



gave "character evidence" on behalf of the much discussed bull, which was purchased by him on September 14th, and subsequently shipped to Toronto Stock Yards.

SPORTING SKITS

BASEBALL

Leafs Practice Hard

Simon Legree never had anything on Mister O'Hara whose official designation is manager of the Leafs. His hired help were not calling him "Bill" last night but many other things the reverse of complimentary.

As the temperature was close to 80 in the sun and there was but little breeze to alleviate the excessive heat the athletes one and all thought it was little too much of a good thing.

There were no new arrivals, Joe Rabbit, who was expected to put in an appearance, failing to come to town as per schedule.

The woods are full of good fly-chasers and the veteran is not as young as he used to be by a good margin.

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HOCKEY

SCORES

N. H. L.

Ottawa ..... 5 Americans ..... 0

Pittsburg ..... 2 Montreal ..... 1

Canadian American

Boston ..... 1 Providence ..... 1

Overtime.

Ottawa's Last Home Game is Won Over Americans 5 to 0

Ottawa's wound up their quota of home games in the National Hockey League by swamping the New York Americans under a 5 to 0 count in a game that developed into a rough and tumble exhibition in the closing minutes.

The world's champions displayed a superior brand of hockey to notch 2 counters in the initial period and add three more in the final stanza.

Juniors Battle Tonight

The University of Toronto Arena is not likely to be large enough to accommodate all the hockey fans who wish to see Ottawa Gunners and Regina Monarchs battle in the second game for the possession of the Memorial Cup.

Standing out above them all is this 19 year old boy March, brilliant right wing for Regina. All who saw him in action, all who saw him sweep down the ice and get all the Monarchs' four goals, are sounding his praises.

Third Place Seems Sure For Pittsburg By Win

Pittsburg last night won 2 to 1 over the Montreal Maroons and thus jumped into undisputed possession of third place in the standing of the United States section of the National Hockey League.

The Montreal team provided good opposition for the visitors but the Maroons did not overexert themselves as the result of the game meant nothing to them.

INSURANCE SALES MAKE BIG GAIN

Month's Gain Was \$40,290,000 Which Equals 13 Per Cent. Of Production

In February of this year ordinary life insurance sales in Canada exceeded those of February 1927 by \$40,290,000, or a gain of 13 per cent.

The monthly gain is well distributed throughout the Dominion, all provinces sharing the country's gain. Substantial increases are recorded ranging from 8 per cent on Saskatchewan and Manitoba to 38 per cent in Newfoundland, Prince Edward Island gained 27 per cent.

For the first two months of 1928 production shows a 21 per cent gain over the 1927 record. All provinces share this increase showing substantial gains.

The record for the twelve months just ended amounts to an increase of 9 per cent over the preceding twelve months. Saskatchewan shows a slight loss for this period, but gains are noted in all the other provinces.

Most of the cities show improved conditions. Montreal leads with a gain of 32 per cent over February 1927. Ottawa follows with an increase of 28 per cent.



Ken Maynard in "The Devil's Saddle"

At the Royal Theatre tonight and tomorrow with the fifth episode of "Blake of Scotland Yard," and an Our Gang comedy "The Old Wallop."

Cleveland county jail is under quarantine for diphtheria.

In winter Boston gets some of its cream supply from Kansas.

Five inches of snow fell during one day in Evansville, Ind.

FLOATING DOCK THROUGH SUEZ

Great Structure Built in England—Long Voyage To Singapore Planned

To have built in ten months a floating dock 855 feet long, capable of lifting the largest battle cruisers and long enough to take six Trafalgar Square Nelson monuments end to end is an achievement likely to interest industrialists.

The Singapore dock contains about 20,000 tons of steel in the manufacture and haulage of which to the shipyard approximately 90,000 tons of coal were consumed.

The inside of the dock is sufficiently long to take the Royal Mail Steamship Mauretania comfortably inside with 30 feet to spare at bow and stern.

The towage distance to Singapore, about 8,500 miles, is not the longest voyage undertaken by a dock built by Swan, Hunter and Wigham Richardson Limited.

ROCK COLORING AT WATERTON LAKES

One of the main characteristics of Waterton Lakes national park in Southern Alberta is the beautiful colouring of the rocks.

William Kuntz, 63, farmer living near Wapakoneta, Ohio, committed suicide by hanging himself.

Owing to bad roads, rural mail carriers of Sharon, Pa., abandon the automobile and use horse and buggy.

BUILDER SAYS WARNING GIVEN

Earth Leaks Foretold Deluge in Santa Clara River Valley—Engineer "Envious Dead"

A coroner's jury Wednesday heard from the quivering lips of the man who built the St. Francis Dam of how a silent warning came from the dam itself that all was not well 11 hours before the great concrete structure collapsed and dealt death in a mighty deluge over little Santa Clara river valley.

The warning was in the muddy waters that trickled from the 185-foot retaining wall, indicating, according to the engineer, that conditions were "bad—very bad" and that there was a leak through the earth about the structure.

Heard in Silence

It was William Mulholland, veteran Chief Engineer of Los Angeles City's Department of Water and Power, who gave the testimony.

The veteran engineer—he is 72 years old—nearly gave way to his emotions.

Visited Dam.

He had visited St. Francis Dam, in San Francisco Canyon 11 hours before its collapse. Leak conditions were "bad—very bad."

Muddy waters in the reservoir indicated an earth leak, which always is a "serious matter," he said. It did not occur to him that there was danger.

Engineer Weeps

In the tears that rolled down the engineer's cheeks and in the sobs that shook his aged body, could be seen the reaction to the knowledge that probably more than 400 persons had died when the dam—his dam—gave way before its load of twelve billion gallons of water.

The dam always had been the driest of the nineteen built by Mulholland or any that he had seen through out the country, he said.

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CANADA TRADE WITH WEST INDIES

Bank Letter Remarks on the Increase—Greatest in World

Among the most important developments in Canada's foreign trade during 1927 were the increases of imports from the British West Indies by \$2,519,000 and of the exports to the British West Indies, by \$348,000.

This movement augurs well for the success of the closer trade relationship which was inaugurated by the treaty of 1925.

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**HEARD ON THE STREET**

Good morning! Have you planned your garden yet?

The Horticultural lecture tonight by Mr. H. J. Moore of Islington, will be a great help to those interested in flowers and should be a great attraction to all Port Hoppers, who want to keep this "The Prettiest Town in Canada."

A number of people about town report a few of the earliest flowers are up already. Have you seen the blooming things?

Mr. W. J. Moore says there's quite a number who are sure "it won't be long now" until the grass is up as several have already come in with lawn mowers to sharpen.

We'll soon have the fountain at the corner of Queen and Walton doing its best to refresh the thirsty. Of course it won't be as busy a spot as in times past. It has competition you know!

According to a young man who has observed and timed the traffic going by there are as many trucks pass with the hour at this time of year as there were all motor vehicles just eight short years ago. Unofficially we are informed there are no less than forty different transportation companies' trucks which pass through here.

A good crowd attended the regular weekly dance at the Veteran's Hall Thursday evening under the auspices of the Port Hope Iroquois Club. Both round and square dances were enjoyed and music was furnished by Mrs. E. B. Longard, piano; Albert Mann, drums; Chas. Doney, mandolin; and P. Hawthorne, violin. Next Thursday night a box social is planned and it is expected numerous visitors will attend.

Very little business was transacted at the meeting of the Horticultural Society held in the department of Agriculture, Ontario Street, on Wednesday evening. It was announced that arrangements had been completed for the lecture to be given at the Town Hall this evening by H. J. Moore. Mr. Ralph Hodgson was appointed treasurer to receive the membership fees of \$1.00 per member.

Mr. Geo. Holdsworth has two curiosities. One is a feather from the wing of a large golden eagle which he has in a cage in his barn. The eagle was caught last fall and Mr. Holdsworth has since been keeping it. Since he got the bird he has never seen it take a drink, but it eats meat only. The feather is 22 inches in length. The bird has a wing spread of 6 feet 6 inches. The other curiosity is a hen's egg that weighs one-quarter of a pound and is a dandy large one.

The police have started their crusade against dogs found wandering on Kingston Streets following the passing of the bylaw at a special meeting of the City Council, ordering that all canines be quarantined at the homes of the owners. Up till Thursday afternoon one dog had been shot. Two dogs were found playing on the market square but could not be disposed of, owing to the danger to pedestrians.

A young woman, suing a man for \$50,000 for breach of promise, began to weep softly in the court room in Chicago the other day. But the cry didn't last long.

"I'm not going to have a crying spell going on in my court room," announced the judge. "You're crying your way into a verdict and I'll set it aside as soon as you get it."

The plaintiff promptly dried her tears and justice proceeded to proceed.

**WEDDING BELLS**

AUSTIN—WOOLACOTT

The marriage of Miss Mabel Gertrude Woolacott and Mr. Sidney Arnold Austin, son of Mr. Harry Austin, both of the Lake Shore Road, Hope Township, was quietly solemnized at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Woolacott, at noon on Wednesday, March 21st. The ceremony was performed by Rev. W. E. Honey of Welcome, in the presence of a few close relatives and friends. The bride, who was given away by her father, was beautifully attired in a rosebud gown of silk flat crepe, and her travelling suit was a navy blue ensemble with hat to match. A very dainty luncheon was served. After a brief honeymoon trip to points west, the happy couple will reside in their home neighborhood, In.

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And the smile ye wear  
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If you are poor, your friends seldom help you, but if you are rich, they usually want to help themselves.

Any man can fool a woman, but the trouble is to keep her fooled.

Some time ago the following few lines appeared in this column and on request, we take the liberty of using them again:

Mysterious thral attend to thy call,  
If such be your amiable choice,  
Pray are you a bird,  
That's Worsworth I've heard  
Or are you a wandering voice?  
Are you a bird with legions of airy  
And impudent imps of your own,  
Who give me wrong numbers  
And harry my slumbers  
By asking for persons unknown?  
How often in wrath I leap from my  
bath  
Bewrapped in a shiver and freeze  
To answer your ring,  
Excuse it, you fling,  
Politely appeasing a "please"  
Ah, utterance tongue, melodious  
young  
Unknowable cry from afar,  
Hobgoblin or elf,  
O echo herself,  
Whatever, wherever you are,  
Complete my connection and hold  
in subjection,  
Your notions who make it their  
task,  
To drive a man dizzy  
Don't say the line's busy  
But give me the number I ask.  
.....Thank you.....

In these days however, 'it isn't wise to take them off yet' applies only to the males.

It's love that causes most spring poetry. Having seen the girl, the young man just naturally longs for a chance to meter.

Love may be blind, but not stone blind, when it comes to rings.

The Mother Hubbard is entirely out of date. Today the women dress more like Mother Hubbard's cupboard.

It's a toss up as to which is the worst pest, the aggressively intelligent person or the out-and-out bore.

It was just 30 years ago that the Rainy Day Club began its agitation for shorter skirts. It was a good idea, but they failed to equip it with brakes.

"Do you know," she said to hubby, as he was shaving, "I weigh only 110 pounds without my clothes on?"

"Where were you weighed?"

"At the meat market. Mr. Hor—Sakes alive, you've cut yourself."

Embarrassing Situations  
The lawn mower will soon need sharpening.

We detour here.

READ OUR NEW STORY

We begin today a story by a popular author. It is one which we feel confident all our readers will enjoy. Be sure to read the opening instalment.

Miss Charlotte Sass and Herman Appel were married at Cedar Rapids, Ia.

**DAILY MAIL'S BIG "SCOOP"**

Gifted with the Jules Verne type of foresight, the news staff of the London Daily Mail has shown a very clever flash of editorial workmanship in its twenty four page edition, dated January 1, 2000, which imaginatively depicts new occurrences as they will be three-quarters of a century hence.

Application of "memory impressors" to store brain cells of students while sleeping; fire fighting from the skies by use of airplanes; murders by "suggestion" and by "concoaled beam" rifles, and simultaneous "television" bulletin board service of athletic contests 12,000 miles away, are some of the conceptions of the reportorial seers as to what will figure most prominently in the functions of the news-gathering agencies of the not-so-very-remote period described.

With the strides science has taken since seventy five years ago, when Jules Verne was a cub reporter, none of these visionary forecasts is beyond the realm of possibility. Some of them would be a bane to human existence, it is true, but others a boon to humanity.

One impressive paragraph from these prophetic flights of imagination ventures that "readers of the London Daily Mail in the year 2000 will be offered a special service in connection with their televisions which will be modified to transmit seaside scenes, sounds and ozone."

This thought especially suggests that we must hand it to the British journalists who have shown the American brand of newspaper enterprise in scooping the press of the world by three quarters of a century.—Oshawa Times.

**PERSONAL**

Mrs. W. W. D. McGlennon and son Duncan have returned to their home in Toronto after spending the past week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Nantel, Ellen St.

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