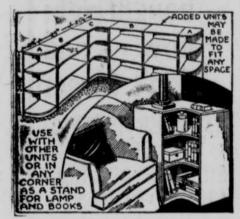
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### Seth Brought Pick of the Crop and That Was All!

Seth's pap sent him to the mill one day to try to sell the season's American Forest association, the wheat crop. Seth got hold of the Audubon society, Zoological and miller and submitted a handful of Biological Associations, State Desaid:

got like this?"

"He ain't got no more like it," young Seth answered. "It took him all morning to pick that out."



THE FRONTIER, O'NEILL, NEBRASKA

**'Better Living Conditions' for Birds, Beasts** Is Objective of American Wildlife Institute

#### By WALTER A. SHEAD WNU Washington Correspondent.

BELIEVE it or not, there is an organization in Washington which has no propagandist, no high-powered publicity staff, and is non-profit and non-political.

It is the American Wildlife Institute, formulated back in 1911 under the name of the American Game Protective association and incorporated in 1935 under its present name, but with the same backers and sponsors, headed by former Senator Frederic C. Walcott of Connecticut. "daddy" of much of the conservation legislation which has been enacted into law during the past quarter of a century.

So the American Wildlife Institute ration, supported by the voluntary contributions of industries, organizations and individuals interested in the preservation of American wildlife and conservation of natural resources in all its phases.

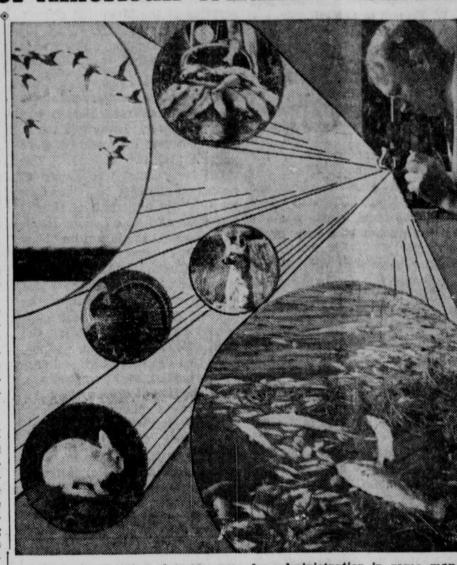
Its objectives are three-fold: (1) to encourage co-operation and coordination of effort of all groups and individuals interested in conservation of natural resources; (2) to assist in finding and presenting to the public facts about wildlife and these natural resources; and (3) to provide facilities for training young men in the latest scientific methods of game management and conservation.

In carrying out these objectives the American Wildlife Institute has become a central co-ordinating agency in liaison and co-operation with and between such organizations as the Izaak Walton League, the wheat to him. The miller examined partments of Conservation, Land the wheat very carefully. Then he Grant Colleges and Universities, the U. S. Fish and Wildlife service, and "How much more has your pap the Conservation Division of the department of agriculture.

#### Work on Broad Front.

It spends its money to obtain these objectives by the publication of books and technical pamphlets at no profit, for the benefit of all phases of conservation; by sponsoring and financing the annual North American Wildlife confer-





Research, training of young men for administration in game management and conservation, and scientific experiment for the conservation of all our natural resources are objectives of the American Wildlife Institute.

led to the undertaking of an ambitious scientific research project of what happens to migratory birds wildlife without the co-operation of when they reach Mexico and other farmers." Central American countries where

they winter. So for two years this study has been going on, largely financed by American Wildlife Institute, but conducted by the Pan American Union, an international organization composed of representatives of the Cen-

tral and South American Republics. In its zeal to train young men in scientific knowledge in all phases of conservation, the Wildlife Institute has fostered and helped finance schools for this purpose at the land grant state universities in Alabama, Iowa, Maine, Missouri, Ohio, Oregon,

Pennsylvania, Texas, Utah and Virginia, while, through the influence of the institute, schools also have been established at Purdue university in

est office in a downtown Washington building, declares, "we can't have

"Most certainly," the Hoosiertrained secretary said, "we can't

take good farm land, and by the same token, farmers should not attempt to farm land fit only for reforestation or as cover for wildlife."

Thousands of acres of land in this country have been stolen from its natural state and thousands upon thousands of dollars of public money has been spent in the vain attempt to make farm land out of submarginal and other land fit only for its natural state.

One such area, it is pointed out, was the Kankakee marshes in northern Indiana and Illinois. The two states and the federal government spent many thousands of dollars in the attempt to convert these a guide in choosing the gals. thousands of acres of marshes into farmland. When it was found the land would not raise crops, afttion's top tunes on the "Hit Parade" er decades of frustration, the land is now being allowed to return to

was realized by farmers in all the

Another such area is the so-called

grand flats in Wisconsin, an area

thousands of acres in extent where

a few years ago nothing but aban-

doned homes were seen for miles,

and much of which is now being al-

lowed to return to its natural state.

Grow Cover Where Possible.

be permitted to grow into cover.

The banks of ditches and streams

would, within a few years, become

natural wealth of farm land. It has

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The North American Wildlife

conference staged each year by the

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Mr. Gutermuth believes that ev-

years cultivation was attempted.



By VIRGINIA VALE AKE it from Charles Drake and Lois Collier-"Don't come to Hollywood as a contest winner!" Teamed as romantic leads in David L. Loew's "A Night in Casablanca," both learned that a loving cup is just something to hold flowers. Drake won a personality contest in New London, kicked around Hollywood for five years before he got anywhere. Lois won a beauty contest, but movie moguls ignored her till she'd made a name on the radio and the stage. Linda Darnell won a contest, went home to school for a year, then tackled Hollywood successfully. Ann Sheridan fought her way through menial acting jobs before a press agent dubbed her "The Oomph Girl."

Natalie Wood, six-year-old International Picture starlet, will never forget "Tomorrow is Forever," in which she made her screen debut; she went to New York for the pre-



### NATALIE WOOD

miere-her first trip on a train; her first glimpse of snow. But she is looking forward to getting home, because a new baby was expected soon after her return, and Natalie is hoping it'll be a baby brother.

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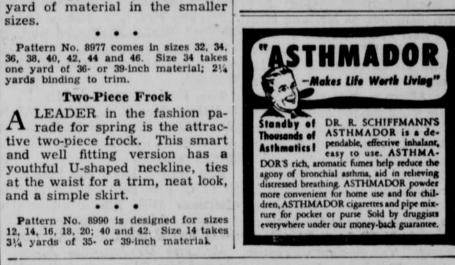
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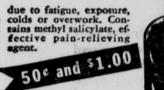
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After an absence of more than 50 years Atlantic salmon have returned to spawning grounds in four Maine rivers, after American Wildlife Institute had cleaned out the Maine rivers ruined as spawning grounds by the lumber industry.

ence; by the establishment of chairs and schools of wildlife conservation in colleges and universities for training young men in every phase of natural resources, for technical research and in methods of game management and conservation; by conducting research itself and in co-operation with other organizations in wildlife and land management and use, stream pollution, and by bringing about better co-ordination and co-operation between groups and individuals engaged in the production, administration and use of natural resources.

For several years the American Wildlife Institute has financed the research into migratory fowl at the Delta duck station in Manitoba, Canada, in conjunction with the University of Wisconsin and Michigan State college, with James F. Bell, famous authority on migratory fowl, as superintendent of the project. In 1943, Ducks Unlimited became a co-operator. This scientific study of migratory ducks and geese has to do mostly with these wild fowl on their breeding grounds. Other studies of the birds in their mi-

Streams and their steep banks are not suitable for pasture or cropland. It is much better to plant a broad strip along each side of the creek with clover or other rough, strong cover. Some willows or other trees that thrive near water should be set out too, both for cover and to help keep the banks from washing away. In Illinois and northern Indiana great areas of marshland were returned to their natural state after many unsuccessful years of attempted farming.

Indiana and in New York. Quarter Million to Schools.

The institute has expended approximately \$250,000 in the establishment and maintenance of these schools. In so doing, it operates through the U. S. Fish and Wildlife Service, the State Departments of Conservation of Wildlife and the universities. Approximately 500 trained men are now engaged in various phases of wildlife conservation and land use. Many are holding important government and state jobs in forestry, wildlife manage-

ment, with zoological and biological gardens and organizations. Another instance of conservation

fostered and largely financed by the institute was the restoration of the salmon fishing industry on the Atlantic coast. Fifty years or so ago, Atlantic salmon disappeared from Maine due to the destruction of spawning grounds in the Maine fresh water rivers by the lumber industry. Sawdust coated the bottoms of streams and tannic acid from the sawdust polluted the water

to such an extent the salmon were killed off and a flourishing industry died. In 1940 a fellowship was established in the University of Maine for the purpose of studying the possibilities of restoring the Atlantic salmon to the important streams in the Northeast. Through these studies and co-operation with the institute, a method so easy and inexpensive was devised, that the sponsors are amazed at the results.

Huge "egg beaters" were attached to small boats sent into the Machias, the Dennys, the Narraguagus and the Penobscot rivers. These egg beaters, operating in the spring of the year at high water, churned up the beds of these rivers so thoroughly that the sawdust caking was washed out and into the sea. Then

millions of salmon eggs were brought down from New Brunswick and installed in troughs for hatching in the rivers. This spring saw the first return of the Atlantic salmon

are utilized properly we will auto-R. Gutermuth, executive secretary gration across the United States has of the institute, who occupies a mod- ing World."

each Saturday night, is booked to star in Republic's forthcoming picits natural state. And during the ture, "Hit Parade of 1947," which past few years, the financial return will be one of the most expensively from the recreational and other feaproduced films made by the comtures of this natural wildlife habipany this year. tat each year has been more than

> The "Green Room Award" on the Andrews Sister's "N-K Musical Showroom" over CBS Wednesday nights has become so popular that the girls will star in a movie to be called "The Green Room," with their guest stars. -\*-

Leo Gorcey, as Bob Burns' stooge on Bob's Thursday night program, is a dim-witted oaf, but he's quite ery farmer can correlate his land different in real life. One of the into the two schools, natural and original "Dead End Kids," Gorcey agricultural. For instance, along has just finished his 46th picture, the woods lot on almost every farm and is under contract to make four there is 50 or more feet which will movies per year. A shrewd busibarely raise a crop. This land could ness man, knowing a lot about show business, he acted as associate producer and writer on his last picture.

a natural habitat for wildlife if Kate Smith, who celebrates her permitted to grow into a natural 15th anniversary on the air May 1, state. And reforestation of some has broadcast all her programs on land, suitable for that purpose, will CBS. As the first lady of the air, not only reap a rich harvest for she's won a staggering list of farmers in the way of lumber and awards. Her war bond sales topped wood, but will also provide natthe \$200,000,000 mark, and in a oneweek air campaign she brought The American Wildlife Institute is 25,000 other Smiths to blood plasma also vitally interested in proper land stations. Ted Collins says she made use of rolling land, in erosion and more than 6,300 personal appearin contour plowing and cultivation ances for worthy causes. to retain the rich top soil and the

> We've had a lot of nice ghosts in the movies - Cary Grant and Constance Bennett in the "Topper" films, Spencer Tracy in "A Guy Named Joe," Robert Montgomery in "Here Comes Mr. Jordan." Edward Everett Horton joins the ranks in "The Ghost Goes Wild."

year's research are made public to Drew Miller, former master serteachers, professors, laboratory geant in the U.S. air force, got a bit role in "Till the End of Time" because of Producer Dore Schary's Approximately 1,000 delegates insistence on using war veterans in bit roles. Then Miller got a factory England and France are expected job pressing phonograph records. After seeing how he made his small role stand out, RKO tracked him down, signed him up, and plans a romantic build-up for him. 

ODDS AND ENDS-A symphony

orchestra of 115 pieces will perform in Warner Bros.' "Humoresque," starring Joan Crawford and John Garfield. ... Orson Welles lost 20 pounds in 20 days, then had to put it back on in a week for a one-minute scene which had been added to "Tomorrow Is Forever." Sonja Henie, who owns one of the largest collection of emeralds in the world, consented to their being used in one of the boudoir sequences of "The Countess of Monte Cristo.". . . James Burke grew such a fine crop of whiskers for Paramount's "Easy Come, Easy Go" that he was kept on for "California."

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for spawning and they swarmed technicians, administrators and suback into these four Maine rivers pervisors and to the general public. The American Wildlife Institute is from every state, Mexico, Canada, particularly interested in land use on the theory that if land and water

to attend this year's conference at the Hotel Pennsylvania in New matically have wildlife. Clinton York. The general theme will be "The Place of Wildlife in a Chang-

