

# NEWS OF THE WEEK IN PICTURES FOR GUARDIAN READERS



MEET IN LONDON

Premier Bennett (LEFT) and G. Howard Ferguson, Canadian High Commissioner in London, RIGHT, seen recently with the mayor of Southampton, Eng. Premier Bennett returns to Canada with assurance of the British premier of a wheat quota which will likely be adopted.



MARRIED BEFORE WAS CHARGE OF WL

Concepcion Goeldner de Escobar, who married Gen. Jose Escobar, 2nd chief and "President of Mexico" in the 1929 revolution, had her marriage secretly annulled in Montreal, to where Escobar fled after collapse of his insurgent forces. She charged that he was already married when he went through a marriage ceremony with her. She is now doing secretarial work in El Paso, Texas, and has custody of her 5-year-old son, Fernando.



GRANNY LEFT HIM

HEIRESS BRIDE HIDES FROM PARENT—HUBBY HELD

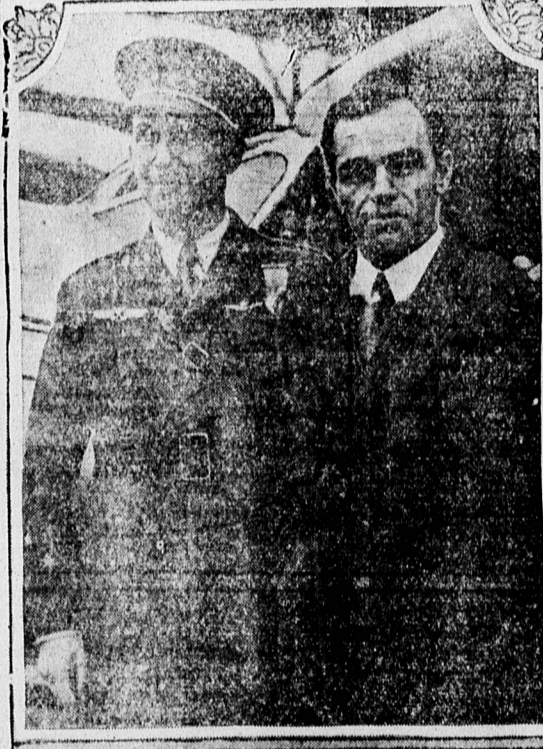
Little John, Simpson, who was found alone on a New York subway train and all efforts to locate his parents failed. "Granny put me there" is all he said.

Mrs. Beatrice Barclay Pickerell (2), 15-year-old bride, remained in hiding as her father, John C. Barclay former vice-president of the Western Union Telegraph Company, carried on his fight to keep her and her husband, Hevis T. Pickerell (1), 29-year-old truck driver, of Montclair, N. J., apart, by prison bars, if necessary. The pair married recently. Pickerell is now held on two charges.



MEETS MANY NOTABLE FIGURES DURING LONDON VISIT

Miss Jill Crossley-Batt, the woman explorer, is seen here with Premier Bennett, whom she visited in London. Miss Crossley-Batt, in company with Dr. Irvin Baird, the Canadian explorer, will start soon on an expedition to the heart of the Himalayas in search of a mystery tribe, said to live to an average age of 150 years.



AUSSIE BIRDMAN

When Bert Hinkler, Australian flier, arrived in Madrid recently, he was welcomed by Captain Iglesias (LEFT) of the Spanish Air force. Hinkler a short time ago successfully negotiated the difficult South America-South Africa flight.



BOOKS, FIVE CENTS!

Rear Admiral Bradley A. Fiske, retired of the United States navy, demonstrates his invention by which he claims, the cost of books will be reduced to five cents. 100,000 words of paper and read by his special reading machine.



NO CRIB FOR THIS AIR BABY

Sixteen-months-old Joyce Harting of Detroit has spent more time in the air than most babies spend in their cribs. Her father, Howard Harting, is an air instructor, and his mother is also a licensed pilot. Baby sleeps in a special box built in the front cockpit. She has a baby parachute, too.



DWL CRASHES SOCIETY—PEEVED—WONT BE INTERVIEWED

When members of the Mallory family, Toronto came down to breakfast the other day, they found one very much annoyed black horned owl perched in the dining room, with pictures and other ornaments strewn about the floor. The bird (shown ABOVE), angrily fended off all advances, and the photographer, even, was unable to photograph it until representatives of the Humane Society arrived. It had entered the room by the chimney.



TO VISIT CANADA AND STATES

Mr. Winston Churchill, noted British parliamentarian and author, who visits Canada the middle of next month, Mr. Churchill arrived in New York on Dec. 10, on a visit to Canada and the United States. He is now convalescing in his New York apartment after sustaining painful injuries in an auto accident.



SCOTS PREPARE FOR FESTIVE SEASON

These bonnie Scots lads at Royal Caledonia schools at Bushey, Eng., are bringing up the Christmas in rope-style, all ready for the big doings not so far off.



A PROBLEM FOR FUTURE EGYPTOLOGISTS

While Canadian filling stations follow the Georgian, colonial and Spanish styles, this London, Eng., station prefers to give the Pharaohs a