



THINGS WE CAN DO WITHOUT

People who talk in your face—and spray liberally with each word . . . Fish and oysters . . . Those seeking some tidbit of publicity who say: "I've jotted down the facts. You write it because you can do it so much better" . . . Rudy Vallee . . . Folks who get sore because their news puff didn't make the front page . . . Rowdies who stomp and whistle at picture shows . . . Accounts of operations . . .

Magazine salesmen . . . Fuller brush salesmen . . . Shirt and socks salesmen . . . People who want personal correspondence from relatives living in distant cities published in the paper . . . Amateur poets . . . Gushy women . . . Profuse profanity . . . Long speeches . . . Huey Long . . . Pessimists . . .

COMMISSION

I've heard from a highly reliable source that Charlie Wolfe worked as a member of the Jonesville fire department for many years without a cent of pay. And that he resigned a year or so ago at the height of the Elkin fire epidemic because it was reported to him that the members of the Elkin fire department were working on commission.

But that can't be so. Think of the number of retired firemen we would have around here now.

"MORNIN', HAROLD"

It comes to this department straight that a local dime store magnate, while taking an early morning

stroll about the streets of Washington, D. C., when there on a visit recently, was astounded when a man on a street corner greeted him with "Mornin', Harold." So astounded was he that he went back to his hotel and informed his companions (also from Elkin), what had happened. He swore he didn't know the stranger and that his name was not Harold, anyway.

However, an investigation disclosed the stranger was merely engaged in his occupation of selling the Morning Herald.

AT RANDOM

My wife seldom if ever reads the Gab Bag. Living with it is bad enough, she thinks . . . And living it down is bad enough, I think . . . Baker, up to the Chevrolet company told me last week that if the men who stole the Ford car out of their garage a couple of weeks ago are ever arrested they are going to be charged with insanity—what with all the new Chevies sitting around. I haven't seen Ab Somers yet, but it may be the thieves didn't take a Chevy because they feared it might be stiff in the knee-action . . . My life's ambition is to make a trip to the moon—or Mars. Striving for higher things, as it were . . . Don't believe everything you hear—even if it's true . . . I was 29 years old yesterday—just an embittered old man . . . The Merchants association is planning to open the swimming pool down in the bottom . . . Pneumonia is measles' closest ally . . . Would that dreams could come true . . .

A WIFE'S TESTIMONIAL

Boastum Co., Cattle Creek, Mich. Gentlemen: I am writing to tell you that up until three days ago my husband was one of the most irritable men I have ever seen. He stayed in a bad humor all the time, and often hurt his family with his temper flare-ups. He was the worst temper flare-upper I've ever seen. But no more!

You see, I noticed your ad. in the funner paper about coffee nerves, and how they changed a man from an even tempered soul to an evil tempered soul. Forthwith I decided to try Boastum.

My husband doesn't flare up any more. He died three days ago from cancer of the brain. He didn't have coffee nerves after all.

Moral: He might have had, though.

(I know it's silly, but what do you expect for a dollar and a half a year?)

THIS AND THAT

It's taken me exactly three and one-half hours to get this far on this week's column. Three and one-half hours wasted!

They say that one reason the Elkin chapter of Henpecked Husbands of America is not doing so well is due to the fact that the alibi committee is not functioning properly.

But no wonder! Wives of the members won't let their husbands out nights enough to require any alibi.

I understand Earl James' name is up for membership.

You can tell to what extent a man is henpecked by how expertly he folds a diaper.

Jonesville News

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Bengé, of Rena, were the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Martin at their home in Jonesville.

Mr. and Mrs. Ruffin Haynes and children, of Jonesville, were the Sunday guests of their daughter, Mrs. Fred Winters, and Mr. Winters, of Center.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Pittman, of Arlington, had as their guests Sunday Mrs. Pittman's brother, Mr. Frank Roberson, and Mrs. Roberson and small son and daughter, Garland and Betty Jean, of Jonesville.

Mr. and Mrs. Nellis Mook, of Jonesville, had as their guests Sunday Mr. Hugh Bengé and Miss Bessie Bengé, of Rena.

Friends of Mrs. Gene Haynes, of Jonesville, will be glad to learn that

she has recovered from her recent illness.

Miss Teshie Rose, of Lexington, was the week-end guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sandy Rose, of Jonesville.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Groce and children of Jonesville, spent Sunday the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Groce of Cycle.

Mrs. Bill Martin and Mrs. Lee Spann, of Jonesville, were the guests Tuesday of Mrs. Spann's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Roberson, of Winston-Salem. They were accompanied by Mr. Martin and Mr. Spann who motored to High Point on business.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Spann, of Jonesville, had as their guests Sunday their daughter, Mrs. Richard Pruitte and Mr. Pruitte and children, Doris, Barbara and Mildred, of State Road, and Mr. Spann's sister, Mrs. Sallie Bengé, of Rena.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Spann, of Jonesville, had as their guests for the week-end, Mrs. Spann's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Roberson, Mrs. Curtis Hussey, Masters Thurman and Pete Roberson and little Miss Betty Lou Roberson, of Winston-Salem.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Rose, of Arling-

ton, were the guests Sunday of Mr. Rose's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sandy Rose, of Jonesville.

Miss Dorothy Haynes, of Jonesville, was the guest Sunday of Miss Gladys Spann, of Arlington.

Messrs. Grady Cooke and Paul Flynn, of Hamptonville, spent Sunday in Jonesville visiting relatives and friends.

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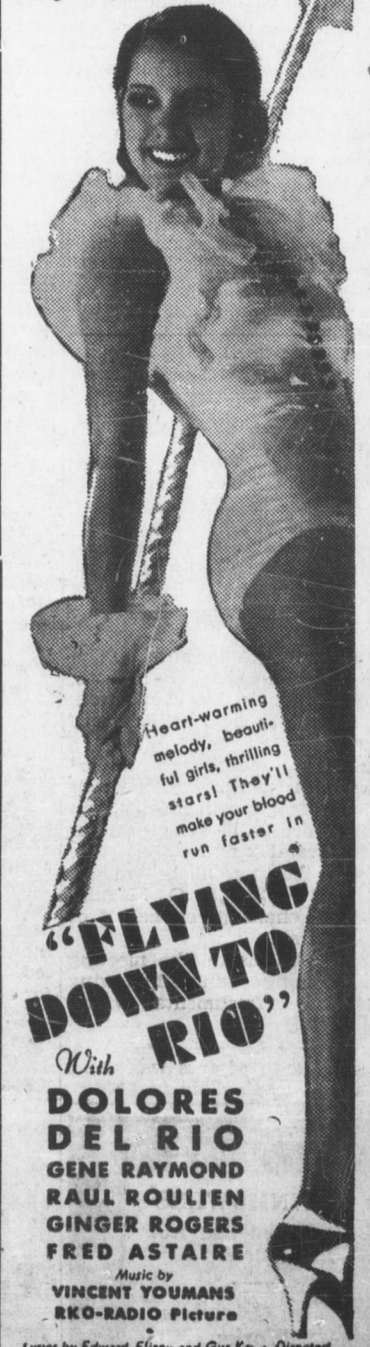
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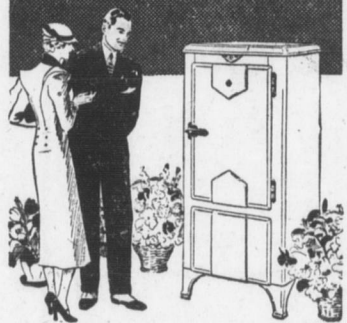
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