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Money Back

It may be difficult for a camel to pass through the eye of a needle. We assume that it is, for we have scripture for it. But to give up money, once one has his hooks on it, is more difficult still.

Yet this amazing phenomenon actually occurred recently, not once, but twice. Oren Root, amateur politician who aided in the stimulation of a Willie boom in 1941, reports that he didn't spend all the money contributed, and that contributors may have their share of the residue by stepping up and asking for it. And in the same breath, the Cafeteria Employees' union, local 302, A. F. of L., in New York, says it will hand back to its 7000 members \$50,000 of a defense fund raised to carry on a strike. The strike was avoided; the money wasn't needed; the members are to get their money back.

When men, in one way or another, have succeeded in getting money from other men, and then proceed to give it back, you may take it as a sign that something of cosmic proportions is stirring in the world.

The Army Grows

THERE are at least ten million more pounds of soldier in the army than there were when the army inducted its first million recruits. That's because the average soldier gained 10 pounds in his first three weeks in the army.

We have the word of the food consultants of the quartermaster corps for this, and it sounds pleasantly on the ear. Most of those men thought they were, and they were, in fairly good physical shape, or they would not have been inducted at all. But the first three weeks showed that there was room for improvement.

That's one of the best ways to increase the power of American defense; not necessarily more soldiers, but more soldier per man.

American Ingenuity

THE kind of ingenuity and resourcefulness that made this country the best in the world isn't dead yet.

A couple of our "civilian soldiers," a young artillery captain and a lieutenant from Tennessee, have what it takes. Faced with a shortage of sighting equipment for their guns, they didn't sit down in a corner and whimper. They went to work with a couple of sections of pipe and some mirrors, and built their own sight. Higher officers who have seen it tested say it's better than the regular equipment, in fact one said it was the most effective sight he'd seen in 22 years of army service. And it can be built for five or six dollars, when the standard sight costs six hundred.

Whether their experiment will be as revolutionary as it seems probably awaits further testing. But soldiers with that kind of resourcefulness are going to be all right. And so is an army that lets them experiment.

Editorials on News

(Continued from page 1.)

AREN'T proceeding according to original plan.

SYRIA bobs back into the news today. The French general there apparently asked for an armistice

but wasn't willing to give up enough, and so the British are going on fighting. The French general appears to have been trying to hold out Beirut. The French, one would say, are getting pretty well gummed up with armistices. They have one with Germany, which has placed a halter around their necks at home, and are jockeying for one with the British in Syria. Poor France!

IN London, Colonel Moore-Brabazon, British minister of aircraft production, says the increasing flow of American planes will enable Britain to bomb Berlin on a heavy scale soon. He adds: "The Germans' worst raids on London will be child's play compared to those we're planning for Berlin."

To this writer's inexperienced eyes, heavy bombing of Berlin offers far better prospects than the invasion of western Europe the British press has been clamoring for since the German-Russian fracas developed.

MEANWHILE, this dispatch comes today from Chungking, Chinese capital: "Japan lost 1,994,269 killed or wounded and 24,082 as prisoners in four years of war with China, a Chinese military spokesman said today.

"The Japanese also have lost 2,054 airplanes, 12,322 tanks and armored cars and thousands of field pieces, machine guns and rifles, he said."

THIS, of course, is the Chinese story. The exact figures involved in it indicate a pretty good job of counting. But there isn't much doubt anywhere that if Japan had known four years ago what she knows now she might have proceeded much more cautiously.

One trouble with war is that when you start you can never be wholly sure where you will finish.

Injury Jinx Hits Catcher Collins Of Seattle Team

(By the Associated Press) A crippled Seattle Rainier team returns to its fair tomorrow to face the toughest week's assignment of this Pacific coast league campaign.

The first part of the week the Sacramento Solons, whose lead has been cut to 9 1/2 games, will invade Seattle, and Friday the third place San Diego Padres, only a half game behind the Rainiers, will move in to replace the Solons.

The Rainiers, who split a doubleheader with Portland yesterday to take the series 5-2, lost another valuable and needed player to the injury jinx. Catcher Bob Collins, who has sparked the Rainiers' drive since his recent arrival from Los Angeles, twisted his left knee so badly in the first game he may be lost for the rest of the season.

Seattle blasted out 18 hits for a 10-4 victory in the first game but their bats were silent in the nightcap which the lowly Beavers won 3-0.

The surprising Padres split a doubleheader with Sacramento and won the series 5-2. Terry bested Freitas in a mound duel as the Padres won the opener 2-1. The Senators won the second 6-5 after the Padres had tied up the count 5-11 in the sixth.

Los Angeles slipped down to sixth place after being trounced in both ends of a twin bill by Hollywood 8-2 and 3-1, behind the pitching of Bithorn and Tost.

Hollywood won the series 5-2. San Francisco and Oakland wound up their eight game series at four games each by blanking each other in their doubleheader, the Seals taking the first, 6-1, and the Oaks copping the second, 3-0. Seats hurled a six-hit shutout in the first and Darrow allowed but three hits in the second.

Anna L. Bond, Resident of Douglas 50 Years, Dies

Anna L. Bond, 70, died at the home of her son, near Roseburg, early Sunday morning. Born in Maryland, March 18, 1871, she had spent the past 50 years as a resident of Douglas county. Her husband, William Bond, died eight years ago.

Surviving are the following sons and daughters: Thos and U. S. Bond, Roseburg; Stanley Bond, Monrovia, Calif.; James Bond, Seattle, Wash.; Deane Payne, Margaret Lilly, Bessie Chambers, Catherine Kelley, all of Portland, Oregon; Maude Zachary, Snohomish, Wash.; and Leona Lyon, Bend, Oregon.

The body has been removed to the Roseburg Undertaking company parlors and is being prepared for removal to Bend, Ore., where services will be held Tuesday afternoon.

OUT OUR WAY



DiMaggio Extends Safe Swat Streak To 53 Contests

(Associated Press Sports Writer) Ted Lyons and Thornton Lee of the Chicago White Sox are the latest to join Joe DiMaggio's personal "serve-it-up-and-duck" department. Joe connected safely off each of them yesterday, as the Yankees swept a twin bill, to run his alltime record for hitting to 53 consecutive contests.

In the 15 tilts on the big-league card, three tossers served shut-outs, three more gave up only one run.

This collection of curving didn't do much to change the baseball picture, unless you want to count the Washington Senators' climb out of the American league cellar by trouncing the St. Louis Browns twice, 6-3 and 6-5.

After the firing ended, the Yanks, riding a 14-game winning streak, were five full games in front of the American league pack, while the Dodgers' National league lead was narrowed down to 2 1/2 games over the St. Louis Cardinals, largely because of Passeau, who threw a six-hitter at the Brooklynins in the opener of a twin bill, and what with the backing of a 16-hit attack, took a 10-3 victory. In the after-piece, Kimball, starting his first encounter of the year, clouted the Cubs with a six-hitter for a 3-1 victory.

This split enabled the Cards to pick up a full game by flogging the Phillies twice. Warneke's eight-hitter produced a 7-2 win in the opener, while Crouch came up with a sparkling four-inning relief job to save an 8-5 decision in the second act.

Yanks Get Fine Pitching. Ruffing went to work in the nightcap for the Yanks, had a no-hitter going into the eighth inning and wound up with a 1-0 three-hit win in 11 innings for his tenth victory of the year. In the opener, Chandler pitched five-hit ball to win his first victory of the campaign, 8-1.

Heintzelman of Pittsburgh hurled two-hit ball against the N. Y. Giants, allowed only one man to get as far as second and tossed the Pirates to a 4-0 picnic. This boosted the Bucs' winning streak to seven straight, but it ended right behind Schumacker's five-hit hurling.

Missing was Ted Williams from the Boston Red Sox lineup, who hurt his ankle Saturday. The Red Sox lost to Cleveland, 2-1, in 11 innings after going down 9-6 in nine.

As usual, opposing batsmen couldn't solve the Riddle from Cincinnati and unbeaten Elmer posted his tenth straight win by blanking the Boston Braves with five hits for a 4-0 Red victory. Salvo and Earley combined on a nine-hitter to beat Derringer, 6-5, in the second game.

Knott of the Philadelphia Athletics, downed the Detroit Tigers, 5-4, with five hits, despite two homers by Higgins.

Army-Navy Sanitary Bill Signed by Roosevelt

WASHINGTON, July 14. (AP) President Roosevelt has signed a house bill to forbid prostitution within such reasonable distance of military and naval establishments as the secretaries of war and navy shall determine to be needful to the efficiency, health, and welfare of the army and navy.

Defense Quiz

Q. Can I authorize my employer to allot portions of my salary each pay day until enough is accumulated to buy a Defense Savings Bond? A. Yes. More than a million workers and salaried people have already asked that their money be saved in this way. Q. Does the Treasury provide systematic savings facilities for individuals not employed by those organizations which have payment-allotments plans? A. Yes. The Treasury has a regular purchase plan under which especially designed reminder envelopes are mailed at intervals of your choice. Nearly 100,000 people are already using this plan to save systematically. Note: To buy Defense Bonds and Stamps, go to the nearest post office or bank, or write to the Treasurer of the United States, Washington, D. C., for an order form.

this city, left today for Portland to join their three other sons, David, Jimmy and Herbert, who are there visiting their grandparents. Rev. Mr. Sylvester has announced that there will be no church service at St. Paul's Lutheran church this coming Sunday, as he has been called to Seattle this week by the critical illness of his sister, who is in a hospital there. Rev. and Mrs. Sylvester and four of their sons, will return to Roseburg next week, while the others, Jimmy, Paul and Ted, will remain in the city for a vacation.

League Standings

Table with columns for National, American, and Pacific Coast leagues, listing teams and their wins/losses.

WEATHER STATISTICS

By U. S. Weather Bureau Humidity 4:30 p.m. yesterday 27% Highest temperature yesterday 97 Lowest temperature last night 65 Precipitation for 24 hours .00 Precip. since first of month .01 Precip. from Sept. 1, 1940 30.78 Deficiency since Sept. 1, 1940 17.0

LEAPING BEAST

Crossword puzzle grid with clues for horizontal and vertical words.

Large crossword puzzle grid with numbers indicating starting positions for words.

SERIAL STORY

LOVE POWER

BY OREN ARNOLD

YESTERDAY: Disturbed by the mystery telegram, Carolyn reveals the envelope, leaves it on Leana's desk. Then she investigates the shipment. The X-999 is to be carried in a freight car, accompanied by guards. The freight is held up, robbed. Bob is wild. All his X-999 is gone. But Carolyn calms him. "The stuff isn't there. I took it out, myself."

CAROLYN WORKS FAST

CHAPTER XV BOB came to Carolyn's home because it was the quickest way for them to meet. She had snatched on the first clothes available and she literally ran into the night when his car swerved to the curb. He stopped halfway out the door, hatless, his hair uncombed, wearing not even a coat or tie. His voice was a study in misery. "Oh, Bob!" She tried to speak calmly. "The X-999 was not on that freight train! It is still safe here in the city!" "I helped put it on myself, yesterday morning!" "No! You put on dummy packages! Bob—listen, I know you don't understand, but Ken Palmer and I removed those inner leaden boxes and substituted rocks! Yes, rocks!" "But Carolyn—" He was beginning to believe, at least to hope. He gripped her shoulders now. "I was going to tell you but you were away all day yesterday. Ken and I did our work at 2 in the morning. The stuff is safe. I—Bob, I had a sort of tip. A hunch! Don't ask me any more yet. Just come on! Let me drive!" She ran around to the wheel and when he had collected his wits again they were well out toward their Schoenfeld Laboratory.

"What are we going to do?" he asked. "I want to stop your worrying. If you won't ask too many questions. Bob, I—oh, you must trust me! You must! I mean, about why I did it." He was silent for a block longer. "Of course, Carolyn. I am so deeply grateful now that I would do anything you ask. Frankly, I am almost sick with the letdown. You have no idea what a strain this has been!" "Yes, I think I have."

SHE took him right into the compound and to the laboratory proper. He was surprised to see several of their hired guards still on duty. "I ordered them to stay," she explained. "And paid them."

She had a key to the laboratory door. "I copied your key, Bob. Had it done. Stuck yours on chewing gum to get a mold, then used candle wax. A keysmith cut one easily from that. I—forgive me, Bob! And wait!" She let him in and the door closed behind them. For a moment they stood in semi-darkness. Only the great looming form of the Schoenfeld cyclotron assailed them, silhouetted in part against the high windows. Lesser machines, bulky and strangely ominous even by day, were lurking beasts here at night, great black forms about the vast room.

"Perhaps it is best not to turn on the main lights," she said. "Wait—a desk lamp—" She crossed to the sturdy oak cabinet table where work sheets were usually spread out. In a moment she had the small light burning. "Bob—please." He came over. He was still in somewhat of a daze. While he watched, she swung back one of the four broad bottom doors of the cabinet. Gingerly she then lifted the lid of a strong wooden packing box. Bob peered in. He saw four small leaden cases, sealed, cushioned in crude but effective hurlap padding. He knew them to be his own. "Carolyn!" He barely breathed that, but it was a speech of infinite relief and gratitude.

LEAST state police and newspaper reporters flooded the laboratory. Bob hastened to go back downtown. He didn't want too much attention to him and his work. He explained to police that his shipment had been chemicals only and that he couldn't imagine who would steal them, nor why. But one of the twin robbers was caught. He talked freely. "I tell you, I don't know what we was after," he kept saying. "We was hired to bring off a heavy box. It musta been a money box, but somebody beat us to it and put in rocks! Springs and cotton around 'em, yeh! Damnedest thing I ever seen. But we not paid first!"

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