

FRIENDSHIP

It's a tiny trickle of water That escapes from the well of the heart...

MEN OF MAGNIFICENT PREJUDICES

The success of motion picture versions of literary classics arouses some wonder that there are not more of them...

BRITAIN HELPS TO MAKE SEAS SAFE AGAIN

The vast minesweeping operation which is making the oceans safe again for world shipping is now nearing completion...

HOW WE KEEP COOL

Being a warm-blooded creature, man maintains his body temperature at an almost constant level...

Walkerton Takes First Game in O.B.A. Playdowns

4-1 Victory for the Visitors as Team Play First Game in Acton Park on Saturday Afternoon

Behind a southpaw hurler, name of Zuber, who came through with a six hit effort, Walkerton won the first game of the Ontario Baseball Association playdowns...

It is his opinion is correct, there may be at least two reasons to account for it. One is that the quill pen, or even a steel nib, is better suited to the production of literature than the typewriter...

Shakespeare, Dickens, Thackeray and the rest were men of magnificent prejudices and they had no shyness about expressing them in their writing...

Perhaps, when Hollywood and its writers get over their unreasoning nervousness about who may take offense at what, we'll get modern works for the screen as good as the classics...

NEW SUPPORT FOR MARGARINE

New support for the pro-margarine forces has arisen from the negotiations with Newfoundland on the subject of confederation...

Recent bad weather, particularly in Ontario and Quebec might cut feed grain and hay crops, with a resultant decrease in butter production...

The top half of the eighth was disastrous. Two runs tumbled over the plate as three safeties and a wild throw hit the score sheet...

Jack Kentner Jr. put Acton in the game again in the last half of the eighth as he bashed a double down the right field line...

Box score: Walkerton 100 100 020 4 6 3 Acton 000 000 010 1 9 1

Line-ups: Walkerton—Moos 3b; Caruso c; Cassidy ss; Craig 1b; McDonald rf; Bradley cf; Patts 2b; Thoms lf; Zuber p

WELCOME ON RETURN

It is a pleasant experience when one has been away from home on a vacation, to be greeted by friends and neighbors as he walks down the streets of his home town...

This is especially noticeable if people have been shut in by illness or accident. People express great pleasure at seeing them again, and sympathy for whatever discomfort or suffering they had to endure...

OAKVILLE

Three cases of polio have been reported in Oakville to date, but all very mild.

Total registration in the Oakville high school and the three public schools will total in excess of a thousand, and will be the highest on record.

Still another housing subdivision will be started on Oakville's west side shortly. It will be undertaken by Leonard Stansbury, of Oakville, and will be located to the west of Kerr Street...

Acton to provide warning signals for the heavily travelled Kerr Street C.N.R. crossing was taken by the town council at last Tuesday evening's meeting.

Oakville will have Canada's first pre-fabricated all-steel theatre of tomorrow. It is expected the structure will be finished in a few weeks.

Kentner and Zuber were the only triple A clubmen who showed some comprehension of his style.

It wasn't so much the lack of hits that cost the game for the triple A club, it was irregularity. On three occasions there were two men on base, one on second and the other on third, with one out. A single would have meant two runs but it wasn't forthcoming.

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FIDELITY

The world places a high value on fidelity. The people who try to perform every task faithfully to do the best job that it is possible to do...

There are some who are content to slight their work, to give as little as possible in return for what they get.

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By H. COLES

Reflections on the "Dude" "Wonder how I can get Pete mad," mused "Dude" Lindsay just before the battle last Saturday.

How did you ever let that first run in, Pete, didn't you see my signal? The Dude's even flustered and he continued, "Ah well. We'll make it up at our turn. Two men on that Masters is always lucky. Pitcher can't see him. Manages out—My turn at bat. I'll save the hero stuff for later; a single will do it."

Keep 'em coming, Pete, you're hot line. Throw that apple here. I'll call for that "gut" ball again. This guy falls for it every time. Wonder how he caught that on the battery. Lucky, I guess. Mmm, fourth inning and they're still one up. Look out Pete, he's going to — he did. Right in between his legs. I'll watch that guy the next time. Another run on them ticks. Ah, but we've got five innings yet to catch up.

Manages on base? Just watch me get on. I did it first that Saturday, threw four balls at me. Doesn't know what an eye I've got. Well, there's two of us on base and Kentner can't up. Same batter that kid. Been sorta showin' me up lately, he must be pretty close to .750. What a wallop! I'll start running. It looks like a triple anyway. Hey! what happened? Nobody here to greet me as I cross the plate? They didn't catch Kentner's drive did they? And me on base (disgustedly).

We've got to do some hustling. These guys are still two up and us with a goose egg. Can't figure how that second baseman got the last one. Lucky I guess. What another hit for them guys. — looks like Pete's had it. Two more hits and two more runs. We're in a mess. Big chance for my hero act, next time up. — pull the game out of the fire and all that. Get a line or two in the (Golf) Review. Nice goin' Pete you got that guy. Just put 'em where I put the target and you'll get 'em every time.

We got a run in that last inning. Kentner kid is stealing my act. I'll have a talk with him after the game. Wonder why they put Sum on? Pete was pullin' them down.

Just a change for Sam. I guess. That's the way them Sam three out and us with one more chance. Iron is hot I'll strike. Masters on bat again. — that glass arm southpaw can't see him yet. Two out and me up? Here's my big moment: the fans are expectin', quite a crowd too. One good smack at that ball and Walkerton will have had it. Got it on the wrong side of my bat and that fielder right in the way. Looks like we've lost.

Oh well. I'll be guidin' Ryder in on Wednesday—can't lose. What's that you say? No hits for me? Naw, wasn't feeling up to par. — er did you see me catch that guy on second?

Parts and Figures Oakville won the first series in Int. "B" competition by ousting Fort Erie in two straight games. They eked a win in the opener by 3-2 and made it emphatic in the second game with a 12-2 victory in the Erie home park.

Acton Park was packed for last Saturday's game. The Walkerton hurler had the funniest wind-up we've seen yet this season and the most effective. Georgetown were already contemplating beating Acton in hockey, seeing as they lost in baseball. As one person said, "it's a land of hope and glory," mostly hope.

Rachlin's softball club have been swinging under par all season and just managed to catch a play-off berth this year. This week, Cookie came up with an astonishing win over the Tannery Union, decided favorites to carry the laurels away, eliminating them from the play-offs. It was the second straight win over the boys from the Beardmore plant and they were both inflicted by the rampaging "Bunkhouse." The Wool Comb-ing—last year's champs—beat out Baxter's for the finals in a one game game. Contrary to opinion, we're informed that Wool Comb-ing will not have to play the Lab. for their first game midweek. Baxter's were laboring under the disillusion and this

probably accounts for their defeat last week.

So we have the Rachlin team and the Wool plant squad on the hunt for the big game—1947 Acton and District Softball Championship. Cookie promises us that Rachlin's have the title already and implies that they have a couple of token games to play before they are awarded it. If he gathers any more impetus under his wing— you know, the kind from R. R. 3, K. G. Quosling, he won't have much trouble. The games are slated for the usual nights and a large crowd is expected with the exception of the moments when Mr. Jolley passes the cheques.

BRITAIN SEEKS BIGGER VIEWS OF FISH FROM ARCTIC OCEAN

A team of United Kingdom scientists are preparing to explore little-known areas of the Arctic ocean for fish which will solve many deep-sea fishing problems and result in much bigger catches. The purpose of the expedition is to discover why large shoals of cod and haddock regularly gather in waters around Bear Island. It will also seek to find out what effect currents and temperatures have on the movements of the fish. This information will enable trawling fleets to locate shoals with great accuracy and will eliminate time now lost in searching for them. A special

ship is being built by the Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries and will be ready for launching early next year. It is being modelled on a well-tried type of Arctic trawler with a length of 175 feet and a speed of 12 knots. The hull is being specifically designed to resist pressure from ice-packs. There will be accommodation for a crew of 30 and fittings include the very latest type of scientific instruments for examining sea life.

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