

Reducing Auto Fatalities. SANTA MONICA, CALIF? Being possible, CALIF? -Being revolted by our hideous record of mortality resulting from mad automobiling-as what decent citizen is not?-a gentleman writes in some pertinent recommendations.

He suggests laws providing, in addition to such other penalties as may follow a con-

viction for drunk driving or criminally reckless driving, or hit-and-run driving, that the convicted party shall lose his license for five years and that his automobile be sold and the proceeds used for the victim's heirs as the

case may be. Irvin S. Cobb Whilst we're on

the subject of the disgrace which costs America more lives every month than are being destroyed in the Spanish civil war in any month, here's another little notion:

That a flagrant offender or a chronic offender shall be given a jail sentence, without the option of paying a fine, the only alternative from jail being his or her willingness to be handcuffed and chained before the public gaze through a period of hours or days at the scene of the accident for which he or she was responsible.

That ought to make some converts to the crusade for prudent driving, don't you think? . . .

Windsor's Musical Proclivities. L ATEST word is that the duke of Windsor has taken up accordion playing in a serious way after first toying with the deadly saxophone and then doing some intensive bagpipe toodling. Obviously the duke is in a fair way to estrange those who, until now, have faithfully supported him through his recent harrowing experiences. Even loyalty can be pushed just so far. Or maybe he has a lot of close

friends who are deaf. Or maybe Mrs. Simpson is prac-

ticing wearing earmuffs. Or maybe she can wean him on a mouth organ—a comparatively in-

offensive instrument. Or he may just up and reform

of his own accord. Or something. Let's not be too

hasty in our judgments. . . .

Jefferson and Ickes.

SECRETARY ICKES is sort of opposed to naming the projected great national auditorium in Washington after Thomas Jefferson, because it is proposed to hold sporting events there when the building is not being used for public gatherings. He invites us to imagine the feelings of Jefferson upon looking down on boxing matches or ngs-on under that roof

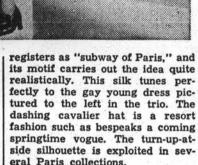


spirits, as an unfailing means of buoying one up with that grand and glor-

ious feeling that spring is nigh we recommend that you go stepping in a brand new silk print frock, the gayest, the brightest, the most animated in its patterning and coloring you can find to wear under your somber fur coat.

Hurry up if you want to secure the choicest, the most distinctive and outstanding from among the hundreds and thousands of prints now on display. Seriously is this word of advice offered for it is a fact the new silk prints are that intriguing and alluring we have known it to be a fact that certain particularly attractive patterns are unpacked, priced and displayed in the morning and by nightfall they are sold, not even a remnant left

to tell the tale. The new silks look new-distinctively new! Those that unmistakakıy bear a new-this-season stamp follow along unique lines of thought. They are more than mere dress media in that they have gone pictorial, illustrative, interpretative. They portray ideas, they entertain, they amuse. Some of the better highclass silk prints even go by name as an artist would entitle a picture which makes them all the more interesting. There is, for example, a clever looking new silk print called "film modes." The French love of American films inspired Schiaparelli to design this amusing print with the names of famous stars printed on colorful scrolls simulating cinema film. The attractive daytime frock centered in the illustration herewith is made of this star-enscrolled silk print, the color scheme being peacock blue and coral on black. The beret topping this costume is worn far back on the head



Strawberries, fresh strawberries! At any leading silk department where smartest silk prints are flaunting their fascinating colors and breathtaking patternings ask for "fresh strawberries," and the knowing salesperson will bring out a perfectly charming silk crepe print such as is used for the making of the winsome dress shown to the

right in the group. Appliques of the strawberries on net introduce an ornate accent in the bodice. The strawberry corsage is dyed to match the color of the berries in the print.

Others among the new and novel pictured prints now so fashionable are enlivened with animated figures, such as golf players teeing off, or "doggie" silks with frolicsome Scotch terriers performing tricks, galloping horses, quaint undersea fish, butterflies on the wing and other motifs too numerous to itemize. Most unusual and of high-style importance are the new landscape prints; marine scenes, too, grace these silks. It is indeed a versatile story of romance, history, music and what not that the smartest

prints of the season are telling. First-choice silks for immediate wear play up vivid splotches of striking florals in breathtaking colors against black or some other preferred dark background. The widespaced flower motifs look newest, these in huge single flowers or in

wide-set bouquets. A new and lovely

silk prints artful bowknots in gay



THE WALLACE ENTERPRISE, WALLACE, NORTH CAROLINA

Joys and Tribulations of a Trailer "All Aboard"

MMEDIATELY following my interview with "grandmother," who left her New England home with two grandchildren, set out in a rolling homestead, for reasons by her set forth more or less minutely, and published in this column, I began preparations for a trek southward.

I was anxious to know why, after half a century in one section with all the roots and attachments linked with the heart and with the memory, a normal human being desired an immediate and perhaps permanent change.

Perusal of all the available literature convinced me that in order to know the ways and wherefores, I must join the procession of trailers and get the truth first hand; in other words, live the life of an auto-Bedouin myself, for better or for worse, and record the result. And so, six days later, traveling light, and with nothing else in mind other than this safari into the balmy South, I boarded a New York train. arriving the next day at St. Louis, Mo., and stepped into a fully equipped auto-trailer, fresh from a Buffalo factory and already, I might say, house-broken by a young mar-

ried couple who quite opportunely invited me to join them on the open road. May I escort you through the property: The house complete is 19 feet long

by 6 feet 8 inches wide: headroom inside 6 feet 4 inches. Two rooms. one at each end of the trailer, contain adjustable double beds, 4 by 6.6, with cushions, springs and lockers for blankets, pillows and linen. The aft apartment is convertible into a sitting room with dining table and comfortable seating space for four persons.

Plenty of Cupboard Space.

Cupboards for a complete assortment of pots and pans, canned goods and cooking utensils are ingeniously arranged within reach of a spacious sink, a two-burner gasoline cook stove, and a small coal-burning stove for heating purposes. Dressers, five and three-drawer types, and a full-length closet provide ample space for wearing apparel. Dome electric lights supplied with power from the motorcar and 110 volt fixtures operating off outside current that can be plugged in at service stations, produce rich illumination. A 24-gallon tank of fresh water supplies the household through pump action. A lavatory, equipped with septic toilet and every modern comfort, is located amidships. The room units are di-



election of radio favorites. with two hundred and fifty-two radio-column editors casting the votes, brought joy to the hearts of Hollywood studios, for film favorites proved to be the outstanding radio favorites too. Paramount is leading the cheering for their Jack Benny, for the fourth consecutive year, won the vote for best comedian and best program on the air. Bing Crosby was elected best singer of popular songs. Bob Burns ran third among comedians, and that was no small achievement. Benny and Fred Allen had the first two places, and there were no less than ten or twelve famous stage comedians competing for third. M-G-M's Nelson Eddy was ranked first among classical singers, and Universal's Deanna Durbin best of all the newcomers to

radio. Twentieth Century's Tony Martin made a good showing, getting third place among singers of popular songs. And RKO's Lily Pons took second place among singers of classical music.

Interview etiquette is next in importance to romance manners in Hollywood. When-

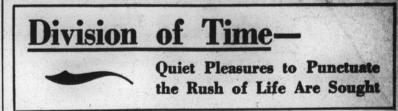
ever asked their opinion on the greatest actor on the screen, players are supposed to mention someone under contract to their own studio. Pat O'Brien just won't play according to that rule. He thinks Spencer Tracy is by all odds

the best actor on Pat O'Brien the screen and insists on saying so. That delights

M-G-M, but it is not so pleasant for Warner Brothers to whom Pat is under contract.

When M-G-M cast Robert Taylor in "Camille," it was with the hope that the incomparable Garbo would make him forget all others, but when the last scene was shot, young Taylor was still calling her "Miss Garbo." Next he was cast opposite Jean Harlow, and studio folks slyly intimated that the huge boxes of flowers she received on the set every morning probably came from him, M-G-M even sent Taylor to Washington, D. C., to attend the President's birthday ball with Jean. And all to no avail. He still thinks Barbara Stanwyck is the grandest girl in the world.

Hal Roach isn't content with keeping audiences giggling at his tworeel comedies. He has sent for Constance Bennett, dragging her



THE rush of life that leaves per-sons no time for deliberation, nor the pursuit of happiness in their own special ways, has seemed to reach its apex. Already there is a trend toward leisurely living, the sort that claims the right to dispose of hours not occupied in business or housekeeping, in ways of personal choice rather than of group determining.

Today, in the modern ways of living, time is divided into two units, one of which is work, the other diversion rather than play. As soon as work is over, or can be interrupted, the time is given over to diversion. Some persons work most of the time and some persons spend most of their time in diversions. The division of hours between these two things is uneven, but however divided, no waking time is left.

Spare Time.

While each of us should work part of our time, it is the matter of how we spend the rest of our time that is now coming under

growing discontent that seems to bode good. Why should any of u be bound to do in time which is our own, what this or that group is doing because at the momen it is the popular thing? Can we have no evenings to ourselves? Home Diversions. Shall the rare pleasures of home

special consideration. There is

be invaded? Or shall we decide to spend some quiet evenings in reading favorite books or delving into those new ones we realize would be liked? Shall we have time to devote to needlecraft, to music, to studying some language, to pursuing some hobby or doing anything to enrich ourselves or to make something beautiful?

Enriching Diversions.

All these things are diversions from necessary work, but they are the sort that repay us by making life more worth living, and not the kinds that merely absorb attention for the time being, and leave us depleted rather than replenished. © Bell Syndicate.-WNU Service.

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Well, let's carry the thing further: Can anybody imagine Jefferson imagining a Secretary Ickes? . . .

Madame Perkins' Ambitions. MAYBE it's not wise to add those new departments to the Presidential cabinet right now. True, Madame Perkins shows a patriotic willingness-or shall we say determination?-not only to look after her own portfolio, but to snatch up such responsibilities as her fellowsecretaries are so careless as to leave out of nights.

Still, it's expecting an awful lot of one weak woman that she should relieve two more members of their responsibilities, duties and authority when the task of trying to take over the other nine present jobs besides her own already has taxed her strength severely. And besides, there's annoying talk that congress may actually oppose the madame's latest little suggestion that she be made practically the supreme power in all labor disputes.

But she needn't worry about that. Who ever heard of guinea pigs defying a lady lion-tamer?

The Flood's Aftermath.

WITH the slackening of the torrents, the peak of drama out of the scene, but the tragedy, less spectacular but nevertheless desperate, lingers on-the tragedy of destitution and ruin and sickness. For the rebuilding of wrecked homes, the rehabilitation of morale, it is necessary that through the Red Cross we give and keep on givingand I reckon we will. We always have

But there are certain things we need not give the victims, for these be things they never lose and never will-their courage and their sense of humor. We can still laugh at our personal misfortunes even while the world at large weeps for them. I guess, for our race, that's the main saving grace.

**IRVIN S. COBB.** @ Western Newspaper Union.

#### They Might Do It

ized-shrunk in the finishing of the First Worker - Bill made a bad cloth, offers plenty of reward in mistake today, and I bet it'll cost him the election.

Worker-What was the Second break?

First Worker-He got excited and yelled "Let the best man win!" and smartness. I'll bet they take him seriously.

approved manner in latest to show a perfectly groomed hairdress with latest style-correct offface movement.

If you are feeling that make-it-

yourself urge which the displays of

lovely, crisp, fresh-looking spring

materials always brings to the wom-

an who can sew, here is just the

type dress that will start the home-

sewing program off with a flourish.

Almost boyish in its neat. trim lines

this make-it-yourself dress of dubon-

net nubcord, a sporting modern cot-

ton fabric with no hidden tendency

to shrink, since it has been sanfor-

colors. In Paris black and white The silk for the dress shown to prints are acclaimed. the left by the same artist designer

C Western Newspaper Union.

### **EASY-MADE DRESS** By CHERIE NICHOLAS



# **BE IMPORTANT NEWS** By CHERIE NICHOLAS

Veils continue to be news in Paris. With the flood of holiday parties. women seem always to wear little hats, oftenest of felt, with double veils floating over their faces. And that is the preferred position for the filmy things for lunch time, too. Cocktail parties give a divided allegiance to yeils, some of them over the face, but many draped over the back of the hat, making a frame for the face. Particularly amusing is one of Therese Peter's new creations. The tiny pointed skull capfor it is actually that-is of handknitted gold thread. Two tiny feather nightingales ornament it at either

side of the front, and hold the veil which is also embroidered in nightingales and sweeps back over the entire hat, hanging almost to the shoulders. Violette Marsan, who is definitely

a partisan of the small hat dipping a bit over the forehead, prefers her veils to be quite stiffened so that they may be turned back from the face or extended out from the face. These are shorter, not extending beyond the nose.

### **Tiny Watches Are Fitted**

to the Latest in Gloves Small jeweled watches are being worn everywhere but on the wrist these days. Some of the new tailored

suits with heavy cuffs have a small detachable watch encased over the left wrist. Many of the new cigaret cases have small watches fitted on the outside, while purses and gloves

that are fitted with watches have been shown for several months.

## **New Slipper Styles**

chic to the home dress-maker. It Open, airy types of slippers in striking colors, sandalized oxfords has a zipper neck closing and inand wrapped-around-the-foot efverted pleats in sleeves, center back and pockets. A smooth black leather fects will highlight the style picture this spring. In materials, cloth belt adds to the effect of tailored is first on the list.

tilation. There is but one entrance, and exit. Everything essential to housekeeping on a small but sanitary scale has been installed with an eye to economy of space.

vided by sliding panels. Six large

vlaque, supply

Davis Writes While Riding. It may interest the reader to know that this story is being written at forty miles an hour on a

portable typewriter occupying a When you see Eddie Robinson and center table that, when the day is Bette Davis in "Kid Galahad" take done and the hours for rest draw a good look at the handsome giant near, will be converted into the who plays the heavyweight chammattress floor of a double bed compion. That is Bill Haade, one of the most extraordinary characters posed of cushions from the wall settees, snug as a bug in a rug the studios have ever found. Not so long ago he was a steel worker in every one of the twenty-four hours that constitute day and night. Over-New York, and very proud of his head and cross-current ventilation job. A theatrical producer came along and got him to play on the is such that the trailer can be airstage in a short-lived play called conditioned at any time and the "Iron Men." When that closed Warodors prevalent and disagreeable in many occupied houses abolished bener Brothers sent for him. fore they take over the rolling residence.

Margot Grahame is proudly dis-The better class of trailers are all playing a new ring to her friends steel, welded construction made up

of channel and box sections for maximum strength and rigidity. Brakes and shock absorbers are part of the equipment the former co-ordinated with those of the motorcar and automatically operated in unison by the driver as the demands arise in transit. The feeling of security is enhanced by the fact that high speeding with an equipment of this sort is out of the question. There is a certain insurance in this. No man wants to smash up his motor, his residence and perhaps some of his family to gratify a speed mania or play the

role of a road hog. With a vehicle from 35 to 40 feet over all, the economic element is bound to exercise its influence upon the driver, thus making for safety to the nth degree.

in Hollywood, for in rapid succession About five hours out of St. Louis, in his next four pictures he will play opposite Garbo, then Sylvia Sidney, over the almost perfect highway Ginger Rogers, and Claudette Colbert Between "Show Boat" broadcasts. routed 66 through Missouri, we slowed down in the suburbs of Rolla, picked out a level spot upon ical songs. Eddie Robinson is asking which to camp for the night and for more pleasant roles on the screen, because his three-year-old son is alwent to housekeeping in the most approved and up-to-date style. ready a moviegoer and he doesn't want From our refrigerator, which carries to antagonize him . . . Helen Jepson forty pounds of ice and has three did not sign that contract with Grand compartments for provender, we National after all; she signed to make selected a meal of soup, bacon and pictures with Sam Goldwyn instead Latest word from London is that the British people like Zasu Pitts best eggs, fruit and coffee and put the kitchen in shipshape before shaking down the sleeping paraphernalia for of all the American stars who have a nine o'clock "nighty-nighty." gone there to make pictures. © Western Newspaper Union. C-WNU Service.

back from her long vacation in New York, and started production on a big feature picture. It is to be a drawing-room comedy, very smart, swift, and swanky. It must be that he heard Constance in that broadcast of "Private Lives" that convinced everyone she had a real flair for high comedy. -\*-

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is Margot Grahame.

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made up of linked

hearts of sapphires

and diamonds and

was once the prop-

erty of Sarah Bern-

hardt. Bernhardt

gave it to Ellen Ter-

ry as a tribute to

that great lady's

artistry on the stage. Ellen Terry

left it to her daugh-

ter - in - law, Julia

Neilson, who gave

it to an English ac-

tress, Mary Glynne. Mary Glynne

passed it on to her protegee-who

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ODDS AND ENDS . . . Charles Boyer is the most envied leading man

Lanny Ross is giving concerts of class-



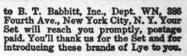
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