# Ask Me Another

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A General Quiz

Bell Syndicate .- WNU Service. 

When were thimbles invent-2. When was the Great Wall of China completed?

3. Who was the only English Pope? 4. What is a fusillade?

5. Who discovered the Pacific ocean, and when?

6. What was a warlock? Who were the "Graces"? 8. What is the monetary unit of Cuba?

9. From what other inflammable liquid is gasoline distilled? 10. What type of verse bears the same name as an Irish coun-

11. Is the lion a "cat" or "dog" animal?

12. At what was the "Sherman Act" aimed?

1. First used by ancient Chinese. Brought to England in 1695. by John Lofting, a mechanic, from Holland. 2. In 212 B. C.

3. Nicholas Brakespeare, who was elected in 1154. 4. A simultaneous discharge of

firearms. 5. Vasco de Balboa in 1513. The ocean was given its name by Magellan in 1521.

6. A witch or wizard. 7. Three goddesses conferring

grace, beauty, joy, etc. 8. The peso. 9. Petroleum.

10. Limerick.

11. Cat. 12. The prevention of trusts in restraint of trade.

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No matter how many medicines you have tried for your cough, chest cold or bronchial irritation, you can get relief now with Creomulsion. Serious trouble may be brewing and you cannot afford to take a chance with anything less than Creomulsion, which goes right to the seat of the trouble to aid nature to soothe and heal the inflamed membranes as the germ-laden phlegm is loosened and expelled.

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money if you are not satisfied with results from the very first bottle. Get Creomulsion right now. (Adv.)

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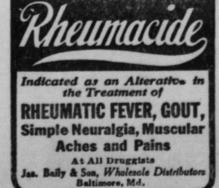
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### Don't Fear Motherhood





# IMPOUNDING 22 TRILLION GALLONS

Public Works Administration Tells What It Means to Have That Much Water "Under Lock and Key" by Colorful Comparisons.

# By WILLIAM C. UTLEY

OR some weeks there lay on the desks of several hundred editors throughout the land an immortal document. This living, breathing contribution to the nation's higher brackets of prose was the work of those prolific gentlemen, the members of the PWA "press section," in the throes of inspiration. If not whimsy.

The mimeographed handout, dealing with the incredible volume of water which the PWA apparently has gathered together here and there about the country, was delivered to editors early in January, but was not to be released for publication until February 1.

Events of the weeks leading up to the publication date leave the observer a little uncertain as to whether the PWA, with its customary genius, was able to reach into the future and draw a few neat analogies, or is merely trying to scare the pants off us.

#### Ducking for Pennsylvania.

At any rate, in view of what has been happening in the Ohio and Mississippi valleys, the PWA's little article is at once lucid and om-

"The greatest water impoundment program in the world's history is being carried out in the United States through the Federal Public Works administration. All the water held at one time in dams and reservoirs completed or under construction with PWA assistance would:

"Cover the state of Pennsylvania with two feet of water, with enough left over over for a few good sized "Or:

"Supply New York city for 62 years with sufficient water for its requirements for washing, drinking and industrial use.

"Reduce the world's ocean level a quarter of an inch.

"Flood the state of Delaware with a 44 foot stage, 14 feet deeper than the recent Johnstown flood.

"Float 1,078,431 vessels the size of the British ship Queen Mary." PWA Really Has Story.

The recent spectacles of city folks and farmers arriving and departing from second story windows via rowboats even takes some of the steam out of the PWA article's intended piece de resistance—the fact that, because a new dam has created a large lake, there is now of the desert.

Of course all of this is just good,

gether. The people cannot reach the highest standard of well-being unless there is the wisest use of land and water . . . Flood control, low-water control, navigation, power, water supply, sanitation, and erosion are integral parts of the picture."

#### Essentials of Existence.

The soil conservation, resettlement, and rural electrification administrations, in a joint report, prefaced a discussion to the proper

Fort Peck dam in the Missouri river in Montana, Bonneville, Grand Coulee, and other great American

#### Reasons for Impoundment.

Fort Peck lake will be smaller than Lake Mead at Boulder dam, but it will have a storage capacity of 19,412,000 acre feet, which is almost five times as large as the Assuan. Fort Peck lake will be 180 miles long, have a maximum clear width of 16 miles, and a shore line of 1,600 miles.

Water impoundments within the United States, requiring the assistance of the public works administration, have taken place for five principal reasons: Water for human consumption, flood control, navigation, irrigation, and power. PWA



Tygart river dam at Grafton, W. Va.

claring:

"Air, sunlight, soil and water are the four factors absolutely essential for Man's existence . . . Without water, Man, animals and plants cannot live, and the soil could not produce food, clothing, and shelter

. Broadly speaking, air and sunshine are beyond the influence of Man, but the benefits of land and water can be affected by the manner in which he uses them."

With the great need, particularly yacht club flourishing in the heart | in western sections where lack of water and drouths had paralizing effects on the national economy, clean fun. The PWA really had PWA undertook direct action to conquite a story to tell, and because serve water until the total of this

treatment of inland waters by de- | has allotted \$195,636,700 in federal grants, and \$11,168,990 in non-federal grants, making a total of \$206,-805,690. There have been 12 nonfederal loans totaling \$22,145,700. This has made work-creating construction estimated to cost \$595,005,-

PWA funds have not been solely responsible for all of these accomplishments. An allotment of \$51,-000,000 to TVA, for instance, set up that organization and started Norris and Wheeler dams, but it required other funds to complete them.

Likewise, PWA allotted \$38,000,000 to the mammoth Boulder dam which was already under way. The reservoir behind the dam, known as Lake Mead, has a storage capacity of 30,500,000 acre feet. The PWA allotment enabled the bureau of reclamation, Department of the Interior to complete the dam proper. The entire Boulder dam project is estimated to cost \$120,260,000.

PWA has also made an initial allotment of \$15,000,000 to the Grand Coulee dam, located on the Columbia river in Washington: a project estimated to cost in the neighborhood of \$175,000,000.

Everything to Gain.

It is possible only to estimate the amount of water impounded by nonfederal projects, but should they all be taken into consideration, total water impoundments by PWA would run far in excess of 22 trillion gallons of water.

Scientists, engineers, industrialists and sportsmen declare the United States has everything to gain by its tremendous water impoundments.

Sportsmen set forth the advantages by pointing to the increased opportunities for boating, swimming and fishing which may take place in the man-made lakes throughout the nation. It will be possible to float large-sized yachts on the waters of Grand Coulee, Bonneville, Boulder dam's Lake Mead. Fort Peck, or any of the larger non-federal "lakes." There are already more than a hundred privately owned boats on Lake Mead, one of which carries more than 40 passengers. Persons in that arid area had never seen a lake until man made Lake Mead.

Engineers point out that such dams as Fort Peck, Tygart dam near Grafton, West Virginia, the 14 reservoirs of the Muskingum district in Ohio, will aid in controlling floods and insuring navigation all the year around for potential river ports which have been hitherto land-

### May Help Wells.

Scientists approve huge water impoundment because it will be extremely beneficial toward checking the rapid decline of America's underground water supply. The recently retired Major William Bowie, chief of the division of geodesy, coast and geodetic survey, who also estimated the change in the ocean level, cited Fort Peck as an example. When the 19,412,009 acre feet of water is held there, the natural seepage into the ground may go far toward restoring artesian well supplies. A recent survey made by engineers of South Dakota revealed that the head of artesian wells was sinking at a rate of two to twenty feet annually.

• Western Newspaper Union.

A Few

#### NO WATER SPANIEL

There were two bidders for the dog offered for sale by a New York youngster. One, a visiting English lad, offered \$5. The other, a boy from Philadelphia, offered only \$3, but his offer was accepted!

"I say, old thing," demanded the English lad afterward, "why did you sell to that other chap for less money?

The New Yorker grinned cagily. 'The dog can walk back from Philly," he explained, "but he'd have a heck of a time swimming the Atlantic ocean!"-Washington Post.

NO DOUBT NOW



"Then you don't go in for this ultraradical stuff?" "Nope. For years I tried to get something for nothing. "m convinced now that it can't be done."

Solid Comfort

"I shall put you fellows in this room," said the host; "you'll have a comfortable night, for it has a feather bed."

At two o'clock in the morning one of the guests awoke his companion. "Change places with me, Dick," he groaned, "it's my time to be on the feather."—Annapolis Log.

Lapse

Scene-Kit inspection on the British transport lines.

Officer-Driver Jones, you have only one spur here. Where's the

Jones-Blimey! Must have left it sticking in the 'oss, sir.

Art

"Are you fond of pictures?" asked the man who is interested in art: "I should say so!" answered Broncho Bob. "Give me jacks, queens or kings every time. I always did hate to fool with ten spots or less."

Garage Diagnosis

"Your doctor's out here with a flat "Diagnose the case as flatulency of the perimeter and charge him ac-

cordingly," ordered the garage man. "That's they way he does."

Wrong Number Irate Subscriber to Operator-

Am I crazy or are you? Operator-I am sorry, but we do not have that information.-Jersey Bell.

It'll Keep

Doctor-What is that tightwad patient of yours complaining about? Nurse-He says he got well before all the medicine was gone.

OFF NIGHTS



First Clubman-After all, there's no place like home. Second Clubman-Perhaps you're right-this club life has gotten dumb.

Holding a Position "How do you manage to hold your position as a leader of the people in your part of the country?

"I observe which way they are going," answered Senator Sorghum, 'and then step lively to keep ahead of them in case they take a notion to stampede."

Try and See Shop Assistant-This clock will go for eight days without winding. Boy-and how long will it go when it is wound?

A Debt of Art "The professor says that music owes a great deal to Rossini," said the young woman. "What's Ros-

"That," replied Mr. Cumrox, "is probably Italian for 'rosin'."

The Come-On

"Does your beau give your little brother money to stay out of the living room when he calls?" "Yes, indeed! He gives him 50 cents and Johnny goes 50-50 with Rice Kept Awake

The courts of law in Japan, like many scientific groups in various parts of the world, are convinced that plants require sleep. Not long ago a farmer won a suit for damages against a company which had erected a large neon advertising sign alongside his rice field, claiming that his crop had failed because the sign had prevented it from sleeping at night. -Collier's Weekly.

Keep your body free of accumulated waste, take Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. 60 Pellets 30 cents. Adv.

Waste Brings Want

Hundreds would never have known want if they had not first known waste.-Spurgeon.

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as we say we are .- Balzac.



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the benefit of it .- Fox.

If you want to really GET RID OF GAS and terrible bloating, don't expect to do it by Just doctoring your stomach with harsh, irritating alkalies and "gas tablets." Most GAS is lodged in the stomach and upper intestine and is due to old poisonous matter in the constipated bowels that are loaded with ill-causing bacteria.

If your constipation is of long standing, enormous quantities of dangerous bacteria accumulate. Then your digestion is upset. GAS often presses heart and lungs, making life miserable.

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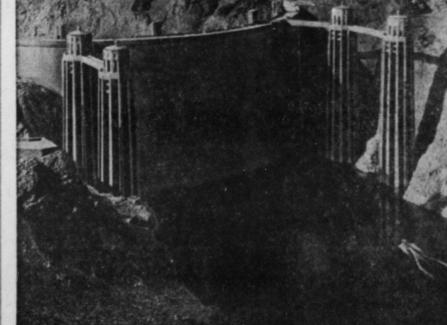
grow into AGE lines! Thousands of women have found it helpful to take Cardui. They say it seemed to ease their pains, and they noticed an increase in their appetites and finally a strengthened resistance to the discomfort of

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More than a hundred privately owned boats, one of them carrying 40 passengers, cruise on Lake Mead, created in the middle of the desert above Boulder dam.

many hundreds of millions of dol- reached stupendous proportions. lars to make it all possible, it is a

story worth reading. The United States now has completed or under way PWA projects which will impound about 22 trillion' (22,000,000,000,000) gallons of water for irrigation, power, navigation, flood control, domestic, and industrial purposes. All of these many projects have been either started, continued, or completed with public works administration federal or

nonfederal allotments. Water use and control was recognized as a major field for PWA effort at the inception of the agency. Great areas of the country have

been handicapped by inadequate water supply. The Mississippi valley committee of the national resources committee, described the situation in this

"Land, water, and people go to- supremacy until work started on

the taxpayers shell out I forget how | phase of the agency's program

lion gallons of water fresh out of feet, which means spreading the wa-

Colorado river. It was developed than seven times as much as the Assuan's. Norris dam in the Clinch river near Knoxville, Tenn., which was started with PWA funds and constructed by the Tennessee Valto have a capacity of 3,592,132 acre feet, and in addition to Boulder dam, it was an outstanding chal-

Until June of 1933, the Assuan

Then came Boulder dam in the to store 30,500,000 acre feet-more ley authority, followed. This was lenge America offered to Egyptian

dam and reservoir in the Nile of Egypt was the largest of its kind in the world. It held about 1.32 trilthe mountains. Figured into acre ter into a sheet one foot thick, Assuan's capacity was 4,049,200 acre