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Three Conscientious Objectors Antrim Boy Camps In New England

About 200 Men Now Located in Three Camps; All Are From Bay Path Of Draft Age; Various Religious Denominations Represented; Camps in Charge of National Board.

Something new and never before manager in a general store, WPA seen in this part of the United workers, lens grinder and machine States, is —the establishment of operator. States, is—the establishment of New England's first camps for conscientious objectors, the first of which were opened last month in Royalston and Petersham, Mass., and Stoddard, N. H. There are said to be 16 separate religious denom- Constant Con

jectors and at present this camp has the largest group.
Second in size is the camp located in the town of Petersham.
Most of the men there are Quakers. The third group is at Stoddard, N. H., where the Association of Catholic conscientious objectors is

in charge.

In the three camps there are about 200 men, all of whom are paying their own way or having their way paid by their churches or their families. All camps are in general charge of the National Service Board for Religious Objectors at Roylard alston and Petersham work camps have begun their program of for-

At Royalston and Petersham the stry work on an eight-hour day shift, according to officials in charge. The youths spent their first week at camp getting acclimated. The Royalston group is charge. in direct charge, affiliated with the American Friends service committee, Thomas E. Jones of Philadelphia, director, accompanied by Service official, are out in Royalphia, director, accompanied by Ston woods and at Otter River State Henry H. Perry of Boston and Dover, director of the New England drill, cleaned water hose and fa-

assistant director, are in charge.
Assistant Director Denny Wilcher

of Lexington, Va., is in charge here, and Assistant Director Stuart Mac-Mackin of Norwich, N. Y., is in charge at Petersham.

The young men are all of draft age, and have been certified and tions division of Selective Service, ordered to report to duty by draft officials, directing them via the centity. The local camps housing National Service Board for Relig-the C. O.'s are supposed to conform ious Objectors to these camps.

There are among them a peace educator, music teacher, mechanical engineer, artist, grocery clerk, wire cutter setter, dishwasher, typist, chemist, lawyer, preacher, store manager, seaman, salesman, mill hand, factory worker, college musical director, assistant department Phone in Your News Items

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erans, Congregationalists, Congregational Christians, Church of God inations represented.

In Royalston the former U. S. gational Christians, Church of God Forest Service Camp is being used and Saints of Christ, Episcopalians, for the accommodation of the ob-Christian Brethren, an Ethical Culturist, a Buddist Ascetic, Catholics. There are also non-sectarians and members of interdenominational

groups. They come from all parts of New England and New York State, one large group arriving by train at

have begun their program of for-

Friends Civilian Public Service miliarized themselves with fire-Camps, and Mrs. Perry, were on fighting procedure. The Petersham hand to witness the official first group is under direction of Bernard

Some of the boys at Royalston according to Denny Wilcher, Quaker supervisor in charge of the camp, have pitched in after hours to help farmers get their hay in Major MacLean of Washington, D. C., representing the camp opera-

tions division of Selective Service, cently. The local camps housing the C. O.'s are supposed to conform to CCC camp standards, but do not measure up regarding space, build-ings and the general layout. An estimated \$2,800 would be needed to bring the camps up to standard. It is not certain if this will be done.

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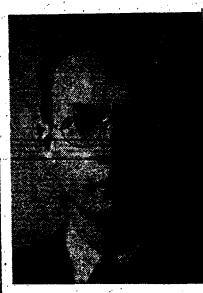
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PLUMBING and HEATING

Graduates



Robert C. Swett

Robert C. Swett, son of Mr. and public's choice. Mrs. A. M. Swett, was included in the 1941 graduating class of the Bay exercises on Saturday afternoon, July furs, more edge on price. Path Institute of Commerce, inasmuch Out in Jackson, Miss., the beaver as Bay Path Institute became the Bay have erected a dam 1080 feet long hand to witness the official first arrivals.

In Stoddard, N. H., where Catholic objectors are arriving, Dwight Larowe of Philadelphia, director, and Joseph Zerrella of New York, and Joseph Zerrella of Commerce on May acre pond. One of the location is a non-beaver dams in the country. We have been asked to locate the policy of the Water into a service official. Supervising the fire prevention work at both camps, is Joseph Peabody at Winchendon, and Joseph Zerrella of New York, and Joseph Ze profit educational institute operating
we have been asked to locate a
Mrs. Florence Lacy or her husband,
Robert M. Lacy who lived in Greenution issued by the Commonwealth of ville in 1923. Anyone knowing the Massachusetts and governed by a board whereabouts of this couple will get of trustees. Announcement of this is 42 and her husband 43. change in organization was made to

The guest speaker for graduation execises was the Honorable Style ation hard to beat. Bridges, United States Senator from New Hampshire, and a member of the months old? Advisory Council of the school.

NEW MILK PRICES FOR ANTRIM, AUGUST 10

The following prices for milk will go into effect in Antrim on August 10th, 1941: Retail, quart 12c, pint 7c, half pint 5c. Bulk, per quart, 10c. Wholesale prices will be: Quart 10c, pint 5½c, half pint 3c, bulk 9c quart

Weekly Letter by George Proctor Fish and Game Conservation Officer

field, Yt, the selectmen were asked to raise a road so as not to disturb a colony of beaver. They had flooded a culvert and made a road impassable. Sever lumber companies have made new roads rather then tear out a dam built by the beaver. Belfeve it or not but a man in Cincinnati has banded 27,662 wild birds in the past 16 years.

According to the American Ken-they report that they have never seen the streams and lakes so low as at the present time. Many of One day last week the farmers are hauling water for

According to the American Ken-Slingshots and air rifles are in the little Corker Spaniel is same class (black list class). still way out in front as the most popular dog in America. The Bos-ton Terrier is still second in the

Owing to the war the prices on raw furs this winter will be sky high according to the experts. As

More people have gone back to itorium. This class numbering 270 the horse. Every day on the back itorium. This class numbering 270 roads we run across many people members, has the distinction of being enjoying the saddle horse. There is

Path Institute of Commerce on May backing up the water into an 80 acre pond. One of the longest

in touch with us at once. The wife

All you fox hunters heads up. change in organization was made to the alumni by President Charles F.

Gaugh at the annual two-day reunion of Bay Path Alumni which ended in a banquet and dance held in the Spring-field Municipal Auditorium after 5the

All you lox nunters needs up. In Nashua a well known fox hunter that needs are the next meeting of the Granite ter has offered \$250 for the return of two fox hounds lost in Mass. One man in Portsmouth has offered sunday, Aug. 3, at 2.30 p. m. This is a brand new outfit with 70 paid up members and rarin' to go places. If you are a fox hunter it's for your called lost dogs on my list. graduation exercises, and will be of interests to tie up with this wide awake organization. Perley Warren special interest to local alumni of the of Bennington is the treasurer of president and secretary. A combin-

Speaking of tinfoil, Enoch Major item a few weeks ago about uncovof Nashua, Sam Smith of Peterboro ered wells a menace to wild life, huand Mrs. W. S. Thayer of New Ips- man life and domestic animals wich are my donators this week. Thanks for the crippled children

OUR DEMOCRACY

THINGS GROW

THIS IS A

MONTH OF

HARD, HOT

WORK FOR

FARMERS'

BOYS.

BUT FIELD AND GARDEN HAVE A WAY OF

Among these things are perseverance and

HARDIHOOD, AS FOUND IN JOHN PAUL JONES,

SON OF A GARDENER, IMMORTAL-ADMIRAL,

FATHER OF THE AMERICAN NAVY.

MAKING THINGS BESIDES FOOD GROW.

The Profile Kennel club is to hold an all breed dog show at Rocking-ham Fark, Salem, Aug. 24. This will be a Plan "D" show and everyone is invited to show their dogs.

Believe it or not but up in Marsh-field. Yt. the selectmen were asked borrowed or stolen from one of my ponds last week. The owner took it

All skeet shooters will be headed towards Indianapolis to take in the National skeet shoot starting Aug. 6th and lasting till the 10th. Dick in Antrim Shaughnessy of Massachusetts is In 1934 still a favorite to lead the big field. Hillsboro.

The big Mass. State Tuna Tournament is now on and will last till Aug. 3. Last week many 500 pound tuna were taken off the Mass. coast

One day last week we picked up a young fellow with a slingshot big their stock from ponds and lakes. I enough for some man to handle. He have have a single to put us back to normal.

Was unable to take in that nice to carry such a weapon on the pubsupper at Nashua the other night. Ich highway. In the past I have known young fellows who were present said it was sharpshooters with such a gun. sharpshooters with such a gun. Slingshots and air rifles are in the

Do you know of any one who wants some persian and angora auspices of the Recreational Office cats? I have a long list that want of the Farm Bureau. Bennington good homes. I can tell you where they can be found.

Path Institute of Commerce, which we import over 82% of all raw furs sportsman's Council, Inc., at Merheld its annual public commencement trappers are busy at the front, less ance. The bone of contention seem to be the leasing of Reed's pond so the first class to graduate from Bay to rent.

a good demand for saddle horses ter, things are bound to happen. A petition of 500 names is already to go to the Governor and his council

If you lose a dog or find a dog it of the horseshoe art get in touch with the local dog of-ficer or the Chief of Police of your town. Many valuable dogs have been reported as lost the past week. In Nashua a well known fox hun-

A dog running now without a col-lar is taking a great risk. I know of quite a few farmers who are this Association while Dorval of fed up with a pack of dogs running Franklin and Brailey of Tilton are small deer through their land the president and secretary. A combin-ation hard to beat.

Who is in the market for a pure white male kitten about three shape of a collar around his neck.

I never heard a word from the

(Continued on page 8)

by Mat

Mrs. Felker Resigns As Music Supervisor

The resignation of Mrs. Elizabeth Felker as music supervisor in the Antrim schools has been announced by the School Board. Mrs. Felker taught eleven years in Antrim since September, 1930. In 1934 she began teaching in

Mrs. Felker will be greatly missed, not only in the classrooms, but she was also interested in the school orchestra. Some twentyeight students had experience in the school orchestra.

ATTENTION BENNINGTON HORSESHOE PLAYERS

Considerable interest is now being shown in the coming state horseshoe throwing competition, to be held in the fall, under the expects to announce soon, a date for the local try-outs. A winner The other night I sat in at a for the local try-outs. A winner meeting of the Southern N. H. and a runner-up, will be chosen to sportsman's Council, Inc., at Merenter the county contest, to be held at the end of the month, at a town to be selected. Bennington hopes to have its contestants finish called in that town to out of town parties and the closing of the pond to swimming and fishing. When the ladies get interested in a matter Edmunds, or Rev. George Hibbert Driver, chairman. Old-timers, new-timers, here is your chance to demonstrate your prowess. Let Two large donations of tinfoil all former ringers, or re-ringers, from Arthur Dion of Nashua, president of the Marrimon's Fight and or hoped-to-be ringers, of the dent of the Merrimack Fish and game, furbish up their talents, and game club and H. I. White of Winchendon, Mass. Thanks. for this supurb, super-man exhib-



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REMEMBER IT'S GRANITE STAGES!



By VIRGINIA VALE

SUSANNA FOSTER, the 16year-old who sings C above high C, has appeared in two pictures, is being co-starred for the first time in Paramount's "Glamour Boy." Jackie Cooper is her leading man, and thrilled her half to death recently when he came on the set with a huge box for her. It was a present, said he.

The box contained a set-chairyou know, one of those special chairs with a canvas back-rest that stars always have, with their names painted across the back. Susanna took one look at it and burst into tears. Her name had been spelled errong! Not until a sign-painter had fixed it did she really feel like a

Joan Blondell and Binnie Barnes discovered a new way of reducing; in "Three Girls About Town" they

had to drag Walter

Soderling around-

another, through

girl promptly lost



five pounds, and it seemed likely that they'd be mere shadows by the time the picture was finished. Fur-

thermore, the loss of weight began to show on the film. So the director, Sam Bischoff, had a dummy head made, with a face like Soderling's; now the girls are dummy-dragging.

It does seem as if the young people of Hungary would be too much upset at the moment to think of forming a fan einb. But one Jeseph Hamor wrote to Virginia Weidler recently, from Budapest, to tell her a Virginia Weidler club had been formed. The members wear badges earing her picture, and are obliged te learn English. Virginia's honorary president.

Corp. James Stewart showed his family around the Metro lot the other day; Mr. and Mrs. Stewart and their daughters, Mary and Virginia, visited the sets of "Honky-Tonk" and "Smilin' Through" and had a chat with Clark Gable.

Laraine Day has been going on and on as Nurse Mary in the Kildare series—the latest is "Dr. Kildare's Wedding Day"-but she has the most important role of her career in "The New York Story," with Edward G. Robinson, Edward Arnold and Marsha Hunt.

RKO Radio received a nice communication not long ago; it was a letter from Maj. Gen. E. S. Adams, adjutant general of the United States army, saying that "Parachute Battalion" is "the most satisfactory army picture produced to date.

Remember "Ruggles of Red Gap," in which Charles Laughton

recited the Gettysburg address so effectively that he's been in demand to do it ever since? It's been re-issued, which is good news for everybody who missed this hilarious comedy the first time out, as well as for those who want to see it twice.



Charles Laughton

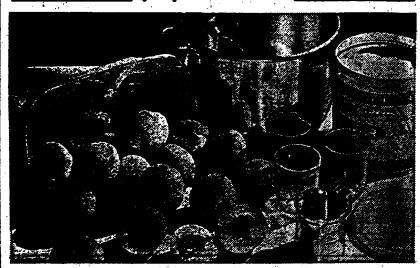
In Warner Bros.' "The Maltese Falcon" Humphrey Bogart plays his first detective role -sort of a relief from gangsters. So he can play love scenes. He has one with Mary Astor that was a change for both of them; gangsters can't have true loves, under the producers' eode, and as for Mary, she said that the last time she'd been really kissed was in 'The Prisoner of Zenda."

Speaking of the beautiful Miss Astor, she certainly stacked up laurels for herself in "The Great Lie." playing opposite Bette Davis. If you want to realize what excellent character portrayals the girls gave, see the picture on a double bill with one of those phony B pictures that Hollywood turns cut.

Those who loathe the commercials mixed into their radio programs will hail with delight the announcement that the FFC has granted a permit to Musak Inc., to build a station in New York that will carry absolutely no advertising.

ODDS AND ENDS-Margaret Lindsay's signed to appear in four more of Columbia's Ellery Queen pactures.
Victor McLaslen ended his personal appearance tour because "The Marines Are Ready" was ready. Jack Benny will make "The Widow Wouldn't Weep" for make The " idors " visidat " il eep" for Warners when he returns from his vacation in September ... Richard Tracis, cast op-posite Betto Davis in "The Man Who Came to Dinner," once his big chance to her recommendation after seeing his test ... Bob Hope's bad sunburn held up "Louisiana Purchase" ... 28su Pitts will flouter her hands in RKO's "Week End for Three" ... Ginner Ragers will play a see. Three". Ginger Rogers will play a sec rotory again in "Sall-Made Cinderella."





GOLDEN-RIPE JUICY PEACHES FOR LUSCIOUS JELLY (See Recipes Below)

IT'S CANNING TIME

With food taking on a greater than ver importance under the national defense program, you'll want to make a thoughtful selection for stocking a shelf



of extra good jams and jellies for later use. When winter comes you'll glow with deep satisfaction over your canning efforts of

the summer. Since a record breaking peach crop, the third greatest in the history of the country, is expected, plan to put up many, many jars of this golden ripe fruit, not only as jam, jelly, or marmalade, but as con-serve combined with other fruits.

*Ripe Peach Jelly. (Makes 6 medium sized glasses)

2½ cups juice 31/2 cups sugar

1 box powdered fruit pectin To prepare juice, pit and crush thoroughly (do not peel) about 21/2 pounds fully ripe peaches. Add 1 cup water, bring to a boil and simmer, covered 10 minutes. Add a few peach pits, crushed, to mixture while cooking. Place fruit in a jel-

ly cloth bag and squeeze out juice. Place the juice over a hot fire and add fruit pectin. Mix well and continue stirring until mixture comes to a hard boil. Add the sugar, stirring constantly. Bring to a fully rolling boil, boil hard 1 minute, remove from fire, skim, pour quickly into glasses. Paraffin at

Peach Marmalade.

(Makes 11 small glasses) 4 cups prepared fruit 7½ cups sugar

1 bottle fruit pectin To prepare fruit, peel off the yel low rind of 1 medium orange and 1 medium lemon with sharp knife, leaving as much of the white part on the fruit itself. Put rinds through food chopper twice. Add 34 cup wateaspoon soda. boil and simmer covered 10 minutes.

Cut off the tight skin of the peeled fruit and slip the pulp out of each section. Add pulp and juice and the juice of an additional lemon to the rind, simmer, covered 20 minutes.

Peel 1½ pounds of ripe peaches. Pit, grind or chop fine. Combine with fruits. Mix sugar and fruit, place in a large kettle. Bring to a boil, boil gently 5 minutes. Stir constantly while boiling. Remove from fire, stir in bottled pectin. Then stir and skim by turns for 5 minutes to cool slightly and prevent floating fruit. Pour quickly and paraffin at once.

Preserved pears make a good accompaniment either for the meat course or for muffins and rolls served at luncheon. You'll like:

> Pear Chips. 8 pounds pears

4 pounds sugar 1/2 pound ginger (preserved)

4 lemons Wipe pears, remove stems, quar-

ter and core. Cut into small pieces. Add sugar and ginger and let stand overnight. Add lemons cut in small pieces, rejecting seeds and cook slowly 3 hours. Put into glasses,

LYNN SAYS:

To test when jelly is done, dip in a clean spoon and hold it high. When the last drop sheets or flakes off the side of the spoon, remove from the fire. Another way which I like too, is to see if two drops drip off the side of the spoon simultaneously. If they do, the jelly will jell.

Fresh fruit which is ripe should be used for jams, jellies, conserves, marmalades, and preserves. Remove any spots or oruises as they may cause your whole batch to spoil. Cook them as short a time as possible so they will retain their lovely colors and look as though they were brought from garden to glass

Pick a rainy day or a day before you start canning to look over your equipment and get it clean for use. Dirty jars should be boiled in soda water and washed in soap suds. Boil old lids 20 minutes in soda water using 1 teaspoon soda to 1 quart of water.

FOR YOUR JELLY SHELF

Ripe Peach Jelly *Peach Marmalade Pear Chips *Apple Butter Gooseberry and Raspberry Jelly *Harlequin Conserve *Recipe Given

seal, label and store in a cupboard. Apple butters have long been family favorites since they're so especially nice for



children's lunches or snacks when they come in from playing or a hurry-up batch of filled cookies. Thick and deli-

oately spicy, apple butter fills the bill and uses much less sugar than jams and jellies. *Apple Butter.

(Makes 6 pints)
4 quarts cooked and sieved apples 2 cups sugar teaspoon cloves teaspoon allspice

1½ teaspoons cinnamon 6 cups sugar 2 cups cider vinegar

Combine apples, 2 cups sugar, and spices; cook until thick. Add remain of the other; an obstruction in the ing sugar and vinegar. Cook until thick, stirring constantly. Pour into hot sterilized jars and seal immediately. This may also be cooked in a pressure cooker or in the oven to prevent sticking.

into jelly easily, a commercial pec- ings. tin is usually employed to make the fruit jell properly. Often fruits which jell easily, that is, those which have sufficient pectin in themselves are used in combination with fruits which do not. Crabapples, unripe grapes, currants, gooseberries, cranberries, quinces, huckleberries, and blackberries jell well. If enough of them are not used in the combination, better use the pectin and play

fair weather or foul. It's a grand accompaniment for chicken or hot

*Gooseberry and Raspberry Jelly. (Makes 11 medium glasses)

1 quart ripe gooseberries 1/2 cup water

1 quart red raspberries 61/2 cups sugar

1 box powdered fruit pectin Crush and grind thoroughly the gooseberries, add water, bring to a boil. Simmer, covered, for 10 minutes. Crush thoroughly the raspberries and combine with gooseberries. Place in jelly bag and squeeze out juice. This should make about 41/2 cups juice. If there is a slight shortage of juice add small amount of water to the pulp and squeeze again. Put juice into a 5 to 6-quart saucepan. Place over a hot fire, add fruit pectin, mix well and continue stirring until mixture comes to a hard boil. Pour in the sugar. Let boil hard for a half a minute. Remove from fire, skim, and pour into jelly glasses. Add hot paraffin immediately.

honor on the canning shelf for there's nothing quite so yummy as these sweet. jamlike mixtures

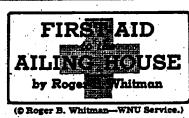
of several fruits delightfully enhanced by nutmeats and raisins. Serve them forth on relish trays or as garnish on meat platters and they'll make a delicacy of the most humble meal.

> *Harlequin Conserve. (Makes 15 6-ounce glasses) 25 ripe peaches

10 red plums 1 fresh pineapple 1 pound white grapes 1 orange Sugar

% pound walnuts or pecans Wash fruits thoroughly. Prepare peaches, plums, and pineapple; cut n small pieces. Halve grapes and remove seeds. Slice whole orange very thin. Cook fruits slowly over low heat until soft. Measure, add % cup sugar for each cup of fruit. Cook over slow heat for 20 minutes, then add nuts. Cook slowly, stirring occasionally until thick and clear, about 11/2 hours. Seal in hot steri





Condensation on Walls Q UESTION: My small bungalow is built on cinder block foundations. The edges of my floors along the walls have become spotted, and the inside walls to a height of three or four feet are continually damp. What is the cause and what is the

remedy?

Answer: There are openings between the top of your foundation wall and the house walls, through which outside air blows in at the floor level. As this air is cold the edges of the floor and the lower parts of the inside walls are chilled and condensation occurs against them. You can probably feel the draft through the crack between flooring and baseboard, and if you lay a thermometer there, you will find that the temperature is low. The remedy is to close all open joints above and below the sill, and any other joints through which cold air can

Smoky Fireplace Question: My fireplace, which I just tried to use for the first time since occupying the house eight years ago, I find draws badly. Its dimensions are 22 inches deep, 35 inches wide and 241/2 inches high. Is this too small? Is it possible for a

leak in at the level of the floor.

nest to be in the flue? Answer: The size of the opening in a fireplace should be governed by the area of the flue. The opening should not be more than 10 to 12 times the area of the flue. There are many causes for poor draft in a fireplace, such as: two fireplaces connected to one flue; with this construction, each fire kills the draft flue; lack of wind shelf and damper; improper construction of smoke chamber. For a good draft the top of the chimney should be at least two feet above the highest ridge of the roof and should not be blan-Since some fruits do not convert keted by nearby tall trees or build-

Poor Plastering Job Question: I paid \$55 for replastering a ceiling. The plasterer said he would not take down the picture moulding, for he could do a good job with it in place. It is now impossible to get a picture hook on, for the space is filled with plaster. Am I justified in deducting something from his bill? He also splashed plaster on a large mahogany bed. Here's a bright and quivery jelly but I fear that when the polish wears off the damage will show.

Answer: By rights you should have the picture moulding taken off and replaced, charging the plasterer for the expense, or giving him the chance to do the job himself. As to the bed, if it is now in good condition, it will undoubtedly remain so, or can be kept in shape with occasional polishing.

Cistern Repair

Question: How can I refinish a cistern that has become rotted and

soft from age and wear? Answer: You should look forward to replacing the cistern; for any repair would be only temporary. One treatment would be to coat the interior with asphalt paint. You should do the job at a time when the walls are thoroughly dry, and should first brush off all loose particles. Get a kind of paint that will not give the

water a taste. Bathroom Wall Finish

Question: Our bathroom walls and ceiling are smooth plaster and have never been painted. How should we fill the cracks and then finish with enamel?

Conserves ought to have a place of Answer: Fill the cracks with patching plaster; get it at a hardware store. Instructions are on the label. For the first coat, thin enamel undercoater with one-eighth as much linseed oil. Allow to dry thoroughly. Then apply a coat of undercoater, and finish with enamel.

Laundry Floor Surface Question: What kind of flooring that will not be slippery when wet can be used to resurface a wood floor in a room used as a laundry? Linoleum breaks and wears through quickly.

Answer: Asphalt tiling should be excellent, for it is waterproof and will not rot. You can get it from any dealer in linoleum. Linoleum should not be used in laundries or similar places where the flooring would be wet.

Worn Stair Finish

Question: My front stairs are oak finished in a "golden oak" shade. The finish in the center of the treads has worn, showing white spots, while the outer sides of the treads are still in good condition. How can I treat them?

Answer: Refinish the center parts with oak varnish stain. You can get a color sample card at a paint store to match the shades. Do not make sharp edges when you varnish; blend the new part into the old.





HERE'S one of those very satisfying everyday dresses that's decidedly out of the ordinary in charm and practicality. The lines are really as good as those of your favorite afternoon dress. The skirt sold us while you were unconsweeps, from a high, small waist-scious," they chorused.

line, to a flare that ensures working comfort and looks pretty besides. You can draw the waistline in as slim as you please, by means of the back-tied sash belt—and adjust it to give yourself plenty of leeway for reaching, stretching, sweeping, dusting and so on. This design (No. 1360-B) is simple to make and it really is necessary

to a busy day. Checked gingham, flowered percale, plain-colored chambray or seersucker all look very attractive made up like this, with braid and buttons to match or contrast. You'll enjoy following the pattern which includes a sew chart.

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offering him money. "Why, what is this for?" sked. "I do not understand." asked.

"This is for the radios, refrige erators and vacuum sweepers you

Driving a cross-country bus is a man-sized job," says Bus Driver WALTER STINSON



Use of Satire but what is corrigible, and make a | it.—Addison.

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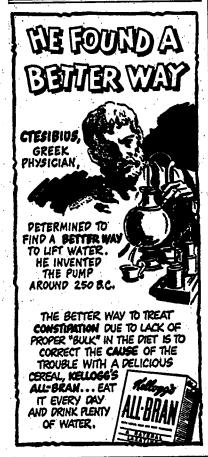


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"Will Ohio State's ex-high school every day of the year, bringing us new wealth to use and enjoy. among the best.



HIS may seem premature, but the midsummer date hasn't been early enough to check football gos-

sip on more than a few fronts.

Most of the coaches I've run
across are still uncertain about
army enlistments and the draft, but there is no uncertainty about what might be one of Minnesota's greatest teams.

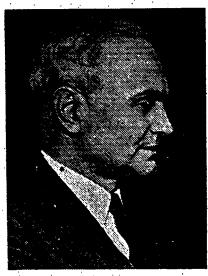
Bernie Bierman will deplore any such talk, just as any football coach would, but reports from Big Nine camps are all along

the same line -"Look out for Minnesota—speed and power—quality and quantity — a great combination in every way."
"Minnesota will

be the best football team in the country this fall," a Michi-Grantland Rice

gan entry told me. 'If any team can go through the season unbeaten it will be Bernie Bierman's outfit, with a brilliant backfield working back of a big, fast line."

Which reminds us that Michigan has lost Tommy Harmon and Evashevski, and a combination of this sort isn't easy to replace. Bo Mc-Millin writes that his Indiana squad



BERNIE BIERMAN

has good prospects and that, outside of Minnesota, Big Nine rivals can look for trouble from Ohio State, Wisconsin and Northwestern.

In the East

Conditions in the East are still uncertain until draft requirements are known.

But you might keep an eye on Swede Larson's Navy team when the first kickoff arrives. After considerable pressure the modest Major of Marines finally broke down and confessed that Navy might get along rather nicely before December's snows are reported.

"We have a good-looking squad," Coach Larson said, "losing few men from last fall. With any luck this should be one of the best Navy teams in some time."

Lou Little's Columbia squad should also move up, but there is still un-certainty at Harvard, Yale and Dartmouth.

On a recent trip to Texas we found that Dana Bible's Texas university outlook was the brightest of the Lone Star range. There is the chance that he may lose one or two of his star backs, but if he retains the material that is due back, including Layden and Crain, Bible will have a big Bowl contest on his hands.

SMU to Be Strong

Southern Methodist will again be strong, and so will Rice. Texas A. and M. loses most of her star cast from 1940 and T.C.U. is still looking for another Sammy Baugh or Davey O'Brien. They do not grow on every cottonwood tree.

Along the West coast Stanford still has the ball, with many of her unbeaten veterans ready to pick up where they left off.

Red Sanders, the Vanderbilt director, looks for the usual steamy season in Dixie where Duke, Alabama and Tennessee, plus Tulane, will be well up.

Coach Sanders is looking forward to one of the season's feature battles when Princeton invades Nashville on the first southern trip a Tiger football team ever took. Both Princeton and Vanderbilt will be good, if not outstanding, and the Commodores will go all out to avenge last year's one-point defeat.

Season of Questions

It is doubtful if any football season ever opened with more questions at hand.

"How will Spike Nelson make out at Yale?" "How about Red Blaik at West Point?" "And Tuss Mc-Laughry at Dartmouth?"

"What will Tennessee do with Bob Neyland absent?" Neyland's record is one of the best in football history.

coach stop the Buckeye slump of 1940, with so many stars missing?" "What's the outlook at Notre Dame under new coaching?" My guess is that Notre Dame will be

Speaking of SPORTS ROBERT McSHANE

BEN HOGAN, 140-pound profes-B sional from Hershey, Pa., is so accustomed to lining up at golf's payoff window that he can't remember just when his winning streak

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When Hogan won the Chicago Open a couple of weeks ago his tournament earnings for the year totaled \$11,567—top money in the pro ranks. The Chicago Open was the fifty-first tournament in which Ben has been in the money. Though he remembers the number of consecutive meets in which his efforts have been rewarded with cash, he can't remember where or when his streak gof underway. He thinks it was in September, 1939, but doesn't know where.

The Chicago Open netted Ben \$1,200—and he figures he worked hard for every cent of it. The record bears him out. He fired a 10 under par 274 to dethrone Dick Metz, whose 279 landed him in third place, and to beat Craig Wood, National and Masters' champion. Wood's 276 was good for second place.

The Pressure Tells

Hogan admits that the pressure of these innumerable trips to the payoff window is beginning to tell. The undersized dynamo estimates that he hasn't been out of the money more than five times since 1937.



BEN HOGAN

And that means a day-after-day, week-after-week pressure, with never a moment's letup. The golfer who didn't develop internal jitters would be an iron man.

But Hogan managed to quiet any jittery feeling he may have had during the three days of battle in the Chicago Open. His opening day 66 -five under par-put him ahead of the field and he tore through the rest of the tourney slapping old man par in the face with rounds of 70-

Wood took a 73 in the opening round, thereby losing his chance at the championship. His subsequent rounds of 69-67-67 were nothing less than colossal, but the initial twoover-par effort was too much of a handicap.

No Walkaway

Hogan shot a 69, 2 under par, to take the 54-hole lead with 205, four strokes in front of Wood. During the course of that third round the gallery realized that Hogan was not going to walk away with the tournament. Wood, a champion's champion, had trailed Ben by six strokes at the start of the last day's play. He caught up with the pacemaker on the thirteenth hole of the morning round. However, he took a bogey on the fourteenth and finished 4-5 on the par four seventeenth and eighteenth while Hogan came back with a pair of birdies to assume a four-stroke lead as they went into the final round.

In the last 18 holes, Wood came within one stroke of reaching Hogan. But the master workman carried too many guns. From a technical standpoint, Ben's victory came at the thirteenth of the final round. He hooked his drive to the rough and his second shot landed in a trap. A beautiful swing with his blaster placed him a foot from the hole and for a par four. From there on he couldn't miss.

The outcome of the tournament pleased most of the 8,000 spectators who were at the finish. Hogan, the mighty midget, had more than his share of supporters. Always a tough competitor, his current winning streak is to golf what DiMaggio's hitting splurge was to baseball.

Fans get a kick out of seeing the diminutive Hogan belt a golf ball just as far-and often farther-than his heftier opponents. His size hasn't handicapped him. That is evidenced by the fact that he has cashed in on so many consecutive appearances.

In addition to being a fine golfer, Ben is a fair-to-middling business man. He won the Vardon trophy in 1940 and led all money earners last year. He wasn't at all overawed when he was presented with the \$1,200 Chicago Open check. In fact, he looked over the huge, unruly galleries at Elmhurst Country club and opined, via the public address system, that the amount of the purse couldn't have been determined by the size of the crown.

And it doesn't take a genius to figure out just what he meant.



THE PAPERS OF PRIVATE PURKEY

I have not slept hardly a wink since reading about American forces being in Iceland and I wish you would not say like you did in your last letter that the boys sent there are lucky because it is so hot in American draft camps in summer. I would not like it if you were in Iceland of all places and how can you say Iceland is not so bad when all you know is what you have seen in the travelogues at the movie houses.

It is all very well to say that the climate is not so terrible and that it is not at all like the North Pole but when you are in the Arctic zone you are in the Arctic zone and your father says that Iceland is awful and is the place where Peary and Dr. Cook had all that trouble and where Admiral Byrd is always getting stuck in the ice floes.

Our groceryman who used to be a sailor says your father is wrong and has got his geography all mixed up. He says he was in Iceland and that he has seen it a lot colder in this country but if it is so good why did he only make short stops there?

I looked it up in a book at the free public library which was quite a job as every book on Iceland was either out or was being read in the reference room and I had to wait all day in line with a lot of America mothers who are as worried as I am about the place.

It is even farther away than I suspected. I never paid much attention to Iceland but I always had an idea it was just off the North American coast near Labrador. Why, Oscar, it is even farther away than Greenland which is so far away it is not on any map we ever had in our house.

It looks so close to the British Isles on the map that it almost seems like it got accidentally detached in a storm, and a yellow line with the words Arctic Circle printed in red letters goes right through the top of it in case anybody is in any doubt.

The atlas says it is a volcanic platoo covered by glaciers in the northern part and pastures and meadows in the south but it would be just your luck to get sent to the northern part and it must be terrible to be where there are volcanoes and glaciers all mixed in together. You would never know what underwear to put on.

Your father and I hope you stay right where you are so please do not talk about wanting to go to Iceland any more. I am sending you the things you asked for and will write more soon.

With all my love, Mother.

Dear ma-Just a line to let you know I dropped the idea of trying to get switched to a Iceland division on account it is too hot in this country just now. Do not worry. You are wrong about Iceland and so is pop. This time of year it has flowers and farm crops and even heat waves and before Americans have been there much it will have Miss America contests.

Even should I ever get sent there I have just read that its principal export is cod liver oil witch you half been telling me was good for me all my life. The camp atlas says its best crop is potatoes witch is alone enough to keep me from wanting to go there. I never seen so many potatoes since I got into the army and I have personally peeled all but two or three quarts of 'em. I wood want no part in saving any country which had more of them.

So do not worry. Tell pop he must of slept all through his geograffy classes at school. Lots of love. Oscar.

A draftee contributor who is stationed at one of the hottest camps in the country, heard of the occu-pation of Iceland with envy. "The lucky stiffs!" he cried when told U. S. troops were there. "They must of had inflooence!"

"Iceland?" he was heard to remark later. "That's the place that used to be on the gingerale hour."

To easual visitors to America who listen to the radio it must seem that America is a land which has but three major worries: Scalp irritation, intestinal irregularities and

> THE EXPLANATION ("Natur and Kultur, a Ger-

man publication, quotes 10 scientists as saying Hitler and other splendid Aryans could not conceivably have developed from apes."—News item.)

There you have The big solution: Those boys had No evolution.

What the Nazi patience needs is a smaller exhaust pipe, if you

Get-Together Day Bitters-How would you define

Jitters-To me, my friend, a picnic is a day set apart to get better acquainted with ants, bugs, worms, mosquitoes, chiggers, ticks and polson ivy.

Flush-Not Blush Boogy-See how the bride is

blushing? Woogy-Go on, man. That's not a blush. That's the first flush of victory.

Evelyn-Helen sings with a great deal of expression, doesn't Joy-Well, she makes awful faces when she does it.

If That's Expression

Something About Him "My dear, I never imagined you would marry the man you did," said Gladys.
"Neither did I, my dear," replied her friend. "I disliked his ways, but I adored his means."

ANOTHER

A General Quiz

1. What South American country has a Colorado river? 2. What writer described the

The Questions

Brobdingnagians? 3. What is the weight of a gallon of pure water? 4. What is believed the world's

oldest city still inhabited? 5. The bundle of rods on the back of a dime is called what?

6. What is the largest star known? 7. Is a pound of feathers heavier than a pound of gold?

8. How many names of U. S. Presidents begin with A? 9. If a boat is clinker-built, what is its distinguishing feature? 10. What is a canon in music?

The Answers

1. Argentina. 2. Swift (in "Gulliver's Travels," people of a country where everything is of enormous size). 3. One gallon of water weighs 8.355 pounds.

4. Damascus.

5. Fasces. 6. Antares (90,000,000 times larger than our sun).

7. Yes. Gold is weighed by the troy system, 12 ounces to the pound, while feathers are weighed by the avoirdupois measure.

8. Three - John Adams, John Quincy Adams and Chester Ar-

9. Its planks or plates overlap. 10. A canon is a piece of music (usually religious) in two or more parts, echoing each other. An early specimen is "Non nobis, Domine," composed by Birde in the Fourteenth century.

Ump's Choice

Fan-What we want is more action and not so many words. Baseball Ump-I don't exactly agree with you. I would much rather you fans would yell at me than throw pop bottles.

Platonic friendship, says a wise man, is the gun you didn't know was loaded.

That's Her Count

"Bobby, how old is your sister?" "Twenty-five." "Twenty-five? She told me she

was just twenty."
"Oh, I expect that's because she was five before she learned to count."



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Antrim Locals

Winslow Sawyer returned to Davenport, Iowa, on Saturday.

Dr. Ralph G. Hurlin and family from New York have arrived at their summer home here.

Miss Leona George has been in Northampton, Mass., visiting friends.

Theodore Allison has gone to the Royal Ambassador's camp at Ocean Park, Me., for two weeks.

Mr. Curtis and family have moved from the corner house on North Main and West streets to Hillsboro.

Fred Butler from Camp Hulen, Texas, who has been enjoying a surlough from camp, returned Tuesday to Texas.

Mrs. Ross Roberts and sons,

Born on Friday at the Margaret Pillsbury hospital, Concord, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mulhail of West street.

A son, Brooks Norriss Nichols, was born on Friday, August 1st, at the New Hampshire Memorial hospital, Concord, to Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Nichols of this town.

Rev. and Mrs. Tibbals, Miss Elizabeth Tibbals and S. Faye Benedict left Monday for a trip through the White Mountains. Mr. Tibbals is having a three weeks' vacation.

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amined at the pre-school child con- dated July 15, 1926, made and signference held at the school house ed by the said Ellen D. Corlew and ren, chairman; Mrs. Dagmar George same, there will be sold at public Mrs. Virginia Ring, Mrs. Esther auction on the hereinafter describ-Nylander, Mrs. Dorothy Bean, Mrs. Mildred Zabriskie and Miss Elizabeth Robinson. Nurses assisting the doctors many Mrs. Soil scribed in said mortgage to wit: Harold and Edwin, have arrived home from a few days' visit with friends in Thetford, Vt.

Born on Friday at the Margaret

sisting the doctors were Mrs. Sylvia Ashford and Miss Harriet Wilkinson. Mrs. Arlene White was in charge of transportation.

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Miss Mildred Davis of Rindge, who was to have started work in the Goodell Company's office last \$1.00. week, has been obliged to defer Display advertising rates on apher coming because of naving an plication.

ner coming because of having an ankie broken in an automobile accident.

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Turner as preacher.

St. Patrick's Church Bennington, N. H. tional service, led by Mrs. William M. Kittredge. Mrs. M. A. Poor presided. The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. Reports from the treasurer and committee chairmen were given. in the purchase of a truck. Mrs. Poor is to head a committee for tha sale. A short program was given on the new type of bars rapidly increasing throughout the nation, that is fruit juices and milk bars, which are proving very popular. Adjourned to meet with Mrs. F. A. Dunlap on September 2.

MORTGAGEE'S SALE Pursuant to a power of sale con-Mr. and Mrs. George Hillreth organized by law and having its have been entertaining her sister, Mrs. Lyla Fuller and Mrs. Fuller's daughter, and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Burt, and small sou of Mrs. Roger Burt, and small son of Lebanon, also Miss Katherine Kelley of Manchester.

Thirty-seven children were extensived at the preschool child contained at the p Mr. and Mrs. Quincey and famon Tuesday. Examining physily have moved into the south tencians were Dr. Montfort Haslam
and Dr. John Doyle. The committee consisted of Mrs. Mary Warfor a breach of said mortgage and
for the purpose of foreclosing the

ed tract on the 22nd day of August,

Beginning at a point on the east for something; prejudice means side of the highway leading from south Antrim to Hillsborough, in said county of Hillsborough, which A new family is occupying the point is the southwest corner of land formerly of Morris Christie; thence easterly by said Christic land twenty-nine rods to the Bear it in mind, the coming of the Catholic church fairwhich will side of said Christie land about 30 rods to land of the Maplewood ures in selecting ways to spend it. Cemetery Association; thence southeasterly by said Association home with his parents Mr. and by said Association land 33 feet; Mrs. Arthur Pery for a twenty thence northerly by the easterly line of said Association land 515½ feet to the southerly line of land. land about 241 feet; thence easterly formerly of David H. Goodell thence easterly by said Goodell land about 68 rods to the Contoccook River: thence southerly by said river 320 rods, more or less, to the northeast corner of land now or formerly of Milton Tenney; thence westerly 80 rods, more or less, by the north line of land of said Ten-

ney: thence northwesterly by the north line of land now or formerly of N. W. C. Jameson to land now or formerly of D. W. Cooley; thence northerly and then easterly by said Cooley land to the wall at the southeasterly corner of said Cooley land; thence northerly by said Cooley land, land of Mary E. Barker. Henry W. Brooks, Charles W. Kelsea, Bartlett L. Brooks and Hiram Eaton to the highway leading from the Alfred Miller dwelling, so called, to the Hillsborough road; thence westerly by said road to its intersection with said Hillsborough

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THURSDAY, AUGUST 7, 1941

REPORTERETTES

Ignorance and indifference are LEADING BUFFALO MINISTER twins nourished by optimistic pa-

Nothing for something is much easier to obtain than something for nothing.

All men have their price-except those who give themselves

ness, gracious!

Divorce statistics make us wonder why someone doesn't publish a "Who's Whose,'

cation. And what is vacation but a victory over work? It does not mean very much to

be tempted; but it often takes a

lot of moral courage to yield. Principle means that you sta

A radio commentator is one who wastes his time trying to get us to waste ours listening to him.

Some men are great successes in making money, but terrible fail-

Intuition without experience in wordly affairs is the trap which sentiment sets for the inexperien-

Worrying about the past is wasting the present which should be Hillsborough, ss used for looking forward to the

One thing always has been noticeable. A dollar may not go very far, but it always goes far enough not to find its way back.

If all the aluminum so far collected could be piled in one place it would reach everyone's consciousness that this a patriotic na-

Ways are being sought to economize in the manufacture of automobile number plates. Why not road: thence northerly by said simply paint the numbers on the back of the car and on one of the front fenders.

An employer of women says you have to give them the smartest lars to be paid at the time of the uniforms possible to get the best perhaps, shall we say, a little flat-

> Be Sure You Are Right' "Be sure you're right an' den go ahead," quited Uncle Eben, "but befo' goin' ahead remember dat it ahead," takes a mighty smart man to be absolutely sure he's right these

Church Notes

Furnished by the Pastors of the Different Churches

Presbyterian Church Rev. Wm. McN. Kittredge, Pastor

Thursday, August 7 At 7 o'clock Prayer-meeting. Topic: 'Road Maps'' St. John 14.

Sunday, Aug. 10

Morning Worship at 10:30 with sermon by the Pastor from the theme 'The Christian Essential Equipment' A cordial invitation is given the public to worship with us.

We will have no evening service, but

Hours of Masses on Sunday 8:15 and 10 o'clock.

Antrim Center Congregational Church

John W. Logan, Minister Service of Worship Sunday morning at 9.45

NORTH BRANCH CHAPEL

There will be Services every Sunday evening at 7:30 during the summer months.

AT DEERING CHURCH

The Rev. Albert George Butzer, D. D., pastor of the Westminster Presbyterian Church of Buffalo, N. Y., will be the guest preacher at the Deering Community Church this Sunday, August 10th, at eleven o'clock. Dr. Butzer has one of the leading Presbyterian Churches of the East. He is an exception-A columnist writes: "Mr. Leon ally popular preacher and often Henderson is thinking." Good-supplies Riverside Church, New supplies Riverside Church, New York, in the absence of Dr. Harry Emerson Fosdick.

The music of the service will be in charge of Mrs. Lois Jones Aber-

"V" stands for Victory—and va- NEW BUS SERVICE FOR HILLSBORO AND ANTRIM

The Granite Stages of Peterborough will start a bus service this week from Hillsboro, stopping at Antrim, Bennington and Hancock, connecting at Peterborough for Boston and points south.

This service is offered to give the people in this vicinity better connection with buses to Boston and also for better service between the towns along the route. The agents are Tasker's store, Hillsboro; Antrim Fruit Co., Antrim; I. G. A. Store, Hancock; Powers' Drug Store, Bennington.

They will also give a package service for a normal fee.

Reserve Friday, August 22nd, for a sale and supper at the Antrim Presbyterian church. Further notice next week.

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE Court of Probate

To the heirs at law of the estate of William L. Mulhall late of Antrim in said County, deceased, intestate, and to all others interested therein:

Whereas Catherine Mulhall administratrix of the estate of said deceased, has filled in the Probate Office for said County, her petition for license to sell real estate belonging to the estate of said deceased, said real estate being fully described in her petition, and open for examination by all parties interested.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Court of Probate to be holden at Manchester in said County, on the 16th day of September next, to show cause if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

Said administratrix is ordered to serve this citation by causing the work out of them. Also a modest same to be published once each week stipend, a kind of work of encou- for three successive weeks in the ragement and appreciation, and Antrim Reporter a newspaper printed at Antrim in said County, the last publication to be at least seven days before said Court:

> Given at Nashua in said County, this 6th day of August A. D. 1941. By order of the Court,

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> ARCHIE M. SWETT, MYRTIE K. BROOKS, CARROLL M. JOHNSON Antrim School Board,

Pit Was Primitive Jail The pit was a primitive form of man's invention to keep men and powerful animals prisoners.

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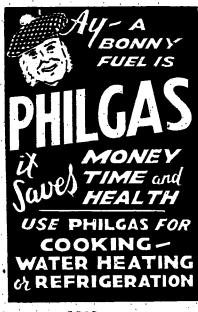
3.55 p.m. Going South Mails Close

3.25 p.m. 6.10 p.m.

Office Closes at 7 p.m.



Wrong Audience After Prof. Edward Guthrie of the University of Washington had lectured at length to a group of nurses in a Seattle hospital, it transpired he'd been speaking to the wrong audience. But they had sat there in patience and hadn't tipped him off.



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THIS STORK IS A VERY **BUSY BIRD THIS YEAR**

When things happen at the Strangest Farm on Earth they really happen in a big way Recently "Barnacle Bill," five foot Asiatic stork who guards the lily ponds during the day, turned up with a six inch section of his clongated upper bill missing. After unsuccessful efforts of the tarm attendants to feed him, it was decided by Owner John T. Benson to saw the remaining lower bill to an equal length so that he could not only eat, but would still be able to catch the numerous frogs and other water inhabitants of the lily pond. Much to the surprise of Owner Benson, "Bill" reported for ducy the next morning with the lower half of his bill neatly broken off-evidently done by himself in some unknown manner. Visitors at the Benson Wild Animal Farm near Nashua now wonder at his ability to catch and eat his food with only half a bill....

And speaking ot storks, it might be said that "Bill" has been exceptionally busy this season out at this unusual farm and one of the happiest fathers in New England is the man who owns the "Strangest Farm on-Earth." The first baby to arrive was a baby kangaroo, now big enough to hop in and out of its mother's pouch. Next to arrive was "Jenny," a miniature facilities of modern industry. In Himalayan monkey, followed by a shetland pony colt and three baby donkeys. Now the stork is hovering around the tiger cage. Queenie, one of the French poodles trained by Miss Ann Patter. of its mother's pouch. Next to artrained by Miss Ann Butler, surwill be a record breaking season, for several more mothers are now anxiously awaiting visits from the stork in the Maternity Ward of the Wild Animal Farm hospital.

France's Taxless Villages In the Jura mountains there are 24 French villages whose population of 10,000 not only do not pay taxes but actually receive a yearly dividend of from 100 to 200 francs. The explanation is that each village owns a large forest whose lumber is exploited in a business-like man-

Millions of Flowers More than 4,000 trees, 40,000 shrubs and millions of plants were leafed out and in full bloom when the 1940 Golden Gate International

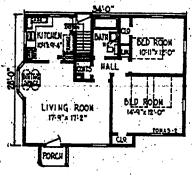
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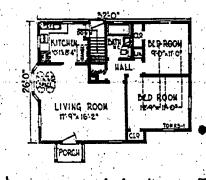


you have something to sell and are in a big hurry to sell it, let the classified department of this paper prove its ability as a speedy and efficient sales medium

NORTHEASTERN HOMES







The Tomas' shown in the illus- arrangement of furniture. The

prised her trainer recently with a apart from the rest of the large eastern Homes Foundation, 82 St. itter of six little black bundles of living room, which has two other Paul street, Rochester, New York, joy and from all indications this windows as well. But adequate will bring two "Answer Books" on wall space has been provided for home building.

tration, is a small home which kitchen calls for built-in cupboards, makes the best possible use of the which can be selected from many

The bay window which lights terial dealers through the Founda-the dining space serves to set it tion. A postcard request to North-

Deering

Robert W. Wood has purchased a new car.

Wesley Herrick of Weare was in. own on Monday.

-Let the People's Laundry of Keene do your laundry work. 28tf

Mr. and Mrs. C Harold Taylor and son Alvin were in Manchester last Srturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold G. Wells attended the picnic at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Straw in South Weare on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Livingston announce the birth of a son, named Eugene, born July 24th at the Hills boro County Hospital.

It is reported that Mr. and Mrs Earl Griffin have sold their home in the Manselville district to Mr. and Mrs. William O. Kimball of Hillsboro.

The postponed regular meeting of summer home on Clement hill. Wolf Hill grange was held in grange hall Monday evening with a good attendance. Mrs. Edith L. Parker, lecturer, conducted the meeting in the have been completed by the ladies. absence of the master, Mrs. Louise L. Locke, who is ill. It was reported that members had contributed a good daughters, Ann Marie and Jane Elizgram was presented: Song by the their home, Pinehurst farm, last grange; readings, "Betsy and I are out" and "How Betsy and I made up,"

Mass Margaret McNally, student in a beautiful and the future, look-Mrs. Lydia E. Wilson; piano solo. Mrs. Edith L. Parker; discussion, "Should the drafted men be kept in the service more than one year?" opened by Miss Priscilla Whitney, other speakers, Miss Charlotte Holmes, Mrs. Edith L. Parker, Mrs. Lvdia E. Wilson, Mrs. Marie H. Wells will be observed.

Miss Jane Johnson spent Sunday with friends at Hampton Beach.

with friends at Granite lake in Mun-Miss Judith Follansbee of Hillsbo-

Miss Gertrude Taylor spent Sunday

o has been visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Harry G. Parker.

Miss Jane Johnson has completed her labors in Manchester and has re-

turned to her home in town. Mrs. Harold G. Wells attended the funeral of Mrs. Leon Dennison at Hillsboro Saturday afternoon.

Herbert Spiller has returned from the hospital at Grasmere, where he underwent an operation recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Pelrine, Miss

Anna Garrah and a friend of Saugus, Mass, spent the week-end at their

Mrs. Edith L. Parker, who hall Monday evening with a good at-tendance. Mrs. Edith L. Parker, lec-Deering, reports that 34 mattresses in the planning and conduction of schools were the educational cen-turer conducted the meeting in the

Mrs. Edgar J. Liberty and two amount of scrap aluminum for de- abeth, of Wilton visited her parents, fense. The following literary pro- Mr. and Mrs. Harold G. Wells, at

nurse at the Margaret Pillsbury hos- Sunset Vespers on August 17 will pital, Concord, spent one afternoon also be an "Aluminum" Vesper. with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ar- Bring old aluminum, for the U.S. thur McNally, and family at their Defense program, to this service, summer home in the Bowen district.

shower by her neighbors and friends ton should at length give its quota. Mrs. Minerva Jacques, Mrs. Melvina at the town hall one evening recent. An opportunity for Baptism of Whitney, Miss Jane Johnson and Le-ly in honor of her approaching marroy H. Locke; recitation, "Yesterday riage. The evening was pleasantly Home Day Vesper. on Orford Street," Miss Charlotte spent, refreshments were served and The various common of the contraction of the Holmes; and song by the grange. At Miss Wood was presented a bouquet ing splendid report of progress in the next regular meeting Monday, with sixteen new dollar bills among arranging for the Old Home Sun-August 11th, New Hampshire Night the flowers, as a token of the well day, of the Bennington Congregawishes of her friends.

GRANITE STATE GARDENER

By J. R. Hepler, Associate Horticulturist, Durham, New Hampshire

get the most growth. I have seen good brand of tomatoes for a high the leaves cut off many plants in- price, but is hardly to be advised cluding tomatoes, potatoes, pump. for cannery tomatoes and other kins, squashes, melons, beans, celery Brussels sprouts and others. The reason usually given for this mutilation is to force all the growth grow at the base of the main corn into a certain part of the plant like plant, is another practice of doubtthe fruit or the head leaves as in ful value. Suckering corn plants the case of celery.

at best a doubtful practice and in other hand it doesn't increase it my experience is valuable only any. Why waste labor on it? where the plant makes such a strong vegetative growth that it pecially the vine crops, pruning refuses to fruit.

the plant and pruning the side shoots gets the tomatoes off the ground. The yield is lower, but the largely manufactured by the fruit is more free from injury. the leaves which are cut off.

Many people think it is neces- Tomato pruning and staking is sary to prune vegetable plants to done by people who raise an extra cheap tomatoes.

Suckering corn, that is the removal of the little shoots that doesn't apparently reduce the yield Pruning these various plants is or the size of the ear but on the

For other crops mentioned, esoff leaves, side branches, or run-In the case of tomatoes, tying up ners is usually injurious because

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the services as follows: Mrs. Webster Talmadge, of Bennington and New Jersey; Lorenia M. Kimball of Bennington and New York; Miss Helen L. Driver, of Benningor at the morning service; or, leave Miss Ruth L. Wood was given a at Mr. Edmunds' store. Benning-Children will be given at this Old

The various committees are makday, of the Bennington Congregaman, has announced as her com- gained weight and looks fine.

Bennington Congregational Church mittee for the noon luncheon: Mrs. Favor, Mrs. French, Mrs. Danforth, Mrs Miles, Mrs. Bryer and Mrs Gertrude Ross.

CALL - SHEA

Christ," by the pastor.

7:00 p. m. Sunset Vesper, at Friday at the St. Patrick's Parish A quiet wedding took place on the parsonage lower lawn, by the Contoocook River. Evening worship, "All-Sing," and meditation, by the pastor. The Junior Choir, under the direction of Mrs. Maurice Newton, will be our guests, and sing special numbers. Auto bride wore blue. The completeft and sing special numbers. Auto bride wore blue. The couple left Miss Beatrice Thompson of Weare spent several days recently with Miss Gertrude Taylor at her home on the Francestown road.

and sing special numbers. Auto- after the ceremony for a short hone ists and public, welcome. Please after the ceremony for a short hone on account of the river and tocks, should be accompanied by parents employed in an airplane factory. or an older person. The usual fel- Mrs. Call is the daughter of Mr. lowship time, and weinie roast, or and Mrs. Patrick Shea and a resipicnic lunch, by the fireplace, will dent of this town where she was born. She was employed in the For these Weinie Roast Sunday Monadnock Paper Mill and went ight Vespers, the pastor, has any to the local school and to the Hillsters for Mr. Call as well.

> Mr. Call was for sometime employed by the Monadnock Paper Mill which he left for a position in Hartford. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William Call. He is a member of the Congregational church and Mrs. Call is a member of St. Patrick's Church.

Bennington

Mr. and Mrs. Blake are rejoicing in the birth of a daughter.

Earl Scott and Mrs. Ruth Evans of Concord visited their sister Mrs. Harry Favor on Sunday.

Kenneth Wilson who is stationed in Texas was home for a short furlough. He is the son of Mr. tional Church. Mrs. Cady, chair. and Mrs. Ernest Wilson. He has

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WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

By Edward C. Wayne

Japanese Movements in Far East Bring Freezing of Assets by U. S. Plus Philippine Troop Mobilization; Nazis Claim Gains on Three Fronts

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

(Released by Western Newspaper Union.)



LOS ANGELES, CALIF.—Japanese are shown intently reading "extra" news bulletins posted at a newsstand in Los Angeles' "Little Tokyo" telling of President Roosevelt's order freezing all Japanese assets in the United States. (For other news of Japan . . . See Below.)

consider."

peal to the United States to "re-

The government took immediate

retaliatory action, freezing all American, British, Canadian and

Australian assets, and Ito, head of the Japanese Board of Information,

"If the United States refuses to

understand Japan's real intentions

and is now bent on taking measures

to exert pressure on Japan, the

conclusion is inevitable that it is the

United States that disturbs the

peace. The responsibility rests en-

Thus Japan, and this was recog-

nized as the most militant state-

had been made in the history of the

relations, many times strained, be-

The reaction of Tokyo, as ex-

pressed by Ito, was coupled with a

none-too-veiled threat in the news-

fronted with a perilous situation

fraught with the danger of war."

The newspaper Asahi said:

"The United States may be con-

"This is no longer an economic

problem which could be dealt with

economically, but provokes the fun-

damental determination of the Japa-

These words were particularly

significant, because they bespoke

the nation's inability to face the

withdrawal of the exports of the

United States and Britain and her

dominions, or to replace these miss-

Thus observers saw in the Philip

pine mebilization order that this gov-

ernment was serving notice on Ja-

pan that the United States is get-

ting ready to defend her territory

in the South Pacific and her trade

lifelines to that part of the world

Gen. Douglas A. MacArthur, for-

mer chief of staff of the United

States army, was called out of re-

tirement to take command of all

the far eastern forces. The hand-

some, socially debonair general, still

vigorous for all his years, immedi-

The forces involved total now in

the neighborhood of 150,000 trained

or partially trained men, and with

draft machinery already at work in

the islands, and equipment ready to

be rushed there, an armed force considerably larger was a possibili-

While it was still practically im-

possible to make any definite sense

out of the German and Russian

claims, the consensus was that the

Russians were making a surprising-

As time wore on the battles were

admittedly severe according to both

sides, and the main objectives were

clarified as Smolensk, Kiev and Len-

There was nothing definite to in-

dicate that any of these three Ger-

man claims had actually been car-

This lent general credence to the

belief that if the Germans were not

stalled, they at least were able to

make only thin forays past these

points, and were probably having a

German dispatches tending to prove this to be so told of "bad

roads" and "unfavorable weather,"

plus "stiff resistance" of scattered

units of the Red army as making it

The Finns were more frank, and

stated "there can be no talk of a

blitz campaign. We are advancing

but have to take one bunker after

From time to time there were in-

dications that Moscow was taking

the offensive, certainly at some

ly good fight out of the war.

paper Nichi-Nichi as follows:

tirely with that government."

tween the two nations.

Served on Japs

NOTICE:

nese people."

get them.

with armed force.

ately went to work.

Holding Hard

ried out.

hard time of it.

points in the front.

JAPAN:

Shows Hands

Dwarfing even the Russo-German war, with all its action, the Japanese situation because of its closeness to involvement of the United States, stole the world spotlight.

While there were indications that the Japanese were to continue the war with China, perhaps on even a more vigorous basis, and that Nippon was attempting to strengthen its hand on the Russian front, the main move was the military and naval occupation of French Indo-China.

While this had been foreseen as a major Japanese objective, and even regarded as a probable one during and after the period of the change in government in Tokyo, the actual occurrence fell with a sense of considerable shock on the United

For once the nation began to feel the hot breath of actual war blowing upon it, and the feeling that "all that" was far, far away began to be

a distinctly shaky sort of thing.

For the action taken by this government was swift, drastic and met with complete collaboration by Great Britain, Canada and Australia. It consisted of this, as the first

The freezing of Japanese assets. The limiting of all trade with Japan under special license.

The mobilization of the troops of the Philippines.

In addition to the British empire's collaboration with the first two plans, Britain's far eastern troops were on the qui vive for action and request by Thailand for British aid in case her territory was violated was met with instant assent.

In fact, it seemed extremely likely that Britain would move into Thailand in order to create a buffer state that might prevent Japanese attempt to cut the Burma road, which lies only a short distance, relatively speaking, from Hanoi in the northern part of Indo-China.

REACTION:

And Results

The immediate reaction of Japan was what amounted to a "sparring for time." Nippon was caught with several ships tied up at American wharves, automatically, by this government's declaration, prevented from moving.

Some 40 additional ships were en route here, and were hove to at sea. And if the Pan-American republics were to take similar action to the United States they might find it hard to make a port where they would be RUSSIA: able to unload." One of the vessels was carrying a \$2.500,000 silk cargo and nearly 500 passengers bound for

Most serious result, however, was seen as the immediate stoppage of oil exportation to Japan from American sources. Utterly dependent on foreign supplies of petroleum, and for much of her scrap metal as well, Japan was visualized as practically forced to move on the Netherlands East Indies for the former and for supplies of tin as well.

Most observers felt that if and when such a move was made, it would find the United States taking some sort of direct naval action of a preventive nature.

Tokyo, immediately after President Roosevelt's outline of American action with regard to the Indo-Chinese incident, broadcast an ap-

COINCIDENCE:

It so happened that the sudden move by Japan and the countermoves by this government were difficult to advance. timed exactly to coincide with congressional consideration of the measure to keep draftees, guardsmen and reservists in the armed forces for the duration.

There was no question but that the back of the opposition to this measure was badly bent if not broken by the quick change in the international situation.



Harry Hopkins, administrator of the Lease-Lend bill, serving again as President Roosevelt's special envoy to London, is pictured here at the American embassy in London. In a speech breadcast to the British empire, Hopkins promised the British the "tools" needed for victory are on the way from American production lines.

Having Troubles

While the governments of the Pan-American republics were standing firm on their solidarity pledges with the United States covering hemispheric defense, they were beset by many troubles, some of them reportedly generated by a Nazi diplomatic. and fifth column offensive ordered from Berlin to occupy America's attention on this side of the At-

However, the close of hostilities between Peru and Ecuador, in which it was thought that the Nazi-Japanese hand could be seen, finally were halted, and neither the casualties nor the fighting apparent-

ly had been heavy. Bolivia nipped an attempted Nazi coup d'etat in the bud and dealt ment against this government that drastically with the reputed author.

> with a story from Buenos Aires telling of the seizure of some 400 pounds of packages of spy material, surge in his buying psychology." messages and the like uncovering a very definite Nazi plot against the government of Argentina.

capital by plane, carrying 440 after great difficulties en route and economic base from which he can after arrival, but there was doubt plan and work with a sense of

This doubt was quickly resolved by the Peruvian authorities ordering the whole baggage to be shipped committee which found the baggage the industrialist: to contain a radio transmitter and "How would I feel about buying a large number of walnuts, which, anything but necessities if my whole when opened contained the plot evidence in the form of messages.

Defense Technique

Still another described the military technic near the front. The plan was somewhat similar to that of Weygand in his attempted halting of the Germans in France, except that it was implemented by better mechanized equipment.

finally, however, meets a "wall of Russian tanks," which at least temporarily halt their advance.

Then the Russian artillery in the

The Russians, when this point, is reached, military observers were reporting, then attempt to put the "pincers" on the German advance force. This, it was said, was the detail back of the three divisions destroyed, according to Russian claims.

Some let their minds drop back to the Russo-Japanese war of 37 years ago and recalled that the modern Russian army was giving a very different account of itself today against sterner than Japanese oppo-

One of these stated, as a matter of course, that "five Nazi attempts to bomb Moscow had been frustrated in succession," told of seeing two Nazi bombers wrecked 38 and 52 miles west of Moscow, and of watch-"peasants calmly tilling their fields" near the wreckage.

INVASION:

By Stratosphere

Huge American-made Boeing "flying fortresses" yet not the largest ships soon to be sent overseas, made British aviation history by participating in the first "stratosphere" raids.

They were sent, with heavy cargoes of bombs, to a height of 33,000 feet, at which point, according to the British, they were practically invisible in the daytime, and apparently

Special Envoy



PAN-AMERICA:

lantic.

The Herald Tribune came out

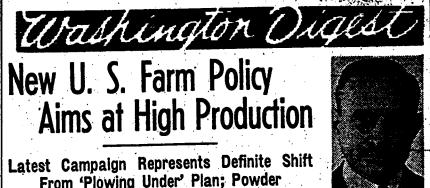
One German embassy fled the pounds of excess baggage, presumably afraid of having it seized and examined. He finally got it all into safe-deposit vaults in Lima, Peru, whether the mysterious baggage security he never had before." would be permitted to remain there.

The Russians give way before the German mechanized advance, which

rear, already trained on the roads behind the advance German lines. batters away at the supporting columns. When these are sufficiently disrupted to prevent refueling of the tanks and motor-fighting-cars, these have to fall back and the attack is broken up.

to use cotton bullets.

has to leap.



Wright Patman, of Texas, in the house of representatives, that there

will be a linters shortage by the middle of 1942—or even as early as

next February, depending upon how much the defense program is ex-

panded, or whether or not the United States becomes involved in a

At any rate, three plans are be-

ing considered in order to meet such

an emergency.

First, there is the substitution of

alpha pulp. This is the wood prod-

uct that Germany has been using in

its smokeless powder since cotton

imports have been shut off as a re-

suit of the war. This is the same ingredient, too, on which rayon and cellulose industries depend.

Second, the department of agri-

culture is experimenting with a ma-

chine for chopping up staple cotton

into short lengths and breaking

down the fiber so as to make it usable in place of linters. Within

the near future the machine will be

given a trial run at the Hopewell

Third, a process has been developed for making wood linters out

of the southern gum tree—the

familiar sweet gum, black, or Tu-

pelo gum. Already one plant in the

Midwest is turning out these wood

linters which are being used inter-

changeably with cotton linters in

powder which is going to England:

Midtown Washingtonians—that's

most of them—provide no sheltering

rooftree for their servants, either

human or wheeled. And so, early in

the morning, nose to tail, the parked

cars patiently hug the curb, await-

ing their masters' will. As the day

begins, there is a little knot of col-

ored girls and other servants who

are on their way to wake the missus

and get breakfast, lunch and din-

ner and then depart for their own

Of course, there are more cars than

girls, for, here as elsewhere, the car

is the No. 1 luxury. Better walk up three flights to a hall-bedroom

Of course, there are many government employee families which

have settled down as contented

bourgeoisie, the unambitious but

secure beneficiaries of bureaucracy.

They eventually own their own neat

homes, on which there is plenty of

time to work, after four-thirty. There

is the 26-day leave each year and

loughs (without pay), retirement

and pension to which to look for-

ward. And there is always that

semi-monthly salary check, not high

in proportion to commercial wages

but always there, in good times or bad, for the classified civil servant.

In boom times the salaries of gov-

ernment workers do not go up along

with prices, and you cannot strike

against the government. Prices are

high in normal times in Washing-

ton, compared with other cities of

its size; clerks and shopkeepers

tend to be a little bored and snooty

in the capital, and collectors are

relentless. But Uncle Sam's pay

check is always there, even if, in

days of depression, a sizeable share

may have to be mailed back to

rugged relatives at home who are out

of jobs-but even so there is usually

enough left for the garage-less car.

In the public mind, the word

'waste' -is frequently associated

with the word "government." If you will look up the word "waste"

in the dictionary, you will also find

that it is connected with the word

There is, of course, a vast waste

in all governments and not the least

is waste paper. As a matter of

fact, the Congress of the United

States recognizes this fact for it

has created a joint select com-mittee on the disposition of papers

in the executive departments. Be-

fore papers and documents of any

department can be thrown away,

the Archives Council passes upon

whether or not they have historical

value. If not, the council advises

the joint committee, which in turn

reports to congress on what action

that body should take in disposing of

The question of storing papers in

Washington, the filing case for the

emergency, to say nothing of the

office, is becoming as serious as the

need for providing space for human

Documents of historical value are

kept in the great Archives building

on Constitution avenue where moth

beings.

'vast" (the Latin "vastus").

Filing of Documents

Is Serious Problem

mysterious habitations.

than be car-less.

Washington Residents

And Car Luxury

'shooting war.'

bleachery.

Latest Campaign Represents Definite Shift From 'Plowing Under' Plan; Powder Makers Need Cotton Linters. By BAUKHAGE

National Farm and Home Hour Commentator. ears the solemn warning of Rep.

WNU Service, 1343 H Street, N. W., Washington, D. C.

"This year and next the farmer is going places. There are certain indications that he will continue to see considerable new money: Indications based on conditions that affect the farmers' general outlook on life, as well as his cash income."

That statement did not come from 'official 'sources''-it didn't even come from a farmer, although he used to be one. It was made in my office by square-cut, square-jawed Conklin ("Pop") Mann, an editor and advertising man, keen student of rural matters, and a longtime friend of mine. Mann was down from New York, bursting with enthusiasm for his favorite themeassured prosperity on the farm. Mann believes that business has a job ahead to interpret and readjust its marketing to meet the sweeping economic changes now taking place in American agriculture.

The farmer is now becoming a far more important factor in the distribution of both consumable and capital goods than ever before. That rise in the farmers' economic importance isn't just a matter of great cash income, according to Mann. It is due, rather, to the fact that the farmer now has a sound business platform under him and can plan and work on a basis comparable to any other business man. "Farmers," says Mann, "are both doing well and experiencing a new sense of economic security because of parity and guaranteed prices for farm products. There is a definite psychological response to their feeling of increased safety. When a farmer is doing well, and feeling secure, look for a strong upward

Mann interprets the farm in terms of modern industry—he sees the farm as a manufacturing plant, producing the raw materials for food, clothing and numerous other products. "Evolutionary changes, deep down in farm economics," says this agro-idealist, "have taken place which give the farmer a stabilized

Farmer Psychology I like the way this hard-hitting, successful business man and writer describes the psychology of the back to Buenos Aires. There it fell farmer as he grew up with him in into the hands of an investigating other days. He asks this question of

economic structure was a gamble? | 14-day sick leave, occasional fur-Suppose I owned a ten or fifteen thousand-dollar plant and a lot of livestock, and, once a year, I planted crops, not knowing if the price would make them worth harvesting; how would I feel?'

Mann has a deep inherited kinship for the man who works close to the soil and you cannot doubt his sincerity when he adds:

"Some day a saga will be sung about the courage that kept the farmers going through their darkest days."

I wish I might write that saga for I know it from brave letters that poured into me from radio listeners all through the worst of the depression. I can tell you that they gave me a renewed faith in America that has kept me from being cynical through these days of distrust and doubt.

By the time this column is read the greatest concentrated drive to increase farm production, to assure the farmer a definite price for what he produces will be on. For the first time in history, milk and poultry producers will be asked to pledge themselves to raise as much of their product as they possibly can-and they will get all the cooperation, advice and assistance that the government can give them. Quite a different picture from "plowing under."

Cotton Linters And Powder Making

Cotton linters, the hair-like fibers that cling to the seed after the long. staple cotton is removed in ginning, is a vital ingredient in the manufacture of smokeless powder. Army officials are checking to see whether or not there is going to be a shortage of this product that will seriously interfere with the defense program. They have ringing in their

BRIEFS . . . by Baukhage

A rifle range in New York has been soundproofed by WPA workers to eliminate ear-splitting echoes. Now if we could only get the enemy

and rust do not corrupt nor can Look before you leap isn't always thieves break through and steal. such good advice in Washington Papers of no historical value can these days. Traffic conditions are be sold for waste, on direction of so bad that a pedestrian frequently congress, and the money received hasn't a chance to look before he therefor turned into the treasury.



MORE PRODUCTION NEEDED NOT A VICIOUS CIRCLE!

WHAT AMERICA needs now and for the future is more production. More production should start on the farms. It should supply for us those farm products we are now importing to the extent of a billion and one-half dollars a year and which can be raised in the United States. The science of chemurgy must be encouraged to find new commercial uses for farm crops and for present farm wastes. Doing these things means increased revenue for the farmers, more jobs for workmen, more opportunities for the investment of capital in business—a higher standard of living for all.

America needs in its national legislative bodies men of vision, men who will strive for the general good, rather than for partisan advantage, men who will think of all groups, plan legislation to benefit all, instead of laws that take from one in order to give to another.

We cannot establish and maintain that degree of prosperity and wellbeing to which we are entitled by any policy of appeasement of minorities. To give the farmer more for his wheat by charging the workman more for his bread but creates a vicious circle which inevitably leads to inflation and the ruin of all. Through a policy of increased production that leads to increased demand and consumption, we can benefit all, the farmer, the workman, business and the gen-

eral public. There are in America men capable of solving our production problem, and they are the men needed in congress. Who in your town, your country, your district would measure up to such standards?

EVERYBODY CLIMBS ABOARD NATIONAL SPEED WAGON

IT IS A SWIFT WORLD in which we are living, and there is no place in which new speed records are being established more frequently than in congress.

When I first began taking notice of what happened in Washington, it would take a whole session of congress, with days and weeks and months of talk, to spend the from five to seven hundred million dollars then needed to run the governmental machine. In that there would be the customary "pork" that might account for as much as 25 or 30 million, but to make up for it, there would be a few dollars cut out here and there. One year, I remember, they even refused to buy pocket knives for the senators.

It is different in these days of speed. To keep pace with, or exceed, the speed of those fighting planes we are sending to Europe, the senate recently passed out 10 billions—billions, not thousands or even millions—in just 80 minutes, and they did it unanimous senator was on the speed wagon. That little item was on top of 221/2 billions that had been spent during the present session before the last small item came along. And the session is probably only half over, another half year in which to establish new and greater speed rec-

What that 32½ billions mean to you and me and to our wives and children is just about \$250, which each one of us will have to pay,

CONSIDER YOUR MERCHANTS, TOWN ASSETS WOMEN OF THE neighborhood

patronized the food chains for their light packaged goods on which they saved a cent or two. The chains did not deliver, but the women could carry the light packages.

For the heavier staples, patronage went to the independents because they delivered. They were used as a convenience. The independents could not deliver and live on sales of staples only and in time many went out of business: Because we could not get food

deliveries, we had to sell our home and move, but selling was a problem. People did not want to buy for the same reason that we wanted to sell. Lack of delivery conveniences forced down the value of real estate.

All of that was in a large city, but exactly the same thing happens in any rural community where people use their local stores only as a convenience, but go to other centers to make their larger purchases. Local merchants cannot live as merely a convenience and when the local market place is gone, real estate values are gone and the social and cultural center goes.

It pays to consider the future.

EGG PRICES

AMERICA IS SHIPPING vast quantities of eggs and egg products to England for which this country pays. England would pay cash for eggs from Canada. For the eggs we consume, we are paying about 10 cents a dozen more than the Canadian people pay for theirs. We have an egg shortage, Canada has not, but our poultry raisers are profiting and those of us who buy pay for eggs which go to England and also pay the increase on those we con-

THE STORY SO FAR: Bound for the Chibougaman gold country, six men lost their lives on the Nottaway river. Red Malone, Garrett Finlay, brother of one of the six, and Blaise, half-breed guide,

The trader led his guests into a large living room the floor of which was strewn with moose, caribou and bear-skin rugs. Two hundred miles from the railroad the trader lived in comfort. "So you're surveying the lakes?" he began. "I suppose that will take you all summer."

arrive at Nottaway posing as surveyors.

"Almost," Garry answered, his thoughts with the girl. "But we have the lower Nottaway to finish before joining our party at Rupert."

"Lucky you're not mapping the big rivers that feed this chain of lakes! You'd need canoe men—Indians.

"We left the best white-water man in Canada out there on the island but we'd need more than Indians," said Finlay pointedly, "we'd need

"Oh, you have a man with you?" "Yes." So you thought Blaise was killed on the river, did you? sur-mised Finlay. Then he said: "I judge-from the buoys you use planes

There was a shadow of annoyance in the other's baffling eyes. "I have to hire a plane from Quebec to bring the girls in and out. They don't like the river. I can't get them to winter here. It makes it pretty lonely."

Shortly a Montagnais girl appeared at the door and nodded. There was laughter outside and Isadore's wife and step-daughter entered the large room at one end of which a table was set.

"Hope you won't mind if we dolled up and powdered our noses!" bubbled Corinne Isadore. "It's an event to have guests and—such guests!"

Isadore disappeared and returned with a cocktail pitcher and glasses. The two guests watched him closely as he filled the glasses with martinis and passed them. Finlay gave the "Okay" signal to the questioning eyes of Malone as he lifted his

"To our charming hostess!" he said, holding his glass at his lips until Isadore and Corinne had started to drink. He watched Lise closely as she placed her half-emptied glass on the table.

"What's making her so nervous?" he wondered. "On the surface she seems too decent to be the stepdaughter of this buccaneer."

Garry caught the trader studying the bulge in Red's coat caused by the .45 in his hip holster as he bent over the effervescent Corinne. "That's sudden death, Isadore," he reflected, "if you're so foolish as to try to pull anything tonight—sudden death! Watch your step!

There was red-fleshed sturgeon and roast ptarmigan and the hungry men did honor to the half-breed c. When the Montagnais girl brought in bottles of red Bordeaux, Garry gave Malone the "okay" signal by rubbing his left ear. "So far, so good, mine host!" Garry mentally applauded. "The wine may make your ladies talk."

It was evident that Corinne Isadore was making a night of it. She was mercilessly flashing her black eyes at the russet-haired giant, blowing cigarette smoke in his face and greeting his low-pitched conversation with bursts of laughter while he casually filled and refilled her glass.

As he talked with Garry, Isadore's cold eyes constantly wandered to his wife's flushed face inching closer to Red's. It was different with Lise. She lit and snuffed out half-smoked cigarette after cigarette. The hand holding her fork was unsteady.

It was evident that Lise Demarais was either excited or worried. "Your home is in Calgary?" Lise asked.

"Yes," he lied.

"So your work has been in the west?" broke in Isadore.

"Yes." Finlay was on his guard. There were questions he wished to avoid. "I suppose you're a Province of Quebec man?" he countered. Isadore laughed. "You think I'm French? No, my father was Span-

Finlay saw Corinne Isadore answer what must have been a signal by raising her black brows. She turned to Red with: "When you've finished the map of the lake, you'll let me see it? Could it be traced? I'd love a map of Waswanipi.'

"That's his first move!" thought Garry. "He doesn't believe we're

engineers." "Of course, I'll trace one for you!" replied Red, beaming into

Corinne's challenging eyes. "That's fine!" applauded Isadore. "We'd appreciate it. Well, gentle-men, let's drink to a successful sum-

mer for us all! But your glasses are empty. I'll open another bottle." Finlay noticed that the glasses of Isadore and the girls were full. That

couldn't be accident. He'd watch this. As the trader half turned to uncork a fresh bottle, held at his side, Garry saw his left hand, grasping the neck, move over the mouth as INSTALLMENT FIVE

Finlay is told that the six men were not drowned as reported. Suspicion prevalls that Isadore, rich fur man, has made a gold strike and aims to keep prospectors out of the country at any cost. The three men start out on the

lone's. His right hand lazily moved to the back of his neck. Red caught the warning and turned to Corinne. "In British Columbia," he laughed, "we always exchange glasses for a toast."

Isadore coughed sharply. The veins in his forehead swelled. "Corinne! Not another drop! You've had too much already!" His voice split the silence as an axe splits oak.

Blood flooded the girl's olive skin. Her eyes kindled. "I'm no child to be told what to drink!" she shot at the man who sat rigid watching her, then drained the glass in her hand.

On the hush that followed broke an idle tapping on the spruce table. As he watched the infuriated Corinne, Malone's straining ears caught the dots and dashes, in Morse code, of Finlay's signalling fingers. "New bottle drugged!"

Isadore's high-pitched voice, now under control, broke the tension. "I'm sorry, gentlemen! You'll excuse Corinne. She's not used to much wine."

Corinne drew deeply on her cigarette, blew a cloud of smoke into Red's face as she lounged, round arms on the table. "Do you theenk I've had too much wine, beeg boy?" she whispered.

"Of course not, Beautiful!" Red returned, from the corner of his mouth, watching her fast drooping

"We've forgotten our toast!" insisted the tight-faced Isadore, rais-



"On the surface she seems too decent to be the stepdaughter

ing his glass. "A successful summer to us all!"

With a "Pardon me!" Finlay reached past the surprised girl beside him and, lifting her glass, turned to his host. "To a successful summer!" His voice carried the ring of splintering ice. Eyes locked, the three men drank.

Lise turned on Finlay. "Why did you do that? It was just as if-"

"Lise!" There was bottled fury in Isadore's tone. "Will you help Corinne?"

Elbows sprawled on the table, chin cupped in one hand, a plume of hair like a drooping crow's wing masking an eye, Corinne sighed to Malone: "What has come over me? I feel so drowsy.'

"Did you hear me, Lise?" Isadore's voice was as brittle as March crust.

But Lise Demarais sat frozen to her chair, her frightened eyes riveted on something across the room. Finlay followed the direction of her gaze.

Through a half-opened door peered a hideously grotesque face, framed by yellowish-white hair.

"Tete-Blanche!" Finlay muttered. "Lise!" But the girl's obsessed eyes were

still anchored to the closed door across the room. "Lise!" She rose and went to her stepmother, followed by Isadore, while

Finlay waited with folded arms, fingers glued to the stock of his hidden pistol. "Excuse me for a moment, genhis half-conscious wife to her feet

tlemen!" said the trader. He raised and took her from the room, followed by Lise. At the door she turned a bloodless face toward the two men at the table, then disappeared.

Red Malone's puzzled eyes clung to his chief's. As he caught the meaning of the folded arms he stiffened, right hand on hip, and pivoted swiftly in his chair. But the door Finlay was watching remained closed. On the silence of the room broke the tapped message from the middle finger of his left hand: "Tete-Blanche was at the door behind you! It scared Lise! If Isadore doesn't rehe took the bottle in his right and, turn, we'll shoot our way to the carising, fill the glasses of his guests. noe!"

Nottaway, despite warnings. third day out they are ambushed from shore. They escape serious injury and start for the Hudson's Bay post. Finlay and Malone visit Isadore and meet Lise, his pretty stepdaughter.

Red nodded. Action! There was the glint of sun on young ice in his blue eyes. Stiff in their chairs the men waited. Then the trader returned.

"It is most embarrassing, gentlemen," he coolly apologized. Isadore took more than she's accustomed to. I hope you'll under-

Garry rose. "Of course!" he said. Will you thank her and your daughter for a most delicious dinner and -interesting evening?"

"But you're not going? The night is young."

Finlay admired Isadore's callous nerve. 'It's late," he replied. "We'll say good night." Well, if you insist. I'll give

you a light to your cance." Outside the night was black as a spruce swamp. Isadore produced an electric torch and walked to the shore beside Finlay. Close on the heels of the trader followed Ma-

As he pushed off the canoe Finlay said: "The evening was most pleasant, Mr. Isadore, and—instruc-

Finlay and Malone paddled in silence until they were well offshore. "Now what do you think of that for a dinner party?"

"Think?" snorted Red. "My fingers ached to drown him in front of his place. Drugged his own wife! Some joke on the slick Jules Isadore! And was he sore!"

"That was clever headwork of yours, Red, when I signalled that he'd drugged the wine. That strange western custom of switching glasses had him stopped dead. Nothing like an Irish imagination!"

Red chuckled. "Thought you'd like it! Say, the girls couldn't have been wise to his plan!"

"No, it didn't look so. But what was his plan when he had us "I believe he wanted to search

us. He'd let us sleep it off,-then he'd apologize for his strong wine we couldn't handle." "Our showing up here must have staggered him. But he's got nerve."

"What interests me most is this Tete-Blanche. He seems to be a bogey man at Nottaway and Lise looked as if she'd seen a ghost when she spotted him in the doorway. She must know he's Isadore's private killer."

"I wonder how much those gals do know."

"Get anything out of Corinne? She threw a wicked eye at you, Red. I was worried—thought she'd kiss you right before King Isadore!"

Red laughed. "What a doll to trot on your knee! She's right up my alley for looks! But she didn't ask

"She puzzled me. She started off with a rush—was gay and flippant; then suddenly grew absent-minded. Drank hardly anything! Didn't hear half what I said!"

"She was sure easy on the eyes in those whipcords.'

"And easier in that white dress at dinner! Skin sort of transparent. The distinct impression I got was that she wants to leave Waswanipi. She didn't say so, of course. But I sensed it. She's worried."

The approach of the cance to the island where Blaise had a bright fire burning as a beacon was announced by the barking airedale.

"Well, Blaise, what do you think of it?" asked Finlay, when he had

finished his story. "We leave here, wabatch, quick!" "You mean tonight?"

Brassard nodded. 'Why tonight?"

"Two Montagnais fallar come here after dark. I give dem suppair and taste of whiskey. Den dey talk. We move out, now. Onles you wish to fight."

"Well, what's it all about, Blaise?" demanded Red.

Blaise told his story. That afternoon the two hunters had brought a cance load of sturgeon to Isadore's place to be traded for supplies. They were in the trade-room when the Peterboro was first sighted far down the lake. Labelle rushed in and called the man with the scarred face outside where Isadore was watching the distant canoe through glasses. Curious, the two Indians moved to the door and listened. The trader was wild with rage. "You liar!" he said to Batoche. "Here come de men you said drown in de Long Saulte of de Nottaway." The trader struck Batoche in the face but Labelle stepped between them. Then they moved away out of earshot of the eavesdroppers.

Later, the Montagnais were starting with their supplies for their fishing camp when they heard an angry voice up the shore. "W'at good are you? Now Isadore send me to dat island tonight to finish your job!"

They looked and saw the man with white hair, the Montagnais called Neshiwed, the Killer, with a little man, Tetu, talking to Batoche. So, after dark, the hunters had come to the island with the warning.

(TO BE CONTINUED)

Washington, D. C. BIG DAY FOR NEWS MEN

Twenty newspaper men leaned forward around the long blue baize table in the ante-room of the secretary of state. At the extreme end stood tall, austere acting secretary, Sumner Welles. On his face was an expression of grim-lipped intensity. In his hand was a typewritten statement. He read it aloud. It was a scathing, carefully worded blast against Japan.

At the opposite end of the table stood three Japanese news men, short, affable, eager. For months and years they had been attending press conferences, given the same privileges as any American news men. For months also they had waited for some such bombshell. Now it came.

One split second after Welles finished reading his statement, the Japanese were out the door, pattering down the marble corridor to the press room telephones. It was a big day for Japanese news men. Finally Ickes Wins.

It was also a big day for certain members of the Roosevelt cabinet. For months and years they also had been waiting. For months and years also they had been urging Roosevelt to embargo oil shipments to Japan.

At a cabinet meeting just before Japan moved, Secretary Ickes, as new oil administrator, raised the embargo question again. He proposed to stop oil shipments to Japan. But the acting secretary of state said no. Japan, he said, was going to make a move toward Indo-China and it would be wiser to wait.

Once before, Ickes had stopped a shipment of oil to Japan and aroused the wrath of the state department. Last June a Philadelphia manufacturer complained to him that a Japanese ship was loading 240,000 gallons of lubricating oil.
"I can't get oil myself to speed

up my own defense orders," wrote the manufacturer, "and yet I see in front of my nose this shipment of oil going to Japan. To hell with defense, if the government is as screwy as that."

So Ickes called the coast guard and asked them to act before the oil was loaded. They did.

Then things began to boil. It did not leak out at the time, but the state department complained to the White House that Ickes' action had interfered with the policy of appeasing Japan so she would not go south to the Dutch East Indies.

However, Ickes held his ground. He insisted that he was not meddling in foreign policy, but that it was nonsense to ration oil and gas on the Atlantic seaboard and at the same time let Japan ship oil away from the Atlantic seaboard.

In the end Ickes won. Bombard Tokvo.

Naval strategists make no secret as to what they would do to curb Japan. They consider it foolhardy and suicide to send a lot of U. S. a suspicious question. How about warships across the vast expanse of would be supplemented by the reocean to Singapore or the Dutch East Indies.

They figure we are going to get into the war anyway, and it is good strategy to deal knockout blows in the very first round. They favor sending waves of U. S. bombers from the Philippines to raze the paper and bamboo cities of Tokyo, Yokohama, Kobe and Osaka. They also favor sending the fleet, plus airplane carriers to the coast of Ja-

They favor doing this immediately. There is no use, say the navy men, of punching at a man's legs when you can strike for his heart.

. . . CLOSING PANAMA TO JAPAN

Secretary Stimson was telling the absolute truth when he denied that the discovery of a time-bomb was responsible for keeping 10 Japanese ships out of the Panama canal. For this was not the reason.

Real reason why the canal was barred to the Japanese was the discovery that two of their ships were floating bazars being rushed to the east coast of South America to grab off the trade which Axis operators were forced to abandon as a result of the U.S. blacklist,

Apparently the Japs had a tip that the blacklist was going to be issued, because the two ships hastily left the west coast and were waiting to go through the canal, when suddenly the blacklist was published. Equipped with elaborate merchandizing displays, and carrying highpowered, Spanish-speaking salesmen, the ships were literal arsenals of economic warfare. With them, the Japanese would have invaded the most lucrative markets in Latin America before either the U.S. or the Latin Americans could have moved to block them.

MERRY-GO-ROUND

U. S. authorities are quietly keeping an eye on Andre Maurois, wellknown French writer, who has departed on a mysterious "private mission" to South America. Maurois is strongly pro-Vichy and is suspected of going south for the purpose of plugging the Nazi-controlled French regime.

The army's new heavy tank is equipped not only with machine guns and a 75-mm. gun, but also with a nice shiny horn to keep soldiers themselves from getting in the wav.

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by Elmo Scott Watson (Released by Western Newspaper Union.)

First Credit Reporters

F YOU'RE accustomed to "buying it on time" instead of paying cash for it, you can thank two brothers named Tappan for that convenience. For your ability to "buy it on time" depends upon your credit rating, and Messrs. Tappan were the first credit reporters. They established that business just 100 years ago.

Their doing so was one of the results of the panic of 1837, the first great financial disaster in America. Arthur and Lewis Tappan were natives of Massachusetts. In 1814 they established a dry goods business in Boston, importing most of their goods from England. They were very successful and accumulated a large fortune. Then they branched out and in 1827 became silk merchants in New York and financial sponsors of button manufacture, under the name of Arthur Tappan and

For 10 years they prospered in New York. But when the panic of 1837 hit the country, among its first victims were the Tappans. Their failure was the result of the "freezing" of hundreds of thousands of dollars owed them by country merchants. Although they re-established their business within 18 months, this disaster gave Lewis Tappan an idea.

He realized that the method of granting credits to country merchants, often on forged letters of introduction, was not only unreliable but out-of-date. True, a few of the



big American importers had individual credit reporters and others cooperated to hire one. But the expense of sending a credit reporter into the West and South was too great even for a group of importers.

So he proposed the establishment of a mercantile agency, the function of which was to serve as a central office of credit information. This information would consist of the contributed experiences of the leading importers, commission houses, wholesalers and bankers which ports of correspondents appointed in every community.

After their disastrous experience with the old slipshod methods of extending credit, all of these business men were quite willing to listen to Tappan's proposal. So the first credit reporting agency was opened in New York on August 1, 1841, and was a success from the start. Soon two young men came into the company who did a great deal to develop the credit reporting business. They were Benjamin Douglass, the son of a West India trader, who joined the firm in 1846, and Robert Graham Dun of Ohio, who came in 1854.

In 1859 young Dun purchased full control of the company and the Tappans retired from the business to devote their time to the various philanthropies and social reforms in which they were interested. Meanwhile John M. Bradstreet had established a similar credit reporting company in 1849. For 85 years the two-companies were competitors. Then in 1933 the Bradstreet company and R. G. Dun and Company were merged to form the famous combination of "Dun and Bradstreet" which has become synonymous with the word "credit."

In 1859, when Dun bought out the Tappans, the first "credit reference book" was published and it contained 20,000 names. The 1941 "Blue Book," its descendant, lists 2,300,000 names of commercial enterprises in 50,000 different communities! Moreover it is published six times a year and is the largest publishing venture of its kind in the world.

It is interesting to note that among the early correspondents of the pioneer credit reporters were four future Presidents-Abraham Lincoln, Ulysses S. Grant, Grover Cleveland and William McKinley.

The Tappans were also journalists

and reformers. They started the New York Journal of Commerce in 1828 and Arthur Tappan founded the Emancipator, an anti-slavery organ, in 1833. Both were ardent abolitionists. Arthur Tappan frequently aided fugitive slaves in their flight northward and he rescued William Lloyd Garrison, editor of the Liberator, when he was imprisoned in Baltimore. He was president of the American Anti-Slavery society and contributed \$1,000 a month to its support for several years.

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In totalitarian states mothers do not have this right to shape their children's ideals. They must conform to the ideals the state lays down, or live in terror by day and night. This is one of the freedoms for which Americans will fight, the freedom of the home.

Moreover, in this country, a woman continues to guide her children even after outside influences come in. More than reading, than the movies, than radio . . . provided her own moral certainties are strong enough. First she must know what she herself believes. Then she must inspire others with that belief.

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WEEKLY LETTER BY PROCTOR FISH AND GAME WARDEN

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Who knows about this law? That rain the other day was worth a million but we need just as much more. Never has there been a time when the wells, ponds and lakes have been so low.

treated be surprised in the answer.

WHAT PEOPLE DO TO PREVENT FIRES—AND WHAT THEY DON'T DO

They keep chimney flues clean and protect wall and floor from stove by metal or asbestos plate. They don't dry clothes, shoes kindling wood in bake oven

waste paper beside stove. They keep lamp away from walls and curtains.
They don't fill lamp while lighted or set lighted lamp on tablecloth

where children can pull it off. They keep matches away from chil-They don't leave children alone in

house with fires and lighted lamps. They take matches out of pockets before hanging away clothes.

They don't allow greasy overalls, oily mops and polishing cloths to accumulate in closets, attic or or corners. They keep kerosene and gasoline

safely stored and in properly labeled receptacles, and use oil and gasoline stoves with due care. They don't pour kerosene on fire or clean clothes with inflammable

fluids near fire.
They have electrical equipment properly installed and use appliances with due care.

They don't continue to use badly worn cords.

Expensive Research

Over 1,600 industrial research labcratories in the United States spend 750,000 for industrial development and research each working day of the year, according to a recent survey.

Standing Mystery

Iolans now will probably never solve the mystery of a certain office manager who spent four years in Iola, Kan. He's been transferred and the office is "back to earth." But the first thing he did when he took over, four years ago, was to banish all the chairs. He placed stilts on the desks. He did all his work, typewriting, bookkeeping, writing and all, standing up—and never explained his aversion to chairs.

DEFER FARM WORKERS FOR FOOD PRODUCTION

Farmers who are doing a good job of food production can be assured that their essential farm workers, if they wish, can stay on the farm rather than go into military training through the Selective service, according to the New

and you ask any "Vet" within 25 all Selective Service boards to num." and you ask any "Vet" within 25 an Scientife Service Boards to num.

miles of my home how many dogs classify these men as essential in On June 27, one day later, OPM so in cases of emergency. We they treated last week. You would their present work of food product said in news dispatches that the esent, work of food tionnaire. He should tell the kind period. near stove, or keep a basket of to do the work.

The farmer himself must request deferment of the man for the same oil. No sooner was that industry reason, on a blank that can be se- placed under political domination cured from the local Selective Ser-

members of the Selective Service structive program to help the oil boards to fulfill their duty accu- industry meet an emergency which rately and place all men in classifi- had been thrust upon it, a scare cations where they will be most valuable to the country.

Married men or men with dependents are placed in Class III and Britain. are not being inducted into the army at present.

If You Can

where you're going-

and oil-

guide bookor if you are driving along at just of levels.

the right speed for comfort and safety-Or if you're certain that there isn't

asleep or she's fallen out some- sources.

-Exchange

Find Hot Pool Glen Collins, flying wildlife agent of Anchorage, said he found a pool of warm water in the Valley of Ten

ature was about zero.

And Hear

Tragic Political Horseplay

The newspaper dispatches of June 26 said "Special senate committee investigating the defense

said, in news dispatches tion. The worker, if he is single problem had been solved and that or has no dependents, should re- construction of new aluminum quest deferment as a worker essen- plants could be started immediatetial te the farm operation, when he ly. No new power plants had been fills out his Selective service ques- built in the 24-hour intervening

of farm be works on, whether The newspaper reports quoting dairy, poultry, potato, fruit or these two government agencies, other enterprize. He should also one warning of an electric shortstate the size of the farm business, age, one day, and the other saying number of cows, hens, acres of po- the problem had been solved, the tatoes, apples or other crops, and next day, illustrate loose and illthe number of persons on the farm considered thinking and planning day so that it won't come so tough which discourage industry.

The same condition applies to as a defense measure, than the people were told there would be a This information will enable the fuel shortage. Instead of a conwas thrown into it and the public as an answer to appropriating domestic tankers for the aid of Great

During the last World War, the public was told by supposedly responsible sources that our oil reserves were practically exhausted. If you can start on an auto tour Many people actually believed with the certainty of knowing that new sources of fuel would have to be found to run automo-Or if you don't have to stop ever biles. The oil industry went five minutes to look at your gas ahead, however, and perfected drilling methods, refining meth-Or if you make every turn and de- ods, and found new oil fields. with tour correctly, according to the the result that our supply of oil products was increased to unheard

No two industries come closer to the average home and citizen than do electricity and oil. It is a squeak or a rattle in the old tragic that politics too often domi- daughters, Joyce and Gracie, were bus— nate non-political administration at her parents' home here on Sunook around, old top; she's either of our indispensable natural re- day afternoon.

to conserve these energy sources, to their homes in Boston, Mass. but loose political talk from governmental sources about rationing electricity, and shortages of gaso. Norman Lilley are sorry to hear line and fuel oil for automobiles of her illness caused by an injury took a dip although the air temper. and domestic use, should be curb. to her knee which is confining her ed in the interest of national de- to her bed for tour weeks.

fense and sane action at home. un-What We See til such action is known to be nec-

Local gas stations closed at seven o'clock Sunday night, but reported that they sold more gas than usual previous to the closing hour. Many out of state motorists filled their tanks here rather than have been so low.

Don't forget to drop Peter Dugan and John R. Burke a post card. Both are at the County hospital at Grasmere. They will appreciate it.

The past week was quill pig week.

The past week was quill pig week. and wasteful in our use of gas and oil so far as our automobiles are concerned. We are getting to the

Americans are apt to be careless stage where it is hard for us to walk more than across the srteet and we have seen some who won't do even that. No doubt we would feel better if we did more walking and less riding. We may have to before this year is over. Anyway we might try walking a little each

East Deering

Miss Hildegard Fick has returned to East Deering from her cottage in Randolph.

Harold Titcomb spent the weekend with his family bere. He is working in Lawrence, Mass.

Miss Florence Johnson, who is

employed in Weare, was at her

parents' home on Saturday. Mrs. McGee and son of Jamaica Plain, Mass., was visiting her sister, Mrs. Harold Titcomb, on Sun-

Mr. and Mrs. Forte and family spent the week-end at their summer place here, the former Bentley

Mr. and Mrs. George Soukas

and son Peter of Manchester were at Peter Wood's on Saturday and Sunday. Mrs. Edith M. Daniels and

H. C. Bentley, two daughters The American people will go and children, who have spent the without gasoline, when necessary month of July here, have returned

Friends and neighbors of Mrs.

Bennington

Miss Olive Scott of Cincinatte is visiting her sister Mrs. Harry Favor this week.

Mrs. Daisy Rawson of Caribou is now visiting Mrs. Helen Young. Mr. and Mrs. Roger Van Ider-

Not About the Apple To be admired most in the charge. ter of our original parents, Adam and Eve: Neither of them lied about the apple.

Mrs. Brown and son David of Washington, D. C., who have been visiting Mrs. Brown's sister, Mrs. A. Edmunds, have started home.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Shields of Ayer, Clarence Hawkins of Boston and Mrs. Raymond Woodman of New York visited with Miss Edith Lawrence on Saturday, last.

lunch, and evening Vespers with Baptisms at 7 p. m.

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