

OUTDOOR TIPS

from the Ancient Age Sportsman's Idea Exchange

Cold-Weather Camping
Cold and hungry you don't want to wait around for the hot to bake potatoes, try this: an ordinary six penny nail stuck through the spud. Steel ties the heat, cooks them on inside while the outside is done.

Fishing
Fishing is an old trick of water fishermen who grind oily bait and watch the long lures attract fish from far away. A novel suggestion to try this technique to lake fishing calls for adding fish oil (Cod Liver oil) to your outboard motor's gas tank. While trolling slowly the oil is churned into the water. Won't hurt your motor but may foul spark plugs until hard running burns them off.

Hunting
Dragging deer over hard-frozen snow or ice is hard work and will ruin hide because the hair sticks and is torn out. Try this: cut some pine boughs and use them as a sled for the carcass. They slide like crazy. Two srotgun tips: if you're shooting over snow, darken your front sight with the smoke of a match. Reverse if your hunting backgrounds are likely to be dark. Paint a white strip down the barrel. The long shooting plane will sharpen your eye. Third wing-shooting tip: if you are missing, chances are you are shooting behind the birds. Use an application of the string around your finger. Only make it around the end of your shotgun. A rag wrapped there big enough to see will remind you to follow through and your score will go up. Sounds crazy but it works.

problem that comes up. You need to make a long cast and the bait you are using hasn't got quite enough weight. Wrap a sugar cube in the end of the line above bait with a half hitch. Sugar quickly melts in water leaving line free, but gives you enough weight to reach the right spot.

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(Try for a \$50 prize. Send your tip to A. A. Contest, Sports Afield, 959 8th Avenue, N. Y. 19, N. Y.)



LAST STRAW—Kooky pig-tails grow under the brim of a beach hat that makes its unseasonal debut in London, England.

This Is Your Life
Recently, Rockwell Home Demonstration Club in Rowan County had a "This Is Your Life" program honoring Mrs. Daisy Fisher Patterson. She is 91 and has been an active club member.

Miss Edith Hinshaw, home economics agent, says Mrs. Patterson was president of the Rowan County Improvement Association for several years before the county council was organized around 35 years ago.

No Comment

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NO COMMENT is a report of incidents on the national scale, and does not necessarily reflect NAM policy or position.

Washington — Many members of Congress, already concerned over President Kennedy's proposal for the biggest spending program in peacetime history, were further disturbed by drastic proposals in his annual economic report for a vast expansion of the power of the Presidency.

There was widespread feeling on Capitol Hill that the range and enormity of Mr. Kennedy's program is certain to make Congress examine it with great care.

One of his major requests was for authority to lower all individual income tax rates by as much as five percentage points—subject to a congressional veto—as an anti-recession measure; and that he be empowered to do this also when Congress is not in session.

This was a broadening of his recent request for standby authority along this line—a request that produced many vigorous assertions that Congress would not abdicate its constitutional authority to determine tax rates.

Mr. Kennedy also aroused heated opposition by proposals: 1. That Congress "examine carefully" recommendations by the Commission on Money and Credit (formed by the Committee for Economic Development) that the public debt ceiling be abolished and that the requirement for gold reserves against Federal Reserve notes and deposits be abandoned.

The debt ceiling, which Mr. Kennedy has recommended be raised to an unprecedented \$308 billion, has been regarded as one of the important weapons held by Congress to restrain unbridled spending, including the "back-door" variety.

Gold backing of the nation's currency has been the foundation of the U. S. fiscal system throughout history.

In this connection there is great concern in Washington over the international balance of payments situation under which foreign nations have greater claims on the U. S. gold stock than the nation's existing supply of gold.

2. That future presidents, beginning in 1965, be empowered to pick their own chairman of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, who also would serve for four years.

Mr. Kennedy also proposed that the term of members of the Board of Governors begin on January 31 of odd-numbered years, instead of even-numbered years as at present, so that the new President, inaugurated in January every four years could make earlier appointments than can now be done.

These recommendations were regarded by many as constituting an effort to bring the supposedly independent Federal Reserve System under a degree of control by the President.

There have been a number of clashes in the past between a President bent on easy money policies and a Federal Reserve Board prescribing monetary policies designed to protect the nation against ruinous inflation.

3. That government officials, with a view to legislative recommendation, review rules governing the investment policies of corporate pension funds and other private retirement programs "and the effects on equity and efficiency of the tax privileges accorded them."

This was regarded as an effort to broaden government regulatory power over these funds.

A five percentage point reduction in individual income tax rates would lower the rate in the bottom bracket from 20 percent to 15 percent. Those paying a 50 percent tax would be cut to 45 percent. The top bracket would be lowered from 91 percent to 86 percent.

Tax experts explain that most of the relief would go to those in the lowest bracket—in line with the advocacy by liberals of stimulating consumer spending as an anti-recession spending.

But, it is pointed out, this would make available little, or no, funds for use in modernizing and expanding the nation's industrial plant in order to provide essential jobs and products for the future.

For this purpose industry recommends enactment of the Herlong-Baker bill which, among other things would lower individual and corporation tax rates to a maximum of 47 percent by a series of five annual reductions.



ARTILLERY PEACE—Sheron Runcorn, six months old, prepares to take a short nap on some big guns in London. Rest is often where one finds it.

sease?

Answer: Yes. Overweight puts an extra strain on the heart. Recent statements by the Heart Association have urged all overweight persons, whether or not they have heart disease, to reduce. Authorities agree that there is no longer any question that overweight is unhealthy.

Elementary School Lunch Room Menu

Menus at the Edenton Elementary School lunch room for the week of February 12-16 will be as follows:

Monday: Spanish rice with beef, green beans, school baked rolls, apple sauce, butter, milk, cheese slices.

Tuesday: Pork and vegetable pie, buttered corn, fruit cup, corn bread, milk, butter.

Wednesday: Beef vegetable soup, crackers, peanut butter sandwiches, white block cake, milk.

Thursday: Cube steak, school baked rolls, creamed potatoes, raisin pie, turnip greens, milk, butter.

Friday: Tuna salad, sliced peaches, vegetable salad, garden peas, school baked rolls, potato chips, milk, butter.

Question: Is overweight harmful to people with heart di-

Gerald Harrell In Play At Greenville

Members of a faculty-student cast have been chosen and rehearsals begun on a production by the East Carolina College Playhouse. "The Wages of Sin" by U Nu, Prime Minister of Burma. A political drama developing the theme of the menace of Communism, the play will have its premiere performance in the United States at the Greenville college Thursday, Friday and Saturday, February 22-24 at 8:30 P. M.

Playing one of the leading roles is Gerald Harrell, Route 1, Edenton, as a friend of Po Lone, a corrupt minister in the Burmese government.

RED MEN MEETING

Chowan Tribe No. 12, Improved Order of Red Men, will meet Monday night, February 12, at 7:30 o'clock. Obed Lee, sachem of the tribe, urges a large attendance.

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WITH THE FARM WOMEN

By MAIDRED MORRIS

Modern Laundry Methods
With so many different types of fabrics on the market, the Home Demonstration Club members in Wake County have been using modern washing meth-

barrus County. Miss Kistler not only stressed the important facts in airing and keeping clothing clean but also how to store clothes properly.

Home Records

"What suggestions do you have for keeping a record of household expenditures? Can you help me set up a budget?" Those questions came from a young homemaker in Clay County, Mrs. Peggy Tiger.

Miss Freida Dean Morgan, assistant home economics agent, gave Mrs. Tiger a home account book which she could use in keeping a record of all household expenses.

Leisure Time Used Wisely

What does a young mother with four children do in her spare time? Well, Mrs. Carl Cahoon of Swan Quarter enjoys refinishing furniture while taking care of the children at home.

According to Miss Nelda Howell, home economics agent in Hyde County, Mrs. Cahoon attended a workshop on refinishing recently. She refinished a table and is now working on an old heirloom desk.

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