

Let's Talk Things Over



I was of a party the other night—just a neighbourly get-together—and I overheard one lady say: "I don't know much about my husband's business. I've a full-time job looking after the home and the children."

children. It might even mean all the difference between security and despair. It's the matter of life insurance. If the unexpected should happen—and it does—every housewife and mother should have the protection which only life insurance can give.

Yes, that part of her husband's business is really important, and every housewife and mother should know about it. What life insurance has to do is to give the family a reasonable chance to carry on if the wage-earner died?

I'd like to step in sometime and talk over this important business before it's too late. Let's talk things over—today!

HAL BOHAKER Unit Supervisor

SUN LIFE OF CANADA

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New Quoit Club

A new Quoit Club has been opened at Brackley with a total enrollment of twenty members. Considerable work has been done in the building of the four beds which are now in operation on the premises of Mr. Arthur Rodd, who also installed the lighting facilities for night play.

to be awarded to the player scoring the highest number of points. There are several prizes to be awarded for play during the tourney, and all members still wishing to compete in the tourney are asked to report to officials at the club.

The following is the standing to date after nine games of play: Allison Bryenton, 155; Ross Carr, 136; Arthur Rodd, 131; Raymond Selick, 123; Ivan Bryenton, 121; James Mackay, 117; Guy Pierce, 110; George Jackson, 88.

Jamaica is the largest island in the British West Indies forming part of the Greater Antilles.

OUR BOARDING HOUSE

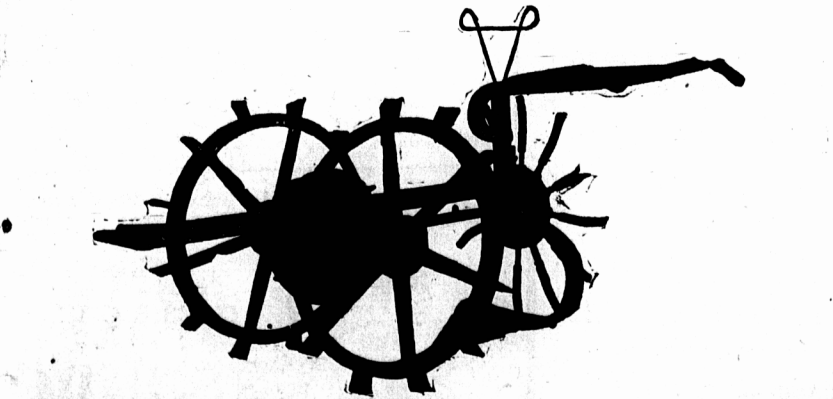


GOOD EVENING, EGBERT! YOU HAVE NO ENGAGEMENT, I TRUST—HEH—HEH! I DROPPED IN TO SHOW YOU MY FINE OLD HANDMADE HESSE ZITHER!—PERHAPS WE CAN IMPROVE THE SHINING HOUR WITH A BIT OF HARMONY—DO YOU—UM—SING?

I'M A COYOTE TENOR, MAJOR, AND PLATO CROONS A LITTLE! WE'RE NO NIGHTINGALES BUT WE TRY—ONE GOOD THING—NO NEIGHBORS HERE TO CALL THE POLICE!

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New Chemical To Replace D. D. T. As Livestock Spray

A new insecticide—methoxychlor—expected to replace DDT as a livestock spray, is now available in Canada, it is announced by Canadian Industries Limited.

More lethal to some insects than DDT, yet less toxic to human beings, the new chemical was developed in the U.S. It has already been adopted there as a standard cattle spray to control several species of flies which are responsible for millions of dollars in losses annually to American and Canadian beef production.

Extensive experiments by Canadian federal, provincial and industrial entomologists during the past two years were highly successful, stated C.R. Asher, development manager of C-I-L's agricultural chemical division.

Methoxychlor, was recommended as a fly spray when U.S. health authorities found dangerous amounts of DDT in milk and meats from treated livestock. Methoxychlor, on the other hand, is said to leave practically no residue in the flesh of animals and in only 1/24th as toxic as DDT. Mr. Asher reported that methoxychlor is still widely used in Canada as a cattle spray although certain areas report that DDT-resistant fly strains are developing. Where this problem has been encountered, methoxychlor was tried as a fly control with great success.

"Introduction of methoxychlor does not mean DDT is on the way out," the agricultural scientist explained. "The latter is still an excellent insect killer and will continue to be used in controlling pests that attack potato, tobacco, fruit and certain vegetable crops. The new chemical, however, will eliminate human health hazards created by DDT and serve as a lethal weapon against the so-called 'super-fly'."

The Sault Ste. Marie ship canal is the busiest canal in the world.

MAJOR HOOPLE

West Point Water Safety, Swimming Tests

A group of girls and boys gathered at the wharf at West Point on Monday morning, August 22nd with their instructor, Miss Lucina Stewart.

Mrs. Harry Curdmore and Miss Felice Arsenault conducted the tests and awarded certificates to the following people: Elementary—Anna MacLean, Carol MacLean, Wavel Sabine. Junior—Gertrude Macdonald. Intermediate—Geraldine Macdonald, Amie Lu Sabine, Marion Smith.

Cape Breton Seas Hold Rich Reward For Swordfishing

LOUISBURG, N.S., Aug. 22—(CP)—There never has been any trouble finding a market for Nova Scotia's swordfish. The United States has long been a market for the fish that has been landed as far back as old-timers can recall.

The reason is not hard to find. The sharp-pointed broadbills are as easy to spot as the schools of United States market for frog legs.

It all adds up to a flourishing but short-term business for Nova Scotia fishermen.

The annual mass migration of swordfish northward along the east coast of North America reaches its destination—the waters off Cape Breton Island—in early July, and the fish stay at this rendezvous until mid-September.

It's while they come in close to shore to fatten up on the schools of herring that the swordfishermen ply their trade.

Glace Bay, Ingonish and this Cape Breton port are the centres of the province's fleet, usually ranging from 200 to 400 craft. Another 600 small boats including sports craft usually join the hunt from the United States and Newfoundland ports.

50 Carloads Last Year Last year some 50 carloads were shipped to American buyers, carload averages about 40,000 pounds. The fish themselves average about 250 pounds but range up to 600. The average is about 25 cents a pound for their catch.

The fleet consists of small motor boats and auxiliary schooners outfitted especially for the job. Many of the boats carry a "pulpit," or stand, on the bowsprit for the harpooners and often have a steering wheel rigged in the cross-section of the boat's hull.

When one is located, the boat is wheeled about on the way out. The fisherman strikes his shot. If the harpoon strikes, the fisherman lets the fish run away, trailing the harpoon line with him.

Key attached to the other end of the line is tossed overboard when the fish begins to run and the fighting broadbill is left to tow the harpoon. It may be 10 minutes or an hour before the doryman can get alongside to gaff the heavy fish.

Even then the fisherman has to work with care. Although winded the fish has been known to drive the sharp spear through a harpoon in its length—through a two-inch plank.

But, although swordfishing is big business in Nova Scotia, one big oyster remains to be harvested. It is able to find out where the broadbills come from or where they go after leaving Cape Breton waters.

Underground Fire May Be New Power Source

LAKE SUCCESS, Aug. 22—(CP)—Scientists are experimenting with an underground fire in Alabama that may make it possible to heat your home and drive your car at a fraction of present cost.

The United Nations Scientific Conference on the Conservation and Utilization of Resources was told today about the blaze—burning coal into gas with no mining.

It is still burning, under blast of air from first end of the tunnel and then the other.

Results so far, however, indicate the possibility of producing gas for heating and industry at the equivalent of only \$3.50 a ton, the two scientists reported to delegates from 50 countries.

The same set-up can be used for cheap production of gas used in the conversion of coal to gasoline and other petroleum products.

Alexis Ignatieff, an engineer with the Fuel Division of Canada's Bureau of Mines, told a reporter that to work now is being done in Canada on underground gasification, but there is great interest in the process in Nova Scotia, where the conditions are favourable.

He said use of the method is too expensive for private interests and it will have to wait for Government development. He said, however, it is a long-term project of utmost importance and which may have great national significance.

Abbies, C. & B. Meet Today In Finals Opener

Coaltown Sets World Record

CHICAGO, Aug. 21—(AP)—Calumet Farm's mighty Coaltown streaked to a world's record of 1:34 for the mile yesterday in winning the \$32,250 Whirlaway Stakes at Washington Park.

His performance shattered the former record of 1:34.25 established by the great Equipoise at Arlington Park 17 years ago. It was equalled by Previcarator last year at Golden Gate Fields near San Francisco.

(The world record for a straight mile is 1:32, set by Mopous at Brighton, England, in 1939).

Coaltown, winning his 11th victory in 12 starts this year, led his trainer, Foster, the Kentucky Derby winner, to the wire by 2 1/4 lengths. Star Reward, only thoroughbred to defeat Coaltown, finished third with May Reward and Colonial fifth and last. The other two Calumet entries, Armed and Deluxe were scratched along with Delicate.

Coaltown, ridden by jockey Steve Brooks, was loaded with 130 pounds, compared with 128 pounds for Equipoise and 118 for Previcarator in their record runs.

Not only did Coaltown clip two-fifths of a second from the record but his four-year-old son, Bull Lea-Easy Lass, by Blenheim II, bettered all of Equipoise's and Previcarator's fractions for the mile in 1:32.4.

Because of the small, five-horse field there was no place or show betting. The Calumet entry went to the post on odds of 1 to 5, paying \$2.60 to win.

The triumph, scored before a crowd of 23,259, raised him to 15th place in the list of leading money winners. Just above Equipoise, his total earnings for two years' racing now are \$341,975. He did not race as a two-year-old because of three ailments.

First money in the Whirlaway was \$21,400.

N. B. Tennis Titles Decided

FREDERICTON, Aug. 21—(CP)—Championships were decided in all classes but one—the senior women's singles, at the New Brunswick tennis tournament continued today after another delay resulting from rain.

The 1949 provincial champions: Men's singles, G. Dryden, Moncton. Senior men's doubles, S. Page and W. Peterson, Fredericton. Senior women's doubles, Miss C. LeBlanc and Miss M. LeBlanc, Moncton.

Senior mixed doubles, Miss M. LeBlanc and Dryden. Junior men's singles, Miss Iris Bliss, Fredericton. Junior women's doubles, Shirley Hossack and Joanne Moores, Fredericton.

Mixed doubles, Miss Moors and John Russell, Rouses Point. Junior men's singles, Burt Simpson, Fredericton. Junior women's doubles, Russell and Dallard LeBlanc, Moncton.

The women's single title will be decided tomorrow night by Mrs. M. LeBlanc and Miss Lillian Blockidge, both of Fredericton. Ray Bourque, Moncton, suffered a back injury in the men's doubles final today. He had to withdraw from the singles and mixed doubles finals.

Titles not defended by 1948 winners were: Men's singles, W.G. McMullin, Philadelphia; women's singles, Mrs. Jean Young, Saint John; men's doubles, Bruce Legie, Toronto, and Michael Cain, Montreal.

Ontario Team Captures Golf Championship

VANCOUVER, Aug. 21—(CP)—A steady foursome from Ontario successfully defended its Canadian women's inter-provincial golf championship Saturday as team members toured rolling hills of the Golf Course in an aggregate 341 strokes for a 36-hole total of 671.

They retained the Royal Canadian Golf Association shield as they held off British Columbia—runner-up in the 1948 team matches—by 13 strokes. Behind the west coast team's 684 aggregate was Quebec with 691 and the Maritimes with 780.

Prize teams continued to lag. Alberta with 735 was fifth, Saskatchewan with 744, sixth, and Manitoba seventh with 747.

Individual honors went to a British Columbia player—Babs Daples of Vancouver, who torred Caplans twice in 160 strokes. For fashioning rounds of 83 and 78, she won the O'Keefe Trophy.

Her 160 also gave her the lead in the Canadian women's closed amateur championship, played concurrently with the team matches. Tomorrow's final 18 holes of the closed tournament will serve as the qualifying round in the Canadian women's open championship.

Complete scores for the Maritime team (789): Miss Cairne Wilson, St. Andrews, N.B., 83-91—174; Mrs. Blair Gordon, St. Andrews, N.B., 80-90—180; Mrs. C.L. Urouhart, Saint John, N.B., 93-90—182; Mrs. H.S. Gregory, Saint John, 80-91—184.

How They Stand

Table with columns: National League, Won, Lost, Pct. Rows include St. Louis, Brooklyn, Boston, Philadelphia, New York, Pittsburgh, Cincinnati, Chicago.

American League

Table with columns: Won, Lost, Pct. Rows include New York, Boston, Cleveland, Philadelphia, Detroit, Chicago, St. Louis, Washington.

International League

Table with columns: Buffalo, Rochester, Jersey City, Toronto, Montreal, Syracuse, Baltimore, Newark.

Third Attempt At Channel Swim

DOVER, England, Aug. 23—(AP)—An Englishman and a drizzling rain fell tonight over the English Channel, where Philip Mickman, the Yorkshire schoolboy, is making his third attempt to swim across.

Mickman, 18, left Wissant, France, at 5:30 a.m. He was unreported after more than 16 hours.

Ray Robinson, Steve Belloise Bout Wednesday

NEW YORK, Aug. 22—(AP)—Welterweight champion Ray Robinson and 160-pound contender Steve Belloise, both gunning for a middleweight title shot, fight for the chance to enter Yankee Stadium Wednesday night.

The non-title 10-rounder between a master boxer and a terrific puncher shapes up as the title "main event" of the year. Besides sharing in an expected gate of around \$150,000, the boxers will be in there pitching for a promised first crack at either champion Jake LaMotta or Marcel Gerdan. King Jake and the Frenchman meet in a return bout here Sept. 28.

Robinson is rated about a 5-to-9 favorite but the odds may drop by fight time. One of the reasons is the optimism shown by the Belloise camp and the unexpected gloom which has permeated the Robinson training quarters of late.

A rift has developed in the Robinson camp. Manager George Gainford stalked out of the camp the other day, complaining about the methods of the various trainers. Robinson hasn't looked himself in training.

Belloise's case rests entirely on the power of his mighty right. The former sailor has slowed up considerably in recent years and unless he can clip Robinson, he is conceded little chance of winning. Robinson has lost only once in 99 fights and has drawn twice.

Sport Briefs

CAP GRIS NEZ, France, Aug. 22—(AP)—Dick Schermer, 21-year-old Netherlands student tonight gave up his attempt to swim the English Channel after four hours and 40 minutes in the water. He said he will not make another attempt.

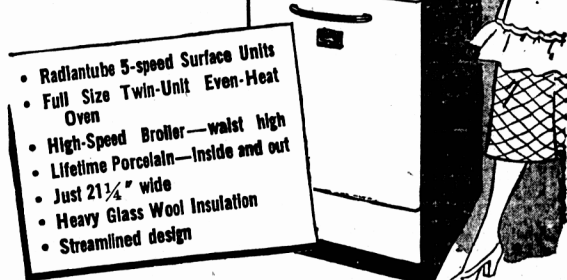
QUEBEC, Aug. 22—(CP)—Quebec's Fernando Gagnon, 24-year-old Canadian bantamweight boxing champion tonight defeated Jackie Turner of Vancouver by unanimous decision in a 12-round bout for the title.

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Remember When

By The Canadian Press Helen Willis Moody won the United States women's tennis championship for the sixth time, 20 years ago today at Forest Hills, defeating Mrs. Phoebe Watson of Englewood, 6-4, 6-2. She won it again in 1931 but in 1933, facing apparent defeat and on the verge of collapse, she conceded victory to her rival, Helen Jacobs.



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