

NEW YORK TO NOME BY CANOE



Geoffrey Fope, and Sheldon Taylor, (Top, LEFT to RIGHT), 22-year-old bookkeepers of New York, are shown poring over a map just before they began their projected 6,000-mile canoe trip from New York to Nome, Alaska. The adventurous lads are paddling a sail-equipped, 17-foot canoe named Muriel. They expect to cover the distance in 18 months, including a winter stopover in northern Alberta.

To-day's Stocks

Stock Name	Price
Afton	70
Ashley	7 3/4
Barry Hollinger	4 1/2
Base Metals	18-19 1/2
Big Missouri	61-64
BEAR	25B
Beattie	1.41
Bojce	17 1/4
Bralorne	7.50
Buffalo Ankerite	5.60
Canadian Malartic	1.10
Castle Tretheway	1.45
Central Patricia	3.45
Cniagas	3.00-3.25
Conlaurum	2.25
Consolidated Chibougamau	1.35
Dome	55 1/2
Eldorado	1.04
Falconbridge	8.15
God's Lake	1.00
Granada	22
Greene Stabelle	53
Gunnar	1.13
Hardrock	1.95
Hollinger	15.25
Howey	75
Hudson Bay	26 1/2
International Nickel	45.85
Jackson Manion	59
Kirkland Lake	44-47
Lebel Oro	22 1/2
Lake Shore	57.00
Lee Gold	4
Little Long Lac	7.10
Macassa	3.94
Manitoba and East	21
Maple Leaf	24
McIntyre	45.00
McKenzie Red Lake	1.46
McMillan Gold	4 1/2
McVittie G.	29
McWatters	1.38
Mining Corporation	1.10-1.12
Moneta	13-15
Nipissing	2.50
Night Hawk	4 1/2
Noranda	54.00
Omega	64
Pamour	4.10
Paymaster	1.00
Pickle Crow	6.60
Pioneer	10.25
Porcupine Crown	10
Preston East Dome	36
Premier	2.35A
Reag Authier	1.98
Red Lake Goldshore	1.23
Reno	1.25
Robb Montbray	6
San Antonio	2.35
Shawkey	79
Sherritt Gordon	1.14
St. Anthony	23
South Tiblont	5 1/2
Sullivan	1.00
Sudbury Mines	5 1/2
Sudbury Contact	15 1/2
Stadacona	36
Sylvanite	2.48
Teck Hughes	4.80
Toburn	1.30
Ventures	2.00
Wayside	11 1/2
Wright Hargreaves	8.20
White Eagle	3B
Bankfield	67
Bidgood Kirkland	1.95
Canadian Pandora	6 1/2
Casey Contact	6
Casey Summit	27
Central Porcupine	19
De Santis	38
Delnite	50
Forty-four	2.00
Glencra	28
Gillies Lake Porc.	42
Gilsec	6 1/2
Hugh Pam	25
Lamaque	3.50
Leitch	61
Magnet Lake	15
Matachewan Cons.	16
McLeod Cockshutt	3.70

Moffatt Hall New	47	50
Porcupine Creek	100.00	
Porcupine Goldreef	6	7
Sigma	2.60	2.90
Vimy		25
Young Davidson	22	25

Lumbering and Mining Helping Recovery Here

The monthly letter of the Bank of Nova Scotia says—
 "Stimulated by a busy mining industry and some increase in lumbering operations, general conditions in Northern Ontario have shown further improvement. The trend of gold production continues upward and output of copper and nickel has been stepped up in response to a growing export demand. The price of copper has advanced steadily in recent months, and in March was 29 per cent. higher than in March, 1935. The cut of lumber unlike that of Quebec was somewhat larger this winter than last.
 "Construction throughout the province was smaller during the past quarter than during the first quarter of 1935; contracts awarded were \$13,500,000 and \$18,640,000 respectively. A sharp reduction in relief highway work was mainly responsible for the decrease.
 The rigorous winter handicapped retail trade by blocking highways and the late spring has retarded purchases of seasonal merchandise. Nevertheless, retail sales were slightly larger than in the early months of 1935 and with the advent of warmer weather a marked upturn is anticipated."

Calgary Man Thought to Have Record in the Army

Corporal George (Paddy) Moore, staff clerk, has served 42 years in the British army under four sovereigns and believes he will have a service record when he retires next year.
 Last January he celebrated the 21st anniversary of his enlistment with the Canadian army which he joined in the early days of the war. Prior to that he had served 21 years in the Imperial army.

He first became a "soldier of the Queen" in 1893 when he joined the Royal Dublin Fusiliers with headquarters at Nass, Ireland. He remained with the regiment, now disbanded, for the full period of his Imperial army service, serving five years in India, six in South Africa including the full length of the South African War, and briefer periods in Egypt and Malta before completing his time at the regimental depot in Ireland.
 Receiving an honourable discharge in February, 1914, he emigrated to Canada with his family but the outbreak of the war found him joining the 26th Battalion at Hamilton, Ont., in January, 1915. He served in France with the First Canadian Infantry Battalion, C.E.F., and returned to Canada in 1919. Then Corporal Moore transferred to the corps of militia staff clerks, Canadian permanent force, and has remained in Canada since.

Barrie Examiner:—After outlining the sessional indemnities paid to members of the Ontario Legislature, which are \$2000 or \$250 a week, or again \$50 a day, The Stratford Beacon-Herald adds, "The Legislature could do with fewer members, and at lower salaries." And the Beacon-Herald might have added that while they are drawing their \$2000 per session these legislators might devote the necessary time to disposing of the business property instead of staging such a mad scramble to wind up the session before a certain time, frequently placing upon the statute books laws that have been inadequately considered.

Denies that Relief Not Given in North

Hon. D. Croll Claims Story Coming from Haileybury is Misleading.

Elsewhere in this issue will be found a report from Haileybury referring to a family from Hilliard township who claimed they had been refused relief and were in danger of starvation. Word from Toronto says that Hon. David Croll calls the report "misleading." Referring to the Carleton family, Milton Carleton being the head of the family, Hon. Mr. Croll enters a lengthy explanation.
 "The case has been receiving attention from the relief branch since last June," Mr. Croll stated. "At that time, Carleton complained he had been unable to obtain relief from the township. The department immediately instituted an investigation and found the difficulty was one of residence. The family had moved to Hilliard Township shortly before and so did not qualify for relief from Hilliard Township under the one-year residence regulation."
 "The department inspector granted relief immediately to prevent any possibility of hardship, and as usual charged the cost back to the municipality in which the family formerly resided. Subsequently, various officials of the Welfare Department kept in touch with the Carleton case, and supplied clothes last summer to the value of \$62.18. They also appealed to the Red Cross for assistance in improving the house in which the family lived."
 "It is apparent our officials took a personal interest in the welfare of the family, an interest even beyond that required by their jobs. They seem to have gone out of their way in their efforts to solve problems for Carleton."
 "After further investigation, the relief administrator for the district decided there is no prospect of the Carletons ever making a go of it on the land they occupy at present. There is fully three feet of solid moss, not earth or black muck, on that land," the investigator reported in November, "and it would not even grow potatoes, let alone anything else."
 "The head office of the department advised that arrangements be made to have the family moved to more productive land where there would be some prospect of it becoming self-supporting. By December the district administrator had started arrangements, but severe weather prevented immediate action.
 "This spring, arrangements were resumed in March, and the administrator reported Hilliard Township would pay the cost of moving the family, while a suitable home was being provided through the efforts of the Crown timber agent.
 "It was at this point we struck a snag," said Mr. Croll. "The snag was no other than Carleton himself. He refused to move. Hilliard Township decided this was a case where a man preferred to live on unproductive ground and let the relief office look after his family's needs. With some justification they notified him he would be refused further relief after Tuesday, May 5. But our men were on the job to see no snoring ensued.
 "At the time the alleged interview took place, Carleton was still on relief. He had not been forced to sustain his family on rabbits and potatoes for two weeks, nor were the children in danger of starving. They were still living on food provided by the township relief office."
 "Our investigators are at the scene and will attempt to induce Carleton to let us assist his family."

Says Americans Live Like the Grasshoppers To-day

Lorado Taft, of Chicago, well-known sculptor, interrupted work on a miniature art gallery for the schools of the nation on his 76th birthday to comment:
 "Most Americans live like grasshoppers, without thought either for the future or the past.
 "In Europe everything speaks of a past age. But we Americans have forgotten our forebears. We are so concerned with the present that we neither cherish the past nor look to the future, culturally speaking.
 "There is hardly a school child in America who ever is privileged to see even reproductions of the masterpieces of ancient art."
 Mine Rescue Men Praise Work of Salvation Army
 Jack Simpson and George Morrell, Stellarton Draggermen, in company with Norman Sommerville, K.C., chairman of the national council of the Canadian Red Cross Society at Toronto on Monday, visited a large gathering in the Salvation Army Temple, to thank the Army for its services to the rescue workers at Moose River mine. George Morrell, whose brother was trained for officership in the Salvation Army Training College in Toronto, said that the Army's coffee distributed to the rescue workers at the mine was the only good coffee available there and, with Mr. Simpson, said that no words could express their gratitude for the oranges, chocolate bars and other foods liberally distributed.
 Born—to Mr. and Mrs. Eino Wigelius, 7 James street, on May 1st—a son (George Elmer).

Funeral of John Wendt Held at Ottawa on Monday

The following references to the funeral of John Wendt, who died at Timmins last week, is made by The Ottawa Journal on Wednesday of this week:
 "Many residents of New Edinburgh, in which community he had resided for 70 years, and many close friends of the family and of his two sons on the city police force, attended the funeral on Monday of John Wendt, whose death at Timmins, Ont., on Thursday was widely mourned.
 "The service was held at 2.30 o'clock at St. John's Lutheran Church, and Rev. Leo J. Ebinger, the pastor, officiated.
 "Chief mourners were three sons, Constable Albert C. Wendt of the central police station, and Constable A. R. Wendt of the police traffic department and Charles A. Wendt, of the staff of the Ottawa Public School Board, and three daughters, Mrs. Geo. Pettionet, Mrs. Norman Fisher and Miss Florence Wendt, all of Timmins, Ont. Mr. Wendt's wife, formerly Miss Hilda Hupp, died in 1915.
 "The regret of a wide circle was indicated in the numerous floral tributes received. Flowers included those from the Ottawa police department, Principal and staff of Crichton Street Public school, the Burg Community Club, Crichton Street Home and School Club, and the caretakers and maintenance staff of the Ottawa Public schools. Interment was at Beechwood cemetery."
 St. Mary's Journal-Argus:—An Irishman claims to be the world's most unlucky man. He recently was seriously injured in an automobile accident. In the Cork court he was awarded \$300 damages. As he rose to leave the courtroom he tripped, fell and broke a leg.

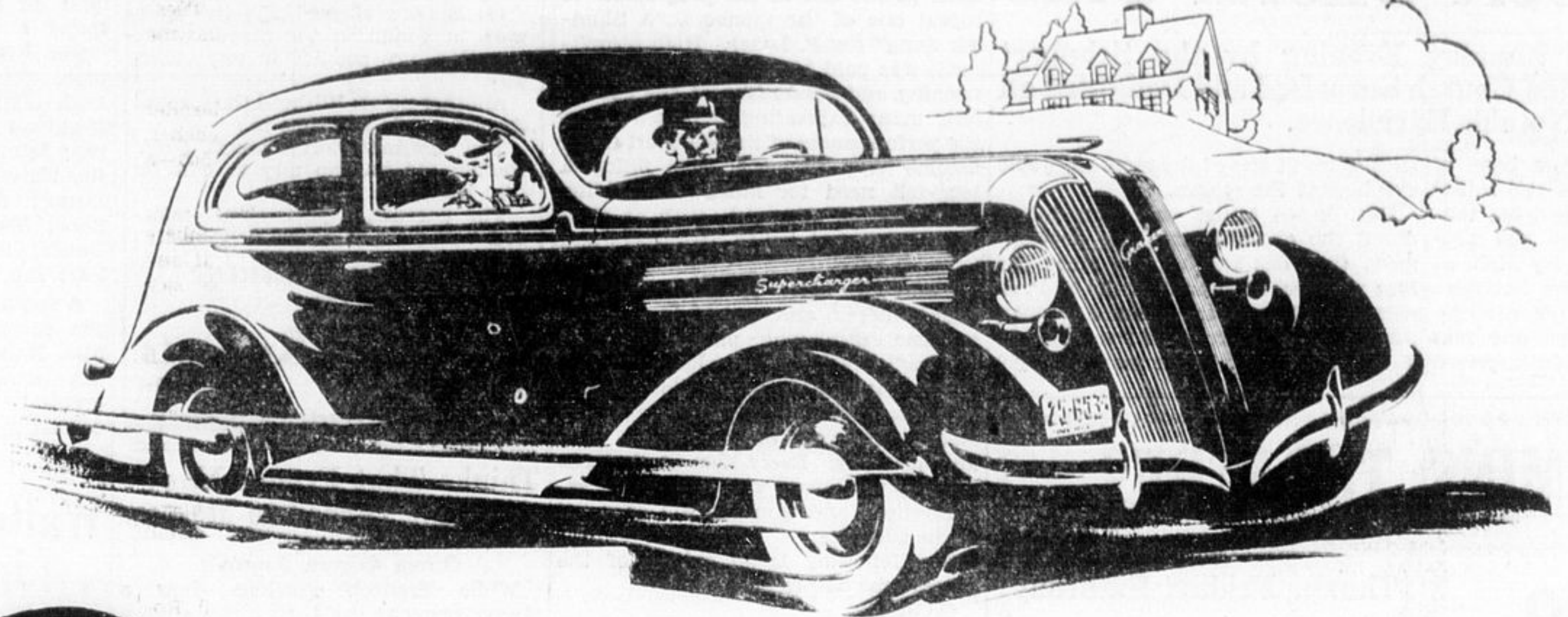
Dionne Quintuplets as Feature of Tour from U.S.

The Dionne quintuplets are listed as one of the main attractions on a special tour to be conducted this summer by the Cooper's Tours and Travel Service, Indianapolis
 A story in the Indianapolis Star states: "A chance to see the famous Dionne quintuplets, as well as visits to thriving cities, historic shrines and beauty spots of scenic grandeur will be provided in a ten-day tour of Eastern Canada leaving Indianapolis July 12th."
 Professor Ralph P. Sparks will personally supervise the tour, which is being conducted on all expense basis. Thirty guests will travel in a new streamlined bus. Reasonable daily mileage, comfortable hotels, the best of food and the maximum of sightseeing will feature the trip.
 According to schedule, the party will arrive in North Bay on the eighth day of the tour, July 20. From here they will go to Callander and Corbel to see the quintts. The night will be spent at North Bay, and the party will leave for the United States in the morning.

Trout Eludes Duck, but Passerby Gets the Both

From Glencoe, Maryland, and not by "Believe It or Not," but by the ordinary despatch channel, comes A. P. Gorsuch's story of how he landed a trout and bagged a duck without casting a line or firing a shot.
 Walking by a stream in his meadow, Gorsuch saw a flying duck dive in the water. A trout, eluding the bird, leaped so energetically it landed on the bank at Gorsuch's feet.
 The duck hit the water so hard it was stunned, Gorsuch easily captured it.

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