

WILL VOTE ON AUDITORIUM NEXT THURSDAY

TAWAS CITY

DIST.'S SHARE OF BUILDING COST \$18,000

Proposed Structure Will be Fine Improvement To City

Next Thursday Tawas City, and that portion of Tawas township which comprises School Dist. No. 7, fractional, will vote on a proposal to bond the district for \$18,000. This money would be used as the sponsor's share in building an auditorium and gymnasium. If this issue carries the community will have a fine structure adjacent to the present school building which not only will be useful for the activities of the several schools of the city, but will fill a need in providing a place for our various civic and social activities as well. The total cost of the building as estimated by the Francis Engineering company is \$28,000.00. The project has been approved by the Federal government and \$10,000.00 will be furnished from WPA funds.

From the standpoint of our schools, we have always needed an auditorium and gymnasium. The lack has caused a curtailment in public speaking, dramatics, band practice and band concerts, physical training, basketball and athletics, and the many social activities of an up-to-date school. The building will also furnish extra class rooms for domestic science manual training and other subjects which have been neglected because of a lack of room in our present school building. All of these are important in that they will give our boys and girls a broader and more useful knowledge and help keep up their interest in education.

As a community building, the auditorium will be of great value to our city. Numerous times during a year we have needed it. Within a short time we shall be putting on our Parish Festival. Many events in the program essential to the success of the festival require an auditorium. In former years we have used a garage, a dance hall, and our neighboring city's community building. With an auditorium of our own we can make the event more entertaining and successful than ever.

For at least 25 years the citizens of the city have keenly felt the need of a suitable community building. Over nearly everyone's lips some time or other has passed the words, "Now, if we only had an auditorium!" At every opportunity during those years we have talked about an auditorium, held public meetings to discuss it, and studied how we could finance and build it. The long sought auditorium is now within our reach. Let us grasp it. Next Thursday vote "Yes" on both ballots and you will have done your part toward securing an important improvement for the community.

Scarlet Fever Rampant In Burleigh Schools

There have been approximately 25 cases of scarlet fever reported in Burleigh township, Isosco county within the past two weeks. The disease has spread rapidly and cases of illness have not been reported to the officials as is necessary for control of the disease.

Miss Bernice Klumb, county nurse, has taken throat cultures in one of the school districts, and has isolated children with positive throat cultures. This procedure has evoked criticism from parents. However, there are laws governing the control of contagious disease and it is the duty of the parent as well as that of the health department and family physician to obey these laws.

If there is a suspicion of a contagious disease, and the parent does not wish to call in the family physician, will he kindly notify the teacher or local health officer so that an investigation may be made and a possible epidemic avoided?

Scarlet fever is a serious disease and very contagious. It requires medical care. Scarlet fever is caused by a germ called streptococcus, which invades the throat. Scarletina is often used in referring to a mild form of scarlet fever, but in reality it is a misnomer and is not used by the medical profession. The disease some people call scarletina is true scarlet fever and the rules of contagious control apply to it just as they do to scarlet fever. A mild case may produce in turn a very severe case. Therefore strict isolation of even a mild case should be enforced. From mild case may receive a heart injury, deafness, kidney disease or other permanent defect.

The public is asked to cooperate with health authorities when a contagious disease is suspected. This is the only way that epidemics may be controlled.

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The Folks Who Ought to Be in History



Joseph Rapp

On Wednesday of last week our community was shocked to learn of the death of Joseph Rapp at the Marine Hospital in Detroit where he had been for about six weeks receiving medical attention.

Joseph Rapp was born in Tawas township September 21, 1892, and died January 18, 1939, at the age of 46 years.

On January 23, 1918 he was united in holy wedlock with Hattie Allen. To this union eight children were born, two daughters having preceded their father in death, leaving his widow, Hattie, and six children: DeLois, Virginia, Kenneth, Vera, Wilfred and Billy, all living at the farm home where Mr. Rapp was born. He also leaves five sisters and two brothers, Julia Youngs, Mary Gates, Josie Youngs, Anna Force, Emma Kessler, John Rapp and William Rapp, besides a number of cousins, nephews and nieces to mourn his untimely death.

The deceased was a world war veteran having received an honorable discharge in January, 1919. He was an honorable and upright citizen who had many friends, as was evidenced by the large number of friends and neighbors in attendance at his funeral, which was held from the home of his sister, Mrs. Ed. Youngs, in Grant township.

Relatives from out of town who attended the funeral were: Mr. and Mrs. Frank Allen, Clarence Gates, Lucille Gates and Mrs. Helen Simonson, all of Royal Oak; Mr. and Mrs. Lee Force and son Jimmie, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gates, of Detroit; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kessler, and Carl and Orville Youngs, of Flint; and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Neuman, of Standish. Services were held from St. Joseph's Church, East Tawas, with Rev. R. Neuman officiating. Interment in Tawas City cemetery.

To his family, friends and neighbors alike extend their heartfelt sympathy in this sad hour of bereavement.

Twentieth Century Club

The Twentieth Century Club held their annual Gentlemen's Night Wednesday evening at the Lakeside Lodge with 60 members and guests present.

After a splendid banquet served by Mr. and Mrs. Carr, the evening's program was presented. The high school girls' trio sang three numbers, "The Musical Alphabet," "I Passed By Your Window," and "Slumber Song," accompanied by Marguerite McLean.

Mrs. Grace Miller presided as toastmaster. Mrs. J. Atlee Mark, president of the club, gave the address of welcome with A. E. Giddings responding for the gentlemen. Judge Herman Dehnke was the principal speaker and gave a fine address on "Citizenship."

The gratitude of the entire club was expressed to those contributing to such a splendid evening's entertainment and to Mr. and Mrs. Carr for their gracious hospitality.

KEISER WILL HEAD FESTIVAL COMMITTEE

C. of C. Endorses Proposed School Auditorium Project

At the banquet and meeting held Monday evening at the Lakeside Lodge, the Tawas City Chamber of Commerce with a standing vote of its members, endorsed the Auditorium and Gymnasium project without a dissenting vote. The meeting held Monday evening had a very fine attendance, more than 60 men and women were present. It was the first of a series of such meetings which will be held during the winter and spring.

Following an excellent dinner prepared by Mr. and Mrs. Joe Carr, the regular meeting of the Chamber of Commerce was called to order by Carl Babcock, president. The meeting was then turned over to Charles L. McLean, president of the board of the proposed school auditorium and gymnasium. Mr. McLean said that an auditorium for Tawas City had been under consideration for the past 25 years. That its necessity became very apparent to the people of the city during the past year, and the city council had considered such a building as a city project. Finding after serious study of the subject that the city government was pretty well tied up with the water and sewer projects, the proposal was turned over to the board of education to see what they could do about it. After several months of work the present proposal was evolved by the board.

Mr. McLean then introduced the principal speakers of the evening, two high school students—John King, Jr., and Harold Ross—who presented the subject in a very creditable manner. John gave a very fine description of the building and its uses. Harold told of the value of an auditorium to the school and the community. He said that while the Board of Education had been working hard for it during the past few months, the students had been working for it for years.

After the two young men had spoken the meeting was turned over for a general discussion of the subject, and an enthusiastic endorsement was given the proposal, for it was the opinion of the men and women present that Tawas City needed an auditorium and that this was the time to get it.

Following the discussion of the auditorium the president called for (Turn to No. 1, back page)

Card of Thanks

To our good friends, neighbors and acquaintances:
It is difficult to express to you our many thanks for the assistance you have given in helping to complete our house. Coming at a time when our burden was the heaviest makes us more appreciative than ever. Our sincere thanks.
Mrs. Hattie Rapp, and children.

Whittemore Businessmen Postpone Free Dance

Alma Moeller "Snow Queen of Northland"

Alma Moeller, representing Tawas City at the Alpena Snow Carnival Thursday, was chosen "Queen of the Northland." Other towns represented at the carnival were Oscoda, Mio, East Tawas, Atlanta, Harrisville, Fairview, Lincoln and Cheboygan. She received a beautiful white snow suit and two dozen red roses. The coronation will take place Thursday, February 2.

\$12,238 Distributed To County Schools

Isosco county's apportionment of the primary money recently distributed by County Treasurer Grace Miller amounted to \$12,238.45. The various townships and cities received the following amounts:

Alabaster	526.90
Au Sable	479.00
Baldwin No. 1	186.91
Baldwin No. 3, frl.	129.33
Burleigh No. 1	258.66
Burleigh No. 2, frl.	881.36
Burleigh No. 3	330.51
Burleigh No. 4	148.49
East Tawas	2260.88
Grant No. 2	182.02
Grant No. 3	258.87
Oscoda	1005.90
Reno No. 1, frl.	110.17
Reno No. 2	215.57
Reno No. 3	62.27
Reno No. 4	47.90
Sherman	632.28
Tawas No. 2	167.65
Tawas No. 3, frl.	124.54
Tawas No. 4	215.55
Tawas No. 5	148.49
Tawas No. 9	306.56
Tawas City	1686.08
Wilber No. 1	301.77
Wilber No. 4 frl.	138.91

The state school aid money will be distributed as follows:

Alabaster	273.90
Burleigh No. 2, frl.	993.30
East Tawas	3665.11
Oscoda	1316.78
Plainfield	1284.14
Tawas City	1380.62

Home Economic Notes

The Home Economic Group organized under the guidance of Mrs. W. L. Finley, has voted to be known as the "Stitch and Study" Club. The following are members of the group: Mrs. A. Mark, Mrs. W. Laidlaw, Mrs. T. White, Mrs. E. Jacques, Mrs. J. Coyne, Mrs. E. Bennington, Mrs. M. LeClair, Mrs. H. Abbott, Mrs. D. Ferguson, Mrs. C. T. Prescott, Mrs. W. L. Finley and Mrs. G. Prescott.

The January meeting was held at the home of Mrs. E. D. Jacques and took up the making of hooked rugs. The balance of the evening was spent in playing games. A very tasty lunch was served later.

The next meeting will be held on February 21 at the home of Mrs. C. T. Prescott.

Card of Thanks

We wish to extend our thanks to the many neighbors and friends for their kind assistance in our sad bereavement. Special thanks for the beautiful floral offerings and to those who so kindly offered their personal service and that of their automobiles.
Mrs. Joseph Rapp, and family.

SILVER VALLEY GREET'S SPORTS ENTHUSIASTS

Toboggan Slides and Ski Runs Ready for Carnival

Out in Silver Valley in Huron National Forest, two 1,200-foot toboggan slides and four ski runs are ready for winter sports enthusiasts as the annual East Tawas Winter Sports season gets underway.

Under the direction of Ralph E. Crowell, forest supervisor, and John E. Fanson, forest ranger, CCC boys from Camp Silver Creek have constructed two excellent toboggan runs down steep pine-cad slope into the valley.

The ski runs vary in slope with the steep runs providing plenty of thrills for the more experienced skiers and the less steep runs providing facilities for those just learning.

Weather and snow conditions permitting, facilities for enjoyment of winter sports in Silver Valley are open at all times through the week as well as week ends. A warming shelter, sanitary facilities and water are provided for winter sports fans. Scenic ski and snow-shoe trails have been laid out through the snow-covered forest.

In addition to skiing, snow-shoeing and tobogganing up in Silver Valley, there is ice skating on a municipal rink in East Tawas, built under the direction of Mayor E. A. Leaf and the city council. Ice fishing from heated shanties on Tawas Lake and Tawas Bay is also available.

A contest to select a Winter Carnival Queen opened this week! There is still time to enter the competition and girls interested should contact William DeGrow or Harold Gould. The girls, competing for the title of Queen, will sell winter sports buttons for 25c each. Each button sold gains ten points for the girl selling it.

The Queen will be crowned at the Winter Carnival Ball to be held Saturday evening, February 18, in the community building. The four girls who are runners-up in the contest will serve as the Queen's Court of Honor. The Queen will be awarded a complete snow suit and outfit and members of the court of honor will receive snow jackets.

Jimmy Stevenson, news and sports commentator of radio station WJR and two other honor guests will be present to participate in the coronation ceremonies. Music will be furnished by Rambling Bill Hurley and His Gang and Rambling Bill will act as master of ceremonies at the Carnival Ball.

On Saturday evening, February 11, a winter sports benefit dance will be held at the community building.

Officers of the East Tawas Winter Sports committee are: Fred J. Adams, president; Harold Gould, vice-president; Ralph E. Crowell, secretary; and William DeGrow, treasurer.

Bowling . . .

Last Sunday afternoon, January 22 several matches were bowled at the Shuman Recreation Hall. The Nehi team of Alpena lost a match to the Phoenix Beer team of East Tawas by 21 pins. The total scores for the three-game match was Alpena 2117, East Tawas 2138. Following are the lineups: Alpena—Martin, Susek, Wise, Chrzan and Volosky. East Tawas—Herrick, B. Hazelund, N. Hazelund, Deckert and Klenow.

The Tawas Laundry team won from a Bay City team 2547 to 2303. The lineups included: Laundry—Shuman, Bartlett, A. Carlson, E. Carlson and Sieflof. Bay City—Ted Johnson, Harens, Wm. Johnson, B. Johnson and Paradise.

The novelty attraction of the day was a match of mixed doubles in which 12 teams took part. The ladies drew slips to choose partners for the games.

Following are the teams and total double scores for the three games: Miss Sophie Szumski and Fred Lomas, 858; Miss Klumb and S. Misner, 835; Miss Kelleter and J. McArdle, 810; Mrs. Wilkoski and Ed Sieflof, 765; Mrs. Misner and C. Curry, 746; Mrs. Lickfeld and Mr. Wilkoski, 742; Mrs. Lomas and S. Shuman, 739; Mrs. McArdle and H. Kussro, 737; Mrs. Shuman and Ed Ekroze, 725; Mrs. Price and Mr. Price, 720; Mrs. Bartlett and Guy Lickfeld, 674; Mrs. Curry and Art Bartlett, 612.

In Tuesday evening's matches in the Goodfellowship league, Tawas Merchants won three points from Beal Nursery, and Barkman Lumber Co., won three points from Phoenix Beer, which results in a four way tie with each team having 15 games won and 15 games lost.

The high scores for the evening were: High three-game team total (Turn to No. two back page)

EAST TAWAS

E. John Moffatt was in Detroit on Thursday, where he purchased a Meteor-Buick Funeral car. The car is a combination type ambulance and funeral car.

The Knights of Luther class will hold a supper next Thursday at Grace Lutheran Church, at 5:30.

For a bargain and a good night's sleep get one of the Mattresses and Box Springs at W. A. Evans Furniture Co. See advertisement.

A birthday party was given John W. Applin at his home Thursday evening. Mr. Applin celebrating his 78th birthday, while his grandson, Johnny Applin, age 5 years, also celebrated his birthday. After a six o'clock dinner, several gifts were presented to Mr. Applin and little Johnny Applin.

Mrs. Clarence Blaisdell, who has been in a Pontiac hospital for 13 weeks owing to the serious auto accident, was brought to the home of her father, James McMurray. She will be confined to bed for many weeks. Friends are hoping for an early recovery.

Harris Barkman leaves Friday (today) for a few days in Appleton, Wisconsin. His family will return with him on Monday.

Mrs. Dorothy Robey spent Wednesday at Whittemore.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Nelem spent Saturday in Bay City.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Nelem spent Saturday and Sunday in Bay City with their daughter, Mary Lou, who spent a couple of days at the hospital. They all returned home Sunday evening.

Mrs. Mildred Barkman, who spent a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Barkman, left Sunday for Flint returning to Appleton, Wisconsin.

Nathan Barkman spent Sunday in Grayling, attending the Snow Carnival.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Kunze returned Saturday from a ten days' visit in Detroit and other cities.

Mrs. Chas. Martin and Mrs. Delmar Healy of Deckerville, are at their parents' home for a few days owing to the illness of their mother, Mrs. William Sedgeman.

Miss Lois Doak, of Davison, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Wm. Stonehouse.

Dr. C. F. Klump returned home from a business trip in Detroit.

The Woman's Guild of Christ Episcopal Church held their usa meeting at the home of Mrs. S. Siglin.

Jack Johnson and nine friends, of Detroit, spent the week end in the city. They enjoyed a fishing party on the ice.

Mrs. Paul Sabrosky, of Lansing, was called home owing to the illness of her father, Ed. Alford.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Di'sworth spent a couple of days in Saginaw with Mrs. Dilsworth's mother, Mrs. Wm. McMurray, and brother, Roy McMurray, and family.

Miss Elizabeth Thompson has returned to East Tawas after spending a month at the home of her parents in Mikado.

Mr. and Mrs. L. DeFrain spent Monday in Bay City.

Dr. and Mrs. H. Burton spent Thursday in Bay City with relatives. Mrs. Louise Sauve has returned home from Rose City.

Ladies Literary Club

The Ladies' Literary Club held their 42nd anniversary banquet at the Holland Hotel on Wednesday evening.

Vocal solos by Mrs. Elmer Kunze, Mrs. Glen Pierson and Miss Elsie Ahonen, accompanied by Mrs. Irene Boice were greatly enjoyed.

The speaker for the evening was Judge Smith, of Alpena, who spoke on "Juvenile Delinquency." Mrs. Beth Burrows, president of the club, presided at the meeting. About fifty members and guests were present.

East Tawas Legion Auxiliary

The Ladies' Auxiliary held their regular meeting Tuesday evening and the initiatory service was given. A program consisting of vocal solos by Mrs. Kunze, dance numbers and a playette were given.

Lunch was served by members. Lunch was served and tables were decorated with valentines and patriotic favors. Owing to the weather conditions, West Branch and Oscoda women were unable to attend.

The Auxiliary are planning a bridge party for February 16.

Using Numerals for Dates

In using numerals for dates, the custom in the United States is to use the following order: Month, day, year. In some foreign countries, such as Great Britain, the order of day month and year is followed.

Notes

There will be a caucus of the Democratic voters of Isosco County at the Court House at Tawas City, Saturday, February 4, 1939, at 2:00 p. m.

Delegates to the Democratic State Convention to be held at Flint, Michigan, on February 18, 1939, are to be elected, and such other business transacted as may come before this caucus.

Isosco County Democratic Committee.
Robert Dahne, Chairman

"Honking High"

The expression "The goose hangs high" is believed to be a corruption of "The goose honks high, as in fair weather." The expression is used to indicate that the prospect is good.

Weekly News Analysis

**Has Britain Ceased Appeasing?
Paris Has Reason to Doubt It**

By Joseph W. La Bine

EDITOR'S NOTE—When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of the news analyst, and not necessarily of the newspaper.

Europe

At Rome, British Prime Minister Neville Chamberlain had received no reassurances but merely Benito Mussolini's threat to end the Spanish war immediately by helping Rebels against Loyalists. That done, Il Duce would have his hands free to press Mediterranean territorial demands against France. England and France could choose between helping the Loyalists or keeping hands off and letting Mussolini win the war. Since Chamberlain had reportedly made no concession in Rome, it was first thought a new policy of non-appeasement was dawning, inferring a Franco-British plump for the Loyalists.

But within a few days some negative results of the Rome conversations were apparent. Back in London, Mr. Chamberlain paid no attention to a letter from Clement R. Attlee, Parliament's labor leader: "It is obvious that the policy of non-intervention (in Spain) has now be-



LABOR'S CLEMENT ATLEE
Mr. Chamberlain ignored his letter.

come the means of insuring that the Spanish (Loyalist) government shall be unable to provide for its defense against aggression by a foreign power."

In Paris, where first news of Chamberlain's alleged non-appeasement was greeted by demands for French assistance to Loyalist Spain as a self-defense measure, later news from London brought a cooling off. The whippers: That Chamberlain had secretly agreed with Mussolini to let Rebel Spain win, constituting an additional appeasement at the expense of France. Whatever the cause, the Paris chamber of deputies felt obliged to approve Foreign Minister Georges Bonnet's declaration decreeing "hands off" in Spain.

Meanwhile, despite disastrous losses in northeastern Catalonia, Spain's Loyalists felt their cause was not defeated. Authoritatively reported from Paris was the fact that Loyalists had reached an understanding with the Vatican, aided by a growing Catholic opinion that Rebel Generalissimo Francisco Franco may be using the religious issue merely as a cloak for his fundamental Fascist aims. Nevertheless, Loyalist Spain still has much weaker friends than General Franco, who continues to get aid from both Italy and Germany.

Pressing their current advantage, Berlin and Rome are hastening diplomatic victories in the east before Britain gets around to calling a new four-power conference for European peace. While Italy's Count Galeazzo Ciano visits in Yugoslavia and Warsaw, Germany is making hay in at least three eastern countries: (1) A \$60,000,000 credit agreement has been signed with Turkey for delivery of German manufactured goods; (2) Germany has accredited a minister to Saudi Arabia; (3) Hungary and Germany have tightened their bonds.

Agriculture

When commodity prices drop, U. S. farmers co-operating in the AAA crop control program receive parity payments, designed to maintain farm purchasing power. Under the first AAA parity payments came from processing taxes, later outlawed by the Supreme court. Under the second AAA parity payments merely increase the federal deficit since last winter's congress made no provision for them. This shortcoming was brought to congress' attention in President Roosevelt's recent budget message.

But even the President has failed to suggest means of financing the payments, having merely stipulated that no new taxes shall be levied which increase the consumers' burden. Processing taxes would do this but Secretary of Agriculture Henry A. Wallace favors pulling this trick from the bag once more, hoping a liberalized Supreme court will approve the idea. Secretary of the Treasury Henry Morgenthau, whose department must handle the deal, opposes processing taxes.

Since the administration cannot agree on a method of financing cur-

rent parity payments of \$212,000,000, congress is in no mood to take the initiative. It may well be that this indecision is responsible for revival of last year's McAdoo-Eicher farm bill, just reintroduced in house and senate respectively by North Dakota's Rep. William Lemke and Sen. Lynn J. Frazier. Its crux: Minimum cost-of-production price levels would be established for domestically consumed farm products, while all surplus products would be dumped on world markets for whatever they would bring. Proceeds, less marketing costs, would be returned to the farmer.

Cost-of-production critics argue that removal of crop restrictions would glut the market, drive prices down and force grain dealers to pay a large margin between the actual market price and the cost-of-production price. This margin, it is maintained, would eventually be assessed against the consumer.

Taxation

Two former U. S. treasury secretaries, Andrew W. Mellon and Ogden L. Mills, condemned the inequity of tax exempt federal, state and local bonds. Since his "soak-the-rich" revenue proposal of 1935, President Roosevelt has fought tax exempt securities and one other unpopular exemption, that on federal, state and local employees' salaries. If these exemptions could be abolished the U. S. government figures it would net eventually \$300,000,000 annually from government securities, plus \$16,000,000 from employees' income taxes.

One day before the President offered this program to congress in a special message, he sent Treasury Undersecretary John W. Hanes to pave the way before a special senate committee. Said Mr. Hanes: "The time for action has come."

The Constitution's Sixteenth amendment gives congress power to "lay and collect taxes on incomes from whatever source derived," therefore the administration thinks statutory enactment rather than constitutional amendment will suffice. Later, after congress has spoken, the courts can decide whether its action is constitutional. Argued Mr. Hanes:

Tax exempt securities now permit many large-income persons to escape income taxes entirely, therefore they are unfair. The \$65,000,000,000 in tax exempt securities now outstanding (of which some \$50,000,000,000 would be taxable) is so formidable that it discourages investing in private enterprises involving risk. Thus industry cannot compete. As for income tax exemptions, the U. S. Supreme court has already set a precedent by ruling that salaries of such quasi-public agencies as the Port of New York authority are subject to federal taxation.

As might be expected, state and local groups jumped into the fight overnight. Argued the Conference



TREASURY'S HANES
"The time for action has come."

of State Defense: Tax yield would not approach the immediate treasury estimate of \$70,000,000 a year. Moreover it would work hardship on states and municipalities by increasing financing costs. The statutory procedure would be unconstitutional. Most important, once congress' power to tax income of state and local securities has been established, a situation could arise in which congress would attempt to tax state revenues. Argued the U. S. Conference of Mayors, in a similar vein: Federal and state governments may recoup from income taxes the higher costs to municipalities in interest on their bonds.

Observers thought income tax exemption could be repealed easily, but were less confident about tax exempt securities.

People

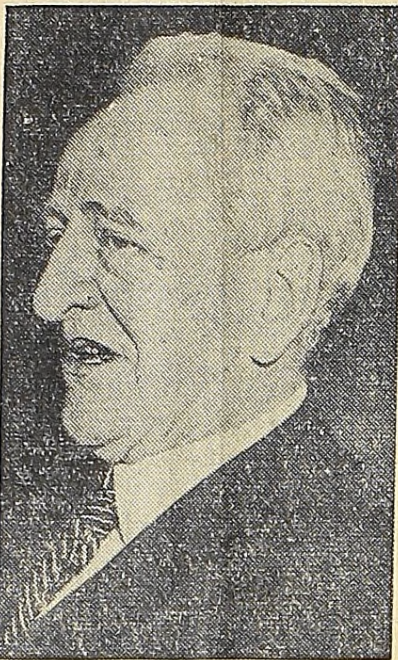
Left, for the U. S., Brazilian Foreign Minister Oswaldo Aranha, to confer with President Roosevelt. The purpose, as explained in a Rio de Janeiro newspaper: "To discuss practical instruments for continental defense as well as national protection of each of the two countries against foreign infiltration."

Public Works

Two of President Roosevelt's pet projects have been the harnessing of tides in Maine's Passamaquoddy bay, and the digging of a ship canal across northern Florida.

"Quoddy" was started several years ago, much of the \$7,000,000 original appropriation being spent on preliminaries to the actual job. When congressional opponents argued that Quoddy's power would have no outlet because it could not be transmitted profitably to New England industries, a new appropriation was refused in 1936. Since then the buildings have been used by NYA.

Likewise a start was made on the Florida canal, but last year congress balked on more funds. The arguments against it: That Florida's fruit industry might be damaged by seepage of salt water; that it was



SENATOR GLASS
"It won't happen again."

unnecessary; that southern Florida would suffer irreparable economic damages.

This winter President Roosevelt has asked an economy-minded congress to revive both projects and appropriate \$100,000,000 to complete them. On Quoddy: "... The time will come when there will be a joint agreement between Canada and the United States for the joint development of the larger sized project which would utilize all tidal power in that bay on both sides of the international date line. . . . It is my thought that an appropriation for . . . test borings and . . . a small experimental plant . . . would be justified." On the canal: "A Florida ship canal will be built one of these days. . . . It is justified today by commercial and military needs."

While the house rivers and harbors committee under Texas' Rep. Joseph J. Manfield prepared to argue the proposal, Virginia's outspoken Sen. Carter Glass spared no words: "In 1936 the late Senator Fletcher of Florida came to me with tears in his eyes, saying his political future would be ruined if Florida didn't get the canal. He asked me to vote for it, and like a — old fool I did. But it won't happen again."

International

Last summer oppressed China begged the League of Nations to approve sanctions against Japan. This was done, but only by resolution suggesting that league members take whatever action they saw fit. Nothing happened until a non-member, the U. S., began applying pressure against export of arms to Japan. Great Britain followed suit in small measure, but thus far the international boycott has failed.

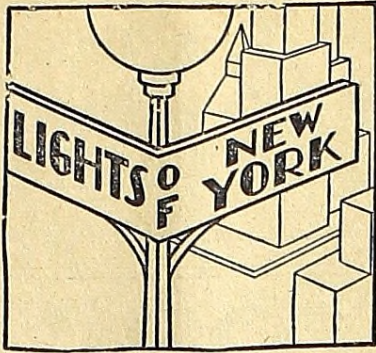
Showing typical Oriental resignation to fate, China's Dr. Wellington Koo, ambassador to France, has again broached the boycott issue in Geneva. His proposal: That an international "co-ordination committee" be named to unify world action against Tokyo. Membership would include both league and non-league nations.

Only result of Dr. Koo's plea has been to focus attention on the league's weakness, also to point out that only Britain, France and Russia now hold that badly battered organization together. The Chinese diplomat knew he could get no Anglo-Franco-Russian support without first winning U. S. support. Hence he pointed out that President Roosevelt's January 4 message to congress had "proffered the co-operation of the American people in support of the cause of democracy and peace." France, Britain and Russia agreed. Not daring to speak, all three turned eyes westward across the Atlantic awaiting Washington's leadership.

Religion

In prosperous years church membership and attendance remains even or shows a very slight increase. During depressions membership and attendance will rise through a return to religion. Foremost among U. S. religious statisticians is Rev. Dr. Herman C. Weber, whose report for 1937 has just been released.

Salient facts and figures: Total membership early in 1938 was 64,156,895, church members having increased 960,000 in 1937 (twice as fast as the population). Churches increased by 1,743. A trend to church unity was evident, since 97.3 of the total U. S. church population belongs to the 50 larger bodies. About 160 smaller bodies account for the remaining 2.7 per cent.



By L. L. STEVENSON

He arises each morning at 3:30, loads butter and eggs from his New Jersey farm into his automobile and drives over to New York. Deliveries keep him busy all day and sometimes until late in the evening. Profits are small but they return a living for himself, his wife, several children, and his cousin, a German refugee. The other morning he stopped at West End avenue and Broadway to make the first delivery of the day. Before entering an apartment house, as usual, he locked his car. Nevertheless, when he returned he found that thieves had broken a window frame and removed 55 pounds of butter and four cases of eggs with a value in all of \$28. In addition, repairs to the car cost \$11. The loss was total since it was not covered by his insurance. It was the third time such a thing had happened to him. He's looking for a good dog to guard his car. If he can't find one, he will give up his business.

A number of New Jersey producers as well as small dealers have given up. Their profits were too small to employ a man so the cars had to be left unguarded. No matter where they were left, they were looted. Complaints were made to the police of course and investigations followed. But no matter how busy the street, no one seemed to have observed the work of the thieves. Either passersby didn't notice what was going on or didn't care. In one instance, a street cleaner was working near a car left on Seventy-third street. The car was stripped clean. But the street cleaner saw nothing. He had been too busy with his work, he said, to pay attention to the parked car. In another instance down on the lower East Side, several children saw a man come up, fiddle with the door of a car and remove several cases of eggs. But they thought he was the owner.

Out-of-towners have made the discovery—along with some New Yorkers—that baggage can't be left in cars though the windows be closed and the doors locked. Equipment also vanishes. Tires especially. Locking them in baggage compartments, according to a statement made to the police by a thief, is a help rather than a hindrance. The compartment can be opened readily and opening a baggage compartment attracts no attention.

A scout reports that when a firm was about to market a game of Chinese origin, as a selling point a young Chinese student was employed to design a line in Chinese ideographs. He did his work, was paid and when the game came out what he wrote was embossed in gold on it and the package. Not until months later did a scholar come along who could translate the line. When he did there was consternation. It read, "Divine filth." I have been asked to report the game was not Ching-gong.

That reminds me that when I get mixed up with the Swedish language, I get into trouble. Recently I told of Ragnar Apslund's dog, Ludde. I said that Ludde was Swedish for herring. That—as I have been informed—was pure error. Ludde doesn't mean herring. It means hairy. And that is more appropriate for a sheep dog anyway.

Just one more little matter seems left on today's agenda. It seems that when one of those cruise ships got into Colon the hour was late since bad weather had forced a considerable delay. The cruisers, however, were not denied their shopping. For their accommodation—and of course for profits—the shopkeepers obligingly kept their establishments open until the ship sailed which was 5:30 in the morning.

Dentists Called Adept

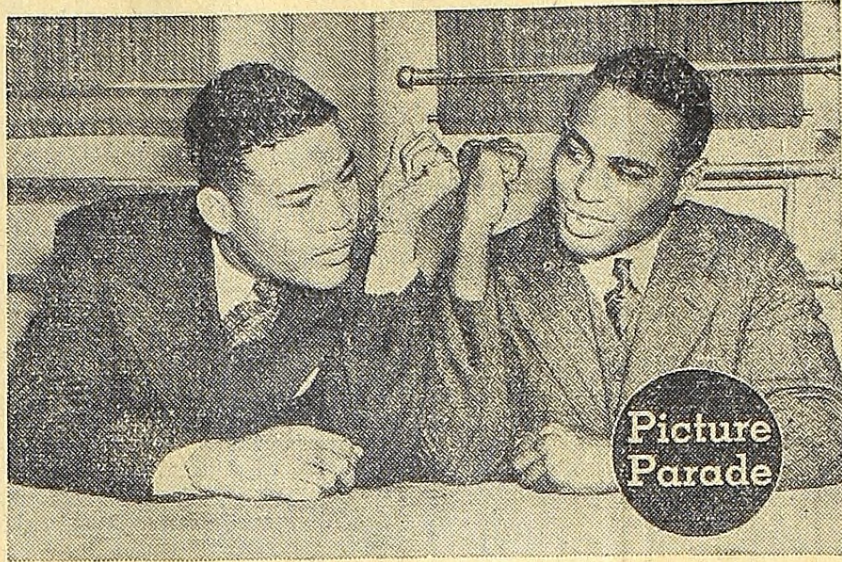
At Character Reading
WINNIPEG, MAN.—Dr. Ervin H. Ante, professor of dentistry at the University of Toronto, believes "dentists read people's character by their lips."

Some of his diagnoses are: Full lips show love of praise; retruded lips, strength and severity; protruding lips, an impulsive nature; and a long, thin upper lip with a line of white showing, a sign of self-reliance.

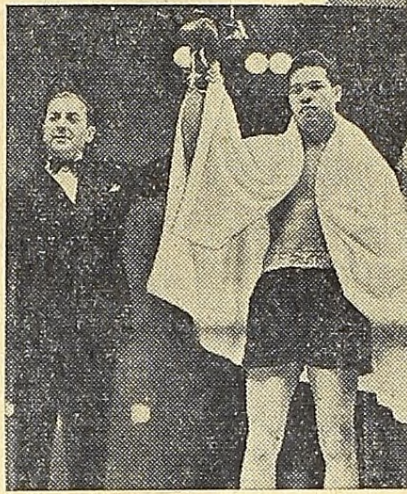
Student Inventor

Finds Horscope True
BERKELEY, CALIF.—A physics student at the University of California and inventor of an explosive said to be 15 times more powerful than nitroglycerine, had his horscope read and learned that he was soon to have "a change of environment." Then he was arrested for experimenting with his explosive within the city limits and jailed.

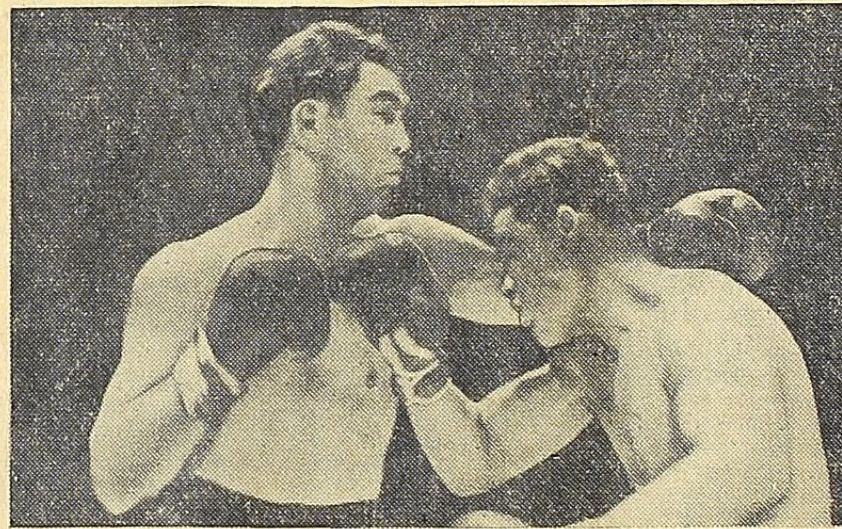
Brown Bomber Strikes Again



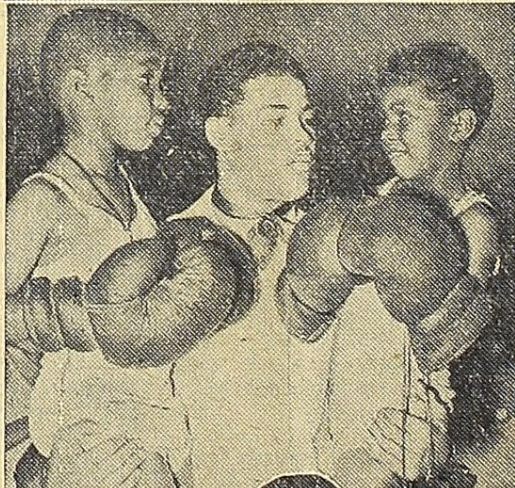
Seldom has Twentieth Century sportdom seen a figure so sensational and consistently spectacular as Joe Louis, heavyweight champion who won his title on June 22, 1937, by knocking out James J. Braddock in the seventh round of a scheduled 15 round bout. Joe Louis is again in the news because he risks his title again January 27. Negro Louis (above left) will fight John Henry Lewis (above right), light heavyweight titleholder and also a Negro, a boxer whose success has been almost as sensational as that of the "brown bomber." In 1937 he rose like lightning, winning 11 out of 12 bouts. But Joe Louis has fought about 39 times since July 4, 1934, and has lost only once. That was when Max Schmeling, the German, knocked him out in the 12th round, upsetting all the dope buckets and making fans a bit dubious about his "invincibility."



Last June 22, Louis met Schmeling again. Earlier, Former Champion Jim Braddock and Jack Dempsey visited him at camp. Said Braddock: "I believe he will turn the trick in five rounds." Joe fooled him. After 2:04 minutes, the shortest championship bout on record, Announcer Harry Balough raised the victor's hand. Joe floored Max three times in the first round, only to have Schmeling's seconds throw in the towel to mercifully end the barrage.



Louis was in top form that night, as shown by the above picture. Schmeling completely missed a left to the head as Joe drove a right uppercut to the chin and swung his left into action. This was revenge, and it brought joy to the youngsters at Detroit's Brewster Center, where Joe received his first boxing lesson. At right he is shown holding two hero worshippers who hope to follow in his steps.



A sensible, calm-headed fighter, Joe Louis is retiring in private life. Much of his success he attributes to his wife, Marva Trotter Louis, shown here eating breakfast with him the morning after he trounced Max Schmeling.



WHO'S NEWS THIS WEEK

By LEMUEL F. PARTON

NEW YORK. — Mushing along with Jim Titus, an old desert rat, about twenty miles southeast of Tonopah, many years ago, this scrivener was alarmed by the approach of what seemed to be a savage sandstorm. Old Jim, who seemed to know everything, reassured me. "It's that young feller Key Pittman. He's runnin' around in that big rattletrap automobile of his tryin' to get up a telephone company. Just kickin' up a dust—that's about all. No peace for anybody around here."

Mr. Pittman roared on through the greasewood, to set up his new telephone company, sluice a tidy little fortune out of that and sundry mining ventures, and to become chairman of the foreign relations committee of the United States senate. He backs up the President.

"Why shoot a man when you can starve him to death?" says Mr. Pittman, indorsing the hint of "financial sanctions" against world outlawry in the President's address. He reads his committee for action.

In Nome, Alaska, Mr. Pittman was a charter member of the Ornerly Men's club, organized at Tex Rickard's bar. Years later, Ole Elliott, Tex Rickard's partner, reorganized the club in Tex's northern saloon in Goldfield. I believe Mr. Pittman's affiliations were with the Montezuma club, down the street, but he was a highly esteemed alumnus of the Alaska chapter and he found enthusiastic "sourdoogh" backing in his financial and political enterprises. Since 1913, Nevada has been sending him regularly to the senate.

He has been steadily against Japan—that is, against strong-arm Japanese trade and military aggression—and quite as fervently for silver. Well up in the headlines today is the conjecture that the President's new trade and credit militancy will move first in the direction of Japan.

Born in Mississippi, educated in Tennessee, practicing law in Seattle, Mr. Pittman landed in Dawson, Alaska, with a Canadian dime in his pocket. He manned a unilateral buxkaw for a few months before he was appointed district attorney. Jack London and Rex Beach found in him a rich pay streak of copy.

THE son of a Buffalo dock worker, one of nine children, who had seen labor wars in his youth and through his lifetime, has sought ways to end them, was influential in bringing about the truce in the New York taxicab strike. He is the Rev. Father John Peter Boland, chairman of the unique New York State Labor Relations board since June, 1937. During his incumbency, New York has attracted the attention of the nation in its industrial mediation.

"Stop them before they get started" is his formula, as he quotes the pope's encyclical, advising priests to "go to the workman." When he was appointed to his present post, he retired from his parishes of St. Lucy and St. Columba, with the blessing of his bishop, the Rev. John A. Duffy of Buffalo. He became profoundly interested in techniques of labor mediation while studying for the priesthood in Rome. He urges regular meetings between employers and employees and continuous and constructive effort, rather than emergency action when trouble comes.

WHEN the young German immigrant, Max J. Kramer, landed in New York and slept on a park bench, he had no "Don't Disturb" sign. Hence a policeman wakened him by whacking his feet with a nightstick. It was really opportunity knocking. The policeman, who happened to speak German, steered him into a carpenter's job, and, before long, he was buying and building hotels with the facility of a child handling building blocks. That was the only time he ever slept out.

Last May, his wife, Maria Kramer, bought the 30-story Hotel Lincoln for \$7,000,000 cash, tooling it over into the black in less than six months. She is a linguist, has made a career as a fashion expert and interior decorator.

Mr. Kramer, who had \$3.50 when he landed, built more than 500 tenements, and, in 1925, had more than \$10,000,000 worth of buildings under construction.

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Ask Me Another A General Quiz

The Questions

1. What furnishes the motive power to ships passing through the Panama canal?
2. What does the Statue of Liberty hold in her left hand?
3. What is a barcarolle?
4. Who is the highest paid actress in the world?
5. Did Franz Schubert play the music of other composers?
6. How much will it cost to take the next census?
7. How old is the Nazi party?

The Answers

1. Small electric locomotives.
2. A book representing the law.
3. A popular song or melody sung by Venetian gondoliers.
4. Gracie Fields, the British comedienne, makes approximately \$750,000 a year.
5. It is said that there is no record of his playing any music but his own.
6. The sixteenth census in 1940 will cost approximately \$50,000,000.
7. It was founded in 1920.

Sun Down, Accidents Up

When the sun goes down, traffic accidents go up. More than 60 per cent of all fatal traffic accidents occur at night, the National Safety Council reports. Since about a third of the driving is done at night, it estimates, the number of traffic deaths per mile is about three times as great at night as during the daytime.

In the past seven years, night accidents have increased 60 per cent in rural districts, the report says, and only 17 per cent in cities. Adequate lighting and divided highways tend to reduce headlight glare and accidents, the council said. Some states are experimenting with new reflector buttons placed along the side of the road to show the alignment of the highway on curves, hills and other hazardous places.

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Joys Concealed

He who can conceal his joys, is greater than he who can hide his griefs.—Lavater.

That Nagging Backache

May Warn of Disordered Kidney Action

Modern life with its hurry and worry, irregular habits, improper eating and drinking—its risk of exposure and infection—throws heavy strain on the work of the kidneys. They are apt to become over-taxed and fail to filter excess acid and other impurities from the life-giving blood.

You may suffer nagging backache, headache, dizziness, getting up nights, leg pains, swelling—feet constantly tired, nervous, all worn out. Other signs of kidney or bladder disorder may be burning, scanty or too frequent urination. Use Doan's Pills. Doan's help the kidneys to get rid of excess poisonous body waste. They are antiseptic to the urinary tract and tend to relieve irritation and the pain it causes. Many grateful people recommend Doan's. They have had more than forty years of public approval. Ask your neighbor!

DOAN'S PILLS

HEALTH

• Full cooperation of medical experts needed to find rheumatism causes.

By Dr. James W. Barton

AFTER a physician has seen a great many cases of rheumatism or arthritis, that resisted all other attempts at cure, clear up in a few weeks after the removal of infected teeth and tonsils, he is naturally going to first examine the tonsils and have an X-ray of the teeth before looking elsewhere for a cause of rheumatism or arthritis.

That many innocent teeth and tonsils have been removed in an effort to cure rheumatism is likely true, but this is the case with every new discovery or forward step in medicine; enthusiasm often carries research workers too far.

That there are other causes for rheumatism than infection of teeth, tonsils, gall bladder, sinus or other part is true; food, climate, surroundings may all be factors in causing rheumatism or aggravating the symptoms. However, as in all problems in medicine, the commonest causes are first sought.

Infection Probable Cause.

Drs. E. Jarlov and O. Brinch, Copenhagen, in an extract reprinted in the Journal of the American Medical Association, state that infection (teeth, tonsils or other parts) is a highly probable cause of diseases of the joints. Their experiments were mostly with old or chronic cases of rheumatism of a number of joints. They believe that a considerable part of the large number of persons with more than one joint affected can be helped by finding and removing the infection, before the rheumatism has done severe damage to the joint and before a second infection from the first infection has been caused in the nodes or groups of cells in the lymph system. As the lymph system is part of the blood system, it can be readily seen how this "secondary" infection can start trouble in still further joints of the body.

Drs. Parlov and Brinch state that intensive co-operation is called for on the part of general practitioners, dentists, ear, nose and throat specialists, X-ray specialists, and laboratory experts.

Dyspepsia Symptom Of Heart Ailment

We speak of a heart as normal or healthy as long as it is doing its work properly—pushing blood out as fast as it flows in. If there should be a leaking valve, an extra beat, some irregularity, any one of which is not normal, but still the heart continues to pump blood out as fast as it comes in, we speak of the heart as being "compensated." As long as it is compensated the leaking valve, extra beat and irregularity are not important. It can thus be seen that the main question about the heart is: "Can it pump the blood out as fast as it comes in?"

The first sign that the heart is not able to do its work properly is what is called dyspepsia, or breathlessness, which begins to come on earlier or sooner from doing the same amount of work or exercise. Other early symptoms are pallor of the face and a slight swelling of the feet.

"Dyspnea, difficult breathing or breathlessness, is one of the most, if not the most, important symptom in early failure of the heart. The patient will notice that his breathlessness comes on with less work or exercise than before." A simple illustration of this is given by Dr. Harry L. Smith in the Mayo clinic number of Medical Clinics of North America.

Exercise May Be Harmful.

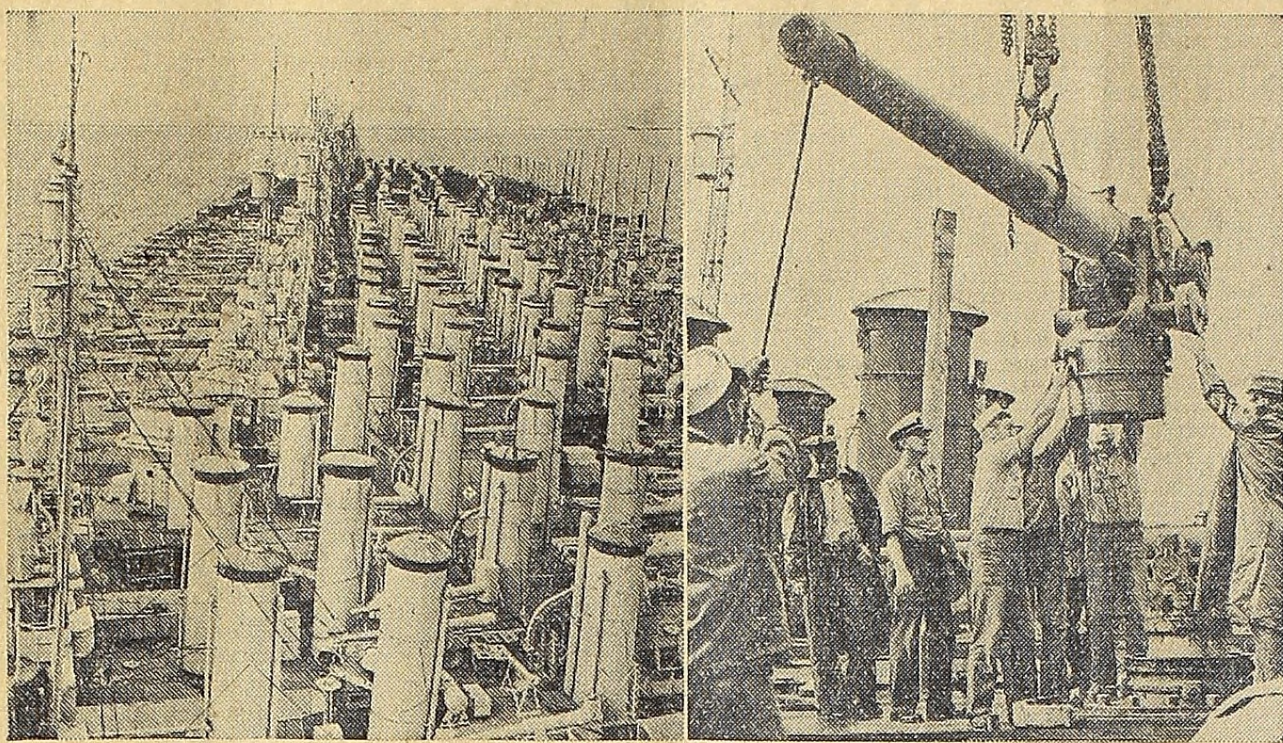
"The most common exercise is walking and the degree of distress or breathlessness that this produces depends upon several factors, such as the speed with which one walks, whether the route is level or uphill, whether the walk is taken after a meal or when the stomach is empty, whether the air is still or whether it is necessary to walk against a cold wind. After a large meal, walking rapidly up a steep hill, on a cold day, against a strong wind, and at the same time talking, will produce breathlessness in most healthy individuals." The test then is simply getting out of breath sooner doing the same exercise under the same circumstances.

By recognizing this breathlessness as an early sign of a failing heart, the patient, by doing less exercise or work, learns to live within the power of his heart and so lives many years.

It must be remembered, however, that other conditions besides a failing heart can cause difficult breathing or breathlessness such as (a) nervousness, (b) eating too much acid food—meat, eggs, fish, cereals, (c) nose being blocked, (d) chronic bronchitis, (e) overweight, etc.

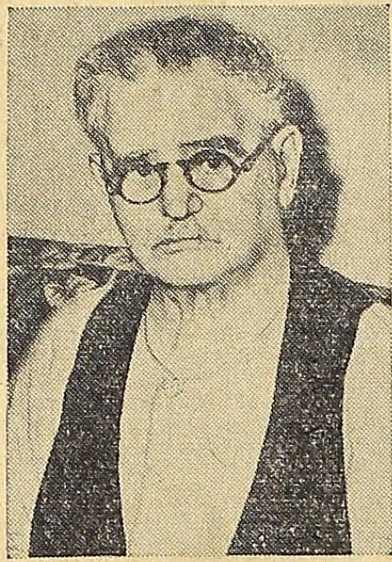
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War-Time Destroyers Save Nation \$150,000,000



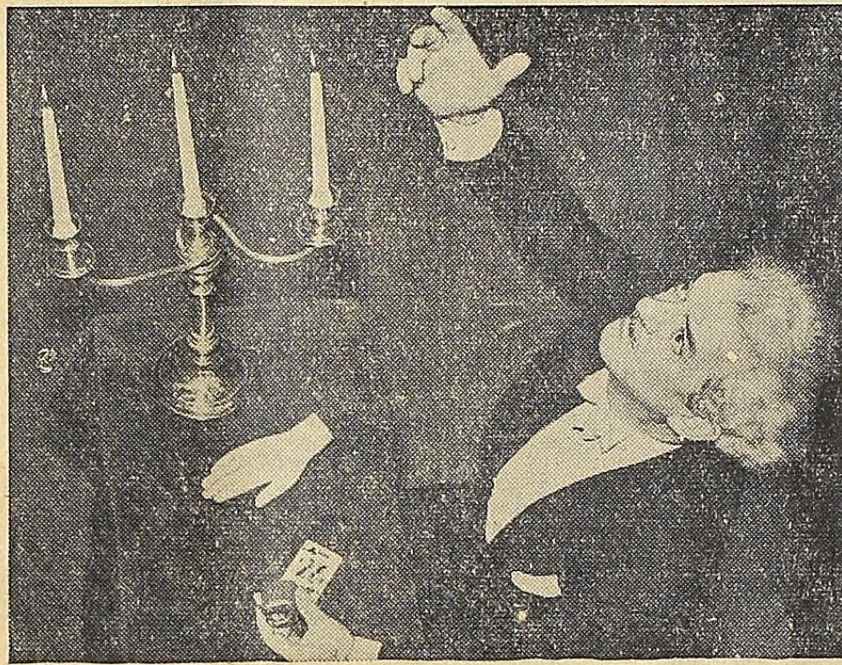
A cross section of the navy's far-flung preparations for war emergency is disclosed at the United States destroyer base at San Diego, Calif., where 48 World War destroyers are being reconditioned into instant readiness for service. Instead of being scrapped under terms of the Washington and London naval treaties, they were saved for the nation's defense, thus saving the country some \$150,000,000 in costs. In event of war, crews would merely have to walk aboard, get up steam and proceed to sea, as all equipment is in good condition. Torpedoes and other munitions have been kept in good condition. Right: a four-inch gun is being mounted on the destroyer U. S. S. Mead.

SON COMES TO AID



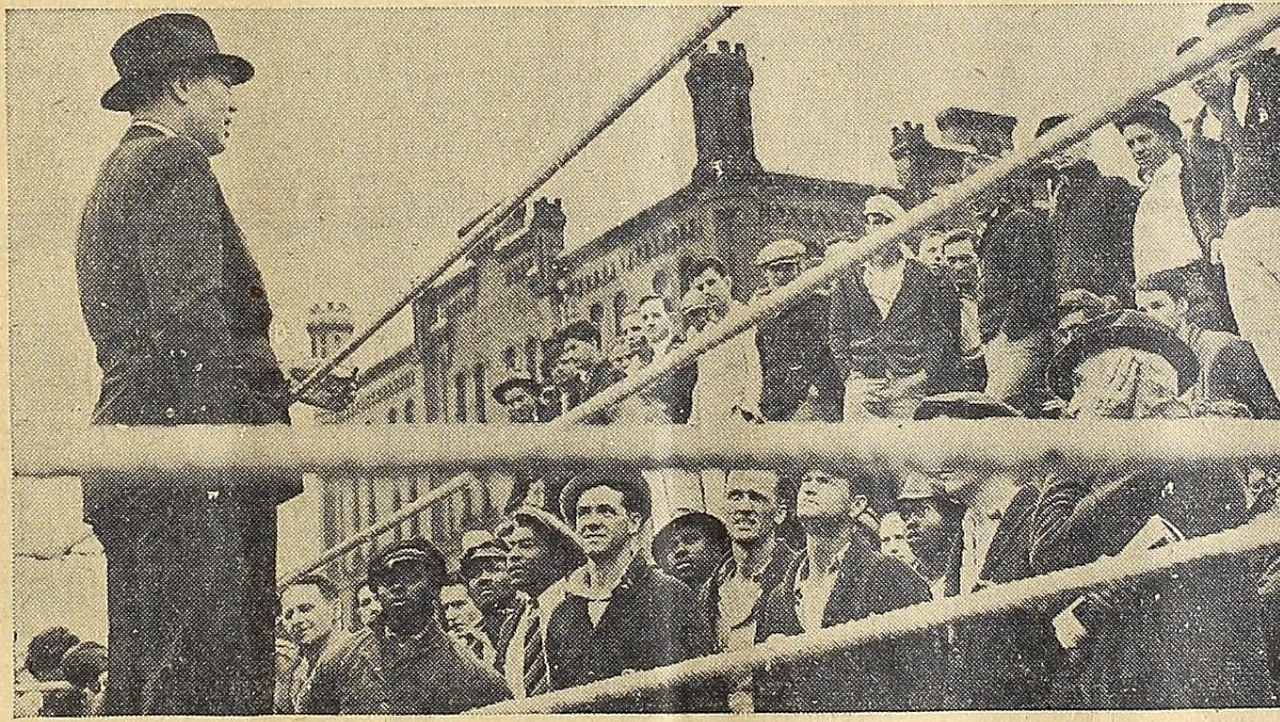
When James J. Braddock, former world's heavyweight champion, was informed that his father, 76-year-old Joseph Braddock, pictured above, had applied to North Bergen, N. J., relief officials for aid, he said: "Why, he shouldn't have done that. He knows I'll take care of him, but he has never asked for anything." The former champ made approximately a half million dollars in the ring.

Magician Happy as Spirits Fail to Answer



Carrying out a secret pact made between four magicians, Harry Blackstone, the sole survivor, recently attempted to communicate with the spirits of Harry Houdini, Howard Thurston and Charles Carter. So far he has been unsuccessful and remarked to friends: "If anything should happen that the lock springs open, the card floats or the hand taps, there will be a new door in the back of the building as I will go right out through the wall."

Manassa Mauler Behind Bars—as a Guest



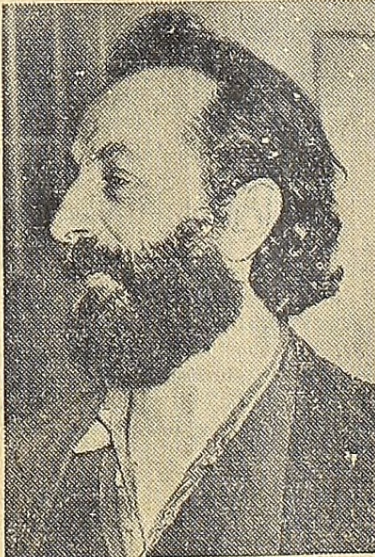
Jack Dempsey, former heavyweight champion of the world, addresses a throng of prisoners at the state penitentiary in Raleigh, N. C., during a southern tour. The popular restaurant proprietor is still champion to a large share of his audience, many of whom have been in prison since the Manassa Mauler won his title from Jess Willard back in 1919.

Herb Merchants Mark 50th Anniversary



Uncle Charlie and Aunt Lena, "yarb" merchants, who for 50 years have brought their ancient natural medicines to the curb market at Winston-Salem, N. C., are doing at least average business. Sassafras, hemlock, mandrake and "John de Conqueror" root are among their wares. Many of the roots, leaves and barks are ingredients in magical formula of southern Negroes.

CONTENTED PRISONER



Detroit, Mich., police recently arrested a good natured, bearded and ragged old man on a charge of vagrancy. When the judge asked him his name, he replied that it was plain John Doe. He was found sleeping peacefully in the cold on a sidewalk, and is happy with all his present attention.

IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

By HAROLD L. LUNDQUIST, D. D.
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Lesson for January 29

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PETER DECLARES HIS LOVE

LESSON TEXT.—John 21:11-19.
GOLDEN TEXT.—We love me, keep my commandments.—John 14:15.

"Lovest thou me?" This is the question our Lord asked Peter. It comes to us today. Do we love our Lord? It is a simple question, but also a very searching one. "We may know much, and do much, and profess much, and talk much, and work much, and give much, and go through much, and make much show in our religion, and yet be dead before God from want of love. There is no life where there is no love. Knowledge, orthodoxy, correct views. . . a respectable moral life—all these do not make up a true Christian. There must be some personal feeling toward Christ" (J. C. Ryle).

The instructive story, the center of which is Peter's declaration of love for Christ, presents a picture of a life of true devotion and service to the Lord we love.

I. Fishing at Christ's Command (v. 11).

Peter had led the disciples in a fruitless fishing expedition (vv. 2, 3). There may have been some unbelieving self-will in his "I go a-fishing." It may also have been the need of food on the part of the disciples who had not yet been sent forth to preach. But in any case they caught nothing until they went to work at the Lord's direction.

Useless and pathetic is the effort of the Church to win men to Christ except as He directs and blesses the work. He knows when, where, and how we ought to fish for men. Let us seek His guidance rather than suffer the disappointment which goes with man-directed campaigns and "drives." As a matter of fact, we need more divine directing and less human driving.

II. Fellowship With the Lord (vv. 12-14).

There are some folk who seem to think that following Christ is a doleful matter, devoid of every pleasant contact. Jesus never taught any such thing. He attended weddings and dinners even in the homes of those despised by men. Remember that He always did it for their spiritual good, not merely for His own enjoyment; and that He always brought the gathering up to His own spiritual level, rather than stooping to any worldly or wicked standards.

Here we find Him with a glowing fire upon which fish is broiling and with bread ready for the hungry fishermen. It is just like Him thus to meet in most delightful and satisfying fellowship those who serve Him. Draw up to the fire, Christian friends who are standing afar off. You may be so timid that, like the disciples, you will not dare to call Him by name (v. 12), but if you will come you will find that the precious fellowship will soon warm your heart.

III. Feeding His Flock (vv. 15-17).

Many (perhaps most) after-dinner speeches and conversations yield little profit. Here is an occasion when such was not the case. One wonders whether we would not be wise to take the suggestion and turn our thoughts and those of our dinner guests to spiritual things. Surely it should be so among Christian friends and in a Christian home.

Three times Peter is asked to declare his love for Christ. Such a public confession was quite in place, before the man who had thrice denied his Lord is restored to a place of leadership. The words "more than these" (v. 15), indicate that Jesus was asking of him a high measure of devotion. It is no more than He has a right to expect of us.

The expression of love to Christ means practically nothing except as it manifests itself in service. We, like Peter, are to be diligent about feeding His flock, whether they be the young and inexperienced lambs, or the mature sheep of the fold. Observe that we are to catch the fish (the unconverted) and feed the flock (the redeemed). Sometimes it seems that we are trying to catch the Christians to forward some scheme of advancement, and failing to win the unconverted, because we are feeding them spiritual food that belongs to the flock of God.

IV. Following Christ to the End (vv. 18, 19).

The Christian (and surely the glorified worker) is to glorify God even by his death (v. 19). What a significant reply John Wesley made when his followers were criticized: "At any rate, our people die well." Peter was to go on to the end, knowing that he faced martyrdom for Christ.

But we are not only called to die like Christians, we are to live for Him. When Jesus "had spoken this, he saith unto him, Follow me" (v. 19). Just as we said that the Church needs more divine directing and less human driving, so we say that the crying need of the Church now is not more leaders, but a greater host of faithful followers of Jesus. Will you, because you love Him, follow Him in life and death?

Uncle Phil Says:

Go Straight to Go Round

You've got to keep to the straight path if you wish to travel in the best circles.

A man who was very curious as to what people at a party say about him when he leaves, once found out. It was: Nothing.

Among the things that die quickly of neglect are grievances and troubles.

The Greater Injury

We ought to be more offended at extravagant praise than at harsh criticism.

History repeats itself because humanity repeats itself—and never grows tired of it.

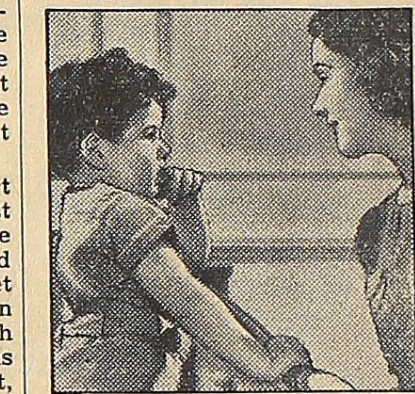
What supports our money system is not gold, but confidence.

It Saves Time

It is because of that line in the marriage service "With all my worldly goods I thee endow," that the guests give the wedding presents to the bride in the first place.

Folks don't confess their errors because they don't like to even remember them.

Wait, Mother—Ask Your Doctor First



Never give your children unknown "Bargain" remedies to take unless you ask your doctor.

A mother may save a few pennies giving her children unknown preparations. But a child's life is precious beyond pennies. So—Ask your doctor before you give any remedy you don't know all about.

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Canals Under German Cities
Underground canals extend more than 400 miles under the streets of Munich, Germany.

Forming Fingerprints
Fingerprints are formed from salt, a small amount of water, and sebum, an oily deposit from the sebaceous glands of the skin.

Galveston's Sea Wall
The sea wall at Galveston, Texas, is 16 feet at the base, 17 feet high, and 5 feet wide at the top, curving from the top to the base. At intervals of 8 1/2 feet, there are placed in the wall 1/2-inch square corrugated steel reinforcing rods 10 feet long. The riprap on the Gulf side of the wall is 27 feet wide and 3 to 7 feet in thickness.

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Wm. Weir, of Hale, visited his mother, Mrs. Bessie Weir, Saturday and Sunday.

Orville Strauer made a business trip to Gladwin on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Schroeder and family, of Pontiac, spent the week end at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Schroeder.

Mrs. Bert Halloway and children, of Bay City, are helping to care for her sister, Mrs. Orville Strauer, who has been ill.

Thos. Norris is on the sick list.

Fred Kohn and Thos. Scarlett made a business trip to Hale on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stube, of Lansing, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Pringle.

The Consumers Power Company have a crew of men extending the electric line two miles. It will be completed in about a week.

Wm. Drager, who is employed in Bay City, spent the week end with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. George Kohn made a business trip to Saginaw and Flint last week.

Mrs. Jos. Ulman visited her daughter, Mrs. John Jordan, on Monday.

Hemlock

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Alton Durant on Sunday, January 22, a son, at the home of Mrs. Durant's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Katterman. He has been named Gail Alton.

Mrs. Victor Herriman and sister, Mrs. Chas. McLean, and Marguerite left Wednesday last for Marshall where they attended the funeral of a cousin. They returned on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Binder spent Sunday evening in Reno.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Pfahl spent one evening last week with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Katterman.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Latham and Joe Bamberger was at Tawas City on business Saturday.

Howard Herriman, who spent last week in Detroit, returned home Saturday. His wife, who has been visiting her parents in Philadelphia, returned with him.

Chelsie and Jimmy Chambers returned from Detroit where they spent the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Force and son and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Allen, of Detroit; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kelsey and Carl and Orville Youngs, of Flint were called here by the death of Joseph Rapp.

SCHOOL ELECTION

Notice of special meeting of the qualified voters of school district number seven (7) of Tawas City and fractional of Tawas township, county of Iosco and state of Michigan.

Please take notice that a special meeting of the qualified electors of said school district will be held in the city hall, Tawas City, Michigan, in said district on Thursday the 2nd day of February A. D. 1939 at four (4) o'clock p. m. for the purpose of submitting the proposition of whether or not said school district shall borrow a sum sufficient to pay a portion of the costs of erecting a new gymnasium and auditorium building in said district and issue the bonds of said district therefore, said bonds to mature and be payable on such date or dates and bear such rate of interest per annum as the qualified electors of said district shall determine by their vote at said special meeting.

The polls of said special district meeting will be open from four (4) o'clock p. m. until eight (8) o'clock p. m. on said 2nd day of February A. D. 1939.

Take notice that the Board of Education of aid district No. 7 has estimated the expense of erecting and furnishing said gymnasium and auditorium, to the school district, at eighteen thousand dollars (\$18,000).

This notice is given by the order of the Board of Education of said School District No. 7 of Tawas City and fractional of Tawas township, Iosco county, Michigan.

Dated this 5th day of January A. D. 1939.

C. L. McLean,
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LOOKING BACKWARD

40 Years Ago—January 21, 1899

B. F. Slingerland, of Alabaster, had a painful accident Thursday at Au Sable and as a result will be maimed for life. He was hitching his team to the sleighs when one of the horses bit off a portion of his ear. Dr. J. F. Hovis dressed the injury and Mr. Slingerland left for Greenbush the same day.

A 396-pound buck, one of the largest on record, was killed near Prescott the first of December.

John North, surman at Marquette, is home for a vacation.

Rev. C. L. Wiggazer attended the dedication of the new Lutheran Church at Big Rapids last Sunday.

Baldwin Hive, L. O. T. M., gave Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hill a farewell party last Thursday evening at the Maccabee hall.

Kerosene 10c per gallon at C. Westran's.

Dr. Thompson has just purchased a new Bausch & Lomb high power microscope for his office.

A special session of circuit court was held Wednesday before Judge Simpson. The case, Percy Jones charged with larceny of fish nets from Betz Brothers, of Oscoda, was taken up. The trial was still in progress this evening.

Dick Thompkins of the Hemlock is the recipient of a pipe obtained at Lookout Mountain and carried by Tho. Allen through the campaign in Porto Rico.

John Hern, Hemlock road blacksmith, is very busy shoeing horses.

Oscar Haffey is the new pharmacist in charge of the prescription department at the Murphy drug store.

James R. Snoddy, Whittemore druggist, was at Onaway this week.

Three Hemlock road mills are going full blast—George Culham's, Guy Latham's and Barney Long's.

A wood bee was held by Independence club of the Lyceum League of America at Whittemore last week.

The D. & M. pay car made its monthly visit Tuesday.

Bay View House, formerly the Conover hotel Tawas City. Rates \$1.00 per day. James Patterson, proprietor.

A Grange was organized here last Friday with 40 members. The following officers were elected: John W. King, master; Thomas W. Conklin, overseer; John M. Waterbury, lecturer; Francis E. Hays, steward; H. L. Preston, assistant steward; Henry L. Drake, chaplain; A. C. Kay, secretary; Thomas Low, gate keeper; Mrs. E. E. King, Pamona; Mrs. Mary Conklin, Flora; Mrs. Ada Hall, Ceres; Mrs. Della Low, lady steward.

Senator Prescott informed a representative of the Herald that the Prescott mill will be in full operation this season.

The Sanitary Convention held here yesterday was well attended. Prof. Lewis of Bay City, a guest of C. M. Smith, played in our band during the convention.

Officers of Iosco Lodge, K. of P.: F. F. French, M. of F.; A. E. Sharp, C. C.; D. C. Howell, V. C.; H. A. Goodale, prelate; C. W. Luce, M. of E.; Jas. E. Dillon, M. of F.; William J. Fox, K. of R.; Samuel Anker, M. at A.; Charles Curry, I. G.; Henry Hewson, O. G.

At the Farmer's Institute held here Thursday and Friday, N. C. Hartingh gave an address on "Does the Farm Offer a Better Chance Than the City for Boys." Mr. Hartingh handled the subject in his usual forceable and able manner and showed that success depended upon the manner in which boys applied themselves to the vocation which they selected. Ruben Wade, one of the most successful potato growers of our county, read an excellent paper on "Growing Potatoes for the Market." The meeting was conducted by A. E. Palmer of Kalkaska. The officers were: J. A. Walker, president; Len J. Patterson, secretary; John Sullivan, treasurer.

Why not a factory? We call special attention to an announcement of Nels Brabant that he would give \$100.00 cash and a free site for a factory. Mr. Brabant evidences a desire to see our city grow. Let us cooperate with him. The editor of the Herald will duplicate his cash offer. H. W. Buckle will do the same. Let us hear from others.

Joe Minor expects to report for work at Saginaw next week after a vacation enforced by illness.

Train No. 4, due at 9:15 a. m. did not arrive until 1:30 p. m. on account of deep snow in Alcona county.

Have you noticed the tone of confidence that prevails in conservative and intelligent business circles? Last fall the situation was discouraging but since the new year prospects are decidedly brighter. The year 1914 is full of possibilities in the way of an industrial revival.

Wanted good teams to haul posts and logs, \$4.00 per day. Board and team room \$4.00 per week. F. H. Trudell, South Branch.

In this week's bowling contest the Tigers defeated the I. O. F. The high score is held by H. N. Butler with an average of 157 pins. Members of the teams are: I. O. F.—Fontonelli, Misner, Ash, Hamilton and Christenson. Tigers—Grant, Poppleton, Bigelow and Butler.

Louis Smith of Rose City installed the following officers in the South Branch Grange: W. C. Barringer, master; Iver Berry, overseer; Lee Coburn, steward; Lyman Alderton, assistant steward; Hattie Alderton chaplain.

Robert Wilkins of Turtle is buying all kinds of logs and timber.

We are informed that Leslies' shingle mill at Whittemore will start operations this spring.

Fine attendances are reported at the Whittemore skating rink.

L. W. Oviatt of Bay City transacted business in the county this week.

The Baptist Ladies Aid of Sherman township will hold an oyster supper at the town hall next Friday evening. The Aid met Monday with Mrs. C. Billings and a very pleasant afternoon was spent.

The Hemlock Road G. T. S. met Tuesday evening with Miss Ethel Andre. After a pleasant evening was spent oysters were served. Miss Andre leaves shortly for Spokane, Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Force of Loud Site have been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Force on the Hemlock road for a few days.

Ha'e fishermen have been having good success on Loon lake during the past week.

A crowd of Hemlock road and Laidlawville people indulged in a sleigh ride party Friday night, ending up at the Watts residence. There were 107 in the party and the house was filled to overflowing. An oyster supper, served in the early hours of the morning, completed the night's festivities.

The Whittemore band boys are doing fine in their practice work. That's right boys keep it up.

Dredge work in Sherman township is under full swing.

The "losers" in the rabbit hunting expedition at Hale presented a fine oyster supper to the "winners" last Saturday evening. About 75 young people were present.

Clara Lietzo leads in the Vine school spelling contest. E. D. Van Horn of Gladstone visited the school last week.

Roy Brabou, Ray Bobien and John Miller were promoted from the third to the fourth grade in the Keystone school this week.

Miss Elsie Musolf, teacher in District No. 4, Sherman township, has purchased a new bookcase for the school. More than 300 new books have been added to the library.

Horse blankets, feed grinders, feed cutters, kerosene engines, galvanized tanks, force pumps, Tawas Hardware Co., Tawas City.

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The Detroit & Mackinac Railway is seeking information on the farm possibilities in this section of Michigan. This information will be placed in advertising literature being prepared for the railroad, states W. G. MacEdward, general passenger agent.

B. F. Slingerland of Alabaster was a pleasant caller Thursday at the Herald office. Mr. Slingerland is 96 years old.

Discovered Iodine in 1811 Iodine was discovered in 1811 by a French chemist, who, in trying to make gunpowder for Napoleon, treated calcium nitrate with the ash of sea weed.

Invented His Own Alphabet Sequoyah, a Georgia Indian, invented an alphabet of his own, although he was unable to read or write.

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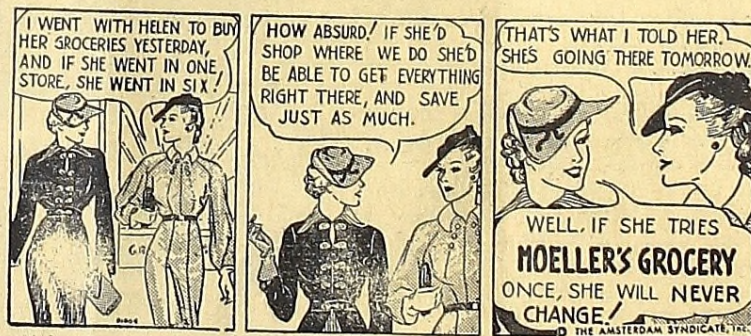
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Site of Garden of Eden
Archaeologists and biblical students, according to the New York Herald the first of this century, declared Ohio to be the site of the Garden of Eden—in Adams county, to be exact, where lies the great serpent mound, upon which they based their belief.

Barbara Fritchie
Barbara Fritchie was the heroine of Whittier's poem, "Barbara Fritchie." In it she is represented as a woman waving a Union flag from her window in Frederick, Md., while Stonewall Jackson's troops marched by.

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Hale

Miss June Clayton was hostess to 25 girls and young married women at a shower honoring Miss Vera Dillenbeck, a bride of the week. The evening was spent playing games and a delicious lunch was served. The bride received many useful and beautiful gifts for her new home.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Atkinson and family spent Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur White at Prescott.

Mr. and Mrs. Wells and Martha were Sunday visitors at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Ray Bannister. Little Virginia Webb and Omaha Atkinson are out of school this week with chicken-pox.

Miss Eunice Salisbury, DeGreta Spencer, Olive and Ray Gitchel Henry Nunn and Freeman Ewings attended the Snow Festival at Grayling Sunday.

For a bargain and a good night's sleep get one of the Mattresses and Box Springs at W. A. Evans Furniture Co. See advertisement. adv.

Mrs. Glenwood Streeter, who has been seriously ill with bronchial pneumonia, is improving slowly.

Julius Spencer is vacationing in Florida with his sister, Lila, and friends from Saginaw. At last report he was in Key West.

Mr. and Mrs. Duell Pearsall visited relatives in Birmingham over the week end. Mr. Pearsall's mother, who suffered a fractured vertebrae in an accident December 26, returned with them and will remain for some time.

Miss Vera Dillenbeck, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Dillenbeck, and Raymond Gray, of Whittemore, were united in marriage Saturday, January 21, at the Catholic parsonage in Omer. Miss Dillenbeck has been our librarian the past year, and the best wishes of her friends go with her to her new home.

Mrs. Chas. Kocher entertained the 500 Club Friday afternoon. Awards for high score went to Mrs. Laura Fleming, Mrs. Nora Docey and Mrs. Christina Webb. A delicious lunch was served after the games.

Mrs. Cora Johnson has been confined to her bed with strep throat. Her many friends wish her a speedy recovery.

Miss Shirley Streeter was hostess to the girls' finance club Wednesday evening. Prizes for high score went to Miss Dorothy Johnson and Miss Hazel Smith. Dainty refreshments were served.

The Ladies Aid Society entertained at a surprise party Friday evening, at the home of Mrs. Ross Bernard, honoring Mrs. Amy Bernard, the occasion being her birthday anniversary. The evening was spent in playing games, followed with refreshments. The ladies presented Mrs. Bernard with a Bible dictionary.

Mrs. Capt. Shellenberger returned from Samaritan Hospital, Bay City, Thursday afternoon.

Berkley Bernard is confined to his home with chicken-pox.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Rahl and son, Jim, were Hale visitors Sunday.

Those who attended P. T. A. Thursday evening were disappointed when the police officer scheduled to speak was unable to appear. However we hope to have our safety talk at a later date. The publicity committee being on the sick list has no report of the meeting, but we want to remind you again of the visiting Apple Blossom Club Friday, February 17, which we hope will make up for all disappointments. The meeting for this one month is held on Friday.

The Home Economics Club held their meeting at the library Tuesday, with the leaders, Erma Atkinson and Ida Peck, present. Rug making was the topic and many new ideas were introduced, also new methods of braiding. We expect to see at least one new rug in each home by spring.

LOST—Black and tan hound on north side of Tawas Lake. Finder please notify H. N. Butler or Herald Office. \$10.00 Reward. pd2

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Wilber

Arthur Furtaw, of Oscoda, was a supper guest at the G. Olson home on Friday evening.

Forest Maule, of Flint, is spending a time here with his grandmother, Mrs. C. Thompson.

Last Friday evening the Oscoda school bus came out and quite a number attended the speech given by Dr. J. E. Maddy, Professor of Music at the U. of M.

Miss Helen Randall, of Five Channels, spent Monday night of last week with Miss Inez Simmons.

Funeral services were held Sunday at the M. E. Church for Mrs. John Grinke, who passed away at her home last week Thursday.

Everyone is anxious to see the play "Always in Trouble" which is to be held at the M. E. Church January 31.

The Young Peoples class of Wilber were planning on attending the Young Peoples' rally at Whittemore last Saturday, but were disappointed to learn that it was necessary to postpone the meeting on account of Whittemore being quarantined with measles. The rally will be held sometime in the near future.

Bob Alda and Lloyd Davidson attended the 4-H meeting at Tawas City last Tuesday.

Miss Grace Ruggles went to Sterling last Sunday for an indefinite visit.

Meadow Road

Mrs. Bell spent a few days with relatives at Twinning.

Mrs. Thos. Scarlett is visiting at the home of her brother in Tawas City.

Floyd Gilson, of Pontiac, visited Philip Giroux Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Watts and Mr. and Mrs. Phil. Watts were Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mrs. Olla Parker.

Mrs. Ralph Burt visited at West Branch Friday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Alton Durant a son. He has been named Gail Alton.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith, of Mt. Morris, visited relatives in Grant Sunday.

Mrs. Howard Herriman has returned from Philadelphia, where she visited relatives.

Billie Collins, of Silver Creek, visited his parents near McIvor, Friday.

We are sorry to learn of the death of Joseph Rapp, and the sympathy of the entire community is extended to the bereaved family.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil. Watts, Edward Parker and Miss Cora Wrathell attended a dance at Skidway Lake, Saturday evening.

Color Blindness Hereditary

Color blindness, about which very little is known, is hereditary and affects boys to a greater degree than girls. At the same time, people who are color blind are generally above the average in intelligence.

Notice

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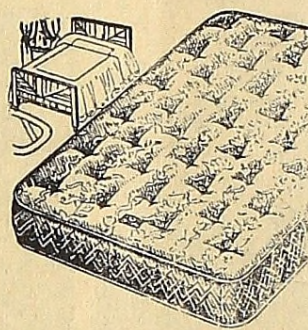
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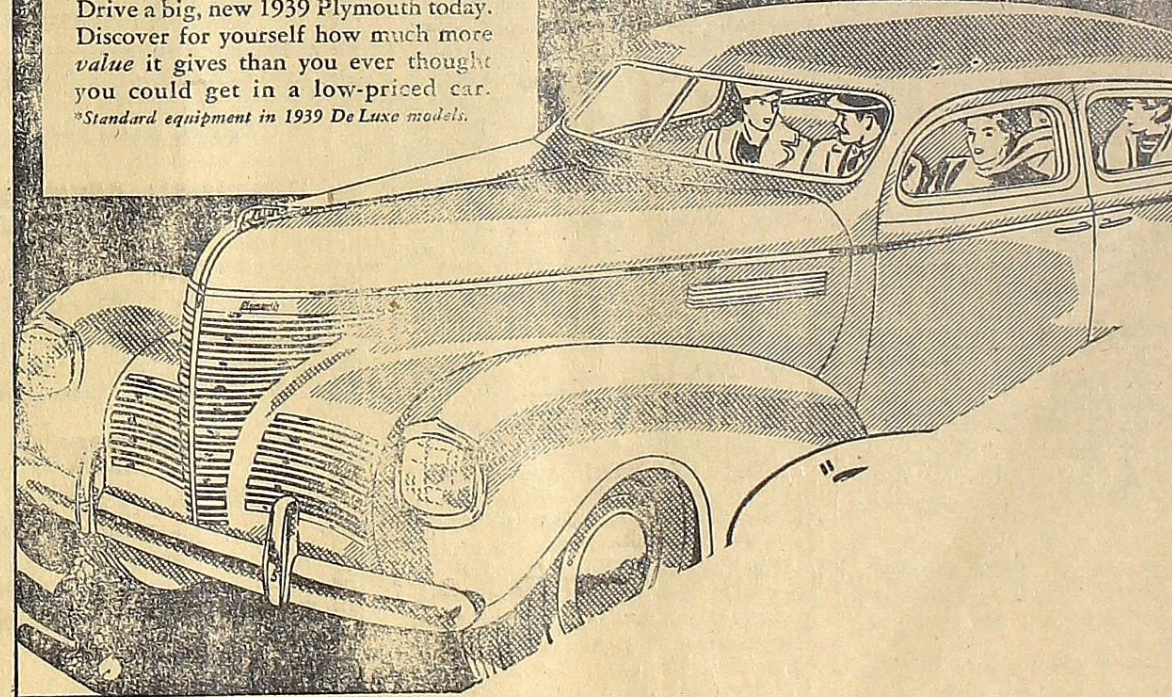
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Raisins	4 lbs.	27c
Sauerkraut, A & P	4 lg. cans	25c
Corn, Iona	4 cans	25c
Milk, Whitehouse	4 tall cans	25c
Roman Cleanser	bot.	10c
Rinso	2 lg. pkgs.	39c
Lux Flakes	lg. pkg.	23c
Lux or Lifebuoy	cake	6c
Spry	lb. 21c, 3 lbs.	52c
Store Cheese	lb.	19c
Wheaties	2 pkgs.	21c
Rice, Blue Rose	3 lbs.	10c
Red Cross Towels	2 rolls	19c
Maxwell House Coffee	lb.	27c
Mello Wheat	lg. pkg.	17c
Cocoa, Iona	2 lb. tin	17c
Our Own Tea	1-2 lb.	21c
Heinz Baby Foods	3 cans	25c
Northern Tissue	4 rolls	22c

Pink Salmon 2 cans 23c	Sultana Noodles Fine or Broad Per lb. 15c	Rolled Oats 5 lb. bag 21c
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CRUCIBLE

By BEN AMES WILLIAMS

CHAPTER XII—Continued

Phil watched Barbara, flushed and happy, moving easily about the court; and he thought, astonished: Mother doesn't seem to mind! She seems glad!

He said guardedly, "You think so?"

"Of course! And Dan's a fine young man."

"Well—I like him," Phil agreed. She smiled a little, wisely. "You're surprised at my—at the way I take it, aren't you, Phil?"

"Why, I know what you think of newspapers and reporters. And—I know you think marrying the right people is pretty important."

She nodded. "I've spoken my mind often enough, Phil," she asserted. "But I'm not at all sure my—mind was right. You remember, Phil, I—discovered something during your father's trial." He looked at her and she said: "I realized that I loved him."

"Of course, mother."

"Not at all, Phil. There's no 'of course' about it." She said, half to herself: "I didn't love him when we were married. I lived down on the Cape, and his father had a cottage there. He was rather a splendid figure. I thought I was marrying well, marrying money and family and position. But almost at once after we were married I fell—passionately in love with him. Brides often do, you know. If their husbands are wise."

"And I loved him till seven weeks before Barbara was born," she said explicitly. "And I haven't loved him since, till—" After a moment she said steadily, "Till I knew they would convict him and kill him, Phil."

He could not move or speak. He had only the vaguest understanding. He stammered something; and she said:

"It's curious, too, that there's no—desperation in my love for him now. At first the thought of what was to happen was terrible. And then it became unimportant. I have him now, and he has me; and no one, nothing, can separate us."

Phil said automatically, "Yes, mother!"

And she smiled like sun after rain. "So now nothing matters except that," she said. "But—I think when he is gone I shall join him pretty soon."

"Mother!"

"So I want Barbara to marry whom she loves," she said. "If it is Dan, it is Dan." She added, in a moment's weakness, "Only I shall need you both terribly for a little while."

"Gosh, mother—" He said that and no more; but suddenly he was afraid, thinking: She's lost weight lately. She looks—frail. Not tired. Strong—inside, but frail outside. He started to speak again, then saw her smile as the set ended and Dan and Barbara, laughing together, came toward them here. They went into the house, and Linda arrived, and Mrs. Sentry left the four young people alone downstairs. They had tea; and talked idly for a while, and Barbara was more and more silent till Dan spoke to her.

"What's on your mind, Barb? Penny for your thoughts."

"I was thinking about Mac," she confessed. "No one, for a moment, found anything to say; and she went on: 'And about father. You all think he's guilty, don't you?'"

She smiled a little, at their quick protestations. "All right, but I don't, you know," she said; and she confessed: "Oh, at first I did. I saw him come home that night, and I went into a sort of panic. We all did, I guess. I mean when he was arrested, and everything. We all lost our heads, believed all sorts of things."

"But I don't, now. I don't believe father would kill anybody! Not on purpose, anyway."

"Neither do I," Phil assured her, and she said:

"I don't see how the jury could think he did. But of course, I wasn't at the trial." And she asked directly: "What happened? Tell me about it."

Dan urged, "You'd better forget it, Barb."

But Phil said honestly: "Father admitted he killed her, Barbara. He said it was an accident, but the jury didn't believe him." And he urged: "But—there's no use talking about it. You'll just—get yourself sick again."

Barbara half smiled. "You're both awful cowards," she told them. "Like ostriches." And she appealed to Linda. "Lin, you tell me about it."

Linda shook her head. "I didn't even read the papers, most of the time, Barb. I just—stayed here with you, or stood by in case Phil wanted me."

Barbara nodded. "I know." She smiled in affectionate derision. "You and your Phil!" She appealed to Dan. "You were there in court every day," she remembered, and she began, persistently, to question him, and Dan perforce to answer,

till little by little she drew from him the whole dark tale. Except that he did not speak of the uglier part of Mr. Sentry's testimony.

She urged at last, acutely, "But Dan, if father did shoot her, and the revolver was touching her, he would have felt it, would he not?"

"He said he didn't feel anything," "Then if he didn't, someone else shot her. She must have been already dead, before he got upstairs there."

Phil said unhappily: "Barb, father shot her all right. He said it was an accident, and—I think it was. I believe him; but the jury didn't, and they were the ones to decide. That's what juries are for."

"But suppose they found another bullet?" she argued. "Then everyone would have to believe him!"

Phil caught Linda's eye. "Lin and I have already looked," he said. We went over the place with a fine-tooth comb; but we didn't find a thing."

And suddenly it was June. In May, July had seemed far away; but now it was just around the corner.

On the third of June, Mr. Falkran telephoned to ask whether he could



"Read That, Old Man!" He Cried.

see Phil and Mrs. Sentry that evening. Mrs. Sentry bade him come. Mr. Hare had suggested to Phil long ago that a commutation might save Mr. Sentry's life. Phil had not mentioned the possibility to his mother; but when she told him, on his return from the office that day, that Mr. Falkran was coming in the evening, and wondered why, Phil remembered Mr. Hare's remark months before.

"I expect," he said, "he wants to discuss asking the Governor to commute the sentence to life imprisonment."

Her pupils dilated; her eyes widened. "Oh!" she murmured.

He reflected: "We don't want Barbara here when he comes. I'll ask Linda to—take her away somewhere, on some excuse." And at his mother's assenting nod he went to the telephone.

Linda was quick to do what he asked. So when at a little after eight Falkran rang the bell, Phil and his mother were alone; and Phil himself went to the door.

"During the trial, I did my full duty as I saw it," Falkran said. "I used every means I could discover to secure at least a disagreement. Regardless of a client's guilt or innocence, he is entitled to every legal protection. If his fate is in a jury's hands, then he has a right to expect that every possible means shall be used to create a doubt of his guilt in the jury's mind. I did all I could."

Mrs. Sentry nodded. "I know." She smiled. "I did all I could too, Mr. Falkran."

"Yes," he agreed. "We all did. Barring the possibility that higher courts might have found some error by the State, Mr. Sentry had every protection. But he didn't want to appeal on technicalities. And the jury believed him guilty."

He hesitated, then went on: "Yet there are grounds for asking mercy for him too. Not a pardon. We cannot hope for that. But a commutation is possible. District Attorney Flood will not oppose it. Of course, he cannot support our petition; but he will stand neutral. Mr. Sentry's character, his long and honorable life, all count in his favor. And—it is always possible that the tragedy might have been an accident, as Mr. Sentry testified."

Mrs. Sentry considered for a while, sitting very quietly; so that Phil came to her side and she held his hand while she faced the lawyer. "What would we do?" she asked then. "What is the procedure?"

"I want you to understand," Falk-

ran explained, "that Mr. Hare agrees with me that an appeal to the Governor is justified. Mr. Flood, as I said, will not oppose it; and I have consulted a number of Mr. Sentry's friends."

And he went on, "The first step would be to have a hearing before the Governor and Council; to present evidence as to Mr. Sentry's life and character, and to call attention to some points in the evidence at the trial—the possibility of accident."

"A public hearing?"

"Yes," He added quickly: "But you would not need to attend that. Only afterward, you would want to make a personal appeal to the Governor."

"But suppose they found another bullet?" she argued. "Then everyone would have to believe him!"

She passed her hand across her eyes. "When?" she asked, in a whisper.

He said thoughtfully: "I should first lay the groundwork. Perhaps in two or three weeks. Say the third week in June."

Mrs. Sentry rose, clinging for a moment to the arms of her chair, then standing erect. She caught Phil's arm, supporting herself so.

"Very well," she promised. "If you advise it, I will do it."

But when Falkran was gone—she

held fast to Phil, so that the lawyer went alone to the door—she said in a low tone, "Don't leave me, Phil."

"Of course not, I won't," "I'm all right," she whispered, "as long as I have you and Barbara." She added, smiling weakly: "At least I think I am. But it will seem strange to me to beg!"

"Father wouldn't want you to, mother!"

"I think I shall be proud to do it," she replied.

They had another letter from Mary; this time from Paris, brief, defiant. She wrote:

Dear Mother:

This is just to keep you all in touch with my progressing career. Of course I have occasional news of you, viva voce and in the well-known public prints; but I haven't broken into the newspapers—yet.

I ran into Jimmy Endle the other day. He's not a bad chap unless you're married to him. Also Gus Loran is here. Mrs. Loran is treating herself to a Paris divorce. I seem to fascinate Gus. My fatal beauty, my pretty little beef baron—did I tell you we were married—is terribly jealous. Maybe he'll take me home and make me eat pampas tangoes and things. I don't even know whether you fry them or boil them.

Having a fine time. Wish you were here.

Mary.

Motions of Moon Are Proved by Modern Theory Developed After Lunar Research

Six automatic computing machines as large as pianos, operating for two years in Columbia university's astronomical laboratories, have verified the modern theory of the motions of the moon, which was developed after lunar research and calculations by Prof. Ernest W. Brown, Yale university astronomer and mathematician.

Professor Brown's theory has enabled astronomers since 1923 to make accurate predictions of eclipses and calculate the position of the moon at any instant. The Yale scientist collaborated with Prof. Wallace J. Eckert of Columbia, who supervised the system of automatic astronomical computation, in proving the original findings.

The machines, according to Professor Eckert, showed that Newton's law of gravitation had been applied accurately in the lunar theory and that the mathematical tables of the moon's position and motion, published by Professor Brown more than 15 years ago and used since then by navigators throughout the world, were entirely correct.

Operation of the machines, perfected two years ago by Professor

Eckert for exclusive use in intricate astronomical work, is based on the "punched card" method of tabulation, first devised by Herman Hollerith in compiling the United States census of 1890. Holes representing mathematical figures are punched into small cards, which are fed into a tabulating mechanism at the rate of 7,000 to 8,000 an hour.

The cards move from the sorting machines to other machines which add, subtract, and multiply by means of electrical contact. More than 250,000 such cards were employed in the lunar research. The first 5,000 cards were hand-punched from Professor Brown's data, and the rest were perforated by the machines.

Whales Named for Appearance

The bottlenose whale and the humpback whale are named for their appearance, but the largest creature that ever lived on earth, bigger than elephant or prehistoric monster, is the blue whale or Sibbald's Rorqual, named after the Scottish naturalist, Sibbald, who first described it. It sometimes exceeds one hundred feet.

WHAT to EAT and WHY

C. Houston Goudiss Analyzes the Food Values of Nuts; Discusses Their Place in the Menu

By C. HOUSTON GOUDISS

There is one food that can lay claim to being almost universal. It is eaten with relish by people in almost every quarter of the globe. It forms a main article of diet for the natives of some tropical countries, and is said to have been important in the dietary of early settlers in America. I refer to nuts.

Nuts, of course, are seeds. But unlike most other seeds used for food by man, they grow in a hard shell that does not open naturally when ripe.

This forms a sealed package which makes nuts easy to store, and comparatively easy to keep.

A Concentrated Food

Nuts are a highly concentrated food and provide a large amount of food value in a small, convenient form. Once they are shelled, there is very little waste in using them. It has been suggested, therefore, that they might profitably appear in the daily menu far more frequently than they do.



There are many different kinds of nuts, and they vary in composition. Some of them contain large amounts of both protein and fat. Others contain a preponderance of fat, while a third group is starchy.

The protein of many nuts has been found to be rather similar to that in meat and fish. In fact, most nuts are classed as complete proteins, meaning that their protein is of a type which is capable both of supporting growth and repairing worn-out body tissue.

Comparison With Grains

Because they are somewhat similar in nutritional character, nuts have been compared to various grains. In regard to protein, however, they may be said to serve as a supplement to the proteins of some grains.

The high fuel value of many nuts is due to their fat content. Coconuts, pecans and walnuts are especially rich in fat, containing respectively 50.6 per cent, 70.5 per cent, and 64.4 per cent of fat. A few varieties, such as chestnuts and lichi nuts, so popular with the Chinese, are more notable for their carbohydrates. Like most starchy foods, chestnuts are improved by cooking, and therefore, are preferably roasted before eating. Fresh chestnuts contain a little over 42 per cent and dried chestnuts a little over 74 per cent of carbohydrates.

Mineral and Vitamin Values

The amount of mineral salts in nuts varies with the type. Generally speaking, however, nuts are considered a rich source of phosphorus and a good source of manganese and of copper and iron, required for the formation of the hemoglobin or red pigment in the blood.

Most nuts are considered a poor source of calcium; or at best only a fair source of this mineral which is required for helping to build teeth and bones. Two noted investigators, however, determined as a result of careful experiments, that in adults the calcium of almonds was fairly well utilized by the body. It is not as well utilized, however, as the calcium of milk.

Nuts are not regarded as a significant source of any vitamin except B, though some kinds have also been found to contain vitamin A. As they are frequently served

in combination with fruits, however . . . in salads and as desserts . . . the fruit-nut combination usually supplies a substantial amount of minerals and vitamins.

Place in the Menu

Because of their content of protein and fat, nuts are frequently compared with meats and may be used interchangeably with meats. They make a splendid protein food to serve at lunch, supper or even dinner. They are especially good when combined with vegetables, or a carbohydrate food such as rice or noodles, and made into croquettes, patties, and casserole combinations that constitute a one-dish main course.

A Food—Not a Tidbit

Nutritionists are of the opinion that nuts might well constitute a larger part of the American dietary . . . chiefly because they are such an economical source of protein and of energy values. Though they can be used for a main dish

as an alternative to meat, it is not advisable to allow them to replace milk or eggs.

It is highly desirable, however, that homemakers and their families regard nuts as a food and not as a tidbit to be served at the end of a meal that is already nutritionally adequate.

Thorough Mastication Desirable

It is also important to encourage the thorough chewing of nuts, as this helps to make them more easily digestible. For children, nut butters are especially desirable. Some nuts are also prepared in the form of meal or pastes. In these forms it is not difficult for the digestive juices to penetrate them, and nuts may be considered as easily digestible as other foods of similar composition. Because they are highly concentrated, as we have seen, it is also advisable to include foods containing a generous amount of bulk or cellulose when nuts are included in a menu.

Questions Answered

Mrs. B. T. L.—There is no important change in the nutritive quality of eggs when they are cooked. As this food does not contain vitamin C, it cannot be destroyed in the cooking.

Mrs. D. T. F.—The reason that some pickles are a light green in color is that chlorophyll is partially destroyed during fermentation. This is probably due, at least in part, to the acid formed during fermentation.

Smart Advance Fashions



Monastic Dress for Girls

This is the success of the season—the most exciting of all new fashions—and it's the easiest thing in the world to make with the diagram. It hangs loose and straight from the shoulder yoke, and drapes into soft, graceful fullness when the belt is fastened round it. Every girl who wears 10-to-16 sizes should have this charming new fashion—in silk print, flat crepe or thin wool.

The Patterns.

1664 is designed for sizes, 12, 14, 16, 18, 20 and 40. Size 14 requires 1 1/4 yards of 39 inch material for short-sleeved blouse; 2 1/2 yards for long-sleeved. 2 yards of 54 inch material for the skirt.

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Send your order to The Sewing Circle Pattern Dept., Room 1020, 211 W. Wacker Dr., Chicago, Ill. Price of patterns, 15 cents (in coins) each.

Constipated? You Should Get at the Cause!

Lots of people think they can't be "regular" without frequent trips to the medicine chest. "I just dose up and get it over," they tell you. But doctors know they don't "get over" at all—until they get at the cause of the trouble!

Chances are it's simple to find the cause if you eat only what most people do—meat, bread, potatoes. It's likely you don't get enough "bulk." And "bulk" doesn't mean a lot of food. It's a kind of food that isn't consumed in the body, but leaves a soft, "bulky" mass in the intestines and helps a bowel movement.

If that fits you, your ticket is a crunchy breakfast cereal—Kellogg's All-Bran. It contains the "bulk" you need plus the great intestinal tonic, vitamin B.

Eat All-Bran every day, drink plenty of water, and just watch the old world grow brighter! Made by Kellogg in Battle Creek.

Man Higher Up

Visitor—Is the master of the house in?

Worried Father—Sh! He's asleep upstairs in his cradle!



AROUND the HOUSE Items of Interest to the Housewife

Lowering High Ceilings.—One way to help make a ceiling look lower is to use simple valances at high windows.

For Coffee Stains.—Remove coffee stains from table linen with glycerin. Apply glycerin and let stand three or four hours or until stain disappears.

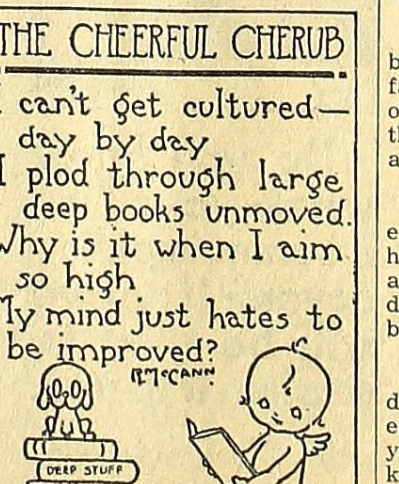
Use for Old Christmas Cards.—When you are through with your Christmas cards, the children will enjoy cutting, pasting and redecorating them.

Flavoring Mashed Potatoes.—One teaspoon of onion juice or half a sliced raw onion added to mashed potatoes gives them a different flavor.

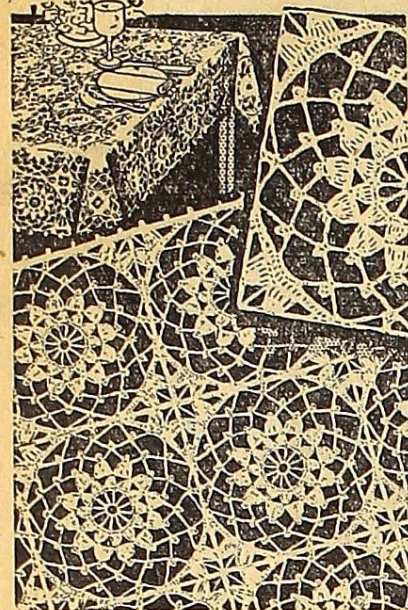
Save Your Back.—Whether to buy a stove with a working surface over a low oven or a high oven, it may pay to remember that bending requires four times as much energy as standing.

Safety Measure.—Chemical fire extinguishers have saved many homes from being reduced to ashes. Even a bucket of sand or damp sawdust is effective if used before a fire gets too much started.

The Child's Chair.—A child's dining chair should be only deep enough to support his back and yet shallow enough to allow his knees to bend, and it should have a support if the child's feet do not reach the floor.



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Use up those odd moments crocheting this square that you'll know by heart in no time. Six inches in string, an excellent size for cloths and spreads, it also lends itself effectively to many small accessories in finer cotton. Pattern 1849 contains directions for making the square; illustrations of it and of stitches; materials required; photograph of square.

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Starving Was One Thing Webster Couldn't Stand

Daniel Webster once was sued by his butcher for a bill of long standing. While the suit was still in court, he met the butcher on the street, and to that worthy's embarrassment said: "Why have you not sent around for my order? I have not moved from my place of abode."

"Why, Mr. Webster," said the man, "I am sorry, but I did not think you wanted to deal with me after I had brought this suit against you." "Tut, tut," said Webster, "sue all you wish, but for heaven's sake, don't try to starve me to death."—Boston Globe.

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Hard Work

In every line of activity nine-tenths of the prescription for success consists of plain, everyday, honest hard work.

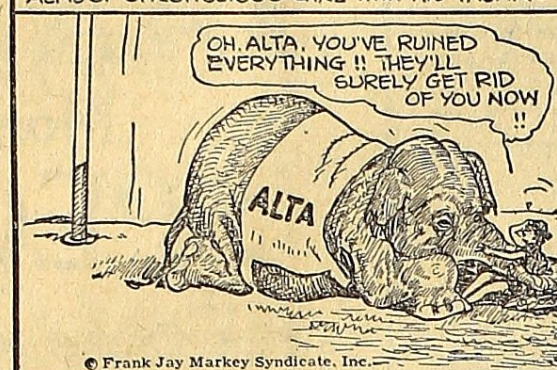
No amount of talent will free a man from the necessity for hard work. You can have as much success as you like, but you've got to be willing to pay its price in the only coin that passes current in the market where success is sold—hard work.

Hard work alone will accomplish remarkable results. But hard work with method and system will perform seeming miracles.

Fun for the Whole Family

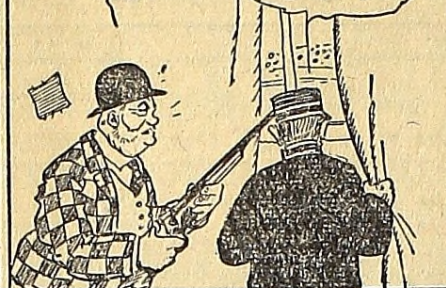
BIG TOP

HAVING KNOCKED MYRA DOWN UNINTENTIONALLY DURING HIS MAD RUSH AFTER THE RINGMASTER, ALTA NOW KNEELED DOWN AND RAISED THE ALMOST UNCONSCIOUS GIRL WITH HIS TRUNK.

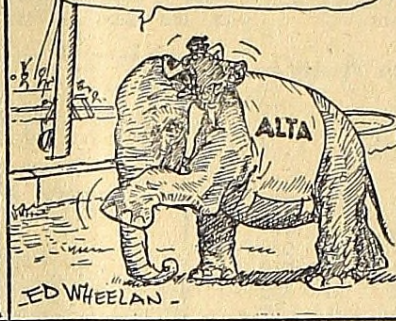


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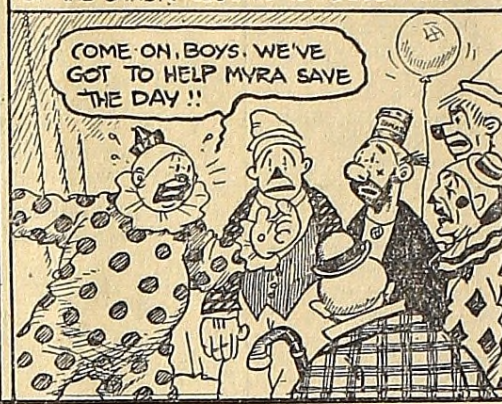
LOOKS LIKE THE "BULL" IS HELPIN' MYRA CLIMB ONTO HIS HEAD, MISTER BANGS!!



THANK GOODNESS, I'M NOT HURT, ALTHO I GUESS I FAINTED FOR A MOMENT FROM THE SHOCK! ALTA WE MUST PUT UP ANOTHER BLUFF... GET MOVING, OLD GIRL!!

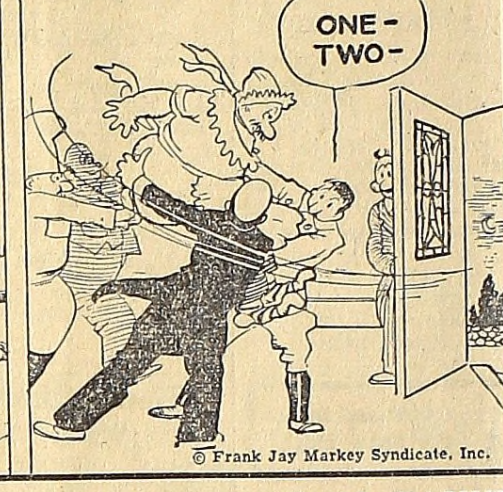
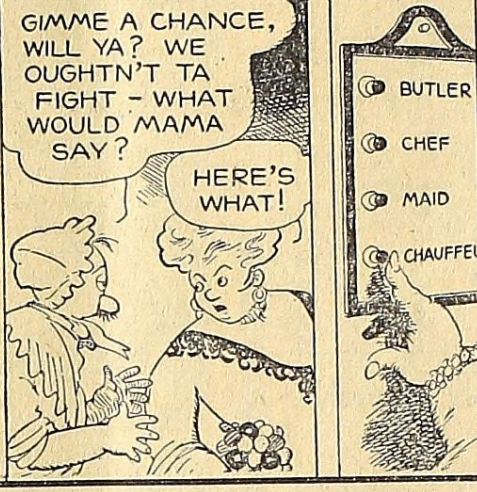


"BUTCH" SNYDER SUDDENLY SAW WHAT MYRA WAS PLANNING TO DO, AND CALLED TO SOME OF THE OTHER CLOWNS TO FOLLOW HIM.



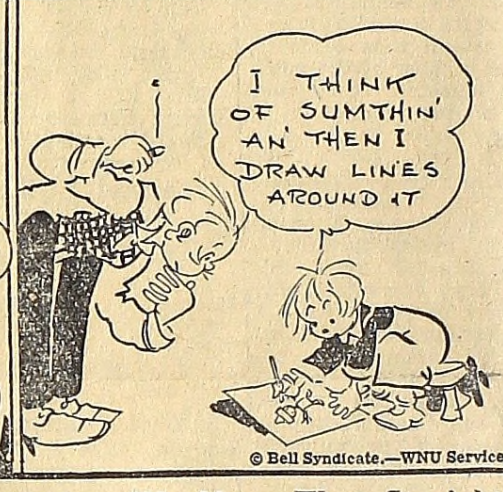
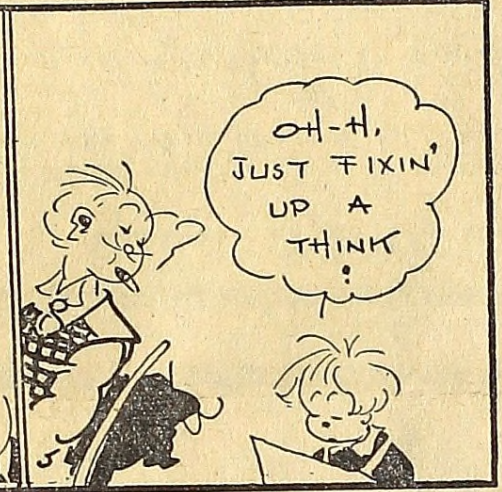
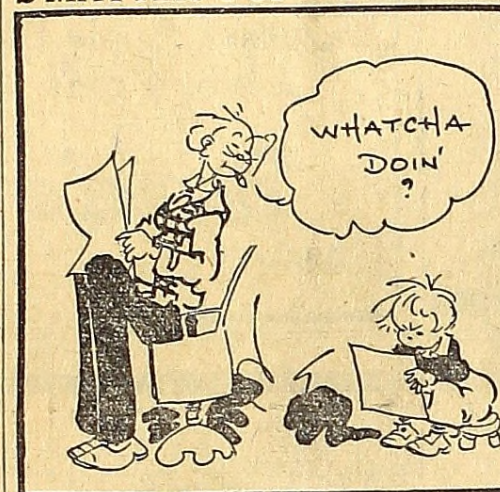
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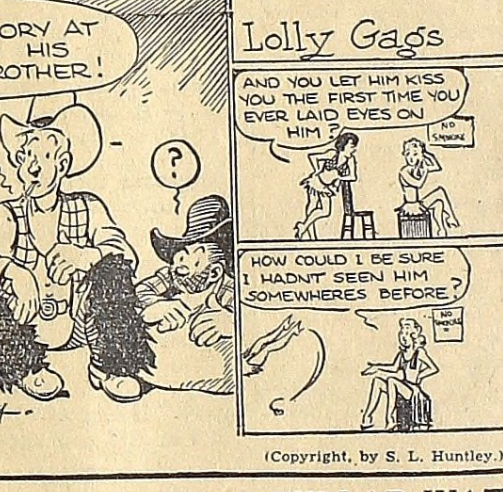
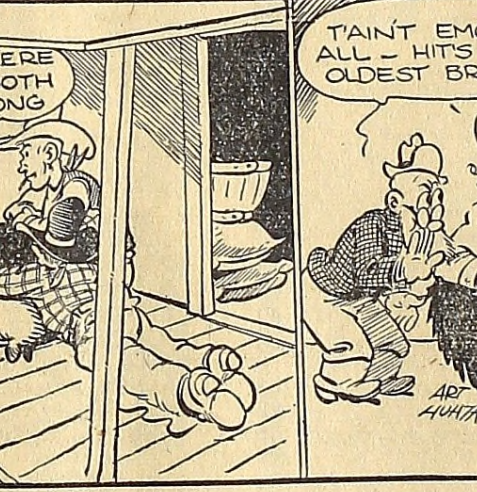
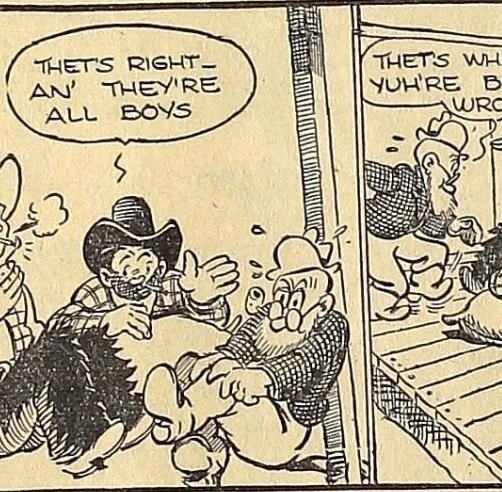
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S'MATTER POP—S-sh! That's a Cartoonist's Secret!



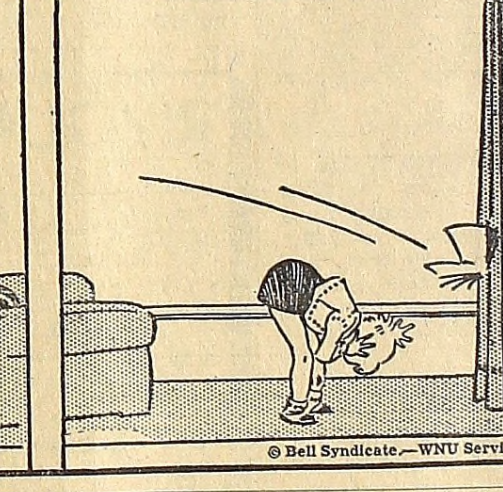
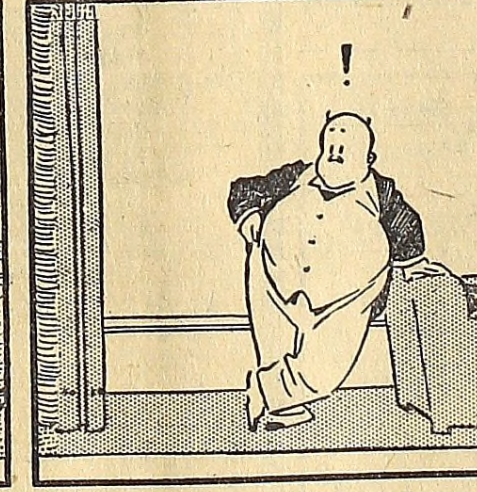
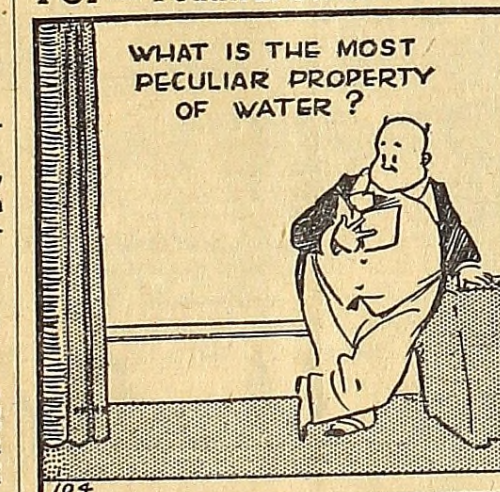
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Well, Now We Have That Straight

POP—Youthful Scientist



By J. MILLAR WATT

Curse of Progress



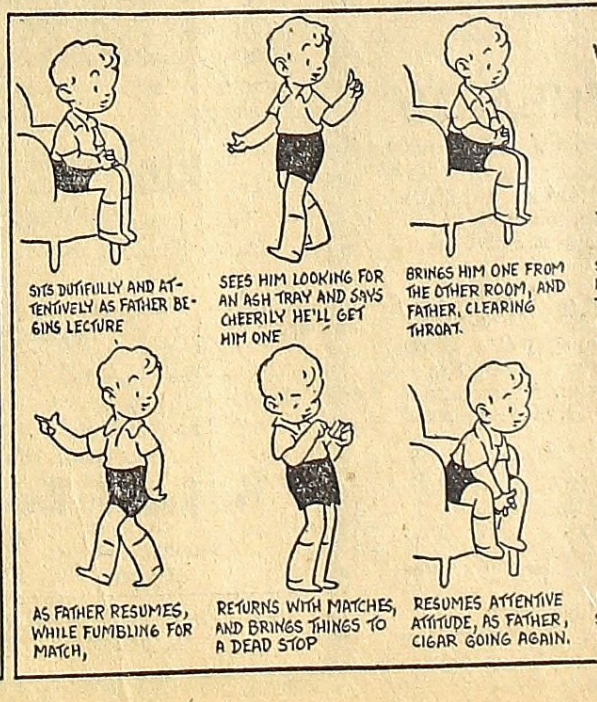
EXPLAINED

A tourist at breakfast at the picturesque inn asked the proprietor: "Is it true that the duke of Wellington once stayed at this inn?" "Quite true," replied the proprietor. "He slept in the very room you had last night, and, what is more, he used the very same bed." "Ah," said the tourist, "now I know why he was called the Iron Duke."—Tit-Bits Magazine.

Revenge Coming
"Jeepers!" quavered the high school lad, "I'm gonna be initiated into Etta Rho Dent t'night an' I'm scared stiff!" "Why?" asked a chum. "Cause two weeks ago I sold my second-hand car to th' fraternity president!"—Washington Post.

Beyond His Means
"What, you own a whole row of up-to-date houses and haven't got one to live in yourself?" "That's so. You see, I've raised the rent so much that I can't afford to pay it."—Stray Stories Magazine.

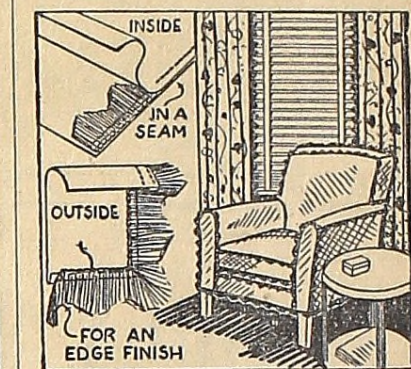
HELPFUL By GLUYAS WILLIAMS



Fringe for Curtains and for Slip Covers

By RUTH WYETH SPEARS
"DEAR MRS. SPEARS: With the help of Book 1, I have just made a slip cover for a wing chair. I never would have tried it if your directions had not been so clear. I am now planning another slip cover and draperies which I would like to trim in fringe. Will you please show me with a sketch how I should sew the fringe? Also should the draperies and chair match?—M. J. N."

This reader evidently agrees with the Chinese proverb, "One picture is worth a thousand words." So here are the sketches showing how to apply fringe in the seams of slip covers and also



for an edge finish. The raw edge of the material in the lower sketch is turned to the right side and fringe is stitched over it.

If figured draperies are used, the best effect is obtained if not more than one slip cover in the room is of figured material. Plain slip covers may match one or more of the colors in draperies, rug or wall paper.

NOTE: Now is the time to give your house a fresh start. Crisp new curtains; a bright slip cover; a new lampshade; or ottoman will do the trick. Make these things yourself. Mrs. Spears' Book 1—SEWING, for the Home Decorator, shows you how with step by step, easy to follow sketches. Book 2—Gifts, Novelties and Embroidery, will give you a new interest for long winter evenings. It contains complete directions for making many useful things. Books are 25 cents each; if you order both books, Patchwork Quilt Leaflet is included free; it contains 36 authentic stitches illustrated in detail. Address: Mrs. Spears, 210 S. Desplaines St., Chicago, Ill.

Inward Guidance

In a word, neither death nor exile, nor pain, nor anything of this kind is the real cause of our doing or not doing any action, but our inward opinions and principles.—Epictetus.

A Three Days' Cough Is Your Danger Signal

No matter how many medicines you have tried for your common cough, chest cold, or bronchial irritation, you may get relief now with Creomulsion. Serious trouble may be brewing and you cannot afford to take a chance with any remedy less potent than Creomulsion, which goes right to the seat of the trouble and aids nature to soothe and heal the inflamed mucous membranes and to loosen and expel germ-laden phlegm.

Even if other remedies have failed, don't be discouraged, try Creomulsion. Your druggist is authorized to refund your money if you are not thoroughly satisfied with the benefit obtained. Creomulsion is one word, ask for it plainly, see that the name on the bottle is Creomulsion, and you'll get the genuine product and the relief you want. (Adv.)

What to Remember
Friendship consists in forgetting what one gives, and remembering what one receives.—Dumas.

How Women in Their 40's Can Attract Men

Here's good advice for a woman during her change (usually from 38 to 42), who fears she'll lose her appeal to men, who worries about hot flashes, loss of pep, dizzy spells, upset nerves and moody spells. Get more fresh air, 8 hrs. sleep and if you E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made especially for women. It helps Nature build up physical resistance, thus helps give more vivacity to enjoy life and assist calming jittery nerves and disturbing symptoms that often accompany change of life. WELL WORTH TRYING!

First to Act
Among the wise, the brain acts before the mouth.

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Polluted Wells
Waters from wells in limestone are frequently polluted owing to the fact that limestone soils usually contain passages or channels at different depths. These sometimes run long distances underground, and may carry water which is polluted from a long distance away from where the well is sunk.

Whigs of English History
In English history the Whigs were liberal. They were the anti-court, anti-clerical party as distinguished from the Tories, who tended to support the old privileges of the king and clergy.

Discovered Coast Resort Site
Dinard, the fashionable coast resort of France, was first discovered by an American named Coppinger in 1860, while in search of good fishing.

Naming Bedloe's Island
Bedloe's island, on which the Statue of Liberty stands, was named after a French settler in New York, Nicolai Bethlo.

New FAMILY
Northern Michigan's Finest East Tawas

Saturday-Friday
January 27 and 28
DeLuxe Double Bill
GENE AUTRY In
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also
Pat O'Brien * Joan Blondell In
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"Double Diving"

Sunday-Monday
January 29 and 30
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"Blue Barron and Orchestra"
Color Cartoon

Tuesday-Wednesday-Thursday
January 31, February 1 and 2
2-DeLuxe Features-2



Metropolitan Picture
NORMA
SHEARER
Clark GABLE
Clarence BROWN'S
Production of
Joli's Delight
with EDWARD ARNOLD
CHARLES COBURN
JOSEPH SCHILDKRAUT

—and—
LLOYD NOLAN
Glady's Swarthout IN
'Ambush'

Sun. and Mon., February 5-6
Eleanore Powell .. In
HONOLULU
It's a New M-G-M Hit

School Notes

HIGH SCHOOL
Examinations are now in progress for all subjects. The report cards will be issued Wednesday and will contain the marks received on the final examinations and also the final marks for the semester.

The tenth grade botany class will use a text during the second semester. The work of the first semester has consisted largely of field work, experiments and lectures.

It is expected that the ninth grade citizenship class will do considerable special work during the second semester. Some of this work will consist of the study of safety for automobile drivers, the Michigan High School Athletic Association, and rules of conduct.

John King and Harold Ross spoke at the banquet of the local Chamber of Commerce which was held Monday evening at the Lakeside Lodge. John spoke concerning the physical aspects of the proposed school Auditorium-gymnasium and community center, and Harold explained the benefits to be expected from such a building. It was self-evident that both speakers had the interest of their listeners.

Two films were shown Monday. These films, "Man Against Microbe" and "Conquest of Diphtheria" were furnished by the University, and Douglas Ferguson kindly furnished the machine.

SEVENTH and EIGHTH GRADES.
A hygiene examination was given to the seventh graders last Tuesday afternoon consisting of forty-three questions. Evelyn Colby had three and one-half questions wrong, and received highest score. Roy Landon and Maxine DePotty having five wrong received second place and Neil Libka came in third with seven mistakes.

We are now beginning our work for the second semester. Ellen Malcolm went to Flint Wednesday to see her brother who is ill.

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nominations for a secretary to succeed Verne Byrum who leaves the city. H. Read Smith was nominated and unanimously elected secretary. This year's Perch Festival then came up for discussion. A number of the members present indicated that they thought a one day program would be better than three days. It was also suggested that a free "fish fry" be included in the program. Inasmuch as there is a large amount of work connected with the position of chairman of the Perch Festival committee, President Babcock asked for a volunteer to head that committee this year. After nearly everyone present had tried to encourage his neighbor to volunteer, and it seemed that no volunteer was forthcoming, H. J. Keiser arose and accepted the job. As president of the Chamber of Commerce and a member of various committees during past years, Mr. Keiser has given a large amount of time and effort to our Perch Festivals. Much of the success of these festivals can be ascribed to his work and we can look forward to another successful event this year. The Chamber of Commerce members pledged their wholehearted co-operation to Mr. Keiser.

L. D. S. Church
Elder M. A. Sommerfield, Pastor
Sunday—10:00 A. M. Unified services
First period, administering the Sacrament.
10:45 A. M. Second period, church school and classes
7:45 P. M. Song service
8:00 P. M. Elder B. H. Doty, District President, will preach, he will also preach on Monday and Tuesday evening at 8:00 P. M.
8:00 P. M. Wednesday evening Prayer meeting.

Fifteenth Century Ships
Erosion of the coast at the mouth of the Ganges, in India, revealed the remains of Fifteenth century ships at a place where there was once a great shipbuilding industry.

Suez Route Through Lakes
The route chosen for the Suez canal was largely determined by the presence of a chain of lakes. Otherwise it could have been built for a distance of 72 miles only instead of the 101.

IOSCO
Theatre * OSCODA

FRIDAY and SATURDAY
January 27 and 28
Jeanette MacDonald, Nelson Eddy
In Victor Herbert's
"SWEETHEARTS"
It's Entirely in Beautiful Technicolor

SUNDAY, MONDAY, TUESDAY
January 29, 30 and 31
Janet Gaynor, Douglas Fairbanks, Jr., Paulette Goddard .. In
"The Young in Heart"

with Roland Young, Billie Burke.
Story: Taken from the Saturday Evening Post serial, "The Gay Banditti," by I. A. R. Wylie—read by millions.

THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY
February 2, 3 and 4 .. In
The Jones Family
"Down on The Farm"

—Also—
Another Crime Does Not Pay
The latest issue of "The March of Time."
Comedy—"Opening Day"

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Tawas Merchants 2199, second high Barkman Lumber Co. 2071; Single game team total, Barkman Lumber Co., 806, Tawas Merchants 760; high individual three-game total, Earl Davis 495; high individual single game Dr. LeClair 191.

On Wednesday evening in the Girls' league the Hurlers won three points from the Jitterbugs; the Black and Whites won two points from the Bells; the Red Wings won two points from the Ifies.

Mrs. Rhea Yanka, of the Ifies, had high score of the evening with 151.

"Doc" LeClair has been steadily improving in his bowling, he has reached the point where he can "spot" the boys a few pins a game.

Following are the team standings of the various leagues:

TEAM STANDINGS MAJOR LEAGUE

Team	W	L	Pct.
Carlson's Grocery	9	3	.750
Old Style	8	4	.667
Klenow Service	7	5	.583
Tawas Laundry	7	5	.583
Mobilgas	6	6	.500
Forest Service	5	7	.417
*Reta's Cafe	3	9	.250
Ted's Lunch	3	9	.250

*Was formerly the A. & P. team

GOOD FELLOWSHIP LEAGUE

Team	W	L	Pct.
Phoenix Beer	15	15	.500
Beal Nursery	15	15	.500
Tawas Merchants	15	15	.500
Barkman Lumber Co.	15	15	.500

THE GIRLS LEAGUE

Team	W	L	Pct.
Ifies	19	8	.708
Black and Whites	18	9	.667
Red Wings	16	11	.592
Bells	9	12	.428
Jitterbugs	9	18	.333
Hurlers	5	16	.237

Zion Lutheran Church
Ernest Ross, Pastor

Saturday, January 28—
Saturday school of instruction in Religion, 9:00 to 11:30 a. m.
Sunday, January 29—
Sunday School, 9:00 a. m.
Services 10:00 A. M., German
Thursday, February 2—
Ladies' Aid, 2:30 P. M., Hostess
Mrs. Ernest Moeller, Jr.
Friday, February 3—
Board meeting, 8:00 P. M.

Emanuel Lutheran Church
Rev. J. J. Roekle, Pastor
Sunday, January 29—
10:00 A. M. English
11:00 A. M. German
Monday, January 30—
Choir rehearsal, 8:00 P. M.
Friday, February 3—
8:00 P. M. Bible class

Christ Episcopal Church
Sunday, January 29—
11:00 A. M. Morning prayer.
Wm. Fitzhugh, lay reader.
You are Welcome.

Grace Lutheran Church
Augustina Synod
East Tawas
Glen Pierson, Student Pastor
Sunday Schedule—
10:00 A. M. Church school
11:00 A. M. Divine worship
Welcome to Grace Church

The Taj Mahal
The Taj Mahal is a mausoleum at Agra, India, erected in the middle of the Seventeenth century by Shah Jahan in memory of his wife, Mumtaz. It is built of marble, encrusted with jasper, agate, carnelian and other precious stones. It took 20,000 men 22 years to build it, at a cost equal to \$15,000,000.

Energy Similar to Radium
The principal radioactive substances besides radium are uranium, thorium and actinium.

RIVOLA THEATRE
Tawas City

Friday and Saturday
January 27 and 28
2-Features-2
KEN MAYNARD

"Honor of The Range"
Also
Ramon Navarro

"Desperate Adventure"
Sun., Mon. and Tue.
January 29, 30 and 31
Matinee Sunday at 3 P. M.
Penny Arthur
Singleton Lake

IN
"BLONDIE"
Your Favorite Comic Strip Characters Come to Life

Wednesday - Thursday
February 1 and 2
Randolph Scott
Hope Hampton
Glenda Farrell

"The Road To Reno"
Comedy Action
Drama

SHOWING THE NEWEST PICTURES

Ownership of Mississippi
The Mississippi river is under the jurisdiction of the states which border it, the boundary line being in the middle of the river. For purposes of interstate commerce and navigation the federal navigation laws apply since this is a navigable stream. The United States, however, does not own either bank.

Horse Helped Elect President
"Old Whitey," the horse ridden by General Taylor in our war with Mexico, was a political symbol in his day which helped elect his master to the Presidency.

Truth, Fact
Truth, fact, is the life of all things; falsity, "fiction," or whatever it may call itself, is certain to be the death.—Thomas Carlyle.

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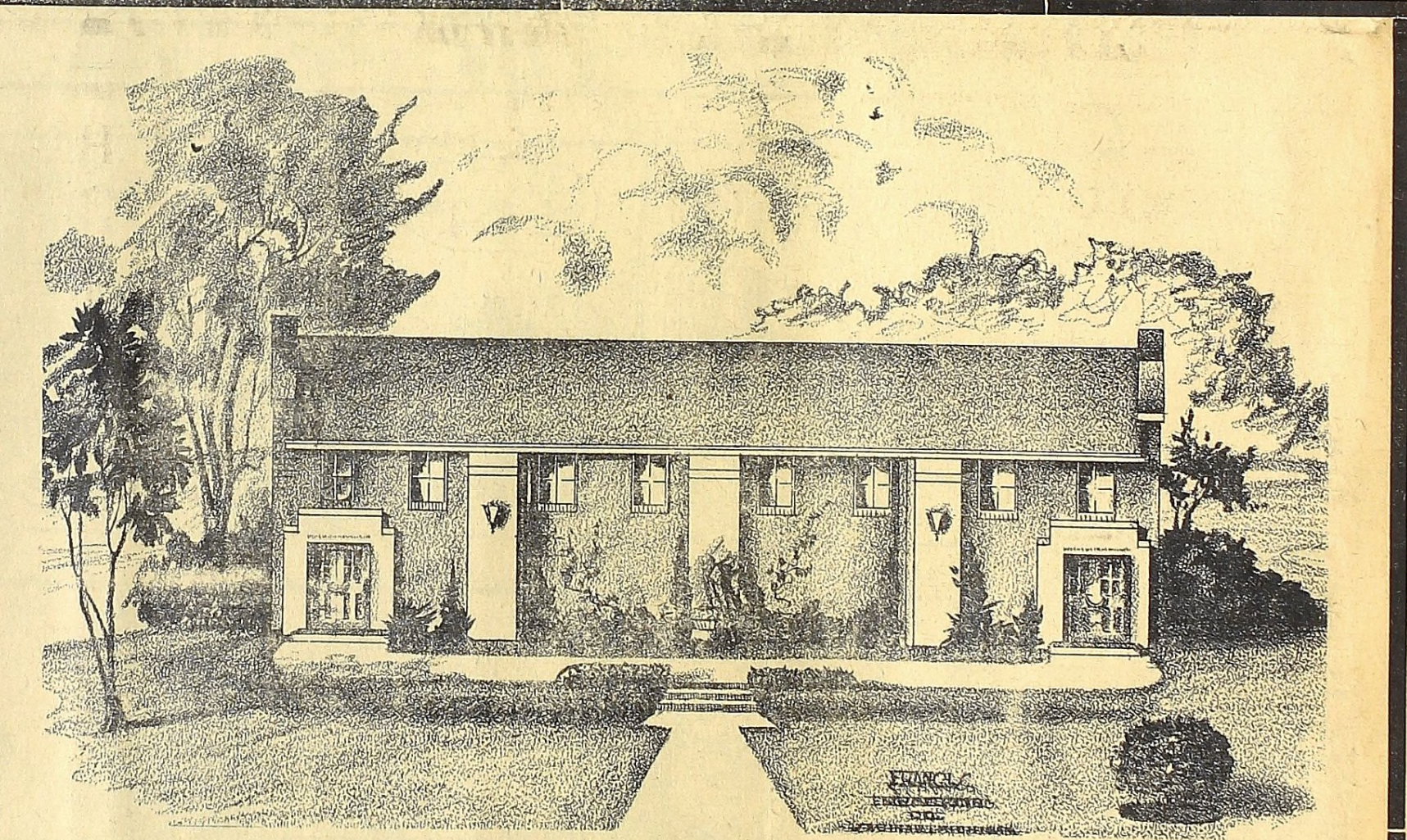
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Ebony
Ebony is the heartwood of several different tropical African and Asiatic trees. The best ebony is a deep black, although other varieties vary in color through several shades of brown. The term, ebony, is also applied to the wood of trees other than true ebonies, including the green ebony of the West Indies and the bastard ebony of Brazil.

Variation in Needs
A sunflower plant requires about a quart of water a day. A beech tree may need as much as eighty quarts in the same time.

JANUARY
Month-End SPECIALS

3 pkgs. Quaker Macaroni or Spaghetti and One Mixing Spoon 25c

Large bottle. Catsup 10c
Pirate Pancake Flour, 5 lbs. 19c
Dark Syrup, 5 lb. pail 29c
Oatmeal, 5 lb. pkg. 20c
Super Suds, large red package 16c
Phillip's Soups, tall cans 9c
Soda Crackers, 2 lb. boxes 17c
Sun Up Coffee, lb. 15c
Quaker Apple Sauce 3 No. 2 cans 25c

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