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Lumber Castle To End "Curse"

FORT FRANCES, Ont. (CP)—The story of a prospector who spent 17 years building a four-storey log "castle" in northwest Ontario's wilderness after an angered partner had put a "curse" on him is told by E. E. Jacobs of Verdale, Minn. Jacobs, a 62-year-old poultryman, gave his version of why the late James McQuaig built the "castle" on the shore of White Otter Lake, about 80 miles northeast of Fort Frances. Jacobs, who said he met McQuaig in 1912 and again in 1913, recalled that when McQuaig and a partner quarrelled while prospecting in northwest Ontario the partner left with a taunt that McQuaig would die in an old shack.

McQuaig accepted his partner's challenge as a "curse," Jacobs went on, "and that is the reason he built his castle. He wanted to prove he would not die in a shack."

McQuaig, who raised 24-foot logs three storeys high without help, worked on the castle for five years. It burned down and he started again.

His only tools, Jacobs said, were a wooden block plane, a handsaw and some wood chisels made from flat files. Despite this he built a four-storey tower, a three-storey main section and a three-storey wing. The roof interior and all the eaves were lined with birchbark and everything caulked with clay.

FALLING TO RUINS
The building was "discovered" about 1919 and received much publicity in 1925 when the first picture of it was published. Now the "castle" is in a rather dilapidated condition.

Jacobs said McQuaig didn't die in either an "old shack" or the "castle." He was found drowned in his own fish nets by Canadian aviators who made a special trip into the area to look at the "castle" which they had spotted from the air.

Blackwood on Bridge
By Easley Blackwood

"I still don't see how I went down," said Mr. Muzzy confusedly, after his opponents set him one at four spades.

South dealer
North-South vulnerable

North
(Mr. Champion)
S-9 8 7 3
H-10 5
D-K Q J 7 3
C-K Q J 7

East
(Mr. Abel)
S-6 2
H-10 8 6 2
D-4 4
C-9 8 6 5 2

South
(Mr. Muzzy)
S-A K J 4
H-A K 5
D-A 7 5 3
C-10 3

The bidding:
South 1S West 2D North 2S East Pass
4S All pass

Here is the way Mr. Muzzy achieved this highly undesirable result. Mr. Masters led the king of diamonds which was permitted to win. He shifted to the nine of spades which was taken by the jack in the closed hand.

Now Mr. Muzzy laid down the ace of diamonds and when it was not ruffed by Mr. Abel, he gave Mr. Champion a broad wink and said, "Relax, partner." At this remark Mr. Champion became as relaxed as a flagpole sitter in a gale. He knew Mr. Muzzy's dismal record as an estimator.

At trick four Mr. Muzzy led a diamond and ruffed it. Mr. Abel discarding a small club. He reentered his hand with the ace of hearts and led his last diamond. Mr. Abel dropping another club while dummy trumped.

Now a small heart was led to the king and Mr. Muzzy laid down the ace and king of spades. He frowned when Mr. Abel threw another club on the last spade lead. He next led a heart on which Mr. Masters played the four of clubs.

Dummy's queen of hearts won and the nine of hearts was led. Mr. Abel covered with the 10. Mr. Muzzy ruffed and Mr. Masters over-ruffed and won the last two tricks with the ace of clubs and the high diamond.

In a strange voice, Mr. Champion pointed out that five-odd was easy on the hand. The right play was to win the first diamond trick and knock out the ace of clubs before doing anything else.

All Mr. Muzzy had to do was to establish dummy's clubs while there were spades on the board to stop the threat of the diamond suit.

"D'nt you tell me to relax?" Mr. Champion roared. "From now on I relax only when you're my opponent—or better still, when you're a kibitzer."

Native Boy Breaks Arm

A 10-year-old Indian boy arrived at Miller Bay Hospital yesterday from Sunnyside cannery with a broken arm suffered Wednesday afternoon. Kelly MacMillan was helping to roll an oil drum on a ramp when the drum fell on his forearm. The camp physician treated him. His father, Walter MacMillan, brought the boy to Prince Rupert yesterday.

Kitwanga And Rupert Again

Kitwanga, which holds a 4 to 1 victory to its credit over the locals, will play a return game with a local select football team this Saturday night. It is announced today by the Prince Rupert Football Association.

The interior natives are said to be confident of repeating the victory but the football executive is hoping to produce an eleven that will make a real game of it.



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Port Simpson Native Missing

Henry Sankey, 24, of Port Simpson, is still missing after a continued search since last Friday by police and the Indian Department.

Capt. James McKay, of the seiner Point Yoho, reported Sankey missing when the crew member did not return after going ashore Friday evening. Yoho was tied up at Prince Rupert.

Acquaintances said they saw Sankey Friday night, but since then no trace of him has been found. F. E. Anfield, Indian superintendent, reported today.

He is single and the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sankey, Port Simpson.

Mrs. Ed Noble, who has been paying a visit here with her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Mills, is sailing by the Prince Rupert tonight on her return to her home at Evergreen, Colorado, a suburb of Denver.

BIRTHS
EODDIE—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Eoddie, 131 West 41 Ave., Vancouver, B.C. a son, John Edwin, on August 9. Weight 10.5, 8 oz. (11c)

ENGAGEMENT NOTICE
Mr. and Mrs. J. Currie wish to announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their only daughter, Christine Elizabeth, to Robert Currie, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Currie. The wedding will take place on August 30 at 8:00 p.m. in First Presbyterian Church. (11c)

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