





# The Tiger Post

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### DIAL

clank, clank. What is this, with shop or a boiler banging enough, friends, it is just a fetching heart bracelet going into

lights of old encased in their good starch job on both, a female possessor of one strings of hearts does when they flip 'em! Silence the class room, deep silence, a clash of symbols and a trumpets! No, excuse it, Little Miss McLean was raising a mistake and the motion of her arm causes ad of hearts to jangle like that needs a good grease

parts are pretty, very, very need they be worn to the of the entire class?

nting . . . .  
**ND LASSIES OF 1941-42**

**JOE COOKE**  
born at McLean, March He has attended school McLean. Joe's hobby is, as know, "Bird-dogging." He blue, football, basketball. He dislikes two-faced

ng. He likes Cary Grant as an Betty Grable as an actress. He show is the Tarzan he is going to attend Texas where he hopes to become an engineer after graduation.

**MARGIE BALLARD**  
Marge Ballard was born at Hills, September 29, 1923. attended school at Fairview, and McLean. Margie's hobby is hands in a theatre. She white and blue colors; good and good looking boys. Her like is two-faced people.

es Tyone Power and Judy as actor and actress. Her show was "Gene With the He also likes football and her greatest ambition is to England upside down, decided as to which college attend.

**Economics Girls Varied Subjects**  
The economics girls seem to

**SHAWVER ON JOB**  
Floyd Shawver has returned to his work as principal of the high school after spending a lengthy time in a Dallas hospital.

**PEDAGOGICAL RUMINATIONS**  
By Professor Sylvester Horatio Guggenheimer  
Editor's note: After much maneuvering in Dogpatch, the Tiger Post is happy to present the column of Professor Sylvester Horatio Guggenheimer, who sees all, tells all, and knows nothing. He has been hired to contribute his nothings for the fabulous sum of 12 1/2 cents a week.  
Dear Sylvester:  
I have done everything, seen everything, and been everywhere. All the money Eroy Fulbright could ever want is at my finger tips. I have

industries. The inevitable result of socialization of industry is the creation of a vast and invisible political bureaucracy with power concentrated in the hands of the few. That is the most obvious lesson that present-day Europe has to teach us.  
It is the will and determination of those in high places to retain democracy in this country, not emasculate it, that our people should watch today.

States' rights and individual rights are wrapped up in the issue of encouraging and protecting the American private enterprise system. Don't be blinded by the argument that government can do everything for states and individuals better than they can do it for themselves.  
We must not be deluded with any idea that we can throw the private enterprise system out of the window and carry some socialized political cushion to absorb the shock.—Industrial News Review.

In a republic like ours the people will never get better government than they are capable of creating. In the final analysis, a government by the people is just what the people make it to be, so the place to begin is with the individual citizen.  
There is no more crying need in America today than that of returning local government to the people by making it easier for the citizens to participate and more difficult for the professional politicians to control.—John W. Esterline, The Wisconsin Taxpayer.

Man (to neighbor)—I wish you would sell that dog. Yesterday my daughter had to stop her singing because your dog was whining all the time.  
Neighbor—I'm sorry, but your daughter started it.

climbed to the tip-top of the highest mountain peak in Switzerland; I have crawled through the thickest underbrush in Africa; I have flown a bomber upside down to England; I have been a jockey in the Kentucky Derby; I have judged seventy-seven bathing beauty contests; and I have evaded the draft. But, my dear, professor, I am definitely bored—what can I do?  
JACK JONES.  
Dear Mr. Jones:  
I have concentrated on your case for several - - - seconds. My advice to you is to try striking a match on a bar of soap!

**Tigers Continue Winning Streak**  
The McLean Tigers continued their undefeated and untied record by rolling over the highly touted Wellington Skyrocks 19-3.  
The Skyrocks scored early in the first period when McLean on a fumble lost the ball on their own four yard line. The Rockets failed to penetrate the strong Tiger line in three tries and kicked a field goal on the fourth down.  
On the next kickoff, Cooke, Dyer and Lee carried to the one yard line where Dwight smashed over for the first touchdown. The try for conversion failed.  
Cooke scored McLean's next touchdown with his fancy broken-field run in the second period. He also kicked the extra point.  
Lee scored the Tigers' third and final score in the third quarter of the game. The Rockets concentrated on Lee all during the game, giving the other Tiger backs the field.  
With the cooperation of the Tiger line, Cooke completed 9 out of 11 passes.  
Next Friday night the Tigers meet the Lefors Pirates, who are also untied and undefeated. The Tigers go into this game the underdogs of the conference.

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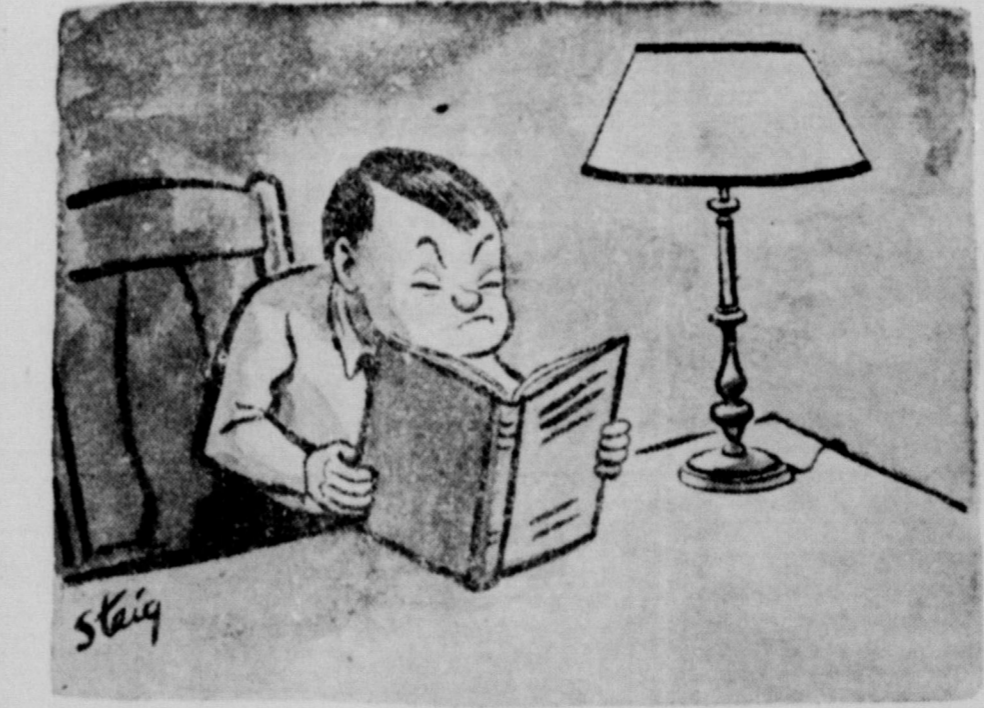
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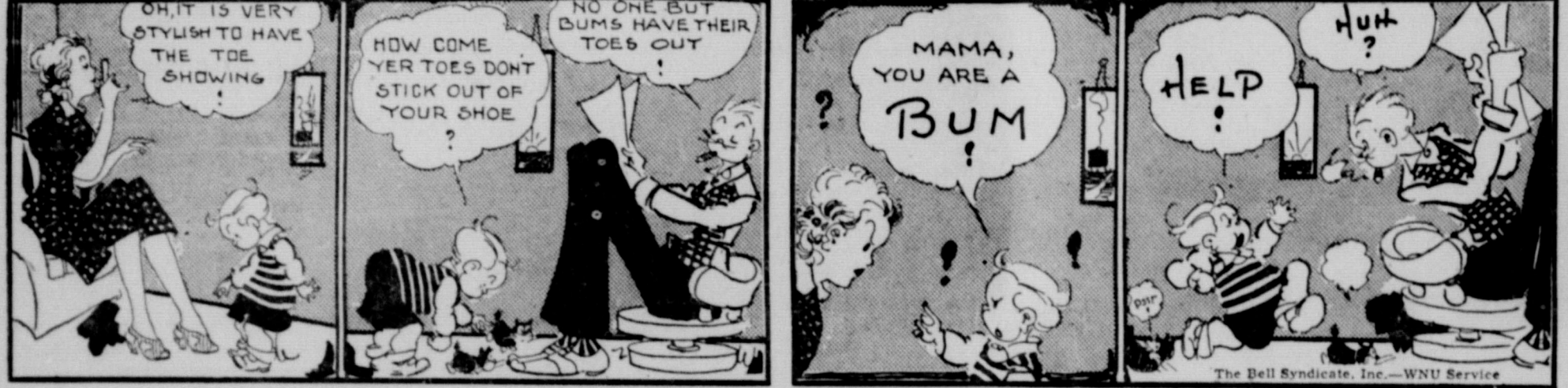
### LALA PALOOZA Comic Pictures

By RUBE GOLDBERG



### S'MATTER POP— If a Woman, She Is Dressed Up, If a Man, He's a Bum

By C. M. PAYNE



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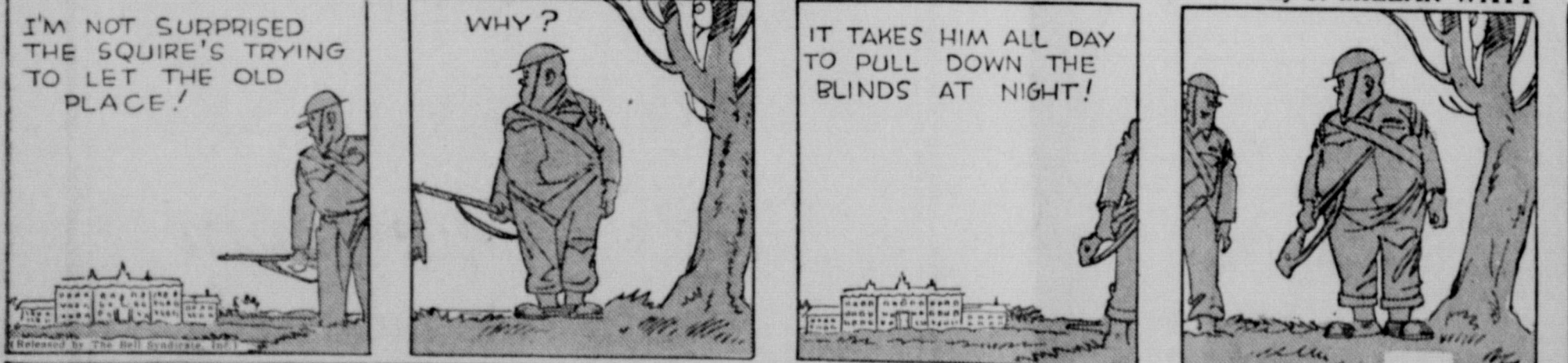
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### Garden Business Later



### POP—No Time for Work or Sleep

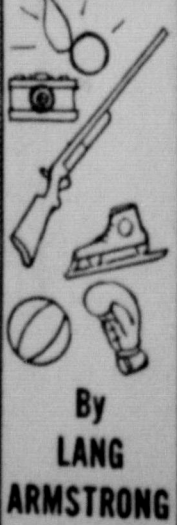
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In general those who nothing have to say contrive to spend the longest time in doing it.—Lover.

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Arm Properly  
One should never put on one's best trousers to go out to fight for freedom.—Ibsen.

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● It is a good habit to form, the habit of consulting the advertisements every time we make a purchase, though we have already decided just what we want and where we are going to get it. It gives us the most priceless feeling in the world; the feeling of being adequately prepared.

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# WHO'S NEWS THIS WEEK

By LEMUEL F. PARTON  
(Consolidated Features—WNU Service.)

NEW YORK.—During his 16 years in the house, Representative Lindsay Warren of North Carolina used to lie back in his chair with his eyes closed, seemingly asleep. But he never was. When he snapped into action, his mates noted that he had missed nothing of even the most complicated goings on. To them he was known as "The Fox."

Similarly, not much has been heard of him since he became comptroller general two years ago, but here he is suddenly in action with a brief against the National Youth Administration, accusing it of playing politics to keep up its membership rolls and get appropriations. Characteristically, he goes into details.

Bulky, bull-necked, pompous and of a general leathery makeup, Mr. Warren liked to go fishing in old clothes at Hatteras or Kitty Hawk. He didn't want to be bothered with this comptroller general job, although it pays \$10,000 a year for 15 years. His predecessor, the penny-pinching John Raymond McCarl, who once nicked a pullman berth item on General Pershing's expense account, was known as "the watch dog of the treasury." Mr. Warren didn't want to be a watch dog, and after Mr. McCarl quit, in 1936, President Roosevelt offered Mr. Warren the job three times before he took it.

One of his three children, Lindsay Jr., aged 16, is ailing. The importance of getting the best medical care for the boy, and his desire for a permanent home is said to have induced him to accept. He had been one of the most popular men in congress, and watch dogs aren't altogether popular.

His post carries more power than almost any in the federal job portfolio, although no quizzical entrant would be apt to list it. He passes on government appropriations, audits governmental accounts, settles claims and in numerous other ways polices hidden or furtive charges in federal expenditures. He had valuable training for this in his long experience as chairman of the house committee of accounts.

He is 51 years old, a native of Washington, N. C., up "through channels" in politics, as county attorney and state senator. He has been regarded as one of the ablest political strategists of the Democrat party. Furthermore, there is a legend that he once trimmed the President handsomely in a weekend poker game. Being deceptively sleepy-eyed, and at the same time alert makes him a formidable poker player.

REINHARDT HEYDRICH, setting up drumhead justice in the former Czech provinces, with more than 100 executions to date, has improved greatly on the comparatively loose and casual techniques of the Germans after the Franco-Prussian war.

In the latter instance the French Franch Tririeur gave the Germans a lot of real trouble. The reprisals were ruthless and widespread, but unsystematic, and quite amateurish compared to Heydrich's highly professional exploits, for the fatherland and the iron heel.

Old Baron Constantin von Neurath, whom Heydrich succeeds as "protector" in the Czech region, liked to shoot wild boars, but held back on shooting too many people. So they give a younger man a chance. The new "protector" was Hitler's finger-man in the 1934 blood-purge, one of his principal victims being his friend Ernst Roehm, with whom he had risen to Nazi party eminence in the SS organization. They immediately afterward made him director of the Berlin office of the Gestapo.

As he rose in the Gestapo, Heydrich established precise and up-to-date methods for killings and mayhem.

It was in 1938, when the Gestapo took on the activities of the "International Criminal Police Commission," that he foreshadowed the wide outreach of his espionage system. He said: "We are aware that the criminal activities of the world can only be fought internationally." It was reported at the time that in his office there was built up a dossier on "criminals" all over the world, who had spoken disrespectfully of Nazi Germany. One exploit which won him increased power was sifting Schuschnigg's private letters and papers.

## Press Conference a la Berlin



Berlin has its press conferences, too, but how free they are is another matter. This radiophoto sent to New York via radio and to Chicago via soundphoto shows Dr. Otto Dietrich announcing military achievements claimed by the Germans on the eastern front, to foreign correspondents in Berlin. Note large-sized war map.

## Congressional Leaders Confer With F.D.R.



A delegation from Capitol Hill confers with President Roosevelt on changes in the neutrality law. L. to R., back row: Sen. Tom Connally (Texas); Sen. Charles L. McNary (Oregon); and Rep. Luther A. Johnson (Texas). Front row: Rep. Sol Bloom (N. Y.); chairman, foreign affairs committee, and Rep. Charles Eaton (N. J.).

## Fledglings for Britain's R.A.F.



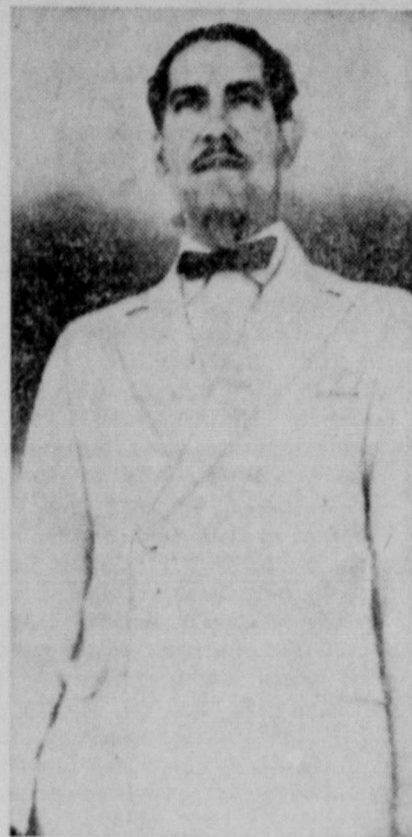
Some of the 589 fledgling fliers from Australia and New Zealand, shown upon arrival at San Francisco on the Matson liner, Monterey, bound for R.A.F. flying schools in Canada. Immediately after the group disembarked, they took a boat for Oakland, Calif., where they boarded a special train for Canada.

## Just Good 'Clean' Fun



Heavy rains, which have paralyzed auto and street car traffic in parts of Chicago, served to put the athletic field in excellent condition for the annual sophomore-freshman pushball game at Loyola university. Everybody had a lot of good "clean" fun until the frosh introduced soft tomatoes into the battle. The frosh won out.

## Trouble in Panama



Dr. Arnulfo Arias, who was ousted from the presidency of Panama, in a coup which placed a regime more favorable to the U. S. in power. He fled to Cuba to save his life, he claimed. Dr. Ernesto De La Guardia assumed the presidency.

## Chiefs Meet



First meeting of the U. S. and British commanders-in-chief in the Far East. British Air Marshal Robert Brooke-Popham (left) flew to Manila, P. I., to discuss Far Eastern questions with Lieut. Gen. Douglas McArthur (right), U. S. chief in the Far East.

## Warm October



October has furnished some of the hottest days on record in the national capital. Cooling their tootsies in Capitol plaza on one of these record-breaking October days, with the dome of the Capitol as a backdrop, are these girls from Baltimore, Md.

## War and Religion



General Nogues, French resident commander of Morocco, shown during a religious conference with native tribesmen, including Moussen de Zaers, facing the general.

# FARM TOPICS

## EGG SHORTAGE IS THREATENED

More Laying Hens Needed To Meet Demand.

By LESLIE M. BLACK  
(Extension Poultryman, New Jersey College of Agriculture, Rutgers University.)

Keep your pullets and turn them into laying hens instead of putting them on the market thereby providing more eggs for Uncle Sam's food-for-defense program and aiding your own income.

There's no definite egg shortage now but there may be in the future unless egg production is increased. People are eating more eggs at home, the army needs lots of eggs, and large quantities are scheduled for shipment overseas. The government recently asked poultry producers to increase egg production 10,000,000 cases during a 15-month period ending next summer; and they have responded, but later figures indicate the increase will fall short of that figure.

We know that we can produce all the eggs needed in the food-for-defense program. It's just a matter of having plenty of laying hens and taking care of them properly.

Eggs are one of the best foods, and no one should eliminate them from one's diet because of shortage. On the average, each person in the United States uses 26 dozen eggs a year. This average should be maintained along with supplies for the army and Britain.

A recent United States department of agriculture report shows that about 19 per cent more chicks have been hatched since January 1 than a year ago, but the increase in numbers of young chicks on farms on June 1 was disappointing. This would indicate that many pullets are being sold as meat along with cockerels for the broiler market.

The egg-feed price ratio is attractive to the poultry producer now, and the government has announced that a favorable ratio will be maintained. It looks like this was the year to fill all available poultry houses with well-matured laying pullets.

A special effort should be made to withhold all well-developed pullets from slaughter. The market for poultry meat can be fully supplied from the cockerels out of this year's hatch because prices will be better if the broiler market is not overloaded.

## To Prevent Fuel Waste Adjust Oil Burner Now

Owners of household oil burners can avoid unnecessary expense and conserve fuel this winter by having burner flames properly adjusted with a flue gas analyzer.

With his flue gas analyzer, a service man can adjust a flame for the most efficient use of fuel. Homeowners, however, are warned against trying to adjust the flames of their oil burners themselves. Oil companies and furnace representatives can supply trained men for the job.

The majority of the country's 2,000,000 house-heating oil burners are east of the Alleghenies, according to the U. S. department of agriculture. Use of a flue gas analyzer can help materially in conserving oil, which is particularly important in the region faced with a shortage.

## Experiment in Use

### Of Dried Vegetables

BERKELEY. — Dried vegetables will soon be a part of every army cook's larder, if experiments carried out by the fruit products division of the University of California college of agriculture are any indication.

The division began investigating methods of dehydrating vegetables for army use more than a year ago at the suggestion of the quartermaster corps. Dr. W. V. Cruess, head of the division, reported today that the methods developed have been very successful in drying the vegetables and still retaining their color, flavor, and cooking quality.

The secret of success, said Dr. Cruess, was found to lie in thoroughly scalding the raw vegetables in steam to pre-cook them and destroy enzymes responsible for undesirable changes in flavor, color, odor and texture. Very thorough drying was found to be essential to preparing vegetables that will keep well.

## Farm Hill Land

One of the big advantages of farming hill land on the contour is the amount of water that is saved for soaking into the ground. During an eight-year period at a government soil erosion station in southwestern Iowa, an area listed on the contour lost only 2.7 inches of water a year, while a similar slope area farmed up and down hill lost 19 inches of rainfall. In a drought year, especially, such differences are very significant.

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### Quick Wit

Wit, like money, bears an extra value when rung down immediately it is wanted. Men pay severely who require credit.—Douglas Jerrold.

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### Injury Remains

An injury graves itself in metal, but a benefit writes itself in water.—Jean Bertaut.

## INDIGESTION

As the first sign of distress smart men and women depend on Bell's Tablets to get gas free. No laxative but made of the fastest acting medicine known for symptomatic relief of gastric hyperactivity. If the FIRST TRIAL doesn't prove Bell's better, return bottle to us and receive DOUBLE Money Back. See.

### Rumor's Power

Rumor has a hundred tongues, a hundred mouths, a voice of iron.—Vergil.

## "MIDDLE-AGE" WOMEN (38-52 yrs. old)

HEED THIS ADVICE!! If you're cross, restless, nervous—suffer hot flashes, dizziness—caused by this period in a woman's life—try Lydia Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Made especially for women. Helps to relieve distress due to this functional disturbance. Thousands upon thousands of women report remarkable benefits. Follow label directions.

### Sharp Wits Cut

Sharp wits, like sharp knives, do often cut their owners' fingers.—Arrowsmith.

TO RELIEVE MISERY OF COLDS quickly use 666 LIQUID TABLETS SALVE NOSE DROPS COUGH DROPS

## Facts of ADVERTISING

• ADVERTISING represents the leadership of a nation. It points the way. We merely follow—follow to new heights of comfort, of convenience, of happiness.

As time goes on advertising is used more and more, and as it is used more we all profit more. It's the way advertising has—

of bringing a profit to everybody concerned, the consumer included





**QUICK LUNCHES ARE  
DETRIMENT TO HEALTH**

For the last twenty years or more, speed has been one of the dominant factors in American life. Today, because of the tremendous defense needs, assembly-line technique, whenever possible, has been injected into activities connected with the emergency. Thus, more than ever, speed is being emphasized in the nation's life. Plainly, the need of conserving health and strength in the face of present demands is greater than ever before. It follows that "to make haste slowly" in the art of living, at this time not only is basic good sense, but patriotic also. It does not help vitality or health to apply a sixty-mile-an-hour pace to unessentials. Nevertheless, evidences of this type of existence are quite apparent. One of the numerous proofs of this fact is the habit many persons have of more or less bolting their food.

This "hasty-lunch" psychology is rather general. The speedily swallowed breakfast is followed by the equally speedy lunch. For many, this momentum carries through the evening meal so that it also is disposed of in record time. It is little wonder, then, that solid food often is insufficiently masticated, that self-prescribed pills for a variety of gastrointestinal discomforts are popular, and that in extreme cases definite illness develops.

Of course, time and custom have changed many things, including eating habits. But the point is that nature does not change; while marvelously elastic, she still has her limits as well as punishments for those who persistently disobey. Consequently, the wise person if now a speed-eater, will realize that to take a few minutes more time per meal and to chew food thoroughly that needs chewing are just as essential as are the quality and type of food consumed.

Bad as speedy eating may be in the case of adults, grown-ups only have themselves or the trend of the times to blame. However, the proposition is different when children are concerned. Youngsters are prone to swallow hastily anything. Chewing to them is a secondary process, and therefore must be definitely encouraged. When the time has arrived for the use of hard food (and that time is at the beginning of the teething period) the baby should be given dry toast, sweetback, or a bread crust. The masticating function must be encouraged daily, if sound teeth and sturdy supporting tissue are to be formed. Moreover, emphasis on adequate mastication should be maintained throughout all childhood both for proper growth and general health.

In short, everyone should realize that whether with respect to the young or the adult, speedy eating with its inevitable accompaniment of insufficient mastication is a practice which can give rise to conditions that in varying degrees deprive one of maximum health, and sometimes is directly responsible for even greater penalties.

According to a report by the State Liquor Control Board, drug store sales of liquor were off 99% during August, the first month under the new "drug store liquor" law. In Smith county not a drop was sold in August, as compared with 2,040 gallons on doctor's prescriptions in August of last year. Various kinds of liquor law violators were assessed \$30,344.73 in fines and 62 jail sentences during the month of September.

Mr and Mrs. Willis Teel and little son of Cordell, Okla., visited the lady's cousin, Mrs. T. A. Landers, Tuesday.

Miss Georgia Colebank visited Miss Dorothy Sitter at Austin last week end.

Breathes there a man with a soul so dead, who never hath turned his head and said: "H-mm, not bad!"

Mr. and Mrs. Mutt Graham of Chardon visited in McLean Wednesday.

Ralph R. Thomas of Pampa was in McLean Tuesday.

Arle Carpenter of Letors was in McLean Tuesday.

Tom Phillips of White Deer was in McLean Wednesday.

Dempse Bulls of Shamrock was in McLean Wednesday.

James Stubblefield of Groom visited in McLean the first of the week.

H. B. Hill of Shamrock was a McLean visitor Wednesday.

J. Crutchfield and Jim White of Pampa were in McLean Wednesday.

**THE 1941 DEFENSE TAX BILL**

The Defense Tax Bill recently passed by Congress and signed by President Roosevelt on Sept. 20th, that was designed to raise in round numbers 3 1/2 billion dollars, will give the taxpaying American public something to think about. In lowering the exemptions and bringing many more into the taxpaying fold, it will be a reminder to them that they also must support their government, and to those who have been paying only a small normal tax on moderate incomes, it is going to be a painful reminder that defense costs money. Corporations that have for years been paying a heavy income tax are now called upon for more, so it appears to this publication that the time is ripe to trim our sails in local and state spending. If this isn't done it is hard to visualize just where all the money is to come from to take care of our national needs for many years to come.

There is an old saying that "one seldom goes to the dentist until the tooth aches" and perhaps this tax bill will reawaken the public and make them more inquiring as to just where their tax money has been going. If the public who puts up the money, doesn't show some interest in the way it is expended, it is too much to hope that our officials except in a few instances will be over zealous of reminding us of it. It's up to Mr. Taxpayer from here on.—Texas Tax Journal.

**COLUMNISTS' CAPERS**

When you're working under pressure sometimes your mind gets a little twisted and things you bang out in a fog of cigarette smoke, to the tune of jangled nerves, sounds a whole lot different the next morning over that stimulating cup of coffee. Imagine how the hunting and fishing columnist felt when writing about a brother angler: "The Dave Millers have a new baby boy, a fisherman as'd say, and Dave is just as happy as if it was his."

Another outdoor columnist tells about an accident witnessed while driving out to a bass lake. "The drunk driver crashed into Miss Miller's rear end, which was sticking out in the road."

And a few more little gems from here and there: One society columnist said that a couple wed for ten years had had their first "chill." The Des Moines Register said the bride carried a "bouquet of roses and baby." An Ohio paper told of a lady who was married to a Walter Jackson, and to this "union" was born three children.

In a recent poll the American Institute of Public Opinion asked for choice for the next president of this nation. The twenty who received the largest number of votes in ranking order are:

- Wendell L. Willkie, Cordell Hull, Thomas E. Dewey, Henry A. Wallace, Florella H. LaGuardia, James A. Farley, Robert A. Taft, Arthur H. Vandenberg, Paul V. McNutt, Herbert Hoover, Burton K. Wheeler, Charles A. Lindberg, Harry L. Hopkins, Alfred M. Landon, Harold Stassen, Frank Knox, Robert H. Jackson, Jesse Jones, William O. Douglas, Charles Edison.

Not one of the voters seemed to have under consideration a fourth term for Franklin D. Roosevelt.

The only conclusion from this is that people think of persons for the residency only in terms of those who are in the public eye.

Offsetting that is the rapidity with which Wendell Willkie gained a national reputation.—Journal-Herald, Waycross, Georgia.

Among the memories which fill my mind, the most precious to me in these tragic days we are living through are the ones which bring back the beginnings of my cordial relations with two nations for which my admiration is today more fervent than ever—Great Britain and the United States. . . . I wanted to show that I was bound and always will be bound to Great Britain and the United States. . . . I would not bring this article to a close . . . without sending from the depths of my solitude my greetings to the great people of the United States, where differing opinions may be freely expressed and where every one, whatever his political group, cherishes a respect for the human being and for moral law.—Edouard Herriot.

Mrs. S. W. Rice and Mrs. T. A. Landers visited in Amarillo and Dumas Wednesday.

Mrs. Maxine Riemer of Canyon visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wilb Fowler, over the week end.

Boyd Meador made a business trip to Childress Friday.

**COTTON QUIZ**

WHICH IS BETTER PROTECTION AGAINST BOMBS - COTTON OR CONCRETE?



ANS: COTTON. SEVEN FEET OF COTTON WILL RESIST A 3-TON BOMB DROPPED FROM 30,000 FEET—WHILE A 1-TON BOMB DROPPED FROM 15,000 WILL PENETRATE 6 FEET OF REINFORCED CONCRETE!

Fiscal experts the country over are convinced — and are attempting to convince public officials—that state county and municipal costs must be slashed to help tax payers meet the cost of building and equipping a strong army and navy.—Salt Lake Tribune.

**CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING**

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**FOR SALE**

FOR SALE—160-acre farm 1 mile east Head school. H. W. Lovell, Ashtola, Texas. 42-7p

**FOR RENT**

Furnished apartment, garage. House, garage, two blocks grade school. Ruby Cook. 5tc

**MISCELLANEOUS**

ANNUAL BARGAIN rates on the Amarillo News and Fort Worth Star-Telegram at News office.

WANTED—Clean cotton rags. News office.

**LOST**

LOST, Saturday night—one man's light brown kid dress glove. Reward. Return to News office. 1c

**SALES DAY SPECIALS**

Saturday, Monday Tuesday

- LADIES' HATS values to \$2.50 98c
- 1 lot DRESSES \$4.00 value \$2.49
- LADIES' SHOES 1 lot \$2.50 value \$1.98
- 5 TOWELS, 44x20 while they last \$1.00
- SPUN RAYON 1 lot 69c value 35c
- BED SPREADS 1 lot Bates \$1.98
- MEN'S DRESS SHIRTS Tie to match free 98c
- Men's DRESS HATS good quality \$1.98
- Men's Dress PANTS \$2.50 value \$1.98
- BOYS' SWEATERS 1 lot 98c
- BOYS' OVERALLS Stripe—size 2 to 12 79c

Expert cleaning in our tailor shop. 90 days to pay for your made-to-measure suit.

**BROOKS DRY GOODS and TAILOR SHOP**

Government is created by and belongs to the people. It has no rights or powers except as the people grant them. The cost of government must be paid for by the people through taxation, and the tendency is for government to grow and become increasingly costly. Because government is not like private enterprise, in which competition and the profit motive provide a tremendous incentive to careful planning and efficient operation, government is inherently less efficient than private business. Therefore, it should be permitted to do only those things which government alone can properly do and which are necessary for the welfare of the people.—Philip D. Reed, chairman of the board, General Electric Co.

**"PRINTING" to Order at Our PRINT SHOP**

**TRADES DAY SPECIALS**

- NORWICH ASPIRIN 3 dozen 15c
- BAYER ASPIRIN 100 53c
- ALKA SELTZER 60c size 49c
- 33 1-3 % DISCOUNT on all MARIE TOMLIN COSMETICS
- RED ARROW NOSE AND THROAT DROPS with ATOMIZER 69c
- PHILLIPS MILK OF MAGNESIA 50c size 39c
- CRAZY CRYSTALS \$1.00 size 79c

**POWERS DRUG CO.**  
Roger Powers, Prop.

**IT'S THE SPIRIT THAT COUNTS**

After all is said and done, there's only one thing that is responsible for the growth or decline of any community.

That is the spirit of the people.

If the people are discouraged, blue, disheartened, pessimistic, growling, snarling, kicking, complaining, whining, and weeping, the community is on the toboggan and sliding backward.

If the people can smile through their tears, show their spunk, keep pegging away, keep cheerful, live within their means, appreciate one another, consider the future, have hope for better times, determine to "see it through" at any cost, that town is on the upgrade, and will get somewhere.

Two men looked at a worn-out farm. One man turned away, said it was hopeless. The other man said he'd try it. He bought it for a song, and everybody called him a fool. He smiled, and began studying soil culture. He read everything he could find on soil building. He came to be known as an expert on soils. He put his theories into practice, building back into his farm the fertility that had been taken from it. The result, now he has a farm that is the envy of the community.

What wrought the change? It was the spirit of the man. It was his determination that turned the trick.

Emerson said: "What a new face courage puts on everything. A determined man, by his very attitude and the tone of his voice, puts a stop to defeat and begins to conquer."

It's the spirit that counts.

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