

EDITORIAL

The Economist and Sun gave the following paragraph as a local last week:—The Markham Agricultural Society at the meeting held on Saturday voted a grant of \$100 to the Red Cross Societies, \$75 to go to the Canadians and \$25 to the British.

In its editorial columns, under the heading, "Unpatriotic and Small" the same paper rebukes the Society for charging the Battonville ladies Red Cross workers for the privilege of selling light refreshments on the Fair Grounds, and also for charging the Markham Red Cross ladies for the privilege of "tagging" on the grounds.

We cannot see from the above that the Board is a subject for severe criticism.

Nothing can be more commendable than the work the women are doing for Red Cross, but it scarcely seems right to charge people with being unpatriotic if they decline to give everything free in connection with the Society.

Is it not better to allow people to give freely, and not make them feel that they are forced to give or be called mean?

Thornhill

The first annual meeting of the Horticultural Society will be held in Victoria Hall on Monday, November the first, at eight o'clock sharp. This is a "Get Together" meeting. The report of the year's work will be given, also a surprise social for the members and their friends. All interested are cordially invited. Come, come, come.

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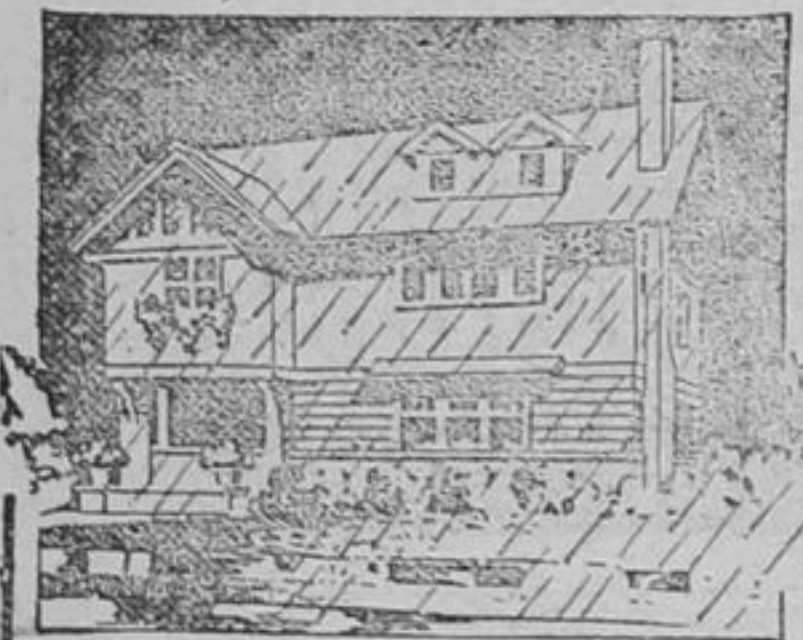
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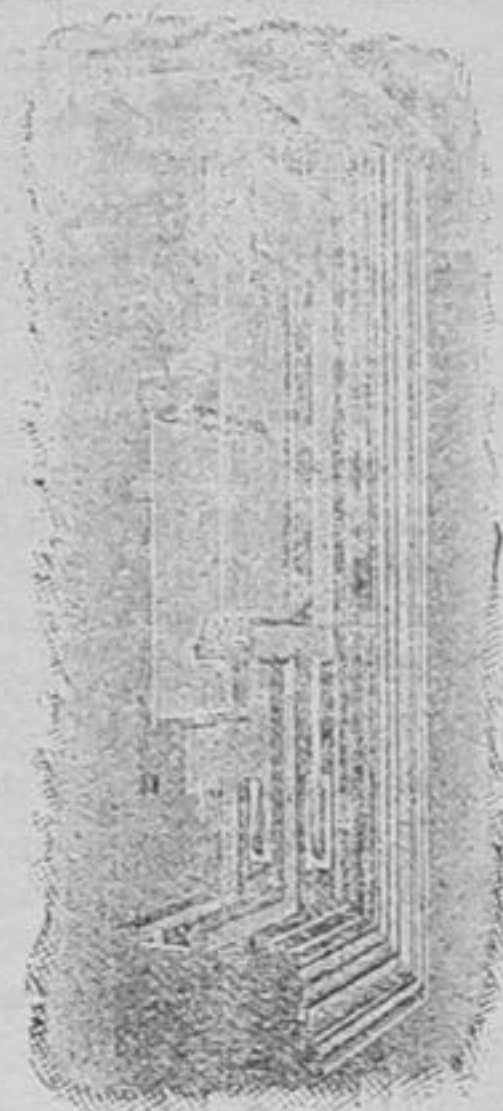
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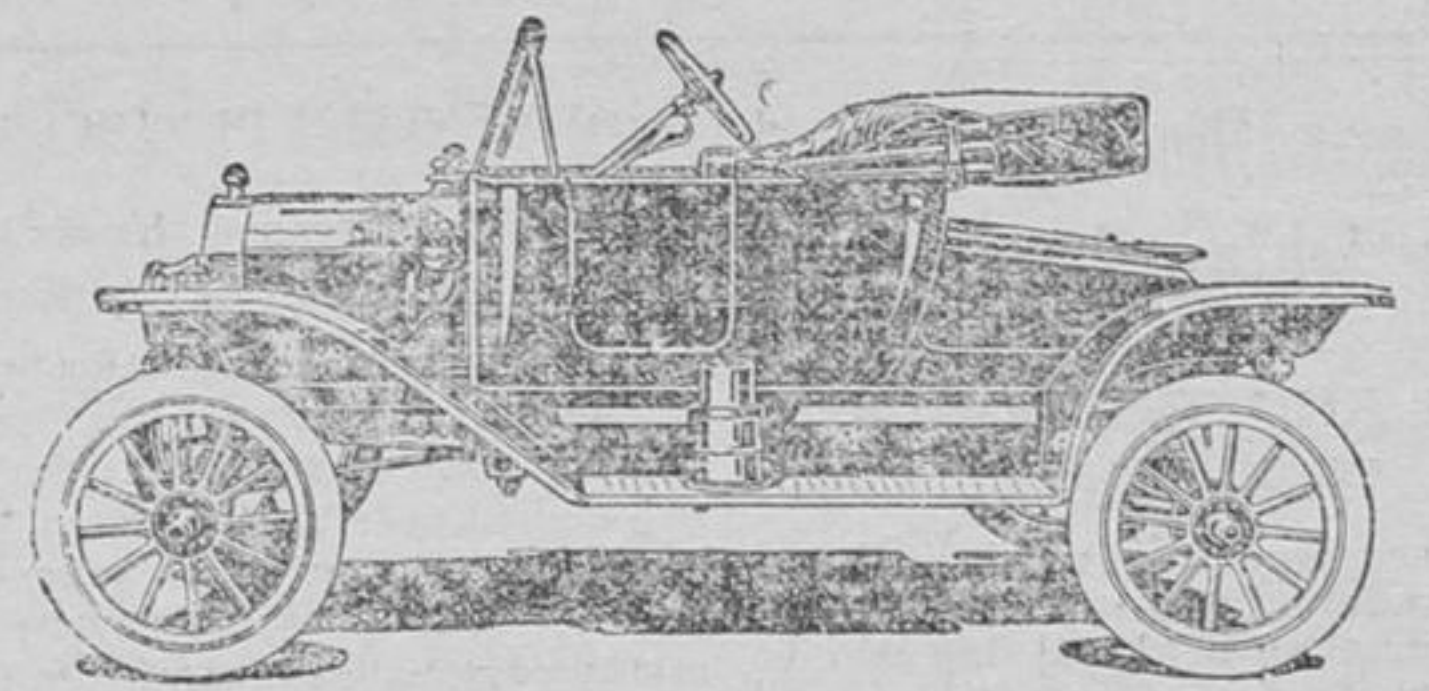


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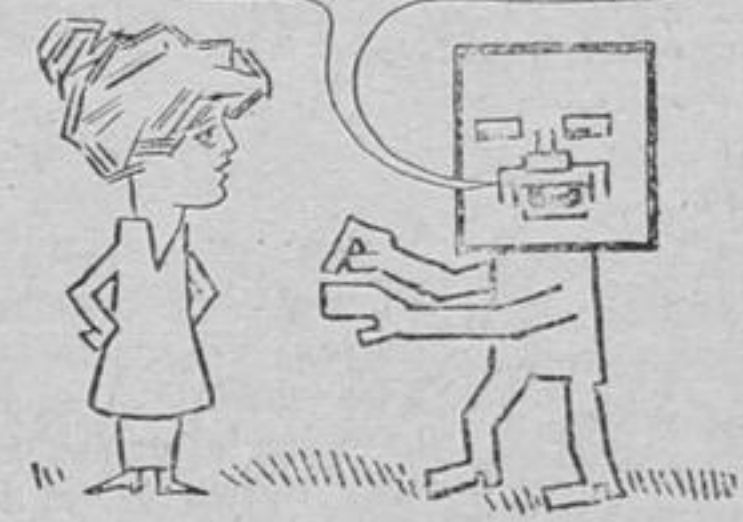
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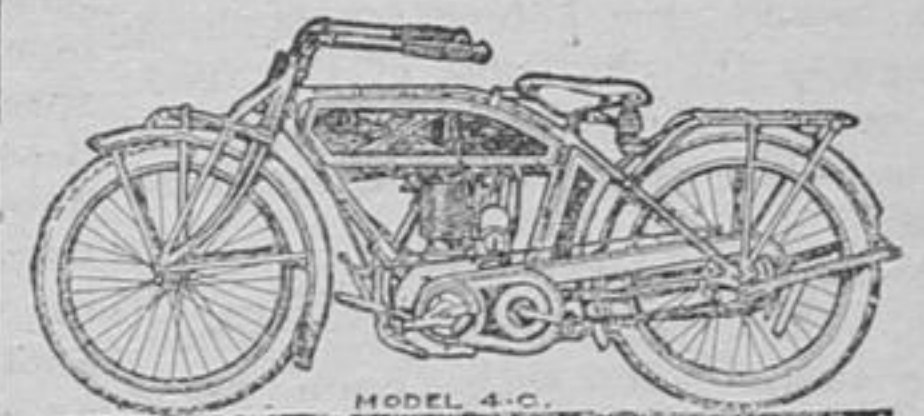
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