



This ritzy young lady and this brookie young man will soon sneak out to a forbidden little balcony, both "just dying for a smoke." Neither will be more than casually disturbed when each discovers that the other doesn't smoke. But then, they'd get caught if they smoked, anyway!

The YOUNGER GENERATION

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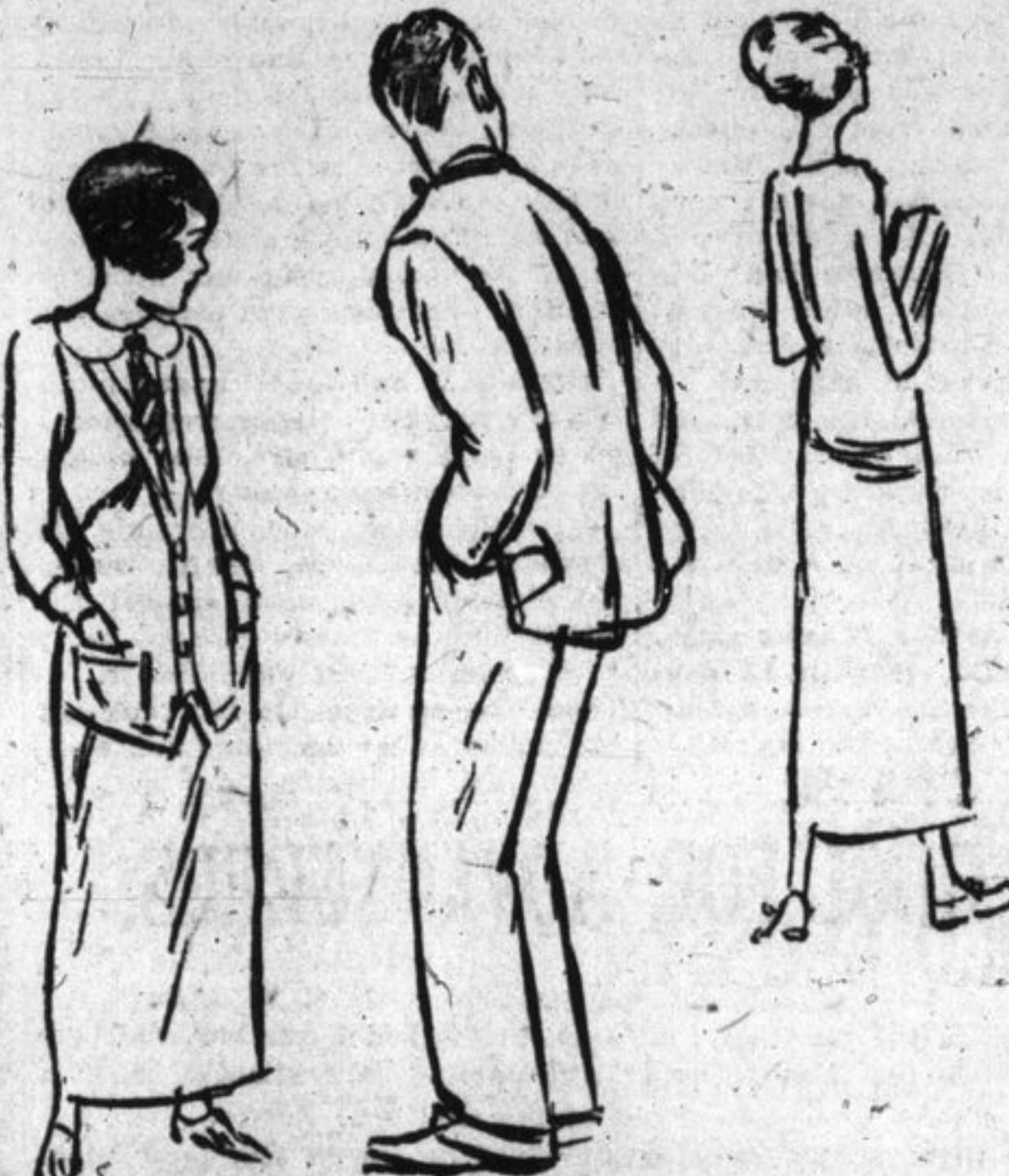
"Boarding School Callers"



A decoration for bravery should be awarded those unsung heroes who wait by the hour in boarding school reception-rooms, while the whole school, with unconcealed amusement, troops by on inspection. But most terrifying at this dread hour is the thought: "Do girls really pass a fellow's love letters around?"



"Are Folly and that smooth looking colleg getting serious?"
"I guess so. They act awful silly."



"I know darned well Miss Pence didn't believe me when I told her you were my brother."
"S' funny. She swallowed it all right last night when Margie and I told her the same story."



"Are you troubled with insomnia, John?"
"No, why?"
"I was just wondering what was keeping you awake."

HANDSOME IDAHO GIRL FOR QUEBEC DOG DERBY

Race No Place for a Minister or His Son, She Says.

New York, Jan. 11.—"Whistlin' Lyd" Hutchinson of Ashton, Idaho, is enroute to Quebec for the dog derby on February 22nd next. Sophisticated New Yorkers investigating barbaric noises from an uptown hotel parlor yesterday found a handsome young woman directing an imaginary dog team for the edification of reporters.

Miss Hutchinson is on her way to take over a dog team from some Canadians who are interested in the derby, she said. "Whistlin' Lyd" refused to smoke a cigarette today. "You don't have to smoke cigarettes to drive dogs," she said. "You just use good plain English, but the

race is no place for a minister or a minister's son."

Death of Rev. Dr. Jardine.
Brockville, Jan. 11.—Word was received here today of the death in New York, at the home of his son, of Rev. Dr. Robert Jardine, former prominent member of the Presbyterian Church in Canada, at the age of 83 years. He was born in the township of Augusta, near here, and graduated at Queen's University, Kingston.

Ships Sold at Big Loss.
New York, Jan. 11.—Seven "President" ships, costing the U.S. government \$30,000,000 when built, were sold to a private firm for \$3,850,000, according to copy of a secret contract, which the World says it obtained in Washington.

At Brockville on Wednesday evening, Rev. D. A. Cowan united in marriage Miss Cora Dean Gardner, daughter of Thomas J. Gardner, Elizabethtown, to C. Newton Brown, son of Charles N. Brown, Fairfield.

Corn Made New High Price for the Season

Chicago, Jan. 11.—With corn on Thursday again breaking the high price record for the season, wheat scored a material upturn in price during the early dealings. Unexpected strength of wheat values at Liverpool counted as an additional bullish factor here. After opening 1/4c. to 1/2c. higher, wheat made further gains.

Big buying on the part of commission houses lifted the corn market, despite heavy sales to realize profits. The opening, which ranged from 1/4c. to 1/2c. higher, was soon followed by a slight further advance.

Canada will be represented by an ambassador at Washington within a short time, the Hon. George P. Graham, minister of railways and canals in the dominion cabinet, stated at Windsor.

A. M. Judd, K.C., London, has been appointed crown attorney for the county of Middlesex.

UNIQUE RECORD.

Father and Son Serve Century in One Company.
Montreal, Jan. 11.—It is seldom one learns of the service of a father and son in the employ of the same company totalling one hundred years. That proud record was established yesterday by G. A. Snyder, day supervisor of the Canadian National railways at Montreal.

G. A. Snyder entered the service of the Grand Trunk railway, now part of the Canadian National Railways, on Nov. 1st, 1874, and has been continuously in the employ of the company since—a total service of 49 years 2 months and 8 days. George F. Snyder, father of G. A. Snyder, entered the service of the Grand Trunk railway on April 1st, 1877, and retired on pension Jan. 23rd, 1908, after a service of 30 years 9 months and 23 days. These two records added together give an exact service record of 100 years.

Hunger may sharpen the wits, but it puts a rough edge on the temper.

London Girl Claims M.D.'s Left Tube in Stomach

London, Ont., Jan. 11.—Claiming that when doctors sewed her up after an operation they left a silver tube in her stomach, which was only discovered by an X-ray months later, Jean Pierce, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Pierce, of Longwood, has entered action for unstated damages against the Strathroy Hospital, Dr. Alexander Thompson and Isabel McCurdy, a nurse. Miss Pierce also claims return of \$206 hospital fees.

Tidings of Tichborne.
Tichborne, Jan. 9.—Schools have re-opened after the holidays by Miss McKeever and Miss MacGinnis, the former teachers. The high school pupils have all gone back to school after spending their holidays with their parents. The farmers are hauling wood owing to the good sleighing. The party at George Thompson's on Friday night was enjoyed by all. The Ladies' Aid meeting at Miss Annie Freams was

well attended. Mrs. Denison, Burnstown, and Miss Connaugue and daughter Edna of the northwest are visiting their sister, Mrs. John Steele, Jr. Mr. and Mrs. E. Dermott and family have returned to their home in Belleville after spending a couple of weeks with parents and friends here. Mr. and Mrs. George Cronk and Mr. and Mrs. Merran Cronk, Parham, at Mrs. John Steele, Sr.'s. Master Almer Bateman at George Goodfellow's. Miss Georgina Jeffrey, Verona, at her sister's, Mrs. Goodfellow's. Mr. and Mrs. William Hayes and son, Joseph, at Edward Hayes, J. A. Kennedy's; Mrs. William Steele and daughter, Evelyn, at Mrs. Robinson's. Mr. Wil McKeever, Regent, Man., visiting his daughter, Mrs. Alonzo Kennedy, Jr.

Tamworth Briefs.
Tamworth, Jan. 10.—The school teachers have returned and the school opened again on Monday morning. Adam Milligan is in the hospital at Kingston. Ray Woodcock, who had his leg amputated is doing as well as can be expected. Mr. Way is on the sick list. Mr. Rose is installing a radio in the home of D. E. Floyd. Mr. Rose also put in a radio for M. R. Moss last week. Percy Stinson, of Alberta, is visiting friends in Toronto and the surrounding country. Mrs. Robbs, Kingston, was in town on Wednesday.

Appointed Registrar.
Lindsay, Jan. 11.—The appointment has been gazetted of A. W. Fleming, Wilberforce, as registrar of deeds for the county of Haliburton. Mr. Fleming has been a resident of Haliburton county for the past twenty-five years. He is an Englishman by birth and was a former associate of the late King Edward and a playmate of the Duke of Connaught, late governor-general of Canada, being one of the invited guests at his wedding.

Many Convictions.
Ottawa, Jan. 11.—During 1923 404 persons were convicted of infractions of the Act by the Royal Canadian Mounted Police acting on behalf of the Department of Health. These figures do not include prosecutions by municipal and provincial authorities. Many international smugglers were apprehended by the federal police and customs officers during the year.

Sir Robert Horne, former British chancellor of the exchequer, and a Conservative member of parliament from Glasgow, believes that once the forthcoming Labor government is ousted, former Premier Asquith will be called on by the king to form a ministry.

The remains of Mrs. Lawrence Street, New York state, were brought to Maynard and interred in the family plot. Deceased was the eldest daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Sawyer Thayer.

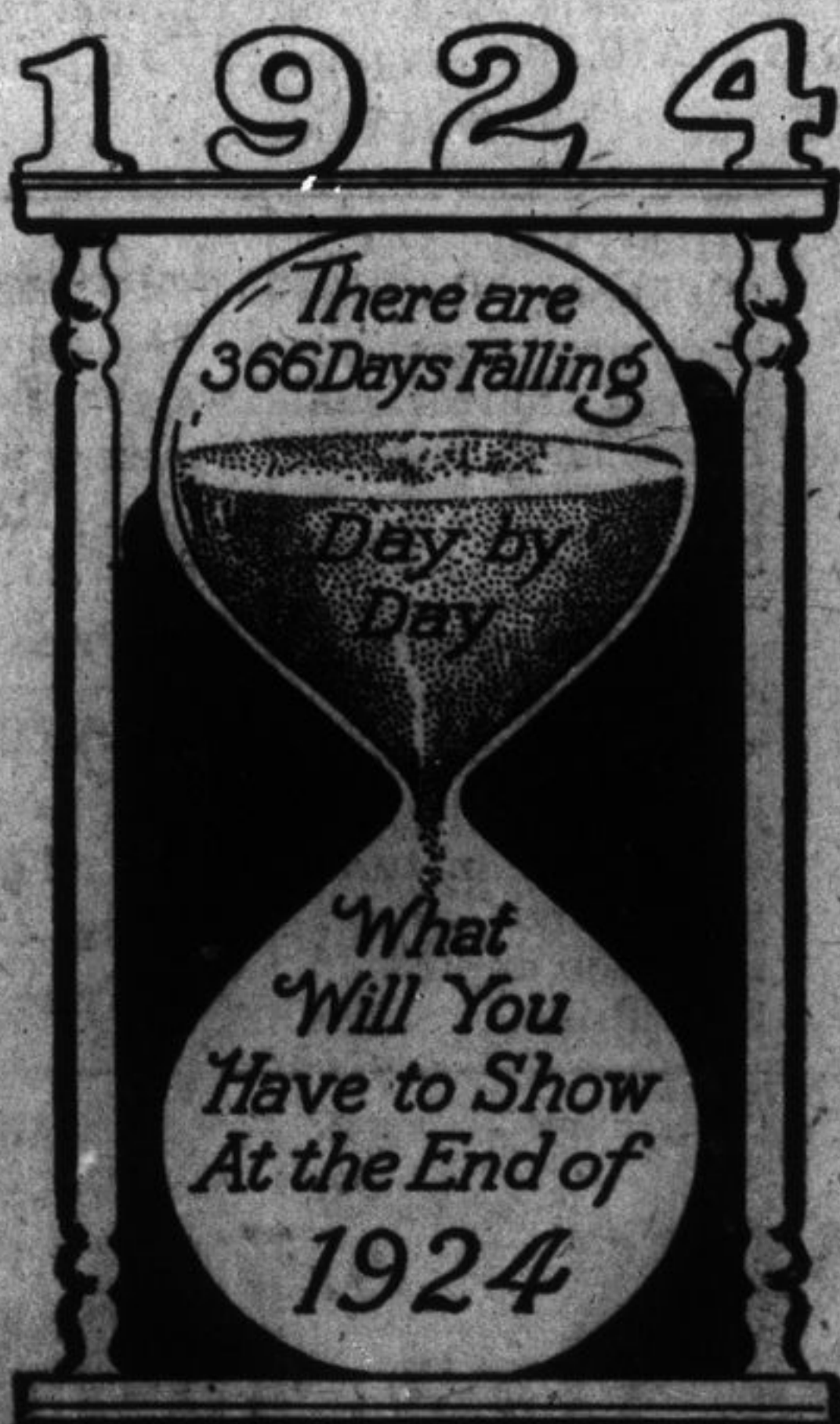
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