Andy HARDY MEETS DEBUTANTE

Adapted from the Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer Picture

By

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SYNOPSIS:

Andy Hardy is secretly in love with Daphne Fowler, New York society's top glamour girl. He knows her only from magazine photos which he collects in a scrapbook. But Polly Benedict, with whom he has quarreled, finds out about his infatuation and scornfully tells him off. Then, unexpectedly, Judge Hardy announces he is taking the whole family to New York because of a court fight over the Carvel Orphanage Trust Fund. Now Andy must make good his boast that he knows Daphne and bring back a picture of himself with her, or Polly will make him the laughing stock of Carvel.....In New York he finds little Betsy Booth, who had once visited in Carvel. She has rented an apartment for the Hardys.

CHAPTER FIVE

Betsy was really a stroke of luck. She took Andy's mind off things by showing him all the sights, such as Rockefeller Centre and the Statue of Liberty and even the penthouse where she lived.

It gave him a little cheer but not much. Always he would come back to the desperate problem of Daphne. It was him against the City of New York and one of them was gonna be ruined in the struggle. But there was one especially good thing about Betsy. All day long she'd drive around with him in her chauffeured car and let him tell her his troubles. Of course he never said exactly what they were and didn't even breath Daphne's name, He simply told her that there was a tragedy in his life so big he couldn't really mention what it was.

But a few days later Andy had an idea and he immediately went to his mother about it, first, however, getting her promise that she wouldn't ever betray him to her husband.

LETTER TO DAPHNE

"My husband? Why my husband's your father." She looked at him blankly. Then "Oh, I see what you mean." She smiled. "No Andrew."

Reassured, he went on. What he'd like to do would be to write one of those nice etiquette letters to someone, the kind you delivered in person. And he'd like her to help him so it would be just right.

Followed an hour of thumbing through Emily Post and finally the epistle emerged in all its beauty.

"Miss Daphne Fowler — Dear Madame: Permit me to present myself, Mr. Andrew Hardy, a gentleman whose polished manners and irreproachable character embolden me to request for myself the honor of an acquaintance. Do me the great pleasure please, to accept my compliments. Most respectfully, your obedient friend and servant, Mr. Andrew Hardy."

He looked up and grinned. "Hot dog! Now that's what I call a letter."

All he had to do now was to deliver it and that was easy because Daphne's address had been in this month's copy of the "Topics". Betsy of course wasn't in on it. She was just supposed to wait for him a couple of blocks away in the car until he came back from his secret mission.

The butler at the Fowler residence was quite pleasant when Andy showed him his letter. He ushered him to a seat and told him to wait for Mrs. Hackett, Daphne's secretary.

HIS GODDESS IN PERSON

"Secretary?" Andy echoed disappointedly. Heck, he didn't want to see her. And then suddenly he heard voices coming from just above the curved stairway.

"We want twelve photos Miss Fowler," a man was saying. "Stand a little more to the side please."

Andy took a deep breath. His goddess was actually up there. All he had to do was walk up those stairs to see her. Like one in a dream he began to ascend and suddenly, there she was. She was standing on a dais in the center of a large room and she was all foamy and beautiful in a white dress. Andy thought he'd faint just at the sight of her.

His knees were trembling as he walked forward fresh the letter. "Miss—Miss Fowler," the crooked, "here's something—has to be delivered by hand."

Daphne and her mother stared at him bewilderedly.

Then suddenly a big husky bodyguard strode forward and caught him by the collar. "None o' that, young fellow." He hastily whirled Andy to the door.

(To Be Continued)

Keeping A Man's Suits In Shape

With A Minimum of Time And Expense Is The Objective of Every Housewife

This is a First Aid to Shabby Suits — and if you start the treatment in their days of prime the newness they never will look shabby! Make your husband buy a good suit in the beginning and don't let him wear it for more than three days running. Snatch it away from him and give it a good brushing, in the open air if possible. Leave it to have a good airing — not in the direct sunshine — and then go over it carefully for any spots, not forgetting those slightly greasy parts at the neck of the jacket and at the cuffs.

Not a inflammable cleaning fluid applied with a clean rag is good and this little job is best done out of doors. Give the suit another good brushing and don't forget the trouser turn-ups.

PRESSING TROUSERS

About once a fortnight restore the knife-like crease in the trousers by pressing carefully with a hot iron over a damp cloth. Pockets soon get shabby and there's something very poverty-stricken about a pocket with a hole in it. Make a supply of new ones from unbleached calico and replace the old ones when they get worn or grubby. Frayed trouser ends can be made as good as new by stitching a length of matching tape over the frayed part and then re-pressing the trouser turn-up a fraction lower than its original length.

MAKE NEW POCKETS

Lay in a store of black and brown tailor's thread for sewing on buttons — ordinary cotton never lasts. Buttons that have to last must be put on with a "stalk," those that are for show only, as on cuffs, are put on flat. When his cigarette burns a hole in his best suit, don't despair. Quite satisfactory home-made invisible mending can be achieved if you cut a patch about ¼ in. bigger all round than the hole, from surplus material from the seams. Match the weave and pattern as closely as possible, then smear the edges of the patch and the white of an egg. Lay it over the hole on the wrong side of the suit and press with a hot iron. Yes, it does stick, and lasts for ages!

Find Women Longer-Lived

Average Age For Death Is 65, With 61 For Men

The study of longevity reveals some queer facts. Women in the United States live on an average about four years longer than men. The average longevity of the men is now about 61 years, of women about 65.

When you are born in the United States your expectation of life is 60.8 years. If you manage to live one year of age, this rises to 63 years. The first year of life is the most dangerous — except, as some will correct it, the last year. But at the end of one year, you have the longest prospect of years of life. When you reach 16, you have only 50 years to look forward to; when you are 45 only a have quarter-century.

SEVERAL YEARS GAINED

We have gained several years since the dawn of the century. In 1901, an American woman had an average length of life of 51 years (compared to the present 65) and the American male an average of about 49 years (compared to his present 61).

SEASONAL VARIATIONS

Seasonal variations in the death rate are interesting. The largest number of deaths at all ages occurs in February, the lowest in September. This is easy to understand because the death rate from pneumonia, respiratory infections, and exposure comes in December, January, February and March. Old people die in the winter, babies in the summer. In other days, the death rate in July and August would have been nearly as high as in February — from infantile dysentry — but clean milk and other things have reduced that.

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Basic Hat Types Are Only Seven

The Best Designer Can't Do More Than Make Variations on Fundamental Themes

Who says women's hats are crazy? Eve Tantar, analytical hat designer, has figured out that just as there are only seven basic story plots, so there are only seven basic plots for hats. The most talented designer in the world can do no more than play variations on the seven themes, she contends. The seven are corn, toque, turban, beret, pillbox, brim and calot.

One New York designer this fall shows a true tricorn in a black diamond velour. It depends for variety on grosgrain bunting and a new-looking masque veil attached to the hat.

VARIATIONS ON TOQUE, TURBAN

A variation of the toque is a sheared beaver. It has cleverly the toque dip over the forehead, but takes on calot traits with a jersey back-of-the-head cap. A towering toque effect is achieved with a feather.

On one turban the designer piles the drapery high, toque fashion, and, as a revolutionary touch, he makes it cover one ear, reveal the other. It is in abinth green jersey.

A beret is shown pulled into very sort of shape by whimical hat designers. The model is a black felt beret, pulled sidewise with a red velvet band, and fastened on with a gold clip.

The pillbox often appears unadorned, in classic form, but it may take on new glamour with a tiny braid-trimmed brim, a cluster of mink tails swooping down from the crown.

TWO CLASSICS IN ONE

Then there's the hat with brim — but what a brim. One designer rings a change on this fundamental hat form by encircling the wide brim with a band of mink. The crown covers toque-fashion, giving you two classics in one.

One design shown here might be either calot or toque. The designer says it's both, and typical of this season's pompador hats. It combines a baby cap calot with the traditional black Persian mink Cossack hat (a version of the toque).

United, Women Could Solve All Problems

Warning of Softness of Modern Life, Director of Women's Activities at the C. N. E. Challenges Canadian Women to Get Together And Work to Build Up Democracy

An interesting feature at the annual convention in Hamilton of the Hamilton area Women's Institutes was an address by Mrs. H. M. Aitken, director, women's activities, C.N.E., on "The Challenge of Life." The inner threat today was feminine softness, she averred. Women spend 90 per cent of the money, control 55 per cent of the wealth, decide choice of furnishings, church, and guide the manners and morale in homes. She thought the world was "woman dominated" today. Forty years ago stockings were advertised as "strong and durable" but not so the gossamer flimsies of today.

GREAT POWER IN THEIR HANDS

She questioned what women were going to do with all the power they held in their hands. Referring to her pioneer grandmother's life in a log cabin in the bush in Ontario, she said that there was no pioneering here today. Opposing forces of building up and destruction were in operation in the world today, and problems of the church, relief and education must be met. One Northern Ontario community of ten isolated families were solving their problems, she said, and assisting in war efforts.

There was no problem which women could not solve by putting their shoulders to the wheel, she said.

Quick Pick-up For Tired Hair

An Unexpected Invitation Often Makes Hurried "Set" Necessary

Last-minute invitations often make necessary some hasty beauty repair work. It is a wise girl who keeps handy a few simple items with which to transform herself quickly from an ugly duckling into a graceful swan — or at least: a presentable dancing partner.

FROM DUCKLING TO SWAN

If your hair gets oily quickly after a shampoo, you should by all means keep a container of absorbent cotton in your dressing table. Put it between the teeth in the coarse end of your comb or into the bristles of a clean hairbrush, then comb or brush until much of the oil is absorbed by the cotton.

Now dampen, straggling ends slightly, pin them up and leave them up until you are dressed and ready to leave your room. Be sure to keep a supply of little curlers or at least some hair pins where you can find them at a moment's notice.

TABLE TALKS

By SADIE B. CHAMBERS

"His Party Overseas"

This party must be planned with exceptional wisdom and care. The guest of honor of course will be "Your" soldier overseas. The place, —somewhere in England or may be in Iceland or maybe in British Columbia. And the time of the party will have to be immediately upon arrival.

Begin preparations for this box at your local post office. Get the printed rules; you will readily learn the advantages of following them very closely. In packing your box sentiment will have to be subdued somewhat and common sense followed as your guide.

Some of "his" favorite goodies will neither carry well nor keep. Do not enclose such things as soap, toothpaste and pomades with eatables no matter how well rolled and packed. The box may be packed for days in a very cold place or in a very warm one. A blending of favours may become very unpleasant tastes. Cellophane, wax paper are all boons and everything should be well wrapped. If your box for parking is not tin, procure the strongest cardboard box made for the purpose. Wrap in strong cotton or sheeting rather than paper, sew up with strong twine and a darning needle. Lastly the plain printed address. Anything knitted always make a fine pad between layers. What to send,—? Shortbread and fruit cake have always been favorites and of course fudge. Fruit cake should always have the best of fruits — they keep moist and are preservatives. —do not use applesauce in your cake, it will mould. Corn syrup helps a cake to be moist and also should be used in fudge for mailing.

"YOUR OVERSEAS FRUIT CAKE"

If made in coffee tins it will be ready for mailing. Be sure and grease well and use plenty of waxed paper.

½ lb. pitted dates
½ lb. table figs
¾ lb. seeded raisins
¼ lb. Sultana raisins
1 lb. currants
1 lb. chopped citron peel
½ lb. chopped candied pineapple
½ lb. chopped candied cherries
¼ lb. halved blanched almonds
¼ lb. halved Brazils
4 cups sifted pastry flour
1 teaspoon baking powder
½ teaspoon baking soda
1 teaspoon salt
2 teaspoons cinnamon
2/3 teaspoon mace
1/2 teaspoon allspice
Ginger and nutmeg
1 lb. butter
1 lb. brown sugar
9 eggs
1/3 cup grape jelly

Method:

Prepare all fruits and combine peels, pineapple and nuts.

Measure flour and sift 2 times with baking powder, baking soda and salt and spices.

Cream butter and blend in sugar. Beat eggs well and add to sugar and butter, beating together well. Now add fruits and nuts, then add dry ingredients and lastly add the jelly. Grease pans with 2 layers of paper. Bake about 3 hours in slow oven 275. This make 2 square (8") or 4 pound coffee tins.

SHORTBREAD

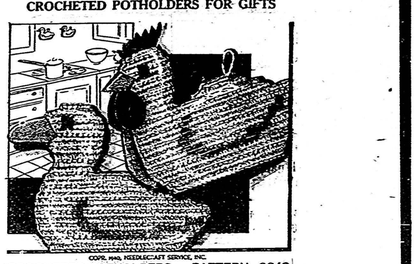
½ lb. butter
2/3 cup brown sugar
2 cups sifted flour
Candied cherries
Nutmeats

Have butter soft and cream until fluffy—gradually add sugar, then flour sifted with salt. Turn out on board and knead in flour until cracks appear on surface. Put into a thick layer in ungreased pan—flute edges, prick with fork, decorate with nuts and fruits. Bake in slow oven.

New Matron Goes Overseas

Dorothy Macklae, of Gouin, Que., has been appointed matron of the No. 1 Canadian General hospital, C.A.S.F., in England. She will leave Canada in the near future to assume her new duties.

LAURA WHEELER DESIGNS PRACTICAL CROCHETED POTHOLDERS FOR GIFTS



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One-piece Shoe Is Unique Model

A revolutionary new shoe for women, with the sole and the upper molded from one piece of leather, is being shown in New York.

Jodel, the designer, says his shoe is based on the theory that since a foot is a continuous series of curves, it should be made in one in softly curved leather, rather than in a shoe with a stiff sole tacked on the bottom.

The new design is rain-resistant — there's no seam for water to seep through. Three steps in the soft-soled shoe's evolution are exhibited in the shops.

Miss Chambers welcomes personal letters from interested readers. She is pleased to receive suggestions on topics for her column, and is even ready to listen to your "pet peeves." Requests for recipes or special menus are in order. Address your letters to "Miss Sadie B. Chambers, 73 West Adelaide Street, Toronto." Send stamped, self-addressed envelope if you wish a reply.

Try Schedule For Grooming

Easier to Keep Looking Well If Routine Is Followed

It takes less time to keep well groomed if we follow a schedule writes Donna Grace, beauty editor. One manicure a week will do, provided we do the nail scrubbing every morning and use the emery board for removing any rough edges, then a quick going over with the orange-wood stick, followed by hand lotion. This takes only a few moments.

WEEK-END FOR THE EXTRAS

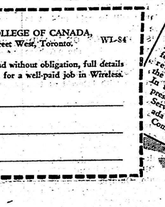
There should be a day for the visit to the hairdresser. Make this a regular date if possible as it will prevent waste of time. The morning hours are best.

Those who go to beauty salons for just the hair and manicure may do their facials and grooming at night or take a week-end whenever possible for the extras. Just avoid invitations and give the time to improving your looks and you will surprise your friends with your smartness.

"Laughter may help check the bad behaviour in the world."

—Charles Chaplin.

New British Cruiser



A new cruiser, unnamed, is launched in same undisclosed port in England to increase the fitting power of the British navy.

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Food Costs Rise High In Balkans

War, Late Spring, Poor Crops, Shortage of Farm Labor Are Chiefly Responsible, Associated Press Finds — Rumania Suffers Worst

Trade experts questioned in a survey by The Associated Press last week attributed economic difficulties in the Balkan area to the war, a late spring, flood-damaged crops and repeated army mobilizations which took labor from the fields.

Rumania has experienced the most drastic changes in living standards.

Rumania lost large stocks of wheat, sugar and vegetable oils when Russia took over Bessarabia and Northern Bukovina.

FOOD SHORTAGES

Premier Ion Antonescu is trying to import sulfons from Turkey. This food, a staple in the diet of the average Rumanian, has increased 700 per cent in price.

Food shortages have forced every Southeastern European nation to make stringent price regulations.

Thousands of profiteers and hoarders have been fined, imprisoned or assigned to forced labor. YUGOSLAVIA 79 P.C. INCREASE

Despite efforts to control prices, Yugoslavia has had a 79 per cent increase in living costs over August, 1939, semi-official sources disclosed.

Approximately the same increase was estimated in Rumania; Bulgarian authorities said prices had jumped 65 per cent in their country; Greek sources reported a 40-per cent increase; Hungary's increase was at least 20 per cent.

Plans Post-War Road-Building As Job Provider

Ontario Minister of Highways Suggests Program to Remploy Demobilized Men After the War

Highway construction as a means of employing men demobilized at the end of the war was suggested by Hon. T. B. McQuesten, Ontario Minister of Highways, before the convention in Quebec City of the Canadian Good Roads Association.

Addressing more than 400 delegates at the 25th annual convention, Mr. McQuesten, Good Roads President, suggested that the association set up a committee to discuss the question with Provincial Highway Departments and to perfect a program.

As the basis for such a program, he proposed that joint contributions be made by the Dominion government and each Provincial government to the total cost of the program, to cover a fixed period of years necessary to provide for completed highways.

The provincial contributions should include monies from municipalities toward construction and maintenance of such types of roads as suited their needs. The project, said Mr. McQuesten, should be regarded as a national one and a common method of construction should be used.

He suggested an expenditure of $120,000,000 a year for three years at least was a reasonable and practicable method of providing a safeguard against the rigors of demobilization.

The money should be spent on the basis of letting all work by contract and requiring the use of labor-saving machinery.

SHOULD BE PREPARED

Envisaging the program as giving work to 150,000 men a year, Mr. McQuesten said, "I know of no other employment which offers as wide a scope in the variety of the services required of the employees."

Mr. McQuesten told the delegates: "The element of uncertainty which may bring a speedy end to the war is great, and for that reason we should be prepared at the earliest possible date for any eventuality."

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

LESSON VII

JESUS' CONCERN FOR LIFE AND HEALTH.—Luke 7.

PRINTED TEXT, Luke 7: 2-15.

GOLDEN TEXT.—I came that they may have life, and may have it abundantly. John 10: 10.

THE LESSON IN ITS SETTING

Time.—Summer of A.D. 28.

Place.—The healing of the centurion's servant took place in Capernaum; the widow's son was raised at Nain; John was in prison near the shores of the Dead Sea, though Christ's discourse about John the Baptist, and the events which immediately followed, are to be located somewhere in Galilee.

In this lesson we should discover one of the great fundamental characteristics of the earthly ministry of the Lord Jesus on earth—living for others. Here we have the Lord bringing blessing to the home of a centurion, to a humble servant, to a widow who had lost her son, exercising tenderness toward the one who had baptized Christ and first proclaimed him the Savior, having infinite patience on an unchaste woman who was despised by all those of the community, and then showing infinite patience with his own slow-to-understand disciples.

Two Revelations

Luke 7: 2. And a certain centurion's servant, who was dear unto him, was sick and at the point of death.

3. And when he heard concerning Jesus, he sent unto him elders of the Jews, asking him that he would come and save his servant.

4. And they, when they came to Jesus, besought him earnestly, saying, He is worthy that thou shouldest do this for him;

5. For he loveth our nation, and himself built us our synagogue.

In Matthew's account we are told that the particular disease with which his servant was grievously suffering was palsy, which may be perhaps likened to what is call rheumatic fever.

The Worthy Centurion

6. And Jesus went with them. And when he was now not far from the house, the centurion sent friends to him, saying unto him, Lord, trouble not thyself: for I am not worthy that thou shouldest come under my roof:

7. Wherefore neither thought I myself worthy to come unto thee: but say the word, and my servant shall be healed.

8. For I also am a man set under authority, having under myself soldiers: and I say to this one, Go, and he goeth; and to another, Come, and he cometh; and to my servant, Do this, and he doeth it.

"Just as I am," said the centurion, "under authority and in authority, so do those under authority and in authority. I am not sufficient," he said, "to entertain thee" and yet he knew that Jesus was a Galilean, a peasant. Want a vision the centurion had of the glories of Christ! He recognized that with the authority of God, Jesus was completely in authority over all the things of life.

Such Great Faith

9. And when Jesus heard these things, he marvelled at him, and turned and said unto the multitude that followed him, I say unto you, I have not found so great faith, no, not in Israel.

10. And they that were sent, returning to the house, found the servant whole.

The faith of this man delighted the heart of the Son of man with its rare joy. He pointed it out to the crowd. He dwelt upon it. He compared it with such faith as he had already met with, and he gave it the palm. Then without a word more about the disease of the boy, without a step nearer the house, the case was done. Almost all who came to Jesus for cures thought it needful to bring the sufferer into his presence, or to have Christ come and stand over the bed and touch and speak and heal. This man's faith rose at one bound above all these restrictions.

Raised From the Dead

11. And it came to pass soon afterwards, that he went to a city called Nain; and his disciples went with him, and a great multitude.

In this first year of his ministry, before the deadly opposition to him had gathered head, while as yet the Pharisees and leaders had not come to an open rupture with him, and he had not sifted his followers by "hard sayings," our Lord was usually accompanied by adoring crowds 17. Now when he drew near to the gate of the city, behold, there was carried out one that was dead, the only son of his mother, and she was a widow: and much people of the city was with her. 13. And when the Lord saw her, he had compassion on her, and said unto her, Weep not.

Christ's Compassion

There are two features of the compassion of Christ that stand out very clearly in this story. First it was in individual compassion. It singled out the woman from the throng. It dealt with her as an individual personality. The other feature of our Lord's compassion is this: immediately it went forth in action. 14. And he came nigh and touched the bier: and the bearers stood still. And he said, Young man, I say unto thee, Arise. Three times our Lord raised people from the dead, and every time he did it in exactly the same way, talking to the dead as if they could hear him. 15. And he that was dead sat up, and began to speak. And he gave him to his mother.

Whenever our Lord performed a miracle, or in any particular way manifested his compassion for those in sorrow and need and his power over disease and death and demons, the common people at once glorified God for what they had seen and heard.

Two of Them Survived 70-Day Atlantic Ordeal

Emaciated and 20 pounds lighter, George Tapscott, British seaman from the freighter Anglo Saxon, is shown going ashore at Nassau after spending 70 days bobbing about the south Atlantic in an open boat with his companion, Wilbert Widdicombe. The Anglo Saxon was sunk by a German raider off the Azores. Widdicombe and Tapscott endured the torment of heat and thirst for more than two months before they were rescued. They are now in a Nassau hospital.

Canada Has More Wild Ducks, Geese

Marked Improvement Seen In Waterfowl Situation — Hunters Should Experience Good Sport This Autumn

Duck hunters in Eastern Canada will experience good sport this autumn, according to the field staff of the Federal Department of Mines and Resources, which reports that increased numbers of wild ducks and geese may be expected during their southward migration to winter quarters.

Along the lower St. Lawrence and in the James Bay region, black ducks and pintail ducks, two of the species favored by the duck hunters, are reported to be more abundant than for many years past. Green-winged teal also show an increase in numbers. The proportion of young geese already observed indicates that the wide-ranging Canada goose and the more local snow goose and brant goose evidently had excellent nesting seasons this year. When cold and storms force the lingering northern flocks of these birds to southern areas of concentration, an encouraging increase over last year may be anticipated.

INCREASE OVER LAST YEAR

This marked improvement in the waterfowl situation is attributed in part to favourable weather conditions during the nesting season. Other contributing factors have been the setting up and general observance of adequate hunting regulations and the establishment of waterfowl sanctuaries in both Canada and the United States, which have reduced the losses sustained by waterfowl during the open seasons in recent years.

RADIO REPORTER

By DAVE ROBBINS

(All Canadian radio stations operate on daylight time)

PATRIOTIC MUSIC

Patriotic programs are the vogue these days, and one of the best on the air is being presented from CKOC each Sunday evening at 6.15, when the British Band concert is presented. The massed bands of His Majesty's Guards are heard in stirring British army marches in this feature — while Peter Dawson, Australian baritone, is also heard in well-known marching songs. Colonel Bogey, There'll Always Be An England, The British Grenadiers and other tunes heard in the streets of the British Empire three days are featured in this program by the best bands of the Empire played in a way that will stir the hearts of all Britishers.

Tune in on this unusual half-hour program next Sunday evening at 6.15 from CKOC — you will be proud of it!

CANADIAN RADIO DRAMA

The development of Canadian radio has been a boon to the literati of Canada.

This is particularly evident in the field of the drama, both for playwrights and actors. Until the last two or three years, there was little chance for the development of this country's budding dramatists, who were confined to two mediums — the professional theatre of London and New York, highly competitive and hard to "crash," and the Little Theatre, more or less limited in scope.

With radio in Canada on a national basis, however, there are huge audiences for all types of drama as well as a means of reaching them. CBC's Drama department has presented hundreds of plays, the majority of which have been written and performed by Canadians for Canadian consumption. Commenting on the radio sketch as a Canadian art form, Saturday Night, of Toronto, says of the plays already produced: "A few of these have been brilliantly good; more will be brilliantly good in the future, as Canadian writers learn the trick of a new and very special trade; the majority have been satisfactory and workable entertainment, thanks in part to the skill of the CBC producers in imparting the required technical finish."

A nice pat on the back for CBC's Canadian Theatre of the Air — heard over the Canadian chain on Friday nights at 10.30 (daylight time.)

AROUND THE DIAL

For restful dance music you can't do better than dial in Abe Lyman's waltz-time program, on the NBC-red network Friday nights at nine (standard).

Lyman's band has a distinctive style — and on this show the orchestra uses Frank Munn, the capable tenor as soloist — as well as a choral group.

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The Cat's 'n' Jammers — a smart show on the Mutual chain — can now be heard on Tuesday nights at 9.15 (Daylight Time) from CKLW. This is a sure fire program for the swing kids.

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"Scoops" Daly reports in the Radio Daily that there will be a big shake-up in the Music Hall show when Bing Crosby returns on November 14. For one thing Connie Boswell has been signed as co-singing star with Bing — which will certainly give this program an extra lift!

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And if you've missed them lately you're overlooking the best pair of comics on the air — Amos and Andy — who do their nightly stint at eight (daylight time) each evening from CFRB.

Farm Notes . . .

Store Vegetables On Floor Of Sand

Heavy metal or stone containers help keep roots fresh, states George Rush, Ont. Vegetable Specialist

Vegetables for winter use are best stored on a sand floor at a temperature above freezing, advises George Rush, Vegetable specialist of the Ont. Dept. of Agriculture, Toronto.

However, this is difficult where furnaces are used as the temperature is much higher and the air dry. If a portion of the basement could be shut off, roots could then be kept in good condition.

Heavy metal or stone containers are excellent for keeping roots fresh, states Mr. Rush, and these containers have given excellent results where used.

Roots may be placed in a heap in the garden and covered with two inches of earth. They may be kept this way until the temperature reaches 20 degrees of frost before being removed to the cellar for winter.

Mr. Rush says the home garden should be cleaned up immediately and all rubbish and diseased plants destroyed by burning, as only fire really destroys these diseases. Digging refuse in will bring trouble next season as disease will carry over in the soil, he warns.

Example Still Best Teacher

Wise Parent Acts as Model For Child's Good Manners

Example is still the world's greatest teacher writes Alice Denhoff, psychologist. That is a truism that the wise parent recognizes when it comes to child training. Every mother wants her child to be polite, but unfortunately every mother practises what she preaches to her child. The best way to inculate true politeness, the kind that comes from the heart, is to display it on all occasions. Then it will become second nature to the observing child.

LESS FREE EXPRESSION

There seems to be a swing away from the idea of allowing a young child all the freedom in the world and permitting it to express itself in all matters in its own way. After all, what's the use of allowing a child to do something that he or she won't be permitted to, once childhood days are over? It's a pretty sad awakening to find that one has to conform after all, and that because one's parents permitted all the self-expression in the world, no one cares a hoot. The youngster who learns by example, who is permitted self-expression only so far as it makes for self-reliance, isn't going to have a rude awakening when he goes out into the world.

CHILD AN EQUAL

The wise mother treats her child as an equal. When it is feasible to do so she consults sister or junior and asks for their advice or their judgment should circumstances warrant it.

A child likes to know the whyfore and wherefore of things, and it's a wise mother who recognizes this. She knows that even if explanations are sometimes tedious or even difficult, in the long run it will make things easier.

Careless Camper Biggest Menace

To Canada's Forests — 20 Per Cent of Our Forest Fires Are Due to Neglected Campfires — Smokers Account for Another 15 Per Cent

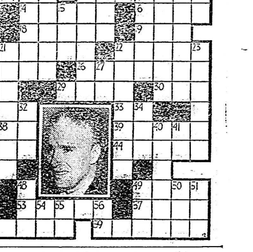
Canada has made marked progress in the last twenty years in forest fire research, and modern methods of prevention and detection together with effective fire-fighting equipment now prevent many forest fires from reaching destructive proportions. Statistics show there has been a general trend increase of about ten per cent in the annual number of fires, but they also show that over this period the size of the average fire has been reduced by one-half. Increased travel to forested regions in recent years, made possible by motor cars, has been largely responsible for the greater number of fires, and the reduction in the size of the fires has been brought about by the steadily increasing efficiency of the protective agencies.

INCREASED TRAVEL PARTLY RESPONSIBLE

With forest protection authorities now operating on greatly reduced budgets, their efforts have to be largely restricted to the safeguarding of property and valuable timber stands, and any improvement in the general situation must depend in large measure on the co-operation of the general public in preventing forest fires. Records show that human agencies are responsible for about 83 per cent of the fires. Neglected campfires cause about 20 per cent of forest fires, careless smoking 15 per cent, settlers' clearing fires getting out of control 17 per cent, and incendiary fires amount to about 9 per cent. Lightning causes about 15 per cent of Canada's forest fires.

THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson

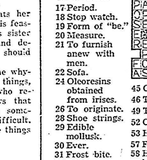


HIGH speed motion picture cameras show that a cat can right itself in less than two feet of drop. First the front feet make the turn, and then the hind feet, with the tail acting as a balancing pole.

NEXT: Has the south magnetic pole of the earth ever been reached?

SHADOW STAR

Answer to Previous Puzzle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