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FRIDAY, JUNE 19, 1925

'Squibographs'

Man cannot live by bread alone. The season has arrived when he prefers strawberry shortcake.
A real estate boom is reported in Jerusalem. The activities of the money changers may not be confined to the vicinity of the synagogues.
A Detroit anglers' club offers a round trip ticket to the tomb of Ananias for the best fish yarn of the season.

June brides got off to a good start in Chicago. Two hundred marriage licenses were issued on the first day of the month.

The average small boy considers it a hardship that the longest days of the year come before the mid-summer school vacation.

These early June mornings enable economical students preparing for examinations to save much "mid-night oil." Nature's light is available at 4 a.m.

A plebiscite in Ontario is suggested to decide whether the new 4.4 has a "kick" or is a weak apology for the real thing.

A candidate for mayor in a New York city referred to his opponent as a "soup head." The term is said to mean a liquid adaption of "bone-head."

Soft drink manufacturers in Ontario are protesting against the new provincial tax on "pop." It is contended that the beverage is already highly charged.

A crowd of forty thousand people greeted the Prince of Wales at the little South African town of Umata. In acknowledging the welcome H. R.H. could simply say, "ta ta."

It is announced that the United States treasury department purposes discontinuing printing \$10,000 bills. Those fortunate enough to own one can preserve it as a souvenir.

An ordinance is advocated in Portland to restrain dogs from barking during unseemly hours of the night. The promoters forget that "dogs delight to bark and bite it is their nature to."

Alligator steaks and monkey chops are said to be popular dishes with the natives of British Guiana. Although it is suggestive of cannibalism Mr. Bryan might relish a chimpanzee cutlet.

Applicants for marriage licenses in Ontario are now required to produce their birth certificates. They are regarded as a guarantee that the contracting parties have reached the age of discretion.

It is claimed for St. Louis women that they wear smaller shoes than those of any other city in America. Chicago modestly refrains from competing for the Cinderella championship.

The corner stone of a college of chiropody was laid in San Francisco, Sunday. This is one institution where it is no reflection on the intelligence of a student to be at the foot of his class.

Niagara Falls now offers an added attraction for honeymoon couples. The "bridal veil" is brilliantly illumined at night by a battery of powerful searchlights. The dazzling spectacle amazes nervous bridegrooms.

John Phillip Sousa, noted bandmaster, is suing a cigar manufacturer for using his name to advertise a five for fifteen cents stogie. The "smoke" in question is said to be stronger than a massed chorus of bass drums.

The mayors of Calgary and Edmonton are scheduled to engage in a spectacular rough-riding contest. Both contestants, having been in the civic saddle for years, may find bronchos easier to "bust" than obstreperous aldermen.

A New York man made a will in verse, leaving his entire estate to his wife. It is consoling to the widow to know that his lines were cast in pleasant places.

East Lambton Women's Institute

The annual convention of the East Lambton Women's Institute was held in the Baptist church, Arkona, on Thursday afternoon, June 11th, with an attendance of nearly one hundred ladies. The president, Mrs. S. Shrier, occupied the chair. All branches, with the exception of Aberarder, Auchrim and Shetland, were represented. After the opening exercises the minutes of the previous annual meeting were read and confirmed. Each branch reported excellent work done during the year. In the absence of Miss Pettypiece, treasurer of the Queen Mary Cot Fund, Mrs. Rawlings reported that the various branches had paid their apportionment and that there is a balance on hand of \$32.74. The vocal solos by Mrs. Herrington and Mrs. Dickison were very much enjoyed by all. The secretary-treasurer's report showed the following gratifying statistics:—

Branch	Receipts	Expenditures	Balance	Membership
Aberarder—	\$103.80	\$55.85	\$47.95	27
Alvinston—	593.63	146.40	447.23	17
Arkona—	1403.95	795.22	608.73	45
Aughrim—	55.33	36.75	18.58	20
Brooke—	90.94	66.05	24.89	24
Florence—	812.14	735.22	76.92	61
Forest—	324.65	280.43	44.22	63
Inwood—	548.28	379.64	168.12	67
Shetland—	45.19	35.93	9.26	23
Theford Jr.—	85.01	51.22	33.79	17
Theford Sr.—	255.83	73.93	181.90	30
Uttoxeter—	133.78	93.59	40.19	19
Warwick—	71.27	46.46	24.81	24
Watford—	146.89	112.02	34.83	46
Total	\$4670.69	\$2908.75	1761.42	495

The auditors reported having examined the above, and found it correct.

The Asst Supt of Women's Institutes, Miss Ethel Chapman, gave a very interesting and helpful address on "The Vital Things in Institute Work."

Officers were elected as follows:— Hon. pres., Mrs. A. B. Connor, Alvinston; president, Mrs. S. Shrier, Arkona; vice president, (north) Mrs. McLean, Forest, (south) Mrs. (Dr.) McLean, Inwood; secretary-treasurer Mrs. C. A. Rundle, Watford; auditors, Mrs. W. S. Shugg and Mrs. H. J. Lett; representatives to Provincial Federation, Mrs. S. Shrier, with Mrs. H. Humphries as her alternate; treasurer of Cot Fund, Miss S. Pettypiece of Forest; district directors were elected as follows:— Aberarder, Mrs. Tom Greenlees; Alvinston, Mrs. N. A. McLean; Arkona, Mrs. R. S. Lampman; Auchrim, Mrs. J. C. Cox; Brooke, Mrs. W. S. Shugg; Florence, Mrs. Mary Drew; Forest, Mrs. J. D. Livingston; Inwood, Mrs. G. Courtright; Shetland, Ethel Elliott; Theford, Jr., Evelyn Shepherd; Theford Sr., Mrs. Frank Wight; Uttoxeter, Mrs. L. King; Warwick, Mrs. J. Robinson; Watford, Mrs. R. A. McIntosh.

Mrs. W. T. Walker of Arkona gave a concise report of what is being done in agricultural work by some of the branch secretaries.

Moved by Mrs. Humphries, seconded by Mrs. W. Brown, that we pay three dollars for use of church.

Next convention to be held in Inwood.

A dainty tea, served by the Arkona Women's Institute, brought the convention to a close.

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LOWESTOFF'S RISE TO RAIN AND FORTUNE

Had Its Origin as a Fishing Village, But Now Caters to Two Million Visitors in Summer—The Toll of the Sea.

Like many other seaside places, Lowestoft, England, which caters for nearly 2,000,000 visitors in summer, had its origin in a village whose inhabitants depended upon fishing for a living. But while its growth into a holiday centre covers a period of little over half a century, its history stretches so far back that no one knows exactly how it got its name.

Before it was called Lowestoft it was known as Lowistoff, and before that, at various times, as Laystoff, Lothu Wistoff, Lovistoke, Lothbrog, and Lodbrog.

Lodbrog was the name of a Danish chieftain who, being driven ashore near Lowestoft by a storm, was welcomed by Edmund, King of East Anglia, who gave feasts in his honor. The king's huntsman, Berne, was jealous of Lodbrog's skill in the chase, and murdered him in the woods.

The crime might never have been discovered but for the sagacity of Lodbrog's dog, which was instrumental in bringing Berne to justice. For punishment, the murderer was set adrift at Corton, near Lowestoft, in an open boat.

Nearly dead from exposure, he was picked up and taken to Denmark. There he accused King Edmund of the murder. As a result, the Danish king sent an army to East Anglia, vanquished the kingdom, and founded a number of towns and cities, Lowestoft among them.

Later the town came into the possession of Henry III, who gave it to John Balliol, a Scotsman of renown. From him it passed to his son, the King of Scotland. Since those far-off days Lowestoft has often figured prominently in the country's history, notably in naval engagements, among them the great battle between the English and Dutch fleets in 1665.

Most visitors to Lowestoft are aware of the town's elaborate precautions against coast erosion, but few realize the vast expenditure involved. During the past twenty-five years close on £100,000 has been spent in building special groynes and breakwaters, without which the fine stretches of beach on which visitors disport themselves could not exist.

But while these measures have proved effective in the centre of the town, the southern portion is still gravely menaced by the sea. At Kirkley and Pakefield are houses so close to the edge of the cliff that they are unsafe for occupation. It is estimated that on an average the sea takes toll of this part of the coast at the rate of 11 feet a year.

One of the features of the town are the quaint streets known as "Scores," a name derived from the Anglo-Saxon score, a cleft. They are situated on part of what is the most easterly point of land in England, and are a relic of the days when fisherfolk were Lowestoft's only inhabitants. At the top of Mariner's Score is the house, formerly an inn, in which Oliver Cromwell lodged on his surprise visit, with a thousand cavaliers, in search of malignants.

Up Rant's Score George II. rode on his return from Hanover, while at the top of Martin's Score is a curious wooden post on which have been recorded, as they occurred, the dates of historical events in years ending in 88, from the Spanish Armada in 1588.

Just outside the town, at Oulton Broad, may be seen the summer house in which George Borrow, author of "The Romya Rye" and "The Bible in Spain," did much of his work. Edward Fitzgerald, the translator of "Omar Khayyam," lived at No. 11 Marine Terrace. During the time he lived there he went into the fishery business, taking a half share in a smack.

At Corton is Cliffe House, the former residence of a "mustard king," who declared that he built the house out of "the mustard that people leave on their plates!"

A Famous London Mansion. Devonshire House, London, which was recently pulled down, was built in 1737 by one Kent, the architect for the third Duke of Devonshire.

Squat, gloomy, and unimposing though it appeared to the passer-by, its interior gave the impression of a certain stately, though sombre, magnificence.

The ballroom was one of the finest in the kingdom, and the beautiful circular staircase by which it was approached was unique. The low broad steps were of pure white marble, flanked on the one side by an alabaster wall, and on the other by a handrail composed of oblong blocks of rock crystal clamped together by bands of silver gilt.

In 1775 Georgina, the fifth Duchess of Devonshire, used to go visiting friends in the West-end in a Sedan chair, escorted by eight gold-laced footmen.

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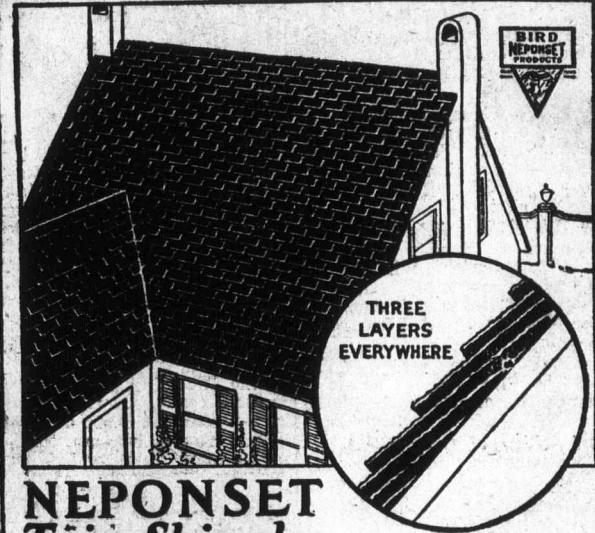
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COUNTY COUNCIL SUPPORTS PETROLIA REQUEST FOR INVESTIGATION

Attorney-General Asked to Investigate Alleged Reduction in Charge from Manslaughter to Criminal Negligence.

A resolution which, in effect, requested the attorney-general of Ontario to have a thorough investigation made as to why James Burns, of Detroit, was only charged with criminal negligence in connection with the death of nine year old John Henry Bunyan, at Petrolia, on May 2nd, in view of the finding of the coroner's jury, was passed by the Lambton county council last week, after a discussion. It was proposed by Reeve F. A. Shaunessy, of Petrolia, and seconded by Reeve R. F. Rilet of Alvin-

ston. In introducing the resolution Reeve Shaunessy referred briefly to the circumstances of the case. A nine-year-old boy had been run down by an automobile and died of injuries received. The coroner's jury had reported a verdict that his death was due to being run down by a certain party. The speaker had been informed that a charge of manslaughter had been written out but it had apparently been laid aside and a charge of criminal negligence laid.

At their last meeting the Petrolia council had decided to ask the attorney general to investigate why Burns was not charged for manslaughter. Mr. Shaunessy continued. He had been tried and convicted on a plea of guilty of criminal negligence and could not be brought up again but as a matter of principle the rate-

payers of Petrolia were desirous of finding out the reason for the lesser charge.

"Are we going to have highway robbery charged as simple theft or the killing of a person charged as doing bodily harm?" asked the Reeve of Petrolia.

Deputy Reeve Milton McVicar of Enniskillen said he did not think the matter should be brought up before the county council.

Reeve Connolly of Watford declared he was not particularly interested in this case, but as the administration of justice came under the county he felt that the county council was interested and should ask for an investigation.

Reeve Burnley of Plympton advised the council to be careful. Deputy Reeve J. B. Scott said that the ratepayers of Petrolia felt that they did not get a just deal. There was no desire to see any more punishment inflicted on the defendant, but they would like to know why the charge was changed so easily.

Reeve Fred Eastman of Arkona said he, too, had been informed that a charge of manslaughter had been made out and what the people of Petrolia and district wanted to know was who was responsible for the ditching of that charge.

After a remark by Reeve Ed. Armistage that this was not the only case, but that there was one right at Sarnia, a vote was taken and the resolution carried without a contrary vote.

Petrolia's Old Home Week is Looming Near

Many Features Will Serve to Make The Event a Memorable One

One week from next Wednesday the widely advertised call to old Petrolia boys and girls will be realized when Old Home Week will be observed July 1-5. In every branch the committee men are patting themselves on the back because of the success of the arrangements. Every branch of the planning for the event has been well taken care of. The campaign for memberships has doubled the objective, preparations have been practically completed to date, and the program is scheduled for announcement this week. Something entirely new in the way of advertising will be set up next week on all the leading roads throughout the county. Music will be supplied by at least four bands each day for four days besides orchestras and other items. The horse racing exceeds by far anything of its kind ever staged in the town as it is drawing a class of horses that is far beyond the merits of the average racers attending local race meets. The street decorations will be based on the industry which is characteristic of the town and surrounding vicinity and something never before reproduced by any Old Boys' reunion in Ontario will be a feature of the decorating committee's program. The Glenview golf club and local bowling and tennis clubs are

extending invitations to all old boys to the use of their respective grounds during the week and there will be fast league ball games, old boys' ball games, soft ball, track events, basketball, etc.

The first day is Dominion day and county day, July 2, is Border Cities day, July 3, is "Everybody's day, with Toronto taking charge of the evening's program. The 4th of July being American's national holiday will be dedicated as "America's day" with Detroit in charge of the afternoon and evening performances. The closing

day, Sunday, will consist of union services in Victoria park with the program especially arranged for the closing day. Citizens are opening their homes to women and children, while billets are being prepared in the various club rooms for men.

Parades will be of big proportions on the opening day with spontaneous parades daily. The laying of the corner stone for Petrolia's new \$100,000 high school will be a feature of the week's program.

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Bosanquet Council

Council met on the 8th inst. All the members present. Minutes of previous meetings confirmed.

The reeve and Mr. Vivian, commissioners on the Brush drain, report that they examined the drain and found it completed according to plan and profile. The engineer's report for the construction of the Moloy-Romph drain was accepted. The following orders were given:— C. Lockrey and D. F. McIntyre, \$4 each, commission on Grant drain; G. Sutherland \$100 on salary and \$50 for Golden Creek drain bylaw, \$11.88 for postage; A. Patching \$1 for repairing Carrothers drain; Wm. Grigg \$250 repair Watson-Ross drain; A. S. Code \$269.00 report, plans etc., for Mud Creek drain. \$175.50 for report, etc., Golden Creek drain, \$133.50 report, etc., Brush drain and \$78.80 report, etc., Watson-Ross drain; Jass Burr \$499.50 work on Brush drain; F. Melville \$162.40 board etc charged to London Bridge Works Co.; W. Bryant \$21.25 printing Golden Creek drain bylaw and \$2.25 for supplies; D. F. McIntyre and John Vivian \$31.00 each, commission on Brush drain; G. Sutherland \$11.88 postage; Harry Scott \$4.50 for spring broken in hole on road; Robt. Stevenson \$2, attending court of revision and W. S. Watson \$39.16 tile for Watson-Ross drain.

A. D. Donald and A. Wight were appointed commissioners on the Golden Creek drain. The engineer's reports for the Well drain and for the Moloy-Romph drain were received.

The bylaw for the repair of the Golden Creek drain was finally passed. The engineer's report for the pair of the Wells drain was accepted.

Mr. McCubbin was instructed to examine the Wadsworth drain.

At the court of revision A. N. Loughheed and Annie Loughheed were assessed for the south 12 acres of lot 36, S.E. con at \$475. Arthur Vance was assessed for 6 1/2 acres of lot 72 L.R.W. con. instead of George Brand, George Hays and Wm. Walters assessments were confirmed.

Council adjourned to meet on Monday, July 6th, at 10 a.m.

Geo. Sutherland, Clerk.

NERVOUS BREAK-DOWN

Pains in Back and Legs Relieved by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Ford, Ontario.—"I had a nervous break-down, as it is called, with severe pains in my back and legs, and with fainting spells which left me very weak. I was nervous and could not sleep nor eat as I should and spent much time in bed. I was in this state, more or less, for over two years before Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound was recommended to me by my neighbor. Before I had taken five doses I was sitting up in bed, and when the first bottle was taken I was out of bed and able to walk around the house. During my sickness I had been obliged to get some one to look after my home for me, but thanks to the Vegetable Compound I am now able to look after it myself. I have taken Lydia E. Pinkham's Blood Medicine in turn with the Vegetable Compound, and I certainly recommend these medicines to any one who is not enjoying good health. I am quite willing for you to use these facts as a testimonial."—Mrs. J. SHEPHERD, 130 Jos. Janisse Avenue, Ford, Ontario.

Nervousness, irritability, painful times, run-down feelings and weakness are symptoms to be noted. Women suffering from these troubles, which they so often have, should give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a fair trial. All druggists sell this medicine.

The high winds of Friday and Saturday have about completely destroyed the celery beds near Thedford, some of them being covered with three or four inches of dirt.

The new provincial road map, published under the authority of Hon. George S. Henry, Minister of Public

Two Boys Who Like Farming

Nearly all normal boys are fond of animals, and can be induced to take an interest in the live stock of the farm if given a proper chance. It is unreasonable, however, to expect any boy to become interested in ill-bred, ugly, half-nourished animals, and no person can blame him if he fails to become enthusiastic over acting as valet to a line-up of "crow-baits." Undersuch conditions, "doing chores" becomes a nightmare and a horror and the boy often makes up his mind to place as much distance as possible between himself and such work at the earliest opportunity.

The farmer who has boys growing up about him will do well to give attention to the question of getting some of them interested in feeding a few animals which are better than the general run of farm live stock. If he can develop one enthusiastic stockman upon his farm, he will have accomplished something which will return him large dividends in the future, and he will not have to complain that none of his boys take an

own feeding, and very liberal prizes are offered. No feature of the show creates so much interest as the boys' calf-feeding competition, and an enthusiastic gallery always watches the placing of the awards.

The competition is restricted to beef animals, and the leading beef breeds, Shorthorn, Hereford, and Angus, are always represented. The competition of 1924 was a marked victory for Shorthorns, five out of the six top prizes going to representatives of this breed. First prize was won by a Shorthorn calf shown by George Tait, Warrenton, Man. This win meant \$150 in prize money, the regular first prize being \$100, to which was added a special of \$50 offered by the Dominion Shorthorn Breeders' Association for the first prize calf if sired by a Shorthorn bull. The calf also won first in the open class, which meant another \$35, and was finally sold at 60 cents per pound, which amounted to \$572.80.

Altogether, therefore, this boy had a tidy sum of money for his effort, and he is convinced that feeding Short-

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SALE REGISTER

Auction Sale, household furniture, etc., estate of the late Miss Sarah A. Shirley, Front st., Saturday, June 20th, two o'clock sharp.

Executors sale of house and lot, situated on the south side of Huron street, Watford, on Saturday, June 27th, at the Roche House. See ad. and bills.

The death occurred in Point Edward on Saturday last of Annie Shea, wife of John B. Nichol, aged 61 years. Mrs. Nichol had been in poor health for the last year. The family came from Wyoming where they were wellknown about nine years ago. She is survived by her husband six daughters and two sons. The elder son, Glenn Nichol, was the first member of the Guide-Advocate staff to enlist for overseas service in August 1914.

WANSTEAD

Mr. Gibson of Seaforth is visiting for some time with the family of the late D. F. Smith.

Most of the neighbors of Mr. and Mrs. Jackson spent the afternoon of Thursday helping them raise their large barn, which is 44 x 100 on a 10 foot foundation. Roy Stonehouse and Stanley Johnston were captains. The Stonehouse men winning by a rafter or two. A fine supper was served on the lawn among the evergreens. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Anderson of Sarnia were among those who came from a distance.

Mr. and Mrs. Armstrong and family of Sarnia visited at the home of Russell Alexander, while returning from Port Frank last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Thompson motored to Windsor on Sunday. They report a fine trip and good crops along the way.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Napper and daughters, Misses Thelma and Doris, motored from Sarnia on Sunday and visited Mrs. Elma Ramsay.

Mrs. P. H. Shaver has been ill for the past week with an attack of appendicitis.

Hear W. A. Amos, Palmerston, provincial president of the U.F.O. at the U.F.O. garden party on the spacious grounds at the home of Mrs. Elma Ramsay on Tuesday evening, June 30th.

Miss Cassy Simpson, nurse-in-training at Welland Hospital, spent last week at her home here.

The Wanstead Farmers' Co-operative Co. have completed the erection of a large building to be used for storing coal, cement, etc. Three cars of coal were unloaded last week. Live stock will be shipped on Saturday next.

Mrs. F. McPhedran returned from Toronto on Saturday where she has been in attendance at the General Assembly of the Presbyterian church.

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SHORT LESSONS IN LAWN TENNIS

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(Continued from last week)

The game of doubles must be considered as an entirely different game from singles in that a new factor is introduced, i.e., combination. When you are playing with a partner you become merely one factor in carrying out a scheme of attack or defense as previously decided upon. The individuality of your own tactics must be merged into this scheme in order that your partner will understand what you are attempting to do.

The court is a little larger for doubles than for singles. The length is the same, but the width one-third greater. Naturally, as there are two players covering this court even greater accuracy and pace in attacking is necessary than in a singles game. Select receiving court according to your stroke strength, the man with the best forehand taking the right court. If there is nothing to choose between them, let the best player take the left court, as he does most of the centre court volleying, and has many critical return services to make after deuce has been called.

34. Correct Position in Doubles.

In doubles even more than in singles, you should avoid standing between the base line and the service line, known as the danger zone, for any return of good strength will light at your feet, a very difficult place to make a return from. The famous twin Baddley brothers contended that a double team should be behind the base line or right up to the net and I agree with their view.

The formation of one player at the net and one at the base line has only once been successfully put into practice, namely, by the Smith and Risely team, twice world champions. The former was a wonderful base line driver, with the hardest hit forehand drive of any player, and the latter perhaps as fine a volleyer as the game has ever seen. This formation is unorthodox and in my opinion valueless. Smith and Risely were the exception

that proves the rule. If you and your partner are at the net and your opponents lob over your partner's head and he runs back for it, do not stay at the net, but run back and keep in line with him. So long as you keep in line there will be no holes for your opponents to score through.

35. Service in Doubles.

Just as in singles the service is in doubles the most important stroke, and properly used is easily a point advantage to the serving side. Indeed so important is this considered that in first-class matches when a team loses on its service the general impression is that the set is lost. The strength of service in doubles lies in the fact that the service side assumes the offensive right at the start and the player who is actually serving runs up to the net and takes the best scoring spot on the court alongside his partner.

In doubles perhaps even more than in singles consistency of service is vitally important. A good length service lessens the chance of the striker returning the ball with such force as to be unplayable, and it also gives your partner at the net more time to intercept the return. I cannot over-emphasize the value of getting the first service over because the striker must stand far back for this one, as he cannot take a chance by standing too close in case a swift ball comes over. It is also useful to vary your first service. If your first service is missing fire, and you are putting in a weak second, your opponents will soon get used to it, so concentrate on getting the first in. A first service consistently delivered saves you the trouble of an extra jump for the net, and also gives your partner more confidence in you.

36. The Smash.

The smash, or in other words, the overhead volley must ultimately be perfected, as it is one of the main point winners in doubles. Theoretically, an overhead smash appears to be the same stroke as the overhead service. But it is not so. In the overhead volley you have to judge the flight of the ball whilst in the air and get in the proper position to play it. In the service you throw the ball up, putting yourself in the correct position at the same time.

Do not attempt to smash with your body facing the net. Always have your body nearly in line with the flight of the ball. Do not be over anxious in smashing, because it will make you hit the ball too soon, a very common error. I am not much of an advocate of the half volley, although several players have been successful with it, and it is an extremely useful stroke to know how to make. In most instances a quick step forward will convert it into a volley or a step backward into a ground stroke.

37. Australian Formation.

In recent years the Australian double teams have made such a deep impression on most players that I am afraid quite a few readers will disagree with me when I say I do not favor the Australian formation for receiving. In the Australian formation for receiving of service, the receiver stands in the proper positions to receive, and his partner about two or three yards back from the net on the other side of the court. This possibly is all right provided the receiver is able to send his return of service back so swiftly and well that neither the opponent at the net or the server running up can make an ace of it.

The famous Doherty brothers tried this formation on several occasions, and I believe practically every defeat they suffered was experienced under these conditions. The proper place for you to stand when your partner is receiving is behind the base line of your own side of the court, the whole scheme of doubles being for you and your partner to be in line, no matter in what portion of the court.

38. Footwork.

The principle of foot work in tennis is the same as in dancing. To have the required fleetness of foot you should be able to move about the court in the same graceful way a dancer moves on her feet.

One of the most noticeable things about a lady player is the fact that most of them do not move as swiftly on the court as the men do. This is curious, because girls are good dancers, better as a rule than men. But in tennis for some reason, they are inclined to stand flat-footed instead of on the ball of the foot. You must be prepared before the stroke starts. With your heels on the ground you are lost, for there is a second's pause before you can propel yourself. I cannot sufficiently impress on girls who want to improve their game the vital necessity of good foot work, it is the foundation of an all round game. When waiting to receive stand almost as you do when you start to dance.

(To be Continued)

Petrolia town council has asked the attorney-general's department to investigate the case of James Burns, the Detroit youth, who was sentenced to three months in the reformatory on a charge arising out of the killing of a 9-year-old boy on Main st. The aldermen want to know why Burns was accused and a plea of guilty accepted on a lesser charge than that suggested by the coroner's jury. Burns was charged with having by the "wanton, furious driving" of his automobile done "bodily harm" to the dead lad. On this charge he pleaded guilty and was sentenced to a definite term of three months in the reformatory, with an additional indeterminate term up to six months depending on his behavior.



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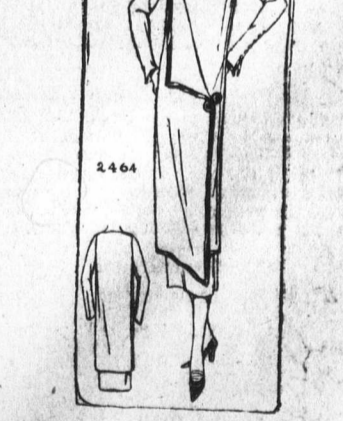


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A 15-year-old Ridgeway boy will stand trial for sending his uncle a "Black Hand" letter, threatening him if he did not immediately leave town.

Official figures show that Ontario is educating annually about 680,000 pupils and is paying 17,000 teachers' salaries. The estimated average cost per pupil per year is \$80. Assuming that every pupil attends school for at least ten years, the cost of education in this province is \$800 per pupil.

The Demonstrator "What are you crying for, my little lad?" "Cause favor's invented a new soap substitoot, an' every time a customer comes, I get washed as an advertisement."

Judge Lennox, in the Supreme Court sessions in Sarnia on Monday, consented to a settlement by Imperial Oil, Ltd., whereby \$2,500 was awarded the family of the late Jas. Furvia, London Road, whose life was lost in a kerosene explosion which destroyed the home last fall; \$1,500 goes to the widow and \$1,000 to the two infant children.

Mr. W. A. Wilson, Enniskillen township road superintendent, was in Hagersville on Friday and left an order for fifty carloads of half and three-quarter inch crushed stone, to be delivered at the stations of Holmsdale, Glenrae, Oil City, Oil Springs and Wanstead. Three carloads will be left at the last named station for use on the north part of the township. Last year the Glenrae division experimented with ten carloads, the residents of that district unloading and distributing it free of charge to the township. They were so well pleased with the results that they will repeat the performance this year and have been given an extra two carloads. The cost per car is about \$100.

R. T. Johns, a former hardware merchant of Alvinston, died recently at Camrose, Alta.

The difference between Charlie Chaplin and the young fellows who wear balloon trousers is that Charlie gets paid for looking funny in his baggy appendages.

Dent Brothers, of Bothwell, have sold their hardware store to the firm of Murray & Colquhoun, of Strathroy, who will take over the business at once.

All bootleggers and other illicit purveyors of "obejoyful" will take notice that the fines are up to from \$500 to \$2,000 from and after May 31st.

The Alvinston Women's Institute are offering medals in the village and five surrounding schools for the pupil from each school obtaining the highest marks at the entrance examination.

A Regina man is said to have perfected a device which will prevent "listening in" on rural or party lines. What a lot of fun some people will miss if this invention comes into general use.

Pte. Roy Carmichael, a returned soldier of Collingwood, who was a prisoner in Germany for part of the war, has a great deal of respect for Hindenburg, the newly elected, stern-faced President of the German Republic. In an article in the Collingwood Enterprise he is quoted as saying that the prison camp where he was confined was one of the worst, the treatment the prisoners received was atrocious, they had to sleep on bare boards and the food was bad. One morning a stern-faced man visited every hut without asking any questions or passing any comment, but when he got through he called the Commandant out and gave him a real dressing down, telling him that there was no way to treat soldiers and ordering a change at once. Within twelve hours every prisoner had a straw tick and the huts were cleaned and from that on they got proper food and fair treatment. Carmichael as a consequence, has a rather kindly feeling towards the old Field Marshal.

Statistics prepared by John Farrell immigration inspector at London to determine whether genuine agriculturists are coming from Europe, show that of 1400 men located in Middlesex and adjoining counties during 1924, nearly 75 per cent. became permanent residents of rural parts. Of the remainder some are in Canadian cities, but the majority crossed the border into the United States.

Mrs. Isabel James, of St. Thomas, has collected \$600 damages from the C. P. R., Atchison, Topeka & Kansas Railway and the Santa Fe Railway, she having been put off a train at a lonely point in Arizona by a conductor who disputed the validity of her ticket. She had to remain at the way station for eight days while she wired home and received money with which to buy a new ticket. It was contended by the railways that she had come home by a route not sanctioned by her ticket.

Mr. Robert McVicar, of Brooke, has a hen which is the proud mother of a very unique family, they being seven wild ducks. One day while at the back of the farm, Mr. McVicar came across a wild duck setting on eggs. He gathered them up and took them home setting them under a hen. A week later the young birds hatched out and now the seven healthy young ones are having a great time rambling around the barn yard with the other domestic fowl.

The awkward looking individual entered an ice cream parlor and purchased a chocolate cone, and went out on the sidewalk to enjoy it. Presently he reappeared with the empty cone and handing it to the astonished clerk he said, "Thank you for your vase."

The township of Euphemia may be small, but what it lacks in size it makes up for in endeavoring to populate the rest of the country which has a larger acreage and perhaps not the next week three more were born. This is surely a record and is surely worthy of special mention. And to cap it all our local M.P. B. W. Fansher comes along with twin boys born to him and his wife.—Alvinston Free Press.

Children Nearly Poisoned While playing around the vacant lot west of the St. Mary's Creamery a number of youngsters found a small phial containing strychnine amongst a pile of rubbish. The bottle was labelled, but the youngsters were too young to realize the deadly nature of the white powdery contents and immediately set to work to play about with it. One of the children, a lad of five or six years, conceived the idea of administering the medicine to the other children and accordingly they all held out their hands and received a goodly portion of the bottle's contents, which some immediately applied to their mouths. Strychnine being of exceedingly bitter taste, soon caused the children to spit the stuff out with haste, but one little girl, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Clark apparently swallowed some of the stuff, with the result that she became violently ill and had to be attended by a doctor. The child was soon restored to health, but the incident might easily have ended with tragic results. In future citizens when cleaning out their shelves should take good care that no poisonous or other harmful liquids or powders are thrown out, as children are always ready to investigate bottles, etc.

The Petrolia Advertiser-Topic will issue a special Old Home Week edition next week consisting of four-sections of eight pages each—32 pages profusely illustrated with scenes of Petrolia, past and present.

Fight fans down in Panama had a novel entertainment in the fighting ring on Sunday evening staged by two women pugilists. "Knock-Out" Maria, of Chile, was given the decision after eight rounds of pummelling "Batling" Rosa, of Colombia.

"If you always gave me full swing," observed the pendulum, "you would never have any trouble with your hands." "O, I don't know," replied the clock. "If it wasn't for your going back and forth in my works I'd never have any strikes."

Mr. John McMaster of St. Mary's, received a box of pheasant eggs from the Fish and Game Department of the Government, which he intends to hatch out by the use of a hen. The Government supplies the eggs free to anyone who guarantees to hatch and care for the birds.

Disenchanted She stood beside me in the car: Her form was tall and slender; No blemish did her beauty mar; Her eyes were blue and tender, Her dress was perfect; hat and shoes Had cost a tidy sum. I heard her speak. "Say, Mag, did you see Swipe all of that there gum?"

Fire originating in a Chinese laundry destroyed practically an entire business block in Hagersville on Sunday night. Damage is estimated at \$120,000 with approximately half covered by insurance. Lack of adequate water supply and with one chemical engine exhausted, local fire fighters were powerless until outside aid was obtained from Hamilton, Cayuga and Jarvis.

Brush the mud off your car markers. Traffic officers, especially in the cities and on crowded highways, are checking closely on misplaced markers, with a result that scarcely a day passes without a number of motorists being brought into police court and fined \$5 for having their markers obstructed.

The officers of Wawanosh chapter Royal Arch Masons, of Sarnia, paid a fraternal visit to Vimy chapter at Inwood last Monday night and bestowed the Royal Arch degree. About twenty made the trip by automobile and the Vimy brethren gave them an enthusiastic welcome and provided good entertainment. A sumptuous supper was served to the Sarnia officers after the degree work.

Requisite on the Farm—Every farmer and stock-raiser should keep a supply of Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil on hand, not only as a ready remedy for ills in the family, but because it is a horse and cattle medicine of great potency. As a substitute for sweet oil for horses and cattle affected by colic it far surpasses anything that can be administered.

The storey-and-a-half frame residence of Mr. Stanley McLachlan, on the sixth sideroad of Brooke, was destroyed by fire on Friday morning last, the cause originating it is supposed from the kitchen stove. Mr. McLachlan had started a fire in the range, and had gone after a pail of water to the barn yard. He was gone a few minutes, and when he returned the whole house was on fire, he only managing to get two chairs from the building. All other valuables, such as clothing, furniture, etc., was totally destroyed. It is thought that a spark from the stove had fallen to the floor and as everything was very dry at the time, the fire quickly did its work of destruction. The loss is partly covered by insurance.—Alvinston Free Press.

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Local Ha Napier garden (day.) Dominion Day another public holiday. Mrs. James Craves in Port Huron. Mrs. (Dr.) Taylor on Miss Bertha Oaterson. The Erie St. S. hold their annual Grove on July 1st. Love doesn't reach round. It merges into dizziness, so it looks like a man's mental increase after marriage. We need more please call and pay that date.—P. Dod The Sabbath School of the United Church (Bytarian) will hold organization on Sun at 9.45. Miss Elsie Brown Marwick are attending Christian Endeavor at Elgin House, Mus. Rev. R. B. Steve tary of the Lord's l ed on the minister making arrangements appeal. The Rev. Edgar someone ought to bridegroom at a w does that himself so Mrs. (Dr.) Gibson daughter, Gertrude, visiting Mrs. Gibson Woods, St. Clair str Rev. S. J. Thor Erie St. church will ly to High School st day evening. Every Sarnia ferries are next rush of Americ 4th. Service will be and night, carrying hour. The John V. Gra Co. of Toronto, of ler is chief engineer the home of W. S. F street. The screen has n comedy than "Chs sparkling and brilli made many warm fri no years on Brooke spontaneous fun, sho ceum Friday, July 3 At Watford Bapt Church of the Open 7 p.m. "Eternal Pu is it and how long p.m., Bible School 'Romans." 11 a.m., Genesis." Ben Wilso Rev. Forbes J. Ru lately of Dutton, arri day to assume the pa Brooke circuit. A him a kind and gener Mr. Rutherford will t next Sunday. Rev. J. L. Foster for their new home Wednesday morning, made many warm fri two years on Brooke also District Treasur roy Dist. of the Meth. The play "The Kos staged in the Lyceum evening by young pe was thoroughly enjoy large crowd. The var well portrayed by all east. While the wild run hair has gone out of to be a hair-raising no question about i spell of hot weather m get it bobbed, who hesitating. It was a critical situ Ontario agriculture week. A few days m heat would have m average crop certain it would have meant rains have saved the another bountiful ha An Entrance class o their examinations at t today. Now follows th iod! The Guide-Advoc the results in East L lately on their receipting board. Miss Marjorie V. i ware and Cincinnati is paying a visit to he and Mrs. E. D. Swif has made several visit Alexandra Sanatorium visit her brother, Capt Swift, who is a patier ary department. Miss very highly of the ex cements and the splen dition the patients nurses and the medic the continued kindnes Cross.—London Adver