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Cotton Report

Census report shows that 9,381 bales of cotton were ginned in Donley County for the crop of 1948 prior to Jan. 16th as compared with 7,249 bales for the crop of 1947.

Singers and Others

Brand new sewing machines, electric cabinets and portables, used and others for sale. Cars and tractors for sale, also plenty of used cars. W. B. Snyder, Wellington, Texas, Rte. 6, Box 96A or phone 370J 44p

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Lions Club News

Nineteen new Lions were added to the club during the membership contest which closed Jan. 31st. With the 63 old members this makes a total membership of 82. That puts Hedley among the larger clubs of West Texas.

The Navy with Lion Sam Owens as their head won the contest with 9 new members. The Marines under Lion Simmons added 7 members and the Army headed by Lion Doherty got 3 new members.

Next week is regular meeting night. Lion Milt Mosley has charge of the program. The place is the lunch room at the school and the time is 7:15 p. m. Last week's meeting was a mighty good one and the attendance was exceptionally good considering the weather.

American Legion

Tuesday night is the regular American Legion meeting. At this meeting a Ladies Auxiliary of the Post will be organized. Charles Gibson District Commander of the American Legion states that he will be at this meeting and have the District President of the Ladies Auxiliary there. Also several other guests are expected to attend. Legionnaires are requested to bring their wives and any other ladies who are eligible to become members. Any wife, mother, daughter or sister of an ex-service man is eligible to join. Members are asked to bring sandwiches or other food and a buffet lunch will be served after the business meeting.

Methodist Church

Frank Story, Pastor
Church School 10:00 A. M.
Henry Moore, Supt.
Morning Worship 11:00 A. M.
Evening Worship 8:00 P. M.

Church of the Nazarene

W. E. Bond, pastor.
Sunday School 10 A. M.
Preaching service 11 A. M.
Evening Service 7:30 P. M.
W. M. S. each 2nd Wednesday
Mid-week Prayer Service
Wednesday 7:30 P. M.

Uncle Sam Says



The smart man knows that the only way to protect his family and himself is with a safe, systematic plan of saving. U. S. Savings Bonds provide the safety and the Payroll Savings Plan or the Bond-a-Month Plan is the systematic way. No one can provide security for the future by free-spending. You can face the future with confidence, however, by investing a part of today's earnings in Savings Bonds. That is the intelligent way. And you have the choice of two convenient plans of purchase, the Payroll Savings Plan where you work or, if self-employed, the Bond-a-Month Plan at your bank.

U. S. Treasury Department

Lee Roy Roach

Funeral services for Lee Roy Roach, who passed away last Tuesday in Wichita Falls, were held Sunday from the First Baptist church here by Rev. C. W. Lisenbee. Burial was in Rowe cemetery under direction of Womack Funeral Home.

Hedley Masonic Lodge No. 991 was in charge of the funeral service.

Mr. Roach was born Feb. 10, 1881, in Hopkins county. He had lived in this vicinity for about 30 years, coming here from Iowa Park. He united with the Baptist church when 35 years old.

He is survived by two brothers, Sam Roach of Los Angeles and Paul Roach of Waco, one sister, Mrs. Idella Gray of Overton and a nephew, Crawford Hayes of Clovis.

Clarkes Win Yard Award

The following appeared in the Corpus Christi Caller-Times:

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Clarke, 1317 Ormond Drive, received the Chamber of Commerce yard award of \$10 for the month of January, it was announced.

The yard was chosen by the Beautification Committee of the Corpus Christi Council of Garden Clubs from entries submitted by local garden clubs.

The yard, which is about four years old, is undergoing constant improvement. All landscaping and work is done by the Clarkes. The front yard contains two recently planted Silk Oak trees and an assortment of flowers and shrubs.

Judges said the back yard won the award for the Clarkes. It is almost completely surrounded by blooming sweetpeas, has well placed citrus trees, rose garden, pansy and calendula beds, strawberry bed and vegetable garden.

Baseball News

C. H. Reid, W. E. Hill and C. L. Johnson of the local baseball team attended the Cap Rock League meeting at Amarillo Monday night. The league play will start May 1st with Hedley having its first game at home. The only changes in the league so far, is that Vega is being transferred to the South Plains League and will be replaced by some team nearer. Each team will be allowed a roster of 20 players this year instead of the 16 last year. Tom Farris of Amarillo was re-elected president of the league. Indications now are that all teams will be stronger this year.

Stout Home Burns

The F. G. Watt house occupied by J. W. Stout and family, was totally destroyed Saturday by fire believed started by a curtain blowing into a stove. We understand that practically all of the household furnishings belonging to the Stouts were lost.

Informer Rates

Please remember that the Informer rate is \$1.50 per year in Donley county, and \$2.00 per year elsewhere, except that service men get the \$1.50 rate.

Mrs. Mary C. Cherry

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Obery went to Dorne last week to attend the funeral services of Mr. Cherry's mother, Mrs. T. J. Cherry Sr.

Mary C. Cherry was born March 23, 1872 in Tennessee, and departed this life Jan. 26, 1919 at the home of her daughter in Westbrook. She came to Texas at an early age.

She was married to Temple J. Cherry Sr. in 1887. To this union were born eleven children, all of whom are still living. She also leaves to mourn her going 55 grandchildren, 28 great grandchildren and 1 great grandchild.

Funeral services were held at Dorne conducted by her pastor. She was laid to rest in the cemetery near by.

Mother's gone but not forgotten. For her life still lingers on. May it be to each a beacon. For we know her crown is won.

Now we see her by the fireside. In that humble cottage home. Many were the cares and trials. She with kindness overcome.

You could see her in the morning. At the early break of day. Or as shadows came at evening. She still smiled her gentle way.

She was always that sweet mother. Loving, caring for each one. Till her health and years did hinder.

Then you'd think her work was done.

But as loving hands were busy. By her bed from day to day. She was like a ray of sunshine. Helping them along the way.

Now we trust that she has taught us. How that greater life within. Reaches out to be a blessing. And her life will now begin.

Chas. N. Johnson Wins Boxing Tournament

Charles Neal Johnson won the light heavyweight division of the Tahoka Pre Golden Gloves boxing tournament there last week. We understand he has a nice trophy to bring home. He is entered in the Lubbock Regional Golden Gloves this week. He won his first fight over Wayne Raney. Lubbock light heavy by a wide margin Monday night.

Charles Neal has had two years experience in the ring and has won seven out of his nine fights.

Birthday Party

A surprise birthday party was given for Sara Ann Rains in the Rains home last Thursday, Jan. 27, by a group of friends.

Games of 42, rummy and dominoes were enjoyed, and refreshments of cake, cookies and frosted Oakes were served to Wanda Shaw, Martha Alexander, Rita Johnson, Francis Timmons, Gene Davis, Erick Stone, Adell Myers, Bobby Everett, Johnnie Everett, Mr. and Mrs. Jap Shaw, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Timmons, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rains and Sara.

Hedley Lions Club

Meets the 2nd and 4th Thursday night of each month. All Lions urged to be present. Otis Owens, President

Mrs. J. M. Whittington

Mrs. Annie Whittington, a resident of Hedley for 36 years, passed away at the family home here Monday, Jan. 30. Funeral services were held Wednesday from the Methodist church here by the pastor, Rev. Frank Story, assisted by Rev. C. W. Lisenbee. Burial was in Citizens Cemetery at Clarendon with Womack Funeral Home in charge.

Bearers included Hobart Moffitt, Alva Simmons, Leon Reeves, Foster Pickett, Tommy Baird and Walter Johnson.

Mrs. Annie Walker was born in Texas, Aug. 12, 1869, being 79 years, 5 months and 18 days of age at the time of her death. She was a member of the Methodist church, with which she united at an early age. She was married Aug. 17, 1887, to John M. Whittington of Illinois Bend, Texas. They came to Hedley from Chicago, Texas in 1913.

She is survived by her husband, J. M. Whittington of Hedley, three sons, H. B. of Hereford, O. L. of Long Beach, Calif., and C. B. of Amarillo, one daughter, Mrs. G. E. Kinslow of Hedley, one sister, Mrs. J. L. Seitz of Mobeetie, Texas, and two brothers, W. F. Walker of Hedley and O. C. Walker of Oakland, Calif.

In Loving Memory of Uncle Tom Kidd

So long, Uncle Tom, our beloved friend.

Your service here has seemed to end.

But we who know and love you best.

Know that Uncle Tom is taking his rest.

We think of you as living right on

Upon higher planes where saints have gone.

When you have taken sufficient rest.

You will be prepared for greater usefulness.

I did not know you long my friend

Until your journey came to an end.

But when at first I shook your hand.

I felt that you were a friend to man.

And during the years since forty-five.

My faith in you is more alive.

So when I think of Uncle Tom

Kidd.

I will have renewed courage as I then did.

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James Willett, Minister
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Worship 11:00

Evening Worship 7:00

Bible Study Wed. night 7:00

Hedley Lodge No. 413

Hedley Chapter No. 413, O. E. S., meets the first Friday of each month at 8:00 p. m. Members are requested to attend.

Visitors welcome.

Alicia Johnson, W. M.
Vern Hall, Sec.

Basketball News

Saturday night brought to close the Hedley High School Invitation Tournament. The final game of the night session, Wellington beat Lelia Lake 25 to 19 to win the girls consolation. Quail won the boys consolation by downing Hedley 40 to 26. In this game, superior height and exceptional hitting of shots paid off for Quail.

One of the most exciting games of the evening saw Quail pull Hedley under again by a score of 29 to 26. The Quail girls took first place and Hedley got second. This game was followed up by another thriller. The final minutes saw Lelia Lake pull ahead of Estelline, and stayed there until the game was over. Final score was 39 to 38. The Lelia Lake boys won first place and Estelline took second.

The crowds were exceptional, especially Saturday night. The tournament was a success in every way.

Tuesday night was a very good night for the Lions Club basketball team. They took Lakeview by a score of 51 to 32. The team popped in shots from all over the floor. This accuracy, coupled with a fast break, proved to be too much for Lakeview and the Lions kept roarin' along.

Wednesday night's game with Pampa was called off on account of bad weather and will be held here next week.

For Sale—Ford terrader.
Wilson Morgan. 132p

Notice

Don't forget the big excitement on the Main street Saturday afternoon. Somebody will get a double surprise.

Let C. E. Johnson, manager of the Hedley Telephone Co., write your fire and hail insurance.

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WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

Truman Begins Busiest Four Years; GOP Wins First Senate Vote Test; Bevin Offers Critics Olive Branch

(EDITOR'S NOTE: When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of Western Newspaper Union's news analysts and not necessarily of this newspaper.)

INAUGURATION: Brief Interlude

President Truman could lay valid claim to the title "busiest man in the world." The inaugural behind him, the nation's chief executive was up to his neck in problems, both foreign and domestic.

ON THE HOME FRONT, there was a little matter of having congress implement Democratic campaign pledges and provide funds for the continuing armament expansion. Abroad, with this nation committed to the gargantuan task of saving the world from communism, the problem was equally monumental.

But for awhile, on January 20, Harry Truman, Missouri farm boy who rose to the presidency of the United States, once by succession, currently on his own vote-getting process, relaxed, basked in public adulation, may even have forgotten the tremendous pressure under which he labored.

ORIGINALLY PLANNED as a more or less sedate affair, with this atmosphere desired by Truman, the inauguration, instead, was turned into one of the most lavish and spectacular since Andrew Jackson rode into the top spot.

Packed and jammed, Washington gave a hero's welcome to the World War I artillery captain. Truman buttons, Truman pictures, Truman banners were greatly in evidence and the President, seeing these and the vast multitudes, must have wondered if there were anyone at all who voted against him in the November election.

BUT THE INTERMISSION from duty was brief. The parade, the swearing in ceremonies, the round of gala capital affairs that night, and the next day, Harry Truman was again on the job.

Peace has been his rallying cry. Its importance marked all his utterances. Now he was buckled down to the job of trying to preserve it. Men of good will everywhere in the world were wishing him success.

MONKEYS: Up in the Air

For whatever benefit it may be to scientists or anthropologists, two sad-eyed dogs will not calm 300 Rhesus monkeys.

THIS WAS graphically, if somewhat disturbingly demonstrated when 30 crates of the monkeys arrived in New York by plane from the Azores.

The trip started sedately enough with all the monkeys locked in their crates. Two large, sad-eyed dogs were along because someone had said their presence would tend to keep tranquil the monkeys' spirits.

Somehow most of the monkeys got out of the crates and suddenly there were monkeys in the cockpit, monkeys peeping out of windows and monkeys even trying to liberate other monkeys.

Capt. Miguel Braganca and his crew, heavily outnumbered, was forced to stay in the forward part of the ship while the monkeys cavorted. The monkeys saw to that. Says the captain: "They kept hanging on the cockpit door and watching us all the time."

When the plane reached La Guardia field, about a dozen chattering monkeys were starting to climb out the windows, but eight airline cargomen joined the crew and with brooms and blankets finally snared the truant.

The monkeys were consigned for infantile paralysis research.

SIX "NO'S": Was It Revolt?

Six Democrats joining with senate Republicans gave the GOP victory in the first test of strength since the 81st congress convened. The issue may have been trivial, but the result burned Democratic leaders. Scott Lucas, Illinois, successor to Vice-President Barkley as majority floor leader, "sputtered." Barkley was also put out. For, it appeared, the result was an unexpected as it was "humiliating."

THE ISSUE was exemption of inauguration tickets from federal amusement taxes. The exemption slid through the house 199 to 49, so one can imagine the surprise when it failed in the senate.

Chief target of administration censure was Kentucky's Virgil Chapman.

But those who remembered the Kentucky campaigns would recall that Chapman showed no little independence in his drive for votes.

Cupid Curbed

The army is making it tougher for American G.I.'s to marry German frauleins. In the first place, many army authorities and chaplains suspect too many German girls are using marriage as an excuse to escape from the hard life of occupied Germany to the United States. There is also an apparent desire to protect young draftees expected to start arriving soon in Germany.

Open Campaign



Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt and Linda Brown, 4, March of Dimes poster girl, open the annual anti-polio drive in Washington. Linda was cured of polio through the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis.

He did not completely endorse the Democratic platform, would not be led into enthusiastic "me too" declarations.

Lucas was vehement. "On whose coattails did Chapman come to the senate," he demanded, "the Truman-Barkley coattails or those of Dewey and Warren?" Other angry Democrats rushed to point out that Chapman ran 100,000 votes behind Truman and Barkley in Kentucky.

JOINING CHAPMAN in the "no" votes were Democratic senators Byrd, Johnson, Maybank, McClellan, Robertson and Russell. Chapman didn't take criticism lying down. He declared, in effect, that if such taxes are to be removed, it ought to be done in regular legislative process, not by hurried action on the floor.

Republicans were more metaphorical. They argued that since there is a tax on powder used on babies, a woman dressing up for an inauguration ball should regard her powder as more of a luxury than powder applied to a baby. This statement followed an effort to exempt baby powder for federal taxation which failed of approval.

OLIVE BRANCH: Bevin Recants

British Foreign Secretary Ernest Bevin apparently was relenting in his stand on the Palestine situation. Gingly he held out an olive branch: Britain's willingness to release Jewish immigrants of fighting age now held in Cyprus, his personal and strong support of peace negotiations between Israelis and Egyptians at Rhodes.

Observers declared this position a "deliberate and genuine effort on his part . . . to seek peace with Israel and his critics in Britain and in the U. S."

WHATSOEVER MOTIVATED the foreign secretary, there was no overlooking the fact that criticism had been mounting both in England and America. With the pressure continuing, the situation might have resolved itself into one holding the very political future of Bevin.

The foreign minister also indicated that de facto recognition of the government of Israel was being seriously considered. If that step were taken by Great Britain, it would mean the death knell of Arab hopes for continuation of strife or any eventual triumph in the Holy Land controversy.

DIXIECRATS: Rough Road

The road ahead looked rough for state's righters.

Democratic administration forces were showing little patience with southern old-liners who had bolted the party in the presidential election.

THE PURGE SWORD swung first at the un-American activities committee and two heads tumbled. They were those of Representative John A. Rankin, fiery Mississippian, and F. Edward Herbert, Louisiana, both of whom supported the state's rights ticket against President Truman in November.

Rankin, along with everyone else, knew the blow was coming, accepted it calmly.

BONUS BILL: Amvets Ready

Amvets, World War II veterans organization, has announced its intention to ask Congress for an immediate veterans bonus which they think might cost as much as 67 billion dollars. The organization said it will carry its proposal to congress soon.

A similar bill prepared by the Veterans of Foreign Wars is in the house hopper, having been offered by Rep. Rankin, Mississippi.

U. S. BUDGET: Under Attack

The question whether President Truman's 21 billion dollar budget was excessive was being raised again. This time John Foster Dulles, chairman of the U. S. delegation to the United Nations general assembly in Paris, raised the issue.

The budget, which Dulles questioned, provides 15 billions for military expenditures, six billions for foreign aid during fiscal 1950.

DULLES THOUGHT it too high. He pointed to dwindling war fears and potential menace to U. S. economical health as reasons for curtailment of Truman proposals.

Conceding that there is a "risk" of war, Dulles declared the "risk" is not so great that we should seriously jeopardize our own economic health . . . by saddling ourselves with such vast armament."

Dulles suggested cause, implied a remedy. He blamed lack of sufficient unification of U. S. armed forces for administration belief in the need of huge military outlay, and declared that present huge military expenditures cannot go on.

"I think our armament is exaggerated by the fact that there is not sufficient unification between the different branches of our (armed) services," he said. "It seems as though the rivalry were such that each branch wants to be strong enough so that if there is a war it can win it alone, without help from anybody."

Dulles said there is "less fear of war," than there was last year, but commented:

"OF COURSE, there is always a risk. You have a tense situation like a dry autumn in the woods when any fool can start a fire.

"It is entirely possible, however, to have better relations with Russia and I think it is probable."

The problem was up to congress. Could it gamble on the "fool" in the woods, or should it prepare with all possible equipment to stand by for a possible conflagration?

Tourist Queen



This German fraulein, Miss Elfi Giovannelli, was chosen "tourist queen" and will tour the U. S. this year in an effort to stimulate attendance at an import exhibition in western Germany.

PERFECT: Testers Amazed

U. S. air force intelligence testers rubbed their eyes, looked again. Yes, there it was—a perfect I. Q. score by a gangling, bespectacled Kentucky youth seeking a connection with the military.

WILLIAM M. BELEW, 18, of Simpsonville had done what no one before him had been able to achieve, something the army believed impossible. Told he was not expected to answer all the questions correctly, in rapid-fire order, dashed through the test without a single error.

It was the preliminary test given volunteers at the air force recruiting office in Louisville. The testers were amazed. They checked, re-checked the score, found it perfect. They then checked the records. Sure enough, Belew was the first to make a perfect score.

THESE NEW TESTS, much more exacting than the old, have been in use since last May. Questions are divided into three sections, vocabulary, arithmetic, and perception of spatial relationship. There are 45 questions and they must be answered in 40 minutes.

Belew will give the air force a trial. If he likes it, he will make it a career; if he doesn't he will take up accounting.

A Simpsonville high school basketballer and diamond performer, Belew stands six feet tall, weighs 160 pounds, was expected to pass the army physical examination with ease.

Best Voices

The best "telephone voices" in the nation for 1948 were chosen by telephone operators of New York. The voices? Most sincere: Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt and Ted Collins, owner Boston Yanks pro football team; most courteous: Joe DiMaggio and Mrs. Alfred Gyne Vanderbilt; most sensuous: Rita Hayworth, Actor Richard Ney; most expressive: Actor Jose Ferrer and Sister Elizabeth Kenny.

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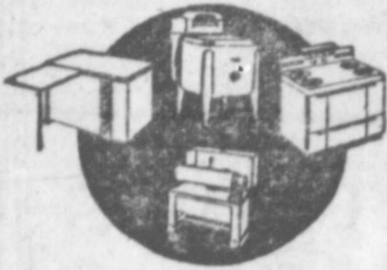
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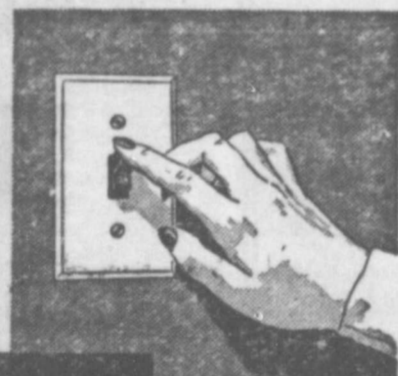
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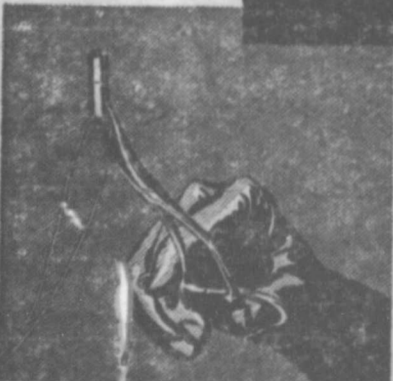


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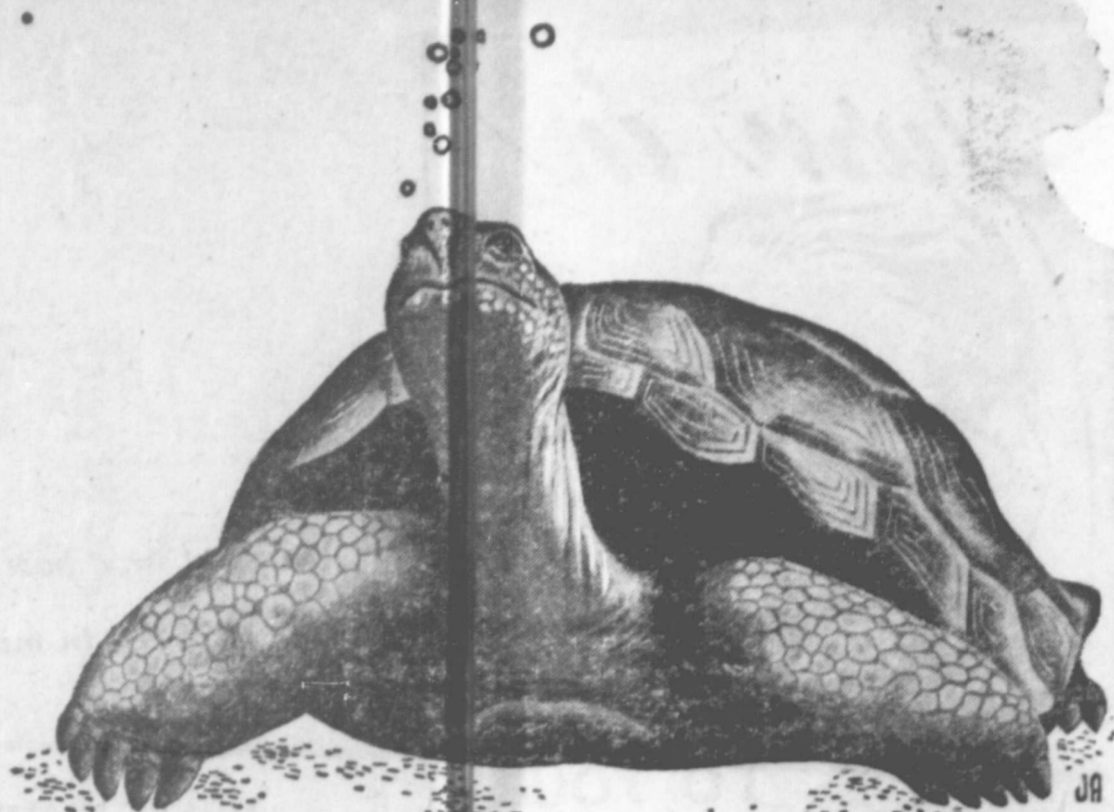


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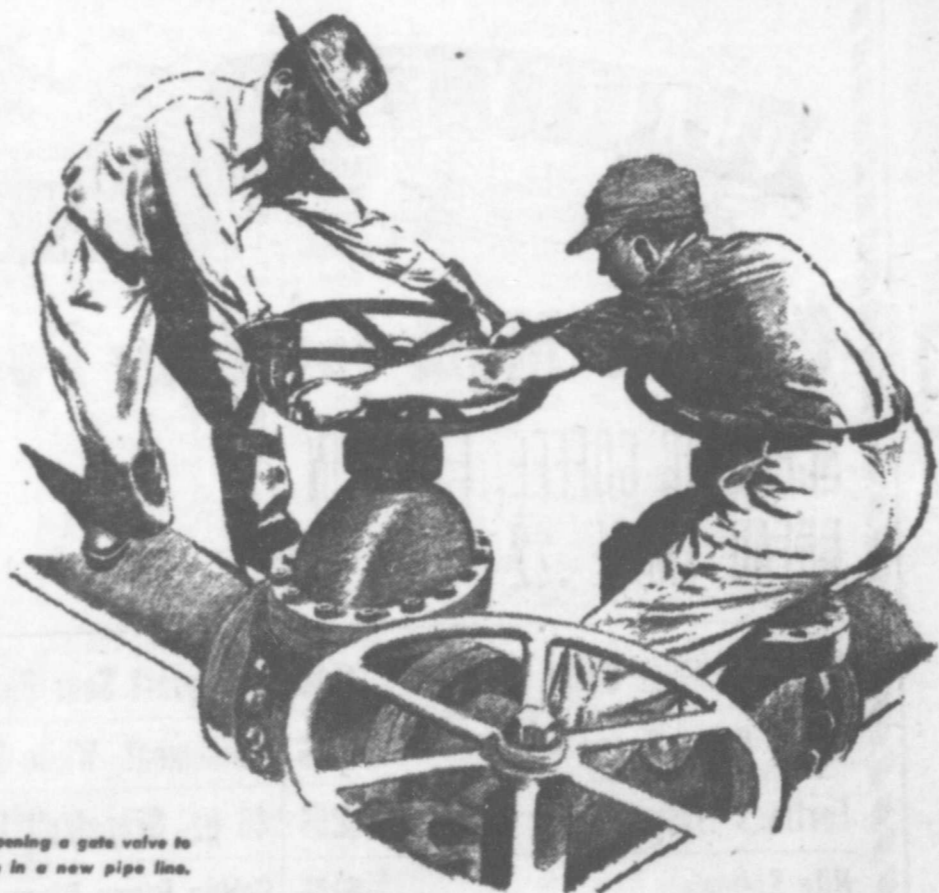
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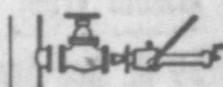


Opening a gate valve to tie in a new pipe line.

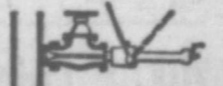
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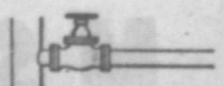
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HOUSEHOLD MEMOS... by Lynn Chambers

Casseroles Please, Satisfy Appetites During Cold Weather

WOMEN LIKE casseroles for dinner and supper menus because they're taste-tempting and satisfying to the family. At the same time, a well-planned casserole contains high nutritive value and stays within hard-pressed food budgets.

If you're short on time when preparing a meal, it's easy to whip together a casserole. Then, too, because a casserole contains so many other foods and frequently includes vegetables, there's little to worry about for the remainder of the meal.

Even if the casserole contains no vegetables, you can serve these in a salad which takes no time to toss together. Fresh or canned fruits, and cookies from the old stone crock will do beautifully for dessert.

PORK LEFT over from a roast will work nicely in this biscuit roll. You may serve gravy left from the



A pound of pork makes a tasty dish when combined with flavorful apples in this biscuit roll. This main dish is quickly mixed and easily baked for a cold weather supper.

roast over it or substitute tomato sauce.

- Pork Biscuit Roll (Serves 4)**
- 2 cups sifted flour
 - 3 teaspoons baking powder
 - 1 teaspoon salt
 - 4 tablespoons fat meat drippings
 - 1/2 cup milk (about)
 - 3 tablespoons melted fat
 - 1 cup ground cooked pork
 - 1 egg
 - 2 tablespoons minced onion
 - 1/2 teaspoon salt
 - 5 or 6 apples

Sift together flour, baking powder and salt. Cut in fat; add milk to make a soft dough. Roll dough into rectangular sheet length of dish, 1/3 inch thick. Brush with melted fat. Combine meat, egg, onion and salt. Spread mixture over dough. Roll as for jelly roll. Place roll cut side down in a 10-inch heat-resistant glass dish. Cut apples in halves and arrange along sides of roll. Bake in a hot oven (400° F.) for 30 minutes. Cut in thick slices and serve with extra gravy or tomato sauce.

HEARTY CHEESE and noodles are combined to make this next casserole. Wedges of ripe tomato baked on top add color as well as interest.

- Red-Top Olive Casserole (Serves 5-6)**
- 1/2 cup ripe olives
 - 2 cups noodles (4 ounces)
 - 2 tablespoons butter or substitute
 - 2 tablespoons flour
 - 1 1/2 cups milk
 - 1/2 teaspoon salt
 - Black pepper to taste
 - 2/3 cup grated American cheese
 - 2 tomatoes

Cut olives from pits into large pieces. Cook noodles until tender in boiling, salted water. Drain and place in baking dish. Melt butter and blend in flour. Add milk and seasonings, cook and stir until thickened. Remove from heat; stir in cheese and olives. Pour over noodles. Cut tomatoes into 8 wedges and press skin side up on top of noodles. Bake in a moderate (350° F.) oven about 25 to 30 minutes.

If you've decided on the individual cheese and meat pies, here's the recipe which will give you 8 pie shells, 3 1/4 inches in diameter and 1 inch deep. It's a good idea to make these first so they can chill while you make the mixture for the pies.

LYNN SAYS:
Here's Help in Planning Quickly Prepared Meals
Sift dry ingredients for muffins, biscuits, meat pies, etc., to save last minute preparation time.

Keep grated cheese and buttered bread crumbs in refrigerator for casserole and vegetable dishes.

Even pies are easy to make if you keep pudding mix in a glass jar and pie crust which takes little time to roll and bake. Top with meringue or whipped cream for a tasty dessert.

LYNN CHAMBERS' MENU

- *Cheese-Meat Pies
- Tossed Green Salad
- Hot Rolls
- Apricots Beverage
- Cookies
- *Recipe Given

- Pastry (For Cheese-Meat Pies)**
- 2 1/2 cups sifted flour
 - 1 teaspoon salt
 - 3/4 cup shortening
 - 5-6 tablespoons cold water
- Sift together flour and salt. Cut in shortening with two knives or pastry blender until pieces are the size of a small pea. Sprinkle 1 tablespoon of water over a small portion of the flour mixture, lightly pressing moistened particles together with a fork. Put this dough to the side of the mixing bowl. Repeat until all flour is moistened, being careful to add water each time to an undampened spot. Lightly form into a ball, wrap in waxed paper and chill 1/2 hour.

- Cheese-Meat Pies (Makes 8)**
- Pastry**
- 1/2 cup finely chopped onion
 - 2/3 cup finely chopped green pepper
 - 2 tablespoons butter
 - 1 pound chunk beef, ground
 - 1 teaspoon salt
 - 1/4 teaspoon pepper
 - 1 1/4 cups condensed tomato soup
 - 3 cups cooked fine noodles
 - 1/2 pound American cheese, grated

Line 8 individual pie pans with pastry. Cook onion and green pepper until tender and lightly browned. Add ground meat, salt and pepper and mix well. Stir in tomato soup and noodles. Blend well. Add cheese, saving 1/2 cup for top of pies. Fill pastry-lined pie pans with cheese-meat mixture. Sprinkle 1 tablespoon of cheese on top of each pie. Bake in a moderate (350° F.) oven for 45 minutes. Serve hot in pie pans, or let cool in pans for 15 minutes, and then lift from pans with aid of spatula.

YOU'LL GET a hearty, man-sized meal from both of these casseroles and at great economy:

- Lima Bean Casserole (Serves 10)**
- 2 cups dried lima beans
 - 1 pound pork, cubed
 - 2 tablespoons flour
 - 1 1/2 teaspoons salt
 - 1/2 teaspoon paprika
 - 1/2 teaspoon mace
 - 1 1/2 cup chopped onions
 - 2 1/2 cups canned tomatoes
- Soak lima beans overnight. Drain. Add water to cover and simmer, covered, until tender. Dip meat in flour mixed with seasonings. Brown in hot fat. Add onions and cook until golden. Alternate lima beans and meat in a greased casserole. Add tomatoes. Bake in a moderate



Individual cheese-meat pies are a sure-fire answer to the menu planning problem. These pies combine the high quality proteins of cheese and meat to make a low-cost main dish.

- Corn-Hamburger Casserole (Serves 8)**
- 1 pound ground beef
 - 2 tablespoons fat
 - 1/4 cup chopped onion
 - 1 can condensed tomato soup
 - 1 1/2 cups water
 - 4 ounces noodles, cooked
 - Salt and pepper
 - 2 1/2 cups canned corn
 - 1/4 cup chopped ripe olives
 - 1 cup grated American cheese
- Brown meat in hot fat, add onion and cook until tender. Add soup, water and noodles. Cook until noodles are tender. Season to taste, then add corn, olives and cheese. Bake in a casserole in a moderate oven for 45 minutes.

Sauces may be made in advance and refrigerated until heating time. Or, use canned soups for sauces. There are cream of mushroom, tomato, cream of chicken and cream of celery which are all good.

Puddings and gelatin salads and molds may easily be made in advance to save time preparing a meal.

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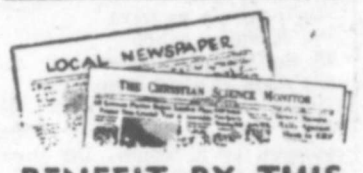
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