



Owl Laughs

Two Overheads Get Together
First Overhead—"Did you hear about my operation?"
Second Overhead—"Your operation! Let me tell you about my operation! I had a whole department taken out at one time."
First Overhead—"That's nothing I had two vice presidents and a sales manager removed at one time, and that was only a month after I had lost eight of my clerks and half a dozen stenographers."
Second Overhead—"You don't say! Well, I have been on the table three times during the last year. The doctor made pretty deep incisions every time, too. They say that I may have to have another operation soon; there is a swollen condition in one department that ought to be reduced."
First Overhead—"Isn't it sickening? Now when I had three of my salesmen taken out, I thought I'd never get over it, but I feel fine now. It is a dreadful nuisance, but I guess it's all for the best."
Second Overhead—"I suppose so. Did I ever tell you about the time they cut off my branch office?"

Glory Be!

How blessed is he who beauty sees
 In clouded skies and leaf-capped trees
 And foaming waves and lazy stream
 And berry pie and home-made ice cream.

Three fellows—a doctor, an architect and a bolshevist—were talking together, and each claimed that his kind was the oldest and most important.
The Doctor—"When Adam's side was opened to take out a rib to make a woman—that was the first surgical operation."
The Architect—"Yes, but when the earth was made of chaos, before Adam's time, there had to be building plans—and an architect had to make them."
The Bolshevist—"You are right, but who supplied the chaos?"

Joseph—"I envy that fat woman when she laughs."
Harold—"Why?"
Joseph—"There seems to be so much of her that is having a good time."

Emotion of Ice

A sign over a theatre in Reidsville, North Carolina, read:
Emil Jennings in "Passion"
 Cooled by Refrigeration.

Herbert—"You are the most beautiful woman in the world."
Janice—"Oh! How quick you are at noticing things."

Backfire

One thing you can say about a bicycle is that you don't have to crank it, and the thing rarely backfires. The biggest money problem confronting women these days is how to extract it from their husbands. Another good mental test is to figure out what becomes of the money you save since living costs became cheaper.

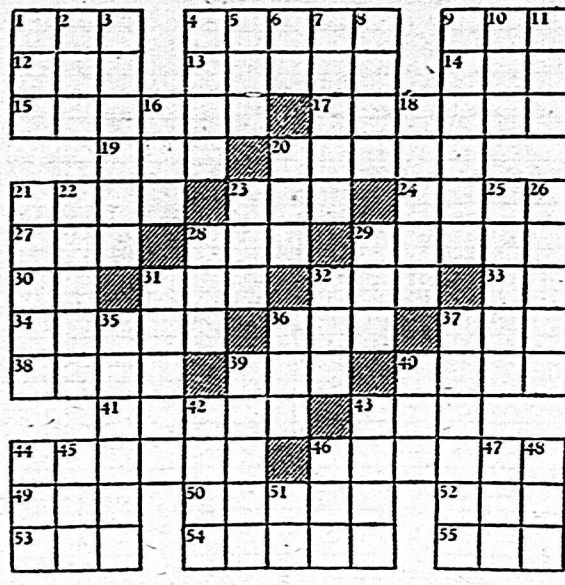
Judge—"How did you come to cause all this disturbance?"
Woman on Trial—"Well, it was like this. John and I were sitting at the fire. John was reading his newspaper and I was thinking. Then I turned to him and said: 'John, sheep are awful stupid, aren't they?' And John said: 'Yes, my lamb.'"

Doormat Domesticity
 When a woman takes in washing for two dollars a week, that's labor. When she does it for nothing, that's Love.

Bride—"I tried a cooking idea of my own, and my husband said I'd better try it on the dog first. Wasn't that cruel?"
Friend—"Very! And I thought your husband was very fond of dogs."

An Epitaph
 Beneath this sod lies Horace Bigger; The gun was loaded, so he pulled the trigger.
 If you cannot master the whole yet Do not forsake the whole

OUR CROSS-WORD PUZZLE



- Horizontal**
 1—Dance
 4—Small seed
 9—Mineral spring
 12—Number
 13—Assessed
 14—To cut
 15—Railery
 17—to disregard
 19—Cap
 20—Struck with knee
 21—Sacred
 22—to consider
 24—Mine entrance
 27—Some
 28—Boy
 29—Fashion
 30—Chinese weight
 31—Front
 32—Fuel
 33—Within
 34—Science of reasoning
 36—Officer
 37—Obese
- Vertical**
 1—Task
 2—Girl's name
 3—Softly
 4—Stair
 5—Equality
 6—Bovine animal
 7—Guiding lines
 8—Margin
 9—Inferior material
 10—Through
 11—Respect
- 38—Cozy**
39—Evil deed
40—Foxes
41—Plays bolsterously
42—Hawaiian dish
43—Part of circle
44—Kind of meter
45—Sick
50—to throw
52—Card game
53—to piece
54—Sole
55—Finish
- 16—to trifle**
18—Bovine animals
20—Colloquial; child
21—Passeways
22—Vegetable
23—Fale
25—Story of Troy
26—Camp dwellings
28—Resin
29—Mournful
31—Strength
32—Trap
35—to murmur
36—Encore
37—Frailty
39—to relieve
40—Male cat
42—Plateau
43—Messenger
44—Cub
45—Antlered animal
46—Hotel
47—Etiolated particle
48—Fish
51—Butterfly

Inland Village

This is their world; this portion of the earth Means much to them—may, do not mock nor jeer; This spot has held the things to them most dear; Their earliest dreams, their sorrows and their mirth. Who enters it must never count the worth Of homes in terms of gold, lest he appear As one whose heart is sadly out of gear— Who holds no reverence for their place of birth.

Evenings come gently, housewives turn to light Their lamps and spread the table's simple fare; Then comes the friendly clicking of a gate That marks the day's soft blending with the night, And all the little houses seem to wear A peace unknown to mansions of the great.

—Margaret E. Bruner, in "The Will of the Wisp."

Kangaroos Replace Pekinese As Pets

London, Eng.—Kangaroos are the latest pets in Mayfair drawing rooms. Society women are replacing Pekinese dogs with docile, baby kangaroos some two feet high. Except for an occasional flying leap over the tea table, they are said to be well-behaved.

There is also a momentary craze for small crocodiles, which are kept in a glass tank in the drawing-room until they reach a length of two feet or so.

cab and bus owners. Only 400 motor Stepladders and alarm clocks have helped lots of people to get up in the world.

ANSWER TO LAST WEEK'S PUZZLE

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Infected Rabbits Dangerous to Clean

Grubs Do Not Affect Eating Qualities, However, Declares N.Y. Authority

"At this time of the year when the rabbit season is open, hunters frequently find their game infested with small white grubs in the body around the intestines and in the loose space under the skin. Such animals are usually thrown away as sick or 'grubby.' This practice represents a waste of good food and should be corrected," says Dr. Justus F. Mueller, Assistant Professor of Forest Zoology at the New York State College of Forestry, Syracuse, N.Y.

"These grubs have the form of whitish, translucent, little vesicles or bladders, whence they get the more exact technical name of 'bladder worms.' If a rabbit harboring these grubs is eaten by a dog or fox the grubs mature in the latter animal and establish a permanent infection in this second host. But they are a relatively harmless parasite, and cause their host no evident injury or discomfort. It has been experimentally and conclusively established that these grubs are harmless to all other animals including man," advises Dr. Mueller. "Rabbits should not be discarded because of any fancied danger lying in such grubs. The flesh of the rabbit should be cleaned in the ordinary fashion and is in all respects safe and palatable.

"A disease, however, of danger to man has been traced to rabbits," says Dr. Mueller. "This is the fever known as tularemia. The disease is contracted not through eating infected rabbits but through cuts or scratches sustained in cleaning and dressing them. The liver of a rabbit with tularemia is somewhat enlarged and is speckled with whitish dots. Any rabbits which appear weak or sick before shooting should be regarded with suspicion. There is little likelihood of its occurrence this far north, but it is wise to be on guard against it. If a rabbit has been opened and its liver found to be suspicious, it should be discarded at once and the hands carefully sterilized."

London's Own "Mounties"

Mounted policemen are now being employed on traffic control at a number of points in the West End of London. They have an advantage over the ordinary constable at this job, because their seat on horseback gives them a greater range of vision.

The horses of London's mounted policemen are among the most highly trained in the world, and those on traffic duty are so good at their job that their riders can drop the reins and use both arms for signalling.

A London "mountie" on horseback makes an impressive figure, and you will often see one at the head of an official procession. The funeral cortege of the late Lord Plumer, for instance, was led by a policeman on a white horse. His presence in this position in what was essentially a soldier's procession was to mark that the civil authorities were in control.

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Are you the young lady of whom people are remarking, "How she is filling out"? (That's a good-natured way of saying "getting fat.") If fat is slyly and stealthily distorting your youthful figure, you should grapple with it at once. At 20 years of age this girl was in its toils. Read how she unburdened her young body of 50 superfluous pounds.



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Watching the Pageant of India

An Akali, a wild-eyed, wild-haired Sikh devotee in the blue-checked clothes of his faith, with polished steel quoits glistering on the cane of his tall blue turban, stalked past, returning from a visit to one of the independent Sikh States, where he had been singing the ancient glories of the Khalsa to College-trained princelings in top-boots and white-cord breeches. Kim was careful not to irritate that man; for the Akali's temper is short and his arm quick. Here and there they met or were overtaken by the gaily dressed crowds of whole villages turning out to some local fair; the women, with their babes on their hips, walking behind the men, the older boys prancing on sticks of sugar-cane, dragging rude brass models of locomotives such as they sell for a half-penny, or flashing the sun into the eyes of their betters from cheap toy mirrors. . . .

A little later a marriage procession would strike into the Grand Trunk with music and shouting, and a smell of marigold and jasmine stronger even than the reek of the dust. Ong could see the bride's ruddy, a blur of red and tinsel, staggering through the haze, while the bridegroom's bewitched pony turned aside to snatch a mouthful from a passing fodder-cart. . . .

The crowd thickened as they neared the resting place which marked the end of their day's journey. A line of stalls selling very simple food, a stack of firewood, a police station, a well, a horse trough, a few trees, and, under them, some trampled ground dotted with the black ashes of old fires are all that mark a gaara on the Grand Trunk; if you except the beggars and the crows—both hungry.

By this time the sun was driving broad golden spokes through the lower branches of the mango trees; the parakeets and doves were coming home in their hundreds; the chattering, gray-backed Seven Sisters, talking over the day's adventures, walked back and forth in twos and threes almost under the feet of the travellers; and shufflings and scufflings in the branches showed that the bats were ready to go out on the night-picket. . . .

Then the night fell, changing the touch of the air, drawing a low, even haze, like a gossamer veil of blue, across the face of the country, and bringing out, keen and distinct, the smell of wood-smoke and cattle and the good scent of wheaten cakes cooked on ashes. The evening patrol hurried out of the police station with important coughings and reiterated orders.—Rudyard Kipling, in "Kim."

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Snap Shots

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Six newspapers printed in modern Arabic are published in New York.

Three tons is an average load for an adult elephant to carry on its back.

Gt. Britain's national stock of fowls and ducks is increasing, but they have fewer geese and turkeys.

It costs the United Kingdom on an average \$300 a year for every person sent to a prison or similar institution.

Statistics show that in the matter of adoption girls are four times as popular as boys with foster-parents.

Some new sources of petrol suggested by scientists are a certain variety of seal, the wood of plane trees, and cotton-seed oil.

When their Majesties travel on the Royal train about forty persons accompany them, including ten mechanical experts ready to tackle any breakdown.

Agricultural produce sold from farms in England and Wales in 1930-31 was valued at £197,400,000. This was a drop of £18,830,000 on the previous year.

Cyclestealing is becoming so prevalent in Cape Town, South Africa, that the police want machines to be

taxed and officially stamped with a number to aid in identification.

Tibetan mastiffs, of which there are specimens at Whipsnade, are said to be the worst-tempered dogs in the world. Keepers approach them in pairs, so nasty are their dispositions.

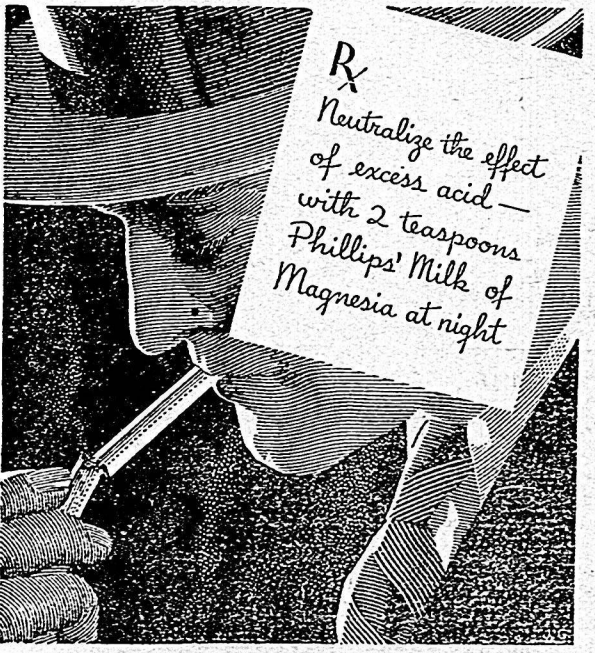
Out of 6,500 unemployed boys and girls recently examined by the British Ministry of Health, ninety-three per cent. of the boys and nearly ninety-four per cent. of the girls had no physical defect. Over eighty-four per cent. of the total had good health.

There are now more than 400 public telephone-boxes, including kiosks in shops, in the London (England) area. Thefts from these have been costing the telephone service more than \$1500 a month in lost receipts, without reckoning damage to instruments.

Among the new "gangster" words officially adopted into the American dictionary by one expert are: "pineapple," a bomb; "racket," any occupation, whether legitimate or not, in which money is made; and "racketeer," one who is engaged in an illegal occupation such as rum-running.

Would "Fertilize" Fish Ponds
 Tests made by fisheries research scientists working under Canadian authorities have indicated that water may be "fertilized" in such a way as to greatly increase the plant and animal life.

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+ Do You Know? +



That one of the few advancing glaciers left in North America is this one that covers a large section of the northern slope of Mount Robson, British Columbia? It is known as the Tumbling Glacier because large bergs periodically break off from the toe of the glacier and crash into the lake in the foreground. One of these is seen floating in the lake. The lake is formed entirely by the melting snow and ice and it is one of the feeders of the Fraser River.