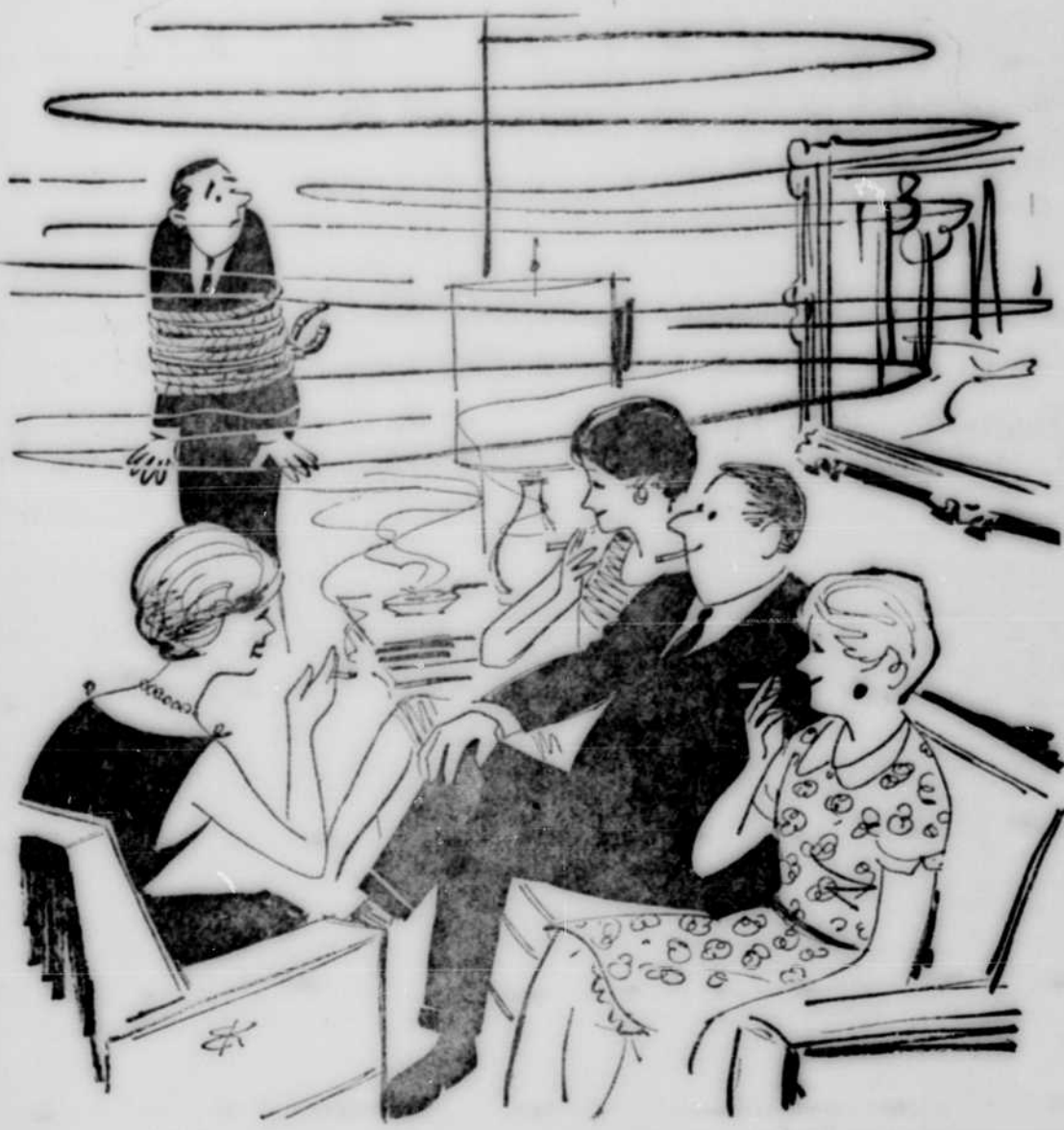


He's Trying To Give Up The Habit



Employment Survey Set

"How many weeks did you work in 1963?" This and other questions on work experience last year will be asked of persons in those households participating in the Census Bureau's February Current Population Survey.

Further questions relate to the amount of time lost because of unemployment and other reasons, a description of the principal job held during the year, and similar items.

Information furnished by local families will be combined with that gathered in 356 other sample areas of the country to obtain national estimates of the 1963 employment situation. In addition, information will be collected about the number of weeks women 15 to 64 years old worked in 1962.

These questions on work experience will supplement the regular ones on employment and unemployment asked in the monthly Current Population Survey at the request of the Bureau of Labor Statistics, U. S. Department of Labor. Latest estimates published by that agency show that, although unemployment usually increases slightly the last month of the year, December 1963 unemployment edged down somewhat to 3.9 million from the November 3.9 million figure.

Census Bureau interviewers who will visit local families in February include: Mrs. Frances C. Hedden, 508 Crescent Hill St., Kings Mountain, N. C. 28086

New Road Maps Are Available

RALEIGH 1964 official North Carolina highway maps in color and black and white are off the press and available for distribution by the Highway Commission. First copies of the new maps were received on Friday, February 7, 1964, and the past two years have produced record completion dates by the Highway Commission in getting the maps to the motorist public.

The 1964 color map features a scenic view of a portion of US 52 in Surry and Stokes Counties in the back-ground, and the cover of the black and white map features a front entrance view of the State Legislative Building in Raleigh. Tourist information appears on both maps, and includes data on rest areas, motor vehicle laws and signals, and weight restrictions. The color map includes several photographs of the State Legislative Building, North Carolina scenic areas, and a number of points of interest across the State.

A. Hoen and Company, Incorporated of Baltimore, Maryland received the contract for printing of the maps at a low bid of \$63.11 per thousand. Both maps feature a three panel accordion fold.

Dr. John Hickam, of Indiana University School of Medicine and member of the Surgeon General's Advisory Committee on Smoking and Health, is a former Duke University faculty member and a past president of the North Carolina Heart Association.

FARM NEWS

Items this week from New Hanover, Northampton, Gaston, Carteret, Rockingham, and Clay Counties.

Spend Clothing Dollar Wisely

HEN PARTIES HELD Thirty-five Home Demonstration Club foods and nutrition leaders in New Hanover County recently consumed nine dozen eggs at a "hen party."

After the club women finished their luncheon which started with "Ruby Flip" and ended with a frozen egg dessert, they settled down to get some facts on North Carolina eggs, reports Miss Verna Lowery, home economics agent. With emphasis on the importance of eggs in the diet, the leaders plan to conduct hen parties in their communities.

A NEW LOOK AT BUDGETING

"Now is the time to start thinking about setting up a budget," says Mrs. Audrey Jenkins, home economics agent. "And this is what some families in Northampton County are planning to do."

Mrs. Jenkins thinks that rural families should be especially concerned with financial planning since farm income is so irregular. She is trying to help all the families set up financial records to meet individual family needs.

WEIGHT REDUCTION WORKSHOP

Homemakers in Gaston County are also interested in physical fitness and are planning workshops in weight reduction.

Mrs. Johnnie Reece, home economics agent, says they are calling on a doctor, dietitian and physical therapist to help in conducting the classes. The women will also receive special help in ways of preparing meals for those who are interested in weight reduction.

TAILORING WORKSHOPS

Interested in tailoring workshops continues to sweep North Carolina. Mrs. Floy Garner, home economics agent, says Carteret County clothing leaders are going to attend a workshop first, and then go back and teach others in their communities.

Mrs. B. O. Ketter, Newport, RL 2 and Mrs. Milton Piner, Morehead City, are the county clothing leaders and are helping teach the advanced clothing course. Both of the ladies have had tailoring and have continued to master the construction skills and develop their teaching abilities.

WARDROBE PLANNING

Due to variety of man-made fibers, new fabric finishes, variety in style of clothes, mass production, and varying price range of quality clothes, homemakers have trouble making decisions regarding the spending of the clothing dollar.

Miss Isabelle Buckley, home economics agent, says the Rockingham County homemakers have received forms to be filled out which will help them in making decisions regarding the wardrobe.

ACCOUNT BOOKS REQUESTED

Looking forward to the new year, Mrs. T. B. Martin requested a new "Family Living Account Book." She said, "This is the best book I have ever used in keeping by family financial records."

"Several families in Clay County are using the booklet published by the Agricultural Extension Service in keeping their records," adds Mrs. Justine Rozier, home economics agent. "They have found it most helpful for income tax purposes."

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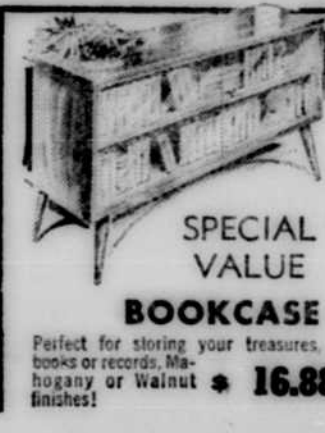
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