

Springfield Sun

"LET THERE BE LIGHT"

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Incorporated 1937; township form of government, settled early in 1700's. Springfield is essentially a township of homes, with little industry except for farming and dairies. 16 minutes from New York City on the Lackawanna R. R.; 7 miles to Elizabeth, 7 miles to Newark. Railroad stations at Millburn and Short Hills less than 1 mile from Springfield. Excellent bus connections to Newark, Elizabeth, Summit and Plainfield. Highway Valley R. R. with freight station in township, affords service for factories, commercial and industrial purposes. State Highway 29 in Springfield makes New York City convenient by auto in 20 minutes. It has good streets, water, gas, electricity and modern sanitary sewer system, excellent police, fire and school facilities; and is protected by zoning regulations.

THREAT TO THE PRESS

The greatest threat to our vaunted freedom of the press is not the possibility of censorship. Rather it is the imposition of unnecessary economic controls masquerading as steps in the national defense interest.

So far the threat has been directed at the advertising department. The Attorney General sent a questionnaire to many advertisers to find out how much and in what ways they spend money; and for what purpose. It has been proposed in Washington that brand names be eliminated, and that articles be sold as soap, candy, or what have you. This, of course, would virtually kill advertising. And without advertising support, the cost of a newspaper would be out of reach to most buyers.

There is a very general impression that advertising adds considerably to the retail price of goods. The fact is that when it has been intelligently used to increase the sale of articles in common use, it has resulted in improving the quality and lowering the price. Some interesting testimony on that phase of advertising was given before the House Judiciary Committee by W. S. Parish, president of Standard Oil Company (N. J.), which spends millions each year in advertising. He told the Committee:

"Although the sums expended for advertising by some companies are large, it is easy to exaggerate the part of the customer's gasoline dollar which is spent for advertising. If all the advertising expenditures of the industry were charged to gasoline alone, it is probable that they would represent less than a quarter of a cent per gallon."

As a matter of fact, a large proportion of the advertising money has been applied to other products and services. Even if it were all covered in the price of gasoline, it would not mean much to a motorist who learned that on a purchase of ten gallons he had contributed 2 1/2c for advertising and 60c for state and Federal sales taxes.

REVITALIZING THE ARMY

The Army is gradually weeding out incompetents among its officers. The way the wind blows was shown when a high-ranking general was summarily retired after the army he commanded did badly in war games.

Between World War I and two, the Army was given little attention, little money, little equipment. Officers advanced when and only when their superiors did or reached retirement age. This made for a bureaucratic sort of officer who simply bided his time, played internal politics, and learned nothing.

The American Army now seems to be taking a page out of the book of the German Army. Nazi commanders are mainly young. Promotion is made on merit, not seniority. Daring and resourcefulness are rewarded. In our Army, men with the right stuff on the ball are today being jumped in rank over the heads of their elders.

General Marshall, the Chief of Staff, has little use for sterile traditions. Under him is a group of Lieutenant Generals who demand results. So many an officer is going involuntarily into retirement or to an unimportant post because he doesn't have the capacities which modern war demands.

Mountainside Activities

THE WRITING ON THE WALL

The San Francisco News, a newspaper which has always been a strong supporter of organized labor, recently said this: "We wish to see organized labor endure and continue to grow. But we know that organized labor cannot endure if the things from which it derives its prosperity and security do not endure. If organized labor is to endure, the system of free enterprise must endure. Organized labor cannot flourish if business sickens and dies. Economic peace and economic security cannot be obtained by use of force which makes their existence impossible."

"Organized labor has never had such power as it possesses today. But by that same token, organized labor never has had such responsibility as it is charged with today. . . . What happens to the labor movement, what happens to business and industry, what happens to the thousands and thousands of small wage earners who have no interest in the politics of the labor movement, will depend on whether labor leadership becomes statesmanlike, whether it recognizes and assumes its proper responsibilities, whether it wields its power with wisdom, or with recklessness and stupidity."

Organized labor should be solidly at the forefront of those who are today fighting the trend toward socialism—a trend, which if it continues, will mean the end of free enterprise, and the end of social and economic freedom for capital and labor alike. And organized labor for its own selfish reasons alone, should take the lead in preventing strikes in this time of emergency and danger, and should, like industry, submit its grievances to arbitration.

The racketeers in the labor movement will destroy all gains made by labor. And the working man, not the fat-salaried labor leaders, will do the paying. Cannot labor see the writing on the wall?

Mountainside Notes

Charles J. Wadas, supervising principal of the Mountainside School was in Atlantic City this week attending the State Teachers' Convention.

Mrs. Rosamund Beebe Cochran gave a talk on "Children's Books" at the meeting of the Mountainside P.-T. A. held yesterday afternoon at the school.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray King of Parkway have returned from their farm at Milton, Pa., where they spent a week.

Mrs. Edmund Frey of Summit road was hostess Tuesday evening at a meeting of the Silhouette Club at her home.

The P.-T. A. will sponsor a card party this evening at the school. Mrs. Herman Honecker is in charge. Assisting are Mrs. M. A. Payton, Mrs. Wilfred Twyman and Mrs. Fred Roeder.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

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

- NOVEMBER:
16—Virginia Honecker
18—June Davis
19—Miss Lillian Boynton
Gladys Coles
21—Lois Knoll
22—Mrs. Harry Boynton
23—Mrs. William Von Borstel
Andrew Schneller, Jr.
28—Jacob Hambacher
29—Howard McDowell
DECEMBER:
2—Robert Pittenger
Elsa Wagner
4—Mrs. George Danenhour
6—Mrs. Joseph Von Borstel
8—Mrs. C. R. Evans
12—Doris Fritz
14—Harriet Bauer
13—Harry Boynton, Jr.
16—Miss Carole Lee Heckel
18—Mrs. Matilda Honecker, Sr.

DEFENSE BOND Quiz
Q. When will the "drive" to sell Defense Savings Bonds begin?
A. There will be no "drive." Many people think of the Defense Savings Program as like the Liberty Loan campaigns of the first World War, which were conducted for stated periods to raise specific quotas. The Defense Savings Program is a long-range, continuing effort to stimulate the public to buy more and more Defense Bonds and Stamps month by month, and is essentially a program to promote mass saving, as well as to provide money for defense.

Inside America

By ELLIS E. JENSEN, (National Conference Staff Writer)

Even before this war began, the Nazis propagandizing among the German people of the United States have been crying out against "discrimination and persecution" which we Americans are inflicting on citizens of German descent. This utterly absurd note is still being struck in their speeches and literature, and is endlessly repeated.

What is behind it? First, the American Nazis want to whip up our citizens of German lineage to their cause by representing that the German Americans are not getting their just due in this country. If they can only persuade these millions that they are suffering, they expect they can line them up for Hitler. Secondly, the Nazis want to

THANKSGIVING SMOKE



COMING EVENTS

- Nov. 14 (Fri.)—Millburn-Springfield Sunshine Society, meeting, home of Mrs. R. C. Barron, 30 Raleigh place, Millburn, 2:30 P. M.
Nov. 14 (Fri.)—Lions Club, dinner meeting, Hair Way House, 6:30 P. M.
Nov. 14 (Fri.)—Springfield Athletic Association, meeting, 163 Morris avenue, 7:30 P. M.
Nov. 14 (Fri.)—Emergency Police Reserve, meeting, Raymond Chisholm School, 7:30 P. M.
Nov. 15 (Sat.)—Football, Regional vs. Roselle, away, 2 P. M.
Nov. 17 (Mon.)—Springfield Republican Club, meeting, Legion Building, 8 P. M.
Nov. 17 (Mon.)—Methodist Brotherhood, meeting, Methodist Church, 8 P. M.
Nov. 17 (Mon.)—Battle Hill B. & L. Assn., meeting, 4 Pierson avenue, 8 P. M.
Nov. 18 (Tue.)—Emergency Fire Reserves, meeting, Fire House, 7 P. M.
Nov. 18 (Tue.)—Card party, Sunshine Society, Legion Building, 8 P. M.
Nov. 19 (Wed.)—Eastern Star, meeting, lodge rooms, Millburn, 8 P. M.
Nov. 19 (Wed.)—Annual Dance, Springfield Patrons' Benevolent Association, Singers' Park, 9 P. M.
Nov. 20 (Thurs.)—THANKSGIVING DAY.
Nov. 20 (Thanksgiving Day)—Football, Regional vs. Rahway, away, 10:30 A. M.
Nov. 20 (Thurs.)—Dance, Regional Boosters, Regional High School, 8:30 P. M.
Nov. 21 (Fri.)—Women's Missionary Society, meeting, home of Mrs. M. Leonard, Marcy avenue, 2:30 P. M.
Nov. 21 (Fri.)—Daughters of America, meeting, Legion Building, 8 P. M.
Nov. 24 (Mon.)—Springfield P.-T.
- It's a mere boast, but we can't pass over the opportunity to glow over the fact that if any event of importance is to take place in Springfield, it is listed in "Coming Events," then there's something wrong. But, if we're wrong, help us with your item. There's no charge for the service and no confusion will arise with other local group's activities if, as long before the coming event actually takes place, you remember to pass the date along to the SUN, by mail or phone, Millburn 6-1256.
- A. meeting, James Caldwell School, 9:15 p. m.
Nov. 25 (Tues.)—W. C. T. U., meeting, home of Mrs. Robert B. Ferguson, 271 Short Hills avenue, 2:30 p. m.
Nov. 25 (Tues.)—Continental Lodge 190, P. and A. M., meeting, lodge rooms, Millburn, 8 P. M.
Nov. 27 (Thurs.)—American Legion, meeting, Legion Building, 8 P. M.
Nov. 27 (Thurs.)—Fidelity Court, Order of Amaranth, meeting, lodge rooms, Millburn, 8 P. M.
Nov. 28 (Fri.)—Emergency Police Reserves, meeting, Raymond Chisholm School, 7:30 P. M.
Dec. 11 (Thurs.)—Dessert bridge, Theta Beta Gamma Sorority, Legion Building, 8 P. M.

What SUN Advocates

1. Sidewalks wherever needed.
2. 5c bus fare to Union Center.
3. Extended local telephone scope to Newark and Elizabeth.
4. Federal Post Office building.
5. Removal of dilapidated buildings which are sore-spots.
6. An active Board of Trade to stimulate "Try Springfield First" in purchasing.
7. Full-time position for the Township Clerk's office.
8. Encouraging clean industry, to increase tax rates.
9. Municipal parking lots.
10. Extension of mail delivery by local R. E. D. routes, to all portions of the township.



"I didn't know the Bank could handle that"

Occasionally even old customers overlook some of the services which this bank is prepared to render. In fact, it is impossible to make a complete list of these helpful services.

It is a good plan, therefore, to come to the bank first. You can be pretty sure that if it is anything pertaining to financial matters we can help you—and we want to do so at every possible opportunity.

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK of SPRINGFIELD, NEW JERSEY

MEMBER FEDERAL DEPOSIT INSURANCE CORPORATION
MEMBER FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM

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WE ARE PREPARED TO SERVE YOUR HOLIDAY WINE and LIQUOR NEEDS.

Make Your Thanksgiving Dinner Complete by Shopping for Most of Your Needs First at SCHAFFER'S

Order Your Holiday Wines, Liquors and Beer from Our Large Selection

Schaffer's Food Store

DAIRY - DELICATESSEN - GROCERIES
WINES and LIQUORS

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Keeford typewriter is the girl who buys it. For KEEFORD typewriter papers have everything that is needed—value, good looks, economy and fine working qualities. You need KEEFORD—and we have it for you.

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CLASSIFIED ADS

- RUBBER STAMPS**
RUBBER STAMPS in all sizes. SUN office, 8 Pierson Avenue, or phone Millburn 6-1256.
- ROOM FOR RENT**
FURNISHED ROOM, light and airy, for rent. Call Millburn 6-0905.
- ROOMS FOR RENT**
TWO UNFURNISHED front rooms. With garage. 152 Mountain avenue.
- FARM FOR SALE**
STONE HOUSE, 7 rooms, good condition; 44 acres wood farm land, meadow, deep brook, integrity Real Estate Agency, Whitehouse Station, N. J.
- FOR SALE**
IVORY BEDROOM SET, Simmons green main suite. By Catalano. All in good condition. Reasonably priced. 3 Alvia terrace.
- HOUSE FOR RENT**
HOODING HOUSE for rent. A good opportunity for a small family. 18 Morris avenue.
- HELP WANTED—Female**
WOMAN to take wash out. Two in family. Telephone Millburn 6-0376.

TO CHOOSE YOUR CHRISTMAS CARDS IN PEACE SHOP NOW

THE CARDS ARE PRETTIER THAN EVER.

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COMMERCIAL STATIONERY

Don't Forget Your Hostess on Thanksgiving Day

Call MILLBURN 6-0626
AND HAVE YOUR HOLIDAY FLOWERS DELIVERED BEFORE YOUR ARRIVAL.

WEBER'S FLORIST

ROUTE 29 SPRINGFIELD, N. J.

FLOWERS BY WIRE

PERSONAL MENTION
About People You Know

The nicest courtesy you can show your guests is to have their visits mentioned on this page. The nicest courtesy you can show your friends is through this page when you go away. We will consider it a courtesy whenever you give us a hint of any social interest.

Church Services.

Presbyterian
REV. DR. GEO. A. LIGGETT, Pastor.
Methodist
REV. CARL C. E. MRELLBERG, Ph. D., Minister.

DISCUSSIONS

A STUDY of RECORDS
By NORMAN W. MARKS
"From the Golden Pages of Melody," a new and interesting collection of light music.

TOWNSHIP OF SPRINGFIELD

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND AN ORDINANCE ENTITLED "TO REGULATE LIMITING AND RESTRICTING TO SPECIFIED DISTRICTS THE BUILDING OF DWELLING THEREIN BUILDING AND STRUCTURES ACCORDING TO THEIR CHARACTER AND EXTENT OF THEIR USE IN THE TOWNSHIP OF SPRINGFIELD."

Notice of public hearing regarding Ordinance No. 2500, dated November 13, 1941.

SCHEDULE OF MAILS
Incoming
6:55 A. M.
7 A. M.

CHAIR RENTAL SERVICE
For All Occasions
Young's Funeral Home
145 Main Street, Millburn

St. Stephen's Episcopal

REV. HUGH W. DICKINSON, Rector.
Holy Communion at 8 A. M.

First Baptist

REV. ROMAIN F. BATEMAN, Pastor.
Sunday School, 9:45 A. M.

Our Library

Use Your Library
Every afternoon, 2:30 to 5.
A great deal of interest was shown by both adults and children last week in the exhibition of 75 new children's books.

REVILLE IN WASHINGTON

Margaret Leich, the author married Ralph Ruitzer and has spent five years collecting material for the book.

THE STRANGE WOMAN

By Ben Ames Williams. This is a story of a woman, different from most women in that she more frequently let the worst parts of herself have their way.

EVIL UNDER THE SUN

By Agatha Christie. "There's evil in this place," said Rev. Lane and Hercules Poirot was forced to agree.

NOTICE OF OFFER OF ARTHUR A. WERTHMANN

FROM THE TOWNSHIP OF SPRINGFIELD IN THE COUNTY OF UNION, PROPERTY NOT NEEDED FOR PUBLIC USE.

FORM OF PURCHASE ON TERMS

The undersigned offers to purchase from the Township of Springfield, in the County of Union, certain parcels of land.

Realty Transfers

Agnes G. Piemer, widow, to the Union County Regional High School, District No. 1, property at the intersection of the northerly line of Owassa avenue and the westerly line of Montour avenue.

Be ready for Thanksgiving

Have CURTAINS crisply LAUNDERED by Morey LaRue



THERE'S NO PREMIUM IN BUYING FINE

Hallmark Greeting Cards
Hundreds of selections in the everyday greeting card for all occasions and equally as many in the Christmas line.

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Commercial Stationery
GAS RANGES
used slightly in cooking school demonstrations and floor models.

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1001 SPRINGFIELD AVE., IRVINGTON, N. J.
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INSURED SAVINGS... Your investment is fully protected

to \$5,000 by the Federal Savings and Loan Corporation.

PROMPT WITHDRAWALS

Your investment is available at any time.

MODERN HOME FINANCING... on the direct reduction plan.

Supreme Savings & Loan Association at Irvington, N. J.

Thanksgiving Flowers



THROUGHOUT this holiday season, remember—that flowers are the most gracious way to express your sentiments.

Mende's Florist

Phone Millburn 6-1118
MOUNTAIN AVE. — SPRINGFIELD, N. J.

HOWARD JOHNSON'S Old Fashioned New England THANKSGIVING DINNER
JOIN US FOR THE HOLIDAY
MENU
Served from 11:30 A. M. to 8:30 P. M. \$1.45
Special Children's Dinner 85c

SEND IN YOUR NEWS

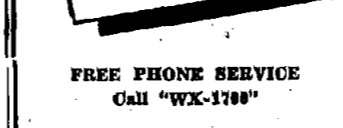
SEND US YOUR BIRTHDAY

There's No Premium in Buying Fine Hallmark Greeting Cards
Springfield Sun Commercial Stationery

GAS RANGES
BIRKENMEIER & COMPANY
1001 SPRINGFIELD AVE., IRVINGTON, N. J.

Be ready for Thanksgiving

Have CURTAINS crisply LAUNDERED by Morey LaRue
only 39c per pair



FREE PHONE SERVICE
Call "WX-3700"

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10 W. Jersey St. Elizabeth, N. J.

What smells more delicious than fowl roasting in the oven? What looks more tempting when it is brought to the table, its golden brown skin bursting at the seams with savory dressing?
And how easy it is to cook fowl to perfection when you have a Certified Performance gas range!
We'll be glad to explain the special features of these CP ranges to you; show you how they make cooking and baking so easy.

Fun for the Whole Family

BIG TOP

By ED WHEELAN

INSIDE THE TENT THE DETECTIVE AND JEFF WERE STILL TALKING -

-AND SO THE TWO HOLDUP GUYS PLANNED TO DOUBLE-CROSS BOTH STINGER AND FOWLER AND KEEP YOUR MONEY FOR THEMSELVES WHEN THEY GOT DRUNK AND GUARANTEED OVER THE DIVISION OF THE DOUGH, WE NABBED 'EM AND FORCED A CONFESSION OUT OF 'EM!! SO HERE'S MOST OF YOUR TEN THOUSAND, MR. DANGS!!

TSK-TSK-AND TO THINK "SILK" COULD DO THAT TO ME TSK-TSK!!!

GAM STINGER IS IN JAIL, MYRA, AN' "SILK" IS UNDER ARREST IN THE HOSPITAL - IT'S PLAIN NOW THAT "SILK" WAS BACK OF ALL OUR MISHAPS!

HOW HORRIBLE! HALL I, NOW I KNOW WHY I ALWAYS MISTRUSTED THAT MAN - HE'S REALLY A FIEND!!

I NEVER TRUST DOT BUMMER "SILK", SINCE I WAS MIT DER SHOW, LOTTA NOW, IT COMES OUT - YA!!

GOODNESS, HUGO! IT'S A WONDER HE DIDN'T TRY TO POISON US ALL OR SOMETHIN'!!

I'D LIKE TO GET ONE GOOD SOCK AT THAT GUY, BELIEVE ME!!

Dear Ma - Every day they are checking out a bunch of us refugees from soft beds under them. I'm sure you're releasing jeeps who are married, or 28 years old, or needed-at-home, but they are still passing me up like I was the army's choice for permanent K P duty. I look and feel like a hardcase, but most of the crumb-hunters who are being released and I keep telling the officers that I am no more use to the army than if I was married on account of I-am in love.

Every time I argue that I am needed at home they just laugh at me so I guess they must have investigated and found out that I always let you and pop bring up the coal and wood and was not too hard to speak of. When I think of how I used to squawk about tending the furnace it makes me sick all over. Believe me ma if I ever get out of this and back in my own home I will think it a privilege to tend the furnace.

It makes me soar to see a lot of boys being released every day. But they certainly got checked up on and three days before they go they get a complete going over by the doctors again. I can't figure this out unless they want to be sure no jeep gets out of the army in any better shape than he was when he came in. I asked Sergeant Mooney and he said it was the rules that every soldier must be exactly like he was when he was accepted. He said one reason why I could not get out was that I was in such lousy shape when I reached camp that it would be impossible for an army to ever get me back in the same condition again.

Otto Bixby thought he was all set to be released and he was all set and everything but after the medical inspection he was told he would have to stay in the army. The records of admission showed he had four teeth missing when he got in and they don't check with the fact he has six missing now. They won't accept his explanation how he lost the other two.

They just finished a big athletic field for us at this camp and we got a regimental football team on which I am trying out for the reserves. In the first scrimmage I got sprained ankle, two broken ribs, a dislocated arm, a soar back and two teeth knocked out but I still do not feel worse after it all than I do when I get back from a maneuver.

I asked Sergeant Mooney how I done and he said I must of attracted attention becaz he knew the army was scouting the game and he saw a scout looking at me and saying he never saw anybody play the kind of game I did.

Well, I will close now with lots of love.

Your son,
Oscar.

P.S. - I wish you would ask Nellie Peterson to write me oftener than three times a week.

IT'S AN AGE OF SPECIALIZATION

"WANTED employment for two young women in early twenties; A.B. degrees, intelligent, attractive, whimsical, ambitious, literary, poverty-stricken. Can act, model, dance, sing, act, knit, sew, paint, decorate, act, sell, ride horseback, read to invalids, swim, act, play hockey, walk dogs, play bridge, teach, speak French, German, Greek, Russian, Latin, fence, act, direct, design, construct, act, cook, mix drinks, play piano and ukulele, compose, act, wash dogs, parachute jump, play tennis, hook rugs, mind children, act, psycho-analyze, debate, garden, photograph and act. Phone CHelsea 3-3039 between 5:30 and 9 p. m." - New York Times.

But how are you on ski jumping and horse-shoeing?

Believe it or not, there is at 491 East 85th street, Brooklyn, a Society for the Prevention of Disparaging Remarks About Brooklyn.

Three New Jersey judges have declared pinball machines obviously gambling devices and denounced the claims of operators and lawyers that they are not. Here and there you find a court that can't be fooled.

Hitler is giving the New Order to Europe and Asia and the dull thud of the falling bodies of the beneficiaries is heard on all sides.

It is culture by way of the firing squad and the better life against the background of a stone wall.

"This war will decide the fate of Germany, for the next 100 years." - Hitler.

A year ago he said it would decide it for 1,000 years. What's a little matter of 900 years to a micro-scope?

LALA PALOOZA - Take Your Choice

By RUBE GOLDBERG

WELL, UNCONSCIOUS, YOU THREW OUT MY JEWELRY - NOW YOU GOTTA GET IT BACK!

A CINCH, LALA, A CINCH - ALL I GOTTA DO IS FIND TONY, THE ASHMAN!

LOOK, SIS - I PUT AN AD IN THE PAPER LIKE THIS - "WILL TONY, THE ASHMAN, CALL AT LALA PALOOZA'S AND LEARN SOMETHIN' TO HIS ADVANTAGE?"

AH - THERE'S THE BELL-TONY'S HERE!

I'M TONY, THE ASHMAN!

S'MATTER POP - Today We Go In for Paths

By C. M. PAYNE

WHO MADE YOU CRY?

UNCLE CY! HE SANG A SAD SONG TO ME!

ABOUT WHAT?

HE SANG THE SADDEST-SADDEST SONG ABOUT A POOR LITTLE MOTH!

ALL THE HOT SUMMER LONG IT HAD TO LIVE IN A FUR COAT. AN' ALL THE COLD WINTER IT HAD TO LIVE IN A BATHING SUIT!

TSAW-W-W

MESCAL IKE - By S. L. HUNTLEY

In That Case You Never Can Tell

BRING IT RING!

I'LL ANSWER IT!

IT'S MULEY BATES - HE SAYS HIS WATCH IS STOPPED AN' HE WANTS TO KNOW WHAT TIME IT IS!

WAL, TELL HIM WE CANT DO NOTHIN' FER HIM!

S'MATTER WITH TH' CLOCK THERE FAINT IT RIGHT?

NAW, IT'S A HOUR FAST!

POP - No Argument Here

By J. MILLAR WATT

HE SAYS THAT I AM A LIAR AND I SAY THAT HE IS ONE!

WELL! THAT'S THE FIRST TIME I'VE HEARD EITHER OF YOU TELL THE TRUTH!

THE SPORTING THING

By LANG ARMSTRONG

"Nobody knows where it comes from—but it drops in every evening for a workout."

CLEARING FOR ACTION

By GLUYAS WILLIAMS

CONES DRIPPING TO THE FLOOR - FUR TOP OF DESK LITTERED WITH BOOKS AND CUPS AND END OF A COPPERY JOB HE SEEMED BUT LACK INTEREST IN

CLEARING OFF DESK TO WORKING - SPRING CHAIR CHAIR

REMOVES HE SHOWS HOW TO PLACE TO SIX, SIX SQUARES HOWEVER BY TILTING CHAIR, SLIDING CHAIRS OFF

CURTAIN STRINGS PROVEN BURNING - HIGH ORDERS NOT TO LEAVE STRINGS ON FLOOR, THIS TILTED DRAWER

THROWING HIS AND PENCIL IS IN THAT DRAWER, PENCILS FOR IT IN WIN, FINALLY HAVING TO UPEND DRAWER ON TOP OF DESK

ACTS SHOWS BRUSH INTO DRAWER AND BEGS TO WORK, FINGER: CALLING IT'S THE TO GO TO BED NOW



FIRST-AID to the AILING HOUSE

by Roger B. Whitman (Released by Western Newspaper Union.)

Attic Ventilation

A HOME owner has just written me of having had his old shingle roof covered with prepared shingles. He expected that the greater thickness of the roof would make his attic cooler, and he was much troubled to find that the attic was much hotter with the added roof thickness than it had been before. The reason was in the greater tightness of the new roof. The old wood shingle roof was probably none too tight, and air could circulate through it. This circulation carried off heated air in the attic, and air circulation in an attic is, of course, one of the best methods for keeping an attic cool. The new roof shut off this circulation, so that heated air could not escape. One good move would be to put louvers in the attic walk, as high up toward the peak of the roof as possible. My own attic has three peaks, and a year or two ago I put a louver high up in each one; a kind that has slanting slots to keep out rain, and protected with insect screening. These stay open all summer. They can be closed in winter by hinged doors. If the owner who wrote me would do something of the sort in his own attic I am sure that his difficulty would be overcome.

Old Floor Finish

Question: During the years, the floors of our school have accumulated a thick coating of dirt, oil, seals, wax, etc., that we now wish to remove. A floor machine would cut off too much wood. Would some chemical do the job without injuring the wood, which is maple? As we have found floor finishes to be unsatisfactory, we are inclined to use the floor bars. What do you think?

Answer: If your floors have never been scraped, one scraping with a sanding machine should not weaken them, and would be the best treatment. At a hardware store you can get an alkali paint remover and floor cleaner that will take off all the old finish. I would not recommend bare wood for such use. You can get excellent results with shellac when properly used. Shellac should be pure and of top quality and should not be more than six months old. Age can be told by a date or a code mark on the label. Thin it with good quality denatured alcohol in the proportion of 2 parts of alcohol to 3 parts of shellac. Apply in two coats to bare wood; it will penetrate and the final finish will be hard and resistant.

Casement Windows

Question: Will you tell me if casement windows are practical? Are they better than the wood frame type, which have weatherstrips?

Answer: Casement windows are made in steel or wood. One advantage of a casement type of window is that it may be opened to the full extent of its area, which may be particularly desirable in the summer. A possible disadvantage of a window of this kind may have in the winter is that it may be difficult to open a small enough area for ventilation during very cold weather. Otherwise, there is no particular advantage or disadvantage in either type of windows. All of them can be weatherstripped. For certain architectural effects it may be more desirable to use a casement than a double hung window.

Basement Wall Finish

Question: Some time ago you spoke of a finish containing salt, used for basement walls. Would this be suitable for the walls of a basement apartment, which sometimes are damp?

Answer: You probably refer to the use of salt in whitewash, by which ordinary whitewash is improved and made less likely to rub. Use 15 pounds of salt to 50 pounds of lime for a basement apartment, especially with damp walls. This would not be suitable. It would be much better to remove all present finish and to apply cement paint, which is intended for masonry, and resists dampness. It can be had in white and in colors.

Refinishing Furniture

Question: I have an old birdseye maple dresser and chest of drawers that I should like to refinish in pale green enamel. How?

Answer: Go over the surfaces first with medium coarse sandpaper wrapped around a block of wood, and then with fine sandpaper. With all of the gloss thus removed, the surface smoothed, put on one or two coats of enamel undercoat, and follow with a finish coat of enamel. The undercoat and the enamel should be made by the same manufacturer. If the present finish is chipped and marred, take it all off to the barewood with a varnish remover. Directions on the label should be carefully followed.

Waxing Floors

Question: My floors were newly scraped and given two coats of shellac. I find that constant application of wax takes away the fresh look. Will the floors be spoiled if I omit the wax from now on?

Answer: Floors do not need continual waxing. Frequent polishing should keep them in good condition, with new wax needed only when wear begins to show in doorways and similar places where traffic is heavy. Wiping the floor with liquid wax—not water wax—should remove some of the present heavy coat.

Doctor's Will Erases All Outstanding Fees

BROCKTON, MASS.—Patients of the late Dr. Alfred C. Smith, who practiced here for more than 40 years, were pleased to learn that his will contained this clause: "I hereby release any and all patients of mine from any debt or debts on my books on account to be due me from them at the time of my decease."

Beads Cat Finds Are Real Pearls

Mistress Gets \$400 Reward For Their Return.

RYE, N. Y.—Mrs. May Birdsall, a blonde housewife, told friends how she "almost dropped dead" when she discovered that a string of beads she had lifted from the claws of her kitten and had worn carelessly for three days consisted of real pearls, valued at \$7,500. She nearly wept, she said, when she recalled that the kitten which had brought her the necklace had been an unwelcome guest at her home at first and that three months ago she tried to give it away.

The discovery that the beads were pearls came when Mrs. Birdsall read an advertisement by Mrs. Elwood M. Lufkin offering a \$500 reward for the necklace, which she had lost.

The advertisement said the necklace had a strand of 24 pearls and another strand of 107 and when Mrs. Birdsall, her fingers trembling, laid the beads on the kitchen table and counted 107 pearls, she knew they were the lost jewels. The strand of 24 was not found.

She saw the kitten playing with something on the sidewalk in front of her apartment. The cat apparently had dragged the beads from the street.

Because the necklace was not found intact—the other strand apparently having been lost when a car ran over it—Mrs. Birdsall did not receive the full reward, according to officials at the Albert R. Lee company, where the jewels were insured, but she received \$400.

Love Scenes in Movies Arouse Bushmen's Anger

DARWIN, AUSTRALIA.—Twenty Arhem natives walked 400 miles to see their first moving picture at Darwin, but they became so disgusted at the love scenes that they left the show before it was finished.

Darwin police said none of the natives wanted to see another movie. They didn't like the kissing.

News of the white man's new flickers was brought to the tribe by a young man named Jacala.

Jacala had served a sentence in a Darwin jail for the fatal spearing of a tribal chief. He could see the movie's neon signs from his cell. He wanted to see why so many persons went into a movie when he was released, but police hurried him out of town.

But Jacala returned to his tribe and told them of the white man's new entertainment. He persuaded the tribe to go to Darwin and see for themselves. It took the tribe 40 days to make the journey.

Other movie-going natives forgot to warn them of the kissing scenes, which are obliterated by native movie fans, who flash electric torches when the kissing and hugging starts.

Man Goes Fishing and Gets Boy With Tall Yarn

TEANECK, N. J.—John Slansen Jr. went fishing and caught a boy. He was unaware of his catch until Mrs. Slansen, on his return, looked into the rear compartment of the automobile.

There she found 11-year-old Richard Hoffman of the Bronx sound asleep and thoroughly entangled in Slansen's fishing tackle. Several fish hooks were imbedded in the boy's clothing.

Richard told police that he "went to bed in the Bronx and the next thing I knew I was walking along Route 4, near Teaneck."

Police couldn't decide whether the boy was a sleep-walker or a fibber. He told them he walked the mile and a half from Teaneck to Hackensack, where he crawled into Slansen's car and went to sleep. He was wearing pajamas under his clothing and had a small frying pan in his blouse.

Richard was turned over to his aunt, Mrs. Mary H. Hoffman, of Manhattan.

Woman's Half of House Is Without an Entrance

HOLLYWOOD, CALIF.—Remember the one about the fellow who bought half a cow, then found he owned the end which had to be fed but didn't give milk?

Alexis Smith's problem is somewhat like that.

Alexis and her parents, the Alexander Smiths, agreed to split 50-50 on the cost of their new \$10,000 home. So Alexis designed half of it, including the barbecue pit, playroom with a projection booth, and her bedroom. Her folks designed their half.

Running by after work the other night to see how the new wallpaper looked, she found she couldn't get in. The front and back doors are on her parents' half of the house.

Play Will Open On November 21

"The Seventh Trumpet," a new play by Charles Rann Kennedy, will open November 21 at the Mansfield Theatre, 47th street, West of Broadway, New York City.

Now Playing At The Lyric - Summit



One of the most eagerly anticipated screen events of this or any other year began yesterday as "Sergeant York" started an engagement at the Lyric Theatre. Gary Cooper is starred in the title role of America's greatest World War hero.

Schedules Listed on Winter Sports

The basketball schedule of the Regional High School for the 1941-42 season was announced this week by Coach Bill Brown.

Table with columns for month (DECEMBER, JANUARY, FEBRUARY), date, location, and time.

The wrestling schedule, which includes 7 matches and one date still open, opens January 8 with Dover.

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Sectional and State Championships.

Dive Bomber



Errol Flynn, above, has one of the feature roles in "Dive Bomber," coming to the New Theatre, Elizabeth, Sunday for three days.

Ralph Bellamy and Alexis Smith. The companion film is "Blonde in Society." The feature attraction tomorrow and Saturday will be "Charley's Aunt" starring Jack Benny.

Next Wednesday and Thursday the holiday bill will include "Hell's Angels" with Jean Harlow, Ben Lyon and James Hall and "Three Cheers for the Irish" with Priscilla Lane and Dennis Morgan.

Municipal League table with columns for team name, wins, losses, and totals.

Quality Dry Cleaners table with columns for name, wins, losses, and totals.

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'Sergeant York' Now At Regent

Sergeant Alvin C. York is one of America's greatest soldier heroes. The motion picture based on his life story is one of the great American pictures of all time.

Gary Cooper plays the little role, and the lean and lanky actor gives a performance that can only be called great.

Based on Sergeant York's own diary, the film tells a brave and straightforward narrative, the honest saga of a plain American who believed in God and his country, and acted on his beliefs.

Shortly after this, America enters the war and York is drafted for army service.

His strong religious beliefs make the thought of killing abhorrent to him, until he realizes that freedom is the one thing worth fighting for.

His highest ambition is to get a piece of the richer "bottom land."

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MEETING PLACE CHANGED The meeting of the Women's Foreign Missionary Society of the Methodist Church on next Friday will be held at the home of Mrs. Malcolm Leonard, 19 Molter avenue, instead of the home of Mrs. Charles Huff as previously scheduled.

Synopsis of Minutes of Board of Freeholders

Regular meeting of the Union County Board of Freeholders was held at the Court House, Elizabeth, N. J., Thursday, October 23, 1941, at two P. M.

Director McMane presiding. Roll call showed eight members present and one, Freeholder Brooks, absent.

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County Agricultural Agent and County Engineer. Following Standing Committee reports were received and ordered filed: Committee on Bridges, Drainage & Flood Control, reporting on bids received for construction of new bridge in Terrell Road, near King St., Borough of Fanwood, and City of Elizabeth and recommending award of contract to Michael White of Elizabeth, lowest bidder, at his bid of \$3,000.00.

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Advertisement for The Hammond Organ, Orchard Inn Tavern - Restaurant, featuring Charcoal Broiled Steaks - Sea Food, Southern Fried Chicken - Dinners.

Advertisement for Commonwealth Water Co., featuring a woman in a bath and the text 'For better health and personal charm Budget your time to include daily Baths'.

Large advertisement for New Jersey Bell Telephone Company, featuring a woman on a telephone and the text 'Today - on the front line of defense effort'.

Advertisement for Paper Mill Playhouse, featuring Nuncy Garotto and The Bohemian Girl.

Advertisement for Lyric Theatre, featuring Gary Cooper as Sergeant York.

Advertisement for The New Theatre, featuring 'Hell's Angels' and '3 Cheers for the Irish'.

Advertisement for Millburn, featuring 'Sun Valley Serenade' and 'Charlie Chan in Rio'.

Advertisement for Union Theatre, featuring 'Unfinished Business' and 'Lady Be Good'.

Advertisement for Strand, featuring 'Sun Valley Serenade' and 'Bullets for O'Hara'.

Advertisement for Regent, featuring Gary Cooper as Sergeant York.