

Election Bookmakers Do Roaring Business

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LONDON (CP)—Amid mounting tempers and snide comments, Britain's bookmakers appear to be doing a roaring business on the general election with the big operators estimating the total gamble may reach £2,000,000 (\$6,000,000) by the time the campaign ends March 31.

The row flared not on political differences but on which bookie is doing the most business. Ladbrokes claimed Tuesday it had received £1,000,000 in election bets—the biggest amount taken by any bookmaker on any single event in the history of British gambling.

William Hill, which claims to be Britain's biggest bookmaker, immediately roared in anger that this was "publicity gone mad." Maintaining it was offering the best odds, the Hill company challenged Ladbrokes.

ON THE AIR

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- CFCY-TV**
- 1.30 p.m.—Musical
 - 2.00 p.m.—Film Festival
 - 2.30 p.m.—Today At Home
 - 3.00 p.m.—To Tell The Truth
 - 3.25 p.m.—Take 30
 - 4.31 p.m.—Razzle Dazzle
 - 5.00 p.m.—Wild Bill Hickok
 - 5.30 p.m.—Music Hop
 - 6.00 p.m.—Safety on Our Highways
 - 6.15 p.m.—The Outdoors
 - 6.30 p.m.—Gazette
 - 7.00 p.m.—CFCY TV News
 - 7.15 p.m.—Keyboard Melodies
 - 7.30 p.m.—Please Don't Eat The Daisies
 - 8.00 p.m.—Shannon
 - 8.30 p.m.—The Law & Mr. Jones
 - 9.00 p.m.—Seaway
 - 10.00 p.m.—I Dream of Jeannie
 - 10.30 p.m.—Telenovela
 - 11.00 p.m.—Nearest City
 - 12.00 p.m.—CBC TV News
 - 12.13 a.m.—Local Weather and Sports
 - 12.15 a.m.—Sign Off



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- 10.30 a.m.—Nova Scotia Schools
- 11.30 p.m.—Friendly Giant
- 11.45 a.m.—Chez Helene
- 12.00 p.m.—Butternut Squares
- 2.00 p.m.—Across Canada
- 12.50 p.m.—Thursday Playbill
- The Whole Truth
- 3.30 p.m.—At Home With Helen Crocker
- 3.00 p.m.—To Tell The Truth
- 3.30 p.m.—Take Thirty
- 4.00 p.m.—World In Contrast
- 4.30 p.m.—Razzle Dazzle
- 5.00 p.m.—Atom Ant
- 5.30 p.m.—Music Pop
- 6.15 p.m.—Supper Club
- 6.15 p.m.—TV News
- 6.25 p.m.—TV Weather
- 6.30 p.m.—TV Sports
- 6.35 p.m.—Supper Club
- 7.00 p.m.—Thursday Nite At The Movies—Garden of Evil
- 9.00 p.m.—Seaway
- 10.00 p.m.—I Dream of Jeannie
- 10.30 p.m.—Telenovela
- 11.00 p.m.—Peyton Place 11
- 11.30 p.m.—Honey West
- 12.00 a.m.—CBC National News
- 12.15 a.m.—Viewpoint
- 12.20 a.m.—Lionel Television News
- 12.30 a.m.—Station Sign Off

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 - 6.35—Morning Roundup
 - 6.45—Island W. and Mar. Temp.
 - 6.45—Morning Roundup
 - 6.55—News and Weather
 - 7.00—Hebrew Christian Hour
 - 7.15—Morning Roundup
 - 7.30—News and Weather
 - 7.35—Farm Report
 - 7.35—Farm Report
 - 7.41—Morning Roundup
 - 7.45—Island W. and Mar. Temp.
 - 7.45—Morning Roundup
 - 7.56—Sports Capsule and Scoreboard
 - 8.00—News
 - 8.05—Weather
 - 8.16—Morning Roundup
 - 8.45—Weather
 - 9.10—Notes and Music
 - 9.15—Assignment
 - 10.00—News and Weather
 - 10.05—Notes and Music
 - 10.30—Preview Commentary
 - 10.35—Notes and Music
 - 11.00—News and Weather
 - 11.05—News and Views on Groceries
 - 11.20—Notes and Music
 - 11.30—Notes and Music
 - 11.45—Bulletin Board
 - 11.50—Notes and Music
 - 11.55—Agriculture '66
 - 12.00—Weather
 - 12.05—Town and Country Time
 - 12.30—News and Weather
 - 12.43—P.E.I. Road Report
 - 12.45—Town and Country Time
 - 1.00—News and Weather
 - 1.15—Gordie Tapp Show—CBC

He open his books to back up the claim.

A Ladbrokes spokesman merely laughed. He claimed his firm was far ahead of its competitors, estimating that betting on the election was about five times greater than on the Grand National Steeplechase at Aintree next Saturday.

While William Hill claimed it was offering the best odds, a close look showed there is little difference between the two big firms. With the big money going heavily on Labor, you had to plunk down £10 to win £4 on a Labor victory. If you bet on the Conservatives, you can get about £7 for £1 bet—if the Tories win.

So strong is the trend towards Labor that even the odds against a Labor landslide have narrowed. A week ago you could get odds of about 40-to-1 that Labor wouldn't win a smashing majority of 150 seats in the 630-seat House of Commons. Now those odds have narrowed to 14-to-1. You still can get odds of about 1,000-to-1 that the Tories won't pull off the same stunt.

Danger Stressed From Pesticides

LOS ANGELES (AP)—A panel of health experts has urged changes in control of pesticides to ward off dangers to future generations which may rival those of radiation.

Dr. M. M. Hargraves of the Mayo Clinic at Rochester, Minn., said pesticides seem to be related to leukemia, anemia and other serious or fatal diseases.

Dr. Francis M. Pottinger Jr., chairman of the CMA's conference on environmental health, added:

"Very little is known about the cumulative effects on heredity of pesticide contamination of food, water and air, but they may well be as serious as the more widely publicized dangers from radiation."

Abitibi Co. Eases Price On Newsprint

TORONTO (CP)—Abitibi Paper Co. has joined the growing list of firms which have decided to increase the price of newsprint \$5 a ton instead of \$10 a ton as originally announced.

Abitibi is the sixth newsprinter to back down on its price increase to Canadian and United States customers. The other five are Kruger Pulp and Paper Ltd., International Paper Sales Ltd., Bowater Paper Co. Inc., Domtar Newsprint Ltd. and Consolidated Paper Corp. Ltd.

About two weeks ago the companies said they would raise their prices to \$144 a ton from \$134 effective April 1. The revised increase will take effect May 16.

The \$134 price in U.S. funds is charged by Eastern Canadian mills only. The price from British Columbia mills now is \$124, but three major producers, MacMillan, Bloedel, Crown Zellerbach and B.C. Forest Products have announced a \$10-a-ton increase as of April 1.

BIRDS MARK BORDERS

The early spring song of birds is a way of announcing their claim to certain nesting areas.

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CONTRACT BRIDGE

By B. JAY BECKER

South dealer. Neither side vulnerable.

NORTH
♠ Q54
♥ 82
♦ AK10943
♣ 52

WEST
♠ 1092
♥ J1074
♦ Q6
♣ KJ93

EAST
♠ KJ863
♥ Q63
♦ J85
♣ 104

SOUTH
♠ A7
♥ AK95
♦ 72
♣ AK876

The bidding:
South West North East
1♥ Pass 1♦ Pass
1♠ Pass 2♦ Pass
2NT Pass 3NT

Opening lead—ten of spades. Some plays are so easy to make that when a player inadvertently neglects to make them he may later find himself somewhat embarrassed trying to explain the cause of his lapse. Here is a type of situation that sometimes occurs.

South is in three notrump and West leads a spade, the only unbid suit. Declarer cannot afford to go up with the queen since he would be wide open in the suit if East has the king. So he plays low from dummy and wins the trick with the ace.

Since the best source for tricks obviously is in diamonds, South leads one and plays the nine from dummy after West has followed low. East takes the nine with the jack and has a choice between returning either a heart or a club.

The actual choice does not matter, because South wins any return and grabs nine tricks consisting of five diamonds, two hearts, a spade and a club.

On the surface, there seems to be nothing wrong with the play, but the fact is that South cannot make the contract against proper defense. West is the player responsible for the lapse in defense.

West's play at trick two is what makes or breaks the contract. It is his seemingly unimportant play of the six of diamonds which in effect, hands South his nine tricks on a silver platter.

If West plays the queen instead, South has no chance of making the contract. If he permits West to win the trick, a spade return leads to immediate defeat, while if he takes the queen of diamonds with the king, he eventually finds himself in an utterly hopeless position.

The queen play by West is clearly right, but it is a fact that not everyone would have the presence of mind to think of it.

Mineral Development Seen Only Hope For Arctic Area

OTTAWA (CP)—The fur trade profits of the northern stores is no longer capable of supporting the Eskimo and Indian population of the Northwest Territories even on a marginal scale, the Hudson's Bay Co. says in a brief to the advisory commission on the development of government in the territories.

While development of handicrafts has been helpful, the north's economic future probably is dependent on exploitation of its mineral resources, the company added.

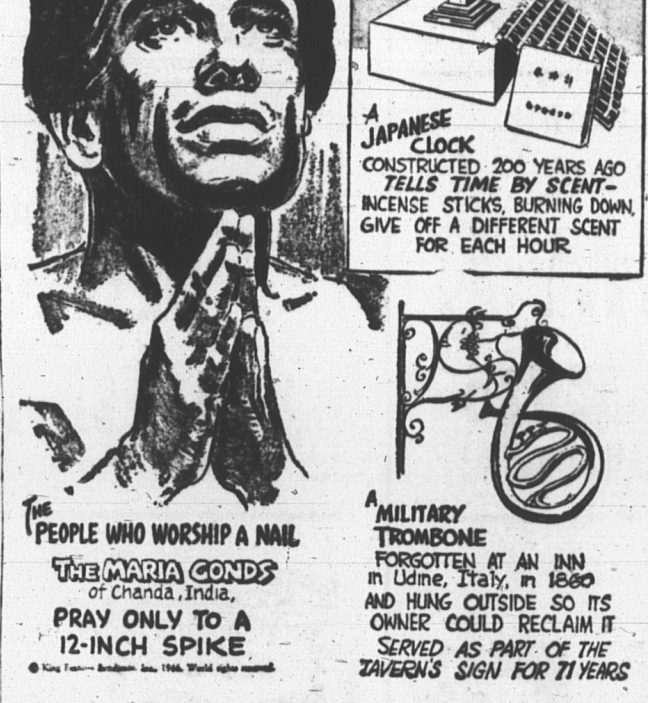
The brief, signed by D. H. Pitts of Winnipeg, general manager of the company's 44 northern stores, noted that the company has been "doing business in the Northwest Territories since 1821" when it took over the establishments of the North West Company along the Great Slave Lake and Mackenzie River.

The demand for white fox fur prompted the company to begin an Arctic building program in 1911. The company stores now were primarily retail outlets and in 1965 the fur trade accounted for only 16 per cent of

WOODS WORTH MUCH

Wood production of all forest products in 1964 was valued at \$38,400,000,000.

RIPLEY'S BELIEVE IT OR NOT



THE PEOPLE WHO WORSHIP A NAIR
THE MARIA GONDS
Canada, India,
PRAY ONLY TO A 12-INCH SPIKE

A JAPANESE CLOCK
CONSTRUCTED 200 YEARS AGO TELLS TIME BY SCENT—INCENSE STICKS BURNING DOWN GIVE OFF A DIFFERENT SCENT FOR EACH HOUR.

A MILITARY TROMBONE
FORGOTTEN AT AN INN IN Udine, Italy, in 1880 AND HUNG OUTSIDE SO ITS OWNER COULD RECLAIM IT SERVED AS PART OF THE ZAVENGS SIGN FOR 71 YEARS

DAILY CROSSWORD

ACROSS	DOWN	ACROSS
1. Kind of art	1. Chinese temple	15. Tossup
4. Notices of a sort	2. Capital of Norway	19. Fast-tener
7. Rent	3. Skins	22. Doleful
9. Grove of small trees	4. Part of a play	24. See 19
12. Fireplace	5. Bermuda grass	26. Fiery
13. Civil wrongs	6. Scatter	28. Soothsayer
14. Bar items	7. Kind of city	29. Tricky spirit
16. Flay	8. Come in	30. Italian
17. Guided	10. Setting for 4 down	31. Large roofing slate
18. Soak	11. Natural fat	32. Fathers mark
20. Victorian, for one		33. Sham
21. Epochs		34. Timber wolf
23. Dry, inflammable material		35. Data
25. Exclamation		
27. Negative		
28. Frankness		
32. Fish-pitching prong		
36. Constellation		
37. What the beer was on		
38. Field		
40. Facial feature		
42. French		
44. Dissolves		
46. Nib		
47. Smooth		
48. Incites		
49. Pen		
50. Maritime signal		

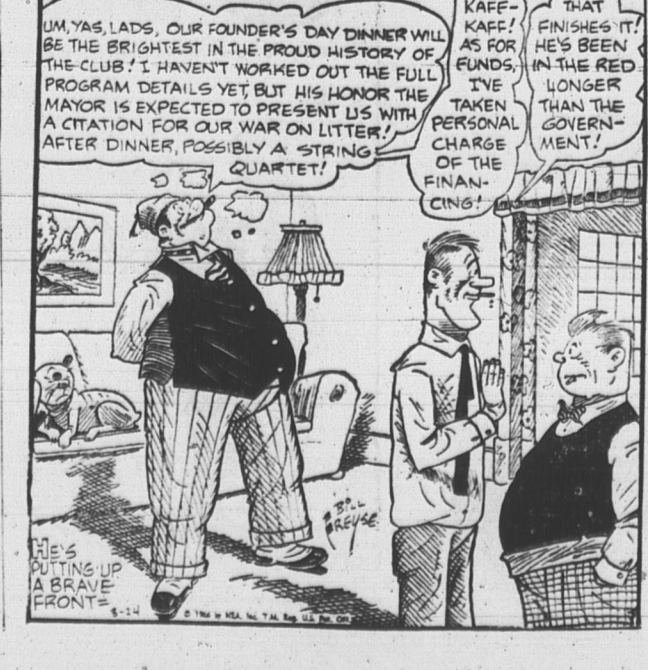
Yesterday's Answer:
38. Fathers
39. Galley
40. Mark
41. Timber wolf
42. Weikun

DAILY CRYPTOQUOTE — Here's how to work it:

WMS SQZ BT X QGLLBVPWS
VGTSLG HEDDEBZVJ X QSLLESUXWS
QGXWM—OGBZ

Yesterday's Cryptoquote: LIFE IS THE CHILDHOOD OF OUR IMMORTALITY.—GOETHE
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OUR BOARDING HOUSE MAJOR HOOPLE



UM, YAS LADS, OUR FOUNDER'S DAY DINNER WILL BE THE BRIGHTEST IN THE PROUD HISTORY OF THE CLUB! I HAVEN'T WORRIED OUT THE FULL PROGRAM DETAILS YET BUT HIS HONOR THE MAYOR IS EXPECTED TO PRESENT US WITH A CITATION FOR OUR WAR ON LITTER! AFTER DINNER, POSSIBLY A STRING OF FINANCING QUARTETS!

KAFF-KAFF! AS FOR FUNDS, I'VE TAKEN THE PERSONAL CHARGE OF THE FINANCING!

THAT FINISHES IT! HE'S BEEN IN THE RED LONGER THAN THE GOVERNMENT!



GOLLY, HOW DID YOUR BEDROOM WINDOW GET BROKEN, GRANDMA?

EARLY THIS MORNING, BUTCH, I WAS HAVING THE BANDIEST DREAM...

I HAD FOUND SOME TONIC THAT WOULD MAKE ME YOUNG AND BEAUTIFUL... JUST AS I STARTED TO SIP IT...

...THE ALARM CLOCK BEGAN RINGING.



I JUST CAN'T RESIST IT!

YEP, SPRING IS REALLY HERE!

WHAT DO YOU MEAN?

YOU'RE MY THIRD HOPSCOTCH VICTIM TODAY!



I'VE GOT A DATE WITH ETTA, BUT I FORGET WHICH NIGHT!

GIMME A DIME, I'LL FIND OUT!

YOU'RE ALL SET FOR FRIDAY, PAL!

NO KIDDING! I WAS SURE IT WAS SATURDAY NIGHT.

IT WAS, BUT THAT'S THE NIGHT I WANTED—

SO SHE SWITCHED YOU OVER TO FRIDAY!



AMERICAN PATROL HALF MILE OVER THERE, LIEUTENANT!

PLENTY TIME TO SET AMBUSH!

Miles to the rear, Colonel Yu makes his move...



WHAT A LOVELY SOUND!

MY FAVORITE SOUND!

JINGLE, JINGLE!



DON'T LET THEM ESCAPE!

FASTER, SILVER FASTER!

KEND SAVVY...

THAT ONLY HIT MY SHIRT! CUT FOR THE TIGERS!

SAFE!

HOT IF THEY DECIDE TO FOLLOW US!



TODAY WE WILL VOTE ON WHETHER OR NOT TO ACCEPT PIERRE AS A MEMBER!

THOSE IN FAVOR WILL SIGNIFY BY RAISING THEIR RIGHT HAND...

THOSE OPPOSED WILL BE BITTEN.



HARMONY... I SEE THAT KNUCKLES LANE HAS BEEN DROPPED! HE WAS AN EXCELLENT BASEBALL ANNOUNCER!

HE'S BEING REPLACED BY JOHN CLUMMINGS... BUT I DON'T KNOW THE REASON!

CLUMMINGS IS A COMMERCIAL ANNOUNCER WHO HAS NEVER DONE SPORTS! I'D LIKE TO GET KNUCKLES LANE BACK... IF IT'S NOT TOO LATE!

MAKE... SOMETHING'S COME UP! I'VE GOT TO TALK TO YOU!

OKAY, HARMONY! I'M IN MY OFFICE... COME RIGHT UP!



GRANDMA, I'VE TOLD MERMORNE YOU BAKED A CAKE... CAN HE STAY TO SUPPER WITH US?

WELL, I'LL TELL YOU MERMORNE...

WE DO HAVE CAKE... BUT WE'RE NOT HAVING MUCH OF A SUPPER... IT'S STRICTLY POT-LUCK...

OH, THAT'S ALL RIGHT, MRS. MC GINNIS...

CAKE IS GOOD ENOUGH FOR ME!

AND ME!

YOU WERE SINGING FOR SUPPER!



DID YOU GET THAT ON TAPE?

YOU BET! IT COMPLETES YOUR NEW ALBUM—AFTER DINNER MUSIC FROM FLABMAN!

ANYTHING FLABMAN RECORDS SELLS A MILLION!

WHY HAVEN'T I AS MUCH RIGHT AS HE HAS TO SHINE FLABMAN'S SHOES?