



"I wish I had better news for you, but in all probability within the next day or so her voice will be entirely normal!"

QUESTIONS

By HASKINS
A reader can get the answer to any question of fact by writing The Long Beach Press-Telegram Information Bureau, 318 Eye St., N. E., Washington 2, D. C. Please include three (3) cents for return postage.
Q. What is the largest suburb of Chicago? E. S. T.
A. Cicero with a population of 64,712 is the largest suburb in Chicago.
Q. Is alcoholism as prevalent among women as among men? M. C. R.
A. Alcoholic addiction is reputedly seven times more prevalent among men than among women.
Q. What was the highest temperature ever recorded in England? N. E. R.
A. The maximum shade temperature officially recorded was 100 degrees F. at Greenwich Observatory on Aug. 9, 1911.
Q. Have dragons ever existed in the world? W. R.
A. No. The dragon is a symbol derived by modifying the characters of the most formidable animal in the region where the symbol is found. The Chinese dragon is based on the alligator modified by the mane of the tiger and the horns of the Manchurian tiger. The English dragon is derived from the snake.
Q. How large is the giant smoketack in Anaconda, Mont.? C. O. L.
A. The Washoe Smelter is 585 feet high with walls five feet thick. The diameter at the base is 85 feet and at the top, 60 feet. Here copper is processed from ore to anodes.
Q. In hunting years ago there was a method of shooting called "barking a squirrel." Can you describe it? C. F. L.
A. Years ago when hunting with the Sharp's rifle, it was the practice to aim at the bole of the tree below the squirrel, so that part of the force would be spent before the bullet hit the squirrel. This was called "barking a squirrel."
Q. How much did Philip of Macedon pay for his favorite horse Bucephalus? M. J. R.
A. The king is said to have paid 13 talents in gold for the horse. A talent was worth about \$1150.



"They're strictly matched pearls—matched to Willie's pocket book!"

Let's Explore Your Mind

By ALBERT EDWARD WIGGAM, D. Sc.
1. IS IT TRUE "THERE IS NO PLACE LIKE HOME" FOR HAVING ACCIDENTS? YES NO
2. IS IT WORTHY THAT CAUSES WIVES TO LIVE LONGER THAN THEIR HUSBANDS? YES NO
3. SHOULD EMPLOYEES BE FIRED BY LETTER OR INTERVIEW? LETTER INTERVIEW

WHAT OTHERS ARE SAYING

AN ATMOSPHERE of fantastic unreality envelops our foreign policy in dealing with Russia.
—Ely Culbertson, bridge expert and political writer.
TODAY great ideological issues are stirring mankind. These issues are clearly defined as between democracy and despotism, freedom and slavery.
—Gen. Douglas MacArthur.
THE arbitrary line now dividing Europe is drawn in sand and can move toward the West at a command from Moscow.
—Gregoire Cavenuc, former Romanian foreign minister.
THE record seems to show that free enterprise is the only system of government in the world that is not on trial. If it is on trial, why is America being called upon to save the world from economic chaos.
—Walter S. Gifford, president, American Telephone and Telegraph Co.
ARAMAMENT is as obsolete as the Maginot Line against the new form of subversive war being waged by the Communist party.
—John Foster Dulles, U. S. delegate to the U. N.
OUR life ought not to be crushed or flattened out by any kind of totalitarian tyranny, either Nazi, which we cast out, or any other.
—Winston Churchill.

RADIO PROGRAMS

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TODAY AND TONIGHT

Table of radio programs for today and tonight, listing stations and program titles.

PROGRAMS TOMORROW

Table of radio programs for tomorrow, listing stations and program titles.

McKENNEY ON BRIDGE
By WILLIAM E. McKENNEY
IMMEDIATELY after the recent party in Pittsburgh, Pa., for the Children's Cancer Fund, my old "ticker" started to act up and I found myself in the hospital. Good care and the friendly calls of many congenial people soon had me up on my feet again. One of my most faithful callers was Reginald A. Daniell.
Daniell gave me the idea for today's hand when he remarked, "My friends complain that I bid too much and make too few." That could happen on today's hand very easily. I do not think that seven spades is too much to bid with this hand. Our lesson has to do with the correct line of play.
A beginner would be inclined to win the opening lead of the queen of clubs with dummy's

Bridge hand analysis including a grid and a list of cards.

ace, figuring on cross-ruffing clubs and diamonds. All we have to do is to take 13 tricks, and that can be done easily if we take a good look at the dummy.
Isn't there a way to set the dummy up? There are only three outstanding trumps, and they can be picked up with dummy's trumps. So let's set up the trumps at the same time.
Play the deuce of clubs from dummy on the first trick and trump it in the South hand with the queen of spades. Lead the three of spades, win the dummy with the nine-spot. Then lead the four of clubs and trump it with the ace of spades.
Go back over to dummy by leading the five of spades, ruff the seven of clubs with the seven of spades, then lead the eight of spades. This will be won in dummy with the jack and will pick up West's last trump. Now lead a small heart from dummy to the king, lead back the queen of hearts, overtake it with the ace, and all of dummy's tricks are good.

Songstress crossword puzzle grid and clues.

Another crossword puzzle grid and clues.

SENATOR SOAPER SAYS:
A syndicate psychologist believes women have the more retentive memories. Absolutely. How many men do you see bringing breach-of-promise actions?
Some of the old romance survives if she still lets him duck the embarrassing question with "Don't let it worry you pretty head."

CATALINA SAILINGS DAILY from LONG BEACH. Catalina-Long Beach Boat Service PIERPOINT LANDING.

TIC-TOC FOOD STORES advertisement featuring various food products like NUCOA OLEO, APRICOTS, SILVER FOAM, GRAPEFRUIT JUICE, PRESERVES, and PEAS.

REG'LAR FELLERS advertisement for a florist, featuring illustrations of flowers and a woman.

TELEVISION advertisement for Ward Bros. featuring a television set and promotional text.

TIC-TOC FOOD STORES advertisement listing various market locations like Eaton's Market, Ramey's Market, Halbert's, and Los Carritos Market.