

ONE-ARMED MEN GET ONE PAIR OF GLOVES

(By United Press)
 SAN JOSE, Cal., Feb. 1.—Cooperative marketing is not a novelty. Cooperative purchasing is just common sense. But a new cooperative purchasing agreement has just been consummated here that is believed to be unique.

Bert Barrett, milk inspector for San Jose, has lost his left arm. Billy Emerson, an all salesman, has lost his right. Bert and Billy met in a clothing store the other day, each intent on buying a pair of gloves—and throwing one glove away. They compared hands and then made the unique agreement.

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HISTORY OF LETTER IS TOLD IN SPEECH

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—From the use of the drum in biblical times to the swiftly flying mail plane of today, the history of the letter, as a written means of communication between peoples, was traced by Assistant Postmaster General W. Irving Glover in a speech recently to postmasters and postal employees in a postal conference convention at Winston-Salem, N. C.

"On the post office job," he said, "nothing can take the place of the individual. While in many a great industry the human equation has been reduced to a minimum, no one has yet invented anything to take the place of a man in the delivery of letters. Today, as a hundred years ago, we are dependent on the nerve and the sense of loyalty of a human being for the punctual delivery of our mail regardless of the weather and everything else."

"The history of the postal service goes back as far as the sixth century. B. C. and may be called the handmaid of civilization and tracing it from the dispatch bearer of the Assyrian and Roman times to the airplane service of the present day, the postal business has doubled in the last decade while the number of employees has increased only nine per cent.

"The use of postage stamps is now so common and the mailing of letters so general that it seems as if there never was a time when this practice was unknown. But the stamp itself is comparatively new, while the sending of letters is older than Solomon.

"The Book of Esther in the Bible tells of how King Ahasuerus, learning from Queen Esther that Haman had ordered the death of all the Jews, commanded Mordecai to call together the scribes and send letters to every province of the kingdom forbidding the massacre. This is the verse that describes the sending of the messengers.

"And he wrote in the King Ahasuerus' name, and sealed it with the King's ring, and sent letters by post on horseback, and riders on mules, camels and young dromedaries."

"The Romans, too, sent their letters by mounted couriers. The courier carried the message about twenty miles when he would come to a 'post' where another messenger was stationed with a fresh horse. He, in turn, would be relieved by still another courier. Thus relay after relay the letter was sped on until at last it arrived at its destined 'post,' meaning station or stopping place, and from that word we obtain the word 'post' as found in postoffice, postcard and many similar words.

"In the times of Benjamin Franklin, each letter was charged for by the sheet instead of by weight, and also for the distance it was carried. Ten cents was charged for one sheet, 20 cents for two sheets; and so on, and for every fifty miles another fee was added. Envelopes were not used in those days, the letter simply being folded up and sealed.

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RED CROSS TO AID RETURNING RHINE SOLDIERS

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Feb. 1.—The American Red Cross has informed American Legion national headquarters that it has arranged to render service to the men of the Army returning from duty on the Rhine and the dependent families who follow them. Special attention will be given to the wives and children, who have become dependents of soldiers during their service abroad. General H. T. Allen has advised the War department that there are seventy-seven such dependents, of whom fifty-seven are women and twenty children. Any special care needed in the matter of housing and feeding will be attended to by the Red Cross and special attention will be paid to the care and feeding of children.

Every Day They're Getting Younger And Younger - These Kid Prodigies



Teddy Wright, Jr. SWINGING HEAD DOWN FROM THE RINGS - Johnny Salvatore

CHICAGO—"Why, when Johnny was only a year old he could say this and do that—" member when mothers used to brag about their offspring in this fashion? Not any more. Nowadays a mother has to be able to say "when Johnny was a week old he picked out 'Nearer My God To Thee' with one finger on the piano," in order to cause any kind of a flutter at all.

To be precocious nowadays, an infant must be ready for "prep" school at one year and college at three. Witness the extremely early "take-off" in life managed by Johnny Salvatore, left on the doorstep of a Minneapolis athletic director when 12 days old, at 10 months able to chin himself, walk, talk and deliver a Dempsey punch on the jaw to any obnoxious baby-talking aunties.

Going him one better, Teddy Wright, Jr., also 10 months old, chins the bar, walks on his hands, turns eight somersaults in succession, swings head down from the rings, swims and floats. And Miss Norma Loeb, a sub-deb of nine weeks, has been sitting alone for a month, walks with assistance; looks you in the eye like a paying teller and takes setting-up exercises!

FLYING RECORD OF U. S. IS IN DANGER

DAYTON, O., Feb. 1.—America's premier aviators are preparing to smash the world's endurance record for flying.

This month, weather permitting, Lieutenants John A. MacReady and Oakley Keller, will mount the veteran T-2 in an authorized attempt to out-do their record of 25 hours, 18 minutes and fifteen seconds established in a flight over San Diego, Calif., last fall.

The California record as not recognized, as official American Aeronautical Association representatives were not present to observe and time the flight.

The trial next month will have the full authorization of the Army Air Service and official observers will be on hand, according to an announcement from McCook Field here.

During the flight, the wings of the T-2, the same plane in which the former endurance trial was made, will carry electric lights to distinguish it from any other plane that might be flying at night.

MacReady and Kelly will wear electrically warmed flying tops. They will alternate at the stick.

"Thirty-four hours is the recognized world's endurance record, held by a French pilot.

"We intend to take along enough grub to last us longer than 24 hours," Lieut. MacReady said. Sandwiches and hot coffee, nothing fancy.

Shortly after their endurance flight over San Diego, MacReady and Kelly made the memorable flight from San Diego to Indianapolis in 27 hours and three minutes. It was an unsuccessful attempt at a non-stop transcontinental record.

The T-2 also was used in that trip.

8,000,000 BIBLES PRINTED EVERY YEAR IS REPORT

CHICAGO, Jan. 31.—More than 8,000,000 Bibles in all languages have been printed in the world since printing was invented in the middle of the fifteenth century. According to George C. Buxton, Chicago publisher who presented this interesting estimate at the convention here of the Subscription Book Publishers' Association.

"Approximately 8,000,000 Bibles are printed in this country and Canada annually," said Mr. Buxton, "and 35,000,000 throughout the world.

"Assuming as approximately correct that the earth contains 1,500,000,000 inhabitants, it is evident that all the Bibles ever printed would supply nearly half the individuals of the globe with a copy and each of nearly 300,000,000 families with more than two copies. There is, however, no way of knowing how many Bibles of the total printed by history are in existence today and the distribution of the scriptures, of course, has not been uniform among nations and tribes of men.

"There are more exact statistics regarding the distribution of Bibles in the United States. In a population of 117,000,000, it is estimated by Dr. J. S. Kirkhede of the American Bible Society that about 50,000,000 people own Bibles. This leaves 25,000,000 who do not possess a copy of the Scriptures. In a total of 23,000,000 families, 15,000,000 have Bibles.

"These figures do not reflect with exactness the religious situation. The American people are inherently religious. Though there are 7,200,000 families without Bibles, I believe there are few individuals who at some time in their lives have not had Bible instruction or who have not constant opportunity for reading the Scriptures.

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The federal income tax allows the following exemptions: Single person, or married person not living with husband or wife, \$1,000; head of a family, or married person living with husband or wife, \$2,500, unless the net income is in excess of \$5,000, in which case the exemption is only \$2,000; for each dependent under the age of 18, or incapable of self-support, \$400. Head of a family under the law is defined as "a person who supports in one household one or more relatives by blood, marriage, or adoption."

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LEGION OPPOSES TEXAS REDS

BRECKENRIDGE, Tex., Feb. 1.—Principles of the I. W. W. and their alleged efforts to organize oil field workers in this section, where they are said to have about 600 members, were condemned in resolutions adopted recently by the local American Legion post.

Charging that the I. W. W.'s "are masquerading under the guise of helping the working man by organization, but their aims and purposes are contrary to all we fought for," the post pledged its assistance to city and county officials in stamping out radicalism. The real purpose of the organization was said by the Legion to be to set up in place of our government similar to that of the I. W. W.

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