Fishing The Air

BY G. SHUBERT FRYE

All references are Central Standard Time

A COMPOSER once wrote a song which gave pleasure to millions. In Europe and America it has been sung and played for years. The composer's name was known everywhere in the music world. Most people think Franz Drdla rich—perhaps retired on a comptence.

A short time ago a comment in a radio program brought to public attention the fact that Drdla, whose "Souvenir" is one of the most popular pieces in the library of music, is living in poverty in Vienna, making a precarious living writing hack pieces for an immediate market. He continually plans bigger things, but his publishers assure him the popular pieces are the only things that will assure him a day-to-day income.

The words of the National Broadcasting Company announcer, which brought Drdla's plight to notice, are bearing fruit in a program, "Souvenir," named after the composer's best known piece, which will be broadcast through stations associated with the NBC Blue network at 8:30 tonight.

"Souvenir," the theme number, will be played as a violin solo by Bert Hirsch, supported by a concert orchestra, after Fred F. Ferguson, president of the Newspaper Enterprise Association, has told the story of Drdla's life and the writing of "Souvenir."

Others of Drdla's compositions which will be played by the orchestra in this program will be "Chanson Joyeuse," "Serenade in A," "J'y Pense," "Vision," "Concertante" and "Chant d'Amour."

This program will be heard through WJZ, New York; WBAL, Baltimore; KDKA, Pittsburgh; WJR, Detroit; KYW, Chicago; KWK, St. Louis; WREN, Lawrence, and KVOO, Tulsa.

Governor Albert C. Richie of Maryland, who has served several terms as chief executive of his State, will deliver an address, "Too Much Government," at a dinner of the Employes' Association of the Philadelphia Electric Company, which will be broadcast through the NBC Blue network at 8 tonight. Tune in a station from the list under WJZ, New York, at 8 in Dial Twisters.

A "Home Beautiful" program will be sent over the air from WLW, Cincinnati, at 7:30 tonight rendered by an orchestra under the direction of Emil Heerman. The following numbers will be played:

"International Suite" ..... Tschaikowsky
"Extase" ..... Ganne
"Liebesfreud" ..... Kreisler
"Blissful Dream" ..... Meyer-Helmund
"Valse" ..... Fucik
"Fantasie"—"The Bat" ..... Strauss

The spirit of aboriginal America—the plaintive love call of the North American Indian, the soft gliding of canoes in the moonlight, his cries of defiance to his enemies, and the frenzied war dance of the tribe—will be reflected in the radio program of the Seiberling Singers tonight.

The epic story of the North American Indian, as told in the music of famous composers, will be broadcast at 7 through the Red network of the National Broadcasting Company.

The program, which will be heard through stations listed in Dial Tristers, will be as follows:

"Dagger Dance" ..... Herbert
Orchestra and voices
"Pale Moon" ..... Logan
Quartet, exclusive arrangement
"Kashmiri Song" ..Amy Woodforde-Finden
Tenor solo from Indian Love Lyrics
"War Dance" ..... Skilton
Orchestra
"Waters of Minnetonka" .....Llewrance
Quartet, exclusive arrangement
"Indian Summer" ..... Herbert
Orchestra
"Land of the Sky Blue Water"....Cadman
Tenor solo
"Savage Carnival" ..... Rapee
Orchestra

A $50,000 Stradivarius violin, loaned to him for the occasion by Rembert Wurlitzer, will be used by Michel Sciapiro, violinist and composer, when he plays his own composition, "Fantasia Slav," in a program which will be sent over the air from WJZ, New York, at 6:15 tonight.

"Fantasia Slav" was written while the composer was in Prague, Czecho-Slovakia, after a series of concert engagements in Germany, France, Holland and Russia. There he was the associate teacher of O. Sevcik. He was requested at that time by a society of artists of the city to compose a work for the violin with the genuine Slav atmosphere, with the sadness of the River Moldau, and the gaiety of the Bohemian Gypsy.

Radio and other agencies for disseminating good music have familiarized countless people with the names of the best known composers, the times and places associated with their lives and the technical character of their compositions, but the really interesting little bits about their personal lives and characteristics are seldom mentioned.

Believing that the listeners, who like music are genuinely interested in knowing something about the personal traits of these composers Don Malin, music director of WLS, Chicago, some weeks ago started a series of "Personalities in Music." Since then the sketches have been a regular and popular feature at WLS each Tuesday evening at 7:30.

In tonight's program, Malin will discuss Rubinstein, and the characterization will be supplemented by sketches of the composer's music from time to time.

Dial Twisters

Central Standard Time
Meters Given in Parentheses

WFBM (275) INDIANAPOLIS
(Indianapolis Power and Light Co.)

4:00—Time signal. Julius C. Walk & Son.
4:01—Sacred hour. Wheeler City Mission.
4:30—New record hour. Vanity Cleaners and Indianapolis Music Shop.
6:00—Time signal. Julius C. Walk & Son.
6:01—Louise at the Baldwin.
6:05—Accident prevention. Lieut. Frank Owens.
6:20—Charles Benzel, Indiana University department of business research.
6:30—Impromptu hour.
7:30—Marott Hotel Trio. Kruse Connell Company.
8:00—Lee Backer. Gennett Recording
8:30—Time signal. Julius C. Walk & Son.
8:31—Bridge game.
9:00—American Legion boxing match. Gus Habich Company.
10:30—Time signal. Julius C. Walk & Son.
10:31—Artesian City String Quartet.
11:00—Lyric Theater. Back stage hour.

WKBF (252) INDIANAPOLIS
(Hoosier Athletic Club)

5:00—Late news bulletins and sports.
6:30—Indianapolis Ford Dealers Association.
8:30—Interference talk by Andrew J. Allen.
8:45—Amateur Athletic Federation program.

—4 o'Clock—
WEAF (492) New York—Tashoff Orchestra.

—4:30 o'Clock—
WADC (238) Akron—Dinner concert.
WJZ (454) New York—Markets; soprano.

—5 'Clock—
WEBH (365.6) Chicago—Alchanec Club; songs.
WEAF (492) New York—Waldorf Astoria music to WRC, WEEI, WTIC, WCAE, WTAG.
WGES (242) Chicago—News; talks.
WJZ (454) New York—Kemp's Orchestra.
WJR (441) Detroit—Goldkettes ensemble; organ.
WMAQ (447.5) Chicago—Topsy turvy time.
WNYC (526) New York—Markets; songs.
WTAM (399.8) Cleveland—Studio program.
WWJ (352.7) Detroit—Statler Hotel concert.

—5:15 o'Clock—
KDKA (315.6) Pittsburgh—Little Symphony.
WLS (345) Chicago—Organ; sports.
WOR (422.3) Newark—Jacobs ensemble.

—5:30 o'Clock—
WGY (379.5) Schenectady—Ten Eyck Orchestra.
WIP (348.6) Philadelphia—Concert orchestra; drama revue.
WSAI (361.2) Cincinnati—Queen City Orchestra.

—5:45 o'Clock—
WLS (345) Chicago—Pied Piper.
WOC (374.8) Davenport—Chimes.

—6 o'Clock—
KDKA (15.6) Pittsburgh—Sacred songs.
KYW (526) Chicago—Uncle Bob.
KFAB (319) Lincoln—Dinner concert.
WBAP (499.7) Ft. Worth—Eclipse clippers.
WCAE (461.3) Pittsburgh—Venice Orchestra.
WCFL (483.6) Chicago—Labor Federation hour.
WDAF (370.2) Kansas City—"Air School."
WEAF (492) New York—Voters service to WJAR, WSAI, WGR, WTAG, WHO, WRC, WTIC, WOW, WCSH, WOC, WTMJ, WCCO, WHAS, WSM, WFI, WEBH.
WENR (288.3) Chicago—Orchestra; organ.
WJBT (389.4) Chicago—Dinner music.
WJR (441) Detroit—Orchestra; business talk.
WJZ (454) New York—Dog talk.
WLW (428.3) Cincinnati—Bandbox boys.
WLS (345) Chicago—Supperbell program.
WMAQ (447.5) Chicago—Organ; orchestra concert.
WRNY (326) New York—French humor.

—6:30 o'Clock—
KYW (256) Chicago—Congress orchestra.
KSO (227) Clarinda—Entertainers.
KDKA (315.6) Pittsburgh—Entertainment.
WGBS (348.6) New York—Pianist; "You analyzed."
WCCO (405) Minneapolis-St. Paul—F. & R. family.
WEAF (492) New York—National musicalities to WHO, WJAR, WOW, KOA.
WFLA (517) Clearwater—Tio; Soreno ensemble.
WGY (379.5) Schenectady—Mixed Quartet to WHAM.
WHAS (322.4) Louisville—Studio concert.
WJAZ (263) Chicago—Studio and dance music.
WJR (441) Detroit—The fur trappers in "India."
WJZ (454) New York—Musicale.
WLW (428.3) Cincinnati—Mona Oil twins.
WLS (345) Chicago—Sports club; orchestra; news.
WOC (374.8) Davenport—Yankee Six orchestra.
WOR (422.3) Newark—Levitows orchestra.
WNYC (526) New York—Air college.
WSAI (351.2) Cincinnati—Serenaders.
WSM (337) Nashville—Andrew Jackson orchestra.

6:50 o'Clock—
WEAF (492) Ne wYork—Talk, "Richard Cotton Carline" to WJAR, WTAG, WRC, WHO, WOW.

—7 o'Clock—
CNRA (322.4) Moncton — Instrumental quartet.
WCCO (405) Minneapolis-St. Paul—Southern Sunshine.
WEW (363) St. Louis—Musical program.
WEAF (492) New York—Sieberling Singers to WEEI, WTIC, WJAR, WTAG, WCSH, WRC, WGY, WGR, WTAM, WWJ, KSD, WHO, WOW, WDAF, KVOO, WFAA, WHAS, WSM, WMC, WSB, WFI, WCAE, WSAI, WRHM, WOC, WGN, KPRC.
WENR (288.3) Chicago—Orchestra; vocal.
WHB (340.7) Kansas City—Evening concert.
WIBO (416) Chicago—News; dinner concert.
WJZ (454) New York—Stromberg Carlson hour to WBZ, WBZA, KDKA, KYW, WBAL, WHAM, WJR, KWK, WREN.
WLS (345) Chicago—Scrapbook; Jack and Jean.
WLW (428.3) Cincinnati—Accordion; baritone.
WMAK (545) Buffalo—Violinist.
WMBB (252) Chicago—Trianon Ensemble.
WOR (422.3) Newark — Main Street Sketches.
WOW (508.2) Omaha—Brown's Orchestra.
WRNY (326) New York—Edison Hour of Music.

—7:30 o'Clock—
WBBM (389.4) Chicago—Italian concert.
WEAF (492) New York—Sealy Air Weavers to WFI, WRC,WGY, KVOO, WFAA, WGR, WCAE, WTAM, WSAI, WEBH, KSD, WDAF, KOA.
WEEI (365.6) Boston—The Pilgrims.
WGHP (277.6) Detroit—Hockey game.
WGN (416) Chicago—Concert orchestra.
WHAS (322.4) Louisville—Studio concert.
WLS (345) Chicago—The Angelus.
WMC (516.9) Memphis—Entertainers.
WOC (374.8) Davenport—Organ, baritone.
WSM (337) Nashville—Andrew Jackson Orchestra.
WTIC (535.4) Hartford—Concert program.

—8 o'Clock—
CNRA (322.) Moncton—Miniature band.
KFAB (319) Lincoln—Orchestra.
WTHS (384.4) Hot Springs—Spanish concert.
WBBM (389.4) Chicago—Coon-Sanders Orchestra; vocal.
WCBD (344.6) Zion—Mandolin and Guitar Club.
WCFL (483.6) Chicago — Entertainers; dance music.
WEAF (492) New York—Everyready hour to WGR, WTAM, WWJ, WFI, WJAR, WRC, WCAE, WSAI, WGN, WCCO, WGY, WEEI, WSM, WSB, WMC, KSD, WDAF, WHAS, WHO.
WENR (288.3) Chicago—Special production.
WGBS (348.6) New York—"Golden Glove" elimination tourney.
WFLA (517) Clearwater—Correno Club.
WRVA (254) Richmond—Mandolin and Guitar Club.
WJR (441) Detroit—Manuel Girls.
WJZ (454) New York—"Souvenir" to WHAM, KDKA, KYW, KWK.
WLW (428.3) Cincinnati—Mona Twins; Cossacks.
WMAQ (447.5) Chicago—Musical program.
WNYC (526) New York—Dr. Vizetelly.
WRNY (326) New York—"Who's Who in music."
WOC (374.8) Davenport—The Singing 64.
WOR (422.3) Newark—Barbizon recital.
WSOE (270) Milwaukee—Classic hour.
WTAG (517) Worcester—Concert.

—8:30 o'Clock—
KFAB (319) Lincoln—Van Sickle Four.
WEBH (365.6) Chicago—Musical program.
WGES (242) Chicago—"Blues;" The Melodians.
WJZ (454) New York—Torrid Tots to KDKA, WJR, KYW, WFAA, KWK, KVOO, WREN.
WMAK (545) Buffalo—Old-fashioned dance music.

—9 o'Clock—
CNRA (322.4) Moncton—Concert orchestra.
DKA (315.6) Pittsburgh—Maytag program.
WBBM (389.4) Chicago—Dance orchestras.
WEAF (592) New York—Auction bridge to WEEI, WTIC, WJAR, WTAG, WCSH, WFI, WRC, WGY, WGR, WCAE, WTAM, WWJ, WGN, WOC, KSD, WCCO, WHO, WOW, WDAF, WHAS, WSM, WMC, WSB, WTMJ, WSAI, WPG, WFLA, KOA, KPRC.
WGES (242) Chicago—Maggie and Jiggs; guitar.
WHT (306) Chicago—Maytag program.
WJR (441) Detroit—Red Apple Club.
WJZ (454) New York—Torrid Tots to KDKA, KYW, KWK, KVOO, WREN, WFAA.
WLW (428.3) Cincinnati—Studio features.
WOR (422.3) Newark—Listerine hour.
WMAK (545) Buffalo—Tenor, movie club.

—9:30 o'Clock—
KYW (526) Chicago—Armand girls to WOC, KMK, WFAA, KVOO, WHO, WOW.
WCAE (461.3) Pittsburgh—China Orchestra.
WCCO (405) Minneapolis-St. Paul—Northwest Artists.
WENR (28.3) Chicago—Popular variety.
WEBH (365.6) Chicago—Musical program.
WEAF (492) New York—Palais D'or Orchestra to WFI, WGY, WTAM, WTMJ, KSD, WCSH, WHO, WOW.
WFLA (517) Clearwater—Dance Orchestra.
WGN (416) Chicago—Instrumental group.
WHT (306) Chicago—Your Hour League.
WJZ (454) New York—Mae Breen and De Rose to WHAM.
WSM (337) Nashville—Tenor; music school.
WTIC (535.4) Hartford—Club Worthy Orchestra.
WSAI (361.2) Cincinnati—Bicycle Sextet.
WWJ (352.7) Detroit—Statler Orchestra.

—10 o'Clock—
KFI (468) Los Angeles—Orange Network-Eveready hour.
CNRR (312.3) Regina—Capital Theater.
KNX (337) Hollywood—Feature program.
KYW (526) Chicago—Entertainers.
KMOX (299.8) St. Louis—Dance music.
WBBM (389.4) Chicago—Concert orchestra.
WBAP (499.7) Ft. Worth—The Seven Aces.
WCAE (461.3) Pittsburgh—Organ.
WGN (416) Chicago—Tomorrow's Tribune; recital.
WHB (340.7) Kansas City—Dance music.
WHN (394.5) New York—Dance music.
WIBO (306) Chicago—Orchestra.
WJZ (454) New York—Slumber music to WBZ.
WLW (428.3) Cincinnati—Vagabonds.
WMAK (545) Buffalo—Silver Slipper Orchestra.
WMAQ (447.5) Chicago—Debate, Kents vs. U of Wyoming.
WOR (422.3) Newark—Orchestra; news.
WQJ (447.5) Chicago—Dance orchestras.
WTAM (399.8) Cleveland—Dance music.

—10:30 o'Clock—
KYW (526) Chicago—Congress orchestra.
KFI (468) Los Angeles—Orange network-bridge.
WBBM (389.4) Chicago—Nighthawks; Canadians dance music.
WGN (416) Chicago—The hoss race.
WGY (379.5) Schenectady—Organ.
WEAF (492) New York—Hofbrau orchestra to KSD, WHO.
WGR (303) Buffalo—Lafayette frolics.
WRNY (326) New York—Roosevelt radio review.
WSAI (361.2) Cincinnati—Miller's orchestra.

—11:00 o'Clock—
KFI (468) Los Angeles—Orange network "Retold Tales."
CNRV (291) Vancouver—Innovation program.
KPO (422.3) San Francisco—Kolster hour.
KNX (337) Hollywood—Arnheim's orchestra.
KJR (348.6) Seattle—Studio program.
WGY (379.5) Schenectady—Shea's symphony to WMAK, WHAM.
WJJD (365.6) Mooseheart—Muical program.
WJBT (389.4) Chicago—Popular program.

—12:00 o'Clock—
CNRV (291) Vancouver—Crane's Canadians.
KFI (468) Los Angeles—KFI symphonette.
KJR (348.6) Seattle—Meyers orchestra.
WIBO (416) Chciago—Royal Order of Saps.

—1:45 o'Clock—
CNRV (291) Vancouver—Organ.

Best Daylight Features

WEDNESDAY

WFBM (275) Indianapolis
(Indianapolis Power and Light Co.)

Noon—Time signal, Julius C. Walk & Son.

P. M.
12:01—Grain market and New York Stock quotations, E-Z Bake Milling Company.
12:15—Livestock market, Indianapolis and Kansas City.
12:20—Lenten Service, Roberts Park M. E. Church.
12:40—Lyric organ, Ruth Noller.
1:20—Closing grain market, E-Z Bake Milling Company.
1:30—Physical culture, Indianapolis Life Insurance Company.
2:00—Weather forecast and farm flashes.
2:10—Housekeeper's chat, Edith Gates.
2:20—Radio recipes, Edith Gates.
2:30—Personal beauty advice, courtesy Boncilla Laboratories.

WKBF (252) Indianapolis
(Hoosier Athletic Club)

A. M.
10:00—Recipe exchange.
10:15—Brunswick Panatrope, courtesy of Brunswick Shop.
10:30—Livestock and grain market.
10:40—Weather and shippers' forecast.
Noon—Burkie Burkette at the Zaring Theater organ.

A. M.
9:00—WJZ, New York—Dr. Copeland hour to chain.
10:00—WEAF, New York—Betty Crocker talk to chain.
10:15—WEAF, New York—Household Institute to chain.
11:00—WOW, Omaha—Quiet hour with the Bible.

P. M.
12:55—WMAQ, Chicago—Association Commerce luncheon.
1:00—WBBM, Chicago—Terrace Garden Orchestra.
1:30—WSB, Atlanta—University of Georgia program.
2:00—KDKA, Pittsburgh—Musical masterpieces.
2:30—WLS, Chicago—Homemakers hour.
2:30—WMAQ, Chicago—Artist recital.
3:00—WOC, Davenport—Home management.

Tonight!

On this Radio Bridge hand (below), South passes; West bids one No Trump; North doubles. See if you can complete the bidding like the experts. What is the final call? Who makes it? Can Declarer go game? Try this hand before broadcasting time; then compare your tactics with the experts' game, from

WFBM—8:30 P. M.—C. S. T.

And N. B. C. Associated Stations

Mrs. Prescott Warren, Boston, dealer, South	Milton C. Work, New York, North
Spades....9, 8, 7, 4, 2	Spades....A, Q, 5
Hearts....6	Hearts....A, J, 3
Diamonds....K, Q, 9, 8	Diamonds....J, 10, 4
Clubs....8, 5, 4	Clubs....K, J, 10, 3
Major R. J. Herman, Boston, West	**Wilbur C. Whitehead, New York, East**
Spades....K, J, 10	Spades....6, 3
Hearts....8, 7, 5	Hearts....K, Q, 10, 9, 4, 2
Diamonds....A, 6, 2	Diamonds....7, 5, 3
Clubs....A, Q, 7, 2	Clubs....9. 6

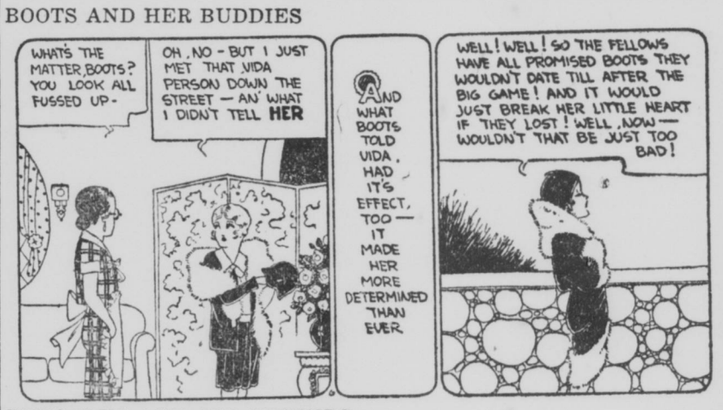
A summary of the game as broadcast will appear in The Times. Clip it and save it for future use.

[*Mr. Work says:* "To thoroughly enjoy any card game use clean snappy cards."] 19

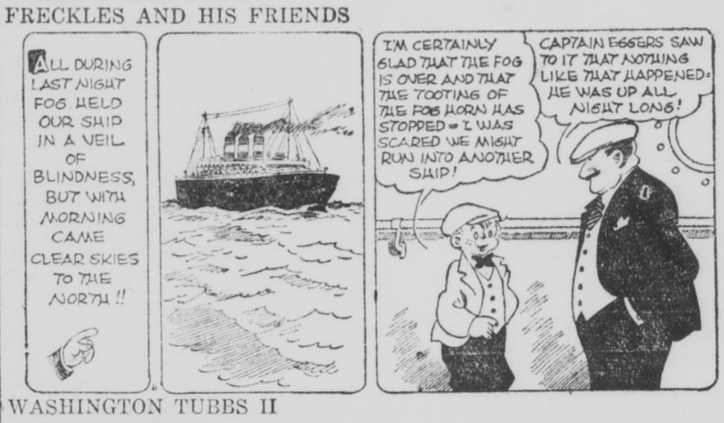
OUT OUR WAY —By Williams

OUR BOARDING HOUSE —By Ahern

BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES —By Martin



FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS —By Blosser



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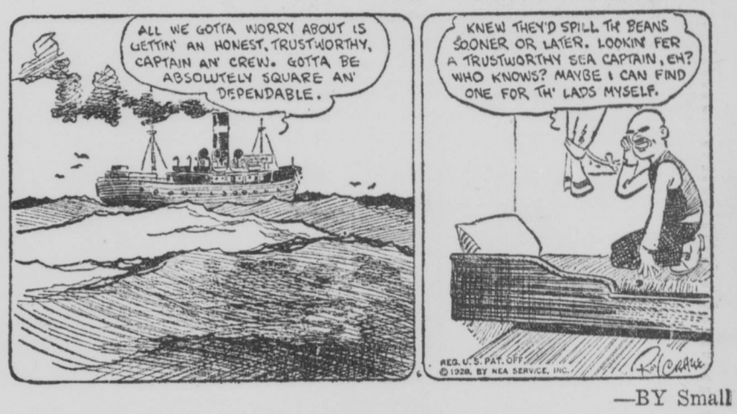

SALESMAN SAM —BY Small

MOM'N POP —By Taylor

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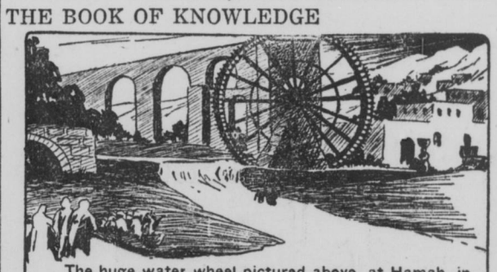

The huge water wheel pictured above, at Hamah, in northern Syria, is 75 feet in diameter and the largest in the world. It runs day and night, raising water in buckets to the arched stone aqueduct for irrigation purposes. In ancient times the town was called Hamath and was the capital of a Syrian kingdom which the kingdom of Israel touched in Solomon's time. 3-6

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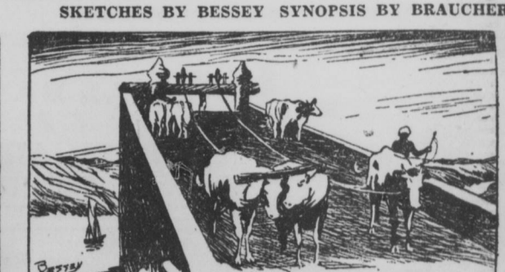
A peasant in India is shown here raising water by an arrangement known in that country as a denkli.

In the Japanese rice fields much of the irrigation is carried on by means of these treadmill water-raisers. 3-6



Sometimes animal power is used to raise water, oxen being driven down an incline here to raise water from a river. Parts of India are nearly rainless and there can be no cultivation without irrigation. Rice, a very valuable crop, is almost a water plant and needs a constant supply passing over it.

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