



A workman surveys the new British Empire Games Stadium in Vancouver. This is an early construction shot of the \$1,200,000 stadium built at Exhibition Park. After the Games it will be the home of B. C. Lions, newest entry in the Western Interprovincial Football Union, and will be known as Exhibition Bowl.—(CP Photo).

Strange But True

By F. H. MacArthur

What is the name of the Island born man who practised law in San Francisco, edited progressive newspapers, ran for governor of California (1902) and for mayor of San Francisco (1903) but was defeated in both campaigns. In 1905 President Theodore Roosevelt appointed him to the Interstate Commerce Commission of which he was chairman for a time. He was secretary of the Interior under President Wilson. He also served on special commissions and on the Council of National Defence. He won national attention and might have gone to the White House had he been born on American soil. He died in 1921. Who was he? Sheldon Sawyer, of Gray, Maine, says that treating hens like women pays off with more eggs.

"I never enter my poultry house without knocking." Then when I go in the poultry are ready to receive me.

"After all," explains Sawyer, "you'd knock before entering a ladies' dressing room wouldn't you?"

Not only does poultryman Sawyer knock, but once inside he sets him on the heels of his chickens. And they love the attention and cluck back their gratitude. Another little touch to make the poultry more dignified are the spectacles they wear.

Sawyer clamps the metal glasses through the beaks of his 2000 chickens to serve as blinders and to discourage unladylike pecking.

When you praise your wife after you've been married for a year, spread it thin. It may frighten her.

"The hottest possible news story," says an editor, "would be the end of the world." True, and what a story for the final edition! A new kind of verdict "Space Suicide" was handed out by officers after Airman Russell Schoonmaker of Palisades Park, N. J. locked himself in an altitude test chamber at Forest Air Force Base, Texas, and set the control so that he died just as if his oxygen mask had failed at 25,000 feet.

This may sound fantastic, but Paul Berger of Renton, Washington, has become the grand-

father of his own five children. You don't believe it? Well, it happened when Berger married his own mother-in-law.

He divorced wife number one in 1951 and last year married her mother. The fact came to light in court when his former wife, now his stepdaughter, sued for unpaid alimony.

Jack Taylor, of Fabin, Alberta, owns a tiny German midge-pouch dog which weighs less than four pounds and a great Dane that tips the scales at 150 pounds.

The liver of the largest whales often weigh a ton and the animal's tongue as much as 3½ tons. A common toad, or frog can and often does eat as many as 10,000 insects in a year. Garden snakes also consume large numbers of insects, and yet farmers continue killing both year after year, without seeming to realize that they are destroying their best bug-killing friends outside of the birds.

A woman's intuition is based largely on her ability to read between a man's lying.

For \$2 you may now purchase a shears that threads needles and picks 'em up. The unique ladies' tool also has magnetic points to attract that elusive needle.

Did you know that the bony growths on a horse's legs called whorls are as distinctive as those on the human hands?

Believe it or not, but Pearson, Georgia, has a resident named % Smith, so named by his parents to distinguish him from all the other Smiths in the place.

Because many children are spoiled by their grandparents it makes the parent's job more difficult. Such pampering and pettings as most grandparents indulge in often hinders the child from becoming a successful adult.

Some day those pampered children will have to learn how to get along with other folk. They will also have to learn to accept correction from their teachers, and if they have not learned to do so at home, they are in for an unhappy time.

Small children ought never be allowed to rule the domestic roost. When you say "no" stick to it, and let no amount of pleading change that "no" into "yes."

But be reasonable in your requests and demands, and once the child is taught to abide by your decision it will not run to his grandparents or to anyone

else to be coddled and spoiled by their interference. All children are naturally aggressive but parents must learn to control and guide their aggressiveness or else.

Heat provided from an automobile cigar lighter kept a premature baby alive on a wild two-mile ride to Lawrence, Massachusetts recently. No ambulance was available at the time and police officer Bill McGuigan used his own car, while a fellow officer plugged the incubator into a dashboard lighter thus maintaining the proper temperature during the ride, strange but true.

Does the "Little Brown Church in the Vale" actually exist? Yes, the composer, Emma Betsy Larson, and her husband were attending church in the Vale at Wimbledon, N. D., one Sunday morning and the beauty of the setting prompted or inspired Mrs. Larson to write the catchy tuned hymn.

To give you an example of old English writing this curious epitaph was taken from a tombstone in the cemetery of "The Cathedral of the Moor."

"Fey, Ye A' 1643 Heere interteered Marry third wife o' John Elford, Having issue at byrth Marry and Sarah. "Neer twelve months day her marriage heer dead pass Her heavenly nuptiale consumatee was She furtle prov'd in Soule and Bodey both In life gude workes, at death she twyns brought forth. And like a fruitfule tree with bearing dy'd Yet pheonice like, for one there two surviv'd End

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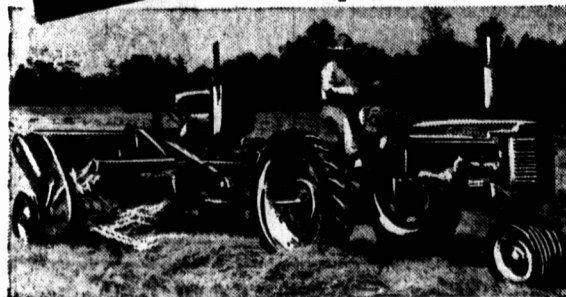
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Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Allen, Georgetown, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lewis on June 13.

Miss Leona Scott, Marshfield, was the guest violinist at the Young People's Service held in York on June 6.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cooke, Charlottetown, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leith Brown on June 13.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Cudmore, Harrington, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Proud, York, on June 13.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Barrett, Kingston, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Parker Jewell, on June 13.

Mrs. Annie Hughes, Charlottetown, spent last Sunday in York, the guest of Mrs. Herbert Vessey.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Crockett, York, spent last Sunday in Covehead, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ramsay Auld.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Bearisto and son Keir, Covehead, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Proude on June 6.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Robinson and family, Charlottetown, spent last Sunday in York, the guests of Mrs. W. D. Cooke, York.

Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Brown, Toronto, Ont., were visitors to York on June 13.

Miss Dulcie Cooke of Toronto, is spending a short holiday at the Manse in York, with her sister, Mrs. Sproule, and Rev. Mr. Sproule.

Miss Joyce MacSwain, Charlottetown, was in York last weekend, the guest of Miss Margaret Vessey.

Mr. and Mrs. Omer Younker, Winsloe, and two children were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Brown on June 13.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo Robinson, City, were the guests of Mrs. W. J. Cooke on June 13.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jewell, Meadow Bank, were the guests of their son, Parker, and Mrs. Jewell, on June 14.

Miss Doris Brown, City, was a recent visitor to York. She was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Ham Brown and Mr. and Mrs. Fenton Higgins of Charlottetown, spent June 13 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Aloner Vessey, York.

Mrs. Fred Andrew and two daughters, Louise and Velma, Charlottetown, were the recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Keith Brown.

Rev. Elton Davidge of Sackville, N. B., spent the week-end in York, with the Rev. and Mrs. Sproule. He assisted at the Sunday service on the York Charge and on Monday he was guest

Milwaukee Braves Shuffle Players

MILWAUKEE, (AP)—The retirement of veteran utility man Sissy Sisti to make room on the active roster for Albert Spangler, a 20-year-old outfielder just signed from Duke University, was announced Monday by Milwaukee Braves.

Sisti will remain as a coach. The 33-year-old infielder has been offered that job as an alternative to an unconditional release.

Sisti is in his 13th year in the majors, all with the Braves. In 1948 he was credited generally with being a key man in the club's march to the National League pennant after taking over at second base when Eddie Stanky broke his ankle in mid-season.

Spangler will join the Braves at Brooklyn today. He hit over .400 in his last two years of college baseball.

CARDINAL FAVORS EDC
PARIS (Reuters) — A French Cardinal and a group of leading French writers and scientists are urging France to ratify the European army treaty. The group, headed by Cardinal Jules-Geraud Saliege, Archbishop of Toulouse, favors ratification of the treaty bringing German troops into a six-nation European Army as the best means of ending the age-old rivalry between the two countries.

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