#### **New Car Markers** Are Easily Read

Ontario 1939 License Plates Will Have White Numerals On Black Background

TORONTO .- The question of license plate visibility, subject of so many gusty storms of controversy in 1938, appears to have been ush: ered right out of the picture for next year at least, judging by a preview of the 1939 motor vehicle markers given by the Department of Highways here.

The artistic has given way completely to the utilitarian in Ontario's selection of a color scheme for next year's markers, with white serial numbers on a jet black background replacing the current pale blue and paler rose combination. And yet in many respects the new plates are more artistic than any combination of more delicate hues in the past. They are certainly more legible.

Available Much Later Manufactured in the shops of Guelph Reformatory, where their predecessors have been turned out for several years, the new plates will carry the same heavy enamel and high gloss of past markers. Motorists will not likely find 1939 markers available until much later this year than last, he said, and it is intimated the new plates might not be distributed until after Jan. 1.

### Plan New Bridge Below The Falls

Premier Hepburn Says the New Structure to be Built by Ontario and New York

Premier Hepburn said last week that the Falls View bridge, which stretched across the Niagara River below the falls until its collapse early this year, would be replaced by a bridge built by a commission of New York State and the Province of Ontario,

Under no circumstances would Ontario permit the International Railway Company to construct a new honeymoon bridge. The company, which owned the Falls View bridge, has announced its intention of replacing it.

'It's pretty hard to beat a government," Premier Hepburn commented. He said the Government could expropriate the company's property on the Canadian side if it desired.

Negotiations were proceeding between the New York-Ontario commission and the International Railway Company "to make possible the construction of a new bridge by the commission," he added.

His understanding was the negotiations had not reached the stage of settlement.

### Nazi Spy System Seen In Canada

Chief Radio Inspector For Ontario Warns That Germany Is Concentrating A Short-Wave "Radio Spy System" On Us

Warning that Hitler is building tremendous list of "contacts," Sam Ellis, chief radio inspector for Ontario, charges that Germany is concentrating a short-wave "radio spy system" on Canada and the United States.

Under the guise of "greetings to our listeners," two powerful shortwave broadcasts emanate from Berlin daily, he said. On one, the announcer asks for "chatty, newsy" letters; on the other, for entries in a "photographic" contest.

"There is no doubt that Adolf Hitler is operating a radio spy system," Mr. Ellis said. "Anyone who falls for these thinly disguised programs are joining Hitler's sucker

"Hitler's Sucker List" Mr. Ellis warned Canadian radio listeners not to send photographs or "chatty, newsy" letters to Germany, as requested on the two short-wave breadcasts.

"Hitler is obtaining a series of contacts in Canada and the United States," Mr. Ellis declared. "He is also attempting to locate descendants of Germans now living abroad."

#### Sensitive Ears

Philip Shafer, 21, who grew up in Virginia, is writing letters to departments of education in every state of the Union suggesting that teachers stop pulling children's ears. The practice, he says, not only develops an inferiority complex but ruins one's looks. Shafer, who blames his failure to land a salesman's job on his ears, has arranged to have them sewed back.

For plucking feathers from a live chicken, John Chibwe was sentenced to six months' hard labor and ten strokes of the lash in N'dola, South Africa.

Istanbul, Turkey, may ban names for streets and substitute | joiced for all the glorious things

## Sunday School Lesson

LESSON IV

OUR DAY OF REST Exodus 20:8-11; Isaiah 58:13,14: Luke 13:10-17; Galatians 4:8-11; Colossions 2:16; Revelations 1:10 Printed Text, Ex. 20:8-11; Luke 13:10-17.

THE LESSON IN ITS SETTING Time.-The later prophecies of Isaiah were uttered somewhere near 698 B.C. The incident recorded in Luke's Gospel occurred in December, A.D. 29. The epistle to the Galatians was written A.D. 60; the epistle to the Colossians A.D. 64; and the book of Revelation A.D. 90 or A.D. 95.

Place.—The incident recorded in Luke's Gospel occurred in Peraea on the eastern side of the Jordan River. Galatia was a large province in Asia Minor at the time Paul wrote. The city of Colossae was located in the southern part of Asia Minor; the island of Patmos is located in the Aegean Sea opposite the south-western coast of Asia

8. Remember the sabbath day, to keep it holy. The Fourth Commandment is distinct from others in a number of ways. In the preceding three commandments, man as it were, is spoken to individually as regards his relationships to God. In the last six comandments he is spoken to as a member of society, regarding his relationships to other people. In the Fourth Commandment both of these ideas are found

The word "Sabbath" is from a root meaning to break off, or to desist, and, therefore, originally, simply meant a time of cessation from

9. Six days shalt thou labor, and do all thy work. It is generally forgotten in reciting or speaking about the seventh day that there is as distinct a command here to work as there is to cease from

10. But the seventh day is a sabbath unto Jehovah thy God; in it thou shalt not do any work, thou, nor thy son, nor thy daughter, thy man-servant, nor thy maid-servant, nor thy cattle, nor thy stranger that is within thy gates. Rest and dedication to God are the properties here assigned to the Sabbath.

11. For in six days Jehovah made heaven and earth, the sea, and all that in them is, and rested the seventh day: wherefore Jehovah blessed the sabbath day, and hallowed it. The reference here is to Gen.

To work and to rest alternately, with a certain average proportion of time devoted to each, is prescribed to man by the conditions of his physical well-being. To attain the ends of his existence upon earth and maintain his powers in healthful exercise, a large amount of labor, with certain intervals for rest intercalated in the time devoted to labor, is universally indispensable.

But, if we are agreed that the Sunday is to be a day of rest, it is still more essential for us to understand that it must be a holy not an

Luke 13:10-17. 10. And he was teaching in one of the synagogues on the sabbath day. No man is ever so good or so wise that he can afford to remain away from church. We here discover that the Lord was acknowledged to be one worthy of expounding the Scriptures in the

11. And hebold, a woman that had a spirit of infirmity eighteen years; and she was bowed together, and could in no wise lift herself up. 12. And when Jesus saw her, he called her, and said to her, Woman, thou art loosed from thine infirmtly. 13. And he laid his hands upon her: and immediately she was made straight, and glorified God. From him (through the laying on of hands) there streamed into her the currents of a new life, so that the bands, spiritual and bodily, by

which she was held, were loosened. 14. And the ruler of the synagogue, being moved with indignation because Jesus had healed on the sabbath, answered and said to the multitude. There are six days in which men ought to work: in them therefore come and be healed, and not on the day of the sabbath. He was one of those Pharisees who was a stickler for the strict legalistic interpretation of the law according to the traditions of the fa-

15. But the Lord answered him, and said, Ye hypocrites, doth not each one of you on the sabbath loose his ox or his ass from the stall, and lead him away to watering? 16. And ought not this woman, being a daughter of Abraham, whom Satan had bound, lo, these eighteen years, to have been loosed from this bond on the day of the sabbath? Jesus asks two questions. the answers to which are beyond question. The argument is cumulative: the woman, a human being, over against the ox and the ass.

mere beasts. 17. And as he said these things, all his adversaries were put to shame: and all the multitude reGoodbye "Invisible" Plates



Margaret Gillies shows the difference between this year's "invisible" Ontario license plates and the new 1939 reflecting markers. The new plates are made with a white on black color scheme. Experimentally, thousands of tiny glass crystals have been blown into the paint to reflect light and make them visible at a great distance and at night. Doctors' cars only will use the experimental plates till they have been proved efficacious. Then we may all have them on our cars.

#### Housing Loans Show Increase

The Department of Finance has announced loans under the National Housing Act in September totalled \$1.240.695, providing housing accommodation for 338 families. compared with \$552,450 for 134 families in September last year.

Contrary to the seasonal trend in 1936 and 1937, when operations for September showed a marked drop compared with August, total loans for September this year exceeded August by \$209,291, an increase of 20 per cent. Loans up to September 30 totalled \$23,426,259, providing housing accommodation for 5,911 families in 215 communities throughout the Dominion. None In Alberta

Total loans by provinces up to September 30 and number of units in brackets follow: Prince Edward Island \$59,634 (11); Nova Scotia \$1,698,563 (395); New Brunswick \$465,627 (109); Quebec \$5,993,281 (1,308); Ontario \$11,073,676 (2,844); Manitoba \$745,583 (173); Saskatchewan \$18,100 (5); Alberta, nil; British Columbia \$3,371,795 (1,066).

LIFE'S LIKE THAT

SIS:

Are You Listening? By FREDDIE TEZ

**CBS VARIETY PROGRAM** Jack Haley, jovial singing comedian inaugurated his own variety program over the Columbia network on Friday, October 14; (WABC-CBS, 7.30 to 8.00 p.m., EST). He was supported by Lucille Ball, young screen commedienne who starred opposite the Marx Brothers in their current film success; Virginia Verrill, bewitching blues singer, and Ted Figrito's Orchestra. Haley is a Bostonian, born and bred. Broadway success blazed a

trail to Hollyfor him. and his brilliant portrayal of the ambitious but mike-struck singer in the Winchell-Bernie vehicle "Wake Up and Live", led to ra-Jack Haley dio stardom.

RADIO CONVENIENCES Rogers new 1939 "Super-Value" Radios contribute many new features for convenience, including easier, quicker and more accurate tuning—but most important is their exclusive six individual spread-band dials. Only one dial is visible at a time on this new Canadian radio so that there can be no question as to what band is being tunde. This is an innovation in radio sets-just as Rogers was the first successful batteryless radio in the world! "SILVER THEATRE"

Margaret Sullavan, one of the leading emotional actresses of

Since Stone Age

Prehistoric Industry of Chipping

and Fashioning Pieces Con-

tinues in Britain after 10,000

It may seem strange that there

should still be carried on in the

heart of rural England that prehis-

toric industry of flint knapping. The

chipping and fashioning of flints

into implements and weapons is an

art which is said to date back to

the Stone Age, to have had its or-

The center of the British indus-

try is now, as apparently it always

has been, at Brandon in Suffolk,

writes a correspondent of "The

One wonders if it is a freak in-

By Fred Neher

dustry and kept going only for

sentimental reasons. However,

Christian Science Monitor."

igin possibly 10,000 years ago.

Flint Knapping

Years.

Miss Sullavan

was supported by

a large cast of

well known Hol-

lywood actors

and actresses.

Miss Sullavan's

leading success

on the stage in

recent years was

as the star of

"Stage Door."

Her best known

movies have in-

"Shopworn An-

gel", So Red the

"Three

cluded

BOWES TROPHY

A miniature death mask of Na-

poleon, taken from an original

which was made in 1834, is the

latest addition to the unique col-

lection of miniatures which form

part of the Major Bowes exhibit

in the Chrysler Building in New

York. Smallest items in the collec-

tion are four animals, a panda, a

leopard, an elephant and a bear,

each carved out of a peach pit

Musical instruments exhibited in-

clude a Dutch silver violin scarce-

ly three inches long and a wooden

violin, with case, five inches in

flint knapping is still a commercia

undertaking and is a means of live-

lihood. There is no competition

and, indeed, the knappers lament

that they cannot keep pace with

There are many parts of the

world where flints are still requir-

ed, and each year more than 100,-

000 specially worked gun flints are

exported to the tropics. They go

mostly to the traders at Lagos, on

the west coast of Africa, or else

to China or Malaya, and the trad-

ers in turn barter them to the na-

The natives use these flints ei-

ther to cause the spark and ignite

the powder in an old flintlock gun

or else to give the spark in an old

To Cooking On This Continent

When Wood-Burning Fire-

places Were In General

For two centuries American

homes were dependent for both

cooking and heating on wood-burn-

ing fireplaces, writes Thomas Ham-

ilton Ormsbee in "American Col-

lector." Andirons were essential

and must have been part of the

necessary equipment brought over

by the first settlers, although no

specific mention is made of them.

We do find in the inventory of Gov-

ernor Winthrop's estate, dated Feb-

ruary 17, 1649, "2 pairs andirons-

one pound, ten shillings." Four

years later a list of the household

furnishings of Captain Tyng, of

Boston, includes "a great paire of

Just when andirons were first

made in the American colonies is

hard to say, but those of wronght

iron were probably produced for

local needs almost as soon as the

first blacksmiths set up their for-

Night Watch

SASKATOON. - Herb Buckle,

jeweler, doesn't know why, but

he's observed that one-third of the

watches brought in for repairs

have stopped between 12 midnight

and 3 o'clock in the morning; also

his business picks up immediately

after a thunderstorm.

Brass andirons.'

Were Essential

tinger-dux used for me lighting.

**Andirons Once** 

the orders.

Margaret

Sullavan

Rose", and

Now."

Comrades,"

"Little Man What

both stage and screen, brought

her remarkable talents to the

radio when she took the starring

role in the "Silver Theatre" pro-

duction heard over the Columbia

network, Sunday, October 9th.

(WABC-CBS, 6.00 to 6.30 p.m.,

Prison Terms in Ontario Are Not Thought So Serious

Provincial Secretary Harry Nixon

said last week the prison farm near the Northern Ontario mining centre of Sudbury gradually was becoming an "Alcatraz" because of the recent plan of sending the more serious "repeaters" there. The farm population now is at an all-time high of 670.

"For instance," he said, "the other day near Hamilton a man was given quite a heavy sentence for 'cutting in' on the road. Formerly he would have got off. Sentences also have been stiffened against vagrants and stiffer sentences also are being given for offences under the Highway Traffic Act and under the Criminal Code for drunken dri-

#### **Arctic Outpost** Of Greenland

Thule Is 350 Miles North of the Arctic Circle-Population 311, Ruled By Denmark

Thule, Greenland, one of the world's northernmost permanent settlements, about 350 miles north of the Arctic Circle, now is for the first time under the direct control of the Danish government, which holds sovereign rights over all of Greenland, and has actively governed much of the coast.

Bigger Prison **Population With** Stiffer Penalties

Being Given More Often Now for Offences Formerly

TORONTO.-The new policy of seeking imposition of heavier sentences and prison terms for offences formerly not regarded so seriously is converting the big provincial industrial farm at Burwash into the "Alcatraz" of Ontario.

Nixon said the increased prison population should occasion no alarm since it arose from imposition of more severe terms.



Arthur W. Roebuck, K.C., former member of the Hepburn Cabinet, who, it is rumored may retire from provincial politics and seek a seat in the Federal House.

Thule is a village of about 311 inhabitants, nearly all Eskimos, situated on the southern shore of Wolstenholme Fjord off Baffin Bay, says the National Geographic Society. Discovered By Rasmussen

Since its discovery by the Dan ish explorer, Knud Rasmussen, on the first Thule expedition in 1912-'13, it has been under an autonomous government by native hunters. The explorer set up this local government, a system that until the recent action of the Danish government was successfully operated in the remote Arctic outpost.

While Thule's population growth has not been impressive, the village has become important as a trading and missionary station for a vast region of northwestern Greenland and the headquarters and starting point for several important Arctic expeditions.

Chile will permit the importation of wheat only under Government licence.

# National Insignia

Answer to Previous Puzzle

HORIZONTAL 1 Coat of arms GEHRINGER CARET 11 Bay window. pictured here. 6 Its president

described as 13 To relieve 14 Assembly. 16 Uncommon

17 Spasmodic twitchings 18 Common liquid. 19 Dress ornament 20 Drunkards 22 Measure.

23 Pomace of grapes. 24 Velvet-black mineral. 25 Soft food.

27 Before. 29 Every. 34 Composition

for nine instruments

42 Derby. 44 Thought, 46 Proverb. 47 Kind of lettuce. 49 Like an oaf. 52 Hat material. 32 Social insect. 55 Minister's

56 Wrath. 57 Its president. 10 Genus of

ENERGY Y HITTER 38 Greater slope.58 Coffee is its 41 Pardises. chief ---43 To twist and

VERTICAL 1 Wager. 2 To lift up. 4 Relish. 5 Legal rule. 6 To love to

3 Kind of cravat 39 Pastry

excess. 7 Goddess of 8 Auto. 9 Alms box.

ELL IDEA 15 To pant. 23 To renovate 26 Work of skill 28 Rodent.

31 Threatening 35 Queer. 37 Sound of

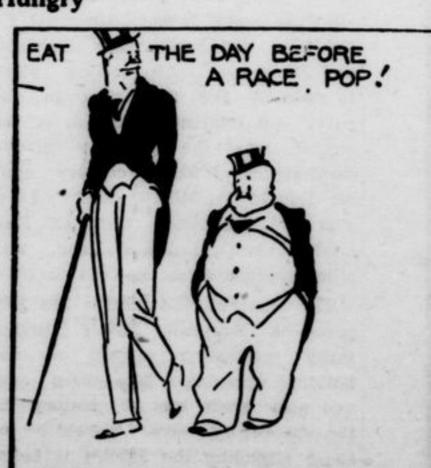
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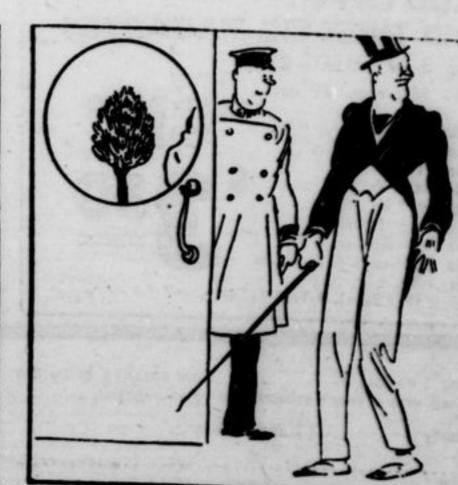
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POP-When Beast and Man Go Hungry

"Do you think you could do anything with Towser?"









By J. MILLAR WATT

THE DAY AFTER!

Britain A Dem

Southwestern Export to As Markets Held up for

time due to the

export movemen

ples from Sout fruit belt has re ber of carloads ham, Port Lam mays the Windso While the app whole has been some fairly larm prime grade frui in Essex, Kent a ties at present. Pippins, Kings, J Greenings are on

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Hemisphe Biggest World's !

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Aviation In Canada

and African at 3,2003

3,000,000 More M In Commercial 1937 Than in 193

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The principal activit cial aircraft in Canad year 1937 was the cal mining fields in the parts of the country. carried consisted large inery and supplies for porthern part of Que new mining areas have ed up in the Northwest due to the introduction transportation, and mi rich in mineral wealth within a few hours Hyll large centres of popul tered throughout most ing country of the Nor erous lakes which prof landing for aircraft w summer and with skis

Apart from its impo means of transporting supplies to remote m the airplane is used t in Canada for forest fir work and in mapping.

Would Fence All Race

Inquiry Into Death dale Fair Brings R dation From Judge

LONDON, - A recor that "all race tracks b least from the turn into until the turn past t stand on both sides" was by a Coroner's jury inc the death of Beverley 65, prominent Ilderton business man, who was the Thorndale Fair when a running horse during "We have to provide f

ure safety of the publi tend these fairs," Chief C A. R. Routledge told the will have accidents unl protection is given. If been fencing at the track have controlled the runni

4-23 FRED NEHER.