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THREE CAMPS STOPPED WORK WHEN ONE CAT DIED

All the mines in three camps-Cobalt, Kirkland Lake and South Lorrain,-stopped all work for five or ten minutes one day recently while Some of Them Even Go to Heaven, a single cat was kicking the bucket to its nine lives. The cat got up on the power line and placed one paw on one wire while its tail rested on another very live wire. The result was A. Guest, and which appeared in the that something like 44,000 volts pas- Ottawa Morning Journal of Wednessed through the cat's body. Any day last should contain an appeal to electrician can give you the answer quite a number of the memwithout seeing the cat. As a result bers of the Timmins Golf Club. of the frying of the cat the power All golfers know the strain on went off for all the mines and it took the temper it is when a low drive five minutes or more to remove the lands in the bunker on No. 4 fairway, cat and get the power rightly on again, and you go down to find the ball ly-This is one cat that will not come ing snugly in somebody's footprint.

BLACK FLIES REPORTED AS VERY BAD AT PRESENT

returning from the woods these days ition on the score card of "Please report the black fly crop as particu- replace Turf.". The title of the folly vicious. One gentleman who spent Was Good," and is as follows:a few days on a fishing trip returned "I'm a golfer, St. Peter!" the spirit with arms and legs looking like a The most of men are troubled by black fly bites, though occasionally I have flubbed and I've dubbed to there is one that appears immune. my pitiful cost, But then there is always an exception But I blamed not the caddie whenfrom the general rule. For instance at Washington, D.C., the U.S. Dept. of Agriculture has been carrying on experiments to test germicides and have been using dogs to father fleas in connection with the work. The experts now have discovered a bull pup on which no kind of flea will live. As fast as the insects are placed on the dog they hop right off again. The scientists are now worrying to find out the secert of the bull pup's immunity from the common curse of | "I'm a golfer, St. Peter! just one of

Though the black flies are bothersome at present in this section, there are other districts much worse affec- Countless times when I shouldn't, ted. Not far from Sudbury moose are actually reported as being driven But always the divot I cut, I put out of the woods by the flies. Last week one moose deliberately pastured itself at Judge Mulligan's camp at I'm an old hundred shooter! Lake Ramsay, and another joined a herd of cattle on a farm near Sud- Whenever I finished around ninetybury. Even the chance of a bullet was preferable, these moose thought. I was slow at the game, I confess it to the absolute certainty of the black flies. And then, again, per- But I never refused to let others go haps the moose knew how poor at shooting the folks around Sudbury are, except in regard to hockey.

GOOD FELLOW AFTER ALL

Following the Rules Being in Their Favour.

The following five verses by Edgar Someone who perhaps had the fortune to drive over the bunker but did not wish to walk around, and took! the easier course of climbing over. Again when a nice two hundred yard drive is spoiled by stopping up in a hole caused by someone taking out a slice Prospectors, campers and fishermen the soil and neglecting the admonlarly large this summer and especial- lowing poem is "The Bad Golfer Who

smallpox case from the black fly bites. . And of much I have done I am

truly ashamed, ever I lost.

"I've sliced and I've hooked and I've been in the rough, Twenty years I've played golf, I've had trouble enough!

"I've cursed when in sand traps, of that there's no doubt, But I covered my footprints before I went out.

the mutts, My sins they are many, I've taken

my record is black,

thought I was great

eight:

through."

"Come in," said St. Peter, "come in and sit down! Come in and I'll give you a harp and a crown!

I've a welcome for you, with the saints you may dwell For it takes moral courage to play bad golf well."

FIRST SHOT AT HIMSELF THEN CUT HIS OWN THROAT

A farm laborer named Hueston, living at Campbell's boarding house at Charlton, showed special determination to kill himself some days ago. He first attempted his life by shooting, but succeeded only in clipping a piece out of his ear. One of the hotel employees heard the shot and investigated, finding Hueston lying on the bed apparently dead with blood streaming from the side of his ear. He rushed to call a doctor and in his absence Hueston sat up, reach- Round Trip Third Cabin fares at a ed for a hand mirror and slashed his throat with his knife. He gashed his throat from ear to ear, severing veins and arteries, and when medical help Country or wish to send for friends. arrived Hueston was dead. Hueston had been working on farms near Charlton during the spring, and had been noticed on account of acting rather queerly at times.

Cochrane tax rate this year will be 501/2 mills for Public School supporters and 491/2 for Separate School supporters. Last year the rates were 583/4 and 571/4 respectively. The reduction of over seven mills in each case is a pleasing one.

North Bay proposes to pave nine more blocks of the principal streets of the town this year. North Bay apparently intends to eventually become an all-paved town. Paved streets are by far the cheapest and the best in the long run. North Bay would have been money and comfort ahead if the paving programme had been started years before it was.

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Returning, the trip will be via the Okanagan Valley, Nelson, the Kootenay Lakes, Windermere Bungalow Camp, from which place the party will be motored to Banff, 104 miles over the newly completed Banff-Windermere Highway, the most charming and awe-inspining trip it is possible to conceive, with stops at Radium Hot Springs, Vermilion River, and Storm Mountain Bungalow Camps—another day at Banff, then Edmonton, Saskatoon, Devil's Cap Bungalow Camp, near Kenora on the Lake of the Woods, steamer from Fort William to Port McNicoll, thence rail to Toronto, where the trip will terminate on August 10.

Everything is included at the price of \$325.00 from Toronto; transportation, sleeping cars, accommodation in hotels and bungalow camps, meals in diners, hotels and on steamers, sightseeing tours at points visited and all gratuities.

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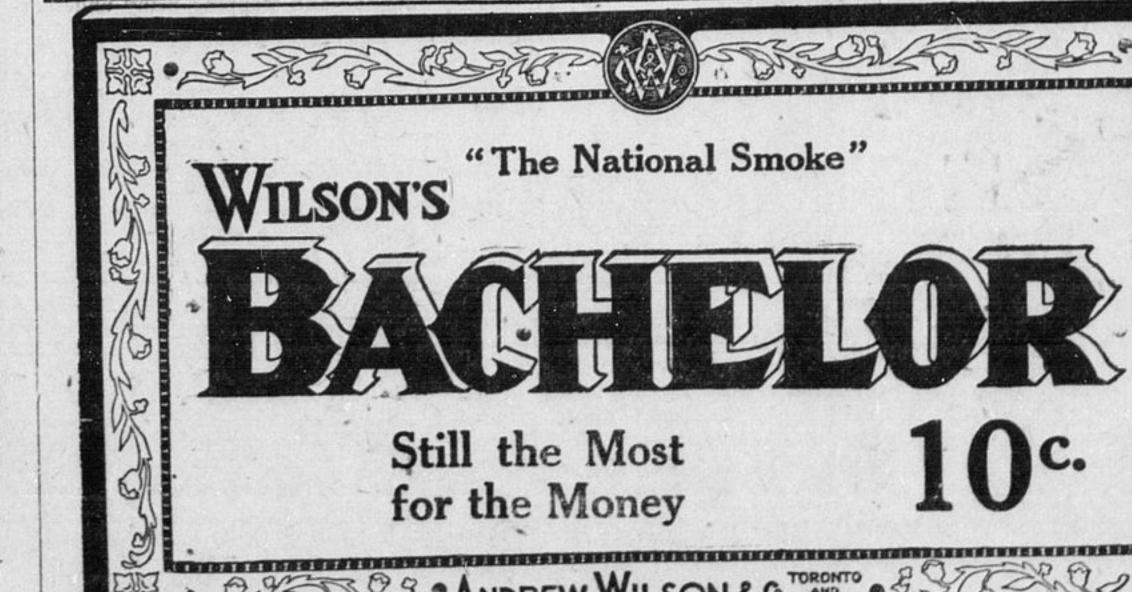
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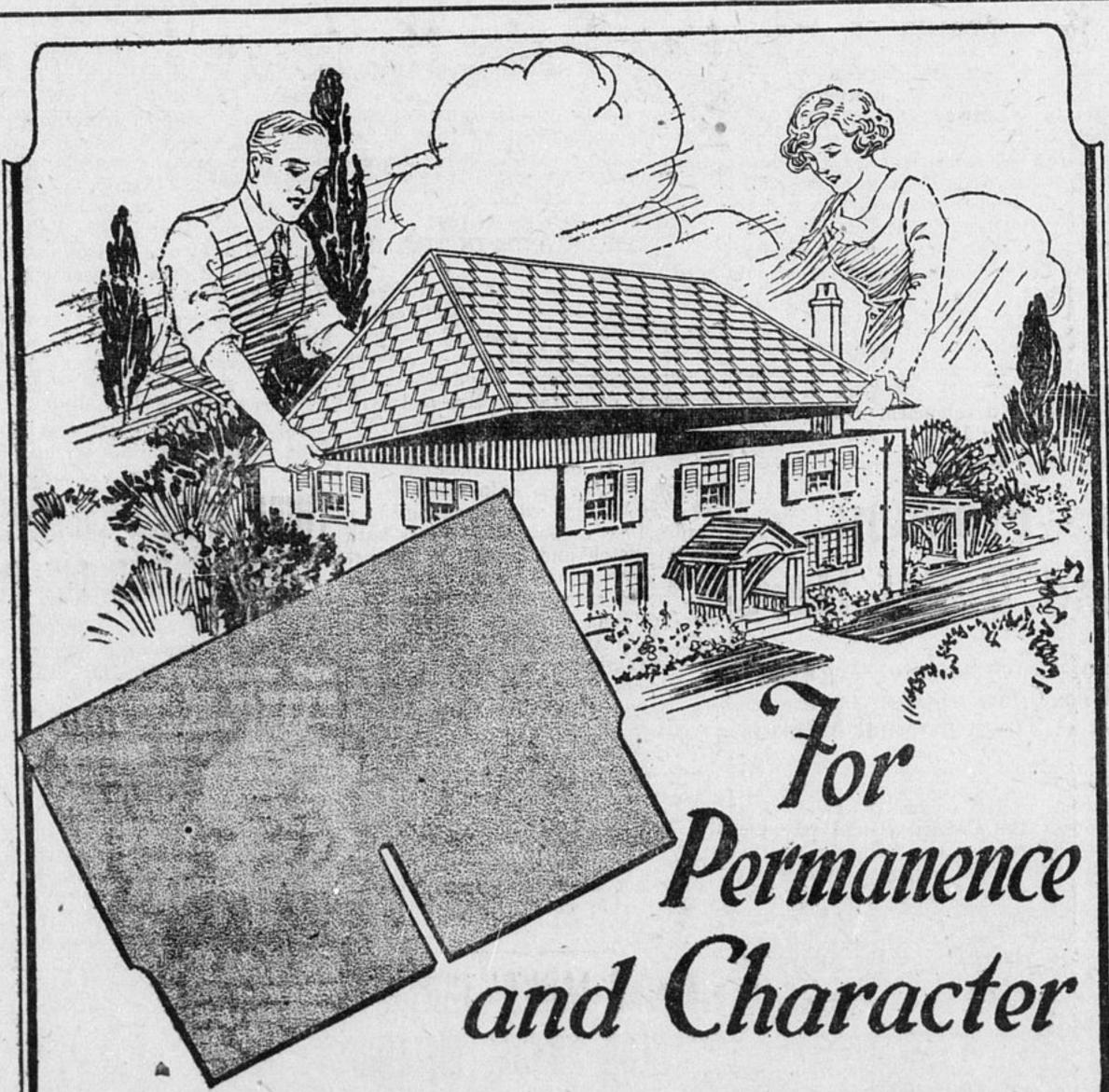
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