

They'll Do It Every Time
By Jimmy Hatlo

AND FURTHERMORE, GOOSEGREASE—YOU CAN TELL YOUR BOSS THAT HE'S GOTTA HAVE MY STORE PAINTED AND PAY FOR A NEW NEON SIGN IF HE WANTS TO KEEP MY BUSINESS! I KNOW LOTS OF OUTFITS THAT WOULD JUMP THRU HOOPS TO HAVE ME SIGN UP—

BUT LOOK, MR. BLOOD—STONE—WE'VE ALWAYS BEEN ABLE TO COME TO TERMS—

OL' BLOODSTONE'S A WISE APPLE—GETS US OVER HERE TO SCARE POOR GOOSEGREASE! I WOULDN'T WANT HIS BUSINESS—

YOU ONLY SELL HIM—I GOT TO WORK FOR HIM—I'D LIKE ME TO BE NIGHT-WATCHMAN HERE, TOO—

MY COMPANY PUT THIS GUY BLOOD-STONE OFF LIMITS TWO YEARS AGO—

LISTENING TO THE LOCAL DEALER PUT THE SQUEEZE ON THE SUPPLIER—
THANK AND A HATLO HAT TIP TO WILFRED C. GOSNELL, 5214 KIMBLE ROAD, BALTIMORE 18, MD.

On The Side
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Believe not each accusing tongue As most weak mortals do; But still believe that story wrong Which ought not to be true—Sheridan.

What size dress does your wife wear? How about hosiery? If you can say offhand exactly what your wife's sizes are, you are a husband in a hundred thousand. Anyway, some shops are now issuing wallet size cards on which a husband can have available the clothing size of his matrimonial mate.

Asides
Next to Christmas cards, the greeting card manufacturers do their best business on St. Valentine's Day cards. Apparently the spirit of romance still lives in the hearts of our countrymen. No doubt you are familiar with that spirited song titled "On The Road to Mandalay." But where is Mandalay? If you can't answer that without hesitation, cease considering yourself a well informed fellow.

Why Women Marry
Why did your wife marry you? Better not try to find out. Let it pass. As the man said, "When ignorance is bliss, it is folly to be wise." Anyway, Mai Zetterling, the conscientiously glamorous cinema luminary said recently: "women marry because they are insecure in themselves and want someone to protect them, look after them. That's why it is important to them. I'm perfectly fulfilled. I do not need a man to lean on or to protect me. I am a pretty independent person."

Sidelights
What are the six greatest pleasures or thrills experienced by a parent? One is when the child is born. Another is when he first talks. Next is when he first walks. You name the other three. . . In the State of Washington there is a town named George. However, as far as I know, I do not have a reader in George, Washington.

Passing By
Louis V. Fucci. One of the prime movers in that very helpful organization known as "The Hay Fever Association." This group offers advice on the relief of hay fever both in form of treatments and places where the ailment can be avoided. Mr. Fucci, who has an inventive mind, is the originator of the famous typewriter test sentence, namely: "The quick brown fox jumps over the lazy dog." Do you think it is easy to originate a brief, all-alphabet sentence? You try it. Your sentence must include all letters of the alphabet and have only 35 letters or less.

Asking
Queries from clients. Q. You say Lisa Kirk, the night spot entertainer, was once a Sunday School teacher. Why be so naive? Don't you know that is just a publicity gag? A. You are excessively skeptical, sir. What you refer to is definitely not "a publicity gag." Lisa Kirk was a Sunday School teacher in the Presbyterian church, Roscoe, Pa. Q. My claim is that the platform shoe is an Italian idea. Right? A. The type of shoe you mention was originated by a Frenchman, Schiaparelli introduced it.

Please Note
The lasting qualities of different brands of ball-point fillers vary considerably. I have one ball-point pen that I used for three months before the filler ran out of ink. I have another, a different brand, in which the filler ran out in less than two weeks. And in the case of this pen with the short lived ink supply, the filler costs nearly as much as the pen.

Storms Improve Water Supply Outlook

Recent storms have considerably improved the water supply outlook for the Medford Irrigation district, according to Jack Hoffbuhr, manager.

Hoffbuhr said that as of Saturday, Fish Lake was 1,000 acre feet short of being full, an improvement of about 600 acre feet over the measurement on March 1. There were 12 inches of snow on the ground last Saturday, compared to none two weeks before. Precipitation for that period totaled 4 1/2 inches.

At Four Mile Lake, snow depth had increased by about two feet, and the lake remained full.

Snow measurements still are less than normal, and the seasonal supply of irrigation water may be less than needed, Hoffbuhr said, but the recent storms have made the outlook somewhat more favorable. Given a few summer rains, irrigators should get through the season without undue difficulty, he said.

A town called Rough and Ready served as the county seat of Drew County, Ark., from 1846 to 1950.

Burglary Attempt Reported to Police

Central Point — An attempted burglary at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Webber, 457 First st., Central Point was reported to Central Point police about 7:30 p.m. Sunday, according to Police Chief Wallace Bowen.

Webber reported he heard the burglar enter the premises through an east bedroom window while he and Mrs. Webber slept in another bedroom. The burglar was frightened off when Webber arose to investigate, Bowen said. He left by the same route he had entered, it was reported.

The Webbers had just returned from a trip to Klamath Falls and had retired early. The burglar got as far as the living room before going back out, but nothing was reported missing, Bowen said.

The Family Council

Editor's note: The Family Council consists of a judge, a psychiatrist, three clergymen, a newspaper editor, a women's editor and two writers. Each article is a summary of an actual report. The Family Council does not give advice, it merely reports on problems that have been dealt with by responsible agencies and counselors.

Mrs. C. K. — Sandra should patch up her engagement.

Mr. C. K. — She should take a long trip.

Mrs. C. K. — My husband and I are all upset about our 25-year-old daughter, who recently broke her engagement.

Sandra is a nice-looking girl, but has never been popular. A year ago she met a very fine young man and they became engaged after a few months. Then Sandra discovered he had been regularly seeing an old flame. She gave back her ring immediately. She didn't want to hear any explanations and would accept no apologies.

I feel she was very wrong. Whatever his reasons for seeing this girl, I am sure this young man was perfectly serious about marrying Sandra. I feel that we ought to put pressure on Sandra to try to patch this thing up because I'm sure she won't find another man as suitable.

Mr. C. K. — I don't blame Sandra for breaking this engagement. If this young man could not be faithful to her through their engagement, what could she expect in the future?

I am just as concerned about Sandra's future as my wife, but I am in favor of a different course. Sandra has become much too independent since the breakup of this affair. She says she is going to be an old maid, so she has decided to devote herself to her career. She has taken out an endowment policy and is registered in courses to advance her career.

I feel that her concentration on becoming a career woman is a very bad idea. I want to give her a substantial money gift so she can take a good long vacation trip. This will take some of that independence out of her and give her a chance to look around.

The Council: These parents are probably unduly alarmed. The remedies they suggest are unlikely to work. Perhaps Sandra should have listened to the young man's explanation, but even if she had listened, she would probably not be inclined to accept what he had to say at face value.

On the other hand, Mr. C. K. takes Sandra's pledge to be an old maid a little too seriously. Many girls decide on exactly the course of action she has chosen following the breakup of an engagement. It is usually a pretty healthy sign. The girl tries to mend her hurt by telling herself she is not interested in marriage anyway. She throws herself into activity, she meets new people and within a short time has an entirely fresh outlook.

The long vacation trip to mend a broken heart seldom works. Vacations leave too much time for brooding. Instead of "looking around," Sandra is more likely to look within and return home feeling life has little that is interesting to offer her.

Less anxiety on the part of both parents is called for here. Mr. C. K. ought to hang onto that "substantial sum." He may find it will come in handy as a wedding gift to Sandra in the not-too-far future.

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110 Applications Made Under New Law Amendment

A total of 110 applications have been received by the Medford social security office under the recent amendment to the social security law providing for benefit payments to disabled workers 50 years of age or over, according to W. V. Nusbaum, district manager.

This is in addition to 530 applications to "freeze" wage records, received from disabled persons under age 50. "Freeze" applications have been taken since Jan. 1, 1955. However, applications for benefit payments have been accepted only since last October, with payments to start in July.

To have his earnings record frozen, or to receive disability payments, the applicant must be so severely disabled that he is unable to engage in any substantial work, the condition must have existed for at least six months, and it must be expected to continue indefinitely. Nusbaum pointed out. In addition, the applicant must have had at least five years work under social security, a year and a half of which was in the three year period immediately prior to the start of the disabling condition.

Applications filed before June 30 can be made retroactive for only one year with the result that workers who have been disabled for some time, and who have not worked since September 1954, will not be able to qualify to have their social security records frozen or to be paid disability insurance benefits at or after age 50.

The Medford social security office has received a supply of booklets explaining the disability program in detail. Anyone wanting a copy may call or write the office. The booklet is entitled "If You Are Disabled."

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French Army Recruits Display Ignorance

Pontoise, France — (U.P.) — A quiz of 3,500 young French Army recruits here showed 97 per cent knew who won last year's Tour de France bicycle race but only 15 per cent knew who heads their country's government, officials reported today.

Three conscripts said the Republic of France is ruled by a king.

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