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TYPING TOURNAMENT

The tip-top tap tap tournament of Chicago is in full tilt, semi-colon. So now is the time of all good men to come to the aid of the party, full stop. The men are all keyed up to defend their title. They've held it for 25 years, but today they are up against a serious challenge from the girls. Some of these men of letters are very temperamental. You notice they use all their fingers and they're in for a long spell. But the blue ribbon of the typewriter world is well worth a couple of sprained wrists. The favourite is Margaret Hammer of Brooklyn who puts in a steady 149 words a minute, a new world record. Now she's the new champ, she knows her business from a to z.