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## TAWAS CITY

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Dorris and son of Detroit were week-end guests of Mrs. Dorris' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Preston.

Andrew Lossing returned Saturday from a six weeks visit with his sons in Detroit.

A few more of those Third of a Century Box Spring and Inner Spring Mattresses with five year guarantee, at only \$24.95, at W. A. Evans Furniture Co. adv.

The Baptist Women's Mission Society celebrated their 60th anniversary at a birthday party Thursday evening at the Baptist church. A pageant depicting the past work and the work expected to be accomplished in the future was presented by nine members of the Society. Special music by Mrs. Nyda Leslie and Mrs. A. E. Giddings was enjoyed by everyone. A large birthday cake with other cakes and tea were served to the members and guests.

See those bargains in Bed Room Suites at W. A. Evans Furniture Co. adv.

Tawas City Masons are installing a new heating plant at the temple. Much of the work is being done evenings and the building committee urges every member to come and assist.

The Baptist Women's Society will hold a bake sale at Tuttle's Electric shop on Saturday, February 19. adv. Washington's birthday will be observed by the Tawas City F. & A. M. Lodge and O. E. S. by having Family night supper next Tuesday night at the Masonic Hall. The supper will be pot luck and served at 6:30 o'clock. All Masons, Stars and their families are urged to come.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Curry and son, Thorall, and Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Gurley of East Tawas spent Sunday in Alpena.

Dance at Masonic Hall, Friday, February 25. adv.

Miss Virginia Abby of Flint is spending several weeks with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Braddock.

Ernest Moeller and Wesley Groff returned Tuesday from a short visit in Detroit.

Carl Kobs, of Tawas Township, had the misfortune of having a rifle explode in his hands Tuesday afternoon. It was necessary to amputate the middle finger of the left hand. He considers himself fortunate however that it was not worse. He is getting along as well as can be expected.

Harold spent Friday in Saginaw on business.

The Zion Lutheran Men's Club will sponsor a Stag Euchre party, Tuesday, March 1. Price 25 cents. Refreshments. adv.

Henry Kane has left for Stanton, where he has employment.

John N. Brugger, who has been employed in Detroit for the past year is home for an indefinite stay. Friends pleasantly surprised Mr. and Mrs. Chris Hosbach last Friday when they helped them celebrate their 38th wedding anniversary.

Members of the Tawas City Baptist church will attend the midwinter Baptist Association meeting at Alpena on Monday.

Dr. and Mrs. J. J. Austin and baby spent the week-end in Detroit with relatives.

Mrs. C. E. Edinger, Fred Adams of East Tawas and William Hatton of Tawas City attended the meeting of relief administrators at Lansing on Wednesday.

Harold Moeller returned Tuesday from Detroit, where he spent a few days.

## COUNTY 4-H CLUBS HAVE 195 MEMBERS

### Achievement Day Will be Held at East Tawas March 31

According to reports recently received from Isosco County 4-H Club officials, twelve Clothing Clubs and ten Handicraft Clubs are rapidly preparing their articles for the coming achievement day which will be held at the Community Building in East Tawas, Thursday, March 31.

Judging from exhibits which were prepared by Isosco County's young cabinet makers and seamstresses during the last two years and from progress that is made to date in the preparation of exhibit articles, the 4-H people will display a larger array of clothing and handicraft articles showing finer workmanship than ever before.

As is customary at the annual spring achievement day, the club people who complete their required number of articles, make a report of their winter work, and exhibit the completed articles will receive certificates of achievement and 4-H club pins that are emblematic of the number of years of work that has been completed. The local leaders will also receive awards which are emblematic of their interest in this youth organization in the world. These above mentioned awards are made possible through the splendid cooperation of the State Department of Agriculture at Lansing, which is headed by Commissioner of Agriculture John B. Strange, who has done much during the past 25 years to promote 4-H Club work in Eaton County and now he devotes his interest to the entire state of Michigan.

It is expected that nearly 100% of the 165 boys and girls who are carrying projects this winter will complete their work by March 31. It is only through the careful guidance and leadership of these local groups that such progress has been shown in the past can be made possible each year. The local clothing club leaders of Isosco County, who have devoted much time and assistance to this young peoples work are: Mrs. Helen Sturtevant, Cottage school; Miss Edna Bischoff, Baldwin school; Miss Margaret Hebing, Whittemore school; Miss Angela Mielock, Anschutz school; Miss Sarah Warren, Turtel school; Miss Ernestine Cecil, Laidlawville school; Miss Martha Becker, Taft school; Miss Evelyn Katterman, Vine school; Mrs. Lucy Allen, Upper Wilber school; Miss Burnetta Miller, Alabaster school; Miss Ruth Katterman, National City school; Mrs. Isabella Earhart, Hale school.

Leaders who are helping with the Handicraft work are: Miss Edna Bischoff, Baldwin school; Melvin Dorcy, Hale school; Miss Helen Sturtevant, Cottage school; Miss Angela Mielock, Anschutz school; C. H. Nickell, Alabaster school; Miss Sarah Warren, Turtel school; Miss Ernestine Cecil, Laidlawville school; Delois Rabo, Vine school; Norman O. Shley, Taft school; Miss Elsie Mueller, Upper Wilber school.

### Twentieth Century Club

The Twentieth Century Club will meet next Wednesday, February 23, for the annual election of officers. Roll Call—A recent book I have read.

Book Review—"The Return to Religion" by Dr. Henry Link—Mrs. Annabel Davidson.

Music.

FOR SALE—Used furniture, 3 good rockers, sofa, trunk, small table, few dishes. Can be seen until February 25, at Mrs. P. G. Walkers, Locke St., East Tawas.

## Late News Events

The Michigan Civil Service Department today announced open competitive examinations for four conservation classes to be held on March 12, 1938. Qualifying examinations will be given at the same time to approximately 400 men who are now employed within these classes as forest fire towermen, forest fire wardens, and conservation officers.

Actual experience in fire fighting and the knowledge of fire prevention are essential requirements for towermen and wardens. At least four years of experience as a hunter or trapper or in allied outdoor work, and a background of outdoor life are minimum requirements for the two classes of conservation officers.

Temporary salary rates for various classes range from \$100 per month for a fire towerman to \$140 per month for the higher conservation officer class.

Applications for this examination, which will be held in Lansing, Detroit, Saginaw, Grand Rapids, Grayling, Manistique, and L'Anse, must not be postmarked not later than March 1, 1938 to be accepted.

## "Batter Up" Shown Free To Isosco School Pupils

Labeled a four-star picture by sports writers attending its eastern premiere, "Batter Up," the new official American League sound film, will be exhibited locally to more than 1,000 students of Isosco County schools at Rivola Theatre, Tawas City, Wednesday and Thursday, February 23 and 24. Mr. Ives of Rivola, announced today.

Many little known facts concerning play in the major leagues are revealed in the new film, Mr. Ives states. Among the features is a sequence in which Mickey Cochrane, manager of the Detroit Tigers, demonstrates the system employed by the catcher, as field general, to signal the pitcher, second baseman and shortstop, and the method of changing from one code to another when players of the opposing team are on base.

Frankie Frisch, manager of the St. Louis Cardinals, who attended the preview at the Waldorf-Astoria in New York, is reported to have found this expose of more than passing interest, since the signals illustrated by Cochrane coincided with those glimpsed briefly by the National League players in the 1934 World Series.

Connie Mack, manager of the Philadelphia Athletics, likewise makes a unique disclosure, telling in his own words how he employs his famous score card to direct the team from the bench. Recorded also is the spiking of Al Simmons, Washington outfielder, by Umpire Harry Geisel in one of last season's games. It is said to be the first time in the history of big league baseball that an accident of this sort has occurred.

Practically every department of play is touched upon in the new film, which supplants the three previous editions, "Heads-Up Baseball," "Take Me Out to the Ball Game" and "Play Ball." Roger Cramer, Boston Red Sox outfielder, demonstrates bunting as a sacrifice and for an attempted hit; Fred "Dixie" Walker, of the Tigers, the use of the hook slide; Shortstop Luke Appling and Second Baseman Jackie Hayes, of the White Sox, the double play; and Joe Kuhel, Washington, the defensive ability required of first basemen.

Ace hurlers who star in the new picture are, Ted Lyons, of the White Sox; Tommy Bridges, Detroit; Lefty Gomez and Charley Ruffing, New York; Bob Feller and Johnny Allen, of the Cleveland Indians.

Styles of the leading sluggers, Charley Gehringer, Detroit, second sacker, who holds the titles of batting champion and the most valuable player in the league, and home-run hitters such as Joe DiMaggio, Yankee outfielder, Rudy York, Tiger catcher, Lou Gehrig, Jimmie Foxx, Hank Greenberg, and Hal Trosky, New York, Boston Detroit, and Cleveland first basemen, also are analyzed technically as the "frozen frame," which stops the action momentarily, are employed to illustrate the more important points.

Included in the film this year are views of the baseball school maintained by the American League for boys under 17 years old, the All-Star Game in Washington and the World Series. There are also several problem plays to sharpen the eye of the spectator. Another new feature is the inclusion of several sequences depicting the hobbies of the world champion New York Yankees.

Entirely new in every sense, "Batter Up" was written and directed by Lew Fonseca, director of promotion for the American League, and recorded by Ted Husing, ace sports announcer.

## BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT MARCH 3-4-5

### High Schools of Districts Compete at Sterling

On March 3, 4 and 5 the district high school basketball tournament will be held at Sterling. Competition will be keen this year and a very interesting tournament is expected. Following are the teams listed:

**Class C**  
East Tawas, Pinconning, Standish, Sterling, West Branch and Whittemore.

**Class D**  
Alabaster, St. Joseph of Tawas City, St. Joseph of West Branch, St. Michael of Pinconning, Prescott and Rose City.

Ray Templin of Sterling has been assigned chief referee. He will be assisted by Willis Kraus of Oscoda, Donald Stinson of Saginaw, Norman Schuster of Prescott, and Wyatt Wubbena of Standish.

Two games in class C and two games in class D will be played the evening of March 3 and 4. The finals will be played Saturday evening.

### Mrs. Aaron Flynn

The body of Mrs. Aaron Flynn, age 39 years, who died Sunday in Hurley Hospital, Flint, was brought to Whittemore where funeral services were held Wednesday morning in St. James church with Rev. Bolton officiating. Interment in the Whittemore Catholic cemetery.

Mrs. Flynn's death followed an operation. She is survived by her husband, two daughters, and two sons: her mother, Mrs. Michael O'Farrell of Whittemore, two sisters, Mrs. Elsie Jacobs of Turner, Mrs. Joseph Modol of Bay City; four brothers, John and William O'Farrell of Whittemore, George of Rose City, and Michael of Bay City.

### Laurel Russell Walters

Laurel Russell Walters, passed away at Herman Keifer Hospital at Detroit on February 10 after a two day illness of scarlet fever.

Laurel Russell and twin brother, William Vernon, were born in Detroit, March 26, 1934, to Mr. and Mrs. Walters. On account of the illness of their mother, the children were taken to the home of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Laurel Lave at Murphy's Corners on the Hemlock Road. Mrs. Lave has cared for the children until two weeks ago when Russell was taken to St. Joseph's Hospital for treatment. His grandmother visited him on Tuesday of last week although he was suffering from an attack of measles and then contracted scarlet fever and was transferred to the Herman Keifer Hospital where he died on Thursday, February 10.

The remains were brought by the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Lave, to the Little Undertaking Parlors at Prescott where a private funeral was held on Saturday, Rev. Otto Somerville officiating with burial in the Reno cemetery.

He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walters and twin brother, William Vernon, his grandparents and great grandparents.

## Farm Engineer Will be In County Next Tuesday

During the past two years 20½ miles of rural electrification lines have been constructed in Isosco county with another 46½ miles of line now accepted by the Consumers Power company. The lines yet to be constructed are in their various stages of development with every indication that the entire 67 miles, and perhaps more, will be energized with electrical power during the coming year.

As electrical energy reaches our rural people, their homes will be modernized through the use of more efficient lights, the use of motor driven machinery and, most important of all, it will make possible the installation of a modern water system. A pressure water system brings with it the possibility of the installation of a modern bath room and other conveniences that town people have the privilege of enjoying in addition to the advantages rural people have of ample room and freedom about their home dwellings.

The problem of proper sewage disposal has always been a point of much importance. With the installation of electrically operated water pumps and septic tanks this problem may be practically forgotten if the construction of both have been carefully planned.

In order to assist Isosco county people in selecting adequate equipment and to plan for future necessities in this field Extension Specialist George Amundson of the College Agricultural Engineering department will spend Tuesday, February 22, in this county to assist those who desire help at this work.

Two meetings will be held. The first, Tuesday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock at the city hall, Whittemore. The second at 7:30 Tuesday evening in the court house at Tawas City.

Besides explaining water systems and septic tanks Mr. Amundson will show pictures of land clearing with bulldozer. He will also present actual Michigan pictures of contour farming and erosion control work which is being carried on in Berrien County fruit growing territory near Benton Harbor.

All interested in these phases of agriculture are cordially invited to attend these meetings which are being called by County Agricultural Agent, W. L. Finley.

### Music Honor Roll

On the honor roll in the music department of St. Joseph school for the month of January we find the following names inscribed, Bobby Benson, Kharla Rae Elliott, Arlene Proulx, Buddie Sheldon, Alie Small, Sally Pappas, Patsy Pappas, Shirley Lixey, Kathie Houston, George Rowley, Francis Danin, Phyllis Michalski, Eloise Anderson, Leroy Anderson, Ruth Olson, Karl Kienholz, Barbara Kienholz, Donald May, Clara Jean Benson, Betty Seifert.

### Young Women's League

Thirty three members and guests of the Young Women's League enjoyed the chicken dinner and party served at the Gifford Tea Room, Monday evening at their regular meeting.

The tables were beautifully decorated with flowers and valentine favors, following the dinner, bridge was played. Prizes were awarded to Mrs. L. Hermal, Miss Emma Whipple, and Miss Katherine Callaghan and Miss Ruth Merschel. Tentative plans for a Gentlemen's Night were made for Monday, February 28.

WANTED—Experienced girl for housework. Mrs. E. A. Hasty, Whittemore, Mich.

## 70 PER CENT OF TAX LIST NOT FOR SALE

### Taxes Have Been Paid on Many Descriptions on Published List

Many owners of land who have paid their delinquent taxes will be confused to find this land published on the delinquent tax sale list.

A tremendous amount of taxes were paid prior to September 1, 1937, and the Auditor General's department was unable to check the many thousands of these payments and prepare lists in time for the printers in the various counties at the same time.

County Treasurer Grace Miller said today:

"The State of Michigan is now advertising a list of land in Isosco County to be sold for unpaid taxes in May this year.

"This list was compiled by the Auditor General's office and sent to the printer for publication from that office.

"Rough estimates would indicate that the taxes on about 70 per cent of this listed property have been paid at this office. Duplicate tax receipts were sent to the Auditor General's office promptly each month as required.

"Every effort is being made to correct this list and with-hold from sale any property on which the taxes have been paid at this office."

### Isosco County Normal Hold Valentine Party

Students and friends of the Isosco County Normal class, enjoyed a St. Valentine's party Monday evening, February 14, at Rambling Bill Hurley's Log Cabin Camp. Various games, modern and old time dancing furnished jovial entertainment, after which a delicious lunch was served appropriate to the occasion.

### Hale

Mrs. Victor Webb entertained the members of the 500 Club Friday afternoon at a Valentine party. The ladies exchanged Valentines and received a number of prizes for the afternoon's playing included Mrs. Zella Sabin, Miss Altona Dorsey and the hostess. A dainty lunch was served after the games.

Austin Rahl of Turner is a guest this week of his grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Rahl.

Mr. and Mrs. Enos LaBarge and baby of Ludington are spending this week at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis LaBarge and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Streeter of Long Lake.

The Young Peoples' Club held a Valentine party in the M. E. church annex Friday evening. A valentine grab box, games and group singing was part of the evening's entertainment, after which a lunch consisting of heart shaped cookies and hot chocolate was served.

The P-T. A. met Thursday evening. After a program of songs and a cornet trio by members of the music classes under Mrs. Travis, Mrs. Robert Greve introduced Dr. Hasty, who gave a very interesting and instructive lecture.

Mrs. J. H. Johnson entertained the Bridge Club on Wednesday.

Mrs. Chester Wilson was removed to the West Branch Hospital Tuesday morning. Her friends wish her a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. John Harris entertained friends at a card party on Friday evening. Miss Faye Kessler and Elmer Graves won first prize, Victor Webb won low prize. After lunch a collection was taken toward a building fund for a Community hall to be used for social purposes. Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Harris and Lloyd Harris of Flint were out of town guests.

Twice within a week death entered the Reimer family, when Mrs. Harvey Reimer passed away early Saturday morning at Traverse City Hospital from a severe heart attack. Funeral services were held at the M. E. church, Monday afternoon, Rev. Pengelly officiating, burial in Evergreen cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Reimer and family and Mrs. Bertha Birch of Rock, Michigan, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ward of Flint attended the funeral of Mrs. Harvey Reimer.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Teed celebrated their 57th wedding anniversary on Sunday, February 13.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Johnson visited friends in Saginaw on Tuesday, they report that R. D. Brown has been ill for the past two weeks suffering with an infected eye.

Mrs. A. E. Greve entertained the Sunday school class at her home Friday afternoon.

Arnold Bronson is suffering from a badly sprained ankle due to a fall on the ice.

The Past Matrons Club of the O. E. S. gave a card party on Monday evening. Fifteen tables of players were present and all report a good time, another party is planned in two weeks.

## EAST TAWAS

### Mr. and Mrs. Ed Sheldon of Detroit came Friday to spend a few days with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Klenow and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Sheldon and families. They will return to Detroit Tuesday.

### Wallace Grant of Detroit the week-end with his mother, Mrs. H. Grant. Jack Murphy and Joe Hennigar spent Friday in Bay City.

### The Ladies' Literary Club will meet next Wednesday at 2:30 o'clock in the club rooms. Following the business meeting a musical program will be given in charge of Mrs. S. A. Carey.

### Mr. and Mrs. John Lee and baby and Miss Betty Strales of Detroit spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Roul LaBerge.

### Mr. and Mrs. Hosea Bigelow of Detroit are in the city for a time. Mr. Bigelow having employment at the A. & P. Store.

### H. N. Butler left for Florida Thursday, where he will spend a couple of months.

### Mrs. Lyman McAuliff, who has been several weeks visit in Detroit owing to illness of her sister-in-law, returned home.

### Floyd Irish and Charles Edinger of Detroit spent the week-end in the city.

### Look for W. A. Evans Furniture Co.'s ad. next week and get ready to attend their demonstration to be held at the Community house March 7. adv.

### Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Pinkerton are spending a week in Chicago on business.

### Mrs. William Sedgeman is visiting with her daughter, Mrs. Charles Martin and family of Deckerville.

### Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Oliver of Gladwin spent a couple of days with their daughter, Mrs. W. McDonald and husband.

### The East Tawas P-T. A. will meet next Monday at the high school. The Women's Auxiliary of the American Legion will sponsor the program as one of their projects in Americanization. The program will consist of community singing in celebration of Washington's birthday and numbers given by two groups of Camp-Phi girls and the Boy Scouts. The Auxiliary will serve refreshments after the meeting.

### Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Horquist entertained the Luther League of Abigail Lutheran church on Tuesday evening. After the meeting games in celebrating of St. Valentine's Day were played and prizes awarded after which lunch was served.

### The Junior Maccabees enjoyed a Valentine party at their regular meeting last Saturday afternoon. The party was held at the school house with Mrs. Gerald Murphy and Miss Helen Applin in charge. Valentines were exchanged and a spelling match was held. The children were divided into three groups and prizes were awarded as follows: Seventh and eighth grade groups, Emma Ropert, fifth and sixth grade group, Beatrice Messer and Dorothy White third and fourth grade group, Donald Mav.

### The Women's Auxiliary met Monday evening, February 14, at the American Legion hall. Their meeting falling on St. Valentine's Day gave an opportunity for a Valentine party. After the meeting Valentines were exchanged and a ver delicious lunch served which was suggestive of Valentine's Day.

### Mrs. Ray Ross, who has been visiting in Flint with friends and relatives returned home Monday.

### Trooper Conrad Konetsky and Mrs. Konetsky returned home after a four week absence from the city. He has been a patient at Mercy Hospital in Bay City, where he underwent an appendectomy operation. They also visited in Flint and Detroit a few days.

### Miss Winnie Berg spent Wednesday in Alpena, where she attended the Rotary Show.

### Miss Irene Spring has returned from Detroit for an indefinite visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Spring.

### Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Gurley moved to Alpena on Tuesday.

### Work commenced this week on the Merschel building and it will be completely remodelled. The second story will be cut off and a brick and plate glass front is now under construction. Leslie Wash is the contractor. The Merschel Hardware and the Quality Market will have handsome modern quarters when the work is completed.

### Christ Episcopal Church

Rev. Herbert A. Wilson, W. H. Fitzhugh, Lay reader Mrs. Roy Hickey, Choir director Miss Arlene Leaf, Organist Sunday February 20—

8:00 A. M. Holy Communion 9:30 A. M. Church school 11:00 A. M. Morning service

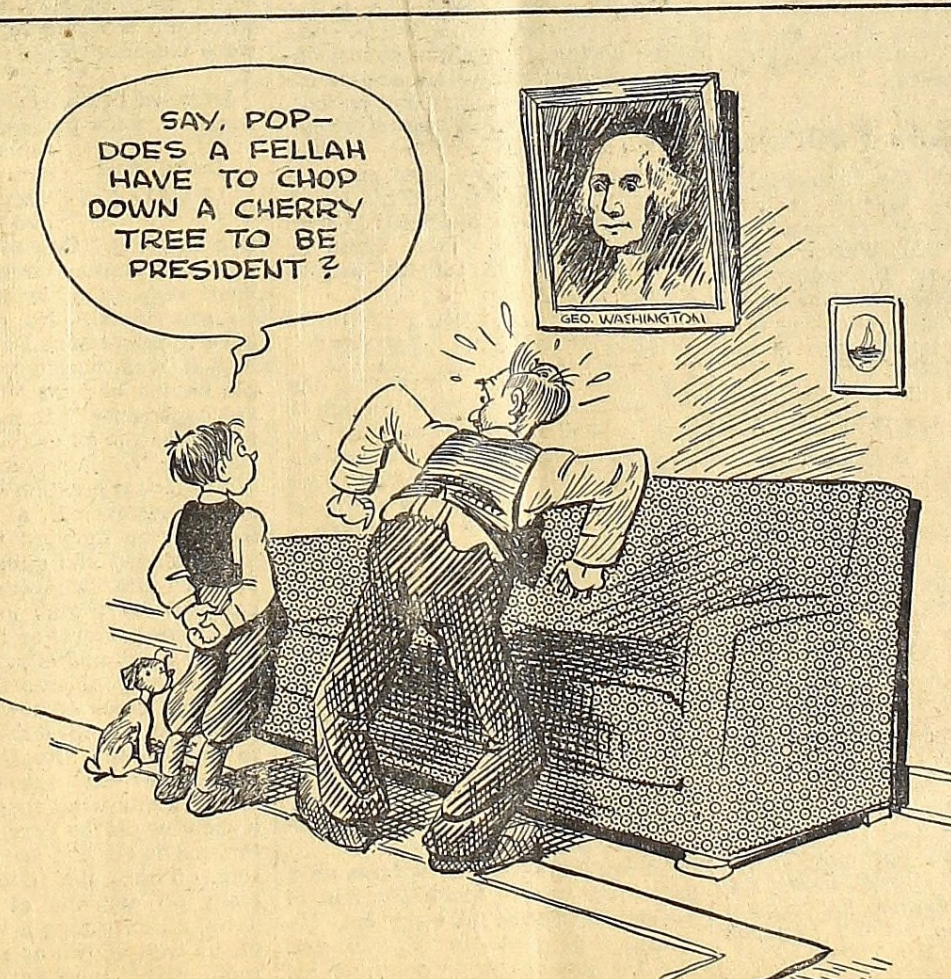
A cordial welcome to all

WANTED TO RENT—4 or 5 room house with complete bath, two bed rooms, and heating system, and garage. East Tawas, convenient to school, furnished or unfurnished. Will probably keep house for one year. Box 27, East Tawas.

### INTERIOR DECORATING—Rea

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## We Hope Not!

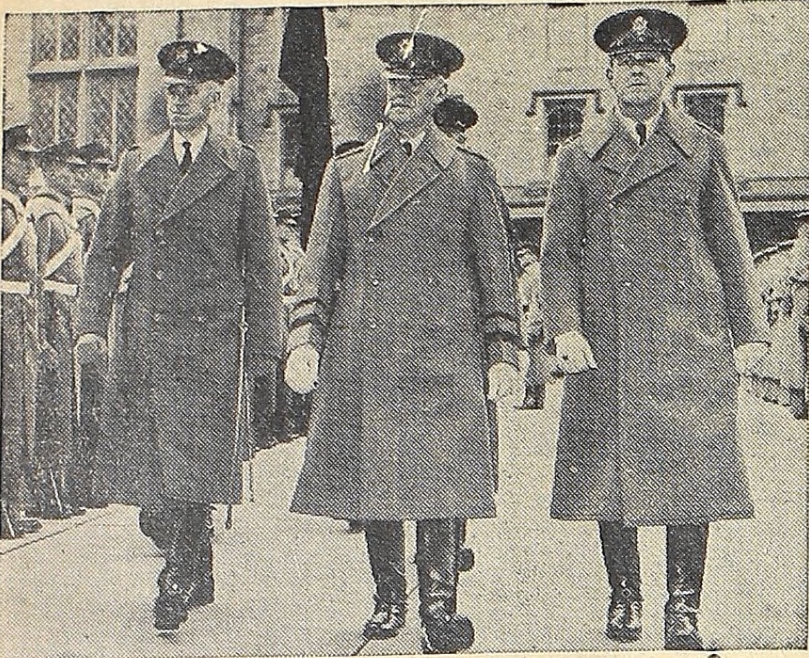


LOST—Red Bone hound, white breast and white on feet. Reward if returned. Elmer Anschutz, Indian Lake.

News Review of Current Events

BIG SUPERHIGHWAY PLAN

Senator Bulkley Introduces His Measure for Toll Roads to Cost 8 Billions



Brig. Gen. Jay L. Benedict, center, and his staff are shown inspecting the cadet corps at West Point as General Benedict took over command of the military academy as superintendent, thirty-seventh to hold that post since the academy was instituted.

Edward W. Pickard SUMMARIZES THE WORLD'S WEEK

Bulkley's Toll Road Plan

WITH the approval of the President, Senator Bulkley of Ohio offered to the senate the great toll highway plan that he has been working on for some time. It is designed to be a long range medium of work relief for the jobless and to stimulate business.

The measure provides for the construction, by the federal government of ten superhighways across the country, three running east and west and three north and south. The cost is put at eight billion dollars. This, according to the terms of the bill, would be liquidated from "reasonable toll charges" and from sale or lease of tracts of a strip of land not over 550 feet wide on each side of each highway.

The tolls employed for estimating purposes were 25 and 50 cents on passenger and freight vehicles, respectively, plus 1 1/2 mills a passenger mile on passenger vehicles and 4 mills a ton mile on freight vehicles. Freight and passenger vehicles would operate on separate pavements.

Sen. Bulkley

More for Dole Asked

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT in a special message asked congress to appropriate \$250,000,000 more for relief to supplement the billion and a half relief fund. He said this was necessary to care for three million persons thrown out of work during the last three months.

A bill to carry out the President's suggestions was introduced in the house immediately and speeded toward passage.

Steel Price Cut; Wages Stay

MAYBE President Roosevelt was right when he said recently that steel and other mass production industries could and should reduce prices to buyers' levels and at the same time maintain the general wage level. Anyhow, United States Steel is doing just that.

This huge corporation extended indefinitely its working agreements with the Committee for Industrial Organization in which present rates of wages and the eight-hour day are maintained. At the same time the price of cold rolled sheets—used in large amounts by the automobile industry—was reduced \$4 a ton, the first break in the steel industry's price structure.

No Secret Alliances

WITH three curt expressions of "No," Secretary of State Hull denied that the United States has any alliance with Great Britain relating to the event of war, or with any other power or any agreement in connection with the operations of the American navy.

The denials were made in a letter to Senator Key Pittman, chairman of the senate committee on foreign relations. The letter, which was read in the senate, gave a specific answer to questions which have been raised by opposition senators, who have been seeking a definition of the administration's foreign policy.

House Passes Farm Bill

LIMITING debate by a gag rule, the house adopted the conference report on the administration's crop control bill by a vote of 263 to 135 and sent it on to the senate.

As it came out of conference, the measure continues, in an extended and revised form, the existing soil conservation program, providing benefit payments to co-operating farmers.

Speaking of Sports

Dead Ball May Help Restore Base Stealing

By GEORGE A. BARCLAY

BASE stealing may be rescued from the limbo of lost arts as a result of the decision of the National league to reintroduce a deader ball into the 1938 pennant race. Such a rescue would revive the days of tight ball games, of pitchers' battles, frequent sacrifices and "squeeze plays."

Rogers Hornsby, alumnus of five major league teams and a keen judge of the play in both the National and American circuits, believes that a return of base stealing would pay dividends in increased interest among the fans.

"In the old days when Ty Cobb, Max Carey, Eddie Collins, Clyde Milan, Jack Miller, George Burns and that generation of players in the big leagues, the man who could steal a base was a big asset to his club," the Rajah pointed out. "The



Rogers Hornsby

fellow who could get himself from first to second, into a scoring position, was valuable baseball property.

"Today it is far easier to steal than it was 15 years ago, yet scarcely anybody tries it. Instead with the rabbit ball and the 'big inning' style of slugging, a man can stay on first base and wait confidently for a two-bagger or triple to drive him in."

Pitcher Has Edge

The figures support Hornsby's contention that it's easier to steal today. In the American league last year 560 bases were stolen, against 337 attempts that failed. Thus would-be stealers had an average of .624. In the earlier days the figure was about .500.

With the dead ball in use in the National league, the pitcher will once more have the edge over the batter. Teams are likely to fight for one run at a time and the strategy will be concentrated in getting the runner on first base down to second by stealing or sacrificing. Conversely, it will probably be harder to steal bases successfully because the opposing pitchers will be more vigilant.

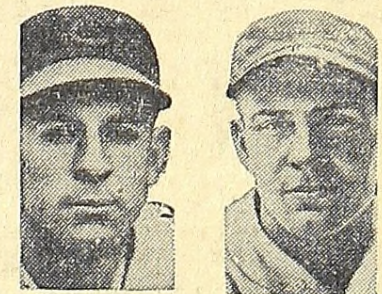
A glance at the records shows how base stealing has declined to a place of comparative unimportance in recent years. In 1912 the two major leagues showed 3,386 stolen bases in their records. Last year the two leagues combined barely passed the 1,000 mark in stolen bases.

In the last five years only three major league clubs have stolen as many as 100 bases in a season. But back in 1912 the New York Giants stole 319 bases.

1937 Champs Poor

Last year when the Philadelphia Athletics led both leagues in base stealing with 95, only two men—Ben Chapman and Bill Werber—stole more than 25 bases. In the National league, Augie Galan of the Cubs was champion with 23—a total that would not have landed him in the first ten a generation ago.

Among the old-timers, Ty Cobb and Max Carey are considered the



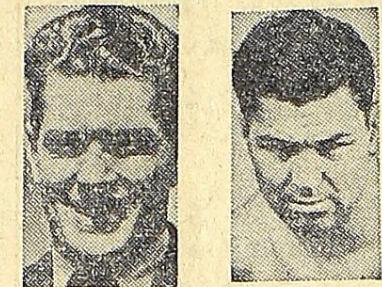
Augie Galan Ben Chapman

greatest base stealers of all time. Carey, while stealing 51 bases in 1916, was thrown out only twice. He was a master at out-thinking the pitcher and breaking for second base successfully. Cobb featured base running among his other talents and often completely upset the opposing team by his antics on the bases.

Tunney Optimistic

GENE TUNNEY, who with Jack Dempsey was a party to the two greatest fight gates of all time, believes that the million-dollar fight days will come back to the heavy-weight ranks within the next few years.

The ex-marine, now a member of New York's social 400, who made a million dollars out of the fight game and had the good sense to escape with it, notices a revival of interest among boxing fans. His observation is based on experience, for he



Gene Tunney Jack Dempsey

has found himself attending more and more fights in the past year.

The Schmeling-Louis fight, he figures, could easily touch the million-dollar mark in box-office take. He believes it will be the biggest "natural" since his second epochal clash with Jack Dempsey in Soldier field, Chicago, in 1927, when referee Dave Barry made himself famous with the long count of 13 when Gene was on the floor.

Tunney, who will be 40 in May, is not much heavier than the day he retired from the ring as the undefeated heavyweight champion of the world. He runs as much as seven miles every morning and his setting-up exercises at his Stamford, Conn., home include such items as 50 full bends, 50 rotations from the hips up, getting down on the floor and raising himself 50 times on his arms.

He is getting rather expert at squash and may enter one of the national tournaments. Incidentally, the resentment of fight fans over his beating Dempsey has cooled in recent years and every time he is now introduced at a big bout he gets a fine hand. Time seems to mellow fight fans.

Who's Wrong Now?

WHEN Donald Budge, the red-topped titan of tennis, began his recent Australian tour there was much shaking of heads among wiseacres in the game. Don didn't look very hot. He let a nineteen-year-old lad named Bromwich beat him in exhibitions. Then he had what looked like a nervous collapse.

The moguls of the United States Lawn Tennis association were berated for sending Budge down to Australia where continued competition would threaten his health so that it might cost this country the Davis cup next summer. Budge was blamed by others for turning down pro offers when he was red hot. Everybody thought a long rest would be necessary.

Then all at once the tune changed. Budge proved decisively that his



Donald Budge

early exhibition match defeats were no sign of a slump by routing Mr. Bromwich and adding the Australian lawn tennis title to his American and Wimbledon crowns.

So once again, Don Budge is the king pin of the tennis world. His form in the Australian championship matches was reassuring to his sponsors in this country and indicated that he can round into top shape for the Davis cup matches. And it reinstated him as the best prospect pro tennis has had since Fred Perry of England made the \$100,000 leap several years ago. Once again he is a drawing card of the magnitude of Bill Tilden.

Northwestern Happy

WHEN Bill De Correvont, the nation's most highly publicized high school football player, announced recently that he would enroll at Northwestern university next fall, he saved himself and scores of universities all over the country a lot of worry in the next six months. Now that it's settled everybody can have a sigh of relief.

Bill, who graduated from Austin high school, Chicago, recently, had more bids from colleges than any prep star in history. Incidentally, four of De Correvont's teammates will join him at Northwestern. They are: Alfie Bauman, giant tackle; Donald Johnson, 200-pound center; Chick Feingarten, guard, and Sonny Skor, quarterback.

Among De Correvont's feats as a prep star, was 35 touchdowns in 10 games during the 1937 season. He scored 210 points for Austin and was the key factor in enabling his team to pile up 364 points during the season.

Washington Digest

National Topics Interpreted by William Bruckart National Press Building Washington, D. C.

Washington.—A good many persons in Washington still are arguing the point whether President Roosevelt and Secretary Roper, of the Department of Commerce, made a mistake in arranging for the so-called conference of nearly a thousand "small" business men. The conference that turned into a near riot provided plenty of publicity, if that was what was planned, but it was publicity of a distinctly bad sort from a political standpoint. On the other hand, some way, some how, there came out of that conference a score or more of recommendations, and some of them were the very "recommendations" which Mr. Roosevelt wanted from "business interests." It is a new vehicle on which bureaucrats and advisers can ride.

But before I attempt an analysis of the results that may flow from the conference, a review of the meeting itself should be recorded. The business men, widely publicized as being "small and independent fellows" were convened in the Commerce Department auditorium. It had all of the earmarks of a session for which a program had been drawn up here in Washington. It appeared to be cut and dried. No sooner had the session convened, however, than things began to happen. Since there were nearly a thousand individuals, there were nearly one thousand different views, and the individuals sought in various ways to express themselves. The result of the first day's meetings can be described, therefore, as nil—unless you want to consider the riot, the necessity for physically ejecting some of the members who became violent in their objections, as a result. It was a session in which shouts were heard about "hand-picked chairman" and "log rolling" and "you can't dictate to me."

With the first day's session a flop, machinery somehow was set in motion for the second day so that a recurrence of the riot would be avoided. The conference was broken up into group or sectional meetings. It was hinted that big things could be expected from these in the shape of concrete recommendations. Well, we observers found instead that the big conference-riot of the little business men had been broken up into some ten or twelve smaller conference-riots. Just as an example: one session was so uproarious that it was found necessary to call in the building police and forcibly throw out one little business man who measured over six feet and weighed plenty.

Those were the physical phases of the two-day conference. Yet, believe it or not, there were "recommendations" made by those nearly one thousand business men representing small businesses of the country. They were duly presented to President Roosevelt who sent out word to the newspaper correspondents afterward that some of those recommendations were, indeed, quite constructive.

I shall not attempt to set them down here. They would take more space than is available. I noted among them, however, one item that urged the government to "establish a procedure to encourage and facilitate loans to small business." It recalled to me that there has been much talk among "advanced thinkers" in the administration that the government should have an agency to make loans to small businesses. It was discussed in these columns recently. Undoubtedly, it was just a coincidence that this "recommendation" should come from the small business men while the advisers to the President were considering it.

Included in the recommendations, however, were proposals for the administration to do several things that thus far have not had administrative backing. One of these was a recommendation that wage and hour regulatory legislation should be abandoned. No one seems to know from whence that item came; and it was variously reported as not having had the "full support of the conference." It may have been that even the 12 chairmen who carried the recommendations to the White House meeting with the President performed a miracle—but there is no denying that the item was included and quite a few members of the Democratic party in congress were glad to see it.

So, the conference has been held and its work and efforts to solve the depression problems are spread on the first pages of newspapers. The results in this direction would seem to justify Mr. Roosevelt's recent intimations that the business men do not know what they want. Such a view would be correct if the conference itself had been representative. True, the delegates came from all sections of the country. True, all excepting a very few were of the type known as small business men. But it must not be overlooked that the conference was planned, invitations extended and program

Some Are Pleased

Another Phase

taxes. They are taxes paid by the workers as well as by the employer. It has occurred to me, therefore, that unless the government's revenue can be made to balance its expenditures, sometime in the future workers will want to obtain payment under the provisions and there will be nothing but government bonds in the fund. Further, there is every possibility—indeed, I believe it is a probability—that these payroll taxes are going to bear more heavily on the workers of the future than they do today.

written from Washington. I think it is quite unlikely that men would be invited without somebody in the administration having knowledge of their general attitude toward the New Deal. There actually may be something to the charge that was variously hurled in the sessions that chairmen were hand picked and that there was a bit of log rolling done, just a teeny, weeny bit of it.

Concerning the after-effects, one can hear many observations. Some say that the bulk of the small business men went away from Washington nursing a grudge; others add that many of the delegates went back home with a sour idea of government conferences and, therefore, with a willingness to ridicule the administration, and still others hold the conviction that the very confusion that came from the meeting provided Mr. Roosevelt with the horrible example that he wants in his criticism of business leadership. It seems to me there is ground for each of these three conclusions. Time, alone, will disclose the ultimate effects. Mr. Roosevelt may utilize the recommendations in a fireside chat or a message to congress. Some of his advisers may bear down on the lack of agreement and understanding among business men. Or, the whole thing may be treated very seriously and an attempt made to convince the country that the administration is being guided by what it believes the business interests want—as shown in the recommendations of the conference.

The Treasury laid some stress on announcement the other day that it will begin a series of borrowings late this month that likely will be the last borrowings by the federal government "in this generation." It was stated that between 200 and 300 millions will be borrowed during the next several months, but that June tax payments and subsequent collections will provide money for current needs. That is to say there will be no need for "new money" which is money borrowed out of the money market or banks.

It has not been made clear how the Treasury will accomplish the objective of cessation of borrowing at this time. President Roosevelt has predicted that there will be a deficit of about one billion dollars in the next fiscal year. A Treasury deficit can mean only one thing, namely, that the amount of income is less than the amount of the expenditures. Something appears to be screwy in a circumstance where there is a deficit of a billion and only a few hundred millions have to be borrowed.

However it may be accomplished, it is hopeful to think that borrowings are going to be terminated. The Treasury has been doing it for a long, long time. I think it is about nine years that the Treasury has faced a deficit each year and there has been new money borrowed to pay the bills. Those borrowings ranged anywhere from half a billion during 1930 to more than four billions in 1933 and 1934.

The Treasury's announcement explained that the Treasury would receive more than one billion dollars for the account of its trust funds during this year. Trust funds are segregated moneys, such as the fund for payment of social security benefits. Well, it strikes me as a bit unfair to say the Treasury will not borrow any new money this year when it actually is borrowing from the social security fund. There is no violation of law in that course, because the law says the social security funds must be invested in government bonds.

The borrowing from social security funds calls attention to another phase of government finance. Those funds come from payroll taxes. They are taxes paid by the workers as well as by the employer. It has occurred to me, therefore, that unless the government's revenue can be made to balance its expenditures, sometime in the future workers will want to obtain payment under the provisions and there will be nothing but government bonds in the fund. Further, there is every possibility—indeed, I believe it is a probability—that these payroll taxes are going to bear more heavily on the workers of the future than they do today.

There seems little doubt that the social security dream is here to stay. Unworkable as it is, there will be no politician with sufficient courage ever to tell the voters of his constituency that the social security act will fail. Some of the "advanced thinkers" among the New Dealers have had spasms when remarks like that were made in their presence. The real spasms, however, will develop when the public is given a clear understanding of what that law does to a civilization—when it is shown by operation that the ideal of protection takes much more out of the pockets of those who are supposed to benefit than they ever can get back.

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HELLO EVERYBODY:

You know, boys and girls, I've often said you can get into more adventures in your own back yard than you can in the whole of darkest Africa. And here comes Houston Norris of Yonkers, N. Y., with a story that backs up my theory. Houston's back yard was a pretty big one, though. It was a farm in Sussex county, Virginia, where he lived when he was a kid.

This happened back in 1920, when Houston was just thirteen years old. On a hot August day, he set out to change the cows from one grazing ground to another where they would be in the shade for the afternoon. He had a shotgun—as a lot of kids do in the country—and he took that off the rack. He carried that gun most everywhere he went, on the chance he'd get a shot at a crow, or a chicken hawk. There was a state bounty on those birds and that just about kept him in ammunition.

And incidentally, it's a doggone good thing he did take that gun along with him. For, although he didn't know it, he was heading straight for an adventure, and that shootin' iron was destined to come in mighty handy.

### Caught in the Fox Trap.

Ahead of him lay a brook, the bed of which was dry during summer months. That creek bed was always full of snakes that hid in the brush which grew along the bottom, so Houston started to cross on a log put there to afford a passage in wet weather. He noticed, as he stepped on the log, that it was covered over with heaps of tree moss, but ne—well—he thought maybe the kids of the neighboring farmer had been playing and left it there. But that was the big mistake of his life.

Houston stepped on the log—and something snapped. He felt a sharp pain in his leg, and knew how foolish he had been. That moss hadn't been put there by the neighboring farmer's kids. It had been put there by the farmer himself to conceal a fox trap—and Houston had stepped right into it.

The chain on that trap was only six inches long, and Houston's step was cut short. He lost his balance—fell forward. His gun fell to the



He Had Stepped Right Into the Trap.

ground and then, as he landed, he heard another click—felt another stab of pain—this time in his left hand. There had been two fox traps on that log, and he had fallen into both of them.

The pain in his hand and leg made him wince, and he gritted his teeth. He was caught fast—unable to get himself out. But getting out of those traps didn't worry Houston so much. He was only a short distance from home. A few shouts would bring someone to his assistance.

### Then Came the Rattler.

He drew a deep breath—was all ready to let out a yell for help—when something stopped him. To his ears came a peculiar buzzing sound and a familiar rustling of leaves directly under the log on which he lay. His eyes dropped to the spot, and the hair began rising on the top of his head. A HUGE RATTLE-SNAKE was crawling out from beneath the log!

"I was frightened then for the first time," he says. "And for the first time in all my life I felt completely helpless. My gun was four feet away from the log, and I didn't dare call for help lest I anger the snake and cause him to strike at me.

"I hoped—as I never hoped before—that that snake would crawl away and leave me alone. But that hope vanished when it brought its huge body into a coil and settled down by the log to watch me.

"My trapped hand and foot began to pain me terribly. My back was cramped and began to ache, but I had to keep it tense for fear that I would roll off the log and fall on top of the snake. I wondered what would happen when I got too tired to hold that position any longer. Then, suddenly, something happened that brought the situation to a quick climax."

### Got the Gun Just in Time.

What happened was this. Three shotgun shells had worked themselves loose from their holder at Houston's belt. They rolled from the log and lit, almost simultaneously on the back and head of the rattler. In an instant the snake threw its head up to the level of the log. Its beady eyes glittered as it looked Houston over carefully.

The reptile seemed to sense that it had him at its mercy—that there was no need for haste. Slowly it drew back its head to strike.

"Then," says Houston, "I had to do something. In desperation I started to reach for my gun. I rolled my free foot over the ground, making a desperate and painful effort to make my step as wide and as far from the log and the snake as possible. Then I dropped my right knee and struggled with my right hand to get at the gun.

"My fingers could barely touch the gun's muzzle, but by stretching the chains of the traps that held me, I managed to get a grip on it and pull it my way. Desperately, I drew it alongside my body with its muzzle pointing toward the center of the log, until my trembling fingers could reach the trigger.

"The rattler was moving forward—angered by the movements I had made. Its head was a bare three inches from my left leg. Then I drew back the hammer and pulled the trigger. There was a roar—and when the smoke cleared away, that once deadly snake was scattered in bits along the creek bed."

And after that, it was just a matter of a few good lusty yells, and help came and Houston was out of his traps.

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### Trout Favored by Fishermen

Great strength and a fighting heart in a small body make the trout a favorite of fishermen. No fish as small fights so long when hooked. It protects itself by changing color to blend with that of the bottom of a stream. It is something of a weather prophet, too. Eight or nine hours before a freshet, caused by rains miles away, floods its home stream, a trout stops feeding.

### Cacti in Coat of Arms

Cacti are used in the coat of arms in Mexico. Wise men in the early Fourteenth century told the Aztecs to build their cities where they would find the cacti, the eagle and the snake. In 1312 the Aztecs reached a point where Mexico City is now located. One of the myths of the period was, that, if an image of a person who was to be punished was made of clay and jabbed with cacti needles by the tribal voodoo doctor, that person would be afflicted with serious illness or would die.

### Lobsters Are Scavengers

Lobsters eat anything they find, either fresh or stale. They are scavengers, but not to the exclusion of fresh food, which they prefer and makes up the bulk of their diet. They devour many slow-moving creatures that inhabit the ocean floor, and can crack mussel shells with their powerful mandibles. The young, spidery lobsters exist mostly on plankton, minute floating organisms.

### Poi, Native Hawaiian Dish

Hawaiians, in their native dish or poi, discovered the real source of good teeth and bones long before modern science. Research into the dental superiority of Hawaiians reveals that poi, which has long been a leading native dish in the islands, contains an unusually large quantity of calcium and phosphorus. This coupled with the sunshine of the islands, which furnished the necessary vitamin D element, resulted in the fine teeth and bones of the island race.

## "Sit Down," said Frank Hague . . .

# AND ROOSEVELT SAT DOWN!

By JOSEPH W. LaBINE

New Yorkers are casting worried glances across the Hudson these days. Those who will brave the "outer world" that lies over the river may some day visit Jersey City and see for themselves.

Jersey City, they allege, is in the grips of a tyrant, a dictator, a reborn Huey P. Long. His name is Frank Hague.

Mayor Hague has undoubtedly ruled all New Jersey at least 10 years, probably more. He made A. Harry Moore a United States senator, later a governor. More recently he sent his personal attorney, John Milton, to the upper house in Washington. Since 1913 he has been in absolute control of Jersey City, an overgrown community of 315,000 souls lying within eyesight of Manhattan's towers.

Frank Hague is a smart politician. Behind his multi-colored exploits lies a genius for grasping votes and power by methods that are exasperating but legal. When a legislative committee recently tried to seize Hudson county vote records (on a charge of election fraud), Hague packed off on a Florida vacation and his assistant in charge of the books was reported ill. This prompted a New York newspaper reporter to comment that the official "has been indisposed on other occasions when investigations involving his office were in progress."

At another time, in 1928, Hague "testified" before a legislative committee investigating Jersey City by replying, "I decline to answer" to practically every question fired at him.

### And He Sat Down!

The height of Hague's impudence arrived one night in 1932 when Franklin D. Roosevelt, campaigning for the presidency, was being escorted by the mayor from gathering to gathering. Mr. Roosevelt was just warming up to a large outdoor crowd when Hague, pulling at his coat, snapped:

"That's enough. Sit down."

The future President of the United States sat down.

Currently Frank Hague is in the headlines as a C. I. O. baiter. He has refused to open the civic doors to John Lewis' organizers. They cannot hire a hall; Hague's efficient police simply run them out of town. The mayor, who once thoughtlessly boasted that "I am the law," has arranged convenient legal weapons to best the C. I. O. One law prohibits distribution of non-commercial literature, like C. I. O. pamphlets. Another enables police to arrest anyone who can't give satisfactory answers to questions.

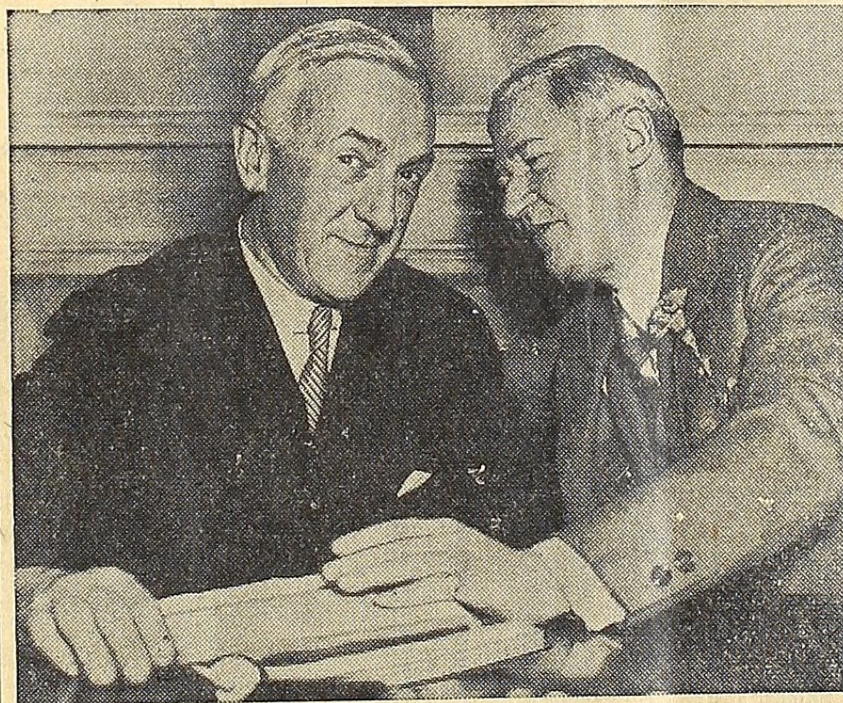


HIS HONOR THE MAYOR . . . Frank Hague, the C. I. O. baiting chief executive of Jersey City, N. J., virtual dictator over a city in the shadows of Manhattan. "I am the law," he once said.

pen by throwing tremendous and unexpected support to the league and being elected to the first Jersey City commission.

He was named commissioner of public safety, a tailor-made situation for the smart politician. Hague, as head of the police and fire departments, acquired a foundation on which to build his personal political organization. To his credit, he transformed Jersey City's police from a corrupt lot of deadwood into an organization of clear-headed, purposeful young men. Whether his aim was sincere is beside the point; the new police and fire departments awakened civic pride, and all hands pointed at Frank Hague as the man who had accomplished it.

Eventually he was elected mayor and the Hague star ascended rapidly. Next step in cementing his political foundation was the Jersey City medical center. Behind this splendid nine-building institution is a story of the mayor's babyhood, of the days when he was so weak and delicate that his mother took him each day to St. Francis' hospital. There she received sympathy—the future politician's life was saved. Hague never forgot the stories his mother told him of those daily trips. Today's medical center has been a life-long ambition, a humanitarian



BRAINS OR PUPPETS? . . . John Milton, new United States senator from New Jersey appointed to replace the new governor, A. Harry Moore (right), is a ringleader in the Hague machine and personal banker to the mayor. Moore also owes all his political success to Frank Hague.

institution reason for his presence on Jersey City streets, thereby landing C. I. O. organizers in the city cooler.

Today Frank Hague's well-oiled political machine depends on such unique implements as the \$25,000,000 medical center (third largest in the United States and far too imposing for such a small city) and a government that is really efficient, albeit expensive. To understand this amazing situation one must examine the background, from the time young Frank Hague was an aspiring Democratic boss in Jersey City's second ward. That was in 1908.

### Started as Custodian.

Unimportant, but ascending, Hague's first job was custodian of the city hall at \$2,000 a year under Mayor Otto H. Wittmann. Later, as commissioner of the street and water board, he made friends both with administration forces and the lusty Commission Government league. In 1913 Hague admittedly played a "double-cross" on Witt-

last election. He pounces on weak spots with ferocity, calling responsible leaders to task.

Last November, when Senator Moore (a Hague puppet) was elected governor, it is alleged that votes were cast for babies and dead people, illegally listed in the registration books. Such allegations have been made after previous elections, too, but legislative investigations come to naught.

### Small Salary, Big Fortune.

Not the least puzzling feature of Hague's success is his ability to get rich on \$6,200 yearly salary. He refuses to answer questions on this subject on the ground his privacy would be invaded. One investigator claimed Hague made \$600,000 on certain real estate transactions at the expense of taxpayers. The mayor lives in a fine apartment suite in Jersey City, keeps an elaborate summer estate at Deal and (it is claimed) maintains elaborate quarters in Manhattan.

Personal banker and attorney for the mayor is John Milton, the new United States senator who succeeded Harry Moore. Himself a subject of considerable investigation, Milton admits having paid for Hague's \$125,000 Deal estate. Hague, in turn, reimbursed him in cash. This trick has popped up several federal income tax agents several times but the mayor, bland as usual, refuses to have his privacy invaded.

Milton is equally suave. When investigators began nosing in his direction, he calmly announced that a few days ago he'd decided to retire and—so sorry—but all his records had unfortunately been destroyed.

What will eventually happen to this dictatorship? Undeniably, the Hague machine has a hold on its constituents that can be compared only to Huey Long's Louisiana regime a few years back. Recently, when 26 congressmen wrote Hague in protest over "wholesale arrest and deportation" of labor organizers, they received a reply that "everything is under control . . . and don't worry."

### "I Am the Law!"

A few days later, irked, Mayor Hague sponsored a mass meeting attended by thousands of the faithful, one of the largest gatherings Jersey City has ever seen. There a select roster of speakers re-affirmed the community's faith in the man who says, "I am the law."

No moral can be drawn from the career of Frank Hague, because it is not yet ended. The strange feature is that boss control over Jersey City and New Jersey in general has been the vogue many years, yet it took a handful of C. I. O. organizers to bring it into the public eye.

Equally strange is the seeming efficiency with which Jersey City is governed. High taxes seem to be the only objection, and even that all-important item is sometimes forgotten by zealous Hague henchmen. The mayor himself sums up the conditions prevailing in his unusual city with the following typical speech:

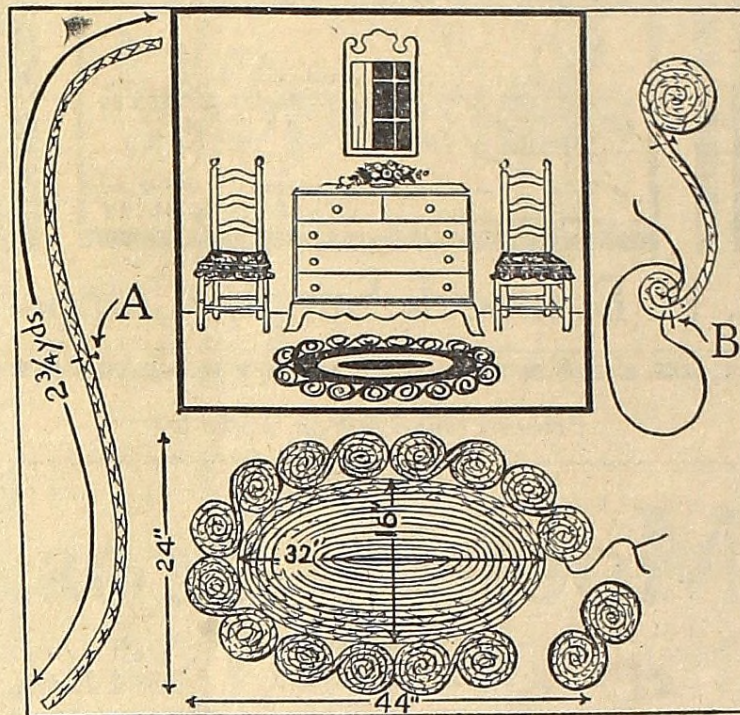
"Taxes are higher here because we had to pay for progress. We were just about bankrupt 20 years ago. The city is a city now and business is beginning to pick up. But let me point out one thing about the town. The burden of taxation is being borne not by the householder and the small business man as in other cities, but by corporations whose shoulders are broad!"

That makes 'em smile. Next time there's an election, they'll vote for Hague!

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## HOW to SEW

By RUTH WYETH SPEARS



An Interesting Border for a Braided Rag Rug.

AN OLD house sitting in the midst of old fields against a background of pine woods not so far from where the Pilgrims landed. The present occupant is just as interested in handwork and just as thrifty as all of her New England ancestors who have preceded her there. She still makes braided rag rugs from discarded garments and they harmonize perfectly with her lovely old furniture. One that she showed me was different than any I had ever seen. Here are all the dimensions and method of making it in case it is new to you, too, and you would like to make one like it.

The center oval part is 32 inches long and 16 inches wide with 6-inch scroll border all around. The scrolls are made in pairs from braided strips 2 3/4 yards long. These strips are braided tight so they are not more than 1/2 inch wide. The center of each strip is marked as shown here at A and the ends are then sewn around and around, working toward the center as at B. The pairs of scrolls are sewn together

and also to the edge of the rug as indicated here at the lower right.

This kind of rug has infinite possibilities for color schemes. One seen had a blue center, a band of mixed color and then a wide band of red. The pairs of scrolls alternated red and blue.

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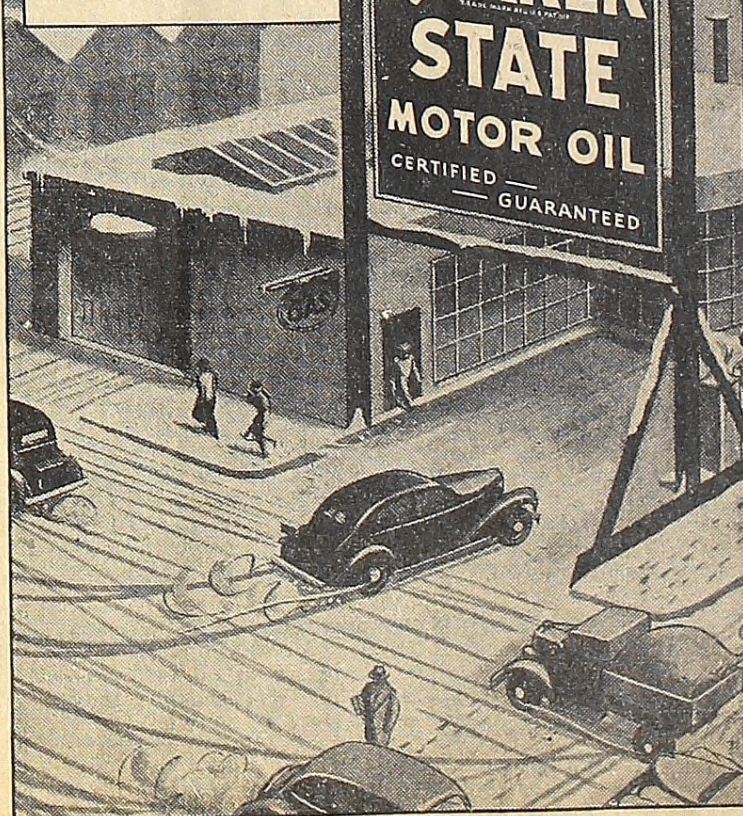
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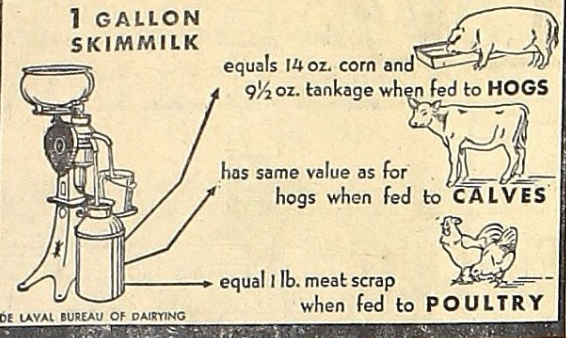
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- Evergreen Towels, per roll . . . . . 10c
- Bay County Peas, tall can . . . . . 15c
- Green Wax Beans, tall can . . . . . 15c
- Pears, Plums, Peaches, large can . . . 19c
- Shedd's Salad Dressing, quart jar . . . 35c
- Swifts Circle S Picnics, 4-5 lb. avg. lb. 23c
- Treasure Oleomargarine, 2 lbs. . . . . 27c

**The Tawas Herald**  
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**Reno News**

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bueschen spent Tuesday and Wednesday at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Joe. Barnes in Dearborne.

William Latter and daughters, Mrs. Will Waters and Miss Iva Latter visited at the Frockins home Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawe were called to Detroit Thursday by the death of their grandson, Laurel Walters.

Mrs. Alex Robinson and son, Carlton were week-end visitors with relatives in Flint.

Ethan Thompson was a visitor at the Frockins home Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Harrell of Whittemore were Thursday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Robinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Seth Thompson and children spent Sunday afternoon at his parental home.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Vary motored to Detroit Wednesday of last week and were accompanied home by Mrs. A. E. Finney, who joined her husband who has been visiting for a couple of weeks at the home of his sister, Mrs. Vary.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Robinson and sons, Donald and Leonard were at Standish Tuesday of last week.

A number of Mr and Mrs. Ed Robinson's friends gave them a pleasant surprise Friday evening. Four tables of progressive pedro were played, the honors going to Fred Papple, Mr. and Mrs. Art White and Miss Wilma Bueschen. Lunch was served.

Fred Rempert and Art Anschutz of Tawas City were business visitors at the Lester Robinson home Monday.

Harry Latter and Earl Daugharty were at the Tawses Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Bishop of Wilber were visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Lester Robinson on Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Horton, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Schaff and James Robinson of Tawas City were Monday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Robinson.

Fred Porter of Bentley is spending a few days at the home of his sister, Mrs. J. H. Charters.

Fred Parter is the new employee at the Chas. Thompson farm.

Ambrose Berry was at Bay City Monday to see his wife, who is a patient in Samaritan hospital. He reports her doing fine, with expectation of her coming home the latter part of the week.

**Not Two-Legged Kind**

A mule derelict a passenger train near Sacramento. He was not the type of mule, however, who steps on the gas and clings stubbornly to the driving wheel.

**Hemlock**

Vine school defeated Greenwood school in a ice-hockey game by the score of 6 to 3. Teachers Mr. Snyder, of Vine school, and Mr. Wendt, of Greenwood school are planning a checker tournament to be held in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Pfahl and son, Leslie and daughter, Marilyn spent Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Russell Binder.

Mr. and Mrs. Raoul Herman had Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Lester Perkins in Reno.

Mrs. Chas. Brown returned home Saturday after spending 14 days with her daughter, Mrs. Russell Binder.

Ladies' Aid on Thursday was a real Valentine party. 22 Ladies were present and a wonderful time was had. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Chambers Thursday afternoon of the 24th.

Miss Wilma Biggs spent Friday afternoon with Dorothy Hays.

Mrs. Otto Sommerville spent one afternoon last week with Mrs. Van Patten.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Frockins, Mr. and Mrs. Will White and daughter, Vernita, Mr and Mrs. Lester Perkins and son, Blair and Charles Putnam were callers at Mr. and Mrs. Russell Binders during the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Katterman and daughter, Ruth spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Russell Binder.

Mr. and Mrs. John Burt have been on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Sommerville had company Sunday.

Howard Herriman of Detroit is spending some time with his brother, Victor and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Pfahl spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. John Burt.

A number from here took in the party at the Community House East Tawas sponsored by the Road Club.

Harry Scarlett of Detroit is visiting his brother, Tom and family.

Some from here attended the play at the Baptist church in Tawas City, Thursday evening.

Greenwood Grange met last Wednesday evening with their regular meeting. Six new members were added after which lunch was served. A very pleasant evening was spent.

Mrs. Bertha Binder spent a couple of days at the home of her son, Russell the past week.

**Mazatlan**

Mazatlan, the Pacific port of Mexico, is set on a silvery bay, shaded by coconut palms. Peace, piazzas and friendly natives help to make it one of Mexico's intriguing little cities. Back of it lies volcanic and mountain, with strangely shaped contours, towering thousands of feet above green valleys studded with crystal lakes; vast fields of cactus, acres of corn and wheat and sugar cane; great groves of coconut palms; plant cypress trees, wide as streets, that were 6,000 years in making, and cacti stretching 20-foot talons toward the city.

**WILBER**

Frank Hardy and son, Billy spent the week-end in Port Huron.

The Young Peoples' Class met at the home of John Schrieber Friday night. Everyone reports a good time.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Brussell and family and Miss Alma Brussell left last Monday for Illinois, where they will make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Sailors entertained guests from Pontiac and Turner last week.

Ladies' Aid met with Mrs. Gus Olson.

C. Siewert of the Hemlock spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Vern Alda.

The 4-H Carpenter Club motored to Tawas City last Friday to attend the theatre.

Mrs. Mueller of Tawas City attended the Valentine party at District No. 1 school Monday.

**"Sweetest Story Ever Told"**

In 1884 Robert Morrison Stults resigned as musical instructor in the Long Branch, N. J., high school and moved to Batimore, Md., where he opened a piano and sheet music business. For some time he had been obsessed with the idea of writing a popular sentimental ballad. Mira Mirella, a comic opera star, was in search of such a song and Stults promised to write one for her. Going home one evening his wife, who had been reading "The Birds' Christmas Carol," remarked, "Well, that's the sweetest story ever!" He immediately supplied the word "told" and in two hours the song was finished.

**ADVENTURE IS COMING IN THE AMERICAN BOY**

Readers who like adventure and the lure of the far places will find plenty to please them in coming issues of THE AMERICAN BOY Magazine. They'll read, for instance, of seamen and sabotage and San Francisco water-front trouble; of daring adventure in the world of pseudo-science, and of a feud aboard a plunging, rolling battleship.

They'll read, too, of excitement aboard a transport plane blaring over jungled Mexican mountains, and of stranger planes that are not bound to earth but swing through the noiselessness of space. Readers can follow a young ex-Mountie as he searches for clues in the wild northlands, and Tierney, the pie-eating detective, on the trail of city criminals.

A new feature in THE AMERICAN BOY is picture pages that tell stories. Pictures, for instance, that vividly show a day in the life of a coast guardsman, and how an Eskimo husky sled dog does his work. They transmit the thrill of battling a hundred pound, water-churning tarpon. Tips on how it's done are also given pictorially—ranging from how to run a broken field to how to be correct in a ball-

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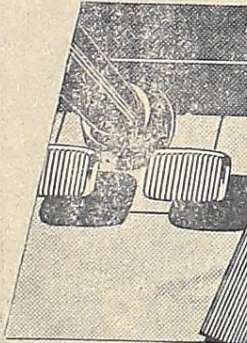
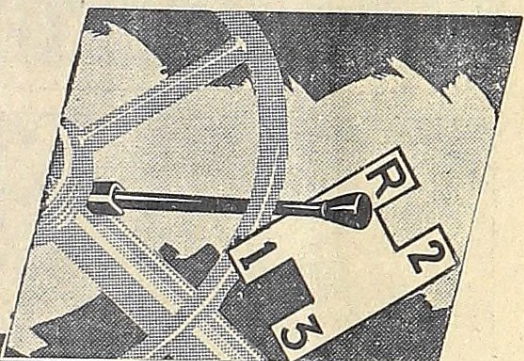
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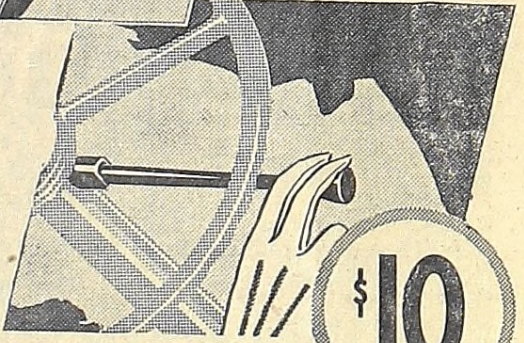


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- Sardines, 6 cans . . . **25c**

- Oranges, Sunkist Large, doz. . . . . **32c**
- Prunes, bulk 3 lbs. . . . . **25c**
- Honey, light 5 lb. pail . . . . . **55c**
- Cookies, Sugar Jumbles, 2 lbs. . . . . **25c**

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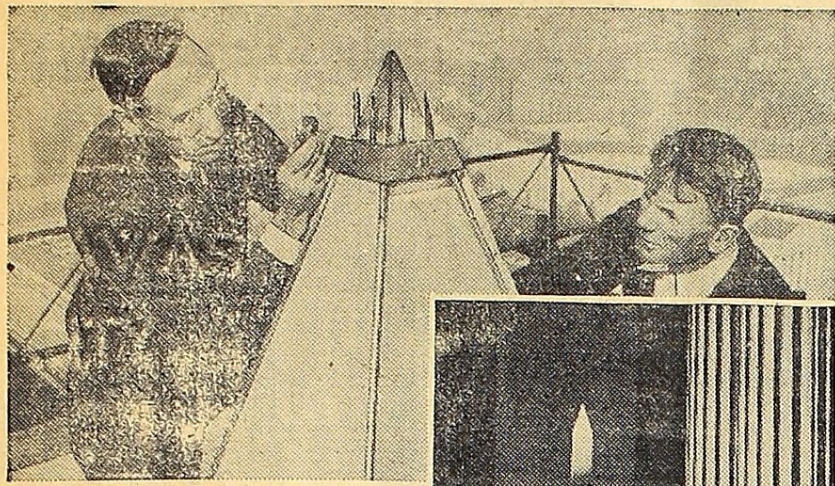
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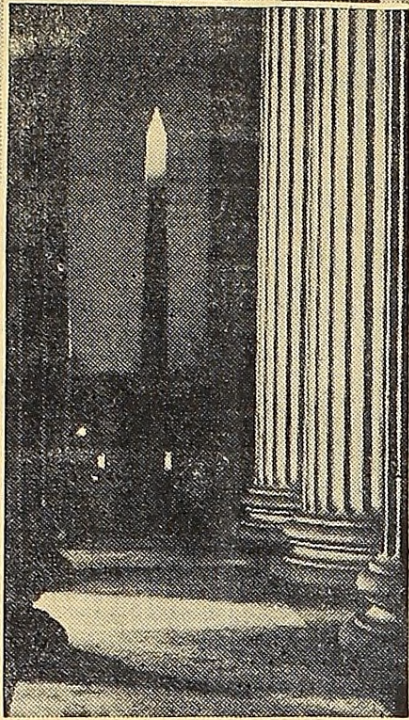
## Valuable Aluminum Pyramid Caps Washington Monument



Few visitors to the Washington monument have seen the 100-ounce pyramid of pure aluminum which caps this famous 555-foot structure in the nation's capital. This rare picture was taken in 1934 when the monument was cleaned and overhauled.

Costing \$1,300,000, the monument was started in 1848, was left unfinished when the nation entered the Civil war, and was finally dedicated on February 21, 1885. The capstone, the peak of which is shown below the aluminum pyramid, weighs 3,300 pounds. Its placement was an unusual engineering accomplishment.

Photograph at the right shows the monument from a distance at night, its peak bathed in a bright light that makes it visible for miles.



## Whittemore

The O. E. S. members will give a card party at the Masonic hall, Tuesday night, February 22, at 8 o'clock, for all O. E. S. members and their families and all Masonic members and their families. A small admission will be charged, and refreshments will be served.

The Junior League held their regular meeting at the home of Mrs. Arthur Gould Thursday night, with Miss Jeanette Houghtaling assisting hostess. A very interesting book report was given by Ruth Schuster. A delicious lunch was served by the hostesses.

A number of girls were entertained at the Bronson home Saturday evening in honor of Madeline's 13th Birthday Anniversary. Progressive pedro was in play, Francis Danin received high score and Donna Charters low score. Out of town guest was Miss Betty Thompson of Flint. Madeline received many pretty gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. George Jackson entertained a number of relatives Saturday evening in honor of her husband's birthday. The evening was spent in playing progressive pedro. Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Cataline received high scores and Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Cataline low scores.

Mrs. Alice Barlow returned to Saginaw the past week after spending a few days in town.

George Schuster of Brooklyn, Michigan, visited his brothers, Charles and Simon over the week-end.

Mrs. Marjorie Curtis and friend of Battle Creek spent the week-end here with her parents.

Miss Ella Fuerst left for Detroit Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bowman and daughter, Leota spent Tuesday in Bay City.

The Misses Lois Charters, Leila Jackson, Theda Charters, Gladys Ruckle, and Donna Charters spent Monday in Bay City.

Word was received here the past week announcing the birth of a daughter to Mrs. Bessie Frantz of Sunfield. Mrs. Frantz will be remembered as Miss Bessie Spencer, a former teacher in our high school.

Frank Dorsey and friend, Miss Clugers of Hale, were callers at the Roy Charters home Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Tom Shannon and Mrs. Archie Graham spent Wednesday in Bay City.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Madol and Mr. and Mrs. Mike O'Farrell of Bay City, Mr. and Mrs. E. Jacobs of Turner and Mr. and Mrs. George O'Farrell of Rose City were called here this week to attend the funeral of their sister, Mrs. Anton Flynn.

Mrs. Duncan Valley and daughter, Betty spent the week-end in Bay City.

## MEADOW ROAD

Mr. and Mrs. Squire Wood are moving their household goods from Flint to the home of his father, Alva Wood, where they will remain for several months.

Sam Bamberger of Grand Rapids visited relatives here.

Mrs. L. Cook is ill at this writing. The young people of this community had a skating party at Sand Lake, Tuesday evening.

John Scarlett and Phil Geroux were business callers at Whittemore Monday.

Blythe Allen called at the Austen Allen home at McIvor, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Watts and Mr. and Mrs. Phil Watts of Tawas City callers this week.

## LOWER HEMLOCK

Mrs. Frank Nelkie is spending two weeks in Bay City visiting her sister, Mrs. Kloss.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Look visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. William Katterman.

Mrs. Clarence Curry is spending several days in Flint visiting with Mr. and Mrs. "Ald" Hull.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Fahselt spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Fahselt.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Youngs and Paul Anschutz spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Delos Snyder.

## Carrying the "Coals"

Newcastle is a center of the British coal trade, and a great port for the shipping of it. To "carry coals to Newcastle" is a waste of labor, a futile, or unnecessary effort, an effort to supply a need already well supplied. The phrase is of Seventeenth century origin, or perhaps older. But similar proverbs exist in many languages. There is one in French about "carrying water to the river." Ancient Greece has one about taking owls to Athens—Athenian coins being stamped with the owl; and an Oriental poet speaks of "importing pepper to Hindustan." — Cleveland Plain Dealer

## Moontishes

Moontishes are small aquarium fish, allied to guppies. There are five principal varieties—black moon, spotted moon, red moon, golden moon and blue moon. They are natives of the waters of Mexico, Central America and the northern part of South America.

## Mortgage Sale

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by Frank E. Bernard and Amy Bernard, his wife, to Nora Jackson, dated the 6th day of October, 1932, and recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Iosco, and State of Michigan, on the 17th day of October, 1932, in Liber 16 of Mortgages on page 378, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this Notice for principal and interest, the sum of Nineteen Hundred Forty-two and 03/100 (\$1942.03) Dollars and the attorney fee as provided for in said mortgage, and no suit or proceedings at law having been instituted to recover the moneys secured by said mortgage or any part thereof;

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and the statute in such case made and provided, on Monday, the 9th day of May, A. D. 1933, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, the Undersigned will, at the front door of the Court House, in the city of Tawas City, Iosco County, Michigan, that being the place where the Circuit Court for the County of Iosco is held, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount so as aforesaid due on said mortgage, with seven per cent interest and all legal costs, together with said attorney fee, to-wit:

The Southeast Quarter (SE 1/4) of Section Thirty-four (34), Township Twenty-three (23) North, Range Five (5) East, in the Township of Plainfield, County of Iosco, and State of Michigan, containing one hundred sixty (160) acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof.

Dated February 4, 1933.

Nora Jackson,  
Mortgagee

R. J. Crandell,  
Attorney for  
Mortgagee.

Business Address:  
Standish, Michigan.

## The Saint Bernard's Head

The head of the Saint Bernard is broad and a furrow runs from the stop at the eyes, down to the tip of a broad nose. This wrinkle is a characteristic of the kindly facial expression and the eyes literally form a "V-shaped" indentation.

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Spry, 3 lb. can	57c
Peanut Butter, 2 lb. jar	25c
Apple Sauce, 2 cans for	17c
Perk Dog Food, 3 cans	25c
P. & G. Soap, 6 bars	25c
Old Dutch Cleanser, 2 cans	13c
Peas or Corn, can	10c
Toilet Paper, 6 rolls	25c
Morton's Smoked Salt, 10 lbs.	85c
Morton's Seasoning	25c

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Minced Ham, lb.	17c
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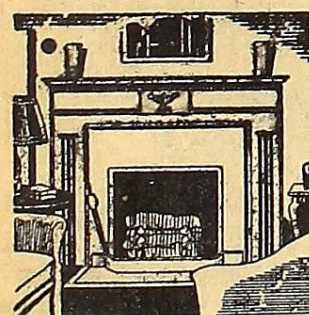
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## State of Michigan

In the Circuit Court for the County of Iosco, in Chancery.  
Earl William McKelvey, and Lillian C.

McKelvey, plaintiffs, vs Joseph N. Marquis, also known as Joseph L. Marquis, or his unknown heirs, devisees, legatees, and assigns, and Charles Curley, or his unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns, defendants.

Order of publication on bill to quiet title under statute.

At a session of said court held at the Courthouse in the city of Tawas City, Iosco County, Michigan on the 18th day of December, 1937.

Present: The Honorable Herman Dehnke, Circuit Judge.

On reading and filing the Bill of Complaint in said cause the affidavit of William McKelvey and Lillian C. McKelvey his wife, for which it satisfactorily appears to the court that the defendants Joseph N. Marquis, also known as Joseph L. Marquis and his unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns, and Charles Curley or his unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns, are proper and necessary parties defendant in the above cause and

It further appearing that after a diligent search and inquiry it cannot be ascertained, and it is not known,

whether or not the said defendant Joseph N. Marquis also known as Joseph L. Marquis is living or dead, or where he may reside if living, and if dead whether he has any personal representatives or heirs living, or where they, or any of them, may reside, and further that the present whereabouts of said defendant is unknown and the names of the persons who are included therein without being named but who are embraced therein under the title of "unknown" heirs, devisees, legatees, and assigns of the said Joseph N. Marquis, also known as Joseph L. Marquis cannot be ascertained after diligent search and inquiry, and

It further appearing that the said defendant Charles Curley is dead, but that after diligent search and inquiry it cannot be ascertained, and it is not known, whether he has personal representatives or heirs living, and if living, where they, or any of them, may reside, and that the names of the persons who are included therein without being named but who are embraced under the title of "unknown" heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns of said Charles Curley cannot be ascertained after diligent search and inquiry.

Now, therefore, on motion of John A. Stewart, Attorney for the plaintiffs,

It is ordered that the said defendants Joseph N. Marquis also known as Joseph L. Marquis or his unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns cause their respective appearance to be entered in this cause within three (3) months from the date of this order and in default thereof, the said bill of complaint be taken as confessed by the defendants, at their respective unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns, and

It is further ordered that within twenty (20) days the plaintiffs cause a copy of this order to be published in the Tawas Herald, a newspaper printed, published and circulated in the county of Iosco, such publication to be continued therein once each week for six (6) successive weeks.

HERMAN DEHNKE  
Circuit Judge.

To whom it may concern:  
Please take notice that this suit which the foregoing order was duly made, involves and is brought to quiet title to the following described piece or parcel of land situate and being in the Township of Oscoda, County of Iosco, State of Michigan, described as follows, to-wit:  
The South two thirds (2-3) of lot No. two (2) of block No. seven (7) of the original plat of the village of Oscoda, Oscoda Township, Iosco County, Michigan.

John A. Stewart,  
Attorney for Plaintiffs  
Business Address:  
Tawas City Michigan

Dated, December 13, 1937.

## CLASSIFIED ADVS

FOR SALE—Modal A '29 Ford Tudor, \$30 cash. Vaino Lake, Alabaster

GIRL—Wants part time work. Inquire at Herald Office.

INTERIOR DECORATING — Reasonable. See Vernon Eckstein, Tawas City.

FOR SALE—Work harness. Ralph Sherman, Wilber, Township.

WANTED — Experienced girl for housework. Mrs. E. A. Hastk, Whittemore, Mich.

FOR RENT—Five room house with bath in East Tawas, also four room house in Tawas City. Barkman Lumber Co.

WANTED TO RENT—4 or 5 room house with complete bath, two bed rooms, and heating system, and garage. East Tawas, convenient to school, furnished or unfurnished. Will probably keep house for one year. Box 27, East Tawas.

FOR SALE—Used furniture, 3 good rockers, sofa, trunk, small table, few dishes. Can be seen until February 25, at Mrs. P. G. Walkers, Locke St., East Tawas.

WANTED—Man with car to take over profitable Rawleigh Route. Established customers. Sales way up this year. Must be satisfied with earnings of \$30 a week to start. Write Rawleigh's, Dept. MCB-401-101, Freeport, Ill.

USED CARS—1937 Willys Sedan, New at a discount; 1936 Pontiac Coupe, low mileage; 1935 Ford Delivery Tudor, new motor; 1934 Terraplane Panel Delivery; 1933 Ford Pickup; 1933 Chevrolet Pickup. Special for 30 days. No carrying charges. 1/2 years license and 50 gallons of gas with each car. Jas. H. Leslie, Tawas City.

FOR RENT — 40 Acres improved land, South of Alabaster. Write, Chas. White, Route 2, Box 570, Royal Oak, Mich.

FOR SALE—160 Acre farm, 110 A. cleared, balance pasture and wood lot. 28 Acres alfalfa. 10 Milch cows, horses and machinery. Mrs. John Klenow, Baldwin Township.

FOR SALE—4 H. P. Gas engine and wood saw complete. Leonard Bouchard, Tawas City, Route 1.

LOST—Red Bone hound, white breast and white on feet. Reward if returned. Elmer Anschutz, Indian Lake.

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## CHAPTER XII—Continued

"You are to proceed alone, senior," announced their leader. "It is not well we should be seen, yet be assured we will be watching—and our horses are much faster than yours. You have only to follow the barranca to reach your goal."

The sun was almost setting when he came into full view of the hacienda. He could have made a shortcut across a stubble field, but he chose to stick close to the barranca until he should come upon the rope bridge. There was no need to pause to examine it since he had often crossed the same sort of thing before. Swerving he rode straight for the eastern gate, confident his bedraggled appearance together with that of his scarecrow of a horse would protect him better than subterfuge. He was right and a few minutes later was being admitted by Van Suttart and Arnaldo since Joyce, recognizing his stocky figure while it was still afar, had decided to receive him at her leisure and against her own background.

"You're Mr. Blackadder, aren't you?" said Dirk.

"Yes," said Blackadder, dismounting heavily. "How did you know?"

"I'm from the American embassy," said Dirk. "My name is Van Suttart and this is Adan Arnaldo who happened to witness your capture. I congratulate you on your escape."

"Huh?" grunted Blackadder. "Oh, yes. What about Joyce Sewell? She's here, isn't she?"

"I'll take you to her," said Dirk, "but she thought you'd be glad of a chance for a shave and a wash first."

"I haven't a razor," grumbled Blackadder, "and nothing to change into."

"I can lend you a razor," said Dirk; "as for linen, you're too big for me, but we can fix that too if you'll put up with stuff from the hacienda store. Come along."

He led him to a room near his own, showed him the bath, provided him with shaving equipment and promised to send up an assortment of shirts and underwear from the store. Scarcity of windows insured any Spanish habitation against curiosity on the part of the outer world but knocks the props from under individual privacy. Since every apartment depends for light and ventilation on high doors opening on a central patio the price of seclusion is apt to be darkness and suffocation. On the way to do his errand Dirk saw Joyce standing expectantly in her boudoir-office-sitting room and pretended not to see her—the sort of thing he had been doing for two long days and longer nights. On his way back she intercepted him.

"Dirk, come in here, please."

"What for?" he asked blankly, then remembered he was supposed to be a diplomat. "Forgive me. Of course I'll come in."

"Quit being polite!" said Joyce sharply. "I hate it. It isn't you and you've been doing it for two days. It's spoiled our rides. It's made me unhappy. For a while you were Dirk Van Suttart, a lovable human being. But now what are you? A shell, varnish, floor wax, veneer! I dislike you."

"That goes for me," said Dirk hotly. "I dislike actresses who change their leading men but always use the same old stage set."

"So that's it," said Joyce, "that's really it! I couldn't believe it. Half my mind told me that was the matter but the other half called the first half a fool. Why shouldn't I have taken Adan to the roof? Why? What conceivable reason?"

"You're asking me what business it was of mine," said Dirk dully, "and I'll answer you. None—none at all. What it did, though, was to wake me up. I felt miserable. I thought it would pass by morning, but it didn't." He looked up at her. "I—I hate feeling miserable."

"Oh, Dirk—poor Dirk! If you could only know what happened! He covered his nose and mouth with a silk handkerchief."

"Why?" demanded Dirk, bewildered. "What for?"

"On account of the night air."

They looked at each other and their eyes began to dance. Another second and they would have burst into laughter, but unfortunately Dirk's thoughts veered into another channel. There was something he had been wanting to do for his own personal satisfaction for what already seemed a long time and while her attention was still diverted he took her chin in his left hand and studied the tip of her nose as if it had a smudge. Her startled and puzzled eyes should have warned him but somehow her half-parted lips seemed more important. He leaned over quickly but kissed them slowly.

Joyce had not imagined she would mind being kissed by Dirk, yet the light in her eyes dimmed and went out. Instead of warming she turned cold—so cold he released

her and stood back. A sense of loss oppressed her. What had happened? Suddenly she knew. He had been selfish, casual. It wasn't only that she had been taken for granted; it went deeper—so much deeper. He had destroyed something they both should have guarded.

"Dirk," she said, "some day you'll grow up and learn how foolish it is to cheapen another person. I believe people can make beauty for themselves, not out of whole cloth perhaps, but when they have a fair start. Friends are what you make them. Love is what you make it. Just now I think you yourself are too small to know what I'm talking about."

He threw up his head rebelliously and made an impulsive forward movement, but something in her steady eyes stopped him in time. He turned and walked blindly toward his room.

## CHAPTER XIII

Blackadder recoiled from his first glance in a mirror in five days. He felt grateful that young Van Suttart for saving him from showing himself to Joyce looking like a tramp. Being a stickler for daily shaving he hadn't seen his beard in years and was shocked to find it spotted with gray. He took joy in getting rid of it, in steaming in a



"I Sort of Don't Seem to Give a Tinker's Dam About My Post."

hot bath and in slipping into underwear and shirt, coarse but clean, supplied from the hacienda store. In spite of his wrinkled suit he felt in better humor than at any moment since his departure from Elsinboro. Joyce was a fool, he reflected complacently. What a chance she had missed by giving him this opportunity for recuperation! In his mind he credited her with tactical error number one.

But the moment he was shown into her presence he wondered if and where he had gone wrong. Already dressed in one of her flowered frocks, she turned in the chair at her desk but did not rise. She looked unbelievably cool—cool inside and out—as she passed slow eyes over his face and figure. Here was a man out of her past, accurately remembered, and he had not changed; yet he was distant, divided from her by a world. As for Blackadder, he beheld a person he did not know, a person he felt he might never know. He had been thinking of her as a young girl—headstrong, violent in her reactions, but young, unformed and consequently malleable. Now he stared at something as fixed as a portrait; alive yet baffling, impenetrable. Instantly his own plan of attack went into reverse with an almost audible stripping of mental gears and as an added humiliation he discovered he would have to speak first or not at all.

"Hardly what you'd call a warm welcome, Joyce."

"No," she admitted; then continued in an even tone, "Why have you come and what do you want?"

He was at a loss for an answer. That a whipper-snapper should out-face him roused his always unmanageable temper and abandoning the sensible course he had just determined upon he foolishly reverted to a prepared speech—prepared and rehearsed for days.

"You know why I'm here. You're a willful and ungrateful girl. You bit the hand that fed you—fed you for years. Your escapade has cost me time and money and caused real anguish to Irma, as fine a woman as ever drew breath. But now it's a lot more serious. You're like a child playing with matches around a keg of powder and thinking it's funny! Get this, Joyce: if you don't go back with me at once you may find yourself responsible, silly as it may sound, for thousands of deaths. For-

tunately you're still a minor. Do you hear? A minor."

"Yes, yes," said Joyce quietly, "you don't have to shout. I heard you—a minor. Well, what of it?"

"Your stepmother has appointed me your guardian and by the laws of the state of New York—" He stopped, halted by a clear laugh.

"Excuse me," said Joyce, controlling herself, "but that sounded so funny. The state of New York, Elsinboro, you, my stepmother—it's all thousands of miles and a hundred years away. There you were Mr. Blackadder, weren't you? Mr. Helm Blackadder, and a power in a small way. Well, here you're nothing. Unless you find some work to do around the place you haven't the right to eat, breathe, sleep or live."

"You talk to me like that," exploded Blackadder, "a man twice your age who—"

"Please don't shout," interrupted Joyce. "Try to realize it's only because I hate bloodshed that you weren't shot. That's easy enough to understand, but what about this? If you had been it wouldn't have affected the course of my present life in the slightest—it wouldn't even have rated an added inconvenience."

"Are you crazy?" gasped Blackadder.

"Perhaps," said Joyce, "but that isn't what matters, is it? What stands for a whole lot more than you seem able to comprehend is that I'm mistress of La Barranca."

"Anything I can do to help, Joyce?" asked Dirk, sauntering in from the balcony.

"Oh, Dirk; I'm glad you came. Do you mind showing Mr. Blackadder around for a while? I'm going to be busy until dinner time."

Blackadder, though annoyed at the interruption, promptly saw the value of a chance to sound out Van Suttart. Whose ally would he turn out to be? What was he doing here anyway? How had he got here and when? He accompanied him with alacrity, glad of a chance besides to reassemble his shaken wits, and to all his questions except the first and most important obtained ready answers. At the end of half an hour he could murmur: "So that cable of mine is really all the authority you have for being away from your post?"

"Why, yes, I guess so, yes," said Dirk, a little troubled by the tone of the statement. "I hadn't thought of it in exactly that way."

"Now that you have and that I'm here," continued Blackadder, "it sort of does away with any reason for you to continue hanging around, doesn't it?"

"Eh?" said Dirk, beginning to wake up; then he laughed. "Well, there's certainly an answer to that! The only method of departure at present happens to be ride or walk a hundred miles."

"Not necessarily," said Blackadder. "I have reason to think my driver may come to his senses and return; there's also the possibility he may have reported to the ambassador. Say I manage to get a car. Would you be inclined to help me persuade Miss Sewell to leave at once?"

"I'm not sure," said Dirk, frowning thoughtfully. "I'd have to talk to her about it first."

"That's an extraordinary stand for you to take," said Joyce.

"If you can't see it," said Blackadder, "I won't try to show you. For your own good I might point out again that your justification for absence from your post terminated with my arrival."

"I can't blame you for being puzzled, Mr. Blackadder," said Dirk slowly, "since I'm a bit that way myself. I don't know quite how it's come about but somehow I sort of don't seem to give a tinker's dam about my post."

"Splendid," said Blackadder, and promptly turned affable.

To the amazement of everyone, though he had appeared deaf to such talk as there had been, he took up a discussion where Don Jorge and Arnaldo had left off, enumerated the omissions made by each and arrived at an unanswerable conclusion astonishing to both.

Blackadder snorted, stared at him, then turned away with a shrug. Here certainly was no ally and he dismissed him from mind. But not for long. At dinner, where Blackadder sat in brooding silence, Dirk was the mainspring that kept the ball of conversation rolling. He egged Don Jorge and Arnaldo into one of their perverted political discussions, then bargained with the latter to alternate with him at playing a dance tune, Adan to go first. The challenge accepted, Dirk fairly forced Joyce to dance, but when it came his turn it developed he scarcely knew one note from another.

Joyce had been puzzled by his high spirits, in violent contrast to the gloom which had enshrouded him from the moment of the rebuke she had administered. It wasn't the kiss she had minded nor its rough-and-ready manner, not even its humiliating assumption. The truth was she had been hurt rather than angry and had spoken straight from the heart in protest against a blow struck at some vague beauty, still in the bud yet present to them both. But no sooner did he slip his arm around her to dance than his strategy throughout dinner became evident.

"This is the only way I could think of," he whispered, "to be alone with you. To tell you I'm sorry—sorry that I ever was about anything else in my life. You were quite right to say what you did. Please don't stay away from me. Please give me a chance. Please go for a ride tomorrow as though nothing had happened."

"Will you promise on your word of honor—your given word I believe you called it—never to do it again?"

"No," he said after some deliberation, "I can't honestly promise any such thing. I'm through with giving my word. All I can say is I'll do my best—my level best."

It was all Joyce could do to keep from laughing and what stopped her, strangely enough, was his sincerity—the very thing that made him comical. They rode the next morning; to Blackadder's disgust they were gone for hours. After their return came lunch and the inevitable siesta. Even then Blackadder got no chance for a further talk with Joyce, for she was busy with the myriad details tossed up as steadily as a playing fountain by a family of 500 souls. How long was this sort of thing to keep up? He could imagine himself hanging around for days without ever securing five minutes free of interruption. The dinner was an exact replica of that of the night before except that his surly abstraction was more profound—so dense it gradually spread its wet blanket over everybody else. At last Joyce surrendered, crushed into submission by a prolonged silence.

"I'm afraid you're having a miserable time, Mr. Blackadder. What can we do to cheer you up?"

Helm raised somber eyes to her face. "You know the answer to that, Joyce," he said with overwhelming simplicity. "All I ask from these gentlemen and yourself is an hour's uninterrupted talk with you."

Joyce knew when she was fairly caught. "I'm sure that can be arranged any time you like," she said, making the best of it. "Shall we say in my sitting room in half an hour?"

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## Thousands of Ideas for Inventions, but Few Get Through Patent Office

Every minute of the day in these United States, thousands of persons are having productive brainstorming, bearing now ideas in the bathtub, or chewing pencil stubs as they struggle through the final phases of their "invention." Of the hundreds of thousands of ideas produced, few of them get through the patent office, but this lot, relatively small as it is, appears large enough, judging from the rapidly filling shelves in the patent room of the Chicago public library, notes a writer in the Chicago Daily News.

Here every month are added anywhere from sixteen to twenty-one heavy volumes describing the patents issued by the United States for the last month. Each patent is numbered and described in the inventor's application by drawing and text. The idea of the patent record is to give anyone who wishes a peek at the workings of any patent that catches his fancy or upon which he might want to improve. (Patented articles usually bear the number of the license.)

**Things That Do Not Happen**  
Swans do not sing while they die; rats do not leave a ship before it sails on a fateful voyage; and persons who are dying of starvation suffer little or no discomfort after the first three days, notes a writer in Collier's Weekly.

The patents are issued at the rate of about 3,500 a month. In 1936 a total of 39,793 were issued; in 1935, 40,638; in 1934, 46,239. In 1932, when so many people were home thinking, there were 53,573 issued.

Everything is listed in the patent books. Next to a description of a scientist's new method for the recovery of hydrocyanic acid from oil products might nestle the new vegetable slicer conceived by a resident of Harrisburg; the air-cooled shoe, with a spring bellows in the heel, by an Anguilla, Mass., man; the disappearing ink specially conceived for marking laundry; a machine to slice ham thinner; or a snuggler, homier, leak-proof burial vault, the invention of a couple of Detroiters.

**Vain Regrets and Grief**  
Forgive!—the years are slipping by, and Life is all too brief—A time will come when it's too late for vain regrets and grief.

**Come Apart and Rest!**  
Even the busiest lives must have their breathing times, when the ordinary strain of effort is relaxed.

**Unconscious Benefaction**  
It may well be that the good we unconsciously do exceeds the sum of all our purposed benefactions.

## IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL Lesson

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Lesson for February 20

### CHOOSING COMPANIONS IN SERVICE

LESSON TEXT—Mark 3:7-19, 31-35. GOLDEN TEXT—For whosoever shall do the will of God, the same is my brother—Mark 3:35. PRIMARY TOPIC—Twelve Men Who Went With Jesus.

JUNIOR TOPIC—Twelve Men Who Went With Jesus. INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—Working With Others for Christ. YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—Comradeship in Christian Service.

"God can save a man who is all alone on the top of the Alps." So spoke one who sought to discourage another who wanted to give his life for Christian service. No one questions that God could thus carry on His work in sovereign power, and that there are times when He does that very thing. But ordinarily God works through men. It was "the sword of the Lord, and of Gideon" (Judges 7:18).

What a glorious, inspiring truth it is that God calls men into companionship with Him for service. Sinful and weak though they be they may become strong and holy, and do valiant service for Him.

#### I. The Need of Christian Workers (vv. 7-11).

Although the hostility to Christ was growing apace among the religious leaders, the people thronged about Him in the hope they might have deliverance from the devil and from disease. The need was so great that the Lord Jesus now prepared to call those who were to be His fellow-servants.

The multitudes are in just as desperate need of Christ and of the ministry of His church today. Why, then, do they not crowd the churches and press in around His servants? That is the question over which leaders of the church are puzzled. There may be many reasons, but we suggest two as being at least worthy of careful thought. The first is that we live in a time of apostasy. In the time of Christ men had only begun to hear His message of deliverance. In our day men have heard and heard again and have hardened their hearts.

Another reason is that in many, perhaps most, instances, the church has so far separated itself from the Lord that it has no power. Needy men are not interested in the dead observance of religious forms. They want to see the workings of the power of the Most High God!

Whether men know their need or not, whether they through our churches or not, their very need of Christ should impel us to serve the Master in reaching them. The love of Christ should constrain us.

#### II. The Call to Christian Work (vv. 12-19).

Much might be said at this point but we must limit ourselves to two thoughts. Note that the Lord chooses his own workers; we do not choose to work for Him. Then he encouraged by the fact that He chose men of widely differing gifts, temperaments, and personal characteristics.

Then we note that He called some of unusual ability, others with little ability; some learned, and some unlearned—fishermen, a tax-gatherer, and others of various occupations. Note that none were by profession preachers. What a comfort it is to those who are in Christian work to remember that it is not what we are or may have been that counts; it is what Christ is and what he can do through us!

#### III. Preparation for Christian Work (vv. 31-35).

God has many ways to prepare His servants—but it seems that they all experience the heart-breaking disappointment of misunderstanding and the heart-warming joy of intimate fellowship with the Lord.

Look at verse 21 and you will realize that the family and friends of Jesus thought He was crazy because He devoted Himself so wholeheartedly to the service of His Father. Is it not strange that if a man becomes a scientist he is honored if he ruins his health in zealous research? If he is a business man he may burn the lights late in the pursuit of wealth, but if he chooses to give his life to the greatest of all occupations open to man—service for Christ—his friends and relatives try to deter him by calling him a fanatic.

Beautiful beyond words is the other side of our picture. Those who serve Him are "to be with Him" (v. 14). He sends them forth to preach, and gives them power. Yes, they even become the members of the most intimate family circle. "Behold . . . my brethren" (v. 34).

## Can Spring Be Far Away?



WITH Winter almost over, March blizzards to the contrary notwithstanding, you find yourself eyeing the fashion sheets a little more than casually. Indeed you probably already have your needle threaded, just waiting for some nice Spring patterns to make your acquaintance. And here they are.

#### Fitted Bodice.

Look your Sunday best in this graceful afternoon frock with its snug and softly shirred waistline. The skirt flares slightly to the front and emphasizes the slimness of the silhouette. Note the saddle shoulder and short, puffed sleeves—details that are unusually before and make for distinction. One of the new widely spaced flower patterns in rayon or silk will make your informal afternoons and evening a double delight, and the pattern is a particular joy to work with. So simple, and so pleasing.

#### Trim Morning Frock.

Don't be caught around the house without your best foot forward. You needn't be, with this crisp and flattering morning frock at your beck and call. Simple as pie, yet charming fresh and youthful, this model dispenses with all fussy details yet achieves an appearance which will see you through the busiest day. The skirt flares a bit from a neatly fitted waistline, and the ric-rac trim, in contrast, adds a note of brightness. Just nine pieces including the belt and pockets. Try dotted swiss or a printed percale.

#### For the Full Figure.

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## Uncle Phil Says:

**Want to Be Themselves**  
Few envy another man; they envy his circumstances.

One must sometimes confess malice toward the mean. The panoply of modern warfare does not include honor or humanity.

It is in regarding a woman's "no" lightly that men often make themselves ridiculous.

**The Liking Is Vital**  
A child learns good manners by seeing good manners and liking them when he sees them.

By the time one is making money enough to enjoy life, he enjoys making money more than anything else.

People who insist on "living their own life," are likely to impose on the lives of others.

A boy's best friend is his mother—unless she spoils him.

# TIPS to Gardeners

## The First Step

THE first step toward a successful garden is an early start. Spade or plow as soon as possible. If a handful of soil gripped firmly can be crumbled readily upon release, the soil is in condition to be worked.

It is important that fertilizer be used cautiously, advises Harold Coulter, vegetable expert of the Ferry Seed Institute. An excess is often harmful, particularly in growing fruits, such as tomatoes, cucumbers and peppers.

Garden preparation effort is wasted if you do not plant seeds from dependable sources. Select your favorite varieties from the nearby store before the supply is depleted, even though it is not yet time to plant. Make sure the seeds you buy are freshly packed.

Weather conditions permitting, it is advisable to spade into the soil some rotted manure, rotted leaves or lawn clippings, or rotted garden refuse. Clay soils are improved in texture by this treatment, and sandy soils are improved in water holding capacity.

## The Drawbacks

"Dear Mrs. Pucket," a school teacher wrote to the mother of a pupil, "William was absent this morning. Will you please tell me what kept him out of school?"

"Dear Ma'am," was the reply. "William is keeping time for his father. Last night he cum home with an example about how long would it take a man walking 3 miles an hour to walk two and a half times around a field 4 miles square. And as Willie ain't no man, we had to send his pap."

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## Shadows

Every flower, even the fairest, has its shadow beneath it as it swings in the sunlight.—Anon.

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## DOAN'S PILLS

## WHO'S NEWS THIS WEEK...

By Lemuel F. Parton

NEW YORK.—Many a good news yarn has been spoiled by the necessity of "getting the story in the lead," as they say in the newspaper shops. This reporter asks indulgence for saving the kick in this one for the end, noting merely that it is a happy ending. In recent years, there have been so many unhappy fade-outs, from Sam Langford to the League of Nations, that anything in the line of an unexpected Garrison finish rates a bit of suspense before the news pay-off.

## Story That Has Kick at the End

In Maxwell street, Chicago, long before the fragrance of Bubby creek ebbed and sank and saddened, there was a book-stall which was the Jewish Algonquin of those parts. The place was overrun with philosophers, some white-bearded and highly venerated, some young and contentious, all stirred by a feverish intellectual zeal. They wolfed new books and started clamorous arguments about them, the way the crowds at the big pool hall down the street grabbed the box scores in the late sporting extras. Sweatshop workers used to throng in after a hard day's work and get in on the seminar.

Wrinkled, merry, mischievous little Abraham Bisno from Russia was the Erasmus of the sweatshop philosophers.

He used to circulate a lot around this and other Maxwell street bookshops, and many times the state of Illinois was saved the expense of calling out the militia because Bisno happened along to referee an argument.

He was a sweatshop worker, a man of amazing erudition, but of salty, colloquial speech, never enmeshed in the tangle of print language around him. He used to tease his friend, Jane Addams, of nearby Hull house, by calling her settlement workers "the paid neighbors of the poor." He liked to deflate the Utopians, boiling things down to Gresham's law of money, the law of diminishing returns, weighted averages or something like that. He was the first of a multitude of sweatshop economists who spread light and learning through Chicago's Ghetto.

## Erasmus of Sweatshops Makes Peace

Bisno had a bright-eyed, clever little daughter named Beatrice, one of several children. Old sages, up and down Maxwell street, used to say the world would hear from Beatrice some day. But the world went to war, regardless of Sir Norman Angell and all the other philosophers, and the Bisnos passed beyond the ken of this writer.

## The Bisnos Pass Beyond Our Ken

About twelve years ago, I had a visit from Francis Oppenheimer, a New York journalist. Beatrice Bisno was his wife. She was going to write a book, and did I know of a quiet hide-out where she could write it? I sent them to the old Hotel Helvetia, No. 23 Rue de Tournon, in Paris. She sat in the nearby Luxembourg garden and wrote her book.

They came home and the book made endless round trips to publishers' offices. The smash of 1929 took the last of their savings. Today I had a letter from Francis Oppenheimer.

"We finally threw the book in an old clothes basket," he said. "Then, acting on impulse, we used our dinner money to give it one more ride. Weeks passed. Beatrice fell ill. There came a letter from Live-right, the publisher. I knew it was another rejection and didn't want to show it to Beatrice. But I tore open the envelope and handed it to her. Her eyes were glazed. She could not read the letter. It slipped from her fingers and fell to the floor."

And in the same mail today, there came to this desk a copy of the new book, "Tomorrow's Bread," by Beatrice Bisno, winning the \$2,500 prize award, the judges being Dorothy Canfield Fisher and Fannie Hurst. That was the news that Mr. Oppenheimer picked up from the floor when his wife was too ill to read it.

Dorothy Canfield Fisher says of the book: "A searchingly realistic portrait of an idealist. What an idealist does to the world and what the world does to an idealist is here set down with power and sincerity."

Wimsome little Bisno is gone. One wishes he could be carrying the news down to the old Maxwell street book stall, if it's still there.

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## Where Yale Is Buried

All round the Welsh village of Bryn-Eglwys, writes H. V. Morton in "In Search of Wales," lies property which once belonged to the Yale family, one of whom, Elihu, did so much toward founding Yale university. Elihu lies buried, however, not in the Yale chapel attached to the church of Bryn-Eglwys, but at Wrexham, 10 miles away.

## Now's the Time for a New Silk Print

By CHERIE NICHOLAS



UP TO the present you may have held to the "nothing-new-under-the-sun" theory, but have you seen the advance collections of 1938 silk prints? New! They all but shatter into atoms the "nothing new" idea. So "different" are this season's prints from those that have gone before, one marvels at the magic art of designers who can achieve such refreshing newness in both patternings and color effects.

Speaking of the new-this-season prints, picture to yourself a silk with graceful wavy stripes with a wide floral bordering of gorgeous red roses and violets and daisies and green foliage. Imagine the possibilities a silk of this type offers. We saw just such a print made up simply in a frock, the gay floral bordering used for short puff sleeves and for a wide corselet girde, contrasting smartly the neutral colored stripes—charming to wear under your fur coat instantly!

Stripes, by the way, are playing a tremendously important role in current prints. For that matter they are running rampant throughout the entire program of fashion. There's a newness in the way stripes are made to go round and round this season although any which-way is all right for stripes nowadays—up, down, around, diagonal seamed together at right angles, play with stripes at your own sweet will and you will be "in style." See the smart daytime dress to the right in the picture. It is typical of the new stripe trends. The silk print used is patterned with bayadere stripes alternating a chain-design stripe in cathedral colors on a black background. Note the hat. It is modeled after the much-talked-about "M" hat Agnes created for Marlene Dietrich.

The distinctively new half-in-half treatment given to the print plus black crepe dress to the left is interesting. Here you see a beige and

white lacy print on black ground meandering down into the hemline where it is gracefully applied in long slender points on to a black silk canton crepe hem. The wateau neckline is set off with rhinestone and amber clips. The hat worn is a modish black straw Irish stovepipe type, trimmed with beige grosgrain bow.

The mention of beige reminds us to tell you that fashion is making a big splurge over the new cereal shades stressing particularly wheat colors and cornflake tones, all of which relate to the beige family.

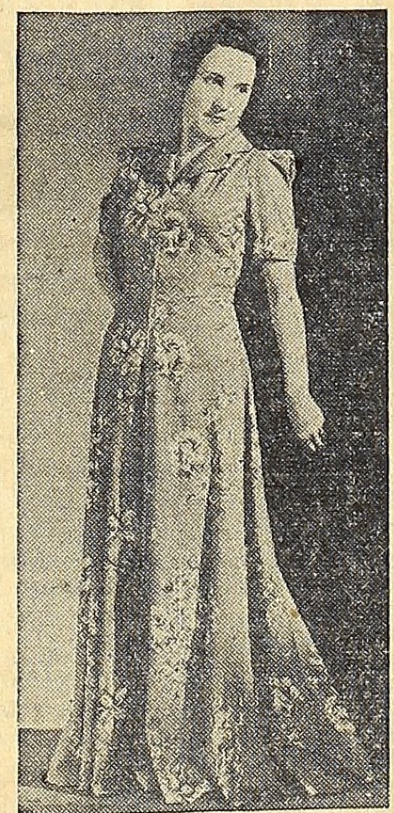
Another color innovation in prints is the black and white combination that is enlivened with a single color accent. A silk print of this description fashions the dress centered in the group. It is a black and white floral with a one-color lattice design traced throughout. The silk crepe belt picks up the tomato red color in the lattice print. The black high-side-roll brim hat is a stunning affair, that gives you an inkling of that which is to be during the coming months.

Here's a style message to write down in your notebook and underscore. It's in regard to the effective teamwork prints and pleats are carrying on in the spring style parade. You can't turn around in fashiondom this season without hearing the call for pleats, pleats, and "then some" in the way of added pleatings. If you are making your own print frock you might get the skirt pleated or if it is a ready-made dress you are buying ask to see pleated models. They are being shown in infinite variety and they carry an air of newness about them that bespeaks this season's vintage.

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## YOUR HOUSE COAT

By CHERIE NICHOLAS



What about your housecoat? Does it give you glamor and allure? Does it add to the picture of your home environs? Merely a few of the questions you should ask yourself when selecting the garment that should make you appear at your most attractive during the hours spent at home. The new models in housecoats have completely won over the American woman to this charming fashion. The Fashioncraft committee, a group of style experts, have given their approval to the attractive model created by Henry Hadad as here illustrated. Floral cotton tapestry twill is fitted through the bodice and waist, flaring widely at the skirt. The shoulders are pleated, the collar notched and a zipper closes the front.

## LATEST HATS GO TO EXTREMES IN TYPES

By CHERIE NICHOLAS

You may wear a very small hat or one big of brim and be in fashion. Many of the new chapeaux tip coquettishly over one eye, especially those of Watteau inspiration and the Gibson Girl sailors. Then there are roll-high brims which are designed to wear far back on the head. Bonnets, so fashionable just now, also set back so that the brim reveals the hairline across the forehead. Pill-box types are also good style. There is also a tendency for brims with high side flare.

Milliners are using more flowers and ribbons than usual. Bandeau effects are sponsored because of high pose on high-brushed hair-dress.

The smartest hat to start the new season is the sports felt in pastel color. Veils in pastel color is also big news.

## Suspenders Are Adopted by Women for Slacks, Shorts

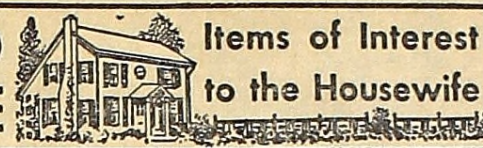
Suspenders are the latest item of men's attire to be confiscated by the women. Half of the slacks and many of the shorts being worn at the winter resorts are equipped with suspenders. Some of these braces are exactly like the ones that men prefer, others match the fabric of the costume.

White faille silk braces are among the swankiest to be offered for beach wear and invariably accompany slacks of white sharkskin.

## Evening Gowns Are Shown in Two Silhouette Modes

Evening gowns are shown in both romantic and tubular silhouettes. A romantic gown of tulle combines green and purple effectively, while another of black mousseline de soie is cut full over a tubular foundation skirt. It is of redingote design, the opening edged with black sequins.

## AROUND the HOUSE



Items of Interest to the Housewife

**Basting Velvet Dress.**—Silk thread should be used for basting velvet dresses to avoid marking.

**Cutting Fruit Cake.**—To prevent fruit cake from crumbling while slicing, dip the knife into warm water frequently.

**Washing Chamois Skins.**—Chamois skins used for cleaning windows, silverware and the like, should be washed in warm water and soap, then dried slowly in the open air, but never in the sun or over heat.

**Croutons for Soups.**—Cut slices of dry bread one-half inch thick, spread with butter and cut into one-half inch cubes, put them in a shallow pan and bake in a moderate oven about 10 minutes or till golden brown, turning often to brown all sides.

**Beat Whites of Eggs Once.**—After the whites of eggs have been beaten do not beat again when

adding to cake mixture. If beaten a second time the air that has already been beaten into eggs in order to make cake light will be beaten out. Fold beaten egg whites in.

**Sardine Salad.**—One tin sardines, one lettuce, one lemon, parsley, french dressing. Cut sardines in half inch lengths, arrange on bed of lettuce. Garnish with lemon, parsley, serve with french dressing.

**Tip for Good Posture.**—While walking, swing the legs from the hips and imagine you are walking down hill with arms and shoulders relaxed.

**Cheese in Soup.**—A piece of cheese the size of a walnut added to potato or onion soup gives it a rich creamy taste.

**Cover Apples.**—Apples, either baked or as applesauce, have a better flavor when cooked in a covered rather than an uncovered container.

**Scenting Linens.**—Persons who use scented soaps and like scented linens can obtain the latter simply by storing the unwrapped soap in the linen drawer or closet.

## Favorite Recipe of the Week

For Washington's Birthday.

FEBRUARY 22 would not be completely celebrated if cherries were not featured in some way during the day. It is true that the story of the cherry tree and George Washington is more closely connected in the memory of many of us than his great prowess as the Father of our Country. We seem to take for granted his ability as a leader and talk about the cherry tree episode of his youth.

This recipe for cherry pie is made to use the entire contents of a No. 2 can of cherries, which holds 2½ cupsful.

## Cherry Pie.

1 No. 2 can Bitted 2 tablespoons corn-  
Red Sour Cherries starch  
6 tablespoons sugar 1½ teaspoon salt  
1 tablespoon butter

Line an 8-inch pie pan with pastry. Drain the cherries from the juice and place them in the pastry shell. Mix together sugar, cornstarch and salt and sprinkle over the cherries. Pour on the juice; dot with butter and cover with a thin top crust or with strips of pastry. Bake in a hot oven (475 degrees) for 12 minutes; reduce temperature to 425 degrees and continue baking for 45 minutes.

MARJORIE H. BLACK.

## Strange Facts

Flyers or Gliders?

"WHERE the flying fishes play" may mean anywhere in the tropical and subtropical waters as well as in the Indian ocean as Kipling implied. In eluding their enemies, the tuna and the shark, these curiously favored silvery fish rise free of the water and glide through the air as far as several hundred yards, touching the crests of waves now and then to wet their fins.

While their pectoral fins are large and wing-shaped, and their tail fin extends downward in a long lobe, it has been difficult to determine whether flying fish actually use their wings to propel themselves or whether these appendages remain stationary, serving the same purpose as the wings of an airplane. It is known, however, that their tails supply the force that pushes their bodies out of the water, and it is possible that the momentum thus gained enables them to glide.

Of the various known species, the Catalina flying fish, found off the coast of southern California, is the largest. These are sometimes 18 inches in length, and are caught in large quantities for food. The sharp-nosed species appears off both coasts of tropical and sub-tropical America. In South America, there is a river fish which skims along the surface of the water like a racing boat and then rises to a short flight.

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## ASK ME ANOTHER

A Quiz With Answers Offering Information on Various Subjects

1. What representation does Alaska have in the United States congress?
2. What is the zenith in the astronomical sense?
3. The following was the slogan of what emperor: "If it is possible, it can be done; if it is impossible, it must be done"?
4. How are faith, hope and charity symbolized in art?
5. Until 1752 with what month did the year begin in Great Britain and America?
6. How is snow obtained for ski jumping in Madison Square Garden?
7. How much does the atmosphere weigh?
8. Were Nelly Custis and her brother adopted by George Washington?

9. cross, hope the anchor and charity the heart.
10. 5. March.
11. Ice-making machines turn out ice at the rate of 12 tons an hour. This is shaved by machinery into snow.
12. The atmosphere weighs 15 pounds to the square inch at sea level.
13. 8. Both were adopted by Gen. and Mrs. Washington, although they retained the Custis family name.

## Mistake-O-Graph Answers

1. There are no letters on the desk, contrary to the man's statement.
2. One of his coat lapels is turned the wrong way.
3. Phone is not connected.
4. Pencil sharpener has no handle.
5. No hands on desk clock.
6. Lamp is lit, but not connected.
7. Calendar on wall is out of date and numbers are in incorrect order.
8. Bookkeeper's stool does not reach floor.
9. Tacks on seat of chair.
10. Penholder lacks a point.
11. Dollar bills in waste basket.
12. Desk faces wrong way.
13. Handles on drawers are unlike.
14. Desk legs are different.
15. Statue labeled "Lincoln" is not Lincoln.

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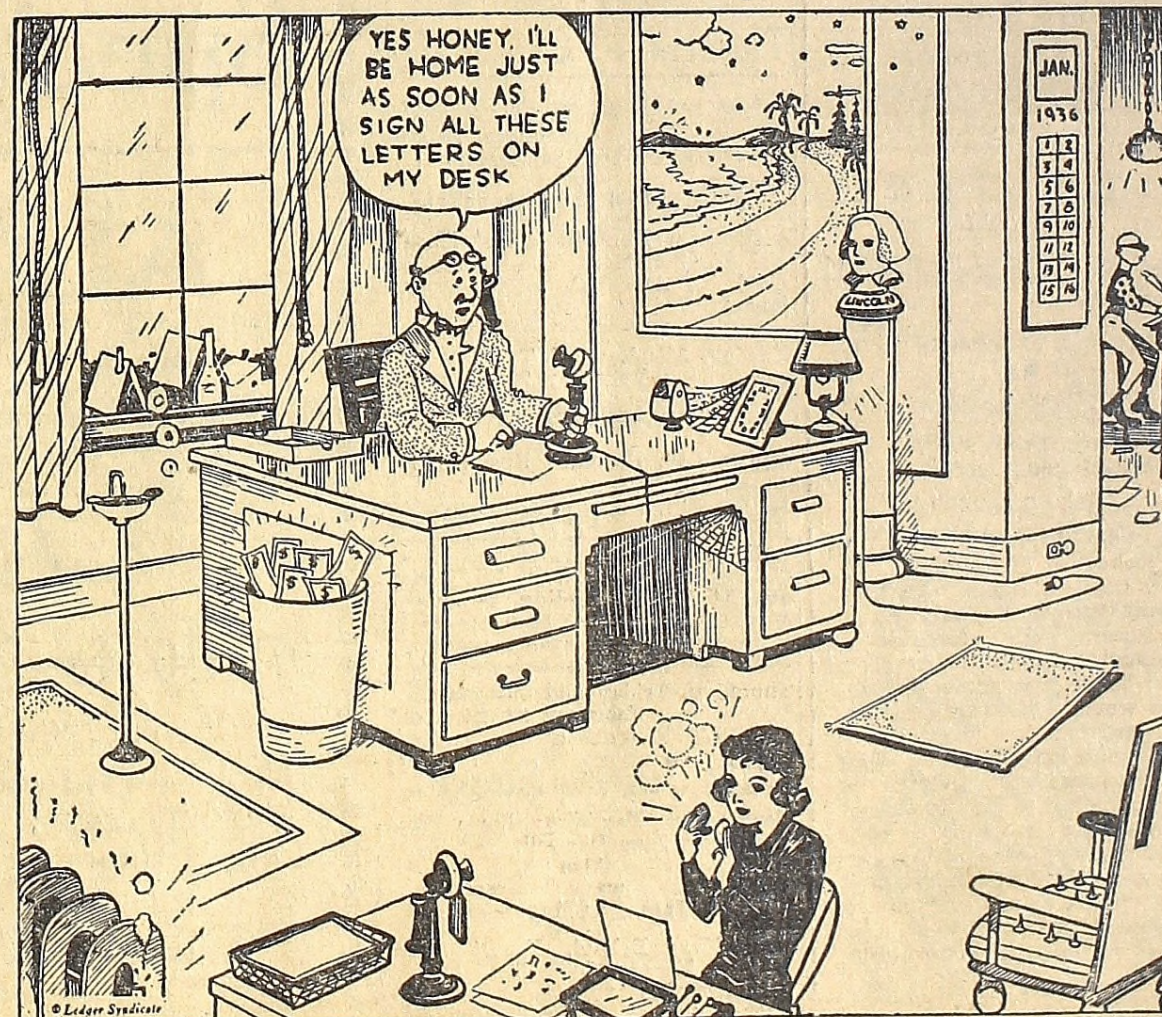
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## Mistake-O-Graph



This week finds our aspiring artist in the marts of trade, having made his way into the office of one of our captains of industry. Here are his impressions, taken down rather hastily, it seems. There are fifteen mistakes in all. Can you find them? Answers will be found above.

**Rare Dimes**  
It is reported that only twenty-four dimes of a certain type were minted by the United States in 1894, making them extremely rare.

**We Cannot Choose**  
"We cannot choose," said Hi Ho, the sage of Chinatown, "whether we shall be of those who row tirelessly against the current or those who drift at ease."

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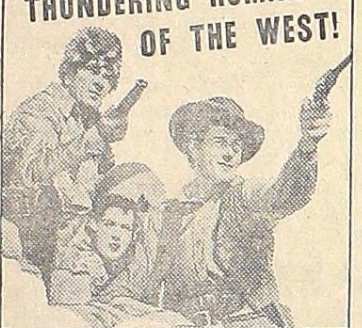
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A Columbia Picture

Thursday, Friday and Saturday

February 24, 25 and 26

DOUBLE FEATURE

"The Jury's Secret"

Kent Taylor, Fay Wray, Larv Blake,

Nan Grey, Jane Darwell.

Also

"Mama Runs Wild"

with Mary Boland, Ernest Truex,

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Mama makes rhythm while Papa

washes dishes!... in the snappiest,

most hilarious comedy drama of the

year.

## School Notes

### High School

The Seniors were measured for caps and gowns Monday. These garments will be rented this year of the Inter-Collegiate Press Company, Kansas City, Missouri.

The Freshmen's Citizenship class is still studying safety in automobile driving. It is now using as a text, "We Drivers," a pamphlet published by General Motors.

The most important of all the speech contests, the preliminaries, in which all members of the classes participate, will be held soon. On Friday afternoon, February 18, the Sophomores will say their declamations. Three will be chosen from sixteen contestants to represent their class in the local contest which will be held sometime in March.

Because of the large number of orations, the class has been divided into two groups, one of which will speak on Thursday afternoon, February 24, and one on Friday afternoon, February 25. Two will be chosen from each group to compete in the local contest.

The net proceeds of the pancake supper given by the Junior class Friday evening amounted to \$24.05. Plans are under way for a St. Patrick's tea to be given by the same class. The committee in charge are arranging a fine program.

**Fifth and Sixth Grades...**  
Mary Ann Rempert and Ernest Mueller visited our room Monday afternoon.

Our room won the P.T. A. award. This is the first time we have had the picture in our room this year.

We had a Valentine party Monday afternoon.

The following people have penmanship papers on the bulletin board: Hugo Wegner, Howard Scholtz, Harry Rollin, Willard Musolf, Henry Brown, Evelyn Colby, Junior Ogden, and Rosalie Groff.

Jim Prescott is absent because of illness.

The sixth grade arithmetic class has begun to study percentage.

The fifth grade are planning a party for the sixth grade. The fifth grade lost in the attendance contest for the first semester.

**Third and Fourth Grades**

We enjoyed our valentine party Monday afternoon. Visitors were Donald Lansky, Nelson Ulman, and Joan Goedecke.

Billy Hynes moved to Detroit last week.

We had arithmetic and spelling contests last Friday. Ruth Ulfan won in arithmetic and Beverly Bigelow in spelling.

**Primary**

We had our valentine party Monday afternoon. The Brownies read a story; we ate apples and suckers, and we had our valentines from a small post office.

We have also learned some things about a post office, mail and addressing letters.

Our attendance has been low this week because so many have rolls. Mrs. Giddings visited our room Tuesday afternoon.

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Sunday, Monday and Tuesday

February 20, 21 and 22

"Man-Proof"

Myrna Loy, Rosalind Russell, Franchot Tone.

NUFF SAID! You must see this one!

Elected Queen of the Screen! In the nation-wide vote conducted by the Chicago Tribune, N. Y. Daily News and 54 leading newspapers, Myrna Loy has just been chosen No. 1 Feminine Star of the Screen!

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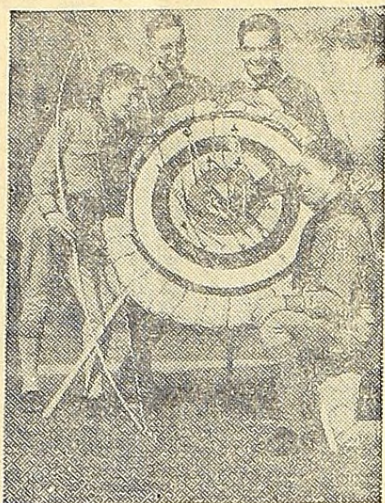
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## Boy Scouts of America Mark 28th Birthday...



Archery is one of the many activities commanding Scouts' attention. But the important 1938 Boy Scout theme will be safety, endeavoring to cut America's 40,000-death traffic toll of 1937. National Scout headquarters is preparing stage and radio sketches, posters and miscellaneous material to aid the drive.



During Boy Scout week exhibitions spring up in stores, windows and sidewalks as America's youth demonstrates what it knows and can do. In this picture a group of Scouts are studying aviation, always a popular subject.

### Languages

The languages of the world, according to origin, history and family, are placed in the following great groups: (1) Indo-European languages (including Teutonic, Slavonic, Celtic, Iranian, and Indian languages); (2) Sino-Tibetan languages; (3) Caucasian languages; (4) Malay-Indonesian; (5) the unclassified or isolated languages; (6) Japanese-Korean languages; (7) Semitic; (8) Bantu languages; (9) languages of the interior of Africa; (10) Dravidian; (11) American Indian. There is another group called "unclassified languages."

### Need for Road Courtesy

Road courtesy is declared to be one of the fundamental factors of highway safety.

**Successful Efforts**  
Efforts are always successes. It is a greater thing to try without succeeding than to succeed without trying.

**Small Evergreen Important**  
Arnoito (Bixa orellana) is a small tropical American evergreen tree of the bixa, or Indian plum, family. The seed coverings yield the well-known yellowish red dye arnoito, used for coloring butter, cheese, lacquers, varnishes, ointments and plasters. The tree is also called arnatto, annatto and anatto.

**Flickers Eat Insects**  
Flickers feed almost entirely on grasshoppers and ants, the latter being their favorite food. The mother birds pick up hundreds of ants and feed them to the fledglings by regurgitation. The golden-winged woodpecker, or flicker, is indigenous to North America.

### Cinquecento

Cinquecento is a term used to describe that period of the Italian Renaissance between 1500 and 1600. It is applied particularly to the artistic styles prevalent at that time, and especially to the classicism of the high Renaissance.

## RIVOLA THEATRE

Friday and Saturday

February 18 and 19

Pat O'Brien

George Brent

Wayne Morris

"Submarine D-1"

And

Novelty

Sun., Mon. and Tue.

February 20, 21 and 22

Joan Crawford

Spencer Tracy

— in —

"Mannequin"

And

Color Cartoon

Latest News Events

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February 23 and 24

Frank Morgan

Florence Rice

John Beal

— in —

"Beg, Borrow or Steal"

also

GENE AUTRY

"The Phantom Empire"

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## STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Probate Court for the County of Iosco.

At a session of said court, held at the probate office, in the city of Tawas City in said county on the 14th day of February, A. D. 1938.

Present: Honorable David Davison, Judge of probate.

In the matter of the estate of Emory A. Germain, deceased.  
N. C. Hartingh, as attorney, having filed his petition, praying that an instrument filed in said court be admitted to probate as the last will and testament of said deceased and that administration of said estate be granted to him or some other suitable person.

It is ordered, That the 12th day of March, A. D. 1938, at ten A. M. at said probate office is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks, previous to said day of hearing, in the Tawas Herald a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

DAVID DAVISON,  
Judge of Probate.

Dorothy M. McKenze,  
Register of Probate.

A true copy.

### Chinese Jews

The only known Chinese Jews have lived in Kailung, China, since 1163 A. D. For several hundred years, they kept their colony apart from the Chinese. Today, however, after numerous generations of intermarriage, the few who are left have almost entirely lost their original racial characteristics. — *Callier's Weekly*.

### Dream of Horace Greeley

Summit City projected north of the original site of Akron, Ohio, was hoped to be made by ambitious men the Lowell of the west in view of its water power. Even such an influential man as Horace Greeley sought to make this dream come true but it was all in vain. Its site is now within the present boundaries of Akron.

### Vieux Carre of New Orleans

The Vieux Carre of New Orleans is that section of the town whose limits correspond with those of the original city as laid out by La Tour and Panger in 1720. It was destroyed by fires in 1788 and 1794, and rebuilt mainly in the Spanish style.

**Swordfish Fast Swimmer**  
A fully developed swordfish is probably the fastest swimming creature in the world, says a writer in *Natural History*.

**Wettest Spot in North America**  
Henderson lake, situated on the west coast of Vancouver Island, 90 miles northwest of Victoria, is famed as the wettest spot in North America.

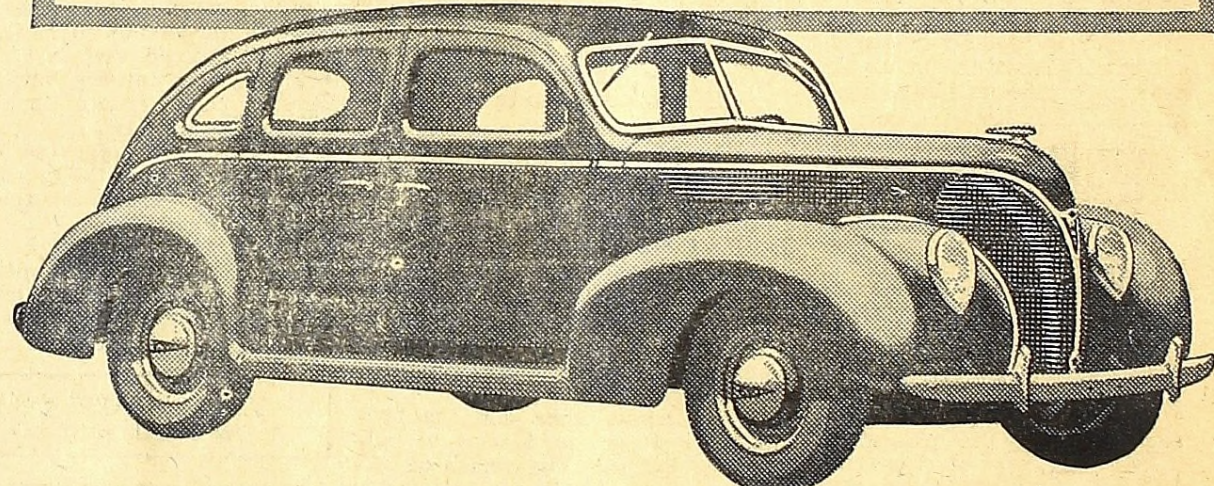


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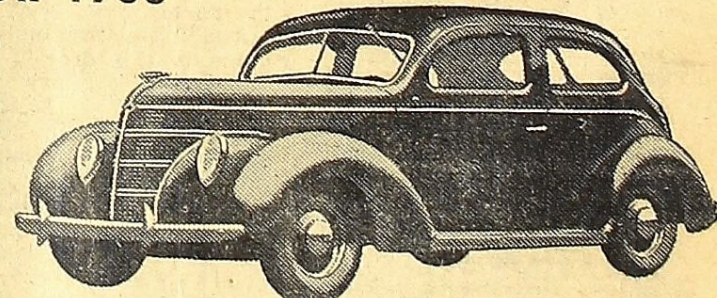


## NEW DE LUXE FORD V-8

Ford gives you something really new in the De Luxe Ford V-8 that makes its bow to the motoring world this year. Back of it is a line of more than 26,000,000 Ford cars, honestly built. Ahead of it is a new public appreciation of performance and beauty in the low-price field! It sets a new high — an 85-horsepower high! The biggest and roomiest Ford V-8 ever built, offered in eight body types.

### TWO FORD CARS FOR 1938

In addition to the De Luxe Ford, there's another outstanding Ford car for 1938 — the Standard Ford V-8. The two cars have many features in common, such as the 112-inch wheelbase chassis with its high quality of materials and workmanship. The Standard Ford V-8 offers a choice of V-8 engine sizes — 85 horsepower or 60 horsepower. Introduced last year, the thrifty "60" broke records for economical operation! (Many owners reported from 22 to 27 miles a gallon.) See your Ford dealer.



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