs great cans of rubbish from the houses and takes them away, a very useful work, but you couldn't give away tickets to watch him fight for a living. Oh, no, not a fraction of that \$300,000 could be secured for such a spectacle.

Jack Dempsey is being dolled up for the movies away in California. Men in New York approach him, via his manager, to see if he will cross the continent, double up his fists and fight a half-hour or so for the consideration of a mere \$200,000.

And can we sell seats for that? Why certainly. The dear, considerate public will travel great distances to see the show; they will stand in line for hours and talk about their success in securing a close-up seat.

It's a funny world in spots, and we wonder what the berry picker, the farm hand and the garbage man think of it.

So It Became News.

A fairly good illustration of what makes news is found in a despatch that made the front page of many Canadian papers, telling of boys in Campbellville, Ont., throwing snowballs on the 4th of July.

The snow was found by men who were digging gravel, and the boys did exactly what they might be expected to do.

Had this happened on the 4th of January it would not have been news. Not a paper in the country would have given it a line. But when it happened in the middle of summer it became news because it was unusual, and it is the unusual thing papers want, because it is of such things their readers want to know.

Note and Comment.

It is easy to make the serious mistake of imagining that there is nothing to be done with the truth after discovering it.

The editor of the Tribune, Rome, was challenged to a duel over an article that appeared in his paper. So the editor dropped his pen and grabbed the bludgeon, winning quite readily in a few minutes. The pen may be a mighty weapon, but it's handy to have a club standing behind the door.

A debate was staged in the British Parliament on granting a rebate on beer brewed from home-grown material. There were plenty to participate in the debate, and many cheers given. All of which goes to show that some of the members are more interested in beerage than in a peagee.

In Montreal a few weeks ago six men were sentenced to be hanged for murder committed during a robbery. Yesterday two robbers in the same city beat a 13-year-old lad taking money from a butcher shop to a bank, so that he had to be taken to a hospital. The lesson of the six has hardly gone in beneath the surface.

The coming of United States elections recalls the miserable apathy of voters in the republic when it comes to the important business of recording their votes. The results in recent years show the following percentages:

	Voted.	Did Not Vote.
1896	80%	20%
1900	73%	27%
1908	66%	34%
1912	62%	38%
1920	50%	50%

Dr. Frank Crane

THE CLAMOR TO DO.

I get tired of people who are forever clamoring to do, do, do!

And this overactivity seems to be not so pernicious in bad actions as in good. Burglaries are carefully planned and usually quite successful, but the world is full of philanthropies that are off half cocked and did little but wound innocent bystanders.

If the baby is sick, if our international relations are tangled, if taxes are too high, if the roast is underdone, if the unemployed are too numerous, if boys and girls are too frisky, up jumps the average man and demands why we do not do something.

Even the crossers appears and want to know for God's sake why we don't do something. The reason, of course, is pitifully simple. We don't know what to do.

Of course, one can wait too long, and there is a criminal indecision, but on the whole the lashing out and jumpers in do more damage than good.

As a matter of fact, keeping still has settled more disputes than all eloquence, and letting alone has cured more invalids than all medicines. Business may be crippled, times hard and finances in a bad way. But if a kindly Providence would carry out into the ocean and drown all legislators who pass laws and make regulations to improve things, affairs would quickly right themselves.

Women's skirts will get to about the right length if meddlers will quit trying to stretch or shorten them.

There is a strong, balancing, righting force in the universe. Action is equal to reaction. Drunkards die off. The money octopus at last is devoured by the law of diminishing returns.

Your boy will come through somehow if you will not regulate him too much. Your husband will improve if you quit nagging; things come around at last about where they ought to be. And it will never get well if you pick it.

Culling the Hens

Demonstrations are taking place in poultry culling in Middlesex County.—News Item.

Let's cheer those experts as they go and spy about the chicken pen, we welcome them into the land, these wise and fearless poultry men. Too long we've let the hens run loose, a-scratchin' up the garden plot, not knowin' in a certain way if they was makin' eggs or not.

With planks and boards I built a coop, 'twas fashioned on the crudest plan, to cover up the joints and leaks I painted it in pink and tan.

And in that coop I put ten hens, one rooster rounded out the show; he couldn't lay no eggs I knew, but when hens did why he could crow.

His crowin' remind me of days I lived out on lot four, concession ten. Well lots of days we got four eggs, on busy days we gathered six, to figure out what hens had loafed was 'bout the hardest kind of tricks. I'd take each speckled hen in turn and look her squarely in the eye, a warnin' her that triffin' ways would mean that she'd be chicken pie.

And every time I went around that rooster, crowin' night and morn, was hollerin' at me for to fetch another tub of mash and corn.

I holloed back at him one day, "Here rooster, cut your frisky play, and chase them hens into the nest and see that they stay there and lay—now have a busy day out here, get down at once onto brass tacks, for if you don't, I tell you what, I'll swing aloft the family axe."

It weren't no use, with all my threats they romped around in idle glee, then ten hens makin' in a day a score that fell as low as three.

So let us watch these experts work, let's hear just what they've got to say, let's write upon a little book just how to cull the hens what lay.

For these be folks we love to see, we'll cheer for them, we will be heck, we'll write long columns of their worth, and tie a medal 'round their neck.—ARK.

The Life of a Sailor

(From the San Francisco Chronicle.)

Charles Standen of Brooklyn, N. Y., was a sailor on the Standard Oil tanker F. W. Willer. On the day when the sea was very rough he slipped as he was going off watch and fell into the sea. He caught the life preserver which was thrown to him, but never saw his ship again. It could not stop in less than a mile, and while presumably it turned and searched for him, it is easy to understand that he could not be seen in the rough sea in the night.

This was in the open sea, 1,000 miles south of Panama. The astonishing thing is that the man kept alive 24 hours in the water and that a freighter coming along, the lookout happened to see him, a mere speck, on the water.

It is the most remarkable case of rescue in the annals of the sea. Standen was taken to Wellington, New Zealand, and brought back to this country by the Union steamer Maunganui. He will always have a story to tell.

Press Comment

May Be At The Barber Shop.

Perhaps one reason why some of the girls don't help mother much around the house is that mother is seldom there to be helped.—Detroit News.

Oh, What A Thirst!

The apple crop is said to be so big there may not be enough jugs and bottles to hold it all.—Kitchener Record.

Say, Where Have You Been?

Paul Poirer, French fashion dictator, says it is not fashionable to have thin ankles. A lot of burlesque chorus girls have been in style for a long while without knowing it.—Hamilton Spectator.

Gazing Into the Future.

The Progressive party in the House of Commons is rapidly breaking up into a series of independent groups. A return to the old two-party system may not be so far off as was anticipated.—Peterborough Examiner.

The Pride of Montreal.

Any envious rivals disposed to hint that Montreal is in any way slow or behind the times are requested to note the arrest of the driver of the city's morgue wagon, charged with speeding.—Montreal Gazette.

A Period of Rest.

It is suggested that a week in August be observed as "recuperation week" in honor of vacationists who have returned from their summer outing.—Vancouver Province.

Dumping On the Cold Water.

Officers of the Canadian Nationals have offered one day's pay per month in order to effect a reduction in operating expenses. This offer has come as a result of reduced business on all lines. It speaks well for the esprit de corps built up under Sir Henry Thornton, but will hardly be efficacious in producing any great result.—St. Catharines Standard.

"Canada in the Making"

By JOHN F. SINCLAIR.

The following is one of a series of eleven articles appearing daily in The Advertiser. As a whole this series forms a remarkably penetrating and informative study of the history of Canada and the Dominion's economic and social and political problems. Where opinions on controversial matters are expressed in these articles, they are not necessarily the opinions of this paper but those of the author, John F. Sinclair. Mr. Sinclair is one of the foremost political writers on economic subjects now alive, and will be remembered by those who read his series, "Can Europe Hold Together?" published in The Advertiser several months ago.

CHAPTER 5—HOW CANADA FINANCED THE WAR, 1914 TO 1918.

Jean de Block was a famous Polish banker. He wrote a very great treatise on "The Future of War." In the six volumes of this monumental work, this great banker established the proposition that from a purely financial viewpoint, a modern war was nothing less than international suicide. Block was the first business statesman to understand clearly just what modern war does to the modern industrial plant.

To understand what is back of financing a modern war it is necessary at the outset to distinguish between real wealth and the evidence or symbols of wealth. Real wealth consists of goods and services, while evidences of wealth consist of money and credit.

In real wealth, therefore, the Canadian people paid the entire cost of the war while it was being fought. There was no escape from it. Every army saddle, every gun, every uniform, every ton of shell, every piece of beefsteak, every man-hour spent in military service, was taken from the store of wealth at the time. But a part of this was borrowed from England. Canada did not contribute all her share in actual wealth. Some was obtained by underwriting it in England.

In a large part of course, the Canadian people paid for the war as it progressed. It was paid for in housing shortages and in clothing scarcities—in a word, in a reduced purchasing power of the average individual. So the real cost of the war in the final analysis was largely met by the Canadian people just as it was met in other parts of the world, by a reduction in consumption.

TAXES OR LOANS MEAN SAME THING.

Every person who has been through the experiences of the last war should know and understand by this time that such deprivations and hardships would not have been an iota enlarged if a very large part of the money cost of the war had been raised by taxation and very little had been raised by borrowings.

So if nearly the entire cost of the last war for Canada had been paid out of current taxation and capital levy, instead of only one and three-tenths per cent as raised, the immediate cost to the people in real wealth would have been no greater, and there would have been little or no Dominion war debt to pay off after the war was over.

This point is especially important. The government of Canada, by raising 98.7 per cent of the money necessary for war by government borrowing, has only added to the future tax burdens without reducing the immediate real cost.

It is true the individual taxpayer had to give over to the government less money than if the war had been entirely financed by taxation, but the dollars which he had left could buy less, because of the higher prices accompanying the inflation of credit and currency, which in turn was caused directly by these same government borrowings.

So the last war from the standpoint of all government finances was a tragedy, not only because of the real wealth destroyed, but because it corrupted and demoralized the symbols or emblems of wealth—the currency and credit of the nation. In this Canada was no exception.

HOW INFLATION IS CAUSED.

When the ratio of the volume of credit and currency increases faster than the ratio of the volume of goods produced, prices rise, money falls in value, and inflation sets in. This is what happened throughout the world in the last war. It happened also in Canada. Result: Money, the medium of exchange, or the evidence of wealth, shrunk in value. It just withered up so that \$100 in 1913 became worth only \$52 in purchasing power in 1920. Inflation is grand larceny by the government. It robs one class of people and hands the loot over to another class. It always works the same way. The greater part of the world's troubles today are directly due to the evils of inflation, growing out of the war. Canada borrowed 98.7 per cent of her war expenses. She, too, committed the crime of inflation.

You see goods are primary, while credit and money, the measure of goods, are secondary. Goods may be destroyed, but the money or credit paid for them remains. That is where most of our confused thinking about war expenses comes in.

So the wastes of war consist of the destruction of surplus goods. Bank notes and Liberty bonds and paper money do not increase or decrease a nation's wealth. Nor do great debts end the war. As the surplus of production over consumption is reduced, a nation is weakened, and when the surplus of production over consumption is wiped out, then the war must end. That is why Germany lost the war. So both the factor of increased production and that of decreased consumption figure in the final outcome—for physical victory or defeat.

From 1914 to 1918 the government of Canada spent \$877,000,000 for war expenses only. And how much did she raise in war taxes to meet this huge sum? Just \$12,000,000. For every \$10 she spent in the war, she raised just 13 cents to pay it with in taxes. All right. How did she get the \$9.87 more which she needed? By selling her bonds, that is her credit, and debasing her money. She watched, however, her money far better than her credit. (1) Her net public debt rose from \$335,995,000 to \$1,191,834,000, an increase of \$855,838,000, or 254 per cent.

(2) Her bank notes (currency) rose from \$131,000,000 on December 31, 1913, to \$327,000,000 on December 31, 1918, an increase of approximately 250 per cent, while her gold reserve back of this, based on percentage, was cut in two.

REVENUES AND THE BUDGET.

Let us look at the figures in another way. Let us take the actual civil budget for the fiscal year 1914 as a basis. It amounted to \$188,000,000. That's a good time budget. No war clouds on the horizon then. Now from 1914 to 1918, inclusive, the surplus of revenue or taxes over this average 1913-1914 budget amounted in all to just \$54,000,000, or 6.1 per cent. Compare this with similar figures for Great Britain, which amount to 20 per cent, and of the United States, which amount to 43 per cent.

In addition to war expenses, Canada had other expenses to meet. The record for the fiscal years 1914-1918, inclusive, is as follows:

War expenditures	\$ 877,000,000
Consolidated fund (current)	\$ 591,000,000
Capital and other expenses	196,000,000

Total \$1,664,000,000

Of this huge total Canada raised in taxes \$227,000,000 in the four years. Where did she get it? From those best able to pay it?

She received \$584,200,000 from consumption, or indirect taxes, and only \$37,100,000 from direct taxes on income and excess profits. That is, she raised 95 per cent by indirect taxation, and only 5 per cent by direct taxation. Compare this record of Canada in this regard with the record of Great Britain and the United States.

Great Britain.			United States.			
	Per Cent Direct Taxes.	Per Cent Indirect Taxes.		Per Cent Direct Taxes.	Per Cent Indirect Taxes.	
	Great Britain.	Canada.		Great Britain.	Canada.	
1913-1914 ...	48	0	..	52	100	..
1914-1915 ...	53	..	..	47	100	..
1915-1916 ...	56	1	..	44	99	..
1916-1917 ...	74	8	17	26	92	83
1917-1918 ...	81	11	80	19	89	20

Further comment on this record would seem unnecessary. Canada sent over 500,000 men to the great war. She spent money without cost to back up those boys. Her gross debt increased from \$544,000,000 on April 1, 1914, to \$1,865,000,000 four years later.

Canada did what none of the other nations did, only more so. Financially she out-financed herself. She borrowed 98.7 per cent of her war costs. One of the ablest of the Canadian economists, Prof. O. D. Skelton, writing during the war, said this: "If we (Canada) borrowed every cent of the cost of the war, that would simply mean giving future individual creditors the right to recoup themselves from future taxpayers."

Skelton was right. He knew. Let us be charitable and say that the government did not know. Perhaps they have since learned the lesson. We shall see in the coming days.

Next: THE MORNING AFTER—1919-1923.

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To the Editor

About Catching Cats.

Safest Way Is To Lay Charge Against Owner of the Cat If Other Negotiations Fail.

Editor of The Advertiser:

Sir:—Q: Is it against the law to set traps to catch cats? If so, what is the penalty and what is the proper method of procedure to take against a man who has traps set for this purpose?

Answer: There is no law to prevent a man setting traps on his own prem-

The Fun Shop

LIKE THIS.

By RICHARD CRUSE.

Christopher Goff was much aloof When walking with a Miss; And blushed quite red when one had said, Why must we walk like this?

She then remarked if you're not "barked!" Oh! pray come nearer, Chris. He closer came then to the dame And so they walked like th is.

Her home they reached and there she preached The virtue of a kiss. He reached for her, she did not stir. And then they were like th is.

Now father heard the loving word. He stopped their dream of bliss. For Mr. Goff is still aloof, For he went out like th is.

The Reason.

Blackstone—"No matter where he goes he always gets credit." Webster—"Yes, but he never goes to the same place twice!"

Meant Business.

A burly negro entered a hardware store with "blood in his eye." "Ah wants a razor," he roared at the clerk.

"Do you want a safety razor?" asked the clerk, politely. "Naw," said the customer. "Ah wants one ob de mos' dangerous razors what yo' got!"

COMPARATIVELY SPEAKING.

Molecules and atoms May be rated very small; But they can't compare, on Fridays, With my bankroll at all!

Verses and Reverses.

By SAMUEL HOFFENSTEIN. The camel has an ugly hump. As if he fell and got a bump.

A fly upon a sleeper's nose. Is like a thorn upon a rose.

TWENTY BIG PICNICS TO GO FOR NEW RECORD

Over 3,000 People Gather At Park To Spend the Day.

POPULARITY GROWS
Merrymakers Come From Miles Distant To Make New History For Park.

Springbank Park was the Mecca yesterday afternoon for thousands of children and grown-ups residents of the Forest City and district. Of a truth it was a gala day for picnics. According to the official list in the hands of E. J. Dawson, park policeman, there were twenty picnics scheduled for the park during the afternoon. That number, it is believed, constitutes a record, drawing as they did an attendance modestly estimated at 3,000 people. Doubtless there have been larger crowds at the park, but one is safe in saying that there never were so many individual units going to make up the grand total as was the case yesterday. And this is only a further proof of the growing popularity of Springbank Park as the picnic playground of the Forest City and district. The park is situated on a 30 mile distant, since there were picnics at the park yesterday all the way from Exeter and Woodstock not to speak of points closer in, such as Thamesford and Lambeth.

Only One Grumble.
King Happiness, Queen Laughter, Prince Fun and Princess Glee reigned supreme throughout the day. The only grumble heard was that of the reporter, not because there was so much news to report, but because there was so much news that he could not report—a thousand and one amusing incidents which go to make up a bargain day in Picnicville. Sunday school picnics predominated the list, though the commercial end of the game, so to speak, was largely represented by the Red Bird Bicycle Picnic, London Shoe Repair Association and the employees of the John White Departmental Store, Woodstock.

REDBIRD BICYCLE PICNIC.
Probably the most colorful picnic at Springbank Park yesterday afternoon was that sponsored by George A. Wenige, not in his official capacity as mayor of the city, but as proprietor of the Redbird Bicycle Store, the "man who made walking expensive."

Mr. Wenige likes to give the boys and girls a good time, and he surely did it yesterday afternoon—between 700 and 800 of them. Mrs. Wenige also graced the occasion with her presence, and she drew the attention along with a large staff of assistants in passing out the ice cream cones, pop, hot dogs, etc.

The prizes offered by Mr. Wenige were really worth-while in each instance. While there were events labelled "Redbirds only," these were few and far between on the comprehensive program, including 19 events in all.

The "piece de resistance" of the entire program was the drawing contest for a Red Bird bicycle, valued at \$50. The boy who was made happy in holding the lucky ticket, No. 1146, was Leonard Stevens. The girls were also included in the drawing, the arrangement being that should a girl be lucky enough to hold the winning ticket a girl's bicycle would be given instead of a boy's.

Freddie Smith, aged 8, was the youngest boy to ride down from the city to the picnic at Springbank. Mr. Overden, aged 59, was the oldest to do so.

Three members of the Darlington family came to the picnic, and thus won the prize for the largest number of bicycles from one family.

Wortley Road public school carried off the shield for being the school with the largest number of bicycles in the parade.

The results of the various other events were as follows: Under 11—A. McLaughlin, C. Howard, E. Jarmain. Boys' slow race, under 11—G. Smoothy, M. Belcher, B. Grayson. Boys' slow race, 11 and over—R. Tozer, J. Tamblin, J. Foreman. Girls' slow race, 11 and over—A. Taylor, G. Smoothy, H. Baker.

Sparring contest—Red Bird owners only—C. Tamblin, J. C. Flitzpatrick. Trick riding—R. Tozer, F. Cato. Boys' and girls' team race—Fred Cato and Audrey Taylor, S. Keen and V. Keen. Boys' obstacle race—F. Cato, J. Miles, H. Baker. Girls' obstacle race—D. Darlington, A. Taylor, P. Robins. Consolation race for boys under 10—W. Ball and B. Smith. Consolation race for girls under 10—J. McDougall, B. Colbert. Gent's official race—B. Robinson, J. Ferguson. Ladies' official race—Miss Barons, Miss Firby.

ADELAIDE STREET BAPTIST.
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Special to The Advertiser.

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He was taken into the house and fed. He seemed almost exhausted, though far from unwell. He later confessed he had spent the night "in the grass." His parents were called, and took him home joyfully.

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CHRIST CHURCH S. S.
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The ice cream for the picnic was provided by the mothers' club under Mrs. E. Pinney as president. The race results were as follows: Girls, under 12—Dorothy Armour, Marjorie Pillsworth, Dorothy Wright, Boys, under 12—Edwin Wright, Robert Wild, Donald Collins.

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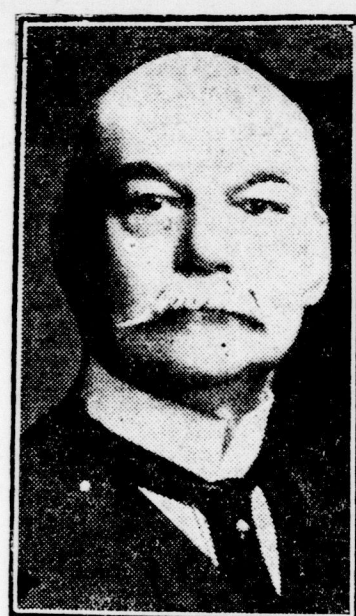
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PLAN IS CRITICIZED

By HENRY SOMERVILLE
Special Cable to The Advertiser.
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London, July 9.—The conference of dominion high commissioners, including an Indian delegate, will be held in London tomorrow to consider the form which Dominion representation should take at the allied conference on July 16. This arrangement follows a communication from Prime Minister MacDonald to the dominion governments.

Mr. MacDonald's views are expressed in his letter to the Belgian ambassador, where he says, "The powers will be asked to send representatives to this conference will be France, Italy, Japan, Belgium, and such of the minor powers as are entitled to representation. These minor powers will, however, be represented merely by their ministers accredited to the court of St. James."

This is open to criticism, because the representation of the minor powers is a minor power. Her share of the reparations is three-quarters of the total, while both Canada and Australia have rights to larger shares.

At the present time the conference prospects are far from bright. MacDonald's correspondence is full of such phrases as "It would be unwise to agree to the instrument of agreement a form which would have the appearance of a treaty explicitly modifying the treaty of Versailles."

To French minds this suggests that MacDonald wants to get the substance, if not the appearance of modification.

Small Sisters Too Big for Body
Toronto, July 9.—So far as the City of Toronto is concerned, the sisters of Ambrose J. Small, missing millionaire, may dig the dump in Roseville ravine in an effort to ascertain the body of their brother.

But they must have the consent of the attorney-general so far as further action or investigation of the matter is concerned.

Such was the decision of the board of control today on the letter of the Misses Florence and Gertrude Small, who are the sisters of the missing millionaire.

It is reported that several men were seen on a dark night evidently digging the body of their brother.

In the event of the city not doing the digging, the sisters asked that they be allowed to have the digging done.

Mayor Hiltz brought the matter to the attention of the board and informed them of the letter he had received from the sisters.

Without discussion the board assented to the request of the sisters, provided the attorney-general also assents.

U. S. MEMBERS TO GET FULL VOTE ON REPARATIONS
Associated Press Despatch.
Paris, July 9.—The arrangement drawn up by Premier Herriot of France and Premier MacDonald of Great Britain in the form of a joint declaration, intended to lay the way for a settlement of the reparations question gives the United States members of the reparations commission a full vote and the deciding power on the question of Germany's possible default.

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U. S. STEEL UNABLE TO FILL ORDERS

Latest Report Says Requests
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Associated Press Despatch.
New York, July 10.—Unfilled orders of the United States Steel Corporation on June 30, made public today, totaled 3,262,505 tons, a decrease of 355,000 tons compared with the end of the previous month.

While a number of ordinarily inactive shares rose buoyantly in the afternoon, notably West Penn Power, which rose 1 1/2 points, the market was heavy. Railroads were neglected.

U. S. CORN CROP SMALLER, WHILE WHEAT IS BETTER

Associated Press Despatch.
Washington, July 9.—Indications of a corn crop of 531,000,000 bushels smaller than last year's crop were given today by the U. S. Department of Agriculture, based on July 1 conditions.

Wheat production is forecasted at 740,000,000 bushels. Forecasts a month ago gave a total crop of 693,000,000 bushels.

Corn production is forecasted at 2,515,000,000 bushels. Last year's crop, 3,045,000,000 bushels, were harvested.

Exchange

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Paris, July 10.—Centes were firm on the Bourse today.

Three per cent rentes, 52 francs 75 centimes.

Exchange on London, 55 francs 20 centimes.

Five per cent loan, 67 francs 25 centimes.

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London, July 10.—Bar silver, 34 1/2 pence.

WEEKLY BANK CLEARINGS

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COTTON

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Spot cotton closed steady. Middling upland, 30.55c.

DETROIT DISCOUNT RATE

Detroit, July 9.—Uniform rate of exchange on Canadian currency for exchange day will be at a discount of 99 1/2 c.

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AMUSEMENTS

COOLEST SPOT IN TOWN.

TODAY: ESTELLE MORENO - TAYLOR STARRING IN

TIGER LOVE

A Drama of Flaming Hearts, 'Neath the Moon of Old Spain.

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12 Big Shows

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Baby Show - Dancing - Sports

Big Drawing Contest - 10 Prizes.

Buy your tickets at your grocers' and get a free ticket for the Drawing Contest.

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TECUMSEH PARK Today At 5.30 p.m.

DOUBLE-HEADED SATURDAY KALAMAZOO

Tickets on sale at Flynn's, Tobacconist, Strong's Drug Store and Belvedere News-stand.

Garden Festival

In the auditorium at Knox Presbyterian Church, corner of Wortley and Bruce, on Friday, July 12, from 2 to 5 p.m. Also home-cooking sale.

MEETINGS

NOTICE

To the Crude Oil Products of Canada

A meeting is to be held in Victoria Hall, Petrolia, Ontario, at 3 p.m., on July 12, 1924, for the purpose of forming a Canadian Oil Association and to deal with the Dominion government re: the payment of a bounty on the crude oil produced in Canada. All crude oil producers are invited to attend.

OSTEOPATHY

CATON, DR. H. V., has removed to 380 Adelaide St. E., between Dundas and King St. Phone 1573.

BORN, MARRIED, DIED

BORN. JOHNSON - To Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Johnson at Victoria, Ontario, on Sunday, July 6, a daughter (Betty Elaine).

KELLY - To Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Kelly (nee Lenore Kinsella), at St. Joseph's Hospital, Tuesday, July 8, a daughter (Helen Jean).

MILKES - To Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Miles, 116 Victoria St., at St. Joseph's Hospital, on July 9, 1924, a daughter, Ruth Parsons.

WRIGHT - At Victoria Hospital, London, Ont., to Dr. and Mrs. Clarence F. Wright of Smooth Rock Falls, on July 8, a son (stillborn).

MARRIED. SMART - McLaughlin - On Monday, July 7, at Baltimore, to the Rev. Charles A. Wehler, D.D., Anna Cornelia, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. P. McLaughlin, of Smooth Rock Falls, to Alfred Merritt Smart of London.

DIED. HUNT - At his late residence, 47 Gerard St., London, on Wednesday, July 9, 1924, Anson M., beloved husband of Zella M. Hunt, aged 60 years. Funeral service at the above address on Friday, July 11, at 2 o'clock. Interment at Scottdale Cemetery. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation.

WRIGHT - Suddenly, at Victoria Hospital, London, Ont., on July 8, Eric Myrtle Wright, beloved wife of Dr. Clarence F. Wright, Smooth Rock Falls, Ont., aged 35 years. Funeral from 950 Princess Ave. on Friday, July 11, at 2 p.m. Interment at Woodland Cemetery.

CARD OF THANKS. Mr. William Bennett and sister of 1051 Richmond street wish to thank their friends and neighbors for the kindness and sympathy shown them during their recent bereavement, and for the many spiritual and floral offerings.

MALE HELP WANTED

WANTED - Salesman for auto tires, engines, etc. Must have experience and successful track record. Salary for business letter. Box 104, Advertiser.

WANTED - Travelling specialty salesman to sell electric washing machines to the trade and assist dealers in demonstrating and closing. Liberal commission arrangement. Business letter can make big money. Box 104, Advertiser.

FEMALE HELP WANTED

EARN \$5 to \$25 weekly, the pleasant home work way, making socks on the fast, easily-learned auto-knitter. No experience necessary. Distance immaterial. Particulars, 40 stamp Dept. C.C. Auto-Knitter Company, Toronto.

HOUSEKEEPER, experienced, for farm home, 4 adults, middle-aged woman preferred. Apply Caleb Milson, Wilson Grove Road 2.

REFINED LADY to engage in odd jobs, work in the city part of whole time, paying \$25 to \$30 a week, chance of travelling position later. Address: P. C. Box 105, Advertiser.

TEACHERS WANTED

EXPERIENCED Protestant teacher for S. S. No. 10, Hamilton County. Apply, stating qualifications and salary, to Wm. A. White, Florence, Road 2.

EXPERIENCED teacher, holding second class certificate, for S. S. No. 25, Somers. Duties to commence Sept. 2. Apply to Donald Galloway, secretary, Somers, Ont. Phone Somers, Line 8, Room 5.

FOR S. S. No. 10, Ennisville, Lambton County, holding second class certificate, to commence September 2. F. S. Hyatt, secretary, R. R. 4, Petrolia, Ont. Phone 608, R. 5.

PROTESTANT teacher for section 8, Elgin Township, state experience, qualifications and salary. James W. McLean, R. 2, Wyoming.

PROTESTANT teacher for S. S. No. 2, Stephen Township, State experience, and salary expected. John T. Hirtzel, Crediton, Ontario.

PROTESTANT teacher for S. S. No. 17, Mossa. State experience and salary expected. Duties to commence Sept. 2. Apply, stating qualifications, to Treasurer, Walkers, Ont. R. R. 2.

QUALIFIED teacher for S. S. No. 12, Colchester South. Duties to begin Sept. 2. Apply, stating qualifications and experience to William Ford, Secretary, R. R. 2, Harrow, Ont.

TEACHER for S. S. No. 2, Romney. Apply, stating qualifications and salary, to George Renwick, Route 1, Wheatley, Ont.

TEACHER for S. S. No. 5, West Nisour. Apply, stating qualifications and salary expected, to James W. Risdon, Thorncliffe, R. R. 1, Secretary-treasurer.

TEACHER for S. S. No. 12, London Township. Apply, stating qualifications, to Donald Galloway, secretary, Route 2, Northwood, Ont.

TEACHER wanted for S. S. No. 13, Plympton, for the first of September. Apply, stating salary. William Allen, Camanche, Ont.

TEACHER wanted, Protestants, for S. S. No. 2, Cambridge. Apply, stating qualifications, experience and salary. Apply to Neil Simpson, Mooretown, Ont.

TEACHER for senior room of North Dorchester, S. S. No. 17, good disciplinary, personal application preferred. Apply, stating salary and qualifications, to F. Jackson, R. R. No. 2, Mossa.

TEACHER for S. S. No. 13, Dawn. Average attendance 11. Apply, stating qualifications and salary expected, to Alfred Ellis, Route 2, Crofton, Ont.

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LEARN BARBER TRADE at Canada's best and oldest established school; we pay you while learning and give you post graduate course for hairdressing secured when course completed; write for catalogue, Molar Barber College, 185 East Queen St., Toronto.

SITUATIONS WANTED

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MUSICAL INSTRUCTION

CRESSWELL, JAMES - Teacher of violin, band and orchestra instruments, 478 King St.

GURLE, KRISTINE HAUSCH - Conductor of violin and viola, 392 Central Ave. Tel. 5070.

JEAN WALKER - Instruction dramatic art, concert engagements. Institute Musical, 478 King St.

JOHN LORR, 610 Emery St., piano, theory, harmony. Institute of Musical Art.

LETHBRIDGE, GEORGE - Piano, vocal and organ. Music pupil of C. C. Widor, Paris, France. 290 Princess Ave. Phone 5214.

MARKS-WINN School of Popular Music, 627 Dundas St. Phone 6244.

MAURICE SOMMERFELT, teacher of piano, violin and mandolin, 606 Queen's Ave. Phone 7410.

PIANO - For thorough piano tuition see Miss Mary Weston, 251 Stanley St. Fletcher method taught to children. Phone 3122W.

READING and dramatic art, Gwendolyn Adams, Studio, Woodman Bldg., 478 Richmond, Phone 693W.

W. A. BLUTHNER - Pianist; beginners and advanced pupils. Studio, 293 Princess Ave.

ENTERTAINERS

A SUCCESS - Star Concert Co., entertainers. Write Gilmore, 387 Central Ave.

FRED T. GILL - Comedian, clean, peppery songs, teachers. Write 287 Central Ave.

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MELODY FIVE ORCHESTRA - Dances, parties, etc. May Lethbridge, Phone 722W.

LOST AND FOUND

LOST - Horse book, July 25th, on first sidewalk, East Nissouri, between seventh and eighth concessions. Please notify J. C. Henderson, R. R. 2, Lakeside.

REAL ESTATE

A LIST of properties for sale. List your properties with the well-known agency, R. Bevy, 733 King St. Tel. 3381.

ASK WHEELER the Homefinder, 182 1/2 Dundas St. Phone 5264.

BARGAINS

HOUSES of all descriptions, all prices, terms or cash. We make it our business to help you locate; also terms, insurance, money to loan. Phone 7041W.

FRANK D. BARNARD, Kinz and Talbot Sts., Moore Building.

CENTRAL - Two-story house, 4 bedrooms, 3-piece bath, all conveniences, side drive. Apply 151 Central Ave.

If you are going to buy a set of rent, see H. M. Smiley, who has what you want. Bowley Electric, Dominion Savings Building, Phone 2866W.

WILL TAKE CAR AS PART PAYMENT \$5,500; \$1,000 down - Ottawa Ave., opposite Victoria Hospital, 11-story brick, modern, all conveniences, 10 rooms, furnace in full basement, hot-water from furnace, also gas heater, full bathroom. Splendid opportunity for resale at a profit. Phone 5658W.

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ST. JULIEN - Small three-room cottage, hydro, water, gas, and new gas stove, stable, driveway, side lot, \$1,250, \$150 cash or will rent. J. C. Alexander, 119 King St.

SUMMER RESORTS.

GRAND BEND - Cottage, 6 rooms, large veranda, \$50 per month, 5-room cottage, veranda, nice lot, for sale \$300, cash terms. Geo. Eccleston, Grand Bend.

GRAND BEND - Summer home, 5 rooms, large porches and garage, 2 bedrooms, \$2,300, or rent, \$100 per month. Apply Arkona Knitting Mills, Arkona, Ont.

"NEPAHWIN"-GREGORY, Lake Rosseau, Muskoka, The House of Satisfaction - American chef, meals can't be beat, bowling, tennis, bathing, launch trips, orchestra (Dancing in separate buildings). All conveniences. We cater to those who wish a real vacation among refined people. Return fare, \$15.00; rates \$15.00 to \$22 per week. Write for booklet.

PORT STANLEY Hill Crest - Clean, bright, home housekeeping, if desired, refined ladies only. Write Otto Pierson, Port Stanley, Ont.

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FOR EXCHANGE, fine brick house, modern in every way, bringing in revenue, 100-acre farm, with all equipment. Box 101, Advertiser.

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CHOICE large and small homes, other properties, etc. Sam D. Campbell, realtor, The Hub, 422 Richmond.

EAST - House, 6 rooms, semi-modern, 2 bedrooms, Apply 290 St. Julien St. Phone 7883W.

HOUSEKEEPING room, \$2 per week, gas free, also one unfurnished room, \$1.50 per week. 1335 Wortley Rd.

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QUEEN'S AVE., 289 - Modern house, 9 rooms, all newly decorated. Apply 287 Queen's Ave. Tel. 960.

TWO GARAGES, 355 Central Ave. Phone 3111W.

TO RENT - Two-story building, 30x100, on C. N. R. siding, \$60 a month. J. W. Wilson, 1000 Dundas St. W.

\$27.00 - House, all modern except furnace, 3 bedrooms, York, west of Ridout, near Tennent & Tennent, 8 Dundas St.

ROOM AND BOARD

DUNDAS ST., 534 - Housekeeping rooms, furnished or unfurnished, steam heated, on bathroom floor, also single room, very reasonable rent.

SHAMBER - Ideal spot on the river, shady and quiet, for tired nerves. Terms \$1 per day. Box 36, Advertiser.

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CENTRAL - Furnished bedroom and kitchenette, bath, also parlor, bed, sitting-room, all conveniences, private entrance. Phone 18133.

FURNISHED rooms, light housekeeping or sleeping, very central and comfortable. 251 King St.

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BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

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CASH and Carry Grocery Business for sale, Sydney Smythe, business broker, Market Lane, London.

FOR SALE - Desirable, small oil property and dairy farm of 50 acres, known as the "Joyce Property," 16 H.P. Acme gas engine; blacksmith shop, chicken house, horse barn for 5 head, 6-room house with gas and water inside, 15 acres broke part in 1923, and balance under crop. This is one of the best paying "one-man" propositions in this district. Stock and implements included if desired. For terms and address, apply to W. C. Jackson, Copleston, Ont., 3 miles to Petrolia.

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ELECTRIC wiring any style for every purpose. See us first. Left Electric, 316 Grey St. Phone 4626W.

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FOR expert work and moderate prices, see F. Steele, London's Leading Electrician, opposite Loew's and Allen's Theatre.

FULL LINE Pedlar perfect product, including metal latn, shingles, corrugated iron and garages. Brick and concrete work. Phone 4244.

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MASON & RISCH, 245 DUNDAS ST. PHONE 5304.

REASONABLY-PRICED glasses, guaranteed. F. Steele, London's leading optician, opposite Loew's and Allen's Theatre.

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SEE QUICK, the upholsterer, about your furniture when in need of recovering. 625 Richmond St. 400 cords in log lengths. Silas Chapman, R. R. 2, Danfield.

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COAL AND WOOD

ANTHRACITE COAL - Now is the time for summer orders. Dry slabs, \$2.50 per cord. 1000 to 1,000 lbs. per cord. Devine's, Maitland St. Phone 7320.

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WOOD for sale, \$1 per load. Phone 4044W. 1 Boom, 51 Adelaide St.

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MILES OF FOREST PREY TO FLAMES

Fire Rages Through Timber
On Coast of British
Columbia.

Canadian Press Despatch.
Vancouver, July 9.—The countryside for several miles on the British Columbia coast in the vicinity of Myrtle Point, near Powell river, is ablaze, according to word received here today. Forest fires in this area are sweeping large areas of timber, despite the efforts of fire-fighters.

Fanned by a strong westerly wind, the fire, which has been burning through slashing and young timber in the vicinity of Cranberry Lake, jumped inland today, and this morning leaped the half-mile stretch of Haslam Lake.

An aeroplane pilot reports that the fire is heading up the lake.

Working in conjunction with forest rangers, the pilot is reconnoitering the locality, and is looking for spots where loggers and fire-fighters can build fire-guards to check the flames.

Auxiliaries from Vancouver hastened to the scene to assist the several hundred fire-fighters who have been waging one-sided battles during the last few days. Steam pumps are being placed on floats in Haslam Lake and are being towed up the lake to points where lines of hose can be connected to throw streams of water on the fire burning on the mountainside.

No change is reported in the forest fire situation at Cook Bay and Cowichan road, both on Vancouver Island. These fires still are out of control, and have spread to some extent during the last 24 hours.

BURIED AT TILLSONBURG.
Special to The Advertiser.
Tillsonburg, July 9.—The funeral of Miss Maud Rutherford was held to the Delmer Cemetery and was very largely attended. Rev. A. E. Marshall, pastor of St. Paul's Methodist Church, conducted the services.

BUSINESS CARDS

OAK FLOORS

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L. H. MARTIN & CO.
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50 shares and one half share, having par value of \$100 per share, fully paid. Tenders must be accompanied by a marked check, payable to the undersigned of 10 per cent of the amount tendered, which will be returned if the tender is not accepted, and forfeited if the tender is accepted. The purchase not completed by the purchaser in accordance with the undermentioned terms.

In per cent of purchase money with tender, and the balance within 15 days of acceptance of tender. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

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THE FIDELITY TRUSTS COMPANY OF ONTARIO

Dominion Savings Building,
London, Ontario.
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The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

E. S. LITTLE,
Chairman, Grounds and Bldgs. Com.

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Secretary, Western Fair Board.
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TENDERS will be received by the undersigned up to 12 o'clock noon, July 23, 1924, for the exclusive right to sell 2 1/2 per cent beverages to concessionaires at the Exhibition Grounds during the Western Fair, September 6th to 13th, 1924.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

E. S. LITTLE,
Chairman, Grounds and Bldgs. Com.

W. D. JACKSON,
Secretary, Western Fair Board.
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THE LONDON ADVERTISER, WANT AD. DEPARTMENT, Phone 3670.

DOVER MAN FACES O. T. A. CHARGE

County Police Allege Mash
Was Hidden in Barrel
in Stable.

Special to The Advertiser.

Chatham, July 9.—Searching the farm of Joseph Lague, Dover Township, county police discovered a 40-gallon barrel of what is alleged to be whiskey mash buried in the ground in the horse stable. A spear with which Chief Peters happened to be toying stuck in one of the planks. As he lifted the weapon the plank became dislodged, disclosing the hiding place. Lague will face a charge of violating the liquor laws.

During the night thieves stole a touring car bearing license number 258-662, belonging to Duncan Sullivan, which had been left in front of his home, 12 Forrest street. The thieves also stole tools valued at \$150.

Flags Stolen.

Fire Chief Pritchard, chairman of the decorations committee for the Old Boys' celebration, complains that 35 dozen flags, which were used on hydro standards, have been stolen.

The Chatham library has under consideration a suggestion that the Newark circulation system replace the present one. This system, it is claimed, will mean a great saving of labor for the librarians. A committee is investigating the matter.

More Objections.

The Edgar street paving controversy is not yet ended. Today it was intimated that those opposed to the project have found grounds on which to make another appeal to the Ontario Railway and Municipal Board, which will likely result in that body holding an investigation here.

Vandals raiding public flower beds is the subject of complaint of the Chatham Horticultural Society, which is responsible for the upkeep.

Mrs. Rhea Beatrice Phillips, wife of Edward Phillips, died in St. Joseph's Hospital after a gallant fight for life, following the birth of an infant son, Patrick. Survivors are the husband, two children and her parents, who reside on Vancouver Island.

A well known and highly respected citizen in the person of Mrs. A. S. Campbell, aged 66 years, wife of John M. Campbell, died in St. Joseph's Hospital.

INSPECTOR IS CHECKING ON EGG REGULATIONS

Visits Dealers and Retailers
Regarding Rules on
Grading.

Special to The Advertiser.

Woodstock, July 9.—R. J. Bull, of the Dominion government livestock branch, and egg-grading inspector of Ontario, is in the city making an inspection regarding the new egg-grading law. He has visited the produce companies and stores where eggs are sold.

Examination Board.

The entrance examination board is composed of Inspector J. M. Coles, Principal E. P. Hodgins, Supervisor of Schools S. Nethercott, Sister Claire, and Miss Glavin.

Audit Is Begun.

The audit of the criminal justice accounts, city and county, began this morning at the court house by City Treasurer F. H. Down, County Councilor Vickert of Princeton and Acting Judge Col. W. T. McMullen.

Garden Party.

A largely-attended garden party was held on Tuesday on the lawn of the Central Methodist Church. Several hundred sat down to a supper prepared by the members of the Philatheta, class of which Miss Blanche Newton is president. The candy and ice cream booths were in charge of Mrs. M. T. Entwistle's and Miss Huffman's classes; the fish-pond under the supervision of Mrs. James Vance's class. The members of Mrs. B. Adams' class sold roses. A splendid musical program was provided by Pascoe's Orchestra, assisted by Arthur G. Ede, Harvey J. Cook, Robert Downs, and J. L. Aude.

Acting Chief.

Sergeant William Jerry is acting as chief in the absence of Chief of Police Moore, who is attending the chief constables' convention in Ottawa.

John H. Pike.

John H. Pike of Burgessville passed away this morning at his home, East Oxford. He was born near Burgessville 60 years ago, and for many years was a devoted worker in the Burgessville Methodist Church. Survivors are three sons, Frank and Irwin, of Currie's Crossing, and Charles of Muir, and two daughters, Mrs. William Langdon of St. Thomas and Mrs. Robert Hall of Woodstock. The funeral will take place from the late residence on Friday at 2 p.m. to Burgessville Cemetery.

FIVE ARE SLIGHTLY HURT WHEN AUTO STRIKES BUGGY

Special to The Advertiser.

Dresden, July 9.—On the fifth side-road, a short distance west of Dresden, while Peter Burns with his wife and child were returning to town in the bread van, they met a car, and took the extreme side of the road in order to avoid the light. The auto collided with a buggy driven by Charles Joyce, accompanied by his wife, and proceeding in the same direction. A wheel was torn of the buggy and the van turned over. On the fact that the van was running slowly at the time saved serious consequences. All persons concerned received a bad shaking up and some slight cuts.

GIVEN THIRTY DAYS.

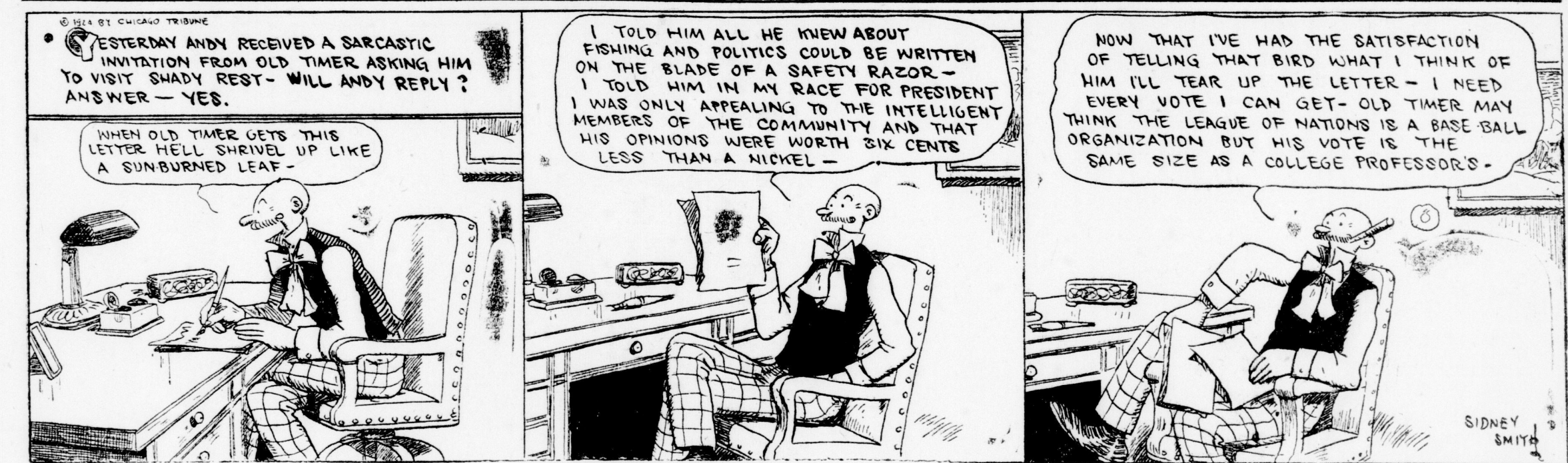
Special to The Advertiser.

Tillsonburg, July 9.—Chief Mowbray of the M. C. R. police arrived this morning from Niagara Falls to lay a charge of trespassing against Oleksa Supink, Austrian. Chief Carter arrested the man last Thursday on the tracks as a suspect of robbing the Brownsville express office.

The accused was given a hearing before Magistrate Hore, and sentenced to 30 days in Woodstock jail.

GUMP, GOOGLE & CO., Experts In Laughter

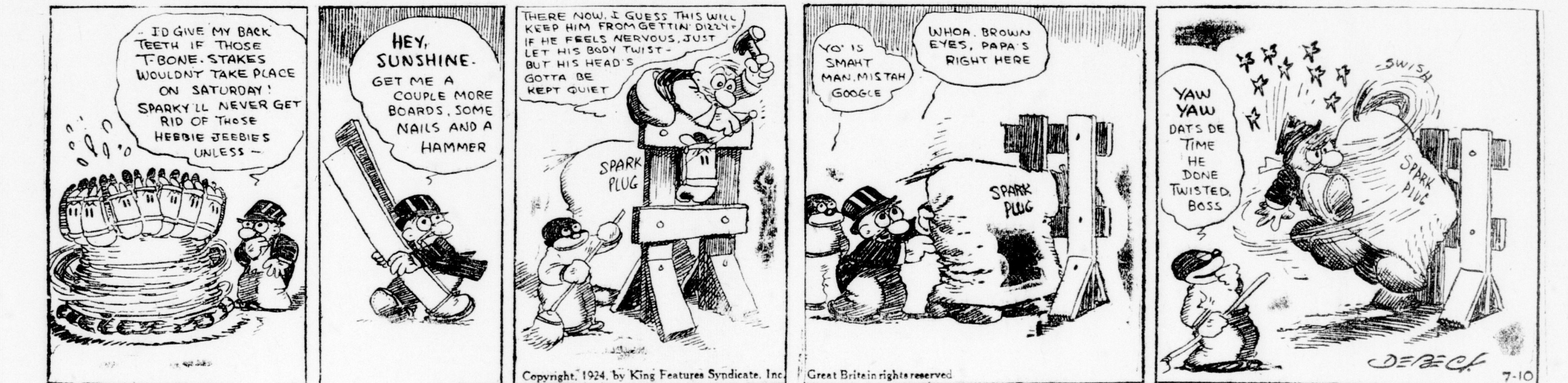
THE GUMPS—SAY IT WITH SILENCE



BARNEY GOOGLE AND SPARK PLUG

Framing Sparky Is No Easy Job.

By BILLY DE BECK



TOOTS AND CASPER

All Packed Up and No Place To Go.

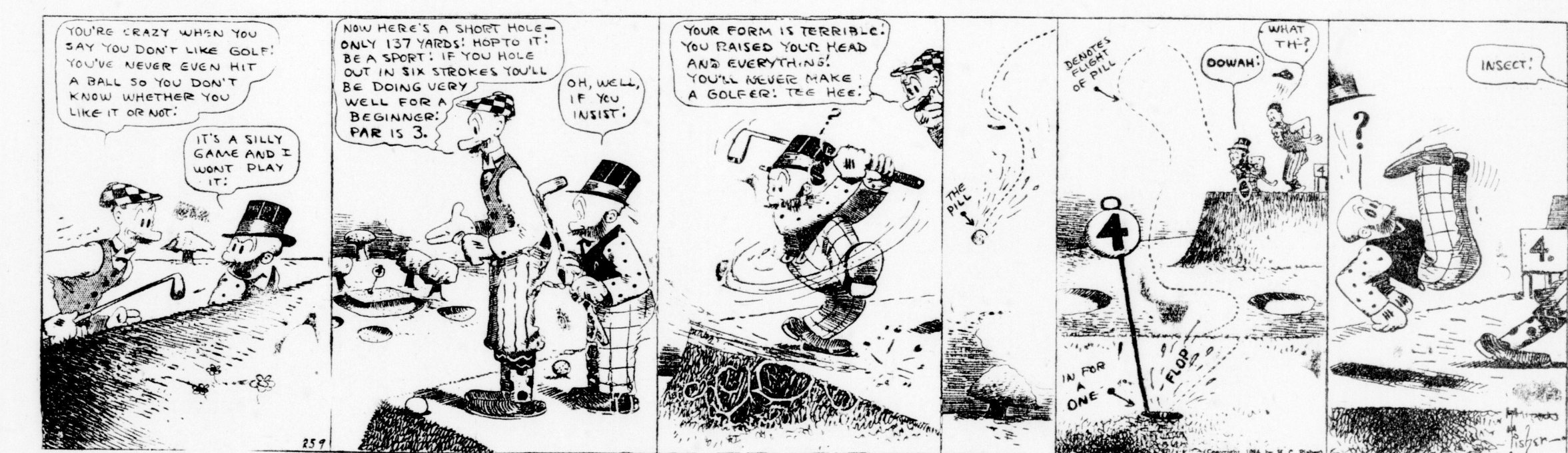
By JIMMY MURPHY



MUTT AND JEFF

Well, What Do You Know About This?

By BUD FISHER



REG'LAR FELLERS

The Quandary.

By GENE BYRNES



