



MANHATTAN Merry-Go Round

by Albert Zugsmith

Ten Cents A Dance

You can figure out how long a dance you get for ten cents when you know that taxi dance hall hostesses on the Great White Way charge \$3 a half-hour to let the boys dance them around. . . . A favorite stunt is to give the sucker the idea that the hostess will let him see her home. . . . While actually it is against the law and usually the hostess slips out the back way. . . . "Dancing on a dime" is the term applied to the spots where the hostesses allow the customers to hold them rather closely. . . . Some males are lured into the places by the signs "Dancing Lessons in Private Rooms." . . . Some of the places have no private rooms and the ones that do usually have a male instructor. . . . A good looking girl who knows how to "milk" her customer usually makes from \$40 to \$45 a week. . . . The average girl stays two and a half years in the racket while eight to ten years seems to be about the limit that the veterans stay in the game. . . . Less than a third of the lassies are married. . . . Many are from show business, some "between engagements," others that frankly tell you that they can make more dancing with the out-of-town buyer. . . . College boys patronize one of these taxi dance shops. . . . Several have married the girls they met there. . . . At least one of these marriages was quite successful, so far. . . . From the same dance hall came a girl that is now on many magazine covers. . . . There's only one animal that a dance hall proprietor hates worse than a newspaperman—that's a cop. . . . If you walk into some of the places the girls will openly—and quite loudly—solicit you to dance with them. . . . If and when you do so they will invite you to buy them a beer (liquor is not allowed). . . . If and when you do so, you keep on paying for the dances that you are not dancing. . . . Somebody ought to re-write that "Ten Cents A Dance" song—the words are in reverse.

Wine Hoax

Because of troubled European conditions, particularly in Spain, much of the wine arriving from the other side is actually American wine which has been shipped across the sea and returned with a foreign label.

Times Square

Every so often your correspondent is moved to write about Times Square. Because of his hurried steps as he rushes from his hotel to the office he sometimes crosses the Square without realizing it. Other times the traffic cacophony of Manhattan's mad vortex, slows his pace and he pauses to wonder at this modern Arabian Night Dream.

Times Square begins at 42nd street and converges triangularly until it reaches 47th street. Included in this small area are all examples of man's search for pleasure. Hotels, restaurants, cafes, cinemas, shops, theatres— one next to the other and each vying for patronage.

Blazing multi-colored electric and neon lights, turn night into day. On chilly nights as you pass the theatres, the heat that emanates from lights under the marquees, gives a pleasant warmth.

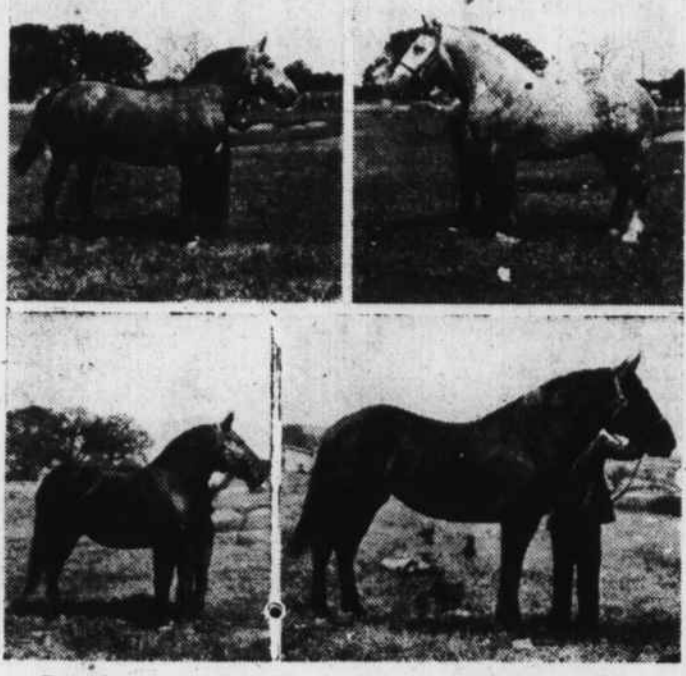
Endless streams of people— young and old. Some hurrying to an objective, others aimlessly strolling—seeing the sights. Boot-blacks with portable stands—dodging policemen in the best Oliver Twist manner. Chorus girls—scurrying into cross town streets. Blind beggars. College boys initiating a pledge. Taxis, buses, trams—in a chain-like procession. Touts, Broadway's "smart money" characters, some of whom live as kings but with no ostensible occupation. All here assembled in this crowded Square which is really a triangle.

JOE GISH



THE TIME FOR A TRICK PLAY

FINE PERCHERON HORSES



Raised and owned by W. T. Moss, of Youngville. (This picture was intended to go with and be a part of the article published last week but was received too late for our last issue.—Editor).

Timely Farm Questions

QUESTION: How long must a hog be kept from feed before killing? ANSWER: Do not give the animals any feed at all for 24 hours before killing, but they should have plenty of water at all times. It is easier to get a good bleed when the system is not gorged with food and the meat always cures better when the small blood vessels are free from food particles and blood. The animals should not be excited or overheated before killing as this produces a feverish condition and causes the meat to sour while in cure.

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