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Again Report Sabotage On British Ship



For the third time in the past few months, the British admiralty has reported sabotage aboard a British naval vessel. This time it occurred in H.M.S. Cumberland, fast cruiser, while she was being outfitted at Chatham. Damage was done to electrical apparatus.

Large Attendance at Auxiliary Social

Ladies Auxiliary of the Canadian Legion Enjoy Pleasant Time Monday Night.

There was an exceptionally large attendance at the social given by the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Canadian Legion in the Legion club rooms on Monday night, and all attending had a very pleasant time.

Fred Curtis was the M.C. for the evening and he carried through his duties in his usual capable and genial manner.

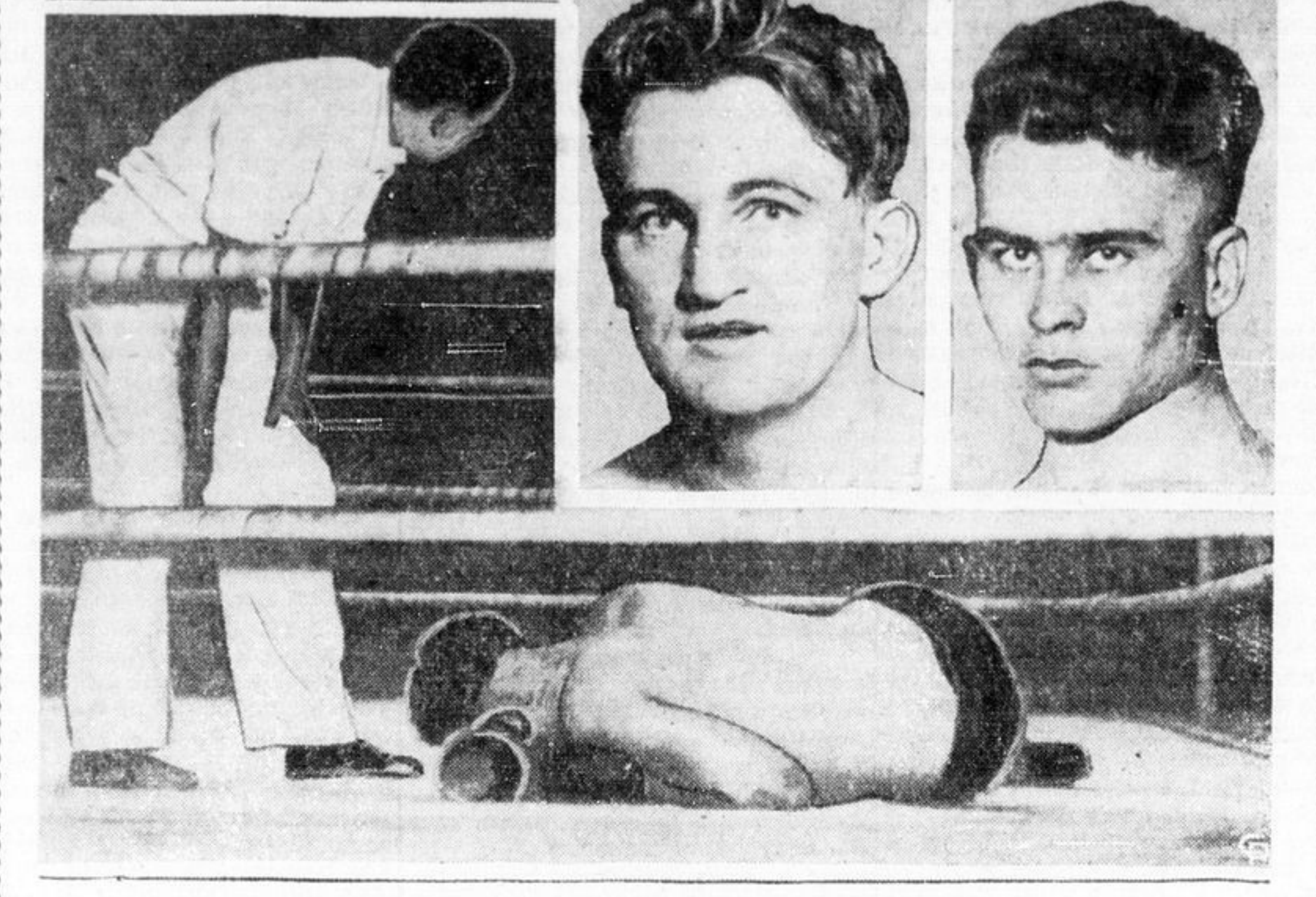
Owing to illness several of the artists on the programme were unable to be present, but the programme presented was an excellent one. It included recitations, songs, etc., by Mr. Thompson, Ron Jones, Miss Peggy Shaw, and Fred Weeden, all the numbers given receiving hearty and well-merited applause.

A draw for a handsome hand-made wool cushion donated by Mrs. Hemming was held during the supper hour. The lucky number was 52, held by Mrs. Dorothy Gregson.

Tickets which had been sold on a quilt in aid of a local family were publicly drawn at the social, the lucky number, 233, being held by Mrs. Alice Parsons, South Porcupine.

The next regular meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary will be the second Monday in March, instead of the first Monday, owing to the fact that the Ladies' Auxiliary are catering for the Welsh choir banquet to celebrate St. David's Day. The banquet being on Monday next, March 2nd, the Ladies' Auxiliary meeting has been deferred to Monday evening, March 9th.

"WHITE-HOPE" BOXER DIES AFTER RING KNOCKOUT



When Pat Flanagan, of London, Ont., knocked out Fred Matthews, of Arnfield, Quebec, in the novice "white hope" boxing tournament held in Toronto, the youth remained unconscious for 72 hours and failed to survive a delicate brain operation. An inquest has been ordered into his death. Matthews is shown lying in the ring, and INSET RIGHT, Flanagan is shown INSET LEFT. The competition was to find a competitor to send to New York for Jack Dempsey's "white hope" tournament to find a suitable opponent for negro Joe Louis.

"Fred Matthews" was the ring name for "Fred Matleshin," who has a sister, Mrs. Solobay, living at 75 Hemlock street, Timmins. Fred visited here at Christmas time, the family holding a family re-union on that occasion.

Nine-Year-Old Lad has Letter from King

Master A. Bucovetsky, Wilson Avenue, Receives Acknowledgement of Sympathy Expressed.

At the time of the death of King George V., Master A. Bucovetsky, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. I. Bucovetsky, 13 Wilson avenue, thought he would like to write to the Prince of Wales (now King Edward VIII) and express the sympathy he felt in the death of the Prince's father, the King. The lad, who is only nine years old composed the letter himself, telling simply what was in his heart, and sent it on to England. Last week he received formal acknowledgment of the letter, the acknowledgment being on the royal stationery bearing the royal crest, as did also the envelope in which it was enclosed. Master Bucovetsky treasures this acknowledgment and will no doubt keep it always as a reminder of the King's gentle thoughtfulness and kindly attention even to the children of his empire. The acknowledgement is in the following form:—

Buckingham Palace
The Private Secretary is commended by The King to thank Master A. Bucovetsky for his kind message of sympathy in his great sorrow.

THERE ARE MANY NOSES IN BLAIRMORE, ALBERTA

The following paragraph is from The Blairmore Enterprise:—"It was so mild yesterday that people again breathed through their nostrils. Many such organs have been frozen up for weeks."

Circus of Frivolity at Schumacher To-morrow

Leap Year Edition of Dance Event Under Auspices of Schumacher Lions to Feature Novelties, Novelty Dances Floor Show, Etc. Proceeds for Worthy Works of Club.

The "Circus of Frivolity" is the big event to be held in the Croatian hall, Schumacher to-morrow, Friday night, Feb. 28th, under the auspices of the Lions Club of Schumacher. The many events sponsored by the Schumacher Lions have been so pleasing and successful that about all that should be necessary about this big dance event is to say that it is a Schumacher Lions Club event. The Schumacher Lions Club, however, are going much further than that and have explained that some of the features of the "Circus of Frivolity" will include novelties, novelty dances, floor shows, prizes, special music and a specially good time for all.

The music for the "Circus of Frivolity" at the Croatian hall to-morrow (Friday) night will be provided by Pierini's orchestra and will please all dance lovers. The usual dance features will be present with added features to make the evening doubly enjoyable.

No one who enjoys a good time and a happy, peppy, dance should miss this Schumacher Lions event to-morrow night. In addition to having a good time there is the satisfaction of knowing that the proceeds will go to a good cause—or rather, to help a number of good causes. The proceeds will go to the funds of the Lions Club for the special community work undertaken by the Schumacher Lions. This community work programme is a big one and concerns several very worthy and helpful activities. These include—helping the blind and helping to prevent blindness (one of the special causes of every Lions Club), dental service in the schools, the baby clinic, and other plans and methods to help along the upward march.

King Edward to Broadcast Message Sunday Morning

His Majesty King Edward VIII will broadcast a message to his subjects throughout the Empire on Sunday morning, March 1st. The message will be heard here at 11 o'clock Eastern Standard Time.

This is the first general message from King Edward to his people, and many points of interest in regard to the matter are touched upon in an editorial in The Ottawa Journal on Tuesday. The Ottawa Journal editorial says:—

"The announcement that King Edward will broadcast a message to the people of the Empire and the world on March 1st shows that he is to follow in this respect the sound precedent set by his father.

"There will be much curiosity over the manner and matter of His Majesty's address, but there is more involved than this very natural interest in the King's way of speaking. The broadcasts of King George unquestionably were of extreme importance in the development of the Empire-wide respect and affection so notably manifested on his Jubilee last year, and on his illness and death a few weeks ago, but it is equally certain that they established new links in the bonds of sentiment that unite the nations in this Empire. The strength of a sentimental tie has been proved in the past, and a voice that speaks for all the millions of this great community of nations is a factor of enormous consequence in the maintenance of political security and stability.

"Speaking from his home on a Sunday morning King Edward probably will have an audience greater than ever before listened to the direct words of any man. There is something dramatic in the thought, and sometimes that touches our pride as British peoples."

Rev. M. Tait, Schumacher Preaches at Kirkland

The Northern News, of Kirkland Lake, in its issue of Tuesday of this week has the following:—

"Preaching at the first of a series of three Sundays of Anniversary at Trinity United Church, the Rev. Murray Tait, now of Schumacher, and for nine months in charge of the old church during the illness of the Rev. Archie Gillies, chose as his morning subject 'The Church Victorious,' and in the evening 'The Power of a Great Conviction.'

"In the first sermon, his text from Joshua 6:20, 'And They Took the City,' Mr. Tait pointed out that it was a minority of two against ten that had urged the capture of Jericho. So today, he said, it was by the guidance of minorities that the world progressed.

"The victory of the church lay in its strength, its appeal to strength, and in the ingrowing Christ.

"In the evening Mr. Tait took his topic from the incident of Naboth, the peasant who refused to sell his home to the 'rich real estate man,' in the person of King Ahab. The vineyard which that man of old had refused to sell stood for home life, moral convictions and faith in God, 'vineyards' of life to-day which the world was anxious to buy—at a price.

"A feature of the morning service was the solo 'Bless This House,' rendered by Mrs. Andrews and the Anthem 'Hearken Unto Me.' In the evening Mrs. Sharp sang the solo 'Teach Me to Pray,' the anthem being 'Savior, When Night Involves the Sky.'

"Next Sunday the preacher will be the Rev. Norman Rawson, of Ottawa, and the following Sunday Rev. R. S. Laidlaw, who was in charge here before the arrival of Rev. J. E. Graham."

Winners in Lions Club "Safety" Essay Contest

Prizes will be Presented at an Early Meeting of the Timmins Lions Club. First Prize Winning Essays Published Elsewhere in This Issue of The Advance.

Judging of the essays in the contest on "Safety," conducted by the Lions Club, has been completed and the results follow. To assure impartiality the envelopes, in which were the names of the contestants, were numbered and the same numbers were placed on the written papers. The judges received the papers only and reported winners by numbers. The names of these winners were then obtained from the envelopes.

- The following are the winners:—
- Sr. IV**
1st prize—Doralice O'Dell, St. Charles school.
2nd prize—Marie Galbraith, Moneta school.
Honourable mention—Rita Sloan, Holy Family school.
Honourable mention—Georgette Lejanbe, St. Anthony school.
Honourable mention—Victor Leduc, St. Charles school.
- Jr. IV**
1st prize—Fred Milne, Central school.
2nd prize—Sheila Harper, Central school.
Honourable mention—Jim Hadley, Central school.
Honourable mention—Calvin Duke-shire, Central school.
Honourable mention—Stuart Bellamy, Mattagami school.

- Sr. III**
1st prize—Barbara Honey, Central school.
2nd prize—Constance Lejanbe, St. Anthony school.
Honourable mention—Marion Howard, Holy Family school.
Honourable mention—Velma Daly, Holy Family school.
Honourable mention—Phillis Mounsey, Mattagami school.
- Prizes will be presented at an early meeting of the Lions Club and prize winners will be duly notified. Prizes are on exhibition in Mr. L. Halperin's window.

Trouble About Rentals of Sudbury Folks on Relief

Sudbury is having what may be termed a double dose of trouble in regard to the rentals of those on relief. In the first place they have the usual trouble of getting suitable places for people on relief at rents that come within the regulations. Then there is a new trouble—the case of men on relief not paying their rent and refusing to vacate. One bad case of this sort was specially brought to the attention of Sudbury council last week. The landlord has a chance to sell the house—he needn't sell—had to sell as a matter of fact, he said—and there was a buyer ready to take the place and pay over the money, provided he could get possession of the property. The landlord had received no rent for four years, but the tenant wouldn't get out, and when the landlord invoked the law to have the tenant legally evicted the action was stopped by a writ from Toronto. In this case it would seem that the landlord received a pretty raw deal. A few cases like that and landlords will not be able to pay their taxes either. It is easy to see that there must be some end to injustice in this line as in others. All are entitled to a fair deal and this includes landlords, as well as tenants.

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WILL GROW ANYWHERE
The Blairmore Enterprise says:—
There is one thing that will grow in any soil and in any climate, and that is idle rumor.

DONALD WELCOMED THE FLOOD



Nope—it's not a new film-drama—just one friend coming to the aid of another. Donald Woods arrived at the studio to find Anita Louise marooned. And Mr. Woods was only too glad to play the Sir Walter Raleigh act, and carry his fair friend to dry land.

WHEN KISSING THE SHOE OF A HORSE IS NOT LUCKY

The Blairmore Enterprise says:—"Kissing a horseshoe is said to bring luck, states a playwright. Provided, of course, one doesn't attempt this when the horse is still wearing it."

Sudbury Lady Attacked Recently by Police Dog

Mrs. Elizabeth Simon, of Sudbury was attacked on Saturday morning last by a large police dog. The dog jumped first at one shoulder and then at the other. Fortunately, Mrs. Simon escaped any injury but this fact she credits to the happy incident of a gentleman coming along and beating off the dog. In the meantime the woman's coat was torn by the dog's claws. The dog was one of a pack of dogs playing on the street. This pack of dogs are stated to be all unlicensed animals and so without the legal right to life, let alone the privilege of running on street. The big police dog broke away from the others as soon as Mrs. Simon came along and at once attacked her. She suffered considerably from nervous shock through the incident. The police were notified of the occurrence but according to reports took no action on the matter.

Topeka Capital:—Among the nicknames in use in the Greensburg high school, as listed in The News, are: Lanky, Gravy, Peanut, Pretzel, Chickie, Pickle and Greasy.