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The new funeral home is located across the street north from the American Legion hall and the public is invited to inspect this new home on June 10th and 11th. Mr. Womack stated, "even though everyone does not receive a personal invitation, we extend them a cordial welcome to come and visit our new home on Saturday and Sunday." The new home is equipped with a home like slumber room where the remains may lay in state until they are taken home or until the services are conducted. The display room has a varied selection of caskets priced within the reach of all. We believe the preparation room is one of the most modern up-to-date in this part of the country. There will be a lady attendant, four licensed funeral directors, and two licensed embalmers available at all times. Mr. Womack stated, "That he believed the people of this town and adjoining communities will be better served with their loved ones being taken care of here, rather than to be carried away so far. There will be a number of assistants during our opening days to better explain to our friends the services that we are rendering and gladly answering any questions that may be of interest." The services of a number of singers have been secured to furnish special music for the occasion. On Sunday night, all the churches of this city and adjoining communities will gather at the new Funeral Home at seven o'clock for a joint dedication service. There has been such a musical program arranged that everyone will regret if they miss this service. Even though you have already visited the establishment, the personnel especially wants you present for this dedication service. Many singers and other musicians have been secured from Hedley, Amarillo, Wellington and Memphis in order that no one will regret having attended this service.

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 Responsive Reading, No. 818  
 The Gloria Patri  
 Scripture reading, 1 Cor. 16:1-2  
 Offering  
 Hymn No. 4, "My Faith Looks Up to Thee"  
 Address, W. T. Haysler  
 Hymn No. 249, "I'll Live for Thee"  
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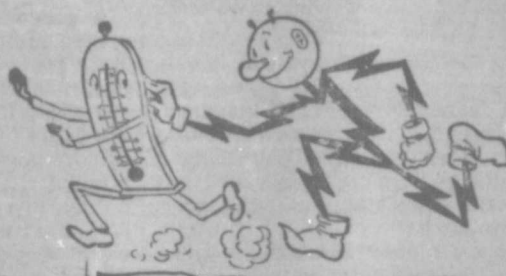
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# Yugoslavia Is Europe's New Tinder Box; Minority Problem May Force Its Collapse

Repetition of Czech Coup Seen for Dictators; Italy's Turn Now.

By JULES DORMIER

Last year it was Czecho-Slovakia. This year it's Yugoslavia. The cast is different, the scale changed. But the drama is the same—a stubborn minority versus the strong central government. The background is also similar—an abortive nationalist history which got its start in the hasty halls of Versailles.

This is what happens when uninformed treaty makers disregard centuries of tradition, tossing cats and dogs in the same pen. Eventually the cats (or the dogs) subdue their enemies, who cringe vengefully in the corner awaiting the time to strike back. Now is the time.

Just as Sudeten Germans could legitimately complain that Czechs and Slovaks were purposely subduing them, so can Yugoslavia's Croats claim discrimination on the part of the more powerful Serbs who run the Belgrade government. It grows from centuries of dislike, aided by the fact that Croats are traditionally Catholic and the Serbs are Greek Orthodox and Moslems. Croats consider Serbs uncultured barbarians.

### Planned Federalist State.

But the pressure of war sometimes makes strange bedfellows. In 1917 the Croats—anticipating break-up of the Austro-Hungarian empire—joined the Slovenes and Serbs in formation of a new state in which all three groups were to have equal constituent rights. The capital, unfortunately for the Croats, was placed at Serbian Belgrade.

Any Croat, like Dr. Vladimir Matchek, the groups "Gandhi," will readily outline the succeeding 20 years' grievances.

Yugoslavia's army has 202 generals, only two of whom are Croats, though there are about 6,000,000 Croats and 9,000,000 Serbs in the nation. Croats have no hand in running the state and they say—are regarded by Belgrade as good for only one thing: paying taxes.

Last December came the crowning blow. At the regular election Dr. Matchek's forces won at least 90 per cent of all votes cast by Croats, but were not given seats because Yugoslav election laws—allegedly "framed" by Belgrade politicians—provide that the party winning a bare majority automatically gets two-thirds of the seats in parliament.

Feeling that his regularly elected deputies have a right to speak for the people, Dr. Matchek founded an extra-legal Croatian national assembly which sits at Zagreb and refuses to recognize the present Yugoslav government.

### Unsigned Settlement.

A settlement was almost reached April 27 when Dr. Matchek claims he signed an agreement with Premier Dragisa Cvetkovich under which Yugoslavia would be divided into three autonomous provinces as shown on the accompanying map. Dalmatians and Croats would form one group, Slovenes a second, and the rest of the nation a third state in which would dwell a confusion of Moslems, Serbs, Montenegrins, Albanians, Bulgarians and Rumanians.

### SIGNS OF TIMES

1. 'Luxury' Goods on Upswing
2. 'Good' Music Is Coming Back

MINNEAPOLIS.—Pianos, phonographs and records have renewed the sensational comeback which they began in 1934 and 1935, with the American public "going in" for good music and higher priced records; sales are running 20 to 40 per cent ahead of last spring and are close to 1937 levels, according to a quarterly study of demand for luxury and semi-luxury goods by Northwestern National Life Insurance company.

The public are also buying more luggage, furniture, furs and costume jewelry than this time last year, the company figures for 236 department stores show. Also men's clothing, which usually leads the trend of department store sales, made its best comparative showing in March, with sales 10 per cent over March of a year ago.

Sporting goods sales still lag behind the spring of 1938, but are gaining. Favorable golfing weather is having its effect, and the centennial of baseball's beginnings has resulted in gains exceeding 25 per cent in that field.

### Classics Revived.

Dollar sales of phonographs and records for March climbed to within 2 per cent of March, 1937, and exceeded March, 1938, by 40 per cent. With the sales tempo speeding up in April, preliminary figures indicated that that month would ex-



ROUBLE AREA—Map shows Yugoslavia, with minority groups which might be "liberated" by Greece, Bulgaria, Rumania and Hungary in case internal revolt developed from the Croatian issue. Boundaries of the proposed autonomous states for Slovenes, Croats and Serbs are shown by broken lines.

This plan for a strong federated state might have saved Yugoslavia but Prince Paul, senior regent until 15-year-old King Peter comes of age, is said to have rejected it. Later, newspaper correspondents were shown the official draft of the agreement and found it carried no signature. Now the Zagreb assembly has voted Dr. Matchek dictatorial powers, ordering him to keep the existence and liberty of a Croatian nation above all other considerations.

### Stage Is Set for Italy.

This is the typical powder-keg situation which aggressive Germany and Italy love to "solve" by sending troops to "keep peace." If the march does come, it will probably be from Italy, for the Rome-Berlin axis has apparently granted Mussolini a carte blanche in the Adriatic area in exchange for help in stopping Poland of Danzig and the Polish corridor. It will further be Italy's province because Rome does not dare allow Germany—good friend though she is—to push southward into the Italian sphere of influence. Capture of Yugoslavia would give Germany an outlet to the

Mediterranean sea, and this Italy cannot afford.

The time may soon come when Prince Paul is unable to take care of himself, and Italy is carefully planning toward that day. Rome has sponsored an Italian-Yugoslavian friendship treaty under which Mussolini's soldiers would probably come to Prince Paul's "defense" in the event of a Croat uprising. Italy, and Germany, have engineered a treaty of friendship and non-aggression between Hungary and Yugoslavia, thereby defining the Hungarian-Yugoslavian boundary as the dividing line between German and Italian influence.

### Croats Dislike Fascists.

The Croats want no truck with dictators; a few months ago they looked favorably on Germany and thought of inviting Der Fuehrer to "liberate" them. Subsequent news of developments in Austria and Czecho-Slovakia has changed their minds but they probably realize that the price they pay for independence from the Serb yoke may be dependence on Italy.

It is recalled that when Germany seized Czecho-Slovakia all her neighbors rushed in to get their share of the spoils. Since Yugoslavia's story parallels Czecho-Slovakia's thus far, its coming history might be written in advance this way:

A Croat uprising could get so bad that Prince Paul would invite Mussolini's aid, immediately available from the "colony" of Albania. At a moment's notice Greece would invade to recapture her Macedonians, Bulgaria to free her nationals, Rumania to get hers, and Hungary to liberate the Germans and Magyars placed under Yugoslavia's care by the Versailles treaty. In such a situation the highly anti-Fascist Croats would probably appeal to France and Britain, thus endangering European peace once more.

It is significant that the rulers of Europe invariably play their diplomatic games on other fronts, yet go back to the Balkans when it comes time to start a war. Twenty-five years ago this June Archduke Franz Ferdinand and his wife were assassinated at Sarajevo, Serbia; (now Yugoslavia) and the World war resulted.

Today Yugoslavia's neutral independence is one of the greatest safeguards to European peace. Strategically placed, she separates ambitious Germany from such easy marks as Bulgaria and Greece. She keeps both Italy and Germany from locking horns with Rumania and blocks any expansionist ambitions Hungary may entertain.

But will Yugoslavia, a "war baby" like Czecho-Slovakia, explode from internal pressure and again endanger European peace? It may happen during the next few weeks or months; keep a weather eye on the Balkans.

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## Bruckart's Washington Digest

# Hoan's 'Good Government' Plea Ignored by Washington Press

Milwaukee Mayor's Criticism of Relief Administration Practices Neglected as Mayor LaGuardia Furnishes Usual Newspaper Copy.

By WILLIAM BRUCKART

WNU Service, National Press Bldg., Washington, D. C.

WASHINGTON.—It has come to be quite a habit for mayors of cities and governors of states to come rushing to Washington for appearances before congressional committees. They appear as out of the blue sky; rush to the capitol; testify before a committee; repair to a hotel suite and hold a press conference and gain a lot of publicity, and go back home. They usually come for just one thing—money.

Visitations to Washington, therefore, have become fashionable as a political game. And if, as a result of the words of alleged wisdom dropped from the lips of the self-appointed purveyors of people's thoughts, new checks should be forthcoming from the United States treasury—"ah," they say, "we got it for you."

The traffic in mayors and governors, especially mayors, has grown so heavy that it is seldom news, except for the mayor's home town; and, frankly, the news writers describe them as being worth about a dime a dozen from a strictly news standpoint. I don't mean to neglect the governors when I stress the number of mayors. It is a fact that there are more mayors who come, hat in hand and a bouquet to toss to themselves later, than there are governors. It is just like the fact that there are more freshmen in high school than there are graduates from college, because hundreds of them drop by the wayside.

### Hoan Flays Relief Spending

These preliminaries ought to explain why the appearance here the other day of Mayor Daniel W. Hoan of Milwaukee, Wis., failed to get anything like the attention it deserved from the press. Now, Mayor Hoan is a socialist. He is, however, an individual who thinks about city administration along many practical lines, thus differing from the mine run of mayors who are concerned only with re-election or a political promotion. The mayor came to testify, but the mayor wasn't in the capital city just to beg for money for Milwaukee. He saw some things around here which he believed were wrong, as national policy, and he talked about them.

Said the Milwaukee mayor, in substance: you fellows are spending a lot of money for relief of the destitute; you are wasting a lot of that money, and it ought to be stopped. It ought to be stopped because you are letting the states and the cities get into the habit of coming to Washington for money and more money. They are, therefore, getting out of the habit of justifying to the people of their communities the necessity of expenditures they are making and money their poor are using. In other words, you ought to make the states and the cities kick in with a greater share for the support of those on relief, and force them again to recognize that taxes must be paid for wasted, as well as proper use of funds. And, more important than anything else, you ought to put this relief business on a pay-as-you-go basis and stop getting further into debt.

Those were not Mayor Hoan's words, of course. Yet I have presented them as substantially what his testimony meant, and seldom, in recent years, have I heard better sense spoken to a committee of congress. To me, it was almost startling testimony, the more so because it was offered while another committee was looking into President Roosevelt's request for \$1,750,000,000 for relief in the next year. It should be said just here that Mr. Roosevelt's appeal for the annual relief appropriation was, or appears to be, modest. That is, the amount is modest if it is all he will ask for. There are those who expect that he will ask congress next winter for a deficiency appropriation when the projected sum runs out.

### Charges States Shirk Relief Responsibilities

Mayor Hoan appeared to believe that some of the states were, and are, shirking their responsibilities. It is so easy to come to Washington and tell a congressional committee that "our people are destitute and we have no money to care for them." Aside from the mayor's belief, it ought to be observed that the mayors and the governors are prone to think only of how much money they can pay out without having to assess their own taxpayers for it. They are not to be concerned with federal policy in relief matters, and they are all too willing to avoid references to their own responsibility. They apparently have a new slogan: "Pull Uncle Sam's leg."

Another mayor was around town at the same time that Mayor Hoan was here. He was Mayor LaGuardia of New York. Nobody seems to know exactly where "the Little Flower" should be catalogued, politically. He once was a member of congress as a Republican. That is, he was a

Republican when he came in, but he wandered around into three or four different political parties and seems now to be among the bell wethers of the American labor party. Anyway, the New York mayor is a great little testifier in favor of getting all of the money for New York city that is possible—so long as it comes from the federal treasury.

Mayor LaGuardia is a great favorite among many news correspondents in Washington. He is what is called "good copy." That is to say, he always is ready with comment on—well, on about any subject. Picture it for yourself; if you were a writer and had to have stories for your next edition and you found the mayor of a great city willing to talk, a-plenty! Let there be no misunderstanding about that.

### LaGuardia's Statement Politically Expedient

Surely, then, a casual reader can understand why the comparative statements of mayors of two great cities had the effect on me that I have attempted to report. One of them giving consideration to the future of the nation as a whole, a statesmanlike examination of a paralyzing policy; the other apparently thinking only of protecting the political hide of himself.

So, I say that Mayor Hoan's testimony was almost sensational, while Mayor LaGuardia was singing the same old refrain of "gimme, gimme." And I believe thoroughly that the words of the Milwaukee mayor will sharpen the wits and stir the courage of those men and women in congress who are seeking an honest solution for the relief problem that is now scarcely less repulsive than a festering sore.

It was quite by coincidence of course that Mayor Hoan's observations should have come about the time that a house subcommittee should have unearthed some evidence concerning uses of WPA money that actually stinks. I do not know about the truth of the evidence, but it is a matter of official record now.

A subcommittee investigator presented statements to the effect that WPA money was used to build lakes in Tennessee "without reference to the need for recreational facilities considered on any statewide or community basis." The statements were attributed to a member of the Tennessee fish and game commission, and the investigator's conclusions were that the money had been diverted in this manner in order to increase the value of real estate held by several politicians.

The investigator and his sources of information named ex-Senator George L. Berry and Gov. Prentice Cooper, of Tennessee, as holders of land which benefited by the WPA-built lakes. This is the same Senator Berry who sued the Tennessee Valley Authority for a million dollars or so on account of damage claimed to have been done by construction of one or more of the TVA dams. The then member of the United States senate charged that some of his marble quarries were under 50 feet of water as a result of TVA dams.

### Move Started to Publish WPA Salaries

As a part of this general WPA use and misuse of millions of dollars, Rep. Joe Martin of Massachusetts, has started a move to find out how much money is being paid to those who run WPA. He has introduced a resolution to have the WPA headquarters here supply the house with a complete list of salaries paid under WPA. You know, there have been many charges tossed about concerning the salaries paid out of WPA funds—and the lack of work done for them. In other words, Mr. Martin wants to know some facts why only about 60 cents out of each WPA dollar ever gets down the line to the poor devil out of a job and with a wife and children to feed.

This action on the part of Mr. Martin seems to link into contentions long made that numerous politicians have placed their pets in WPA top jobs where, if need be, they could be quite influential, politically. Mr. Martin tried to obtain the information about Massachusetts, but Col. F. C. Harrington, WPA administrator, refused to make the facts public. He contended that disclosure of the salaries would be "embarrassing to those who receive them." Mr. Martin told the house, however, that federal salaries should always be a matter open to the public and he believed there is no more right to secrecy about WPA salaries than about the salary of the President or a member of congress.

It will be interesting to see if the house votes the order to make the list public, but it will be more interesting to see the amounts of those pay checks.

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## Star Dust

- ★ A Promising Newcomer
- ★ Warning Bing Crosby
- ★ Radio Veterans Team Up

By Virginia Vale

WHEN you see "Wuthering Heights" you'll probably want to know something about Geraldine Fitzgerald. She plays the part of "Edgar's" sister, who marries "Heathcliff," and she makes a definite contribution to every scene in which she appears.

She was born in Dublin, Ireland, in 1914, was educated in a convent school, studied painting for a while, and then joined the Gate Players. The Gate Players did repertoire, so Miss Geraldine got experience in all sorts of roles. Then she was asked to make pictures in England, and did; she appeared in "The Turn of the Tide" and "The Mill on the Floss," and went right back to the theater.

But this time it was the New York theater, where she was seen in "Heartbreak House." Hollywood discovered her then. Warner Brothers gave her a contract, (with six months off each year for the theater), and she made tests on the Coast, and then returned to Ireland.

She wouldn't believe that she ought to return for "Dark Victory" until she had received three letters and a cablegram; she'd known people who rushed to Hollywood and then sat around and waited everlastingly for things to get started. But she finally returned, was borrowed by Samuel Goldwyn for "Wuthering Heights," and made "Dark Victory."

If Bing Crosby is ever found mysteriously dead a lot of the other singers in motion pictures will probably be questioned by the police.

Some one of them will certainly be driven to commit the crime by the way in which the young man



BING CROSBY

sings. For example, he strolled into the Universal sound room not so long ago, took the pipe out of his mouth, sang four songs, one after another, put his pipe into his mouth again and went home. The recordings were perfect—you'll hear them in "East Side of Heaven," which is probably his best picture to date.

All of which won't seem remarkable to you unless you know what a complicated business this matter of recording sounds can be.

Mr. Crosby has been known to astound fellow-singers even more by eating a heavy luncheon before he had to sing, without its affecting the result at all.

Erno Rapee, Jane Froman and Jan Peerce will be co-starred in a gala musical revue which has been signed to replace the Screen Guild show on the Columbia network for the summer months, beginning June 11. There will also be a 16-voice mixed chorus.

The three stars are radio veterans, but this is the first time that they have appeared together. Rapee is one of the best known musical directors in America, Jane Froman has made a name for herself in both movies and radio, and Jan Peerce has long been a protegee of Rapee's as well as one of the screen's popular singers.

The Andrews sisters like nothing better than a practical joke. Recently, while making a personal appearance at a theater in Brooklyn, N. Y., they tried to enter an amateur contest at a neighboring theater. The master of ceremonies wanted to hear their act before they went on, and they told him they would do their version of the Andrews Sisters' original version of "Hold Tight."

When they finished he sadly shook his head. "Sorry, girls, but I can't use you," he said. "That was the worst imitation of the Andrews Sisters I ever heard."

ODDS AND ENDS—Rudy Vallee, who recently announced on the air that he'd like to direct pictures, recently wrote and acted in a dramatic skit on his weekly broadcast, as well as acting as master of ceremonies, directing the music, and doing a bit of singing. . . . Louis Stons is proud of his record in pictures, but he's prouder just now of receiving an award for driving 500,000 miles in 34 years without having a traffic accident.

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# THREE SHUTTERED HOUSES

By BEN AMES WILLIAMS

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CHAPTER XII—Continued

Tope handed June the pad on which he had been writing, and Clint stood at her shoulder so that they read it together.

Miss Leaford began getting supper before dark. Everyone came to supper except Mrs. Bowdon. They came in relays.

About 7:50 Mrs. Taine came to put Mr. and Mrs. Hurder to bed. About eight, Asa Taine came for a cup of tea, used milk out of the bottle.

After he left, Mrs. Taine heated milk for Mr. and Mrs. Hurder. Rab Taine came in to say good night. The milk was on the stove. He stood near the stove. Then he left for Providence.

About 8:25 Mrs. Taine left, Mr. and Mrs. Hurder in bed. About 8:30 Miss Leaford turned out downstairs lights and went to her room. About 8:45 she met Clint outside.

About 11:05 Clint and Miss Leaford returned and stopped in front of the house.

About 11:10 they saw the fire. At 11:19 exactly, the alarm was rung in. The apparatus arrived at exactly 11:23. Mrs. Taine and Asa arrived at the fire about 11:21.

At exactly 11:31 Mrs. Taine put in a call for Providence to her son.

While June and Clint studied this schedule in silence, Tope explained: "You know when you went upstairs, and when you went out to meet Clint; and I've guessed at the times before that. I know when the alarm was rung in, and when the apparatus arrived; and by allowing for all you and Clint did after you saw the fire and before the apparatus arrived, I can figure out about the time you saw the fire."

"Yes," June said. "This seems about right."

"I've a record of the call to Providence," Tope added. "How bad was the fire then—when your aunt went to phone?"

"The whole house was burning," June decided.

Tope nodded. "There's one other question I've got to ask you," he said gravely. "Do you think any one of your relatives might have given your mother poison? Or set the house on fire?"

"No, no," June whispered. "They were hard and stubborn; but—No. No."

"Did any of them except your mother ever take a sleeping-powder?" he insisted.

She hesitated. "Why, yes," she said doubtfully. "Uncle Justus did."

And she explained in a faint amusement: "He really had insomnia, sometimes. It seems odd, because he could always sleep in a chair; but sometimes he couldn't sleep in bed. Doctor Cabler gave him some tablets once; but Aunt Evie took them away from him, wouldn't let him use them. So poor Uncle Justus used to ask me to give him a tablet out of Mother's bottle, now and then; and I know Rab took some for him once."

"When was that?" Tope asked gravely.

"About a month ago," June reflected. "I found Rab in the bathroom; he told me."

Tope wagged his head; but he did not push this matter further. "Did you know Miss Thayer?" he asked. "Her name's Lissa."

"Yes," June assented. "That is, I saw her sometimes, when I was walking in the woods."

"Did you ever see your cousin Asa with her?" Tope asked. The girl shook her head; and Tope explained:

"I saw them kiss each other to-night at the fire. They were back in the shadows, but I saw."

"Asa?" June cried incredulously. "You never knew anything about that?"

"Oh, no," she declared. "But if Asa loved her, he wouldn't have dared tell anyone. They'd have been furious. Aunt Evie, and Grandma Bowdon, I mean."

"You think so?" Tope prompted her.

"Yes! Mother used to tell me— She hesitated, went bravely on: "Mother used to tell me that if I married without their consent, they would crush me. They did crush her, you know."

Inspector Tope nodded; and he picked his words with care. "You remember Mr. Glover, who lived in the cabin in the woods—the man you called Uncle Jim. You liked him, didn't you?"

"Yes," she said. "So much. He went away, after Mother died."

"He's come back," the Inspector said. "Where is he?" she cried eagerly.

Tope hesitated, he confessed at last: "Inspector Heale is holding him."

"You mean—arrested him?" Her cheek was pale.

"Heale thought he might have had something to do—"

"Oh," she protested in loyal pride. "Uncle Jim wouldn't. No, no."

"He came back at noon today," Tope explained. "Came back asking for you. . . . Miss Leaford, I used to be a policeman. I'm trying to find out what happened out there. You understand that we are sure your mother, somehow, was poisoned. Someone put some extra tablets in that glass of milk she drank. It might have been done while the milk was still in the bottle, in Mrs. Bowdon's refrigerator. Or afterward in your grandmother's kitchen, or on the way upstairs, or after it was taken upstairs. And anyone might have done it. Anyone at all."

The girl was trembling, but her eyes were steady.

And when he did not speak, she cried: "Why should they do a thing like that?"

He said slowly: "They might have been afraid—afraid of something we don't know about. Or wanting something." And he spoke to Miss Moss. "Justus Taine has all the wills, Bowdon's and Hurder's. He wouldn't tell me what's in them. They'll be public by and by, but—there may not

met you in the woods, and you told him who you were. So he stayed, to be near you, lived in the cabin there. They wanted to put him off the land; but there wasn't any divorce, and he threatened to make trouble unless they let him stay. He didn't ask anything of them except to be near you, to see you sometimes."

He looked at Miss Moss, sure she would understand. "I guess he still loved Kitty Leaford," he said. "When she died, it hit him hard. He went away; but he came back yesterday, says he was asleep in his cabin all last night. So Heale has locked him up."

"It would seem simple enough to Heale," she pointed out. "Heale will say that Mr. Leaford killed Mrs. Leaford and then the Hurders, so that June would inherit their money. Then he could claim June as his daughter, and get her and the money too."

June moved, about to speak; and Clint held her close, protectingly. She said faintly:

"I can remember once, when I was a little girl, Aunt Evie tried to make me stay away from him, and I told him, and he came to the house to see her, and after that she never bothered me. . . ."

"But he didn't do this!" She rubbed her eyes with her hands like one just waking; she stood up, supporting herself by Clint's arm. "Oh, I want to do something!" she cried. "What can I do?"

The Inspector said soberly: "This, if you want to," he said. "I know it's not safe for you—"

"Safe!" she exclaimed almost scornfully. "I don't want to be safe, with my mother dead, and my father—"

"Mr. Hurder's in the Bowdon house," Tope explained. "They aim to keep him there. They won't have a nurse in to take care of him. But Miss Leaford, they'd have you. They want you home, and if you went, and insisted on nursing him—"

Clint made a swift indignant protest; but June hushed him.

"Yes, I understand," she told the man steadily. "I'll go. But why? What am I to do?"

"To watch," he said. "To be ready."

"Ready for what?" she insisted. So, reluctantly, he put the thing in words. "Whoever did this wants Mr. Hurder dead," he pointed out. "I think there'll be another try at killing him."

And he said gravely: "There might be more than that. There might be a try at killing you."

CHAPTER XIII

Clint had listened to Inspector Tope's suggestion that June return to Keneas Hill with an incredulous and angry horror. Now he cried in a bitter wrath:

"No! I won't stand for that. June's been through enough—"

"We'll be there to take care of her," Tope urged. "You and I, Clint. We'll be on the job. It's only for tonight. I've a notion tonight will tell the tale."

"No," Clint insisted. "She's through with them out there, all these people. I'm going to be all her family from now on. If you think I'm going to let her go out there for bait, to bait a trap—"

And he cried: "Why do you have to mix in, Inspector? Let them wash their own dirty linen."

Tope urged gravely: "It's any citizen's duty to do what he can, Clint." His tone was grim. "And son, there's a murderer loose out there. Maybe a maniac. I think he is. There's a terrible, mad persistence in him. Or her."

"Her?" Clint echoed, startled by that pronoun.

Cleaners working in Westminster Abbey recently discovered the site of the cell where the abbey's anchorite, or holy man, kept lonely vigil centuries ago. It was in this cell, tradition says, that wild young Henry V spent a repentant night when his father, the fourth King Henry, died in the Jerusalem chamber of the abbey.

The discovery was disclosed by Lawrence Tanner, keeper of the monuments of the abbey. He said the find was made during cleaning operations on a monument in St. Benedict's chapel to Dr. Gabriel Goodman, a former dean of Westminster, who died in 1601. The monument shows the dean kneeling at a praying desk.

"Behind the praying desk was found in the stonework a little window so placed that anyone looking through would see the altar of the chapel," Tanner said.

Just to the side of monument is a door, now blocked, which had, as it had seemed to us for years, no obvious purpose.

"Taking this door in conjunction with the newly discovered window

and bearing in mind other features, we concluded that the door led to a little room outside abutting on the abbey and therein must have dwelt the abbey hermit or recluse.

"Through that door must have passed Henry V on the night of his father's death, when the young king spent the night with the abbey recluse and vowed to lead a new life."

Tanner explained that the hermit usually was an elderly monk regarded as no longer fit for active work and given the job of anchorite as a sort of retirement.

St. Francis' Tomb

Sancien island, scene of the establishment of the first Christian mission in the Orient, is the land in which St. Francis Xavier established a mission in spite of efforts to keep him and his devoted band from the Orient. And on this island he lies buried. In late August, 1533, he landed on the island, called Chang-shuen-shan, off the coast of Kwang-tung which served as a rendezvous for Europeans. Soon after his arrival Xavier was seized with a fever, and died there.

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## FARM TOPICS

NAIL ASSORTMENT HELPFUL ON FARM

Cost Is Negligible, but Uses Numerous.

By E. R. GROSS

The well-equipped farm shop includes an assortment of nails so that the proper size and type may be chosen for each job, whether it be repairing a building, constructing a fence or mending a fragile chair, says the agricultural engineering department at the New Jersey college of agriculture, Rutgers university.

The cost of an adequate variety of nails is negligible. From one-half pound to three pounds, according to size, of each of a dozen varieties makes an excellent kit of nails. Tin cans are handy containers.

The sturdiness of the nailed joint depends upon the friction between nail and wood, hence it is determined by the choice of size and kind of nail, the number used and the proper assembly of the wood parts. Good nailing is important, not only to get lasting results, but also to avoid accidents due to improper nailing.

Using the proper length of nail requires that two-thirds of the nail should penetrate the piece of wood receiving the point. Thus the length should be at least three times the thickness of the outer piece. When thin materials prevent proper penetration, use additional nails to provide an equivalent area of surface contact in the wood receiving the point.

Farm practice allows "clinch" nails which penetrate through the wood. Bending the point of the clinched nail across rather than with the grain of the wood greatly increases the strength of the joint. A firm blow in clinching should form a hook imbedding the nail point in the wood. Use plenty of nails as the strength of the joint increases directly with the number of nails. When the wood tends to split, use boxing nails which are thinner than common nails.

Whenever the use permits, drive nails perpendicular to the surface. The slanting drive to "draw the wood" has little advantage. "Shiners" or nails coming out of the side of the piece, weaken the joints and are likely to cause injury hence should be removed at once. Nails in green wood, wet wood, or those driven into the end of the grain are not effective. Use dry seasoned wood. Properly constructed joints usually permit driving the nails into the side of the grain and not the end.

### Consider Price Reports

In Planning Egg Program

In urging poultrymen to study monthly egg prices before outlining their year's management program, F. P. Jeffrey, poultry instructor at the New Jersey college of agriculture, Rutgers university, offers some figures which indicate that large eggs are relatively more valuable in the fall, while small eggs are generally more profitable during spring months.

"According to the United States department of agriculture figures," he says, "53 per cent of the annual egg production occurs during the four spring months of March, April, May and June. Management factors such as use of artificial illumination in the laying house and date of hatch bear some relationship to the seasonal distribution of the egg yield."

"During the last eight years, there has been a tendency for a rapid decline in the egg market during December and January because of greater receipts during these months. At New York, in the period of 1924-30, 5.6 per cent of the annual receipts of eggs arrived during January, while in the period of 1931-37, 7.4 per cent arrived during the same month."

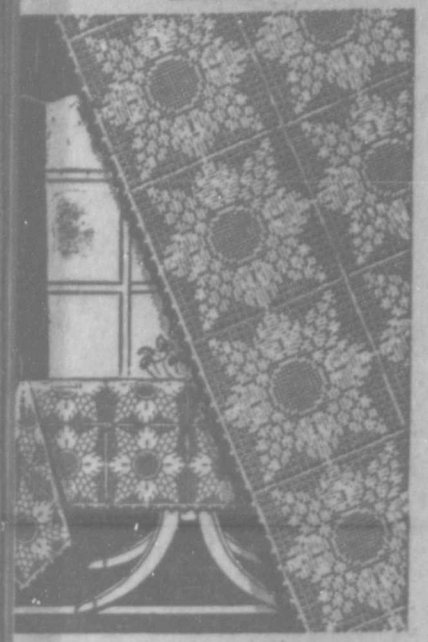
### Vitamins for Better Eggs

That the quality as well as quantity of vitamins in hen rations affects the quality of eggs produced is the conclusion of Dr. R. M. Beth and associates after careful investigation at the Ohio experiment station. Among the results obtained were: 1. A ration low in vitamin D caused a low egg production, poorer shells, and low hatchability. 2. Good cod liver oil was superior to ergosterol as a source of vitamin D. 3. Hens getting the most vitamin D produced eggs richest in this substance. It was also concluded that the vitamin D secreted in the egg by the hen is the same biologically as that which she ate.—Country Home magazine.

### Lights for Poultry Houses

Once a mining post, Fair Yukon now chiefly noted for its fur trade. Like other towns of Alaska, its chief problem used to be its chickens for those canny birds tried to take advantage of their sunlit nights to work and scratch around the clock. Distracted by their work efforts, they lost weight and would not lay, until Alaska solved the problem by providing them with houses which are artificially darkened during the night.

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Think how your finest china will sparkle on a flet cloth formed of these luxurious squares—and what could be more appropriate for a dinner cloth than this choice grape design? Crochet these 10-inch squares (smaller in finer cotton) of mercerized string. Make a scarf as well. Pattern 6307 contains instructions and charts for making the square; materials needed; illustration of square and of stitches.

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A Forlorn Heart  
Is there a heart that music cannot melt? Alas! how is that rugged heart forlorn!—James Beattie.

## NERVOUS?

Do you feel so nervous you want to scream? Are you cross and irritable? Do you seek those darkest to you? If your nerves are on edge and you feel you need a good general system tonic, try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made especially for women.

For over 60 years one woman has told another how to go "smiling thru" with reliable Pinkham's Compound. It helps nature build up more physical resistance and thus helps calm quivering nerves and lessen discomforts from annoying symptoms which often accompany female functional disorders. Why not give it a chance to help YOU? Over one million women have written in reporting wonderful benefits from Pinkham's Compound.

Narrow View  
He who never leaves his country is full of prejudices.—Goldoni.



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Matches, carton of 6 boxes 17c	4 chances at 30 piece set of dishes free with each sack
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Oats, Quaker, large box 18c	
Coffee, Folger's, 1 lb. can 28c	
Potato Chips, 3 1-4 oz. pkg. 9c	
Rice, 2 1/2 lb. box 15c	
Box Oxydol and bar Lava Soap for 25c	
GNB Tomato Juice, tall can, 3 for 21c	
Mustard, qt. jar 10c	
Oranges, 3 doz. 29c	

### Market Bargains

Oleo, Sunlite, 2 lb. 25c
Rolled Roast, the best, lb. 22c
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Flour, M System Best, guaranteed to please, 48 lb. sack \$1.25

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## M System Grocery

### NOTICE

Postmaster Mabel E. Jones announces that she has been advised that the quota of enlistments for the month of June assigned to the United States Marine Corps recruiting district of Dallas, headquarters for Texas and Oklahoma, has been set at thirty seven.

Young men between the ages of 18 and 25, of good moral character and who have had high school training are eligible to make application. Application forms may be obtained at the Post Office or by writing to the Marine Corps Recruiting Office, Dallas. The Postmaster said those accepted will be enlisted and immediately transferred to the Marine Corps Base, San Diego, Calif. for basic instruction preparatory to assignment to regular duty, he said.

Highest market price paid for our hogs Ship from Clarendon every Friday.

W. B. Mayfield

Mrs. W. H. Moffitt spent last week end in Wichita Falls.



PHONE 29 when you know a News Item

### Sheriff's Notice of Sale

State of Texas  
County of Donley  
Whereas, by virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the 17th District Court of Tarrant County, Texas, on a judgment rendered in said Court on the 27th day of April, 1939, in favor of Anna E. Bomar and W. P. Bomar and against Merie Caldwell and her husband, L. A. Caldwell, Wilma Reed and her husband, H. I. Reed, G. Hugh Crain and D. L. Kinard, Independent Executor of the Will of L. V. Crain, deceased, in the case of Anna E. Bomar, et al vs Merie Caldwell, et al, No. 18,856 A, on the docket of said Court, I did, on the 2nd day of June, 1939, at 10 o'clock a. m., levy upon the following described tract and parcel of land situated in Donley County, Texas, and belonging to the defendants Merie Caldwell, L. A. Caldwell, Wilma Reed, H. I. Reed, G. Hugh Crain and D. L. Kinard, Independent Executor of the Will of L. V. Crain, deceased, to wit:

100 acres of land, being all of Section No. 82 in Block No. 20, Contiguous No. 11-2144, in the name of H. & G. N. R. R. Co.; and on the 4th day of July, 1939, being the first Tuesday of said month, between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M. of said day, at the Court House of said County, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction, for cash, all the right, title and interest of the above named defendants in and to said property.

Filed at Clarendon this 2nd day of June, 1939

Gay Pierce  
Sheriff of Donley County, Texas.

Mrs. Robyn Ellis has returned from Memphis hospital where she has been undergoing treatment for a throat infection.

### Hadley Girls Get Degrees

Denton, June 8—Graduating with the largest class in the history of the college, Misses Martha Sue Noel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Noel and Joyce Tinsley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Tinsley, received their bachelor's degrees Monday June 5, at the 88th annual commencement exercises of the Texas State College for Women.

The traditional commencement speaker, President L. H. Hubbard, addressed the 350 graduates whom Dean E. V. White recommended as candidates for degrees. Honoring the seniors, a 4 day program of teas, receptions and other affairs preceded the exercises.

Miss Noel, one of the 22 honor graduates, did her major work in bacteriology and her minor in sociology. Active in numerous student affairs, she served as vice president of Alpha Chi.

With education as her major subject, Miss Tinsley also did work in English. Also interested in extra curricular activities, she was a member of the Kindergarten Primary Club.

Ivan Jones returned Saturday from Houston, where he attended Rice Institute the past term. Ivan is a star member of the Rice track team, and won two watches this spring at the Drake relays. Ivan was also listed on the national Spalding honor roll for his performance in the 220 yd dash.

Best wishes of a wide circle of friends go with Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Caldwell and Joyce Armstrong and family, who moved to Childress this week. Messrs. Caldwell and Armstrong will operate a grocery there.

A. B. McPherson and family of MeLeas visited here Sunday.

### PASTIME THEATRE

Clarendon, Texas

Thurs Fri Sat June 8 9 10

Errol Flynn and Olivia DeHavilland in

Dodge City

Our Gang Comedy

10 25c

Fox Movietone Every Friday

Sat prev - Sun Mon June 10 11 12

Jean Arthur and Cary Grant in

Only Angels Have Wings

Also Fox News and Cartoon

10 25c

Tuesday Only June 13

John Garfield and the Dead End Kids in

They Made Me a Criminal

Also Paramount Variety

Bargain Day

Admission 10c to everybody

Wed Thurs June 14 15

Virginia Bruce, Melvyn Douglas in

There's that Woman Again

Also Musical Comedy

10 25c

Coming Attractions

June 17 18 19 Bette Davis in "Dark Victory"

June 21 22 23 Alice Faye in "Tallala"

Matinee Every Day 2:00

Evening shows at 8:00

### COZY THEATRE

Saturday only, June 10

Gene Autry in

Rhythm in the Saddle

Also Chapter 1 of "Dixie Tracy Returns" with Ralph Byrd

10 15c

### BASEBALL

The Hadley baseball team came from behind Sunday to defeat the Bell team by a score of 10 to 8. Childress and Morris pitched for the local team.

Measames John Blankenship, Murray Donald and Pete Armstrong and Joy Blankenship visited Olson Blankenship and family at Bowie last week end.

Mr and Mrs J. B. Masterson left Monday for Roswell, N. Mex to bring home their grandson, Jack Battle. Jack has been attending New Mexico Military Institute. J. B. Alexander of Albuquerque also returned with them.

Mr and Mrs W. E. Whitfield of Amarillo visited relatives here Sunday. Hazel and Clifford Whitfield returned home with them for a visit.

Mr and Mrs J. S. Hinds returned to their home at Tye Friday after a visit with her parents here. Mrs. Frank Kendall accompanied them home for a visit.

Mr and Mrs Ross Adamson are enjoying a vacation trip to Austin.

Lyman Davenport, Misses Le's Ruth Watt and Carmen Acamson returned home last week from Canyon, where they attended W. T. S. C. the past term.

W. B. Stewart visited in Pampa last week.

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Open on Sundays from 1 till 6 in the afternoon

MEDKIEF & MARRS

### Bowling Club News

Myrtle Willis won high score for women last week with 240.

George Thompson won men's high score last week with 809.

Mrs. Earl Tollett was high Wednesday morning in the ladies free bowling with a score of 221.

### NOTICE

A vacation Bible school began Monday at the Methodist church. All children of the town are invited to attend.

For Sale—State certified Nancy Hall sweet potato slips. Write Carl L. Naylor, Clarendon Naylor route, or see Ott Saunders.

### NOTICE

A revival will begin at the Church of Christ on Sunday, June 25. Tillitt S. Toddle of Dallas will preach. You have a cordial invitation to attend.

Mrs. Mary Reast left this week to spend the summer with her daughter and family at Harlingen.

Miss Madge Robinson left Saturday for Abilene to attend the summer session of A. C. O.

Erroll Fathers and family of Perryton visited here over the week end.

Mrs. Bob Adamson left Wednesday for her home at Denver, Colo., after a visit with relatives here.

Mrs. Robert Watkins and Miss Sarah Hendricks are attending summer school in Denton.

Rev. Walter Patterson and family are attending the Nazarene convention at Quanah this week.

### Church of the Nazarene

Walter Patterson, Pastor  
Sunday School each Sunday morning, 9:45  
Preaching service, 11:00  
N. Y. P. S., 6:30 p. m.  
Preaching service, 7:15 p. m.  
W. F. M. S. Monday afternoon at the church, 2:00  
Wednesday evening Prayer meeting, 7:00  
Friday night choir and orchestra practice, 7:00 to 8:00.

Bring your boot orders to Kendall's Shoe Shop and save money.

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### HEDLEY LODGE NO. 991

A. F. and A. M. meets on the 3rd Thursday of each month.

All members are urged to attend. Visitors are welcome.

Leon Reeves, W. M.  
O. K. Johnson, Sec.

### HEDLEY LODGE NO. 413

Hedley Chapter No. 413, O. E. S. meets the first Friday of each month at 2:30 p. m.

Members are requested to attend. Visitors welcome.  
Margaret Carter, W. M.  
Tennie Masterson, Sec.

### WEST BAPTIST CHURCH

V. A. Hansard, pastor  
Sunday School at 10 a. m.  
Preaching 1st, 2nd, and 4th Sundays. Morning services at 11 a. m.; evening service 7:30 p. m. Visitors are always welcome.