



Weekly Picture Story

G.I. JOE & IVAN

● In the "friendly city" of Vienna, occupied by the big four powers under an allied control council, G.I. Joe and Ivan were once friendly. Strained by recent incidents, however, that friendship is now fast disappearing. In the scene above American and Russian officers take the salute from passing red army troops, and at right an American and Russian soldier are friends. Those days are gone.



● Above four soldiers use an American vehicle to patrol the international district. The patrols continue, but they are often grim. Let to right in the car are: Soviet, British, French and American members.



● A glimpse of surface amiability is given in the picture above during the change-over ceremonies of troops in the city. Soviet officers (above) are mustering the nearest thing to a smile that the Reds ever display these days. At close range (right) the red soldiers appear young and tough. He is the counterpart of the American combat infantryman. A closer look discloses the results of months of rigorous training and discipline.



● Reminiscent of the Nazi goose-step is the heavy-booted "parade" strut of a Soviet army company as it marches into the square for the change-over ceremony of the big four control. Vienna, once a friendly and gay city even under occupation, has turned sour in recent months.

GRASSROOTS

by
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Hidden Taxes

IN THE EFFORT to provide the 50 billion dollars of increased tax revenue the President has insisted must be found, so we may pay as we spend in our defense preparations, a joint committee of congress has been holding sessions during the congressional recess. To that committee have been offered many suggestions for the garnering of new tax revenue.

The idea is to have each individual file with internal revenue that total amount of his income for 1945-46 and then for 1950, and the tax collector will collect from each one a special tax on the excess of 1950 over the amount for 1945. While it would apply to all, it would hit hardest the wage earning workers, the farmers and professional people. An eastern metropolitan newspaper computed the result that could be expected from such a tax, as approximately seven billion dollars a year, the vast majority of it coming from the workers, the farmers and professional people.

There are two reasons why that proposal has not been and will not be considered by any congressional committee: (1) It would be a direct tax, with no possible cover-up. Each individual would know definitely what he was forced to pay to the government. (2) It would effect a very large proportion of the voters of the nation. Members of congress would fear opposition from those who voted for the enactment of such a tax law on the part of organized labor, farm organizations and professional people.

Congress prefers to maintain the old fiction that taxes are paid by the rich and by the producing corporations, the transporters and distributors of commodities. Congress knows, and the people know, that all such taxes are definitely passed along to the consumers of such commodities, plus a bit for good measure—that it is the consumers who pay all the increased taxes levied against producers, transporters and distributors. But the member of congress who votes for a tax law that means "hidden" rather than direct collection of taxes can stand on a political stump and assure his constituents that he voted to tax the corporations, not the people, and to some extent he still gets away with such false statements.

If the taxes levied against the producing corporations were not passed along to the consumers, the corporations would soon be out of business, and their workers would be out of jobs.

"Hidden" taxes represent a portion of the price of everything we buy. Approximately one third of the price of each loaf of bread is taxes.

All food products, clothing, home furnishings, fuel, light, and all services, such as laundry and cleaning, carry a portion of the tax load that is, and must be, passed along to the public, and we, the people, know that to be true. Only members of congress continue to consider the people silly fools who do not realize that we, not the corporations pay the taxes.

No, the John Doaks of the factories whose hourly pay has doubled or more during the past three years, or the farmers who have profited from the farm price support program of the government, or the professional people whose charges have doubled because of increased costs—none of these will have to dig up their annual earning figures for 1945-46, and then pay a special excess earnings tax on their 1950 income.

Congress does not wish to antagonize such a large percentage of voters as are represented by those classes. Members of congress, of both parties, prefer to continue the indirect, the "hidden" tax system. They can see a vast difference between increased profits when earned by a corporation, and an increased income when earned by an individual.

If we are to pay as we go and as we should, it will be the John Doaks, the farmers, and the consumers generally who will do the paying, regardless of whose pocket the tax collector digs into directly. One thing is certain: If we get all the revenue the President thinks we need, and we will, it will leave poor gleaming.

The one thing that is left is a manufacturer's sales tax. That will come, not as a relief for some other tax, but as an addition, and we, the consumers, will pay that.

Some day, the government may take the anti-inflation medicine it prescribes for the people and stop the wild spending in which it has so long indulged. Such spending constitutes as much an inflationary tendency as does the purchase of a new car, refrigerator, television set, or other modern conveniences purchased by the individual, but the government goes on spending.

SPORTSMAN'S HORIZON

By JIM RHODY

Comfort In Camp

A knowledge of camping fundamentals often spells the difference between an enjoyable, never-to-be-forgotten hunting or fishing trip and an uncomfortable, disagreeable experience. Naturally, experience is the best teacher, but information gathered beforehand will help eliminate costly errors and cut down considerably on "learning" time.

Weight, bulk, method of transportation, type of camp, utility, climate and quality all are factors to be considered when assembling the camping outfit. Especially is this most important during the fall and winter months when afield for deer or other big game in country where temperatures must be carefully considered. A good rule is to select your equipment to meet the worst weather and highest altitudes you may expect on the trip.

Get the best possible, when selecting an outfit. Remember, the best is none too good and, if you



"Know-how" makes for comfort in camp.

have to scrimp anywhere, don't do it on your camping equipment.

Your tent should be so constructed that ample ventilation is possible. Tents equipped with awnings, such as the umbrella and explorer types, provide protection outside the tent from rain and snow, as well as sun, and provide also a place to start the campfire in damp weather. Cloth floors should always be of heavy, waterproofed duck, and tents with detachable floors must be ditched to avoid water running in between sodcloth and groundcloth.

Clothing, of course, varies with climate. The problem of keeping warm in cold weather is one of retaining body heat. To do this, use several layers of light or medium weight clothing, as you will find these to be warmer than one heavy garment. It is also an advantage, as some layers can be removed when exertion increases body heat.

Too much emphasis cannot be put on the importance of footwear. Shoes made on the Munson last are best, as they allow the big toe to point straight forward, giving better balance to the body. Leather should be kept soft by frequent oiling. Wet leather shoes may be dried by filling them with hot pebbles, oats or newspapers.

A good night's bedding is most important to the camper, as anyone who has spent a night out-of-doors can tell you. Since about one-third of time in camp is spent in bed, this convenience cannot be underestimated. The most simple type is a ground cloth, or tarp and blankets. Another simple bed, when in country where it may be secured, is the bough bed, made of branches from the fir or spruce or other similar trees. Several layers of boughs, with leaves or dry grass on top, will make a very comfortable mattress on which to place your groundcloth and blankets. However, the best all-round bed for the camper is the sleeping bag. Practically every manufacturer of these makes an adequate, satisfactory bag and selection is chiefly a matter of choice.

Now You Know

Many factors enter into the picture of the present day poor fishing in the United States and Canada. Some of the chief factors responsible for the present lack of game fish in our lakes and streams are:

- (1) Logging operations, destruction by fire, or clearing of land for cultivation in the forests and in our lake and stream watersheds.
- (2) Pollution of our lakes and streams.
- (3) The large increase in number of sport and commercial fishermen.
- (4) Road construction opening up access to isolated lakes and streams.
- (5) Increased fishing intensity on lakes and streams readily accessible to the public.

Technique Does It

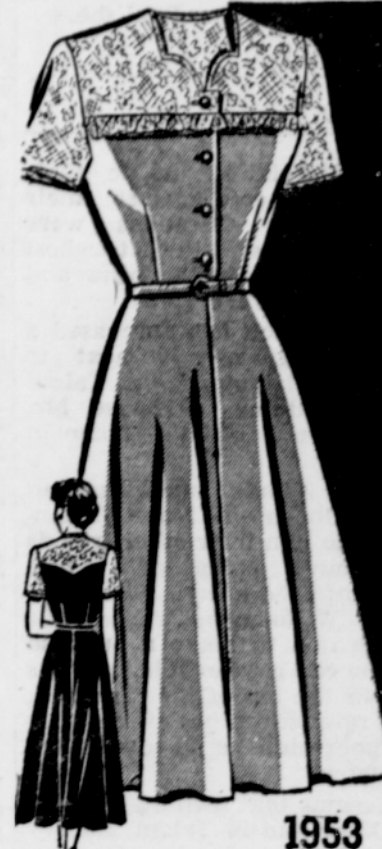
It is the accurate, smoothly dropped and cleverly-retrieved bait that makes fish dart out from hiding places and strike. By twitching the top of your rod and reeling in an irregular manner, you can impart lifelike action to your lures.

For floating plugs, let the lure lie on the surface a moment or two before starting the retrieve. Agitate it with jiggles of the rod tip.

SEWING CIRCLE PATTERNS

Afternoon Style Has Yoke Trim

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1953
36-52

Graceful Frock

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3215
11-18

Dash of Youth

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