

# PUNCH



## Sample Searches for the *Punch* Historical Archive 1841-1992

### First World War



If the Kaiser were to edit "Punch": a German "Punch" Dinner  
January 01, 1916

Search 'Germany' and 'Belgium' in entire document, AFTER 1913 = 241 results

Title: DIARY OF A KAISER

Details: September 09, 1914; pg. 214

Title: UNWRITTEN LETTERS TO THE KAISER

Details: Dietrich; October 14, 1914; pg. 310

Title: IN DARKEST GERMANY

Details: Evoe; October 28, 1914; pg. 358





Title: HUMOUR IN SCOTLAND  
 Details: May 26, 1915; pg. 414



Bethmann-Hollweg: "And to think that I, who defended the violation of Belgium, should have my honesty doubted. Surely I am frightful enough."

*"Unmade in Germany" F.H. Townsend; January 31, 1917*

**Search 'Trench\*' as a keyword, AFTER 1913 = 270 results**

Title: MINOR WAR GAINS  
 Details: December 16, 1914; pg. 501

Title: PUNCH IN THE TRENCHES  
 Details: December 30, 1914; pg. 545

Title: THE TROJAN HORSE OUTDONE  
 Details: March 31, 1915; pg. 250

Title: THE WISE THRUSH  
 Details: May 05, 1915; pg. 356





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"Tales from the Trenches" A. Wallis Mills; October 28, 1914; pg. 363

"British Tommy (returning to trench..." January 20, 1915; pg. 54

Search 'Submarine' AND 'America' in entire document, AFTER 1913 = 105 results

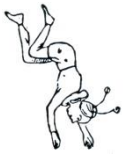


THE OLD MAN OF THE SEA.  
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"The Old Man of the Sea" L. Raven-Hill; July 21, 1915





Title: THE NAVY IN A NUTSHELL  
Details: November 24, 1915; pg. 422

Title: A LETTER FROM NEW YORK  
Details: August 22, 1917; pg. 131

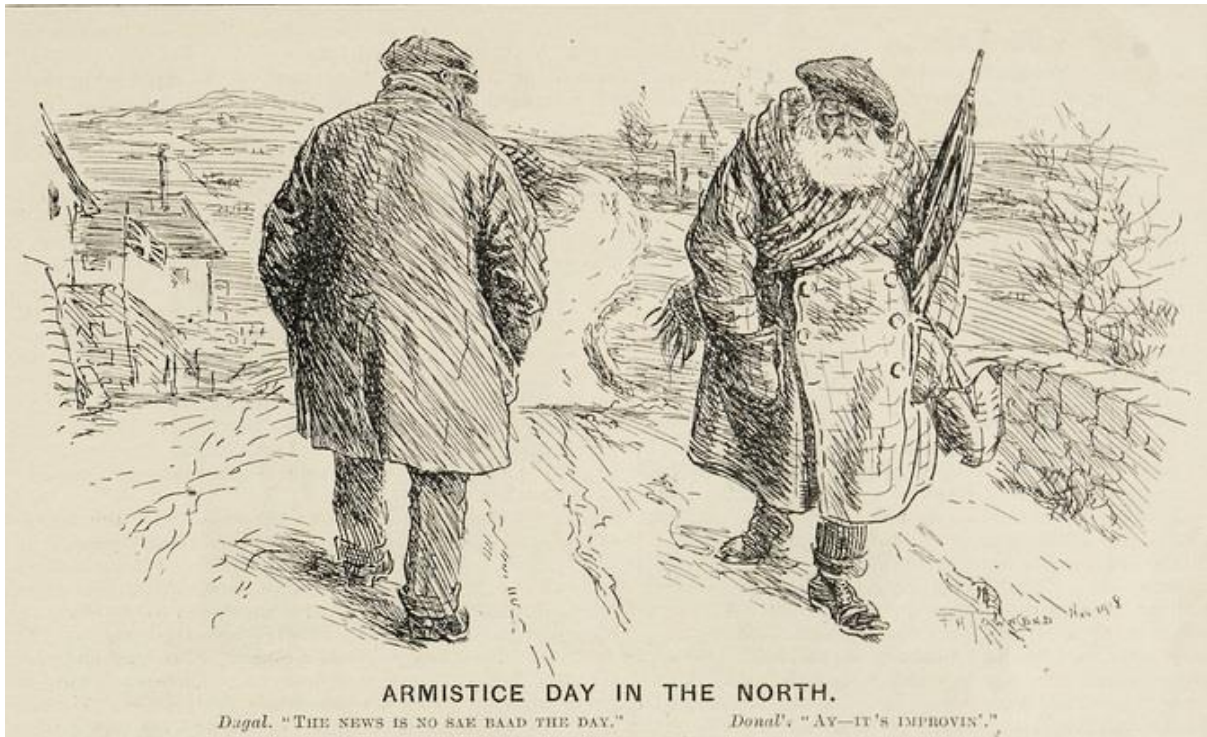
Title: STUDIES IN GERMAN WIRELESS  
Details: May 01, 1918; pg. 274

**Search 'Armistice' in entire document, ON 1918 = 33 results**

Title: MORE SECRET DIPLOMACY  
Details: January 09, 1918; pg. 21

Title: HEART-TO-HEART TALKS  
Details: October 16, 1918; pg. 258

Title: HISTORY IN THE MAKING  
Details: November 13, 1918; pg. 310



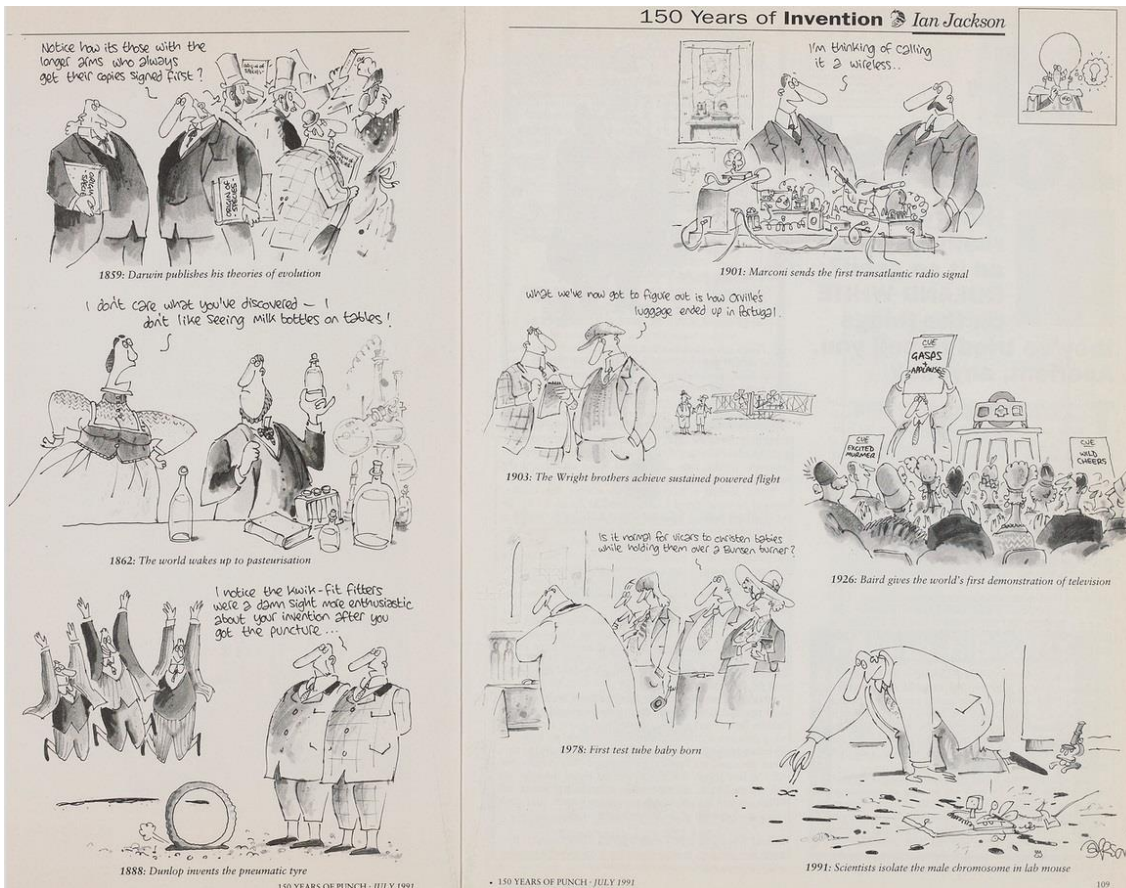
Dougal: "The news is no sae baad the day."  
Donal: "Ay – it's improvin'."

*"Armistice Day in the North" F.H. Townsend; November 27, 1918; pg. 351*





# New Technology

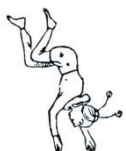


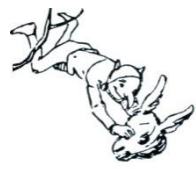
"150 Years of Invention" Ian Jackson; July 17, 1991; pg. 108-109

Search 'Submarine Telegraph' OR 'Atlantic Telegraph' in entire document = 71 results



"Effect of the Submarine Telegraph; Or, Peace and Good-Will between England and France" September 14, 1850; pg. 117





Title: THE ENEMY OF THE ATLANTIC TELEGRAPH  
 Details: July 17, 1858; pg. 23

Title: FIRST MESSAGE SENT BY THE ATLANTIC TELEGRAPH FROM AMERICA...

**First Message sent by the Atlantic Telegraph.  
 From America to Dear Old Punch.  
 "PUNCH, my Boy, let's Liquor."**



*"Father Neptune uses the Atlantic Telegraph as a Clothes Line" October 23, 1858; pg. 171*

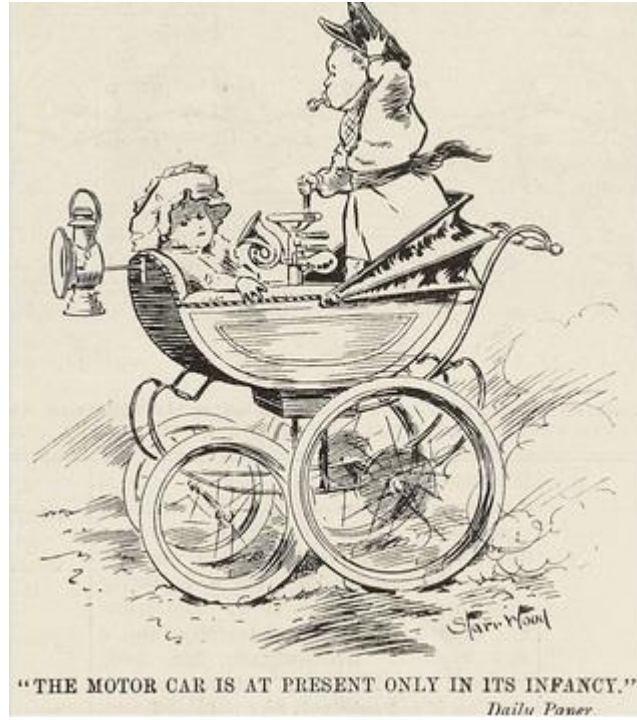
Search 'Motor Car' as a keyword = 326 results

Title: THE MUGGLETON MOTOR-CAR; OR, THE WELLERS ON WHEELS  
 Details: November 21, 1896; pg. 246



*"Owner of violently palpitating Motor Car." January 23, 1901; pg. 63*





"THE MOTOR CAR IS AT PRESENT ONLY IN ITS INFANCY."  
*Daily Power.*  
"The Motor Car is at Present only in its Infancy" July 03, 1901; pg. 17

Search 'Vacuum Cleaner' in entire document = 265 results

Title: MERE VACUUM  
Details: May 18, 1904; pg. 347

Title: TO A VACUUM CLEANER  
Details: March 13, 1912; pg. 190



Agent. "CAN I INTEREST YOU IN A VACUUM-CLEANER?"  
Maid. "NOT 'ERE, SIR. WE DON'T KEEP VACUUMS."  
"Agent: "Can I Interest you in a Vacuum-Cleaner?"" G.L. Stampa; November 25, 1931; pg. 567





*Astonished Lady (as demonstrator of vacuum-cleaner empties the dust-bag). "I SAY, YOU WON'T TELL ANYONE, WILL YOU?"*

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## Public Health and the Environment



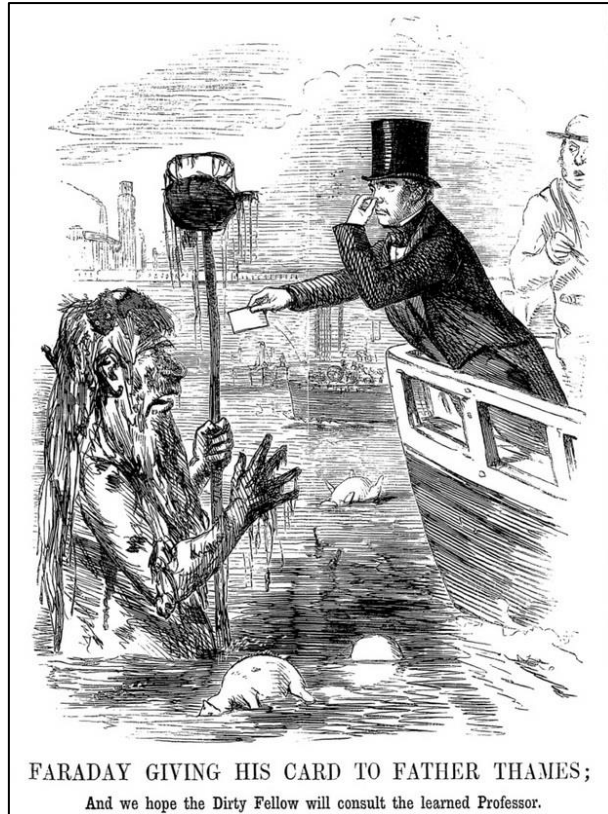
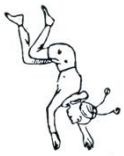
"Father Thames Introducing his Offspring to the Fair City of London" July 03, 1858; pg. 5

Search 'Thames' AND 'Dirty' in entire document = 21 results



"Dirty Father Thames" October 07, 1848





FARADAY GIVING HIS CARD TO FATHER THAMES;  
And we hope the Dirty Fellow will consult the learned Professor.

*"Faraday giving his card to Father Thames; and we hope the Dirty Fellow will consult the learned Professor" July 21, 1855*

Title: DIRTY OLD FATHER THAMES

Details: August 04, 1855; pg. 50

Title: FATHER THAMES'S APPEAL

Details: Old Father Thames; August 09, 1884; pg. 72

Search 'Nicotin\*' in entire document = 78 results



SANCTA NICOTINA CONSOLATRIX. THE POOR MAN'S FRIEND.

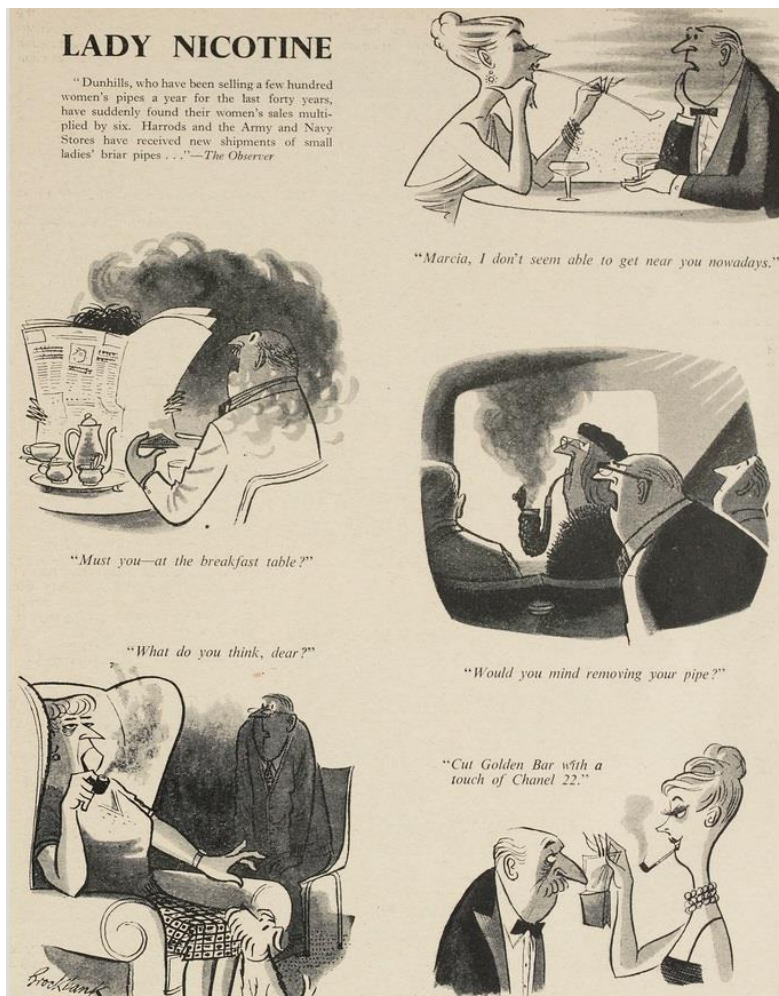
*"Sancta Nicotina Consolatrix. The Poor Man's Friend" January 30, 1869; pg. 35*





Title: GIVING UP SMOKING  
 Details: A.P.H.; July 08, 1931; pg. 7

Title: SMOKE ABATEMENT  
 Details: Richard Gordon; February 24, 1954; pg. 254



“Dunhills, who have been selling a few hundred women’s pipes a year for the last forty years, have suddenly found their women’s sales multiplied by six. Harrods and the Army and Navy Stores have received new shipments of small ladies’ briar pipes...” – *The Observer*

“Lady Nicotine” *The Observer*; May 16, 1962; pg. 765

Title: SMOKING CAN DEFINITELY DO YOU IN  
 Details: Dr. Robert Buckman and Raymonde; June 24, 1988; pg. 20

Search ‘Pollution’ AND ‘Air’ in entire document = 79 results

Title: THE ENVIRONMENT BANDWAGON  
 Details: February 11, 1970; pg. 218-219

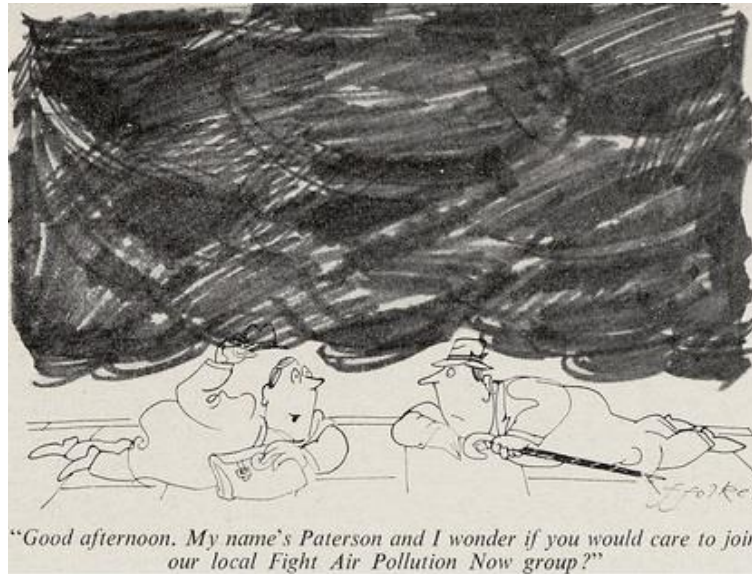
Title: 130 YEARS IN THE OPEN AIR  
 Details: G.D. Armour; June 16, 1971; pg. 810

Title: PROPOSITION NINE  
 Details: William Davis; June 14, 1972





Title: GAS AND LEGISLATORS  
Details: David Taylor; October 17, 1984; pg. 62



“Good afternoon. My name’s Paterson and I wonder if you would care to join our local Fight Air Pollution Now group?” July 19, 1976; pg. 93

## Social Change



Miss Priscilla Browne began her day with a little gentle exercise.  
So does her Great-grand-daughter  
After which she would enjoy a modest bathe.  
Her great-grand-daughter also bathes.

“Eighty Years of Change” July 01, 1921





Search 'Servant Problem' in entire document = 61 results

Title: THE SERVANT PROBLEM

Details: June 03, 1903; pg. 386

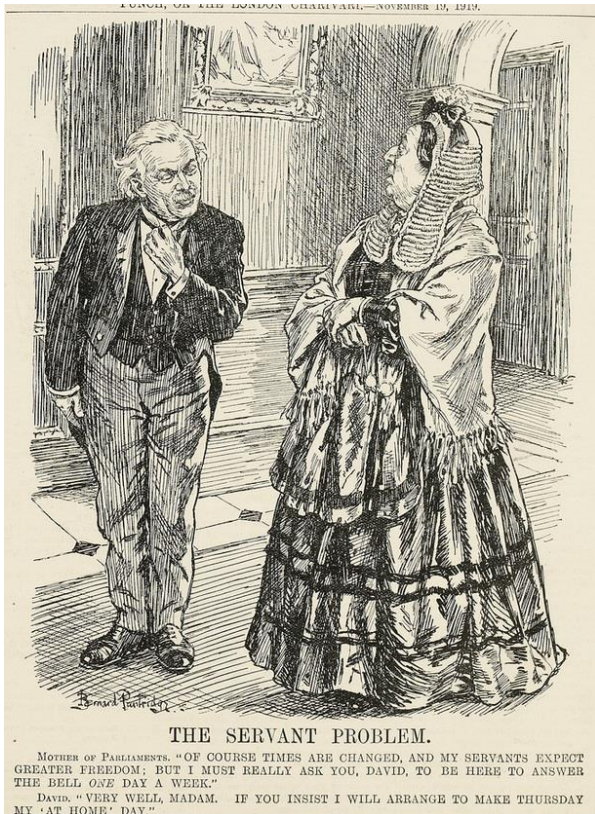
Title: MRS. CRUMPET'S CONFIDENCES

Details: Martha Crumpet; December 02, 1903; pg. 391



To Solve the Servant Problem: The combination Pianola-Stove

"To Solve the Servant Problem" November 27 1907; pg. 394



Mother of Parliaments: "Of Course times are changed, and my servants expect greater freedom; but I must really ask you, David, to be here to answer the bell *one* day a week."

David: "Very Well, Madam. If you insist I will arrange to make Thursday my 'at home' day."

"The Servant Problem" Bernard Partridge; November 19, 1919



Mrs. Britannia: "Why all this fuss about the servant problem? There's my Baldwin – can turn her hand to anything; keep the house in order; checks the accounts; doesn't want any evenings off; very tactful with my visitors – especially foreigners; in fact a perfect treasure."

"The Maid-of-All-Work" June 20, 1923





Title: SOLVING THE SERVANT PROBLEM  
Details: January 19, 1910; pg. 52

Title: HOW TO BRIGHTEN DOMESTIC SERVICE  
Details: July 09, 1919; pg. 57

Title: WHAT THE BUTLER SAW  
Details: E.S. Turner; July 04, 1962; pg. 16

**Search 'Immigrat\*' in entire document, AFTER 1945 = 491 results**

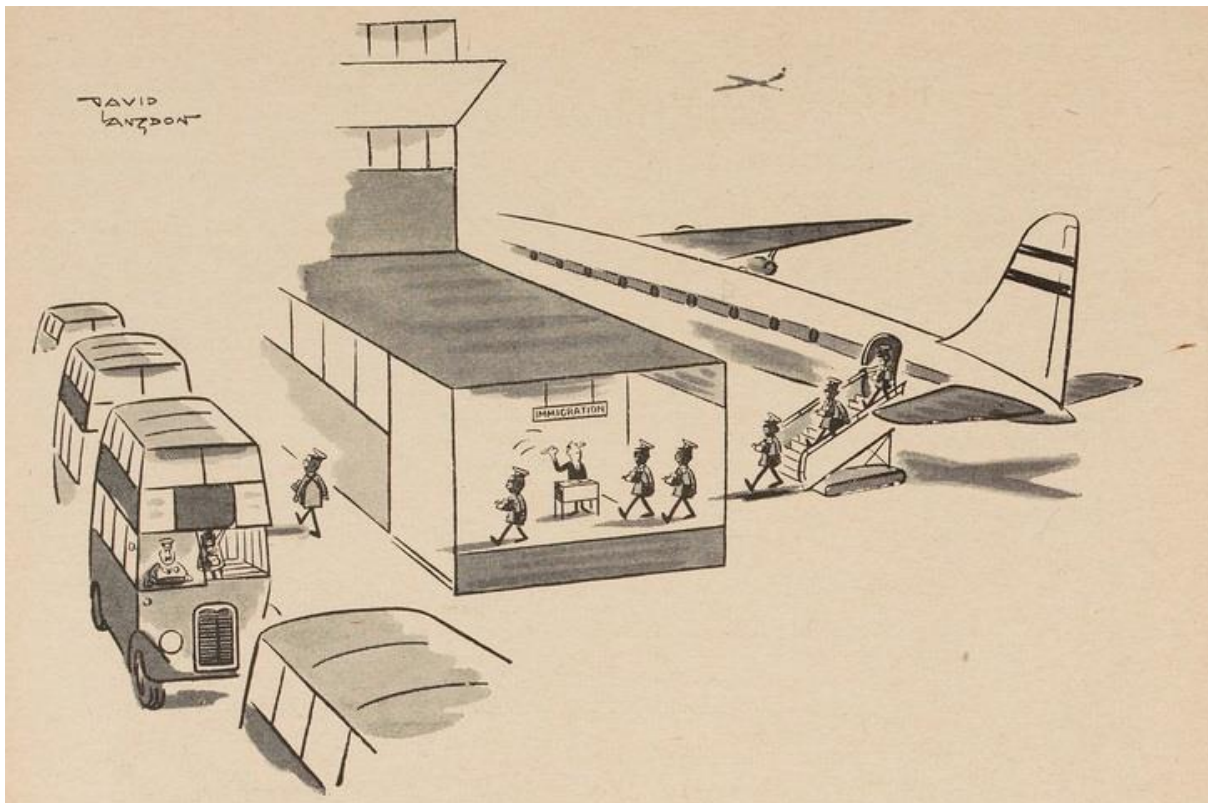
Title: FIRST STEPS IN MIGRATION  
Details: Roy Macgregor Hastie; September 11, 1957; pg. 291

Title: CHINA AND THE FAR EAST  
Details: Rawle Knox; August 26, 1959; pg. 64

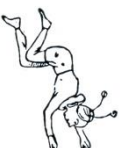
Title: BRITAIN'S POPULATION  
Details: Susan Strange; October 21, 1959

Title: THE IMMIGRANTS  
Details: V.S. Naipaul; January 17, 1962; pg. 124

Title: PEERAGES FOR IMMIGRANTS  
Details: February 28, 1962; pg. 360



*"Immigration" David Langdon; July 11, 1962; pg. 58*





Search 'Suffragettes' in entire document = 247 results



He: "I say, that Lady over there looks rather out of it."  
She: "Yes, you see, most of us have been in prison two or three times, and she, poor dear, has only been bound over!"

*"Suffragettes at Home" A. Wallis Mills; April 14, 1909; pg. 269*

Title: UNDER THE TITLE "SUFFRAGETTE'S DREAM", THE FOLLOWING...

Details: October 31, 1906; pg. 316

Title: OUR SUFFRAJESTS

Details: March 20, 1907; pg. 203

Title: WAKE UP, ENGLAND!

Details: November 06, 1907; pg. 341

Title: BARGAINS FOR SUFFRAGETTES

Details: January 29, 1908; pg. 78

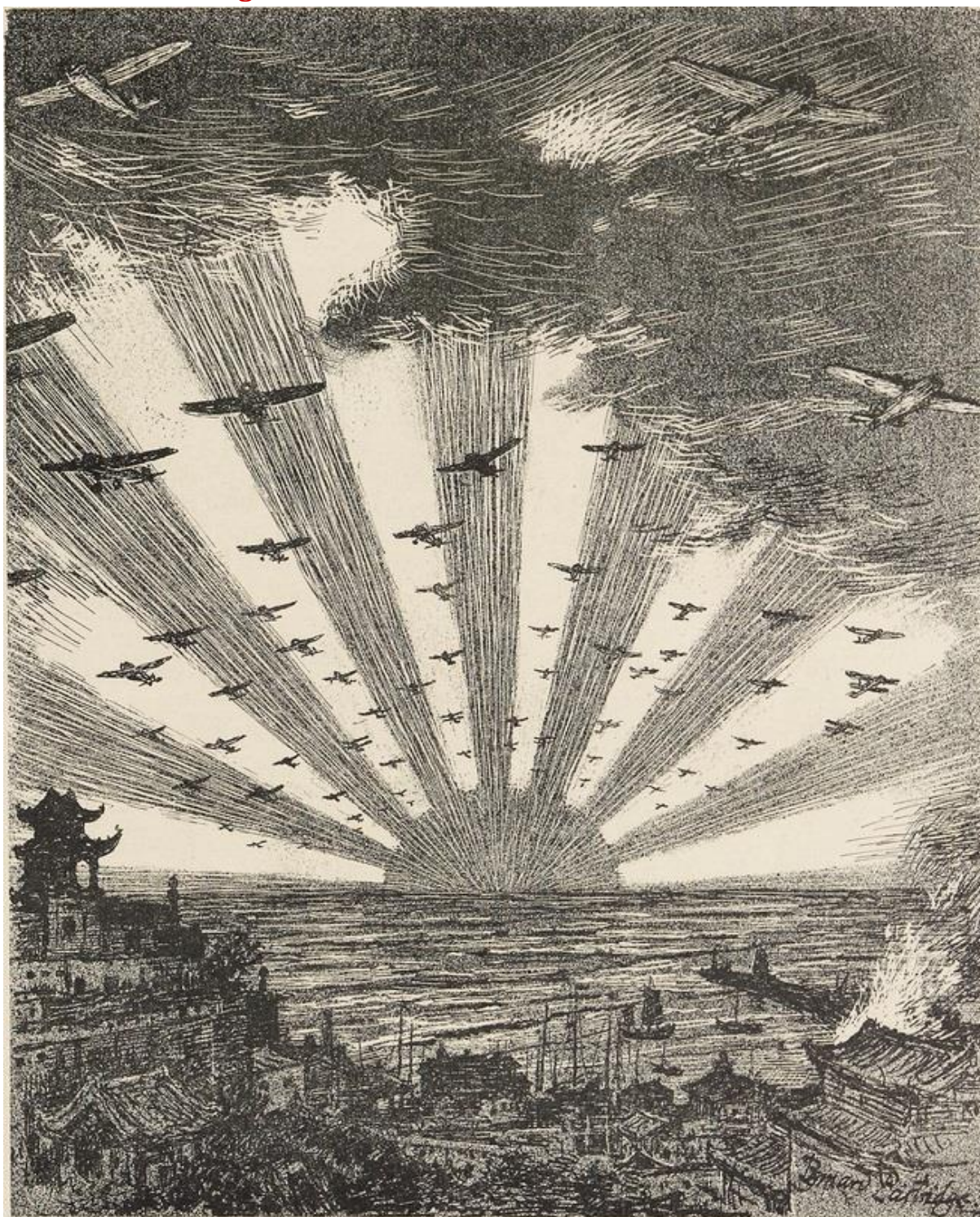
Title: A VOTER'S WOES

Details: May 06, 1908; pg. 341





## The Battle of Shanghai



### DAWN OVER ASIA

The Japanese sun rises as warplanes bomb a Chinese harbour during the Battle of Shanghai. This begins the invasion of Asia

*"Dawn Over Asia" Bernard Partridge; September 29, 1937*

