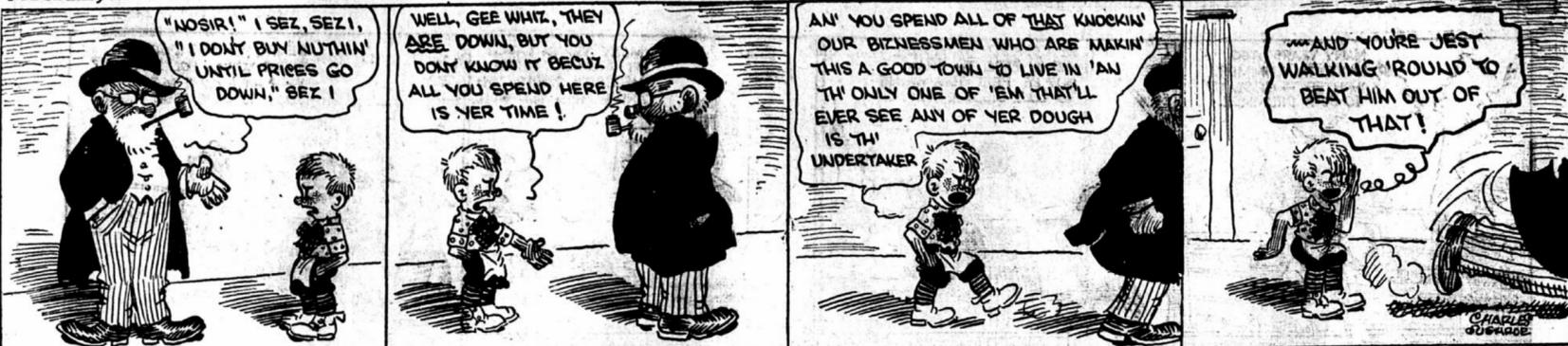


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Some Sale
The following is a portion of an auction notice taken from an Otter Tail county newspaper and sent in to Twentieth Century by a Pioneer subscriber:
"As I have been asked to leave the country, I will sell you at public auction, on my place, 1 1/2 miles north of Carlton, 7 miles east of Lucas, On Friday, Noctomer 23st, beginning at 1 g. m., the following proscribed property:
"18 head of horse as follows: One spavined mare, coming 19 years old; 1 bay horse, wt. 413 lbs.; one iron grey gelding mare, coming 5 years old; 1 sorrel horse, well matched; 1 mare mule, with colt at side; one brown worked horse; one jackass, just your age; 1 running horse, runs at nose; 9 head of colts, six steers and 3 geldings."
—Should Think He Would Leave—
Ain't What It Used to Be
Once upon a time a man, or rather a bunch of men, would get up at 3 a. m., assemble fishing tackle and a couple cases of beer and head for a nearby lake to spend the day. And even then there was always some darn fool who wanted to fish just the same. But now you might say that some one has taken the big joy out of fishing.
—As It Used to Be Known—
Picture
Toonerville Fire Department
Those must have been the good old days when you could stand around in a silk hat and watch the brave boys fighting the fire. Now they sit around in their autos and don't even offer to help the firemen.
—Except Advice—
Test Will Tell
Some girls have an idea that a beauty specialist is so proficient that she can make a human scarecrow like like the Venus de Milo standing knee deep in a lily pond. All we have to say is that some girls expect too much. But then, there is no harm in expecting things. Bemidji people have been expecting warmer weather for several months.
—And Still Expect It—
Nothing New Under the Sun
"Your never delighted in dresses indelicately low," wrote the Roman philosopher, Seneca, to his mother 2,000 years ago—which goes to show again that "there's nothing new under the sun."
But it isn't the indelicately low part that seems to be bothering the women these days. It's the hyphenated height. But does it bother them?
—It's Out of Their Way—
A Matter of Precaution
Should the grasshoppers become overly abundant here this summer, we have been advised of a way to get rid of them and we now impart the following knowledge to our readers: "Feed them generously with any of the well advertised brands of health food. This makes them feel so good and puts so much pep into their system that every time they hop they will go up into the air about 20 feet. Falling, they are almost sure to break their neck.
—if They Don't Break You—
Off for the Races
According to information sent out by the University of California the tail of the Pons-Winneke comet will swish the earth some time in June. There will be a race between the comet and the earth, but the former will win by 12,000,000 miles. "As You Like It" warns bookmakers that this dope is authentic and tells them to put up their odds accordingly. Other planets or comets desiring to enter are asked to communicate with the University of California before doing so.
—Oh, to Be a Comet!

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Calif skins, No. 1, lb.....7c-8c
Deacons, each.....50c-60c
Horse hides, large.....\$2-\$3
POTATOES
Chicago, May 17.—Potato receipts, 84 cars. Old market weaker. Northern whites, sacked and bulk, 90c to \$1.05. New Louisiana whites, \$2.75 to \$2.85; Texas triumphs, \$3.85 to \$4.00.

Sports

MONDAY'S RESULTS
National League
Pittsburgh.....19 6 .760
New York.....18 8 .692
Brooklyn.....17 12 .586
Chicago.....12 10 .545
Boston.....10 14 .417
St. Louis.....8 15 .348
Cincinnati.....10 19 .345
Philadelphia.....7 17 .292
Games Yesterday
Pittsburgh, 0; Philadelphia, 3.
St. Louis, 4; Brooklyn, 3.
Cincinnati, 4; New York, 7.
Chicago, 1; Boston, 7.

CROOKSTON YOUTH MAY SEE RACERS EAT DUST

(By United Press)
Indianapolis, Ind., May 17.—A young man who followed the plough horses in slow heavy strides on a farm near Crookston, Minn., five years ago will try to make Ralph DePalma and other speed demons eat his dust in the Indiana Northern Speedway May 30.
The youth is Jules Ellinboe who was picked from the farm and developed into a king of the dirt track. Now Ellinboe is seeking to take the crown in the greatest automobile race of all times, in the 500-mile international sweepstakes two weeks hence.
Flashing around the 2 1/2 mile brick oval just before sunset yesterday he shaved the track in a trial sprint. He traveled 10 1/2 miles an hour and his time for the 2 1/2 mile was one minute and 29 seconds. This is two-fifths of a second slower than the track record. Ellinboe had a car entered for last year's race but could not get ready in time and was unable to start. This year he will drive a Frontenac.

FARGO PRINCIPAL WOULD HARMONIZE SCHOOL LIFE

(By United Press)
 Fargo, May 17.—Harmonizing of social, athletic and scholastic phases of high school life has been attempted by B. C. Tighe, principal of the Fargo school, who has instituted what he calls a "point system." This limits the number of societies to which a student may belong, the offices they may hold and the activities in which he may take part. The idea is to bring about complete "democracy," the principal states, preventing a few of the more prominent from monopolizing school activities both to the detriment of their studies and the positions they hold through attempting to undertake more than they can carry out.

BUSINESS WOMEN TO HOLD ANNUAL CONVENTION IN JUNE

(By United Press)
Faribault, May 17.—Business women of the state will hold their annual convention at the Shattuck school here next month.
The Faribault Commercial club is making plans for elaborate entertainment of convention guests. Mrs. F. W. McKellip is chairman of local arrangements committee.
Sessions will be held at the Shattuck school June 17 and 18. Most of the convention delegates, it is planned, will be housed at the school building.

CITY'S ACTION ON LIGHT BIDS IS POSTPONED

(Continued From Page 1)
for the two weeks ended May 14 showed a total of \$250 collected from fines, this amount largely from fines imposed upon speeders. The report of the city veterinarian and dairy inspector was also accepted.
Permission was granted the Loyal Order of Moose to rope off a section of Third street for use by the drill team. Announcement was made that the tax committee of the Civic and Commerce association would meet Wednesday evening at the association rooms for the purpose of fixing an estimated budget for the city, the park board, the school board and other such items of taxes as concern Bemidji taxpayers. The levy for next year will be considered at that time. All council members were especially urged to be present at that meeting.

FRED FULTON KNOCKS OUT JACK GOULARD IN SECOND

(By United Press)
Philadelphia, Pa., May 17.—Fred Fulton, Minnesota plasterer, knocked out Jack Goulard, Los Angeles, in the second round of a scheduled eight-round bout here last night. Goulard subdued for Homer Smith who backed out of the bout.

American Association
Kansas City.....15 8 .652
Minneapolis.....12 9 .571
Indianapolis.....12 9 .571
Toledo.....13 14 .481
Louisville.....12 13 .480
St. Paul.....12 14 .462
Columbus.....10 14 .417
Milwaukee.....9 14 .391
Games Yesterday
Columbus, 8; Milwaukee, 2.
Toledo, 5; Kansas City, 16.
Others postponed.

Games Yesterday
Pittsburgh, 0; Philadelphia, 3.
St. Louis, 4; Brooklyn, 3.
Cincinnati, 4; New York, 7.
Chicago, 1; Boston, 7.

Games Yesterday
New York, 6; Cleveland, 3.
Washington, 11; Detroit, 17.
Boston, 10; St. Louis, 5.
Philadelphia, 4; Chicago, 5.

MAY DECLARE MARTIAL LAW IN MINE DISTRICT

(By United Press)
Washington, May 17.—Secretary of War Weeks conferred today with President Harding at a cabinet meeting on the question of whether martial law should be proclaimed in West Virginia and Kentucky to quell the coal miners' fighting there. Weeks took to the White House a telegram from Governor Morgan of West Virginia and the governor of Kentucky making a last minute appeal for declaration of martial law.

(By United Press)
Williamson, W. Va., May 17.—Fears of further trouble were felt today following a comparatively two-day peace in the industrial warfare in the hill country, east of here. A brief exchange of shots early last night served to maintain tension that brought a bullet battle between the striking miners and government employees last Thursday.
Factions in the fight were posted at vantage in Kentucky and West Virginia hills ready to turn on the opposite mountain the machine guns, if there was any sign of renewed hostilities. Ammunition supplies are being replenished and the depleted stocks of food restored.

W. B. A. OF MACCABEES HELD MEETING MONDAY NIGHT

The Women's Benefit association of the Maccabees held a very interesting meeting Monday night and initiated a class of 35 candidates. Dancing and a lunch followed the business meeting, and drill by the guard team was also held. Plans were made for the approaching Maccabee rally.

TOWLE BOY PASSES AWAY AT ST. ANTHONY HOSPITAL
Earnest, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Towle, passed away at St. Anthony's hospital Monday, May 16. Funeral services will be held at the home of George W. Slater, 1311 Bixby avenue, Wednesday afternoon, May 18, at 2 p. m.

ELECTRICAL WORKERS AND POLICE FIGHT IN JAPAN
Honolulu, Hawaii, May 17.—Nine hundred striking electrical workers and 200 Japanese police fought a battle at Obaka, Japan, according to a Tokio dispatch to a Japanese newspaper published here. Several strikers and 14 police were injured in the fight. Workers called a strike, it was stated, in an effort to force employers to negotiate on wages and working conditions.

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