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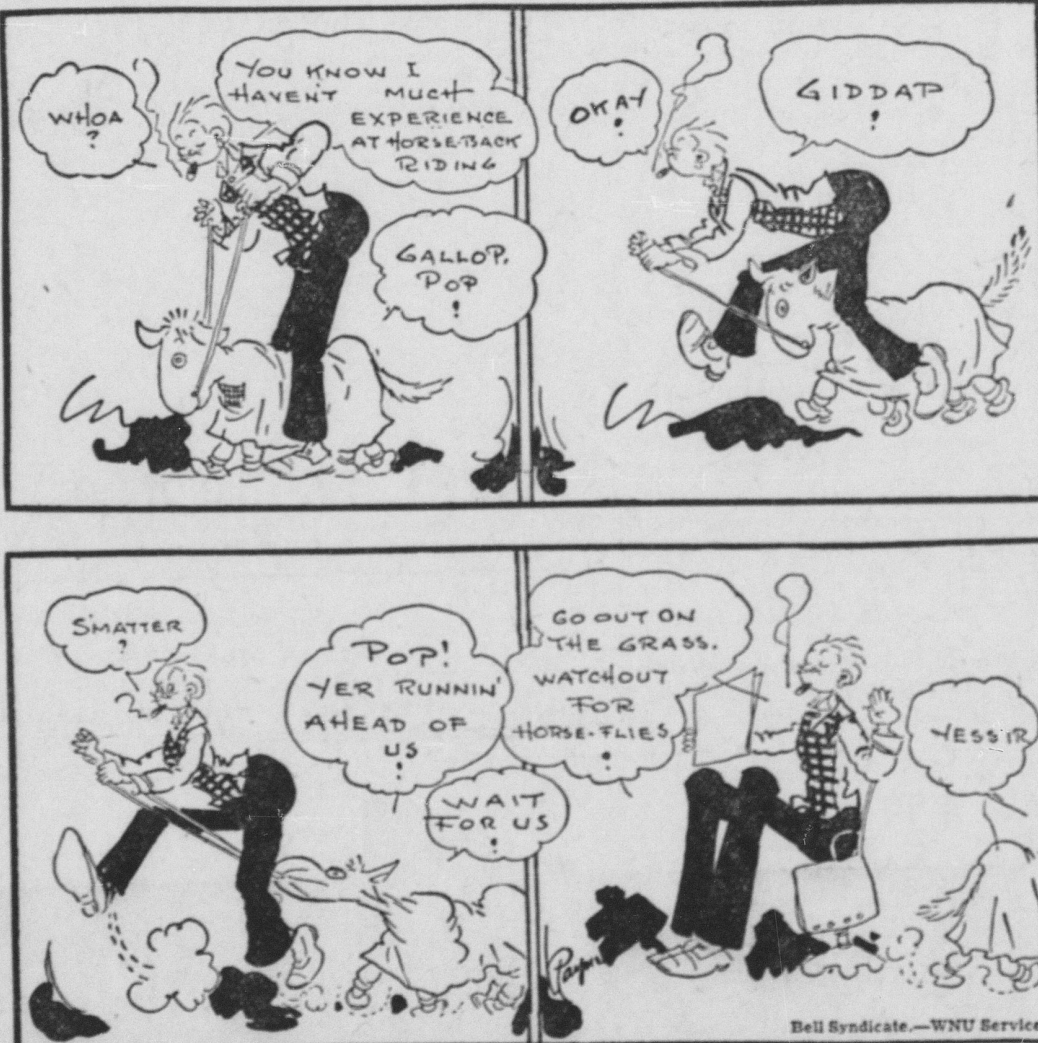
Events in the Lives of Little Men



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FLATTENED THEIR PURSES



"The women used 10,000 tons of face powder last year."
"Yes, and the weight of it all fell on the men."

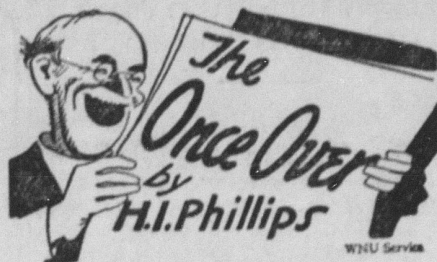
Homesick Breakfast

"Bring me some cold porridge," said the soldier to the waitress. "Burn some toast to a cinder," he added. "Fry two bad eggs and serve them on a dirty plate. Make the coffee so that it tastes like mud and bring it in a cracked cup so that it drips down my chin when I drink it."
The concoction came—and the puzzled waitress asked: "Is there anything more?"
"Yes," said the soldier. "Now sit down and nag me. I'm homesick."

FACING AN AWFUL FACT



"Why does he look so awed all the time?"
"I heard him say he was facing an awful fact."



WAR CONVERSATION

Stalin (quite confused) — Where am I?
Hitler — You mean, "Where are we?"
Chamberlain — You boys shouldn't have any trouble getting your bearings; you planned it this way.
Mussolini (sarcastically) — That's what THEY thought!
Hitler (to Stalin) — I thought you had an army.
Stalin — So did I!
Hitler — The secret of victory is a swift powerful attack, a terrific body blow. Why didn't you do just as I did in Poland?
Stalin — There were no Finns in Poland.
Chamberlain (wearily) — I wish you would stop arguing; I want a little peace.
Both — A little is all you'll get.
Chamberlain — Oh, I dunno; I'm not doing so badly.
Hitler — And you're not doing so good, either.
Mussolini — You're all terrible. Do you know what I'd do if I was in this war?
All — No, and we probably never will!
Mussolini — Look at me. I don't pay any attention to war.
Hitler — I don't know whether to trust you or not.
Mussolini — The feeling is mutual, Adolf.
Chamberlain — As I recall things, Adolf, you were going to have this



war over in no time. It was to be done in one mighty blow.
Hitler — Can't you wait?
Chamberlain — I can; but can YOU?
Stalin — What's worrying me is what those Finns have that I haven't got.
Hitler — They haven't a thing, and it's time you found it out.
Mussolini — Will you all keep quiet, please.
All — What for?
Mussolini — I'm trying to map out a policy.
Hitler — You and I mapped out a policy last summer.
Mussolini — Things are a lot different now.
Hitler — You're telling me!
Daladier — Do I hear people talking?
Hitler — Have you been asleep all through this?
Daladier — Why not; you've done nothing to keep me awake.
Stalin (to Hitler) — Are you going to stand for a crack like that, comrade?
Hitler (wincing) — Don't call me comrade.
Stalin — Listen, you called me comrade first. Have you forgotten?
Hitler — I wish I could!

DISILLUSIONMENT

I met my favorite movie star And, lord, was he a bore! He talked about himself at will From seven until four; Then downed another drink or two And passed out on the floor.
K. Forshay.
Add smiles: As inefficient as a man putting on his own auto plates.
Football is a major handicap to education, says Dr. Hutchins of the University of Chicago. Most of us thought it was the other way around.
Add smiles: As depressed as a cheer leader who picked the University of Chicago for his education.
There are 12,000,000 fishermen in the United States, a federal bureau which gets paid for keeping track of such things, announces. No wonder those two fish get more scary every season.

PLANET JOTTINGS

Joe Stalin, from up Moscow way, has a war which he would like to swap, sell or lease.
Earl Browder was in court under the name of Earl Browder.
Harold Ickes hasn't lambasted anybody in almost a week now, and must be ill or something.
Bob Taft, from up Cincinnati way, is trying to collect a prize offered by Mr. Roosevelt for a plan to balance the budget. Bob will settle for a set of dishes.
A "Mickey Rooney-for-President" club was started here last week at the Fire House. Mickey could sweep the country, say we.
Frankie Murphy has been located by anxious friends. He turned up on the Supreme court. That will stop him popping about, ye ed reckons.

HOW TO SEW

by Ruth Wyeth Spears



12-inches long and 8 inches across as shown here. Bias tape may be used for the smaller anchor which is just half the size of the large one.

NOTE: Mrs. Spears' Sewing Book No. 2 contains a complete alphabet to be made of straight or bias strips; also illustrations of five processes of fabric mending; 36 embroidery stitches; making doll clothes; and numerous gift items. Ask for Book No. 2, enclosing 10 cents to cover cost. Address: Mrs. Spears, Drawer 10, Bedford Hills, N. Y.

THINGS that have to do with the sea are a good theme for decorating a recreation room, a boy's room or a summer cottage. A ship model has a salty flavor but is not a necessity. One youngster made a map of a desert island complete with a legend of hidden treasure. No one knew more than he about the island or treasure for he invented both of them. He also salvaged the steering wheel from an old boat and hung it on the wall with ropes. A small figure of a sailor was wired for a lamp.
His mother made a smartly tailored navy blue couch cover trimmed in a red anchor and a red cushion was adorned with a blue anchor. Straight strips of material 1-inch wide after the edges are turned under will make an anchor



Ferry's Zinnia

HOUSEHOLD QUESTIONS

The gray or green color hard water gives to rice when it is boiled may be prevented by adding a pinch of cream of tartar or a little lemon juice to the water.
Keep a large shaker—containing six parts salt to one part pepper on the shelf of your kitchen range to use in seasoning foods.
To remove a fresh grease spot on a rug, cover the spot with blotting paper, then press with a hot flatiron. Cover the spot with magnesia, let it remain for 24 hours, then brush off.
To keep muslin curtains even when laundering them, put two curtains together and iron as one curtain.
To restore fireplace bricks to their natural color and keep them clean, wash them in a mixture of two ounces soda, one ounce pumice stone, 1 ounce salt mixed with water till it forms a cream.
If rubber gloves are sprinkled on the inside with cornstarch or powder they will slip on more easily.
To remove salt from fish in a hurry, wash the fish for a while in sweet milk.
Do not wrap silver in bleached linen. The sulphur which has been used in bleaching will tarnish it. Unbleached cotton flannel is best.
Put strips of adhesive tape on the inside of children's rubbers. On tape print the children's names. They will then have no difficulty in finding their rubbers.

Women in Majority

In most countries the female population exceeds the male. For every 1,000 males there are 1,088 females in England, 1,071 in France, 1,058 in Germany, 1,103 in Russia, 1,097 in Portugal, and as many as 1,139 in Estonia. Only a few countries have a larger male population than female. They include the United States, with 976 women for every 1,000 men.
And in Cuba the women are comparatively scarce, with only 888 for every 1,000 men.

You'll be Rich!

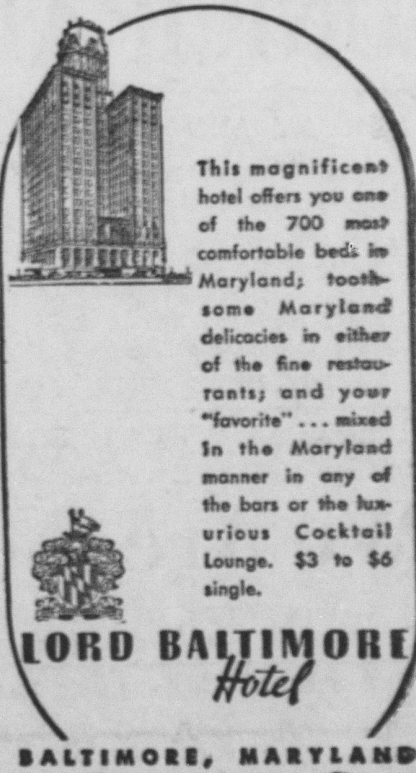
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