

Sport News

IS BACK HOME!

Gene Tunney is back home again. After more than a year spent across the waters in sunny Italy, Spain and France and other countries, the former world's heavyweight champion has arrived back to his native land. The express purpose of his coming is pre-



GENE TUNNEY

sumed to be at the big dinner given in New York last night for William Muldoon, who is celebrating his 35th birthday.

But Gene was on his way back anyway. Current report explains his arrival in New York as a sort of ennui of things European. The former conqueror of Jack Dempsey has been regaling himself with literary conferences with George Bernard Shaw and must be pretty well fed up on such, if you leave it to one who has undergone such an experience himself.

The handsomest of all the prize fighters says he left Mrs. Tunney, nee Polly Lauder for a time to pay a visit here, and has intentions of going back again in the near future. We rather think, however, that Gene is here to stay, and that he and wife Polly will take up their permanent abode in some American city and there resume life as it is lived in the North American continent.

LONDON HAS A SNUFF SHOP WHICH IS CENTURIES OLD

The visitor to London has of late received so many shocks because of the demolition of fine buildings that he once knew, and the erection of buildings not so good in style, that it almost becomes a matter of habit to visit remaining treasures to reassure oneself that they are still there.

When I am near Piccadilly Circus, a writer in the Manchester Guardian says, I always so round in the Haymarket to see if the little eighteenth century snuff is still there, with its exquisite potbellied windows and the beautiful Adam screen inside the shop.

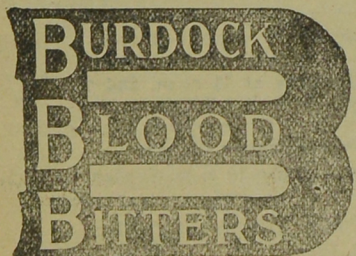
It is probably as fine an example of its kind as can be found in London and many artists have found it interesting enough to be sketched.

Whistler drew it, and says George Evans (one of the present partners in the firm) in a charming book he

Painful Boils One After The Other Broke Out On Arms

Miss K. Budd, 1100 Victoria Drive, Vancouver, B.C., writes:—"About a year ago I was troubled with boils. They broke out on my arms, and no sooner was one healed than another would come to take its place. I suffered great pain with them, and tried different medicines and ointments, but they did me no good."

"I was advised to take



and, my, what relief I got; soon my skin was as clear as before." Put up only by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

BILLY KEYS BOUGHT FAST ONE IN NEW YORK

Down East horsemen played a more important role in the Old Glory horse sale at New York this week than usual and are predicted, some outstanding new racing material is journeying eastward while there have been some notable juveniles added to the New Brunswick horse holdings which will have a salutary effect in the improvement of standard bred stock in this province.

W. H. Keys, of St. Stephen, who was the leading race driver on the Maine and New Brunswick Circuit for 1929, was the principal Down East buyer at the New York sale, his list of purchases so far reported including Lady atch 2.05 1/4, an outstanding pacer, and Lawful Flip, 3rd, 2.15, a promising trotter, and Volunteer and Belfry, juveniles from the Walnut Hall Farm and Calumet Farm consignments.

Bonnie M., 2.02 1/4, is probably the most noteworthy horse bought by a 00Down Easter, the former stable mate of Bert Abbe, 1.59 1/4, having been bid in by George M. Reid of Fort Fairfield, Me., at \$1,650. The son of Boncington, 2.04 1/4 and Mary Ellen, 2.07 1/4, was one of the topnotch pacers of the Lord-Woodman stable in the past season. He is eligible to 2.08 or 2.09 class for 1930 racing and is regarded as a prospective free for all and a promising contender in the fastest company.

Another well known Aroostook horseman in the list of buyers at the sale was Ralph Carey, of Presque Isle, who paid \$325 for Judy H., a bay yearling filly by McGregor The Great, dam, Gold Color by Moko, one of the Walnut Hall Farm's offerings. W. R. Flemming, of Lewiston, Me, paid \$400 for one of the Calumet Farm's yearlings, bidding in Calumet Baroness by The Great Volo. Frank P. Fox, dean of Maine drivers, was a buyer, picking up Ethel McKlyo, a 3 year old brown filly by Peter McKlyn for \$185.

BIRD HAVENS DRAW VISITORS

(Montreal, Nov. 29)—Thousands of seabirds—gannets, eider duck, puffins, cormorants, terns and many others—wheeling and screaming or covering the nesting ledges like banks of snow is the scene which presents itself to the visitors to the bird sanctuaries of the gulf of St. Lawrence.

Since the earliest times the Bird Rocks of the Magdalen Islands, Perce Rock and Bonaventure Island off the Gaspé Coast, and the island along the north shore of the gulf have been the breeding grounds for countless numbers of seabirds, and the protection their bird inhabitants have received because of the migratory birds convention act has resulted in greatly increasing their numbers.

Each year the sanctuaries are visited by a migratory bird officer from the department of the interior and careful note is made of the increase among the birds under protection.

The fame of the bird sanctuaries of the St. Lawrence, which number 13, has spread and growing throngs of tourists make the trip by rail or steamer each year. The Gaspé coast rockeries were set aside in 1919, and those along the northern shore of the gulf were established in 1925. All are under the joint control of the Dominion government and the Quebec provincial authorities.

The bird sanctuaries off the Gaspé coast, which are reached with ease by rail to the quaint little town of Perce, are better known than those of the north shore and consequently the thrilling picture of the great throngs of gannets which inhabit the Bird Rocks Perce Rock and Bonaventure island are known to many. Nevertheless, even those who have rowed about these islands daily for years can never behold the scene without a thrill of emotion. In addition to the attraction of the sanctuaries, the Gaspé coast offers beautiful shore and forest scenery, bathing, fishing and boating, and in the holiday season the accommodation of the modern summer hotels and boarding houses of the locality is taxed with the hundreds of visitors.

Although the nearest of the north shore sanctuaries is situated about 400 miles east of the city of Quebec they can be reached with comparative ease, as well-appointed steamers with frequent sailings serve that region during the summer months. The chief bird inhabitants of the north shore preserves are puffins, razor-billed auks, eider ducks, gulls and terns.

BRUIN WAS AWAKE ON THIS OCCASION

Saskatoon, Sask., Nov. 29—N. O. Grosser of Saskatoon, big game hunter, has discarded the old belief that during the winter the black bear retires to his den to sleep.

Grosser with several companions while on a hunting trip north of here came to a bear den. Blake Williams, one of the party persuaded Grosser that the bear would be sound asleep and that Grosser might crawl into the den and bring Bruin out.

All the members of the party laid down their guns and formed a human chain with Grosser as the grappling hook at the interesting end.

Instead of a sleeping bear they found a victim of insomnia and Mr. Bruin dashed through the opening of his home, taking casual left and right hooks at the invaders. The bear after carrying away the "southern exposure" of some hunting pants was halted when Grosser recovered his rifle and killed the animal.

Any carried man with imagination will be able to get a lot of fun out of a revival of the old hook and eye school of sartorial thought by fancying to himself, while struggling to make both ends meet down the middle of a back, which has broadened with the years, that he is engaging in a national hook-up.

A lot of chaps have paraphrased an old song: Say au revoir, 'twas not good buy.

That Mrs. Siddons had an account for snuff from 1804 to 1811 at this fascinating emporium?

GOOD RADIO PROGRAM FOR SATURDAY

The following are the best features of Saturday night's radio program and the programs for the most important stations in Atlantic Standard time:

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Lucky Strike Hour—WEAF network
Chicago Opera Company—WJZ.

WPG, ATLANTIC CITY

9.00—News and music.

10.15—Popular music.

11.00—Popular program.

WEEL, BOSTON

7.00—Dinner music.

9.00—Programs from WEAF.

12.00—News; Talk; Weather.

WLW, CINCINNATI

7.00—Dinner programs.

10.00—Mountaineers.

11.00—Enna Jettick.

12.00—Dance orchestra.

WOR, NEWARK

7.00—News; Dinner music.

8.45—Program; Talk.

9.30—Radio Players.

11.30—Dance music.

WEAF, NEW YORK

8.00—New Business World.

9.00—Lyric Challengers.

10.00—Damroch Orchestra.

11.00—Lucky Strike Orchestra.

12.00—Songs, Dance Music.

WJZ, NEW YORK

8.00—Amos 'n' Andy.

9.00—Celebrities; Mervin Ho...

10.00—Sketch, Gillette Hour.

11.00—Chicago Civic Opera,

KDKA, PITTSBURGH

6.30—Dinner concert.

11.00—Chicago Opera "Trovatore"

8.45—WJZ programs.

11.30—Wm. Penn Orchestra.

WABC, NEW YORK

9.00—Canadians, Babson Hour.

10.00—Graybar; Mr. and Mrs.

11.00—Dance Program, Organ.

WGY, SCHENECTADY

8.00—Dinner program.

10.00—NBC Network (WEAF).

12.00—Dance Music.

NEWARK, N. J.

7.00—News, Music.

8.45—Program.

9.30—Recital, Radio Players.

11.30—Dance Music.

WBZ, SPRINGFIELD

7.00—Dinner Program.

9.00—Sailortown; Marvin Hour.

10.00—Divie Gillette.

12.00—Antarctic Broadcast.

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