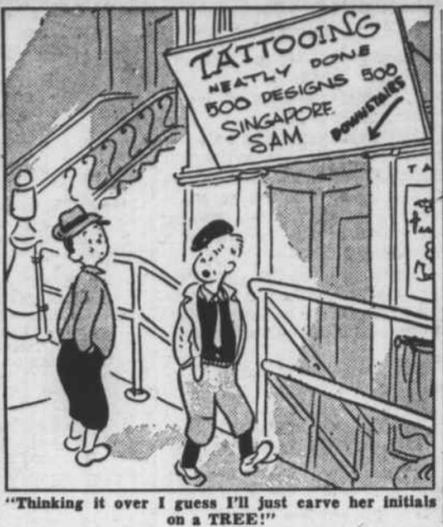




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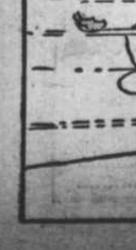


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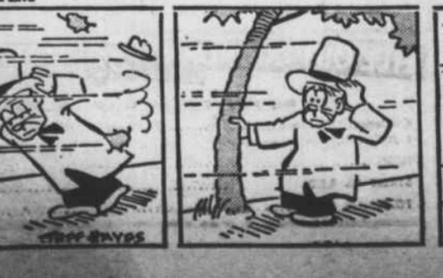


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Colder Winters Ahead

By H. Phillips

Cooler weather with old-fashioned winters like grandpop used to know are returning, the United States Weather bureau says.

Now will come a slow move back to the days when grandpop often walked into the second story of the old farm right from the snow level.

"And a good thing it will be to toughen up the citizenry," declared Elmer Twitchell today.

"What's become of the old fashioned fellow who had three fingers missing from the deep freezes? Where's the native once common to every community who got around on a wooden leg most of his life because of exposure in an icepack in his own back yard? Where are the countless folks who went around all their lives with tender ears and noses because of frostbite in their early days?"

"When I was a boy," he continued, "you had to face the house southward or you'd get four or five loads of snow in the bedroom right through a door crack. It was nothing to have a fire freeze up over night. Once every winter they had to get a snowplow to dig me out of bed . . . and I slept in the attic!"

"Big cities get out super-plows to fight a snowstorm that old-timers would tackle with a whiskbroom, and without bothering to put on anything but a pair of pants and an open shirt."

"Let the old-fashioned winters come back for the good of the race!" he concluded. "There will be less squawkin' about minor inconveniences."

Feltman's famous restaurant at Coney Island, in existence for 72 years and known to millions, is changing hands.

DIETING A PLEASURE I'm giving my tummy to Poland—To China I'm giving two chins; A jowl I am giving to simplicity living For Bulgars and Slovenes and Finns.

"Henry and Clara Ford Married 58 years."—News item.) Here's to Henry Ford and Clara, For so long a happy pair-a; For 58 years they rode together—That's mileage, sir, in any weather!

The Hobos of America have voted to hold their 1947 convention in Miami, because the cities usually chosen are too cold in the spring.

"Truman asks Americans to Tighten Belts."—Headline.

The trouble with most Americans is that they think their belts are tightened if their pants don't drop to the floor when they inhale.

Governor Dewey has signed a bill raising the speed limit in New York to 50 miles an hour.

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Portlight

By Grantland Rice

A HUMAN tidal wave, headed for almost any sort of sporting competition, has struck baseball in a record sweep.

It would not be surprising to see the newly bedecked Yankee stadium, under the operation of Larry MacPhail, crowd the two million mark before October reports.

The Yankees are practically sure to set an all-time count at the busy turnstiles, with the Tigers not too far away.

The Kentucky Derby set a new high in several directions. So probably will the Louis-Conn intermingling at the Yankee stadium in June.

The Rush to Sport We have been asked to explain this overwhelming rush to sport.

It may be that the glamour of past years takes on too keen a hue and glint. But that Golden Age of Sport produced a pretty fair collection of talent and color.

It may be that the coming season in various sports will give us champions that can match the Old Guard of the lost and golden era.

In this era of peace following the blackness of the world's greatest war, there are two details that make this possible: (1) the reach for release—the excuse for taut nerves and (2) more widespread cash than this country has ever known previously.

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No. 6. What about the season's impending pitching duel between Bob Feller and Al Newhouser? No. 7. Also the A. L.'s all around batting championship among Ted Williams, Joe DiMaggio and Dick Wakefield?

No. 8. How many home runs can Hank Greenberg deliver to offset the natural and expected deficit in foot speed?

No. 9. To what ball clubs are a few of the Cardinals' pitching surplus headed? No. 10. How will Pesky and Doerr of the Red Sox compare with Rizzuto and Gordon of the Yankees?

No. 11. What are the odds on either Phillies or Athletics leaving the ancient and moldy cellar? No. 12. How will the old New York - Boston argument concerning the all-around ability of Joe Gordon and Bobby Doerr work out?

No. 13. How far up will Billy Southworth be able to lift the Braves in his first Boston season?

Gems of Thought

WHAT is really momentous and all-important with us is the present, by which the future is shaped and colored.—Whittier.

The reward of one duty is the power to fulfill another.—Elliot.

Recompense injury with justice and unkindness with kindness.—Confucius.

We exaggerate misfortune and happiness alike. We are never either so wretched or so happy as we say we are.—Balzac.

Every man desires to live long; but no man would be old.—Swift.

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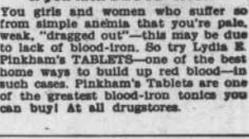
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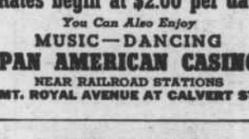
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