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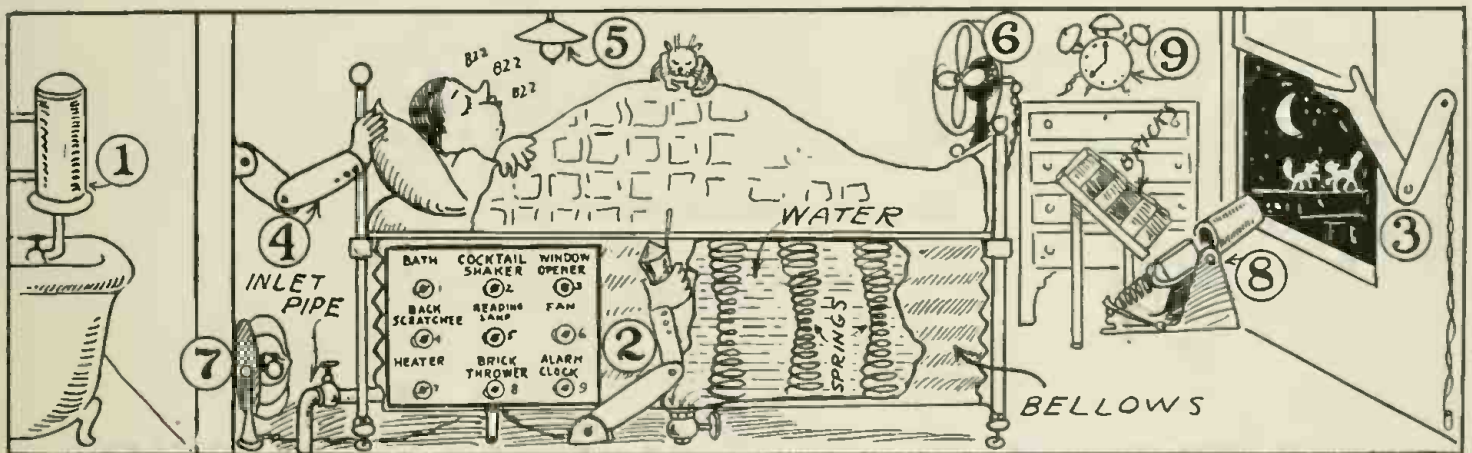
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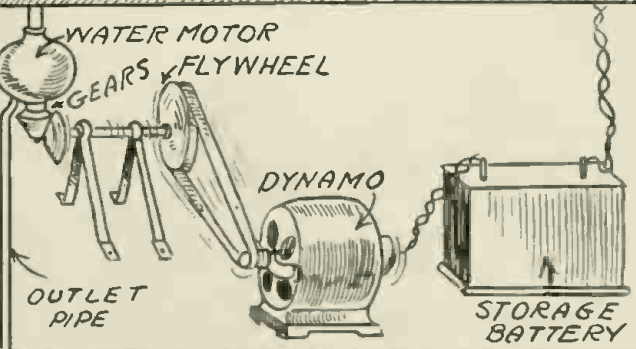
## PHONEY PATENT OFFIZZ



Prize Winner. SKUNK GASSER. "Well, I've Been Skunked," Will Soon Be Heard Among the European Trench Inhabitants—at Least Just as Soon as I Can Get Official Washington to Consider the Merits of My Sure-fire Hun Destroyer. Several Hundred Battalions of Tame Skunks Are Hitched to Small Two-wheeled Carts, Each Containing a Dynamo, Motor, Storage Battery, and Spark Coll. Dynamo Charges Battery, Which Runs Motor. Motor Drives Cart. Skunk Can't Stop Once Spark Tickles Him. The Limburger-lovers Are Soon "Skunked" and the Sammies Do the Rest. Inventor, Rex Purcell, Mo. Valley, Iowa.



- 1- HEATER FOR BATH
- 2- COCKTAIL SHAKER FOR MORNING
- 3- WINDOW OPENER EYE-OPENER
- 4- BACK SCRATCHER
- 5- READING LAMP
- 6- ELECTRIC FAN
- 7- ELECTRIC HEATER
- 8- BRICK THROWER FOR CHASING NOCTURNAL CATS
- 9- ALARM CLOCK



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