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CANADA'S FASTEST SELLING CIGARETTE TOBACCO

SLAVE REGION Angola on the West African coast, discovered by the Portuguese in 1482, was long notorious as a centre of the slave trade.

Seize Tickets In Car Lottery

QUEBEC, Feb. 23 — (CP)—City police announced Thursday seizure of 20 books of 12 tickets each, connected with a drawing on a \$3,000 automobile in Sherbrooke, Que. Deputy Police Chief Gerard Girard said the tickets, signed by the "Sherbrooke Senior Hockey Club," were being sold by two women in the lobby of Quebec Coliseum last night when he ordered the seizure. Sherbrooke Saints and Quebec Aces of the Quebec senior loop played here last night. Girard said the books taken from Pauline Gagne, 17, and Carmen Genest, 37, indicated two tickets had been sold to Quebecers for 50 cents. Girard said the two women were part of a group led by Robert Belanger of Sherbrooke to sell tickets on the raffie during the game. No charges were brought against them, but they were warned to discontinue sales of tickets here, he said.

Strange But True

By F. E. MacArthur

A couple of Long Beach, California, ambulance drivers had a big case on their hands recently when they pulled 27-year-old Guy Cherry from his damaged automobile. Suffering minor cuts and bruises, Guy was taken to the Seaside hospital and given the biggest bed in the place to support his 940 pounds.

The ancient Hindus performed a curious and amazing ceremony for the cure of jaundice. They believed, for instance, that the yellow color must be banished to yellow objects, and to procure for the patient a healthy red color from a living source, such as a red bull. With this in mind, a priest recited the following lines: "Up to the sun shall go thy heartache and thy disease; in the color of the red bull do we envelop thee! . . . May this person go unscathed and be free of yellow color! The cows whose divinity is Rohini, they who, moreover, are themselves red — in their form and strength we do envelop thee. Into the parrots do we put thy jaundice."

When the priest ended the chant the patient was given water containing the red hair of a bull to drink. Then to improve his color and remove the yellow tint, the priest plastered the victim from head to foot with porridge and set him on a bed to which was attached several birds of yellow feathers. Then he washed off the porridge with water — the jaundice at the same time entered the body of the birds. The final act of the priest was to glue a patch of red hair to the patient's skin.

In Plutarch's day, it was believed that a jaundiced person would be cured by looking into the eye of a stone-curler. The disease would then pass to the bird and kill it.

Our forefathers had the notion that jaundice could be cured by the application of gold, or by drinking wine in which gold had rested for three nights.

The great Lisbon earthquake of 1775 was felt in the wilds of Scotland and the vineyards of Madeira. It was felt in the islands of the Grecian Archipelago, and it changed the level of the lakes in the North Alps.

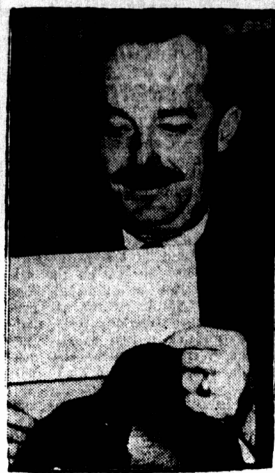
Opportunity For Sea Cadets

A chance to get a real taste of salt water will be given two Sea Cadets from the Atlantic Provinces next month when the cruiser, H.M.C.A. Quebec, sails from Esquimaux, B. C. on March 11. The cruise will bring the ship to Halifax April 18 and it also will provide real sea time experience for 10 Sea Cadets who will be chosen from across Canada. Those selected to make the trip will travel from ocean to ocean via the Panama Canal. Although no indication of the cadets to be selected has been given boys of the local corps, R.C.S.C.C. Kent, are hopeful one of their number might be chosen.

Africa have a peculiar rite. When two persons wish to take the "Brother Rite," they sit on the ground face to face, with their legs crossed, holding in their laps their weapons of war. A goat is then killed and half of its roasted heart is given to each. One of them takes a knife, and opens a vein on the left breast of the other, over the heart. As the blood trickles out, he smears his piece of heart in the blood and eats it. The same act is then performed by the second man. Then they catch some of the blood of each other and rub it into the freshly opened wounds. Thus they become a part of one another, and ever afterward are supposed to render each other aid in time of danger.

Naturalists tell us that the leaves of certain trees are deadly to venomous reptiles. One relates, that seeing a bird in great excitement, without any obvious cause, he watched her fly to a certain tree, pluck off a leaf, and, returning, deposit it carefully in its nest. Finally, the mother bird perched on a branch near her nest, and then watched a large snake stealthily approaching her young with glistering eye and open mouth. A moment more, and the serpent lifted its head above the nest. Then it shot it into the nest. As it came in contact with the leaf it pulled itself up quickly only to tumble to the ground dead.

Margays are a species of tiger-cat native to Brazil and Guiana, about the same size as a domestic house cat.



Austria's new ambassador to the U.S., Dr. Max Loewenthal is seen leaving the White House in Washington, D.C., after presenting his credentials to President Truman. The envoy said that Truman had pledged to continue working for a treaty for Austria that would enable her "to stand as a free and independent nation."

BULLETINS FROM BIRDLAND

BY WINIFRED E. WILSON



FLIGHT CHARACTERISTICS

Mr. Citizen wonders how anybody can possibly know what kind of a bird he sees flying overhead unless it is making some noise or its colours are visible. However, there are flight characteristics—some quite simple to learn, others requiring a trained eye. To begin with, flapping, gliding and soaring are the three main types of flying. Flapping is, of course, the most used. As the wings move up and down the bird is supported in the air and pushed forward. Gliding comes in handy sometimes, the bird's wings remaining motionless while there is a loss of altitude. Soaring to us appears, perhaps, the most amazing, as with no apparent effort the bird gains height. And a few species are capable of hovering, or remaining as though suspended in mid-air.

Certain classes or groups of birds have a propensity for one particular type, and therefore may easily be roughly identified. We say it is "some kind of a Buzzard." If a large bird with round, very broad wings is seen flying high, circling round and round. Long, pointed wings with a bend at the wrist, like the Tern's, are designed for fast gliding. A Tern can hover, also. The Hummingbird is our live helicopter. This is the only land bird which is capable of flying backwards, and one of the few able to rise straight up in the air. When hovering over a blossom its body is more tilted than in normal flight. Its long, narrow wings are non-flexible, and its flight unique in the bird world.

Another unique flyer is the Swift. The action of the bow-shaped wings is most peculiar, and has been carefully studied by scientists for a long time. The wing tips do most of the work. Continuous wing beats alternate with long, sweeping sails.

A good example of an easily recognized flight is the undulating motion of the Goldfinch. The bird looks as though it were on a scenic railway. Very characteristic, too, is the flight of our various kinds of Woodpeckers by a series of quick wing-strokes, with slight pauses between. They seem to progress by jerks. Ducks may be spotted without trouble by their outstretched necks, short tails, and the rapid beats of their comparatively small wings. Their flight is very direct.

A bird now very well known in Canada, the Starling, has pointed wings that look long because its tail is so short. Notice that its

Whirlwind

by Norma Newcomb

CHAPTER FOUR

Part Two

"But I'm not the cause of the quarrel, Catherine. You see, I'm just interested in being a good stewardess."

"So long as you remain interested in being that, darling, you and I will get along simply ducky!"

She was glad, suddenly, that she wasn't Phillip. Catherine sounded as ugly as a Winkate ever permitted herself to become. . .

The 415 plane to Chicago was being given a servicing by the maintenance crew when Sally Alston alighted from the air field limousine. Mike White was already there, and young Paul Frick, who had been assigned to Mike's crew for the duration of Jimmy's suspension. Sally grinned as she set her little overnight bag down on the floor and went over to give him greetings.

"At least, she thought, looking at this sober face, he wasn't a kid."

"Hi, Paul, old son. You mean you've decided to grace our plane with your presence?"

"Could be, Sally. Sorry to hear about Jimmy. Though if I know him, I bet right now he's saying that his suspension was a small price to pay for that kiss with Drona Moore."

"You know him well, Paul. Jimmy won't ever allow a job to interfere with his running after women."

Mike looked up from the magazine he was reading and laughed. "Oh, go easy on the kid, Sally. He isn't the first young man who threw away all for a woman. And don't you think there's something rather majestic in doing that? It's the truest compliment a man can pay a woman."

"I'll argue with you in Chicago, Mike. Right now there are more important things to do."

Mike looked anything but dejected as he sat on the little bench beside Sally in the waiting room of the Detroit City Airport building. She had come up to him the moment he got down from the cabin, with the firm command to date her that evening in Chicago, come hell or high water. He had just smiled, unable to believe that she really meant it, but her words now were convincing him that it was all quite true.

"After all, Mike, I don't see any reason why we shouldn't go out together. Do you realize that we have been in the same crew for almost six months and that in all that time you've never once treated me to an evening?"

"Gold-digger."

"Yes, that's true. But I'll pay you back with home-cooked dinners at the apartment."

"But—but I don't understand. Is it because of Jimmy? Are you trying to . . ."

"Jimmy, my foot! It's that Major Wasson. I told him I had a date with you this evening, and he looks like the sort of person who's going to make very sure he's not being fooled."

"That old man?"

"Old? Mike, don't be a goose. I'm willing to bet he isn't a day older than thirty-five."

"Well, isn't that odd? Would you marry a man of thirty-five?"

"If I loved him? You bet I would."

TO BE CONTINUED

LENGTHY LABEL

Full title of the order of St. John is "the grand prior of the venerable order of the Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in the British realm."

JOINT SOVEREIGNS

William III and Mary II reigned as joint British Monarchs from 1689. Mary dying in 1694 and William in 1702.

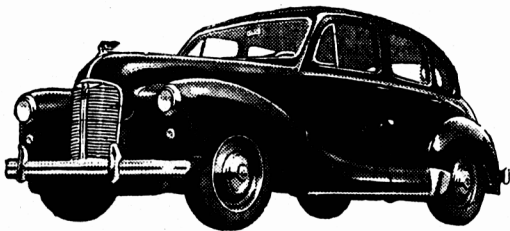
silhouette in flight is quite distinctive. Is purple common?



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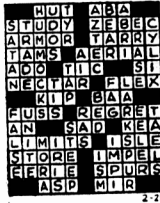
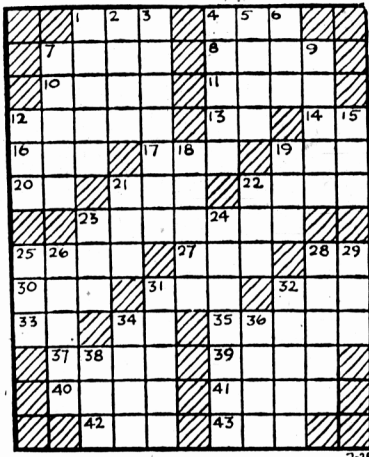
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Advertisement for Colgate Toothbrush, featuring an illustration of a woman and the text 'In Just 60 Seconds SWEETER BREATH Brighter Smiles-Less Decay'.

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DAILY CROSSWORD

- ACROSS: 1. Sloths, 4. Shinto temple, 7. Poker stake, 8. Center, 10. Past part. of 'be', 11. Elliptical, 12. So. Am. mammal, 13. Music note, 14. Expression of interrogation, 16. Ever (poet.), 17. Convert into leather, 19. Moslem title, 20. Argon (abbr.), 21. Canine, 22. Prohibitionists, 23. Searches for food, 25. Diving bird, 27. Contend, 28. Mother, 30. Lofty mountain, 31. Jewel, 32. Flowed, 33. Music note, 34. Mulberry, 35. Aborigine (New Zea.), 37. Valley (poet.), 39. Metal, 40. Border, 41. Quote, 42. Father, 43. Girl's nickname



- DOWN: 1. Near (poet.) century, 3. Legislative representative, 4. Derision, 5. Raced with effort, 6. Constellation, 7. More dexterous, 9. Funeral song, 12. Marshy meadow, 15. Owls, 18. Genus of plant, 19. Land measure, 21. Put on, 22. River (Eng.), 23. Ready with, 24. Anything tricky (slang), 25. Escape (slang), 26. A fruit of Italy, 28. French river, 29. Cuckoo, 31. Glowing coal (archaic), 32. Full of roots, 34. Seaweed, 36. Melody, 38. Sum up

DAILY CRYPTOQUOTE—Here's how to work it:

AXYDLEBAAXR is LONGFELLOW

One letter simply stands for another. In this example A is used for the three L's, X for the two O's, etc. Single letters, apostrophes, the length and formation of the words are all hints. Each day the code letters are different.

A Cryptogram Quotation

F JOHJNA HVKNKHOMFN JKL.V.LFXV MFIV—XOMIVCR.

Saturday's Cryptogram: AN ACRE IN MIDDLESEX IS BETTER THAN A PRINCIPALITY IN UTOPIA—MACAULAY.

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Advertisement for Colgate Toothbrush, featuring an illustration of a woman and the text 'Modern Science Proves that brushing teeth after eating removes the cause of much bad breath and tooth decay.'.

COLGATE TOOTHBRUSH Outstanding Value! Ladies' 35¢ Gents' 25¢

SUGGESTED FORM FOR MAYOR'S PROCLAMATION

The Charlottetown Community Concert Association is holding its annual campaign for members for the purpose of assuring a series of concerts by world-famous artists during the coming season.

Every community is improved by the advantages of schools, churches, libraries and all organizations of a cultural nature. The availability of fine music presented by authoritative musicians is another advantage which will be of inestimable benefit to those making their homes in Charlottetown.

Such cultural advantages become even more important to thoughtful people in times of stress and world crisis as among the more valuable elements of our national heritage. These things are sustained by the work and effort of such citizens as the officers and workers of the Charlottetown Community Concert Association.

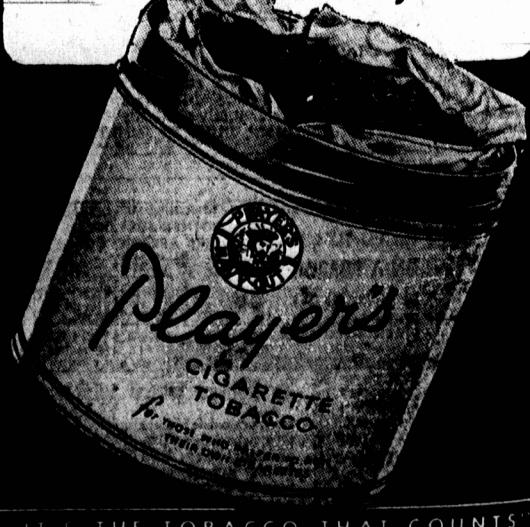
Therefore, as mayor of Charlottetown, I proclaim this week of February 25th to March 1st officially as COMMUNITY CONCERT WEEK.

Signed: J. D. STEWART.

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