

Snow, Cold Weather Handicap Windy City Firemen



Subzero weather in Chicago proved a dangerous handicap to Windy City fire fighters recently. Heavy snow and freezing temperatures called for drastic measures. Firemen John Donovan, left, equipped with skis and carrying a ladder, hastens to a fire just outside the city's Loop. Right: A parked automobile sealed with a heavy coating of ice from water sprayed by firehose. After each blaze firemen were forced to chop their hoses free from ice-covered streets.

Only R.O.T.C. Ski Unit Practices Winter Maneuvers

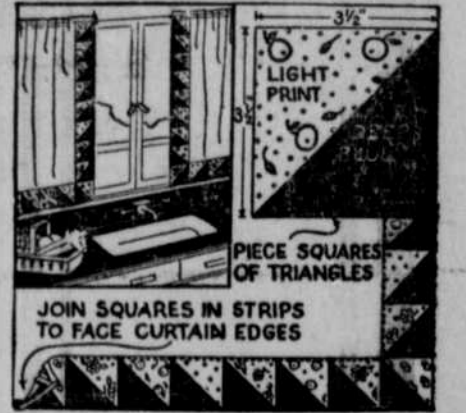


Only R. O. T. C. ski unit in the United States is maintained at Manlius school, Manlius, N. Y. Each young member of the ski platoon is an expert skier, rifleman and machine gunner. Left: Michael Senzimir, 16, halts while Headmaster Col. Guido Verbeck straps a machine gun to his back. Right: The platoon, having sighted the "enemy," hastily takes up prone positions in the snow. The white uniforms blend into the background provided by King Winter.

Pieced Order for Kitchen Curtains

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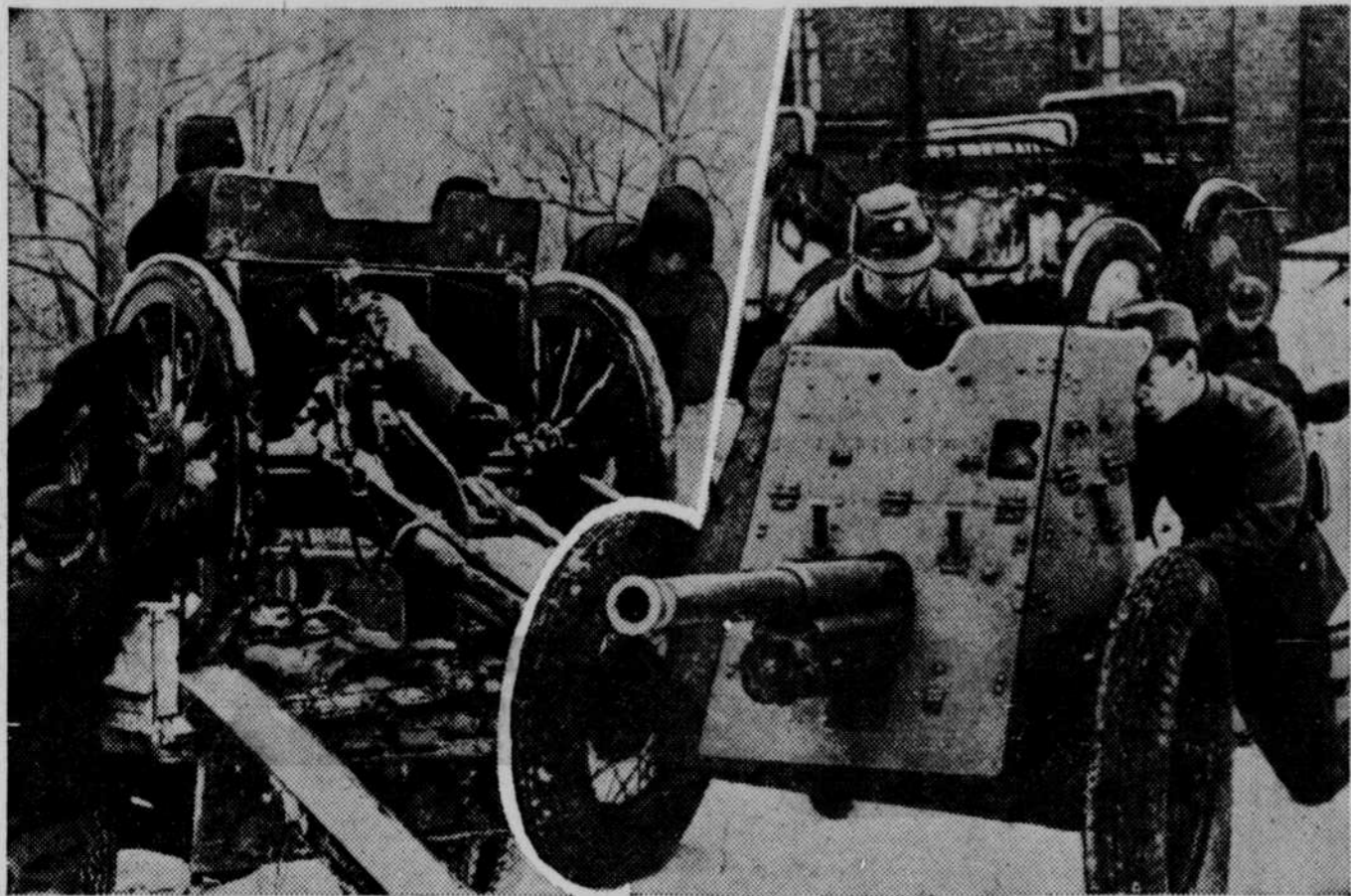
DO YOU remember this old-fashioned Saw Tooth quilt pattern? It has been used for the border of many a handsome quilt. It is so effective and so simple to piece that it should serve more decorative purposes. Here it trims kitchen curtains of unbleached muslin. It surprises one a little to see how modern it looks. Cut a piece of stiff paper in a perfect



square and then cut diagonally through the center. One half will make your triangle pattern. The size suggested in the sketch makes a very striking border. If a very strong, bright color is used for the plain triangles, a narrower border in this design will also make a good showing.

NOTE: Mrs. Spears has prepared for our readers a set of three Quilt Block Patterns from her favorite Early American designs. Included in the set is the Kaleidoscope, and the Whirlwind. The third is the Ann Rutledge, which Mrs. Spears sketched from an original in the Rutledge Tavern at New Salem, Ill., where Abe Lincoln boarded, and where he courted the proprietor's daughter, according to the romantic legend so familiar to movie goers. It is an unusual variation of the Nine-patch, and rich with historical background. For set of three complete patterns, send 10 cents in coin to Mrs. Spears, Drawer 10, Bedford Hills, New York.

Finnish Soldiers Examine Captured Soviet Guns



Finnish soldiers examine field pieces and other spoils of war captured from the Russians in fierce fighting near the Karelian peninsula front. A recent Soviet dispatch solemnly announced that Russia would declare war on Finland unless that country returned all munitions material which she had captured. The Finns are reported to have taken great stock of ammunition and other war sinews from the Red troops.

Texas Quadruplets Celebrate First Anniversary



Each sitting behind a cake adorned with one candle, the Badgett quadruplets of Galveston, Texas, celebrate their first birthday. When born, the quads, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Badgett, weighed a total of 17 pounds. Their combined weight is now 78 pounds. They are already becoming talkative, though the traditional "Dada" is as yet the keystone of their vocabulary. Left to right: Jeraldine, Jeanette, Joyce and Joan.

They Join Forces to Fight Long Machine



Sam Houston Jones, left, who ran second to Gov. Earl Long in the Louisiana Democratic primaries, embraces James A. Noe, third place candidate. The vote given Jones entitles him to a run-off election against Long in February. Noe announced he will swing his support to Jones in an attempt to beat Long, a brother of the late "Kingfish" Huey Long.

Heroine Weds



Jessie Simpson, beauty contest winner and photographers' model who lost her legs in a train accident in 1937, has a "hair-do" for the most important event of her life—her marriage to James Steward of Hackensack, N. J. Miss Simpson is proprietor of the Hackensack beauty shop.

'Abe Lincoln' and Wife Visit White House



A railroad accident didn't prevent Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Massey from reaching a dinner party given by President and Mrs. Roosevelt. Their train stalled en route to Washington from Chicago, the pair completed the trip by plane. Massey, an actor, has won fame through his portrayal of Abe Lincoln.

Harvard Thespian



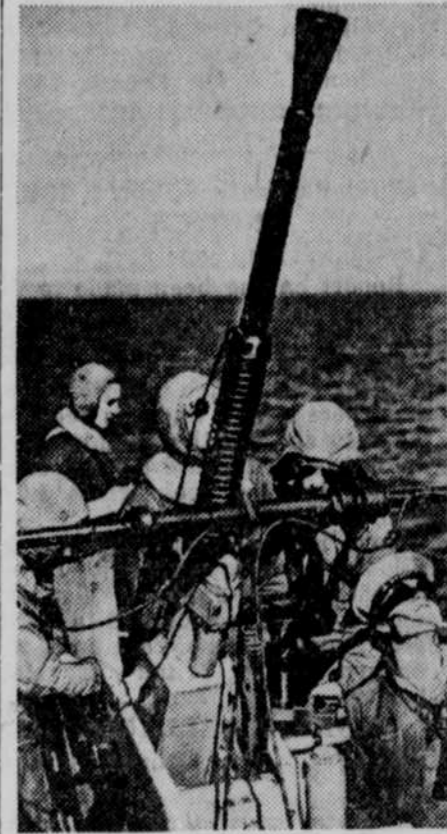
Peter Saltonstall, 18, son of Gov. Leverett Saltonstall of Massachusetts, makes his debut as wit, mimic and actor in the Harvard dramatic club play, "Too Late to Laugh."

Now Hans Has a Reason to Be Sick



Hans von Appen, left, German sailor who tricked the British by feigning illness when the S. S. Dusseldorf was captured by an English warship, talks to a reporter at Balboa, in the Canal Zone. Von Appen was put ashore at Panama, where authorities found his illness an "act." He was placed under custody of United States army officials, and in due course, will be turned over to the British as a prisoner of war.

Action Skyward



Anti-aircraft gunners aboard a Swedish man o' war in the gulf of Bothnia practice with their weapon—one of the most deadly guns made to counteract the warplane threat. Although Sweden remains neutral, she continues to intensify defense measures.

New Solicitor General of U. S. Sworn In



Francis X. Biddle, center, of Philadelphia, Pa., sworn in as solicitor general of the United States by Supreme Court Justice Felix Frankfurter, right. Attorney General Robert Jackson witnessed the ceremonies. Biddle succeeds Jackson, who was named to his present post following the appointment of former Attorney General Frank Murphy to the Supreme court.

Honeymoon Helper



Flooded with requests is Clinton Mozley Washburn of New York who offered two free weeks for honeymooners on his palm-covered island off the coast of Florida. Mozley admits a huge, unlooked-for response.

Skeptical
Jailer—Visiting hours are from two to four.
New Prisoner—Stop joking. You wouldn't let me go visiting.

You Tell Me
Two mind-readers met after an interval of some months. One of them immediately exclaimed in a hearty voice:
"You're all right! How am I?"

She Should Know
"Darling, let us keep our engagement a secret."
"Yes, dear; but I must tell Doris. The horrid creature said I should never find a man foolish enough to marry me."

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Folly of Anger
Anger always begins with folly, and ends with repentance.—Pythagoras.



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