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WASHINGTON COLUMN

Draft Law's 'Small Business' Note Makes Officials Squirm

WASHINGTON—(NEA)—White House and National Defense officials are now in a big huddle trying to decide what to do with one of the unwanted babies dumped on their doorstep by the departing Congress. It's a "small business" amendment to the new draft law.

THIS steel and small business sleeper slipped into the draft act by Congressman Walter C. Ploeser of Missouri, Chairman of the House Small Business Committee. It was passed without protest in the House three days before Congress adjourned.

A FURTHER complication is that the steel allocation program may interfere with the voluntary steel allocation system now in operation under the so-called Taft anti-inflation law.

THE SCOREBOARD Lesnevich vs. Charles Match Would Settle Two Ring Titles

NEW YORK—(NEA)—With Joe Louis having wisely decided not to run again, the most attractive match that could be made would bring out Gus Lesnevich and Ezzard Charles.

JOE LOUIS, INC. was most emphatic about retiring when he picked up what he declared was his last check for boxing beats.

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"Now It's My Turn!"



Nobody Loves Forever

By Margaret Brucker

THE STORY: Jessica Gordon, aristocratic southern belle, has eloped with Tom Blake, a common soldier. Tom takes her to his home to stay with his folks until his discharge from the army.

DURING the first few weeks after Tom's departure Jessica tried to pattern her way of living after that of Tom's mother and sister. Up early. To bed early.

She tried to make friends with Lucy, believing that behind her primness Lucy must be like the girls she had known. She could be pretty and attractive with a little effort. Lucy disciplined herself.

THERE was a bungalow across the street, a little house which looked oddly out of place in the row of old-fashioned frame houses.

Idea. "There's plenty to do here," she said pointedly. "Your mother doesn't like to have me help her."

JESSICA had an opportunity to talk to Doris again the next evening. "I don't care what kind of work I do," Jessica said vehemently.

She made a plan to meet Doris the next morning and try her luck at the employment office of the plant where Doris worked.

This was ridiculous. Cool morning air stirred the curtains and she decided to get up and sit by the window.

She stood up, then sat down hastily, shaking all over.

"You fainted dead away." "But I must get up." Now she remembered. This was the day she was to meet Doris.

Senator's Gift Sweils Donations to Harvard

BOSTON (UP)—An \$89,000 gift by U. S. Senator Leverett Saltonstall was among the total of \$6,371,800 donated to Harvard University during the past year.

Saltonstall's gift, setting up a fund in memory of his son, Peter Brooks Saltonstall, who was killed on Guam, will be used to provide Harvard scholarships for students from the far Pacific. It also

will finance research designed to raise living standards in the Hawaiian Islands, Australia and New Zealand.

OUT OUR WAY

By J. R. Williams



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FUNNY BUSINESS



FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

BY MERRILL BLOSSER



CROSSWORD PUZZLE

Crossword puzzle grid with clues. Clues include: HORIZONTAL 1 Pictured U. S. lexicographer, representative, 58 Conjuror; 10 Christian; 60 Sow again; 7 He led the 61 Moon goddess; 54 House Select Committee on Aid; 14 Interstice; 15 Item; 16 Ballot; 17 Consideration; 19 New Zealand parrots; 20 Consumed; 21 Nook; 23 Underworld god; 24 Nickel; 25 An (Seal); 26 Symbol for silver; 28 Ruthenium; 29 Oak fruit; 31 Attire; 32 Pole; 34 Excavate; 35 Topic; 37 Type of lyric poem; 40 Artificial language; 41 Area measure; 42 Compass point; 43 Bone; 44 Type measure; 45 (pl.); 46 Convulsions; 51 Wrong (prefix); 52 Masculine; 54 Competent; 56 Dreadful. VERTICAL 1 Cuban capital; 2 Secret; 3 Network; 4 Pedal digit; 5 Hebrew deity; 6 Grade; 7 Visage; 8 Leavings; 9 Right (ab.); 10 Piece out (var.); 11 Chilled; 12 Egg whites; 13 Centaur; 18 To (prefix); 19 Hebrew; 20 Translates; 21 Makes; 22 unhappy; 24 Help; 25 Scent; 27 Distress (ab.); 29 Mineral rock; 30 Self; 32 Vibration; 33 Praise; 36 Lake in Macedonia; 39 Hebrew; 40 asetic; 45 Slide; 47 Hurt; 48 Help; 49 South latitude (ab.); 50 Disorder; 51 Imitate; 53 Cloth measure; 55 Split pulse; 57 Virginia (ab.); 59 Pronoun.

RED RYDER

BY FRED HARMON



ALLEY OOE

BY V. T. HAMLIN



