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Our Judgment
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## THE SUNNY SIDE OF LIFE

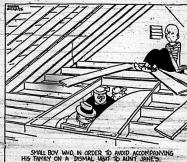
Clean Comics That Will Amuse Both Old and Young



SPARKY WATTS







Small Boy who in order to avoid accompanying Family on a dismal wish to aun't Jane's 6 Hidden out over the Garage, Sterdfashly Dring all Their Shouts for thin, Discovers that 6 Have Changed and they're going to the Movies













Language of Field
Colleges and books only copy
he language which the field and
he workyard make.—Emerson.

# LALA PALOOZA -A Hasty Exit









RAISING KANE-Such as New York Cuts?









May Warn of Disorder Kidney Action Modern life with its burry and irregular babits, improper est diraking—its risk of exposure an tion—throws beavy strain on it of the kidneys. They are apt to over-tasted and fail to filter sex and other impurities from the life











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CATELE—Receipts, 346; steers, 58.40 to \$13.10; heifers, 57.90 to 512.40; baby beeves, 57.90 to 513.80; cows, 56.20 to \$9.80; milk cows 33 to 578; cows and calves, 557.50 to 511.3; bulls, 58.75 to 511.30; stock walls, 538 to 539; stock cattle, 511 to 555.

HOGS—Receipts, 744; lights, \$11.95 to \$12.75; mediums, \$12.95; packers, \$13; heavies, \$12.90 to \$13; sows, \$11.70 to \$12.95; sows and pigs, \$35 to \$73; stock shoats, \$12.10 to \$15.20.

POIRS, 350 to 27-25 stock angular actual to 21-2-2-2.

CALVES, Receipts, 88 tops, 515-85; seconds, 513 to 513.75; heavies, 511-50 to 513.50; butchers, 510-50 to 512, others 510 down.

SHEEP AND LAMBS. Receipts, 22. No quotations.

HORSES AND MULES—Receipts, 29. No quotations.

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Kirby Teater
Tom Ward

#### KENTUCKY

## **Negro Creek**

mrs. Kaymond Layne,
Mrs. Marshal McKinney, of Ft.
Mrs. Marshal McKinney, of Ft.
Mrs. Rose Mary Wilson is in Wildie
Knox, Ky. and baby Joyce, and Mrs.
R. H. Atkinson spent Wednesday
Afternoon with the writer.
Mr. and Mrs. Ted Chandler
and Mrs. Chas. Lewis a few days last
week.

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POSTED No hunting and tres-assing of any kind allowed. tp. R. W. Henderson Burr, Ky.

POSTED—No hunting allowed.
Dave Noe, Spiro, Ky.

POSTED-No hunting with guns

POSTED No. 100 Med. 6tp. W. R. McKinney Level Green

Posted—No hunting or trespassing on the land of the late W. B. Whitehead. Please treat us as you would want us to treat you.

Lola Cox
Louanna Fields

FOR RENT Modern home on Newcomb Ave. see Mrs. Pearl Ball

Misses Bonnie and Myrtle Fish Burdette were Saturday dinner guests of Miss Bettie and June Histt. Mr. John Menifee, of Berea, was-in son, Raymond Mullins.

## Weak And Nervous She Gains 15 Lbs. On Retonga

Famous Medicine Brought Relief After Everything Else She Tried Had Failed Declares Prominent Sunday School Teacher.

day Scincl Tracher.

"My decision to try Retempa was one of "o kurkest decisions I ever made," declares Mrs. Richard Thompson, prominent resident for Pikeville, Ky., rnd an active worker in. the Methodist Church where she has taught an adult Sunday School clace menty leaves the straight and adult Sunday School clace menty and the straight of the st



## **Richmond Greenhouses** Flowers for All Arrangements

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Prior to 1910 there was no system of water works anywhere in the county and none of the towns possessed any first-fighting equipment of such that it was empossible for mark that it was empossible for the first point of the mark that it was a first point of the property damage. Some of the belildings so destroyed were later replaced by better and more modern structures, but such was not always the case.

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sa far as it would ever go until some solution could be found to the problem of roads. Natural resources were being exploited with some degree of success; the towns, at "least, were success, the towns, at the success, the success, the towns, at the success, the su

rise M. Verno Commercial Club. Mas formed.

There was no excitement at the time and little group of men met in the Peoples Ministry of the People Ministry of Ministry o

LOSES FINGER AND THUMB
CLEANING AUTOMATIC SHOTGUN

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# Mount Vernon Signal

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FOR RENT One house for rent be-longing to Ray Jones. See Mrs. Cleve a farm, belidi Simpson, Mt. Vernon Ky. 10-17-2p, selecting crops

## VICTORY BOND QUOTA PLACED AT \$126,000

A fifteen-year penitentiary sentence was given Monday in Federal Court to Rex A. Morris, 22, for, the \$2,636 armed robbery of the People's Bank, Pembroke, Ky., on September 29.

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McBee, Eva Ann Machal, Bevia Owens, Shirley Jean Sowder.
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Fifth: Betsy Page Pinnix, Virginia Lee Lair, Bettye Celle Cummins, Ann

### News Of Our Soldier Boys



Fifth: Baty Page Pinnit, Virgina perificial, Power of the county.

Fifth: Baty Page Pinnit, Virgina perificial, Bety Gelle Cummins. Ann Millard Pinnit. Perificial Bety Learn Langford. Terror for cooking and heating now they may real to wears. Billy Machal, Ted Hart, besory later, the Louisville Gas with Watter Henson. Electric Co. and in looking forward to the Watter Henson. Sixth: Micky Smock.

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WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

Stiffening Axis Resistance Holds Up Allied Drive on African Strongholds; U. S. Navy Scores Again on Jap Fleet; House Moves to Increase Farm Parity

(EDITOR'S NOTE; When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of Western Nowspaper Union's news analysis and not necessarily of this newspaper.)



Lieut. Gen. Lesley J. McNair, commanding general of the U. S. army ground forces (right), congratulates army officers to whom he has awarded. the 'Drider of the Purple Heart. The decorated heroes who were wonded in active against the Aris forces in Africa are, seafed felt to right, Lewis-Baccot, E. Legi. Injewood, Calif.; Lieut. Leslie Ward Dooley, Athens, Tenn., and Capt. Ford Allcorn, Boonville, Mo. Standing the Control of the Control

#### WARM PRICES. Parity Rate Boost?

Farm parity prices would have to be revised upward 12½ per cent if a bill passed by the house of repre-sentatives is eventually enacted into

law.

The measure passed by unanimous vote would require the department of agriculture to raise parity prices for all agricultural commodities, to include all costs of labor, including hired hands and farmers them-

That such action would be strongly opposed by President Roosevelt in his inflation efforts was indicated by the fact that a similar provision included in the price act amendment last full was bitterly fought by the administration and finally compro-

mised.
Explaining the provisions of their measure, house agricultural com-

#### TUNISIA: Naval Phases Disclosed

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Navia gins of the British fleet
added their power to the arms of
the Allied forces pressing hard on
the Axis defenders of Tunisia, by
sinking four-supply transport ships
and tyo destroyers in a convoy
carrying supplies and reinforcements
to North Africa.
Announcement of the victory
came soag after the admirrally and
U. S. navy department disclosed
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during the original A.F.F Inditions

Announcement of the victory came soay after the admirally and U. S. navy department disclosed that the Allies had lost if vessels and North Afrea. The toll was described as considerably smaller than originally expected.

Included in the United National losses were the British small air-craft carrier yeenger, three destroyers and five lighter vessels as well and the work of the second of the

Despite continuing vigilana. of Alied see and air patrols, the Axis had admittedly gained reinforcements. In certain areas they achieved local air superiority. Moreover the fierceness of their, attempted counteration of the continuing the continu

People Will Decide

As evidence mounted that Admiral
Jean Darlan intended to make his
leadership in North Africa perma
nent, official Washington reliterated

nent, official. Washington reiterated, its declaration that the French people utlimately will be the ones to decide who is to rule.

Spokesman for the administration was Secretary of State Cordell Hull, who said laconically that the United States was too busy winning the war in Morth Africa to worry about reports that Darlan had taken over.

### PACIFIC: U. S. Strength Grows

Offensive actions undertaken by Allied forces in the Pacific war the ater had continued to gain momen-

Allied forces in the Pacific war theater had continued to gain momenturn.

U. S. naval forces decisively beat
off another Jap attempt to regain
in a southern Solomons by
sinking the southern Solomons by
cluding s.x warships in an engagement north of Gondoleanal. Jap
losses included two large destroyers
or cruisers, four destroyers, two
transports and one cargo ship. The
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transports through Jap-threatened Alan New Guinea the tempo of the Alan New Guinea the Alan New Alled Green against the narrow Jap-held beach for a Jap naval force attempting to land reinforcements and supplies for the hard-pressed Nippones and shot down 23 Jap planes. American and Australian troops mean makine had, infiltrated to the outskirts of Blina and had driven down the beach from Gona toward Sanananda, dwe miles above Burna.

#### INVESTMENT INCOME:

\$25,000 Ceiling?

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Even as salary freezing regulations were made public throughout the factor of the factor the factor of the fa

taxes of \$25,000. Income from other sources is not now-restricted. Pointing out that there has been wide-spread criticism against inequalities in the present system, Mr. Roosement of the point income from the put on income from the put of the put of

## LABOR PEACE:

Decreed by CIO-AFL

For the street time since the CIO split from the American Federation of Labor is 1935, the two organizations entered into an agreement that opened the way for permanent peace and possible full reunions of the two organizations.

have an bossioned fun femions of the two translations and the two translations of the two translations of the two translations of the two translations of the two translations to resolve all differences between them. To this agreement, they added a proviso that all unsettled issues should be referred to arbitration.

President Rossevelt had long, urged the two groups to submerge the two groups to group the two groups the two g

## MUSSOLINI:

Whistles in Dark

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With powerful American and British armies only a few hundred miles across the Mediterranean from Italy, with northern industical killes rocked by RAF bombing attacks, and with which armies of the state of the

### RUSSIA:

Headaches for Hitler

Headaches for Hiller

"Russian strategists concentrated foggedly on the tast of rolling out of the twin bulges, at Rabev and Vyazma on the far-flung line from Leningrad to Stalingrad as the Red's spectacular offensive continued to push the Nazis back and threaten the entire structure of their winter lines. Hiller well Knew the danger poised by the Russian thrusts at Rabev. If the Russian thrusts are researched to the Russian thrusts at Rabev. If the Russian thrusts are researched to the Russian thrusts at Rabev. If the Russian thrusts are researched to the Russian thrusts at Rabev. If the Russian thrusts are researched to the Russian thrusts at Rabev. If the Russian thrusts are researched to the Russian thrusts at Russian thrusts at Rabev. If the Ru

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#### THUNDERBOLTS: Make 725 M. P. H.

Make 725 M.P. H.
Hurtling through the air faster
than any human beings had ever
traveled before, two 22-year-old
army lieutenants dived their fighter
planes at the astounding speed of
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The war had long before intervened to cancel the International
Livestock Exposition, but in outdoor
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### MISCELLANY:

ORAN, ALGERIA: The release of ORAN, ALGERIA: The release of 151 unshaven, Ill-fed Norwegian seames, and 50 British naval personnel, all of whom had been interned south of the seames, and the seames, and the seames who had been freed previously and that 33 Greeks and Belgians were likewise being released.

## Washington Digest

## **New House Seats Promise** Merry Christmas for GOP

Under Guidance of Republican Leader Joe Martin, Democrats Will Face Increasing House Opposition.



Increase of Federal Agents

Another federal agency which undoubtedly will be greatly increased if the man-power problem is to be solved, is the United States Employment Service. However, 12 the employment service has to stand out in

By BAUKHAGE News Analyst and Com

ad Commensate.

Jhone and tell a state chairman just whom he wanted nominated for the presidency and if he. was a fairly powerful popular figure. "the boys" could and would frequently deliver. Those days are over and press and, racio, gats much of the credit. Candidates have become real personalities to the voters and the voters don't let the bosses make up their minute of the credit. The country of the country of the country of the credit of the credit of the voters don't let the bosses make up their minute of the credit of the WNU Service, 333 H Street, N.W., Washington, D. C.
The GOP elephant is looking forward to his merriest Christmas in a long time. His trunk will be filled with laye, of prefty presents this year those mice, new, comfordfully eleming the bouse of representatives and the senate.

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As the lead session of the 77th congress moves to a close there is a confered smalle on more the property of the least could is former frequisition with least could is former frequisition of the least could is former frequisition of the least could be compared to the house, loe Martin of Massachusetts—file "a" in Martin pronunced as the "a" in "yard" at Harvard. (That doesn't mean, however, that Jue talks Harvardes—he's a small town hoy and makes where the senate of the senate of the country of the senate of the file over his political herd. He doesn't use that method, but he knows what everybody else has known since Nowmber 3—that his political power has the senate of the Increase of Federal Agents
The Republicans resists this They
also realize that here are other
powerful influences which exist now
which did not exist the last time
they won a presidential election—
one is the increased number of federal agents who are in contact with
the people. The Republicans, therefore, will do all in their power in
the next session of congress to cut
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Triple A and the OPA.

#### Silently Behind the Scenes

solved, is the United States Employment Service. However, it we employment service. However, it we employment service has to stand out in front. In the enforcement of a computatory labor law, it may become a political boomerant to whomever of the entire of the entire

Shirt on ms og umrenture is page. Shirt of ms og umrenture is "12 to 13 er fight." That means, as most persone in Washington August page. That will mean to ready, 12 Republicans for every 13 Democrats on the congressional committees. (Most committees have 25 members.) That will mean a hare and more than a corresponding increase in Republican influence in the drafting of legislatios.

and enthusiasm than they have been able to display for a decade.

Here are excerpts from three days of Secretary of Agriculture Wicksard's diary (if he kept a diary), which he doesn't, but the words are the secretary's).

Monday: Went to Peoria, Ill., and addressed a meeting of the National Catholic Rural Life conference. This catholic Rural Life conference. This region by the Chamber of Commerce. Many farmers were presented in the conference of the conference of the conference. Many farmers were presented in the conference of t

stantion and do their utmost to occure the champions of the middle class.

Republican congressman said to me recently.

"We can't outbid the U. S. treasman the construction of the people who are getting various kinds or ubsidies or benefits from the administration. We have got to appeal to the salary man, the man with a small business, the fireman, the bus-driver, the people who are aurance. That's why it will be a bad mistake if we get ourselves tied up with any of the wealthy eastern politicians. They can-give us some money, but that's all. We won in the last elections with very little financial help."

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STOCK SHOW:

### 'Sub' for International

BRIEFS . . . by Baukhage

The use of private automobiles in Chile is now forbidden. A 40 per cent cut in gasoline supplied by the United States is the cause of this

restriction.

The use of gasoline for automobile, and motorcycle racing in South Africa is forbidden by law—most of the gas is being used in No. Africa these days.

Helping the United States armed forces to become a singing army and navy has become a part of the standing USO program.

—Buy War Bonds—

—Buy War Bonds—
The house committee on wild life conservation is studying the possibility of exploiting wild life surpluses in national forest and park areas to supplement normal meat supplies and provide hides.



IT IS high time to think of a gift



MRS. RUTH WYETH SPEARS



Haste to Forgive

A wise man will make haste to forgive, because he knows the true value of \$1200, and will not suffer it to pass away in unnecessary pain.—Samuel Johnson.

### TABASCO

Pleasing One Side

The best way to please one half
of the world is not to mind what
the other half says.—Goldsmith.



As We Sing

Let me make the songs of a nation, and I care not who make its laws.—Andrew Fletcher.



A Great Year-Round

THAT NEXT JOB OF

Let Us Show You What We Can Do

If you prefer, send the order by mail or bring it to the office in person.

## Santa's Pack to Weigh Less But Toys Will Be as Numerous

News from "somewhere at the bisque dolls once made only abroad forth Pole": Santa Claus' load will —is indicated in the tea sets, duplied editatively lighter this Christmass about the set of the set

North Pole": Santa Claux' load will, be definitely lighter this Christmas but that work mean that his pack you't be as chuck-full of toys as ever.

To because the cars, trains, ships and other such items usually made of metal are being replaced by wood this year. With metals or priorities list, American manufacturers have listly as the proper that list, American manufacturers have listly as the light pack their ingenuity in designing five toys applietly or all of the holiday season by the toy of the priorities of the holiday season by the toy of the priorities of the holiday season by the toy of the priorities of the holiday season by the toy of the priorities of the holiday season by the toy of the priorities of the holiday season by the toy of the priorities of the holiday season by the toy of the priorities of the holiday season by the toy of the priorities of the holiday season by the toy of the priorities of the holiday season by the toy of the priorities of the pr

gun.

Typical of American ingenuity at work to find substitutes for metal parts in toys, is the wooden handle and springs which replace metal parts for little sister's doll carsiage.

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## Proper Care of Greenery Today Insures Future Yule Decorations

Many homes throughout the nation keep their Christmas greens untion keep their Christmas greens unsil 12th Night, January the sixth.
But most people take out the green,
including the Christmas decoration,
the day after New Yeev's day.
The standard of the christmas decoration
that why ten saked by some, thoughtions of green should be thrown out
when they are suitable for the whole
month of January. For instance, the
littersweet-bare branches termimating with terminal points of bright

#### Pre-Communist Russia Visited on Christmas By Evil Old Woman

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Infant Jesus.

At every house she knocks with her telf, then enters to study the face of each child as it lies sleeping penceful.

y. Disappointed, Baboushka slips a toy under the pillow, then hastens

re Yule Decorations

orange-reddish hued semi-opened
buds—are preity, and attractive
enough to keep for a month or two
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begune a window. There their picturlegent control of the seen against the
light. There is the Douglass R, '4th' its
cones hanging from the evergreen
tips, and which is always an indoor
winter decoration. Likewise, Ivy, so
winder decoration effect.
Another auggestion for wintertime
indoor\_decoration with green is to
use a silver or pewter bowl in which,
to arrange holly berry clusters that
how the service of the serv

spring has not yet arrived.

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#### Christmas Special-On Time



This Christmas Special is "Lucila," an old World War I donkey gitic and caboose used as a shuttle for men and munitions between mp and the firing ranges at Fort Dix, N. J. Lucila, like the Old Gray are, and what she used to be, but she has more than her share of emories.

Segue

#### Indians Brewed Drink From Southern Holly

Making Christmas decorations is only one of several, role's played by the familiar southern holly. Long before the plant was used by white settlers, indiaga of North Carolina stewed the "yaupon" as it was called, to make a drink. They drank this before going into battle and also at some tribal feasts. It was also taken for certain physical ailments.

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Watch Night Supper Menu
Ham and Veal Pie
Tossed Green Salad
iced Peaches Celery Olives
tot Rolls
Butter
razil Nut Cake Coffee Hot Rolls Brazil Nut Cake

Breakfast at Dawn, Broiled Grapefruit Grilled Kidney, Bacon and Lamb Chops Spiced Prunes

## NATIONAL **AFFAIRS**

Reviewed by CARTER FIELD

Machine Tools Effect Jap War Effort . . . Willkie Helped in Hoaxing Hitler . . .

WASHINGTON. — The Achilles' heel of Japan is machine tools. This is been be judgment of men who have been studying the Japanese industries and reporting attracture, and reporting to Washington of many years. If they were to the property of the property o

disastrous.

Right up until the outbreak of the war Japan bought all her machine tools abroad. A considerable fraction of them came from the United States. A larger fraction came from Germany. There is no thought-thiot Nippon does not at present have an adequate supply, even for replacement when those now in service wear out.

ment when those now in service wear out.

But even this is tricky, for it is very difficult to project accurately the wear on machine tools. A few surprises might leave the "Bapacese without tools for some vital operation the construction of planes, the surprises might leave the bad lack for the Japanese, and good luck for us. It might easily not happen unless the war ran on to niterly unexpected lengths. Remember that Japan prepared for a long war. A war that contemplated the dictation of peace terms in Washington, MUST: have been envisioned as a very long war. So it is reasonable to suppose that the Japa took plenty of precautions; to have an adequate supply for what-

Weakness of Jap Zero Planes

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Perhaps the best illustration of
how the thing might work would be
the Zero plane, of which we have
heard so much. Bear in mind that
not only by extensive training, but
that Journey extensive training, but
than four years. In China, however, the only opposition by air powever, the only opposition by air powever, the only opposition by air power was so small, that, despite its
bravery and skill, it was not calculated to show up the weaknesses of

In the Southwest Pacific, however,
the weakness of the Zero has been,
sbundantly demonstrated.

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When a certain definite weakness
developed in the Flying Fortress
(lack of defensive power) it was
promptly corrected. But changing
a model involves not only a lat. of
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Mentioned Second Front
On European Continent
Wendell Wilkie played a tremendous part in the Roosevelt-Churchill.
African invasion, but every indication is that Wilkie merely obeyed orders, with no more information about the major strategy than a detachment of infantry ordered to hold a bridge at all hazards in order to a continent of the company of the

WAS a second front in North Africa already.

But he would also know that Stalin, for a very long time, has been insisting that the North African its existence, and in spite of the very obvious importance of the dense of Egypt, and with it of the Suez Canal and the supply line Russia wis the Red Sea, Stalin wanted more. He wanted something that would result in detaching, part of would result in detaching, part of country. So Stalin always talked about a second front with emphasis on the words "in Europe."



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22, 34, 35, 39, 40, 42, 51is 14 (23) gown
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Beddline Pal Loftiest Continent

The average height of land above sea for the whole world is no less than 2,100 feet. The lofting the continent is sais, which stands at an average height of 3,000 feet. Africa and South America come second, each a thousand feet lower than Asia and the contents of the contents of the contents. The height of Europe is only 500 feet about the continents, Australia is the lowest, yet still its height is 500 feet above sea. The reason is that it is the oldest continent and has been above sea. The reason is that it is the oldest continent and has been above sea. The reason is that it is the oldest continent and has been above sea. The reason is that it is the oldest continent and has been above sea. The reason is that it is the oldest continent and may be the contents of the mountains have crumbled down and more than one-third of the area has not a hill left.

It may be that Antarctica is higher than Asia, but no accurate measurements have yet been obtained.

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T WILL be low so heat sight when your child sees this darling doll ... she's so pretty, so cuddly and so soft. Going to bed will be fun ... when this doll goes along to be snuggled! Here's a grand gift for very young children.



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With an assortment of nuts, dried fruits, toothpicks, pipe cleaners, cloves, candies and a knife, and a little imagination, you can make mdny different party favors.

Sardines, mashed with a fork and with a little salad dressing and Jemon juice mixed in, make a grand filling for toasted sand-wiches.



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The sea is fellne. It licks your
feet—its huge flanks purr very
pleasant for you; but it will crack
your bones and eak you, for all
that, and wipe the crimsoned foam
from its jaws as it nothing had
happened—O. W. Holmes.

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chind."—Oli—
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Mr. Henry Cf. "prd returned Saturday from a vist in Louisville with Mr. Crawford who has work there.

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Clear Creek

## Horse Lick

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Carpenter went to Richmond, Ky., Tuesday with a truck load of tobacco.

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Mr. and Mrs. Howard Linville and
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Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Kamsey family, have moved to Cincinnat Miss Thelma Moore spent the end with Miss Lona and Ella Hei Mr. Frank Brewer who is wo in Hamilton, Ohio, spent the end at his home. Mr. Sylvester Carpenter left

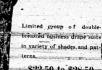
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The cabin on the Kasakanh, esting between its shouldering hills, stood a place of peace as the sun mounted high above the spruce ridges and the spoonbills and wavy yas fed in the water shallows.

But that air of peace departed once Zeke Pratt had rolled out of his wall bunk and reached for his acceed old larrigens. From one sacceed old larrigens, From one same beauting the special control of the sacceed of larrigens, From one same large his peace of the same large same large should be supported by the same large same large

sim to do minin' work with a numan polecati who yobs a camp-mate in las sleep."

It was been sure fed up with tryin' to live peaceful under the same toof with a rattlesnake in larrigans."

But by the time they had eaten, the hurricane had blown fiself out. They were forlornly dependent on each other, in their isolation, and they will be supported to the control of the control of

Minty was too good a woodsman not to spot his landmarks and blaze an occasional spruce or jackpine as he pupsed deeper and deeper into the broken country north of the Kasakana. He west on, hour after siskana. He west on, hour after siskana. He west on the property of the standard of th



w stronges as the stronger of a behung red above the ight sight of a plane. it w, growing bigger. It showed dark, at he evening light. But

not speak. But his own eyes darkened as he detected the look of hunger in the questioning hazel eyes
resting on his face. He groped for
her hand, with his heart pounding.
Then he took her in his armounder.
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"I've a patient there,"

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"Tubercle bacilii may enter the

encouraged by that socrety which can be considered to the world," and it is the essential nature of light to shine. The darker its surroundings the more marked its rightness, and the more needed its illumination. The good works at the surroundings the more marked its litumination. The good works at God, and so they glorify fill worthy name. Brother, is your light worthy name, brother, is your light worthy name, brother, is had seen in the self-yellow the content of the con

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LESSON TEXT—Matthew 5:13-18; Mark. 12:13-17; L Peter 2:13-17.
GOLDEN TEXT—Ye are the sait of the earth . . . Ye are the light of the world.—Matthew 5:13, 14.

Believers are the "sait of the earth" because they draw their savor from God Himself. The Christian church, by God's own statement, is His own powerful antiseptic which preserves the social order from Falling into the moral decail order from Falling into the moral decail order which sometimes seems Imminent. His therefore, be honored and according by that society, which sometimes the society which sometimes the society which sometimes the society which society

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