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## No Cause to Rejoice

THERE is no cause to celebrate the peace in Indo-China. Millions of patriots who would have fought for their country until death have been de-\*livered into the hands of the invaders. The blood for thousands more has drenched the jungle battleground in vain, and the proof is out that the Communists can do by force what they cannot do by discussion.

So peace in Indo-China may set the stage for a greater war.

But it would be unreasonable to accuse France of lacking courage. For eight years she has fought a war for which she was ill equipped. She has attempted to maintain her first-class position with second-class strength. France is no longer a great power, but it is understandable that she was reluctant to admit it. The inevitable result was failure, which in this case was the partitioning of her

Above all, France and the native troops fought it alone. The time may well be at hand when none of the free countries can afford to do this. With its well maintained machinery of disturbance which works all the time everywhere, Communism is in a superior position to wage a war in remote places, whether it be hot or cold. Unless the opposing alliance is willing to act in unison against the Communist menace anywhere, its disintegration is as certain as the downfall of its individual members.

War, of course, is not the final answer. It has never perpetuated peace and never will. But the alternative is not to accept peace at any price, for there are those who interpret the desire for it as a weakness and consequently believe they can get it for whatever they ask,

If catered to, they will attain that condition which has obsessed warrior tribes since the dawn of civilization—rule of all mankind:

# LETTER BOX

CANADIAN FLAG The Editor,

The Daily News. the people who are so interested of red, white and blue. in the Canadian flag speak Eng- II the Canadians design a new lish with a foreign accent

and white, in Toronto, offered The Union Jack was never deby a Serbian Canadian. In the signed, It happened. newspaper photograph it looked - It looks as if the Duke of West-Instion. like the pirate flag, skull and minster had better leave his Crot/bones,

PONTIAC, Mich. M.—Mrs. John ling her glorious Elizabethan era l MacLeod says stealing accessor-land in succeeding reigns.

CONSTIPATED BABY...



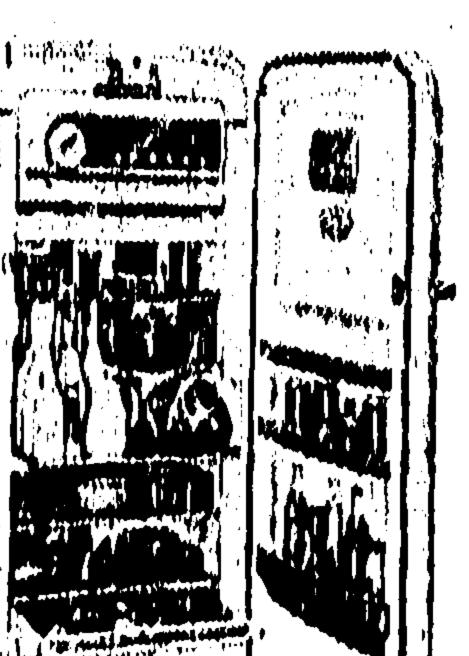
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flag, it will look as silly and ar-There was one design, in black tificial as the Stars and Stripes.

eapital in the United Kingdom. It is not surprising that their if it comes over here, perhaps tastes should be different, as it will only go down the drain. they are newcomers here. They: History repeats itself, What a | ' have walted until the Anglo- vast amount of everything she Eaxons ("the world's greatest had, England put into her be-· lloved "American colonies" dur- !

ada welcomes British immi- NOBODY talks chough about coincidence of our time or else grants," Yes, not only Canada spies before wars. But every- some enemy agent did get a mes-

The flag under which Can-lover. dians have fought in two world. Take this new book "I Was were never told the results, It the New Canadians have off the track by to any up in Use Want Ade-They Pay heard of General Wolfe, And, as (for the two world wars, most of) , them, or their antecedents, were! Lither on the other side, or shivering between a few strong nations, fighting each other on



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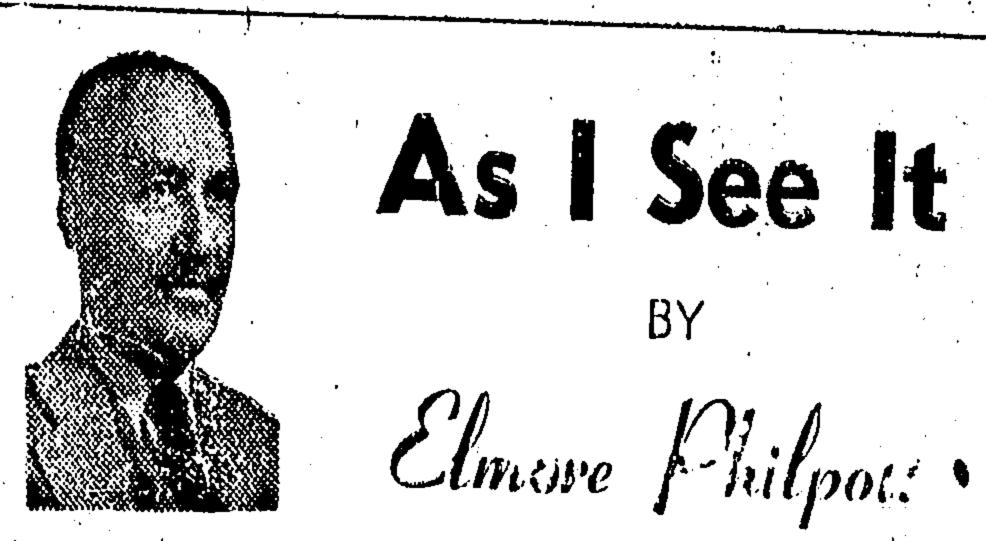
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When he is on "their" side.

When is a spy a noble guy? When he is on our side or when, having been on the enemy side, he switches and sells for ' high reward the secrets he was assigned by the enemy to steal rom us?

DOWN in Australia the sensamy Canadian paper, one small tem of news which came over! he radio in the dry, matter of act tones reserved exclusively , for the gentlemen who broadcast! for the BBC.

colonisers" . . . A Hitler) have ing sides in the international spy [17]

I suppose I am old fashioned. But I would not pay any sny a! plugged nickle for switching sides any more than I would offer any Russian pilot a single! penny reward for stealing a MIG be? "

. FOREIGN-BORN friend was b discussing this spy\_and-nobletuy besiness with me not long!

We were talking about so-(uniformed off.cers, assigned to duty in foreign countries,

but the whole of the New World body talks too much about spies sage across to the Germans in

| fought, is good enough, and most | ed | the famous General Mont- | appropriate. But, of course, few gomery and threw the Germana

far off places fooling the enemy Ray Reflects... far off places fooling the enemy coming some other place than they actually were.

The trick worked fine. But why spill all the best beans now?

They dressed up this corpse in rapid. the uniform of a British inajor and had the corpse, complete!

secret documents, float onto a long memories. With this for a That was that Petrov had received a cash payment of several Franco's men duly passed on belief that the male recalls those the faked documents to the Ger- far-distant caveman days when

landing was not to come in den. Hence, the unhappy wife Sicily—as it was actually. 1, had to listen to sharp whistles,

body wrote a book to explain he looks it.

(enemy countries, A good many people, including actually ended? falled Military Attaches, that is myself, remembered that book in

had the car is one thing. And how nostalgic they are gested that every such officer, showing a pretty lady in a to sell shoes in Ohio. Why should but she can do without the help- about their "old colonial days." so matter where stationed, "Dieppe beachcoat" just prior to a clergyman be decided the right ful driving hints the thieves are For anything to be worthwhile, should, have lettered on his the costly Canadlan raid there, to put his best foot forward.

note on the front sent of the or reminiscent of the old car:

"Don't drive too fast because "It is disastrous when anyone toek, if the old beauty the old was the most remarkable to the old beauty to the old was the most remarkable of the old was the old wa and such like, when wars are the gulse of an advertisement.

wars is alright. And the flag Monty's Double." An officer tells is only between the wars that we under which General Wolfe how he successfully impersonat- go blabbermouth in a big way.



OTTAWA DIARY

selves have long considered Conservatism to Social Credit, if by so doing they could buy off

That weakness is the basis that movement from too vigorupon which Mr. Drew has chosen ous action in the Federal Field. his personal contact man in each | This belief that the Federal of the ten provinces. The basis | Conservatives have been interof selection in numerous cases ested in engineering a "saw-off" is said to have been simply the with Social Credit is at the root! personal acceptability of the in- of the present split in the Tory dividual to Mr. Drew, rather forces in the West Coast provthan his representative status ince. In many respects a politin the provincial organization.

The situation in British Col- Columbia—and definitely so reumbia, where the provincial organization now has kicked over servatives — Provincial Leader | the traces in sensational style Deane Finlayson has nevertheby passing a want-of-confidence motion in the Drew leadership, is a case in point. Youthful Les Bewley has been

the Federal Chieftain's personal representative in the province. But Bewley has no official status whatever in the British Columbian Conservative Association and is scarcely known in the province's politics. He is a young! and rising lawyer in Vancouver" and he owes his choice as Mr Drew's personal representative! solely to the fact that he was the law partner of W. H. ("Ganpy") Kidd during the latter's Pacific coast days, Kidd, for his part, was Mr. Drew's personal -- ' and unhappily unsuccessful--selection as head of the party's; national Pracken House organization. After the debacle of last year's general election, he returned to the practise of lew! in Galt, Ontario.

None of this background was much of a build-up for young Brewley in the eyes of the provincial Conservatives in Brillsh Columbia. In fact, it was cause,

and REMINISCES

The Senate of Canada shows nineteen vacancies now that a! death has been recorded in the NOT long ago all the newspapers Upper House. There are 75 Libtional Russian spy disclosures go how the British used a corpse to servatives. It can hardly be sugcarried the serial story about erals and seven Progressive Con-"invent" a "man who never was." gested Senate changes have been

> A British physician says huswith fake love letters and fake bands snore because they have mans who swallowed the plant- he made odd noises at night to ed, fake story that the allied keep intruders away from his But why give away alle such grunts and G-knows what else. techniques? Maybe that same She couldn't do a thing, even trick would work again if need though it meant affection.

plane or any other kind of pro-RIGHT after the first war some- ist acting his true self is that

how big newspaper advertise- Bread may be cast upor the ments were used by one British water, down round Vancotyer war agency to get messages way, but it's hard to say just across to "agents" working in how soon or in what way! For the strike can't be said to have

An Illinois pastor has notified ! A newspaper advertisement his congregation he will explain

and a rest

The current dog-fight between for them to regard him and the the leadership of the hard core Federal and Provincial Conser- activities of the Drew faction in of West Coast Conservatives who vatives in British Columbia has the West Coast province with are not prepared to see their brought right into the news a considerable suspicion. It lent principles bartered in return for weakness in Leader George color to the growing belief that Social Credit support in the Fed-Drew's scheme of organization the Federal Conservatives were eral field. It's a vital split and | which the Ottawa PC's them- prepared to sell out provincial its going to be a difficult one for the Drew forces to repair,

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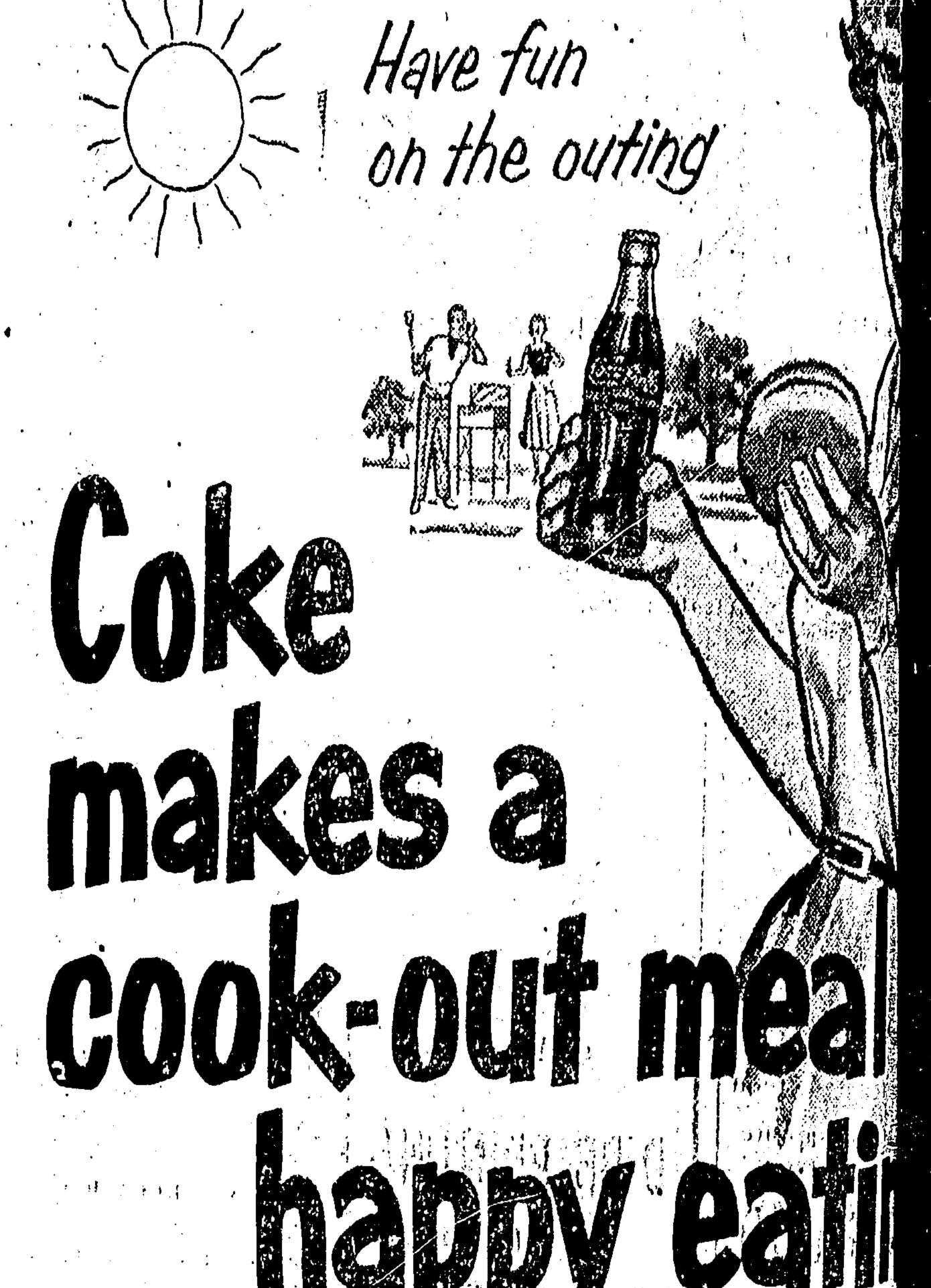
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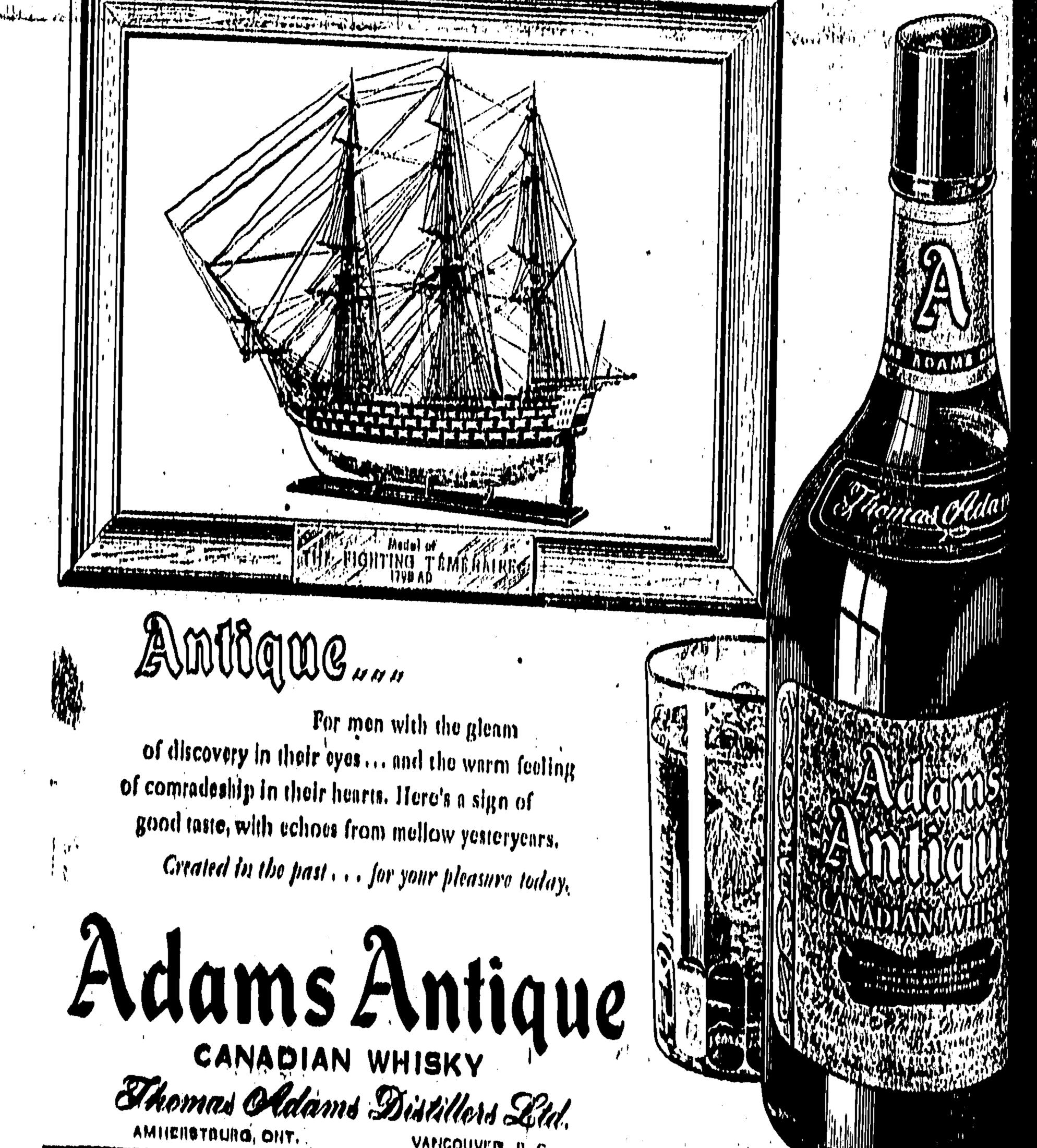
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