

Six Maniacs Break Jail

PHOENIXVILLE, Pa., Dec. 18 (AP)—Six criminally insane army life term prisoners forced a window to escape from Valley Forge General hospital last night.

Police units hunting the fugitives called on civilians in radio broadcasts to help by reporting immediately any trace of the men. They warned the six were dangerous and should be approached with caution.

Heavily armed and equipped with torchlights, civilians and military police searched densely wooded sections and lonely country lanes in the hospital vicinity after the escape was reported shortly before midnight.

Matches can be waterproofed by dipping the heads in a creamy solution made by dissolving sal-lac in denatured alcohol.

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Christmas Seal Booth Does Holiday Business



These two Girl Scouts, Charlotte Stark and Marlene Peterson of troop 10, Fremont school, had the booth at Montgomery Ward's Saturday and Sunday Christmas seals throughout the day. Left to right, Jim Seckman of Merrill, Charlotte and Marlene.

Mother, Son Found Dead In Apartment

SEATTLE, Dec. 18 (AP)—Mrs. Patricia S. Stead, 46, and her son, Charles Oliver Baldwin Stead, 13, were found dead of stab wounds in a second-floor bedroom of their Lake Washington boulevard home Tuesday.

Coroner John P. Brill Jr.,

said apparently the woman slew her son and then herself. He said the husband and father, Charles B. Stead, reported he discovered the tragedy when he heard a gasping and entered the room via a ladder and window after finding the bedroom door locked.

STRANGE TOWN

The Bottom, a town on the island of Saba, in the Dutch West Indies, is built on the crater floor of an extinct volcano and can be approached from the shore 800 feet below only by hundreds of steps in solid rock known as the Ladder.

Classified Ads Bring Results.

Portland Reports Three Holdups

PORTLAND, Dec. 18 (AP)—Gunmen made three successful hold-ups last night from large food markets but total cash loot was not determined. Masked robbers obtained \$500 cash at Klenows Food market,

about \$600 at the Tower market and an unknown amount at a Safeway store. Earlier yesterday a lone gunman held up the National Laundry company office and fled with \$95 in cash and over \$6000 in checks. There are 75 counties in the state of Arkansas.

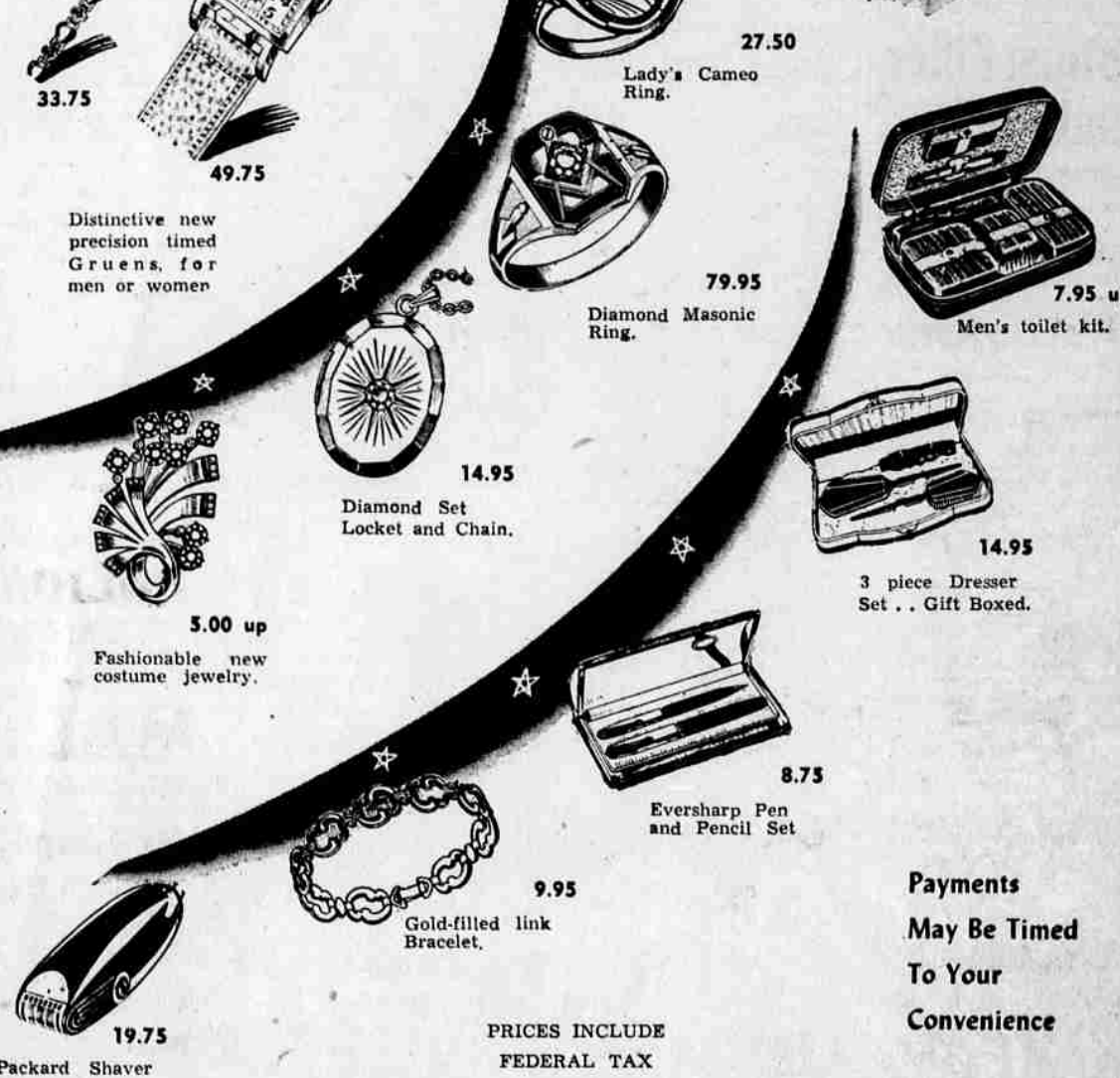
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