

HOSPITAL NOTES

With considerable business on the agenda, the regular monthly meeting of the board of directors of the Prince Rupert General Hospital was held last night. Present were Frank Dibb, president of the board, Arnold Flaten, J. S. Irvine, G. P. Finker, D. G. Borland and Dr. R. G. Large, directors, and H. W. Birch, managing secretary.

The report of Fire Chief H. T. Lock for the month of November, read at the regular monthly meeting last night of the board of directors of the Prince Rupert General Hospital, stated that the fire alarm system of the hospital was in good order with general house-keeping conditions satisfactory.

A letter from Mrs. H. V. Tattersal, secretary of Centennial Rebeah Lodge, read at the meeting of the hospital board last night, expressed pleasure at having been able to supply a fracture bed to the Prince Rupert General Hospital and thanked the board for its co-operation in the matter.

A communication from the War-time Prices and Control Board, read at the hospital board meeting last night, stated that hospitals were not required to take out licences and permits but suggested that, in order to facilitate the making of purchases, it would be well to make application for same. This has already been done.

The resignation of Kenneth Laird as an orderly at the Prince Rupert General Hospital was received at the regular monthly meeting of the board last night.

The taxation assessment notice on hospital property for the current year was received at the hospital board meeting last night. It was filed. The hospital does not actually pay taxes.

The donation of a case of three dozen tumblers from the Savoy Hotel was acknowledged with thanks at the regular monthly meeting of the hospital board last night.

The hospital board last night discussed the scale of charges to be made for the use of gas-oxygen anaesthesia in the operating room which has become available as a result of equipment presented by Dr. W. T. Kergin. It was decided to refer the matter to the finance committee, the basis of charge being tentatively set at \$3 per hour until the permanent scale is arrived at.

The ambulance matter came up again at the meeting of the hospital board last night. G. P. Tinker, reporting for a special committee, advising the board that 112 axi was at present looking after the operation of the ambulance, it having been found impossible to make arrangements with the police or fire departments to take it over. The new operators, however, desired that they be guaranteed their fees. It was left with the committee to take up the matter from this standpoint with City Commissioner D. J. Matheson.

Hospital expenses for the month of November totalled \$5712.19 of which \$5698.54 was current expenditure and \$13.66, capital expenditure, the hospital board was advised last night in the monthly report of the finance committee, Arnold Flaten. There were 1186 hospital days at a cost per hospital day of \$3.59.

At the request of Dr. R. E. Coleman, the hospital board last night decided to purchase two pieces of new equipment—a centrifuge and balance—at a total cost of \$142.50 for the pathological laboratory. The purchases will be made from the laboratory earnings fund. Dr. Coleman appeared before the board to support the purchase. He referred to the permanent value of the laboratory to the community, stating his desire that it should be improved with new equipment whenever financially possible.

Reporting for the house committee, Dr. R. G. Large reported that necessary enamelware had been purchased. The committee was authorized to purchase necessary silverware. Four new beds for the Nurses' Home were required, Dr. Large stated.

Local Hospital Superintendent Is Resigning

The resignation of Miss Margaret Jamieson, R.N., as lady superintendent of the Prince Rupert Hospital was received with regret at the monthly meeting of the hospital board last night. It is understood that Miss Jamieson is taking another position in the east. A successor is being sought.

GOING ABROAD NOW, TOO

The wolf is a well-known animal in Germany—right now especially at the door.

Mail Schedule

For the East—	
Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays	5 p.m.
From the East—	
Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays	11 p.m.
For Vancouver—	
Tuesday	12:30 p.m.
Thursday	10:15 p.m.
Friday	9:30 p.m.
Saturday	10:15 p.m.
December 8 and 18	

PRINCE GEORGE

Temperature has been hovering around the freezing point at Prince George during the past week with sleet and snow.

Sergeant George Clark, chief of provincial police at Prince George, reports that, as far as he knows, there are no Japanese in the Port George district.

There has been no increase in recruiting in the Prince George district since the outbreak of war with Japan, according to Major E. L. Gale, district recruiting officer there. Twenty-four men have joined up in that area during the past month.

Although response so far has been disappointing, a drive for new Red Cross members in Prince George is continuing until canvassers are able to cover the entire district.

The outbreak of war in the Pacific has spurred the Prince George civilian protection organization to activity. A mass meeting of the organization was held on Wednesday of last week when the speaker was W. H. Conley, former Vancouver A. R. warden.

Sergeant-Observer N. J. Izowsky, formerly of the Prince George Citizen newspaper staff, recently graduated from an air training school in Saskatchewan and is now slated for overseas duty with the Royal Canadian Air Force.

J. L. Aitchison has been elected president of the Prince George Agricultural and Industrial Association with Ivor B. Guest as vice-president and W. Ferry, secretary-treasurer.

Recent drilling has resulted in water being found at depth in the Pineview agricultural district near Prince George. This will be a boon to farmers in that area.

A successful bazaar was held by the Ladies' Aid of Connaught Hill Lutheran Church, Prince George, in the ballroom of the Prince George Hotel on Saturday afternoon.

A resident of the Prince George district was fined \$10 in police court last week for taking and shipping 176 squirrel skins to a Vancouver furrier without a trapper's licence. The skins were confiscated.

Mayor A. M. Patterson, entering his sixteenth term, and Alderman Alex B. Moffatt, William K. Munro and William J. Pitman and School Trustee Catherine S. Aitken were returned by acclamation at the municipal election here last week.

William Bland, who recently joined the crew of the steamer Princess Adelaide on the run between Vancouver and Prince Rupert, has had his first promotion.

Mrs. W. M. Watts and family and Mrs. A. S. Nickerson and family arrived last week from Prince Rupert to take up temporary residence. The report is that a number of families left Prince Rupert at the outbreak of war in the Pacific.

THINGS TO WEAR SAFE

There's Satisfaction in Giving What Will Be Wanted in Season and Out.

By HELEN FORRIST HALL, Associated Press Staff Writer

BOSTON, Dec. 16: (AP) — You never know, from the heap of gifts beneath the tree, just what one thing is going to strike a little girl's fancy. But you can be mighty sure that if you give her something to wear, she'll love it if her taste is considered in its selection.

You're a lucky donor if you present Sarah Ann with that cherished wearable that makes her dance a jig and want to put it on every day. If it strikes her fancy, she's not going to worry her pretty head about how utilitarian it is.

For a skating miss, your gift

might be one of the very brief, full and circular cut pinwale corduroy skirts teamed with a quilted calico red weskit jacket. Or your choice might be a white raglan-sleeved reversible fleecé "torso" or longer jacket with detachable hood and new white ground plaid skirt.

To Win the Heart
Embroideries and appliques of wool or felt will win the heart of a tot, whether it's on a snowsuit or sweater. So will a bit of fur, lining her hood or making a pom-pom on her cap. She'll adore a gingham gown or an old-fashioned princess one of black velvet with red and white leaves embroidered across the chest. Batisse, organdy or silk in a dress-up affair naturally makes a lady—no matter what her age—feel important.

Dresses with matching dolls, sweaters, lambskin bonnets, mitts with velveteen skirts, and challis blouses, military raincoats and undies—any one of them will make a big hit. Most exciting are robes with a

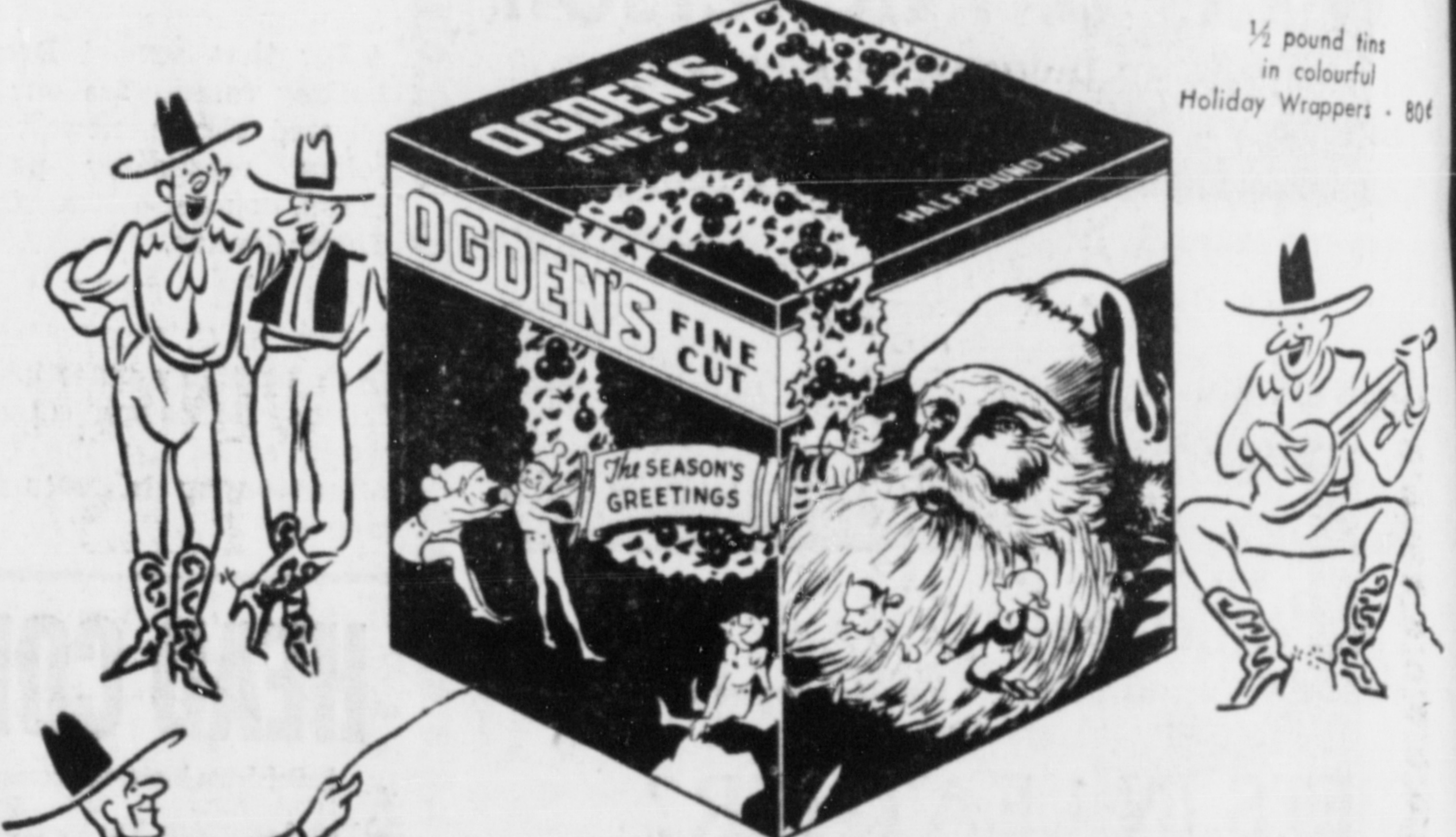
matching hair ornament. A er-printed robe has a money-bag pocket.

Colorful Trim
Pinafores, appliqued red apples or cherries on white gandy, are charming but expensive gifts, while less expensive versions come in lawn with colorful rickrack. Apron styles include candy which button onto narrow shoulder styles. Dainty dainty embroidered hearts. Aside from garments, every little girl loves gadgets as gifts. The price you pay is up to Sterling silver link bracelets, bowknots on discs, mittens, lambs' wool cuffs, gloves and sets all have tremendous appeal.

LONG WAY OFF YET

Hundreds of storks pass through the Balkans annually in migration flights.

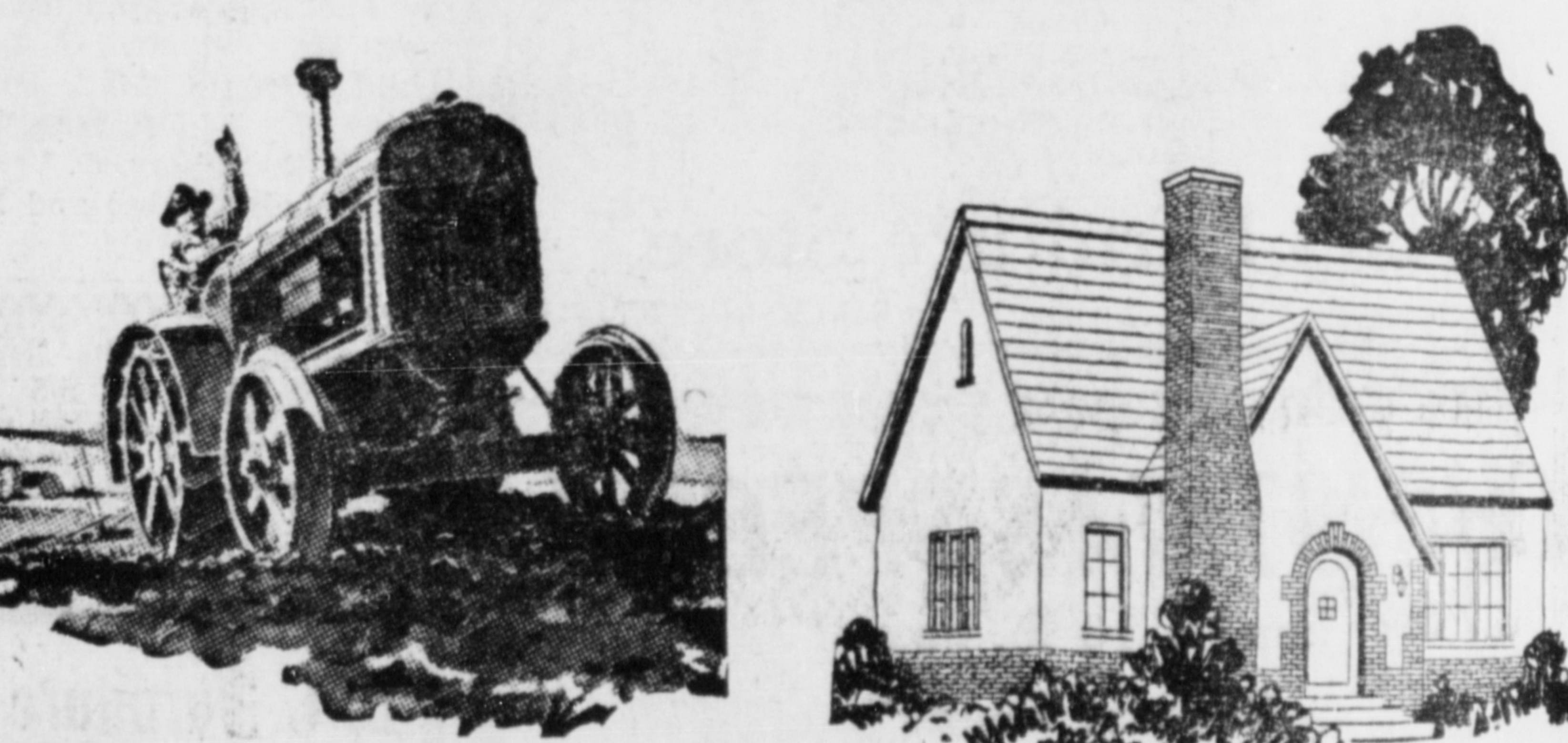
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 - Gardenia Toilet Sets 85c to \$4.50
 - Evening in Paris Toilet Sets \$2.00 to \$14.00
 - Houbigant Toilet Sets \$2.00 to \$3.00
 - Cutex Nail Sets 35c to \$12.00
 - Revlon Nail Sets \$1.00 to \$4.50
 - Woodbury Toilet Sets \$1.60 and \$2.10
 - Fancy Stationery 40c to \$3.00
 - Also Colognes, Perfumes of Yardley, Lucien le Long, Lenthéric, Houbigant and Rubinstein.
- For Him:
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 - Yardley Shave Sets \$1.25 to \$7.50
 - Woodbury Shave Sets \$1.00
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