Troops Move In to Clean Up Kentucky "Crime Zone"



ENTUCKY National Guardsmen moved secretly into Manchester, Ky., to carry out an order to "clean up" A Clay county, whose bloody history led a federal investigator to call it "the worst criminal stronghold In the United States." The troops descended upon the town in the early morning hours in a surprise move by Gov. Ruby Laffoon to break up an alleged automobile theft ring and end other lawlessness. The town is practically under martial law, and Brig. Gen. Ellerbe W. Carter is in command. Photograph shows an air view of Manchester, Ky., with the state guardsmen encamped in trucks in the center of the town.

BEDTIME STORY By THORNTON W. BURGESS

DANNY MEADOW MOUSE VISITS THE SMILING POOL

head to go over to the Smiling Pool. for his dinner than an old frog like Just why he did it nobody knows. Perhaps it was he wanted to consult Grandfather Frog, who, you know, is accounted very wise. Perhaps he wanted to call on his big cousin, Jerry Muskrat. Perhaps it



"What Are You Doing Over Here, Danny Meadow Mouse?"

wanted to go somewhere for a change of scene. Whatever the reason, Danny unexpectedly appeared one morning on the bank of the Smiling Pool.

The very first person he saw was Grandfather Frog, sitting on his big, green lily pad. "Good morning, Grandfather Frog," squeaked Danny.

Grandfather Frog turned about in a funny little hop of startled surprise and blinked his great, goggly eyes at Danny Meadow Mouse. "Chugarum," said he in a deep gruff voice. "What are you doing over here, Danny Meadow Mouse?"

"Nothing in particular," replied

"People who are doing nothing in particular are very likely to get into trouble. Don't you know that, Danny Meadow Mouse?" demanded Grandfather Frog.

"Oh, I guess I can keep out of trouble around here. You're looking very fine, Grandfather Frog. You don't look a day older than when I last saw you."

"I don't feel a day older," replied Grandfather Frog, and his voice was not quite so gruff. You see, it rather tickled him to be told that he this handsome cape of gray broadlooked no older. "Of course I'm tail can be worn equally well with glad to see you, Danny," he con- a suit, coat or dress. The wide coltinued, "but just the same I think | lar with an inverted box pleat efyou are taking chances in coming fect is very flattering.

Longlegs' the Blue Heron comes over here almost every day, and I have an idea that he would DANNY MEADOW MOUSE had just as soon and perhaps a little taken it into his funny little rather, have a fat Meadow Mouse

> "I believe you're not glad to see me at all," declared Danny. "You are trying to scare me.'

"No such thing," replied Grandfather Frog gruffly. "But I never like was because he felt uneasy and to see anybody take unnecessary risks. You know, I believe in safety first. Now what would you do if Reddy Fox should suddenly appear right behind you? You would be in such a tight place. There isn't a thing you could hide under, and hiding in the grass wouldn't do you a bit of good, for that keen nose of Reddy's would soon find you."

"Reddy isn't here, so what's the good of borrowing trouble?" squeaked Danny, "It's time enough to worry when there is something to worry about. Did you ever know a finer day, Grandfather Frog?" C. T. W. Burgess .- WNU Service

Cape of Gray Broadtail



Clerical in its simplicity of line,

WITTY KITTY



The girl chum says a garden is something that never has been known to live up to promise of the seed catalogue.

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UESTION BOX by ED WYNN, The Perfect Fool

I am a boy twelve years of age my school hours. I am supposed to set 15 rat traps in the basement of an office building every day. Is it hard to learn to set a rat trap? Sincerely.

I. D. CLARE.

Answer: It is very easy to learn how to set a rat trap after you once get your hand in.

Dear Mr. Wynn: I have a girl friend who is a good swimmer. She told me, yesterday, that she once fell off a boat

into the water and a large shark

came after her, looked her over,

then went away without even touch-

ing her. Do you believe that? Yours truly, IKE ANTBEE LEEVIT. Answer: Sure I believe it. It

nust have been a man-eating shark.

Dear Mr. Wynn:

I am the mother of a girl seveneen years of age. I want her to ake up golf, tennis, swimming and other outdoor sports. She refuses and stays in the house. She says she prefers indoor sport. Are indoor sports all right for a girl ber age? Truly yours,

I. WORRIE. Answer: An indoor sport is all right for a girl, if she knows when to send him home.

Dear Mr. Wynn:

I am in love with a boy twentyone years of age. He wants me to marry him but he is a spendthrift. Is it all right for me to marry a spendthrift? Yours truly,

WANDA WHATEDU. Answer: It is all right if he is just starting on his career as a spendthrift. Get in on it, kid.

Dear Mr. Wynn:

My husband, who was a fireman, was discharged by the city. The only reason given in his discharge was "For acting childish at the last fire." What do they mean by saying, "he acted childish?"

Truly yours, HOOKEN LADDER. Answer: Your husband probably was in charge of the hose crew and "by acting childish," they mean he played on the ruins after the fire

Dear Mr. Wynn: My next door neighbor told me no

land, from his brother, and it only and have been offered a job after cost two cents. Do you believe that? Yours truly, U. MAYNO. Answer: Sure I believe it. It

got a wireless from London, Eng-

was a postcard. ©, the Associated Newspapers. WNU Service

IPAPA KNOWS



"Pop, what is a poet?" "Large bow tie." C. Bell Syndicate-WNU Service.

THE OLD HOME **GOES**

By ANNE CAMPBELL

THE house went long ago. . Its walls are crumbled; And the barn door, once painted red, has tumbled.

I heard they sold the lumber for old wood

To start the autumn fires with . not much good, This roof that sheltered me, this

house Granddad Built for his bride when he was yet a lad.

He made the house, and planted the green tree Back of the outdoor kitchen . . .

Valiantly, Where so much ruin is, the tree still stands. It is a gift from God. . . . The

meadowlands Beyond were razed a hundred times, but still The tree is green upon the sunny

hill. Nothing the years have done to it has mattered.

Against its strong old heart the years have battered. The sun of happiness, the rain of

Have beaten on its boughs for fifty years,

And it remains the same-constant -kept whole-

As If it, too, had an immortal soul! Copyright .- WNU Service.



"Between that trip to Niagara Falls and the one to Reno," says knowing Nora, "the furtherest most married women get from home is

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First Steamboat in St. Louis The first steamboat reached St. Louis in 1827.

Eyes of Scientific World on Student



The reason is that West is so sensitive to sunshine that he sunburns in three minutes. No part of his body is immune from the effect. Red cellophane has been put over his workroom window to protect him from the sun. Photograph shows Robert J. West (in sweater) in the University of California's "Red" room, conducting an experiment with a fellow

College-Trained Girls Seek Domestic Service

A few years ago college-bred girls would have disdained domestic serv ce. The depression has changed that-to some extent at least. Some of them are willing to try their hands at anything to make an hon-

So it is that the Y. W. C. A. of Orange, N. J., has begun a new venture. Under the direction of Miss Anna Davis, general secretary of the local branch, unemployed young women of high school or college education, will be used to supply the demand for cooks, housekeepers, nursemaids, and companions to elderly persons.

"From time to time," said Miss Davis, "young women, educated for a business career, but unable to find work, have told us they would take any respectable job, even though it entailed working in homes as cooks, nurses, or companions."

An investigation disclosed that there was a shortage of efficient domestic workers. A new bureau established by the Y. W. C. A. will serve as an employment-contact agency, and all negotiations will be carried on secretly.-Literary Digest.

Week's Supply of Postum Free Read the offer made by the Postum Company in another part of this pa-

per. They will send a full week's supply of health giving Postum free to anyone who writes for it .- Adv.

Their Own Fault? There are men who seem to pro-

voke the question, "How did you succeed in becoming profoundly homely?" For it is manifest that much | card.-Emily Post. of their uncomeliness is their own doing.-Exchange.

Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription makes weak women strong. No alcohol. Sold by druggists in tablets or liquid.—Adv.

Few Radios in China

Col. T. T. Chung, Chinese wireless commissioner, estimates there are no more than 40,000 radio sets in all of China, which has a population of more than 400,000,000.

CONSTIPATION Can be Helped!

(Use what Doctors do)

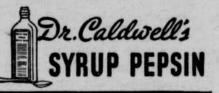
Why do the bowels usually wove regularly and thoroughly, loag after a physician has given you treatment

for constipation? Because the doctor gives a liquid laxative that can always be taken in the right amount. You can gradually reduce the dose. Reduced losage is the secret of real and safe relief from

constipation. Ask your doctor about this. Ask your druggist how popular liquid laxatives have become. The right liquid laxative gives the right kind of help, and the right amount of help. When the dose is repeated, instead of more each time, you take less. Until the bowels are moving regularly and

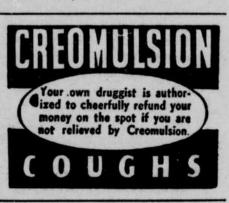
thoroughly without any help at all.

The liquid laxative generally used is Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. It contains senna and cascara, and these are natural laxatives that form no habit a great in all laxatives that form no habit — even in children. Your druggist has it; ask for—



Time for Discard

When a rule of etiquette adds nothing of value to beauty, to comfort, to ease or to happiness, it may be set down as a useless rule which may as well be thrown into the dis-



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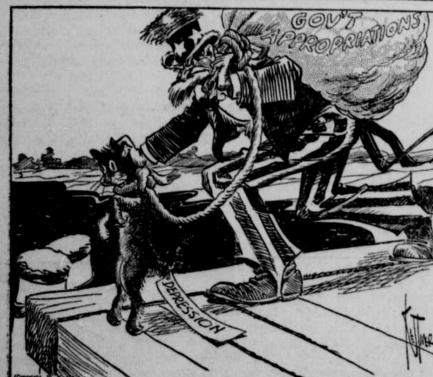
Make You Ill

TS a constant backache keeping you miserable? Do you suffer burning, scanty or too frequent urination; attacks of dizziness, rheumatic pains, swollen feet and ankles? Do you feel tired, nervous -all unstrung?

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This Ought to Sink Him



By NINA WILCOX PUTNAM



MOTHER'S * OOK BOOK

THIS AND THAT

CANDIES make a delicious gar-nish for simple desserts, and fused. save the time necessary for preparing more elaborate ones. A bit of chocolate or maple fudge crumbled over ice cream, cornstarch pudding. custard, or junket, makes an otherwise plain dessert very stylish.

cally as good as new put a large ta- for dessert. A word of praise, a reblespoonful of concentrated lye in a pail half full of boiling water and let the mop boil in it. Rinse thoroughly several times and put in the individuals enjoy exactly the same sun to dry.

One or two tablespoonfuls of kerosene put into the boiler with the clothes will whiten them. Begin early and start right with the child; this is especially important if he is to be strong, well and

an efficient citizen. The normal child eats with zest the food placed before him. Dawdling over food or refusing to eat it will need hard work to overcome. It is far easier to form good habits

than to break bad ones, If the child is accustomed to a variety of foods very early, before he begins to form likes and dislikes, he will like and eat every-

thing as he grows older. It is the very exceptional child who is made ill by certain foods; of course, one must eliminate them

o You Know-



That friction matches were invented in England in 1829, and first used in the United States in 1831-32, being sold in boxes containing 25 matches for 25 cents. They were commonly called locofocos and were, for a long time, looked upon as an

amusing novelty. 2). McClure Newspaper Syndicate. WNU Service. if it is found to be a real case. Some children feign illness and nausea to gain attention and something re-

One's method of dealing with the food question must vary with the child. It will work with some to insist on the food on the plate being eaten before he has dessert. If not hungry enough to eat the food on To make an old dust mop practi- the plate he is not hungry enough ward, often brings the desired result. As children are people, they should be treated as such. No two things, so we must be tactful in

> dealing with little people. It is wise to look over the supply shelf often and keep it well filled, for with the holiday season, many unexpected calls may be made upon it.

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"Through Course of Sprouts" To be put through a course of sprouts means to receive a course of severe discipline, especially in former days flogging with switches or rods. The use of switches or rods probably led to the origin of the term, sprouts, in this connec-

to the corner grocery store."

R OBERT J. WEST, University of California sophomore, is going through his daily school work with the eyes of the scientific world upon him.