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EPINARD OVERWEIGHT BUT WINTERED WELL

So Says Eugene Leigh, American Trainer of the French Champion.

Maisons-Lafitte, France, March 17.—Epinard, the wonder horse of the European 1923 racing season, has wintered very well and his scratching from the Lincolnshire Handicap was not due to any distemper or trouble with his legs, which are sound and strong.

Too much weight, both on his back and over his ribs, is the reason which prompted Pierre Wertheimer to withdraw the horse from the English classic.

Wertheimer thought that asking a horse to carry 140 lbs. so early in the season against the class entered in the handicap was "a bit rough," and he did not want to take the chance of getting the horse to sour on his work, or meet with a defeat before starting off on his American campaign. The record weight ever allotted by the British handicapper, previous to the impost on Epinard, was 138 lbs. which Polymelus was asked to carry some years ago. Polymelus scratched.

The freezing weather of February made the track here so hard that it

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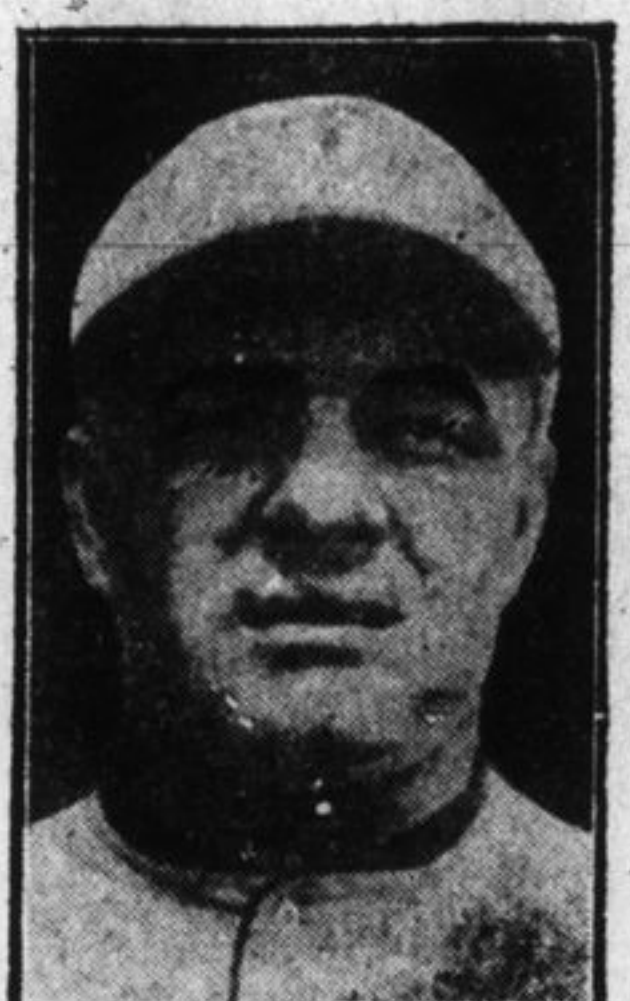
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RAYMOND BOLE, Former Daily Leaguer, who is slated for a permanent berth with the Leafs. His fielding has featured the exhibition games with the Tigers in the south and according to Manager Howley, the Toronto club will be better fixed at second base than since the days of Eddie Fitzpatrick.

was practically impossible for Epinard to do any hard work at all.

Eugene Leigh, the American trainer who looks after the conditioning of Epinard, told the correspondent the other day that "working 40 pounds of Epinard in five weeks was a much easier task than taking half a pound of Johnny Dundee in five days in order to make the feather-weight limit."

Epinard's first engagement is at Saint Cloud late in April, and Leigh says he will have the "horse fit to run for a king's ransom."

Epinard is one of the sweetest tempered animals that the veteran trainer ever has looked after. His constant companion is a mongrel dog from which the speedy horse refuses to be separated, even when locked up in his stall for the night. An effort once was made to have Epinard take up with a dog of high degree, but it failed. The only show of temper that the horse has ever shown was when Wertheimer insisted in forcing upon him as a companion, instead of the mongrel, a beautiful prize winner at one of the recent dog shows. Epinard kicked, literally, for the first time, and the attempt was abandoned.

Jersey City International baseball club has been sold. It is reported \$85,000 was paid for players and franchise.



FRANK (FLASH) GILHOOLEY. There is no better lead off in baseball than this diminutive outfielder, who has seen service with the New York Yankees and the Boston Red Sox, and who was purchased by the Toronto club from Reading last winter.

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FROM THE OUTSIDE—LOOKING IN.

Baseball funds from all over Ontario gather at the O.B.A.A. annual meeting in Toronto to-day to plan the campaign for the coming season. It should be an interesting meeting and there may be some very interesting developments.

The Canadian Intercollegiate Athletic Union is meeting at Queen's University this evening. More interesting developments are possible there though nothing of a sensational nature is on the slate.

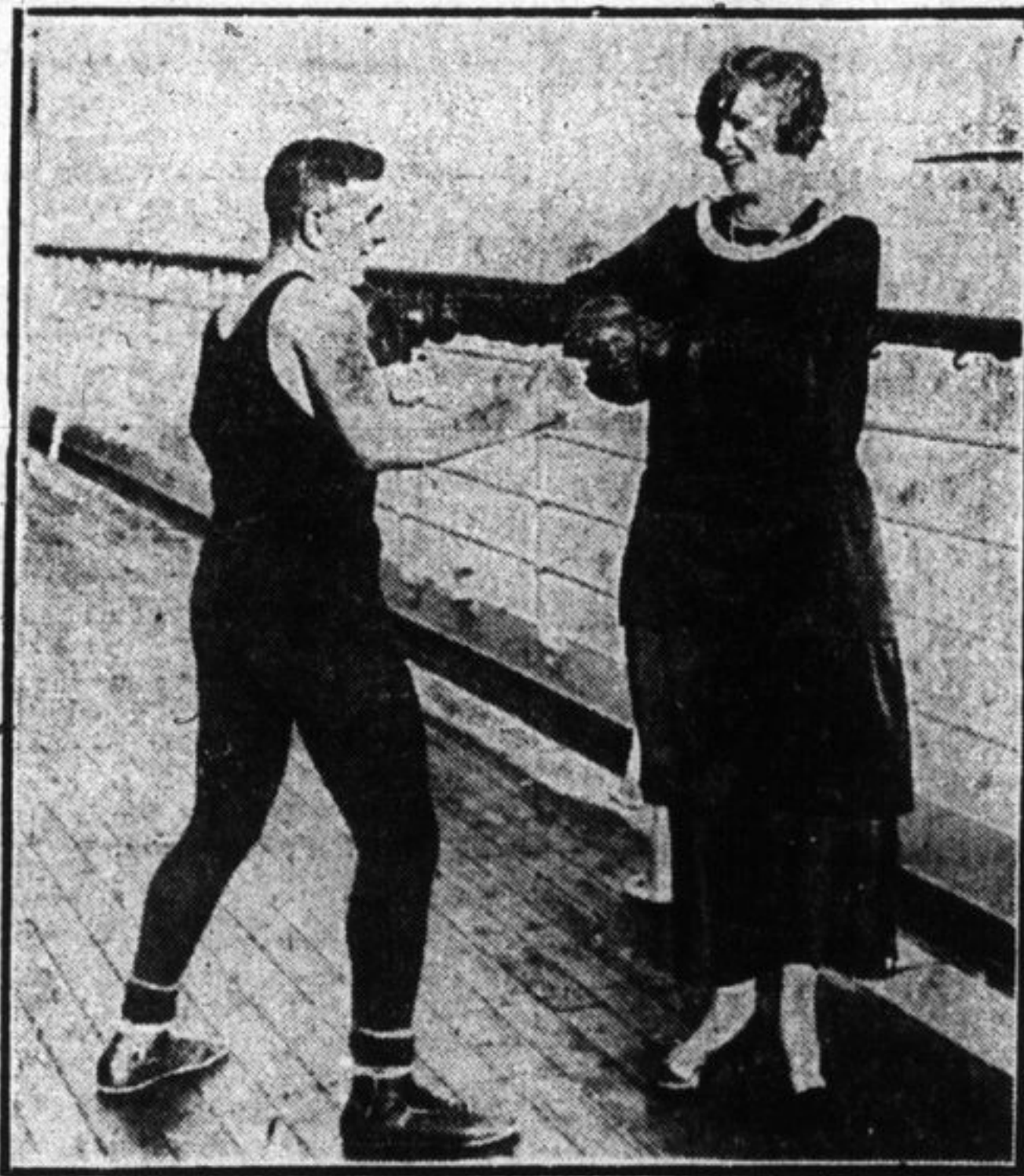
Things that never happen—The Printers' Baseball Club, of Kingston, senior champions of Ontario for 1923, are reorganizing for an even better campaign in 1924. Rumors that the team would turn professional and enter the International League have not been confirmed. Manager Hammond is reported to have secured first rights on the Newark franchise, however.

"Slip me a million and I'll fight,
All I ask is to make it right;
Only a hundred thousand down,
And maybe a mortgage on the town.
Slip me the government mint and I'll
Sack his chin for at least a while;
Six hundred thousand? Well, I may—
Howinellidtheygetthatway?"

How can a duffer preserve his soul
When six putts land on the edge of the hole?

Our esteemed friend Jakle Sojomon should hold forth in all his glory at the O.B.A.A. meeting to-day. However, a lot of people know the Peterboro magnum much better now than they did a year ago and his lengthy orations will not receive quite so much attention.

On Friday afternoon four young men turned out on the cricket field with bats, baseballs and gloves. That settles it. The 1924 outdoor ball season for Kingston is officially inaugurated. Let them go, starting even at the wire and may the fan with the loudest voice win out.



HELEN HOLMES, Movie star, boxing with Harry Mason, English lightweight champion, while on their way from the U.S. to Europe.

Fencing and Rifle Shooting Austria's Hope in Olympics

Paris, March 18.—Austria hesitated long before deciding to participate in the 1924 Olympic Games, but once having made up their minds the Austrian athletes are resolved to make a strong bid for world recognition. At Chamonix her unrivaled figure skaters, singles and pairs, carried off two firsts and one second in the three events competed.

Fencing and rifle shooting are the events in the summer sports towards which the Austrians are bending every effort in their training. Austria's fencers in pre-war Olympic Games have always given a good account of themselves, and French fencers here feel that they will again prove a factor to be reckoned with. Austria will be represented by eight fencers and two jurymen.

An Austrian team of six men will compete in the rifle target shooting competition, while two will enter the clay pigeon shooting.

The Austrians have specialized in the light and middle-weight boxing classes, and will be represented only in these two categories.

They have entries for ten track events, the 5,000 metres being the race which they have uppermost in their minds.

Ten shot putters and javelin



JUSTIN SIMONS, Recruit catcher from California, recommended by "Dutch" Leonard, former star Detroit pitcher, who discovered him on the sand lots of San Diego. Simons is the youngest player with the Leafs, having yet to cast his first vote.

nine prizes were offered. It is the hope of the club to be able to arrange an even more elaborate prize list next fall.

Further information may be obtained by writing the secretary of the Harrier's Club, Queen's University.

PICKS OSHAWA TO WIN CENTRAL ONTARIO LOOP

So M. P. Duff, League President, Stated at Lindsay Recently.

President M. P. Duff of the Central Ontario Baseball League expresses the opinion that Oshawa is the team to beat the championship this summer. He is also rather dubious as to Belleville's prospects on account of Williams' departure. The Lindsay Post carries the following interview with the league president: "Among the visitors to Lindsay in connection with the C.N.R. official visit was Mr. M. P. Duff, of Belleville, who this year holds the responsible position of president of the Central Ontario Baseball League.

"In conversation with a Post representative Mr. Duff stated that he looked for a very successful year for the league, as the four teams Belleville, Kingston, Peterboro and Oshawa, have apparently rounded some good material together. He at the same time expressed his regret that Lindsay had found it a matter of policy to drop out. Lindsay, he stated, had always been a good supporter of the league, and a drawing card. "At the same time President Duff said he understood just why Lindsay and other towns had dropped out, that they were unable to carry on in face of the enormous expense of playing baseball to-day. He hoped for better conditions.

"Regarding the Belleville team he had very little to say, except that the Grand Trunks would make an effort to put in a strong team. They would suffer greatly by the loss of "Lefty" Williams, the Indian twirler, but had great hopes in Keon, the young twirler from Tweed. "The president looks for Oshawa to be the team to beat this year for honors."

Advertisement for National Base Ball Week, featuring a calendar for April 1924 and text: 'NOW IS THE TIME', 'NATIONAL Base Ball Week', '1924 - APRIL - 1924', 'Sole Agency for Kingston', 'SPALDING'S ATHLETIC GOODS', 'World's Best Sporting Goods for 48 Years.', 'Treadgold Sporting Goods Co', '88 PRINCESS ST. PHONE 529.'

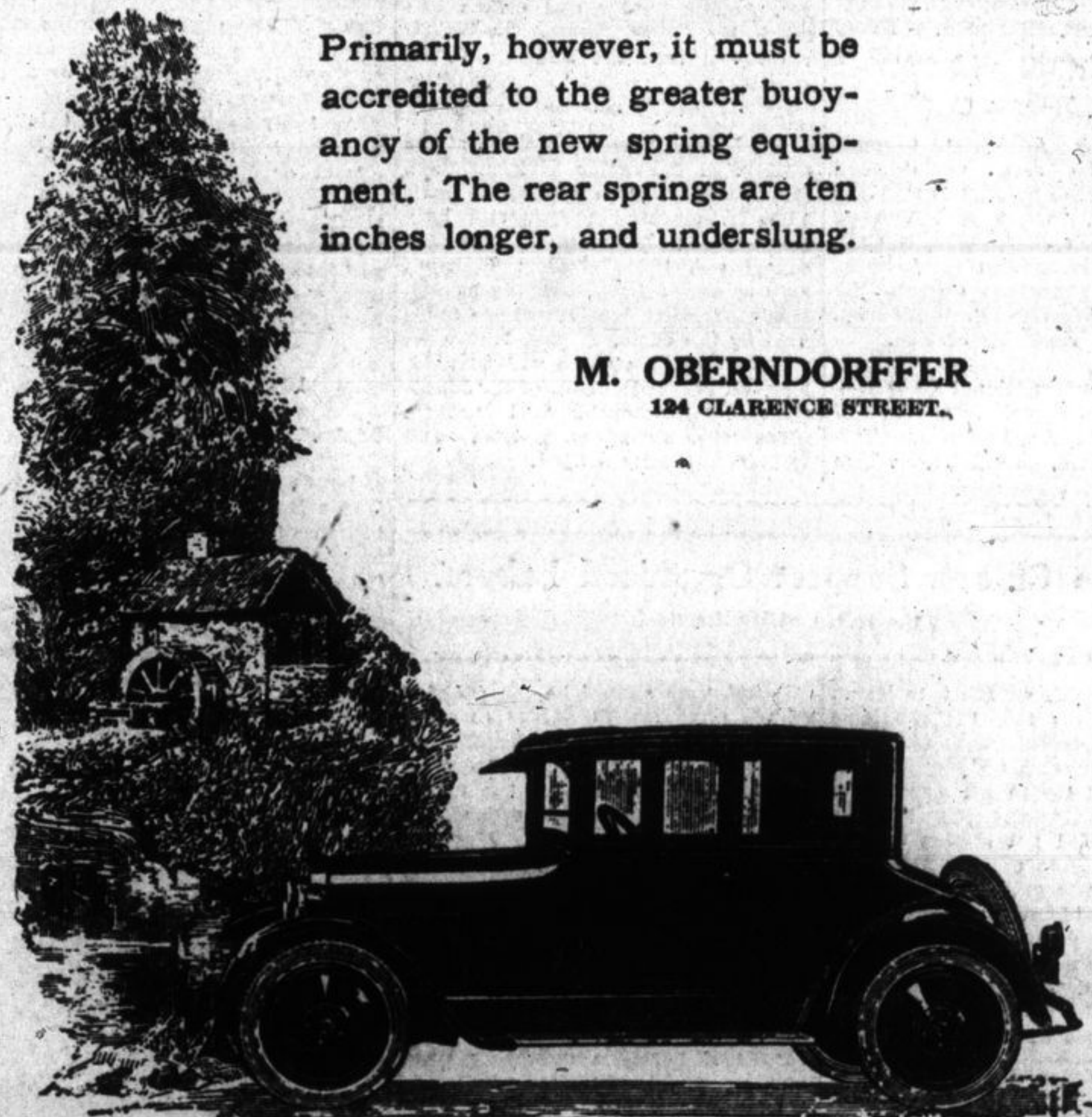
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