



M-A-N



It is man's nature to love the best for being the best—he hails the champion—he likes to own the one article that is the very best of its kind.

The New Improved Gillette is the best razor that money can buy.

A 75% improvement on the previous best—the old-type Gillette—and way out ahead of all other razors—it delights his pride.

It is the best.

You cannot give him more. He knows it.

GIVE HIM

The New Improved

Gillette

This Christmas

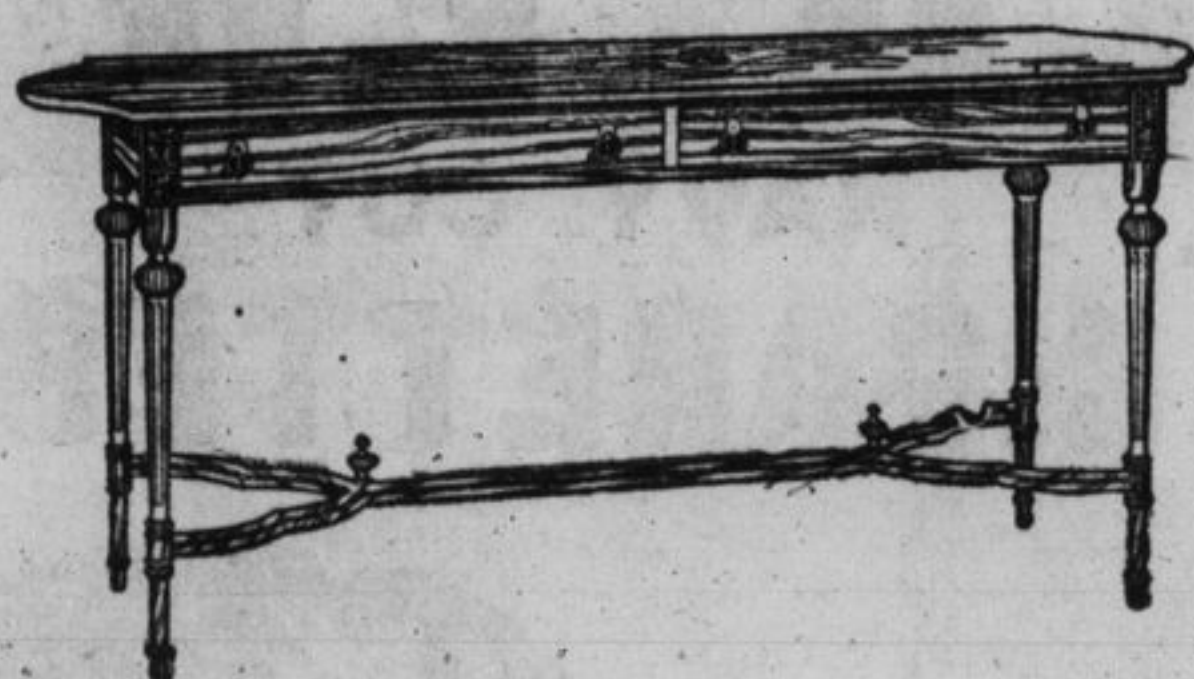
MACDONALD'S HONEY-SUCKLE

2 for 25¢



BRIGHT CHEWING

Furniture Specially Priced



- Chesterfield Tables \$37.00 to \$65.00
 - Living Room Tables, in Oak \$10.50 to \$50.00
 - 3 Chesterfield Sets (3 pieces to set), worth \$175, for .. \$130.00
 - Extension Couches (best made) \$11.75
 - Davenport \$23.00
- The largest assortment in Tapestry, Leathers and Velours.



- Jardinere Stands \$1.50 up
 - Pedestals \$4.50 to \$22.00
 - Costumers \$4.50 to \$15.00
- Work Tables in latest Period designs.

Ferneries and Fern Baskets in Mahogany, Oak and Rattan.

ROBT. J. REID

LEADING UNDERTAKER,

PHONE 577.

HINTS FOR THE MOTORIST
by **ALBERT L. CLOUGH**
Double Clutching

MANY MOTORISTS, who can change from a lower to a higher gear with the utmost "alacrity," have trouble in making the change from third to second speed, when this is required in severe hill climbing, being unable to mesh the second speed gears without severe clashing or without letting the car lose too much speed. In most cases this difficulty can be removed if the operator will practice the operation of double clutching, which is nothing more than a "trick" for bringing the two second speed gears to the same speed before meshing them and is as follows: Assume the car is on third speed, throw out the clutch, shift into neutral, re-engage the clutch, speed the engine somewhat by a touch on the accelerator, throw out the clutch, throw the lever into second speed and let in the clutch. This sounds complicated, but it can be done in a "jiffy" and almost instinctively after a little practice. If the engine and the clutch shaft gears are speeded up by the right amount, (which experience will soon indicate) the change can be made almost instantly and without a sound or appreciable loss of car speed. Double-clutching is equally applicable in making a quick and silent change from second to first speed, without letting the car come to rest, the only difference being that in making this change the engine must be speeded considerably faster.

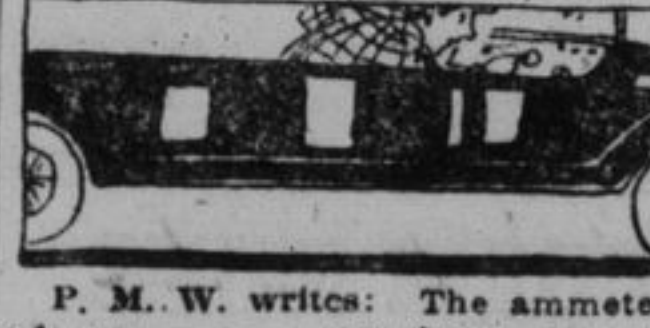
OIL PRESSURE FAILS AT LOW SPEEDS



R. W. writes: The gauge, on the cowl of my car, indicates no pressure until the car is speeded up to 35 m. p. h. What is the cause of this?

Answer: Either there is no appreciable oil pressure developed at the lower speeds or else your gauge is out of order. You might try another gauge in place of your present one and settle this latter point. You can determine if the pump is moving oil by opening the system somewhere on the delivery side of it and observing whether oil flows out, when the engine is idled. If no oil is circulated, it may be because the filter screen is partly stopped up or because there is an air-leak in the pump suction, which is sufficient to prevent pump action except at high speed. If oil is circulated, but no appreciable pressure is raised, it may be that the oil delivery system is disarranged so that the discharge is directed back to the crank-case and not through bearings, in which case the flow resistance necessary to create pressure in the system, is not developed. The breakage or disconnection of a flow pipe will bring about this condition, which involves the danger of burned out bearings.

ERRATIC GENERATOR



P. M. W. writes: The ammeter of my car shows normal charge rate for the first two or three miles of driving and then suddenly indicates a discharge of 10 amperes, regardless of engine speed. It will only become normal again after engine speed has been reduced for some time nearly to the stopping point. What occasions this?

Answer: Your generator is equipped with a thermostatic device to control the charging rate, which automatically introduces a resistance coil into the field circuit, when the temperature of the generator rises above a certain point. This coil is cut into circuit by a thermostatic bar, which opens a pair of contacts, that are closed, while the apparatus is cool. If this field resistance coil becomes burned out, when the generator gets heated, by having run for a while, the contacts open, which interrupts field circuit and "kills" the generator, with the result that charging will take place when the generator is cool, but will cease when it heats up. When it cools down again, charging will be resumed. You better see if this resistance is not open-circuited and have it replaced, as soon as you ascertain and correct whatever caused it to burn out.

Questions of general interest to the motorist will be answered by Mr. Clough in this column, space permitting. If an immediate answer is desired, enclose self-addressed, stamped envelope.

BOXING COMMISSIONS.

Are Said to Have Gone Too Far in Their Proceedings.

By Henry L. Farrell. Perhaps the French Boxing Federation is more generally recognized in France than the New York commission is in this country and even in its own state.

When the French ring salons took Battling Siki's titles away from him and suspended him for nine months from all activities in the ring, it was perhaps accepted as official in France—because the French wanted it that way.

Getting down to common sense, it must be a new day when a ring champion can be legislated out from under his crown. It has never been done before and if this case becomes an established precedent there is no telling where it will end.

It is not to be denied that Siki should have been disciplined for striking the manager of another boxer in the ring, but the French should have started the "training" of what they now call a savage as soon as he beat Carpentier.

Instead of hailing him as a hero grand and allowing him all kinds of liberties, the French people should have discouraged him from seeking a place on their level if they did figure that he was not fit company for them.

Giving him ninety days suspension was fit punishment for the offense, but the attempt to take his titles away from him is silly.

As Jack McAuliffe says—"The only way to get a title is to smack someone on the chin and the only way to lose one is to get smacked."

Officially, Johnny Wilson and Johnny Kilbane are not world's champions by the ruling of the New York boxing commission. Officially Siki is not the world's light heavy-weight champion and the European heavyweight champion.

But ask anyone in the street who are the champions in those classes.

French people always go to extremes: They were not content when they got Siki down and they are trying to keep him down.

When he appeared on Armistice Day in the uniform of the Algerian Rifles, an outfit with which he served for four years, he was arrested. That savors persecution and persecution has no place in sportsmanship.

Many explanations are being made that Siki's color had nothing to do with it. Maybe not. However, if Georges Carpentier had done the same thing when he was in all his glory it's a hundred to one shot that he never would have been disciplined.

The New York boxing commission was quick to back up the actions of the French body in giving Siki the gate in barring him from this country. In this the august New York body is anything but consistent.

During the last fight between Jack Britton and Ted Lewis, Britton went over to the Lewis corner and took a hefty swing on the jaw of one of Ted's seconds. Everyone, including the commissioners, thought it was a good joke.

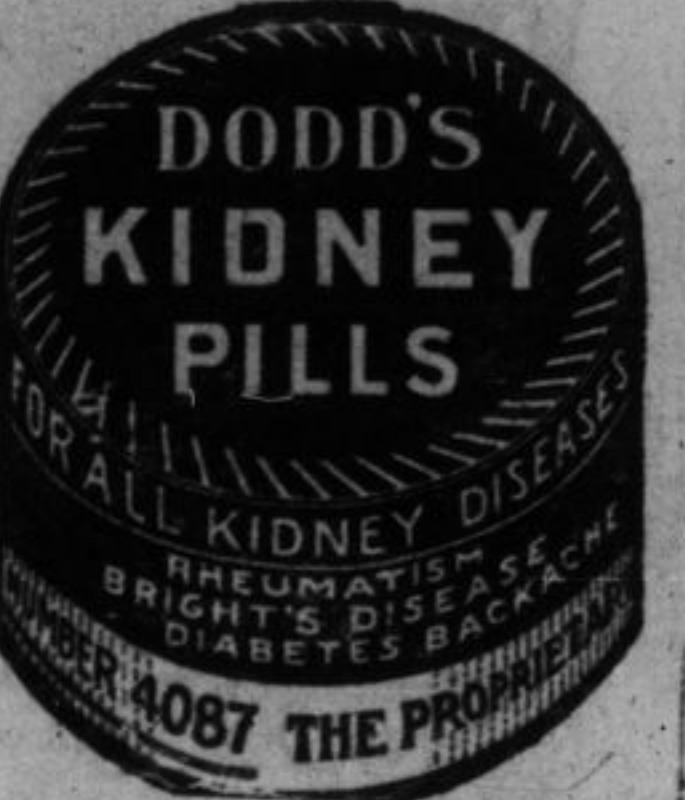
small club, in which one of the boys in the Johnny Keyes-Jimmy Kelly stables was given a draw, someone entered the dressing room and gave Referee Artie McGovern a terrible beating. Nothing has been done about it.

The commission has always maintained that it must support its officials. If that is support, refereed in the future will have to go about in armor plate.



CANADA'S FINEST ATHLETE
Lionel Conacher, aged twenty-two years, has excelled in football (he is captain of the Argonauts), hockey, lacrosse, baseball, boxing and wrestling. He has just refused \$5,000 a year to become a professional hockey player.

Who Won for Queen's?
The Hamilton Spectator says: Judging by the difference of opinion as to who was really the star on the Queen's team last Saturday the question "Who won the war?" will have to make way for "who won for Queen's?"



Dressed Spruce

New stocks of select grades from the best mills in Quebec and New Brunswick.

ALLAN LUMBER CO.

VICTORIA STREET. Phone 1042.

Internal and External Pains are promptly relieved by DR THOMAS' ECLECTIC OIL

THAT IT HAS BEEN SOLD FOR NEARLY FIFTY YEARS AND IS TO-DAY A GREATER SELLER THAN EVER BEFORE IS A TESTIMONIAL THAT SPEAKS FOR ITS NUMEROUS CURATIVE QUALITIES.



Why Not Visit Us

and see our splendidly equipped plant and the high character of machine work we turn out? After such an inspection you will feel like placing some of your jobs in our competent hands. Estimates gladly furnished.

Bishop Machine Shop
KING AND QUEEN STREETS

Prepared Bituminous Coal

for use in Furnaces, Quebec Heaters and Ranges
\$15.00 PER TON

SOWARDS COAL CO

PHONE 155.
UP-TOWN OFFICE: MCGALL'S CIGAR STORE
PHONE 811.

A BUSINESS MAN'S LUNCH

We have made a specialty of the business men's lunch. At the noon hour, drop in at The Victoria Cafe. Our quick, courteous service and a menu for those of the most discriminating taste will assure you of a pleasant noon-day lunch.

THE VICTORIA CAFE

JEWLY LEE, Manager. 354 KING STREET
TELEPHONE 762.

CHRYSANTHEMUM SEASON

Our Greenhouse is full of choice bloom—fresh cut every day. See our choice cut Pom Poms. Funeral and Wedding Designs a Specialty.

P. C. LAWSON

THE LEADING FLORIST
STORE: Corner Wellington and Brook Streets. Phone 77.
CONSERVATORIES: 65 Centre Street. Phone 1174J.

CHRISTMAS CAKES and PUDDINGS

Now is the time to order your Christmas Cake and Pudding. WE USE NO SUBSTITUTES.

F. C. HAMBROOK

115 BROCK STREET. PHONE 1925W.

DAINTY CAFE

The place where dining out is truly a delight

PRINCESS ST. OPPOSITE BIBBY'S

THE DAINTIEST OF

Evening Footwear

- Ladies' Patent or White Calf, 1 Strap Slipper, with lattice side and Spanish heel
- Ladies' Flowered Tinsel Cloth, 1 Strap Slipper with full Louis Heels.

The Sawyer Shoe Store

Phone 159. 184 Princess St.

Most men are willing to start something for the sake of an argument. Of course, the success of any man's rival is merely a matter of luck.

Behind Move to Centralize Sport.
On Tuesday night one of the best meetings held in years was that in Ingersoll when many business men expressed themselves in favor of putting sports under the management of a central athletic union. Sport during recent years has fallen in popularity, and this effort is to put

it back where it belongs in all departments. A strong committee was formed to take the matter up, and a report will be brought in in a week's time.

Abolish Hammer.
McGill wants the hammer throw abolished in favor of the javelin

throw in University athletics, and as it is understood that the other Canadian universities are the same opinion, the hammer throw will probably go into the discard shortly.

Carbide won at Pimlico some years ago and paid \$146 for \$1, the latest price ever paid at that track.