



ENTERTAIN AT FAIR—Wilbur Hall and Rene, formerly with Paul Whiteman's orchestra and Ken Murray's Blackouts, are scheduled to provide entertainment for the Josephine county fair, which opens August 19 in Grants Pass.

On The Side

By E. V. Durling

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In the night I dreamed of you;
All the place was filled
With your presence! In my heart
The strife was stilled!
All night I have dreamed of you;
Now the morn is gray,
How shall I arise and face
The empty day?
—Amy Levy.

Ninety-nine per cent of New York City births take place in hospitals. Average for rest of the country is 87 per cent. A recent check-up on the facilities of New York City hospitals for blessed events revealed that in the great majority of institutions they are far from what they should be. Incidentally, the country's best hospital for a birth, from the standpoint of both mother and child, is said to be in Jersey City, N.J.

Briefly
How right George Moore was

when he observed: "The severest moralists are those who have never known the pain of temptation." . . . Men born under Leo (July 23-August 22) are great "show-offs." The best birthday gift for a Leo is therefore, a wild tie. The more brightly colored the better. Or so say the stargazers. . . How long do you think it would take a jet plane to travel from Soviet Russia to the United States? Answer is about seven minutes. Wales, Alaska, is only seventy-four miles from Russia.
Horses and Women
A group of models of Manhattan has named its selections for the "twelve greatest lovers" among modern males. This is, of course, a publicity stunt. What does the average model know

Newly-Weds Bumped Enjoy Hospitality

Natchez, Miss.—(U.P.)—Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Keller of Springfield, Ill., were sad honeymooners when a Southern Airways plane "bumped" them off here because of a mix-up in reservations.

Faced with the prospect of a day's layover, they were moping around the airport when

about love? Or great lovers? Models are too young to be expert on that subject. Only a woman of the world who is at least thirty qualifies for that. Besides to know love, to understand it, a woman must lose thought of herself and concentrate on the one beloved. That to the average model is impossible. The nature of her activity inspires her to think chiefly of herself. Models are the most self-centered of all women.

Optical Illusion
That a curved baseball is not an optical illusion was proven 82 years ago. The first man to toss a curved baseball was William "Candy" Cummings of the Brooklyn Stars. That was in 1864. Scientists immediately declared it was impossible to curve a baseball, that it was an "optical illusion." That it was "against all rules of physics." The point was argued for six years. Then Fred Goldsmith of New Haven, Conn., gave an exhibition of curve ball pitching in which he curved baseballs around poles. That was on August 17, 1870.

Please Note
A musical version of G. B. Shaw's "Pygmalion" with Lisa Kirk in the title role. That's what I suggested several months ago. At the time Lisa said she thought it was a wonderful idea. Now I see such a play is to be produced. But not with Lisa Kirk. It is to be either Mary Martin or Dolores Gray. I still prefer Miss Kirk for the part.
Passing By
"Sunny Jim" Fitzsimmons, the sage of Sheephead Bay, Dean of America's horse train-

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Kisses
How many consecutive kisses can a couple exchange before the lip muscles are exhausted? A New Yorker once wagered a large sum he could kiss Anna Held 200 times without stopping. After 152 kisses he quit completely exhausted and paid off the bet. How about it, young fellow? How many times do you think you could consecutively kiss Ava Gardner, Hedy Lamarr, Marjorie Little or Marilyn Monroe?
Get It Right
"Brooklyn has been sending film stars to Hollywood since Clara Bow." So I note it said. What does the man mean "since Clara Bow?" His ignorance as to Brooklyn and Hollywood history is appalling. Brooklyn was sending stars to Hollywood long before Clara Bow. As for examples, Norma Talmadge, Constance Talmadge and Anita Stewart. All these cinema charmers were born in the heart of Flatbush.
Fabulous Fellow
"Diamond Jim" Brady was worth around \$12 million. In his heyday he earned a million dollars a year. After Brady had known Lillian Russell for thirty years he proposed marriage to her. Offered to give her a million dollars in cash as a wedding present. Lillian turned him down and married Alexander Moore of Pittsburgh. "Diamond Jim" was also fond of a blonde from Brooklyn named Edna McCauley. He is said to have presented Edna with over a million dollars worth of jewelry. But she also turned down a proposal of marriage from him.

Suspected Numbers Racketeer Bites Cop

Columbus, Ohio —(U.P.)—Patrolman Orval Longbone said Friday a suspected numbers racketeer put the bite on him. Longbone said that when he stopped his police cruiser to arrest the suspect the man stuffed a handful of paper slips in his mouth.
"When I tried to keep the man from swallowing the papers he bit my finger," Longbone complained.

Wife Steals Sink; Husband Files Suit

Springfield, Ill.—(U.P.)—Charles W. Robinson is suing his former wife for \$1,000 damages for stealing the kitchen sink. Robinson said in his suit that when his former wife moved out of his house, she left everything but the kitchen sink. And when she took that, he said, she damaged the wall and two doors getting it out and ruined his lawn driving a truck up to get it.

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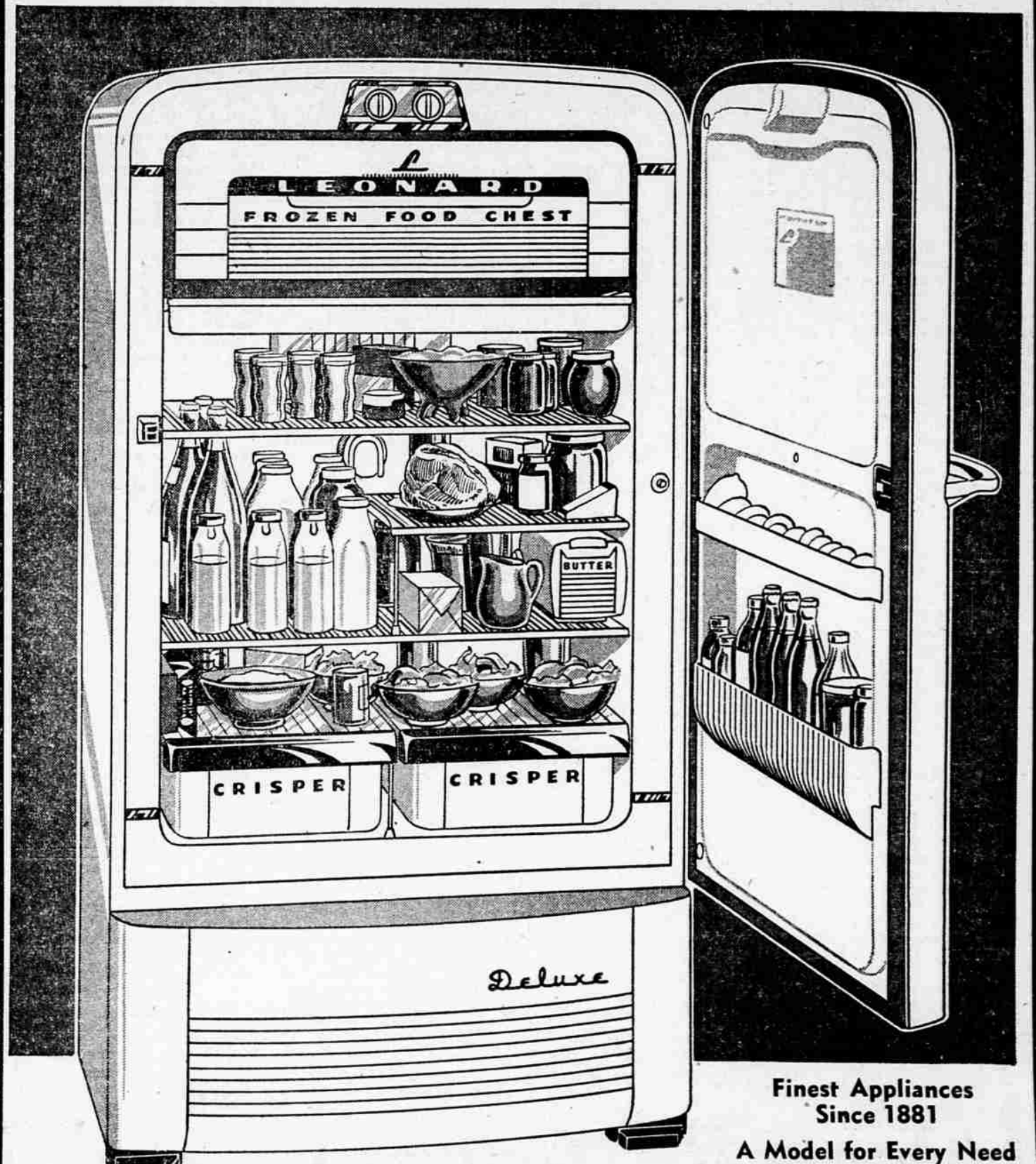
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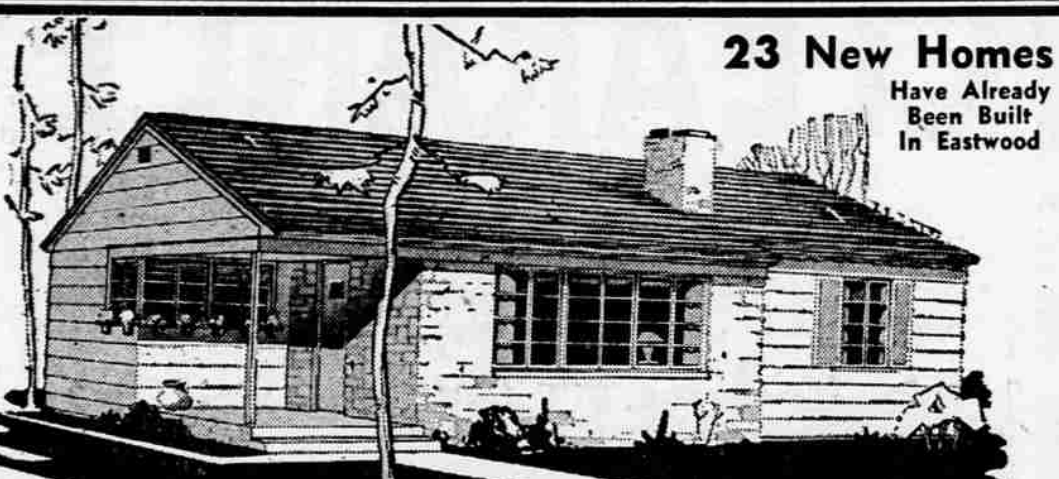
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