# DEPICTING PEOPLE AND EVENTS



President Hears Students' Pleas; Rejects New Job Famed Hen, Aged 23, Dies of Old Age

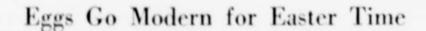


Robert Gordon Sproul, left, president of the University of California, rejected the proffered post of president of the Anglo-California National bank when 3,000 students massed and demonstrated against his leaving the school. The popular university head acceded to their wishes, and passed up the \$36,000-per-year job. At the right is part of the mass of students who voiced their protest gainst his leaving



## COWBOY LOUIS

Heavyweight Champion Joe Louis in training at Victorville, Calif., for his fight in April with Jack Roper, spars with a thorn-clad desert plant, known as a Joshua tree. The champ takes his pistol shooting seriously, and the cowboy attire isn't all bluff. The champ includes horseback riding as part of his training activities.





Colored eggs are as popular as ever this Easter, and children can decorate them with an unending variety of designs. This youngster has a whole parade of pets and other designs in decals for transfer to the eggs. While her mother looks on she dips the design in water, slides made easy.



Granny, 23-year-old hen, died of old age near Salisbury, N. C., recently. Property of Lawrence A. Taylor, Granny was the oldest hen in the world. She was widely known among poultry men and was frequently exhibited at shows. Until a year ago she laid an occasional egg.

### SHARPSHOOTER

Miss Sigur Bergerson, number one on the University of Washington girls' rifle team, who was national champion in 1938, is also number one hopeful for the national cham pionship of '39. Last year she fired 1,499 out of a possible 1,500.



For one year William Baker worked six hours daily baking this fruit cake which is on display at the San Francisco World's fair. Replicas on the cake, built exactly to scale, include 19 California missions, two bridges, Treasure island and parts of two cities. The elaborate decorations for the masterpieces are made of sugar frosting.



## Rugged Individualist Attends College Hard Way



To be "on his own" is the ambition of Horace Carson, University of North akota freshman from Monange, N. D. Carson, sen of a farmer, refused to ask for NYA assistance when he started school at Grand Forks, and built his own eight by eight tarpaper-covered house rather than accept a room in Camp Depression. off the backing-paper onto the egg and smooths it with a cloth. It's art the University's free dermitory. It cost him \$60 to build the house. Cooking his own meals, Carson's living expenses are approximately \$10 per month. He bought the lot, on an open prairie, for \$5.