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## CHAPTER IX




King Cotton Is
Getting Tough
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$\begin{gathered}\text { Problems of Adapting Fiber } \\ \text { To Battle Front Use }\end{gathered}$

Women in Great
Farm Mobilization
Taking Over Jobs
Of Fighting Kin

## Food is becoming, more than ever woman's business." In 1943 she not only buys it and <br> prepares it for her family. She's growing it and harvesting it, as well! From the Atlantic to the Pacific come reports of a highly successful feminine occupation of the land. Women are handling tractors, driving farm trucks, running combines and other machines, and even riding the range on some of the West's They're taking over the jobs of husbands and brothers in the armed forces, and of the thousands of hired workers also lost to Uncle Sam's army and navy to Uncle Sam's arm industrial plants. and <br> Back in the days of World War women "farmerettes" did their par too, but agriculture has changed since 1917. Today's farm is highly mechanized plant, with tractors <br> 

Milking three times a day will
help meet ' 43 goals. numbering about $1,800,000$ as com-
pared with the 85,000 of 25 years ago. Motor trucks in operation have
jumped from around 245,000 to close to $2,000,000$. These and many other
mechanical aids to the farmer require trained operators and repair-
men, even though they are releasing a lot of manpower.
Women are being prepared for
both jobs, and thousands are already rolling. Vocational agriculture offered by farm implement compa-
nies have both contributed to proColleges and universities, as
well as high schools, are giving
courses in agriculture for the
girls. To increase their interest
in farm work, the University of
California at Los Angeles has
instituted a series of farm festiinstituted a series of farm festi-
vals.
Manpower experts estimate that 70 per cent more women were do-
ing farm work in 1942 than in 1940 . Good Care Assures Saving a ore Young Lambs new lamb crop and getting them the important wartime jobs of the C. Snodgrass, animal husbandry ex-
tension specialist of North Carolina By following a few simple, wellcan be sure of success with his young animals. Snodgrass lists
some of these practices as follows: Have the ewes in a good, strong,
thrifty condition before lambing, and be sure that the flock is securely separated from other stock, espe-
cially hogs. Do not disturb a ewe at lambing
time, unless she needs help, but be sure to stay on the job. Carelessness
may mean the loss of a lamb. See may mean the loss of a lamb. See
that the young lamb nurses and does
not become chilled. Should the ewe disown her lamb, try to get her to
claim it. Gradually increase the feed given
to the ewe after the lamb is about one week old to stimulate the flow
of milk. During lambing time, the ewe should be housed
during bad weather. If a new-born lamb becomes After the young animal is wark.
take it out of the water and dry it ewe in a warm dry place.

## Conserving Fuel

 It is clear that farmers have avital stake in the conservation of gasoline and fuel oil. If supplies run too low, not only will production and distribution of essential food
and fiber be hindered, but the ability of many farmers to continue opFarmers can be assured the
amounts of gasoline and fuel oil amounts of gasoline and fuel oil
which they actually need for productive uses and heating. Any us

## Fun for the Whole Family


LALA PALOOZA -The Unveiling



By RUBE GOLDBERG


By J. MILLAR WATT


REG'LAR FELLERS-Blackout Guaranteed


RAISING KANE-Poor Dillard

 DISCUSSION LATELY AS TO WHY
SUGAR MARRIED SUCH A MAN AS SUGAR MARRIED SUCH A MAAN AS
DILIARD KANE, WHOM ALMOST EVERYONE BELIEVES TO BE HOMELY, LAZY, CARELESS,
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SUGAR LOVES AIM AS HE IS!!
SHOULD DILLARD CHANGE? OR
SHOULD HE REMAIN HIMSELF
WHAT DO YOU THINK?


By FRANK WEBB


Little Girl's Room
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Chin's sir alarm system is the world's best, giving Chungking residents two hours' warning of the approach
Jap planes. In the picture at right, Chinese residents of Chungking walk unhurriedly to their cave shelter in of Jap planes. In the picture at right, Chinese residents of chungking waik unhurriedy to their cave sheiter in
the hills. Letit. Entranee to a typical cave air rain shelter The people seem to be more interested in the
cameraman than in the Jap planes, which are to appear overhead in a matter of minutes. Inset: Hillside sig.

Making Big Guns That Will Thunder for Allies


The Washington, D. C., navy yard turns out big 16-inch rifles that thunder from battleships, as well as
The eight and sixi-inch guns for heavy and light cruisers. Also deadly five-inch dual purpose guns: At left, an overhead crane swings a partial assembly of a five-inch dual purpose gun over the partial assembly of a six-inch
(riple mount (foreground). Center: A white-haired inspector minutely examines small caliber cartridse cases


Doughnut Time for White House Guards
 Steel-helmeted soldiers forming part of the White House guard ar
shown being served coffee and doughnuts by Red Cross workers from
their new clubmobile, a mobile kitchen equipped with a doughnut-making machine and large coffee urns.

Beware the Booby Trap


British soldiers learned from captured territory until sappers announce that the territory is safe. Yanks ing a mistake in touching the camera on the body of this terman soldier
Photo on right shows how it was wired to explode at slightest touch.


Two flashes from a captured Ger-
man newsreel, made at the time the man newsreel, made at the time the
Germans released French prisoners
of war who had been held in German camps. At top, a wife embraces the
husband she hadn't seen since 1940.
Below, two youngsters who watched Below, two youngsters who watched
the reunion weep because the father
they they expected home had not com
First Lady Signs


Mrs. Roosevelt signs "short snor persons who have flown across an ocean and who have been initiated.
If one does not produce his autographed bill on demand he must pay
the other a dollar or buy a drink Mrs. Roosevelt had her bill with

## DEAKING PORTIT <br> ar oratinserhame



1900 with the Boston Nationals h
made 252 putouts in 142 games fo
a major league third base record.
The Big Switch
Oldtimers still talk about the game
which brought Collins in from the
outtield to third base, thus launch-
ing him on his way to all time


Collins was then playing with Louisville. The team was playing the
Baltimore Orioles. The Orioles were on their toes. They were bunt-
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ton, the Louisville third baseman, wan. He was repsponith the fitua
tior four
bobbles in a short time. Finally,
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Manager John McCloskey of Louisville that Collins
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named by the baseball writers in
1936.
The following year the ranks were
swelled by such men as Napoleon

## Newcomers

In 1938 Grover Cleveland Alexander was given the nod, and in 1939,
the baseball centennial year, the ad-
ditions were George Sisler, Eddi ditions were George Sisler, Eddie
Collins and Wee Willie Keeler. Later
on Lou Gehrig was named by on Lou Gehrig was named by a spe-
cial vote after his retirement from cial vote after his retirement from
Yankee first baseman in 1939. Rogers Hornsby, fifth in the ba
loting of 1938-39, was elected to th immortals last year. Hornsby's cas to Hall of Fame election. He wa
to Hens an
in the big leagues 23 years and
had a 358 batting had a . 358 batting average. It
seemed he should have little trouble
in being admitted to even that au-
gust company. But he had to knock twice before the portals opened.
Technically, the baseball write vote only on players who have
played in this century. But in addi-
tion to the modern stars, there is an older group of baseball's pi-
neers of the 19th century enrolle
in the shrine at
In baseball, as in any othe
sport, it is the outstadit
who deserves the most credit and
glory. Americans always
glory. Americans always have been
willing to honor their sports heroe
-and few heroes stand higher in pabic admiration than those of the
baseball diamonds and few heroes
In making its selections.
exceedingly slow and careful. The
players have been
players have been given the per-
spective of time.
From that viewpoint, Jimmy Co
lins qualifies without reservation.
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By Gordon Gaskill


> America Loved In Middle East

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Every American Working Man Can Grow Victory Garden

OWI Issues Ten Basic Principles For Garden Success Planting a Victory Garden in the back yard or community
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average working man or woman plot is work, buge working man or woman
can easily do. Any worker who
is discouraged about his own is discouraged about his own
prospects of having a good Vic
tory Garden should take a look at the rules of good planting.
They are important, but they office of War In
formation:

1. Choose good soil. It should be
as level and rich as possible, and
comparatively free of large stones,
stumps or other objects that inter-
fere with spading and planting.
2. Select a sunny area. And if
trees are near, plant only beyond the
ends of the limbs because these
measure the extent of the under-
ground roots which suck fertility out
of the soil.
3. Plan to plant vegetables of
high nutritive value. A good simple
key is this three-fold color scheme:
Red for tomatoes; green for green
and leafy vegetables, such as cab-
bage, lettuce, lima beans and snap
beans; yellow for onions and carrots
-all high in vitamins and minerals.

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 grass and throut then
piet to rot tor fertilize. has come from rotted leaves, or
from the compost pile if you have
one. Apply commercial fertilizer if A good way for the youngsters to
plan their club entertainments, and
a fine way to entertain the boys in
service, is with a box lunch social.
Each girl brings a box lunch of
something like fried chicken, deviled
eggs, sandwiches and cake. The
lunch is sufficient for two and is
wrapped up most attractively. The
girl attaches her name to the box
and then hopes she draws an at-
tractive man.
You can hand out play paper mon-
ey to the male guests to "gamble"
with, and have an auctioneer who
will raffle off the box lunches (and
the girls who brought then.)
After the auctuon and the claim-
ing of "dates" it's time for supper
and getting acquainted. After sup-
per dancing or games are in order
and a good time is had by alle
Ledger Syndicate.


## Fun For Your Family

Fun For Your Family the ground is not already rich. Fer-
tilizer speeds up growth, and if vege-
tables don't grow fast they become tables don't grow fast
tough and tasteless.
8. Be ready to fight insects with
insecticides. Experienced neighbors can tell you when insects are most
likely to arrive. 9. Utilize everything you grow.
Don't let anything go to waste, even
if you have to give it away. To-
matoes should be canned at home in as great quantities as possible
for they are rich in necessary vita-
mins and they also cost high in point at the store.
10. Always get the best advice
you can. The department of agri-
culture has a pamphlet called "Victory Gardens", and other helpful bul-
letins. Local authorities in many
places have arranged for gardening have gardened before can give val-
uable help with time tales and
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lb. 32 c K. B. Flour ${ }^{24^{1}}$ llb. bag $\$ 1.10$ Eggs, Grade A doz. 35c Peas Early June, 2 No. 2 cans 25 c Salt
2 Boxes 15 c


## Brugger's Market

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