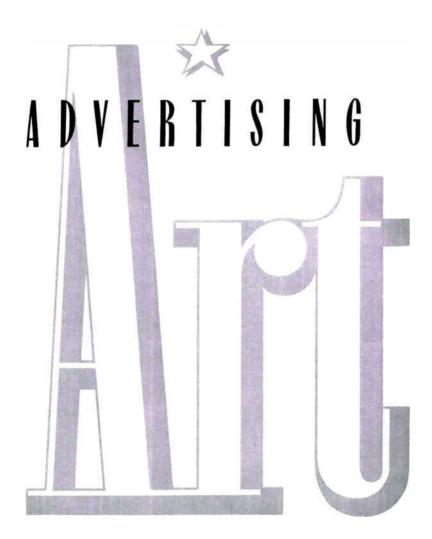


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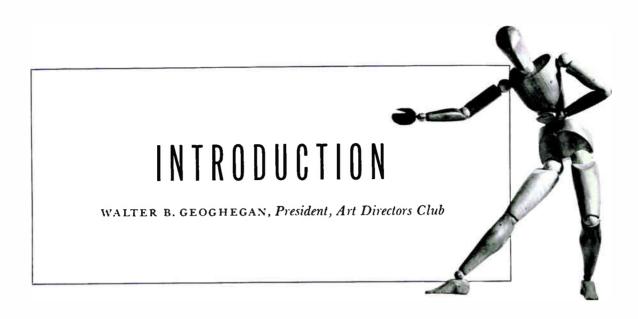
ART DIRECTORS 18TH ANNUAL





This book is designed for art directors, advertisers, artists, students of advertising art, and for all who would view the changing life of our times as reflected in the art of advertising. The 314 illustrations are from the exhibition of the Art Directors Club of America, held in New York, Chicago and Philadelphia in the Spring of 1939.

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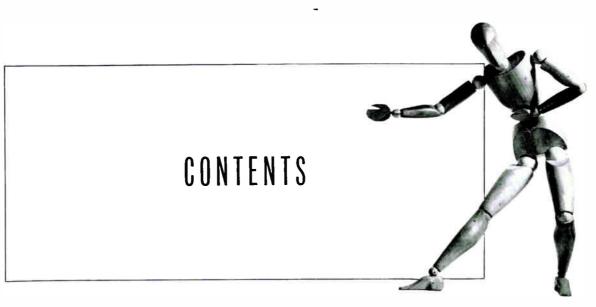


To you—gentle reader and interested looker-on.

This is the eighteenth year that the Art Directors Club has published its Annual of Advertising Art.

This volume, and its seventeen predecessors, form a running record of Advertising Art in this country—art that has achieved capital letters through the sponsorship of the Art Directors Club which was founded to encourage the use of good art in advertising.

Each year has made its contribution to this program and this purpose. This eighteenth volume adds its share; and here it is for your pleasure and profit in reading it, looking at it, and in referring to it. It should—in the light of progress—be better than previous annuals. It should fall short of those to come. For art is life and life is ever moving, ever changing—and for the better, we hope.



For the second time—in this series of Annuals of Advertising Art—words are admitted to partner-ship with pictures. They give pattern and pause to the book and explain some of the problems the art director is called upon to solve in advertising and selling the products and services of his clients.

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WHAT IS AN ART DIRECTOR?

By WILLIAM H. SCHNEIDER, Art Director, Donahue and Coe, Advertising Agency

Is the art director an artist who does not draw very well, or an executive who does? He occupies a key position in creative advertising and yet the precise nature of his job has rarely been defined. This is probably because of the broad scope of his work and the varying importance attributed to him in different advertising agencies. In some he is considered a facile right hand with a knack for doing rapid chalk talks on a layout pad, in others he has risen to the inner councils of advertising planning and policy. Some art directors are not held to the boundaries of advertising art alone, but apply their talents to problems ranging from merchandising ideas to staging sales conventions.

Whether you think of him as pencil pusher or executive, the fact remains that with the growth of the scientific approach to advertising, layout is no longer an exercise in abstract composition, and the buying of art no simple question of pretty pictures. This *Art Directors Annual* is testimony to that fact, and it is here that we should re-examine the various facets of the craft and the background the art director brings to it.

HE IS ARCHITECT OF THE AD

Planning the physical appearance of an advertisement involves the use of structural principles similar to those used in planning a modern house. The materials and stresses are different, to be sure, but consideration of purpose, salient features, design and materials are definite and important prob-

lems. The effectiveness of the advertisement is in proportion to the imagination and skill that go into its make-up. Each advertisement demands its proper arrangement of elements, its emphasis on certain factors and subordination of others to attain its maximum efficiency. This planning requires a definite understanding of advertising and psychology, as well as technical facility in composition.

The final layout is a blueprint of the projected advertisement. From this blueprint the advertiser is sold and the buying of finished materials, art, type, and lettering is accomplished. Since purchasing this material often involves considerable expenditure, expert judgment must be used in the selection of the proper artists and mediums of expression.

HE PICKS PICTURES FOR LOW BROWS AND HIGH HATS

The art director must know how to sell merchandise with pictures. To do this he must know what kind of pictures stop people. He must analyze public taste, the kind of art people like as reflected in popular prints, their feeling for furniture and decoration, popular preferences in color and design, and what is fashionable in clothes and accessories. The art values of the laborer, the office worker and the sophisticate have to be analyzed for their points of coincidence and points of difference.

What people look at, and look like, is the art director's province. He must know the capabilities and capacities of artists, photographers, and designers to anticipate and satisfy these values. Selling with pictures is deciding whether Dali, Hesse, or Soglow will sell more of a certain product to its proper market.

HE ADDS UMPH TO THE WORDS

A message is effective in proportion to the kind of reading it commands. In this, close collaboration of copywriter and art director is essential to a flashing finished product. Many writers have the ability to think in visual concepts and contribute pictorial as well as verbal ideas. Likewise basic ideas for campaigns have often emanated from art directors; and it is usually up to them to discover the picture plus in a piece of copy. It is the art director who through a skillful handling of lettering gives the headline a maximum of emphasis and meaning. His treatment of type extends an invitation to read the message.

The endpoint of creative effort is at its finest when there exists a mutual balance of critical and intellectual effort between writer and artist. Many highly successful and lasting teams, such as Stirling Getchell and Jack Tarleton, William Esty and James Yates, O. B. Winters and Paul Newman, have operated on this basis. Advertising pays off on a unity of copy and art effort.

A DIPLOMAT WITH A PAWNBROKER'S EYE

As liaison officer between the artist and the account executive and his client, the art director must have both tact and patience. Standing between the fire of the man who puts it on paper and the man who knows what he likes is a tough assignment.

I believe the exhibits in this book are a tribute to keen understanding between the artist and art director. This factor is well known to artists who find themselves stimulated by certain art directors, hampered and hamstrung by others. The artist must have confidence in the ability and authority the art director exercises in interpreting art (selling it may be a better term) to the brass hats upstairs. He must have confidence in the logic of the corrections and revisions.

How much is a piece of art worth? Since the first cave man scrawled a reindeer on a cave wall this question has been an irritant. Appraising the value of a drawing in relation to its sales and media importance calls for a pawnbroker's eye. Today this is a field of well established but actually untabulated values. The only guides are past experience, acquaintance with artists and their prices, knowledge of the account, and a sense of what is fair to both artist and client. The relationship among artist, agency and client is balanced on accurate judgment in this field.

THE ART DIRECTOR MUST STUDY REPRODUCTION

Unfortunately the public rarely sees the original advertising art. What it does see is one of a million reproductions. To make this reproduction as nearly as possible a faithful facsimile of the original conception is a matter of scientific mechanics. It demands from the art director a thorough knowledge of paper and ink, of plates and printing. His art, typography and lettering must be planned with the mechanical limitations of publications in mind. Sound layout and direction save time, effort and money in the preparation of the physical ingredients of the advertisement.

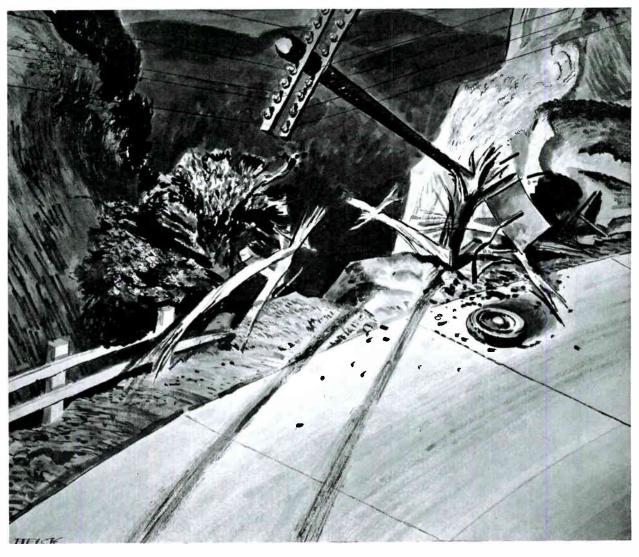
By working closely with the mechanical department of his agency, by unifying their experience with his own concept of the finished advertisement, he can make the fullest use of the resources of typographers and engravers.

In this article I have endeavored to define the art director's job. The visual vigor of American advertising is positive evidence of how well he is doing it.

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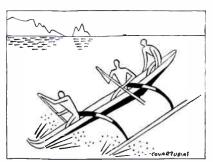
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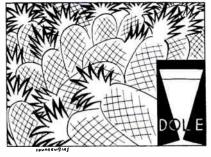
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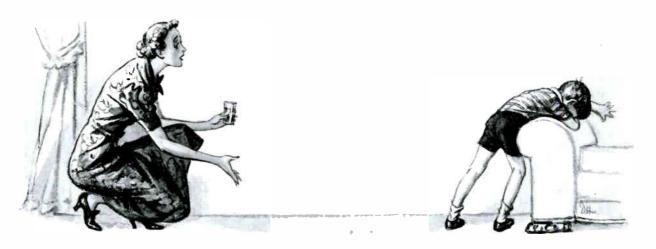


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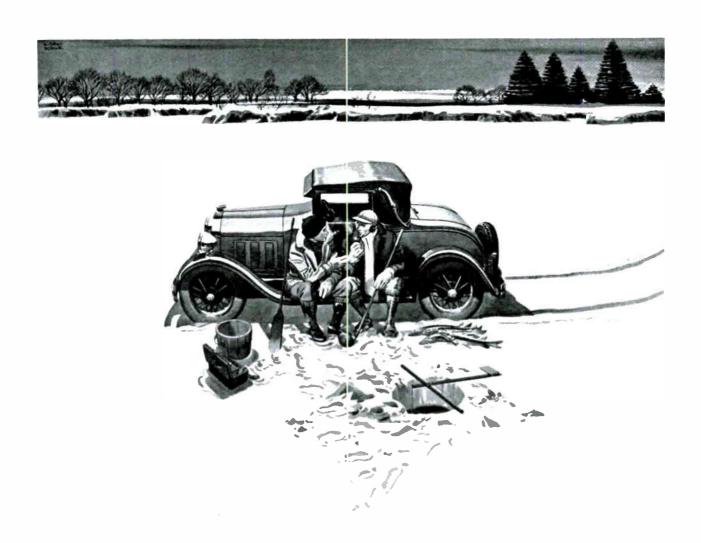
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Artist: David Hendrickson Art Director: Frederick Halpert Agency: Young & Rubicam, Inc. Client: The Centaur Company



Artist: Albert Dorne

Art Director: Robert E. Wilson

Agency: Young & Rubicam, Inc.

Client: The Travelers Insurance Co.



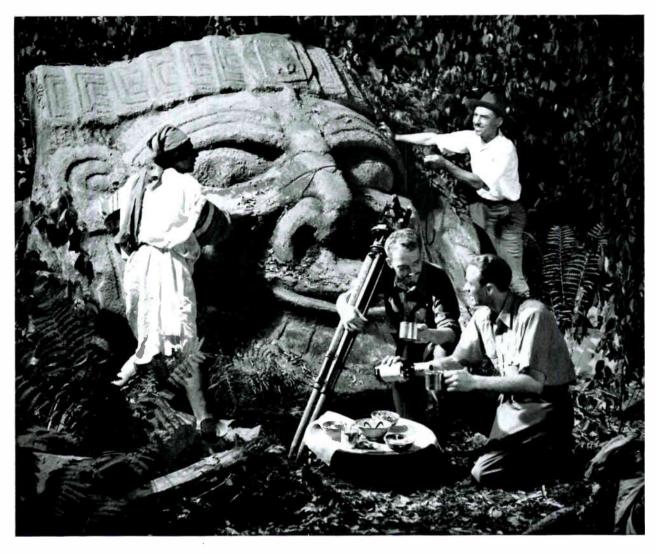
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Artist: Floyd Davis
Art Director: Hubert F. Townsend
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Client: Hiram Walker & Sons, Inc.



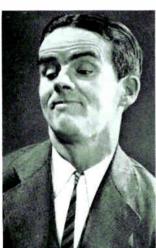
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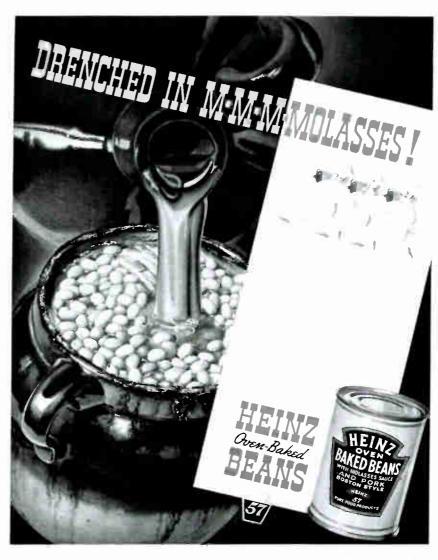




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 ${\it Client};$ Cluett, Peabody & Co., Inc.





Artist: James H. Gilchrist Art Director: A. C. Limbrock Agency: Maxon, Incorporated Client: H. J. Heinz Company

Art Director: Harry Payne

Agency: Batton, Barton, Durstine & Ösborn, Inc. Client: Brown & Williamson Tobacco Corp.



Artist: Leo Aarons



Art Director: Jack Anthony

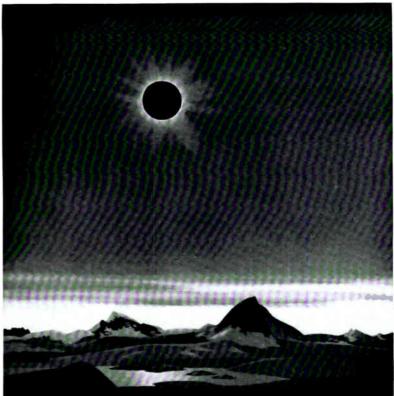


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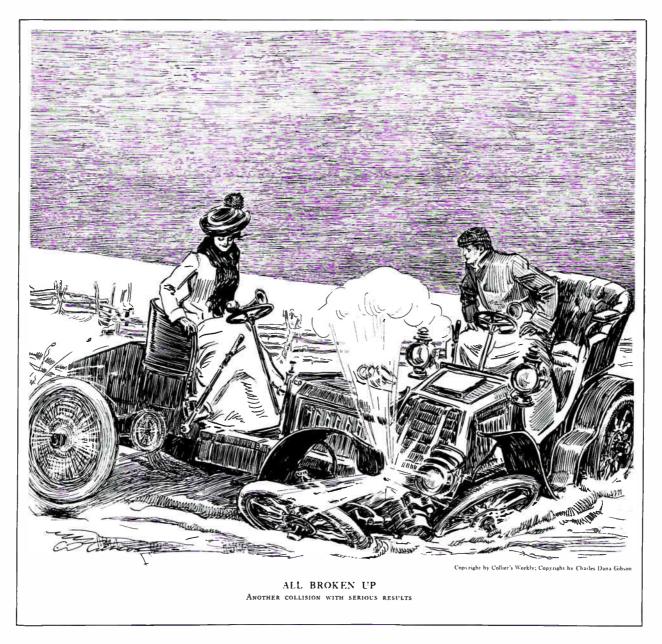


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Agency: Batton, Barton, Durstine & Osborn, Inc.

Client: Hamilton Watch Company







Artist: Charles Dana Gibson Art Director: Robert E. Wilson Agency: Young & Rubicam, Inc. Glient: The Travelers Insurance Co.

Artist: Victor Keppler Art Director: Harry Payne

Agency: Batton, Barton, Durstine & Osborn, Inc.

Client: E. R. Squibb & Sons



Artist: Horst Art Director: Arthur T, Blomquist Agency: J. Walter Thompson Go. Client: Pond's Extract Company



Artist: John Paul Pennebaker
Art Director: Wilbur Smart
Agency: The Buchen Company
Client: Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance Co.



Artist: Albert Dorne — Art Directors: Harry Payne, Harold C. McNulty
Agency: Batten, Barton, Durstine & Osboru, Inc. — Client: Hamilton Watch Company



Artist: Bert Lawson Art Director: Ted Sandler

Client: Columbia Broadcasting System



Artist: Finley-Jones Art Director: Fred S. Sergenian Agency: Young & Rubicam, Inc. Client: Parke, Davis & Company

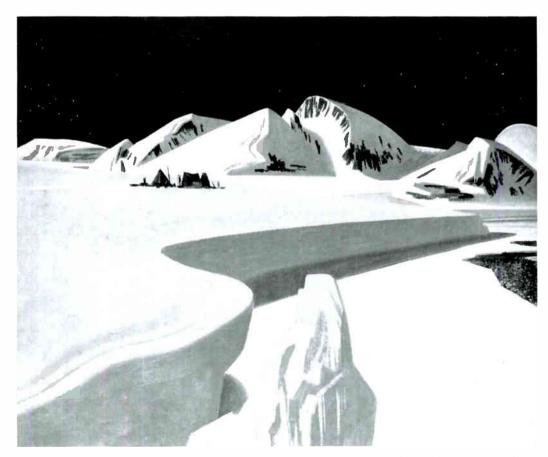


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Art Director: Fred S. Sergenian

Agency: Young & Rubicam, Inc.

Client: Gulf Oil Corporation



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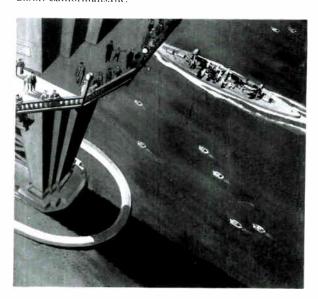
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Agency: Batten, Barton, Durstine & Osborn, Inc. — Client: Servel, Inc.

Artists: George Hughes, Stevan Dohanos Art Director: Fred S. Sergenian Agency: Young & Rubicam, Inc. Client: Thomas J. Lipton, Inc.



Artist: Fred Ludekens Art Director: Fred Ludekens Agency: Lord & Thomas Client: Californians.Inc.



Artist: Perry Peterson

Art Director: Deane H. Uptegrove Agency: Alley & Richards Company

Client: W. A. Taylor & Co., for Martini & Rossi





Artist: Leo Aarons Art Director: Fred S. Sergenian Agency: Young & Rubicam, Inc. Client: Life Savers, Inc.



Artist: Albert Dorne Art Director: Fred S. Sergenian Agency: Young & Rubicam, Inc. Client: Gulf Oil Corporation













Artist: Nickolas Muray Art Director: Carl Lius Agency: Young & Rubicam, Inc. Client: Personal Products Corporation

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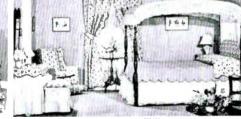
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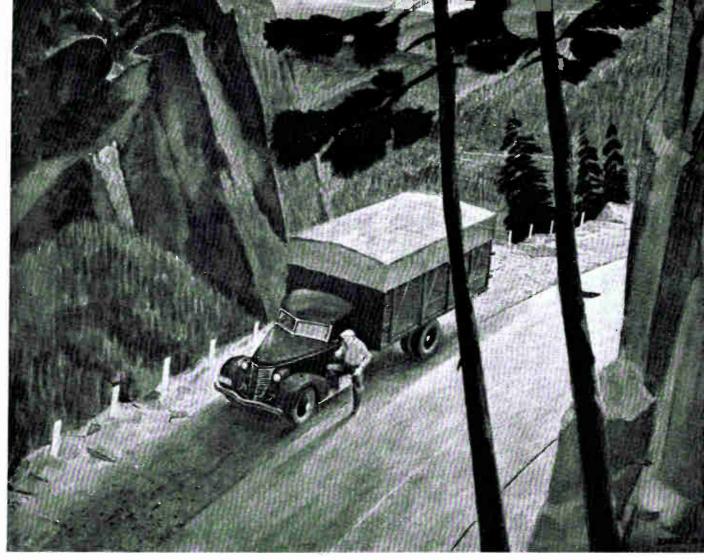
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Client: Eastman Kodak Company



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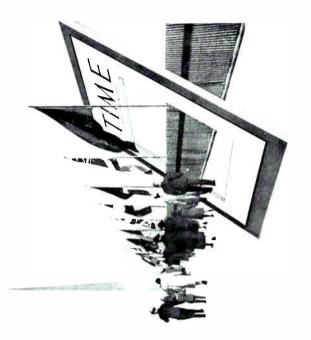
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Client: Gulf Oil Corporation



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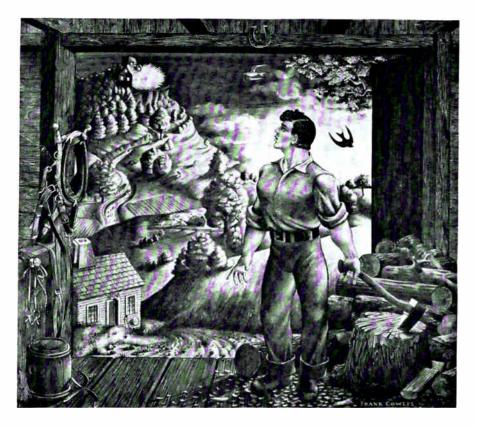
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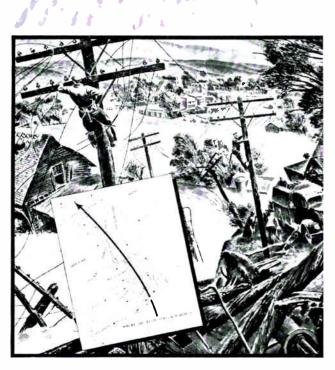
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Artist: Peter Helck

Art Director: Leon Karp

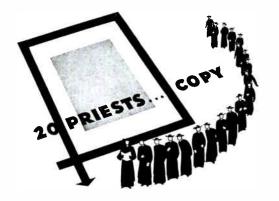
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Artist: Peter Hawley
Art Director: A. C. Limbrock
Agency: Maxon, Incorporated
Client: H. J. Heinz Company



Artist: Anton Bruchl Art Director: Herbert Bishop Agency: Young & Rubicam, Inc. Client: Frankfort Distilleries, Inc.



Artist: Fred Hauck Art Director: Harry Payne Agency: Batten, Barton, Durstine & Osborn, Inc. Client: Time, Inc.

> Artist: William Brouard Art Director: William A. Irwin Agency: McCann-Erickson, Inc. Client: Curtis Publishing Co.

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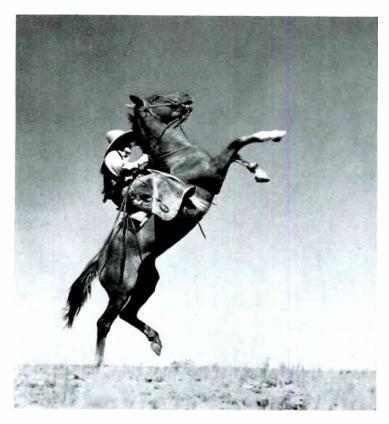
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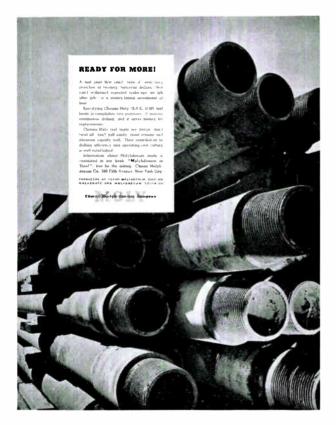
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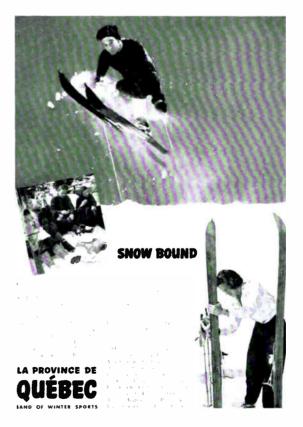
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Artist: Robert Yarnell Richie Art Director: Vincent Benedict Agency: N. W. Ayer & Son, Inc, Glient: Climax Molybdenum Company



Artist: Herbert Matter Art Director: Paul Darrow Agency: N. W. Ayer & Son, Inc. Client: Province of Quebec



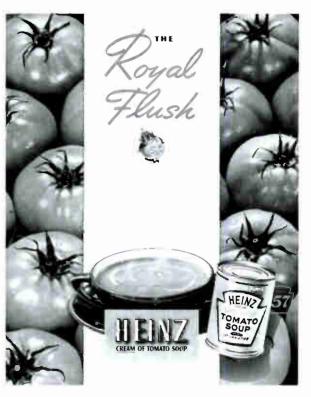
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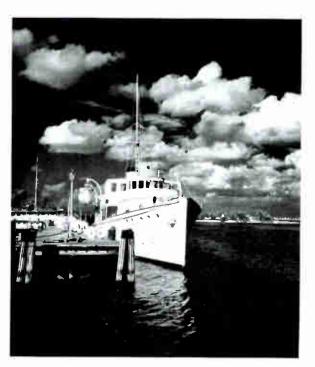
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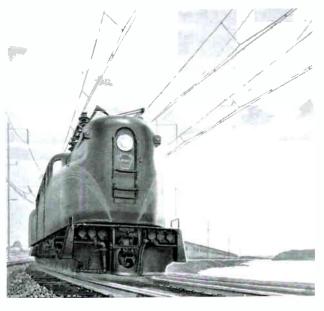
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Artist: Leo Aarons
Art Director: Gordon C. Aymar
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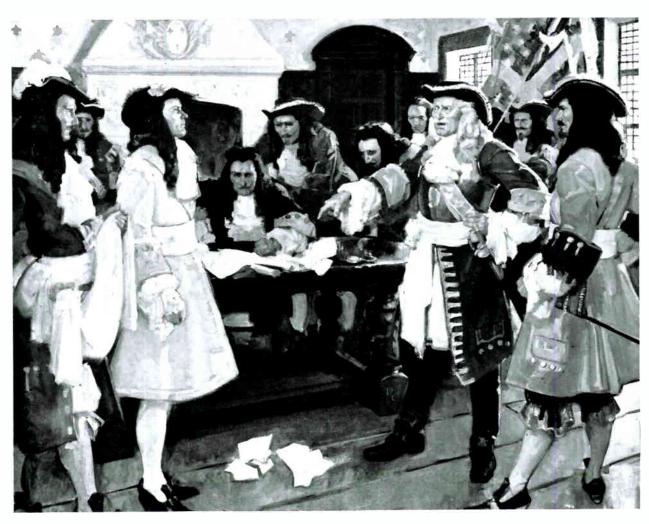


Artist: Edwin A. Georgi Art Director: Kenneth Paul

Agency: Batten, Barton, Durstine & Osborn, Inc. Client: United States Steel Corporation



Artist: Lucille Corcos Art Directors: Lester J. Loh. J. H. Tinker, Jr. Agency: J. M. Mathes, Incorporated Client: American Viscose Corporation



Artist: Dan Content

Art Director: Arthur Deerson

Agency: Warwick & Legler, Inc.

Client: Seagram Distillers Corporation





Irtist: Rudolph Dirks Art Directors: John J. Hill, Edward G. Jacobsson Agency: Kenyou & Eckhardt, Inc. Client: Kellogg Company





Artist; C. A. Voight Art Directors: John J. Hill, Edward G. Jacobsson Agency: Kenyon & Eckhardt, Inc. Client: Kellogg Company





Artist: Paul Webb Art Directors: John J. Hill, Edward G. Jacobsson Agency: Kenyon & Eckhardt, Inc. Client: Kellogg Company







Artist: Fontaine Fox Art Directors: John J. Hill, Edward G. Jacobsson Agency: Kenyon & Eckhardt, Inc. Client: Kellogg Company











Artists: Grancel Fitz, Martha Woody, K. Gunnor Petersen Agency: Compton Advertising, Inc.

Art Director: Gordon C. Aymar Client: Procter & Gamble Company

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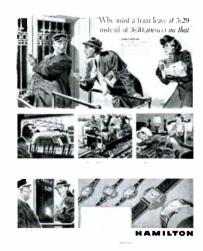














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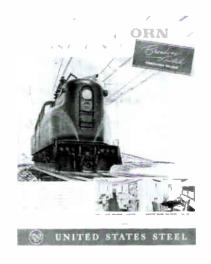




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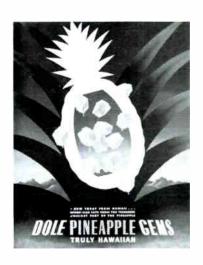


















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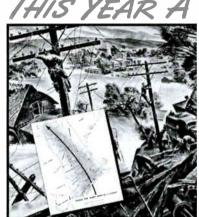








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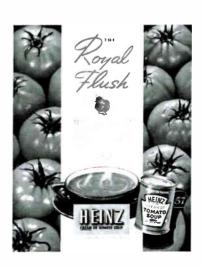






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ADVERTISING ART GROWS UP

By GEORGE GALLUP

Advertising illustration has shown an amazing development in the years since the first World War. Twenty years ago there were only a handful of men capable of turning out illustrations for advertisements, and in the beginning the stilted and stylized work of this group was the only source of supply.

With the realization that effective illustration was a valuable advertising tool, a new generation of picture-makers sprang up. Their early efforts produced a hodgepodge of advertising pictures—a confusion of techniques often more concerned with manner than subject.

Came 1929—and the cold, gray dawn. Out of it grew a new attitude toward advertising pictures and their importance to advertising. We discovered the appeal of the news photographs. We learned about rotogravure reproduction. We discovered candid camera photography and naturalness in pictures. We found ways to learn what it was that appealed to the public.

Advertising illustration could now be measured in terms of public reaction. Artists became reporters. Readers responded to pictorial realism, photographic truthfulness, sentiment, drama and humor. Agencies studied the problem of what to picture and how. Readers were quizzed, their reactions tabulated, analyses made, deductions drawn.

Today nothing is more important to successful advertising than the pictures used to illustrate

the advertisements. Successful advertising pictures are not the result of trick techniques. Pictures must be clear—obvious—visual expressions of the copywriters' and art directors' ideas.

Today art directors are advertising men, intent on promoting a sale or a service. Today advertising illustrators are men possessed of a skill to attract and explain by their pictures.

Today there are hundreds of competent artists and photographers turning out finer work than was ever turned out before. Their prime concern is that the pictures they create may attract attention and keep them and their talents in demand. They are salesmen and to remain successful they must be as progressive and alert as anyone in business. By active competition, by study and research they must keep up to date.

If advertising illustration is to be a compelling element in the complete advertisement, there can never be a moment of relaxation in this matter of ingenuity and visual impact.

Advertising illustration has made long strides to improve its effectiveness. It is succeeding through a sharpened understanding of the resultful ways of using pictures and by an intelligent search for those elements in pictures which have popular or specific appeals.

As to the number of ways in which creative men can express themselves, no one dare hazard a guess. But with an ever-increasing knowledge of readers, their interests and their habits, the mechanics of advertising illustration are being perfected. The useful application of this tool is up to the art directors.

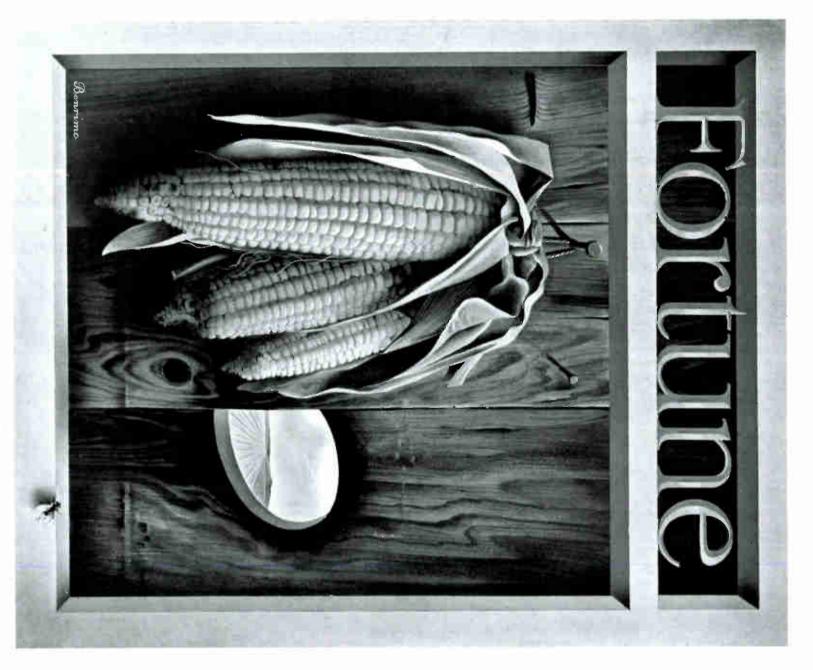
In this volume are illustrations of some pictures that were made to be salesmen. They were sent into homes of American customers in the newspapers and magazines. They were posted along our highways and placed in street cars and busses, wherever people might notice them. They were sent out by mail.

As to which of these illustrations were good "salesmen," you will have to decide. If you can explain why, you are an advertising expert.

CLASS MAGAZINES



Artist: Louise Dahl-Wolfe Art Director: Lester Jay Loh Agency: J. M. Mathes, Incorporated Client: American Viscose Corporation



Artist: Thomas Benrimo

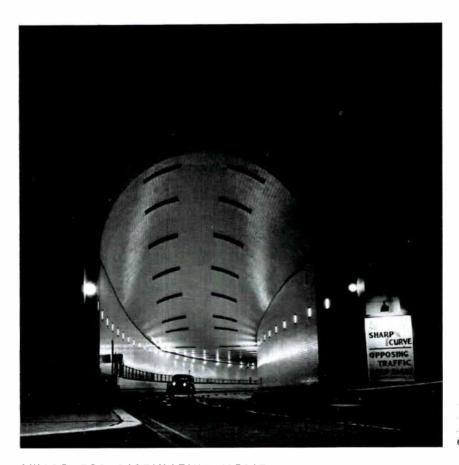
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Client: Fortune



Artist: Buk Ulreich Art Director: Charles T. Coiner Agency: N. W. Ayer & Son, Inc. Client: Cannon Mills, Inc.

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Artist: Victor Keppler Art Director: Harold C. McNulty Agency: Batten, Barton, Durstine & Osborn, Inc. Client: Corning Glass Works

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Artist: Edwin A. Georgi

Art Director: Leon Karp



Agency: N. W. Ayer & Son, Inc.

Client: Yardley & Co., Ltd.

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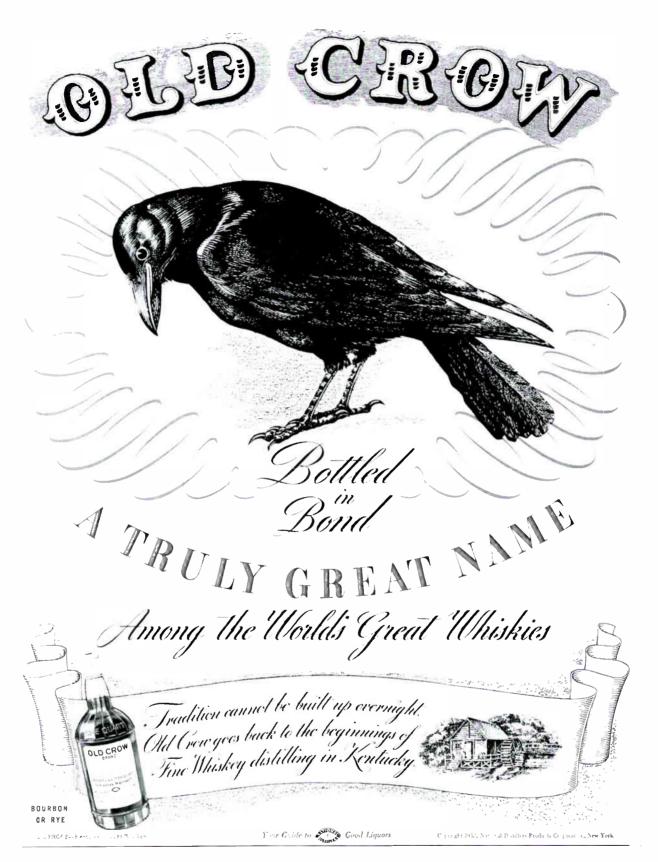
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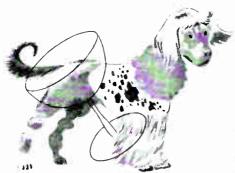
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Agency: N. W. Ayer & Son, Inc. Client: Cannon Mills, Inc.





Artist: Kent Studios - Art Director: Stanley Dusek - Agency: Lawrence Fertig & Co., Inc. - Client: National Distillers Products Corporation



Artist: Fred Freeman

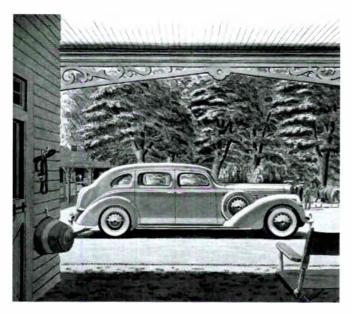
Art Director: William H. Schneider Agency: Donahue & Coe, Inc.

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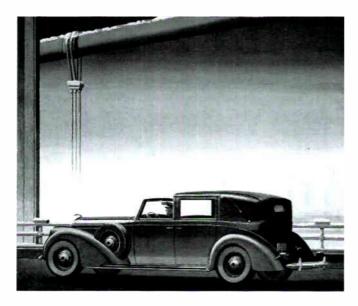


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Artist: Leslie Saalburg Art Director: Walter Reinsel Agency: N. W. Ayer & Son, Inc. Client: Lincoln Motor Company



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Artist: Anton Bruehl Art Director: Walter Reinsel Agency: N. W. Ayer & Son, Inc. Client: Lincoln Motor Company



Art Director: Eleanor Mayer Agency: Abbott Kimball Co., Inc. Client: Charles W. Nudelman, Inc.



Artist: Mac Ball Art Director: Lester Jay Loh Agency: J. M. Mathes, Incorporated Client: Maryland Casualty Company





Artist: Victor Keppler - Art Director: Harold C. McNulty - Agency: Batten, Barton, Durstine & Osborn, Inc. - Client: Corning Glass Works



Artist: Victor Keppler Art Director: Harry Payne

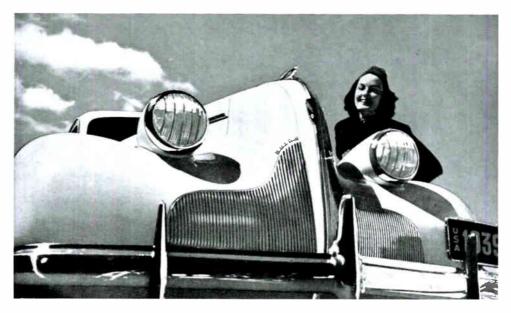
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Client: Hamilton Watch Company



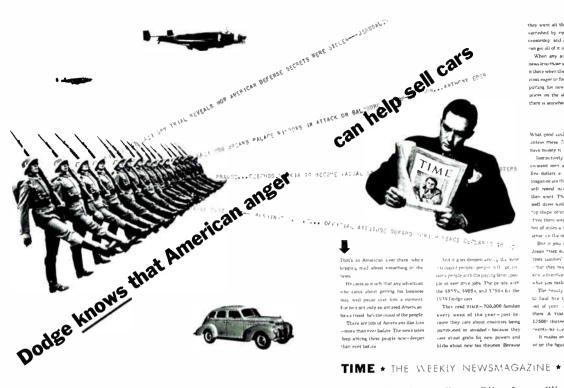
Artist: Albert Adams, Adams Studios Agency: Young & Rubicam, Inc.

Art Director: Herbert Bishop Client: Frankfort Distilleries, Inc.



Artist: C. G. Christensen Agency: Arthur Kudner, Inc. Client: G

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Client: General Motors Sales Corporation, Buick Motor Division



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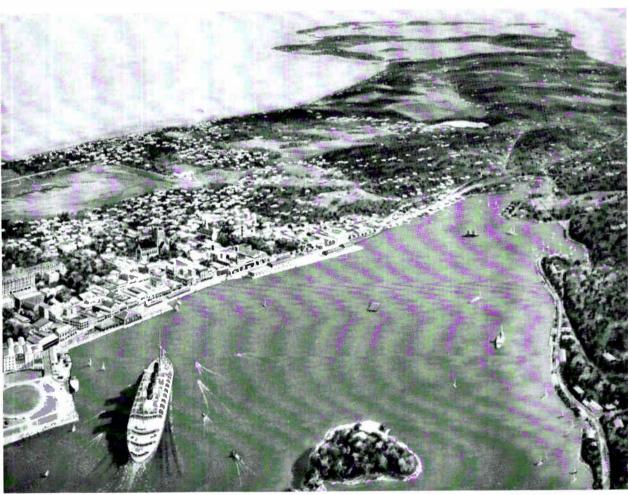
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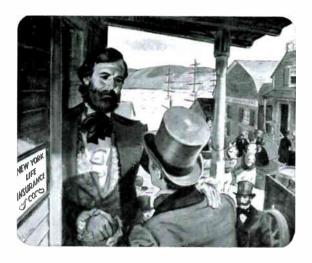
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Artist: James W. Williamson Art Director: Paul Darrow Agency: N. W. Ayer & Son, Inc. Client: Bermuda Trade Development Board







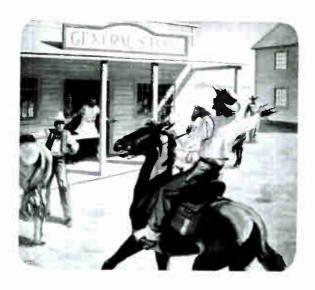




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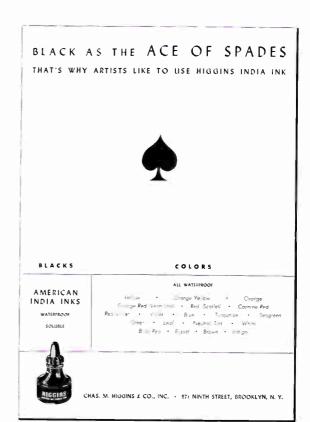






Artist: Lyman Anderson Art Director: Elmo Anderson Agency: Frank Presbrey Company

Client: New York Life Insurance Company



Artist: Walter B. Geoghegan Art Director: Walter B. Geoghegan Agency: Calkins & Holden Client: Chas, M. Higgins & Co., Inc.



Artist: Francis Marshall Art Director: Arthur Weithas Agency: Cecil, Warwick & Legler

Client: Elizabeth Arden



Artist: Stevan Dohanos — Art Director: Robert E. Wilson Agency: Young & Rubicam, Inc. — Client: The Travelers Insurance Company



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Artist: Louise Dahl-Wolfe Art Directors: Lester Jay Loh, Claude Hurd Agency: J. M. Mathes, Incorporated Client: American Viscose Corporation



Art Director: Elwood Whitney
Agency: J. Walter Thompson Co.
Client: Lever Brothers



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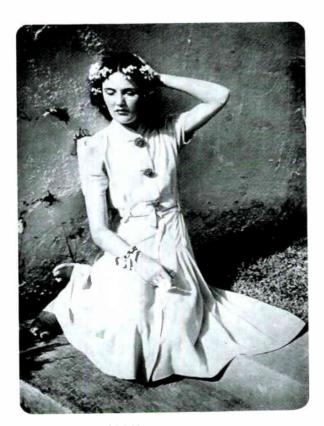


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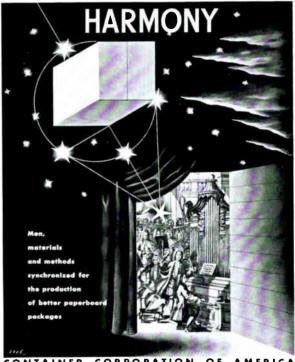
Client: French Line



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Artist: James Abbé Art Director: Myron Kenzer Client: Bonwit Teller



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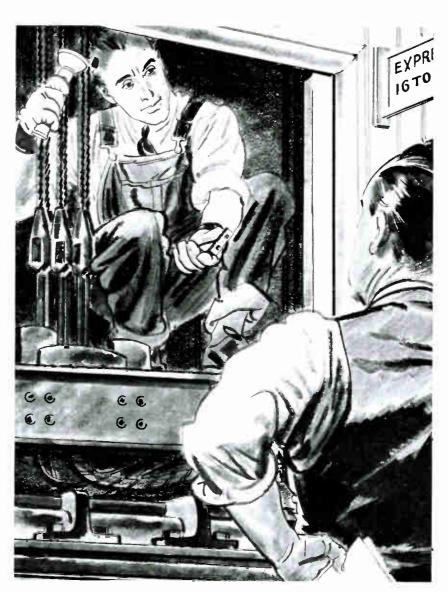
Artist: Tony Zepf .1rt Director: John J. Smith

Agency: N. W. Ayer & Son, Inc.

Glient: Container Corporation of America



Artist: Henry M. Rundle Art Director: Henry M. Rundle Client: R. C. A. Manufacturing Co.



Artist: Gordon C. Ross Art Directors: Henry Harding, Earle H. Bean Agency: The Barta Press Client: Liberty Mutual Insurance Company

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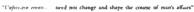












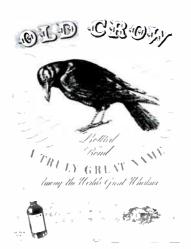


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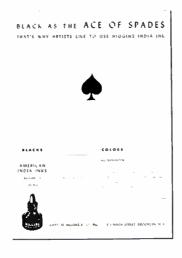










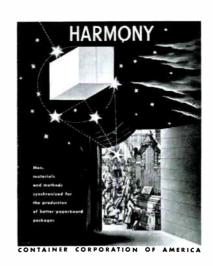


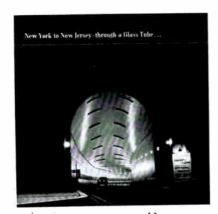




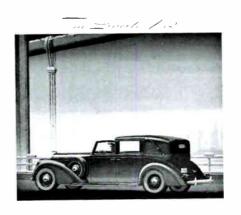












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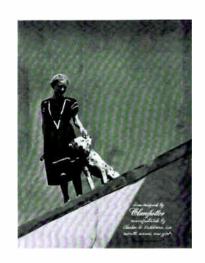


























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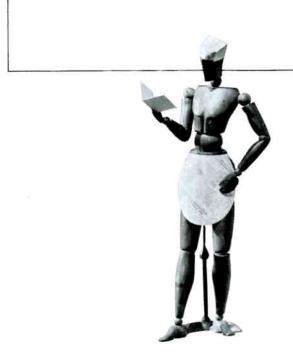




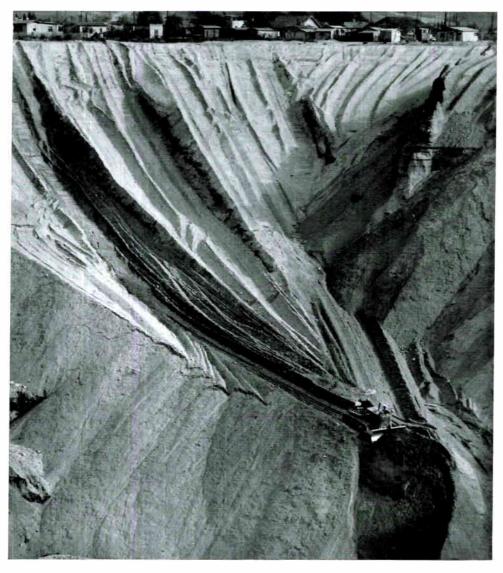


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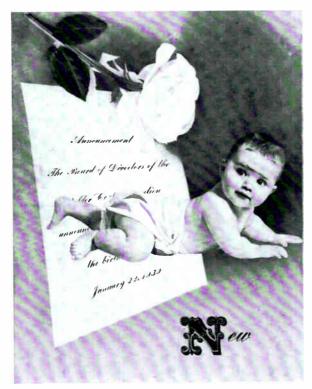


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Artist: Marvin Becker Art Director: Franklin D. Baker Agency: N. W. Ayer & Son, Inc. Client: Caterpillar Tractor Co.

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Artists: Black Star Publishing Co. Charles Peters Art Director: Lester Beall Agency: George Bijur, Inc. Client: George Bijur, Inc.



Artist: F. S. Lincoln Art Director: Elmer R. Lasher Agency: T. J. Maloney, Inc. Client: Popular Publications, Inc.

AWARD FOR DISTINCTIVE MERIT



Artist: John Scott Art Director: Walter K. Nield Agency: Young & Rubicam, Inc. Client: Young & Rubicam, Inc.



Artist: E. Meerkämper Art Director: Ben Collins

Client: The Beck Engraving Company



Artist: John Scott Art Director: Walter K. Nield Agency: Young & Rubicam, Inc. Client: Young & Rubicam, Inc.

The rise and fall of "Shall I?"



Art Director: Ross Craufurd

Agency: Bamberger Broadcasting Service, Inc.

Client: WOR

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limidentally—20,000 new accounts have been opened as a result of the requests and the bank in just hip-deep in the goodwill these WOR broadcasts have created.

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Art Director: Ross Graufurd

Agency: Bamberger Broadcasting Service, Inc.

Client: WOR



Artist: John Averill Art Director: John Averill Agency: George Bijur, Inc. Client: Advertising & Selling







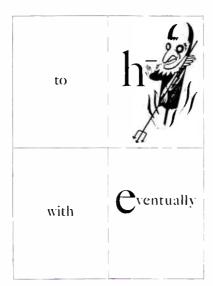
Artist: Erik Nitsche Art Director: Erik Nitsche Agency: George Bijur, Inc. Client: Mutual Broadcasting System



Artist: Stanley Ekman
Art Director: Scott A. Runge
Agency: N. W. Ayer & Son, Inc.
Client: Container Corporation of America



Artist: Keith Ward Art Director: Frederick Halpert Agency: Young & Rubicam, Inc. Client: The Centaur Company



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GEORGE BIJUR, INC., 9 ROCKEFELLER PLAZA, N.Y

Artist: Lester Beall Art Director: Lester Beall Agency: George Bijur, Inc. Client: George Bijur, Inc.



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Artists: Lester Beall, M. Ackoff Art Director: Lester Beall Agency: George Bijur, Inc. Client: George Bijur, Inc.



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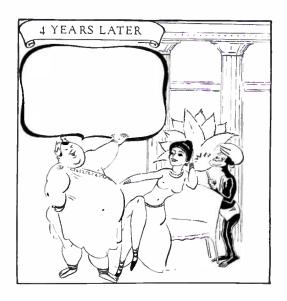
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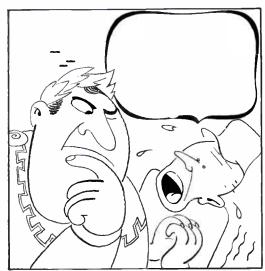
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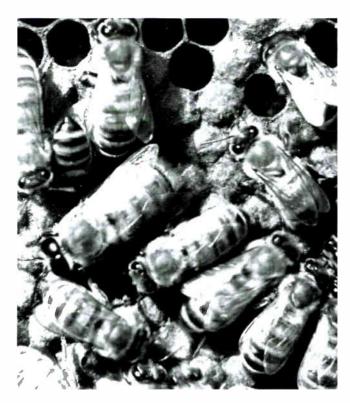
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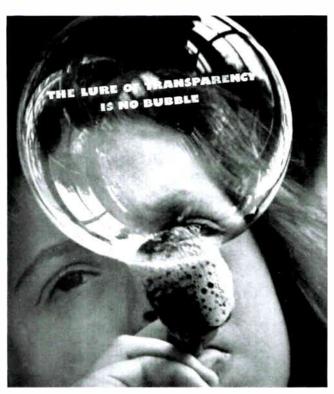


Artist: Harold Kramer Art Director: John B. Breunig Agency: Needham, Louis & Brophy, Inc. Glient: Eagle-Picher Lead Company



Artist: Edwin Way Teale Art Director: Ben Collins Client: The Beck Engraving Company

Artist: Roy Snow Art Director: T. V. Tinker Agency: Batten, Barton, Durstine & Osborn, Inc. Client: E. I. du Pont de Nemours & Co., Inc.





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Artist: Lejaren A. Hiller — Art Divetors: David Silve, C. Carroll Adams



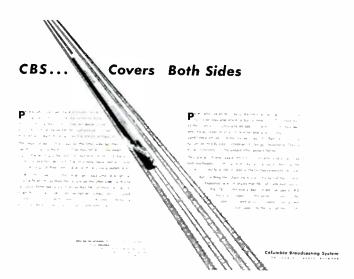
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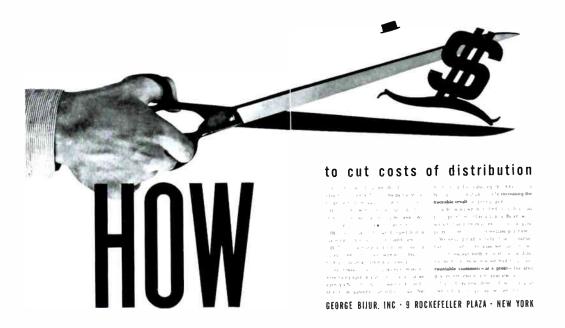


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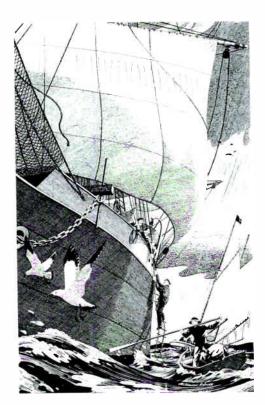




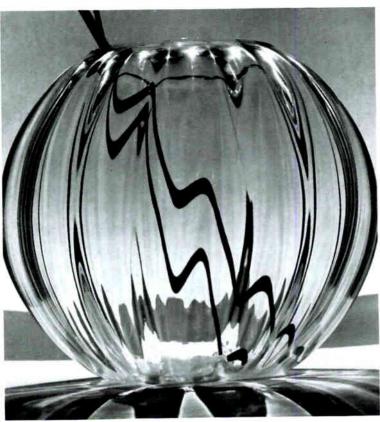
Artist: William Golden - Art Director: Ted Sandler - Client: Columbia Broadcasting System



Artist: P. Nyholm Art Director: Lester Beall Agency: George Bijur, Inc. Client: George Bijur, Inc.





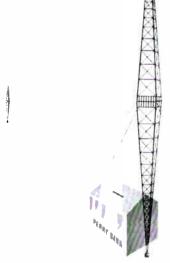


Artist: Fred R. Archer Art Director: Elmer R. Lasher Agency: T. J. Maloney, Inc. Client: Economics Laboratory, Inc.

Artist: Joseph Gering Art Directors: Lester Beall, Joseph Gering Agency: George Bijur, Inc. Client: Mutual Broadcasting System



Artist: Gilbert Bundy Art Directors: Paul Smith, William A. Lang Agency: Kenyon & Eckhardt, Inc. Client: Munsingwear, Inc.



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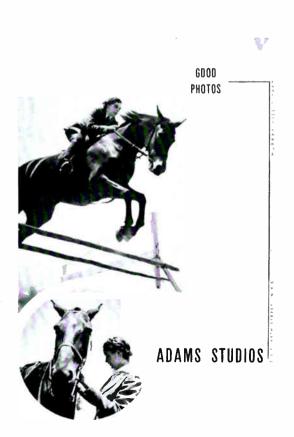
THE MUTUAL BROADCASTING SYSTEM · COAST TO COAST



Artist: M. Ackoff Art Director: Lester Beall Agency: Philip Kobbe Client: Time, Inc.



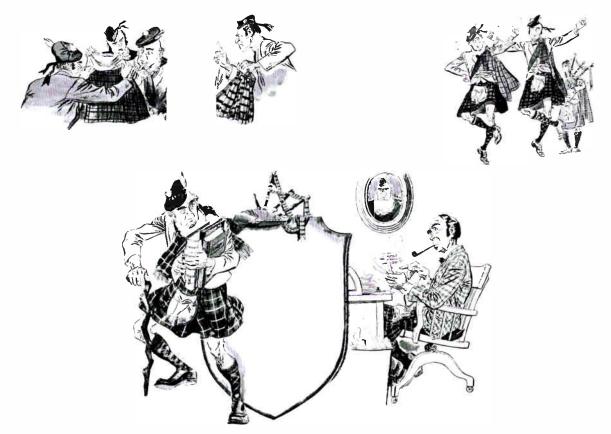
Artist: George Adams, Adams Studios Art Director: Robert Geissmann Client: Adams Studios



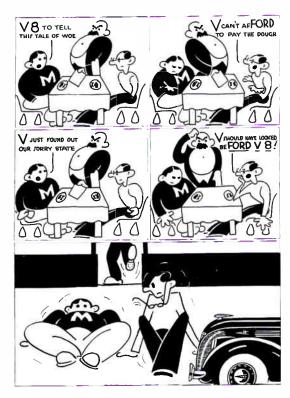


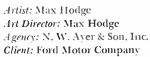
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Artist: Albert Dorne - Art Director: Daniel W. Keefe - Agency: McCann-Erickson, Inc. - Client: Talon, Inc.



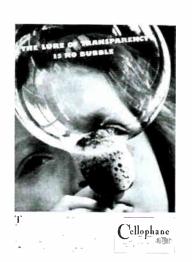




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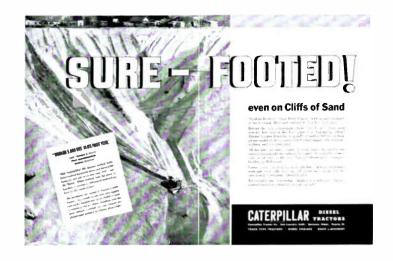
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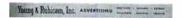
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Young & Rubicam. Inc. (A) EASERFE. 12 140 MIN MATERIAL DISTRICT.





Why does evergene say 'Yes" to Mrs. Wilson?









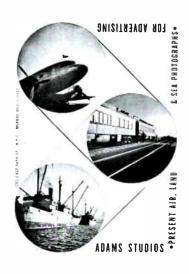




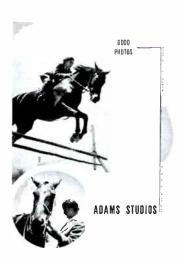
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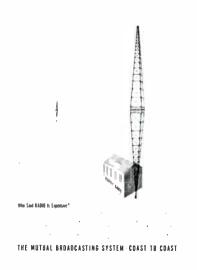














DISPLAY TYPOGRAPHY'S URGENT JOB

By DOUGLAS C. MCMURTRIE, Director of Typography, Ludlow Typograph Company

Art work in advertising attracts attention in the first instance, and creates a favorable attitude on the part of a prospective purchaser. But after attention has been attained, typography must carry on and tell the sales story.

It would, I think, be unanimously agreed that there are two stages of telling a copy story typographically. The first stage is represented by the display lines which seek to enlist the interest of the casual reader in the merchandise or service advertised. The body matter then goes on to elaborate the sales argument at greater length.

The burden on the typography of display, if this display functions successfully, is to deliver a message quickly—or not at all—in this fast-moving world. A like task, but one not quite so difficult, is assigned to the body types carrying the text of the advertisement.

Under these circumstances, we should plan printing to meet the fast-moving tempo of prospective readers. The messages we are called upon to put into type must meet successfully this test: If looked at for a fleeting moment, will they tell the gist of their story?

The printer has at his command one very potent tool to meet these present-day requirements: Display. For display is to the compositor what intonation, inflection, and emphasis are to the orator.

Display serves to index advertising copy for us, making it easier for us to locate offers of mer-

chandise in which we are interested, in just the same way as the tabs or cut-in letters on the edge of a dictionary help us to locate a certain word which we may wish to look up. Within a single advertisement, folder, or booklet, displayed sub-heads lead us directly, without waste of time, to the paragraphs or sections dealing with features with which we may be specially concerned.

Display is, therefore, an important factor in today's composition. Display lines first attract the attention of a reader and then intrigue him to read further into the copy.

Since they do perform so important a function, let those of us who set composition treat our display lines respectfully. Let us make sure the lines we display most emphatically are significant, making the point in the sales message most likely to attract the attention of a reader whose eye is casually roaming across the page.

Make sure they really stop the eye of this reader; that they are large enough and insistent enough to do the job, and not fail because they are half-hearted. There are those who advocate light display and even gray pages, but I cannot throw in with them, when the necessity for commercial return is concerned.

We may here recall the question often asked an advertiser: If lost in a wilderness and calling for help, would you prefer a thousands whispers or one loud shout?

Having attracted attention, let us organize and index the text copy by sub-heads to make it easy for the reader to find the paragraphs dealing with features or points in which he individually is especially interested. Again, we cannot afford to risk a wide expanse of even color type composition.

Above all, let us who set type make sure that when a reader once favors us with a moment's attention, there be no question in his mind as to what our customer has to sell. All of us can recall looking at advertisements and mailing pieces and wondering what on earth they were about, and whether the man who paid for the printing was selling watermelons or real-estate. When our attention is drawn away from one advertisement by some more comprehensible sales story, we can understand that the advertiser who loses out may well be skeptical regarding the "power of print."

After all, print has no power except when it is intelligently planned and executed. Printing which is effective is the only printing for which buyers can afford to pay—for long! And herein we find the strongest argument for the training and building of competent, thinking printers, who realize the potential power latent in the types and matrices which pass between their fingers.

Competent craftsmanship in setting letters into lines is not enough today. Facing new demands

because of the speeded-up tempo of modern living, able compositors must think about the copy they handle, and adapt their practice to these demands. More successful results from the copy they set afford the soundest and most logical approach to increased earning power.

A thoughtful analysis of copy is the surest guide to presenting it eloquently in typefaces. But there remains also to be considered the factor of current style, which changes constantly, though not too rapidly, with changing cycles of taste.

Ten years ago, the influence of "modern" design in the applied arts made itself felt in typography. This influence has brought about a number of changes in the best of our composition in the service of commerce.

First, it has simplified both typefaces and layout. Applied to typefaces, the influence was responsible for the simplification in design observable in the sans serifs, flat serifs, and other modern typefaces. Applied to layout, it has produced the rather severe geometric arrangements which are today so widely used.

The second important result of the modern influence is that the long-cherished central axis of restful typography has gone by the boards, perhaps never to return. It has been supplanted by non-symmetrical layout which is unbalanced rather than balanced, dynamic rather than static, disturbing rather than soothing. The modern typographer endeavors to substitute clarion calls for lullabies.

As to the present trend in typefaces: In spite of repeated rumors that the traditional oldstyle romans are returning to favor, the usage of the best composing rooms and the sales of the typefounders and composing machine manufacturers show modern typefaces still in the ascendant. The flat serifs apparently now lead the sans serifs in popularity, probably because of their higher degree of legibility.

There is a feeling on the part of some authorities that the next typeface family likely to rise to a position of popularity and importance will be a sans serif with strokes of variable weight. Such a typeface will, by reason of "thicks and thins," be far more legible than the monotone sans serifs, and will appear more brilliant. Yet it will retain the simplicity which is the essence of sound modern design.

The skyscraper motif of modern architecture is reflected in the favor with which tall and slender typefaces are now regarded. The newer typefaces being produced are relatively narrower than standard in relation to height, and markedly condensed faces in the Bodoni and and Gothic families are being widely used.

A reaction against the severity of geometric layouts and the simplicity of monotone sans serifs is evidenced by the popularity of scripts. Or perhaps they are used as a foil for severity. At any rate, any good new script typeface is still assured of a warm reception. It is my belief that informality is more attractive than formality in a script used to promote sales.

Prediction of future trends is hazardous, but we know from historic precedent that styles move in cycles. There is on the horizon a "cloud the size of a man's hand" which seems to foretell a return to popularity of some of the decorative typefaces which were consigned to limbo—with appropriate ceremonies—ten years ago.

Of this we may feel certain. No style, however sound or commendable, will last forever. For every action there is a reaction, and perhaps ten years from now we may be inflicted with typography which is ornamental rather than functional. We can then mourn the passing of the clean, lithe simplicity of the present era in which the legibility of type and its functional effectiveness are respected as they have never been in any period past.

NEWSPAPERS

How do YOU make friends?



Friends are important assets—to people and to magazines. Todas, with the publication of the March Journal a new chapter on the frenot-line of magazines is being written. For the Journal is naching the largest audience in its history. Journal readers are participating in one of America's facts; history movements—one which has resulted in newsearch increases of 65% for the Journal in 3 sears. Even with these increases, the Journal continues to believe that the kind of trivials are acquire is an important to the number of french sun acquire. That is why you will find some of the methods people and magazines are for making french sign seed to be.



MARCH JOURNAL

Artist: James Thurber — Art Director: Leon Karp Agency: N. W. Ayer & Son, Inc. — Client: Ladies' Home Journal

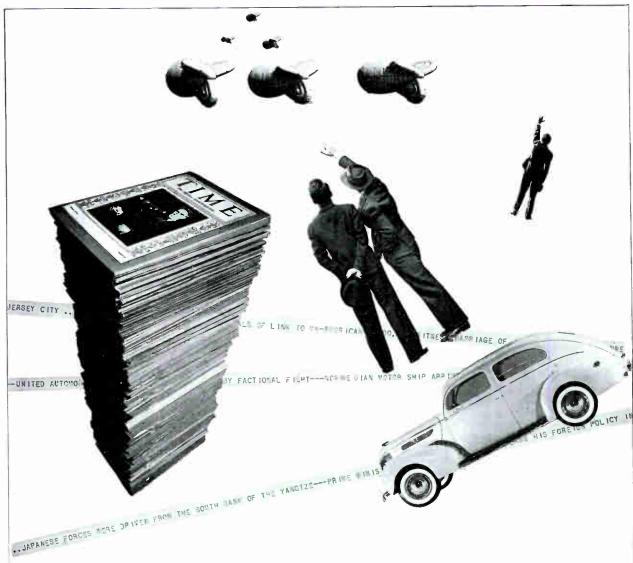
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ART DIRECTORS CLUB MEDAL FOR BEST BLACK AND WHITE ILLUSTRATION

Artist: R. Willaumez Art Director: Myron Kenzer Client: Bonwit Teller



AWARD FOR DISTINCTIVE MERIT



Sausage Shapes over London can make more Fords go by

Come on, now, don't be so far fetched. How can new air defenses in England have one blessed thing to do with selling an American car to Americans?

Because it's news—and the news has been making changes in the very Americans that buy Fords and furnaces, radios and rayons.

It's been changing Americans for some years now. It's changed the people you know—it's changed you. A few years ago, news was a pastime, take it or leave it, dip into it around election time and forget it most of the time.

Then things happened. Abroad, dictators ripped out booming phrases of war and ripped up treaties and pacts. At home all the banks closed and a new era opened. Men began to ask other men about new bills, new taxes, new unions, new powers. It began to dawn on people that the news was something happening to them—sitting up there in their business ledgers looking at them, perching on their tractors making marks or leaving blanks on their sales chatts.

And now the news matters as it's never mattered before. Most of all it matters to the most intelligent people. The people with the bigger jobs and paying farms, people in the professions. People

with the \$599's and \$774's for new Fords

There's nothing casual about their need for the news. They care enough to want all the important news—straight, unsnaried, responsibly told.

So 700,000 of them read TIME. Every week of the year they read TIME-to find out.

And that has plenty to do with selling cars or anything else important to Americans. When you advertise to people who want to find out, who are eager and alert, you're getting your own news of new models, new prices through on the sharpest intensity level you can find anywhere.

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And getting it through, in TIME, to people with money to spend this year. Ten dozen surveys prove that TIME readers have stability far above the mass average; 88% are of professional or executive status; they make a market that doesn't dissolve under pressure—that stays secure.

It stayed secure the last time there was pressure; during the six years of Depression L advertisers discovered that, and TIME's passenger cur advertising rose 141%. Because it paid out, that's What's so all-fired different about Depression II? One market dissolves, another weakens. Still another stays secure—makes a SECURITY BASE for any advertiser. TIME's market stays secure.

TIME readers just proved it all over again in a recent survey of \$0,000 TIME filmliles. Proved it for any advertiser. Proved it so specifically for passenger car advertisers that it seems like the selling arguments to end all selling arguments:

- TIME FAMILIES PLAN TO BUY 91,000 NEW CARS THE BALANCE OF THIS YEAR.
- OTHER TIME FAMILIES PLAN TO BUY 268,800 NEW CARS DURING 1939.

What's the price of getting your lick in to this market? Five to ten thousand dollars a page? No, that buys mass circulation, fine big masses.

A TIME page costs less than \$2500; thirteen pages cost \$30,550; twenty-six cost \$57.850

That doesn't buy mass circulation—that only puts your news through to 700,000 substantial TIME families. ALL of whom want the news and a whacking lot of whom want new ears.

TIME * THE WEEKLY NEWSMAGAZINE

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Artists: Peter Nyholm, R. Clemmer

Art Director: Lester Beall

Agency: George Bijur. Inc.

Client: Time, Inc.



AWARD FOR DISTINCTIVE MERIT

Artist: Herbert S. Lenz Art Director: Herbert S. Lenz Client: R. H. Macy & Co., Inc.



Artist: Herbert Greenwald Art Director: Herbert S. Lenz Client: R. H. Macy & Co., Inc.



Artist: Marianne Brody Art Director: Ira Lowenstein Client: Saks Fifth Avenue

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Artist: Eric Mulvaney Art Director: M. L. Rosenblum Client: L. Bamberger & Co.





Artist: Joseph Fehér Art Director: Joseph Fehér Client: Chicago Tribune



Artist: H. Foster Ensminger Art Director: Paul F. Berdanier, Jr. Agency: J. Walter Thompson Co. Client: The Curtis Publishing Co.

Artist: Allen Saalburg Art Director: Paul W. Darrow Agency: N. W. Ayer & Son, Inc. Client: Steinway & Sons





Artist: J. W. McManigal Art Director: William A. Irwin Agency: McCann-Erickson, Inc. Client: The Curtis Publishing Co.



Artist: Robert Philipp Art Director: Paul W. Darrow Agency: N. W. Ayer & Son. Inc. Client: Steinway & Sons



Artists: Eric Mulvaney, Thomas Gray Art Director: M. I., Rosenblum Client: I., Bamberger & Co.



Artist: Keith Ward
Art Director: Harry Payne
Agency: Batten, Barton, Durstine & Osborn, Inc.
Client: Borden's Farm Products



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Artists: Richard Clemmer, Underwood & Underwood Art Director: Lester Bealt Agency: George Bijur, Inc. Client: Time, Inc.

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TIME * THE WEEKLY NEWSMAGAZINE *



Art Director: Elwood Whitney
Artists: George Hurrell, Gilbert Bundy
Agency: J. Walter Thompson Co.
Client: Lever Brothers

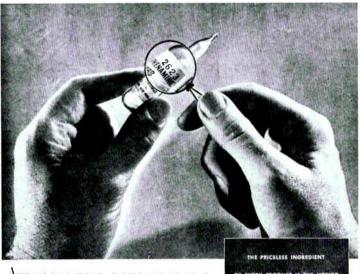
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Agency: Batten, Barton, Durstine & Osborn, Inc.

Client: E. R. Squibb & Sons



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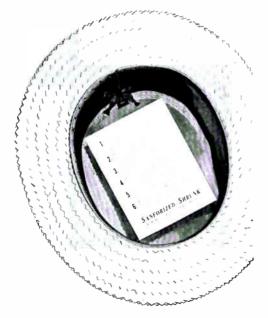
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Client: R. H. Macy & Co., Inc.

Artist: Russell Patterson Art Director: Herbert S. Lenz Client: R. H. Macy & Co., Inc.



PASTE THIS IN YOUR HAT!



Artist: Edward Johnson Art Director: Fred S. Sergenian Agency: Young & Rubicam, Inc. Client: Cluett, Peabody & Co., Inc. Artists: H. Foster Ensminger, William Sakren Art Director: Paul F. Berdanier, Jr. Agency: J. Walter Thompson Co. Glient: General Cigar Co., Inc.

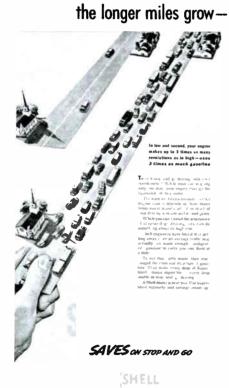




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Client: Standard Oil Company (Indiana)

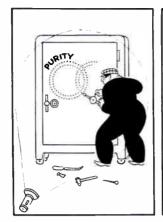
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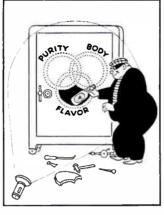
Artist: Walter Richards Art Director: Elwood Whitney Agency: J. Walter Thompson Co. Glient: Shell Oil Company



Artist: Walter Early Art Director: Gustave Sigritz Agency: Young & Rubicam, Inc. Client: Krueger Brewing Co.







Irtist: William Sakren

Art Director: William Strosahl

Agency: J. Walter Thompson Co. - Glient: P. Ballantine & Sons



Artist: Walter Hoban

Art Director: Jonel Jogulesco

Agency: Young & Rubicam. Inc.

Client: General Foods Corporation



Artist: John Holmgren

Art Director: Frederick Halpert

Agency: Young & Rubicam, Inc.

Client: The Gentaur Company



Artist: Albert Dorne Art Director: W. E. Wheaton, Jr. Agency: Badger and Browning & Hersey, Inc. Glient: American Chicle Company



AN ADVERTISEMENT FOR FRESH DATED "EVEREADY" BATTERIES

Artist: Howard Williamson — Art Directors: Lester Jay Loh. John H. Tinker, Jr. Agency: J. M. Mathes. Incorporated — Client: National Carbon Company. Inc.



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Agency: Young & Rubicam, Inc.

Client: General Foods Corporation

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Artist: William Sakren

Art Director: Fred S. Sergenian

Agency: Young & Rubicam, Inc.

Client: General Foods Corporation



Artist: Joseph King

Art Director: Frederick Halpert

Agency: Young & Rubicam, Inc.

Client: Bristol-Myers Co.

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Artist: William Sakren

Art Director: Fred S. Sergenian

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Client: General Foods Corporation



Oh, Doctor!

By Winifred Carter











Artist: John H. Striebel

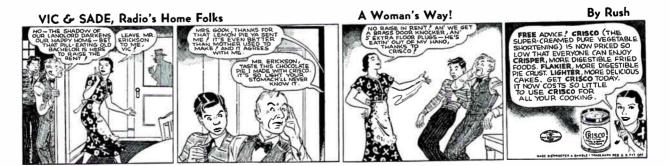
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Agency: Compton Advertising, Inc.

Client: Procter & Gamble Company



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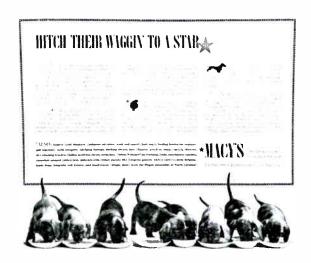
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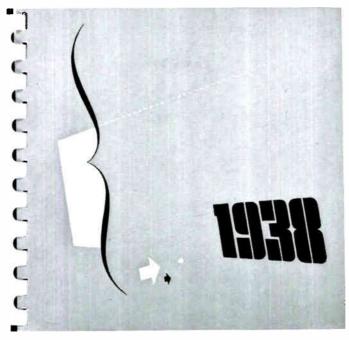






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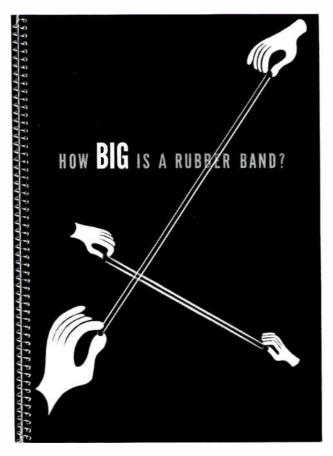
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Art Director: M. Martin Johnson

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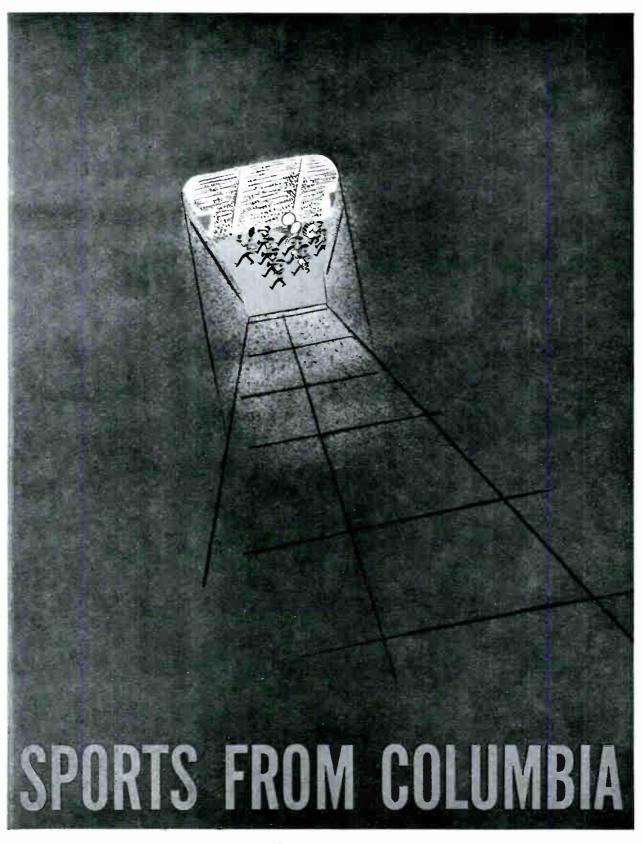


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Art Directors: Robert A. Schmid, John Averill

Client: Mutual Broadcasting System. Inc.

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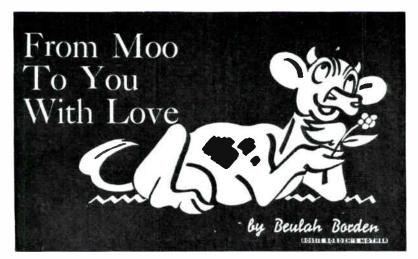


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Art Director: Ted Sandler

Client: Columbia Broadcasting System

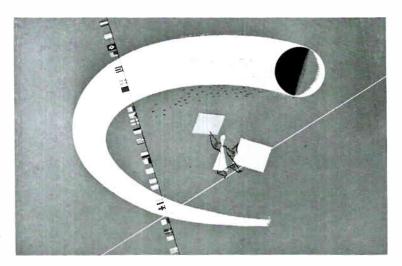
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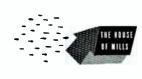
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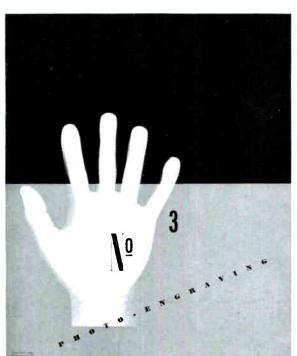


Artist: Fred Hauck Art Directors: Fred Hauck, Walter Lloyd Client: Collier's



Artists: David O, Green, Torkel Korling Art Director: James T, Mangan Client: Mills Novelty Company

Artist: Lester Beall Art Director: Lester Beall Client: The Sterling Engraving Co.

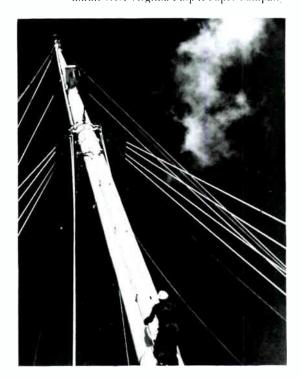


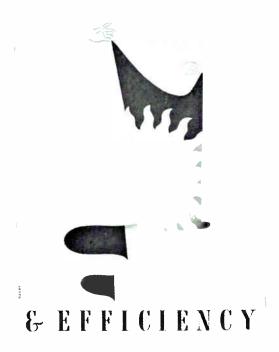


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Artists: Henry Stahlhut, Dorothy Gaffney Art Director: Dorothy Gaffney Agency: Abbott Kimball Co., Inc. Client: Strathmore Paper Company

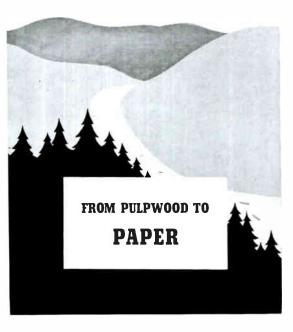
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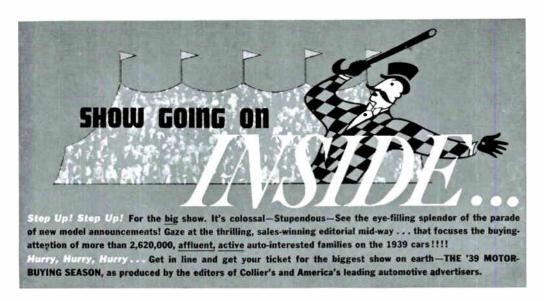




Artist: Howard Hardy Art Director: Howard Hardy Client: York Ice Machinery Corp.

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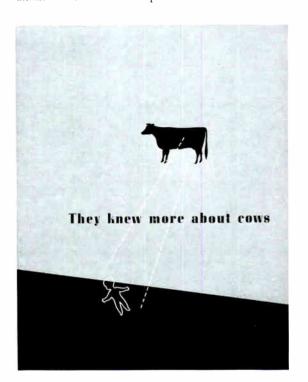




Artist: V. Bobri Art Director: Grace M. Jones Client: Nolde & Horst Sales Co., Inc.



Artist: Fred Hauck Art Directors: Fred Hauck, Walter Lloyd Client: Woman's Home Companion



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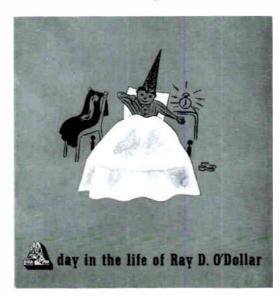


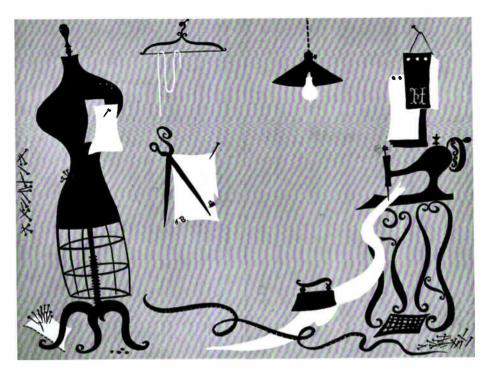
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Artists: Lester Beall, Joseph Gering Art Directors: Lester Beall, Walter Lloyd Client: Woman's Home Companion

Artist: Erik Nitsche Art Directors: Robert A. Schmid, Erik Nitsche Client: Mutual Broadcasting System, Inc.





Artist: Alexey Brodovitch

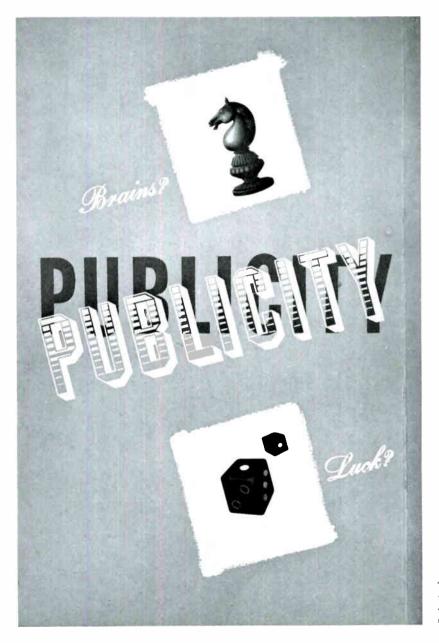
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Glient: Elizabeth Hawes

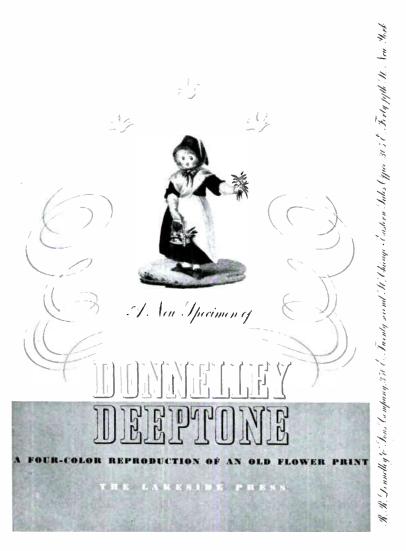


Artist: Robert Carroll
Art Directors: Robert A. Schmid, Robert Carroll
Client: Mutual Broadcasting System, Inc.





Artist: Gene Federico
Art Directors: Stuart Campbell, Gene Federico
Agency: Abbott Kimball Co., Inc.
Client: Abbott Kimball Co., Inc.



Artist: Walter Howe Art Director: W. A. Kittredge Client: R. R. Donnelley & Sons Company



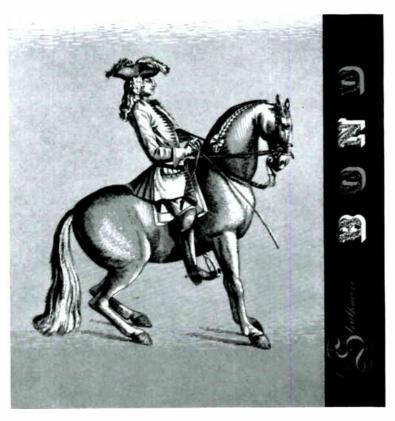
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Art Director: Bert Ray

Agency: Runkle, Thompson, Kovats, Inc.

Client: Abbott Laboratories



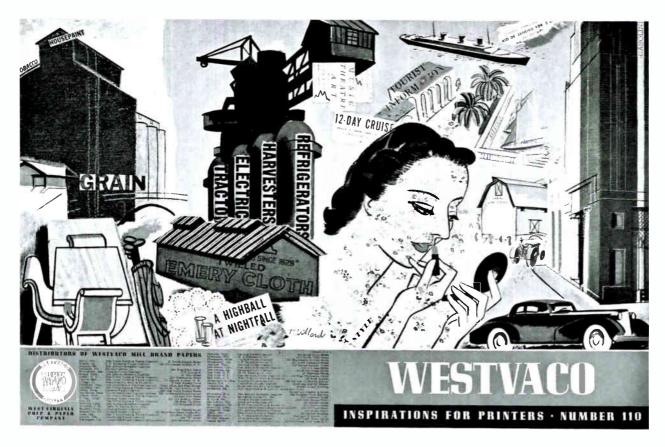
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Artist: Howard W. Willard Art Director: W. A. Kittredge

Agency: R. R. Donnelley & Sons Company Client: West Virginia Pulp & Paper Company





A SHOP TALK ON POSTERS

By HOWARD SCOTT, Poster Designer and Consultant

DEFINITION OF A POSTER

There have been given many definitions of what a true poster is. I venture to add another, perhaps a bit more contemporary. I feel that a poster is an advertisement that exploits a complete situation with true sincerity in a split second. The poster must attract, hold, and in a flash bring home to the reader a complete understanding of the advertiser's message. It must leave a pleasing impression as well as a convincing one. We in America have leaned toward the human interest poster during the last few years. The moving picture, with its tremendous influence, and the great number of purely picture magazines that flood our newsstands have both contributed in shaping the visual conception of the advertiser's audience.

Not so long ago, I had a very interesting talk with A. M. Cassandre, the well-known French poster artist. He has no peers when it comes to design, color and supreme ingenuity. Cassandre is a master of the purely symbolical or, let's say, the modern impact poster. He argued that America had no poster technique. We do nothing but blow up realistic paintings, and because we use them on twenty-four sheet poster panels, we call them posters. I'm sure he must have meant that our posters on the whole are not handled technically in the old flat poster treatment used by most of the Europeans for years. He failed to see that with a simple, powerful pattern, a strong poster can be had and

that any amount of realism within that primary pattern, if painted in its proper key so as not to destroy the impact of this pattern, adds both to the appeal and story-telling value of the poster. This, I told him, is America's poster technique that the masses understand. Exhaustive surveys have been made of the merits of our point of view and they have proved conclusively that as far as America is concerned we are on the right track in putting on, as I like to call them, one-act plays to a five-second audience.

USES OF THE POSTER

Right here I would like to say that perhaps the one form of advertising best suited to the speed and complexity of our modern living is the poster. Its use on the big twenty-four sheet panels, the three sheet and subway hoardings employs only a part of the space in which good poster advertising can do its work most effectively. Most people don't have time to read the lengthy lines of copy that accompany the average advertisement. They are interested in getting their information in capsule form—a digest of all things pertaining to their everyday living habits. The picture magazines are giving the reader his news by way of the picture. Flash, vivid impressions; that is the true mission of the poster. I believe we shall see the poster technique used more and more in our newspapers, publications and display fields. It seems a natural vehicle to use in getting the message over to the reader.

CONSTRUCTION OF POSTERS

As to the construction of a poster, this being the most important feature of all, I will try to give a resumé of what makes it tick. There is no formula in the designing of a prize-winning poster advertisement. First, and probably the factor contributing most in making a good poster, is that the agency and its client be in perfect agreement that once twenty-four sheet posters have been decided on as the media for a campaign, one cannot put everything, including the barnyard hens, into the design. Also, that there must be taken an entirely separate point of view differing decidedly from that of newspaper and magazine layout.

Secondly, the poster should be entertaining. The poster is the one form of advertising that does not give away a "bag of marbles," so to speak, for the few seconds of indulgence by your audience. Unlike radio, which gives entertainment along with the commercials, and the newspapers and magazines, which give you news and fiction, the poster stands solely on its entertainment value as a compensation to the reader.

There has been some criticism of a so-called "gag-lined" poster's ability to sell. True, you cannot put a magazine ad on a twenty-four sheet poster, as most advertisers try to do. The reading time is too short. But you can pick out one paramount feature of your product, wrap it up with a good "gag" line designed into a well-executed pictorial element, add your product identification and wind up by having a two-fisted advertisement that's plugging for you twenty-four hours a day, thirty days out of the month, smacking home on your buying public thousands of quick-selling, pleasing impressions of why *your* gas starts quicker!

Given a good "gag" line, you should explore every possible composition in your preliminary roughs that will tip the reader off to the selling line long before he is within reading distance of the actual line of copy on your poster. A simple pantomine pattern can pour your reader right into the few words in your message. The success of the poster depends on handling both copy and pictorial elements toward this end. You must trap your audience for a split second and then release it with a concrete impression of your advertisement. Great care should be taken in choosing the actors in your "poster play." Refrain from blatant colors that only tend to chop your design to pieces. Rather a black and white painting with good value relations than a red, white and blue circus poster that leaves you wide open to every garden club addict's contention that you are smearing the landscape with junk. Use restraint and good taste and, above all, simplicity.

THE FUTURE OF THE POSTER

The future of anything, of course, is in the lap of the gods. However, I'll venture to say that given an opportunity, the poster will come into its real place in the years to come. It is surely the streamlined medium of the advertising world, and as such can surely hope for increased importance in the field of propaganda. There is a lack of trained, poster-minded agency executives and artists in this country. However, if the progress made in the last few years can be maintained, we shall surely see the poster graduate from the red-headed stepchild it has been into its rightful place in advertising.

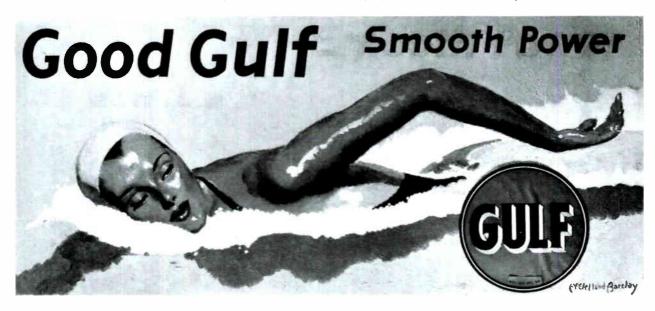
POSTERS AND MAGAZINE COVERS



THE KERWIN H. FULTON MEDAL FOR BEST TWENTY-FOUR SHEET POSTER



Artist: Albert Staehle — Art Directors: Stanford Briggs, Howard Scott Agency: McCann-Erickson, Inc. — Client: Standard Oil Company of New Jersey





Artist: Howard Scott | Art Directors: Stanford Briggs, Howard Scott | Agency: McCann-Erickson, Inc. | Client: Ford Motor Company

Artist: Hayden Hayden Art Directors: Stanford Briggs, Howard Scott Agency: McCann-Erickson, Inc. Client: Standard Oil Company of New Jersey



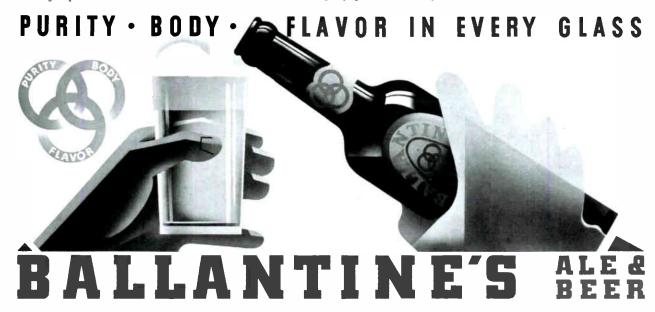


Artist: Hayden Hayden

Art Directors: Stanford Briggs, Howard Scott

Agency: McCann-Erickson, Inc.

Client: Axton Fisher Tobacco Co.





Artist: Stanley Ekman Art Director: Roy E. Washburn Agency: McCann-Erickson, Inc. Client: Standard Oil Company (Indiana)

Artist: Sascha A. Maurer

Art Director: Sascha A. Maurer

Client: McCandlish Lithograph Corporation



McCandlish Lithograph Corporation Philadelphia, PA.



Artist: Stevan Dohanos

Art Director: Lester Rondell

Agency: Tracy, Locke, Dawson, Inc.

Client: Continental Oil Company

THE BARRON G. COLLIER MEDAL FOR BEST CAR CARD

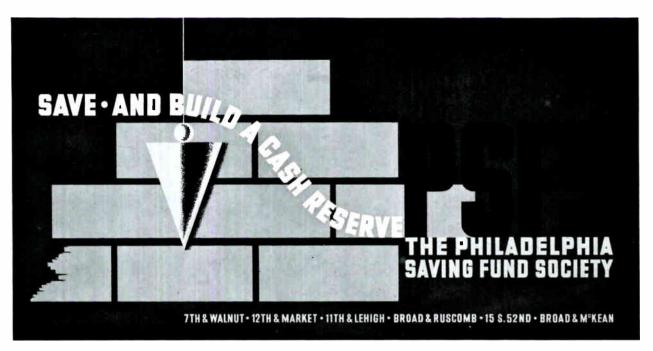


Artist: Joseph Binder

Art Director: Burton E. Goodloe

Agency: J. Walter Thompson Co.

Client: Peter Ballantine & Sons



Artists: Raymond A. Ballinger, Morris Berd ... Art Director: Guy E. Fry ... Agency: Jerome B. Gray & Co. ... Client: Philadelphia Saving Fund Society

Artist: Fred Ludekens Art Director: Fred Ludekens Agency: Lord & Thomas Client: M. J. B. Co.





Art Director: Otis Shepard
Art Director: Otis Shepard
Agency: Barron G. Collier Corp.
Client: Wm. Wrigley Jr. Company



Artist: Ruzzie Green
Art Director: Winslow H. Case
Agency: Newell-Enunett Company, Inc.
Client: Liggett & Myers Tobacco Company



Artist: Otis Shepard Art Director: Otis Shepard Agency: Barron G. Collier Corp. Glient: Win. Wrigley Jr. Company



Artists: Joseph Binder, Everett W. Sahrbeck Art Director: Everett W. Sahrbeck Agency: Chas. Dallas Reach Co. Client: The Koppers Company



Artist: Irvine Kamens Art Directors: David S, Block, Halpert Studios Agency: Brown & Tarcher, Inc. Client: Seeman Bros., Inc.



Artists: Joseph Binder, Everett W. Sahrbeck Art Director: Everett W. Sahrbeck Agency: Chas. Dallas Reach Co. Client: The Koppers Company

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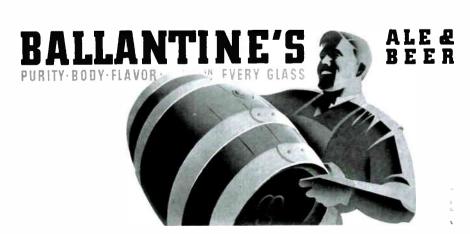


"MERMAID-KNIT" PONIES

Artist: Gilbert Bundy Art Director: Paul Smith Agency: Kenyon & Eckhardt, Inc. Client: Munsingwear, Inc.



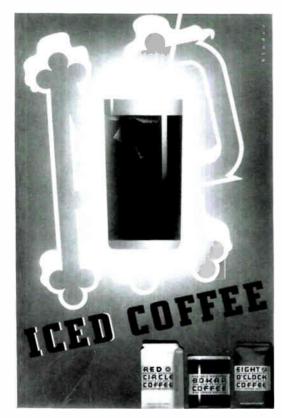
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Artist: Joseph Binder Art Director: Burton E. Goodloe Agency: J. Walter Thompson Co. Client: Peter Ballantine & Sons

Art Director: Herbert S. Lenz Client: R. H. Macy & Co., Inc.





Artist: Joseph Binder

Art Directors: Hallas Kenyon, Harold D. Hoopes

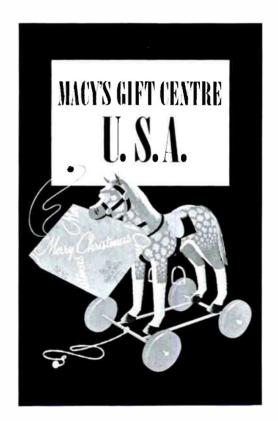
Agency: Paris & Peart Client: A & P Coffee Service



Artist: Sascha A, Maurei Art Director: Sascha A, Maurei Client: New Haven Railroad



Artists: Lester Beall, M. Ackoff Art Director: Lester Beall Agency: George Bijur, Inc. Client: George Bijur, Inc.



Artist: Adolph Brotman Art Director: Herbert S. Lenz Client: R. H. Macy & Co., Inc.







Artist: Lester Beall

Art Director: Lester Beall

Client: U.S. Envelope Company

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Artist: Alexey Brodovitch

Art Director: Alexey Brodovitch

Client: Harper's Bazaar



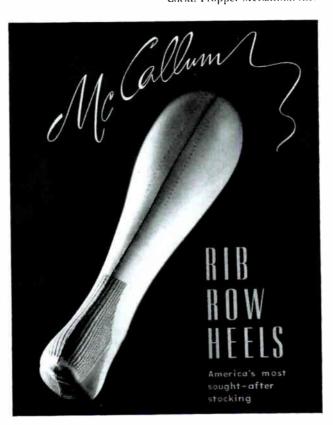


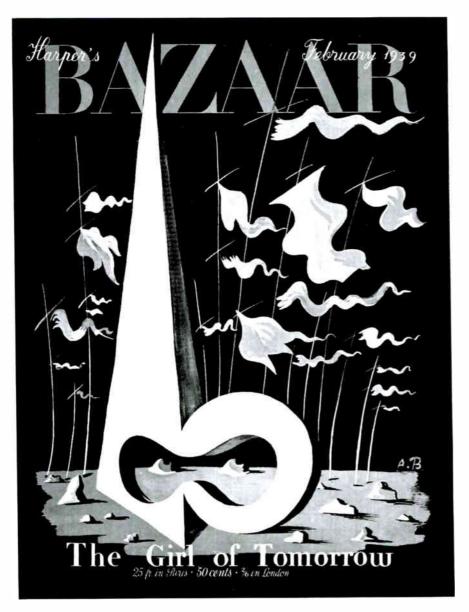
Artist: V. Bobri Glient: Nolde & Horst Sales Co., Inc. Art Director: Grace M. Jonés

Artist: Mary Sweer Art Director: Sherman H. Raveson Agency: Hartman & Pettingell, Inc. Glient: Propper McCallum, Inc.



Artist: V. Bobri Art Director: Grace M. Jones Client: Nolde & Horst Sales Co., Inc.



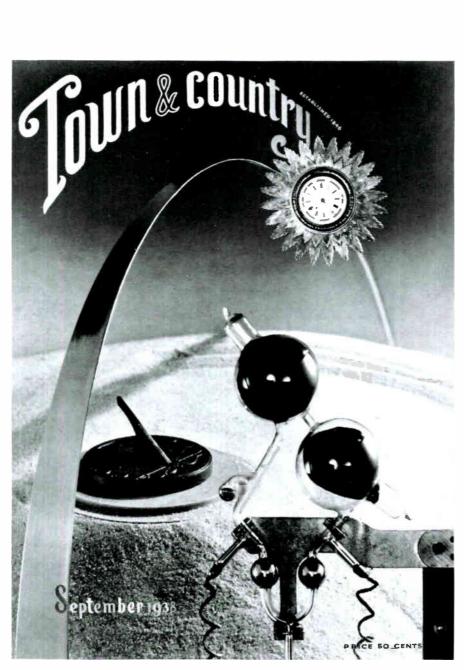


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Art Director: Alexey Brodovitch

Client: Harper's Bazaar

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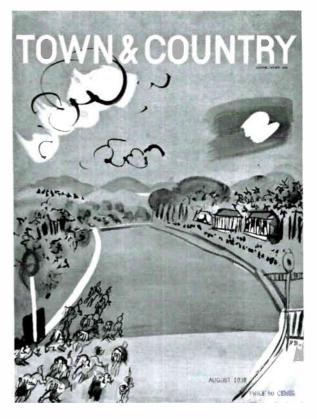
Art Director: Louis-Marie Eude

Client: Town & Country

AWARD FOR DISTINCTIVE MERIT



Artist: Louis-Marie Eude Art Director: Louis-Marie Ende Client: Town & Country



Artist: Raoul Dufy Art Director: Louis-Marie Eude Client: Town & Country



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Artist: Horst Art Directors: Horst, M. F. Agha Client: Vogue



Artist: Robert Mack Art Director: Wallace F, Hainline Client: Better Homes & Gardens



Artist: Victor Keppler Art Director: Frank Eltonhead Client: Ladies' Home Journal

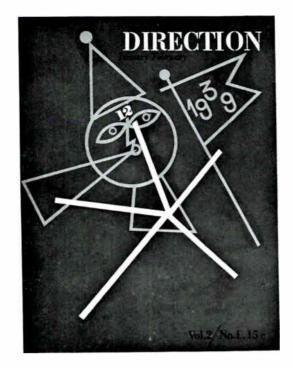


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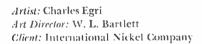


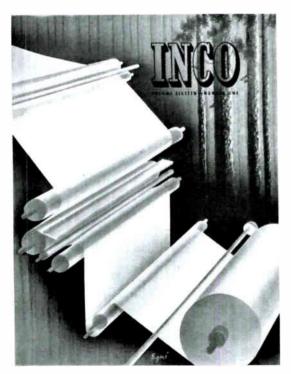
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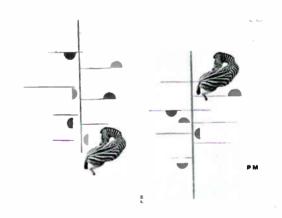


Artist: Paul Rand Client: Direction

Artist: Paul Rand Art Directors: Dr. Robert L. Leslie, Percy Seitlin Client: P. M.







Artist: H. J. Barschel Art Directors: Dr. Robert L. Leslie, Percy Seitlin Client: P. M.



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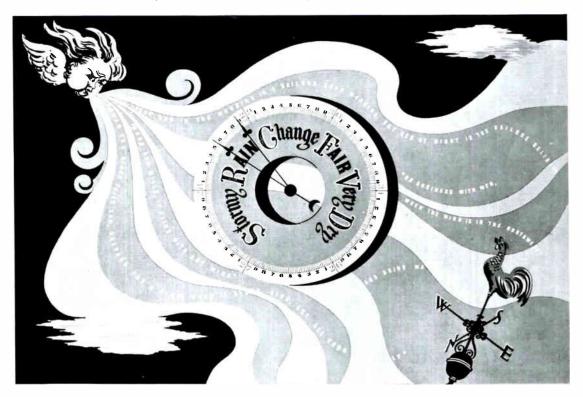
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Artist: Howard Hardy Art Director: Howard Hardy Client: York Ice Machinery Corporation



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"Leave it to me!"

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Artist: Robert Shaw

Client: Saks Fifth Avenue

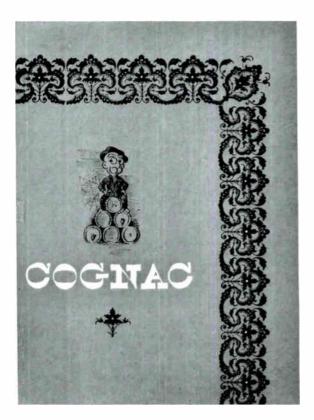
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Artist: Robert Shaw Art Director: Myron Kenzer Client: Bonwit Teller

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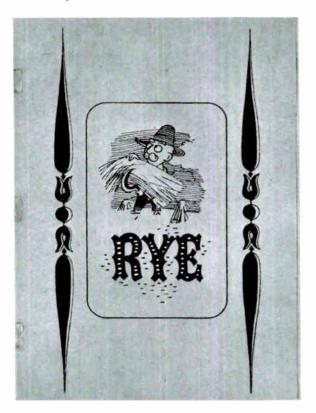
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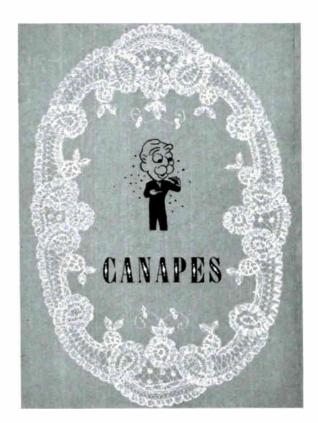
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Artist: Paul Rand Art Director: Paul Rand Client: Esquire-Coronet, Inc.

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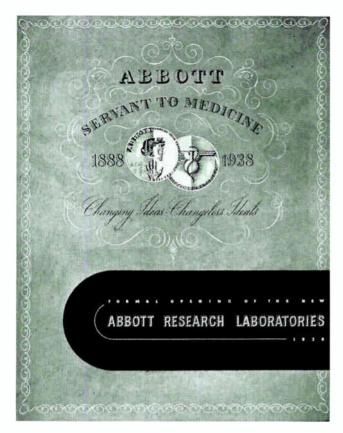




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Artist: Charles C. S. Dean Art Director: Charles C. S. Dean Client: George De Met & Bros.







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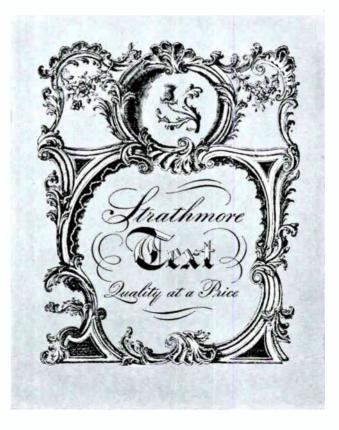
Client: Abbott Laboratories

Artist: Thomas Corbett Art Director: Dorothy Gaffney Agency: Abbott Kimball Co., Inc. Client: Strathmore Paper Company



Artist: William Driscoll Art Director: Charles Chappell Agency: Arthur Kudner, Inc.

 ${\it Client:} \ {\bf National \ Distillers \ Products \ Corporation}$



Lovely Hands Speak for themselves

Artist: Charles A. Hunn

Art Director: R. J. Hamon

Agency: Gever, Cornell and Newell, Inc.

Client: The M.Werk Company

The Lincoln V:12

Artist: Martino Studios Art Directors: Walter Reinsel, John S. Fischer Agency: N. W. Ayer & Son, Inc. Client: Lincoln Motor Company

Take Mr. Boston to the Party!

Artist: William S. Gillies

Art Director: J. Burton Stevens

Agency: Pedlar & Ryan, Inc.

Client: Ren Rurk Inc

Men heaven was at the corner of Sycamore and Main

Artist: Sam Marsh

Art Director: Herbert Bishop

Agency: Young & Rubicam, Inc.

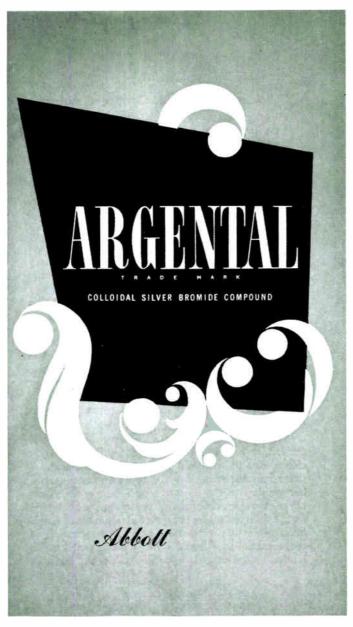
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Artist: William S. Gillies Art Director: J. Burton Stevens Agency: Pedlar & Ryan, Inc. Client: Ben Burk, Inc.

Artist: M. Martin Johnson Art Director: M. Martin Johnson Agency: Runkle, Thompson, Kovats, Inc.

Glient: Abbott Laboratories



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Artist: Toni Bonagura Art Director: Walter Lloyd Client: Woman's Home Companion

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AN INDUSTRIAL DESIGNER THINKS ABOUT HIS JOB

By HENRY DREYFUSS, Industrial Designer

The artist, whether he has sold his soul to commerce or is starving in a garret, has the sublime pleasure of sitting before his finished creation and knowing that all that is before him is of his own handiwork; he has no one to blame but himself for the success or failure of his effort. He has done a one-man job.

On the other hand we designers working for industry share the pride in our creations with many persons. For if we are seriously interested in producing a successful design, not one that merely appeals to our own taste and fancy, we cannot do it alone.

The engineers in the factory are the greatest allies of the designer, for they are the men who can make the designer's dreams come true. It is not to our interest to draw a splendid picture and say, "Here it is"; but it is our job to help develop and plan a manufacturable product. We cannot do this in the privacy of our drafting rooms. The research laboratory, the engineering departments of our clients, the observations and wishes of the sales and advertising departments, the public to be observed constantly and closely—these must be the tools on our drafting boards, ever more important than our T-squares and paint pots.

To find out what the public wants is probably the most difficult of the designer's tasks and the one in which the manufacturer expects the greatest guidance. With this responsibility on his shoul-

ders the designer sets out to garner information. It is absurd to think that he is a superman and through his wizardry automatically knows what the consumer will buy. What he must be is a careful observer and he must use his "merchandising hunch" (really a gauge of how far it is best to go), an intangible something learned only after many years of experience.

In an effort to beautify their plumage women will accept the most extreme dictates of the fashion arbiters. The designer for industry has learned to watch the degree of change in women's fashions and take a hint from it. For instance, the extreme styles in women's headgear this year were a pretty safe tip-off that they would accept more radical designs in household accessories next season. Shoemakers have had great success with the platform shoe. Yet adding a thick sole and so eliminating the heel is a radical change to force upon a woman's accessory whose prime claims to fame heretofore have been delicacy and lightness and daintiness. But women accepted the change. Once again the industrial designer can take his cue and, without fear of ruining his client's sales, suggest more radical designs for other products.

Two World's Fairs presenting the most modern use of new materials certainly conditioned the public for accepting the use of those materials for application to the things they will purchase next year. The successful designer knows how much of a dose of modernity the public will take. Possibly our greatest errors have been in selling a manufacturer down the river by giving his product too advanced a design—one for which the consumer was not ready.

Perhaps it will be illuminating to follow through on the appearance design of a specific problem and so show how these theories are applied: Cleaning, no matter how easy we make it for the lady, is bound to be drudgery. But psychologically we can make a woman take pride and delight in the implement she uses for her work. The form must be simple and pleasing. I have no sympathy with the thought of applying streamlined shapes to a household utility, but I do believe it can be "cleanlined" in its design. We have a distinct problem in doing a vacuum cleaner. The outward appearance must impress the consumer with ease of operation and the design must silently express the many conveniences within the housing.

Another element at our command is the spectrum. We are aware that everyone, especially women, is consciously or unconsciously swayed by pleasing color combinations. We experiment with pleasant colors on the cleaner and the public reacts far beyond our expectations. In our research we find that women object to weight in an object they have to push around. We discuss the possibilities

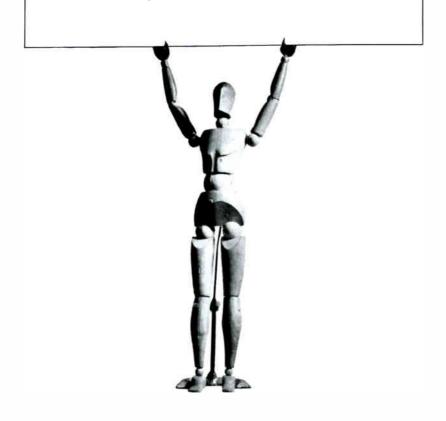
of lighter-weight materials with the factory research laboratories and they approve the use of magnesium and various kinds of plastics; we save several pounds—an easily noticeable difference to the purchaser. Women complain that electric cords get tangled in knots when they put their cleaners away. With the assistance of the factory engineers a clip is developed which does away with that nuisance. Rayon has become a magic word in the fashion world. We contact the mills and they develop a bag material containing rayon which conforms to the laboratories' stringent specifications. It brightens up the fabric and the salesman has a word of high style connotation to use on his potential customer.

Our experience has taught us that the seldom exploited sense of touch is not to be ignored. Again returning to the research laboratory we find that rubber and certain types of plastics are more pleasing to touch than other materials, and in further experimenting that some forms are less tiring to hold in the hand than others. This information helps us to produce a more acceptable handle for the vacuum cleaner.

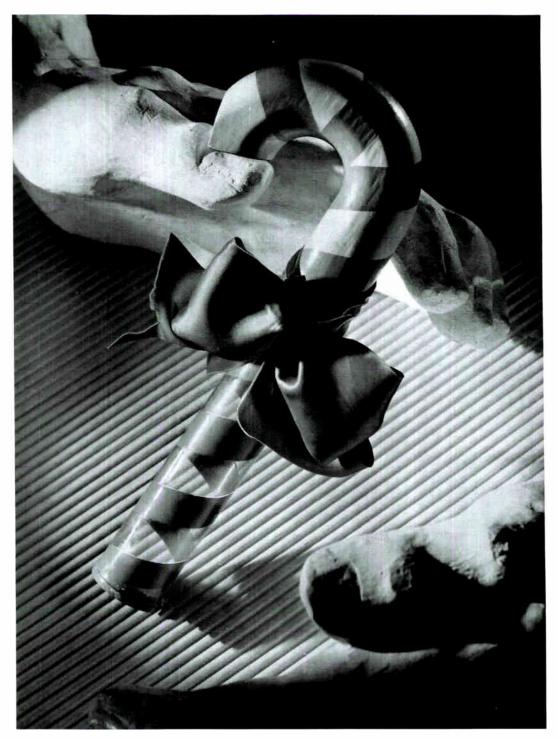
Very briefly I have tried to point out how this business of industrial design is one of co-operation on the part of the designer and his staff with the sales management of the research laboratories, the engineers and the public—all of whom contribute information that the designer must use in his work.

Many words back, at the very beginning of these paragraphs, I explained (enviously) how an artist working on canvas is his own master, familiar with and accustomed to his materials and his medium. As these paragraphs progressed I have attempted to point out that the Industrial Designer is but a cog in a wheel in producing a design for a product. He must share his bows (and graciously does) with the countless heads and hands which have contributed to producing the design.

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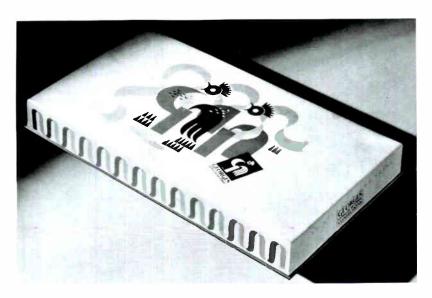
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Artist: Charles C. S. Dean Art Director: Charles C. S. Dean Client: George De Met & Bros.



Artist: Peter Dom & Associates Art Director: Arthur T. Blomquist Agency: J. Walter Thompson Co. Client: Pond's Extract Company

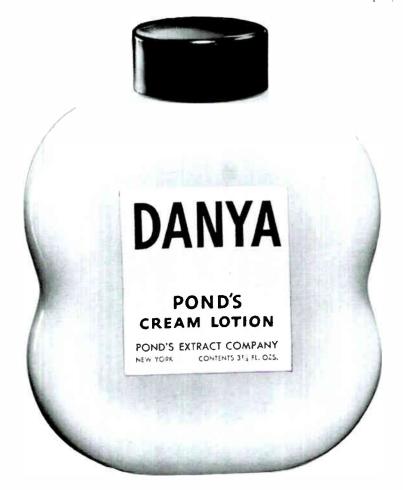


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Artist: Joseph Gering Art Director: Lester Beall Client: Florida Citrus Canners Cooperative

Artist: Warren Wheelock Art Director: Elwood Whitney Agency: J. Walter Thompson Co. Client: Pond's Extract Company



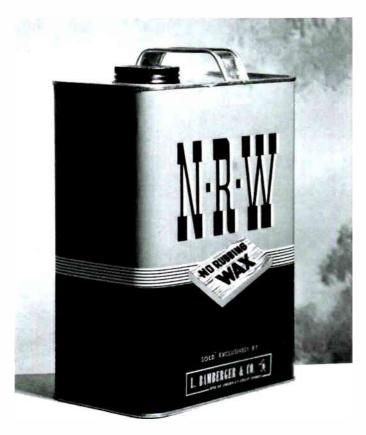


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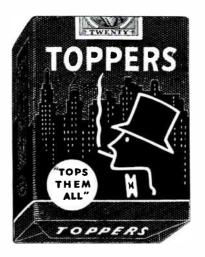
Art Director: Morris Rosenblum

Client: L. Bamberger & Co.





Artist: Joseph B. Platt Art Directors: Herbert S. Lenz, Paul M. Hollister Glient: R. H. Macy & Co., Inc.



Artists: Irving Asherman, James D, Herbert Art Director: James D, Herbert Glient: United Gigar-Whelan Stores Corporation

Artist: William Kries Art Directors: Arthur Weithas, Caesar Ferri Agency: Cecil, Warwick & Legler Glient: N. Lamont Corliss Co.





Artist: Emil A. Schaedler Art Director: Emil A. Schaedler Client: American Coating Mills, Inc.



Artist: Donald Hunter Art Director: Georges Wilmet Agency: Lennen & Mitchell, Inc. Glient: John H. Woodbury, Inc.



Artist: Gustav Jensen Art Directors: Gustav Jensen, Park Berry

Agency: Buchanan & Co., Inc. Glient: The Paton Corporation



Artist: Harold C. McNulty
Art Director: Harold C. McNulty
Agency: Batten, Barton, Durstine & Osborn, Inc,
Glient: Richard Hudnut



Artist: George C. Adams Art Director: Elwood Whitney Agency: J. Walter Thompson Co. Client: J. B. Williams Co.



Artist: Frederick Chance Art Directors: Frederic Suhr, Frederick Chance Agency: Briggs & Varley, Inc. Client: Mastin Products, Inc.

PICTURES THAT PULL PEOPLE

By LEONARD LUCE, Art Director, Arthur Kudner, Inc.

Each day more and more advertisements are being planned with regard for readership surveys.

The danger of radio and television absorbing the bulk of advertising funds is reduced as the effectiveness of each published advertisement is increased.

The effects of such activities can result in only one thing: The strengthening of the forces which advertising art have always exerted in influencing public opinion.

This means more work for the artist, a more secure income, and the assurance that the young men who are now entering the advertising art field will have the benefit of the experience of those they succeed.



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If you visited the Eastman Kodak exhibit at the World's Fair more than once you may have noticed that in the cavalcade of color each audience reacted the same way as the various subjects were thrown on the giant screen.



AH!

If one group of 200 people says "Ah-h-h!" when a picture is shown them, any other similar group of 200 people will do the same.

This trait in human nature makes it possible to ask any representative group of 200 people which of several pictures interest them most and thereby know which picture will most interest 2,000.000 people.



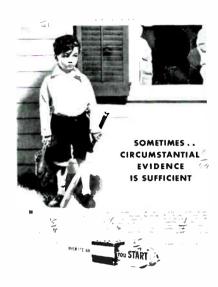
AH, HA!

There have developed during the past to years many ways of sounding public reaction to the printed page, and there are many new ways being developed today, but all are basically this, in principle, "Let a small sample represent the whole."

In the course of such investigating it is natural that some few picture subjects should be repeatedly found among those which people like most, and other subjects among those which people like least.

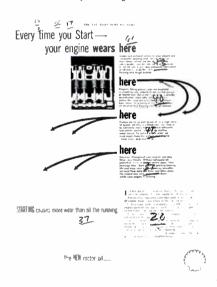


Observed by 18% of Men Readers



Observed by 50% of Men Readers

Accurate records of such information over a period of years in many thousands of cases becomes a dependable barometer of human interest or boredom.



Observed by 15% of Men Readers



Observed by 62% of Men Readers

By this means it is possible to compare a proposed advertisement with the records of many hundreds of similar advertisements and foretell how many people can be expected to see it when later it is published.



Observed by 15% of Men Readers



Will be observed by ?% of Men Readers





...a remarkably simple method for checking your own life insurance against the SEVEN VITAL NEEDS it would have to meet



Observed by 15% of Men Readers

Observed by 8% of Men Readers



Observed by 63% of Men Readers





Observed by 80% of Men Readers

In examining one group of 1000 advertisements of equal cost it was found that one was observed by only 8% and another by 80% of men readers.

By a process of elimination the advertisements which do not

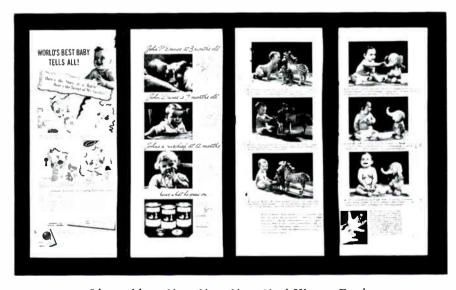
interest people can be replaced with the ones which interest

them, and advertising art thereby made more and more

valuable.

Thorough analysis discloses that there are many factors which cause one advertisement to be seen by 10 times as many as another, one of which is the choice of illustrative subject matter and of lavout.

No single factor gives an advertisement high observation or readership, but always a combination of factors.



Observed by 20%, 32%, 55%, 73% of Women Readers

As an example the four advertisements show one which was observed by 20% of women readers. It pictures a "baby."

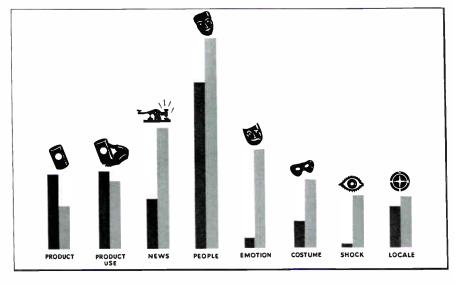
Another was observed by 32%. It pictures a "baby" and has "visual emphasis."

Another, observed by 55%, pictures a "baby." plus an "animal," plus "visual emphasis,"

The fourth, observed by 73%, pictures a "baby" plus an "animal" plus "something unusual happening" plus "visual emphasis."

An examination of a small group of 250 advertisements shows that the factors in the above chart were present in ratios as represented by the two grey bars.

The dark grey bar represents the number of times the factor occurred among advertisements observed by very few people. The light grey bar, those observed by a great many people.



"Health", "Danger", "Shock", "News", plus visual emphasis give high observation to these advertisements. The one on the right was observed by more than 3 times as many women as average to see advertisements in this product field.



Observed by 65% of Men and 60% of Women Readers

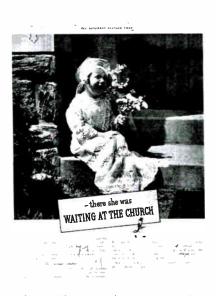


Observed by 57% of Men and 74% of Women Readers

"Humor", "Pathos", "Romance", "Unusual Costumes" plus "Visual Emphasis" in combination are strong factors in getting observation. These advertisements were thoroughly read by an unusually high percentage of women.



Observed by 41% of Women Readers



Observed by 87% of Women Readers



Observed by 50% of Men Readers



Observed by 78% of Men Readers

"Something Unusual Happening" plus "Visual Emphasis" never fail in combination to get high observation. Whether the technique be old-fashioned or modern, whether the layout be smart or buckeye, the right combination will always win, the wrong combination will always lose.



Observed by 53% of Women Readers



Observed by 65% of Women Readers

41% of the women who observed the life insurance advertisement (left) thought it was an Eastman Kodak ad, so much did it resemble the Kodak advertisement (right). Only 1% correctly identified it.

The laws governing the reading habits of average people are constantly at work, and in this case raised the observation 65% above the field average, but lowered the identification by 90%.



Something even your best friend com't soud your

The laws governing reading (and seeing) habits are a fascinating study.

Armed with sufficient facts it is possible to foretell how many men

and how many women will see, read and correctly identify advertisements before they are published.

This advertisement is one of the 52 ads in a magazine which were appraised on the day of publication. The ad was appraised at 40% observation and 11% reading by men. 55% observation and 15% reading by women. When the readership reports from 36 cities in the United States were available 3 weeks later, an average of error of less than 2% was found in the appraisal of the 52 advertisements.

Observed by 38% and read by 12% of Men Readers

Observed by 57% and read by 22% of Women Readers

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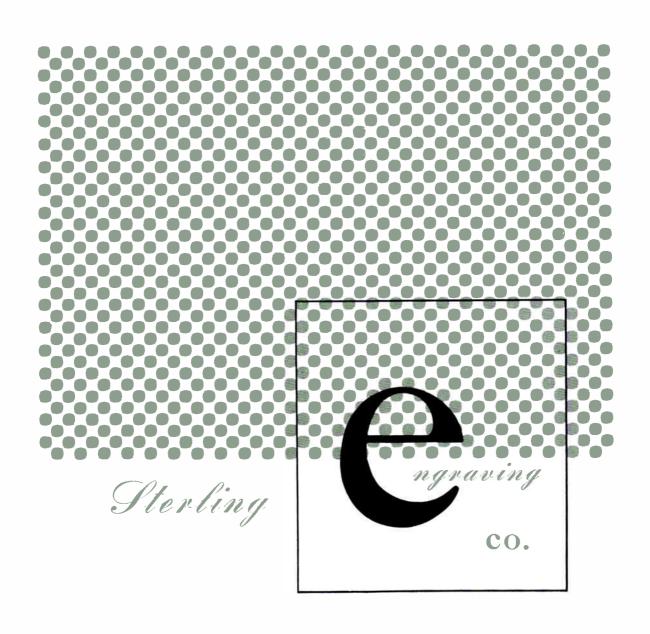
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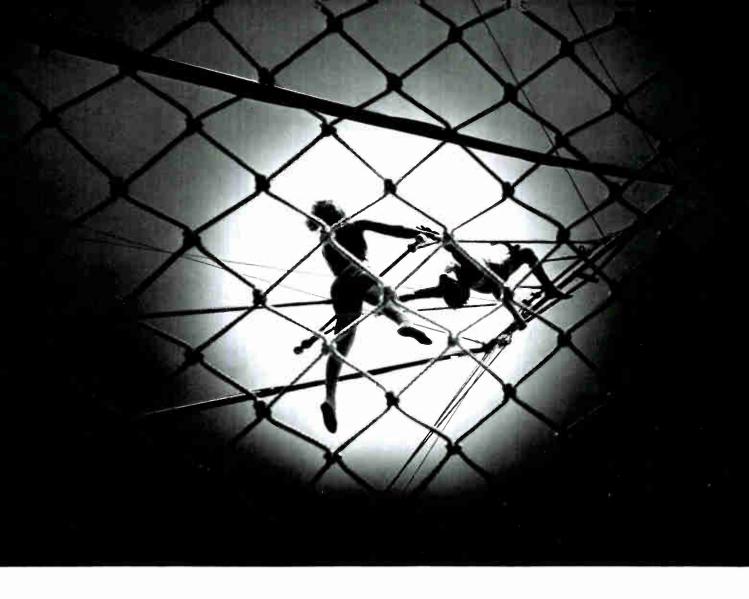


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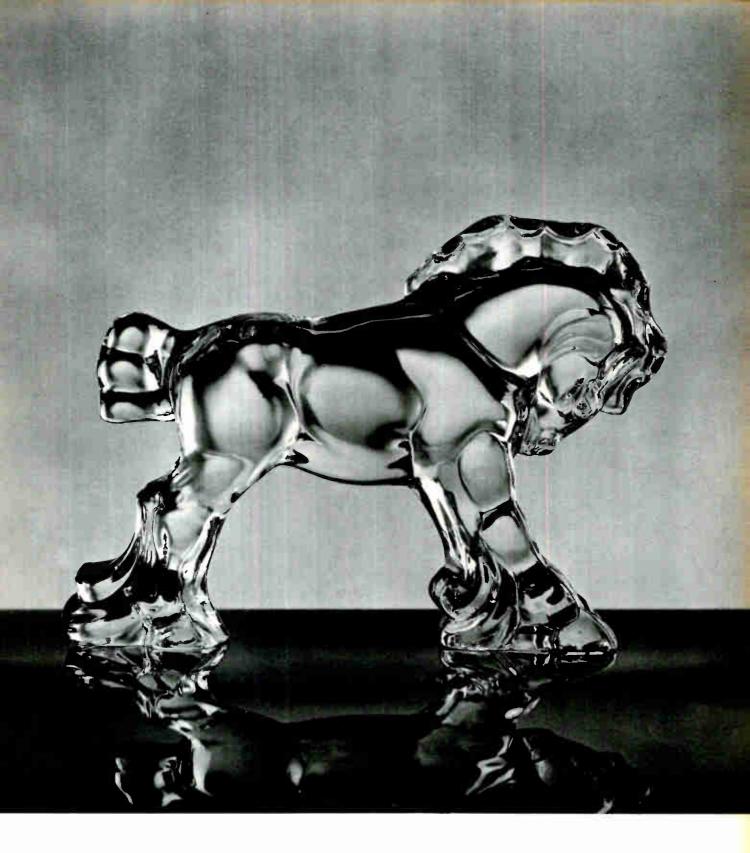
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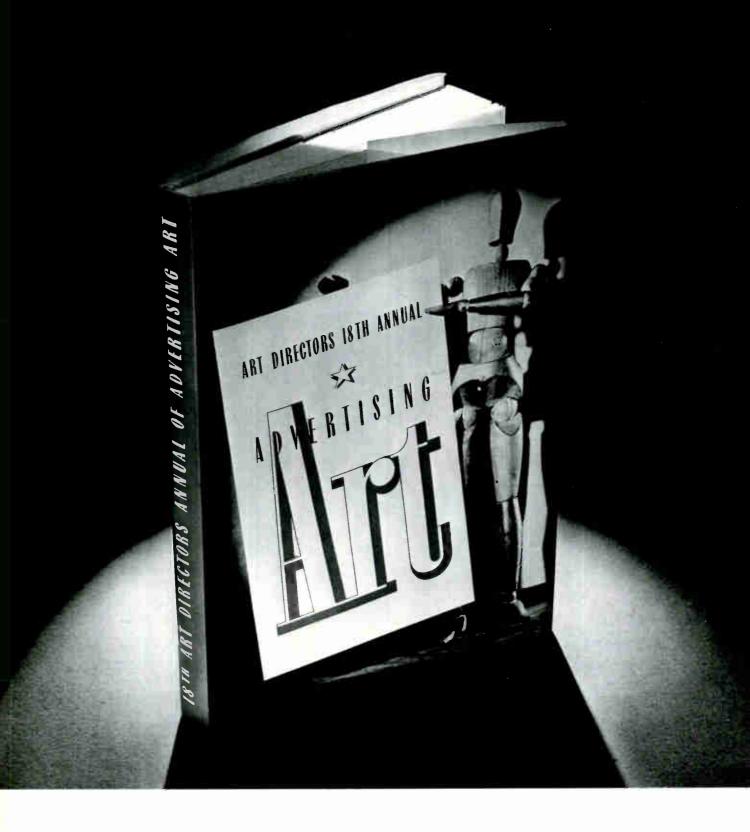
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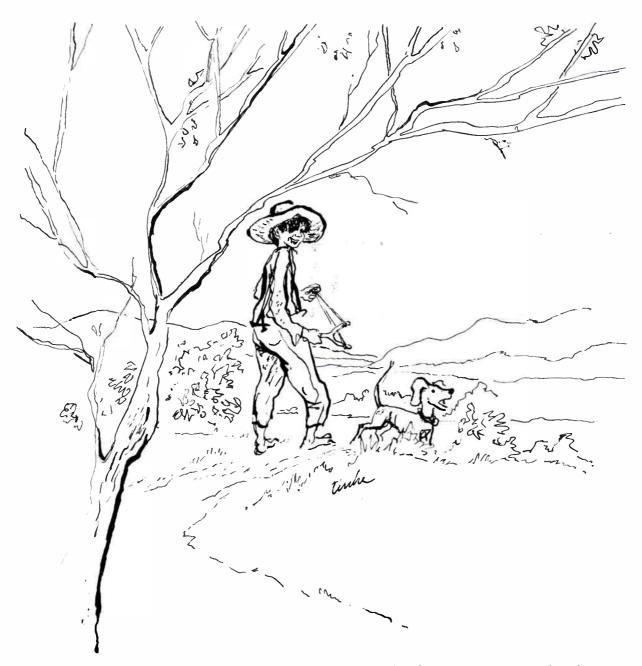
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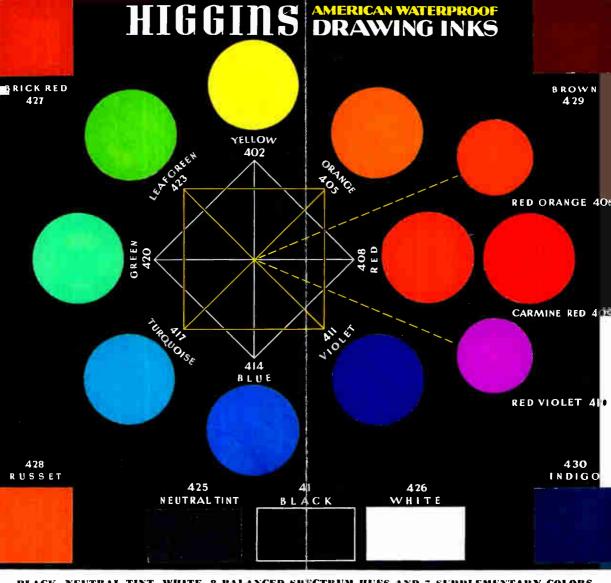




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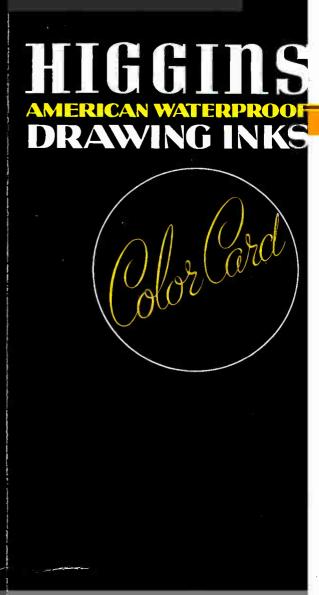
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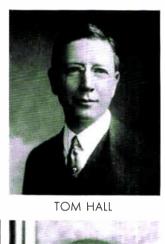
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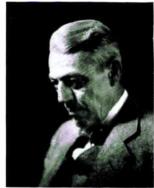
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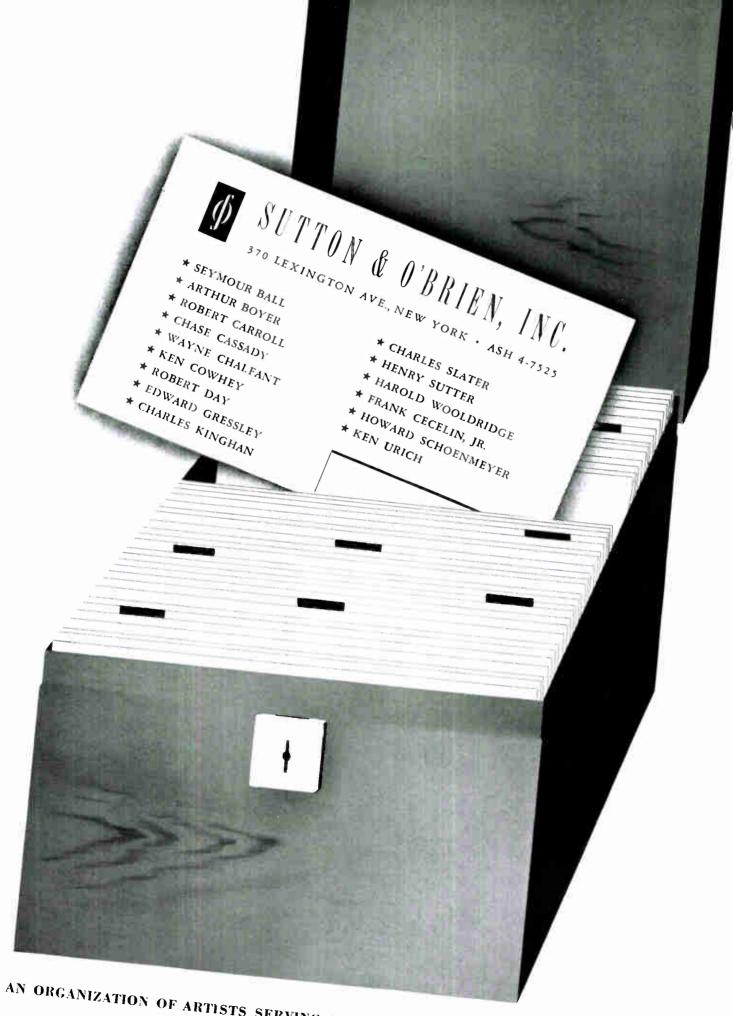
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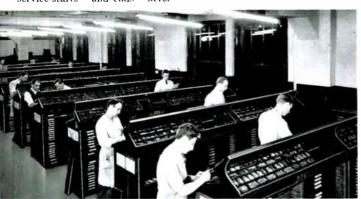
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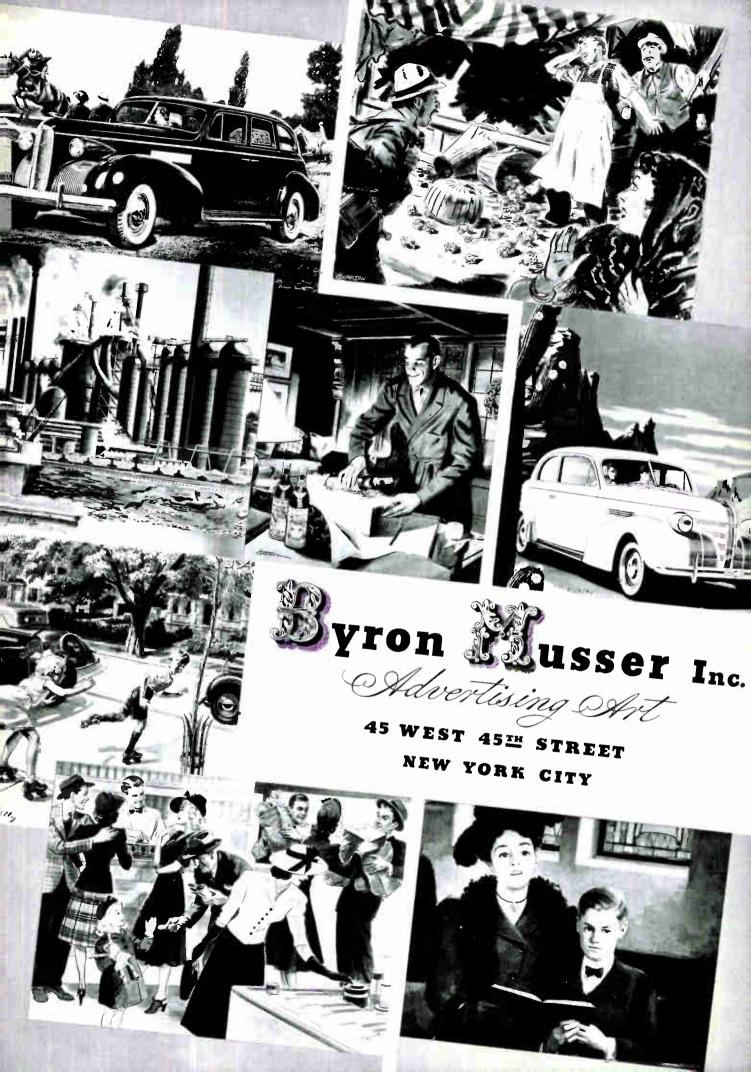
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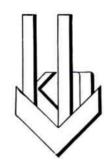
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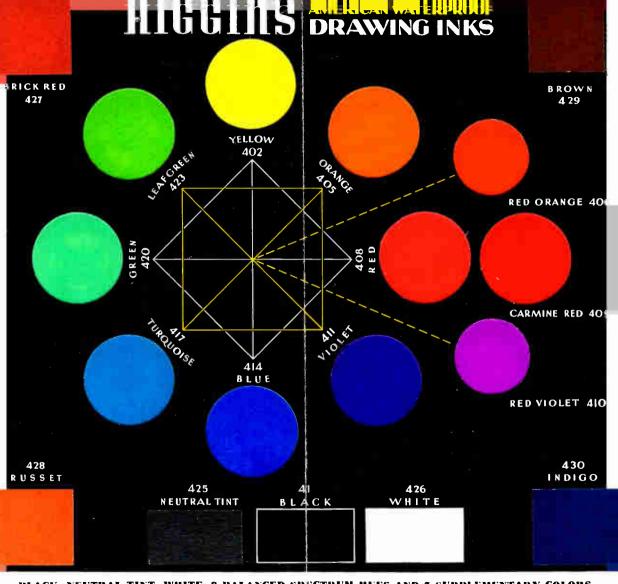
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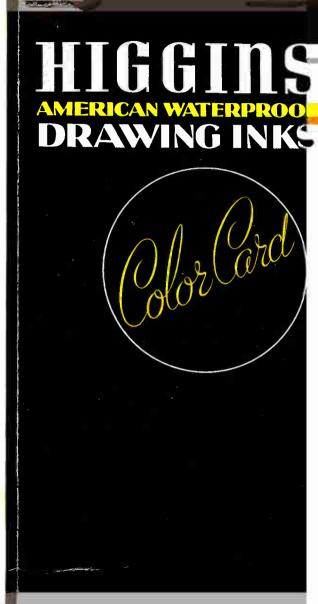
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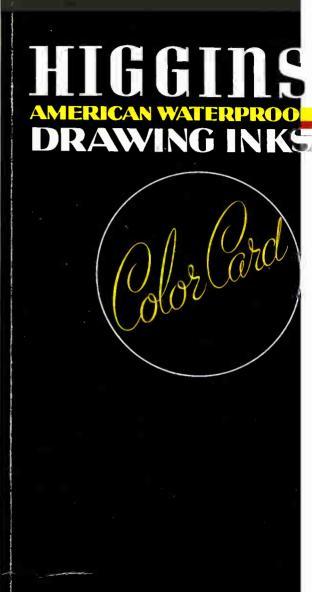
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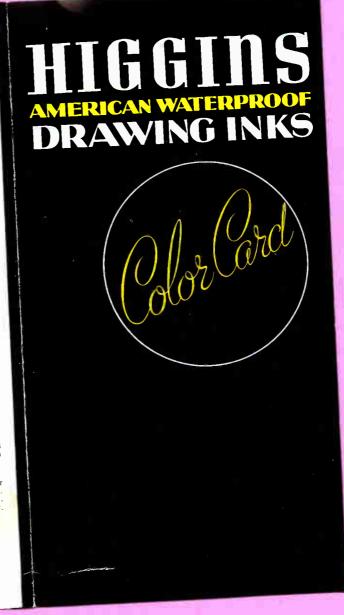
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