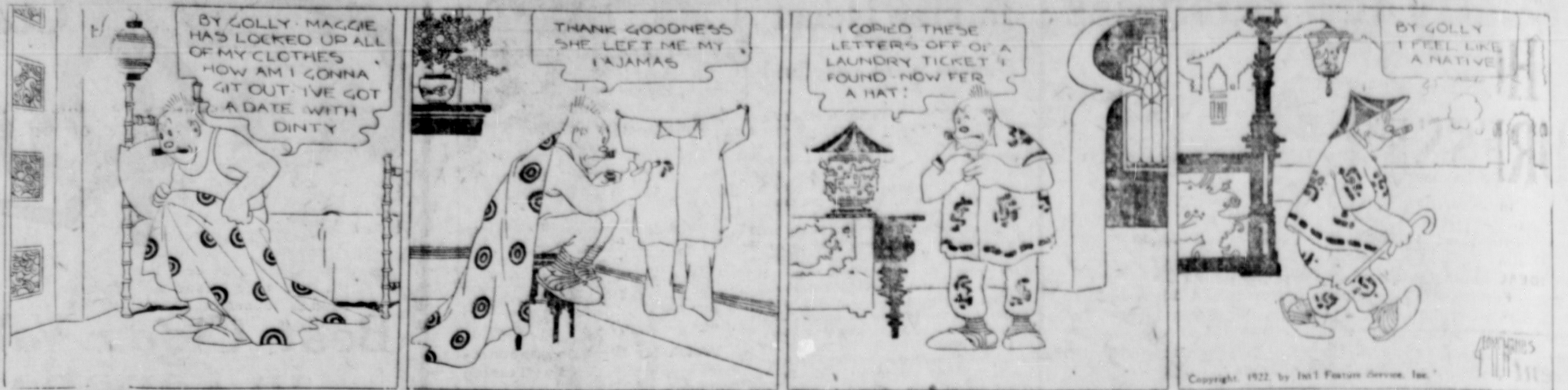


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BUSINESS OF LEGISLATURE

Workings of Victoria Parliament Described—Two Departments

MEMBERS VERY BUSY

Close Predicted for Next Week Depending Chiefly on Opposition Members

(H. F. Pullen). VICTORIA, Dec. 11.—There are two departments of the Legislature one devoted to business of the country, and the other the spectacular department designed for the delectation of constituents of the members. All take part more or less in the first and nearly all are interested in the second.

The business of the House has to do with the budget and estimates, the passing of departmental bills, the amending of existing statutes and similar business. The spectacular portion of the work is well mixed up with the other and is very largely a matter of gallery speeches. Under this heading may be included the debate on the address, much of the budget debate, resolutions laying to do with Oriental and liquor questions and also those subjects in which Labor is particularly interested. There are also the Tibbustons and the public accounts probes and similar matters.

Leaders Most Spectacular

Naturally the leaders on both sides are the most spectacular. The success of the party and the election fate of private members. There has to be a lot of that sort of thing else the people of the province would not be satisfied.

At this session there has been just as much spectacular work as usual, but it has not been just as effective as some of the members would like. Take as an example the operations of the public accounts committee. They have been digging for weeks and have so far found nothing in the patch but small potatoes. It looks as if the attempt would be abandoned soon.

Forecasting The Close

Business of the session is well advanced and next week should see the close, and perhaps it may come about the middle of the week. All depends on the opposition members. Just as soon as they have exhausted themselves on exhibition stuff for the newspapers and the electors, just as soon will the business be wound up. The government is ready to close just as soon as the business is done and that will take little more than one day.

When there is little doing in the House the members take the opportunity to snatch a little sleep. The other day not less than eight members were asleep in their chairs at one time. Then someone commenced to speak on a live subject and they were all immediately awake and alert. The long hours make it almost impossible for members to attend to the proceedings all the time.

Quiet in the House

At the time of writing the chiropractic committee is sitting at the same time that the House is in session and nearly as many members are there as are sitting in their places. If a division should be called, the whips would at once call these members in, but there is a tentative understanding that no such division will take place and that the House will consider only non-contentious legislation while it is going on. The reporters are practically

all out of the gallery and few spectators are watching the proceedings.

At different times during the session there have been divisions. The smallest majority the Government has had so far has been four and that was sprung at a time when several supporters were away. On one or two occasions the whole House has voted against the Labor members and on a few occasions on private bills there has been a mixup of members, some voting one way and some the other without regard to party. Usually, however, the Labor group vote the same way, sometimes with the Government and sometimes against it. They caucus continuously although the gatherings are not dignified by that name.

ELECTORS WILL VOTE ON DAYLIGHT SAVING

Civic electors will next month vote on the daylight saving question. This was announced at last night's council meeting. A motion calling for a referendum on daylight saving in the months of July or August or none at all was put forward but this was superseded with an amendment that the subject be laid over for one week. Some of the aldermen felt that the purposes designated by daylight saving here would not be met by restricting the change to the months of July and August only. Others felt that such a measure should only be in effect during school holidays.

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LETTER FROM AD. GUSTAVO

Wrestler Writes from Eugene, Oregon; Eulogizes Prince Rupert for Sporting Spirit

Ad Gustavo, the wrestler who visited Prince Rupert last summer and made many friends in the city in the course of his stay, writes to the sporting editor of the Daily News from Eugene, Oregon. His letter expresses appreciation of the sporting spirit of this city and also gives some interesting news of the wrestler's recent activities in the south. It follows:

"It gives me great pleasure to express my opinion and impression of the folks in your city of Prince Rupert. Let me thank the fans for the fine treatment and support they gave me while in their midst.

"In all my travels I have never found a town where clean, wholesome sport was more at home than in Prince Rupert. What strikes a close observer is the spirit of fairness. I wish that all people could know the great benefit that can be derived both bodily and mentally by participating actively in some of the varied outdoor games.

"All I can say to the people of Prince Rupert is: 'Keep up the good work and some day your sons and daughters, elfan and strong in body and mind, will be proud to say they spent their youth in Prince Rupert.'

"Defeated Ralph Hand "Since coming back to the States, I have been quite busy. My last match was with Ralph Hand, who has been hailed for more than a year as the coming champion. The only men who have been able to defeat him were Walter Miller, Ted Thye and myself. Although I lost my first match with him by one fall in two hours, I took two straight from him in our return encounter, so that was quite a feather in my cap. I have on three matches, one with Charles Olsen, one with Oscar Butler and one with Henry Böcke.

"Kindly give my best wishes for a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year to all my friends."

Sport Chat

Georges Carpentier, until the appearance of Battling Siki, heavyweight champion of the world and aspirant to the world's championship, has come out with a challenge to the Senegalese for a return match. Two months ago Siki downed George in the third round of the fight. Since then the black boy

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