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"As You See It"

This feature, in which residents are asked to give their views on varied subjects, will appear in the SUN from time to time. Suggested questions are welcomed.

QUESTION: Many neighboring towns license pin-ball (bagatelle) machines, some of which have been known to pay cash prizes. Springfield does not do so. Do you think it should as a means of regulating their use, and also to provide additional revenue for the township?

PLACE OF INTERVIEW: Corner of Morris and Fiemer avenues.

ARTHUR H. SMITH, JR., bank clerk, Milltown road:
"I should think it would be all right to have the machines as long as they don't pay off. They're all right as a pastime, but when it comes to gambling, there should be a heavy fee on them."

SAMUEL LEWIS, teacher, Regional High School, 93 Melsel avenue:

"I think the whole business should be thrown out. There is absolutely no need for these machines in Springfield. They are a bad influence on the younger generation."



Rambling Around Town

WE DEVIATE FROM OUR CUSTOMARY policy to reprint the following item which appeared in yesterday's edition of the Newark News and present it to our readers for their perusal:

"The Springfield Township Committee last night withheld payment of a bill from a hardware store, because among the items, was one of \$9.36 for 25 rolls of toilet paper. Committee members decided 37.4 cents per roll was too much and directed Township Clerk Treat to investigate."

Pertaining to the same Township Committee, Chairman Wilbur M. Selander's ears perked up Wednesday night when an invitation from Union Township for its "Know Union Better" exhibit contained the title of "Mayor" for F. Edward Blertumpfel, who, as in Selander's case is chairman and not officially Mayor, under provisions of laws affecting township committee form of government. . . . the local "Mayor" is perturbed that similar dignity is not attached to his title, to which we add, "What, and get your name in the paper as much as our good friend Eddie of Union does?"

Of particular interest to landowners in the southern section of town is the news that State Highway officials and municipal authorities will confer soon on plans for the future status of Route 29, as part of a comprehensive program to eliminate the dangers of the heavy traffic there. . . . the Rambling Reporter has learned of several interesting aspects, which will probably be news before another week rolls around.

"GONE WITH WIND" AT STRAND THEATRE

The Roth-Strand Theatre of Summit announces that "Gone With the Wind" will open a week's performance Easter Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Week-day matinees will be continuous, with no reserved seats, from 10 A. M. until 2 P. M. for the last daily afternoon performance. Evening shows will begin at 8 P. M. and are reserved, as well as Sunday matinees, at 2. The picture will be presented exactly as shown at the Capitol and Astor Theatres, New York.

TO MEET TUESDAY

Springfield Democratic Club will meet Tuesday night at 8 o'clock in the home of its president, Emanuel O. Holmes, of 3 Bessar avenue. Members are urged to attend, as plans are outlined for the approaching May primary election.

MRS. S. THOMPSON, housewife, 99 Morris avenue:
"They should be licensed because there are a lot of people who put money in them who can't afford to. This would help discourage their use."

OTTO DEBERJEOLS, engineer, 18 Balunol way:
"There's no reason why they shouldn't be licensed if it would help the town financially. It's the duty of every citizen to see how the town can make what money it can, in ways like this. Anything to get taxes down! Tavern owners shouldn't object. If it's the hobby of people to play the things, why let all the money go out of town to the distributors of them? It's an interesting game, why not license it as such?"

P. C. ERMENFROUT, bookkeeper, Springfield avenue:
"Why not just prohibit them altogether, if it's a matter of gambling. There's supposed to be a law against that, isn't there?"

MRS. HERBERT KUVIN, housewife, 76 South Maple avenue:
"I think they should be licensed. After all, the company installing the machines reaps most of the rewards from them. All this money is taken out of town. Why shouldn't more of it stay here? Other entertainment and like concessions are licensed, these should be too!"

FRED J. HODGSON, supervising principal, Springfield grade schools:
"It is a question of licensing gambling. I don't think the town should do it, even if it meant additional revenue."

Band, Moving Pictures Feature P.T.A. Session

Selections by the Regional High School Band and motion pictures shown by former Fire Commissioner T. C. Davidson featured the meeting Monday night of the local P.T.A. in the Raymond Chisholm School. Clayton Spahr of the program committee introduced the speaker of the evening who showed pictures he took during a trip with his wife and son to the western part of the country in 1936.

TEMPERANCE UNION MEETS WEDNESDAY

The problems confronting children as a result of the liquor traffic and the protection from it that they should get from home and community environment will be the topic of discussion at the next regular meeting of the Springfield-W. O. T. U. The meeting will be held Wednesday at 2:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. R. B. Ferguson of 71 Short Hills avenue.

Borough Pupils Prepare For School-Wide Marble Tournney

Spring Is Heralded By Mountainside Event

MOUNTAINSIDE—Come Spring, and come to the boys of the Mountainside School, the game that will set all fingers twitching and their hearts around a ring in the dirt where they'll gather for that great game of boyhood—yes, marbles. The astronomer who seek the stars in huge telescopes to determine the exact date of Spring, might just as well have been at the school Wednesday, for there was as sure sign of Spring as ever is found in the heavens. On that afternoon, the school-wide marble tournament started with almost 40 boys signed up in three groups, seniors, juniors, down to the midlegs.

The tournament, sponsored by the Union County Park Commission is being conducted by William Von Borstel, a student of the school, who is in charge of boy's athletics in connection with the Student Council. Medals will be offered for

Benninger Seeks Berth On G.O.P. State Committee

Mountainside Recorder Will Oppose Warren In May Primaries

Police Recorder Albert J. Benninger of Mountainside announced his candidacy Tuesday for the post of Union-County representative for the Republican State Committee. He will oppose the incumbent, George C. Warren, Jr., of Summit, in the Republican primaries May 21. Warren has held the position for two terms of three years each. Declaring that organization work is sadly needed by the Republican party, Benninger stated that the position of State Committeeman



ALBERT J. BENNINGER

should be held by someone who spends most of his time in the county and has been active in local affairs. "Committeeman Warren," he said, "because of his other state-wide activities which keep him out of Union County, has not had the time to give this job the full attention it deserves." Warren is president of the Fish and Game Commission, and is a member of the New Jersey Advertising Council.

Recorder Benninger, president of the Mountainside Young Republican Club, is also a member of the Young Republican Club of Union County, and is active in its organization committee, on which he has served since the club was first formed. He is also active in the work of the Mountainside Dramatic Club, the Parent-Teacher Association of

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Mrs. Stoëckle Renamed By Sunshine Society

Mrs. William Stoëckle of Millburn was re-elected president of the Springfield-Millburn Sunshine Society last Thursday in the home of Mrs. Herman Wolke, of 13 Duncan street, Millburn. Mrs. Walker Hall was elected vice-president, Mrs. Frank Marshall, secretary, and Mrs. Fred Buchholz, was chosen as treasurer. All the officers will serve for three year terms. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Frank Marshall, Millburn. The regular meeting scheduled for April 11 will be postponed because of the conflict with the Red Cross bridge party that day at Kross Bros. Store in Rahway. The postponed meeting then will be held April 25.

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Come to Church Church

EASTER

Presbyterian

Rev. DR. GEO. A. LIGGETT, Pastor
Sunday School, 8:45 A. M.
Morning Service, 11 A. M.
Intermediate Christian Endeavor at 7 P. M.
Topic: "Time."
Special music has been prepared for the Easter Sunday service. The program will include two anthems by the choir, "The Resurrection" by R. M. Spotts and "Hail, A Glorious King" by Ira B. Wilson. Organ offerings will include "Easter Morning" by Ernest Nichol for the voluntary, "Meditation" by Frederick Lacey for the offertory, and "Victory March" by Cyrus S. Mallard for the postlude. Mrs. Arthur Lamb will direct the choir, and Miss Hazel Leber will render the organ selections.

The church will be trimmed with lilies and palms for the service. Communion will be observed, and members will be taken into the church. Children will be presented for baptism.
A special Good Friday service will be held tonight at 8 o'clock.
A food sale will be held by the Society next Saturday in Pinkham's showroom. Mrs. Frank Koller is in charge of arrangements, assisted by Mrs. Arnold Wright, Mrs. Conover Willis, Mrs. Walter Ferry, and Mrs. Oida Ste. Marie.

St. James' Catholic

Rev. DANIEL A. COYLE, Rector
Masses, 7:30, 8:45, 10:15 and 11:15 A. M.
Sunday School following the 8:45 Mass
Week-day Masses 7:30 A. M.
Masses Easter Sunday will be held at the regular hours. Special music will be heard as follows: The children will sing at the 8:45 mass. The Adult Choir will sing at High Mass, 11:15. Their program will include: "Christ, the Lord, is Risen Today"; "Mass of the Shepherds"; Offertory, "Regina Coeli" by Yon, and Recessional, "Alleluia" (traditional melody).
The organist and choir director will be Mrs. George McDonough.

St. Stephen's Episcopal

Rev. WUGH W. DICKINSON, Rector
Holy Communion at 8 A. M.
Church School and Bible Class, 9:45 A. M.
Morning prayer and sermon by the Rector, 11 A. M.
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Rev. JAMES K. KELLY, Pastor
Sunday School, 8:45 A. M.
Morning worship at 11 o'clock.
Epworth League at 7 P. M.
Topic: "Our Living Lord."
Reverend Dr. D. E. Stephenson of Madison will give the sermon. Special music has been prepared for Easter services. A prelude, "In Joseph's Lovely Garden" by Dickinson, will be played by an organ and violin duet with Allan Carman at the organ, and Miss Jean Heghey playing the violin.

The choir will sing two anthems, "Jesus Christ is Risen" by Lorenz, and "Praise Ye the Lord" by Holten. Mrs. Daphne Diane Carman, soprano, will sing a solo, "Hail To Your Heads, Oh Ye Gates." Postlude will be a second organ and violin duet, "Grand Chœur" by Halling.
New hymn books donated to the church by Mrs. Raymond Marshall

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CANCEL ACTIVITY FOR GIRL SCOUTS

All Girl Scout activities will be cancelled next week due to Spring vacations which will close all the school buildings from active use. Meetings of troops will be resumed the following week as usual. The troops affected will be Senior Troop 1 which meets Tuesday evening at the James Caldwell School, Troop 2 which meets at Raymond Chisholm Tuesday afternoon, and Troops 3 and 4 which meet at James Caldwell Friday afternoon.

Two Graduations In Local Schools

Separate graduation exercises will be held for the first time this year in the Raymond Chisholm and the James Caldwell schools; it was decided by the Board of Education Tuesday night. Raymond Chisholm will hold its own ceremonies this year on June 18. James Caldwell students will receive their diplomas the next day, June 19. Neither of these will conflict with the graduation exercises of Regional High School which will be held June 20. Other business transacted at the meeting included authorization of the purchase of a set of parallel bars for the Raymond Chisholm School gymnasium, and a new piece of gymnasium apparatus called a "goal-hi" at the total cost of \$228.50. Athletic equipment was also authorized for the James Caldwell School. A report of the State School Board Inspector, Edward J. Kilpatrick, was read and discussed. By-laws were readopted for the coming year.

First Baptist

Rev. ROMANUS P. BARTMAN, Pastor
Sunday School, 9:45 A. M.
Morning Service, 11 A. M.
Young People's Service, 7 P. M.
Evening Service, 7:45 P. M.
Morning topic: "The Power of His Resurrection."
Evening topic: "Alive For Evermore."

A special anthem, "Easter Morn," by Charles Lane, will be sung by the choir in the morning service. The meeting of the Young People's Society will be moved back Sunday to 5:30 P. M. from the regular time at 7, to allow for a longer program and an Easter service. A supper will be served.

Rev. Arthur Conrad will be a guest of the church Thursday evening. Mr. Conrad has returned from Albania where he was a missionary sent out by the American-European Fellowship, an international missionary body of which Mr. Bateman, the pastor, is one of the directors. The church and college sponsored by the society in Korce, Albania, are now deserted except for one lone man who stayed on as overseer of the property. Mr. Conrad will tell of the Polish people near the organization's 30-acre establishment in the outskirts of Warsaw, who tore down a picket fence surrounding it to use as fuel because of the severe fuel shortage. Mrs. Conrad, who will accompany her husband, may also speak.

SUN SPOTS...

NO PIGS are left in Springfield Square, bless their little ham bones. Health Officer Dr. Henry P. Dengler has deftly checked them all out to spots unknown, and even their pens, existing for a long time sans permits, are being dismantled.

DICK BUNNELL, weighing heavily the problems of the Legion's "Stuff and Nonsense" at a confab in the SUN office Wednesday night, leaned back in his chair, until suddenly, the hefty burdens got too much for the chair, and it gave up the ghost beneath him. And there he sat on the floor, sputtering (to put it mildly).

CLOCKTITS WHICH PUT THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OUT OF COMMISSION LAST WEEK MUST BE CONTAGIOUS.

At least its germs hopped across the Common and jumped ill luck into the works of the Regional clock which went "puff" at 10:22 Wednesday night. In the middle of a board meeting, too. First time it's been out since the building was put up.

Stuff, Nonsense At High School Friday Evening

"Stuff and Nonsense," a variety show featuring a minstrel, vaudeville and a spectacular grand finale will mark the first annual production of Continental Post-228, American Legion, next Friday night at the Regional High School auditorium. Members of the post have been rehearsing since the first of the year and await their efforts in presenting two hours of comedy, music, fun and diversion.

American Legion Post to Present Variety and Minstrel Show

The first part of the show will consist of an old-fashioned minstrel with Henry C. McMullen as master of ceremonies, supported by six end men, namely Alex Ferguson, Herbert Quinton, Chase Runyon, Richard Horner, William White and Gregg Frost. Also appearing in the first part will be George Voelker, Sr., local singer of dialect songs, and Joseph J. Torsello, well-known tap dancer, of Mountainside.

A quartet, John Potts, George Dines, Alfred Trundle and Tad Coblick, will sing a selection, accompanied by the music of Fred Harnett, and his orchestra.

The second portion of "Stuff and Nonsense" will consist of good old vaudeville, in which four students at Regional High, Florence Cremlink, Mary Kundrat, Andy Wanat and Frank Kolojaski, will be seen in "Footloose and Fancy Free," a fast stepping dance number. Tom Hawbecker of Mapewood, a disappearing act, and a novelty act provoking laughs is expected to roll out on the aisles. The Lantz Trio, Josephine Barney and McKeay, with Michael Lacina, will offer accordion selections. Their entertainment being known to residents in this section.

The highlight of the evening is said to be the grand finale, in which the entire company is shown with the aid of special scenic effects. Tickets are being sold by post members, or may be obtained at the door. Curtain time will be 8:15 P. M.

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WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS BY JOSEPH W. LABINE

Balkans Draw Russ Attention Following Conquest in Finland; Allies Retreat From Near East

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

Congress: What Both Houses Are Doing

In house and senate, U. S. legislators busied themselves during mid-March with the following subjects:

POLITICS. Debate and a threatened filibuster delayed a senate vote on amendments to the Hatch "clean politics" act. Aim: To prohibit state employees, who are paid in whole or in part with U. S. funds, from engaging in political activity.

DEFENSE. Passed by the house was a measure authorizing \$254,000,000 in the next two years for 21 warships, 22 auxiliary vessels and 1,011 fighting planes. Meanwhile, the senate weighed a resolution to probe U. S. plane sales abroad.

AGRICULTURE. Certain to pass the senate and very likely to pass the house were boosts which brought the farm appropriation to more than one billion dollars. Major boosts: \$212,000,000 for parity payments. But there were growing fears that next year's congress will be left to worry about where the money is coming from.

LABOR. Of 17 amendments to the Wagner act suggested by a special house committee, at least one seemed destined to pass: Enlargement of the labor board from three to five members.

EUROPE: Peace in the North "Finland stood alone against a huge opponent. It could not save the nation. The inevitable end would have been the destruction of our country."

Thus spoke Foreign Minister Vaino Tanner as a peace delegation winged its way homeward from Moscow. The war was over and Finland would "soon regain her vitality."

Field Marshal Baron Karl Gustav, Mannerheim figured Finland had lost 15,000 men to Russia's 200,000 which was proof enough that the vanquished army was far superior man for man.

But the war had left Finland a shambles, its best men dead, some of its best land lost to the invader (see map.) Ahead lay a tough job, but the kind to which generations of Finns have become inured.

Gradually the true story leaked out. First peace overtures had come from Finland two weeks earlier, via Sweden, via Finland's 200,000 man army.

Major factor had been a Scandinavian defensive alliance which Finland agreed to sign with Sweden and Norway.

From Paris, Chicago Daily News Edgar Axel Mowrer reported he knew why Finland never appealed directly for allied aid. Reason: The German minister at Helsinki informed Finland that issuance of such an appeal would bring German troops to assist the Russians.

Reaction in the West That Russia's victory in Finland was a defeat for France and Britain, no observer could deny. In reaction in the East No sooner had Russia ended one war than she started another one.

Reaction in the East No sooner had Russia ended one war than she started another one. At least advices reaching Shanghai reported a resumption of hostilities on the Outer Mongolian frontier, where a truce ended the fighting last September.

PAN AMERICA: Blues Song

Ever since Europe went to war last autumn, U. S. business men have hoped to capture the profitable South American trade which heretofore belonged mostly to Germany and Britain.

Six months later the experts reached a conclusion: "Until... definite action is taken on the defaulted obligations of South American countries, until... the U. S. investing public will have confidence in South American political conditions... and until... the fear of expropriation and nationalistic legislation is overcome, a large increase in our exports to and imports from South America cannot be expected."

Major difficulty was that South American imports from the U. S. far outweigh U. S. imports from the south, a situation which is robbing the little countries of their gold and silver.

AGRICULTURE: Weather and Crops

In Texas, farmers were planting cotton. Up in the Dakotas they were limbering up for spring seeding. At Washington, the U. S. weather bureau decided the time was ripe for a report and forecast.

Because soil moisture stands at low obse spring wheat producing states will yield under-normal supplies this year unless heavy rains or snows fall within the next few weeks.

Drouth also plagues the winter wheat belt from Nebraska south into Texas and from Colorado east into the Ohio valley. Although some sections had heavy midwinter precipitation, poor moisture conditions during the autumn germination months will cut even deeper into already small plantings.

Below-normal precipitation was also recorded along the Atlantic seaboard, but it was too early to base crop forecasts on it.

Out west, where northern California was just draining off flood waters, the bureau reported unusually heavy precipitation during the winter.

CHINA: Thin-Ice Primary topic of Far Eastern interest right now is the Russo-Finnish peace (see EUROPE), which may turn the Soviet's attention eastward once more.

Either development seemed possible, an uncertainty which made inconsequential the manifesto issued at Shanghai by Japanese Puppet Wang Ching-wel. Said he: A new pro-Japanese government will be established in China almost immediately.

At Tokyo, Premier Mitsumasa Yonai issued an abstract and high-sounding statement promising Japanese support of the Wang government. But abstractions from Tokyo and Shanghai only emphasized Japan's helplessness.

For Germany, the biggest immediate gain was a chance to beat the British blockade. With Russia at peace, the Nazis could now expect all munitions and foodstuffs from the East.

Third Term in England Most Britishers are keenly interested in a third term for Franklin Roosevelt, for they feel his foreign policy works in their favor.

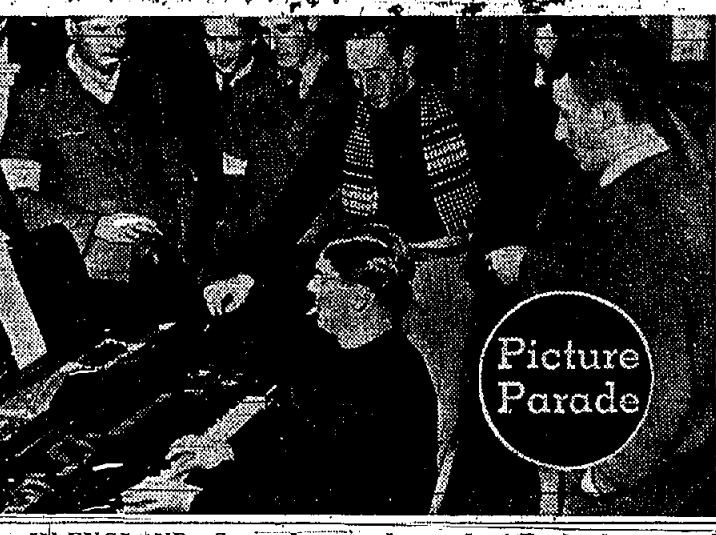
Where Mr. Broadbent got his "beyond doubt" information, Americans in London could not discover. What mystified them still more but suddenly seemed more logical was the very antithesis of this conclusion, namely, that President Roosevelt would be a check for re-election, if he succeeded in bringing peace to Europe.

Other political news: At New Hampshire, 1940's first primary election placed a full slate of Democratic convention delegates at the disposal of Franklin Roosevelt. Republicans, who drew the biggest vote, elected an unemployed delegation as requested by Sen. H. Styles Bridges, New-Hampshire's presidential hopeful.

Prisoners of War Settle Down To Routine Ordered by Enemy



IN FINLAND—A Red army officer who appears not too concerned over his capture is shown replying to questions asked him during a radio broadcast from a station near Helsinki. Finns give tobacco for correct answers.



IN ENGLAND—Somewhere in the north of England, captured German sailors and airmen find life not unpleasant; at least it's better than fighting. Here they gather around the piano.



IN FRANCE—German prisoners in French hands are subject to orders from the highest ranking man among them, even in prison camps. Here a squad commander reports to the French officer.



IN GERMANY—Polish prisoners of war march off to work with spades and shovels. By utilizing the labor of captured Poles, the Germans can release more man power for duty on the Western front.



IN SWITZERLAND—These people run the central information bureau for prisoners of war established at Geneva by the Red Cross. Left to right: Mme. Frick-Cramer; Jacques Chenevierre, author and president of the bureau; Fred Barbey, and Prof. Max Huber, president of the Red Cross committee.



IN THE U. S.—German sailors from the scuttled Columbus.

NATIONAL AFFAIRS

Reviewed by CARTER FIELD

Stalemate in house dooms action on new legislation and amendments... New Dealers using Ohio defeats as third-term argument... Criticism of F. B. I. is history repeating itself.

WASHINGTON.—There is a stalemate on Capitol Hill. In fact the administration decided last session that this session should be just that.

The truth, which was realized before adjournment last summer, is that the administration does not have the votes to put anything new through the house of representatives, and the opposition does not have the votes to repeal any existing law—or for that matter to amend one.

That is the reason there will be no amendments to the national labor relations act this session. Neither those desired by the administration, which are trivial, nor those desired by the opposition, which might be sweeping.

The administration can block almost anything it wants to hold up. The opposition has the same power. It is true that the reciprocal trade agreement making power of the administration will be extended, despite violent opposition.

But this cuts across party lines. A great many Republicans favor it. A few Democrats oppose it. Nobody knows, for instance, what the attitude of the Republican candidates for President will be on it.

Hard to Discover What The Administration Wants Apparently the biggest battle is over appropriations, but it is by no means so simple to discover what the administration really wants in any of the test votes.

It will be recalled that President Roosevelt, in submitting his budget, called for new taxes calculated to raise \$460,000,000. Nobody on Capitol Hill thinks the President actually wants those new taxes before election.

Obviously it would be next to impossible to get any two people in the country who could go over the whole budget and reach a perfect agreement as to where cuts totaling nearly a half billion dollars should be made.

But congress is definitely determined that there shall be no new taxes at this session, and it is just as determined that there must be drastic enough cuts in the budget to prevent the necessity of boosting that forty-five billion-dollar debt limit before election.

Using Defeats in Ohio As Third Term Argument Talk about turning defeat into victory—those Ohio Roosevelt men are really making history!

They are turning a crushing New Deal defeat in two Ohio congressional districts into the best argument they have found yet why President Roosevelt must run for another term.

Just why any one in the government of Florida should care particularly to stop the cyppling of wealthy visitors is something else again, but the point is that Florida officials have plenty of power to stop it if they want to.

Incidentally it is rather interesting, and the Ohio boys are not overlooking this point either, but Ohio has been on the winning side of every presidential contest for a good many years.

Seems to Fit in With Lewis' Gloomy Comment Much more important, it went for Wilson in 1916, the last close presidential election, although every state bordering on Ohio, except Kentucky to the south, went for Hughes.

This Started With An Old Car Seat

By RUTH WYETH SPEARS

WE KNOW what becomes of old automobiles for their graveyards are all too obvious. But how about that backseat cushion with springs almost as good as new? The sketch shows what became of one such seat.

It was padded out at the ends to make the back the same length as the front. Extra padding was also used on the top to make it smooth. A simple base with a

back and wings was made of one-inch boards, to fit the seat. Next, came the cypress slip-cover for the spring seat; with a box pleated ruffle around the front and along the sides up to the wings.

Projection of this curve, as the political analysts would say, would mean that Ohio's 26 electoral votes would go Republican in the presidential election—unless the "magic name of Roosevelt" is on the ballot.

Incidentally, what is worrying some of the New Dealers no little is that this pair of elections in Ohio, in each of which the Republicans did better than in 1938, when they carried the state, fits in with John L. Lewis' gloomy comment that Illinois, Indiana, Ohio, Pennsylvania, and New Jersey are all set to go Republican unless there is some new hope given to the country by the Democrats.

Criticism of F. B. I. is History Repeating Itself After what the British called a "good press" for all these years, a turning in the lane is to be detected with regard to the Federal Bureau of Investigation—to wit the G-men of J. Edgar Hoover.

Criticism is beginning to appear in newspaper editorials, and on the floor of the house and senate. Significantly enough, the first bit of open criticism on the floor of the senate came from Senator George W. Norris, who hung the label "Oggy" so close to the neck of this outfit that it provoked no smiles at the department of justice.

In a way it is history repeating itself. Back in the reign of the first Roosevelt they grew up a suspicion on Capitol Hill that Theodore was using the secret service to get dirt on individual senators and representatives, presumably to provide a further argument, when such gentlemen should be called on the White House carpet, to persuade them to vote "right."

This naturally aroused a good deal of indignation. In fact, so strongly did the legislators object to being shadowed that they wrote a restriction into the next appropriation bill providing that the secret service operatives should in the future have just two functions, and only two. These were the detection of counterfeiting and the physical protection of the President of the United States.

It was years later, in the Harding administration, that the next shud-ders ran through Capitol Hill. This time, instead of the busy secret service, it was the department of justice—which was accused of digging up dirt on congressmen. The particular instance was that Attorney-General Harry M. Daugherty, wishing to hamstring Senator Burton K. Wheeler, at the time pressing an investigation of Daugherty, put some of his sleuths on the Montana senator's trail.

But while this proved a grand talking point for the critics of Daugherty—and incidentally for the defenders of Wheeler—it did not result in any legislative action.

F. B. I. Chief's Activities In Florida Seen Unfortunate It is unfortunate in many respects for J. Edgar Hoover that his activities led him in certain directions this year. Notably his vice crusade in Florida. The whole point is that it is not regarded as a smart addition to the functions of the federal government—at a time when economy is the watchword and the FBI chief is trying to get more money for his bureau which most other governmental bureaus and agencies are being slashed—to go after gambling, and purely intrastate gambling in that.

The Florida authorities announce every so often that the lid is on—no more casinos. But time passes, and for one reason or another, or perhaps no reason save loss of interest, gambling in the smart winter colony is resumed.

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In many Japanese bedrooms the compass points are painted on the floor. Few Japanese will sleep with the head pointing north...

Although the transatlantic clipper are built to carry 3,000 pounds of mail, they have transported 4,300 pounds...

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Prologue to Love By MARTHA OSTENSO

THE STORY THUS FAR. Lovely, independent Autumn Dean, returning home to British Columbia from abroad with her father's knowledge...

CHAPTER VI—Continued. Autumn snatched hat and gloves from the chair and abruptly turned to the door. Hecto put out a hand...

Autumn glanced at the room and then turned to pat the dog on the girl's arm. "What do you call him, Miss Parr?" she asked. "His name is Koochook...

"I had a bad ankle that day. Came home late the night before and tripped over a rubber hose somebody had carelessly left on the lawn..."

"I know. She's been dying for a year. I believe nothing keeps her alive but sheer persistence. She knows Bruce will have a chance to get around as soon as she's gone..."

"I had my faithful slave attend to your clothes," Linda said. "You'd like a shower, perhaps. The bath is on the left, there, between our rooms..."

"I'm sure I shall like all of you," Autumn said, a little helplessly. "I'm not at all sure," Linda protested. "We're a bit touched, if you ask me..."

"You're the only thing Florian has ever taken seriously—except polo," Linda observed, blowing smoke rings. "The poor boy is hit—and hit hard..."

head. She had striking dark eyes and a full, freckled mouth...

"Thank you," Autumn replied. "I'm very glad I was invited. 'Where's Tim?' Linda asked..."

"He's talking to father in the garage," Elinor replied. "They'll both be here in a minute or two..."

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GENERAL HUGH S. JOHNSON Says

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Another tough question for Welles. sound and taint are completely offset by the fact that standing alone that group is so far in the minority as to be futile...

FARLEY 'FARMERS' DAY. For an affair so widely advertised as non-political, Henry Wallace's birthday party for the AAA was about the most powerful political stunt that has yet been pulled...

Mr. Farley warned them against taking it for granted that the farm "birds" would go on unless they attended "to the votes in congress which keep it going..."

Later on, when the youth and age groups are made a little more conscious, he could add a "Youth day" and an "Old Folks' day..."

The New Deal had a good opportunity and they made the most of it. But they go too far when they claim a monopoly on the policy of "equality for agriculture..."

Household News By Eleanor Howe



For an Easter Feast. The Easter season brings eggs and more eggs to the tables of the whole world...



degrees), allowing 35 minutes per pound. Remove to hot platter and garnish with pineapple rings and fresh mint...

When the bunny comes around with his gift of eggs, keep him as a guest at your Easter table. He'll be a delight to children and grownups alike...

But Easter Sunday demands more than eggs in the way of food! It's a day of feasting and most of us plan and plot for weeks ahead to give the family a truly delicious and unusual meal...

When dipping candy eggs, melt the chocolate in the top of a double boiler, but do not let the water boil. When melted, remove from heat and let the chocolate cool to about 85 degrees Fahrenheit...

Wipe ham with a damp cloth and place in an uncovered roaster, skin side up. Roast in a very low oven (300 degrees) allowing 25 minutes per pound of ham...

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SPRINGFIELD STATISTICS
Population, 1938—5,000; 1930—4,716.
Habitants, 1938—16,846,872
Tax rate, 1938—\$6.42

Incorporated 1867; township form of government, settled early in 1700.
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Site of \$600,000 Union County Regional High School, serving Springfield and five other county municipalities. A modern addition to the Raymond Chabot School, affords complete educational facilities in the southern section, opened last September. Mail carrier delivery service will begin shortly, having been approved by the Postal Department.

COMING EVENTS

Clubs, organizations and all societies may list their future events under this heading without charge. Send your dates to THE SUN and avoid later conflicts through this column.

Mar. 22 (Fri.)—Lions Club, weekly supper meeting, Half-Way House, Route 29, 6:30 P. M.

Mar. 22 (Fri.)—Boy Scouts, meeting, Methodist Church, 6:30 P. M.

Mar. 26 (Tue.)—Continental Lodge, F. and A. M., meeting, lodge rooms, Millburn, 8 P. M.

Mar. 26 (Tue.)—Springfield Democratic Club, meeting, home of Emanuel O. Holms, 3 Remer avenue, 8 P. M.

Mar. 27 (Wed.)—W. C. T. U., meeting—home of Mrs. Robert E. Ferguson, 71 Short Hills avenue, 2:30 P. M.

Mar. 27 (Wed.)—Adult Education Course, James Caldwell School, 8 P. M.

Mar. 27 (Wed.)—Township Committee, meeting, Town Hall, 8 P. M.

Mar. 28 (Thurs.)—Fidelity Club, Order of Amaranth, meeting, lodge rooms, Millburn, 8 P. M.

March 29 (Fri.)—"Stuff and Nonsense," minstrel, American Legion, Regional High School, 8:15 P. M.

Mar. 30 (Sat.)—Cake sale, Ladies Benevolent Society, 275 Morris avenue, 10 A. M.

Apr. 3 (Wed.)—Ladies Benevolent Society, meeting, Presbyterian Chapel, 1:30 P. M.

Apr. 3 (Wed.)—Women's Guild, meeting, St. Stephen's parish house, Millburn, 1:30 P. M.

Apr. 3 (Wed.)—Eastern Star, meeting, lodge rooms, Millburn, 8 P. M.

Apr. 4 (Thurs.)—American Legion, meeting, Quinzel Hall, 8 P. M.

Apr. 5 (Fri.)—D. of A., meeting, Quinzel Hall, 8 P. M.

Apr. 5 (Fri.)—Play, "Night Must Fall," Community Troupers, Regional auditorium, 8:15 P. M.

Apr. 6 (Sat.)—Cake sale, Girl Scouts, house-to-house canvass.

Apr. 8 (Mon.)—Regional Booster Club, meeting, Regional High School, 8 P. M.

Apr. 8 (Mon.)—Rosary-Altar Society, meeting, St. James' rectory, 8 P. M.

Apr. 8 (Mon.)—Springfield Republican Club, meeting, Quinzel Hall, 8 P. M.

Apr. 8 (Tue.)—Annual dinner, Men of Church, Presbyterian chapel, 6 to 8 P. M.

Apr. 9 (Tues.)—Continental Lodge, F. and A. M., meeting, lodge rooms, Millburn, 8 P. M.

Apr. 10 (Wed.)—Ladies Aid Society, meeting, Methodist Church, 2:30 P. M.

Apr. 11 (Thurs.)—Benefit bridge, Red Cross Nursing welfare, Koo's Bros. Store, Rutway, 2:30 P. M.

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Apr. 13 (Sat.)—Food sale, Women's Foreign Missionary Society, of Methodist Church, Pinkava's Show-room, Morris avenue.

Apr. 17 (Wed.)—Annual Spring

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Mountainside Activities

STUDENT-AID IS CONFERENCE TOPIC

MOUNTAINSIDE—Women from all parts of the county, representing 85 per cent of its Parent-Teacher Associations, met Monday at the Mountainside School, to discuss student-aid, and health and plans for Summer round up work.

Presiding at the meeting was Mrs. Henry C. Weber, Central avenue, county P. T. A. student-aid chairman. The group was welcomed by Mrs. Edward Menerth of New Providence road, president of the county P. T. A. Council. A series of speakers included: Mrs. Frank Maier, of Woodbury, chairman of the State Parent-Teacher Congress student-aid committee; Mrs. C. E. Simmons, Linden, county Parent-Teacher Council health and Summer round up committee-chairman, and Mrs. Weber. Mrs. John H. Vander-Veer of Westfield, fifth vice-president of the State association, and Mrs. Daniel E. Reifsnider of Plainfield, vice-chairman of the county council, also spoke briefly.

Among those from Mountainside who attended were Mrs. John Kazmer, Mrs. Paul Davis, president of the local P. T. A., Mrs. Frederick Rumpf, Sr., and Mrs. Thomas Doyle.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

"Happy Birthday" greetings this coming month from the SUN to the following residents of Mountainside:

MARCH:
24—Donald Gangaware
Robert Shomo
29—Charles W. Rinker
Mrs. Jacob Allman
30—Edward Gangaware, Jr.

APRIL:
3—Barney Lantz, Sr.
4—Evelyn Gangaware
Frederick H. Spitzhoff
Louis Heckel
Martin C. MacMartin
J. Kaymer
7—Herbert Barr
Miss Carolyn Laing

Union Chapel

Mountainside, N. J.
REV. ROLAND OST, Pastor
Sunday School, 9:15 P. M.
Young people's meeting, 7 P. M.
Evening service, 7:45 P. M.

"Victorious King," an Easter cantata, will be rendered by the choir for the evening service Sunday, Mr. Ost will speak briefly.

The choir has been asked to sing at the Christian and Missionary Alliance in Plainfield tonight in a Good Friday service. The selections will be "The Voice of Jesus," and "Teach Me Thy Will."

Richard P. Greaves was elected superintendent of the Sunday School at its meeting Sunday afternoon. Other officers elected were: Dewey G. Knoll, assistant superintendent; Jack Brokaw, secretary; Mrs. Marjorie Moseman, treasurer; Miss Helen Weisberg, librarian; Mrs. Hilda Skidmore, cradle roll superintendent, and Mrs. Ross Edwards, home department superintendent.

Rev. Donald McKague from the Mission Training Institution at Nyack, N. Y., spoke at the Youth Conference of Plainfield and vicinity last Friday night in the Chapel. His subject was, "What It Means to be a Christian."

PARTY IS PLANNED FOR CLOVER CLUB

MOUNTAINSIDE—The Clover Club, whose basketball team has just completed a very successful season in which it finished high in the Queen City League of Plainfield, will attend a party some time next week at the home of Charles J. Wadas, principal of Mountainside School, and coach of the team. The date for the get-together will be announced later.

BOROUGH GIRL IS GUEST OF D. A. R.

MOUNTAINSIDE—Miss Iris Raymond, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elmore Raymond of Walnut avenue, and a student at Regional High School, was guest of honor Tuesday afternoon at the regular monthly meeting of the Short Hills Chapter of the Daughter of the American Revolution, held at the home of Mrs. William B. Leavens of Livingston. Miss Raymond had been chosen by the chapter as its Good Citizenship Pilgrim out of all the High School girls students in this district. She recently returned from Trenton on a trip sponsored by the chapter where she attended the State D. A. R. convention, and met the other good citizenship pilgrims chosen by all the chapters in the State.

Miss Raymond, who was presented to the group by Mrs. William H. Brodhead, Good Citizenship Pilgrimage Chairman, told of her trip March 14 to Trenton.

MOTHERS ENTERTAINED

MOUNTAINSIDE—Mothers of 4-H club girls were entertained at a luncheon Tuesday noon in the Mountainside school auditorium. Lunch was prepared by the girls under the supervision of Miss Christensen, Union County home economics agent. Other guests at the luncheon, besides the mothers were Principal Charles J. Wadas, and Misses Frances Featherstone, Carol Ashworth and Frances Mihill.

PLAN CARD PARTY

MOUNTAINSIDE—Final plans for the old-fashioned card party of the recently formed Rural Mothers organization of the Mountainside school have been completed for next Friday at 8 P. M. in the school. Funds from the party will be used to help purchase uniforms for the school band. Mrs. Edmund Frey heads the committee in charge, assisted by Mrs. Charles Shomo, Mrs. Barney Lantz, Mrs. Gilbert Pittenger and Mrs. E. G. Snowden. Prizes will be awarded, and refreshments served.

BOY SCOUTS MEET

MOUNTAINSIDE—Principal Charles J. Wadas conducted the program of the local Boy Scout Troop last night in the school. He spoke of the values of Scouting, and showed motion pictures illustrating the activities of Scouts from the time they are Cubs until they reach the status of Eagle Scouts.

A troop meeting will be held next Friday in the Borough Hall. K. Donald Messenger, district clerk of Westfield and a member of the Audubon Society will talk on "Birds."

AROUND TOWN

An Easter program was held in the Mountainside school yesterday in which the fourth, fifth, sixth, seventh and eighth grades all took part in rendering songs and musical selections appropriate for the season. The program was directed by Miss Frances Featherstone, Miss Carol Ashworth, and Miss Ruth Rinker, teachers.

Mrs. Charles Murphy of 1035 Mountain avenue is still confined to her home with illness.

The Ladies Aid Society of Union Chapel will meet Wednesday after-

What SUN Advocates

1. Sidewalks wherever needed.
2. Se bus fare to Union Center.
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7. An active Board of Trade to stimulate "Buy in Springfield."
8. Full-time position for the township clerk's office.
9. Encouraging clean industry, to increase tax rates.
10. A county park.

Meet To Further Hoffman's Cause

A group of 75 county Republican leaders met Tuesday night at the Half-Way House, Mountainside, upon the invitation of Senator Charles E. Loizeaux who was not able to attend due to illness, and State Purchasing Commissioner Frederick A. Brodesser. The purpose of the meeting was to inaugurate the "Hoffman-for-Governor" campaign.

The meeting was opened by County Chairman Walter L. Hetfield III, who explained that he was present as an individual voter, and not in an official capacity. Mayor Francis V. Lowden of Roselle then took over the chair. County Register Edward Bauer declined the position of permanent chairman for the campaign, but agreed to take it until someone else could be chosen to do the work.

It was decided to increase the group to include the directing heads of each municipality, with the understanding that the chairman of the Republican committee would be selected for the post if he is friendly to the Hoffman cause. The campaign to defeat Senator Robert C. Hendrickson of Gloucester County

REMOVALS LISTED HERE DURING WEEK

The following removals were reported in the township within the week:

Thomas Coffins, from 23 Colonial terrace to 75 Battle Hill avenue.
Joseph Seuder, from 230 Morris avenue to Irvington.
Paul H. Weidner, from 617 Morris avenue, to Millburn.
Philip Cull, from 113 South Maple avenue to 236 Morris avenue.
James Rodgers, from 48 Center street to 78 Tucker avenue.

TOWNSHIP OF SPRINGFIELD—COUNTY OF UNION LOCAL BUDGET NOTICE—YEAR OF 1940

(Required by Revised Statutes Section 4:2-14)

	1940	1939	Actual 1938	Actual 1937
State School	(\$estimate for 1940)	\$15,441.21	\$15,441.21	\$17,199.77
State Soldiers' Bonus Bond	(\$estimate for 1940)	1,182.21	1,182.21	1,185.98
County	(\$estimate for 1940)	39,858.83	39,858.83	40,773.32
County District Court, (\$estimate for 1940)	1,995.30	1,995.30	1,693.80	1,617.41
Regional High School	29,401.23	28,801.68	24,730.49	24,730.49
Local District School	72,768.93	73,768.93	69,007.74	69,007.74
Local Purposes	118,928.94	131,735.01	75,782.23	439.26
As shown by Budget less Bank Stock Tax	144.00	44.00	44.00	44.00
TOTALS	1940	\$272,089.03	\$280,539.90	\$250,556.08
Tax Rate	1940	5.08	5.41	4.26

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was discussed in detail. George C. Warren was absent at the meeting, but Recorder Albert J. Benninger of Mountainside, his opponent for the post of State Committeeman was present, and circulated a petition for a position on the ballot opposite Warren. He received the signatures of about half those in the group.

Church Music

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to present the most suitable program. In addition, a speaker will also be installed in the church for inside use.

As a newcomer, the speaker may feel somewhat out of place in the belly of the historic local church, for it has as companions, the old bell recast in 1792 from the metal of a previous one which fell when the old church burned to the ground. Revolutionary days, and the works of the Old Seth Thomas clock, installed in 1891.

Despite its comparative youth, the new innovation should have little trouble in sharing the approval in years to come of its new gained buddies, the bell and clock, if it can accomplish the well long possibility of bringing music to the ears and smiles to the countenances of harassed Sunday drivers.

RETIRING CHEF IS HONORED AT PARTY

Henry Zehuhr of Maplewood, first chef at the Chantler of Millburn, was honored by fellow workers and their wives at a surprise party Sunday night at the Little White House Restaurant, in Seven Bridge road. About forty persons attended, on the occasion of Mr. Zehuhr's leaving the Chantler after seven years of service, to go into business for himself in West New York. A good wrist watch was presented to him by Louis Stern, Chantler manager, on behalf of his fellow workers.

HOME ARTS GROUP MEETS WEDNESDAY

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primary grades through high school. It is written by more than 250 authors and illustrators selected by a poll of leading librarians and educators throughout the country. Most of the writers have written their own life stories especially for the book and they cannot help but stir the interest in books so that one must regard the writers of books as men and women and friends.

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5 Years Ago This Week in the SPRINGFIELD SUN

MARCH 22, 1935 More than 300 citizens packed the auditorium of the Town Hall as the Township Committee, by a 3-2 vote, adopted a surprise plan offered by Councilman Frank C. Geiger to operate the police department on a curtailed \$19,136 budget. The plan would provide for the retention of the present nine man personnel and the dismissal of all special officers. Despite the reading of a petition bearing 1,200 signatures favoring Committee member Milton G. Lovell's plan of an eight man personnel and staff of two special officers, Mayor Wilbur M. Selanor and Committee member Frank C. Geiger voted for the Geiger proposal after defeating Lovell's recommendation, 3-2.

Heads Auxiliary



MRS. ARTHUR D. WELCH Mrs. Arthur D. Welch of Summit was elected president of the Women's Auxiliary of Overlook Hospital Monday afternoon at the annual meeting in the Nurses' Home. She advanced from vice-president to succeed Mrs. E. T. D. Nicol, who has been auxiliary president for six years.

Realty Transfers

Home Owners' Loan Corporation to Charlotte M. Fischer, property in Tooker avenue, 1.18 feet from old center line of Westfield, as shown on map of the A. Devine tract. Lloyd Bremer, Inc., to Agnes V. Skem, property in the southeasterly line of Short Hills avenue, 970.30 feet from Morris avenue. Edith Denman Willis and Clifford. Her husband, to Ruth Willis Herslow, property in the southeasterly side of Warren avenue, 150 feet from Perry place.

Walk Improvement on Morris Avenue

Walk Improvement on Morris Avenue, Springfield Township, Union Co., N. J. SECTION 1. That there shall be laid and constructed along Morris Avenue, concrete walks on the line and grade herein established in accordance with the plan and specifications prepared by the Township engineer, now on file in the office of the Township clerk.

SECTION 2. The Works Progress Administration has approved the application for assistance in the construction of this improvement in the sum of \$7,000.00 and the passage of this ordinance is predicated upon the formal approval of said application, and the said improvement, insofar as the cost to be borne by the Township is concerned, shall be assessed against the property benefited by said improvement, in accordance with law.

Synopsis of Minutes of Board of Freeholders

Regular meeting of the Union County Board of Chosen Freeholders was held at the Court House, Elizabethtown, N. J., on Friday, February 22, 1940, at two P. M. Director Melano presiding. Roll call showed eight members present, one absent. Minutes of the meeting of February 8th, 1940, were approved as per printed copies on the members' desks. Froeholder Bauer reported at this time. Resolution that all bills approved be ordered "passed" was adopted.

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WHERE TO BUY THE SUN

The SUN is on sale every Friday afternoon at the following newsstands in Springfield: McDonough's, 234 McGEE Avenue; Buckalew's, 241 Morris Avenue; Shack's, 279 Morris Avenue; Phillips', 161 Morris Avenue; Fritz Gessner's, 19 Morris Avenue; Paul Maddelena, Millburn Avenue, near Morris Avenue and Ludwig's, South Springfield and Evergreen Avenues, in Mountaineer, at Blitwisk's, 1 Springfield road, and Soskin's, 899 Mountain Avenue.

LEGAL NOTICE

TOWNSHIP OF SPRINGFIELD COUNTY OF UNION AN ORDINANCE TO FIX THE LINE AND GRADE AND PROVIDE FOR THE INSTALLATION OF CONCRETE WALKS ALONG THE SOUTH SIDE OF MORRIS AVENUE FROM BALSFORD WAY TO THE SUMMIT LINE, APPROXIMATELY 3,850 FEET, WITH CONCRETE WALKS 4 FEET WIDE BY 4 FEET AS A LOCAL IMPROVEMENT, AND THE TOWNSHIP'S SHARE OF THE COST THEREOF TO BE ASSESSED AGAINST THE PROPERTY BENEFITED BY SAID IMPROVEMENT.

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LOAF AMERICAN CHEESE lb. 23c SHEFFORD'S CHEESE SWISS OR OLD TORQUE 1 1/2 lb. pkg. 14c NEW NUCOA . 2 1/2 lb. pkg. 37c NEW—U. S. No. 1 GRADE POTATOES 3 lbs. 14c CRISP CARROTS GARDEN FINE FOR SLICING 3 doz. 10c CUBAN TOMATOES CRISP FIRM HEAD lb. 17c ICEBERG LETTUCE 14-oz. can 8c JUMBO CELERY STALKS 1 doz. 6c

Plainfield, 239 Grand Ave. Belmor * Dunellen * Ramsey * Belleville 910 F Street 326 North Ave. 14-16 Main St. 494 Union Ave. Allwood * Springfield * Hackensack * Bloomfield 468 Allwood Rd. 265 Main Ave. 159 Main St. 131 Franklin St. Washington * Maplewood * Montclair 8 E. Washington Ave. 181 Maplewood Ave. 41 Watchung Place Grocery Prices Effective March 21st to March 27th. Meat, Fish, Dairy and Produce Prices Effective March 21st, 22nd and 23rd. These Prices May Be Withdrawn Without Notice

For Home, for Church, for Gifts Easter Flowers To those who love and admire flowers, and who amongst us is not aware of the beauty of flowers, we extend our cordial invitation to view the profuse display of Easter flowers here at Mende's. You'll especially want to see our wide display of Cut Flowers and Easter flowering Potted Plants. Won't you come in at your earliest opportunity? She's Expecting a Lovely Corsage on Easter Morn - Don't Disappoint Her PLACE YOUR ORDER EARLY TO INSURE A WIDER SELECTION. OPEN EVENINGS and EASTER SUNDAY MORNING WE TELEGRAPH FLOWERS ANYWHERE Mende's Florist Phone Millburn 6-1118 MOUNTAIN AVENUE, SPRINGFIELD, N. J.

The Washington Merry-Go-Round

SWEDEN TAKES A HAND
 WASHINGTON.—One of the most significant factors behind the Finnish-Russian peace maneuvers is that they have been inspired in large part by the invisible hand of the No. 2 Nazi, Field Marshal Hermann Goering.

Acting for him was the most powerful man in Scandinavia, Axel Wenner-Gren, who has been a close friend of the German Air Minister ever since Goering married his first wife, the niece of Swedish Baron



Swinging hard for Sweden.

Rosen. Somewhere in the Finnish-Russian peace picture also (though the state department denies it) may be Sumner Welles.

Wenner Gren, who controls the Bofors munitions company and is the richest man in Sweden, was on his yacht, the Southern Cross, in the harbor of Nassau a few weeks ago when he received a coded message from Goering. The cable asked him to take the same ship as *Welles* took on his peace mission.

Wenner Gren flew to New York, boarded the Rex, and when he got to Rome, saw Mussolini before Welles did.

Then he proceeded through Switzerland with Welles to Berlin, where he still is, and where he has been throwing his weight behind an early peace.

Business Against War.
 Goering's and Wenner Gren's interest in Finnish peace is easy to understand. From the viewpoint of the German army it would be just as disastrous to have Russia sweep through Finland and perhaps on to Sweden, as to have the Allies organize an expeditionary force to stop Russia.

In either case, Sweden's rich iron deposits would fall into the hands of a foreign power.

What the German army wants is a relatively tranquil Russia, from which Germany can draw raw materials. Also, the longer Russia is forced to continue fighting, the more vulnerable she becomes in the south, where are located the rich Batum oil fields, now invaluable to Germany.

Similarly, an allied expeditionary force sent through Sweden, perhaps turning that country into a battlefield, would ruin the Wenner Gren interests. He is chairman of the Swedish Cellulose company, took over a large part of the Krueger interests, and heads the Electrolux company, Swedish parent of the American subsidiaries which make vacuum cleaners and refrigerators.

Note—The peace activity of Axel Wenner Gren illustrates the attitude of big business in both Wall Street and London's City. Unlike the case in the last war, American bankers are ardent rooters for peace. This time not they but Uncle Sam, through Jesse Jones, is lending the money. Not only is there no dough in war, but if Nazi-Communism wins, the capitalistic system stands in danger.

Mors on Greas.
 Axel-Wenner Gren, although a friend of Goering's, is quite pro-American. His dark-eyed, fascinating wife comes from Kansas City.

The Wenner Gren yacht, Southern Cross, rescued 376 of the Athenian survivors last September. . . . Also it was the home of Grete-Garda during her recent stay in Florida and Bahaman waters. On it Grete ate copiously instead of dieting. Her dietician was trying to get her to put more weight around her shoulders.

Grete's wardrobe aboard the Southern Cross was so monger that she wore slacks most of the time, hardly had an evening dress. Friends attributed this to the fact that she never goes shopping—that means being stared at.

MERRY-GO-ROUND.
 Fortnight Governor Stark of Missouri has started a Hatch law of his own. He has ruled that any state official who runs for office must get off the public payroll.

Justice Frank Murphy is having a hard time breaking into the work of the Supreme court. He is automatically barred from sitting in a number of cases, because as attorney general he represented the government in originating them.

The war has created a new concept of transatlantic flying, once considered the height of daring adventure. Today it's the acme of safety, compared to crossing by ship in waters infested with submarines and mines. The transatlantic airlines are getting more passengers and mail business than they can handle.

Chinese Colorings New for Silk Prints and Huge Plaids

By CHERIE NICHOLAS



A SPRING fashion picture sane and sprightly patterned joyfully colored new silk prints would present about as diametrically opposite a scene as a spring or summer landscape minus flowers and birds, blue skies and sunshine. But why entertain such a thought; for at this very moment—the scene is all set in fashionland with a self fabric sash tied in a bow as here you see instead of a belt.

The printed silk jacket dress is even so important this spring. Choose either the new long-jacket types, emphasizing the much talked-of long torso molded figure lines or select if you will a youthful bolero model after the mode to the left in the picture. The use of pockets, here applied vertically and accented with self-fabric scroll detail. Note the smart collarless neckline and the front-shirred skirt fullness, all very new and chic. The pattern and the color alliance are also very much of the moment. This is one of the new silks that marks an innovation namely the black and white print that has one other color added.

In this instance the scheme is worked out in a black and white horizontal scroll patterning on an olive green background.

For an ensemble for the first spring days in town—fashion-advocates the printed silk frock topped with a wool jacket that repeats an important color in the print. See the theory demonstrated in the stylish twosome shown in the center. Buttoned up bodice and accordion pleated skirt interpret new vogue to a nicely in the dress which features a neat mesh design in which white dots and squares are outlined in "Chinese tea," the important new color mentioned above. Peaked lapels and pockets and its one-link fastening are chic accents in the matching wool jacket.

Speaking of plaid silk, it is the center of attraction this season, not only for evening wear, but for the daytime dress. And don't be afraid of the big-bold plaid for the bigger the plaid—the smarter. Watch for silk plaids!

A plaid silk that assures new sophistication in dramatic raspberry, blue and green tones on a white background is used for the daytime dress shown to the right in the picture. Here is a type of dress that carries unmistakable style conviction wherever it goes. The bodice shirred above a wide molded midriff and the concentrated front fullness used for the skirt are done in the Paris manner. You will find it a pleasant innovation to mark your waistline with a self fabric sash tied in a bow as here you see instead of a belt.

Branch Coral

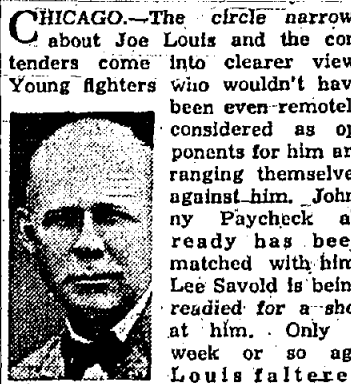


Ladies, listen to this! How about the necklaces, the earrings, the brooches of branch red coral that have been hidden away, for this many a year among family heirlooms? Fashion bids you to rescue them from obscurity, for quaint and flattering branch coral is staging a tremendous revival this year. Possibly you may lack a few strands in your treasured collection to achieve the effect pictured. Let not this dismay you, for jewelers are prepared to supply the necessary coral to make up stunning ensembles of necklaces, bracelets, earrings and lapel gadgets.

Leather on Jersey For Dinner Jersey

A wide belt of natural calfskin shaped like a corset and studded with nailheads trims a dinner dress of white jersey. The blouse, too is simply cut, with short sleeves and a full skirt. It buttons down the front from neck to hem with leather buttons to match the belt.

Sportlight



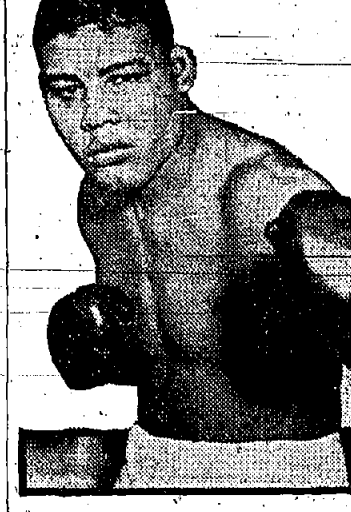
CHICAGO.—The circle narrows about Joe Louis and the contenders come into clearer view. Young fighters who wouldn't have been even remotely considered as opponents for him are ranging themselves against him. Johnny Paycheck already has been matched with him. Lee Savold is being readied for a shot at him. Only a week or so ago Louis faltered through 15 rounds with the rough and clownish Arturo Godoy, the South American threat.

This doesn't mean that Louis is ready to be taken and that the time is at hand for some strong young fellow to rush in, belt him out from under his crown and rush off to gather in a million dollars or so. He still can hold these young fellows off—he should be able to, since he still is a young fellow himself. But it means that he has entered on a new phase of his career.

He is just the heavyweight champion now—and not a bogey man. The lightning still crackles in his fists and he still ranks as one of the greatest fighters the ring ever has known. But he no longer frightens his opponents out of their wits. There are no more Paulinos dying in the training camp or Levinsky's dying in the dressing room.

A Terrifying Appearance

Once nobody—save Max Schmeling—thought of getting Louis off



JOE LOUIS

that single track on which he travels so fearfully. That was in the time when he was to be matched with him meant certain destruction.

Men took matches with him for the money alone—and then almost immediately began to regret their greed. There was something mysterious and inscrutable and terrible about his very appearance. He was, it seemed, greater than any of the fighters who had gone before him. He was invincible and the utter lack of emotion that he showed made him terrifying. Most of his fights were won before he laid a glove on his opponent. The psychological advantage was tremendous.

Flower Hats Come Early This Season

Usually flower hats are worn later in the season, but this spring is an exception to the rule.

There is nothing smarter in the way of millinery than a port, flatter flower turban, or a wee flower covered faller.

The flower turbans are of a distinctly new type this season. They pose a huge flower or cluster over the brow, and it's a guess how these hats anchor into secure position, until you see at the back the clever snood and ribbon caplike bandeau.

While hats are something unexpected as a spring first. But here they are, topping the new navy suits and fitting charmingly into the scene this very moment.

Revive Pinafores For Little Girls

In there any more refreshing sight than a smiling little youngster in a simple and span starched organdy or dimity pinafore? If so, we can't recall it. Old-fashioned, you say? No, indeed, just the opposite. It is one of the newest items to be included in a little daughter's wardrobe this season. Such was the important news flashed from the children's style show that brought visiting merchants from all over the country to view the latest in juvenile vogue as displayed in the Merchandise Mart's Chicago. So it's authentic—caring, fluffily-ruffled, primly starched pinafores for little girls!

Printed Jersey Is Used With Plain

Good style is the redingote ensemble that tops a dress of printed jersey, which is a favorite this season, with a softy-styled redingote of monotone jersey.

Kathleen Norris Says: We All Have to Pay the Piper for Our Mistakes

(Bell Syndicate—WNU Service.)



Several years after their divorce Mary and Paul met and discovered they loved each other still. The results were a second divorce for Paul and his remarriage to Mary.

Pay the Piper

When we're young we call the tune and when we're older we pay the piper, says Kathleen Norris.

It's a terrifying thing to think of, but it's one of the inescapable facts of life. The cross you make for yourself in youth you carry in old age, nobody else can carry it for you, and there's no putting it down. That's why fathers and mothers waste their breath advising and warning. Don't drive so fast, darling. Don't start going with that particular crowd, dear. Don't eat too much. Don't drink too much. Don't marry until you really love; and when you do marry, don't quarrel, don't waste money, don't flirt, don't be extravagant.

If this generation of children listened, and profited by advice, and if the next generation did the same, our life as parents themselves were wise good men—and women who hadn't made serious mistakes themselves, what a world of high character and nobility and happiness we would have in a hundred years!

But alas, the parents are often as busy making mistakes as the children are, and when one mistake is superimposed upon another, and half a dozen more are thrown in from all sides, human lives get into terrible tangles, and only supernatural power can straighten them out. Prayer will, humility and patience and faith will, but who believes that in reference to the three little tangles of every day? We save our prayers for the great crises of life, and even then usually bestow them generously on someone else. That Norma's baby will come safely. That dear George will get well. That Betty won't be so impatient with Gerald. We rarely pray that we ourselves will change because one of the first things a baby learns, and one of the convictions that sticks to him most firmly, is that he is all but perfect.

If you've made a mistake and you have to pay for it sometimes it helps a lot to face the music honestly and say, "I was wrong. I was young and ignorant and hot-headed and blind, and I made a serious mistake. All right, that's past. Now for the future, without mistakes!"

A Ridiculous Mistake.
 In a letter that lies on my desk a woman who calls herself "Mary, Paul's Wife," tells me of a rather ridiculous mistake she and her husband made, and of the price they have to pay for it.

They were married 12 years ago, and she was 19 and he 28. Six or seven years after marriage had times come—Paul lost his job; his wife went to work, and domestic trouble ensued. They were divorced by her wish, although she says when it came right down to leaving Paul she cried for four days and nights.

She married a man, named Ben, and Paul married a girl named Maude. Ben died, and two years ago Paul's first wife met him again. He is very prosperous now; he was not happy with Maude, and he and Mary very soon discovered that they loved each other still. He needed his boys, and the upshot of that accidental meeting was a second divorce for Paul, and his remarriage to Mary. They are now ideally happy, have a third small son only a few months old, and would be one of the world's contented couples if it were not that Paul has to pay Maude \$200 a month. That cuts into Mary's very soul.

"Maude is well-fixed anyway," she writes. "She has a car, a beautiful apartment, and a maid. She goes away summers, entertains, dresses perfectly. We are paying almost a third of Paul's remaining income for our home, have three children, and only occasional help with housework. Is it fair—that the money that would give me a good nurse and great comfort must go to

"The Name Is Familiar"

BY FELIX B. STREYEMANN and ELMO SCOTT WATSON

"Fine Spencerian Hand"
 IN THIS day of typewriters, telegrams, telephones and even order blanks where all you have to do is check the items, handwriting is becoming a lost art. But—perhaps you can remember when it was still an attainment to be able to write "a fine Spencerian hand."



Platt R. Spencer

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He wanted to be a minister and started to study for it, but, since he loved other things besides grace and elegance—liquor, for instance—the powers that be—or were—ruled him out of the pulpit before he could get in. As a second-choice vocation he began to crusade for better penmanship and traveled the country giving lectures, demonstrations and instructions.

Spencer published his first copy book in 1846 and it immediately became a best seller. His fame and fortune were made and penmanship became the country's most important study.

As late as 1870, a million copies of Spencer's book were sold annually. But the typewriter came and flowing capitals and fine flourishes were soon supplanted in writing practice by "Now is the time for all good men to come to the aid of the party."

Bloomers
 YOU probably think "bloomers" are called that because the word sounds the way bloomers look. Well, what would you think if they were called "jenkins"? That might have been the word by which they were known today had not Miss Amelia Jenks, for whom they were named, been married to Dexter C. Bloomer.

Or had she married a man named Smith they might have been called "smithereens," or if she—well, with all the names there the possibilities are unlimited.

Mrs. Amelia Jenks Bloomer of Seneca Falls, N. Y., in 1849 started a woman's magazine called "The Lily, and its purpose was to advocate temperance and women's rights. For publicity purposes, Mrs. Bloomer adopted a costume consisting of a jacket with close sleeves and a pair of Turkish pantaloons, secured around the ankles by buttons. Several of her contemporary advocates of women's rights wore the same costume and these persons were known as "Bloomerites" or just "Bloomers."

The campaign died out but the pantaloons idea did not. A modified form, shortened to gaiter just below or above the knee was adopted and became the bloomers as worn today—or are they worn today? At least, Amelia-Bloomer was the inspiration for bloomers as they are remembered today.

"Let George Do It"
 THERE is only one man in the history of the world who ever said "Let George do it" and really meant it—really meant to let George do it and know what George was talking about. When the expression is used today, it may mean to let anyone else do it or just to dodge the responsibility knowing that nobody will do it.

But when Louis XII of France used to say, "Let George do it," he meant George d'Amboise, his prime minister. And it was no idle phrase—George did it and did it well.

Louis XII was the originator of the phrase. Although King Louis was a strong ruler, Prime Minister George was a clever executive, too, and the king delegated most of the delicate and unpleasant tasks of his rule merely by saying, "Que Georges le fasse."

So we see that the good old American phrase, "Let George do it," is really a French expression and it was only with super-control that we resisted the desire to start this with, "Once there were two Frenchmen, Louis and George."

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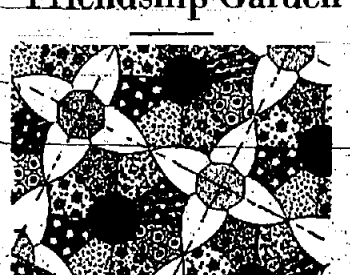
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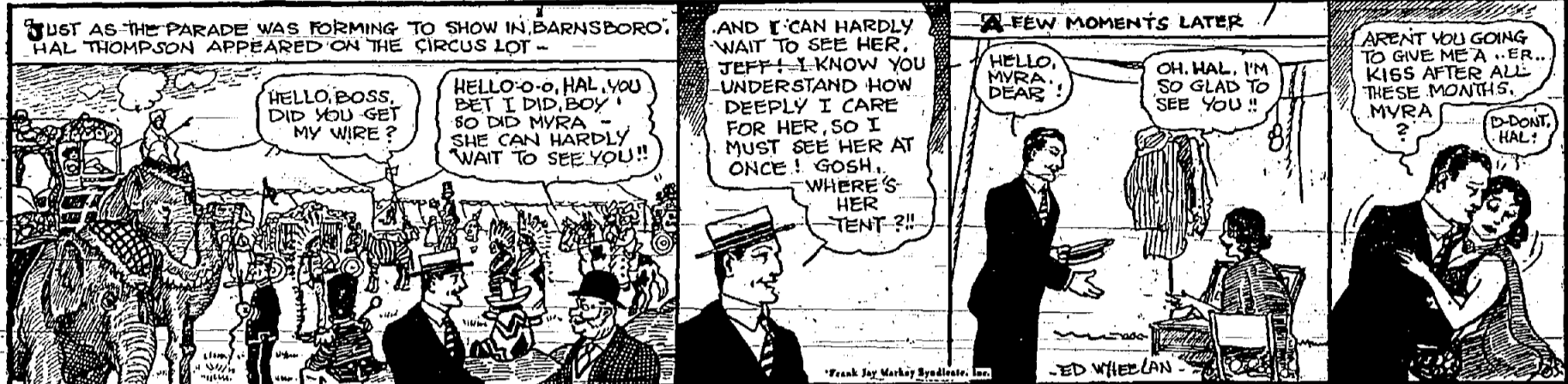
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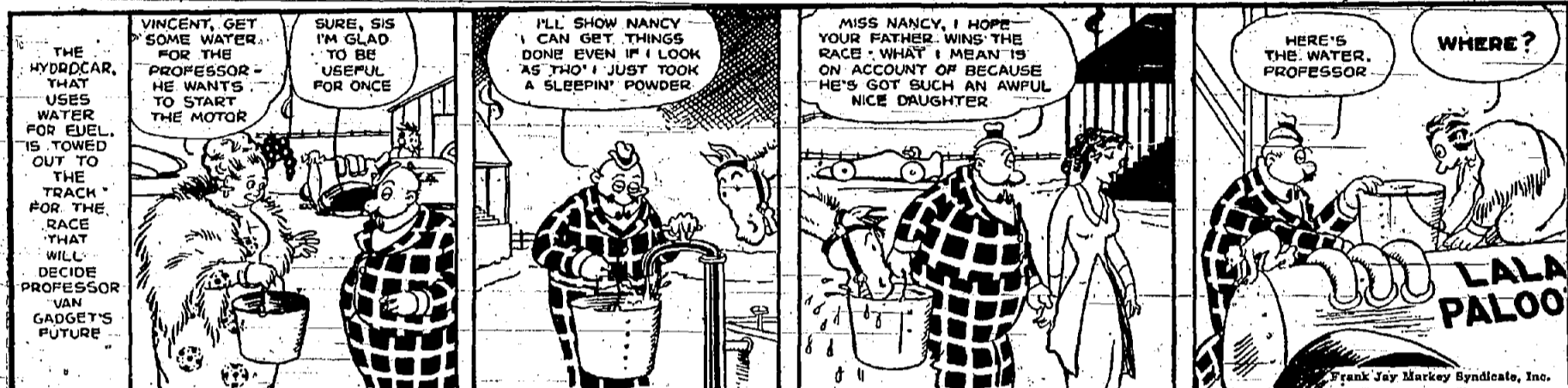
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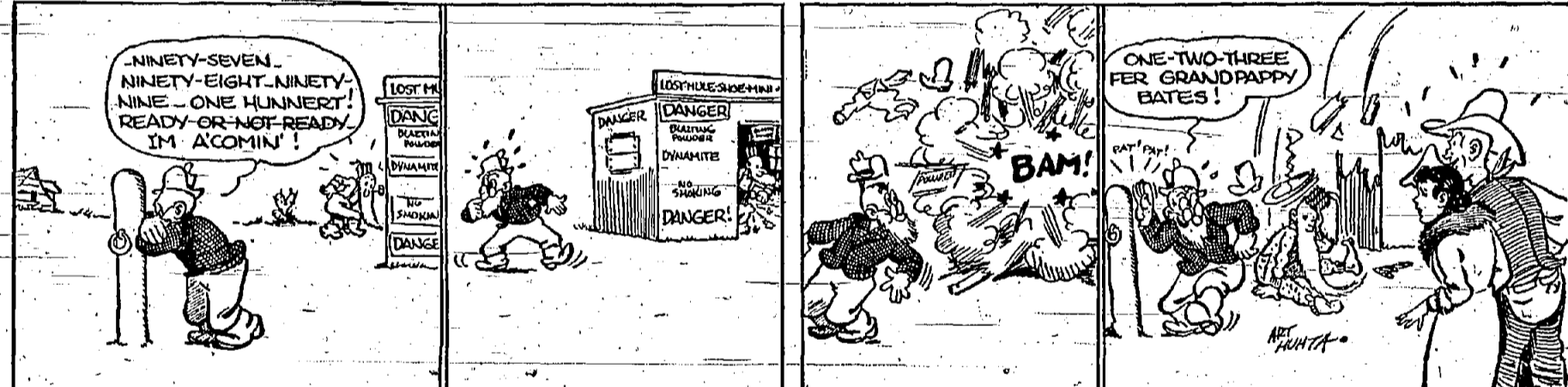
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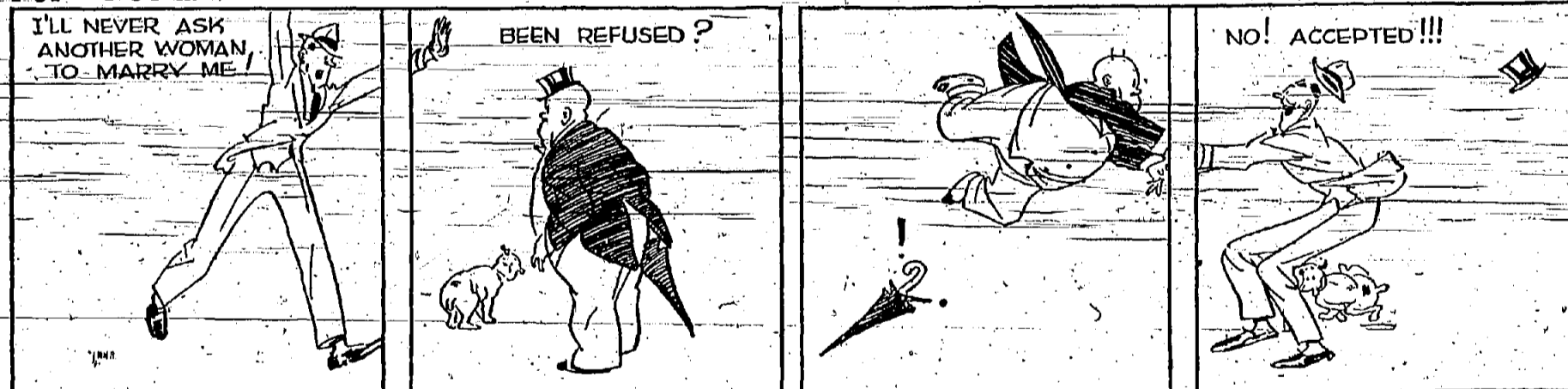
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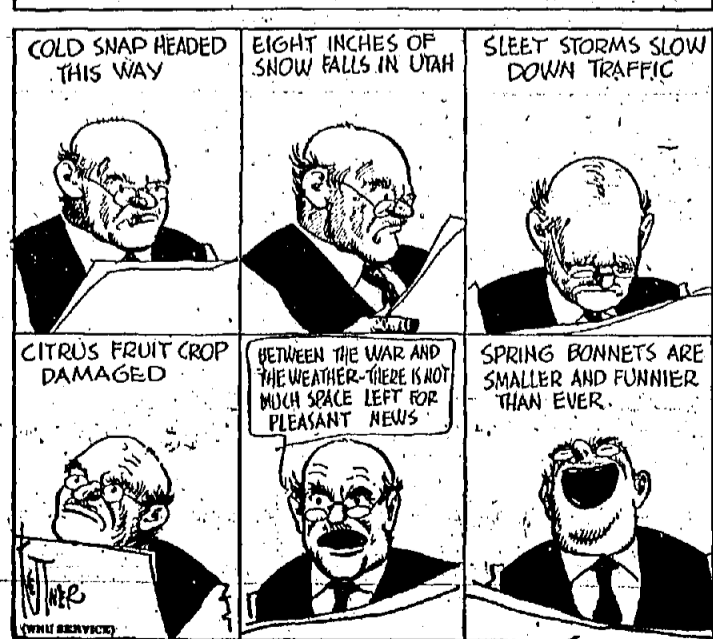


POP - It's Final!

By J. MILLAR WATT



Cheerful News



INTELLIGENT ANIMAL

"Would you mind walking the other way and not passing the 'orse?" said a London cabman with exaggerated politeness to the fat lady who had just paid a minimum fare.

"Why?" she inquired.

"Because, if 'e sees wot 'e's been carryin' for a shilling 'e'll 'ave a fit."

Collective English Exam Question - Give three collective nouns.

Student Flat's Answer - Flypaper, wastebasket, and vacuum cleaner.

Hard Winter Coming

Judge - What made you feel those socks?

Accused - I don't know, sir - I must have been wool gathering.

Not an Empty Wife - Where did all those empty bottles come from, John?

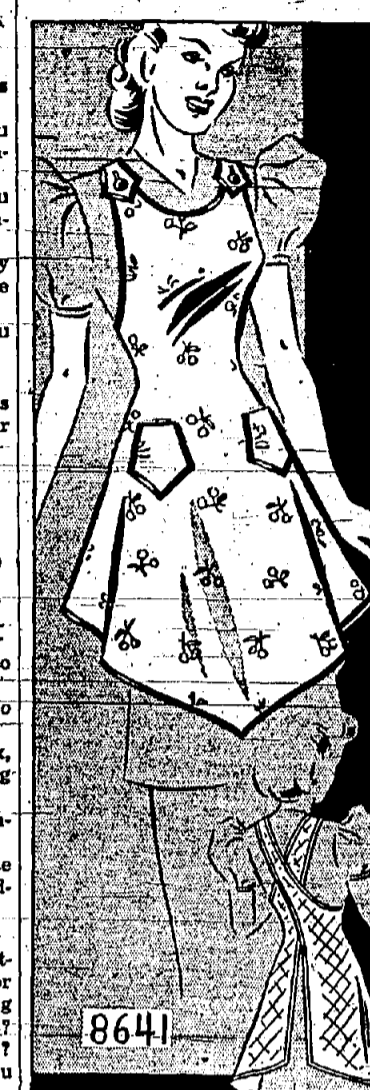
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FOLKS NEXT DOOR

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There Was a Way, And Lass Knew It!

TWO people were walking along a road together. One was a young woman, the other a handsome farm lad. The farm lad was carrying a large pail on his back, holding a chicken in one hand, a cane in the other, and leading a goat. They came to a dark lane.

Said the girl: "I'm afraid to walk here with you. You might try to kiss me."

Said the farm lad: "You need not be afraid - How could I kiss you with all this I'm carrying?"

"Well, you might stick the cane in the ground, tie the goat to it, and put the chicken under the pail," was the ready reply.

Company in Misery
It is a comfort to the unfortunate to have companions in woe.
-DeGravina.

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Prophet in Reverse
The prophet is a prophet looking backward. -Schlegel.

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FORM FOR A CENSUS

1. What is your name and does it rate a low auto plate?
2. State your residence. Did you pick it out alone or were you influenced?
3. What did it cost, and have you sued the agent for misrepresentation?
4. List every person who usually lives here and don't try to hide and how do you like to rug.
5. Give color of house. Do you claim it was the painter's fault?

PART II.

6. How wet is the cellar and does the oil burner monopolize all your



time except that which you give to census agents?

7. If you have a coal furnace who carries out the ashes?
8. Have you an electric icebox, and how do you like not owning your own light?
9. Do you have one or more radios in the home?
10. What are your two favorite programs outside of federal broadcasts?

PART III.

1. Do you own your radio outright? If you still are in debt for it do you regard yourself as owing money-or-as having an investment?
2. What is your mother tongue? If a native of America, how do you explain your grammar?
3. What is your occupation when not answering questions from census takers. Fuller brush men and cutlers who want to know-if you would like some fresh eggs?
4. How far did you go in school? Did the school have an electric icebox?
5. If you did not go beyond the fifth grade state whether you quit to enter congress.
6. If you went to college give name of college and state if the college owned an electric icebox.
7. If employed give name of employer.
8. Does he own an electric icebox, radio, trailer or automobile?
9. What is the name of your immediate superior?
10. Does he own an electric icebox?
11. List any and all members of your household who are on the federal payrolls. (Use both sides of paper).
12. Are you allergic to census takers?
13. Are you particularly allergic to them if they own electric ice boxes or radios?

PART IV.

14. Do you know you can get 60 days in jail for not answering the census taker?
15. Do you know whether the jail has an electric icebox?

HELP!

The dancers face each other about five feet apart. They stand motionless for a moment, then rear their heads upward and bow low, fingers touching the floor. After a few seconds they rise, then great each other by rubbing noses. The head is then put under one's left arm, then under the right arm, then raised toward the ceiling. The dancers then hold each other lightly by the waist, suddenly breaking into an extemporaneous bit of hula, and then, just as suddenly, they repeat the dance. This routine is performed three times. From a description of "The Gooney," the new Hawaiian dance.

THANKS FOR THE WARNING!

Thoughts On a Bank Closing.

Stonington, Connecticut, closed its only bank, the old First National, the other day because of lack of business. Stonington is rarely visited these days except by people who anchor there on a cruise, but it is quaint New England seacoast town which once knew the pomp and the glory. Swift steamships on the Boston-New York line once made it daily. It was a buzzing ship terminal, and the rotting timbers of its ancient piers are still visible. The town itself still has some of the loveliest dwellings of a former day and it is like stepping into the quiet, calm and orderly past to visit it. Bank my eye! Stonington is too rich in other things to miss it, say we.

Sign observed on the rear of a fliover doing about 60 miles an hour: "Pass Quietly. Driver Asleep."

A CHANCE AT LAST!

Jimmy Roosevelt is in a new movie corporation that proposes to show movie shorts in nickel-in-the-slot machines. It seems to us that he struck a great idea. There ought to be some way a man can see a movie and not see any of the flashes from next week's features.

"What," asked American Business Man No. 1 of American Business Man No. 2, "do you do between federal inquiries?"

Faculty, Seniors Trim Courtsters

A combination quintet of faculty members and High School senior basketball players defeated members of next year's Regional cage squad Wednesday afternoon in the Regional gym, 36-34.

Two teams were employed in the fray by the faculty-senior combine. The first to go into battle was that made up of Bill Glowacki and George Garner, seniors, as guards.

The student team which put up a great battle against this formidable opposition consisted of Johnny Wanca, and Art DeBattista, forwards; Les Pushman and Tom Casale, guards, and Zabelski, center.

A loud speaker system announced the game throughout for all the

spectators. Max R. Perlman, of the faculty, and Vincent Sablo, student, played the Ted Husings for the afternoon with facts and cracks about both the teams.

Barons Defeated By Clovers, 59-47

The Mountside Clovers walked away from the Springfield Barons by a score of 59-47 in an encounter that closed the season for both teams in the James Caldwell gym Monday night.

This game marked the first encounter between the two quintets which represent the two communities. Both groups expressed the desire to repeat the engagement during the next season.

Scoreboard for Barons vs Clovers. Clovers 59, Barons 47. Includes player names like Pfeiffer, Howarth, Werle, and Rainmond.

BOWLING! Municipal League

Scoreboard for Municipal League. Sycamore Bar (3) vs Post Office (4). Includes player names like J. Glynn, Von Borsiel, and A. Glynn.

Scoreboard for Municipal League. Detrick's Station (1) vs Colonial Rest (2). Includes player names like Dandrea, Detrick, and Brill.

Scoreboard for Municipal League. Recreation (2) vs Barr's Amoco (1). Includes player names like Short, Kasperen, and Schnible.

Scoreboard for Municipal League. George's Tavern (2) vs Springfield SUN (1). Includes player names like Brown, Voelker, and Widmer.

SPORT HIGHLIGHTS

By BILL PRICE

The Mountside Clovers-Springfield Barons game that ended the seasons of both teams Monday night at the James Caldwell court may be just an opener in the long run to something that promises much in the way of further Adult Leagues.

We mentioned this two weeks ago, but after this last encounter, when the fellows from both towns managed to talk it over a little after a fine closely played game, it seemed to take on more semblance of possibility.

The Senior Division of the local basketball league is heading into its final stretch with only two more games in the second half of the tournament. The Rangers seem pretty firmly entrenched at the top.

English Elected As Team Captain. Tony English was elected captain of the 1939-1940 Regional High basketball team, county champions.

Springfield Basketball League Standings. Includes Senior Division and Junior Division tables with team names like Ramblers, Farmers, and Bull Dogs.

Inter-City League

Standing of Teams. Tarrant-Tarrant-Tarrant 40, Smalley-Anderson-Parisi 39, Thornton-Thornton-Smitheman 30, Sacco-Dobyns-Dorwart 34, Potter-Potter-Gordon 33, Copcutt-Baker-Parisi 33, Reininger-Ferguson-Voelker 28, Potter-Potter-Gormley 28.

Standing of Teams. Baker 155, Voelker 161, Reininger 164, Handicap 39.

Standing of Teams. M. Potter 136, Gormley 190, W. Potter 148, Handicap 40.

Standing of Teams. Sacco 195, Dobyns 147, Kollmar 247, Handicap 212.

Municipal League Standing of Teams. Bunnell Brothers 22, George's Tavern 19, Barr's Amoco 18, Colonial Rest 15, Post Office 15, Recreation 14, Detrick's Station 12, Sycamore Bar 12, Springfield SUN 11, Springfield Market 11.

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