



THE GAB BAG

By ALAN BROWNING, Jr.

AT RANDOM

Thoughts are running into a black channel this week... Simpson and Oswald H. Gumberts are both out of town, Simpson having not yet returned from Detroit where he went with the mistaken idea that Detroit was the town Max Baer and Joe Louis were going to scrap in, and Mr. Gumberts, with his candidacy in mind, was up in Allegheny county hunting for a large stump with which he expects to stump the country in his fight for dog catcher of Surry county.

So, with these two sources of information closed, it's going to be hard sledding all the way down. Already the boss is casting mean looks over this way because we we think best with our head on our hands. We also go to sleep good that way.

One of the other disappointing things about that fight last week in which Louis toyed with Baer for a few minutes before smacking him down for keeps, was its briefness. We had rushed home from the office and got all settled in our uncomfortable easy chair when bang, pow! biff!, and the fight was over.

And it looks like "Pick 'em Wrong" McLemore, the fellow whose pieces appear in the Sentinel, said the day after the fight. We may as well like Louis because it looks like he's going to the top and stay there a long, long time. He could lick Braddock before breakfast any old morning.

Simpson—and this is not generally known—was at one time a con-

football, but will remain on the job here with Chatham. Which looks like, to us, a swell break for the Elkin football team provided the former Duke star can spare the time to assist in coaching.

In spite of the masterful way in which we explained the Italian-Ethiopian dispute last week, they ain't started no war yet. Maybe Mr. Mussolini's bark is worse than his bite.

How's your tail light?

Evening Services Are Advanced To 5:00 P.M.

Beginning Sunday, Oct. 6th, and continuing through the winter, the evening service at the Presbyterian church will be held at 5:00 P. M.

Next Sunday at five o'clock Rev. Mr. Boyle will begin a series of twelve sermons on the Person and Work of the Holy Spirit. The subject next Sunday afternoon will be "The Personality of the Holy Spirit."

San Francisco has been partially destroyed by fire seven times.

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NOTICE

By virtue of the power contained in a Mortgage Deed executed to the undersigned by T. N. Saunders, on the 4th day of March A. D. 1931, and recorded in the office of Register on Deeds of Surry county, N. C., in Book No. 34 of Mortgages, 140 and default having been made in payment of note secured by said Mortgage Deed I will sell for cash at public auction to the highest bidder at the court house door at Dobson, N. C. on Monday, October 21, 1935 at 1 o'clock p. m. the following real estate, described and defined as follows:

Land situated in Shoals township, Surry County, N. C., bounded as follows: On the East side by the Thomas Hauser lands and the lands of Thomas Wall; North side by S. M. Flynn and L. C. Carmickles; West side by G. W. Hinshaw lands; South side by G. W. Hinshaw lands. Containing 50 acres, more or less. Land sold to satisfy a debt, interest and cost secured by said Mortgage Deed. This September 14, 1935.

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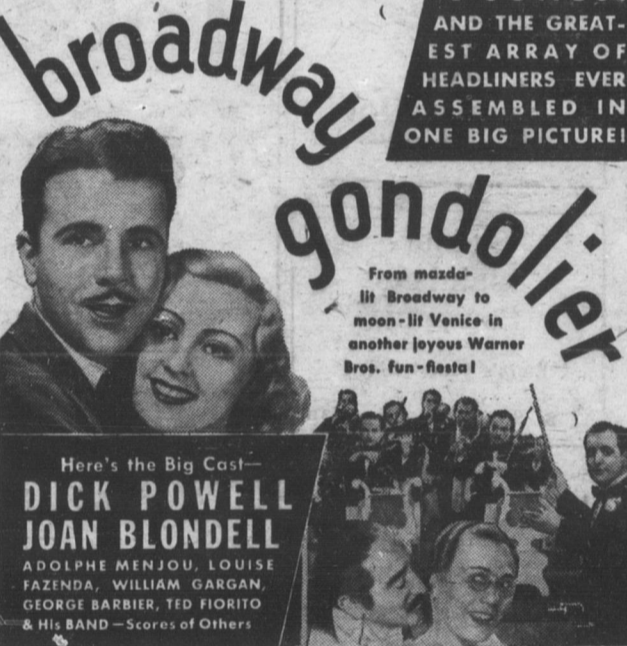
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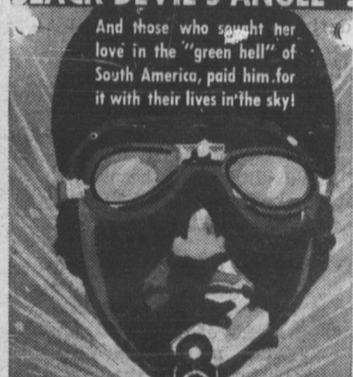
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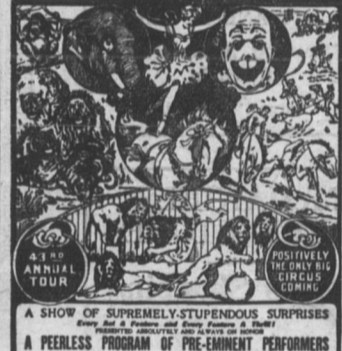
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tender for the heavyweight crown. However, Simpson did more contending than fighting. Fact is, he didn't fight but one time and when he woke up some hours after the first half minute of the first round. He decided that a fight career wasn't so hot after all. So he got himself a job in a cream puff factory. His employers furnished the cream and Simpson supplied the puff.

After a couple of weeks of cream puffing, Simpson was told that he was too big a man for the job, so for several months he toured the country with One-Eyed Connolly until he landed with us. He's been on relief ever since.

Unlike Simpson, Mr. Gumberts aimed higher when he picked a career. His first job was as a skyscraper window washer in New York, but after a day or so of that he decided that he wasn't built to withstand the high altitude. From then on he went from bad to worse and finally wound up as a politician, which trade he's been following ever since with about as much success as you could crowd through the eye of a needle. A small needle at that.

But both boys are good fellows at heart. Simpson thinks nothing of snitching your last cigarette, but he means no harm. All he's interested in is getting the cigarette. And Mr. Gumberts, although he looks mean enough to serve process papers wouldn't hurt a soul—unless he could profit by it.

Back in the day immediately after Lindbergh's flight to Paris, when everybody who could scrape up an old plane and enough gasoline to commit suicide on, was hopping off for Europe and points west and winding up in the squadron of missing fliers, we had a helper by name of Hermon Algernon Dooflighty. Dooflighty always had been air-minded, having won several prizes for flying the high-kite in his home town, so he immediately went air crazy and decided to hop to Europe.

The last report we had of Hermon was contained in a newspaper article which concerned the activity of a very sick shark noted in mid-ocean by passengers on a steamer. To the world it was just a sick shark. To us it was Hermon.

It's a pity that the Elkin fair was held so early this year on account of Roy Bell's pumpkin. Mr. Bell had been grooming this pumpkin for some time for entry at the fair, but, worse luck, it didn't get grown. He had to pull it while still just an infant and it only weighed 110 pounds. Pity it couldn't have grown up.

The following represents several bright ideas we've had for this column during the past few days:

You've heard the gag by now about how Max Baer, while en route to California on the train, got severely injured. The train was pulling into St. Louis and when the conductor called the station, Maxie thought he said "Joe Louis", and jumped out the train window.

Which, no doubt had it really happened, would have been a good idea.

Corky Cornelius, as we get it, is not going north to play professional