SYNOPSIS

Since Pop Clark disbanded his famous Blue Fire-eaters ten years ago he has been vainly trying to win the United League pennant with his Royal Blues. Sport writers give them little chance.

"And got an nice little scoop for your trouble . Well, you've had enough for one day; you'd better scram. "Kelly's mouth flattened out into a straight line and his eyes lost all semblance of mildness.

"But gee! Inspector!" Terry started.

"Yeah! I know. You guys are never satisfied, are you?"

"But it's great news and naturally I'd like to be on the inside if I could."

CHAPTER VII

Kelly started to speak and then stopped. Terry watched his hopefully. "You were in the press box all through the game?" Kelly asked.

"Yes."

"Have you sent your stuff in to the paper?"

"I called them up and gave them the scoop."

"No, I mean the play by play account of the game."

"All but the last part, and I have that here in my pocket." Terry pulled out some sheets of paper.

"Well, I guess I'll let you stick around. I may need you to check with me as I go along."

"Thanks, Inspector."

"Where do you get that Inspector stuff? I'm just Bill Kelly of the Homicide Squad. You stay here, see, but don't give anything to your paper without my okay."

Kelly turned to the doctor. "You say he's been shot?"

"Yes, through the heart."

"Now, who did it and how?" Kelly mused aloud.

"The Doc thinks it was done with a rifle," Terry offered.

"Why?" Kelly swung toward the doctor.

"As I explained to this young man, this was an accurate shot and you couldnt trust a revolver so great a distance."

"Where do you get this distance stuff?" Kelly demanded.

"Well," the doctor began, "it is possible, but not likely, that a man on the field fired the shot. If the shot was not fired from the field then it came from the stands or outside somewhere. See what I mean? You can't command accuracy at too great a distance with a revolver."

"That's a good point," Kelly said, "only I don't like it. If that bozo was shot with a rifle, it could have been done from most anywhere, up on the bluffs, from some housetop, from the top of the stands."

"Or even from the elevated station," Terry suggested.

Two policemen hurried in. "Hello, Kelly, what are you doing here?"

Just wandered over to see what the excitement was all about," Kelly answered. "And when I saw it was hot stuff, I called centre street to see if I could have the case. I'm on."

"What's up?" the second policeman asked.

"Looks like murder,"

Pop clark and Walsh, the Philadelphia manager, came in just as Kelly said "murder."

"It can't be murder," Pop said.

"It is just the same," Kelly replied, "unless the Doc here is off his base."

"Of course, some one would have to murder my best player just when I was winning a game!" Walsh was as mad as a wet hen.

"It's impossible!" Pop muttered, trying to grasp the implications of both Kelly and Walsh.

"I lost the game, didn't I?" Walsh snapped. "Lost it when I had it in the bag, too. Horan touched out a dead man and the verdict will have to stand. How could my men play ball after what happened?"

"Then the Blues won?" Terry asked.

"Don't be funny, young fellow! Why wouldn't they win?"

The tramp of feet and the noise of men bustling about the locker-room could be heard plainly in the silence which followed Walsh's bitter speech.

Kelly turned to Pop Clark. "I want you to hold all the men, both teams, until I can have a chance to talk to them. You boys see to that, will you?' he instructed the policemen, "and," he added as an afterthought, "frisk all of them, both teams."

The men gone, he continued: "I'll get the medical examiner up here to verify the examination on this doctor. Is there some place we can go away from this?" he asked Pop.

"My rooms," Pop suggested.

They walked down the hall and when they were seated, Kelly said to Terry, "take notes for me, will you, kid? They may come in handy."

Then he turned to Walsh: "What do ou know about Whitper?"

"Not a great deal. You probably know more about him than I do if you are a fan. He's been with us for three years now and was our best man. We got him in a trade from the Detroit Bears."

"Is he married?"

"Not that I know of."

"Then that eliminates a jealous wife from the picture . . . Was he well liked on the team?" was the next question.

"No. He was too arrogant most of the time. I don't think any of the boys actually disliked him but they left him pretty much to himself. He didn't pal with any one in particular."

"What did he do with his time?"

"He was great on the social stuff. He had good connections and knew people in most of the cities. He was quite a hand with the ladies."

"That opens up quite a line for investigation. Did he ever have any trouble over women?"

"None that I know about except—" Walsh stopped and glanced at Pop.

"Except what?" Kelly demanded.

"He means my daughter," Pop said.

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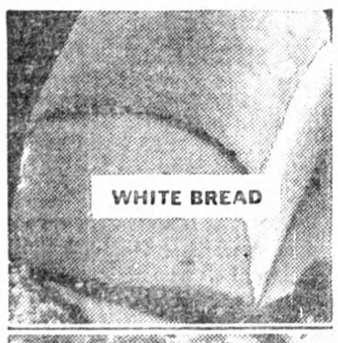

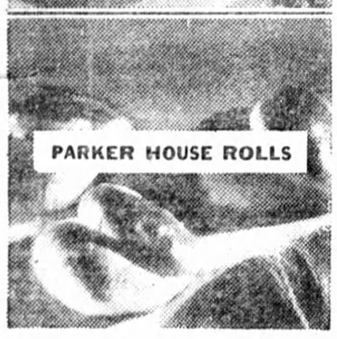

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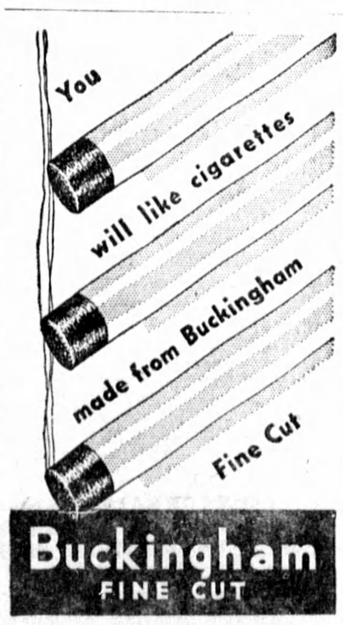

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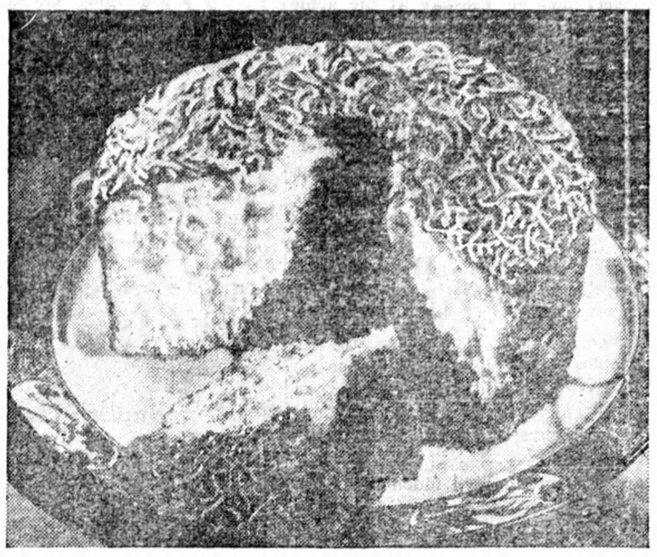

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¼ teaspoon salt.
1 teaspoon cream of tartar.
1¼ cups sifted granulated sugar.
¾ teaspoon vanilla.
¼ teaspoon almond extract.
½ cup coconut, premium shred.

Sift flour once, measure, and sift four more times. Beat egg whites and salt with flat wire whisk. When foamy, add cream of tartar, and continue beating until eggs are stiff enough to hold up in peaks, but not dry. Fold in sugar carefully, two tablespoons at a time, until all is used. Fold in flavoring. Then sift small amount of flour over mixture and fold in carefully; continue until all is used. Pour batter into ungreased angel food pan. Sprinkle with coconut. Bake in slow oven at least one hour. Begin at 275 degrees F., and after 30 minutes increase heat slightly (325 D.), and bake 30 minutes. Invert pan one hour.

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Trade In Far East Held Important

Sir Herbert Marler Says Japanese Business is Vital

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Japan's enormous industrial expansion had particular meaning to Canada which has a large export trade to the Far East, Sir Herbert said, pointing out Canadian raw materials and semi-finished goods supplied base for finished Japanese products.

Sir Herbert stated Canadian trade with Japan had been badly balanced in 1929, but "now we have far more diversified and larger exports to that country than ever."

The idea that Japan was so far east it could have only little affect on Canadian business conditions was erroneous, the minister said. He explained: "Japanese buy asbestos and aluminum from Quebec; nickel from Ontario; wheat from the Prairies, and lumber from British Columbia.

'We are even affected by a famine in China or a great depreciation of currency there. For then the Japanese cannot sell the manufactured goods in China and cannot buy from us," he concluded.

Let Me Have Men About Me That Are Fat—In Japan

TOKIO.—The majority of pupils at a "school for brides' 'declared themselves in favor of stout men as husbands.

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