

Brown Bomber Strikes Again



Picture Parade

Seldom has Twentieth Century sportdom seen a figure so sensational and consistently spectacular as Joe Louis, heavyweight champion who won his title on June 22, 1937, by knocking out James J. Braddock in the seventh round of a scheduled 15 round bout. Joe Louis is again in the news because he risks his title again January 27. Negro Louis (above left) will fight John Henry Lewis (above right), light heavyweight titleholder and also a Negro, a boxer whose success has been almost as sensational as that of the "brown bomber." In 1937 he rose like lightning, winning 11 out of 12 bouts. But Joe Louis has fought about 39 times since July 4, 1934, and has lost only once. That was when Max Schmeling, the German, knocked him out in the 12th round.



Last June 22, Louis met Schmeling again. Earlier, former champion Jim Braddock and Jack Dempsey visited him at camp. Said Braddock: "I believe he will turn the trick in five rounds." Joe fooled him. After 2:04 minutes, the shortest championship bout on record, announcer Harry Balough raised the victor's hand. Joe floored Max three times in the first round. Schmeling's seconds threw in the towel.



Louis was in top form that night, as shown by the above picture. Schmeling completely missed a left to the head as Joe drove a right uppercut to the chin and swung his left into action. This was revenge, and it brought joy to the youngsters at Detroit's Brewster Center, where Joe received his first boxing lesson. At right he is shown holding two hero worshipers.



A sensible, calm-headed fighter, Joe Louis is retiring in private life. Much of his success he attributes to his wife, Marva Trotter Louis, shown here eating breakfast with him the morning after he trounced Max Schmeling.



Furniture May Be Built From Old Left-Overs

By BETTY WELLS

"Old but not antique," writes Mrs. R. H. R., "that was the trouble with the furniture in my guest room. But I designed it all over and did the remodeling myself, and it really looks quite exciting. My husband helped with the carpentry."

"The color scheme is black and white, and the result is modern. I cut the legs off the bed and set the side boards up making it more contemporary looking. The base of the draped dressing table is an old oil stove with boards across the top and a skirt added. The night table is an old medicine cabinet that was on a dresser years ago. The chest of drawers is an old bureau with the mirror taken off and hung on the wall."

"Both bed and chest of drawers are painted white with a wedge-shaped panel of black painted boldly down the center of each. Dressing table skirt is white with black banding and white ball fringe. On



My husband helped with the carpentry.

The floor I have crocheted rugs in geometric design. The slipper chair is covered in black with piping in white. Bedspread is white with black piping. Curtains are white with rows of pink and black ball fringe. The wall paper is pale pink with this note of pink is repeated in lamps, dressing table bottles and cushions.

"So many of my friends have copied my idea and have found it very inexpensive to work out. I thought maybe your readers might like to hear about it too, and I would feel so thrilled to have helped others solve their problems."

"Thank you, Mrs. R. I think you've been very clever in making such an attractive room out of left-overs. I'm always delighted to hear from my readers about decorating experiences."

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Infirmary Buries Man Unknown for 25 Years

LAFAYETTE, IND.—Tippecanoe county infirmary officials buried an inmate who had lived in the institution 25 years without his name being learned. The man, who could not speak English and was believed to be a Turk, was taken there after he fell from a freight train and suffered a broken back. He died yesterday.

SKEET CHAMP



Phil Miller, French Lick Springs, Ind., skeet and trapshoot expert, is three-way national champ. He missed only 31 out of 3,059 targets in 1938 to win high average honors. He is also Class AA champ and head of the Class A doubles group.



Danny was sure and Nanny just knew. Such wonderful babies he'd never before.

FUNNY. Isn't it, how wonderful all babies are? They really are, you know. But the funniest thing of all is how each papa and mamma think their babies the most wonderful babies that ever lived or ever will live.

There were Mr. and Mrs. Peter Rabbit. They thought and they said that there never had been such babies as Fuzzy, Wuzzy, Little Pete, and Little Jed, about whom you all know. And there was Johnny and



"Did you ever see such beautiful babies in all your life?"

Polly Chuck up in the far corner of the Old Orchard. They thought and they said that their babies were the most wonderful in all the world. And there were Unc' Billy Possum and old Mrs. Possum. You only had to look at them when Mrs. Possum took their nine babies out for an airing in her big pocket to know what

LET'S MAKE A HOME



China Inaugurates Policy To Assist War Orphans

Teachers' Personalities Judged on 'S' Traits

SPRINGFIELD, MO.—Modern schools have become so technological that the teacher's personality has been virtually eclipsed, and that is not desirable, says Dr. Merle Prunty.

Dr. Prunty is curriculum director at Stephens college, where many teachers have studied. Personality, he told the Southwest Missouri Teachers association, is more important than degrees in its "potent influence on the lives of boys and girls."

An effective personality for teachers, Dr. Prunty said, includes these "S" attributes: sense, sincerity, spirituality, simplicity, sympathy, scholarship, strength, self-control, serenity, sweetness, scientific organization, self-reliance, sportsmanship, salesmanship, and skill.

Children to Receive Expert Attention in Farm Homes and Camps.

HANKOW.—"Here's a receipt for your son. Don't worry, we'll take him to a very safe place where there is no bombing. He will be fed well, we'll teach him to read and write and a trade. And when the war is over you present this receipt and you'll have him back."

Thus hundreds, even thousands, of Chinese boys and girls become "temporary orphans" for the duration of the war, to be cared for and fed by nation-wide organizations instead of left as a burden on already starving parents.

For the same war that makes tens of thousands of Chinese children homeless and robs them of whatever start in life they would have had in peace, paradoxically is providing many with better care and more favorable conditions than they normally would have had. The majority of the children left destitute by the war are the children of the poor.

Receive Expert Supervision.

Organizations have sprung up to collect these children from city and hamlet, and to send them in groups to new country homes in the interior, where they will receive expert attention. Not only this, but they will partake in the construction of the New China in hitherto unexploited territory.

Most of the children are not orphans in any but an economic sense. Their parents are living, but themselves penniless and homeless. They are in no position to support their children. That they should give them up to an organization which is able to look after them in safety is common sense, the parents realize.

Brought from within a 100-mile radius of Hankow, the children are fed, clothed (white blouse and blue overalls) and given a badge on which is written their name, age and group. Three photographs are taken—one for the association's file, one to be sent to the future camp or home in the interior and one for the godparents who undertake to pay their expenses at the home.

Cost Less Than \$1 Monthly.

It costs about 85 cents a month to "adopt" a child in this way. In Chungking numerous pledges for the support of war orphans have been made by the rich. The former mayor of Chungking, Li Ken-ku, set the example by offering to support 20 of them for an indefinite period. A well-known banker is playing godfather to 40. There are cases where foreigners living abroad are supporting a hundred or more children. Thus far there is only one case reported in which the godparents actually adopted the child into the home.

As soon as transportation can be obtained groups of children set off with teachers for their new homes. Most of them are in Szechuen, Kwangsi, Kweichow and Kwangtung. A camp also is being prepared in northern Hupeh province within hiking distance of Hankow. The children in these refugee camps are taught handicrafts, such as spinning, weaving, bamboo work, knitting and also gardening. In this way they become almost self-supporting.

RATTLESNAKE PETE



A living character from the days of the wild and woolly west barged into San Francisco recently. He is Gus Robson, better known as "Rattlesnake Pete," spry and rarin' to go, despite his 77 years. Full of hair-raising tales of Injuns, Buffalo Bill, Calamity Jane, Wild Bill Hickock and other celebrities of the old west.

Courtesy Police Effective LONDON.—"Courtesy cops" have reduced the number of accidents on the roads they patrol by 20 per cent, so their corps is to be increased.

QUAINT GUNSHOP PRESERVES HISTORIC FIREARMS

NEW ORLEANS.—A quaint little gunshop, nestled in the heart of the French Quarter in New Orleans, is serving the needs of present-day gun lovers while preserving the arms of bygone days.

Louis L. Bouron, the last of a long line of gunsmiths, maintains a collection of arms ranging from the blunderbuss in use during the early Nineteenth century to the present day automatic rifle.

Bouron, besides catering to sportsmen whose guns need repairing, is also official gunsmith for the museum at the Cabildo. Any old gun, before it is sent to the museum or handled by persons not familiar with firearms, first is sent to Bouron, who checks it and puts the weapon in order.

"It is surprising how many are still loaded," he said. Bouron's shop was founded in 1860

by Philip Bouron, his father. The elder Bouron was from Nantes, France.

Only once has the shop been closed. That was following the Civil war, when the city police, under orders of the governor of the state, a carpetbagger, ordered all weapons taken from the shop to prevent their falling into the hands of the citizens. When the carpetbaggers were put down, not a few citizens were carry-

ing arms from the little gun shop. In the old days when gentlemen with different points of view settled their arguments on the field of honor, Bouron rented pistols.

Resting on a rack is a weapon which until a few years ago was in demand by hunters. It is called a punt gun, capable of killing 150 ducks with one shot. The weapon is 7 feet 4 inches long and weighs 90 pounds.

Quickly Memorized Square Is Exclusive



Pattern 1849.

Use up those odd moments crocheting this square that you'll know by heart in no time. Six inches in string, an excellent size for cloths and spreads, it also lends itself effectively to many small accessories in finer cotton. Pattern 1849 contains directions for making the square; illustrations of it and of stitches; materials required; photograph of square.

Send 15 cents in stamps or coins (coins preferred) for this pattern. To The Sewing Circle, Needlecraft Dept., 82 Eighth Ave., New York, N. Y.

The Penguin

Penguins are perhaps the most unusual members of the bird kingdom. Their home is the frozen wastes of the south Polar seas. They have wings, but cannot fly. Their short, chubby legs are so far back that, on land, they walk upright, appearing like stout little men in evening dress.

The female lays a single egg, and the birds spend most of their lives afloat, feeding on fish and mollusks. Their wings, useless in the air, serve as flippers in the water, and they are marvelous swimmers.—Washington Post.

A Three Days' Cough Is Your Danger Signal

No matter how many medicines you have tried for your common cough, chest cold, or bronchial irritation, you may get relief now with Creomulsion. Serious trouble may be brewing and you cannot afford to take a chance with any remedy less potent than Creomulsion, which goes right to the seat of the trouble and aids nature to soothe and heal the inflamed mucous membranes and to loosen and expel germs.

Even if other remedies have failed, don't be discouraged, try Creomulsion. Your druggist is authorized to refund your money if you are not thoroughly satisfied with the benefits obtained. Creomulsion is one word, ask for it plainly, see that the name on the bottle is Creomulsion, and you'll get the genuine product, and the relief you want. (Adv.)

Joys Concealed

He who can conceal his joys, is greater than he who can hide his griefs.—Lavater.

HEADACHE?

Here is Amazing Relief for Conditions Due to Sluggish Bowels. If you think all headaches are alike, just try this all-vegetable laxative. No pills, no surgery, no fasting, no purging. Dependable relief from sick headaches, bilious colic, tired feeling, constipation, and all other ailments associated with constipation. Without Risk. Druggists. Make the test—then if not satisfied, return the box to us. We will refund the purchase price. Get NITONIGHT today. NITONIGHT. ALWAYS CARRY IT. QUICK RELIEF FOR ACID INDIGESTION.

Overburdened. A dying man can do nothing easy.—Franklin.

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That Nagging Backache

May Warn of Disordered Kidney Action. Modern life with its hurry and worry, irregular habits, improper eating and drinking—its risk of exposure and infection—throws heavy strain on the work of the kidneys. They are apt to become over-taxed and fail to filter excess acid and other impurities from the life-giving blood.

You may suffer nagging backache, headache, dizziness, getting up nights, leg pains, swelling—feel constantly tired, nervous, all worn out. Other signs of kidney or bladder disorder may be burning, scanty or too frequent urination. Use Doan's Pills. Doan's help the kidneys to get rid of excess poisonous body waste. They are antiseptic to the urinary tract and tend to relieve irritation and the pain it causes. Many grateful people recommend Doan's. They have had more than forty years of public approval. Ask your neighbor!

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