ESCAPE: It's next to impossible many with enough marks in his pocket to start a new home in another country. He's allowed to carry abroad just enough money for a good holiday, no more.

Now comes to our ears the story of a clever man who outwitted the agents of Hitler and escaped from Germany forever, taking all his money with him. How did he do it? He sold his properties, purchased bonds (negotiable in Great Britain) with the proceeds, made & record of the numbers of the bonds, then took a holiday trip to England. in London he contacted a firm of bond dealers, told them his story. The firm asked for a duplicate record of the numbers of the bonds, sent a lawyer back into Germany with our clever man. The numbers checked, our friend lit a match to the bonds in the presence of the lawyer who later certified that they had been destroyed by fire. Over in England again, the triumphant fugitive was reimbursed in the total amount of the bonds. And life began anew.

GREEN LIGHT: A Canadian judge recently ruled that a pedestrian who starts to cross the street when the light is green has the right of way till he gets to the other side, regardless of whether the light changes to red in the meantime or not. That's one to remember, motorists. But if pedestrians stand too rigidly by their rights in the matter, they are likely to run into trouble . . . . or be run

FREEDOM'S A GIFT: "I have taken the vell for democracy" last week declared former Czech Ambassador to Great Britain, Jan Masaryk, son of Czechoslovakia's founder. Sad but not bitter at the fate of his beloved country, he has come to this continent to do his part in saving what is left of democracy in the world today. He is devoting the rest of his life to serving the cause of freedom.

Addressing a Toronto audience he said: "The only thing that can save the world now is to make people understand that freedom is a great gift. We must do everything we can to preserve it."

FALLEN AMONG THIEVES: We that France is certainly in for it. That stronghold of liberty and democracy on the continent o Europe is gradually being encircled by a ring of thieves and blacknailers. The day will soon arrive when her position is intolerable. At the moment, France is reported to have agreed to do nothing to prevent a Fascist victory in Spain -in exchange for a German pro-

What a promise and what a bar-Czechoslovakia first. France next will be sold down the river. But she will have helped to sell herself.

mise to dissuade Italy from taking

THE WEEK'S QUESTION: What does the Federal Government's new Starting April 1 the Dominion will pay 40 per cent. of direct relief payments (instead of 30 per cent) Each province will be required to pay at least an equal 40 per cent. and the balance will be paid by the municipalities. Under the proposed agreements the Dominion Govern ment will provide for a sharing of the cost of aid given to transients on a 50-50 basis with the provinces On the strangth of the program newly announced, Canadian cities have already started feeding the jobless single within their gates.

## Hitler's New Study Thirty Yards Long

Walls Are 32 Feet High in the German Fuehrer's Office — No Pictures, Few Books

Nine pencils in different colors lie on Adolf Hitler's lesk in his new Chancellery study, probably the largest study maintained by any ruler. There is also a large magnifying glass, indicating intensive study of maps. There are no pictures but the books for daily use including Herr Hitler's own "Mein Kampf," Hans Frank's "Book of German Law," directories of the Reichstag, government offices and youth groups, and - topmost - a volume on British and German lines in the World War. The room is 88 by 45 feet and 32 fet high. At one end is a round table with chairs and sofa under a Lenbach portrait of Bismarck. The desk is at the other end. A bust of the late President Paul von Hindenburg is in one cor-

Mrs. Sareh Adcock, of Wooton England, 105 years of age, took her first trip in an airplane a few weeks after her first ride in an automobile and her first talk on the telephone. Daring Flyer Returns With Russian Bride



Back on British soil following a daring flight into Russia to bring home his wife from whom he had been separated for four years, Brian Grover is pictured here with Mrs. Grover as they reached London. Grover is pictured here with Mrs. Grover as they reached London. Grover made headlines a few weeks ago by making an unauthoized trip to the Soviet in a dilapidated old plane. He was detained for six weeks and after paying a fine was allowed to leave the country accompanied by his wife, born a Russian. Grover met his wife while doing scientific work for the government of Russia.

### Owls Creep Up On Their Prey

Once the Bird's Talons Have Fastened On Its Victim There Is Small Chance of Escape.

Owls slip up on their prey on silent wings—the feathers being fringed with down to render them noiseless. Once the bird's strong talons have secured a grip on an animal's flesh, the creature sel-

dom escapes.

Birds are able to see at least 100 times as well as can human beings-yet they cannot see the Half the weight of a bird con-

sists of the muscles that move the wings.

Consume Small Creatures As many as 3,000 skulls of

mice, rats and gophers have been found underneath the nests of barn owls. These birds consume small creatures in their entirety, later coughing up the bones and

Of all living creatures, birds possess most active respiration and require the most oxygen. The reason is that the air they inhale is sent from their lungs into pockets some of their bones.

Three Millions **Being Spent On** Northern Roads

Ottawa Is Paying Half the Cost
Of Work On Northern Ontario Highways This Winter
—Trans-Canada Links.

Three million dollars is being spent this winter on Northern Ontario roads, chiefly on the Trans-Canada Highway from North Bay to Sault Ste. Marie and roads running north from it, Ontario Highways Department officials report.

Completed March 31 Most of the projects are under way. All must be completed by March 31 under the terms of two agreements with the Federal Gov-

ernment covering winter relief Clearing and grading, involving the elimination of hills and curves, constitute the chief works under the agreements with the Federal Government. An advantage of doing this work in the winter is that cleared brush can be burned without danger of causing forest fires. No permanent surfaces will be laid in the winter months.

Clearing And Grading The Highways Department estimated that upwards of 100 miles of the Trans-Canada Highway between North Bay and the Soo is ready for permanent surfacing any time, a first class roadbed having been laid. No decision has been made on whether any paving is to be done this year, it was stated.

### You Can Sleep On Either Side

people generally sleep on their right side, while left-handed people go to sleep on the left side.

Careful experiments which have been carried out recently show that this is not really the case.

When 150 right-handed persons were examined it was found that there was no great preference for sleeping on one side or the other, although in the case of left-handed people the majority preferred the left side.

When, in the course of experiments, sleepers were asked to go to reat so many nights on their habitual side, it was found that they got to sleep more easily when on their normal side than when they were in the unusual position.

The doctors, therefore, feel that
people, whether they be grown-ups or boys or girls, should make a practice of sleeping on the side

which they usually favor.

### VOICE OF THE PRESS

EXCEPT MONEY A farmer's wife, after looking over a new recipe book, expresses the opinion that it is possible to make almost anything out of eggs, except money. Moncton Tran-

TRY THE RURAL AREAS A Toronto woman has written to Vancouver for a husband. The situation in Toronto probably is the same as in Guelph—the dear lady has found out all the nice men are already married. —Guelph

AND THE DOUGH'S ALL SPENT As the public accounts of Ontar-are not distributed until the Legislature meets, and it will asmble late this year, the accounts will be 11 months old before any-one but members of the Cabinet see them .- Wodstock Sentinel-Re-

DRIVERS WHO FALL ASLEEP it may be surprising to learn hat drivers who fall asleep at the wheel are the cause of more than 70,000 automobile accidents annually. It pays to have all senses alert when in charge of a motor car .- Chatham News.

BETTER LOOKED AFTER A very potent fact which restrains emigrants from leaving Great Britain to risk ventures in the Dominions is the social securty measure in effect over there. nemployment insurance and old age pensions are the main beneis which are not offered in all British Dominions:-Brandon Sun.

Juvenile crime in Lethbridge has diminished perceptibly. This ear there have been only 20 jueniles in court so far as against 58 last year. This, we have no esitation in saying is greatly dua y the facilities provided by cominks and the interest taken in ju ecutive of which is composed of adults.-Lethbridge Herald.

### Nonagenarians

For 24 years, C. G. Gabb has een keeping a record of the death notices published daily in The London Times. During that period, reports Gabb, 9.781 persons passed 90 before dying-and most of the nonagenarians were mar ried women. The year 1938, when 489 persons over 90 died, was ypical of that total: 154 were nen and 335 were women, 213 o

Chemical experts assure the British Government that if the worst came to the worst the people could be fed on tablets which would provide everything essary except bread and water.

#### Deer Leaps Into Office By Window

Police of London, Ont., were called at 4.30 one morning last week to arrest a new kind of ourglar, a 125-pound deer that leaped through the office win-dow of the Leonard Foundry, when startled by early morning

"We received a call from the night watchman about 4 o'clock nd he said, You may not beeve it, but a deer just jumpe rough the window of the ofce," stated Sergeant Percy ast. P.C.'s W. Clipperton and Charles Shipley were des patched with the black maria remove the frightened deer com its new found sanctuary. required four men to capture it and place it in the police transport, in which it was taken to Pond Mills and released.

### Garden Of Eden May Grow Apples

New Hope For Arid Eastern Land Is Seen In The Giant Reservoir Being Build In Iraq By British Engineers.

ples once more in the Garden of Eden when water flows into the arid country from a giant reservoir built by British engineers.

The Kut Dam irrigation project,

designed to bring under cultivation a great tract of land between the Tigris and Euphrates rivers, tradiional site of the land from which Adam and Eve were expelled, was completed New Year's eve. Dam Across Tigris A 1,500 foot dam across the Tigris will send water down a 21/2 mile anal into the Shatt-el-Gharraf riv-

er at all seasons of the year. In

addition locks will permit vessels

to voyage along the Tigris between

Baghdad and Basrah.

Work on the project was started n December, 1934, with construction of workers' camps and actual building of the dam and reservois begun in June, 1935. As many as 500 Arabs and Kurds labored day and night removing 1,600,000 cubic ards of soil from the reservoir and placing more than 250,000 cuoic yards of concrete in the giant forms that shaped the dam. In 1936 the highest flood ever known in the Tigris delayed work. aborers worked under conditions varying from freezing in winter to

Hundreds in Berlin wore wastepaper baskets over their heads on Pedestrians' Day" to draw attenion to the carelessness that often eads to fatal accidents.

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### How Can 1? BY ANNE ASHLEY

Q.-How can I make bakir A .- Mix 12 ounces of pure crea of tartar, 6 ounces of constarch and 6 ounces of baking soda. Sift each ingredient about 12 times before mixing. Make it on a bright, dry day.

Q.-How can I protect the plaster when driving a tack into the wall?

A.—Before driving the tack into a plast red wall, push the tack into a cake of soap, and the plaster will seldom break or crack. Q.-How can I stop hiccoughs?

A .- One method is to sit erect and inflate the lungs fully; then, still retaining the breath, bend for ward until the chest meets the knees, and then after slowly rising again to an erect position, slowly exhale the breath. After repeating this exercise a second time, the nerves will be found to have received an excess of energy, which will thus allow them to function

Q.-How can I make wallpape stick on whitewashed walls?

A.—Whitewashed walls should be washed thoroughly with strong vinegar before attempting to apply

d one member of the crew of the Imperial Airways flying boat Cavalier were drowned was forced down at sea during its regular flight from Port Washington, N.Y., to Bermuda. sank ten minutes after iced carbure tors in all four engines forced her down. Ten survinge were rescued, after spending 11 hours at the mercy of the sea, by the tanker Esso

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verstiy of South Carolina.
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dren," he said.
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40" has even less chance of a long-er life than formerly. He explain-

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vardstick of eye strain.

Everybody'll Be

People of This Continent Have A Bad Case of the Jitters, Doctor Proclaims

be a same person around in 2139 David Seabury, New York psychologist and author said here. Speaking at Ford Hall Forum, Boston, last week, he cited statistics from the English Academy of Medicine to support this contention. He said almost as many people entered in sane asylums each year as entered colleges. "The U. S. is on the verge of a collapse," he said. 'We have a bad case of jitters. The panic for lowing the Orson Welles radio drama and the fact that we spend a lot more time teaching college students how to raise hogs than how to raise children are evidences of our insanity. Lack of democracy in the home is the main cause of in-sanity. Any mother who says to a child, 'Mother knows best,' is an autocrat."

A new floating dock for Durban, South Africa, is on the way from England.

Crazy By 2139 HEAR

This continent has such a bac to teach it to talk. Going over to case of the jitters that there won't inutes the words, "Hello, hello," At the end of the lesson the par

> Now Winter's Come, the frigid thing, How far behind, pray tell, is

Spring? With all this sleet and slush and snow,

delayed, We're most decidedly afraid (In fact we know without a

Our heavy undies won't hang

air pilot turned to his passeng r and said: "Have you heard tha ase. 'See Naples and Die'?' "Yes," said the passenger.
"Well," said the pilot, "take

A Scottish teacher set his class writing an essay on Armistice, and one little girl produced this sentence: "The Armistice was signed on 11th November, 1918, and since then we have had two minutes'

Meeting the local doctor, Brown "And how is the lawyer going n. doctor?"

"Poor fellow," returned the medco, with a shake of his head, "he's lying at death's door."
"There's grit for you," comment-"at death's door - and still lying."

# Death Is Like

Woman "Returns" From Other World-Says Death Resembles a Good, Long Nap.

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e physician said.

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rot opened one eye and answered drowsily, "Line's busy".

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good lock-the propeller's come

peace every year."

# A Deep Sleep

A 57-year-old Bronx woman who "came back from death" sat propped in an armchair at home ast week and spoke of her strange experience as "just like a good long nap-a deep, dreamless sleep." The woman, Mrs. Bella Futterman, was revived by her physician, Dr. Maurice R. Goodwin, a graduate of the University of Graz, Austria, after she apparently had succumbed

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### Speech Errors WITH OGDEN'S

Records Faulty Enunciation Of All Sorts—May Be Useful In Education Of Deaf Mutes.

of Pennsylvania State College's chine designed to record accurate ly "the mechanism of speech". The device, which Dr. Koepp-Baker calls an "electrical phono-kinesigraph," or "sound-movementwriter," is capable of tracing graphically the spaems of stutterers and stammerers and the faulty tongue movements of lispers, and is said by the inventor to be "very useful in aiding deaf mutes in acquiring speech."

The machine consists of minute

electrical contacts, wires the size of human hairs, current-relaying vacuum tubes, a graphing device and a chronograph.

After thrilling battles with ice the Russian ship Kamehadal, which sailed from Leningrad in July, 1937, and was cut out of the Polar drift last summer by an icebreaker, arrived at Vladivosto

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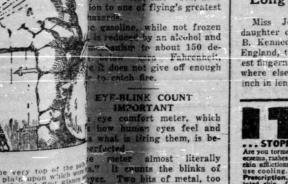


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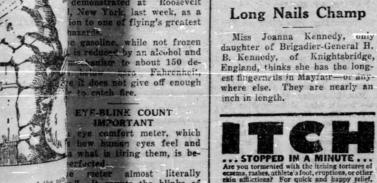
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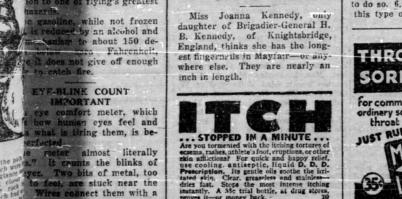
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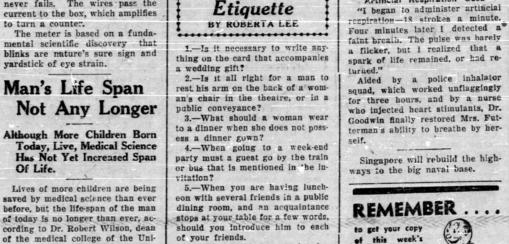
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