OUT OUR WAY

WHAT'S WRONG
WITH THIS? WE
WON'T BE GETTING
BITES ALL OF THE
TIME, SO IM
TAKING A CLOCK
ALONG TO PIX AND
A TYPEWRITER
TO PRACTICE ON!

OH HOW THOUGHTLESS

INCOGNITIESS
OF ME! WAIT
THE I GIT OUR
WEEK'S LAUNDRY
WASHBOARD
AN' SOAP- I
CAN'T SEAR TO
BE IN IN BETWEEK

BE IDLE BETWEEN FISH BITES!

MAJOR HOOPLE

THE GHOST BELL By Seckatary Hawkins

That night we got into our canoes and paddled down the river. is my partner now and, at last, I It was a beautiful moonlight night, have a job that is almost all drilling. and as soon as we had slipped Only, alas, temporary. There are away without being seen by the about 20 of us, "oldtimers," "exper-Pelham boys across the river, we ienced girls" (did "experienced" started singing:

beaming;

Sweet music fills the air.

teeming. And as I listened, I thought to myself whether or not we would feel like singing on our way back. thoughts to the other boys. Jerry Moore came in with his low bass

BIRTHDAY CLUB

Lawrence F. Ciszewski, 1521 Grand avenue, is 12 years old. Wayne Max Enerson, 161 Eigh-

Milladore, is 8 years old. Wayne Austin Akins, Eighth street south, is 12 years old. Marilyn Mae Peck, Route 3, is years old.

"Then, boatman, row us o'er the stream With steady hand and aplashing

We'll glide beneath the moon's soft beam Till home again we'll be once

more. We glided beneath the moon's soft beam at last upon the sandy beach of the Island and I was hoping we would be able to glide away again without any trouble after this night's business was over. A firefly flashing showed us where Norman was waiting for us above, down to the sandy beach with his electric flashlight.

"Glad you're here!" he exclaimed. "We'll go back to the log house take a look at this."

He moved over a bit and played sand.

"The giant's footprint," I said. "Come on, let's follow the trail." It was impossible to trace them farther than where the woods! began, even in daylight; and now. in the dark, what could a fellow do? We went with Norman over the beaten path that led to the log house. I could see no light as we neared, but when we got in the log house we saw that the windows on the table.

"You see," explained Norman, "I ins and his fellows.'

David was sitting by the lantern writing in a book that lay open bewe had come. "David's learning to read with

all crowded round and watched him. stand, motor arrested in midair, but He was just beginning to learn, explained Norman, and then he asked David to read some of it to us. Which he did, and it was such an interesting story that I finally looked up at his face to see if he wasn't making it all up himself. But no, he never spoke a word until he first felt the raised printing on the page with his finger-tips, and he had come to a certain page after a pause when he suddenly

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OPA CAUGHT WITH POINTS DOWN

Johnson City, Tenn. — (P) Two checkers for the Office of Price Administration, hunger-bound in an isolated country store, decided to lunch on pork and beans and cheese. But they had no ration books. "No points, no cheese or canned beans," said the proprietor. The checkers dined on unrationed crackers and candy.

HIT THE RIVET, SISTER

society girl who goes to work in a war plant.

once mean years instead of "The night is bright and clear, months?) that they shift around The moon is up, the stars are from job to job. Some day, when the Draft has captured the Lead- Pete refuses point-blank to have a men, we will, I suppose, he "Lead-With joy and love our hearts are ladies" and our crews all-female. Not soon, I hope. Out where all seem to be written, Women In In-scrape of our files. "n' I was tellin'

There's Evelyn, for instance Evelyn comes to work with a red rose he says it wasn't only her told him feet a second. tucked in her golden hair. She wears white shoes, rather dressy, and pastel-pink socks, and above her to make sure (interlude for inspectime zones? powder-blue flannel slacks she repeats the pink motif in a puff-sleevteenth avenue south, is 13 years old. | ed blouse. Most of us, by supper | huh? . . . What was I sayin ? Oh, Betty Jane Feenstra, Route 2, time, look as though we had worn our blouses for a week and had Dotty" never washed our hands. Evelyn is

> what you might call heavy work. Betty, on the other hand, is always eager to "get at it." She'll dash up and down from the stockroom, carry finished ships off to Inspection, push jigs with the best of them. In spirit, she's right up in the top flight of both reaching for the drill at the workers. But Betty's hand, holding same moment, never being ready a drill-motor, has no conviction in simultaneously with our gunning its grasp. Betty's gunset assumes and bucking. We have the same a life of its own and "goes and marks the rivet-mean old thing!"

The attitude of the "fellers" towards us females is a mixture of exasperation and indulgence, usually with indulgence triumphing. We are not expected to be able to adjust our and presently he came running dimplers, get our sets loose from the squeezers, get paint-stuck nuts "started." The "fellers" live in a wonderful atmosphere of homage and appreciated superiority. A few right away-but first, Hawkins, of them-mean guys-will say, "It's your job, sister," but the majority are willing enough to help us out. his light upon an impression in the They should be. Jim, six-foot, heavy-

strong?"

Heady wine, this.

Willy, asks. I have often And ordinary lantern was lighted, myself. Except for the moments of actual gunning, when making yourdon't want to lead them to our hid- most all of us are always chattering. ing place. And a light in any of We keep up a running commentary our windows would do that, very thing. Hello, Davey. Here's Hawkon the table. He was passing his of our fellow-workers: "Say, look at finger-tips over a page of raised Gwen and Bill, will ya? Looks kında serious, don't it?" . . . "Take a look fore him. He did not turn when at Harry. Boy, is he burned up!" . . we entered, but I could see by the "Say, did ya hear about Anne bein" smile on his lips that he was glad sick?" We tell long stories of our pasts, or of other people's.

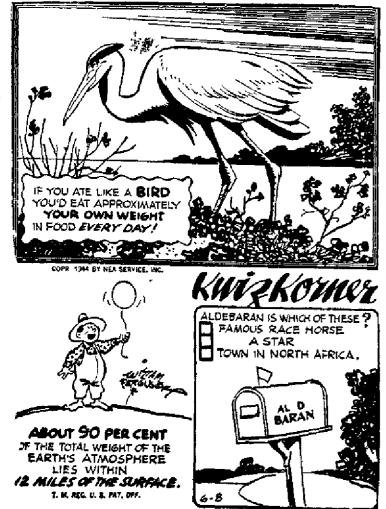
Occasionally the story is so enhis fingers," said Norman, and we grossing that we forget to work, and

HOLD EVERYTHING



"That must be some sergeant's house!

THIS CURIOUS WORLD BY WM. FERGUSON



ANSWER: A ster.

Ann Pendleton Distributed, 1945, Name Service, The real-life adventures of a

LADS AND LASSES

The fat man's name is Willy. He

dustry may be "better than men." him . . . okay, hit it! (interlude for But I didn't say anything about my Right here, I must admit, we dis- gun) . . . I says to him I never told tinctly are not.

always fresh from the handbag.

Evelyn doesn't do a great deal of

muscled, takes the wrench that course. I inquire into it and it turns his wife. ninety-five-pound Carol has been out that one of the reasons female partners are considered a pain is tugging at and, with a nothing-to-it air, turns the bolt loose. "Oh, Jim. aren't you wonderful!" Carol cries. "Annie, did you ever see any guy as Willy's vocabulary is, to put it decorously, picturesque, I wonder a lit- Badger Ordnance Works at Merri-

"What does you girls find to talk about all the time?" my partner, self heard is nearly impossible, alrivets is okay!" We keep up a more spirited commentary on the doings

HORIZONTAL 56 Sea eagles I Pictured com- 57 Emblem

COAST GUARDER

(To Be Continued)

girl for a partner,

as a rule the narrative is broken

Not, of course, on every job. It

to some extent, on whether you and

noself and want a light tapping, he

doesn't misunderstand and give it a

tween us. Most girls, Willy has ob-

served, don't want to change. "They

think they're gunners, and (unprint-

able suggestions) they ain't gonna

Pete refuses point-blank to have

a girl for a partner and, so far, has

do nothin' but gun-never!"

of my presence.

your partner "click."

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SIDE GLANCES



"I hope they don't step on my veil in that bus!"



Q-What European king was elected by the people to be the first of a hereditary royal line? A-Haakon VII of Norway, elect-

ed in 1905. He is a Dane. Q-What is descration in the food

ndustry? A-Removal of oxygen from foods for fresher storage.

Q-What is the caliber of our "eight-inch" artillery rifle — big those Sunday Supplement articles with the clatter of gunning or the brother of the 155 mm. Long Tom -in use in Italy?

A-200 mm., or 7.87 inches. Its her no such thing . . . Say, tap that shell weighs 250 pounds, carries one down a little, will ya? . . . and 35,000 yards; muzzle velocity 2850

. . . Hit it! (interlude) Gimme the Q-How long has the nation been mirror, I better look at these just operating under the four standard tion of rivets). Yeah, they're okay. A-Since 1883. Before that, there Let's do them up by the rib now, were some 50, set up arbitrarily.

yeah. Well, he says it wasn't just Q-What new use might the army soon make of salt? A-Experiments are being conducted with salt solutions as a cubstitute for blood plasma. depends on what you're doing. And,

Necedah

Willy and I "click," That is Robert S. Taft of Milwaukee viswe're not always at cross-purposes, ited from Sunday until Memorial day with relatives and friends here. Miss Barbara Fitzgerald of Madison enjoyed a few days visit here the forepart of the week with her "style" in riveting: when I expect mother, Mrs. Mae Fitzgerald. Willy to hit hard and short, he usually does, when I'm not sure of

Bernard Lee Nelson of Marfa, Texas, son of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Nelson, received his silver wings Tuesday, May 23, when he graduated "blast." We change around, swapping gun and bar back and forth be- as a second lieutenant from Marfa army air field.

Mrs. D. P. O'Conner of Chicago is enjoying a few weeks spent here with her sister, Mrs. Horace White. Steve Kirkwood of Elmhurst, Ill., enjoyed a several days visit here iast week.

Morgan Williams returned to his

had his way. Willy says any man employment at Eau Claire Tuesday would rather have a "feller," of after spending four days here with Mrs. Alex Hein, Mrs. Mae Fitzgerald, Mrs. Glen Toman and the that "a guy's gotta be always watch-Misses Ann Mucha, June Toman and in' out what language he uses." As Margy Meyer all started their em-

tle what his remarks might be, freed mac. Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Curry of Tomah called on friends Monday.

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35 Cry for help at lie (abbr.)

31 First woman 50 Routes (abbr.)

24 Entangle

28 Golf term

Stanley

26 Proceed

ployment Thursday morning, at the

WHAT WAS THAT TWO DOGS WERE EXPLOSION I PULLING ON A ST PULLING ON A STOCK HEARD? TREATED" AND IT BLEW UP WASH TUBBS

THE BUSYBODY

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

NONSENSE! SEARCH ME EXPLODE? First Aid

BY J. R. WILLIAMS

A LILY BLOOMED

POOL, AND I WAS HER LOVER.

BUT I WASHED MY FEET IN TH' POOL ONE DAY, AND SHE HASHIT

BLOOMED THERE

PRINCE



65T TO 60 OFF =

Strange Stockings

OUR BOARDING HOUSE ... with

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TWIGGE! RIGHT IN THE MIDDLE OF BAXTER'S

GARDEN!---

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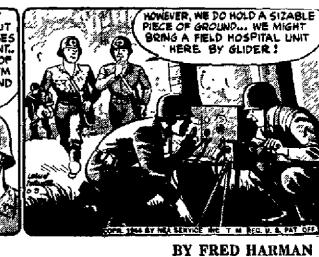
BY MERRILL BLOSSER WELL, AS I ALWAYS SAY-NOTHING VENTURED, NOTHING GAINED!

BY LESLIE TURNER

A NUMBER

PILL BOXES THAT ESCAPE





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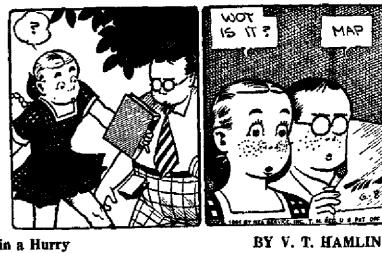


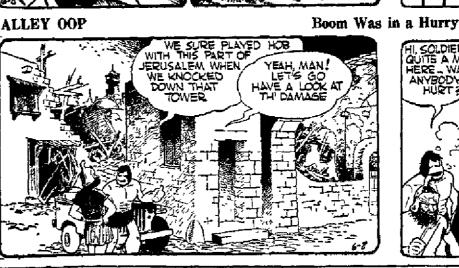


BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES Wotta Y'Know BUT, SIR, THE HEY, JEEP, LOOKIT! **CIPUTE** BOOK WAS BLUNDERING) THERE ONE 170ICI THE-37WIM NEXT, GONE









HEADPIECE ? GREAT NOBODY EXCEPT A COUPLE
SS OF VAGS WED JUST LOCKED
UP. THEY'RE
PROBABLY PRETTY ALL WE'VE
DEAD, UNDER ALL
THAT RUBBISH!

FOUND OF
THAT RUBBISH! BOOM'S HAT. ALL WEVE

McKENNEY ON BRIDGE

Is Key to Victory BY WILLIAM E. McKENNEY America's Card Authority Suppose that you found yourself in a contract of three no trump with today's hand, as North did. We will

Deuce of Diamonds

♣ J 9 8 5 3 **♦** J97 Dealer 6 4 ♥ J 10 8 6432 **♣**KQJ985 Rubber-None vul. West North East Pass 3 N. T. Pass Seath Pass Opening-A K. . . **

not say anything about the fact that, ooking at all four hands, six clubs can be made. Our contract is a game at no trump. In most cases East will open the king of spades. Now what would you discard from ed on Sunday to visit at the Wolf-

club suit and get into dummy to use | Sales of farms are reported to rate continues, volume will be highthe deuce of diamonds, you are fixed. But if you throw away the hearts, when you get in the lead, play the ten of clubs. West will hold off, but will win when you lead the three of clubs. When he returns a heart, you won't even have to take the finesse. Go right up with the ace, cash the ace, king and queen of diamonds, and the six of diamonds will provide an entry to dummy, so you can cash the good clubs.

Blenker

Mrs. Albert Letwan and daughter Carol have moved to Stevens Point where they have taken up residence. Barry and Deloras Schafhauser of Wilson are visiting at the Theresa Baierl and Louis Tauscher homes.

have been visiting at the Joe Weinfurter home, left for the north before their return to Racine. Mr. and Mrs. Louis Tauscher were Thursday business callers at Marshfield.

Mr. and Mrs. John Boleshaw, who

Private Norbert Bathke arrived to spend his furlough at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bathke.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hackl and Mrs. Frank Liebhaber of Seymour arrivgang and Max Grassel homes.

The problem is to establish the SALES OF FARMS HIGHER they were during the first quarter 1920.

of 1942. If the current increase If you carelessly throw away be running 75 per cent higher than er than the peak years of 1919-



"It's a new hat-tipping device-lipping my hat by hand always gets it out of shape!"

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