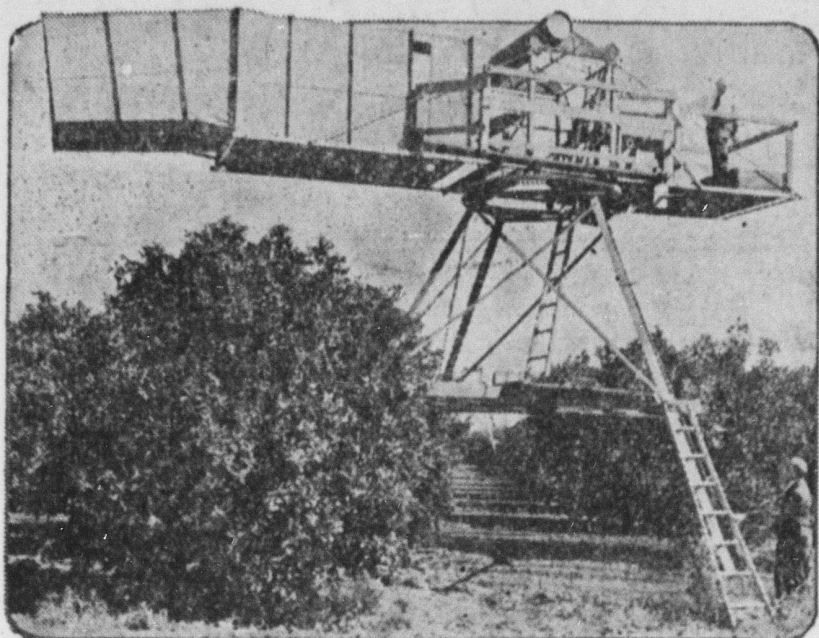


New Way to Save Fruit From Frost



Orchardists all over America are watching with great interest the demonstrations of a new type of frost eliminator in various groves of southern California. Something entirely new and doing away with the smudge nuisance, which already is under ban by the state legislature, the new frost dispellers, installed in six strategic points in the orange groves, have passed all preliminary tests. A huge scaffolding on which is mounted an awesome looking funnel through which warm air is kept circulating by airplane propellers is the gist of the invention.

QUEER NAMES BORNE BY AMERICAN TOWNS

Homely Nouns and Adjectives Found on Map.

Washington.—What's in a name? "First families have left their famous surnames to designate post offices and railroad stations in the United States," says a bulletin from the National Geographic society, "and in addition many humble folk have contributed their more familiar appellations such as Dad, Bill, Nick, Tim, Floe, Vick and Maggie. Aside from family names the homely nouns and adjectives of the work-a-day world have found their way by the score to maps and signposts.

"Greasy Creek, Tub, Biscuit, Cheap, Busy and Dimple are Kentucky towns. There is Horse Heaven, Humptulps, Gooseprairie and Steptoe in Washington state.

"Pie Town, Dusty, Gallup and High Rolls are in New Mexico; Jelly, Needles and Likely in California; and Sopherpy, Perky and Frostproof in Florida.

"Illinois has Sandwich, Joy and Muddy, while across the state line in Indiana there is Speed, Economy and Harmony. Trump, Vim, Flues and Joes are in Colorado; Bumble Bee, Sunslow, Wikieup and Cactus in Arizona; Asbestos, Ladiesburg, Fenner and Appeal in Maryland; and Deadwater, Grindstone, Theofore and Merepoint in Maine.

"Ballclub and Shivers.

"In Minnesota there is Hallecluh, Happyland, Otter Tail, Money Creek, Knife River and Embarrass; and in Mississippi, Arm, Lemon, Whynot, Chunky, Shivers and Soso.

"Montana's Bay Horse, Big Arm, Giltedge and Pray are equally as odd as North Carolina's Nags Head, Bear-wallow, Pee Dee, Shoe, Toast, Topnot and Worry; and Missouri's Rat, Gang, Damsite, Clevor and Enough.

"There is Accord, Tenticket and Feeding Hills in Massachusetts; Anvil Location, Inkster, Ahmeek and Honor in Michigan; Echo, Happy Jack and Water Proof in Louisiana; Leaky in North Dakota; and Novelty, Overpeck, Long Bottom and Charm in Ohio.

"Oklahoma's contribution to odd place names is Antlers, Hominy, Slick, Slim and Seraper; while Oregon has Wagontire, Sixes, Tye, Izee and Fossil. New York state gives Horseheads, Sag Harbor, Silvernails, Yaphank and Whiteface; and New Jersey, Colt's Neck, Peapack, Tranquility, Changewater and Chews.

"Goodnight, Razor, Fort Spunky, Happy and Gunsight are towns in Texas; while Pennsylvania has Shick-shiny, Showers, Moosic and Bird in Hand. Cowpens, Silverstreet, Nine Times and Ninety Six are in South Carolina; Faith, Tea and Twilight in South Dakota; Devils Slide in Utah;

Detroit Gets Roach



John Roach, former goalie of the New York American pucksters, and one of the best goal minders of major league hockey, has been purchased by the Detroit Red Wings, formerly the Falcons, for a price reported at \$11,000.

JONAH

By THOMAS ARKLE CLARK
Late Dean of Men,
University of Illinois.



The first thing that comes to mind when one mentions the name of Jonah is his escape with the whale, which, if the truth be told is probably the most trivial and unimportant event in Jonah's history. The thing that really counts in Jonah's character, we could leave out the story of the whale and we should still have the important details left.

The Bible tells little about Jonah's family. It merely mentions his father's name. I suspect, however, from the way he acted that he was an only child with maybe a grandmother or two or a few maiden aunts, to spoil him, for Jonah was one of these boys who didn't willingly do the things he didn't like to do. He must have been a good boy, or the Lord wouldn't have chosen him to go to Nineveh to try to get the town cleaned up and the laws enforced and a little order established. I suppose he was one of those boys who had "never given his mother a moment's trouble or uneasiness." Evidently he had not been trained to do unpleasant things, and he had been used to sleeping until some one called him. You will recall that when the storm was on, and every one else was tearing about trying to keep the ship from going down, they found Jonah sound asleep waiting for the alarm clock to go off or for a freshman to wake him up. No; he had never been used to getting up without being called.

He must have been a smart fellow, though, or it never would have occurred to anyone to send him to a place like Nineveh with any hope that he would reform the place.

Jonah was smart enough; he was in a general way good enough, what he lacked was a sense of duty, the backbone to tackle a hard job and carry it through whether it was pleasant or not.

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The Troy Pound

The Troy pound and the apothecaries' pound each have 5,760 grains, while the avoirdupois pound has 7,000 grains. Troy weight is that which is used for weighing jewels, coins, and precious metals. It was named for the French town of Troyes, an important commercial center of the fourteenth century which had its own system of weights.

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Velvets Lead the Mode



The latest French fashions for mid-lady employs the use of velvet in their creation as is evidenced by the above pavan velvet crimple crepe model with sleeves of gold lace. This model was executed by Worth.

Great Smoky Mountains Veritable "Noah's Ark"

New National Park Contains a Variety of Animals.

Knoxville, Tenn.—The Great Smoky mountains, near here, now a national park, is a veritable "Noah's Ark," containing animal life in every form, abounding in 600 miles of streams sufficiently large for fishing, on the land, and in the air.

The Great Smoky mountains faunal survey, being conducted under the auspices of the Chicago Academy of Sciences, in the "Smokies," as they are locally known, is revealing animals not known to exist in the Smokies, unknown because the Smokies have never been visited by many scientists until recently, but especially because the Smokies are believed to be the oldest mountains in the world, probably the birthplace, ages ago, of many varieties of animal life native to North America.

Not only are the Smokies the oldest mountains but here the Appalachian range bulks out to its greatest width and rises to its "highest altitude," the main ridge being an average of a mile high, with Clingman's Dome rising 6,642 feet above sea level. The Smokies rise suddenly from the Tennessee river valley, from a water level base, of 1,300 feet, to 5,000 and 6,000 feet skyline.

The faunal survey has found animals usually found in all levels from 1,300 feet to 6,000 feet, but there seems to be three distinct animal life zones in the Smokies, the northern, from 6,000 down to 3,000, the eastern from 3,000 to 2,000 and the southern from 2,000 feet down. Especially interesting, the faunal survey found that

animals on the higher reaches of the Smokies have no relatives nearer than in Canada, and, as the Smokies were cut off during the glacial period, the animals in the Smokies of the same species as in Canada, have developed a different form in the Smokies. In fact, their form is so different as to have really created different species.

Steady Increase in Employment Is Shown

Washington.—While reports from many sources, including the American Federation of Labor, reveal a steady increase in employment in the United States, 16 nations in Europe also reveal conditions so much improved that observers generally believe that the depression will have definitely reached an end by spring. Employment has increased anywhere from 3 to 8 per cent since June in most countries, it is revealed.

In nine other countries of Europe, including England and Japan, unemployment figures show an increase, however. Nations which show improved conditions besides the United States, include Italy, Austria, Belgium, Czechoslovakia, Switzerland, Canada, France, Poland, and Finland.

The American Federation of Labor and the federal government both report increasing employment in this country. The labor federation adds the qualification, however, that while this trend is encouraging to business recovery there is still a major relief problem facing the nation during this winter.

Don't Burn Leaves
Leaves represent nature's way of storing energy from the summer sunshine. In the autumn they fall, and soon decay, to become nature's fertilizer. Burning destroys the work nature has done to help enrich the soil. Leaves, weeds, waste, hay or straw should be plowed under or piled in a corner and a little earth thrown over them. They will soon rot down and work into the soil.

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Motorists' Dirty Trick

When Frank Alba, of Glendale, N. Y., saw an automobile wrapped around a telegraph pole and its occupants unable to extricate themselves, he obligingly stopped and helped them out of their fix. While he was pulling out the third victim, the other two continued on their way—in his car.

ODD THINGS AND NEW—By Lane Bode



DICK DALTON OF LAMAR, MO. WHISTLES WITH HIS MOUTH OPEN...

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OF INTEREST TO THE HOUSEWIFE

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A few whole cloves in the kettle of fat give doughnuts a nice flavor.

Cook cauliflower, cabbage or onions in half milk and half water to retain white color.

Serve frozen canned grapefruit juice cubes in iced tea or fruit drinks to lend a new flavor.

To clean zinc, wet a cloth with ker-

osene and wipe it off. This is an easy way, as it removes all the grease and spots.

Add two tablespoonfuls of chili sauce to mayonnaise and use for dressing for lettuce or other vegetable salads.

Feathers will not fly around if a piece of damp cheesecloth is spread under bird cage when cleaning. They will cling to cloth.

Nests of measuring cups as well as measuring spoons will help the home maker be accurate in recipe measurements. They particularly simplify measuring shortening.

Envoy to Poland



New portrait study of r. Lamont Bell, veteran career diplomat of the Department of State, whose appointment as American ambassador to Poland was announced in Washington. The new envoy, who has served at numerous important posts since 1917, succeeds John Willys, motor car manufacturer, who resigned to resume his private profession.

GABBY GERTIE

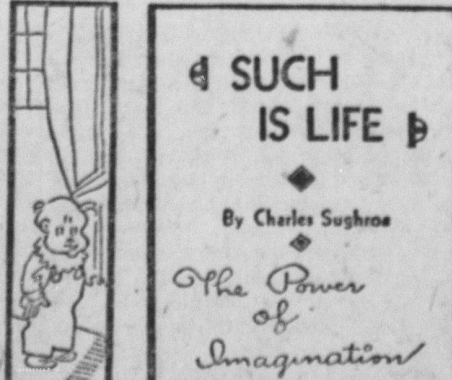


"The inmate who has half a mind to escape should consider that finders are keepers."

Jury Decides Razing of Policeman Is Legal

Cincinnati.—The well-known "Bronz cheer," alias the "razzberry," aimed at a policeman, has been upheld by a jury here.

Deciding the "cheer" was no cause for arrest, the jury awarded \$500 damages to Ben Stein, who was jailed by Patrolman L. Van Coney. The legal definition of the "cheer" was left unsettled.



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