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To Ride the River With

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CHAPTER XI—Continued

"Go in and light a lamp, Pete," ordered Norris in a low voice. "Put it close to yore friend. Then I'll come in."

other angry oath. "Like you just said, he had luck. Came outa the bushes at me and whanged away before I had a chance. All I ask with him is an even break. I'm gonna get it too. Me, I'm tired of being hunted. I aim to turn hunter. This Gray is poison to you, the same as he is to me. What say we throw in together and collect him—hang his hide up to dry?"



He moistened his parched lips.

Morg Norris stared at the man in the bed. His mind was struggling to adjust itself to the implications of this information. "He showed us a poster with his picture on it offering a reward for his arrest," Norris said. "Beneath the picture was the name Clint Duke. It was sure enough the spittin' image of this Jeff Gray."

sense of duty. But that reason was one he could not discuss with anyone. They had killed his oldest son, a boy of nineteen, a fine lad who had enlisted in the Rangers a month or two before.

"I didn't do so good a job," he said. "I missed one, the brains of the outfit. He escaped."

Gray shrugged his shoulders. "All right with me. I was sore at first, but I'm past that now. Yes, one of these days someone will get him."

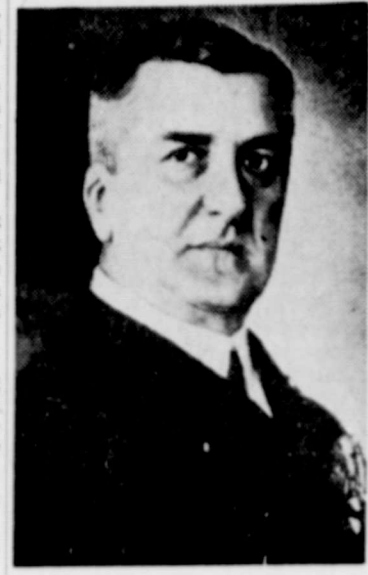
Frank. He has had his chance. I'm hitting the trail."

"Lou sat down, twiddled the pencil, and began to write names. Sid Hunt, Mile High, Kansas, Curly Connor, Morg Norris, York, Slim Burke, Pete Haskins, Curt Dobbs, Jim Reynolds. The prisoner wrote the names painfully and slowly, biting the end of the pencil between each before he could make up his mind to put it on the list. Three or four others he added.

"I'll just be guessing," Howard said doggedly.

Foreign

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HUNGARY'S HORTHY Like a sought-after maiden.

greeted Admiral Horthy. But Adolf Hitler had more than benign friendliness in mind. Hungary lies directly in the path of Germany's "drive to the east" in which she would swallow Czechoslovakia, Rumania and Jugo-Slavia, thereby unifying all central Europe.

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Weekly News Review

Hitler Woos Central Europe With Overtures to Hungary

By Joseph W. LaBine

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Canada

Fortnight ago, the economic ties linking Canada and the U. S. were forged tighter at Kingston, Ontario. There, Franklin Roosevelt promised U. S. aid should Canada ever find herself at war.

Domestic

New York rushed to work one morning last week. All subway stations were crowded; at one the crowd was too great. Pulling away from this station a train stopped momentarily to free a woman caught in the door.

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Improved Uniform International SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

By HAROLD L. LUNDQUIST, D. D., Dean of The Moody Bible Institute of Chicago.

Lesson for September 4

SAMUEL: SPIRITUAL REVIVAL

LESSON TEXT—1 Samuel 7:3-13. GOLDEN TEXT—"Prepare your hearts unto the Lord, and serve him only."

"Revolutions are costly. The spiritual awakening which our country so much needs must begin with a church so much needs. There is a price to be paid. . . . Strange gods made us put away, gods of worldly pleasure, worldly ambition, love of ease and self-gratification. It is the unwillingness to pay the price that keeps us from the richness and power of the full spiritual life" (Prof. L. M. Lowell).

Israel had come to the place where the people recognized that they were on the brink of national disaster. They knew they had come to the end of the trail, and were ready to do something about it.

I. Return Unto the Lord (v. 3). Samuel appears in his first public ministry to call on his people to return to the Lord. Back of that public act is the history of a godly life and devoted service to the Lord and to His nation. Such a man can consistently urge others to turn to God.

The response of the people was wholehearted. They were thoroughly sick of their sin and separation from the favor of God. The earnest of their sincerity was their obedience to the admonition of Samuel that they turn from idolatry.

II. Put Away False Gods (v. 14).

Israel had learned from their heathen neighbors to worship their false gods. These they must put away if God was to be able to bless them. The same prerequisite to spiritual revival exists today. But some may say, we do not worship heathen gods. Perhaps not, and yet one is astonished at the close similarity between the ritual and worship of some secret cults and orders and the ancient religions of heathendom.

The fact is that we have set up many new gods—money, fashion, social position, and what not. The command needs to go out again through God's messengers, "Put away the foreign gods."

III. Gather Together and Pray (v. 5, 6).

Spiritual life thrives on the gathering together of God's people. The crisis in Israel was met by a great convocation of the people. We need to revive the great soul-stirring religious gatherings of a generation ago. We can get plenty of people together for a prize fight, a football match, or an auto race, but where are the people who should be in our churches?

"I will pray," said Samuel. He was a great intercessor. (See I Sam. 15:11; Ps. 99:6; Jer. 13:1.) Revival never comes without a history of faithful intercession on the part of those whose hearts were really burdened. Ask yourself, How much have I really prayed for a revival in my church, my community, and my nation? If I should begin to pray in earnest, would not God hear me and answer?"

IV. God Will Save Us (v. 8).

"Behold, the Lord's hand is not shortened that it cannot save, neither is his ear heavy that it cannot hear" (Isa. 59:1). "Thus saith the Lord . . . have I no power to deliver?" (Isa. 50:1, 2). God saved Israel and delivered them out of the hands of their enemies. The Philistines, seeing them gathered together to pray, assumed that they were preparing to fight and attacked. In the previous battle at which that very spot (1 Sam. 4:1-10) Israel had fought with the weapons of men and been disgracefully defeated. Now they fought with the weapon of prayer and faith in God, and great was the victory.

America is valiantly battling against the social and economic problems of these distressing days, but one fears that all too often of weapons are those of the arm of flesh which will fail us. Let us look up instead of to one another. "God will save us" (v. 8).

V. Ebenezer (v. 12).

Our forefathers, familiar with the truth of Scripture, used biblical words in naming their children. The present generation all too often know the names simply as household words. Strange signatures on old letters merit a bit of a revival itself. Defeat Israel had met a disastrous defeat. They were broken by it and had become an almost hopeless people. Now God had given them victory in the very same spot and they raised a stone of remembrance of God's help. The word "Ebenezer" means "stone of help," but also carries with it the meaning of Samuel's word, "Hitherto hath the Lord helped us" (v. 12).

There is an inspiring word of hope here for every troubled soul. You may, like Israel, have fallen into sin. Your life may be utterly discouraged. Remains to the Lord, put away sin, gather with God's people, pray, and God will give you victory, even at the very point of former defeat.

Tracks of Birds in Snow Are Easy to Identify; Ringnecked Pheasant Prancer

Although snow tracks of fur bearing animals such as the rabbit, squirrel, mink, and weasel usually are more interesting to the outdoor fan than those left by birds, winter birds can tell us a number of interesting stories if we are familiar with their tracks, notes Bob Becker in the Chicago Tribune.

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doesn't lift each foot high and then plant it squarely in the snow. Instead he drags each foot, so that a long line is cut in the snow. This is accentuated when the ringnecked pheasant for cover.



MILLARD E. TYDINGS The purgee refused to be purgee.

not permit her star in the flag to be purged from the constellation of the states."

In New York, Purgee John J. O'Connor picked up "the gage which the President has thrown down," promised to fight Franklin Roosevelt's "invitation to a dictatorship."

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# HUB OF PEACE

International conferences never ruffle dignity of Switzerland's famous Lake Geneva, one of the world's most beautiful inland vacation spots.



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Most waterfront towns on Switzerland's Lake Geneva look the same from the shore. Here is a side-wheeled pleasure boat heading out over the deep blue waters.

at all thread between them up the hill. But as you explore them the medieval peace is shattered by the blast of an auto horn, and you jump aside just in time as a modern sedan rushes down over the cobbles.

## Pottery, Politics Brought Fame

Pottery, long before politics, brought fame to Nyon. You may visit the old pottery factory, its ancient wooden stairs worn hollow, its walls and floor gray with the accumulated clay of 150 years.

Along the lake's north shore, eastward from Nyon, vineyards crowd every inch of space on the hillsides that rise steeper and steeper from the water's edge.

AS THE hillsides grow steeper, innumerable terraces rise in steps from the water's edge. Each terrace, held in place by its stone retaining wall, supports a few square yards of soil that in some places slopes at almost a 45-degree angle.

The soil washes down when it rains on such steep slopes, even with the stone walls to hold it back. But every winter the farmers dig up the soil that has washed to the bottom of the terraces, carry it back up in baskets on their backs, and spread it again evenly over the slopes.

They are scarecrows. They are bits of polished metal, hung among the vines to be swung by the wind, reflect the sunlight, and scare the birds.

Bustling center of this rich farming region of the lake's north shore is Lausanne, sprawled over three high hills above its lake port, Ouchy, which, incidentally, claims the only natural bathing beach in Switzerland.

## When Lausanne Moved to the Hills

Looking down your neighbor's chimney is no novelty here. Leaning over the balustrade on one high bridge, you can see straight down into the chimney pots of houses in the ravine below, while their smoke drifts up into your nostrils.

On a cliff on the Cite, chief of the three hills, Lausanne's cathedral towers dominate the skyline. Its beautiful rose window was in place more than 200 years before Columbus came to America.

# That Youngster of Yours— Genius, or Just Plain 'Kid'?

## Science Examines These 'Child Wonders' and Gives Its Opinion

By JOSEPH W. LABINE

Many, many years ago a polite four-year-old boy sat on his stool while two portly and well-dressed women sipped tea. The maid walked in with a pot of hot water, stumbled, and spilled it on the little boy's legs.

"Tommykins! Tommykins!" gushed one of the women, "did the nasty water hurt 'oo?"

Tommy looked at her wisely for a moment, then replied:

"Thank you madam, the agony is quite abated."

"Tommykins" was Thomas Macaulay, who later became one of England's greatest statesmen and essayists. Incidents like the above stamped Tommy as a "child genius" from whom great things could be expected.

Thomas Macaulay really amounted to something when he grew up, but was it genius?

Every now and then American newspapers recite the wonders of a four-year-old child who plays difficult sonatas on his mother's piano, or of a second grade pupil whose poetry shows remarkable talent. Immediately such youngsters are stamped with the title "genius" or "prodigy" and grow up under the withering spotlight of publicity.

### The Simple Truth.

The "prodigy" problem has fascinated science one of its most fascinating studies these past few years and some startling decisions have been reached about child wonders. In essence, it boils down to the fact that such youngsters are simply brighter than average and that they'll grow up to be perfectly normal men and women—if handled properly.

But incorrect supervision can be devastating. One little youngster was given an intelligence quotient rating of 184 (100 is normal). Her mother never quite got over the shock of hearing that her child was brilliant. She literally stood in awe when the child was around, waited on her hand and foot and in the end made the "prodigy" entirely dependent on her mother.

These few cases, in which brilliant children have been ruined by publicity and improper training, often make parents shudder with fright to learn their youngster has a high intelligence. A few "prodigies" have broken down nervously; some have even gone to the insane asylum. But the record shows that most likely they grow up to take a commanding position in the business or professional worlds.

Back in 1922 Dr. Leta S. Hollingsworth of Columbia University Teachers college selected a group of 116 New York children with I. Q. ratings of 130 or higher. Some of them received specialized training for three years. Then they were forgotten, left to lead their own lives.

Bright Children Grow Up. But last year Dr. Hollingsworth



and Dr. Irving Lorge located 62 of them, ranging in age from 22 to 25 years, and examined their private lives. The promise of childhood was being abundantly fulfilled!

Out of the 62 there were five who tested above 180 (which goes "through the ceiling" of the best intelligence tests). Before reaching 22 one had done excellent research work in history, another in mathematics, another in chess. The other two were already establishing enviable places for themselves in chosen professions.

These were cases of true, native ability, carefully managed and developed. But educators shudder when they hear of an ambitious parent heaping work upon his child's



Six-year-old Phyllis Anne Thompson arranges an exhibit of her art at the Grand Central art galleries in New York. Critics were amazed at the work of this "child wonder."

## How Smart Is Your Child?

The following Termer mental age scale, taken from Watson Davis' "The Advance of Science," is part of the tests used by psychologists to determine the mental age and subsequently the I. Q.'s of youngsters given mental tests. At the various age levels, the average youngster is supposed to be capable of the activities listed.

- 6 Months**—Turns head toward ringing bell; vocalizes several well-defined syllables, like "da, da" and "ma, ma"; listens to speech attentively; can hold one object in each hand briefly.
- 1 Year**—Can play with two objects, banging them together; speaks four words; uses jargon; can hold three objects; uses spoon; helps in dressing.
- 18 Months**—Looks behind mirror for reflection; uses tool to pull object within reach; speaks five or more words; points to nose, eyes, hair.
- 2 Years**—Obeys simple commands; understands two prepositions, names three out of five objects; points to five objects on card; uses words in combination; creases paper in imitation; vocabulary, 272 words.
- 3 Years**—Can copy a circle in three trials; knows five prepositions; names key, penny, knife, watch, pencil; repeats six to seven syllables; vocabulary, 896 words.
- 4 Years**—Can copy a cross and square; counts four pennies; repeats four digits (such as 7934); vocabulary, 1,540 words.
- 5 Years**—Can draw imitatively a triangle and prism; names four colors; gives age; vocabulary, 2,072 words.
- 6 Years**—Knows right from left; counts 13 pennies; can name nickel, penny, quarter, dime; repeats 16 to 18 syllables; vocabulary, 2,562 words.
- 8 Years**—Can count backwards 20 to 1; can give similarities between common objects; defines objects otherwise than by giving use; vocabulary, 3,600 words.
- 10 Years**—Can detect absurdities in statements; can name 60 words in three minutes; repeats six digits or 20 syllables; vocabulary, 5,400 words.
- 12 Years**—Can define abstract words like pity and justice; can interpret fables; repeats five digits reversed; interprets or tells the story of a picture; vocabulary, 7,200 words.
- 14 Years**—Can give differences between a president and a king; can reason out arithmetical problem; repeats seven digits; vocabulary, 9,000 words.
- 16 Years**—Can give the difference between abstract terms like ignorance and stupidity; repeats six digits reversed or 28 syllables; has adult intelligence; reads adult books and follows adult recreation; vocabulary, 11,700 words.

Jimmy Woods, three years old, whose early training was under direction of the child development clinic of New York's Columbia-Presbyterian medical center, chatters into a microphone as his twin brother, reared without scientific aid, listens silently.

head, merely because an intelligence test has shown some degree of brilliance. Mentally overstuffed children seldom get any place in life; more often these are the youngsters who become mental cases. It's happened time and again, maybe in your own experience.

But how about these unusually bright tots who pop into the headlines? As unusual children, should they not be given special treatment, just as retarded youngsters are segregated to overcome their handicaps? Dr. Hollingsworth thinks so, and to bear out her theory she started the Speyer school for gifted New York children.

Dr. Hollingsworth set about with the special Stanford-Binet tests to select her 50 pupils. When they were chosen, she found these prodigies (and she hates the term, prodigies!) weren't tall and spindly, eccentric or shy. They didn't even wear horn-rimmed glasses.

Maybe you think it's unfair to give these youngsters special advantages, but look at it this way:

First, let us repeat that they are just as extraordinary as mentally retarded children, and as such require special consideration. In an ordinary class, the brilliant child finds his lessons too easy, ending up by working half the time and wasting the other half. He "rusts away" and a potential leader of future America is lost.

Back Down to Earth. So New York's 50 shining lights have been placed together in a school where none shines brighter than the rest, where the competition is keener and they have to work to get ahead. You'd be surprised how angry they were when the first report cards were issued: instead of the A marks they got before, they now received C's.

"The first thing these pupils learn," says Dr. Hollingsworth, "is that there are other people in the world just as bright as they are."

The intelligence quotient test, briefly, is nothing more than a child's mental age divided by his actual age and multiplied by 100. The mental age, though, is where the work has come in. Psychologists have been testing and observing children for years to determine just what an average three-year-old—for example—can do at various ages and they compare those with the actual abilities. Then if a three-year-old can do just what a three-year-old is supposed to do, his I. Q. is exactly 100.

### Not Always Conclusive.

But even these patiently sought results are not conclusive. Just because your child rates more than 140 on his I. Q. test, it doesn't mean he's a genius. In the first place, there are only 300 to 400 men in the world's history who have been regarded as true geniuses.

Psychologists are pretty well agreed that it takes more than a high I. Q. to make a genius. A lot of it depends on the times a man lives in, luck, and the right kind of publicity. One fellow who recorded an I. Q. of 175 shortly before the World War has disappeared completely. Another, who lectured on the fourth dimension when seven or eight years old, ended up a street-car conductor.

Maybe your child is a genius, but don't be too sure about it. Chances are he's just one of these youngsters with superior intellect who, if handled sensibly, will turn out to be a credit to his parents.

# Fur-Embellished Costume Important Thing for Fall

By CHERIE NICHOLAS



DEPEND upon it—this is going to prove one of those seasons when the highest ambition of a lady of fashion will be to come into the happy possession of a lavishly and intriguingly fur-trimmed coat or costume suit. Which is as it should be for if there is one message more important than another now broadcasting via dramatic style previews throughout leading style centers it is that of the fur-embellished costume for the coming fall and winter.

We call your attention to the handsome fur-laden outfits in the picture. This trio of voguish costumes were displayed at a series of style revues held recently by the Style Creators of Chicago in the wholesale district for the edification of buyers who came from all sections of the country to gain firsthand news of fashion futures. The coat illustrated in the foreground to the right is highly significant as it bespeaks the continued importance of Persian lamb. Also it emphasizes the tendency to do exciting things in the way of novel fur manipulation. Persian lamb in tall slender points follows the many gores of the skirt. Wide bands of the Persian also define the hemline and trim up and down the front.

The stylish tuxedo-front theme and the new sleeve idea are seen worked out in terms of fur in the handsome jacket suit to the left. Here the jacket is vertically banded in skunk, a fur which is very fashionable this season when brown

pelts of every type are the rage. The importance of the jacket-with-every-costume theme was definitely stressed throughout the entire program presented by the Chicago Style Creators. There is this to observe in regard to the newer jackets, they are inclined to drop the bolero trend in favor of boxy hiplengths and many take on the very new dolman sleeve which proclaims them of last-minute styling. The chubby jacket that you see here is typical of the new trend. The material for the ensemble is a green ribbed woolen. The frock beneath features the very new sailor yoke. A gold belt adds the climaxing touch.

Citing general fashion indications stressed in preview showings, we find that skirts for day wear are short, fifteen inches from the floor being the accepted length. Soft bloused effects top the slim, straight and short skirts.

In fabric treatments quilted designs and appliques are widely in use. Softness from draping, shirring, tiny tucks and smocking is very evident. The 1900 influence is seen in dinner and evening fashions. Fabrics are often the Louis XIV type, most luxurious for formal wear, including brocades, lames, metallized taffetas, velvets and moires.

## Hanky Highlights



When the autumn evening breezes become persistent gusts, tie Burmel's newly designed filmy petit point embroidered flower "hanky" around your head to keep your curls set just right. These exquisite head kerchiefs come in a wide range of pastels, so you can have one for each gown. An ostrich boa as here pictured reflects the influence of softness and femininity. Below in the picture petit flowers on a cobwebby chiffon hanky highlight a costume of symphonic black and white worn for dining under the stars.

## Gay Feathers Chic Note on New Hats

If it is a sports felt the newest decoration is a bright quill so tall as to seem impossible at first glance. You see them on the new suede tall-crown fedoras and quaker hats with their imposing high crowns.

When it comes to the dressier hat fashions, watch feathers! They will play a big part in the season's trimming program, especially colorful little ostrich tips. The very new Louis XIV tricorne have wee tips surmounting.

Many uses of dainty ribbons are made in a prettily feminine manner. The new millinery creations may well be called "confections" with their daintily frivolous bows and flowers and feathers, embroideries and such.

Later on, for winter social activities, these wee millinery concoctions will take on a dressy mood in that they will be cunningly adorned with ostrich tips, ribbons and such.

You can get cunning models in felt for early wear with your fall tailored suit. You will be enchanted with these miniature types, we assure you.

### Elasticized Fabrics Vogue

A noteworthy trend in fabrics is the vogue for elasticized fabrics. Wool and cotton swim suits are elasticized to insure a smooth fit. Some casual sports frocks are designed with elasticized waistlines. Elasticized panty-girdles are worn under tennis frocks.

### Collars Found Smaller

Collars are noticeably smaller on fur coats this year, with tailored models often seen on mink, dyed ermine and Japanese weasel coats. A few swaggers are seen with almost no collars, while the tuxedo front panel is very popular for fall daytime models.

### The 'Tinkling' Dress

The duchess of Windsor recently wore a "tinkling" dress to one of the smart Paris night clubs. The sound is produced by paillettes topped with bits of loose metal which let out a refined jingle when they are in motion.



### The Boomerang

By MYRA A. WINGATE  
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HERE comes our jointed gar- den," announced Jack from the window. "Old Red Sandstone!" he chuckled.

Stone, athletic and au- dacious, came briskly up the stairs, unconscious of the resent- ment in the breasts of the younger boys.

### SHORT SHORT STORY

Stone walls do not a prison make, nor iron bars a cage," re- plied Isabel, the college senior.

### SHORT SHORT STORY

Complete in This Issue

professor's increasing friendli- ness for his sisters.

"I thought you wouldn't care," he said. "So far away it won't be a thing to you. Glad you did lean your way a little. It's right, isn't it?"

Jack-in-the-Box? Isabel milled. Following Jack's ego- tism at the living room win- dowed Geoff Harding advance- ment. Gladys, stoop quickly, and her Jack's world reeled around her.

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Elephant Goes on Rampage thoroughly enraged because his did not arrive punctually, a elephant belonging to the Ma- jor of Mursan, threw his keep- er a fence, pulled down the phone wires and vanished into the jungle at Etar, United Province.

### The Clash

By AGATHA MOCKAPETRIS  
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THE clash was inevitable. It could not be avoided. It had started several weeks ago, when Jim had arrived home after a hard day at the office, eaten at his supper, and began lolling back in his favorite chair while reading the evening paper. Presently Kate, his spouse, came in.

### SHORT SHORT STORY

"Have you forgotten your promise already?" she inquired, a bit timidly, a bit afraid, as though fearing him.

Jim twisted around in his chair, and squinted at her. "What promise?" "Oh, Jim, you have forgotten!" "Uh-huh!" "Why, you promised to take me to see a show tonight. I've been waiting for you all day, and counting the minutes, too."

"I'm sorry, dear. But I wouldn't go anyway. I'm all in, and I want a bit of rest before the morning. These late hours don't agree with me, and then the boss don't like them. Maybe some other time."

Kate turned to go, but then stopped as if by an impulse, and returned to Jim's chair.

"Perhaps you'll take me some other night this week, then?" she asked.

For a moment he considered. "Nope, not this week. I'm filled up with business engagements the whole week. Haven't a minute to spare after tonight."

And then Kate, not being able to withhold her smoldering anger any longer, broke loose.

"So that's what I get for keeping house for you? I slave here all day, and then when you come home I've got to be a darling, and sit beside you the whole evening just because you don't want to go out. I'm entitled to as much freedom—"

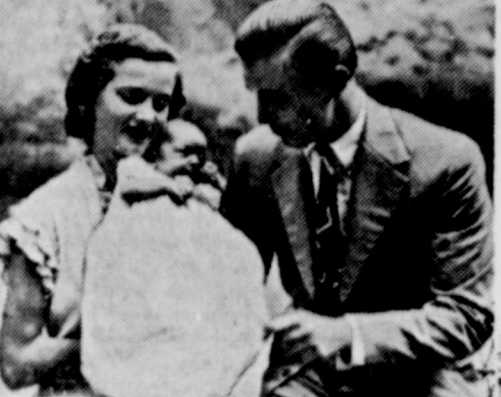
"Well, why don't you take it?" broke in Jim.

"I will, if I'm not treated as I should be."

"You're magnifying all my faults ten times, dear."

And so that was that. The climax came one morning several weeks later, when Jim, in his eternal rush, came down to breakfast, and found his eggs boiled too hard.

## In The WEEK'S NEWS



**PROUD PARENTS AND FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT, 3rd.**—Franklin D. Roosevelt 3rd poses for his picture with his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt Jr., at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene DuPont, Owls Nest, Delaware.



**\$500 A WEEK FROM RACKET**—James I. Hines is charged by District Attorney, Thomas A. Dewey of New York, with conspiring to operate a lottery, from which he received \$500 weekly. Photo shows Hines and wife arriving at courthouse.



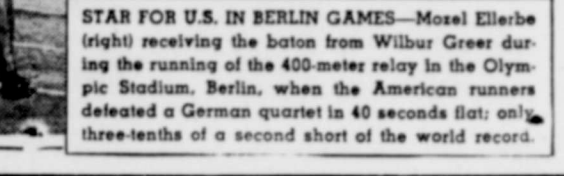
**DR. VICTOR G. HEISER**, world-famed hygienist has accepted the post of Research Director and Chief Consultant of the National Association of Manufacturers Committee on Healthful Working Conditions. The Committee is seeking to promote better health and working conditions for employees in industry.



**NOTED NEW YORK ARTIST**, Henry Dreyfuss, who designed the Theme Building Exhibit for the N. Y. World's Fair and the new Twentieth Century Limited, has now designed "The Tire of Tomorrow" for Goodyear, a new Double Eagle tire made thirty per cent stronger through the use of rayon cords.

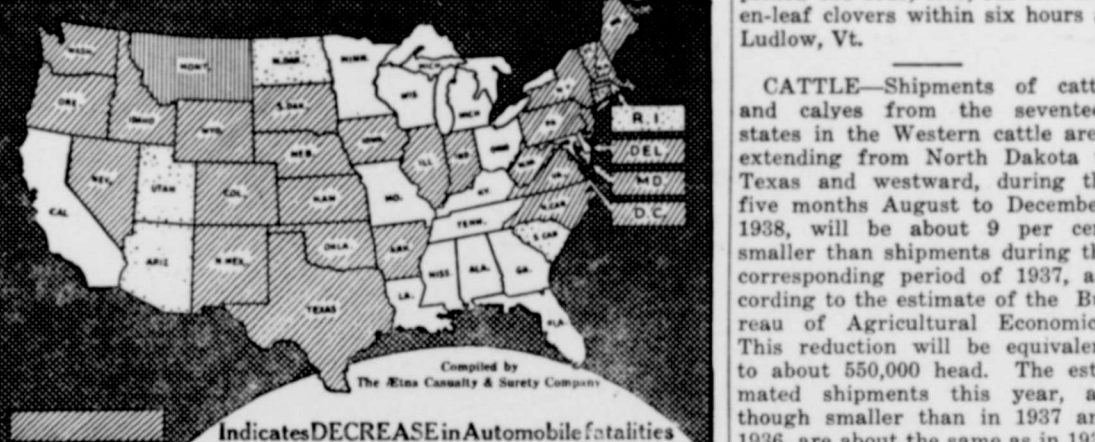


**STAR FOR U.S. IN BERLIN GAMES**—Mosel Elerbe (right) receiving the baton from Wilbur Greer during the running of the 400-meter relay in the Olympic Stadium, Berlin, when the American runners defeated a German quartet in 40 seconds flat, only three-tenths of a second short of the world record.



**CLOVER**—Leo Pluta and George Zienowicz, both 11, must have set some sort of a record when they picked 318 four, five, six and seven-leaf clovers within six hours at Ludlow, Vt.

## National Automobile Fatality Chart



During the first six months of 1938, 30 of the 36 states reporting showed a decrease in automobile fatalities as compared with the same period of 1937. The aggregate decrease was 23%. This would indicate that at least motorists and pedestrians are becoming more "safety-minded."

### General News Briefs

**SNAKES**—In a drive to make the oil fields safe, employees of a petroleum company at Breckenridge, Texas, have carried on a snake-hunting drive which has resulted in the capture of 3,000 snakes, chiefly rattlers.

**SIGNALS**—"Beware of the left turn" is the warning of Capt. W. E. Riley of the California Highway Patrol. His statistics show that 60 per cent of all automobile accidents are due to wrong signals and the left turn.

**SHEEP**—Marketings of sheep and lambs from thirteen Western sheep states during the five months, August to December, 1938, are expected to be somewhat larger than in the corresponding period in 1937, according to a report of the Bureau of Agricultural Economics. The extent of the increase will be determined largely by the disposition made of the large number of lambs in Texas, where the lamb crop this year was 22 per cent of the total for the Western sheep states.

**BEES**—Fortune frowned—or smiled, according to the point of view—upon more than a dozen shoppers in a liquor store at Dallas. A swarm of bees came whirling down the street and attached themselves to the front door of the shop. The liquor shoppers were kept inside all afternoon until a beekeeper arrived and removed the insects.

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Humphrey Bogart  
Allen Jenkins  
—in—  
**"AMAZING DR. CLITTERHOUSE"**  
OWL SHOW  
SAT. NITE  
SUN.—MON.—TUES.  
Geo. Raft  
Henry Fonda  
Dorothy Lamour  
Akim Tamiroff  
**"SPAWN OF THE NORTH"**

**FRI.—SAT. 5c—10c—16c**  
Geo. O'Brien  
—in—  
**"PAINTED DESERT"**  
—Also—  
SERIAL AND CARTOON  
SUN.—MON.—TUES.  
Double Feature  
Laurel and Hardy  
—in—  
**"BLOCKHEADS"**  
—and—  
ALL-STAR CAST  
—in—  
**"ZAMBOANGA"**

**YUCCA PECOS**  
ROSWELL, N. M.

### TAKE IT OR LEAVE IT!



By IROQUOIS DAHL

AN ASSOCIATED Press dispatch from New Philadelphia, Ohio, tells a story which is sponsored by W. E. Geiger, superintendent of Tuscarawas park. Geiger says that sawyers working on a rotted tree in the park found a seven-inch catfish in a watery crevice of the tree, 40 feet above ground. The fish was thrown into the lake and swam away.

Since a catfish doesn't belong to the flying-fish family, it is reasonable to suppose, as Geiger says, that the catfish must have been carried into the tree by a kingfisher or some other bird.

### Locals

Miss Lois Jenkins will leave this week for Acme where she will teach school this coming year. Miss Jenkins will have charge of all school activities and the music along with the academic work.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Pardee returned last week from Shafter, Texas, where they went to visit Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Wheelock. Richard Wheelock returned with them for an extended visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Weathers of Albuquerque were visitors in the W. R. Goodwin home on Tuesday. Mrs. Weathers was a classmate of Wallace and Vera Goodwin in their early school years at Elkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Donal Lee Newsom and daughters, Wilma Lee and Shirley Jean returned home Wednesday from a fishing trip to Chama. They returned via Carrizozo and Ruidoso, spending two days and nights at each place.

Mrs. J. T. Condit received word yesterday morning from Mr. Condit that he hoped to be able to return to Hagerman next week, and that they will again make their home here. Dr. Condit has been very ill, but is reported to be recovering nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Cate of Beaver County, Oklahoma visited for a short time last week with Mrs. Cate's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Jenkins and family. Mr. Cate is an extensive wheat grower of that section of Oklahoma. They have lived there over thirty years. This year Mr. Cate harvested a little over 30,000 bushels of wheat. Mr. and Mrs. Cate were returning from a pleasure trip to Colorado, California and the Grand Canyon.

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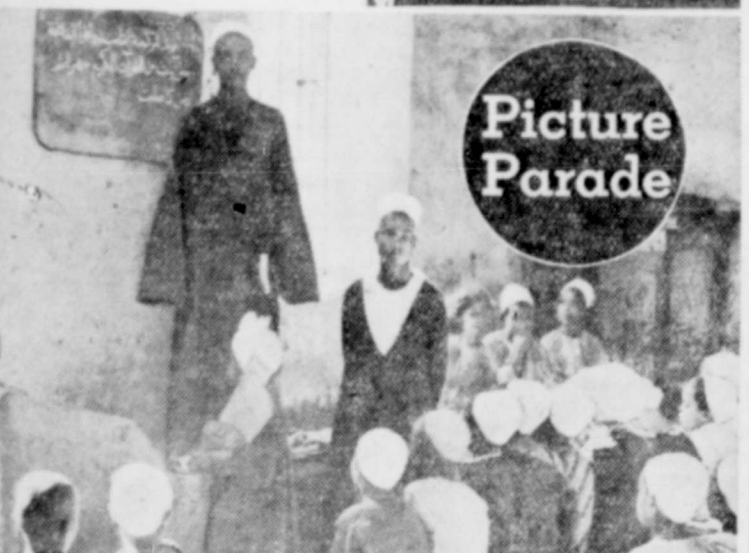
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### School Days: Everywhere!

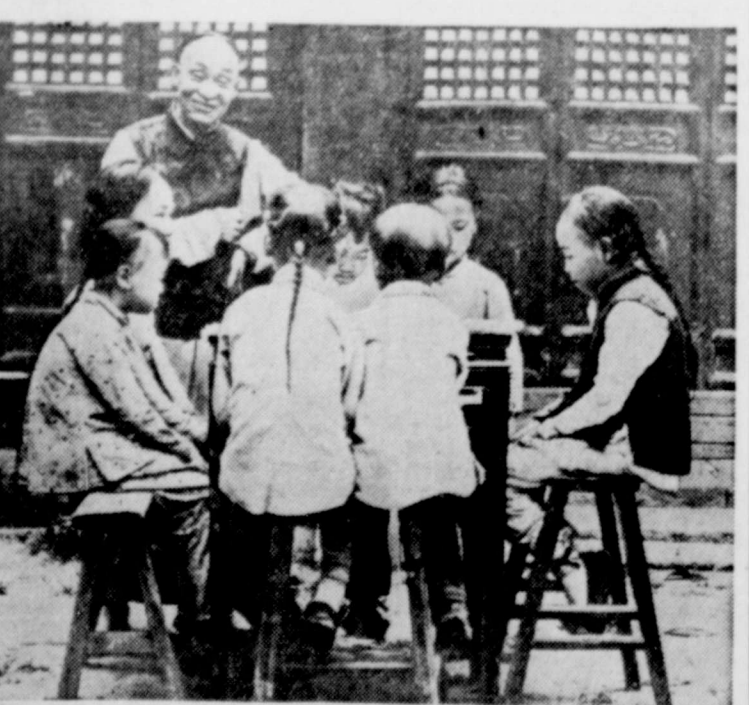


Though exiled from their native land, white Russian children in Manchukuo are not allowed to neglect their school training. A group is shown studying botany in the laboratory. Meanwhile (right) Russian children study in one of the institutions supported by the government to educate and care for the armies of homeless waifs whom the national calamities left to wander at large through the country. Most of these youngsters are now between the ages of ten and fourteen. Note that they wear regulation dress, also that their heads are closely cropped through a standard hair-cutting process. Johnny and Robert look just alike here!



### Picture Parade

Native boys in Egypt (above) study in plain surroundings, taught by an instructor in the familiar Egyptian garb. Below are Chinese school children learning their lessons despite the Japanese invasion that has created havoc with their lives. East is east and west is west, but everywhere September means back to school for tomorrow's men and women, the beginning of another period in the training schedule that will make them better citizens of the world.



### TWELVE BILLION TIN CANS A YEAR!

Tin cans, some 12,000,000,000 of them annually, take to market and American homes a vast variety of products. They constitute the product of one of America's great industries, which used in 1933, for instance, more steel than buildings, or railroads, or any other steel customer except the automobile industry. There are about a hundred cans

produced in this country for each man, woman and child and only some 60 per cent of them are used for food. The origin of the tin can goes back to Nicolas Appert, a Frenchman, who developed a method of preserving food in 1804. It was essentially the method used today: Heating the food and putting it up in sealed containers.

## Floyd Gibbons' ADVENTURERS' CLUB



HEADLINES FROM THE LIVES OF PEOPLE LIKE YOURSELF!

### 'Tragedy Closes In'

By FLOYD GIBBONS  
Famous Headline Hunter

#### HELLO EVERYBODY:

You know, they say troubles never come singly, and I know doggone well that is true in at least one case. It's the case of Amy Castaldi of Chicago. When fate began piling up grief on Amy's shoulders, she piled it up high.

It was a Friday morning, the second day of July, 1933, when things began to go wrong. Amy's eight-year-old son, out playing with some other kids, burned the pupil of his right eye. He was in constant pain, and for two days and nights after that Amy never left his bedside until a far worse calamity forced her to. And right on the heels of that accident came the news that an uncle had died in Louisville, Ky. Amy couldn't go to the funeral. Not with her boy in constant agony. So, on Saturday night her husband went without her, leaving her to take care of her son, and her two young daughters.

#### Fierce Gale Struck Her House.

Night had come on. Amy had put her two little girls to bed and they had gone to sleep. She was back at her son's bedside, weary and worn, for another long night's vigil. The hours rolled on. The wind had begun to rise. At 2 o'clock in the morning it was blowing a young gale. The Castaldi's house was completely exposed to that wind on three sides. On the other it was protected by a factory, but the gale wasn't blowing from that direction.

The wind rose steadily. It whistled and howled in the telephone wires outside. The whistle rose to a shriek, and still it kept on rising. Then, suddenly, the lights went out in the street. A burst of hailstones rattled against the house. And at almost the same time a window crashed in the front of the dwelling. The house was shaking—shaking violently. It was about all Amy's frizzled nerves could stand. She let out a scream. The scream woke



Amy grabbed her children and ran for the back door.

up her two little girls, and they came running from their beds. The little boy was already awake. He, poor kid, hadn't slept for two nights.

#### Fled With Her Three Children.

Another window broke with a clatter, glass falling to the floor. The kids huddled around Amy, clutching at her dress. One by one the windows crashed, there was a louder crash—a shriek of rending wood—and a huge piece of sheet metal came TEARING RIGHT THROUGH THE SIDE OF THE HOUSE!

The wind had stopped howling now. Instead, it tore by with a loud, steady, hissing roar. The house was deluged with water that came through the broken windows. Now rocks and pieces of lumber came hurtling in and Amy could hear more flying debris battering against the side of the house with a force that was all but tearing it to pieces.

"I was about to faint with fright," Amy says. "I grabbed my children and ran for the back door. I took hold of the knob and tried to open it. It wouldn't budge. The movement of the house under the force of the storm, had warped it tightly shut. My children were screaming, and their cries gave me strength. I tugged at the door with renewed vigor and finally opened it."

But when the door opened, Amy paused and looked out on a scene that looked almost as uninviting as did the inside of her home. Before her was nothing but the blackest of darkness and the terrible hissing roar of the wind. Thunder boomed and a streak of lightning rent the sky. As the flash illuminated the heavens she could see that the air was full of flying debris. More rocks and pieces of sheet metal—boards, bricks and everything imaginable.

#### Just Escaped a Live Wire.

Says she: "My head was reeling. I almost fainted again. A piece of sheet metal landed near us, barely missing our heads as it fell from above. For a minute I wondered if the world were coming to an end, and I began to pray. Then, with what little strength I had left, I gathered my children close and made for the gate of our back yard."

The wind tore at her, almost sweeping her off her feet. Clinging to all three of her children, she led them across the yard. When she came to where the gate should have been she found it gone—and the rest of the fence along with it. Across the street was the factory—the nearest solid building—and she headed for that.

"We walked and stumbled—fell and picked ourselves up again," she says. "I thought that trip would never come to an end, but finally we reached the factory. We learned later that we had walked over a live wire that had been blown down and we can only thank God that none of us stepped on it. But once we were inside the building the night watchman came to our rescue."

When Amy went back to her house the next morning she found every window broken. The furniture was water-soaked and broken by flying debris and the whole doggone place looked—well—like a cyclone had struck it, which was the truth. "But I didn't care about that," says Amy. "For my children were safe. The next day the papers carried stories about the freak tornado and told about the damage it did. But no newspaper will ever be able to describe the way I felt during those awful moments while it was occurring."

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#### Formed the Wisconsin Dells

Some thousands of years ago, when the Wisconsin river began its flow down to the sea, its course was shifted time and time again as it found its way over the flat limestone bed. As it rushed along it cut into the limestone, and the passage of the great glacier made other cuts in the rock, forming the weird shapes which are now known as the Dells. The Turk's Head, the Balanced Rock, the Needle and the Devil's Doorway are only a few of the descriptive names given these formations.

#### English Expressions

Just as American expressions are peculiar to the English, so are English expressions to us. "It's a pretty middlin' affair" is about the strongest superlative the English countryman can find for something tragic and harrowing. Their "not 'arf" is far stronger than our "very." "A tidy few" may be many, "a bit of a draft," a strong gale, and "a drop too much," a description of absolute intoxication.

#### Threads of Life

It's odd. A man thinks his own will guides his own life. But the world is full of human lives; a man is bound to blunder into some of them, weave his own with them indissolubly, or touch and drift away and touch again, or narrowly miss touching and maybe never know. The pattern is on the loom. And sometimes, looking back, you see a part of it. A thread weaves in and out and disappears; it is not broken but still weaving somewhere. Is it incidence when it appears again? Unknown or unconscious forces.

#### Cemetery Called "God's Acre"

The cemetery in the Moravian village of Schoenbrunn in what is now Tuscarawas county, Ohio, was called Gottes Acker—God's Acre. Here are a few of the inscriptions on the tombstones: "Rebecca, Little Daughter of J. Levi and Salome, Died June 17, 1773." "Fell Asleep, Anna Rosina, Aug. 11, 1775." "Phoebe, a Widow, a Great Sufferer, Passed Over Into the Land of Well, Jan. 17, 1774."

## WHAT to EAT and WHY

C. Houston Goudiss Asks

### Will Your Child Be Ready For School?

Noted Food Authority Outlines a Correct Diet for the Growing Youngster

By C. HOUSTON GOUDISS  
6 East 39th Street, New York City.

WHEN school closed last June, most parents looked forward to the long weeks ahead when their children could play in the sunshine, get plenty of rest, and build up a splendid fund of vitality to last them all through the new school year.

Some mothers resolved to do everything possible to prevent a recurrence of last season's disheartening colds.

Others planned to look into a blood-building diet that would give Mary or Johnnie more pep and rosier cheeks. Perhaps there were teeth that required attention, or a nose or throat condition to be corrected. Now, within a few weeks, the children will be returning to school, or in some cases beginning their school life.

Every mother should ask herself whether she has made the most of the opportunities offered by the vacation period.

Have you put forth a conscientious effort toward making your children 100 per cent fit for school? If not, there is still time! You cannot finish the job in a few weeks, but you can make it a good start. And you owe it to your children to begin at once.

For whether they enjoy school or find it tedious, whether they make excellent records or lag behind their fellows, depends in large measure upon their physical fitness.

Every child is entitled to good health, safeguarded by high resistance. And in this age of amazing scientific discoveries, every child should enjoy these blessings.

Top health and resistance to disease are the result of an intelligently planned and carefully executed health program. It should include proper diet, adequate sleep and rest, an abundance of sunshine and fresh air, freedom from physical defects, and the avoidance of physical or mental strain, or fatigue.

Diet—the Key to Health. Perhaps the most important factor of all is the carefully balanced diet. When planned to take full advantage of modern nutritional discoveries, it will insure normal growth and health, and build up high resistance that is like a protecting wall to safeguard your children.

With our present knowledge of the power of food, there should not be one ill-nourished child in our land. Yet the spectre of malnutrition rears its ugly head among children of the well-to-do as well as in homes where money is scarce. For, as a rule, it is not lack of money, but lack of knowledge of food values, or faulty eating habits which are responsible for the tragedy of an incorrectly fed child.

Don't Overlook Protective Foods. A child's diet should be built upon a foundation of the protective foods, such as potatoes, rice, mac-

aroni, bread and butter, and cereals, to help prevent the physical fatigue which lowers resistance. At least one starchy food belongs in every meal.

A well-cooked cereal should be provided once daily; in warm weather a ready-to-eat cereal may be used instead. In order to provide an abundance of minerals, and vitamin B, nutritionists place emphasis upon the whole grain varieties.

For desserts, choose rice, tapioca and bread puddings; gelatin, either plain or with fruit; fresh or stewed fruit; milk sherbets or ice cream.

In planning meals for children, it is important at all times to keep the menus simple, and prepare foods so that they are appetizing and easily digestible.

Aids to Good Nutrition. It is important also to bear in mind that the most perfect diet will not provide sound nutrition unless the food is properly digested and assimilated. Adequate sleep and rest, which go away with fatigue, are therefore essential. However perfect the diet, overexertion and undue fatigue, if continued, will soon bring about a state of lowered resistance.

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Never forget for a moment that a child's happiness and success are closely related to his health. All mothers should remember this, for it is no exaggeration to say that THE POWER OF A NATION DEPENDS UPON THE HEALTH OF ITS CHILDREN.

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#### An Egg Every Day

Eggs rank next to milk in importance, because of their protein, iron and vitamins. A child's diet should normally include one egg daily, or at least three or four weekly.

Green, leafy vegetables must not be neglected, as they supply iron and precious vitamins. Yellow vegetables, such as carrots and sweet potatoes are notable as a source of vitamin A.

Fruits, especially the citrus varieties, are important for their vitamin C, which helps to safeguard the health of teeth and gums. However, tomatoes, or tomato juice may also be used as a source of this vitamin. Bananas are an excellent fruit for children. Dried fruits furnish iron and are high in energy values. Fruits and vegetables in general are likewise an important aid to regular elimination.

As a rule, school children may have lean meat, fish, chicken or liver once a day, and a second protein food, such as cheese or legumes, is usually introduced at another meal.

Energy Foods in Abundance. There must be plenty of energy foods, such as potatoes, rice, mac-

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By RUTH WYETH SPEARS



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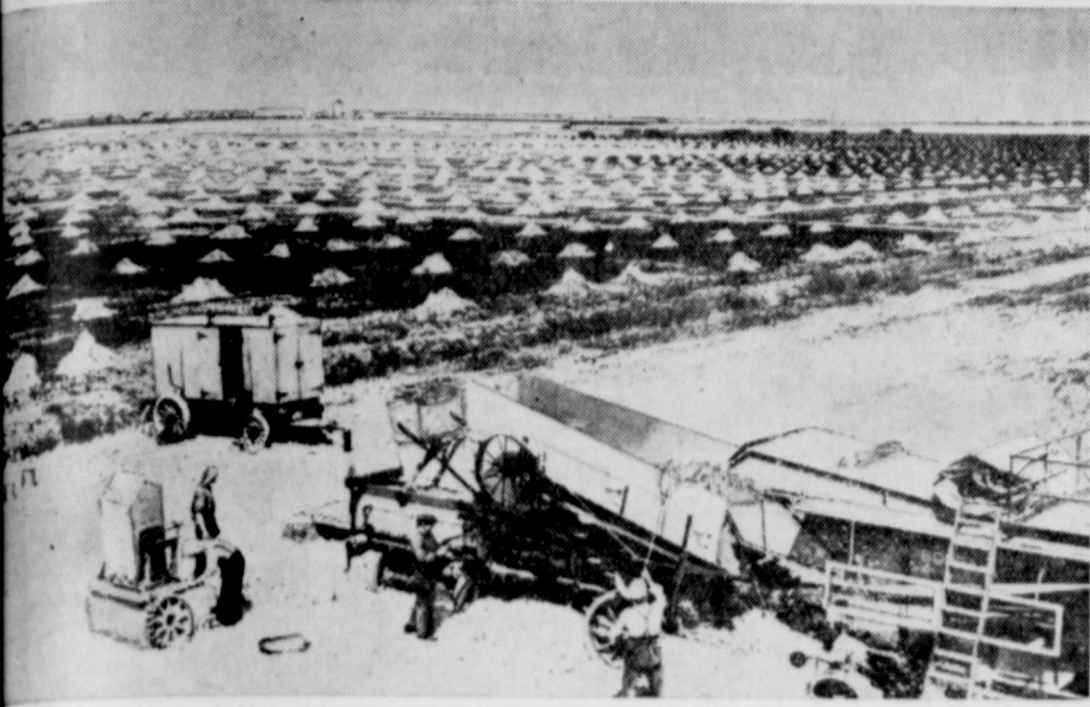
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### Harvest Crops on Reclaimed Sea Land



Farmers of the new community of Weirengen, reclaimed from the Zuyder Zee in the Netherlands, gather a rich harvest. The land on which they farm grain crops and fodder was under the sea until a few years ago, when a government-sponsored reclamation project made it available for agriculture.

### Good Enough for Bob Taylor

Robert Taylor, film actor, refreshes himself with a cool drink of water in the old fashioned way at Northbridge ranch, near Holly-



Calif. Taylor spends most of his spare time on the farm and incidentally keeps in trim for a series of energy-exhausting film roles, including pictures in which he has to suffer punishment in the prize ring.

### Forget Jap-Sino War Hate



Yoko Matsuko of Japan and Pearl Tehwei Liu of China forget the feeling between their countries as they admire the shore line along the Hudson aboard the Robert Fulton, en route from the Second World Youth congress which met at Vassar college in Poughkeepsie, N. Y.

### Arab Terror in Palestine



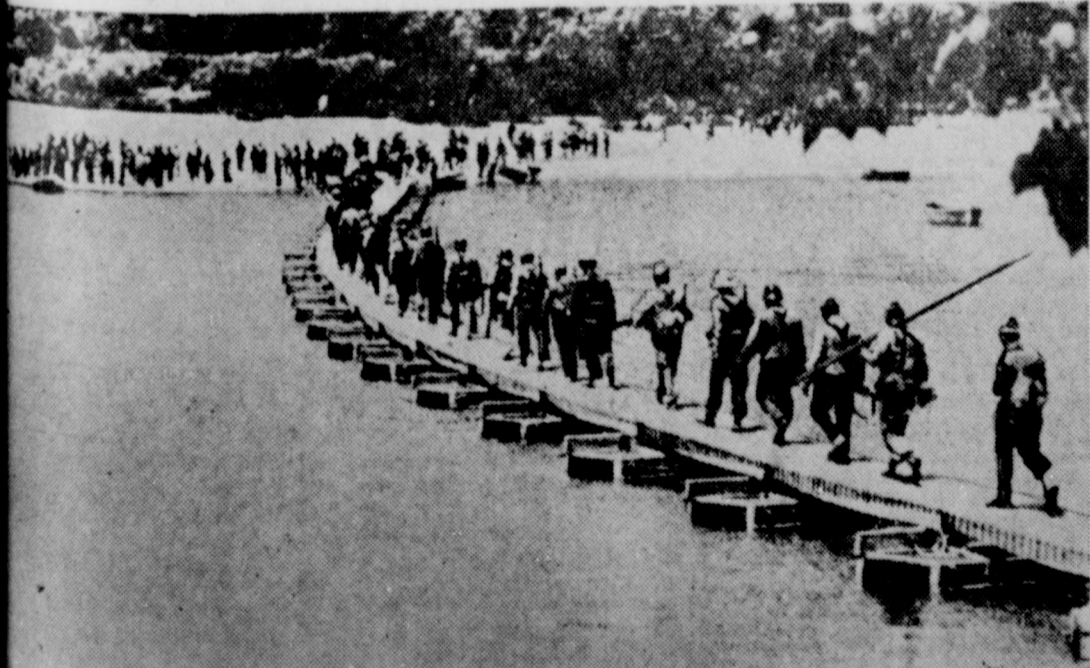
A Jewish workman being assisted to a hospital after he had been wounded and seriously wounded in one of the clashes between Jews and Arabs in the Holy Land. In spite of the efforts of British authorities at mediation, violence between the two peoples continues.

### SMITH TOO BUSY



Because Henry Hofer, a blacksmith at Sharpsburg, Pa., has so much work to do that he starts at 5 a. m. every morning and works sometimes 17 hours a day, neighbors disturbed by the pounding on his anvil complained to the police. But when Henry, who has been a blacksmith for 44 years, learned no one could legally stop him, he continued to start work at 5 a. m.

### When the Loyalists Crossed the Ebro



Spanish government troops shown in their advance against the insurgent armies of General Franco cross Ebro river on a pontoon bridge. The surprise advance of the Loyalist forces made it necessary for them to withdraw troops from other sectors to resist their attacks.

## HEALTH

● Blood sediment test helps doctor analyze progress of infection.

—By Dr. James W. Barton—

WHEN an infection occurs, the body's defenses immediately use all their power to get it out or at least prevent it from doing much damage. The body's heat is increased to "warm up" the white corpuscles, which also greatly increase in number, the blood pressure increases, making sure that all parts of the body will get a good supply; the heart rate increases to supply extra blood and remove wastes from the tissues. Thus a physician after taking temperature, heart rate, blood pressure and examining the blood to see if white corpuscles have increased in number in the proper proportion to the findings, knows whether the patient's defensive forces are putting up a good fight against the infection.

Sometimes, when an infection remains a long time, the body's defensive forces get tired and the blood pressure, temperature and heart rate become lower or slower. It is often of importance to the physician, therefore, in treating these prolonged infections—tuberculosis, rheumatism and others—to know whether his patient is improving, holding his own, or becoming worse.

Method at Milwaukee. To help him to learn more accurately the patient's condition, what is known as the blood sedimentation test is made. Dr. M. G. Peterman, Milwaukee, in the Wisconsin Medical Journal, describes the method used at Milwaukee Children's hospital.

"One part of 2 to 5 per cent sodium citrate solution is mixed with four parts of freshly drawn blood from a vein. The mixture is allowed to stand in a tube or syringe and the resulting fall (of the red blood corpuscles) is measured either in amount of serum (liquid part of blood), or in time for the red corpuscles to reach a certain mark. The normal readings show a certain fraction of an inch clear serum (liquid part of the blood showing above the solid or clot part) in one-half hour, twice this amount in one hour, and slightly more than four times the amount in two hours. A number of tests are made."

Doctor Peterman makes this definite statement: "Regardless of other findings (temperature, heart rate, blood pressure) a rapid rate of sedimentation or settling down of the red corpuscles shows that there is a very active or acute inflammation present or the presence of an active growth such as cancer."

It rate at which the red corpuscles sink becomes slower it is a sign of recovery; if rate becomes faster it is a sign that patient is worse.

### Slow Heart, Fast Heart; Both Cause Alarm

Just as individuals may become alarmed because of a fast heart rate, 80 to 84 instead of 72 to 76, so there are others that find the heart rate slower than normal, that is 60 to 66.

In examining well-trained boxers a few hours before their bouts we find that the heart rate may be as low as 56 to 66. Of course, in some cases this low heart rate is due to the fact that in trying to get down to the required weight at 2 o'clock of the day of the bout, they may have eaten no food since the midday meal of the previous day, or at least have eaten no breakfast or lunch on the day of the bout.

What about a slow heart rate in those who are not boxers? Is a slow heart a good sign or a bad sign?

Dr. Philip W. Morgan, Emporia, tells in the Journal of the Kansas Medical Society of communicating with 25 American life insurance companies to determine the number of those with a slow heart rate in proportion to those with the normal rate and their life expectancy—how long they were likely to live—as compared with the normal rate.

Tests Disperse Fear. Doctor Morgan found that these life insurance companies accepted applicants with a bradycardia (slow heart rate) and occasionally even with a marked bradycardia. In 700 young men with medical histories remarkably free from serious illness, heart rates—with individual resting—of less than 60 were found in 3 per cent, and rates of 60 to 65 were found in 16 per cent, making a total of 19 per cent with pulse rates of 65 or less.

Doctor Morgan's observations show that a fair percentage of apparently normal healthy individuals have a slow heart rate and that they can expect, according to medical statistics, about an 18 to 19 per cent better death rate than the average.

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## Becoming, Practical Frocks



THE shops are full of beautiful new fabrics just crying to be made up in smart new fashions—and these patterns make it very easy to do your own sewing. When you do, of course, you can have many more clothes because it's so inexpensive to buy your own, fine quality fabrics—and then your clothes, and your daughter's, too, will have that distinctly made-to-order, well-fitted look that's more flattering and smart than anything else.

For Large Women. This afternoon dress is carefully designed to look well on large figures. The v-neck, cut in one with the shoulders, makes your face look less full. The short, rippling sleeves minimize the size of your forearm—and they're so pretty and graceful, too. The skirt is smooth over the hips, and the bodice has necessary bust fullness. Here's a dress that will be your favorite, when you make it up in the prettiest silk crepe, georgette or sheer wool that you can find.

For Slim School-Girls. Your daughter will be delighted with the grown-up, slick look of this basque frock, and yet it's just as simple as a school-girl's dress should be. This is the style that

growing girls, too thin for their height, look very well in. The high neckline covers up their collar bones, the puff sleeves and flaring skirt have a filling out effect. This style is pretty in so many fabrics—cotton, wool and silk. Especially linen, gingham, challis, jersey and for dress-up, taffeta.

1563 is designed for sizes 36, 38, 40, 42, 44, 46, 48, 50 and 52. Size 38 requires 5 1/2 yards of 39-inch material.

1464 is designed for sizes 8, 10, 12, 14 and 16 years. Size 10 requires 2 1/2 yards of 39-inch material, plus 3/4 yard contrasting.

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Success in sewing, like success in any other field, depends upon how you approach the task in hand. To help you turn out clothes professional looking in every detail, we have a book which plainly sets forth the simple rules of home dressmaking. The beginner will find every step in making a dress clearly outlined and illustrated within its covers. For the experienced sewer there are many helpful hints and suggestions for sewing short cuts. Send 15 cents (in cents) today for your copy of SUCCESS IN SEWING, a book every home dressmaker will find of value.

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## Strange Facts

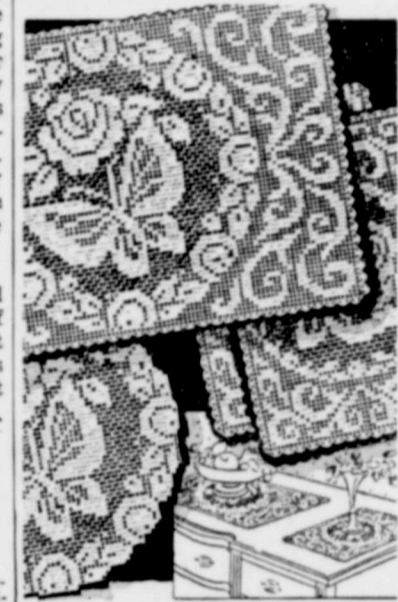
! Boy's Name on !  
! Coronation Chair !

THE famous coronation chair in which all English kings sit for their coronation bears the name of a British school boy. The boy's name is carved in the oak seat. Tradition tells that two Westminster school boys made a bet. P. Abbot bet that he would sleep alone all night in Westminster abbey. The boy wanted to prove that he had stayed in the great dark church which contains the royal dust of Edward the Confessor, the bones of Chaucer, Sir Isaac Newton and many other famous men of Britain. In the chapel of Edward the Confessor is the oak coronation chair. In the seat is carved "P. Abbot slept in this chair January 4, 1801."

Only once has the coronation chair been taken from the abbey. The chair dates from the Fourteenth century. Beneath the seat is the famous stone of scone or "Stone of Destiny." It was brought from Scone, Scotland, by Edward the first. On it Scottish kings were crowned until Edward I brought it to London in 1296. The one occasion when the coronation chair was taken from the abbey was during the time of Oliver Cromwell. It was moved to Westminster hall when Cromwell was installed as Lord Protector. The same famous chair was used in May when George VI was crowned in Westminster abbey.

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## New Filet Crochet Doilies



Pattern 6121.

Variety in filet crochet to suit your every need! These oblongs make a luncheon set, a buffet set or doilies. If you prefer round doilies, crochet just the center of each oblong. The size is varied by the cotton used. Pattern 6121 contains instructions and charts for making doilies; illustration of them; materials needed.

To obtain this pattern, send 15

cents in stamps or coins (coins preferred) to The Sewing Circle, Household Arts Dept., 259 W. 14th St., New York City.

Please write your name, address and pattern number plainly.



### Uncle Phil Says:

Both Overestimate

Town people envy the farmer his open-air life, and farmers envy city people the sights they see.

When one has lost the capacity to become indignant one is like the shell of a blown-out firework.

A tightwad is endurable until he begins to make apologies for being a tightwad.

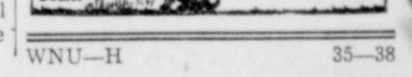
If you could only be sure you wouldn't need any baggage on a vacation trip, what a lot of fun you could get out of it.

How Women in Their 40's Can Attract Men

Here's good advice for a woman during her change (usually from 38 to 52, 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 need a good general system tonic take Lydia 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 avert caliginous jittery nerves and disturbing symptoms that often accompany change of life. WELL WORTH TRYING!

Constancy Needed

Without constancy, there is neither love, friendship nor virtue in the world.—Addison.



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## AROUND the HOUSE Items of Interest to the Housewife

Clean With Soda.—If there is a constant smell of burning when cooking is going on, examine gas burners. They are probably filled with sediment from "boilovers."

Economy Note.—Pieces of ribbon that come on gift boxes may be utilized in making shoulder straps for underwear. Cut them into six or eight-inch strips.

Putty That Sticks.—To make putty stick to window panes use a small quantity of white lead; mix thoroughly with the putty.

Save Ironing.—If sheets are hung on the line dripping wet the weight of the water pulls them down and removes most of the wrinkles. They may then be folded neatly without ironing when dry.

Hanging Pictures.—Pictures should be hung about at the level of the eye, but since they also are to be hung in relation to the furniture groups, it is sometimes better to hang one below eye level over a low table or desk, or above eye level over a high chest.

JUST LIKE "GOOD NEWS FROM HOME..."

Johnnie Bissett tells how he feels about this "makin's" tobacco

WHEN it comes to the way Prince Albert lays in the paper, Johnnie Bissett (with hat) says: "P. A. sits level in 'makin's' papers without spilling off the ends, or bunching in the middle." And for rich taste and mellow mildness, Prince Albert's made-to-order "makin's" smokes. No bite, no harshness—just easy-rolling tobacco, full of fragrant, tasty goodness. "P. A.'s some smoke, say roll-your-owners. (In pipes too P. A.'s some smoke.)"

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