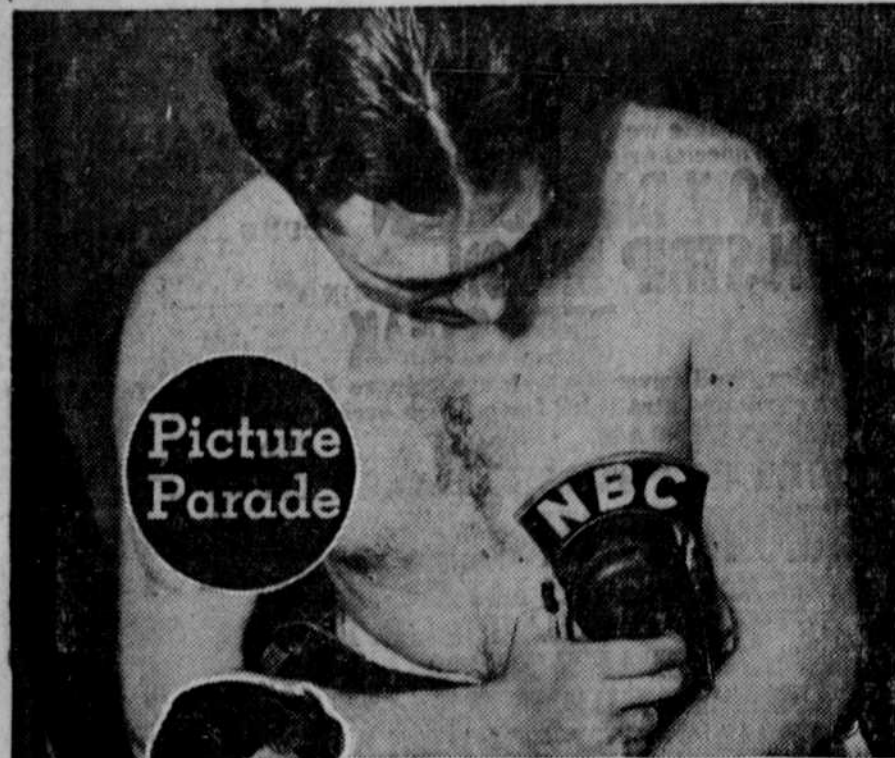


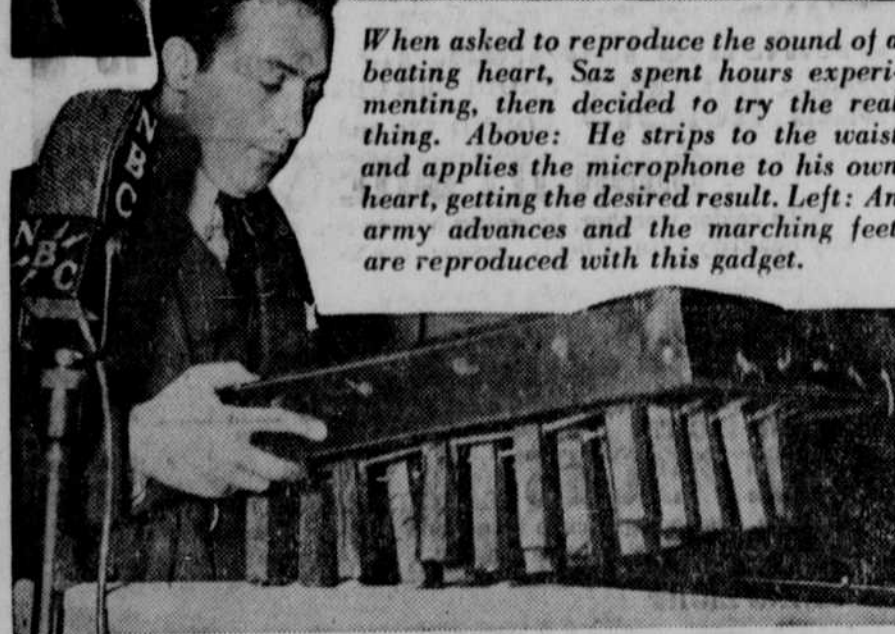
DON'T BELIEVE IT! Radio Sound Men Fool Public With Strange Noise Gadgets

RADIO'S demand for sound effects that make a storm or police raid sound real to millions of listeners has created a new profession of sound effects men who, on a moment's notice, can fill any request...



Picture Parade

When asked to reproduce the sound of a beating heart, Saz spent hours experimenting, then decided to try the real thing. Above: He strips to the waist and applies the microphone to his own heart...



Rain pattering on a tin roof for the radio audience. Harry Saz is shown creating this effect by dropping grape seeds from a sprinkling can onto paper.

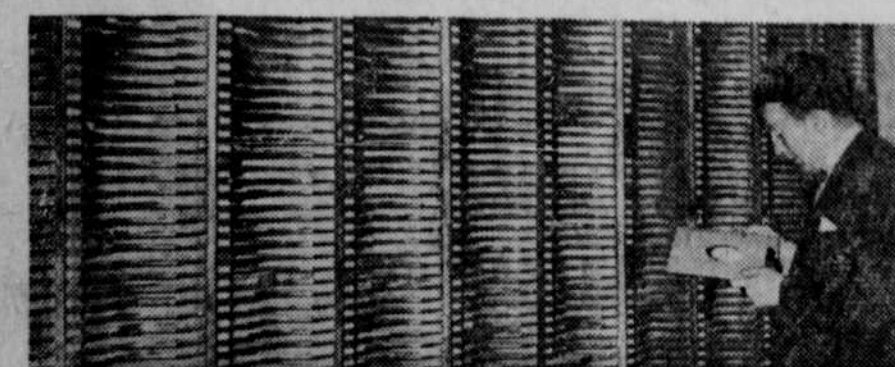
Below: Here comes the show boat! Saz blows a riverboat horn and churns a box of water with a crank that turns small paddles.



Above: A thunderstorm over the prairies. Sax uses a huge drum made of a single piece of steer hide.



Christmas chimes didn't sound like the real thing over the radio, so Saz tried hitting a discarded brake drum with a small hammer. It worked, and that's what you hear over the radio each Yuletide.



Fifteen thousand records of different sounds in this library!

LION By THAYER WALDO (McClure Syndicate—WNU Service.)

She swung the Hispano-Suiza into Western avenue and saw the gates 50 yards ahead on her right. As she approached they swung open and a truck came lumbering out. With a swerve that squealed rubber across pavement...

fought and kicked and writhed, but to no avail. Strength and stolid determination were with the workers. Into the foreign auto's rear seat they half-led, half-carried her. The watchman clambered in front...

Then suddenly the tableau broke. With a cat-quick movement she snatched off one driving gauntlet and slapped it smartly across the guard's cheek. As he staggered back, grunting amazedly, she vaulted the car door and came down facing him.

Motorized Equipment Urged for U. S. Militia Increased use of motor transport in the field operations is being stressed by the militia officials, particularly in the transporting of troops from their home stations to their summer and winter field training areas...

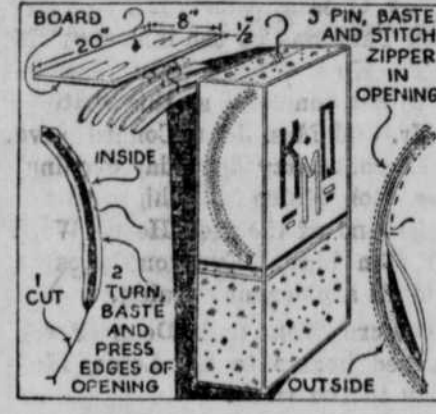
Strange Facts Long Time Between—Highly Taxed Alky—Compensation Laws

Several large American firms, one of which is the F. W. Woolworth company, pay their chief executives only once a year. When purchased by any organization other than a hospital or a scientific laboratory, a 55-gallon drum of pure alcohol, which sells for \$15, carries a federal tax of \$235.

ASK ME ANOTHER? A Quiz With Answers Offering Information on Various Subjects

- The Questions 1. What is the supercargo on a ship? 2. Why do stars twinkle? 3. Can the speaker of the house of representatives cast his vote when there is no tie? 4. What is meant by on the quiet? 5. What is the difference between command and commander? 6. Can a President legally take the oath of office on a Sunday? 7. How many people live in what is known as the New York Region? 8. A doggerly is a low grogshop. What is a cattery? The Answers 1. An officer who manages the commercial concerns of the trip. 2. The twinkling is an illusion. 3. Yes, he has the rights of any other representative. 4. On the alert. 5. Command—to direct, have under control; commander—to seize arbitrarily, to force into service.

HOW TO SEW by Ruth Wyeth Spears



At the upper left is sketched the foundation that this reader used. If a zipper is used for the opening, the 36-inch length is best. If you put it in a curved line, you will have a wider opening. Each step in applying the zipper in this way is shown here.

DEAR MRS. SPEARS: I thought you might be interested in how I made garment bags for each member of my family, almost entirely from things I had on hand.

Chinese Boy Thought One Letup Deserved Another

In a Shanghai bungalow shared by several young Englishmen, the Chinese houseboy had a perfectly round head which he kept shaved and polished like a billiard ball. The young men were always taking pot shots at this tempting target with paper pellets or giving it a pat as they passed by.

States and Possessions

There are 48 states in the Union, no state having been admitted since 1912. The District of Columbia is the seat of the federal government; special laws are made for it by congress, and it is directly governed by executive commissioners named by the President and confirmed by the senate.

Perpetual Ignorance

The recipe for perpetual ignorance is: to be satisfied with your opinions and content with your knowledge.—Elbert Hubbard.



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