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Cotton Report

Census report shows that 5617 bales of cotton were ginned in Donley County from the crop of 1941 prior to Dec. 1st as compared with 7942 bales for the crop of 1945.

FOR SALE

Hedley income property, Bond W. Johnson Estate. Net 12% on investment. Original price was \$3,300.00. Bids solicited. Write Mrs. A. T. Curran, 1906 Portsmouth, Houston, Texas.

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Floyd Sims, Church Clerk
John Naab, Church Treasurer
Rev. H. T. Harris, Pastor.

Church of Christ

Sunday School 10:00 A. M.
Welcome to the Church of Christ.

Homer A. Pool Dies

The following was taken from the Amarillo Daily News for Saturday, Dec. 21.

Dumas, Dec. 20—Homer A. Pool, 44 years old, principal of Dumas High School, died of a heart attack this morning at his home here.

Funeral services will be held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Dumas High School auditorium. Rev. Frank Beauchamp, Dumas Methodist minister, will officiate.

The body will be taken to Clarendon Sunday afternoon for burial in Citizens Cemetery.

Mr. Pool is survived by his wife Mrs. Ariene Pool; a daughter, Gwendolyn, four years old; and a son, John Anthony, eight months old. Also surviving is his father, Jess Pool, Clarendon; two brothers W. N. Pool, Lelia Lake, and Carl Pool, San Angelo; and two sisters, Mrs. Jessie Willingham, Muleshoe and Miss Ila Pool, Pampa.

Mr. Pool came to Dumas from Floydada where he had served as high school principal for two years prior to that he was for two years principal and football coach at Stanton. He also served as recreational director at Borger for a short time.

Mr. Pool was well known over the South Plains as a coach. He coached at Idalou, Anton, Turkey, Patton Springs and Silvertown before going to Stanton.

Lost—blue plaid coat, size 6. Please return to Hedley Cafe.

For Sale—brooder, Perfection oil burner, 400 capacity. 62p M. L. Baker

Good winter coat for sale. See Mrs. D. L. Hickey. 62p

For Sale—Ivanhoe 5 burner oil stove in good condition. See Mrs. G. F. Frost.

Heavy sows and gilts for sale, also milk cows. See J. E. Painter 53p

Found—pocket watch. Owner may call at Informer office and describe same.

I have anti freeze for sale. See Louis E. McLaughlin. 23p

Uncle Sam Says



United States Savings Bonds could also be called "Opportunity Bonds." Besides insuring your security, Savings Bonds provide family opportunity—opportunity to provide a reserve for educating your children, or for purchasing a home or a farm. Savings Bonds provide individual opportunity—opportunity to accumulate the capital necessary to go into business for one's self, or for further education or travel. Buy an extra "Opportunity Bond" now. Buy bonds regularly through the payroll savings plan where you work. Sign up for Security, U. S. Treasury Department

A Happy New Year

To All Our Friends

Notice

We are sorry to have such a short paper this week, but our son David Edwrd has been in a Memphis hospital with pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Merrell are leaving this week for East Texas to make their home.

Rob Simmons and family of Deming, N. Mex. are visiting here.

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Lemmon has been ill this week.

Jerry Banister underwent an operation in an Amarillo hospital this week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Newman of Phillips are visiting here.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter McCracken have been visiting in Gainesville.

Miss Martha Fisher of Texarkana is visiting in the A. T. Simmons home.

Paul Bond of Abilene spent the holidays in the Rev. W. E. Bond home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Winters of Hot Springs, Ark., visited here Tuesday.

For Sale—one Spotted Poland China male at the J. O. Hill farm. 52c

Mrs. E. P. Ford Dies

Funeral services were held here Sunday for Mrs. Emma Mae Ford at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon at the First Baptist Church of Hedley. Services were conducted by Rev. W. E. Bond, assisted by Rev. Van Houghton. Interment was in the Rowe Cemetery under direction of Womack General Home.

Mrs. Ford died Friday at her home here following a long illness. Mrs. Ford was born in Cook County August 14, 1882. She was married to E. P. Ford in 1900, and they moved to Donley County in 1920. She was a member of the Nazarene church.

Mrs. Ford is survived by her husband, E. P. Ford, four sons, Lonnie, Vernon, Ollie and Orville, all of Amarillo; two daughters, Mrs. Warren Yates of Amarillo, and Mrs. L. B. Womack of Vancouver, Waah; two brothers, J. H. Mann and J. W. Mann of Hedley; and eleven grandchildren.

Lost—a pair of bifocal glasses. Return to Informer office for reward.

Mrs. W. A. Hubbard and son David of Albuquerque are spending the holidays with their parents Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Adamson.

Miss Loeva Adamson of Worland, Wyoming is visiting home-folks.

Mrs. Ellen Douthett of Albuquerque is visiting in the G. Adamson home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Armstrong and children, Wendal and Linda of Gainesville are spending the holidays in the J. E. Blankenship home.

Mrs. J. E. Neely is visiting in Amarillo.

Notice

Owing to the price advance of leather, we will be forced to raise the price of our sandals, effective Jan. 1st. All sandals ordered before that time will be made at the old price. City Shoe Shop 43c

Good Wincharger with tower for sale or trade. See V. E. Lawson, Hedley. 4p

Uncle Sam Says



Someday you'll be flitting away the calendar for 1956! You'll be singing at the top of your voice, "Happy New Year—a prosperous 1957." It could be both a happy and prosperous 1957 for every one of you unless you start doing something about it now. Even by investing as little as \$3.75 a week on your earnings through the Payroll Savings Plan your nest egg in United States Savings Bonds on New Year's Day 10 years hence will reach a tidy total of \$3,163.45. Meanwhile you will be building up a reserve of savings bonds, payable on demand, to deal with emergencies. U. S. Treasury Department

"All Out For Christ" Day To Be January 5

The Baptist, the Methodist and the Nazarene Churches under the leadership of the three pastors have decided to designate the first Sunday in January as an All Out Day for Christ.

Each of the churches and each member of the churches will make a special effort to invite every person in the community to go to the church of their choice for both Sunday School and preaching from 10 a. m. to 12 noon the first Sunday in January. We are not working for any one of the churches, but for all of them. We want every person in church that day. You decide which one you want to attend, but come to one of them.

For Sale—four room house, built-ins, 2 lots, 2429 N. W. 15th St. Amarillo, Texas. Also farm 71 acres, 1½ miles south of Clarendon on paved highway. Electricity, good house and good water, immediate possession. 54p V. T. McPherson, Hedley, Texas

Five burner new perfection oil cook stove, Coleman oil heater, and 4 ft. electric frididaire all in good condition for sale. 54p V. T. McPherson

For Sale—3 room house and six choice lots. See A. S. "Pappy" Johnson. 26p

I will pick up carcasses of horses and cows. W. P. Doherty, phone 32-4R. 47tf

La Rita Johnson spent last weekend in Memphis.

Specialists Prosper
In both medicine and dentistry, specialists receive a considerably larger average income than general practitioners. In consulting engineering, certified public accountancy, and law, firm members receive a larger average income than persons practicing as individuals.

Foul Brood
Entomologists from the Connecticut experiment station report that sulphathiazole mixed in sugar water cured foul brood in colonies of bees. Analysis of the honey made by the bees showed a trace of the drug present.

Chinese Language
The entire Chinese language is made up of words of one syllable, according to the Encyclopaedia Britannica. Each sound may have 10 or more different meanings, and the language has no rules of grammar.

Water-Repellent Hats
American-made synthetic straw hats as well as handbags treated with a water-repellent so that light showers will be shed and finger smudges can easily be sponged off has been developed.

Increases Vitamin A
After 24 hours of colostrum feeding, the vitamin A of the blood of the calf may be five times as high as at birth.

Cooking Fish
Cook fish gently and cook only until tender in order to preserve delicate flavor. Test with a toothpick.

Cured Hickory
A cord of well-cured hickory or other hardwood is almost equal in heating value to a ton of coal.

Bacon Drippings
Bacon drippings are good used for making spoon bread, corn bread and meat pie toppers.

Sugar Beet Seed
The sugar beet normally requires two years to produce a seed crop.

Color Custom

An age-old custom of Oriental peoples is to associate colors with the cardinal points of the compass...

Henry's Widow Was All Out for Forced Labor!

"Do you wish to have the body cremated or buried?" the undertaker inquired, when the widow called to arrange for the interment of her late husband, Henry.

Octobass, 13 Feet High, Failure Because of Size

The octobass, a three-stringed musical instrument invented in Paris in 1849, was 13 feet in height and thus required its player to stand on a box to bow it and press its strings with artificial fingers which he moved by levers, says Collier's.

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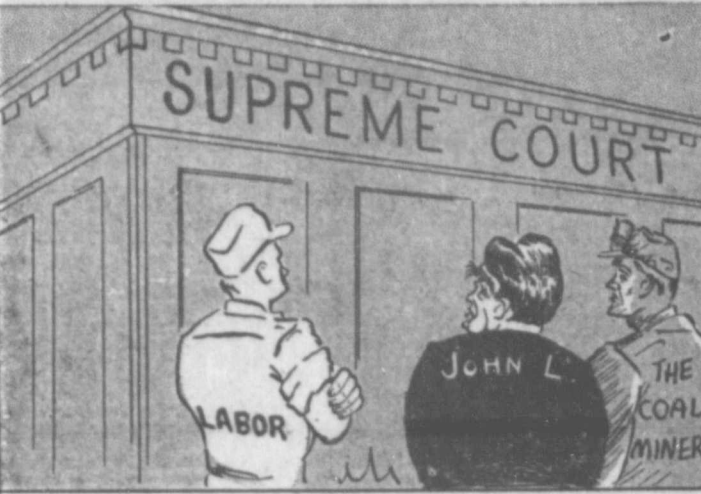
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WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS Packers Sign Wage Agreements; Grant Carriers Rate Relief; Labor Awaits High Court Decree

Released by Western Newspaper Union



LABOR: Packer Peace

Meat conditions continued to look rosy for the American housewife with the AFL and CIO packing-house unions coming to terms with the big packers on new contracts without resorting to costly strikes.

BRITAIN: Royal Romance

Great Britain, which takes its royalty seriously, was bubbling all over with the latest royal romance, this one involving Prince Philip of Greece and Princess Elizabeth.

ROCKET PLANE: Beautiful!

Stepping out of the Bell XS-1 after taking the rocket plane up to 35,000 feet and running it at 550 miles per hour, test pilot Chalmers Goodlin, 23, exclaimed gleefully:

NEAR EAST: Bluff Reds

Russia drew a pass in the diplomatic poker game in the Near East as Iran, Greece and Turkey, backed by the Anglo-American powers, rebuffed leftist jockeying for advantage in Iran and Greece.

FOREIGN MINISTERS: Germany Next

Having cleaned up the Balkan peace pacts, the foreign ministers of the Big Four agreed to undertake the thorny issue of a German treaty in Moscow next March.

SUPREME COURT: Weighty Decision

In calling off the costly soft-coal strike, John L. Lewis of the United Mine Workers was content to leave determination of the issue to the U. S. Supreme court. Said John L. Lewis: "The Supreme court is, and we believe will ever be, the protector of American liberties and the rightful privileges of individual citizens."

Whooping Cough Takes Surprising Toll

Whooping cough kills more children each year than infantile paralysis and scarlet fever combined, and many hundreds of unnecessary deaths occur annually because of exposure of children to this dangerous disease, according to a health warning from Northwestern National Life Insurance company.

U. N.: Slap Franco

Even as 300,000 Spaniards assembled before the national palace in Madrid to hear Generalissimo Franco lash "foreign interference," the United Nations political and security committee, meeting at Lake Success, N. Y., adopted a resolution for the withdrawal of all members' ambassadors from Spain.

Remaining obdurate in its contention that no drastic action should be taken against Spain but the Spanish people should be given every opportunity for holding free elections, the U. S. abstained from voting on the resolution. As it was, the resolution was mild enough, since the countries agreed to leave other diplomatic representatives in Spain to conduct business as usual.

'Big Train' Passes On

Another of baseball's greats passed into Valhalla with the death of Walter Johnson, 59, acclaimed by many as the greatest pitcher who ever toed the rubber.



WASHINGTON SQ. Vignette: Beautiful!

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His name is Bob Turner . . . Was a Zanuck hireling before the war but never made a film. . . Understudied in a couple of shows last season but rarely got on stage. . . He became friendly with a girl working on a movie mag, who put his picture in the July issue. . . Since then he's received 5,000 fan letters from every state, Hawaii, South Africa and even India. . . Has 124 fan clubs, a monthly newspaper and a quarterly magazine put out by the clubs. . . He's been swamped with marriage proposals and has been forced to move because he never got any rest. . . Because he said his hobby was collecting giraffes, he's received 35 miniature giraffes. . . He's the most famous unknown person in the business. . . But despite his great popularity and fame—he can't get a job!

Third Act: (By Don Wahn): I thought the lovely party never ended. . . I thought the violins would never die. . . I thought that love was gay and rich and splendid. . . And that the moon was married to the sky. . . And then I heard the awesome sound of thunder. . . The lightning flashed—and I was numb with fear. . . And, childlike, I could only stare in wonder. . . And trace the landscape, desolate and drear. . . I turned to you—and you were white—and shaken. . . And love was but a gray and misty ghost. . . And we were trapped, forgotten and forsaken. . . By all the lures that we had cherished most. . . And on the lips that once were surely mine. . . There were no words—no laughter and no wine!

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MAN ABOUT TOWN

Sallies in Our Alley: Chums hear that war hero Flip Cochran "went through every dime he had" fooling around the zig-zaggy cotton market. . . Preston Sturges, the film producer, is such a stickler for perfect grammar that he argues with waiters all over town whenever he sees a word used incorrectly on a menu. That's a new way of aggravating yourself! . . . We hear Sally Rand is weary of courtroom scenes and may retire. . . One of the Zanzibar employees is such a ham he bought \$500 worth of looking-glasses (to put all over his apt.) so that he can see how small he is from any angle. . . Gail Barber, Village Corner strip-teaser, was bitten by a dawg recently—and the bowwow died two days later!

The Miami rain fell as it did in the Jeanne Eagels show. "Rain," and the wind howled for two nights (sometimes at 42 miles per hour). But the Florida gazettes referred to the storm as "squalls" . . . Squalls? Midget hurricanes! . . . Floridians with a sensayma call them "Yankee breezes" . . . And just when California's Governor Warren arrived, Haw! . . . Florida's Governor Caldwell handled it adroitly, saying: "We had these storms to make Governor Warren feel at home."

The Late Watch: Tip the feature editors that Howard Hughes has a good story about the people he is rewarding for helping him live after his plane crash. A fire chief out there is among them. . . Remember Bob Crawford? He composed the famous song, "Off We Go—Into the Wild Blue Yonder, dum-de-dum-deedle-de-dummmmm!" Well, he's opened a spot called The Blue Yonder in Miami. He says the brass hats never gave him any recognition for it or the 39 months he flew with the air corps! And some guys got army diplomas for week-ending over there! Fine thing.

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\$6,000,000 Film

The most expensive motion picture ever made was "Wilson," released in 1944, whose production and advertising amounted to more than \$6,000,000, says Collier's.

A Point to That

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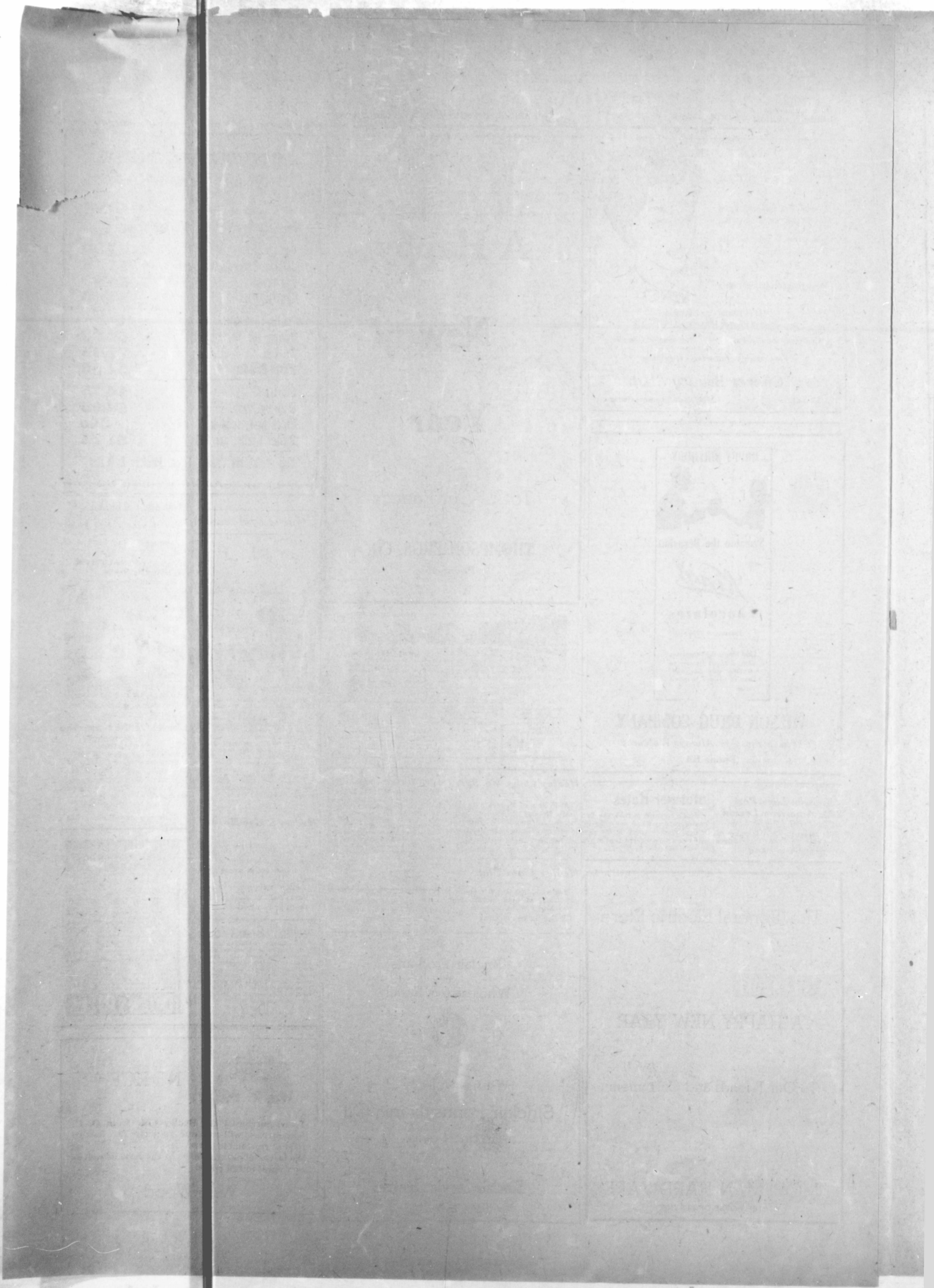
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By VIRGINIA VALE

AGNES MOOREHEAD, who's heard frequently on the CBS "Suspense" series—she was brought back four times to do the thrilling "Sorry, Wrong Number"—has been signed to play "the other woman" in opposition to Lauren Bacall in the forthcoming film, "Dark Passage." As Lionel Barrymore's housekeeper in "Mayor of the Town," she's made so many friends that she now gets more fan mail than any other radio actress on the coast. Who'd believe that she began her radio career as a stooge



AGNES MOOREHEAD

for such comedians as Phil Baker, Fred Allen and Jack Benny? She's always refused to be typed; after that beginning she switched to dramatic acting; since then she's alternated between taut drama and high comedy.

Nice going around the Charles Laughton home at present; he's using a heavy German accent for his role in "Arch of Triumph," and Elsa Lanchester, his wife, is perfecting an authentic Russian one for her performance as a Russian Baroness in Republic's Nelson Eddy-Ikona Massey musical. Their own broad British accents are frequently submerged in the interests of their art.

Judy Garland's signed up to stay with M-G-M for a long, long time. Following her next starring role with Gene Kelly in "The Pirate" she'll join up again with Kelly and Frank Sinatra in "The Good Old Summertime," a baseball romance produced by Arthur Freed.

"Humoresque," with John Garfield and Joan Crawford, brings glory to Warner Bros. It was chosen to be shown at the Opera house in Paris for the benefit of the underprivileged children of France, the first picture ever shown there.

Name it and there's a movie star who collects it. Jane Withers likes anything made with a heart design, but Ann Doran favors ovals, because once when she was out of work she found a pin with an owl figure on it, and that afternoon a studio called her. Bette Davis collects fans; started with one that had belonged to Sarah Bernhardt. Bing Crosby collected horse racing photographs; Alan Ladd and William Holden like rare guns.

Eddie Foy Jr., spent eight years in Hollywood and made more than 25 pictures, but was never really appreciated. So he headed for New York, where he made a terrific hit on the stage in "The Red Mill." At once he was snowed under by offers from Hollywood. But he isn't interested. Offers to do an air show also poured in, and on January 2 he'll start on what used to be the Bing Crosby show.

"Juvenile Jury" has certainly hit its stride; there's been terrific interest in the program since its Mutual debut last May, it's only recently made its debut as a sponsored show. Universal Pictures will soon release the first of a series of short subjects on the program. And there's a tentative arrangement for the youngsters to make a week's personal appearance at New York's Winter Garden.

Several months ago, in cooperation with Hollywood's Actors' Laboratory theater, Benedict Bogeaus established a scholarship for a deserving young actor. Winner for 1946-47 is Rusel D. Johnson, former member of the army air corps, holder of four medals.

David O. Selznick has scheduled "Sarah Bernhardt," budgeted at five million dollars, as one of his most important 1947 productions. Says he hopes to bring Garbo back in it; if unable to persuade her to do it, he may star his new Italian find, Valli.

ODDS AND ENDS—June Morrison, unknown Metro actress, got her big break in being set for the "Hollywood Players" air show, with supporting roles played by Gregory Peck, Joseph Cotton, John Garfield and Gene Kelly. . . . The world premier of the new picture, "The Egg and I," is scheduled over CBS shortly after January 1, with Claudette Colbert and Fred MacMurray in their original film roles. . . . Attendants at the hospital where Anita Colby recently had her health checked said that even her X-rays were beautiful. . . . He doesn't say why—but Harold Huber, star of "Mystery of the Week," each day reads a page of the telephone directory.

HOUSEHOLD MEMOS
by Lynn Chambers



Entertain Your Friends at a Buffet (See recipes below)

Holiday Buffet

The holidays bring with them a spirit of good cheer and friendliness that we want to take advantage of the opportunity to entertain our friends. It's so easy to ask people over to see the tree, or stop in for fruit cake that every homemaker should be prepared to set a table worthy of the spirit of the season.

By being prepared, we mean in the good old-fashioned way, of course, with the pantry stocked full of good things ready to set on the table at a moment's notice, cookie jars brimming full of their gay, sweet snacks, and the refrigerator ready with a baked ham and salad makings.

It's easy to serve buffet style if you have lots of small tables for people to sit down to and eat. Then they can go to the buffet—which by the way can be a buffet or a large table—and serve themselves as often as they like. With food such as I've outlined, you'll be surprised how often they can come back.

Your table should be as pretty as a picture with a white or ivory damask cloth. The centerpiece, too, can carry out the holiday mood. Use Christmas greenery abundantly, and if you have branches from the tree, use them with carnations, some artificial snow balls and possibly a snow man as illustrated above.

Now, here's the way we prepare the food:

***Baked Ham.**
Scrub ham thoroughly before cooking. Place on a rack in shallow pan, skin side up. Bake 25 minutes per pound in a slow (300 degrees) oven. Remove ham 1/2 hour before it is finished baking. Peel off the rind and score fat. Spread with a desired glaze and insert a whole clove in center of each scored section. Return ham to oven for remaining half hour.

Here's a list of coatings and glazed mixtures that may be used for ham.

- 1 cup crushed pineapple mixed with 1/2 cup sugar.
- Strained honey mixed with chopped maraschino cherries.
- 1 cup of strained honey mixed with 1 cup cherry juice.
- Juice of 2 oranges mixed with 1/2 cup pineapple juice, 1/2 cup sugar and 1/2 cup white corn syrup.
- Apricot puree which is made by cooking 2 cups of apricots in 2 1/2 cups of water and then rubbing through a sieve. Sweeten with 1/2 cup corn syrup or sugar.

*Picture Salad Plate.

Place crisp lettuce cups on salad plate. In the center of the plate place a tomato rose, made by cutting tomato into sections and then pulling out "petals" to make a rose. Around the rose, place carrot curls, chilled asparagus tips and sliced hard cooked eggs. Serve with oil or sour cream dressing.

come in. You'll see some very lacy, willowy ones, while still others are definitely pert and crisp.

Satin ribbon is very common on some of the larger, brimmed hats, and others show cute tricks done with ribbon such as shirring or gathering. Other ribbons are used for pom poms.

Draped effects for dresses will hit a new high in popularity, if forecasts mean anything. Draping is carefully done and most flattering, so see what will look best on you and select accordingly.

HOLIDAY BUFFET.

- *Baked Ham with Pineapple Garnish
- Honeyed Sweet Potatoes
- Assorted Bread
- *Salad: Tomatoes, Asparagus, Hard-Cooked Egg, Lettuce
- Relishes: Mustard, Pickles, Olives, Celery
- Assorted Mints Beverage
- Fruit Cake

*Recipe given.

Tart French Dressing.

- (Makes 3/4 cup)
- 1 1/2 tablespoons sugar
 - 1 teaspoon paprika
 - 1 teaspoon dry mustard
 - 1/2 teaspoon salt
 - 1/2 teaspoon white pepper
 - 1/2 cup salad oil
 - 1 tablespoon cider vinegar
 - 2 tablespoons lemon juice

Combine dry ingredients. Add oil gradually, beating constantly. Add vinegar and lemon juice and beat or shake thoroughly. Chill thoroughly. Omit sugar if more tart dressing is desired.

Sour Cream Dressing.

- 1 cup sour cream
- 1/4 cup vinegar or lemon juice
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 2 tablespoons sugar
- Dash of cayenne pepper
- 1/2 to 1 teaspoon grated onion.

Combine all ingredients in order given. Beat until stiff and chill thoroughly. This dressing is especially good for green salads.

If desired, a fruit plate may be made with in-season fruits. Use crisp lettuce cups with sliced red apples, cinnamon pears, grapefruit clusters, and candied fruit for garnish. Or, if a molded salad is preferred, use ground cranberries with a gelatin base and garnish with greens and grapes, orange and lemon slices.

If you're not having one of the mellowed and aged fruit cakes this season, try one of the light kind. These do not have to be aged to be good in flavor, and yet they will give you that holiday cake dessert that everyone likes so well. Serve the cake in thin slices.

White Fruit Cake.

- 3/4 cup butter or substitute
- 1 1/2 cup sifted cake flour
- 1/2 teaspoon soda
- 2 tablespoons lemon juice
- 6 egg whites, beaten stiff
- 1 1/4 cups powdered sugar
- 1/2 cup candied cherries
- 1/2 cup candied pineapple
- 1/2 cup blanched pistachio nuts
- 1/2 cup bleached raisins

Cream butter thoroughly, gradually add flour and soda. Sift sugar into beaten egg whites and combine with first mixture. Add lemon juice, fruits and nuts, cut fine and sprinkled with flour. Stir well and bake in a waxed paper-lined buttered pan for 1 hour at 325 degrees. The top may be decorated with candied, glazed fruit, if desired.

Or the cake may be served with a sauce such as hard sauce or a hot plum; pudding type of sauce if you want more of a dessert. Serve only small pieces as cake is rich.

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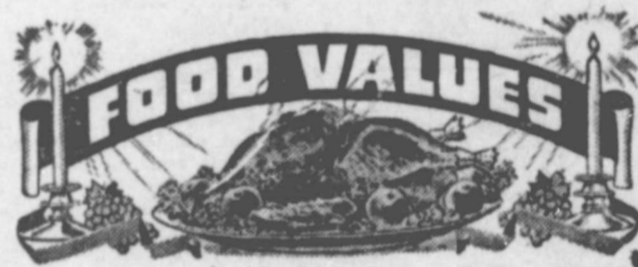
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