

**Dog Grows Reckless
In Carrying Out Tricks**

ROCHESTER, N. Y. (U.P.)—Annoyed at not being able to find his morning paper for several days, William Rickard finally has solved the mystery.

Up a little earlier than usual one morning, Rickard saw a dog take his paper in its mouth and trot away.

An investigation disclosed that the dog had been trained to bring in his master's paper and, apparently liking the task, had gone to several neighboring residences to do the same thing.

Lights 'Cracker' as Cigarette
LAWRENCE, Mass. (U.P.)—James Dorman, 58, absent-mindedly took from his pocket what he thought was a cigarette, placed it between his lips and applied a match. The "cigarette" exploded, burning him painfully. It was a firecracker.

Gold in the Sewer
CULUSA, Cal. (U.P.)—Repair crews cleaning the city sewers are finding enough pennies, nickels, dimes, quarters, dollars and gold rings to buy beer for themselves by the case.

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SELLS FOR
Friday and Saturday,
September 23, 24.

Large Pkg.
Oxydol 20c

3 bars
Camay Soap 17c

Ivory Flakes, sm. 9c
Large 21c

Med. Bar
Ivory Soap, 2 for 11c
Large Bar 9c

HEINZ CUCUMBER
Pickles 21c

**GOLDEN SWAN
MILK**
3 tall cans... 16c

SUNSHINE KRISPY
Crackers or Gra-
hams, 1 lb. pkg. 15c

Bab-O, 2 cans 21c

FRENCH'S 6 oz. jar
Mustard 8c

9 oz. jar 12c

HYDROX 8 oz. ctn.
Cookies 16c

**BLACK SWAN
CANNED GOODS**

CORN, No. 2 can
PEAS, No. 2 can
STRING BEANS,

No. 2 can
SPINACH, No. 2/12

10c each

GOLD MEDAL
"Kitchen Tested" 5 lb. sk.

Flour 24c

10 lb. sack 44c

1 lb. can
Crisco 19c

3 lb. can 51c

DASH GRANULATED
Soap, lge. 45c

DEL MAIZ 12 oz. cans

Niblets 2 for 23c

HILL BROS.
COFFEE

Red Can
27½c

DEL MAIZ Cream Style

Corn 2 for 19c

17 oz. cans

Windex 14c

Cleans glass without water

SUNSWEET 2 lb. pkg.

Prunes, med. 12c

BLACK SWAN No. 2½ can

Peaches 2 for 25c

No. 2½ can

Pears 2 for 29c

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No Diversions Wanted!!

Gasoline tax diversion means inevitably an increased levy to be borne not by the wealthy alone but by virtually every self-supporting individual in the state. Highway building and maintenance must continue, and if funds now used for that purpose should be appropriated for other governmental functions the inevitable result would be an increase in the amount of the tax in order to carry on the present highway and road maintenance program.

Here in Torrance we have a direct interest in gasoline tax matters because any tax in excess of highway maintenance costs would be a deterrent to our industrial progress. Diversion of gasoline taxes would result in greater expense to our citizens and corresponding reduction in orders to some of our industries which benefit from state, county and city road work.

Results of a survey made by the U. S. Bureau of Labor Statistics prove conclusively that those who would suffer the most from such an increase are the families of ordinary working men. Government statistics prove that in large sections of the country as many as 20 percent of the families with incomes of \$15 per week or less own automobiles. Further, the majority of automobile-owning families in the nation have incomes of \$30 per week or less.

Would Tempt Other Raids

Average annual total of gasoline taxes paid by these people has been shown to be about \$50, or perhaps the equivalent of all earnings for two weeks out of each calendar year.

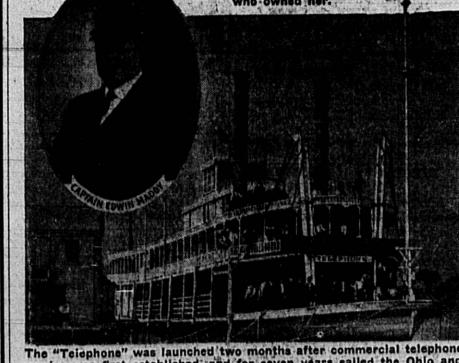
As long as these tax receipts are used for highway purposes alone, however, there is a fair return for labor. As pointed out by John F. Gatelee, president of the Massachusetts Federation of Labor, each \$1,000,000 expended on streets and highways provides full-time employment for 1,000 men and \$3,150,000 in wages and trade for 24 related industries which supply road materials, equipment and services.

As a matter of enlightened self-interest every Californian should do anything and everything in his power to end that gasoline taxes not be diverted to purposes not connected with street and highway work, and to prevent any increase in the rate of gasoline tax in the future.

Otherwise the funds derived from the levy on motor fuel will be subject to repeated raids and will be a constant temptation to those forces which find it simpler to increase taxes than to exercise economy and efficiency in government.

Steamer "Telephone" Was Queen of the Ohio When Telephone Was Young

Left: The "Telephone's" Captain, eldest of the three brothers who owned her.



The "Telephone" was launched two months after commercial telephone service was first established; and for seven years sailed the Ohio and Great Kanawha rivers.

Two months after the world's first commercial telephone exchange was opened in New Haven, Conn., in January of 1875, plans for a new river packet were made known by the Maddy brothers of near Gallipolis, Ohio. She would, they announced, be called the "Telephone," a name that stirred the imagination of residents along the upper Ohio River because Alexander Graham Bell's invention was still new and mysterious.

Leaving Marietta at 7 a.m. on January 2, 1885, she had landed at Hockingsport, and while hacking out a field of shore ice, loosened by her swells, struck her about midships. When it was discovered that she was taking water, she was headed for the Ohio shore, and sank at 11 a.m. about a mile below Big Hocking River, at Lee Creek. The passengers were landed safely, all freight was saved except one keg of powder, and the piano was the only piece of furniture not saved.

She settled on a bed of rocks, and later submarine divers made all preparations for raising her. But the river rose, and this, together with floating ice, made the destruction of her machinery. On July 11 all was in readiness, and at nine o'clock in the evening she started for Pittsburgh on her maiden trip.

In 1886 the "Telephone" in making a landing, broke her shaft and dropped her wheel into the river. She was towed to Point Pleasant, W. Va., where she was docked.

LEISURE TIME OUTLETS PROVIDED BY VARIETY OF RECREATION PROJECTS

BY DALE RILEY
City Recreation Director

In these days of shorter working hours—days when American youth has difficulty in finding jobs, when the man past 40 has difficulty in holding a job, when children are eagerly searching for something to do outside of school hours—we recognize the

need and value of public recreation.

Torrance, alive to the fact that wholesome recreation is vital to public welfare, maintains play spaces and proper recreational activities at the city park, with handicraft and creative arts at the Recreation building.

There is a city ball league for boys under 15 years of age, and another league for boys above 15 years. Under trained supervision, games are arranged and played. Emphasis is placed on fair play, control of temper, good sportsmanship, and development of healthy bodies. The men's city league has special arrangements for night and Sunday games.

Community Quilting

At the Recreation Center, one learns to do by doing. There is joy and satisfaction for child or adult in planning, creating, and finishing an article of hand-

craft.

Copper tooling, leather

tooling, basket weaving, show

card lettering, and picture painting on glass, wood, canvas, velvet, and paper art but a few of the subjects taught. Handicraft provides one of the most profitable means of enjoying leisure time.

Of interest to girls and women

is the sewing club at the city

park, known as the Think of Others club. Starting 15 months ago with 8 participants, it now boasts a membership of 27. While all types of sewing are offered, special interest has developed in quilting. Here, whether a member or not, one may bring material, and all present work to complete the

quilt.

They ask only \$1 for each one

hundred yards of thread. So far, 43 family-sized quilts and 22 baby quilts have been made—a record to be proud of.

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Dog Food

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