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Trial of Home Bank Directors Set To Begin September 9

QUEBEC ST. SEWER ALSO THROWN OUT AT COUNCIL CLASH

Two-Thirds Vote Not Secured on Sewer Question Following Warm Debate—Douglass Declares Western Fair Grant Came Up Before Committee in Irregular Manner—Mayor Appeals for Council Support.

MOTION OF GUARANTEE IS DEFEATED

In a hot, one-hour session at noon today requests for a new storm sewer for Quebec street and for a \$5,000 guarantee for the Western Fair board were turned down. Debate on both questions was sharp and bitter. A two-thirds vote was demanded on the storm sewer question and it lost out by a narrow margin, seven aye votes and five against, just enough to lose. The vote against the grant to the Western Fair was seven to five. Rival factions from the vicinity of Quebec street added color to the spectacle and following the vote members of the two delegations almost came to blows in the corridor.

Mayor Wenig had Attorney-General Nickle's letter on the legality of the sewer question read. The mayor declared that when the "sewer storm" had been up before in committee it had been agreed that it was out of the question as it was illegal and it had been voted down for that reason. Mr. Nickle's letter settled the legality of the matter.

Shift Gang.

The civic works department was engaged on a sewer on Oxford street. Next week they could shift their gang to Quebec street with little trouble. The work was urgent and the right way to re-plan the schedule was to go on with the Quebec street sewer next week so that a pavement, already passed on, could be laid before winter set in.

Ald. Smith moved that the sewer be authorized. He was seconded by Ald. Drake.

"The people of Emery street have been waiting three years for a sewer. When can they get theirs?" asked Ald. Anderson.

"That's in the program. They'll get it this fall. The Quebec street sewer is urgent and we've got to get on with it now," replied the mayor.

Ald. Green opposed the Quebec street sewer. "Why make Emery street sewer merely a relief work for the fall and go on with Quebec street now?" he asked.

"We want to give the people coming into London a decent roadway in that section," declared Ald. Drake.

"They haven't got it now. We can't pave Quebec street until we get the sewer in. Emery street sewer is a big job that can wait. Quebec street is only a small job and it can be done now."

Represent Ratepayers.

A. A. Williams, P. J. Lavender and J. Ward appeared for the ratepayers of Knollwood Park and district, and those of Hurd & Co., Quebec street, who pointed out that every spring water lay around in puddles for weeks because of lack of drainage. Roads were very muddy in the year. Ald. McKay wanted the sewer sanctioned.

Claiming that he had received no notice from the city when the petition first came up, Manager Hurd of Hurd & Co., Quebec street, stated that the petition suggested would benefit those north of Oxford street greatly, while those to the south of the street would have to pay most for it.

A majority of the people never received notices that the petition had been sent in," claimed Mr. Hurd.

"They all had a chance to protest," the mayor affirmed. "Notices were sent to all ratepayers." The city clerk vouched for this.

"That puts an entirely new aspect on the thing," interjected Ald. Douglass.

"The whole agitation for the Quebec street sewer is coming from Knollwood Park," said Milton Dockstader of Hurd & Co., a Quebec street resident. "Anyway, I think it's going too far when we have people coming down here who don't live on the street."

Ald. Towse, author of eight questions which he had mailed to City Engineer New, wasn't satisfied that the sewer was necessary, and said that the street was in good shape even if it hadn't been laid.

He wanted to speak against the Ald. Drake called for the vote on Ald. Smith's motion.

"Why the rush?" queried Ald. Towse, and Ald. Douglass added that there was no use railroading the thing through. Ald. Towse came out at this point as an advocate of a city manager, claiming that the city engineer was not a city manager.

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Mr. Wickeshaugen in his address in unveiling the statue, while alluding approvingly to the remark of the late Lord Bryce, that the commentaries of Blackstone were one of the links which best bound the United States to Great Britain, added that paradoxically "those same commentaries furnished to the American colonists a most effective weapon in their own revolution against the mother country."

"The greatest, the most far-reaching influence of Blackstone's work was realized in America," continued the former attorney-general, who pointed out that the colonists accepted Blackstone's definition of British rights as set forth in his work.



HORACE L. SEYMOUR, town planning expert and engineer, who is at present in London making arrangements to complete the town planning survey.

AUSTRALIA PLANS FOR EXHIBITION

Proposal Is Being Seriously Considered by Commonwealth Officials.

Associated Press Despatch. Sydney, Australia, July 24.—A great international exhibition in Australia is proposed. It is believed that such an exhibition would prove of great advantage to the Commonwealth and would attract a large number of visitors from all parts of the world.

The outlines of the Australian international exhibition scheme have been formulated by the Australian commission, which was appointed in connection with the British Empire Exhibition at Wembley, and it is expected that the scheme will be carried forward to fruition. The Australian commission at Wembley has been greatly impressed with the publicity value of the British Empire Exhibition, and believes that similar publicity would be gained by the holding of an international exhibition in Australia.

ALLIED FINANCIERS STILL DISSATISFIED

Deadlock Remains Despite Various Compromise Proposals.

Associated Press Despatch. London, July 24.—While the all-important committee on defaults and sanctions did not hold any full meeting, its members whose preliminary report proved so unsatisfactory to the financiers, had a conversation with both the British and United States bankers in an endeavor to reach an understanding. All that can be said with certainty about the deadlock is that misunderstandings still remain to be cleared away.

The financiers express dissatisfaction with the reparations commission as the arbiter of defaults and sanctions and insist upon a copper-riveted pact against separate action by any power before they will agree to underwrite a German loan.

The French delegation insists that this is the first step toward the destruction of the Versailles treaty, and that it implies, and an infringement of French sovereignty.

There was little abatement of the tension when all of the delegations suspended their conversation to attend King George's garden party at Buckingham Palace this afternoon.

Associated Press Despatch. Tokyo, July 24.—A new policy toward Russia, on which it is believed the government would be willing to grant recognition to the soviet government, was adopted by the cabinet at an extraordinary session today.

Associated Press Despatch. Tokyo, July 24.—The board of directors of the Mid-dlesex County council appointed to buy coal for the heating of the county buildings and the fall this winter, will after an "Sunday" to open the six tenders received.

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PAVEMENT AUTHORIZED ALL WAY TO THAMESFORD

Contract Will Be Let For the Strip East of Crumlin.

ONLY ONE IN AREA

Follows Highway Minister's Recent Announcement of \$1,250,000 Contracts.

The only piece of pavement highway construction authorized in London district in the recent \$1,250,000 of contracts announced by Hon. Geo. Henry, provincial minister of highways, is that from Thamesford to Crumlin, a distance of about 5.7 miles. Tenders have been called for great advantage to the Commonwealth and would attract a large number of visitors from all parts of the world.

Nor is the contract let for the paving of Richmond street north, from Huron street for a distance of 1.5 miles.

Preliminary work has been begun by the Warner-Chalmers Company of London on their contract for paving the road from Delaware to Lambeth, a distance of 6.5 miles.

Work is at present under way also on the Ingersoll-Thamesford stretch of pavement, 5.7 miles in length, for which the contract was awarded to Jonsson Bros. of Brantford.

U. S. QUICKLY AGREED TO FREE STATE ENVOY

Correspondence Between Two Governments Leading to Appointment Published.

Associated Press Despatch. Washington, July 24.—Under agreement with the British embassy, the state department made public last night correspondence exchanged between Secretary of State Hughes and British Ambassador Howard last month providing for the appointment in Washington of a minister to represent the Irish Free State in diplomatic intercourse with the United States.

In his communication of June 24, submitting the request that the Washington government accept this representation, the Irish Free State, Ambassador Howard told Secretary Hughes that "His Majesty's government have come to the conclusion that it is desirable that the handling of matters at Washington exclusively relating to the Irish Free State should be confided to a minister plenipotentiary of the Irish Free State."

Secretary Hughes replied under date of June 28, stating that the United States government would be pleased to receive a duly accredited minister plenipotentiary of the Irish Free State.

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Associated Press Despatch. St. John's, Nfld., July 23.—The British Empire Steel Corporation has definitely refused any increase in wages to its miner employees on Belle Island and it is expected that a strike will materialize shortly.

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ANGUS A. ARDEN, little Armenian boy, who has been adopted by the members of the London Kiwanis Club.

MARKHAM PLANS FOR KING'S VISIT

Rousing Reception Will Be Tendered Premier on August 16.

Canadian Press Despatch. Markham, Ont., July 24.—The committee from the North York Liberal Association and the Toronto Liberal Association, which is in charge of the picnic to be held in honor of Right Hon. Mackenzie King at Markham fair grounds on August 16, has decided to complete arrangements for the picnic.

The picnic will be held on August 16, and will be attended by representatives from every municipality in the riding and committees of finance, publicity, decorations, games, platform and music were all completed.

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Borneo Cannibal Regions Claimed By Toronto Man Under Aneke Jans' Will

William Eastman, Modest Painter, Has Visions of Being Millionaire.

WILL VISIT ESTATE

Has Spent Part of His Savings in Effort To Establish Rights.

Canadian Press Despatch. Toronto, July 24.—"It is a 100 to 1 chance that I become a millionaire in the next few months," said a modest painter who lives in a little bungalow on Toronto Island last night.

This optimist is William Webber Eastman, who claims that he is entitled to an odd million or so from the famous Aneke Jans millions—the fortune which has snarled so much ink during the last two hundred years, according to a Toronto news item today. The estate to which he lays his claim is in Borneo, but he is such a wild part of the country that it is said that the last two white men to visit it were devoured by cannibals.

The reason for Mr. Eastman's optimism is that he has found a second cousin who lays exactly the same claim to the estate as he does. Mr. Eastman and his friend have, therefore, been planning their course of action together.

He will sail for Europe in a few months and first pay a visit to Plymouth for a conference with Mrs. Ralph Webber, the second cousin. Later he will visit Holland, where he will lay all his cards on the table in a desperate effort to return to Toronto a millionaire.

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CROWN WILL USE CALVERT AS WITNESS AT HEARING

Date For Trial of Home Bank Directors Is Set For Sept. 9.

BEFORE JUDGE ONLY

Additional Charge of False Statement Laid Against Gough.

Canadian Press Despatch. Toronto, July 24.—It was announced here today that the directors and officials of the Home Bank of Canada, charged in connection with the suspension of that institution last August, will face trial before Judge Emerson Coatsworth, senior judge of the County of York, on the afternoon of Sept. 9.

According to the crown authorities the original charges in the indictment will stand, but proceedings will not be taken against A. E. Calvert, who was acting manager of the bank at the time of its suspension. He will likely be used by the crown as one of its principal witnesses.

H. J. Daly, who was president of the defunct institution, and one of the accused named in the indictment, died June 9.

The date for the trial was set by Judge Coatsworth when the accused appeared before him to be tried, and pleaded not guilty to the charges preferred against them under the bank act.

Additional Charge. D. L. McCarthy, K.C., special crown prosecutor, said Mr. Calvert, who acted as general manager "under certain circumstances," signed "Hamilton return," but "the crown does not wish to press the charge at present."

Mr. McCarthy presented the charge sheet against all the accused, except Mr. Calvert, charging them with issuing a prospectus which was calculated to be false, with a view to inducing people to buy shares in the Home Bank, and with intent to deceive shareholders and creditors.

"I have a charge against Richard P. Gough," said the crown counsel, "that on Jan. 18 he did willfully make a false and deceptive statement to the minister of finance, and I have a further charge against him which amounts to the same thing, that he made a false and deceptive statement to the minister on June 26."

F. Hellmuth, representing the accused, asked if the wording of the charges followed on the wording of the original indictment.

To Furnish Particulars. The crown said they did; the man-damus issued by Mr. Justice Middleton, ordered that the charges should be made on the indictment. Casey Wood, K.C., is similarly charged with slandering false and deceptive statements on March 17 and on June 26. J. F. M. Stewart, F. J. B. Russell, Clarence F. Smith, C. A. Bar-swell, and Sydney H. Jones, with signing false and deceptive statements on June 26; O. G. Smith, the chief accountant on June 18, June

Calamity Howling Regarding Crops Is Political Move Declares U.S. Mill Owner

POOR CROPS TALES ARE INFUNDED

Charles M. Trueheart Declares Calamity Howling a Political Move.

CITES REASONS

Associated Press Despatch.
New York, July 24.—Keen interest is reported in grain circles here in the statement of Charles M. Trueheart, of Baltimore, a well-known miller and distributor of flour, that the "calamity howling" regarding the condition of the wheat crop in the United States and Canada is due to politics. It is being done, Mr. Trueheart said, so that the farmers will get their votes in the November elections.

While reports have been in circulation for some days that the Chicago wheat market is being influenced through the spreading of sensational reports by those who have political interests to further, Mr. Trueheart's pronouncement is the first public utterance on the subject by a recognized authority on the grain market. He declares his views are shared by many other grain men here.

"The most skilled men in grain manipulation in the country have been engaged to help wage this campaign," he declared. "But it is illogical that men who have a back of them and what money is supporting them. Their activity certainly lends color to the almost universally accepted belief that it is purely a political move and being done to assist in the re-election of President Coolidge."

"Those who have followed conditions under which both the fall and spring wheat were sown and the conditions during the growth, development and harvest of the fall sown wheat and the conditions prevailing in the American northwest and Canada know that at least 90 per cent of the rumors being circulated to boost the market are without foundation and in most instances absolutely false."

"The prospects are that the United States will raise fully as much wheat as was finally reported for last year. While it would be almost beyond belief for Canada to again produce as big a crop as it produced last year, the prospects are that its yield will be far above the average crop of the last ten years."

WAITRESSES IN DEMAND FOR SUMMER HOTELS

Local Employment Service Is Given List of Vacant Posts.

The women's department of the local employment service office reports a continued demand for waitresses for summer hotels outside the city. The wages paid range from \$25 to \$35 per month and around \$10 per month for pantry girls. These positions have not been filled as rapidly as might have been expected, owing to the general disinclination of girls and women to leave the city.

The local office is in receipt of a letter forwarded from W. R. Little, director of European immigration, concerning a widow of a Canadian soldier with a 4-year-old daughter, of Boston, Lincolnshire, England, who is desirous of coming to this country in whatever capacity she can secure work, preferably as a housekeeper, either in the city or country. The letter is receiving the attention of Supt. J. C. Spencer.

Little change is reported in the general industrial employment situation throughout the province last week. The agricultural sphere is reported to be in a state of stagnation, with large numbers required for haying and harvest. A continued demand for domestic workers was also reported.

UNIVERSITY STUDENTS MAY ATTEND SESSIONS

University students of Western Ontario will have an opportunity to attend the sessions of the British Association for the Advancement of Science to be held in Toronto Aug. 6 to 13.

Gordon Philip, secretary of the London Chamber of Commerce, announced today that the chamber had been asked to invite members of the association and those interested to the meetings in Toronto.

Students under 20 who desire to attend will be charged the nominal fee of \$2.50. Others attending will pay \$7.50 for an annual membership. This includes a copy of the association report. The application forms are in the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce, where applications are received.

The British Association for the Advancement of Science is a world-wide movement for the furthering of scientific knowledge. There will be speakers from all over the world.

STILL IN PLACE.
George Turner cannot stay away from the Duxton and although he is supposed to be on a vacation he was there every day. Not that he goes there to work, but it seems that it is about the coolest spot in town, and comfort can be had there on the warm days.

PICNICS AT SPRINGBANK.
Among the picnics held at Springbank Park this afternoon were those of the London Pure Milk Company, Chair Graham family, Guest Union, Graham family, Women's Institute and C. N. Telegraph Company.

PASSES WITH HONORS.
Miss Lily Oxford was a successful candidate in the June examination, held by the Toronto Conservatory. She had been a student there for some time. Miss Oxford is a pupil of Miss Ruby Pack, South London.

WOMAN'S SCHEME TO COLLECT INSURANCE ENDANGERS LIFE

Miss Frances Stabb Breaks Down Under Police Grilling.

CAUGHT IN TRAP

Roomer Saves Woman Who Faced Death in Apartment Fire.

Associated Press Despatch.
Syracuse, N.Y., July 24.—Forced by pressing debts and in an effort to collect insurance on her damaged apartment and goods, Miss Frances Stabb early yesterday morning set fire to her home and, to lend color to her story of burglars, bound and gagged herself and awaited the coming of firemen.

The fire, however, threatened to become more serious than she had planned, and seized with panic, Miss Stabb attempted to undo the ropes she had tied. These only became tightened by her struggles and the helpless woman was faced with possible death in the fire she had started. In the course of her struggles, a roomer in her apartment was awakened and rescued her as flames were shooting through the house. Other occupants of the building escaped by ladders and fire escapes, scantily clad.

To the police Miss Stabb told a thrilling story of waking to find two burglars at her bedside, of being bound and gagged, and of watching her rooms ransacked with a loss of forty dollars. Her story was broken down only after several hours of quizzing by the police.

C. N. R. WAGE PLAN UP TO EMPLOYEES

General Superintendent Fish Pays Short Visit to City.

R. H. Fish, general superintendent of the Canadian National Railways, Toronto, was in the city today, arriving at 11:05 a.m. from Toronto and leaving for Stratford at 12:45 p.m. He was accompanied by L. Graebell, general baggage agent, Toronto.

The visit of Superintendent Fish to the city at the present time was primarily for a conference with officials of the local postal department, including W. J. May, superintendent of postal services, and W. H. Skinner, assistant postmaster. Asked as to the nature and subject of the conference, Mr. Fish was non-committal, while Mr. Graebell explained that it was merely a conference of a routine nature and would thus not be of interest to the public.

Regarding other matters pertaining to the operation of the C. N. R. itself, Mr. Fish was more communicative. He stated that the last of the mountain type engines for service on the company's passenger trains between Port Huron and Montreal had arrived in the city. There are now about twenty of these engines in service along the route indicated.

Possible Inquiry.
Asked as to whether the C. N. R. was not considering making some definite and formal request to the government agent the extension of the suspension of the Crown's Next Pass agreement of 1898, or at least the early appointment of a railway commission to institute a full inquiry into the matter, Mr. Fish stated that he did not care to be quoted in the matter. He did not deny, however, but what the C. N. R. would take some steps along the lines suggested.

Touching on the situation of the employees in the local car shops and other shops, Mr. Fish stated that the company preferred a shorter work week than 44 hours, in preference to reducing the number of men employed. It was strictly up to the men themselves. Mr. Fish remarked that in any case the change would only be a temporary one until business began to pick up again.

Six months? inquired the reporter.
"Oh, no, not that long," replied the superintendent.

The Advertiser was curious also as to what, if anything, had taken place in connection with the voluntary reduction of salaries of the higher-up officials following up the offer of the president, Sir Henry Thornton, and the members of the board of directors, in their salaries. Mr. Fish admitted that he was one of the superintendents who, as soon as they heard of Sir Henry's offer, had likewise indicated willingness to accept a voluntary cut in salary. The superintendent intimated that he had heard nothing further in the matter and was strictly up to the men themselves. The offer was forthcoming more generally from the officials themselves nothing would be done.

Concerning union business of the road in general, Mr. Fish stated that while the freight business was slightly lower than last year passenger business was quite a little better. Summer tourist traffic, however, was not so good as it was last year. There were about fifty in attendance at the installation, following which there was a banquet.

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EXPERT AT WORK

Progress in work of the London Town Planning Commission was reported today and Horace L. Seymour, town planning engineer, who is in the city for a few days, stated that a definite report would be forthcoming on the conclusion of the survey work in the autumn. Mr. Seymour is to be retained by the city in town planning work and he is at present securing co-operation from the city engineer's department. Roy Garrett, A.M.P.E.C. of Mr. Near's department, has been detailed to assist in the town planning survey work. His knowledge and interest in the work will prove valuable, Mr. Seymour stated today.

SERGEANT-MAJOR LEAVES REGIMENT

W. R. Roberts Will Return to England and Enter Business.

Following 33 years in the service of the empire, Regimental Sergeant-Major W. R. Roberts, M.S.M., of the Royal Canadian Regiment, will leave his regiment. He expects to return to England in August and there enter business.

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WILL SPEAK SUNDAY.
Mayor Wright and Alderman Douglass will speak at the band concert in Queen's Park on Sunday night. The mayor was scheduled to speak last Sunday, but due to an important engagement was not able to put in an appearance. He promises to be on hand this week and will endeavor to vindicate himself for his last week's non-appearance.

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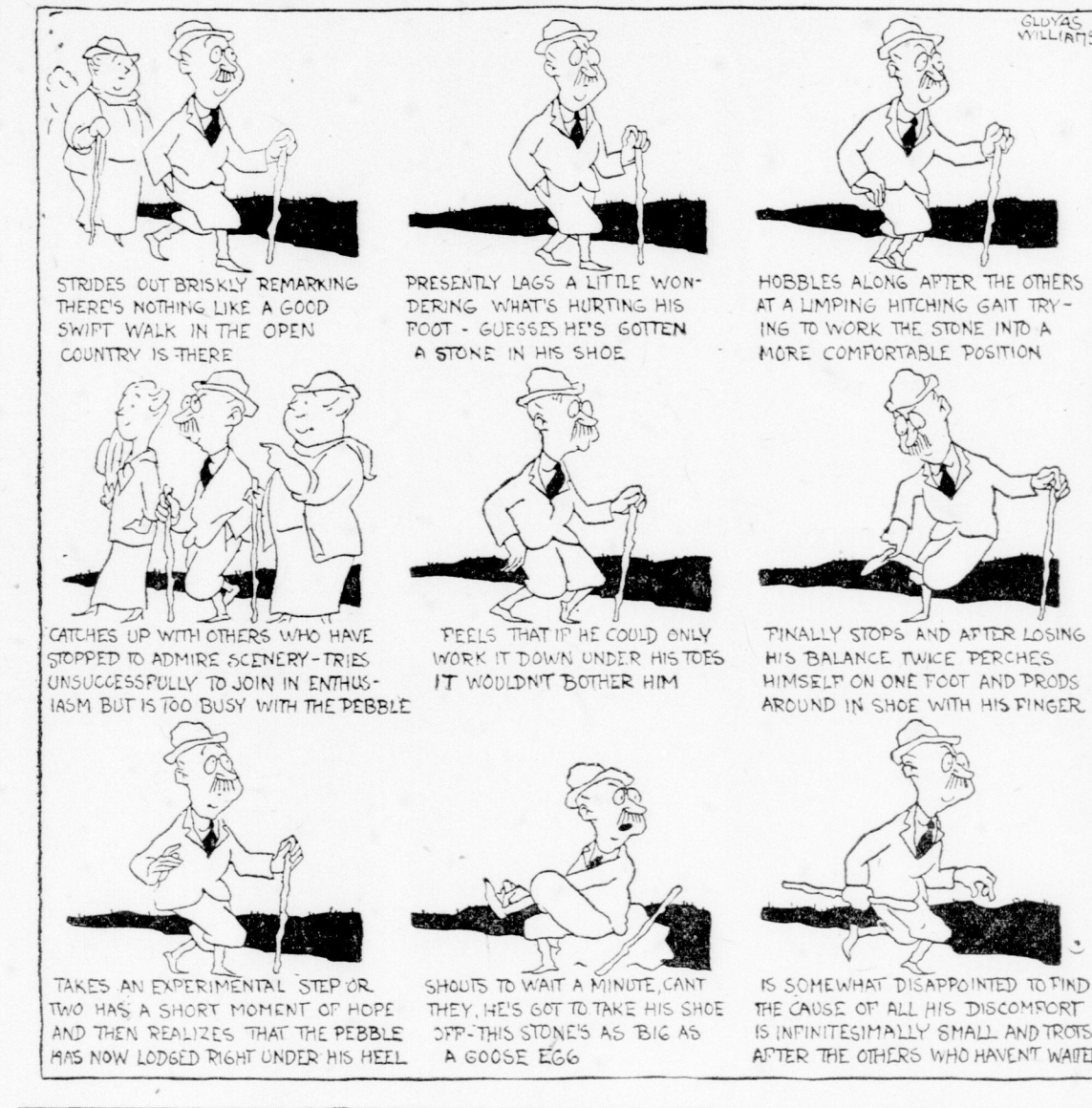
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Such Is War Cry Issued by Harry Bennett For Society.

Harry Bennett, popularity agent for the Irish Benevolent Society, has just brought forth the first issue of "The Gascon" magazine. It is a request that no brickbats be sent in lieu of subscriptions. Every Irishman, and nobody else, knows what a "Gascon" is, so no explanation is necessary.

"We are so darned peaceful for Irishmen," the Gascon implores. "Do your darndest. Angels can do no more and it is an honor to lick or be licked by an Irishman. Don't be a Cullagh. She is an old woman who sits by the fire, dreaming of the past. Hop to it, old fellows!"

The Gascon urges workers to get out and make the Irish picnic on Aug. 1 a greater success than ever. Officers of the society this year are President Jack Greer and Secretary Philip Pocock, last year's officers having been given, in error, in Tuesday's Advertiser.

RAILWAYS WILL TRY TO GET CIGARETTES
Companies Have Paid Many Claims For Stolen Fags.

Cecil Webbe of the inland revenue department states an attempt will be made by railway companies to obtain a licence to sell cigarettes on the police, and while many claims have been stolen while in transit through Canada from one American point to another.

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CAR NOT CHOSEN.
The motor that the fire chief is to get has yet to be selected. There are many guesses going around the hall as to what make he will buy. "I am a sure thing that he will not part with his old car, as he will want it around the hall, so he can look at it and bring back memories of the days of past achievement."

ARTISTS AT WORK.
Wharton, July 23.—McGillivray Knowles, R.C.A. of New York, and his wife who is also a distinguished artist, are spending the summer in Wharton. They are accompanied by a number of art students and will be seen daily sketching and painting views of beautiful bays and cliffs. The rugged scenery of the Bruce Peninsula is the artists' paradise.

STEAMER ARRIVALS.
Rotterdam, July 21.—Rotterdam, New York.
Hong Kong, July 22.—Empress of France, Quebec.

Dancing, Piping, Games At Lakeside Stir Hearts of Seven Thousand Scots



Hills Resound With Laughter
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PICTURESQUE SCENES

James Hamilton Awarded Ad-
vertiser Piping Trophy—
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It was more than a picnic. It was a gathering of the clans. All day the hills beyond the heights at Port Stanley echoed the skirl of the pipes. Hellen lassies moved among the throngs, plaids of Royal Stewart, the Campbells and Sutherlands, and many, many other clans recalled the tender memories of the heathered hills and crags of Scotia.

There it was that Scot met Scot, and lived again the days of olden times. Conversation was heard of the names of Galloway, Inverness, Stranraer, Edinburgh, words that tug the heart-strings of Highlander and Lowlander alike.

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FRECKLE-FACE

Sun and Wind Bring Out Ugly Spots
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REMEDY**

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U.S. CONSUL URGES VISITORS TO CARRY REFERENCE MEANS

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Mr. Blake said a letter of identification should contain the name of the intending visitor, address in Canada, business or employment where they are going, that they are on a temporary visit, for how long, and that they intend returning to Canada on such and such a date.

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Westminster; Ada Fleming, London; Jean Galbreath, London.

Second dance, under 18—Elgin and Middlesex only, Helen Wilkie, Ada Fleming, Gladys Ashdown, London.

Highland fling, boys and girls, under 12, open—Margaret Duncan, Toronto; Helen Wilkie, Margaret Sellsom, Detroit.

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FAMILY GATHERINGS

Palestine Shrine Takes Prize
For Largest Number On
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Ideal weather conditions prevailed for those who picnicked at Springbank Park yesterday, and the largest attendance in several weeks was at the picnic.

There were ten picnics there, large and small, social, religious, and of business organizations. Everyone declared that they never had a more joyful time. The younger people were in no way the most active members at the park, for those of the older generation, rejuvenated by the summer heat, did all



THE STORY:

White Fang, born in the wild and taken into an Indian camp when his mother, Kiche—former sled dog and leader of the pack—surrenders at the call of her name, tries of the bondage but is unable to induce Kiche to listen to the call of the open. She renews fealty to the man-animal. White Fang follows her example. The Indian owner, Gray Beaver, sells the cub's mother to another camp. White Fang, trying to follow, is beaten. He learns another lesson—that the man dogs must be obeyed. Although mourning the loss of his mother and yearning for freedom, he has been, his camp life was secretly endearing itself to him.

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THE OUTCAST.

Lip-lip continued so to darken his days that White Fang became wicker and more ferocious than his mother and his father. He was his natural right to be. Savagery was a part of his natural make-up, but the savagery thus developed exceeded his make-up. He acquired a reputation for wickedness amongst the man-animals themselves. Wherever there was trouble and uproar in the camp, fighting and squabbling or the outcry of a squaw over a bit of stolen meat, they were sure to find White Fang mixed up in it and usually at the bottom of it. They did not bother to look after the effects, and the effects were bad. He was a sneak and a thief, a mischief maker, a fomenter of trouble, and a late squaw told him to his face, the while he eyed them alert and ready to dodge any quick flung missile that he was a wolf and worthless and bound to come to an evil end.

He found himself an outcast in the midst of the populous camp. All the dogs followed him with the same look. There was a difference between White Fang and them. Perhaps they sensed his wild wood breed, and instinctively felt for him the enmity that the domestic dog feels for the wolf. But he was that as it may, they joined with Lip-lip in the persecution. And, once declared against him, they found good reason to continue declared against him. One and all, from time to time, they felt his teeth; and to his credit, he gave more than he received. Many of them he could whip in single fight, but single fight was denied him. The beginning of such a fight was a signal for all the young dogs in camp to come running and pitch upon him.

Out of this pack persecution he learned two important things: how to take care of himself in a mass

fight against him; and how, on a single dog, to inflict the greatest amount of damage in the briefest space of time. To keep one's feet in the midst of the hostile mass meant life, and this he learned well. He became cat-like in his ability to stay on his feet. Even grown dogs might hurtle him backward or sideways with the impact of their heavy bodies; and backward or sideways he would go, in the air or sliding on the ground, but always with his legs under him and his feet downward to the mother earth.

When dogs fight, there are usually preliminaries to the actual combat—snarlings and bristlings and stiff-legged struttings. But White Fang learned to omit the preliminaries. Delay meant the coming against him of all the young dogs. So he learned to give no warning of his intention. He rushed in and snapped and slashed on the instant, without notice, before his foe could prepare to meet him. Thus he learned how to inflict quick and severe damage. Also he learned the value of surprise. A dog, taken off his guard, is shoulder slashed open or its ear ripped in ribbons before it knew what was happening, was a dog half whipped.

Furthermore, it was remarkably easy to overthrow a dog taken by surprise; while a dog, thus overthrown, invariably exposed for a moment the soft underside of its neck—the vulnerable point at which to strike for its life. White Fang knew this point. It was knowledge breathed to him directly from the hunting generations of wolves. So it was that White Fang's method, when he took the offensive, was: first, to find a young dog alone; second, to surprise it and knock it off its feet; and third, to drive in with his teeth at the soft throat.

Being put partly grown, his jaws had not yet become large enough nor strong enough to make his throat attack deadly; but many a young dog went around camp with a lacerated throat in token of White Fang's intention. And one day, catching one of his enemies alone on the edge of the woods, he managed, by repeatedly overthrewing him and attacking the throat, to cut the great vein and let out the life. There was a great row that night. He had been observed, the news had been carried to the dead dog's master, the squaws remembered all the instances of stolen meat, and Gray Beaver was beset by many angry voices. But he resolutely held the door of his tepee, in spite of which he had placed the cul-

prit, and refused to permit the vengeance for which his tribespeople clamored.

White Fang became hated by man and dog. During this period of his development he never knew a moment's security. The tooth of every dog was against him, the hand of every man. He was greeted with snarls by his kind, with curses and stones by his gods. He lived tensely. He was always keyed up, alert for attack, wary of being attacked, with an eye for sudden and unexpected missiles, prepared to act precipitately and coolly, to leap in with a dash of teeth, or to leap away with a menacing snarl. As for snarling, he could snarl more terribly than any dog, young or old, in camp. The intent of his snarl was to warn or frighten, and judgment is required to know what it should be used. White Fang knew how to make it and when to make it. Into his snarl he incorporated all that was vicious, malignant, and horrible. With nose serrulated by continuous spasms, hair bristling in recurrent waves, tongue snapping out like a red snake and whipping back again, ears flattened down, eyes gleaming hatred, lips wrinkled back and fangs exposed and dripping, he could compel a pause on the part of almost any assailant. A temporary pause, when taken off his guard, gave him the vital moment in which to think and determine his action. But often a pause so gained lengthened out until it evolved into a complete cessation of the attack. And before more than one of the grown dogs White Fang's snarl enabled him to beat an honorable retreat.

An outcast himself from the pack of the part-grown dogs, his sanguinary methods and remarkable efficiency made the pack pay for his persecution of him. Not permitted himself to run with the pack, the curious state of affairs obtained that no member of the pack could run outside the pack. White Fang would not permit it. What of his husbanding and waylaying tactics, the young dogs were afraid to run by themselves. With the exception of Lip-lip, they were compelled to bunch together for mutual protection against the terrible enemy they had made. A puppy alone by the river bank permit a puppy dead or a puppy that aroused the camp with its shrill pain and terror as it fled back from the wolf cub that had waylaid it.

But White Fang's reprisals did not cease, even when the young dogs learned thoroughly that they must stay together. He attacked them when he caught them alone, and they attacked him when they were bunched. The sight of him was sufficient to start them rushing after him, at which times his swiftness usually carried him into safety. But woe to that dog that outran his fellows in such pursuit! White Fang had learned to turn suddenly upon the pursuer that was absent of the pack and thoroughly to rip him up before the pack could arrive. This occurred with great frequency, for, in full cry,

the dogs were prone to forget themselves in the excitement of the chase, while White Fang never forgot himself. Stealing backward glances as he ran, he was always ready to whirl around and down the overzealous pursuer that outran his fellows.

Young dogs are bound to play, and out of the exigencies of the situation they realized their play in this mimic warfare. Thus White Fang became their chief game—a deadly game, without end at all times a serious game. He, on the other hand, being the fastest footed, was unafraid to venture anywhere. During the period that he was vainly hot for his mother to come back, he led the pack many a wild chase through the adjacent woods. But the pack invariably lost him. Its noise and outcry warned him of his father and mother before him. Further, he was more directly connected with the Wild than they; and he knew more of its secrets. He was no fool for kindred, a trick of his was to lose his trail in running water and then lie quietly in a nearby thicket while their baffled confusion sought him.

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WEAF, NEW YORK—The Happiness Boys.
WJZ, NEW YORK—Wanamaker Auditorium Concert.
WGNY, SCHENECTADY—Radio drama.
WBBH, CHICAGO—Evening program.
WLAC, MINNEAPOLIS—Band concert.
WDAF, KANSAS CITY—WDAF Minutemen.
WHAS, LOUISVILLE—Evening program.
(Eastern Standard Time)
WEAF, NEW YORK—42.
5 p.m.—Dinner music from the Waldorf.
6 p.m.—Blanche Kraft, Pink, soprano; Bomar Cramer, pianist; the Happiness Boys, Billy Jones and Ernest Hare; the Eveready Man-About-Town; B. Fischer's Orchestra.
WJZ, NEW YORK—45.
6 p.m.—Ernie Golden's Orchestra.
6:20 p.m.—Wall St. Journal review.
6:30 p.m.—Ernie Golden's Orchestra.
7 p.m.—Looseleaf current topics.
7:30 p.m.—Lecture, Prof. Swenson.
7:50 p.m.—Wanamaker Auditorium.
Katherine Schwartzkopf, contralto.
8:30 p.m.—Frank Baumbach review.
9:30 p.m.—Harold Steiner's Orchestra.
WJY, NEW YORK—40.
6:30 p.m.—Leonard Selson's Orchestra.
7:15 p.m.—Musical program.
WNYC, NEW YORK—52.
7:30 p.m.—Musical program.
WHN, NEW YORK—50.
5 p.m.—Paul Specter's Orchestra.
6 p.m.—Sport talk, Thornton Fisher.
8:30-11 p.m.—Popular program.
WOR, NEWARK—40.
5:15 p.m.—Songs for the children.
5:30 p.m.—"Man in the Moon" stories.
6 p.m.—Bread and Tobias Minutemen.
6:30 p.m.—Bill Steink's sport resume.
Silent night for WOR.
WIP, PHILADELPHIA—50.
2:30 p.m.—Comfort's Philharmonic Orchestra.
5:05 p.m.—Eddie Elkins' Orchestra.
5:45 p.m.—Liveside and produce.
6 p.m.—Uncle Wip's bedtime stories.
Silent night for WIP.
WFL, PHILADELPHIA—35.
5 p.m.—"Sunny Jim, the kiddies' pal."
5:30 p.m.—Meyer Davis Concert Orch.
Silent night for WFL.
WOO, PHILADELPHIA—50.
6:30 p.m.—A. Candelieri's Orchestra.
7:15 p.m.—Talk, Charles F. Shoffner.
7:30 p.m.—Concert, WOO Orchestra.
8:30 p.m.—Organ recital, Mary E. Vogt.
9 p.m.—Candelieri's Orchestra.
WCAP, WASHINGTON—46.
7:25 p.m.—Major league results.
7:30 p.m.—Musical program.
WRC, WASHINGTON—46.
6 p.m.—Children's stories and songs.
Silent night for WRC.
KDKA, PITTSBURGH—32.
7 p.m.—Baseball scores.
7:40 p.m.—Stockman and farmer reports.
8 p.m.—Pauline Rimm, soprano; Flute Trio, Theodore Surdykowski, John Ingram and Alvin Houser.
WCAE, PITTSBURGH—42.
5:30 p.m.—William Penn dinner music.

8 p.m.—A. M. Rawls, baritone; Milton Vaughn, tenor; E. L. Strad, humorous stories; Eleanor Farley Lorenzen, soprano.
9 p.m.—Tourists' road bulletin.
WDAF, KANSAS CITY—41.
3:30 p.m.—The Star's Radio Trio.
6:7 p.m.—School of the Air. Music.
8 p.m.—WDAF Minutemen and Orchestra.
WBB, KANSAS CITY—41.
7-8 p.m.—Address. Vocal music, etc.
WOS, LOUISVILLE—44.
8 p.m.—Addresses by Mayor Mayes and George A. Pickens. Musical program by the Kiwanis Club.
WMC, MEMPHIS—50.
8:30 p.m.—Britling's Orchestra.
11 p.m.—Bob Miller's Orchestra.
WHAS, LOUISVILLE—40.
7:30 p.m.—Hazel McClellan, soprano; Ione Soete, pianist; Myer Green, violinist; special concert from Louisville's leading theatres and hotels.
WSB, ATLANTA—42.
8-9 p.m.—Musical program.
10:45 p.m.—Radioville entertainment.
WFAA, DALLAS—47.
5:30 p.m.—Bedtime and fairy stories.
8:30 p.m.—Colored Jubilee Singers.
(Pacific Coast Standard Time)
KGO, OAKLAND—312.
3 p.m.—Studio musical program.

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A few Sport Sweaters left, in gray and \$2.85

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Failure To Hit With Men On Bases Costly To the Champions.

Special to The Advertiser.

Galt, July 23.—"Bud" Ryan, pitching his first full game in the Inter-County League tonight, defeated the Terriers of Guelph winning handily by a score of 6 to 2. It was one of the best games of the year, played in the fast time of an hour and a half.

While the locals outfielded their rivals, inability to hit with men on

bases was the cause of their downfall. Ryan used a slow ball and drop to good effect, and in the pinches received good support. Friendly Graham pitched

PRESTON WINS 8-4.
Special to The Advertiser.
Kitchener, July 23.—By winning here tonight in a Senior Inter-County League twilight fixture 8 to 4 from Kitchener the Preston Riversides gained the

WOODSTOCK INCENSED

WITH SOCCER ACTION

Football Club Threatens

Secede From Western
Association.

Special to The Advertiser.

Woodstock, July 23.—That the Western Football Association is far from satisfied with the consideration given by the Western Football Association in the matter of the protest by the club against the New Hamburg team and that in future the W. F. A. not need to expect an entry from W.

City Tennis Club

Hold Woodstock Players
Eight of Nine Matches

The results:

Singles.

Harper defeated J. Coles 1-6,
6-4.

B. Williams defeated L. K.
6-0, 6-3.

C. H. Thornton defeated J. C. C.

Val-	6-4,	7-5.	
Still-	A.	R. Williams defeated A.	
	6-0.	6-0.	
Allen.	T	Beltz defeated L. Stevenson	
McMur-	6-3.		
	J.	Puddicombe defeated E. B.	
	6-3.	6-4.	
		Douglas	

Harper and Chubb defeated J. and Thornton, 6-3, 6-1.
B. I. Williams and Puddicombe defeated L. Coles and Horton, 6-3.
A. R. Williams and Beltz defeated Rankin and Stevenson, 6-4, 6-3.

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Plea of Guilty Means Nothing.

The readiness with which Loeb and Leopold, Chicago boy murderers, changed their plea to one of guilty, with reliance on the mercy of the court for mental reasons, may not be difficult to explain.

Their attitude, read in connection with the murder and punishment record of Chicago, shows that they are following the line of least resistance.

Chicago, where the case of Loeb and Leopold is being tried, had a murder a day for June, April, with 30 days, had 23 murders; up to July 22 there have been 204 days this year, and Chicago in that time has recorded 177 murders.

Chicago, per capita, has three times as many murders as Italy, its nearest competitor. Some of the American cities alone, Chicago included, have almost as many murders as the whole of Great Britain.

Last year Chicago had almost 300 murders. Judged by the British standard of detection of crime and its quick method of punishment, that should have meant about 280 cases of capital punishment.

Chicago in 1923 sentenced nine to be hanged, but only one was executed. One execution for 300 murders.

That is probably the explanation of the sudden change of front in the cases of Loeb and Leopold. The record of the detection and punishment of crime of their own city was before them, and it was an encouraging document from their point of view. It pointed out to them that although they had been detected and placed in jail with positive evidence pointing to their guilt, their chances were still very good. They can draw from the Chicago record the inference that the chance of a conviction being registered against them is fairly remote. There were nine convictions for 300 murders. Then, even if they were found guilty, they still have a nine to one chance of escaping the gallows.

Chicago is today paying the price, as United States in general is doing, of heading a lot of wishy-washy sentimental rot in the way of evidence and pleas made to keep old-time justice from running its course.

There are men today boldly trying to throw up the old gates against this flood of twaddle. They look at figures—they realize that human life is in more danger in United States than in any civilized country in the world—and, viewing these figures, they are ashamed.

The smug indifference with which Loeb and Leopold enter a plea of guilty to a murder charge in Chicago, intimating that they intend to convince the court that they are entitled to mercy on account of mental peculiarities, does not mean that they are seeking to aid the working out of justice. They are simply following the beaten path of crime in Chicago, along which 800 walked in 1923, and only one arrived at the gallows.

Hot Weather and Political Plots.

The Mail and Empire Ottawa correspondent was all worked up when he penned the story of a dark plot in connection with the by-election in St. Antoine, where the Liberal member, Mitchell, resigned as a protest against the 1924 tariff changes.

The date was set for Saturday, August 30, but that was a deep plot, because a number of voters would be going away for Labor Day, which comes on Monday. The idea was, of course, that all the Conservatives would be off for the week-end, and all the Liberals would stay home and vote. So the date was changed to September 2. Canada must have a great old constitution to survive such manipulation.

The Conservatives have a candidate in the field already, but there has been no laying on of hands by Hon. Arthur Meighen. He has been considered as all right by the Conservatives of the St. Antoine riding, but Ottawa is doubtful. The Mail and Empire says: "It is no secret here that Conservative leaders hardly feel that this candidate would have the polling strength of certain others who might be induced to enter the field." So Mr. Meighen is going to Montreal. This rather wobbly candidate will be called in before the great chief, who will test his political mentality, ask him to repeat the creed of his party, and then pass on his ability to get out and gather up the votes.

It will be a grueling test, but it must take place. The Mail and Empire says so.

And if that election goes Conservative it will be regarded as the first sign of spring. The discovery of the first pullet egg in August would hardly be a greater event.

There will be some political importance attached, but how much? From 1867 to 1891 St. Antoine was in the old riding of Montreal West, and returned a Conservative six times out of seven; in 1892 St. Antoine riding came into existence. There have been seven elections since then, and the return of Mr. Mitchell in 1921 was the first time a Liberal held the seat. So since Confederation the riding has elected a Conservative twelve times and a Liberal twice. So if a Conservative were chosen at the by-election it would not be a great political victory, although it might be interpreted as such by the victors.

In the same Ottawa story the Mail and Empire man shows himself particularly restive about West Hastings, pointing out that the delay in having a by-election there is evidence of lack of courage. Guss Porter has been prancing around the old home town for some weeks, the watch presented to him, by his Conservative friends dangling at his belt. Every time he

looks at that timepiece, or sets it by the town clock, he is reminded that he left his seat to force an election on his charges against Hon. James Murdock. Yet the government delays naming the date. It is to be hoped they have not forgotten the incident, although nearly everybody else has. But the delay will give Mr. Guss a great chance to get his plot in shape for the harvest. He can split new rails for the weak spots, put new hinges on the barn door, and have things looking like a Christmas pudding before the election takes place.

This hot weather has been too much for the Mail and Empire correspondent. Two dark plots in one story is too much for any man to drag out so close to dog days. He ought to take a drink of water, stick his head out of the window, or else sit down on the back steps in the cool of the evening.

Before the Rate Was Struck and After.

The finance committee of the city council will recommend the putting up of \$5,000 for the Western Fair board to guarantee against loss on a 25-cent admission charge.

The Advertiser took the position some time ago that this was not a proper procedure, and there has been nothing transpire since to alter that opinion.

The amount appeared in the estimates at the first of the year, but it was struck out on the ground that there was no money available for the purpose, and on the plea that the tax rate must be kept down.

The hospital grant was reduced, the appropriation for roads, the secondary school building program was turned down in its entirety. There was no money, and the tax rate must be struck at a rate lower than 1923.

Now after the tax rate has been struck, how is it possible to start and reinstate these items? If the plea of economy was genuine at the first of the year, it should apply with equal force now.

It is a loose and uncertain way of conducting public business.

Ten Defeats and Still In Power.

Defeats have come to be a commonplace thing for the MacDonald government in Britain. This week saw the tenth defeat of government measures. After the vote was taken it was found that the ministry had polled 119, with 137 opposed.

In Canada such a situation would be interpreted as meaning only one thing, resignation. From the mother of parliaments there is only this short explanation: "John Wheatley, who was piloting the legislation, again accepted the decision of the House." It is not recorded that there was even any excitement.

It would not be safe to claim that such procedure should be carried on indefinitely, because it could readily lead to a situation where the party in power might ignore public opinion, as represented in the number of adverse votes cast against it. After all that is the measure by which we judge the right of a party to rule.

The British situation is possible only because neither the Liberals nor Conservatives care to force the issue and invoke a general election. The Conservatives know that they were thrown from power when they appealed on a tariff and preference issue; they have nothing in sight to take to the people. The Liberals are in no better position. They find the Labor party in many instances doing the things which they told the electors should be done. When these measures come up for support or rejection the Liberals have not much choice in the matter, and they realize that opposition simply for the sake of defeating the government would prejudice their cause in the long run. Then, too, the dual leadership of the Liberal party has not enabled the development of a united front. The Liberals have one leader too many, and they will not advance very far until they admit it in a practical way.

It is in that atmosphere where one party cannot, and the other dare not, that the Labor government remains in power in spite of ten consecutive defeats.

Note and Comment.

This is the season when perspiration leaves off and sweating begins.

There are not many cases of measles in town now, but the green apple colic is on the spread.

Province gets car markers at 10 cents a pair, and the driver of the humblest chariot pays \$14.

What's become of the chap who used to drive around town with one leg hanging down between the wheels?

A speed cop has been fined for speeding. A man who makes castor oil shouldn't object to taking a dose now and then.

A nude bathing party story coming from Hamilton has been investigated, and seems to be about as bare of fact as the bathers were supposed to be of clothing.

A Hamilton man got tangled up with the races, switched balances in the books he kept, and goes to jail for 18 months. He has a wife and six children. Make your own comment.

The Advertiser's Ottawa correspondent says Premier King is going to holiday in the bush, where he will blister his hands, while Mr. Meighen is going to speak in Quebec, where he will blister his tongue.

La Follette intended the low price of grain to be one of his election planks. The jump in price has taken away his thunder, but he's a poor politician who can't whack together a new platform on a half-day's work.

Hon. G. S. Henry, minister of highways, says there will be something to bring before the public accounts committee in connection with the road building of the late government. If there is, it is to be hoped that the probe will go the limit, and not be chopped off as the Peter Smith case was when it threatened to go into a former Conservative ministry.

Dr. Frank Crane

WHO PAYS?

Who pays wages?
Where does the money come from that is put into the wage earner's envelope on Saturday?
Who really pays the workman?
It's the Customer, not the Boss.

It would simplify our thinking on the disturbed labor problem if we remembered that the secretary or clerk at the pay window may hand us our money, but we are not simple enough to suppose that it is his money; he is just the company's agent, just a machine.

But it is equally true that it is not the boss' money, nor the company's.

It all comes from the buyer. And if he stops buying it will not be very long till the boss stops paying, for he will have nothing to pay with.

The president, vice-president and treasurer, who sit at mahogany desks in an office building, are just as much hired men as the man in overalls working at the lathe or heaving logs; the public is the paymaster.

What complicates matters and lets in envy and discontent is the decision as to what portion of what the public pays for its clocks, wheelbarrows or bedsteads goes to one man, and what to another rests with the gentlemen at the mahogany desks and not with the gentlemen in overalls.

But the truth of that statement is more apparent than real, as we can readily see if we stop to think a bit.

The sentiment seems to be abroad that if we could only get Bolshevism, Sovietism, Socialism or some other ism, the worker who can dig a fair ditch and lay brick to plumb would receive as much wage as his fellow worker who can organize an industry, keep a thousand men in work, save waste and secure efficiency.

So long as the business of the world consists in service for service this cannot be. And that is the world we live in, and to this scheme of things is all our thinking compassed.

All things, including the labors of men, will be worth what they are worth, and no theory nor revolutions can make a peanut worth a beef, steak nor one who can but sweep a floor earn as much as one who can rule a city.

Spenders and Misers

Secretary of Quebec Retail Merchants Association says people spend too much money recklessly.—News Item.

Ah, let us sit around a spell and think about this bit of news, this sheddin' money from our roll it gives me fifteen kinds of blues. For here's a man who ought to know, he's gazed upon the passin' mob, and what he says it chokes my tongue and hatches up a sorry sob.

He says folks ride in motor cars tanked up with gas and full of pep, who should be leadin' humble lives a-sittin' on their own back step.

And then he claims folks waste a lot a gambolin' on the bob-tail nags, where they should be a-stayin' home and spinnin' carpets from old rags.

In all the things he talks about there's specks of truth a-shinin' through, the thing what puzzles me the most is what this gent expects to do.

For if a man saves up his scads and parks them in the village bank, why folks is sure as zuns to say that he's a miser, a miser, a miser. They'll say old Bones is mean as dirt, a-hangin' to each ducait so, they'll swear as how the village folk won't shed a tear when he's to go.

I've knowed of folks like that before, to them the crowd ne'er sings nor chants, they call 'em stingy, miser-like, paradin' in their shiny pants. And there's a lot of folks in the tribe who never have a sou at all, they never pay for their spring hat till snow is driftin' in the fall. The man he dresses like a prince, his wife she's molded like a queen; they tear the scads from off their roll and strew them on the village green.

And all the rest stands back to gawk, nor trus 'em at the village store they 'low they have, they're troddin' now the path unto the poorhouse door.

It's powerful hard to steer a course that suits the folks around the block, for if you save they say you're tight, and if you spend they're sure to knock.

We're all a lot of fragile folk, a-blunderin' on as best we may, a-tryin' to stick some scads in hock to see us through a rainy day.

It ain't for folks like me and you to judge of folks who hold and clutch, and yell at others in the town that they be spendin' far too much. I may be wrong about these things, my notions needin' some repair, but I think it's best that folks should mind at times their own affairs.

—ARK

Good vs. The Best

(From the Scottish American.)

All men cannot be the best, but every man can be his best. It is not the work, but the quality that gives it distinction.

There are too many people who say "This is good enough." Suppose railway engineers should decide that it is too much trouble to make calculations that can be verified to the smallest fraction, where would be the triumphs of modern transportation? How often would it be possible for the contractors to begin on opposite sides of a mountain, certain that the halves of the tunnel would join without an inch of variation?

It is easy to fill in so many hours a day and get pay for it, but if a man pretends he is working to the limits of his capacity, he is sapping his own manhood and doing more injury to himself than to anyone else. "Love's Labor Lost" may not be a tragedy, but a lost love of labor certainly is.

The good is the enemy of the best. Have you ever stopped to consider that there is no real difference between secular and sacred work? Adam's fall came before and not after he learned to sweat for a living. The divine touch can be put into bricklaying or office work, cooking or sewing. None of us needs to imagine that we are serving God, unless we are making the best use of the gifts with which He endowed us. Words are the only things God never hears in a prayer. All that matters is sincerity of spirit.

Press Comment

Dull Times and Dull Speeches.

Business may get a little dull during a campaign year, but never as dull as most of the speeches.—Fort Wayne News-Sentinel.

Yes, We'll All Go There.

We are looking for a place to spend the summer where you don't have to spend much else.—Brandon Sun.

Then Do Away With It.

Commissioner Starnes of the Royal Mounted Police would bar the revolver. He is right. People who carry revolvers don't carry them for fun, but to shoot. And when they shoot they usually kill. The idea of allowing such a thing mocks all our boasted civilization.—Ottawa Journal.

The Old Scrap Was There.

A car of "scrap tin" held up by the customs officers at Black Rock turned out to be old-time ale. Well, there is a tradition that there was a good deal of "scrap" in old-time ale.—Woodstock Sentinel-Review.

The Fun Shop

IF THE TRUTH WERE TOLD.
By Mrs. Molly Anderson Haley.
MY BIRTHDAY MESSAGE.

The Card She Sent.
We all of us have birthdays.
But yours, it's very clear.
Rest lightly as the shielded down.
You're younger every year.

The Card She Meant.
We all of us have birthdays.
Though I'll wager it is true.
That none of us work harder
To conceal the fact than you!

THANKS FOR YOUR INVITATION

The Card She Sent.
I accept your invitation.
It was mighty nice of you.
To want me and to ask me—
I appreciate it too!

The Card She Meant.
I accept your invitation.
Not that I'm so keen to come.
But it will be a chance at least
From sticking around home!

Little Ted, becoming tired on his way home from church, begged his father to carry him. His father said: "Oh no, a big 3-and-a-half-year-old boy like you must learn to walk like a man!"

Ted bravely trudged along for some minutes, then began to pant and lag behind. Presently he called out: "Daddy, daddy, better carry me. I'm out of gas."

A Third Base Remark.
Two teams of colored convicts were playing a ball game which the prison warden was umpiring.

The pitcher of the team on the field threw a wide curve which was undeniably a ball. The umpire called it a strike.

"Tak' dat robba out!" yelled a colored convict in the bleachers.

NO DOUBT.

'Tis well to have a poker face

When in the game a fellow dips.

But then I think in every case

'Tis better far to have the chips.

That's Different.

Duncan—"It always takes two to start a quarrel."

Jinson—"Not if you're a married man."

Catty.

Mildred—"Do you believe all those horrid things they're saying about her?"

Betty—"I certainly do! What have you heard now?"

THE JINGLE-JANGLE COUNTER.

"You've got a bob, at last!" said Flo.

"Oh, no," said Bess. "His name is Joe."

The children had loads of fun today.

They put cement in Ma's beauty clay.

To the fashions mortals cling;

Buckwheat cakes are just the thing.

In answer to the young lady who recently, as related in The Fun Shop, had sent to sea and put water on the knee, John J. Milligan advises that

If water on the knee causes grief,

Try wearing pumps—'tis a sure relief.

The Old Reliable.

Lecturer (specialist on child training)—"In the upbringing of children, the golden rule should be applied."

Voice in Audience—"I use a plain wooden one on mine, and it works just as well."

His Objection.

"Sorry I can't join you, old man, but I never play poker."

"Ah, you object to games of chance then?"

"No, I don't. But poker is one game where I never have a chance."

Said Mrs. Hemmingway,

"Oh, so am I," the maid replied.

"How about a raisin pay?"

Our Cottage.

By George S. Chappell.

Our summer cottage by the sea.

With climbing roses wreathed.

Is built as lightly as can be.

Of studding, thinly sheathed.

Its room partitions are so thin

The slightest whispered word

The scratching match or dropping pin

By one and all are heard.

I feel the cook's descending tread

Shake all the second floor.

And when, at night, she's gone to bed

I hear her whiffing snore.

To the Editor

PLAYS THE ROBBERS.

Mr. McLachlan Says That Woman's Crowning Glory, Her Hair, Should Be Cared For and Retained.

Editor of The Advertiser:
Sir.—Whatever may have been the ruling idea in the mind of the young girl or the elderly woman who becomes a votary to the fad known as "bobbing the hair," I am not going to say, but, to my mind, it is a shame for any female, whoever she may be, that will allow any motive to overcome her common sense and have the tonsorial artist cut away that beautiful (God-given), head of hair.

The young woman that has a bountiful supply of hair should take pains to maintain its luxuriant growth instead of having it shorn off, perchance to be trod under vulgar feet on the floor of the barber shop. The young person who is too lazy to comb and keep in order what her Maker provided her with will in time become indifferent to maintain in cleanliness the form divine which was by the same power conferred upon her.

Sometimes it is considered necessary in cases of brain fever and kindred diseases to shave the heads of the patients, even females. And it is related of the maids of Carthage that they despoiled their heads to make strings for the archers in the wars with Rome, as put by the poet.

"We've heard of Carthaginian's maids,
Who cut the tresses from their heads
To make strings for archers' bows,
To repel their Roman foes."

But to follow a fad led by someone whose character is so lovely as "fashions" is too demoralizing to be entertained for a moment. And, furthermore, did it ever occur to them that those lovely tresses of which they have been shorn by the barber's art might not some day be made into switches or other article to adorn the head of some person with whom they would not care to associate, let alone be the means of beautifying the head of some person perhaps of questionable character?

"A word to the wise is sufficient."

J. E. McLACHLAN.
July 17, 1924.

OLD SCHOOL RE-UNION.

(Sixteenth Anniversary S. S. No. 13, East Wawanosh, Huron County, Jan. 23, 1924.)

By AUSTIN L. BUDGE.
Wawanosh! Oh hear it!
Calling us today,
Name with magic in it,
To those far away.

"Thirteen" is the watchword.
Schoolhouse famed afar.
Every heart is well stirred.
And the gates ajar.

Holy ground, forever,
Is that stretch of road.
Shun it, none can tread,
Who once there abode.

Back again to childhood!
Log schoolhouse across creek;
Playing in the wildwood;
Fighting like a Greek.

Line up in the schoolhouse.
Girls in homespun, fine.
Boys in checkered red blouse.
As we did at nine;

Afternoon of Friday.
Once again bring back—
Spinning mauls, hurrah!
Merriment no lack.

Teachers, famed forever!
Call their names aloud.
Some will answer, never;
Let our heads be bowed.

I know, too, how a guest behaves
By listening at the wall.
Just when he rises, bathes and shaves—
Or if he bathes at all!

"Oh come on, let's make up," said Irene to her chum, as she proceeded to get out her powder, rouge, lipstick and pencils.

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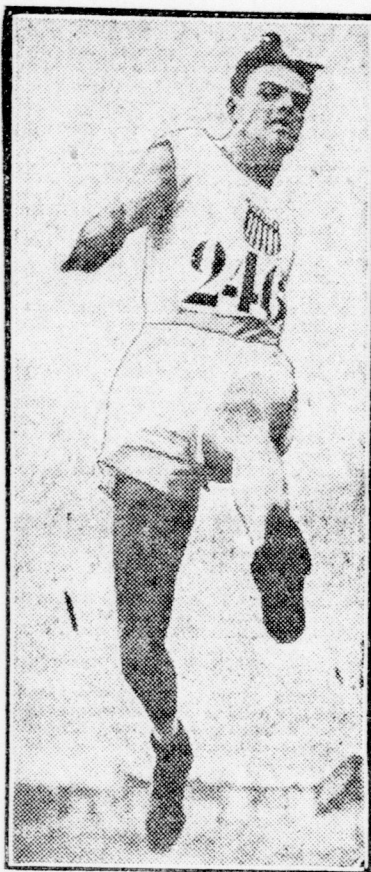
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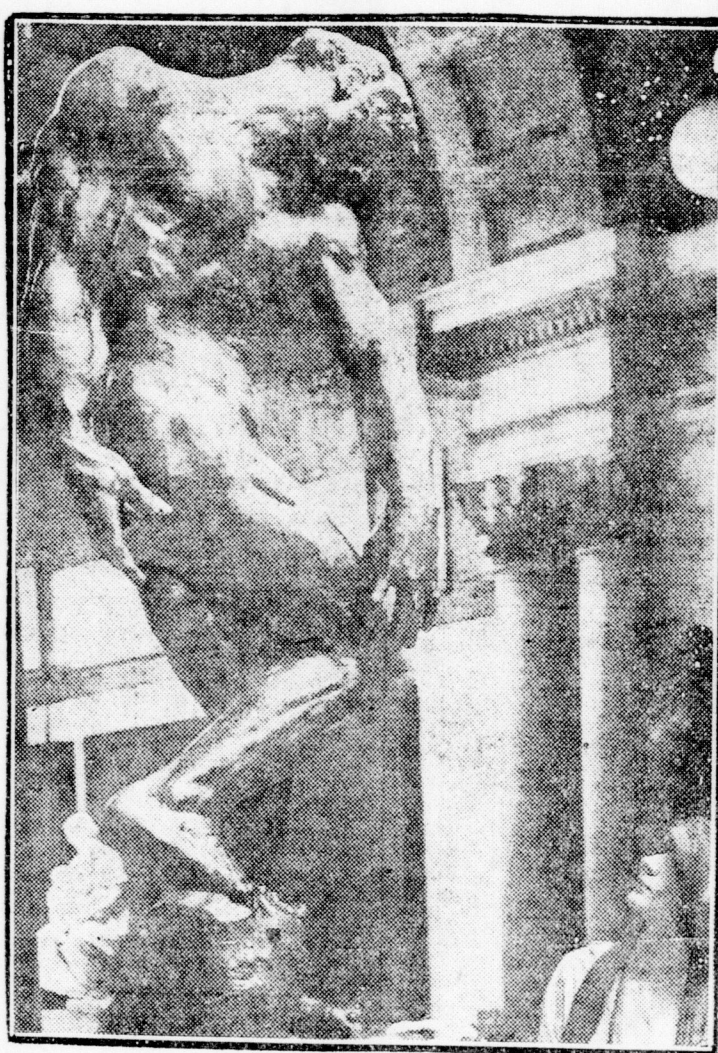
Adviser to King; Hunts World For Books; Is Youngest Aviator



A recent Chinese holiday brought out the fact that Chinese greeting cards are somewhat different from those sent by Canadians. These huge colored affairs convey Oriental sentiments of the occasion.



Robert Le Gendre, American athletic star, set a new world's record when a tremendous leap carried him 25 feet, 6 inches during the competition in the Pentathlon event at the Olympic games.



The original Rodin statue of Adam has been presented to the Art Institute Museum of Chicago. The figure shows the first human after the Creator had breathed life into the body. At the base is a modern flapper.



Larson, of Denmark, was one of the most unique contestants at the rifle shooting competition at the Olympic games. He is shown holding his home-made gun, which fires home-made ammunition.



Ted Moeller, seventeen-year-old high school boy aviator, who plans to enter an international competition this fall, has the distinction of being the youngest pilot in the United States.



The party of Scotch editors, who are making a coast-to-coast tour of Canada to investigate the opportunities here for immigrants, are shown during their stay in Toronto on their way to the western provinces.



Miss Florence Wilson, head librarian to the League of Nations at Geneva, has traveled all over the globe collecting books to make up a collection, which is now one of the most complete in the world.



Blanche Sweet, the famous film star, has arrived in England for the purpose of visiting the British Empire Exhibition. She is shown buying flowers from a Piccadilly flower girl.



Courtenay Crocker, Boston lawyer, has left for Siam, where he is to take up his duties as adviser to King Rama VI. He succeeds Dr. Francis B. Sayre, son-in-law of the late President Wilson.



Canadians flock to the beaches to get away from the heat, but often find it hard to avoid the scorching rays unless they adopt the method of keeping cool employed by these two youngsters.



N. Urantsova, left, and N. C. Bulle, women commanders of the Soviet armies in Russia, have participated in all the civil wars and have been classified as generals and attached to the general staff.



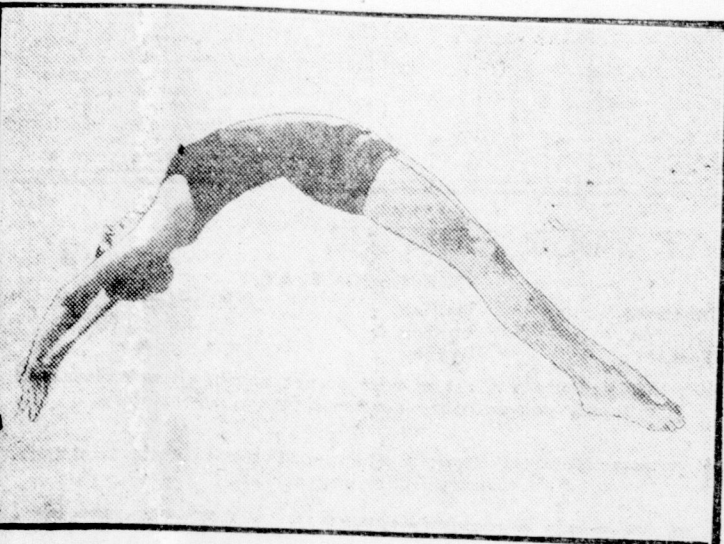
An unusual intimate view is given of Nathan Leopold, Jr., and Richard Loeb, millionaire youths, who are to stand trial for the murder of Robert Franks, wealthy schoolboy. They are shown talking to their attorney.



Riverdale Zoo, Toronto, was en fete recently when Rudy, the well-known ostrich, held an informal reception and pebble-eating party in honor of Rudy's husband-to-be, who has arrived from Florida.



Miss Vera Cooper, English girl, known as world's most famous dancer and fashion leader, says "early to bed and early to rise" is the secret of how she keeps her figure thin.



Miss Angela Klemmer, champion fancy diver of the Panama Canal Zone, is on her way to New York, where she will begin a series of diving exhibitions. Miss Klemmer is shown doing a back drive.



It's certainly handy to have a trade to fall back on and it looks as though Georges Carpentier, French boxing idol, believes in keeping his hand in as he does the waiter's stunt for New York society ladies.



One of the competitors in the great Bisley meeting is cleaning up for a busy day on the famous ranges, where many of the best shots of the Empire are gathered.



The start of the 100-yard dash is shown in the Women's A.A.A. championships, which took place in the athletic grounds at Woolwich recently.

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at \$14 Good light sheep are wanted,				
and good heavy ones, also good wethers				
Heavy beef steers\$7.00	to	\$7.25		
Butcher steers—				
good to choice 6.25	to	7.00		
fair to good 5.75	to	6.50		
common to fair 5.50	to	6.00		
Butcher calves—				
good to choice 6.00	to	6.50		
fair to good 5.50	to	6.00		
common 5.50	to	5.75		
Butcher lambs—				
good to choice 4.00	to	4.50		
fair to good 3.00	to	3.50		
common and cullers 2.50	to	3.00		

bologna	2 50	to	3
Feeding steers, good ..	6 25	to	6
fair	5 00	to	6

Fair	4 50	5
Calves—Receipts, 49.		
Choice	7 00	9
Medium	7 50	8
Grassers	4 00	5
Milch cows, choice	70 00	80
Springers, choice	60 00	80
Hog—Receipts, 185.		
Select bacon	9 80	10
Thick smooths	8 35	10
Lights	7 80	8
Heavies	6 80	8
Sows	4 80	6
Sheep—Receipts, 143.		
Good light sheep	5 50	6
Heavies and bucks	3 50	7
Chew	16 00	15
Good ewe lambs	16 00	15
Bucks	12 00	14
Medium	14 00	16

995-pound yearlings \$10.50; low quality grassy natives downward to \$5.50 and below. Bulk of steers and yearlings sold to \$10.50; some good to \$12.00. Grain feeding under \$9; grassy cow very dull, unevenly lower in spots. Yearling heifers upward to \$9.00; some better heifers to \$10.00. Cows kind \$4.50 to \$5.50; bulls weak to lower, bulk \$4.50 to \$4.75; vealers lower; very uneven, spots \$6 to \$8.50. Light to heavy weight of stock; feeders more numerous; bulk \$5.50 to \$6.50; trade steady.

Hogs—Receipts 19,000; opened 250,000 head. Thursday's average good grades closed weak at \$10.00; lower grades mostly 1c to higher at close; top light and medium weight \$9.25; bulk desirable 160 to 200 lbs. \$8.50; good to \$9.00; heavy to \$8.50; trade steady.

pound weight \$9.15 to \$9.35; good choice 250 to 325-pound average \$9.25 to \$9.50; packing some \$8 to \$8.25; dealer

EAST BUFFALO.
East Buffalo, July 24.—Cattle—
Receipts, 450; slow and steady.
Calves steers, choice, \$11.00 to \$11.50;
good, \$10 to \$10.50; culls, \$6 to \$8;
heavy, \$6 to \$8; grassers, \$3 to \$5.
Hogs—Heavy, \$6.00 to \$6.50; light, \$5.50 to \$6.00; mixed, \$5.00 to \$5.50; heavy mixed and Yorkers, \$4.50 to \$5.00; light Yorkers, \$3.50 to \$3.60; pigs, \$3.00 to \$3.50; sows, \$3.00 to \$3.50.
Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 400;
and steady; lambs, \$6 to \$14.50; \$5.00 to \$6.00; sheep, \$4.00 to \$4.50; ewes \$2 to \$5; mixed ewes, \$1.50 to \$2.50.

New York extra firsts 31c. firsts

SUGAR

Associated Press Dispatch.

New York, July 22.—Raw sugar was higher today, closing at 7.65c, paid, with a better inquiry paper. Sales were estimated at 10,000 tons of Cubans for July shipment at 7.40c, and 3,500 bags of Philippines, due next week, to a local refiner at 5.05c.

Reflecting the increased demand for raw and refined, and the strengthening of the commodity market, futures advanced 4 to 8 points or more for Wall Street and commodity exchange trading.

On account of the heavy volume of increased trade selling, however, closing prices were only a few points higher. July 20 September December \$3.36, March \$3.37.

In refined a better inquiry was noted, but no new contracts were made. From \$6.40 to \$6.50 for fine strain cane.

Refined futures were nominal.

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FRENCH PRIZE FIGHT CROWD BECOMES ENTHUSIASTIC

Julia Hoyt Finds Frenchmen Energetically Kissing Victor on Both Cheeks.

BRETONNEL IN RING

Audience Gets Excited Over Movie Celebrities Who Happen To Be Present.

By JULIA HOYT.
Paris, July 23.—Last night I went to my first French prize fight. It was very interesting, not only because the matches were extremely good, but from the point of view of comparison with the fights in America.

The first thing that struck me was the enormous respect paid to the announcer. He had only to lift his hand and there was silence. After this preliminary, I heard the name rhythmically yelled by a part of the crowd, and finally taken up by almost everyone in the house. In the box next to me a man stood up and bowed and finally was forced into the ring. I asked a Frenchman in my party what it was all about, and discovered that he was Biscot, a very popular French movie actor.

He had no sooner entered the ring than the voice of the crowd took up another name. Biscot walked to the edge of the ring and after much persuasion succeeded in enticing Sessue, the very handsome Japanese movie actor, to take a bow with him. The latter looked as embarrassed as a Japanese can look and after bowing he and Biscot left. Immediately the whole crowd began hunting for someone else and discovered Broco (familiarly called "Coco" by the people), the six-day bicyclist, and nothing would do but that he must get up in the ring.

Most Amusing

To me it was most amusing for it would be difficult to imagine a Canadian fight crowd getting so excited over movie celebrities. The crowd being now satisfied that there were no more celebrities present, the big fight was allowed to begin. It was between two lightweights, an Englishman, Frush, who had defeated Criqui, and a Frenchman named Bretonnel. Bretonnel had a great advantage in youth over Frush, but Frush was undoubtedly the better boxer.

When the decision was given the whole house went mad and Bretonnel literally did a dance in the ring.

Lifted on Shoulders.
Enthusiastic Frenchmen jumped in and kissed him on both cheeks. He was lifted on their shoulders, his hands incessantly waving to the crowd, and was finally carried from the ring.

Farmer Boy Discovers Happy Jack's Secret Before the Wooded Folks

By THORNTON W. BURGESS.

Long before any of the little people of the Green Forest and the Green Meadows had even guessed that Happy Jack Squirrel and Mrs. Happy Jack had a secret in their home in the big maple tree up by Father Brown's house, Farmer Brown's boy had guessed it. He had guessed what it was.

"They have a family in there," said Farmer Brown's boy. "There are baby squirrels in that hollow branch. That is why Mrs. Happy Jack comes out only long enough to get her meals and take a little exercise." You see Farmer Brown's boy had kept watch and had noticed that his seldom saw Mrs. Happy Jack, while Happy Jack himself was about most of the time.

Now of course Farmer Brown's boy was anxious to see those baby squirrels. But he didn't know how to get in their home. He knew just how Mrs. Happy Jack left and how for the world would he have frightened her by climbing up there and trying to see those babies. So he contented himself with keeping a sharp watch whenever he was about where he could see both tree up. He hoped to see those baby squirrels when they first came out to get a nut at the Great Wood.

Every morning the first thing he did when he came out of the house was to look up at that hollow branch. So it happened that early one morning he discovered that Mrs. Happy Jack was coming down out of that tree. She was carrying something in her mouth. What it was he couldn't make out at first. He moved very quietly so as to get a better view. Then he saw that Mrs. Happy Jack was carrying one of her own babies.

She looked anxious in this way and that way. It was plainly to be seen that she was worried. She crossed the yard as fast as she could to the old stone wall along the edge of the Old Orchard. Along this she hurried, carrying that precious baby in much the same way that you have seen a mother cat carry a kitten. Farmer Brown's boy followed. He took care not to let her know that he was fol-



She crossed the yard as fast as she could.

lowing. He saw her enter the Green Forest. He got there just in time to see her climb a tree and disappear in a hole in the trunk part way up. Farmer Brown's boy hid and waited. Mrs. Happy Jack was inside that tree a few minutes. Then she came out, and this time she didn't have the baby in her mouth. She ran down the trunk, over to the old stone wall, and then she disappeared in the direction of her home. And how she did run! She seemed to be in a great hurry. Farmer Brown's boy didn't know whether to go back or to remain where he was. He decided to remain. In a little while he heard the rustle of small feet. Then he saw Mrs. Happy Jack coming and she had another baby in her mouth. This one she left in that tree, and hurried back as before.

He showed it in his face. He showed it by the way he rubbed the tip of his nose. "She's moving her family," he muttered. "I wonder what for."

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The next story, "Farmer Brown's Boy Cannot Solve the Puzzle."

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WOMEN and THE HOME

Social and Personal

Mrs. H. E. Gates was a recent tea-hothead.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Craig of Guelph are visiting friends in the city.

Miss Helen Pascoe of Woodstock is visiting relatives in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Yeates are spending the summer at Maple Grove.

Dr. and Mrs. Angus Graham have left on a trip to the Pacific coast.

Miss Allen of Burlington is a guest with Miss Webster, Queen's avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Hourd and family are at Orchard Beach, Port Stanley.

Miss Genevieve O'Reilly of Detroit is the guest of Miss Patricia Collins.

Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Ripley are at the summer home, Erie Rest, Port Stanley.

Dr. and Mrs. B. E. Wilson and family are at their summer home, Port Stanley.

Mrs. C. Hammett of Detroit is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Lacle.

Mrs. T. H. Smallman entertained recently at a small tea at her home, "Waverley."

Mrs. Arthur McKenna of Detroit is visiting sons and relatives in town for a few days.

Miss Nancy Hendry and Miss Lois Telly of this city are holidaying at Buffalo, N. Y.

Miss Jean O'Neil, Piccadilly street, is holidaying at Port Hope and Niagara Falls.

Mrs. Chubb of London is visiting in Ottawa, the guest of her mother, Mrs. A. S. Godeve.

Mrs. M. Wilkinson and Mrs. Morrow and her son are at Nepawuk, Gregory, Muskoka.

Mrs. Arthur McKenna of Detroit, is visiting relatives and friends in the city for a few days.

Miss Virginia Harper is a holiday guest with Mrs. George Wainwright at Gregory, Muskoka.

Mrs. Fred T. Crawford, Detroit, is a guest with her niece, Mrs. M. Wickett, Dundas street.

Miss Isabel Davidson, of Ridout street south, is holidaying at Elk Lake, Northern Ontario.

Miss May Wilson of Ottawa is a guest with Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Northwood, Waterloo street.

Mrs. Murray Armstrong, who has been visiting friends in Muskoka, is expected home shortly.

Miss Marjorie White and Miss Marjorie Rowntree are holidaying at the Cleveleys, Muskoka.

Col. Francis King of Toronto is a guest with his son, Gen. W. B. M. King, Wolsley Barracks.

Dr. and Mrs. D. M. Wright and family are spending the summer at Maple Grove, Lake Huron.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Abbott motored to Detroit last week-end, where they were guests of relatives.

Mrs. E. Gardiner and sister, Mrs. E. J. Gardiner, of Rochester, N. Y., are guests with Mrs. Fred McKee.

Mrs. Roy Pascoe has returned to her home in Woodstock, after visiting friends and relatives in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Brown and daughter Shirley are on a motor trip to Niagara Falls and Buffalo.

Mr. and Mrs. John L. A. Hunt, Horton street, are leaving Saturday to spend a few days at Collingwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Tennant and daughter are spending at their cottage, Orchard Beach, Port Stanley.

A smart luncheon at the London Hunt and Country Club recently claimed Mrs. R. W. Travers as hostess.

Mrs. Philip Pocock, Grosvenor street, is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cook, Sarnia.

Mrs. Ernest Palmer and little son Warren are guests with Mrs. Palmer's mother, Mrs. Weldon, Hyman street.

Miss C. Cochran of Pawtucket, Rhode Island, is a guest with Mr. and Mrs. James Hendry, Vauxhall street.

Mrs. Evelyn Norman of Winnipeg is the guest of Mrs. George T. Brown, Talbot street, and her sister, Mrs. Brown.

Miss Merrick, of Talbot street, has returned to her home in the city after an enjoyable trip to the Pacific Coast.

Mrs. G. L. McDonald, of Hyman street, has returned home after a visit with Dr. and Mrs. Sudworth in Ingersoll.

T. H. Parrich of Souris, Man., is spending a few weeks in the east as the guest of relatives in London.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Forristal and family are at their summer home, Port Stanley, for the remainder of the season.

Mrs. Niven was a tea hostess yesterday, entertaining in honor of her daughter, Mrs. Shepherd Franz, of Washington.

Dr. and Mrs. Richard Mason and son Jack of Detroit are at their summer cottage on Invererie Heights, Port Stanley.

Miss Donna Gmeyer leaves at the end of the week for Bayfield, Lake Huron, where she will spend the coming week.

Col. C. W. Belton of Ottawa has returned to his home after a visit with relatives here and in Toronto and Hamilton.

Mr. Carmichael leaves at the end of the week for a holiday of several weeks to be spent at Lake of Bays, Muskoka.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Courtis, Wortley road, spent the week-end as guests with Rev. J. T. C. Morris and Mrs. Morris at Sarnia.

Mrs. Albert Reason and family are spending the summer at Sand Lake, Tecumseh, Mich., with Mrs. Reason's father, Mr. Freeman.

Mrs. J. E. McGillicuddy, Wortley road, has left for a trip to the Pacific coast, where she will spend the remainder of the season.

Mrs. E. S. Detwiler and family are holidaying at Aux Sable Beach. They will be joined by Dr. Detwiler at the beginning of the month.

Miss Vera Mary of Lambeth is holidaying with friends in Bayfield, with whom she will remain until the early part of next month.

Miss Helen Baker entertained recently at mah jong in honor of Mrs. Evelyn Norman of Winnipeg and Miss Isabel Ivey of Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Branson and

son have returned from "Valley View," Erie Rest, Port Stanley, where they spent a pleasant vacation.

Dr. D. H. Arnott and Mrs. Arnott, Queen's avenue, have returned from Indian Point, Lake Huron, where they spent a delightful holiday.

Mrs. D. B. White and Miss Lorraine White have returned home after a delightful visit with Dr. and Mrs. Nichol at Aux Sable Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Mortimer, Central street, have returned home after spending the past week in Toronto, guests at the King Edward Hotel.

Miss Hazel Kirwin of Port William, who has been visiting her parents in Ingersoll, is now a guest with her sister, Mrs. Vincent Colgan, Ardavan Place.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward Casselman and family, Dufferin avenue, are leaving early next month for a motor trip to Kingston, Montreal, Morrisburg and Plattsburg.

Miss Winifred Buchanan is spending the month in Toronto, where she has been marking middle school examination papers at the department of education.

Mrs. G. Shute and daughter, Miss Ethel Shute of Winnipeg, are visiting Mrs. H. F. Nethercott, Hyatt avenue, and Mrs. E. T. Oake, Bellevue avenue.

Miss Grace Graham, Miss Hazel Cunningham and Miss Gladys Kellor are home after a delightful two weeks' vacation spent at Bayfield, on Lake Huron.

Mrs. Thomas Harper Jun., Dundas street, has returned home after spending a week in Hamilton the guest of her father, Allan Case and other relatives.

Mrs. A. A. Barbour, Piccadilly street, with her family, have left for their summer cottage, Invererie Heights, where they will spend the remainder of the summer.

The nurses of Victoria Hospital will be the guests of the Allen Theatre management tonight at a theatre party arranged through the Victoria Hospital Women's Board.

Miss Grace Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chaney Smith, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Shambhau at South Bend, Ind., and on her return will be guest with friends in Detroit.

Miss H. Duncan, 312 King street, has left on an extended visit to the coast. She will stop at Winnipeg, Calgary, Banff, and Lake Louise, en route by way of Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. Bonnell and daughter, Bianca, have left for Cape May, N. J. After they have completed their visit there Master Joe Collins will return to London with them for a visit.

Miss Fawkes has left for Brantford to spend a part of the vacation with her cousin, Miss Mary Fawkes, who returned to her home there on Saturday after an enjoyable visit in London.

Dr. and Mrs. Edwin Seaborn, in honor of their daughter, Miss Dee Seaborn, will entertain next week at a week-end party of ten guests at their summer home, Stuble Beach.

The Misses Koehne of Detroit and their brother, who have been enjoying a delightful holiday with Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Griffin in this city, are returning to their home at the end of the week.

Miss Belle Brown and her sister, Louise, of 238 Ridout street south, have returned to the city after spending several weeks at Orienta Point, Mamaroneck, N.J., New York City and New Jersey.

Mrs. R. McLean of Wallaceburg is visiting her daughter, Mrs. George Wenige, and Mayor Wenige, Erie avenue. Mrs. D. Davis of Trenton is also a guest at the home of Mayor and Mrs. Wenige.

Mr. George Lethbridge and Mr. Donald Payne are leaving the first of August for Rondville, Lake of Bays, Muskoka. Mrs. Lethbridge and Miss Alice Lethbridge will spend their holiday in Galt.

The condition of Mrs. T. H. Yull, who is confined with serious illness at Victoria Hospital, is reported to be only fair. Her friends will be anxious to know that Mrs. Yull is not able to receive visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Smith of Cleveland, Ohio, are visiting Mr. Smith's mother, Mrs. W. J. Smith, at Ridout street. Mrs. Smith's daughter, Mrs. W. Clarke, with her husband and daughter, Marion, are also guests.

Mrs. Kirk of New Westminster, B. C., and her daughter, the Misses Elsie and Dora Kirk, together with Miss Malton of Calgary, are guests with Miss Pocock at Hayman Court, Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Grant of Toronto are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Stevens, Wellington street, and Mrs. Stevens and Miss Mable Stevens, who are expected back from Europe at the beginning of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. James Chalmers, who have taken a house at 55 Puce street for the summer, will have as their guest Mrs. Herson Tibbitts of St. Marys, who came to the city yesterday for the Conservative picnic at Queen's Park.

Mrs. Kingsmill and Mr. Sidney Kingsmill were among the Canadian guests at the reception given by the British consular officials of Edinburgh, in welcome to the Canadian educational party, touring the British Isles and France.

Among London guests at a children's party last Saturday at Ipperwash Beach, which Miss Emily Grimes was hostess at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Grimes, of Detroit, were Miss Allen Reason and her guest, Miss Catherine Dickinson.

Mrs. James Smith and Miss Marion Smith of this city are spending a pleasant three weeks' vacation at "Idlers' Inn," Port Stanley, where they were joined at the end of the week by Master Freddie Smith, who had been spending two weeks in camp with the choristers of St. Paul's Cathedral.

Mr. and Douglas Heustis are leaving shortly on a motor trip to Honey Harbor, Georgian Bay, where they will spend the first week of next month. On the way back, Mr. and Mrs. Heustis will be guests with the former's mother at her summer cottage, Beaverton.

In honor of Mrs. Charles Wilson, a recent bride, Mrs. H. K. Thurlow

Dorothy Dix's Letter Box

Should "Forty-three" Marry "Twenty-three"?
A Stay-at-Home Mother Whose Husband Won't Be Around — Is It Safe to Marry a Man Who Has Never Saved Money?

Dear Dorothy Dix—A man forty-three years of age is in love with a girl twenty years younger than he. She is "an old-fashioned girl" and they appear ideally suited to each other. All other things being equal, what chance for happiness do you think they would have? Should they marry, considering this difference in age? DECEMBER AND MAY.



Answer:
Forty-three isn't December with a man, my friend. It is mid-summer, when he is just at his prime and when it is perfectly fitting for him to mate with May.

Twenty years is not a prohibitive difference in age between a man and a woman, when the years are on the man's side; but ten years should be when the woman is older. Women age so much faster than men, they lose their good looks so much earlier, that it is well for the man always to be older than the woman he marries.

Marrriages in which the husband is considerably older than the wife are very apt to be happy because the husband has had enough experience of life and acquired enough skill in handling people to know how to deal tactfully with his wife and so avoid many of the pitfalls into which the young and ignorant fall. Also the husband who is a good deal older than his wife is usually a generous and indulgent husband, who treats his wife very much as he would a pampered child.

But the elderly wife is nearly always a grinding tyrant, who bosses her young husband out of his life. And she is invariably insanely jealous of him and ready to tear his eyes out if he so much as looks at a young and pretty girl.

But age cannot be always counted in terms of birthdays. There are men who are old in the cradle, and others who are Peter Pans at seventy. It is a matter of temperament, and the man of forty-three who is thinking of marrying a girl of twenty-three should look more closely at his habits and tastes than he does at the record in the family Bible.

If he still likes to go around and have a good time; if he enjoys theatres and movies, and concerts and lectures; if he likes outdoor sports and travelling; if he can still get excited over things, and is full of pep and enthusiasm, then it is safe for him to marry a girl twenty years his junior. But if he is a stick-in-the-mud, who never wants to go anywhere and who is almost dead, then he is too old to marry any woman under forty. For a girl of twenty-three is still in the playtime of her life and has a right to expect her husband to be her playfellow.

Dear Dorothy Dix—We have been married three years and have two lovely little girls. My husband is a good provider and loves his children dearly, and helps me with my work when I have more than I can do. Now the question is this: When he asks me if he can go out with a friend, I never refuse him, but when I ask him to take me somewhere he refuses, although he says I can go alone if I want to, and he will stay at home and care for the babies. But I don't want to go unaccompanied by him. Please tell me what I should do? A STAY-AT-HOME MOTHER.

Answer:
Why, go along and have a good time, and thank Heaven that you have a husband who will take care of the children, so that you can be carefree and not have your pleasure spoiled by wondering if the babies are safe.

It is natural that you should wish to have your husband beau you around and about in your courtship days. Every married woman likes to flaunt her husband around in her friends' faces, and it is not strange that you are a bit chagrined that he doesn't want to go out with you. But as the years pass on you will find out that all life is a series of compromises, and that the secret of being happy though married is to learn to make the best of every situation, to enjoy to the utmost every good thing that comes your way and to accept the bad things philosophically, as just part of the day's work, and dwell on them as little as you can.

And, really, my dear, there is a great deal to be said in favor of husbands and wives each taking a night off separately each week. The trouble with most married couples is that they see too much of each other and get fed up on each other's society. That's why the family circle is generally as silent as a Quaker meeting, unless there is a quarrel going on. They have talked out because they have done the same things and have seen the same things, and they have nothing new to tell each other. But let either of them go away for a week or so, and when he or she comes back they chatter like magpies and find each other fascinating company.

So instead of feeling yourself ill-used because your husband doesn't take you out, esteem it a privilege that you have an absolutely free evening in which you can gratify your own whims without having to conform to anybody else's taste. I know thousands of women who would think themselves lucky if they stood in your shoes and had your privilege.

Dear Dorothy Dix—Would you advise a woman in her late thirties to marry a man of forty who is earning a good salary, but who has never saved any money, although he has never had any one but himself to take care of? NASHUA.

Answer:
It depends on how the man has spent his money. If he has spent it on dissipation, or if he is addicted to gambling, either poker or stocks; if he is one of the Colonel Sellers sort, who is always backing some wild scheme by which he expects to make millions, I would say that he is a bad risk, and that he would drag his wife down to poverty in the end.

But if he is just one of those men who is easy going, a good spender, who does not save because he has no particular incentive, and who knows he can always make a good living, then he is worth taking a chance on, and a thrifty wife can sew up the holes in his pockets. Most men do not save until they get married. It's the responsibility of having a wife and children that makes them realize they must lay up for the future.

entertained recently at a silver shower, with thirty-five guests present, at Fort Mead this summer that the children of the Plegans decided to bestow this honor upon her and dubbed her Princess "Icca-ke." Miss Henderson is a niece of Premier Greenfield of Alberta, going west two years ago to join her uncle. During the Prince of Wales' visit at the royal ranch in Alberta, she was his guest at a picnic party there. Before going west, Miss Henderson resided here with her cousin, Mrs. M. B. O'Meara.

ARM FRACTURED.
Special to The Advertiser.
Blenheim, July 23.—Myron McTavish, the fourteen-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Dr. A. J. McTavish, suffered a severe fracture of the arm just above the elbow this afternoon, when a load of hay upset at the Smith Walker farm in Harwich township.

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A charge of 75 cents for one insertion, or \$1 for two insertions is made for notices under this heading.

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Must Have Husband's Permission.

In France before a woman may engage in any business or to take part in any business transactions, she must present the written consent of her husband.

Fashions by Wire

Special to The Advertiser.
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Paris, July 24.—Leather, very soft and of fine texture, is now hand-painted with interesting designs. Subsequently it is used for wrist bags, shoes, trappings and hats.

HINDU TURBAN AGAIN.

Paris, July 24.—The Hindu turban is here again, though to be sure it never entirely vanished. Today it is fairly low of crown, and its authentic Hindu lines are somewhat camouflaged by a drooping swirl of feathers on one side of the narrow brim.

LARGE VELVET FLOWERS.

London, July 24.—Large flowers with big petals are coming in again, displacing here and there the little Victorian bouquets of small posies with which frocks have been ornamented. The large flowers come in some of the most beautiful of the evening gown.

DAISIES FOR DECORATIONS.

London, July 24.—Three English daisies, in white and yellow silk, are embroidered on the left shoulder of a number of gowns just now. These frocks, designed for afternoon, are usually in black, with a background of georgette, a background which well sets off the daisy decoration.

BRILLIANT BATHING SUIT.

New York, July 24.—Nothing is more brilliant or rich in decoration today than the new bathing suit. One of these, in an effort to be "different," is of a green taffeta, with a plain black belt. Attached to the belt by leather thongs is a collection of rubber birds, fishes and animals.

SWIMMING PEN URGED AT GOVERNMENT PARK

Recommendation of Coroner's Jury in Drowning Accident.

Special to The Advertiser.

Blenheim, July 23.—The jury at the coroner's inquest this afternoon into the circumstances of the death of Orlo Maynard, which occurred on Sunday, brought in the following verdict:

"That the said Orlo Maynard came to his death by accidental drowning on Sunday, July 20, 1924, at Government Park dock, Rondeau. We very strongly urge that a bathing pen be constructed in safe water, of sufficient size to accommodate the large crowds of bathers present at picnics at the park, and that the pen be constructed at the southwest of the pier, giving ample room between the pen and the pier for boats to pass back and forth to the boat-house. We urge that grappling irons be kept at the boat-house." Ned J. Little, foreman, Dr. A. J. McTavish, E. H. Spackman, W. R. Fellows, James Sterling, J. L. Rose, William Snobelen.

Ambition to succeed has many times been encouraged through Advertiser "Want" Axis, with their scores of opportunities.

CLEARANCE BARGAINS THAT WILL SAVE YOU MONEY

SILK BROADCLOTH, \$1.25 YARD
Silk Broadcloth, in shades of Bend, cream, pink, sand, gray and black
yard \$1.25

FANCY CREPES, \$2.25 YARD
Fancy Crepes, the latest fabric for jackets, 40 inches wide; large range of colors, yard \$2.25

WOMEN'S \$4.50 BATHING

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS PREPARE FOR OUTING

Big Feature of Day Will Be
"Finding the Mysterious
Knight."

The joint picnic of the Knights of Pythias, to be held at Springbank on Saturday afternoon, promises to be one of the most interesting of the season. The single day of the outing is to be the finding of the "mysterious knight." The contestants must have a program clipped from a newspaper. The arrangements are in charge of E. Fysh, T. G. Blake, T. Martin, G. Shaw, H. Fenwick, C. C. Garlick, J. C. Park, F. Webb, C. Tinsley and J. Dean. The judges for the baby show are Mrs. C. Tinsley, E. Fysh and G. Pierce.

The following is the program for the day: Boys, 6 to 10 years; boys, 10 to 14 years; boys, 14 to 16 years; girls, 6 to 10 years; girls, 10 to 14 years; girls, 14 to 16 years; wheelbarrow race, single ladies and gentlemen; married knights; Pythian Sisters; baseball, Sisters vs. Knights, 4 p.m.; baby show, under 6 months; baby show, under 12 months; ladies' balloon race (kicking); leap year race; bun eating contest, boys and girls; committee men's race; Knights over 25 years' membership; oldest Knight on the grounds; finding the "mysterious knight."

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House To Rent
8 ROOMS, BATH,
FURNACE, ETC.
For Complete Information
PHONE 1845

WANTED TO PURCHASE

POULTRY AND EGGS WANTED.
Highest price paid for Eggs and Poultry of good quality, according to grade.
C. A. MANN & CO.
78 King Street, London.

Watch Advertiser "Want" ads carefully if you desire to make a good business change.

BUSINESS CARDS

OAK FLOORS
Now is the time to place your orders and have them put down. Estimates furnished free.
L. H. MARTIN & CO.
1151 York St. w Phone 6151.

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Standardized and Indexed for Quick Reference.
Phone 3670.

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reserves the right to classify properly all advertisements submitted for publication.

Not responsible for errors in advertisements following date of first publication.

Ads. not cancelled after 10 p.m.
Ads. for morning paper must be in by 10 p.m.

Ads. for evening paper by 1 p.m.
All advertisements for Saturday's papers must be in our hands by 10 p.m. Friday previous to enable them to appear under their correct classification. Otherwise they must appear under the classification "Too Late to Classify."

CLASSIFIED RATES.
Cash.
1 day 2c per word
3 days 55c " "
6 days 1.00 " "
Minimum, 15 words.

When Advertiser Box is required allow 3 words. A charge of 10c for mailing is also added.

Marriages, Births and Deaths—One insertion, \$1; two insertions, \$1.50. Memorial Notices—12c per count line (10 lines the minimum).

Card of Thanks—\$1 per insertion. Engagement Notices on Wednesdays—One insertion, \$1; two insertions, \$1.50. These notices must be signed by the sender, and will not be taken over telephone.

DISPLAY ADVERTISING.
TRANSIENT.
Amusements—15c per line each insertion.
Meetings—15c per line each insertion. The London Advertiser will not insert a "make good" more than one incorrect insertion of an advertisement ordered more than one time.

THE LONDON ADVERTISER.
WANT AD. DEPARTMENT.
Phone 3670.

Westminster Township

Debentures

Tenders will be received at my office until 4 o'clock August 4, 1924, for the following debentures: \$1,000.00 for ten years, \$3.125 for five years and \$1.00 for five years, all bearing 6 per cent per annum. E. S. HUNT, Clerk, R. R. No. 3, Lambeth, Ont.

Notice of Registration

of Bylaw.

NOTICE is hereby given that a bylaw was passed by the council of the Township of Westminster on the 15th day of July, 1924, providing for the issue of debentures to the amount of \$18,000, for the purpose of purchasing a site and erection of a continuation school house for the public school board of Section No. 17, of the said township, and that such bylaw was registered in the registry office of the east and north ridings of the County of Middlesex on the 23rd day of July, 1924. Any motion to quash or set aside the same or any part thereof must be made within three months after the first publication of this notice and cannot be made thereafter.

DATED the 24th day of July, 1924.
E. S. HUNT, Clerk. J24.51-A7

AUCTION SALE

There will be offered for sale by public auction at lot 12, concession 5, S. E. R. Warwick Township, on Saturday, July 28, 1924, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, One No. 1 Birdsall clover huller and feeder and binder, used in connection therewith—all stated and much the worse for being used. Terms: Cash or as may be agreed upon. The sale will be subject to a reserve bid. The sale is made under the conditional sales act under a lien and under certain lien notes, which will be introduced at the time of sale. Further particulars will be made known at sale or on application to the undersigned solicitor. Dated July 15, 1924. WILLIAM CLIBBERT, auctioneer, Weymouth, Ont.; W. E. FITZGERALD, vendor's solicitor, Oxford, Ont. J19.22.24

CANADA'S EXHIBIT OUTSTANDING ONE

Londoner Describes the Great
Wembley Exhibition on
Visit There.

In a letter received here by a friend of D. McEachern, secretary of the Huron & Erie Mortgage Corporation and the Canada Trust Company, is contained an interesting comment regarding the Wembley Exhibition and the Canadian exhibit there, which he visited while on his trip to the Old Country.

The comment is as follows: "The Wembley Exhibition is a real education as to empire, commercial and industrial affairs and is proving an eye-opener to visitors from foreign countries. 'The Canadian building not only surpasses those of the other colonies in beauty and tasteful arrangement, but is unique in one respect in that nothing is sold at any of the exhibits.'"

"The visitors (who are now being numbered in the millions) are at once struck with the air of quiet dignity which surrounds Canada's exhibits and one cannot help comparing our building with the Australian, Indian and other colonial pavilions where undignified and noisy efforts are being made to dispose of various products and souvenirs at high prices. For instance, already the Australians have sold over \$70,000 worth of apples in shilling and half-shilling bags."

"Canadian firms, on the other hand, are giving away products freely as samples. Such firms as the Shredded Wheat Company, Niagara Falls, and the Force Company being prominent in this respect. I was very glad to see McClary's represented by a splendid exhibit in a prominent spot."

"The marked success of the Canadian firms which are exhibiting has aroused the envy of those who were at first nervous about taking space, and Mr. Tolmie, the manager of the Canadian building, tells me that he is compelled to turn down numerous requests from Canadian firms for space. Not a foot of space has been available for some time."

"The Canadian government officials responsible for Canada's share in the exhibition certainly deserve the highest credit for the manner in which they have brought the Dominion to the forefront."

"It has cost a lot of money, but is proving well worth the expenditure."

CHILDREN TRAMPLED TO DEATH IN THEATRE

Twenty Die, Seventeen Hurt
As Fire Starts in
Mexican Opera.

Associated Press Despatch.
Vera Cruz, Mexico, July 23.—

Twenty children were trampled to death and seventeen persons were injured in the Eslava Theatre to-night when the film of a moving picture caught fire and threw the spectators into a panic.

GREAT LANTERN PARADE WILL BE HELD TONIGHT

Several hundred boys and girls are expected to appear in the great lantern parade, which will be held under the auspices of the civic playgrounds to-night. Children will line up at their own playgrounds and parade to the Federal Square, where judging will take place.

Following the demonstration at Federal Square the boys and girls will parade through the main streets and then return to the square where they will be dismissed. Auto trucks will be provided in order that the smaller children will have transportation to their homes.

A prize shield has been offered by R. F. Brisco & Co. for the playground center with the best display of lanterns in the parade.

ST. ANGELA'S COLLEGE RESULTS ARE PRESENTED

Results of examinations in the preparatory department of St. Angela's College are given below:

Entrance examination to high school—Helene Coles, Ruth Hillis. From Senior III to Senior IV—Agnes Garvey.

From Senior III to Junior IV—Helen Milne. From Junior III to Senior III—Ruth Bricklyn, Florence Pauls, Margaret O'Laughlin, Kathleen O'Neill, Marion Sansone.

From Form II Senior to Junior III—Valerie Patterson, Ruth Fenev, Margaret Strasser.

From Junior II to Senior II—Agnes McLaughlin. From Senior I to Junior II—Adell Campbell.

From Junior Primary to Senior Primary—Josephine Sansone.

ACIDS IN STOMACH CAUSE INDIGESTION

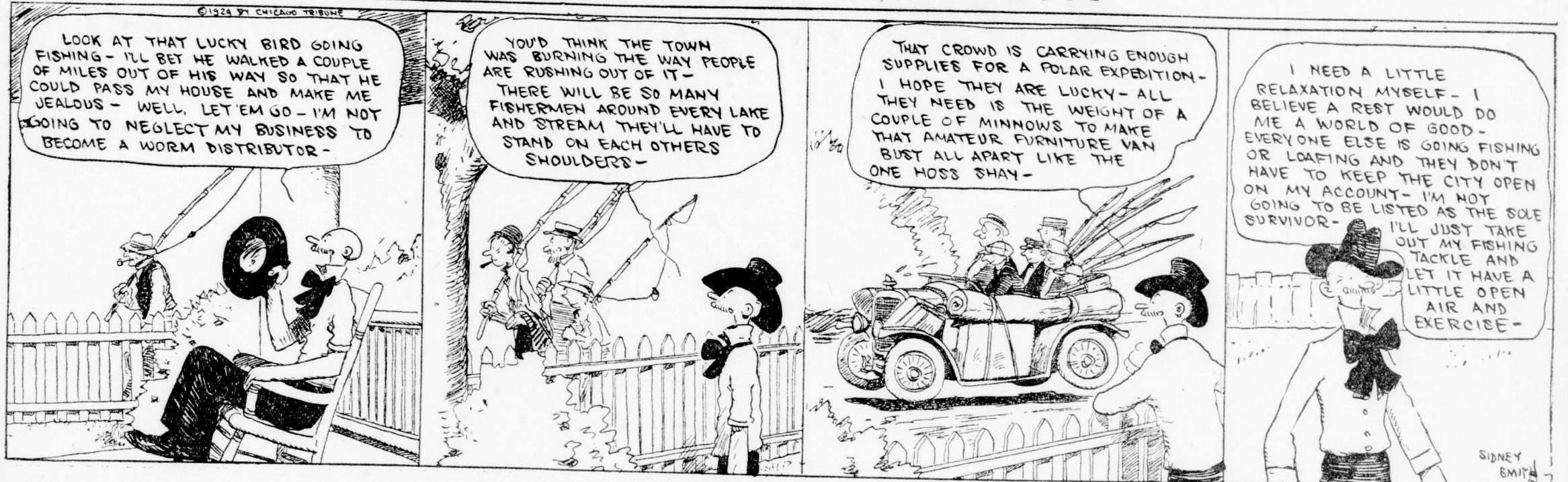
Create Gas, Sourness and Pain—How To Treat.

Medical authorities state that nearly nine-tenths of the cases of stomach trouble, indigestion, sourness, burning, gas, bloating, nausea, etc., are due to an excess of hydrochloric acid in the stomach and not as some believe to a lack of digestive juices. The delicate stomach lining is irritated, digestion is delayed and food sours, causing the disagreeable symptoms which every stomach sufferer knows so well.

Artificial digestives are not needed in such cases and may do real harm. Try buying aside all digestive aids and instead, before any drug is taken, a teaspoonful of a quarter glass of water right after eating. This soothes the stomach, prevents the formation of excess acid and there is no sourness, gas, or pain. Bismarated Magnesia (in powder or tablet form—never liquid or milk) is harmless to the stomach, (next to water) and is the most efficient form of magnesia for stomach purposes. It is used by thousands of people who enjoy their meals with no more fear of indigestion.—Advt.

GUMP, GOOGLE & CO., Experts In Laughter

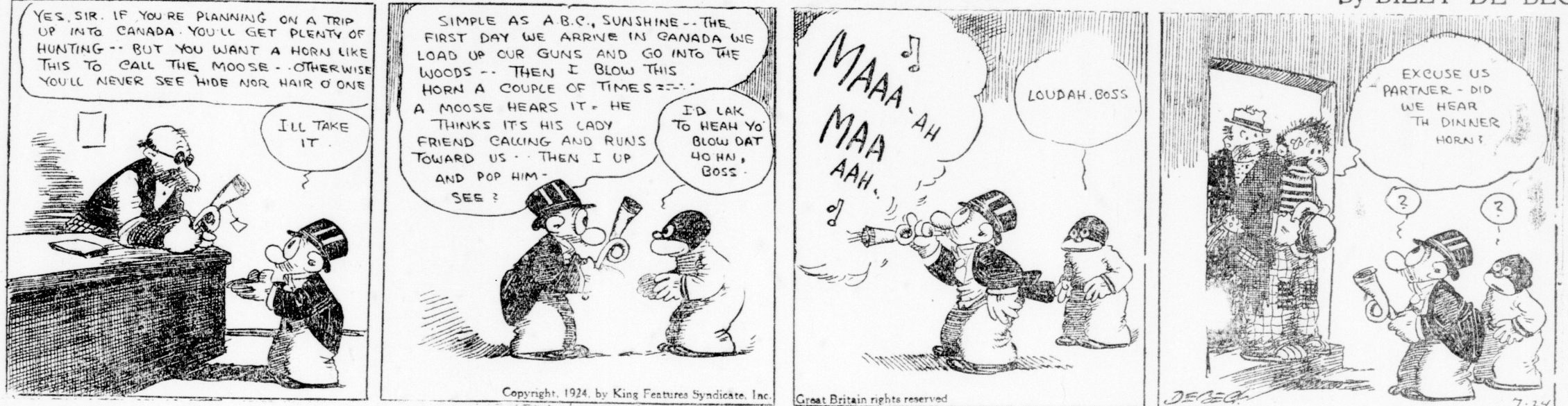
THE GUMPS—MAKE IT UNANIMOUS



BARNEY GOOGLE AND SPARK PLUG

"The Call of the Wild."

By BILLY DE BECK



TOOTS AND CASPER

Toots Has No Doubt About the Winner.

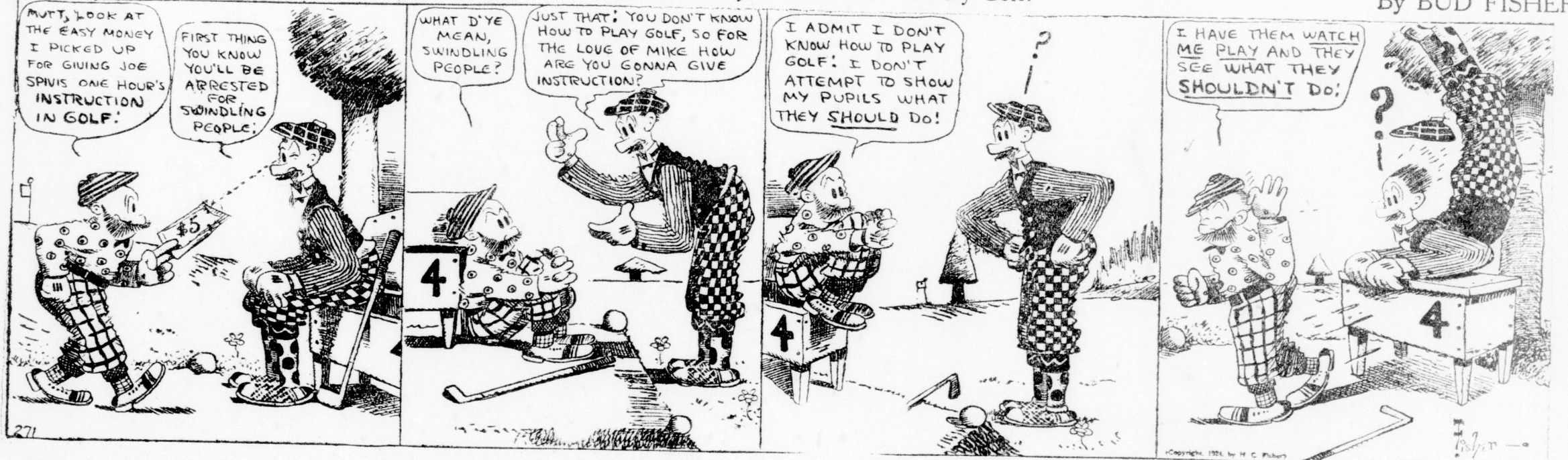
By JIMMY MURPHY



MUTT AND JEFF

Here's One Way to Learn How to Play Golf.

By BUD FISHER



REG'LAR FELLERS

Some Old Lady.

By GENE BYRNES

