

Cheerio Chapters Fun for All the Children

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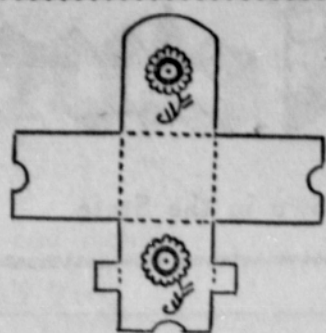
JAKE GETS TO THE GAME

Jake was the older brother of three others. His father was not living and the family did not have a great deal of money to spare. Each of the children had to take turns with their pleasures for there wasn't enough for them all to go places at once. Now Jake had had his turn this week. He had been to a fair and spent all his share of the pleasure allowance. He hadn't had an idea that this big football game was going to be played right in the home town stadium this Saturday afternoon. If he had, he would rather have gone to that than to the fair. But that was too late to consider now. The fair was over and he didn't have any money to go to the game. He had said to his mother, "Oh, mother, Western is playing Garnet this Saturday, couldn't I go?" But his mother had looked at him in great surprise as she said, "Why Jake, you know you could go if mother had enough money to let you, but you have used up your share of the allowance and if you went to the game one of your brothers would have to wait a whole week before he had a turn at any fun. You wouldn't consider that, would you?" And of course Jake had shook his head. But somehow he did want to get to that game.

As he was reading the funny



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page in the paper that night, he suddenly jumped to his feet. "I have it, Mom! I'm going to the game after all, yes sir, I'm going." No one could get him to tell what his secret was but late on Friday he had not come home to supper. His mother grew quite anxious about him. Five o'clock went by, six o'clock, and six-thirty. Jake's family waited and tried to keep his supper hot, and his mother tried not to act worried before the little brothers but in her heart she was wondering. What could have become of him? Then they heard footsteps on the front porch. Some one was bounding up the steps in great excitement. Yes, it was Jake all right, a very happy Jake with four packages under his arm and a smile on his face. But what in the world had happened to his face. It was all stained with blue from ear to ear, and his suit was just one mass of stains.

"Jake darling," said his mother, "what in the world have you been doing?"

"Gee, Mom, I'm sorry about the suit. I can get that cleaned up, you know, and I can wash my face, but the important thing is, I won, Mom, and I won enough to go to the game and enough to buy you all a present, one for each. Isn't that great?" He could hardly speak be

was so out of breath with excitement.

"Of course it's great, dear," said his mother sweetly, "that is if you're sure it's all right, but what is it that you won, child?"

"The pie eating contest, Mom. Blueberry pie it was and I ate more pies than all the other twenty boys who tried out. I saw about it in the paper and I went to try down at the Y. M. C. A. They gave three dollars to the winner. And, say, aren't you going to open your packages?" Well you can imagine it was a very jolly family that night, with Jake telling them all the funny things that happened in the contest and each one with a box of chocolates.

FURNITURE FOR A DOLL HOUSE

This miniature doll house furniture is for a miniature doll house which you can make out of two paste board boxes. Use the cover for one story and the box part for the other. Place one on top of the other, top sides up, and then cut down the sides in front. Three pieces of furniture are given, but others can be made. For instance take the dresser pattern and make the center portion longer. In this way you can make a bed. To make the table steadier paste a thin strip of paper from leg to leg, one crossing the other. A nice couch can be made by also using the dresser pattern but this time making the center portion wider instead of longer.

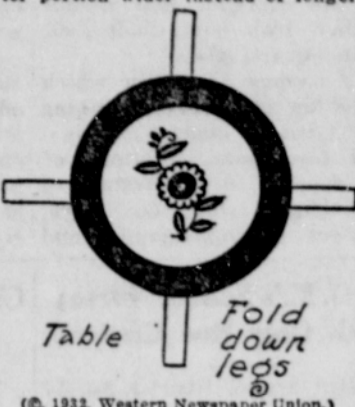


Table - Fold down legs.

Lights of New York

By WALTER TRUMBULL

Ed Wynn and Jack Hazzard were playing a game they called golf at the Sound View course. This is the course situated at Great Neck, Long Island, and patronized by actors, managers, writers and one or two golfers. The Wynn-Hazzard match was being fought with desperate valor and astounding stamina, when Frank Craven overtook it. He could see from the tenseness of the contestants that the betting must be high.

"What are you fellows playing for?" he demanded.

"Fifty cents a hundred," was the reply.

Frank Craven did a bit of broad-

casting the other evening, to oblige Charles Francis Coe. He asked what he was to say.

"Oh, anything funny," said Coe. Craven said this reminded him of the time the Schuberts told Al Thomas that all a certain show needed was one intensely funny line.

"For instance?" said Mr. Thomas.

A New Yorker was horribly bored by the pointless conversation of an over-ginned friend, but could not get away. Finally the licker went to the inebriate's diaphragm and he emitted a loud "hic!"

"Scuse me," he muttered. "Don't apologize," protested the New Yorker, "for the most eloquent thing you've said tonight."

Every time the Boston Braves come to New York, I try to see Bill McKe-

AN IMPEDIMENT



"What, you can't indulge in free speech in this country?"

"N-n-no—I s-s-stammer."

nie and Lank Hank Gowdy, two of the finest products ever grown on a baseball field. Did you ever hear the story concerning Mr. Gowdy and the diamond ring? Well, witnesses can be produced to vouch for its truth. After the tall catcher had come back from France and changed from army to baseball uniform again, it was only natural that some ceremony should accompany his reappearance on a Boston diamond. A delegation of prominent citizens trooped to the place and the mayor, who was then, I believe, Andrew J. Peters, made a truly touching speech. He reminded his hearers that Henry Gowdy had not waited to hear his name called by any draft board, but had been among the first of the volunteers to go to bat for the U. S. A. He spoke of the admiration and affection of the fans, of their real joy in the sight of Henry Gowdy returning from the dreadful pit of blood and flame, unscathed. He spoke so feelingly that there was a choke in many a throat, including that of former Sergeant Gowdy. As a token of their appreciation, said the mayor, the loyal rooters had subscribed to a fund to purchase a lasting token of their esteem. It was his pleasure and his privilege to present Henry Gowdy with a diamond ring. The recipient of this handsome gift stood gripping it in his fingers amid a rather tense silence. Finally, a teammate nudged him, whispered that he must say something. Henry Gowdy gulped and swallowed. He wet his lips, seeking for words eloquent and descriptive enough adequately to express all he felt. At last he spoke. "Holy cow!" said Henry Gowdy.

Clyde Beatty, head man of animal trainers, is by no means the only prominent citizen of Chillicothe, Ohio, who found his way to New York. John Frederick Erdman, the famous surgeon, spent his boyhood there, although I think he was born in Cincinnati. And there are several others.

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Built to Fly in the Stratosphere



This is the F-1000-1, France's first stratosphere built by Henry Farman with support of the government, which was given its first test near Versailles recently in the presence of many aviation experts. The plane is designed to attain a speed up to 375 miles an hour flying at altitudes above 60,000 feet. It is chiefly distinguished from an ordinary monoplane by its great wingspread and by the air compressors attached to the fuselage enabling flyers and motor to breathe compressed stratosphere air. It is hoped that a trip from Paris to New York may be made in less than 10 hours in the new plane.

New York's "Swap Market"



Brought on, no doubt, by current "hard times," a new kind of market has sprung into being in New York, and is probably doing more "business" than any other market in the world. It is known as an "exchange market," but is more fittingly called the "swap market." It started in a tiny spot beneath the steel structure of the Williamsburgh bridge, at Delancey and Ridge streets, and has spread out considerably with the daily increasing demand for trade. In probably nine-tenths of the business done beneath the bridge, money takes no part. Any possession of a prospective trader can be exchanged for something in the stock of the market, provided of course, its value does not exceed the value of the article desired by the customer.

HOW IT STARTED

By JEAN NEWTON

Knowing Where Shoe Pinches
TO KNOW where the shoe pinches is a salty phrase that is frequently used in modern speech in allusion to suffering that cannot be judged or understood by the outsider.

And it is no bit of modern slang, for the saying comes down to us from a story told about a Roman general, Lucius Aemilius Paulus, who lived from 229 to 160 B. C. Lucius, having divorced his wife, was asked the reason for his action. Holding out his shoe he remarked: "None of you knows where it pinches but he that wears it!"

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War Vet Claims to Have Worn Smallest Uniform

New Bedford, Mass.—Timothy J. O'Leary of this city, who recently was awarded the Purple Heart medal for being wounded in action, claims to have worn the smallest uniform issued by the government during the World war.

He was only 5 feet 2 inches when he enlisted and wore size 5 shoes.

O'Leary was in New York's "Fighting Sixty-ninth" regiment and for a time was orderly for Col. William J. "Wild Bill" Donovan. He was standing within 20 feet of Joyce Kilmer, the poet, when the latter was killed.

Don't Write Too Much
Incessant scribbling is death to thought.—Carlyle.

Tanned Buffalo Hides Sent to National Parks

Great Falls, Mont.—Hides of 78 buffaloes tanned here recently have been shipped to 14 national parks and the national park service at Washington.

The hides, the first tanned here in many years, were taken from buffalo in the Yellowstone park herd.

The hides were distributed as follows:

Rocky Mountain National park, four; Glacier park, two; Grand Canyon park, four; Colonial Monument, four; Zion and Bruce park, one; Hot Springs park, two; Wind Cave park, two; Acadia park, four; Grand Teton park, four; Lassen Volcanic park, one; Mount McKinley park, six; Hawaiian park, one, and Yellowstone park, 27.

The rest of the hides were shipped to Washington.

DIDN'T SEEM RIGHT



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Spoiled Child



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Pride of Possession
"Every man is entitled to his own opinion."

"Of course," replied Miss Cayenne, "but opinions are sometimes like small children. The worse the impression they make the prouder their parents seem."—Washington Star.

Fact That Hurts
Insects, says an eminent entomologist, compete with man for the food supply of the world. But even that wouldn't bother us so much, if they didn't go and regard us as part of the food supply.—Boston Herald.



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My Neighbor Says:

TO REMOVE scratches from walnut furniture, take a shelled walnut and rub the scratch until the oil from the walnut has penetrated into the wood. Polish with furniture polish applied on a soft cloth.

Strawberry jam is delicious served over ice cream. If a tall glass is used, alternate the ice cream and jam until the glass is full. Other jams and fruit preserves may be used the same way.

An electric light bulb is handy to use as a stocking drier.

When using raisins in a cake, cover them with warm water and let stand three minutes. Drain and while raisins are warm, cut with scissors. They will be moist in the cake when baked.

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The KITCHEN CABINET

Satisfying Dishes

FOR a delectable dessert that is not only beautiful to the eye, but satisfying to the palate, try:

Orange Cream.—Soak two tablespoonfuls of gelatin in one-quarter cupful of cold water and dissolve in one-half cupful of hot orange juice, adding one-half cupful of sugar. Fold in one and one-half cupfuls of whipped cream and one-half cupful of orange pulp cut fine. Serve with a fruit sirup.

Tapioa Cream.—Take one-third of a cupful of quick cooking tapioa, add one-half cupful of sugar, one-fourth teaspoonful of salt and one quart of milk. Cook in a double boiler (stirring often) for 15 minutes. Add one egg yolk slightly beaten, one teaspoonful of flavoring and cook for a minute or two, stirring vigorously. Remove from the fire and add the stiffly beaten white of the egg. Chill and serve in glasses with fruit crushed or cut into bits as sauce.

Chocolate or caramel sauce or maple sirup with a few chopped nuts may serve for variety in sauces.

Fold whipped cream into the pudding and serve with orange sections or bits of pineapple.

Fold in chocolate sauce mixed with whipped cream. Canned fruit sauce, coconut, marshmallow sauce or canned fruits all make delectable sauces for the pudding.

Club Cookies.—Take one cupful of shortening, one cupful of sugar, one egg, one-half cupful of sour cream, one-half teaspoonful each of soda and cream of tartar and three cupfuls of pastry flour. Mix as usual and put the dough out to two inches thick and chill overnight. Roll and cut into any desired shape. Bake in a moderate oven ten minutes.

Filling.—Take one cupful of stewed stoned prunes, one-half cupful of lemon juice, one-fourth cupful of sugar and one-half cupful of prune or apricot juice. Cook together, adding one tablespoonful each of butter. Cool before using.

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