

Chatting . . .

With
M.H.B.

IT'S A GOOD THING we miss backwards . . . that is, with are coming home from the cottage this week or we would have to get a new heading for the column, for it seems to be top heavy with animal stories. . . . Early Friday evening the garbage can rattled again and we grabbed the flashlight to have a look at Danny Haccoon. . . . What a surprise! This time it was a fat, sleek skunk, easily the biggest you could ever imagine and we caught him red-handed as he balanced on his hind paws and pulled and tugged at the garbage can until it toppled over. . . . He was just as cheeky as the raccoon, in fact more so for he ate his

non-existent . . . He made an attempt to open the back door and shoo the little one outside, but no go. The mouse found a little corner back of the stove and peeped out at us, friendly like . . . We put some grains of mouse seed nearby and left him contentedly chewing one as we went to bed. . . . Next morning he was there in the same spot, slightly groggy but still very much alive. . . . This time the man was brave. He gathered the mouse up in a cloth and took him outside to fend for himself in the world of raccoons, skunks and other denizens of the woods. . . . And we can't help hoping that some how he survived, for he was a cute one. . . .

stop at Lisbon, Portugal, will take him to Naples. . . . There, Arnold plans to buy a motor bike and take a first hand look at all the parts of Europe where a Canadian traveller is still welcome. He plans to visit France and the low countries, then will go to Britain. . . . Arnold, Georgetown-born is the son of Mr. and Mrs. David Brill who now make their home in Toronto. . . . He has been working in Montreal since his service days with the air force during the war. . . . Meant to tell you before this that Mrs. George Allen has joined her husband in Preston where he obtained a new position a few months ago. . . . It is the second time the Allens have left town and they will be missed for they have lived here so many years and have a great number of friends in Georgetown and the Glen.

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HE'S COMING BACK!

That possessive look on Dutch Harrison's face can be taken as an indication that the big fellow from Arkansas is going to put up a stiff fight in defence of the Seagram Gold Cup and the Canadian Open Golf Championship he won at Toronto last year. Dutch says he's definitely an entry in this year's Open at Royal Montreal in August.

CANADIAN OPEN TO BE HELD AT MONTREAL

The symbol of a Canadian championship which has never yet been held by a Canadian — that's the Seagram Gold Cup which goes to the victor in the Canadian Open championship each year. The home-bred get another chance over the Royal Montreal course August 24-27, but nobody is too sanguine about their chances in the face of top-flight competition from year-round golfers from the United States. That's too bad too, because the cup is said to be the most beautiful and most costly of all Canadian sports trophies. . . . and it carries some \$10,000 in prize money with it as well.

Wrought by the same skilled Canadian craftsmanship which created outstanding gifts for Queen Victoria in another era, the Gold Cup stands 22 inches high. Set in a massive onyx base is the golden casket containing the parchment scroll of winners and mounted on heavily-chased silver feet. Two

golden beavers act as additional supports, and the Canadian coat of arms and the words "Seagram Gold Cup" are executed in the front.

Atop the casket is the Seagram cup itself, in Grecian design and made of gold. It carries the crest of the Royal Canadian Golf Association and the words "Canadian Open Golf Championship — For Annual Competition."

Since it became the winner's trophy for the Open in 1936, the Cup has spent probably no more than a month or so each year in this country. Year after year it has been around at tournament time only to be bundled off by its American winner to grace some U.S. clubhouse until the next tournament. The only exception to its usual north-south trips came three years ago when Bobby Locke won the Open and paved the way for its longest excursion — an ocean voyage to South Africa.

In many ways this continual flitting about of some \$10,000 worth of ornament isn't as simple as it might seem. Because of the Cup's high gold content and because of a variety of international regulations in the shipment of gold, each trip of the trophy involves quite a sheaf of insurance, customs and various other permits and documents.

Occasionally the cup gets bogged down in transit while border tape is untangled, but by and large, it usually leads a pretty quiet life between tournaments. It became the center of a bit of excitement a few weeks ago, though, when it figured in a court case. Dutch Harrison, last year's winner, went to court to get the cup away from his estranged wife so he could have it ready to ship back to Canada for the 1950 open.

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HERBERT PETRY, JR.

Herbert Petry, Jr., Carlized Springs, Texas, is the new president of the International Association of Lions Clubs. He was elected at the convention in Chicago last week and succeeds Walter Fisher of Queens-ton, Ontario, in this high office.

GRAYDON CHESTER'S FATHER DIES, FUNERAL TODAY

A funeral service was held this afternoon at the Lee & Kaiser Funeral Home, Streetsville, for Herbert Foster Chester who died on Sunday in St. Michael's Hospital, Toronto. Mr. Chester was in his 75th year. Predeceased by his wife, the late Alice Graydon, he is survived by two children, Graydon of Norval and Mrs. Frank Noble (Mary) of Streetsville. Interment was made in Britannia Cemetery.

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