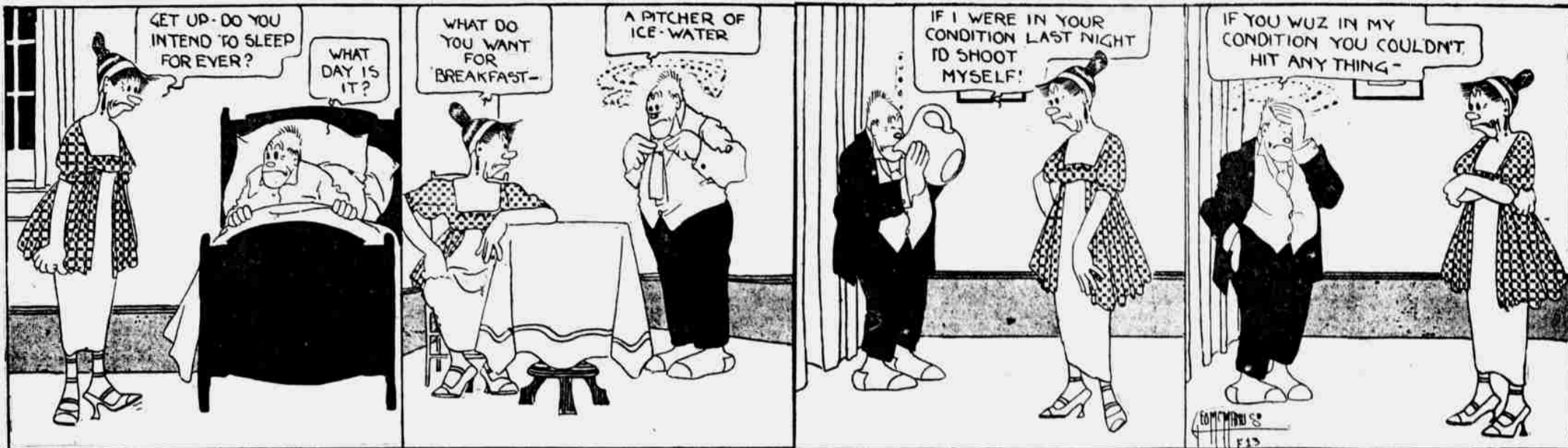


BRINGING UP FATHER

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SWEETSHOP GIRLS BEAT OLYMPIANS

Miss Lillian Hughes Has High Single and High Three Games.

THEY REPAY AN OLD SCORE

After being defeated in their first match, the A. B. Sweet Shop girls came back and trimmed the Olympia Candy Kitchen boys 171 pins in the second match.

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Horsemen to Meet Here Thursday to Arrange Purses

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Today's Sport Calendar

Base Ball—Scheduled meeting of the National League, at New York City. Polo—Annual meeting of Polo association, at New York City.

Bench Show—Annual show of Indianapolis Kennel club, at Indianapolis.

Automobile—Annual show of Sioux City Automobile Dealers' association, Sioux City, Ia.

Trotting—Scheduled meeting of Bay State Short-Ship circuit, at Boston.

Basket Ball—Western conference, Chicago at Purdue.

Amateur Base Ball Association Levies Tax for Red Cross

Indianapolis, Ind., Feb. 12.—A resolution that amateur base ball players who are members of the various city associations, affiliated with the National Amateur Association of America be recruited to volunteer for military duty at once, was adopted unanimously by the delegates attending the fourth annual meeting of the association here today.

Herd and Mathey Win in Second Round of Tennis

New York, Feb. 12.—Play was continued here today in the annual national indoor tennis championship tournament. Both Clinton B. Herd of California and Dean Mathey, the New Jersey star, easily working their way through the third round, winning in straight sets.

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DRILL IN ICE AND DEBRIS FOR DEAD

Dozen or More Bodies Are in Ruins of Minneapolis Hotel Swept by Flames.

WORK MAY REQUIRE DAYS

Minneapolis, Minn., Feb. 12.—With searchlights trained on the ruins of the Kenwood hotel, firemen continued to drill in the huge mass of ice and debris tonight in the hope of recovering a dozen or more bodies believed to have been buried beneath crumbling walls and floors when fire wrecked the four-story structure early today, causing two known deaths and seriously injuring nearly a score of persons.

Meanwhile, the state fire marshal is making preparations for an inquiry into the cause of the fire.

Only one body, that of a man, had been dug from the tons of ice and twisted timbers in the basement of the wrecked building early tonight. It was buried beyond recognition.

Rescuers say it may be several days before the bodies are recovered and that the exact number of dead may never be known because of the condition of the wreckage.

All records of the hotel were lost and the exact number of persons in the building when fire broke out is unknown.

Senate Finance Committee Approves the Revenue Bill

Washington, Feb. 12.—Final approval of the administration revenue bill, as amended by the democratic caucus, was voted today by the senate finance committee and Chairman Simmons was authorized to report the measure and urge its passage as soon as possible.

There will be a big fight on the floor of the senate over the amendment reducing the oleomargarine tax from 10 to 2 cents a pound.

Loons Wins From Fremont.

Fremont, Neb., Feb. 12.—(Special.)—Loons Athletic club basketball team defeated the Fremont Young Men's Christian association team here Saturday evening, 42 to 20.

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Oil Strike at Excelsior Springs; One Well Capped, Drill Another

Excelsior Springs, Mo., Feb. 12.—(Special Telegram.)—A strike of oil here has caused great excitement. One well was capped at 900 feet. A second well is being drilled.

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BRITAIN'S WAR BILL SIX MILLION A DAY

England's National Debt Will Be Near Four Billion Pounds at End of the Year.

ANNOUNCEMENT BY LAW

London, Feb. 12.—The average daily expenditure of Great Britain is now £5,790,000. Andrew Bonar Law, chancellor of the exchequer, announced in the House of Commons today.

The chancellor said the total expenditure since the beginning of the war was £4,200,000,000.

At the end of the current year the national debt would stand between £3,800,000,000 and £3,900,000,000. Advances to allies and dominions would be approximately £390,000,000.

The number of applications and the amount applied for by the general public for the new loan, the chancellor said, were larger than ever before.

The chancellor pointed out that the total votes of credit for the current financial year would amount to £1,950,000,000. He said that in excess of the estimate of Reginald McKenna, chancellor of the exchequer under the Asquith government, and that the increase was due to additional expenditures for munitions and advances to the allies and dominions.

The average expenditure had increased by £1,000,000 daily as compared with the first sixty-three days of the financial year.

There also had been an increase in expenditures for the army, but it was proportionate with the increase in the number of troops, the army being fourteen times as large as when the war began.

The amounts asked for, Mr. Law said, would enable the government to meet expenses until the end of May. Of the last vote of credit there had been an unexpected balance of £276,000,000.

In making advances to its allies, the chancellor continued, Great Britain considered one thing only—whether it would be in the general interest. He emphasized the importance of co-ordination in every field and that the conference at Rome had resulted in decision in regard to a policy to be adopted toward Greece, which policy was now being followed.

Mr. McKenna said that never before had such a large credit been asked at the beginning of a session and that the government must be intending to prevent Parliament from reviewing the expenditures during the coming months, or else the money thus provided should tide the country over a possible Parliamentary recess or election. Mr. Law said the question of a general election had never entered his mind.

Nebraska Retail Dealers Hold Meeting in Lincoln

Lincoln, Feb. 12.—(Special Telegram.)—The eleventh annual convention of the Nebraska Retail Dealers convened here this afternoon and will be in session until Friday.

The program prepared embraces many of the live questions confronting the retail business at the present time, with speakers from out in the state to handle them.

This afternoon the convention opened with the singing of "America," and in the evening the members heard an address by A. E. Swanser of the Northwestern university, Chicago, on "Present-Day Tendencies in Advertising."

Later in the evening Emerson E. Smith of Lincoln gave a talk on "Advertising in the Smaller Towns."

Present officers of the association are W. C. Elliott, Mason City, president; Cliff Brooks, Fairbury, vice president; M. A. Hostetter, Shelton, treasurer, and J. Frank Barr, Omaha, secretary.

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Pullman, Wash., Feb. 12.—A. A. Stagg, foot ball coach at the Chicago university, will teach foot ball at the summer school at Washington State college this year, according to an announcement today by the college president.

CANNON TELLS OF ABRAHAM LINCOLN

Former Speaker of House Relates Reminiscences of the Emancipator.

EULOGIES ARE DELIVERED

Washington, Feb. 12.—Although congress continued in session through Lincoln's birthday at work on the congested legislative program eulogies to the liberator were delivered in both senate and house and many members attended a memorial service held tonight under auspices of several patriotic societies.

Senator Lewis speaking in the senate, declared that in the present international crisis the issue involved the same issue of liberty and justice which Lincoln gave to America.

In the house the Gettysburg address was read and Representatives Dill and Chipfield made eulogistic addresses.

At the meeting tonight former Speaker Cannon related his personal reminiscences of Lincoln.

"Lincoln and America," Senator Lewis predicted would be the shrine to which the world would turn after the great war for a new dedication of society to the principle of democracy.

Patriotic Demonstration Is Given at Lexington

Lexington, Neb., Feb. 12.—(Special Telegram.)—The celebration of Lincoln's and Washington's birthday anniversaries was celebrated this afternoon at a crowded house at the majestic theater in this city under the auspices of the Grand Army and the Woman's Relief corps.

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Father of Senator Beal Is Dead in Missouri

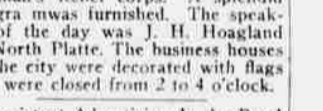
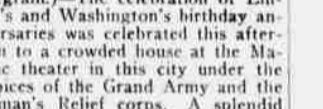
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