



By Alan Browning, Jr.

THE CAMPAIGN

You'll notice, perhaps, as soon as you finish reading this column that The Tribune is this week announcing with great gusto a circulation campaign in which it will pay to deserving brothers and sisters over \$1,300 in hard cash!

The first prize will be \$600 in a lump sum; the second \$400; the third \$150 and so on down the line. Which, you must admit, will be mighty nice for those who hustle the fastest and win.

However, the Gab Bag shall not be outdone. The board of directors of this column, consisting of the writer, Simpson, Oswald H. Gumbert, and Oscar the rat (pictured above in the heading), have decided to award additional prizes to those who come out ahead in this campaign.

After an all night meeting, in which Simpson snored mightily and Oscar the rat started to nibble on the writer with the idea that he is a big piece of cheese, the following prizes were decided upon:

To first prize winner will be awarded a new tack. This tack is to be used for sitting upon. Thus, when anyone tells the winner to go sit on a tack, it will not be necessary for that person to go to a lot of trouble hunting for a tack. He or she will have the prize tack instantly available.

Second prize will consist of Klondike Lake. Thus the winner will have every right to "go jump in the lake."

Third prize caused the board of directors a lot of trouble. We had a hard time deciding on what to give. But after much thought we decided upon a "protector" from false teeth. With this "protector"

the false teeth may be slipped into the hip pocket and the person so doing may sit down without fear of being bitten.

To the remainder of the contestants who win prizes will be awarded a box of Dr. Bumper's Bunion plasters. After three applications the foot comes off.

**NEEDED: STOP LIGHTS**  
As soon as street markers are installed here, the Gab Bag is going to launch another of its famous and absolutely resultless campaigns. This time it will campaign with its usual ineffectiveness for stop and go traffic lights.

The intersection which cries the loudest for one of these lights is the one at the north end of the new bridge. It is probable there would have been no death there last Wednesday morning had such a safeguard been installed when the Market street extension was opened.

As a result of this negligence in safety, we have a widow, and nine children left fatherless.

Would the cost of a traffic signal be too dear an effort to make to avoid further tragedies there?

**AT RANDOM**  
Mr. Spradlin came pretty near embarrassing somebody several weeks ago . . . We've got a fine horse trading yarn put away for future reference . . . What with being accused of spreading rumors it begins to look as if we'll have to spill it . . . Still, we wouldn't want to say that Mr. Griffith, down at Penney's, traded for a balky horse after telling the man with whom he traded that "I'm an old horse trader." . . . According to what we hear, Mr. Griffith's new horse wouldn't even move with a fire under him, but as we said before, we're not going to tell about that yet on account of we have some slight idea ourself of how it feels to be kidded . . .

It's reliably reported that after the horse trade Mr. Griffith still had his shirt.

From what we can gather, Lee Snow has captured a 'possum that's so big he had to enlarge a cow stall to keep it in . . . He was afraid to put it in the barn with his cows, for fear it would step on some of them . . . It's also reported by Will Holcomb, a man of unquestioned integrity (?) that Mr. Snow is fattening this 'possum for a wedding feast . . . Reports are that Jack Smoot, chief cook and plate dropper down at Abernethy's, has to do all the cooking at home since taking unto himself a wife . . . Sort of a "from behind the lunch counter into the kitchenette" affair . . . Well, we always figured Jack would find his real calling some day . . . Speaking of Will Holcomb, we hear he had his picture taken the other Sunday. Two exposures with his hat on and one with it off . . . It's said the photographer made him keep the hat on so it would cover part of his face. In that way he protected his camera . . . When the pictures were developed, one resembled Mae West and the other two didn't resemble anything—not even Mr. Holcomb . . .

**THIS AND THAT**  
Funny how the wind piles all the leaves from trees right smack in the middle of the sidewalk.

Another reader or two to record. Nurses in a Cincinnati hospital—so we heard. Goodness knows this weekly drivel needs some nursing.

Looks like we're going to be in the market for some extra soft soap.

Libby Holman Reynolds' baby son, Christopher, the latter part of last week laid claim to the entire \$25,000,000 slice of the Reynolds tobacco fortune which was held in trust for his father, Smith Reynolds.

**TO SPEED ENFORCEMENT**  
More vigorous enforcement of code regulation of American business, regarded as NRA's most urgent need, was presaged last week in the creation of a special justice department office for handling recovery cases.

**NOTICE**  
Burrus Gray, heretofore trading as Pay Cash Grocery Company, Elkin, N. C., has sold his stock of merchandise, fixtures, etc., to J. B. Mathis. All debts due by the Pay Cash Grocery Company to October 11, 1934, inclusive, are payable by Burrus Gray and all debts incurred after said date are payable by J. B. Mathis. All persons indebted to the Pay Cash Grocery Company, prior to October 11, 1934, will please make prompt payment to Burrus Gray. This the 31st day of October, 1934.  
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BURRUS GRAY.

**NOTICE**  
Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain deed of trust, executed March 28th, 1924 by Martha Jane Rigsby, W. H. Hayes and wife, Valley Hayes, to J. F. Hendren, Trustee for the Elkin Hardware Company to secure payment of \$610.00, and default having been made in payment of same, I, the undersigned substituted trustee, (see record of substitution in Register of Deeds office as of October 30, 1934), will sell for cash, at public auction, to the highest bidder in front of the Post Office in Elkin, N. C., on November 30, 1934, at 2:00 P. M., the following described property, to-wit:  
A certain tract of land situate in Elkin Township, Surry County, bounded on the North by the lands of I. A. Eldridge, on the East by the lands of Robert Guyer, and on the South by the lands of Mrs. Cella Williamson, and on the West by the lands of Charlie Ray. Containing 25 acres more or less. Also one pair of dark bay mules about six years old, known as Jim Laster mules, one set of double harness; one 2-horse George E. Nissen wagon; one Jersey cow about four years old with horns; one Jersey cow about seven years old without horns.  
This the 30th day of October, 1934.  
W. M. ALLEN,  
11-22 Substituted Trustee.

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A Paramount Picture  
News Admission 10c-25c

**NEXT WEEK—Monday and Tuesday—**  
**HER WEDDING BELLS WERE CRACKED . . . and so was her groom!**  
The bride shanghaied him to pose for the folks, but he couldn't hold the pose! A merry comedy of matrimonial errors.  
Adolph Zukor presents **"HERE COMES THE GROOM"**  
A Paramount Picture with **JACK HALEY**  
(star of 'Sitting Pretty' . . . now he's running for his life!)  
**MARY BOLAND NEIL HAMILTON PATRICIA ELLIS**  
News-Cartoon Admission 10c-30c

**FRIDAY—**  
**"GIVE MY LOVE"**  
with **PAUL LUKAS — WYNNE GIBSON**  
Comedy Admission 10c-25c

**WEDNESDAY—**  
**Family Show**  
**"HUMAN BONDAGE"**  
ADMISSION ONLY 10c

**SATURDAY—**  
TOM TYLER in  
**"When A Man Rides Alone"**  
Also Beginning New Serial  
**"Pirate Treasure"**  
Comedy and Cartoon  
ADMISSION 10c-30c

**SHOW HOURS**  
MONDAYS—Doors open 1 p. m. to 4 p. m.—7:30 p. m. to 9 p. m.  
TUESDAYS—Doors open 2:30 p. m. to 3 p. m.—7:30 p. m. to 9 p. m.  
WEDNESDAYS—Doors open 1 p. m. to 3 p. m.—7:30 p. m. to 9 p. m.  
THURSDAYS—Doors open 1 p. m. to 3 p. m.—7:30 p. m. to 9 p. m.  
FRIDAYS—Doors open 2:30 p. m. to 3 p. m.—7:30 p. m. to 9 p. m.  
SATURDAYS—Continuous from 1 p. m. to 11 p. m.

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Hospitals and doctors have always used liquid laxatives. And the public is fast returning to laxatives in liquid form. Do you know the reasons?  
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