

# Fun for the Whole Family

## SPARKY WATTS



By BOODY ROGERS

## LALA PALOOZA — Fate Favors Vincent



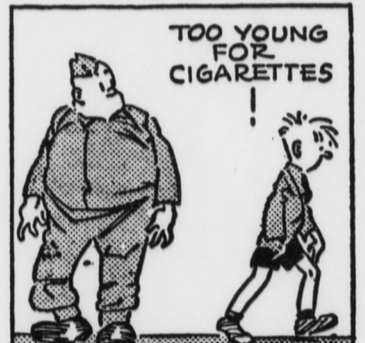
By RUBE GOLDBERG

## REG'LAR FELLERS—Active Duty



By GENE BYRNES

## POP—Hard Hit by Rationing



By J. MILLAR WATT

## RAISING KANE—Playmate Wanted



By FRANK WEBB

**PRIVATE BUCK**  
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“Ever since they made Fats a rear gunner, they haven't been able to get his plane in the air!”

**CROSS TOWN**  
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“My folks tell me that when I was a little guy I couldn't even sit through a picture ONCE!”

## ON THE HOME FRONT

NOT all the Pennsylvania Dutch were free-hand artists and you may not be either. The early Dutch artisans often used stencils for the main part of a motif and added a few flourishes to give a free-hand effect. You may do that too or you may stencil the scrolls and flourishes on chairs, chests and gay gifts until you get the feel of this type of decoration. All of these quaint motifs are symbolic. That is the Dove of Peace that you see in the upper left corner of the sketch. The



tulip symbolizes Lily Time or the golden age of peace and plenty promised the Dutch settlers in the New World. The pomegranate bud and fruit symbolized God's bounty. The blade, the flower, the seed and the heart of man were symbols used in decorating furniture, pottery, glass and tin. “Hex” signs were for luck and to keep away evil.

NOTE: Mrs. Spears has prepared stenciling designs for 12 authentic Pennsylvania Dutch motifs with color guide and directions. There is a large design for cupboard doors, designs for chairbacks, dresser drawers and chests. Also borders and small motifs for decorating bottles, boxes, jugs and tinware. These designs may be used many times for gifts and for bright touches in every room in the house. Ask for Pattern 205 and enclose 15 cents. Address:

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Along 700 miles of the coast of Peru, says Collier's, volumes of hydrogen sulphide arise at times from the sea, a mysterious marine phenomenon that still defies scientific explanation.

Not only does this gas kill much bird life and cause epidemics of headaches in coastal towns, but it becomes so dense in and around the port of Callao that it tarnishes silverware and blackens boats and other objects painted in light colors, hence its name—"The Callao Painter."

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Ideals are like stars; you will not succeed in touching them with your hands, but like the seafaring man on the desert of waters, you choose them as your guides, and, following them, you reach your destiny.—Carl Schurz.

## SNAPPY FACTS ABOUT RUBBER

By the end of this year almost 50% of the tires now on war workers' cars in Ohio are likely to be completely worn out under normal use, according to a survey which showed that war workers faced a crisis in their motor transportation. Failure to have tires replaced in time is one factor responsible for this situation.

Use of nylon cord instead of cotton or rayon has made possible the manufacture by B. F. Goodrich of an airplane tire that conserves materials, yet provides extra strength and light weight. Nylon cords in motor vehicle tires are well advanced in the experimental stage.

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