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#### Sweethearts On Parade

DERHAPS in professional productions it is not considered good policy but in the show now running IT IS now clear that the at the Civic Centre everyone is a star. Every name [Communist world powers,] on the program would rate ton billing if space perinitted and every performer on the stage has his or her special fans.

Maybe Broadway would never try it but Broadway has not the particular kind of talent that is making Sweethearts on Parade such a hit. From beginhing to end it is an expert, well paced, often amusing and always enjoyable presentation in which the is weethearts truly prove their right to be on parade.

If any parents have wondered whether the daneing classes at the Civic Centre were worthwhile, this show provides a positive answer. The young performers have a style and poise which make them a deasure to watch, not only for Mother and Dad but for everyone,

As instructor and principal organizer behind the whole effort, Buddy Taft merits a special word of appreciation. This is the second year that he has conducted classes at the Civic Centre and staged Sweethearts on Parade, and it is astonishing how much he has accomplished in so short a time. While last year's performance was a success, this one shows the added benefit of experience so that already we can look forward to future productions with real anticipation.

But, as Mr. Taft was the first to point out, the show would not be successful or even possible unless mothers were willing to carry a large share of the work. The attractiveness of the costumes, among other items for which their help was needed, proves that they were. Members of the Prince Rupert Little Theatre and others also had a responsible part in staging the clever performance.

But the ultimate praise goes to the cast itself. The sweethearts are wonderful and, in getting ready lonight to please an audience for a third time, have established they are real troupers.

#### Coin Of Culture

COURSE Canadian taxpayers would prefèr the CBC to be self-sustaining and never have to appeal for assistance from the treasury. It costs millions of dollars each year, and millions are hard to come by even in times as good as these. But it does not need long explanation to demonstrate that Cahada's sparse and scattered population, the great dislance involved in distribution of programs and the persistent temptation to use cheaper imported programs create special problems which are even more difficult in costly television than in radio.

The purpose of the CBC has been to ensure that

BUT even from my own mail At the present time several con- ing against having the matter v Canadian programs have Canadian content and are made available to the greatest possible number. Revenue has not been the sole consideration, and if the CBC becomes engaged in a frantic scramble to make ends meet we may expect Canadian artists to suffer loss of employment, the extension of radio and TV services to be delayed and the nurturing of Canadian culture and nationhood made less important than earning money with run-of-the-mill imported programs,

Often enough, despite its cost, the CBC seems -Ottawa Journal. cheap enough.

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movie itself. The acenes are ca-

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call in the picture-Lana Turn- |

Bomo swine have a leading [

They will be in the audience.

the parable of the Prodigal Son built up the story and given it or regain their freedom. has been put through de Mille. | a professional polish.

An author with, a very big "The Most Dramatic Story of name dictated the original scen- Temptation Ever Told . . . In the surely has as much future moral ario, and Luke wrote it down. Most Magnificent Spectacle Ever A colored advertisement for Sten," the advertisement says,

the movie came out in a na- haven't seen the movie yet, but tional magazine the other day, the ad gives me some idea, Fleven actors and actresses are "Two years in the making! / listed including Lana Turner fortune to produce." and Edmund Purdom, and the The advertisement contains screen play is by Maurice Zimm, several colored pictures of Lanu Joe Breen, Jr., and Samuel Turner wearing boads and a sul-

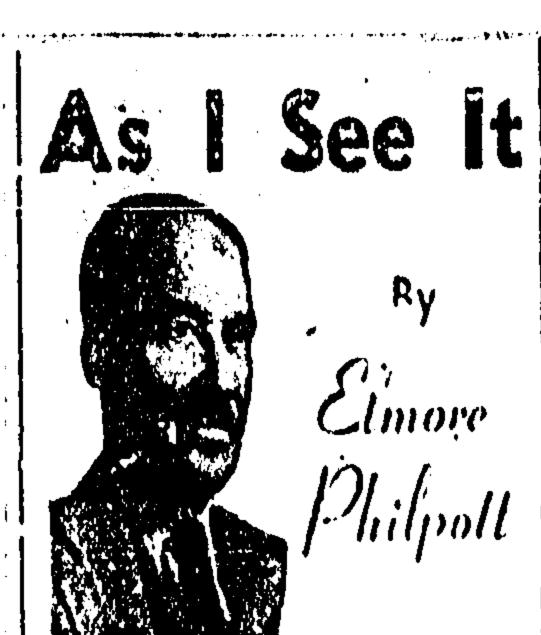
James Larsen. itry smile, and little else. In one The author and Luke seem to pleture, Lana and the Prodigal have been left out of the credit son are reclining on a red carlist. Just an oversight, I sup- pet and having a talk, and you pose. A busy producer can't can tell by the look on the Prothink of everything. Incident- Bon's face that he isn't ready to much of the earth. ally, the film was directed by go home yet, Richard Thorpe and produced by The advertisement also has Charles Schnee. Cecile B. de other pictures, hinting at Mille didn't really have anything myriad of thrills . . . unparallel-

to do with the movie-but he ed wonder and splender!" in the started all this. The original script was only talogued as follows: about 450 words long and-let's "I. Pagan Princess in the face it-very poor theatre. Not Temple of Lovel 2. Sacrifice of the International Association of

It was just a simple tale about Yulture Pit, an awesome sight! a lad who left home, spent ull 5. Romance of the Prodigal Son his money and nearly starved in sin-ridden Damascus!" to death. Then he came home, The fatted calf is a prominent and his father threw a big feast figure in the original story, but because he was glad to see the I don't see any reference to the boy again,

But those smart screen writers

NEW PIELDS the 50 students due to graduate rule in the Bible version. The from high school here indicated Prodigal Son gots so hungry that will enter engineering he is tempted to steal their food. I courses at various universities, llowever, I don't see any refer-But none expressed any interest once to these animals either. in mining, the area's major in- Where are the swine?



Some Shun Peace

Russia and China, are

promoting a world peace program that is really

It may be only a short range tactic-a zig zag -which will ac: abandoned as abruptly as was: "the Browder line" of wartime; co, operation with the west. But i for the time being, it is plainly as fact, that the heads of the governments in Moscow and Peiping are out to relax tension.

It may be too soon to agree with that hard-headed statesman, ex-president Harry Truman, who says hally that this marks the end of the sold war and the beginning of peace. But it is surely not too rash to agree with Harold E. Stassen, President Eisenhower's right hand. man, who says it marks a farreaching relaxation in the world 🕻 🖫

ONE of the amazing revelations group to whom the evident ap- creasingly unhappy over this sit- ernment archivist. of the past few weeks is that proach of the session's close is nation. They can't escape the there are a good many people on Bringing the most genuine.per-idea that there's an element of our side of the Iron Curtain who plexity are the members of the particular barbarism in execu-

special joint Senate and House tions that are carried out in the do not want peace. They are hoping that some of Commons Committee on Capi-very shadow of a change in the thing will happen to bring to tal and Corporal Punishment law. unhappy failure the negotiations and Lotteries. which are soon to take place. Their problem is the generally Who are these people? simple one of whether consider- superficial observer might seem

They surely include Chiang ations of speed or of thorough to be a fast report from the Kai-shek, and those who are ness should motivate their ac-Parliamentary investigating with him of their own free will tions. Only in their case the committee and fast action by on Formosa — and who should problem isn't simple at ail. not be confused with the real residents of Formosa who have Right in the foreground of the sounds. Capital punishment has never yet had any free choice as situation is the fact that so far long been a major issue of conoccupational unemployment troversy in the realm of penoloto their own destiny.

Others who shun real peace hasn't overtaken the state's of-|Ey, and the Parliamentary Comare Synghman Rhee, who time sicial hangman. But it is threat-mittee has made a particularly ofter time has scoffed at the ening him. More and more in exhaustive study of both sides of very idea of truces, cease\_fires, recent weeks indications have the argument. Experts have or any other kind of devices to been pointing to a decision by been questioned from several reinx world tension.

Rhee's attitude is much like mittee against both capital and dence accumulated. To condense Chiang's. He probably believes corporal punishment—the latter all the testimony into a readwith complete sincerity that a almost certainly and the former able and balanced report which third world war is inevitable, very probably. | will present all the views preand hence that the sooner it is: In view of that outlook, an in-sented to the committee in propprought to a head the better, to: creasing number of MPc are ask! er spaus cannot be done speedly ing themselves if it is right to -and at the same time done us, on our side.

But both Chiang and Rhee are have the hangman still carrying well. Either time or thoroughin the unhappy position of not on as though no change in policy ness must be sacrificed. being able to hope for control were imminent? Every little! A further complication is the over their own countries unless while executions still take place, certainty that whatever recoma third world war should destalthough a short time hence mendation the committee may; troy the Communist govern-Parliament may outlaw capital make will stir major and lengby ments in those countries.

bag. I find ample proof that victed murders are awaiting the dumped into the lap of the MPs some people right here in Ca-learlying out of the death penal-light when they are getting ready inada scorn peace with Russla—; by and in recent cases the gov- to go home. But there is also i indeed shun peace with Russia— ernment hasn't granted any re. that feeling of uncasiness of [ as they would a deadly plague.

The reason for this is simple. They or their fathers come them- TO Y .... from countries like Poland, Hungary or Czechoslovakia. They tear that any kind of an agreement with Kussia to end the cold war will mean that their loved lones in the old lands will be compelled to live indefinitely in the servitude of the communists Red Empire.

Hollywood is busy improving Maurice Ziim, Joe Breen, Jr., peace in the world until all the in the Bible again. This time and damitel James Larsen, have peoples of all lands on earth, gain

> If the Ukraine wants to become an independent nation it right to do so as—say-the is. land of Cyprus has to become part of Greece, or has North Afrien to become independent of

But it seems to me not only acity to take what the weatherfolly, but almost insanity, for man is handing out, anyone to suggest that we should ! the to catemies war with Russia. for such reasons.

The more likely result of such and being married, war would be that the Iron Curtain would give way to a new i dark ago of ruln, and chaos over reed that in Green Bay, Win-

WOULD IMITATE CANADA

| machinists' union loader has! urged the United States Con- WIIV, NOT A BIT OF MERCY? gress to provide for the licensing When it comes to history exof automobile mechanics, as now aminations, students may just is done in Canada. The sugges- as well be prepared to let bytion, from Harold Reardon, of gones be bygones. a single love scene. Not even a the innocents on the flaming al- | Machinists (AFL) came out of a small battle-say involving only lart 3. Revolt of the Blaves and panel discussion of the problems fills an empty void in a man's 10 1000 men and 1,000 elephants, their orgy of vongeancel 4. The of automation as they affect the life. The hot dog does for sureautomotive trades.

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punishment as completely as it controvery in Parliament. For conscience each time an announcement comes nowadays! that another execution has been, corried out. While the idea may it come as now, the fact is that MPs generally are an essentially Reflects and humane group of

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One animal lover claims a clive The Chatham News,

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SEATTLE (n-An artery bank, ) first in the Pacific Northwest, has been opened for public use here by the Washington State; Heart, Association.

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The bank already provides segments of human arteries for surpleal use in Tacqina, Spokane and Seattle.

An association spokesman said a supply of human arteries will se maintained at the bank for persons needing grafts to replace arteries damaged by digease, congenital defects or other causes. There will be no charge for the arteries.

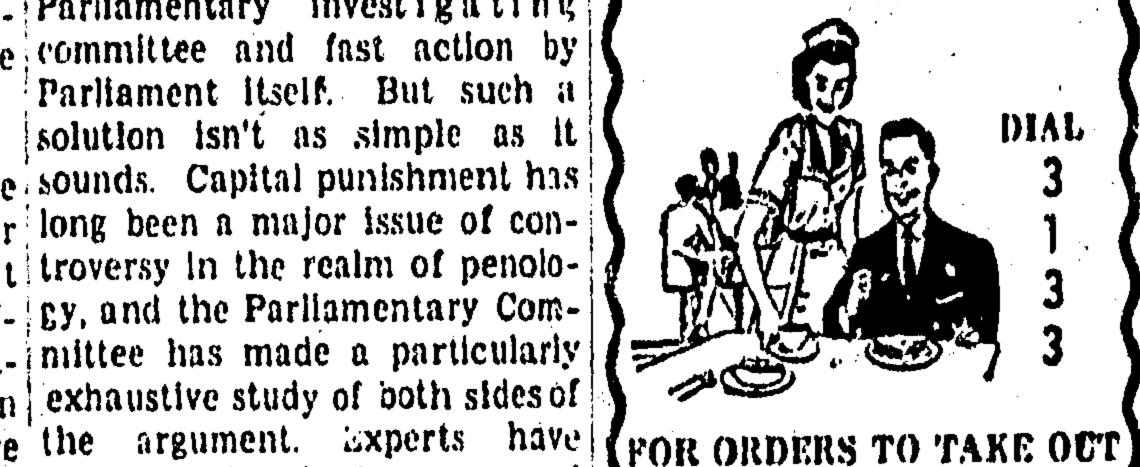
A doctor explained that the arteries are obtained from bodles of young healthy persons who are victims of fatal accidents. They will be accepted at the bank only on permission of relatives.

LITERARY PROJECT

which he will produce at the Stratford, Ont., Shakespearlan VANCOUVER 19 - British Festival. Centre is Douglas Campbell, formerly of London's Old Columbia plans a birthday book - The Centennial Anthology --Toronto, cast as Cassius. "Julius Caesar" is to open the festival in 1958, Editor-in-chief T. K. June 27. Two other plays, "The Merchant of Venice" and Willis of Victoria says it will "Oldipus Rex," will also be performed during the festival which contain about 700 pages of prose, poetry, drama and art work, (CP Photo) Editorial board members include Eric Nicol, Roderick Haig-Brown, I By NORMAN Barry Mather, Bruce Hutchison Fuart Keate, Seth Halton and Williard Ireland, provincial gov-Perhaps the Parliament Hill prieves. MPs are becoming in-



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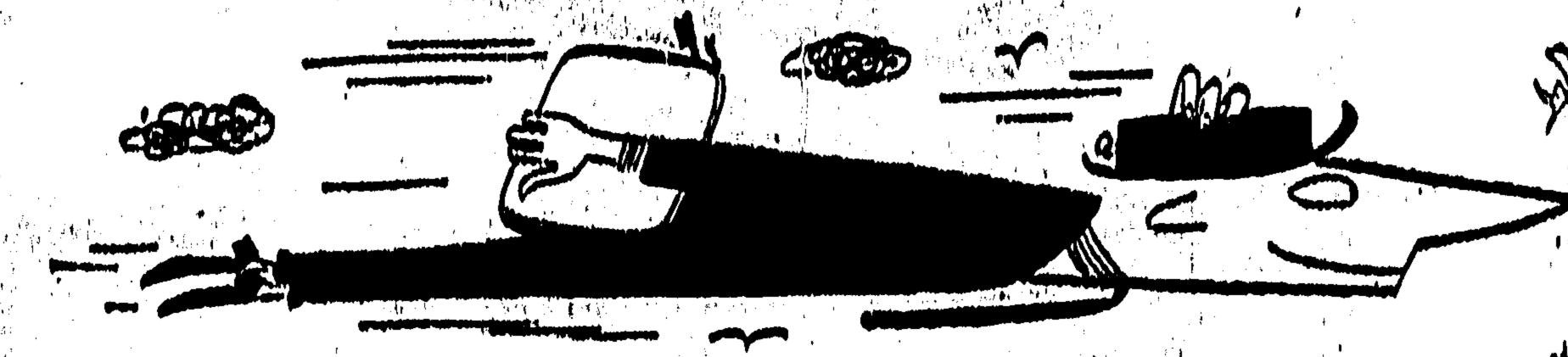
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