Electricity Can Make Women's Work Easy

NEW YORK (UP) - Somebody will have to think up a new name for housework in the next 50 years. If all the predictions of electrical engineers come true, the house will still be there but the work will

There will be no worry over the vegetables boiling dry or the eggs sunlight." It will come from phoscooking too long. In a forecast of the coming half century, one expert predicts electric ranges with At night, these phosphors would temperature controls on the surface units. The heat on the top of the stove will be keyed to the food it's cooking. If the water boils away, the temperature automatically drops to a point where the vegetables won't burn.

These previews of electrical marvels come from officials of the Westinghouse Electric Corporation. Electronics, they predict, will influence the lives of nearly everyone on earth. A tough steak even will be impossible. It will be electronically tenderized before it is

Shopping To Be Simpler One of these days we may have a combination washing machine and dryer that will soak, wash, rinse and dry clothes all in a single eyele. You even may be dumping the soiled socks in a supersonic

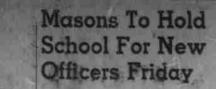
Housewives may shop for fresh and pre-cooked foods only a few times a year. They'll be stored in refrigerators and freezers, which will have special compartments for all kinds of food, so each can have its special temperature and humidity condition.

The electrical industry's fore-

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YOUR MONEY BACK

SMITH'S DRUG STORE



Waynesville Lodge No. 259, A. F. & M. will meet in a Stated Communication on Friday night, January 6th. The program of the evening will be a school of instruction for the Officers elect, and the Committees appointed to serve, throughout the year.

All visiting Masons are cordially invited to attend.

casters predict that homes of the future may be lighted by "bottled phor powders mixed into building material or into paint or wallpaper. emit the light energy they absorbed during the day.

Houses may have automatic indoor climate control. The engineers say that the home of the future may have its own built-in transformer to provide power for that and for other household appli-

Nothing To Take Apart

It looks as though tomorrow's husband is going to be stuck when he gets the urge to take something apart. The electric motors for home equipment and appliances will be burnt-out proof. All the electrical gadgets will be foolproof.

The only thing that has the visionaries puzzled is a simple substitute for ironing. Electrical ironers have helped, but they want something that irons a shirt automatically. They're dreaming of something like a sensitive, selfadjusting form over which a shirt could be drawn and steamed at the

Just to convince the skeptics that these things may not be too far in the future, the same comhas announced three new appliances ready for the 1950 market. Miracle Dishwasher

There's an automatic dishwasher that washes off food waste. udses the dishes, rinses them and finally does the drying. It uses 140-degree water, too hot for hu-

Then there is an electric range built like a knee-hole desk, so you'll have a place to shove the kitchen stool.

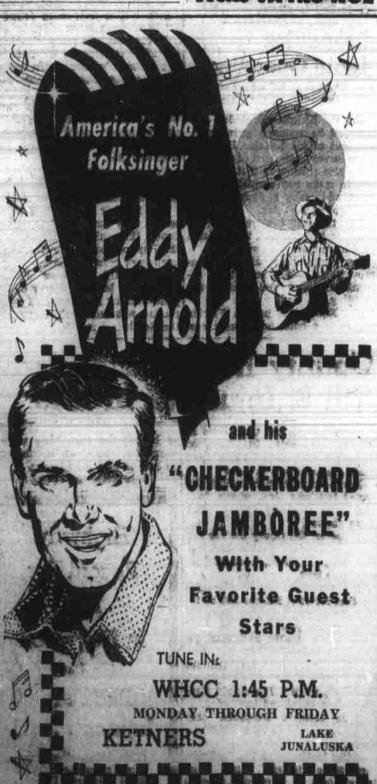
The third development is a refrigerator with a completely automatic defroster. The researchers figured out that the average household refriegrator door is opened 60 times a day.

In the new refrigerator, a meon the 60th opening, the defrost- written 15 books on federal law. ing mechanism begins working. It evne disposes of the defrost water



transient congestion. Invites rest-ful sleep, Relieves sniffly, sneesy distress of head colds. Follow direc-

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Editors Name Medina The Man Of The Year

By SHERRY BOWEN AP Newsfeatures Writer

NEW YORK-Judge Harold R. Medina, who presided at the yearlong trial of 11 top U. S. Communists, was "Man of the Year" for 1949. He has been so named by vote of Associated Press newspaper editors.

The court drama started Jan. 17 and did not end until all defendants were sentenced Oct. 21. Defense attorneys helped make headlines by their disruptive tactics. They kept the court in an uproar day after day, refused to heed warnings from the beach and, in the end, wonjail sentences for contempt.

Judge Medina won headlines early in the trial for his patience. in dealing with the lawyers. But in one hectic session he had to call a recess and retire to his chambers for a few minutes to calm his

It was not patience alone that got attention for the judge, It was also his firmness in insisting that no one, defendant or attorney. would be permitted to benefit from disorder. Warnings were fol-



lowed by action. Inappropriate testimony was cut off. Side remarks were stricken from the record.

Before the trial, Medina had not been widely known. When he came to the federal bench in 1947 he gave up a \$100,000-a-year pracchanical counter keeps track, and tice for the \$15,000 job. He was known as a lawyer's lawyer and had

When the editors voted for the leading men in special categories, they found that President Harry S. Truman was first in politics; Dean Acheson, U. S. secretary of state, led in foreign affairs; Philip Murray was top man in labor; Henry Ford II in industry; Vannevar Bush, president of Carnegie Institution, was the leader in science. In literature, Thomas Merton, a trappist monk and author of two best-selling books, was chosen. Ezio Pinza, opera basso turned musical comedy star, got the nod in entertainment.

As head of the Democratic party, President Truman watched it. show new strength in the 1949 elections. He had to deal with no spectacular political problems during the year. But he did face some turbulent disputes between factions. Many observers noted that the President "sat on the lid" without major political disrup-

ACHESON promoted more frankness in dealing with Russia during the year. Sharp comments on matters in the Russian sphere and on the cold war were common.

He took office as secretary of state in January. The Berlin blockade ended in May. The year also saw the Atlantic treaty completed, This gave the United States a defensive alliance with European countries and later Congress voted arms aid for Europe.

During the year, the State Department issued a "white paper" giving the background of the failure of the U.S.-approved Nationalists in China, Also in the talk stage are plans for U. S. aid to backward

MURRAY won his vote as head of both the CIO and the steel workers. In steel he led the strike that won company-paid pensions for the men, In the CIO Murray led the ouster of left wing unions, He also started a drive to replace them with groups farther to the right, This year the Scotland-born former miner was again named head of the CIO, which he has led since 1940.

FORD was forced to shut down his plants briefly during the year when the union struck because it said the company had speeded up assembly lines. But when time came to talk over a new contract, Ford became the first big employer to agree to a company-paid pension plan. It was a similar plan that was won by the steel workers after a strike. Ford took over the family industrial empire in 1945. His father, Edsel, died suddenly in 1943 and his grandfather, Henry, resumed for two years while Henry II was hastily trained to command.

The young man had not proved brilliant in college, Nor had he shown his grandfather's mechanical genius, But he found sociology to his liking. He followed that idea through, reorganizing the line of command in the business, and working for closer relations with the union. His success in these projects has been praised,

BUSH remained, in 1949, one of the nation's leading spokesmen for science. He has been head of Carnegie since 1938 and has tried to make it an agency to help coordinate U. S. scientific work.

Trained as an electrical engineer, he is also an inventor. He writes on scientific subjects and his speeches get wide attention.

In World War II he was head of U. S. agencies to help weld the work of science to the war machine. This included the early stages of work with the A-bomb. In 1949, his comments on atomic issues still carried great weight.

MERTON has written two best selling books and many poems. The first best seller was "The Seven Storey Mountain". The latest, "Waters of Siloe," came out in October. Merton writes about his faith and tells in simple language of the experiences which led him to become a monk. He lives in a Kentucky monastery.

PINCA has been popular as an opera singer in the United State since he went to the Metropolitan Opera Company, in 1926, He switched to musical comedy with the opening of "South Pacific," April 7, 1949, Here he found a new audience and more popularity.

Pinza turned to singing when he failed as a bicycle racer in Italy. He was trained as an opera singer before World War I, but his debut was delayed four years while he fought for Italy in the Alps.

Say, "I Saw It In The Mountaineer."

1930 ROSE QUEEN NOW PROUD MOM



NINETERN YEARS HAVE PASSED since lovely Holly Holstead was crowned Queen of the Rose Bowl Tournament, the traditional climax to the annual football classic which takes place in Pasadena, Calif., on January 1st. At left, Holly is shown as she looked then, and at right, as she appears today with her young son. Married to a prominent Los Angeles attorney, she lives' in Glendale, Calif. (International Soundphoto)

ASKS FOR JAIL

NOT DIRTY ENOUGH

BANGOR, Me. (UP)- An inno-CAMP HILL, Pa, (UP)-Two Jercent man went to jail here-at his sey City sellers of top soil were own request. Joseph Hadfield, 29, urged by a justice of the peace to was cleared of an assault charge supply dirtier dirt. Customers of but two of his friends were held Joseph M. Ingentio and Michael J. for trial, Hadfield asked-and re- Morley complained that the "high ceived-permission from the judge grade" earth they bought from the to go to jail along with his pals, two men was no more than plain pending final disposition of the garden variety soil. The men were John R. Cabe fined \$25 apiece. Read the Want Ads for bargains.

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BIRMINGHAM, Ala. (UP)-Mrs. Nathan Beer said she was walking with her husband when a Negro woman stopped them and said, from the home of S. L. "Let us pray." Mrs. Beer brushed will have trushle trying past. When she got home, her spec- them. The coins were tacles were missing from a cost and outdated America from Solomon's coin col

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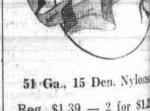
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