

Theatrical

At The Allen. Winthrop Chase, Sr., is making a fight for the office of mayor of Hardiston. James T. Hollow, backed by Congressman Amos Carell, is his opponent.

RAILWAY AID GIVEN BY HOUSE

To Carry Out the Government's Liability for Taking Over The Control.

London, July 22.—Supplementary estimates to the amount of sixty-two million pounds brought down by Sir Robert Home, chancellor of the exchequer, have been submitted by the house of commons.

RT. REV. FELIX CONTURIA BISHOP OF ALEXANDRIA

Has Been Missionary for 15 Years; Served as Chaplain in War.

Cornwall, July 22.—Very Rev. George Corbett, administrator of the diocese, has received a letter from Rt. Rev. Felix Conturia, O.B.E., informing him that the Holy Father had communicated to his lordship on June 13th his order that he had appointed him Bishop of Alexandria, Ontario.

HAD A CLOSE CALL

Mrs. Charles Haines Fell Under Feet of Horse.

Northbrook, July 21.—The heavy rain of the 18th and 19th has accomplished wonders in this vicinity. Berries are fairly plentiful but hold from \$1.50 to \$1.75 per bushel.

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CARELESSNESS MARKS WAR GRAVES

Finding Last Resting Places Opened and Empty.

London, Eng., July 22.—In connection with their request for a hearing by Premier Meighen, the correspondents some weeks ago mentioned the feeling held by some Canadians that the Canadian war graves in France and Flanders should be administered by Canadians instead of being handed over to the Imperial War Graves Commission.

KING AND QUEEN HOLD FUNCTION

Shake Hands With 2,000 People at Royal Garden Party.

London, July 22.—King George and Queen Mary gave a garden party at Buckingham palace to some 4,000 guests Thursday.

The spacious lawns presented a brilliant scene. All the members of the Royal family were present. The function was attended by the various foreign ambassadors and ministers, the dominion premiers, Indian notables, members of the government, and others.

The gowns worn by the women were rather more subdued than those seen at Ascot and the Henley regatta. Most of the skirts were longer than those lately considered fashionable.

STEAMER DISABLED

Said Some Twelve of the Crew Are Severely Injured.

San Francisco, July 22.—The steamer Admiral Farragut is disabled twelve miles north of San Francisco light ship by an explosion of her main feed pipe, according to word received here early to-day.

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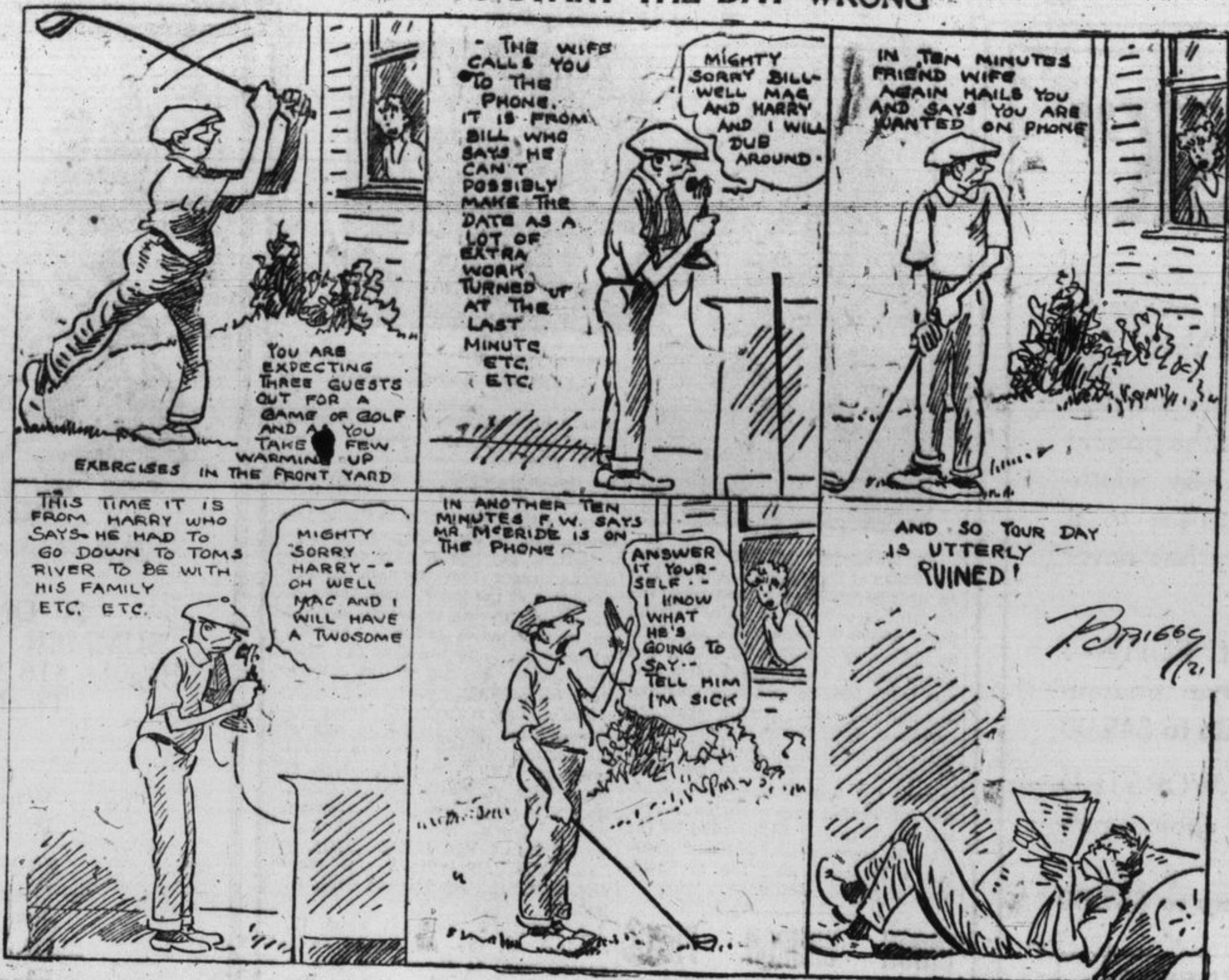
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BUYING BOOM HAS BEGUN IN EARNEST

Retailers Said to be Preparing for Big Trade This Fall.

New York, July 22.—The buying boom is on. Retailers, throughout the country, are staking thousands that business will take a jump in the fall, are laying in big stocks for the first time in the year.

"Business is bound to take a leap upward," Alfred Santl, buyer for large department stores from San Francisco to Boston, told the United Press today.

"Garment retailers I represent, are placing huge orders. The demand has taken such a sudden upward trend in the last few weeks that we have been forced to double our staff."

"There is no doubt that the public will make a big demand for necessities in September and October. For the last few years many merchants have feared to lay in new stocks in huge quantities and have been selling what they had on hand. But now they are convinced that we have traversed a few miles on that road back to normalcy and are preparing for the rush."

"There's going to be a business jubilation in the fall and it's time the boys were getting on the bandwagon."

Encouraging Signs.

Chicago, July 22.—A return to near normal buying in nearly all lines of merchandise is marking sessions of the semi-annual buying convention here, buyers said today.

Purchases are exceptionally heavy in woollen goods, it was said, indicating no decline of prices is expected in wool commodities this fall.

INSIST UPON SENDING ADDITIONAL TROOPS

The Silesian Issue is Still Regarded as Being Decidedly Critical.

Paris, July 22.—The French controversy which has arisen over the demand by France that Allied reinforcements be sent to Upper Silesia, is still regarded by the French press in the light of a crisis.

It is understood that Premier Briand, after a meeting of his ministers to-day, will reiterate to President Millerand his position and insist upon the necessity of sending additional troops.

Berlin, July 22.—In Silesia France will be responsible if the Polish insurrection breaks out in Upper Silesia, declares Minister of the Interior Grandauer, in a statement published by Tageblatt to-day.

The speedy decision regarding Upper Silesia can avert a disaster," the minister says. "The situation in Upper Silesia is critical. A Polish insurrection can only break out if France desires it, and brings it about."

Col. E. W. Hubbell, Ottawa, is in the Peace River district, in command of a survey party.

FIELD CROP COMPETITION

Prize Winners Announced by Kingston Industrial Fair Association.

The results of the field crop competition, held under the auspices of the Kingston Industrial Agricultural Association, were announced on Friday morning by R. J. Bushell.

J. D. Morris, 91 points, prize \$20; D. C. Rogers, 89 points, prize \$15; A. E. Weiler, 88 points, prize \$12; Edward Hunter, 85 1/2 points, prize \$10; James Henderson, 82 points, prize \$8; Edward Bradden, 81 1/2 points, prize \$6; M. J. Fowler, 81 points, prize \$4; Thomas Doyle, 80 1/2 points, no prize.

F. A. Comerford of East Hastings, who was the judge in the competition, states that the oat crop in general in Frontenac, is the best of any of the counties in Ontario.

This field competition has created much interest among the farmers of this community, and their enthusiasm has resulted in more energy being put forth for greater results. The competition is one of the many features of the Kingston Industrial Fair to assist in greater production.

SUGAR ON THE DROP

But Wholesalers Think It Has Reached Bottom.

Sugar has taken a big drop during the past few weeks. On Friday morning it was selling for \$7.96 a hundred pounds, at the wholesale houses here. The price was quoted in Montreal as \$7.60, freight expenses making the difference. The price dropped seventy-five cents a hundred last week and forty cents so far this week.

Some of the local dealers think that it has reached its lowest level and do not see any further reduction in sight. Large consignments of Cuban sugar arriving at New York and purchased at a low price are said to be the cause of the slump in prices.

WERNER HORNE IS OUT OF PRISON

He Was Given Ten Years For Seeking to Damage Railway Bridge.

Ottawa, July 22.—The government has ordered the release from the penitentiary of Werner Horne, who tried to blow up the International Bridge at Dorchester, N.B., during the war, and who on October 31st, 1919, was sentenced to ten years on a charge of endangering life and property by damaging a railway bridge.

The Werner Horne case will be well remembered. It caused considerable sensation during the early years of the war. Horne was arrested in the United States and has spent six years in American and Canadian prisons.

Some time ago penitentiary surgeons testified that he was insane and it was on this ground that his release was granted. He must, however, be returned to his own country, Germany, immediately upon his release.

FIFTIETH ANNIVERSARY

W. J. Keeley, Sr., Has Been Very Heartily Congratulated.

W. J. Keeley, the veteran jeweller and engraver, Brook street, is receiving congratulations from numerous friends on the occasion of his fiftieth wedding anniversary. Mr. and Mrs. Keeley were married on July 11th, 1871, and have resided continuously in Kingston ever since. In addition to carrying on business as a watchmaker, jeweller and engraver, a profession in which he stood high as an efficient and conscientious workman, he for many years was an enterprising and gave of his best in every musical effort of importance in the city. They have the best wishes of their many friends throughout the city.

The problem of the amalgamation of ex-service men's organizations in Canada occupied the attention of an impromptu conference in Ottawa this morning.

BRITISH PREMIERS IN CONFERENCE AT DOWNING STREET



This photograph of the delegates to the imperial conference and members of their staffs was taken in the courtyard of No. 10 Downing street, the official residence of Premier Lloyd George. Seated from left to right they are: Rt. Hon. E. S. Montague, secretary of state for India; Rt. Hon. A. J. Balfour, the Maharajah of Cutch, Premier Massey of New Zealand, Premier Meighen of Canada, Premier Lloyd George, Premier Hughes of Australia, Premier Smuts of South Africa, Lord Curzon, secretary of state for foreign affairs, and Srinivasa Sartri of India. Directly behind Premier Hughes stands Sir E. R. Bowring, high commissioner in London for Newfoundland, who is representing that colony in the absence of its premier.

SPORTING NEWS

BASEBALL ON THURSDAY.

International League. Buffalo 7, Toronto 5. Reading 5, Newark 4. Rochester 6-7, Syracuse 2-9.

American League. Cleveland 17, New York 3. Detroit 7, Washington 2. St. Louis 8, Boston 1. Chicago 2, Philadelphia 1.

National League. Philadelphia 8, Chicago 1. Brooklyn 2, St. Louis 1.

With the Bowlers.

At the bowling green Thursday evening, the following skips won: Skip J. F. McMillan from Skip M. Mahanah, 14-10. Skip C. C. Hodgins from F. Crozier, 14-12. Skip R. F. Sparks from Skip F. S. Evanson, 14-11.

In the series of doubles, W. H. Montgomery won from A. Treadgold, 12 to 10.

The rinks were: J. Boyd, W. Jackson, J. Chatterton; J. F. McMillan, skip.

S. Driver, F. Conway, J. McFarlane; M. Mahanah, skip.

C. S. Creer, R. N. McFarlane, G. Vanhorne; F. Crozier, skip.

J. H. Hoppes, J. A. Lemmon, H. F. Price; C. C. Hodgins, skip.

Dr. Knapp; G. A. Bateman, W. H. Dyde; Dr. R. F. Sparks, skip.

T. Lambert, R. Stevenson, G. Lawes; F. S. Evanson, skip.

Driving Club Event Monday.

The Kingston Gentlemen's Driving and Motoring Club have planned to make Monday, civic holiday, the greatest sporting event ever held in Kingston. The programme of races will contain the fastest horses in Ontario and all of the classes will be fully represented, in fact, the day will bring together the biggest aggregation of fast harness horses that lovers of the sport could wish to see.

Already the names of some well known horses have been announced but while there will be fast company undoubtedly, some surprises are expected and new records will be made. In addition to the races there will be a championship baseball match between Verona and Wolfe Island, the two leading teams in the county league. They are now standing equal and this game will be bitterly fought. Both teams have a large following of supporters. These teams are playing high class ball and will put on a game that for speed and cleverness cannot be excelled.

New York Takes Lead.

Extra inning battles were fought in three of the four American league contests on Wednesday, while in the fourth New York wrested the leadership of the league from the Cleveland world's champions in easy fashion.

Staff-Sgt. Haunts, late of the Royal Engineers and London police force, champion wrestler of the London Metropolitan police force, met Morrow, the wrestler. At the end of three minutes Mr. Haunts had the champion tied up like a sheet, according to some of the spectators, and then he held his man with one hand, showing his wonderful wrestling ability.

INCIDENTS OF THE DAY.

Local Items Picked Up by Our Busy Reporters.

Harry Hawkins was the week-end visitor at William Trousdale's, Sydenham.

Pastor A. Anderson, formerly of McBain, Que., has assumed pastoral duties of the Pentecostal Tabernacle.

There will be no mail delivery in Kingston on Monday (civic holiday). The public wicket will be open from 8 till 10 a.m.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Fisher, Rochester, N. Y., have been spending their vacation in Sydenham at the home of William Trousdale.

Through a technical error in the laying of information, Frank Wilson, alias McCarthy, Toronto, escaped a three-year sentence in Kingston penitentiary today and will serve ninety days. The charge was common assault when it should have been aggravated assault.

Memorial Service in Smith's Falls. A memorial service will be held in Smith's Falls Methodist church Sunday evening for the late Richard Kerfoot and George Frederick McKim. The pastor, Rev. Mr. Ellis, will be assisted by two close personal friends of the deceased, who will bear tribute to their associations with them, Judge H. A. Lavell, Kingston, and Inspector R. C. Rose, Carleton Place.

Funeral of Mrs. Cooper. The funeral of the late Mrs. Jeannine Cooper took place from her late residence, Earl street, at Catarqui cemetery on Friday. The casket was banked with beautiful floral tributes from many friends and the religious service was conducted by Adjutant Goodhue of the Salvation Army.

The most narrow-minded man in the world is the fellow who covers his meanness by announcing that he is broad-minded.