

**Exceedingly Important  
On the Percentage Basis**

The lumber camp foreman received orders from headquarters to make certain changes in his monthly report. Among other things, he was told that all figures must be expressed in terms of percentages.

There had been bitter complaints concerning the food served by the camp's cook, and finally two attractive women were dispatched to take his place.

The next month's report to headquarters read in part as follows: "There has been an important development at camp. Last week 2 per cent of the men married 100 per cent of the cooks."

**"I WAS A VICTIM  
OF CONSTIPATION!"**

**"Found Relief In Famous  
Breakfast Food,"  
User Writes**

Suffer from constipation? Then read this unsolicited letter!

"I was a victim of constipation for many years, trying all sorts of medicinal remedies, but to no avail. Then I tried KELLOGG'S ALL-BRAN, and after the first trial experienced relief. I now eat KELLOGG'S ALL-BRAN every day as part of my regular diet. The sufferings from constipation have vanished and I am overjoyed at feeling like a new person at the age of 24. I am passing this news along so that others who are suffering may find relief." Mrs. Beatrice Meyer, 251 Hawthorne Ave., Newark, N. J.

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**FEEL OLD?  
BACK ACHE?  
SORETONE**

brings quick relief for  
● muscle pains

due to fatigue, exposure, colds or overwork. Contains methyl salicylate, effective pain-relieving agent.  
50¢ and \$1.00  
Money-Back Guarantee  
Made by Hoffmann & Robinson  
For Sale by your druggist

**Beware Coughs  
from common colds  
That Hang On**

Creomulsion relieves promptly because it goes right to the seat of the trouble to help loosen and expel germ laden phlegm, and aid nature to soothe and heal raw, tender, inflamed bronchial mucous membranes. Tell your druggist to sell you a bottle of Creomulsion with the understanding you must like the way it quickly allays the cough or you are to have your money back.

**CREOMULSION  
for Coughs, Chest Colds, Bronchitis**

**CAN'T YOU  
SLEEP?**



WHEN the stress of modern living gets "on your nerves" a good sedative can do a lot to lessen nervous tension, to make you more comfortable, to permit restful sleep.

Next time a day's work and worry or a night's wakefulness, makes you Irritable, Restless or Jumpy—gives you Nervous Head-ache or Nervous Indigestion, try

**Dr. Miles Nervine  
(Liquid or Effervescent Tablets)**

Dr. Miles Nervine is a time-tested sedative that has been bringing relief from Functional Nervous Disturbances for sixty years. It is an up-to-date as this morning's newspaper. Liquid 25¢ and \$1.00. Effervescent tablets 25¢ and 75¢. CAUTION—Take only as directed.

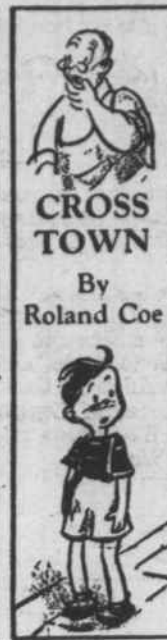


**BOBBY SOX**

By Marty Links



"You see, he's much taller than the rest!"



**CROSS TOWN**

By Roland Coe



"You cut it too short!"

**NANCY**

I'LL PUT THIS LEMONADE OUT ON THE WINDOW-LEDGE TO GET COLD



OH, DEAR--- I SPILLED IT



HERE YA ARE, KIDS--- GET YOUR LEMONADE ICICLES!



By Ernie Bushmiller

**MUTT AND JEFF**

JEFF DID I EVER SHOW YOU THIS OLD PHONOGRAPH AND THESE OLD VALUABLE RECORDS I HAVE?



THESE RECORDS ARE REALLY VERY VALUABLE! THEY WERE THE FIRST DISC RECORDS MADE!



THEY SOUND SCRATCHY!



WELL, THEY'RE A LITTLE SCRATCHED UP BUT THEY'RE WORTH FIVE BUCKS A PIECE!



AND LATER THAT DAY!



By Bud Fisher

THEY AIN'T SCRATCHED UP ANYMORE, MUTT! I SANDPAPERED THEM DOWN SMOOTH FOR YOU!



**LITTLE REGGIE**

GOSH AUNT CLEO DOESN'T PUT UP HER HAIR ANYMORE



HAIR-PIN SHORTAGE I GUESS. WELL I'LL FIX THAT!



I'LL SURPRISE, MUTT!



AND LATER THAT DAY!



By Margarita

**JITTER**



By Arthur Pointer

**REG'LAR FELLERS**

WHAT'S AILING YOU?



I THINK I GOT AN UPSET STOMACH, MOM!



HOW DID YOU MANAGE TO GET AN UPSET STOMACH?



I ET HAFKA DOZEN APPLE TURN-OVERS AN' TOPPED 'EM OFF WITH A HUNKLA UPSIDE-DOWN CAKE!



By Gene Byrnes

**VIRGIL**



By Len Kleis

**SILENT SAM**



By Jeff Hayes



FEW would ever have thought, a few years ago, that the time would come when pro golfers would head the pack at the pay-check window. But this strange event has taken place. Byron Nelson finished 1945 beyond the \$60,000 mark while Hogan, McSpaden and Snead were somewhere in the neighborhood of \$25,000 and \$30,000.

I doubt there was any \$25,000 ball player last season. Hank Greenberg came back at his old salary around \$55,000, but Hank only played half the campaign. DiMaggio, another high-priced star, didn't get in at all. Such stars as Marty Marion and the Cooper Brothers were in the \$13,000 class. I don't know how much Hal Newhouser and Dizzy Trout pulled in, but I doubt that it was over \$25,000, if that much.

But there was no ball player who made anything like the amount Byron Nelson made from competition, and this doesn't include his income from other sources. Few professional football players draw as much as \$5,000 a season. Before the new league barged in anything from \$250 to \$300 a game was good pay for all except such outstanding stars as Sammy Baugh, Sid Luckman and Don Hutson.

**Players Will Profit**

It will, of course, be different with the new All-America Conference league shopping in the market. The arrival of the new league will be tough on the bank accounts of club owners in both circuits, but it will be a big financial harvest to the football players—for a while, anyway.

For example, I know of two or three stars now under contract to the new league who in addition to healthy bonuses are to get \$10,000 a year. And Paul Brown, the ex-Ohio State coach now with Cleveland, has a long-time contract at \$25,000 a year. But Paul is a coach, not a competitor. There will be no pro football player making one-fourth of what Byron Nelson gets.

In the two major baseball leagues the average pay is from \$7,000 to \$8,000. So far as the stars go there will be a big jump next spring when Greenberg, DiMaggio, Gordon, Dickey, Wakefield and a few others will get from \$20,000 to \$55,000. Big league payrolls will be far different in 1946 than they were in 1945 where all attendance records were broken with rather cheap casts.

**The Big Fight**

There will be one major exception as far as pay checks go. This takes in Joe Louis and Billy Conn. Louis knocks over 37 1/2 per cent of something better than a million dollar gate, including all the side lines. The Louis share will pass the \$500,000 mark but when the keen, eager and alert tax collectors get after him, this amount will drop to less than \$50,000.

Conn is supposed to get 12 1/2 per cent of this all-time record gate, but he will do better than all right. Conn will at least move up into the \$200,000 bracket. If the returns from motion pictures and television reach the figure many think they will, these amounts will be heavily increased.

But what good will that do when one collides with an 80 or possibly 90 per cent tax assessment? Louis is supposed to owe the government \$117,000 for back taxes, not including a substantial amount he also owes Mike Jacobs. Joe will be lucky if he ever gets even again. Conn also owes quite a chunk, and will also be struggling to get even and square with the world.

So don't waste too much envy on Louis and Conn.

**Some Jockeys Get Rich**

When it comes down to the big money-makers we still have to figure in jockeys such as Eddie Arcaro and Ted Atkinson, to mention only a pair. Both must have passed the \$75,000 mark this year. There are others who are beyond the \$40,000 mark with their 10 per cent from big stakes. And what about Arnold Kirkland, the contract rider for the Maine Chance stable with more than \$550,000 piled up in purses?

They'll tell you the baseball player lasts longest in professional sport but when I think of Ken Strong, Arnold Herber and Mel Hein with their total of 57 years in football—or Sammy Baugh and Don Hutson and others who have been doing well enough after 10 or 12 years, I begin to wonder.

**Sarazen Lasted 20 Years**

Pop Anson, Honus Wagner, Ty Cobb, Larry Lajoie and a few old-time stars lasted from 20 to 24 years. But these are the exceptions. Gene Sarazen has carried on as a winning golfer for over 20 years. Gene is also an exception. There have been few to match Hagen and Sarazen. Maybe Byron Nelson and one or two others will. But in the meanwhile, Nelson, taking down from \$50,000 to \$80,000 a year, doesn't need all that extra time.

**An Attractive Chair  
From Odds and Ends**

A BATTERED side chair, a scrap of plywood, part of a can of flat paint, and a can of delphinium blue enamel; a piece of blue and white ticking and a strip of coarse white material that was



reaved out to make narrow fringe. Combined, these odds and ends made an attractive chair.

The old chipped white enamel was rubbed with coarse and then fine sandpaper until smooth. The new seat came next; then flat paint which was allowed to dry twenty-four hours before applying enamel. Next, the cover was made with a straight two-inch fringe trimmed band and ties around the uprights of the back.

NOTE—This chair seat is from BOOK 10 which contains more than thirty other thrifty homemaking ideas. Books are 15c each postpaid. Write direct to:

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**GRANDMA  
SPEAKIN'...**



**SOCIAL NOTE:** Luke Peabody, most generous man in Pike County, is giggerin' on buyin' his wife a brand new plow so she'll be able to git the plowin' done quicker this spring.

**COOKIN' NOTE:** Best idea fer buyin' margarine is to always git a Table-Grade Margarine... one that's made special for use on the table. Nu-Maid Margarine's Table-Grade. As nice a tastin' spread fer bread as there is.

**JUST A NOTE:** Stingiest people I know are those folks who ain't got a kind word to spare for anyone.

**SPECIAL NOTE:** Heavens, it ain't no secret that when I want to bake an extra-fine cake or pie, I don't use no fat-shortenin' fat fer shortenin'. No sir-ee, I use a Table-Grade Margarine. Nu-Maid's a hundred percent Table-Grade... with a mild, sweet, fresh-churned flavor.



**False Teeth Wearers  
what bothers you most?**

- Sore Gums?
- Chewing Discomfort?
- Food Particles Under Plates?
- Troublesome Lowers?

**STRAINS, SORENESS  
CUTS, BURNS**

A favorite household antiseptic dressing and liniment for 98 years—Eaton's BALSAM OF MYRRH is a soothing, cooling, and soothing ointment to relieve the soreness and ache of over-used and strained muscles. Takes the sting and itch out of burns, scalds, insect bites, oak and ivy poisoning, wind and sun burn, chafing and chapped skin. Its antiseptic action lessens the danger of infection whenever the skin is cut or broken.

