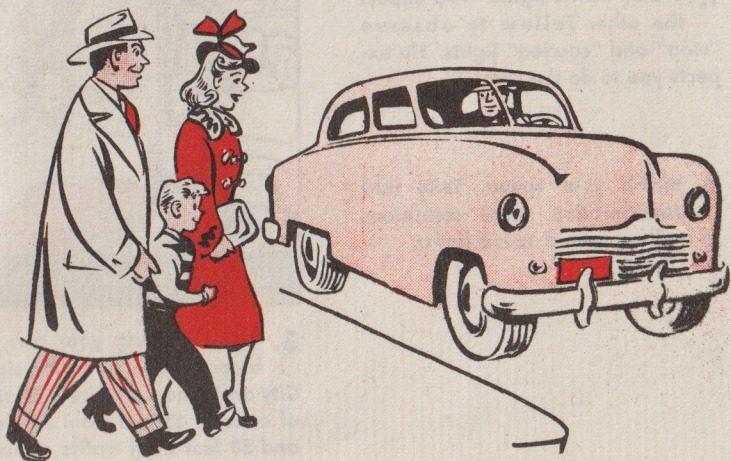


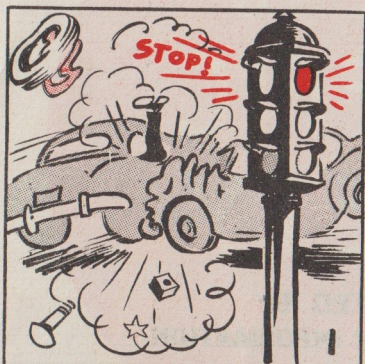
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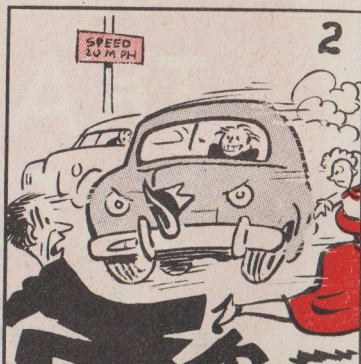
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DRIVE SAFELY !



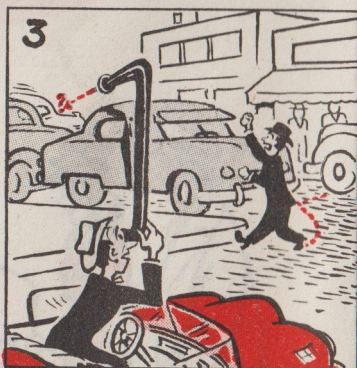
DON'T JUMP LIGHTS



WATCH YOUR SPEED

1. Watch traffic lights. You expect the other fellow to observe "stop" and "caution" lights. He expects you to do the same.

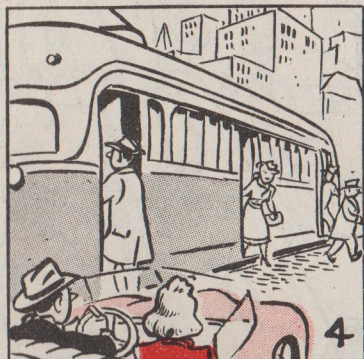
2. Watch your speed. Take into consideration street conditions as well as posted speed limits.



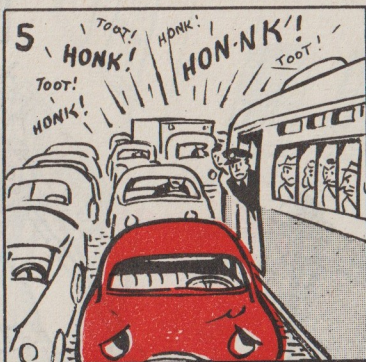
DON'T BLOCK CORNERS

3. When parking your car, don't block corners, or traffic signals. City ordinances require a clearance of at least 20 feet from crosswalks and 50 feet from traffic signals.

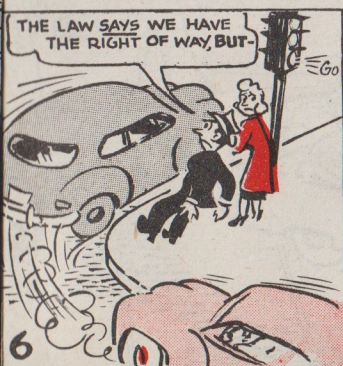
**TRAFFIC REGULATIONS ARE FOR YOUR PROTECTION.
IN 72 PER CENT OF FATAL ACCIDENTS IN 1947 THE
DRIVER WAS VIOLATING SOME TRAFFIC REGULATION**



STOP BEHIND STREETCARS



DOUBLE PARK-DOUBLE TROUBLE



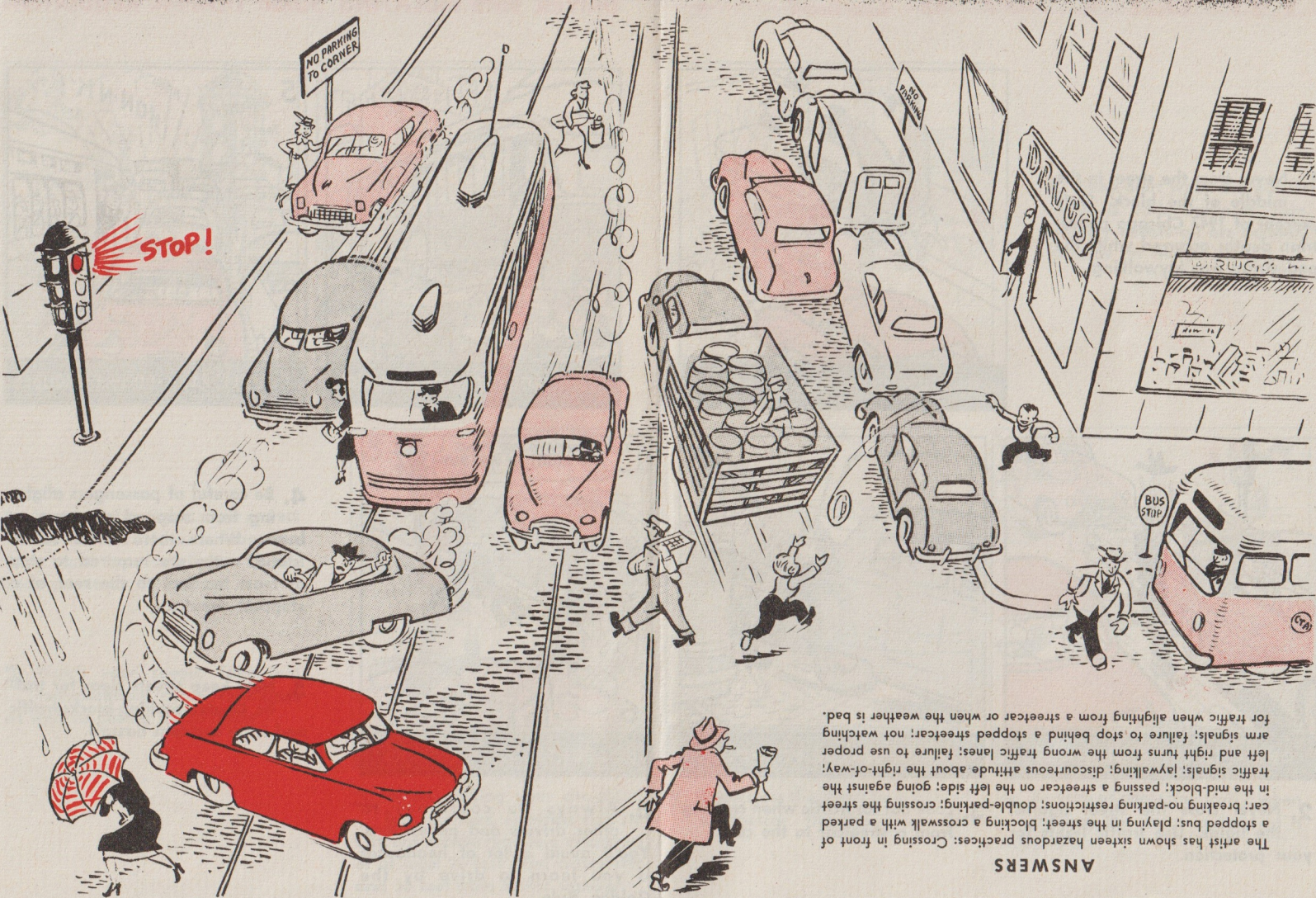
BE COURTEOUS TO OTHERS

4. Be careful of passengers alighting from stopped streetcars or buses. Where there is no safety island, autos are required to stop at least ten feet to the rear of a stopped streetcar.

5. Help keep streets clear for traffic. Double-parking blocks traffic and is an accident hazard.

6. Always be courteous to other drivers and pedestrians. You'll avoid a lot of headaches if you learn to drive by the Golden Rule.

HOW MANY SAFETY RULES ARE BEING BROKEN HERE ?

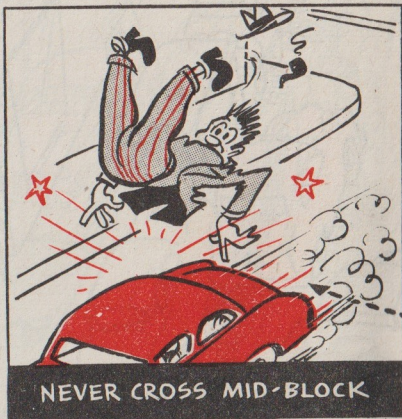


The artist has shown sixteen hazardous practices: Crossing in front of a stopped bus; playing in the street; blocking a crosswalk with a parked car; breaking no-parking restrictions; double-parking; crossing the street in the middle; passing a streetcar on the left side; going against the traffic signals; jaywalking; discontinuous sidewalk; the right-of-way; left and right turns from the wrong traffic lanes; failure to use proper arm signals; failure to stop behind a stopped streetcar; not watching for traffic when alighting from a streetcar or when the weather is bad.

ANSWERS

WALK SAFELY !

1. Never cross the street in the middle of the block. Sixty percent of 1947 Chicago pedestrian deaths occurred while the pedestrian was jaywalking.

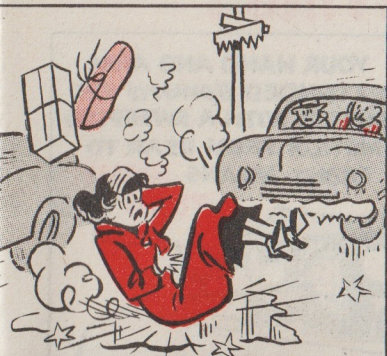


2. Never cross the street against the lights. Use traffic lights for your protection.



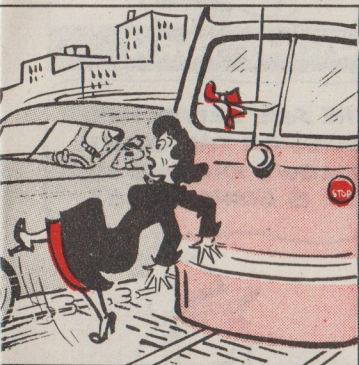
3. Look out for traffic when crossing from a streetcar to the curb.

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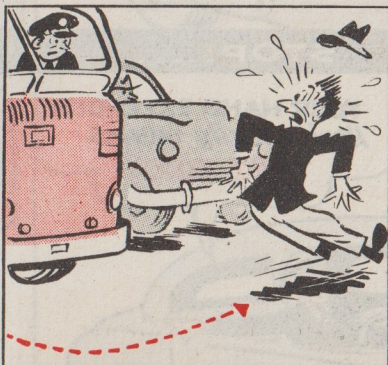
KEEP ALERT IN BAD WEATHER

4. Keep alert when the weather is bad. Darkness, rain, slippery streets—all are accident hazards for the pedestrian.



USE CROSSWALKS

5. Don't cross the street from behind a streetcar. Use the crosswalks.

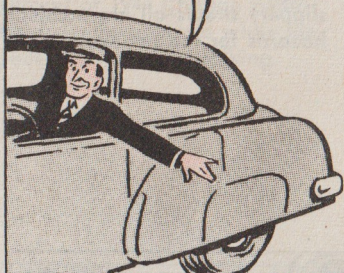


LOOK OUT FOR TRAFFIC

6. Beware of oncoming traffic when crossing the street in front of a stopped bus.

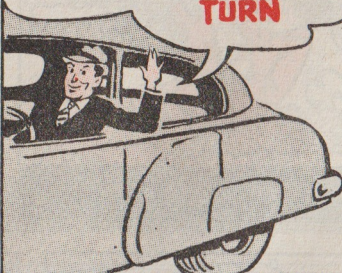
USE PROPER HAND SIGNALS WHEN DRIVING !

YOUR HAND AND
ARM EXTENDED
Downward MEANS
STOP!



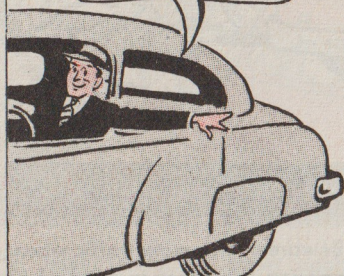
STOP! . . .

YOUR HAND AND ARM
EXTENDED *Upward* OR
MOVED WITH A SWEEPING
MOTION FROM REAR TO
FRONT MEANS **RIGHT
TURN**



RIGHT TURN . . .

YOUR HAND EXTENDED
Horizontally MEANS
LEFT TURN



LEFT TURN . . .

THE *safe* DRIVER NEVER
RELIES ON THE OTHER
FELLOW'S KNOWING WHAT
HE IS GOING TO DO !

