On State Highway I5—Altitude 2500 Feet

GAIL, BORDEN. COUNTY, TEXAS, THURSDAY, OCT. 16, 1941

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Commissioners Hallowe'en In Busy Session Carnival

Commissioners court convened in regular session Monday, and the court has been busily occupied seva eral days with matters incident to Mesquite Dramatic Club. the paving of Highway 15, through Borden county.

A board of appraisers, the personnel of which is L. E. Long, J. R. Roper and S. C. Keen. has qualified, and is now engaged in its ini-

the highway, The Sun building and the Borden County Abstract Co. both stone structures, will have to be remodeled. The Dorward drug store, post office, Geo. Cathey's Cafe, W. S. Cathey's building advice station—all frame structures, satisfied with Borden. are to be moved back 10 1 2 feet. The residence occupied by W. S. Cathey, and his frame building east of the residence, are to be moved north 10 1-2 feet. The residence owned by Judge Nunnally and residence lots north and south of the highway will necessarily have to be abbreviated in order to meet the state highway department's requirements for a 120-foot

highway through town.
Inasmuch as the state department is calling for quick action in the matter, our county commissioners have been pretty busy this week in trying to solve many difficult problems.

Earl Sealy was in town Monday loking for cotton pickers.

J. A. Jones has our thanks for subscription renewal to The Sun.

Lona Smoot was up from Big Spring Monday.

CONTRACTOR'S NOTICE Of Texas Highway Construction.

Sealed proposals for constructing 30.277 miles of Flex. Base, Double Asphalt Surface Treatment & Incidental Grading from Dawson County Line to Scurry Line, on Highway 15, covered by Control No. 295-2&S-4,S&4, in Borden County, will be received at the Highway Department, Austin, until 9:00 A. M., October 20, 1041 and then publish opened and 29, 1941, and then publicly opened and read. The wage rates generally prevailing in this locality, which are listed below, shall apply as minimum wage rates for those employees employed and paid by the Contractor, on this project.

Title of "Laborer" Prevailing Mini-Title of "Laborer' mum Per Diem "Workman" or "Mechanic"

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the regular governing rates.
Plans and specifications available at the office of T. O. Foster, Jr., Resident Engineer, Snyder, Texas, and Highway Department, Austin. Usual rights re-

Every one is cordially invited to attend the Hallowe'en Carnival at the Mesquite school building October 31, 1941, sponsored by the

> MRS. CLIFTON HARRIS, Secretary-Treasurer.

ing article of the Early Days In Colorado City in The Sun. The Without doubt he is Borden counseries of articles has elicited much ty's oldest active cowboy. Over ty's oldest active cowboy. Widening of the highway through
Gail, to an extent of 21 feet, presents quite a problem. To accomplish this will require moving the

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> F. M. Miller, who owns a valuable place on the highway east of Gail, was in town last Friday and

Heavy Rains In Borden

farm work was delayed.

Early Day Stories

D. W. Kincaid was up from the Bids will be accepted antil Oct. Introduced Property of the Contract Captain. "When Wagon Yards Were Popular In the Cow Country."

the present bridge site, and caught many a mess of fish. "But that was when Snyder was about as big was when Snyder was about as big the large plans for a Hallowe'en Carnival. The following officers were elected:

Resisting the large plans for a Hallowe'en Carnival. The following officers were elected:

C. S. Harris, president: Ioe Buras your fist," said Uncle Bill.

Alex O. Murphy, one of Borden

Highway Bids Are Asked

Borden county got more rain As will be noted elsewhere in this Tuesday night. It was a heavy issue of The Borden County Sun, downpour, and the precipitation amounted to over 2 inches. As a result cotton picking and other struction of a Flex. Base, Double struction of Asphalt Treatment and incidental Asphalt Treatment and incidental grading of State Highway 15 thru

Songs: 1. Is Thy Heart Right;

Borden county

2. His Way With Thee. Borden county.

Club Elects Officers

The Mesquite Dramatic Club met in a call meeting Friday night,
Oct. 10, 1941 for the purpose of
electing new officers and formulating plans for a Hallowe'en Carlating plans for a Hallowe'en Car-

Cafe, W. S. Cathey's building adbecame a Sun subscriber. Mr. county's most popular ranchmen, Group, Mrs. C. S. Harris, chair-was in town last Friday and was in town last Friday and was in town last Friday and was an appreciated visitor in The Sun and is mighty well an appreciated visitor in The Sun and is mighty well and appreciated visitor in The Sun and is mighty well and appreciated visitor in The Sun and is mighty well and appreciated visitor in The Sun and is mighty well and appreciated visitor in The Sun and is mighty well and appreciated visitor in The Sun and is mighty well and appreciated visitor in The Sun and is mighty well and appreciated visitor in The Sun and is mighty well and appreciated visitor in The Sun and is mighty well and appreciated visitor in The Sun and is mighty well and appreciated visitor in The Sun and is mighty well and appreciated visitor in The Sun and is mighty well and appreciated visitor in The Sun and is mighty well and appreciated visitor in The Sun and is mighty well and appreciated visitor in The Sun and is mighty well an chairman; C. S. Harris, assistant. Children's Group, Mrs. Doda Hay chairman.

Supplied Eden Gir State of Texas vs. H. B. Murray et al. No. 49, in the County Court of Borden of Eden High School, the completed her jurior year at the University of Texas last year. Seven of her university girl friends attended the wedding.

Murphy, a life-long resident of this section, graduated from Snyder Hi h School and John Tarleton Agricultural College, Stephenville, before going to Texas A. & M. College, where he did his degree work. His intense interest in flying began several years ago, and his training in that field was berun in A. & M. and was later completed for instructor work at Love Field, Dallas. He is now an instructor at the Coleman Air Field.

NOTICE

State of Texas vs. H. B. Murray et al. No. 49, in the County Court of Borden Wo. 4. Pearce, County P. L. Dillahurty, Schoel Formits on Precinct No. 2; J. Homer Bear Jr., Commissioner Precinct No. 2; f deceased their unknown heirs and legal representatives and the unknown owners and their unknown heirs and legal representatives of the hereinafter described land, defendants, you are hereby notified that on the 1st day of December A. D.. 1941 at 10 o'clock A. M., in the District Court Room in the Court House at Gail. Texas, in said Borden County, the hereinafter signed Special Commissioners appointed by the County Judge to assess the entire south side of Lot 12, Block the damages occasioned by reason of the 22, in the Town of Gail, said strip beconstruction, reconstruction and opening of Highway No. 15, upon across and through the hereinafter described property to wit:

Tract 1—Being a strip of land off the entire south side of Lot 17, Block 24 in the Town of Gail, said strip being 28 feet long and 10.5 feet wide and containing 0.007 of an acre of land, more or less.

Tract 2—Being a strip of land off the entire south side of Lot 7, Block 26, in the Town of Gail, said strip being 25 feet long and 10.5 feet wide and containing 0.006 of an acre of land, more

Tract 3—Being a strip of land off the entire north side of Lot 3, Block 29, in the Town of Gail, said strip being 50 26, and a strip of land off the entire feet long and 10.5 feet wide and con- west one-half (W.1/2) of Lot 2, Block taining 0.012 of an acre of land, more 26, in the Town of Gail, said strip be-

Tract 4—Being a strip of land off the entire north side of Lots 3 and 4, Block 34, in the Town of Gail, said strip being 50 feet long and 10.5 feet wide and containing 0.012 of an acre of land, more or less.

Tract 5-Being a strip of land off the entire south side of Lot 10, Block 22, more or less. in the Town of Gail, said strip being 50 feet long and 10.5 feet wide and containing 0.012 of an acre of land, more or less.

Tract 6-Being a strip of land off

To Present Fine Program

The B. T. U. of the Mesquite Baptist Church will present the

Bible Quiz: Mr. Harris, Leader. Introduction: Mrs Harris, Group

Special Song, Bearden Trio. The Devil's Plan To Stop Redemption, Thalma Bearden.

The Devil At Work Today,

elected:
C. S. Harris, president; Joe Burkett, vice president; Mrs. C. S.

Doda Hays.

Where, Mrs Laurence Stephens.

Where, Mrs Laurence Stephens. Resisting the Devil, Cliff McKee. The High Cost of Sin, Mrs.

Ready (Vocal Duet), Lena Bill Bearden, Alta Bee Stephens.
Our Power to Withstand, Vera

Bearden. Reading, Editel Bearden. Song, Bearden Trio. Everyone for ordially invited to present for ais program. be present for

ge Rattler conta n Murphy while is place came esnake, which and had 13 latties and a button. Friday, Mr. Murphy mailed the skin to his daughter, Mrs. Jo Thom-

son in Washington, D, C. The snake was the largest killed in this county this year, as far as we are able to learn, and the skin was in excellent condition for tanning and mounting.

Sam and Olin Keen were in town Monday looking for cotton pickers.

the entire south side of Lot 5, Block 26, in the Town of Gail, said strip being 25 feet long and 10.5 feet wide and containing 0.005 of an acre of land, more or less.

Tract 7—Being a strip of land off the entire south side of Lot 11, Block 22, in the Town of Gail, said strip being 50 feet long and 10.5 feet wide and containing 0.012 of an acre of land, more or less. Tract 8-Being a strip of land off

the entire south side of Lot 12, Block more or lass. Tract 9—Being a strip of land off

the entire south side of Lot 18, Block 24, in the Town of Gail, said strip being 28 feet long and 10.5 feet wide and containing 0.007 of an acre of land, more or less.

Tract 10-Being a strip of land off the entire south side of Lot 19, Block 24, in the Town of Gail, said strip being 28 feet long and 10.5 feet wide and containing 0.007 of an acre of land, more or less.

Tract 11—Being a strip of land off the entire south side of Lot 1, Block ing 37.5 feet long and 10.5 feet wide and containing 0.009 of an acre of land, more or less.

Tract 12—Being a strip of land off the entire south side of Lot 8, Block 26, in the Town of Gail, said strip being 25 feet long and 10.5 feet wide and containing 0.006 of an acre of land,

Tract 13—Being a strip of land off the entire south side of Lot 10, Block 26, in the Town of Gail, said strip being 25 feet long and 10.5 feet wide and

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York Murphy Weds Popular Eden Girl

Mariurphy of Coleman, son of Alex O. Murphy of Snyder, was solemnized in an autumn setting of deep-toned fall flowers and greenery at the home of the bride's parerts, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Schulz, in Eden Saturday afternoon, September 27, at 2:30 o'clock.

The Rev. Father G. A. Bloeckman of Olfen read the ring ceremony, and Mrs. Buster McKee, pianist, played the wedding music. The bridegroom's father was among the 40 wedding guests.

The bridal party stood before the formed the background for baskets of bronze and yellow chry anthemums and magenta gladiolii. Burning white tapers in wrought iron candelabra were at each side of the improvised altar

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, chose for her wedding costume a frock of icy blue, fashioned with full skirt, bishop sleeves and a sweetheart neckline. Her accessories were brown, and she wore a corsage of yellow rosebuds. Her only jewelry was a pearl necklace worn by her grandmother as a

Attending the couple were the bride's brother, Milton Schulz, and Mrs. Schulz of Eden.

The bride's parents were hosts at a reception honoring the couple immediately following their marriage. The three-tiered wedding cake with rosebud decorations was served with other refreshments. An attractive arrangement of autumn flowers centered the tea table.

When the couple left for their wedding trip, Mrs. Murphy was wearing a two-piece suit of brown tweed with harmonizing accessories. The couple will make their home at

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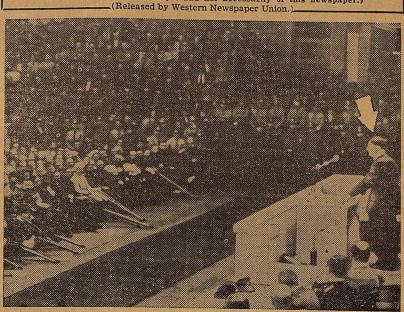
GAY McGLAUN, Texaco Dealer

WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

By Edward C. Wayne

Unrest in Nazi Dominated Nations Results in 'Front-Behind-Front'; Hitler's 'Victory' Speech Is Puzzle As Russia Claims Important Gains

(EDITOR'S NOTE—When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of the news analyst and not necessarily of this newspaper.)



Reichsfuehrer Adolf Hitler is shown in the Sportspalast in Berlin as he made his speech to open the annual drive for winter relief. He used the opportunity to tell the German people that his armies on the eastern front have scored great victories and that Russia is "already broken and will never rise again." He again predicted complete Nazi victory. In the seats of honor at the gathering were a number of wounded, seen at the left front in the above picture.

FRONT:

(Behind Front)

The old cliche that "there is nothing new under the sun" was fairly routed by the oddest of all wars when the unrest which had been boiling for months in countries occupied by Nazi Germany had begun to flare into strange and more open warfare.

And it was a queer warfare, with ultimatums flying lack and forth, and nations in exil passing decrees on conquered peop with the threat "death if we get back in

our countries ag It was no lau for the era o been reach in some

In Jugoslavia

Guerilla bands operating in the Serbian mountain districts, swooping down by night, had been cap-turing small detachments of Nazi soldiers, spiriting them away as captives, until they had amassed somewhere between 600 and 1,000 men, whom they were reported holding

Came an ultimatum from guerillas to the Nazi occupational officers to this effect: "Continue to shoot Jugoslav hostages, and we shall execute our prisoners."

The German answer (requiring the use of a considerable force which presumably had been taken from the Russian front) was the reported sending of a panzer division of 12,000 men and to head it toward Belgrade, the former capital of former Jugoslavia to deal summarily with these guerilla bands.

In Norway

King Haakon (in exile in London) signed a decree providing the death penalty for crimes against the Norwegian state.

A counter-attack against this move had come from Josef Terboven, the Reich's commissar in Norway, who said: "Accept Germany's new order and regard Germany's enemies as yours, or face obliteration as a national state, and perhaps starvation."

This ultimatum was backed up, it had been reported, by the fact that more than 2,000 Norwegians were in concentration camps, many

of them held as hostages. The "new order" was the Quisling government, against which an underground and sometimes open revolt had been going on for two

months or more. And against this stood Haakon's decree, held a warning to any "tools" of the Nazis who might exert themselves to help the German authorities that if Norway regains its freedom they will face the death

In Bulgaria

While not occupied formally or as a result of warfare, Bulgaria was officially considered to be an Axis partner, and reports had emanated from Sofia, in the form of a victory dispatch, that Greek forces which had swooped over the borders into Bulgaria with rifles and machine guns seeking to organize a revolt among the Greek citizens of the country, had been "an-nihilated."

In Belgium

A bomb explosion, it had been reported, in Brussels, had killed Jean Oederkerke, secretary of the Rexist (Fascist) forces.

In Czecho Slovakia

The wholesale executions in Bohemia and Moravia (home of the Czechs) followed revelations that there had been operating there schools for saboteurs and for learning improved methods of slowing down factory production.

And these evidences of the widespread revolt were in dition to similar events we executions in o WWYO

NEUTRALI habis Change Expension (Sexal Kauno

Although it was recognized that President Roosevelt's request for changes in or repeal of the neutrality act would meet with determined opposition in senate and house, a poll of the chambers showed definitely that some modification, notably that of permitting arming of American merchant

This poll had been taken as Secretary of State Hull warned the Axis powers that American-owned ships (presumably wearing the Panamanian or other flag, were armed and had orders to defend themselves.

This statement itself had closely followed the sinking of a former American tanker 450 miles east of Recife, Brazil, with the loss of several American lives.

The tanker had originally been American, had been transferred to the British service, and was operating under the Panamanian flag with a crew largely composed of American citizens.

Between 12 and 20 such ships had already been armed, Mr. Hull said. and he characterized the sinkings of these vessels or of those of this type as a German effort at "frightfulness designed to drive us out of the Atlantic.'

The senate poll showed 29 in favor of repeal or change; 20 opposed to any change, and most of the rest undecided, wanting more time to study, or out of the city and unavailable for comment.

HITLER:

Puzzle

The first formal address by Hitler in 103 days of warfare with Russia rather left the world puzzledfor he claimed a total victory over the Reds at a time when Moscow was claiming the Leningrad push stopped, and continued advances in the center.

Also, the favorable report of the chancellor on the war situation came at a time when unrest behind the lines was assuming the proportions of a front, and at least one whole division had to be sidetracked to take care of one small sector of conquered territory.

Even more puzzling was his statement that he had ordered produc-tion of war materials restricted, because the Russians were no longer able to be a menace and that the war was, in effect "in the bag."



Here is George Hopkins, with his parachute, in which he landed from an airplane atop Devil's Tower in Wyoming. After the better part of six days he was rescued by a crew of eight expert mountain climbers. His parachute drop was made to win a foot peak, jutting straight up from the surrounding plain can be seen in the background.

DEATH:

To a Liberal

Louis Dembitz Brandeis, noted liberal jurist, and former Supreme court justice, died in his Washington home just on the night before a new Supreme court was meeting for its first 1941-42 session. He was 84 and had retired from the Supreme court on February 13, 1939, because of ill health. It was suffering from a heart ailment that led him to retire and a severe attack of this trouble that resulted in his death. Named to the high bench by President Wilson in 1916, Brandeis had no experience as a judge before that time but he was widely known for his activity as a lawyer on behalf of labor unions and against "high finance."

During the first World war, American spending at the height of the struggle reached something like \$50,000,000 a day. Great Britain is way past that point now, and the expectation in Washington had been that within this fiscal year America's spending will come to about two billions a month, or about \$70, 000,000 a day.

That was the figure which U. S. Budget Director Smith estimated, and the bill would be 24 billions in the year, with an income of close to 12 billions from taxes and a deficit of about the same amount.

In this amount was included the lend-lease aid, but not the direct purchases by Britain, Russia, China or other sources.

The difference between the American and British rate of spending, Smith pointed out, was this-that two billions a month is about \$135 a year for all the citizens of the nation, whereas Britain's spending constitutes about 40 per cent of the national income.

Smith went on to state that considering better employment conditions and the busy state of the nation, probably more dollars would be left for civilian use than in predefense years.

CHURCH:

And the Reds

President Roosevelt had rammed himself into a hornet's nest with his discussion of Article 124 of the Russian constitution, which gave religious freedom guarantees to the people.

Churchmen of several faiths and congressmen took the President to task and later the President qualified his statement or explained it in the light of a hope that movements now on foot would bring religious freedom, under the constitution of Russia to her people.

This put a somewhat new light on the controversy, and the head of the Russian Orthodox church came forward to give the President support and to reveal his opinion that the days of church repression and antagonism in Russia were numbered.

The people were "turning to God" he said, and the government was not planning to prevent this uprising of the spirit in the face of the danger of death in war.

Myron Taylor was back from his visit to the Pope, and more light on the subject of religious freedom was expected from this source.

It's All Over



\$50 wager and as a publicity stunt for a parachute jumping contest. Devil's Tower, a 1,280-

Survey of Requirements This is the interpretation that can be put on the remark made by Don-

paign. This was in July.

Farm Implement Industry

Will Try 'Allocation' Plan

Manufacturers of Agricultural Machinery Placed

Under Experimental System for Obtaining

Necessary Raw Materials.

Washington, D. C.

By the time these words are

printed the farmer ordering a trac-

tor or a dairy machine is going to

be able to line up at the counter

right beside the generals and the admirals making their purchases of

ald Nelson, head of the priorities

division of the OPM, to the effect

that he is going to make the agricul-

pig in an experiment to remove the

bottleneck which is preventing non-

defense industries from getting the

raw materials they need to op-

Nelson admits that "priority

lists" are not worth the paper they

are written on in many cases and that a system of "allocation" is to

always create new words as well as

new meanings for old ones. In this case the word "priorities" covers, if not a multitude of sins and head-

aches, at least a new meaning.

When it became evident that there

were not enough raw materials to

supply defense needs and civilian needs both, the priority system was

The priority division of the Office

of Production Management was set

up to decide which order for which

raw material should be delivered to

bers according to their importance.

For example, A-1 material topped

the list. The highest rating for

civilian defense materials was B-1,

while others were fitted into alpha-

al classifications and umbered

This was the priority system. But

it did not always work. For in-

stance, the manufacturer of a dairy

machine requiring some essential

product like aluminum or rubber might have the highest civilian rat-

ing, but when he tried to get deliv-

and you can't make dairy machines

This was happening in many civil-

ian industries. It was also happen-

ing in defense industries. In the

latter cases the system was changed

so that certain defense manufactur-

ers could get certain raw products

(aluminum, copper, synthetic rub-

ber, etc.) regardless of priority rat-ing but by "allocation." In other

words, the government ordered a

specific amount of steel or copper de-

livered directly to the manufacturer.

And now the farm implement in-

dustry is to get its raw materials

by the same method-allocation-if

the plan being prepared by the

priorities division at this writing

The priorities division explains

that this is to be an experiment and

that it is being tried so that experi-

ence will be gained for applying the

same method of providing raw ma-

terials for other civilian industries.

This is, of course, a vital problem

since thousands are being thrown

out of work because non-defense in-

dustries are closing for want of

However, there is another story

behind the story of the guinea pig.

It probably began with a terse re-

mark by Gov. M. Clifford Townsend

of the Office of Agricultural Defense

"The priority system works as

well as writing a check on a bank

He was referring to the priority

lists in general but he was thinking

specifically about the farm imple-

ment industry and thinking about it

in connection with the new goals

set for farm production. For what

can the poor farmer do when he is

asked to produce more with less

labor-if he can't buy the machines

he is willing to pay for—if the manu-

facturer can't get the essential materials to build those machines?

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Relations. He said:

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In Civilian Industries Also

defense program.

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is carried out.

supplies.

"Priorities"-"allocation"-wars

tanks and ships.

be tried out.

By BAUKHAGE National Farm and Home Hour Commentator. WNU Service, 1343 H Street, N-W, | fore long-in the department of ag-

The department surveyed the needs in packaging and processing machinery—machines to take care of the products after they were raised. And the county agents went right to the farmer himself and tural implement industry a guinea asked him what he would need to take care of the extra productionbearing in mind that he would be short of human hands.

riculture got busy. The inter-bureau committees made a survey of the

mechanical requirements of farm

production as set forth in the new

goals in the food for freedom cam-

A farmer with sons and hired help in the army or working in defense industries might make up for their loss if he substituted another tractor for a four-horse hitch. Selffeeders help, too, and machines for handling the products, like hayhoists-and, since the accent in the farm program is now on dairy products, dairy machines are important. The latter take a lot of defenseprecious aluminum, nickeled steel and rubber.

The poultry business was not so much concerned, for human hands have to do almost everything for the hens that the hens won't do for themselves.

But how to get the machines? The manufacturers were all tooled up and ready to go. They were at what manufacturer. The materials the top of the priority lists—but most essential to defense produc-tion were rated with an A, and graded in that category with numthere were no priorities.

The matter was laid before defense officials.

Next Donald Nelson, in charge of priorities and once dependent largely on the farmer for a living (he has been loaned to the government by Sears, Roebuck), started in to the good that "check on gan to plan allocations instead priorities.

Washington's Preview Of Winter

For a while the other day, Washington drew a gray curtain over its bright autumn skies and gave us a preview of winter.

ery for that product he found that all he had was the letter "B" and the number "1" on a sheet of paper, It started with that painful moment which, I daresay, you, too, have experienced oft in the chilly night when after dreaming you were stranded on an ice cake in the Polar sea in your shorts or something even shorter, you awake to find that the unfaithful blanket has left your bed. That happened to me. And when I had finally curled up to dream of warmer climes the alarm went off. It was still dark. So I let the clock buzz and tried to go back to sleep. It ought not to be dark, I reasoned. It hadn't been dark at that hour for months . . .

When I reached the street I found a thick gray sky above, there was a chill in the air that set even Washington's leisurely pedestrians scurrying-myself included. It did feel like winter. And when I had passed my second boarding-house cat, I was sure. These cats take their early outdoor loaf while the basement dining rooms are full. I suppose some of the boarders are subject to catalepsy or catallergy or whatever it is that makes people squeal and wiggle when a persistent pussy rubs their leg. Anyhow, these two particular cats are always loafing in the same spot in front of their respective boarding houses as I pass. Usually they merely look bored. This time they looked cold and bored. They were hunched up, like tight accordions—a chilly cat always looks as though it were trying to pull its chin into its own fur collar.

Another sign of the false winter was an empty bench in front of the Masonic Temple. Usually it is full of girls waiting for the pal who picks them up and takes them to work, or at worst a late bus. It is a convenient resting place in the sum-mer under the shadow of a great sphinx. This time there was only one sitter. She may have had something on her mind-or elsewhere-that warmed her soul and prevented the cold stone from affecting the, shall we say, situation.

There was one more sign-the evergreens preened their needles with a look of satisfaction that they cannot muster when they have to other officials—a few hundred be- compete with maple and magnolia. LEGAL NOTICE-continued from page 1 | 26, in the Town of Gail, said strip be- | the entire north side of Lot 1, Block more or less.

Tract 14—Being a strip of land off more or less.

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the entire south side of Lot 11, Block Tract 15—Being a strip of land off more or less. While You Are Attending The Scurry County

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Tract 18—Being a strip of land off the entire north side of Lot 18, Block 31, in the Town of Gail, said strip being 28 feet long and 10.5 feet wide and Lot 1 and containing 0.013 of an acre containing 0.007 of an acre of land, more or less

Tract 19—Being a strip of land off 31, in the Town of Gail, said strip being 28 feet long and 10.5 feet wide and ginning at the S. E. corner of Lot 1, containing 0.007 of an acre of land, Block 68, in the Town of Gail; thence

more or less.

Tract 21—Being a strip of land off of an acre of land, more or less. the entire north side of Lot 16, Block 33, in the Town of Gail, said strip being 28 feet long and 10.5 feet wide and 28, in the Town of Gail, said strip becontaining 0.007 of an acre of land, ing 50 feet long and 10.5 feet wide and more of less.

Tract 22—Being a strip of land off the entire north side of Lot 5, Block 34, in the Town of Gail, said strip being 50 feet long and 10.5 feet wide and containing 0.012 of an acre of land, more or less.

Tract 23—Being a strip of land off the entire north side of Lots 5 and 6, feet wide, parallel and adjacent to the ctrip being 100 feet long and 10.5 feet wide and containing 0.024 of an acre of land more or less.

Tract 24—Being a strip of land off 4, Block 69, in the Town of Gail, said strip being 200 feet long and 10.5 feet the entire north side of Lots 1 and 2,

Tract 25—Being a strip of land 10 feet wide, parallel and adjacent to the opresent south right-of-way line of State present south right-of-way line of State Highway No. 15, extending from the west line of Lot 5, Block 69, to the east line of Lot 6. Block 69, in the Town of in the Town Gail and containing 0.023 of an acre 50 feet lo of lard, more or less.

Tract 26 Being a strip of land 10

Hi hway No. 15, extending from the Block 25, in the Town of Gail, said ct and containing 0.013 of an acre of cf land, more or less. land, more or less.

and out of the northwest portion of 95, in the Town of Gail, said strip be-Lot 8, Block 68, in the Town of Gail ing 50 feet long and 2.5 feet wide at and being more particularly described the east side of said lot, and decreasas follows: Beginning at the N. W. corner of Lot 8, Block 68, in the Town of side of said lot, and containing 0.001 Gail; thence east along the rorth line of an acre of land, more or less. of said lot 11.5 feet; thence south 1 degree 30 minutes west 40 feet to a the entire south side of Lot 6, Block point in the west line of said Lot 8; 26 in the Town of Gail, said strip bethence north along the said west line ing 25 feet long and 10.5 feet wide and 38 feet to the point of beginning and containing 0.006 of an acre of land, containing 0.005 of an acre of land, more or less. more or less.

Tract 28—Being a tract of land outof the S. W. portion of Lot 2, Block 68, in the Town of Gail and being more particularly described as follows: Beginning at the S. W. corner of Lot 2, Block 68, in the Town of Gail; thence north 60 feet along the west line of said Lot 2; thence south 88 degrees 30 minutes east 31 feet; thence south 1 degree 30 minutes west 53 feet to a point in the south line of said lot; thence west 18 feet along said south line to the point of beginning and containing 0.037 acres of land, more or

Tract 29—Being all of Lot 7, Block 68, in the Town of Gail and containing 0.161 of an acre of land, more or less.

Tract 30—Being a strip of land off the entire south side of Lots 7 to 11 entire north side of Lot. No. 21 Block 31, inclusive, Block 23, in the Town of in the town of Gail, said strip being 25 Gail, said strip being 250 feet long and feet long and 10.5 feet wide and contain-10.5 feet wide and containing 0.06 of an ing .006 of an acre of land more or less.

Tract 31—Being a strip of land off wide and containing 0.024 of an acre .007 acre of land more or less. of land, more or less.

Tract 32—Being a strip of land off

Tract 33—Being a triangular strip of land 25 feet long and varying in width hnvingheretofore selected said time and from 0 feet to 5 feet and being more particularly described as follows: Be- said parties and to act thereon in accordginning at the S. W. corner of Block 67 ance with law. in the Town of Gail; thence north 74 degrees 48 minutes east 25 feet along tober A. D. 1941. degrees 48 minutes east 25 feet along the south line of said block; thence in a westerly direction along a curve to

Tract 16—Being a strip of land off | the left, having a central angle of the entire north side of Lots 1 and 2, 26 degrees 00 minutes and a radius of containing 0.006 of an acre of land, ing 50 feet long and 10.5 feet wide and Block 30, in the Town of Gail, said 1206.3 feet, a distance of 25.5 feet to a strip being 100 feet long and 10.5 feet point in the west line of Block 67, said wide and containing 0.024 of an acre of point being 5 feet north of the S. W. corner of said block; thence south Tract 17—Being a strip of land off along said west line of said block 5 the entire north side of Lot 4, Block feet to the point of beginning and con-

> Tract 34—Being a strip of land 10 feet wide, parallel and adjacent to the present south right-of-way line of State Highway No. 15, extending from the west line of Lot 1, Block 71, in the Town of Gail to the east line of said of land, more or less.

Tract 35—Being a tract of land out of the S. E. portion of Lot 1, Block 68, the entire north side of Lot 19, Block in the Town of Gail and being more particularly described as follows: Bewest 28 feet along the south line of Tract 20—Being a strip of land off said Lot 1; thence north 1 degree 30 the entire north side of Lot 22, Block minutes east 67 feet; thence south 88 31 in the Town of Gail, said strip be- degrees 39 minutes east 9 feet to a point ing 28 feet long and 10.5 feet wide and in the east line of said lot; thence containing 0.007 of an acre of land, south along said east line 60 feet to the point of beginning and containing 0.027

> Tract 36-Being a strip of land off the entire south side of Lot 10, Block containing 0.012 of an acre of land, more or less.

Tract 37-Being a strip of land off the entire north side of Lot 4, Block 29, in the Town of Gail, said strip being 50 feet long and 10.5 feet wide and containing 0.012 of an acre of land, more

present south right-of-way line of State Highway No. 15, extending from the west line of Lot 5, Block 70, to the east line of Lot 6, Block 70, in the Town of the entire north side of Lots 1, 2, 3 and Gail and containing 0.025 of an acre of land, more or less.

wide and containing 0.048 of an acre Block 34, in the Town of Gail, said strip being 100 feet long and 10.5 feet

> Tract 40ng a strip of land off side of Lot 9, Block 22, the entire s Gail, said strip being se 10.5 feet wide and an acre of land. containing

west line of Lot 12, Block 71, in the strip being 50 feet lon; and 10.5 feet Fown of Gail to the east line of said wide and containing 0.012 of an acre

Tract 42-Being a strip of land off Tract 27—Being a triangular tract of the entire north side of Lot 3, Block

Tract 43—Being a strip of land off

Tract 44-Being a strip of land off the entire north side of Lot 5, Block 95, in the Town of Gail, said strip being 50 feet long and 7.5 feet wide at the east side of said lot and decreasing uniformly to 5 feet wide at the west side of said lot and containing 0.007 of an acre of land, more or less.

Tract 45—Being a strip of land off the entire north side of Lot 21, Block 31, in the Town of Gail, said strip being 28 feet long and 10.5 feet wide and containing 0.007 of an acre of land, more or less.

Tract 46 .-- Being a strip of land off of the entire north side of lot No. 5 Block 95 in the town of Gail, said strip being 50 feet long and 8.5 feet wide and containing .009 of an acre of land more or less.

Tract 47.--Being a strip of land off the

Tract 48.--Being a strip of land off the the entire north side of Lots 5 and 6, entire north side of Lot 15 in Block 33 in Block 30, in the Town of Gail, said the town of Gail, said strip being 28 feet strip being 100 feet long and 10.5 feet long and 10.5 feet wide and containing

All of which is more fully set out in the petition of the State of Texas, acting by the entire south side of Lot 12, Block 26, in the Town of Gail, said strip being 25 feet long and 10.5 feet wide and containing 0.006 of an acre of land, more or less.

petition of the State of Texas, acting by and through the Commissioners' Court of Borden County, Texas, with the Judge of said Borden County, Texas, on the 14th day of October A. D. 1941, we the said Special Commissioners having been saven to access said damages, fairly, and sworn to assess said damages fairly and place for hearing, we will proceed to hear

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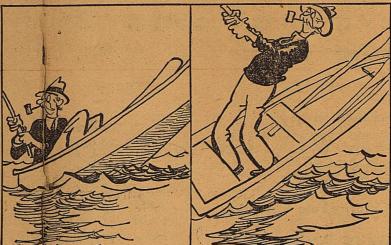
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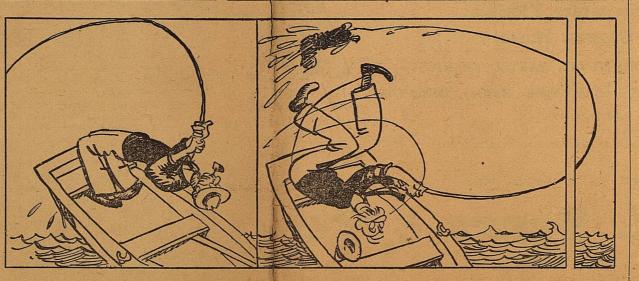
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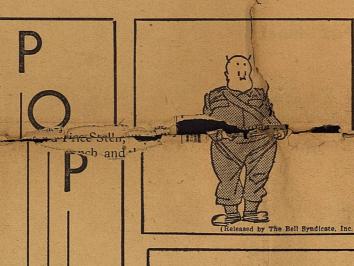
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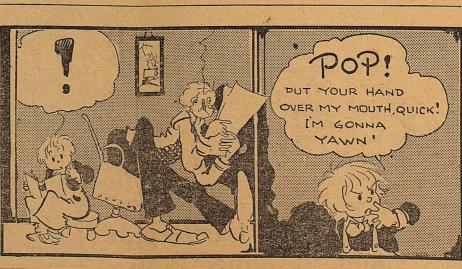


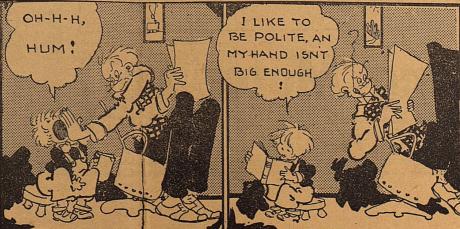






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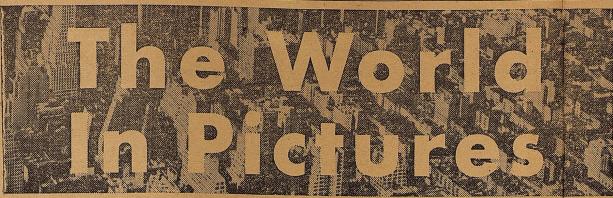
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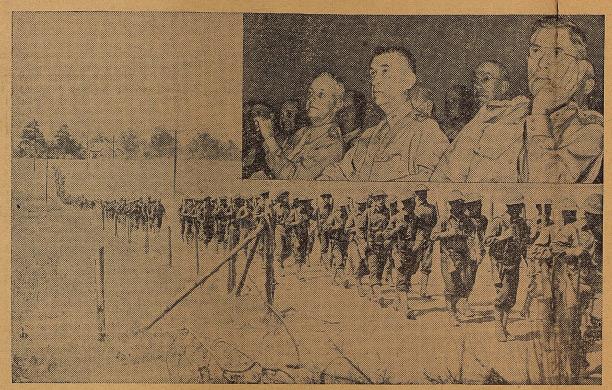
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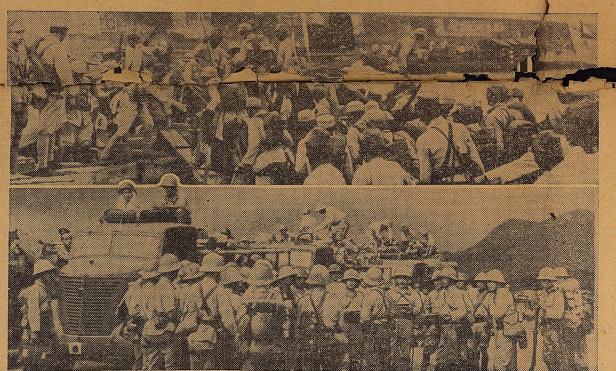


Armistice—in U. S. War Games



Upper Right: (L. to R.) Lieut. Gen. Delos Emmons, Lieut. Gen. Walter Krueger and Lieut. Gen. Ben Lear, commanders of the two field armies and air force in war games in Louisiana, listen to comments on the games by Lieut. Gen. Lesley McNair, chief of staff at GHQ, Washington, D. C. Below: The infantry battalion has borne the brunt of the battle in the first army maneuvers at Camden, S. C., and returns to camp after the "attack."

Extending 'Peaceful Sphere' in Far East



Upper picture shows soldiers of a new Chinese army under President (Jap recognized) Wang Ching-Wei that has been co-operating with Japanese troops in pursuit of Chiang Kai-shek's army, boarding barges at Nanking. Below: Japanese soldiers, part of first contingent dispatched to French Indo-China under French-Japanese protocol, wait in southern part of country before moving forward.

Three Generations Arrive From Europe



Three generations of one family are pictured as they arrived in New ork, aboard the Portuguese boat, Nyassa. Left to right: Morris Loev, 5, oldest passenger on board; Bertha Loev; Margaret Lauetene; Otto Lauetene, 14; Peter Lauetene; and Lottie Lauetene, eight. While en route from Vienna to Lisbon their train was machine-gunned.

Take Court Seats



Justice James F. Byrnes, left, and Justice Robert Jackson, newest members of the Supreme Court of the United States, are shown for the first time in their robes of office as they prepared to take their seats

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Lesson for October 19

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THE HOLY SPIRIT OUR HELPER

LESSON TEXT—John 3:5-8; Acts 1:8; Romans 8:26-28; Galatians 5:22-26.

GOLDEN TEXT—As many as are led by the Spirit of God, they are the sons of God.—

Nothing could be more practical or blessed for and in the life and service of the believer than an understanding of the person and work of the Holy Spirit; yet it is a subject concerning which most Christians are woefully ignorant. Before taking up the work of the Spirit are it work of the

Spirit as it appears in our lesson, we should understand that the Holy Spirit is a person, not an influence which may exert itself upon a service, or a power which a man may obtain and use. He—the Spirit—is one of the Trinity, with the attributes of a person, doing the work of a person and always referred to as a person in Scripture. (When "it" is used of the Holy Spirit in the A.V. it will be found to be corrected to "him" in the R.V.)

What then does this divine person do? The work of creation was His as one of the Godhead. He regenerates, He teaches, He comforts, He leads, He calls and qualifies Christian workers, He is the divine author of the Bible. These and many other things He does, this One who indwells the believer as the ever-present Guide and Counselor.

The Christian is

I. Born of the Spirit (John 3:5-8).

The new birth is indispensable to entrance into the kingdom of God. We either enter that way or we do not enter at all. Let's be clear about that. "Ye must be born again" is not the edict of a church or the plea of a preacher; it is the plain statement of our Lord Himself

The Holy Spirit is indispensable to regeneration. We must be born of the Spirit. How it takes place we

going of the wind, but just as the power of the wind is known to us by clear evidence, so the regenerating power of the Spirit, mysterious though it be in operation, is known to us by the evidences of redeeming grace in a man's life.

II. Empowered by the Spirit

Spiritual birth calls for service for Christ. For that we must have the power of the Holy Spirit. A man may do many ordinary things in the strength of his own body and mind (although even these ought always to be under the Spirit's control), but when he comes to witnessing for Christ, teaching or preaching God's Word, he must have Holy Spirit power or he is utterly ineffective.

III. Directed by the Spirit (Rom.

The guidance of the Holy Spirit, especially in the matter of prayer, is stressed in these verses, but they are a part of a longer passage dealing with the indwelling, enabling, and guiding power of the Holy Spirit (read vv. 9-14). Every detail of life in the home, at business, or in social relations should be in conscious submission to His leading.

It is in the realm of the spiritual, however, that we find ourselves peculiarly infirm (v. 26), and this shows itself especially in prayer— "we know not how to pray as we ought." Then the Spirit in the Christian makes intercession. How blessed! "The practical meaning of these profound words seems to be that the divine Spirit, by His immediate influence in the saint's soul, which becomes as it were the organ of his own address to the Father, secures the rightness of the essence of the saint's prayer." (H. C. G.

IV. Walking in the Spirit (Gal. 5:

Being born again of the Spirit, living daily by the Spirit, it is right that (as v. 25 puts it) "if we live by the Spirit, let us also walk by the Spirit." The works of the flesh, horrible in their wickedness and lust, are listed in the verses preceding (vv. 19-21), and then by striking contrast we have the fruit of the Spirit in the life of the Christian. Note the distinction: Work is something we produce; fruit is something that grows.

Walking in the Spirit the Christian finds in his life the inward graces of love, joy, and peace. These then express themselves outwardly in longsuffering, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, meekness, and self-control. The Spirit-filled man is not only a good man; he lives a good life.

Gems of Thought

PRIENDSHIP is to be purchased only by friendship. A man may have authority over others, but he can never have their heart but by giving his own.-Thomas Wilson.

It is not the mere station of life that stamps the value on us, but the manner in which we act our part.—Schiller.

One precedent creates another. They soon accumulate and constitute law. What yesterday was fact, today is doctrine .-Lord Shelburne.

Go put your creed into your deed, Nor speak with double tongue. -Emerson.

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Early Days In West Texas

Colorado City In The '80s

continued from last week

To the northeast, the Double mountain, Spur and Matador country, due to its rough terrain, remains practically unchanged. Each Spring, as they have for nearly sixty years, Matador chuck wagons go out with good men and good horses to brand their calves, which have become so highly bred that they rate among the tops with the Northern feeders. The Spur ranch was purchased by the S. M. Swenson interests a good many years ago. Its tillable lands have been sold to farmers and the Swensons operate the balance as a unit of their S M S ranches.

ever en excellent breeding and deequal to any in the Southwest. road. Among them are the Wallaces, Smiths, and So Relles. The Beggs

of the Square and Compass and have their headquarters where the original ones were located. Mrs. J. B. Slaughter, wife of one of the original brothers, makes her home on the ranch. Lands of the Llano ranch along wirh others were purchased by C. W. Post, who colonized them and established the town of Post. K. Stoker has a nice 30-000-acre ranch in the south portion of Garza County.

Highways, highlines and railroads criss-cross the old range country, and there is little left except the towering Double Mountains to remind old fellows like Jake Raines, Prinkle Moore and Bob Weatherby of the days when all trails led to Colorado City, with is limited. its hot baths, hair cutt and highjinks.

Mitchell county is still rated as one of the cattle counties of West Texas. In its southern portion and lapping over into Coke and Sterling counties in places, lies the 250 sections of the Renderbrook Spade ranch, owned by the Elwood heirs, of DeKalb, Illinois. It is rated as one of the best big ranch properties in West Texas. It is watered by the Colorado River and numerous caeeks and springs. It was one of the first large ranches in West Texas to utilize pipe lines as a means of providing a uniform water supply for its cattle. Headquarters, modern in every respect, are located at Renderbrook Springs,

about 30 miles south of Colorado City. The Elwoods were among the earliest manufacturers of barbed wire and much of their earlier product is to be seen in the fences on the ranch.

Until his retirement a few years ago, D. W. Arnett, who came to the ranch from Williamson county with the Snyders, was in charge of operations. Upon his retirement, Otto F. Jones became manager. The ranch uses a wagon in its work and maintains five camps strategically located. In recent years, a good portion of it has been fenced for sheep. At this time, sheep and cattle are on it in about equal numbers. To the east of the Spades, Price Maddox and son operate the old RUF ranch, running both sheep and cattle. They also operate the Combination ranch in Nolan county. Maddox, Senior, is president of the Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers Association. Hiram Snyder, son of D. H., who with his brother founded the Spade ranch, runs cattle west of Colorado City in the Westbrook country. Eudie Wulfjen and Lay Powell operate ranches to the south of town, ad-

Until recent years for a few hours each fall, herds milled and a The Double Mountain country, cloud of dust, reminiscent of the old days hung over the pens east veloping section, is today a cattle of town, when the Spades would be country of small ownerships, made loading out their yearlings for shipup in many instances of the sons ment to the Pianis ranch or Price of pioneers and in others, of men and Jimmie Maddox would be dewho have lived in the section over livering their calves to feeder buya long period. These have brought ers, but in recent years, these have their cattle up through the years fallen into modern ways and truck by careful breeding to a standard their cattle from ranch to rail-

joining the Spades.

As the years went on, old-timers Bert and Eck; the Dennises, the passed away and the younger gen-

freighters. street car lines and salt caption, required by the Act of August My commission expires 1st June, 1943. works, but with all a sturdy, modern little West Texas city, happy in the new order and pardonably proud of the part it has played in the development of West Texas.

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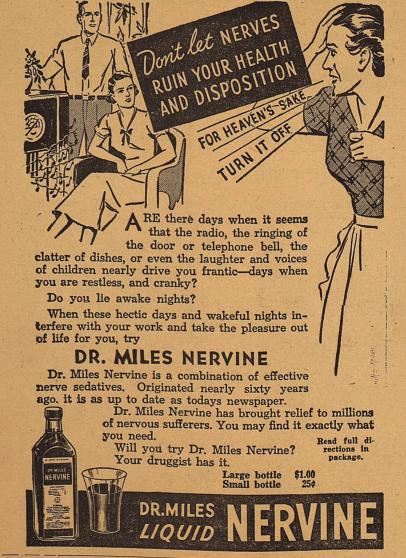
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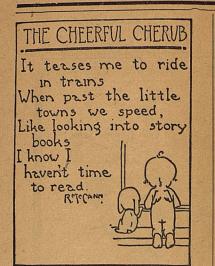
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NEW DESIGNS FOR YOUR COOKIE JAR (See Recipes Below)

COOKIE SURPRISES

All crisp, crunchy, and some slightly nutty, all of today's recipes are so fashioned as to send you on a real cookie-baking spree. Fill that lovely cookie jar of yours until the sides are fairly bulging with

goodies so you can have cookies a-plenty to put in the children's lunch boxes, to serve as afternoon snacks, and as a pickup for mealtime.

If you're doing some baking for a bazaar, there's nothing quite like plates of yummy cookies to put over the sales. Remember, you can sell a lot more, if you give out some samples. These can be set on plates with white paper doilies, for sampling, and those to be sold put in boxes already fixed. Cookies can be sold by the dozen if they're fancy and somewhat elaborate, by the pound if they're small drop cookies

Here's an interesting variation of the filled cookie, both dainty and de-

Corn Flake Filled Cookies.

(Makes 36 medium-sized cookies) 1 cup shortening

1 cup brown sugar

3½ cups flour 2 teaspoons baking powder

1/4 teaspoon salt

½ cup water ½ teaspoon vanilla

2 cups cornflakes Blend shortening and sugar thoroughly. Sift flour, baking powder and salt together and add alternately with water and flavoring to first mixture. Stir in coarsely rolled corn flakes. Chill. Roll dough to 1/8 inch thickness. Cut with cookie cutter. Spread one round with filling, put on a second round and press edges to-

greased baking sheet in a hot (425 degrees) oven about 12 minutes. Filling.

gether with a fork. Bake on a

11/2 cups chopped dates ½ cup sugar

2 tablespoons water 2 tablespoons orange juice

1 tablespoon orange rind Combine all ingredients together and cook until soft paste is formed. Cool before filling cookies.

Your cookie jar problem can be solved very neatly with toothsome oatmeal cookies with flecks of chocolate in them:

Oatmeal Cookies. (Makes 4 dozen)

1/2 cup butter or shortening l cup brown sugar Grated rind of 1 orange 1 teaspoon vanilla

LYNN SAYS:

An assortment of cookies, freshly baked and packed in tins with waxed paper between layers makes a delightful present for youngsters away at school and for friends you seldom see. When your own cookie jar has been filled to bulging, pack a few boxes from what you have and spread cheer to others, too.

Careful packing in tins with waxed paper will keep even small dainty cookies fresh for a long time. Some flavors like chocolate improve after they stand for some time. Chewy, nutty cookies are the more chewy and delicious after several days. Spicy cookies become moist and well flavored after standing.

THIS WEEK'S MENU

*Meat-Macaroni Casserole Jellied Cole Slaw Salad Watermelon Pickles Spiced Pears Hot Rolls Butter Balls Baked Apple Beverage *Recipe Given

> 1/2 cup sifted flour 11/2 cups fine rolled oats 7 ounces chocolate pieces

Cream butter and sugar. Add orange rind, egg, vanilla and beat well. Add salt and flour which has been mixed with the oats. Add chocolate pieces and work into batter. Drop by spoonfuls on greased cookie sheet. Bake 15 to 20 minutes in a moderate (375 degrees) oven. Recommendations are in for the

old favorites of which you never tire. If you want to make a pretty and at the same time, a very successful plat

ternivate rows of both, these Gin-

Cookies and

Brownies:

Soft Ginger Cookies. (Makes 5 dozen)

ger

1 cup shortening

1 cup sugar 1 egg

½ cup molasses 34 cup evaporated milk

3 cups flour 2 teaspoons soda

1 teaspoon salt

1 teaspoon each, ginger, cinnamon

Cream sugar and shortening, add egg and molasses. Beat well, add milk and blend well. Mix dry ingredients and add to batter. Last add soda, dissolved in 2 tablespoons warm water. Drop by spoonfuls on greased baking sheet. Bake 15 min, utes in a hot (375 degrees) oven.

Brownies.

(Makes 2 dozen)

1/3 cup butter or shortening

1 cup sugar 2 eggs, well beaten

2 squares unsweetened chocolate.

melted

34 cup flour 1/2 teaspoon baking powder

1/2 cup chopped nuts

1 teaspoon vanilla Beat eggs and sugar together. Add to this melted butter and chocolate and blend. Add flour, baking powder, nuts, and beat well. Pour into a greased pan and bake 30 minutes in a 350-degree oven. Cool and cut in squares.

*Meat-Macaroni Casserole.

1 package macaroni

1/3 cup salad oil 1 pound hamburger

1 dry onion, minced 1 green pepper, minced

1 clove garlic, if desired

1 can tomato soup 2 cups peas

2 cups corn Salt and pepper

Cook the macaroni in plenty of boiling salted water and when ten-der, put in a sieve and rinse with cold water. Meanwhile fry the hamburger in the heated oil, stirring it occasionally to separate it. Skim out the meat and in the same fat cook onion, pepper and garlic till tender, but not browned. Garlic may be omitted entirely, and it is usually removed after the onion and pepper are cooked. Combine all ingredients and simmer 20 to 30 minutes to heat thoroughly and blend flavors, then serve. (Released by Western Newspaper Union.)

A quiz with answers offering information on various subjects

The Questions

state to be admitted to the Union? 2. How many times does the tide ebb and flow during each period of 24 hours and 51 minutes?

3. What is the smallest independent state in South America? 4. How does the area of Greenland compare with that of the British Isles?

5. What king rebuked the flattery of his courtiers by showing that the advancing waves paid no to September 16, 1787, not countheed to his command?

6. Approximately how many 1. What was the fourteenth days were required to frame the tate to be admitted to the Union?

The Answers

Vermont, March 4, 1791.

Twice. Uruguay.

Greenland, with an area of 826,000 square miles, is nearly 7 times the size of the British Isles. 5. Canute (king of Norway, Denmark and England).

6. One hundred (from May 25 ing Sundays.



If the beaten eggs are mixed with milk that is slightly warm when making custards the custard will not be watery.

When baking candied sweet potatoes turn them frequently to permit even browning.

To remove fresh fruit stains from table linen, stretch the stained part over a bowl and pour boiling water over it.

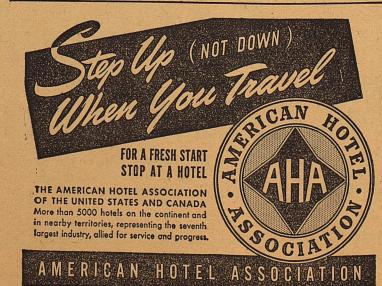
Canned foods that spoil should be buried with one tablespoonful of lye to each quart to keep animals away from it.

If washable curtains become rusted on the rods during damp weather, dampen the rust spots and cover them with a thin coating of salts of lemon. Let stand until the stains disappear.



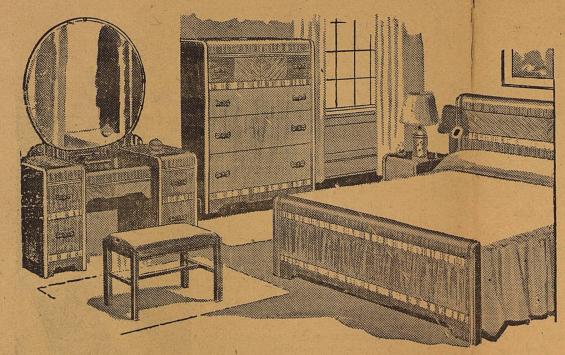


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