

Fire Last Week Badly Damaged Marshall Home

Flames Spread Quickly Through House And Loss is a Heavy One

When the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Marshall, Browning Street, caught fire on Thursday forenoon last, both the building and contents were badly damaged before the flames were subdued by the firemen, which were hastily summoned by neighbors. The fire apparently started from the kitchen stove or pipes, while Mrs. Marshall, who was alone in the house at the time, was in the basement. Her first intimation that anything was amiss was when she heard the fire alarm and came up to see where the fire was, only to find that it was her own home that was burning.

The firemen had a stiff fight to over come the flames, which had gained considerable headway and had spread to almost every room in the house. Neighbors state that when the front door was opened by Mrs. Marshall a sheet of flame burst forth and for a time it appeared as though the building was doomed. Good work on the part of the brigade, however, saved the house from total destruction and, although the household goods were badly damaged, some of them can be repaired.

Mr. Marshall, who came up from Ottawa following news of the fire, said that the damage to the building would be at least \$1,000 and that there had also been damage of several hundred dollars to the contents. Both were covered by insurance.

Mr. Marshall also told The Haileyburian that he and Mrs. Marshall deeply appreciated the many offers of help received from sympathetic neighbors and friends, in extending a welcome to their homes until such time as they could make other arrangements. It was possible for the family to stay in the damaged house, but they received plenty of invitations from friends and there were a great many offers of help extended to them, for all of which they feel deeply grateful.

MISSIONARY SOCIETY OF DISTRICT TO MEET HERE THURSDAY NEXT

The Women's Missionary Society of Temiskaming Presbyterial of the United Church will hold its annual meeting in Haileybury on Thursday next, May 7th. Representatives will be present from all points in the district and both afternoon and evening sessions will be held. The election of officers for the coming year, receiving of the reports for the past year and other business will come before the meeting.

At the evening session the special speaker will be Miss Clark, a missionary from Africa. Added interest will be taken in her address, as she is quite well acquainted with Miss Annie Bradley, a well known Haileybury girl who has for some years past been doing missionary work in Africa. Miss Bradley and Miss Clark met while engaged in the work in that part of the world. An organ solo by Mr. R. H. Unwin will be a feature of the evening meeting. The Society will convene at 2 p.m. for the afternoon session and the evening meeting will open at 7.30.

Flaky Pie Crust

The secret of making good pie crust is: "Use Purity Flour—and keep the dough dry!" Try this recipe—for 2 shells:

3 cups Purity Flour 1 cup lard
1/2 teaspoon salt 1 cup cold water.

METHOD: Mix the flour and salt, cutting in half the shortening until the mixture is like fine meal, gradually adding exact quantity of water but not a drop more. Use less water, if you can, and the pie crust will be even flakier.

Turn out on board very lightly sprinkled with Purity Flour, roll about 1/4-inch thick. Spread balance of shortening over dough, fold over three times and roll again to required thickness. Bake in hot oven (450°).



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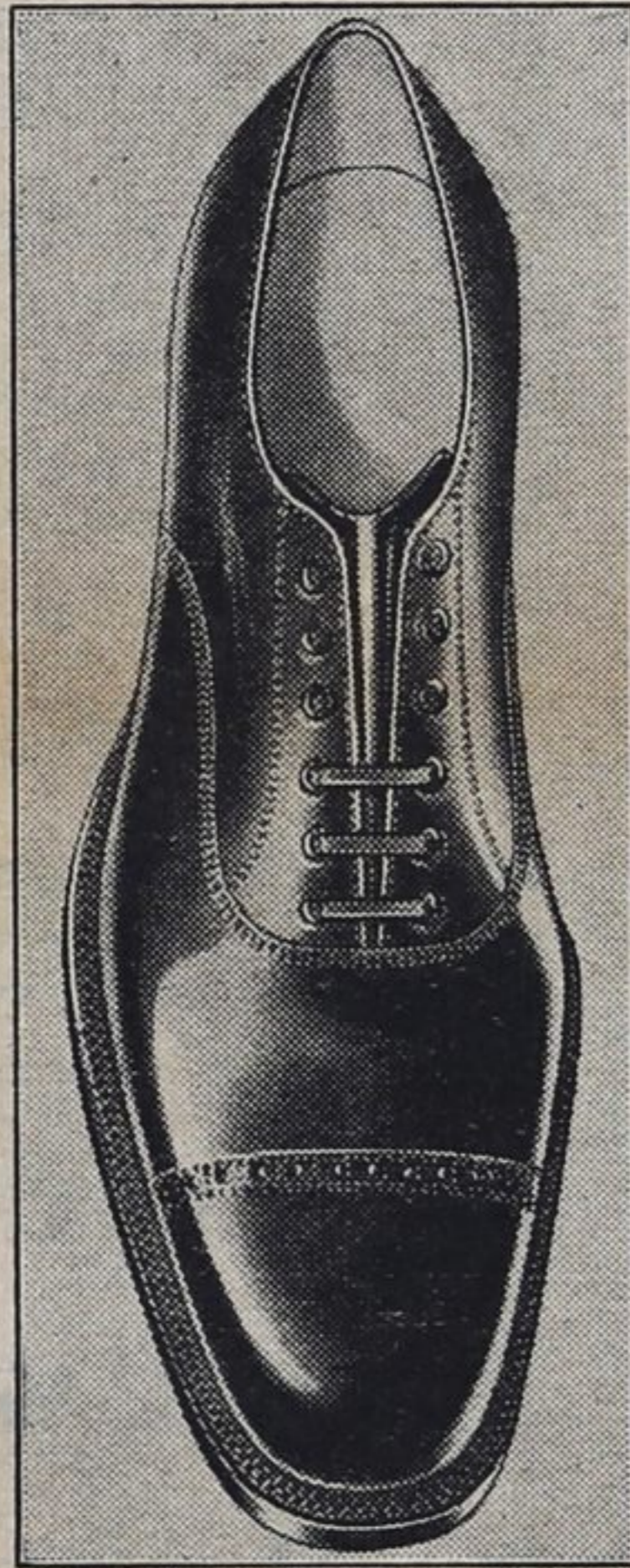
St. Louis, 7; Pittsburg, 1.
Chicago, 3; Cincinnati, 1.
Boston-Philadelphia—rain.
Brooklyn-New York—rain.

Wes. Ferrell, sensational right handed pitcher for the Cleveland Indians of the American League, pitched himself into the hall of baseball fame yesterday afternoon, when he held the St. Louis Browns to no hits and no runs in a nine-inning game, which the Clevelanders took 9-0. Ferrell also hit a home run with a man on base. This was the first perfect pitching performance of the 1931



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TRAIL RANGER AND TUXIS DOINGS



The boys of the Coureurs de Bois here have accepted the challenge of the New Liskeard King's Couriers and they are all training hard for the different events. The challenge was extended to the boys of the Canuck's Tuxis Square, Haileybury, but it is not known whether they have accepted or not.

The meetings of the Tuxis and Trail Ranger groups here will be

held outside in the open air in the near future. This should have started sooner, but the weather has been disappointing and it is not quite mild enough yet.

The boys of the three towns have been talking quite a lot of softball lately and it is hoped to have a league formed and games started as soon as weather permits.

All boys of 15 and over who are interested in Tuxis work should see Rev. D. MacKeracher about joining the new Canucks' Square. The group has only a few boys as yet and we would like to see quite a crowd attend the meetings.

Cold Weather, Rain and Snow Have Featured the Past Week

The cold weather, rain and snow that have been experienced during the past week have rather badly delayed the spring operations and, after the beautiful warm spell earlier in the month, have been particularly disagreeable. After commencing to break up, and with a considerable portion of the lake here clear of ice, there is still a jam lower down and a large field could be seen this morning below Farr's Island. A strong north wind on Tuesday

night cleared the upper end of the lake, but until there is a channel open below it cannot be said to be open and it looks as though the results of The Haileyburian guessing contest would not be announced until next week. Harry Holland left on Wednesday for the North on a summer-long prospecting trip. He was accompanied by Herb. Hantski.

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