

Feathered Stowaway



A pigeon that found itself "in the soup" was taken care of by a butcher, but will never end up in a pie, made the front page a few days ago when the Canadian Pacific liner "Empress of Britain" arrived at Quebec from Southampton with a homing pigeon on the list as a stowaway. The pigeon, eyeing the camera with a querulous expression, is seen above in the hands of J. Gibson, Chief Butcher of the Empress liner in whose keeping all travelling pets are placed.

Battered by storms after fighting heavy head winds for a number of hours the pigeon, which had been released some 250 miles west of Land's End in fog from the steam trawler "Ocean Lux", fluttered to rest on the tennis deck of the Empress of Britain. It carried a message showing time and place of release, and date of its last feeding. On the return of the big liner to England next week the feathered stowaway, after its two way crossing of the Atlantic will be thrown into the air to find its way home, with a message from Capt. Latta tied to its leg, in authentication of the strange story it will have to tell.

Music Examinations Grey Sisters Convent

Examinations conducted by J. W. Bearder, Mus. Dec., F.R.C.O., Dominion College of Music. Successful Pupils at Examination.

Examinations in music were held at the Grey Sisters' Convent, 116 Spruce street, north, Timmins, on Saturday, June 17th, by J. W. Bearder, Mus. Dec., F.R.C.O., of the Dominion College of Music, Montreal.

The following pupils were successful and obtained certificates:—

Senior Grade
 First-Class Honours—Eules Donovan, Genevieve Bissonnette, Orva McGrath, Honours—Doris Donovan; Technical requirements, Mary Everard first-class honours.

Intermediate Grade
 First-Class Honours—Olive Lafranier, Mary Sutherland.

Honours—David Banning, Catherine Lang, Florence Baderski; Technical requirements, Emmett Newton, first-class honours.

Junior Grade
 First-Class Honours—Floris McAlender.

Honours—Sadie Thomas.

Elementary Grade
 First-Class Honours—Anna McPherson, Mary Cotnam, Joan Clemens, Eileen Carriere.

Honours—Eddy McLellan.

Primary Grade
 First-Class Honours—Elaine Duggan, Jacqueline Sullivan, Marjorie Flower, Margaret Gentile, Rosemary Laprairie, Manley Flower, Genevieve Coullis, Florence Blackman.

That Man Pecora!



FERDINAND PECORA
 Here is a striking likeness of the erstwhile immigrant boy who is conducting the investigation into the banking activities of J. P. Morgan and Company. This picture of Ferdinand Pecora was made in New York, during a recess in the Senate quiz of the Morgan partners.

Pouring the Bottle Into the Sink, or So

The Veracious Story of the Man Who Poured Twelve Corks into the Bottle or the Sink or as the Case May be.

A friend of The Advance this week handed in the following clipping from The Orangeville Banner, with the idea that readers of this paper might appreciate it. They likely will. About half-way down, however, they may become a little bit mixed. A good drink of ice water, however, will set everything straight. The following is the article from The Orangeville Banner:—

I had twelve bottles of whiskey in the cellar, and my wife asked me to empty the contents of each and every bottle down the sink, so I proceeded to do as my wife desired, and withdrew the cork from the first bottle, poured the contents down the sink with the exception of one glass which I drank.

I then withdrew the cork from the second bottle and did likewise, with the exception of one glass which I drank. I then extracted the cork from the third bottle, emptied the good old booze down the bottle, except one glass which I drank.

I pulled the cork from the fourth sink and poured the bottle down the glass. I pulled the bottle from the cork of the next and drank one sink out of it, and threw the rest down the glass.

I pulled the sink out of the next cork and then poured the bottle down my neck.

I then pulled the next bottle out of my throat and poured the glass down the cork, all but one sink, which I drank.

I pulled the next cork from my throat and poured the sink down the bottle and then drank the cork.

I next drew the sink up through the hole, bottled the cork and drank what was left.

I then poured the hole into the cork, bottled the sink and swallowed the glass.

Well by this time I had them all emptied and I steadied the house with one hand and counted the bottles with the other. There were twenty-four. So I counted them again, when they came around the next time, and made it seventy-four, and as the houses came around. I counted them also, and finally I had all the houses counted and proceeded to wash the bottles. But I could not get the brush in the bottles,

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and as I was about to turn them inside out and wash them, I noticed a bunch of snakes swishing around inside the bottles and thought it would be a good idea to let them finish the work.

I then challenged a spare galloping mud turtle I kept in the cellar to a hundred yard dash and, after some hot argument, the race was postponed, and I went upstairs balancing Mussolini in one hand and the League of Nations in the other, to tell my Better half what I had done, and Oh Boy! I've got the wiffest little nice in the world.

Feeling tired, I emptied myself into bed, and it seems someone had put roller skates under the bedposts as I had no sooner got in than the bed began to whirl around. So I watched my chance, and the next time the bed went by my wife, I asked her to take the skates off and let the bed steady down so I could go to sleep. She said the bed was not whirling around and I knew at once that she was either tanked up or blind.

So I called the doctor on the telephone as three a.m. and he got sore and asked me if I saw snakes. I informed him in a quiet manner that the snakes were down stairs cleaning out the bottles and that was O.K., but there was something wrong with the wife, as the bed was whirling around and she could not see it doing so. So he got fresh and said he was not the right clerk at the Admiral Beatty, and before I could get a good sarcastic crack back at him he rang off.

I then got up for a little cleanup, washed my face and hands with some tap turned off the soap and back to bed again. I drew my feet up over my head, stuck my blankets out at the foot, being careful to protect the right as I have a sore toes on that blanket, and was soon asleep.

In the morning when I woke, I could truthfully say, as many have said before—"Well, I certainly know how to handle my licker."

BISHOP OF MOOSENEE USING AIRSHIP TO VISIT DIOCESE

The Rouyn-Noranda Press last week says:—Flot "Red" Lymburner, of the Canadian Airways, took off from here on Tuesday morning with His Lordship Bishop J. G. Anderson, Anglican Bishop of Moosonee. Bishop Anderson is starting on a tour of his diocese a trip which will take him, it is expected about two weeks.

KIRKLAND LAKE MAN CHASED MAN WHO STOLE HIS SHIRT

The people of mining camps are noted for their generosity. It is a common expression to say that this man or that in a mining camp would "give you his shirt." The saying in most cases is literally true. You could depend on it that the average miner would give you his shirt, provided you really needed it worse than he did. But try taking away that shirt by force or fraud? Just try it! You will find that you are up against a totally different proposition. A fellow in Kirkland Lake a week or so ago found this out. He stole a shirt from a clothes line. And did the owner let it go at that? Well read this paragraph from The Northern News last week and see:—James McCombie residing on the Wright-Hargreaves property, saw a clothes line thief making off with one of his shirts Monday night. McCombie made after him and caught up to him in the rear of the Imperial Bank building when the man drew what he thought to be a gun and threatened him. On reporting the incident to the police Constables Carl Tripp and Allan Morrison began a search for the fellow and later picked up Roman Dalriog, who was judged on a theft charge. Dalriog, police say, was found behind the Royal Cafe. He is reported to have admitted to police that he drew a knife, not a gun.

KIRKLAND LAKE DROPS THE DAYLIGHT-SAVING SCHEME

In referring to a resolution passed by the casting vote of the mayor of Teek township recently in regard to the so-called daylight saving fad, The Advance ventured the hope that Kirkland Lake would reconsider the question and decide not to create unnecessary confusion and annoyance by adopting this so-called "daylight-saving" scheme. At the last meeting of the township council at Kirkland Lake the council reversed the decision to have the so-called daylight saving. The former resolution was rescinded and as a consequence there will be no attempt this year to put the township on the silly summer time by monkeying with the clocks. As a sop to those who were ardent for this scheme, the Teek township council has agreed to arrange for a vote on the matter at the next municipal elections. Such a vote will likely result in a further shelving of the idea. With some towns and cities on this so-called daylight saving scheme, but with the great majority still running on standard time, there is much inconvenience and annoyance resulting. Then the advocates of the fad have the nerve to suggest that daylight saving should be made compulsory all over Canada. The fact is that it is apparent that the majority of the people in Canada do not want it. The situation then is that a minority would force it on the people. At the present time it seems that no matter which way one turns he sees a skillfully organized minority attempting to force some fad or other on the people in general. The farmers and other rural people are against the daylight-twisting time. It is a serious disadvantage to them. The mothers of school children also object

to the plan, as it means a decided hardship to them. This year Cobalt, Halleybury, and New Liskeard have adopted the scheme. Cobalt is in a turmoil over the matter, the chairman of the school board resigning in protest over the methods whereby the measure was attempted to be enforced. In New Liskeard merchants are hearing complaints from their best customers, the farmers, as to the disadvantages resulting. The chief impetus to the daylight saving scheme comes from those connected with sports. All in the North are favourable to sports, but it surely will be recognized that sports should be secondary to the general convenience. With the tendency of the day to reduce working hours and with the great majority of the people more anxious for work rather than for fancy hours, the present seems to be a most inopportune time to attempt to cram this daylight saving scheme down the throats of the people whether they want it or not.

CALF MOOSE KILLED BY CAR THREE MILES FROM ROUYN

The Rouyn-Noranda Press last week says:—"When about three miles from Rouyn on Thursday evening, June 15th, a party of motorists returning from Amos encountered a cow moose and two calves on the roadway, and before the car could be stopped had collided with and killed one of the calves. No effort, it is said, was made by the moose or her young to get out of the way of the car until after the calf had been struck. The uninjured calf and its mother made off into the bush as the car was brought to a stop."

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Results of Cricket Games at Week-end

Results of Games Played Between Timmins and McIntyre Cricket Clubs During the Week-end. Timmins Wins One, McIntyre One.

Below will be found the results of the games played between Timmins and McIntyre clubs during the week-end:

First Game—McIntyre

Jackson, c Kitcher, b James	6
Grimshaw, st Trebilcock, b Phizachlea	4
Place, c and b Phizachlea	11
Thomas, b Kitcher	7
Carey, c Trebilcock, b James	7
L. Jackson, b Kitcher	1
Simpson, c Phizachlea, b Kitcher	0
Elliot, c Trumble, b Kitcher	4
Hampton, c Byron, b Whitford	6
Miles, c Phizachlea, b Whitford	0
Beaoru, not out	0
Total	38

Timmins

Madden, b Place	11
Rice, b Jackson	8
Trebilcock, b Carey	17
Youtlen, b Miles	2
Phizachlea, b Miles	1
Trumble, c and b Miles	2
Byron, not out	24
Kitcher, not out	7
Extras	5
Total for 6 wickets	77

Whitford, James and Snow did not bat.

Bowling

O	M	R	O
James	5	18	2
Phizachlea	4	14	2
Kitcher	1.5	1	4
Whitford	1	3	2
G. Jackson	2	9	0
Place	4	1	9
L. Jackson	54	0	20
Miles	5	1	17
Carey	4	1	11
Thomas	1	1	0

Second Game—Timmins

Wilkinson, b Cosser	1
Pye, c Taylor, b Cosser	8
Whittam, b Place	0
Stephens, c Place, b Cosser	0
Street, c Cosser, b Wills	7
Liddicote, c Taylor, b Thomas	5
Thomas, c Grimshaw, b Carey	13
Melville, c Cosser, b Wills	0
Nichson, c Harris, b Wills	0
Varley, c Cosser, b Carey	3
Byron, not out	2
James, run out	5
Extras	4
Total	48

McIntyre

Cosser, c Nickson, b Thomas	12
Grimshaw, b Stephens	0
Zanecho, b Stephens	0
Taylor, c Liddicote, b James	12
Place, c Trebilcock, b Whittam	19
Wills, c Byron, b Whittam	1
Thomas, lbw b Stephens	1
Carey, not out	1
Extras	3
Total for 7 wickets	49

Davies, Harris, Mainwaring and Meredith did not bat.

Bowling

O	M	R	O
Cosser	5	6	3
Place	4	8	1
Thomas	3	3	1
Wills	6	17	3
Carey	4	10	2
Stephens	6	21	2
Thomas	4	17	1
Pye	2	7	0
James	1	1	1
Whittam	2	3	2

HOLLINGER FOOTBALL CLUB DRAW TO BE HELD JULY 1ST

The Hollinger Football Club draw for the electric refrigerator, originally scheduled for June 24th, had to be postponed to Saturday of this week, July 1st. All having books of tickets should make returns "at once, immediately, right now, or sooner."

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