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Lions Club News

At this week's meeting of the Lions Club the Boss Lion will appoint the nominating committee to nominate officers for next year. The nominations will be read the first meeting in June to be elected the second meeting in June. New officers take over the first meeting in July.

The district convention will be held in Lubbock May 22, 23 and 24. The local club will be allowed 8 voting delegates at this meeting. Enough members should attend this meeting to enable the club to cast its full vote.

The perfect attendance winter contest ended with 32 members having had perfect attendance. The Lions only have two regular meetings a month, and meeting can always be made up a week before or after so there is no reason with a little effort we can't all have perfect attendance.

Mother's Day Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Naylor entertained their mothers with a Mothers Day dinner Sunday May 8. Fried chicken, gravy, salad, potatoes, pies, cakes and many other things were served to Mr. and Mrs. Sam Owens and family, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Owens, Mrs. Emma Owens, Misses Alma and Myrtle Hall and J. S. Hall of Hedley; Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hall and Joyce, Duane Naylor, Leonard Carnes and Lavern Morris of Clarendon; Mr. and Mrs. George Owens, and Bobby, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Small and Mrs. Small of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Owens and Jack of Childress; Sam Owens Jr. of Canyon; Misses Ava and Minnie Naylor and P. O. Naylor of Naylor, Mrs. O. C. Hill of Clarendon, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hill and family of Lefors and the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Naylor.

Willie Johnson for flowers, phone 58.

For Sale—International tractor and International combine, plenty of Plainsman maize seed. See J. H. Painter 263p

See Myrtle Kirkpatrick for flowers or leave order at Wilson Drug.

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Land Bank Meeting

Mrs. Bonnie Crofford, Office Assistant, for the Donley County N. F. L. A., left Sunday morning to attend a two day meeting being held at The Federal Land Bank in Houston. Mrs. Crofford and Miss Kathleen McMasters, Memphis N. F. L. A. employee, will be traveling companions on the trip. The ladies will be guests of the bank and will meet the officials and personnel. They will be taken on a tour of The Federal Land Bank building and will see the many machines which handle a great part of the computations and paper work in connection with the borrowers loan instalments.

Wesleyan Guild

The Wesleyan Guild will meet Monday, May 16 at 8 p. m. at the Methodist Church. We encourage all members to be present, also anyone who would like to be a member. We extend an invitation to the members of the W. S. C. S. After the Pot Luck supper we will have installation of officers by Mrs. Earl Hill of Memphis.

Hedley Man Takes New Job In Egypt

James R. Grimsley left Kansas City on May 2nd, on a Trans World Airline Constellation, for a flight to Cairo, Egypt. He left La Guardia Field, New York, that same day at 10 p. m. and was to arrive in Cairo on Thursday May 5. He is a construction superintendent for the Marley Co. Inc. of Kansas City, Kan., and will go on to Suez, Egypt, where he will supervise installation of three cooling towers on a construction project for a chemical company. He will be about six months on his present assignment.

Robert, as he is known here, is the son of W. E. Grimsley and was born and raised near Hedley. He attended Hedley high school, where he was graduated with high honors in 1941, winning a medal in math and some scholarships which he did not use, in spite of, having to be out of school several weeks to help harvest crops; school did not let out then as we do now for crop gathering.

He started work at Berger in June of that same year, on a job with a Marley Company crew, as an apprentice carpenter at the age of 18. He went on with the crew to other jobs, traveling over a wide territory, till he was called into the Army, where he served 28 months. Then he returned to his Marley Co. job where he was a foreman by this time.

In the autumn of 1947, he was given a contract as superintendent of construction, being at that time the youngest superintendent with the Marley Co. His brother Ward was till that time the youngest man of their employees. Ward had received his contract about six months earlier.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Laney of Amarillo are the proud parents of a daughter, born April 30. She weighed 7½ pounds, and was named Patricia Kay. They have a son, two years old, also. Mrs. Laney is the former Gracie Q. Randall and a niece of W. E. Grimsley.

Rusty Gabbard To Eighth Grade Banquet Be Here Saturday

Rusty Gabbard and the Valley Boys from Wichita Falls will put on a two hours entertainment at the High School Auditorium Saturday night beginning at 8 p. m. These entertainers play daily at Radio Station K. W. F. T. at Wichita Falls and are considered among the best.

If you like good western music, good singing and plenty of good comedy don't miss this. Any profits will go to the Lions building fund.

Recital

Mrs. L. G. Rasco will present her music pupils in recital Friday evening, May 13 at 8:00 o'clock in the high school auditorium. The public is invited.

G. M. Stone

G. M. Stone of Burleson, father of Marshall Stone of Hedley, died April 24 after a brief illness, and was buried April 25 in Bethesda cemetery. Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Stone attended the funeral services at Bethesda Baptist church. He was a native of Chattanooga, Tenn. and would have been 81 years of age on June 13. He is survived by his wife, three sons and six daughters. One son preceded him in death.

Birthday Party

Beth Edens was honored with a birthday party Tuesday evening, May 10. Guests were LuAnne Davis, Katherine Younger, Wanda Hansard, Dorothy Gilchrest, Evelyn Holman, Virginia Kelley, Doris Vaughn, Donald Jean Painter, Graeie Brown, Joyce Stuckey, Scott Lamberson, Reatha Ranson, Glenda Proctor, Laquita Meador, Donald Younger, Carrel Stone, Jerry Gilchrest, Shirley Stone, Barbara Johnson, Wendell Stone, Billy Wiggins. Gifts were sent by Mrs. T. J. Cherry Mike Thornberry.

Mrs. Mary Grimsley Woolever, and daughter Betty, accompanied by her friend Miss Sue Hill, visited over the week end with the W. E. Grimsley family and other relatives. They are from Marlowe, Okla.

They went on to Hartley to visit Mrs. Woolever's sister, Mrs. O. C. Lowrey, who came down to drive them back. They will visit also in El Paso before returning to their home.

Spending Mothers Day in the home of their parents Mr. and Mrs. W. M. McBrayer were Mr. and Mrs. O. L. McBrayer and children Jerry Dale, Barbara Malene and David, Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Phillips of Lelia Lake, Mrs. J. C. McBrayer and children Gary Lynn and Judy Jaunell of Dumas, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Richards and son Edward Lee of Amarillo.

Mrs. W. M. McBrayer and daughter, Mrs. Elvin Phillips and sister Mrs. James Smith of Lelia Lake and another sister Mrs. A. J. Fowler of Memphis attended the cemetery cleanup at Lakeview last Thursday May 5th.

The Eighth Grade was honored with a banquet Saturday evening, May 7, at 7:30 in the basement of the Methodist Church. Their mothers were responsible for this very pleasant occasion. All mothers took part in arranging for the affair but the room mothers, Mrs. Ray Moreman and Mrs. Leon Reeves, were directly responsible. The table, laid for about twenty guests, was beautifully decorated with a centerpiece of snapdragons surmounted by a maypole with multicolored streamers extending to each place card. The place cards were attached to Maybaskets filled with colored mints.

The guests were met at the door by the mothers in charge who presented each guest with a beautiful corsage or boutonniere. These were a gift to the class from Mrs. C. L. Johnson.

When all were assembled tomato cocktails were served preceding a menu consisting of creamed chicken, cherry frozen salad, bread and butter pickles, potatoes, peas, hot rolls, iced tea, and brick ice cream topped by the class lower, a red rose.

Jimmy Beach was toastmaster introducing those taking part in the program. Jimmy Lynn gave the Greeting to which Supt. A. L. Davis responded. Joan Ray Moreman played several piano numbers. The class history was presented by Betty Baker, the class will by Mary Ruth Sargent, and the prophecy by Carolyn Reeves. A group of Seventh Grade girls, Cynthia Thornberry, Pat Murray, Joan Marie Youre, Pat Pritchard and Carolyn Morris sang "Far Away Places." Cruising Down the River" and "Sunflower." Joan Ray Moreman accompanied them at the piano. After this the group stood and joined in a sing-song which concluded the program. Jack Moreman proposed a toast to the mothers and the class presented the room mothers with beautiful vases. Peggy Spear presented the vases.

Those present were Supt. and Mrs. A. L. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Truitt, Mrs. Davenport, Joan Ray Moreman, Betty Baker, Billy Baker, Carolyn Reeves, Jack Moreman, Jimmie Painter, Jimmy Beach, Jack Quisenberry, Peggy Spear, Alma Holland, Jimmy Lynn, Gerlene Hemelstrand, Marshall Ellis and Mary Ruth Sargent.

Correction

The school honor roll last week should have named Mary Lou Greer on the B honor roll from the 10th grade.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Winner, of El Paso, announce the birth of a daughter, Beverly Jean, on April 26. She weighed 5 lbs., 1½ ounces. Mrs. Winner was Betty Jean Grimsley, youngest daughter of John T. Grimsley and formerly lived here.

Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Koontz and children of Clarendon, Bill Stone of Hereford and James Stone of Amarillo spent Mother's Day at home with Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Stone.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy D. Tate announce the arrival of a fine little son on Wednesday, May 4, weight 7 lbs. 4 oz. He has been named David Keith.

Notice to the Public

We are planning another working at the Hedley cemetery Tuesday, May 17. Everybody is invited to come out and help all they can.

City Cemetery Assn.

Sandie Band Queen

Miss Peggy Quisenberry was chosen Queen of the Amarillo Golden Sandie Band for the next school year. She was crowned queen at the annual Band Banquet April 21 in the Crystal Ballroom at the Hedley Hotel. Miss Quisenberry is a junior in Amarillo high school and is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. John G. Dickson of Hedley.

Dr. Ozier Dies

Dr. James Bruce Ozier, a pioneer Panhandle physician, passed away suddenly Sunday morning at his home in Amarillo. Funeral services were held Tuesday morning from Blackburn Shaw chapel in Amarillo, with burial in Llano cemetery there.

Dr. Ozier was a graduate of Vanderbilt University in Tennessee. He practiced medicine in Tennessee for seven years, then moved to Clarendon for one year, and came to Hedley in 1910. He remained here until he moved to Amarillo in 1922.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Vivian Ozier of Amarillo, one sister Mrs. Eve Cook of Fort Worth, two sisters-in-law, Mrs. Ida Ozier and Mrs. Ruth Franklin of Amarillo, and one niece, Mrs. Dwight Newby of Amarillo.

They Bit

Short Saunders, Clyde Bridges and Joe Miller brought back some 75 pounds of channel catfish from Buffalo Lake one day last week, offering as evidence a picture in Sunday's Amarillo Times. A certain Hedley fisherman (initials T. O. M.) has reached an acute stage of fever since viewing same.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence DeBord of Gruver announce the arrival of a son, Kenneth Dwight, on May 3.

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League Standing			
	Won	Lost	Percent
Hedley	2	0	1.000
Groom	1	0	1.000
Washburn	1	0	1.000
Panhandle	1	0	1.000
St. Francis	0	1	.000
Claude	0	1	.000
Goldston	0	2	.000
McLean	0	1	.000

M. Y. F.

The M. Y. F. met Sunday evening at 7 p. m. The following program was given by the Intermediate group honoring Mother:

Song, Day is Dying in the West led by Lanell Cherry, Carolyn Reeves, pianist.

Scripture, Merlyne Waddell
Welcome, Jack Moreman
Song, In the Garden, Mary Ruth Sargent, Carolyn Reeves, Charlene Barnett, Pat Prichard and Carolyn Morris, with Cynthia Thornberry at the piano.

Story, My Mother Broke Her Pearls, Carolyn Reeves
Special, My Mother's Bill Mike Thornberry, accompanied by his mother.

Benediction, led by Don Reeves
Refreshments were served
Lanell Cherry and Charlene Sargent to the following guests: Madames Charlie Barnett, Ray Moreman, Carl Morris, Roy McKee, Mike Thornberry, Gladys Wadland and Leon Reeves, the members of M. Y. F. and the sponsors, Mesdames Clifford Johnson and Frank Story.

Homecoming

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McPherson the past week were Mr. and Mrs. Alton Quisenberry and children Mary, Jimmie and Bonnie, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Blackwell and boys Gene and Joe, Mr. and Mrs. Winfred McPherson and Mariwyn, Mr. and Mrs. Miles Norton and Nelda, and Mrs. Bessie Hunnicutt of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Stewart of Nortan, Kan., Mrs. R. N. Barron of Galveston, Mr. and Mrs. Gene McCracken, Winfred and Joan Gay of Childress, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. McPherson, Truett Stewart and Jimmie of McLean; Mr. and Mrs. Vergil McPherson, Sue and Kath of Hedley.

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WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS Truman Signs Bill for Extension Of European Aid Another 15 Months; U. S. Launches Bond Sale Drive

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

Men Who Found Kathy Remembered by Mail

The men who dug for little Kathy Fiscus, 3-year old who died in a California well shaft, were being remembered all over the nation.

More than 2,200 letters had been received by the Kathy Fiscus rescue fund from virtually every state in the union. Mayor Clark E. Bell, San Marino, chairman of the fund committee, said the first envelope opened contained \$1,020—an average contribution of \$5.10.

Donations ranged from 10 cents to \$50. It was pointed out that if the average continued, it would mean a total of more than \$11,000 for the men who worked for 52 hours to reach the child who fell to her death 92 feet down the well pipe.

AID BILL: Has Trueman Okay

A bill to give 5.58 billion dollars to the European recovery program over the next 15 months—with one billion available at once—was signed by President Truman.

MR. TRUMAN, as is a quaint custom in such matters, signed the bill with several pens—eight, in fact. Even Mr. Truman, himself, was moved to observe jestingly that "this will probably look like a forgery, but it really isn't."

The bill which Mr. Truman signed allots more than one-eighth of the entire budget of the United States to foreign aid.

Mr. Truman, ever a meticulous man, carefully wiped the points of the pens, handed one each to seven witnesses to the signing, and kept one for Sen. Arthur Vandenberg, who was unable to attend.

CHURCHMEN: UN Asks Facts

The United Nations wasn't heeding protests of Hungary and Bulgaria against its consideration of the trials of Cardinal Mindszenty and Protestant churchmen. Instead, the UN invited the two Soviet satellite countries to tell their stories of the imprisonment of the Cardinal and other clergymen.

THE RUSSIAN delegation indicated the two nations would disregard the invitation, since both Hungary and Bulgaria have contended the trials were internal matters and no business of the UN.

The world organization, however, voted 30 to 7 to put the church cases on its agenda and to go on with a full discussion of them.

U. S. delegate Benjamin V. Cohen argued the committee should delay inviting any nations or churches to send spokesmen until it decides how it wants to deal with the question.

Russia's Jacob A. Malik indicated the two Russian satellites would reject such an invitation and accused Bolivia of violating the UN charter by seeking to invite religious organizations.

To the casual observer, the entire matter was even less than a temper in a tea pot. Whatever the UN might find as a result of rehabilitating the convictions of the churchmen—what could UN do about it? The force of UN in world peace retention efforts has been so meager as to cause critics to begin comparing it already with the old League of Nations which died of impotency.

BOND DRIVE: Plan for Security

Kick-off speaker at the opening of the "Opportunity Bond Drive," in which the government hopes to sell one billion, 40 million dollars worth of U. S. savings bonds to its people, President Truman keyed his remarks to the need for national security.

HE PICTURED the bond drive as providing another opportunity for purchasers to assure security for themselves and their country. Among other things, the President said:

"We know that we cannot have a sound and secure nation unless security is the common possession of our people. Farmer, factory worker, banker, merchant, school teacher, housewife—all are buying security for themselves and each other when they buy savings bonds."

He added that "every bond they have bought has given them much more reason to feel secure about the future—their own and their country's."

THE PRESIDENT said the kick-off dinner was to honor three million volunteers in the bond sales program, and declared they would be joined by another 250,000 newsboys who would "ring the nation's doorbells, bringing the message of the Opportunity Bond Drive into 12 million American homes."

Top question plaguing bond officials was the recession in employment, lower prices and less consumer cash interfering with the bond drive's reaching its goal.

OASI COST: In Billions

American taxpayers in covered employment would have to dig into their pockets to the tune of 3.75 billion dollars by 1955 to finance old age and survivors insurance under the proposals advanced by President Truman and his administration.

BY THE YEAR 2,000—when the program is expected to hit its peak—the proposed cost would have mounted to approximately 13 billion dollars.

This estimate, made by the Research Council for Economic Security, Chicago, is based on a report from the advisory council on social security to the 80th congress.

Of a labor force of over 60 million, OASI now covers about 35 million, or roughly three out of five jobs. Coverage is now limited to persons employed in industry and commerce. It is proposed that the system be extended to cover the entire labor force.

In presenting both sides of the question, the council's report includes a full page of pros and cons. Each side might be summarized as follows:

ON THE ONE HAND, if employees of commerce and industry are entitled to this protection, why not employees on the farm and in the household? If the goal of the system is to provide even a minimum of subsistence, benefits must be raised now to keep in step with living costs. An adequate OASI system will reduce substantially the heavy burden of old age assistance.

On the other hand, opponents of the proposed extension point out that of those excluded, the majority are either protected by other systems or are able to provide for themselves, while the lowest income classes are employed to irregularly to earn insured status under any program. If the cost of living is a valid reason for raising benefits now, then logically the whole system should be geared to the cost of living, fluctuating down as well as up. The bigger the system, the better the promises of bigger and better pensions.

Table with 8 columns: Age, Present, Proposed, Present, Proposed, Present, Proposed, Present. Rows for ages 100, 150, 200, 250, 300, 350.

COMPARATIVE BENEFITS... Under present provision of the social security law it is assumed the worker has 10 years of coverage. Under proposed provisions, however, monthly benefits would not be affected by length of time spent in covered employment. Chart, prepared by Research Council for Economic Security, offers comparison of present benefit scales with those proposed in the administration program.

ACCIDENTS: Fewer Noted

Hope was indicated that the appalling toll of death and injury on U. S. streets and highways might be Russian who sank and brought in civil reported that 92 cities of more than 10,000 population went through all of 1948 without a traffic death. The council reported that Medford, Mass., with a population of 87,477, was the largest no-death city last year.

Rural Housing Off

According to Senator Fear (D., Del.) some of the nation's worst housing conditions still exist in rural areas—a conclusion familiar already to many, many Americans. The senator's statement was made during a hearing by a senate committee on the multi-billion-dollar housing bill pending in congress. There has been little talk of rural needs in discussion of the housing problem to date, although that need is pressing, almost, as any other.

Lady Sheriff



Mrs. Barkley Graham, weighing only 95 pounds, has become the first woman sheriff of McCracken county, Kentucky, birth place of Vice-President Alben W. Barkley. She succeeded her husband who resigned to become Paducah's chief of police.

FARM SURPLUS: May Hasten Subsidy

The administration's farm experts weren't being too subtle in a movement to hasten payment of direct subsidies to farmers. They were pointing out in the capital that an over-supply of pork and milk expected within the next two months, may require President Truman to ask immediate authority for such action.

SECRETARY of Agriculture Brannan said he already had discussed such a proposal with the President. At the present time the government is committed to support prices of those commodities by buying any surplus and taking it off the market. This is supposed to keep the retail price up.

Farm legislation passed by the 80th congress authorized direct payments to farmers for pork and milk, but this law does not go into effect until January 1, 1950.

Meanwhile, the agriculture secretary said consumer prices on pork and milk probably would fall if the administration was allowed to make direct subsidy payments to producers.

DESPITE much sentiment to the contrary, Brannan said his department has had a "quite favorable" reaction to the proposed farm program which, briefly, would let farm products find their own level through supply and demand, with the government paying the farmer the difference in this and the support price in cash.

Congressional critics of the farm program declare its cost will run into billions of dollars and that it will benefit neither the farmer nor the taxpayer, because, in the end, the farmer and the taxpayer will be paying additional taxes to finance the program.

CANCER: Progress Seen

The men in white who wage an unceasing battle against cancer caught a glimmer of hope—they felt sure they had discovered, as they put it, "what is for all practical purposes a simple, cheap and reasonably sure blood test for cancer."

THE ANNOUNCEMENT was made with the customary caution and restraint of the men who work with test tubes—"reasonably sure" was how they described the test.

But if they had made such a discovery, it was a great stride forward toward victory over the terrible disease.

According to the announcement, comparative studies at the University of Chicago of the blood serum of cancer patients and normal and other non-cancerous individuals had revealed significant differences that led to the statement of the new cancer blood test.

Report of the university findings was made by Professor Charles B. Huggins, who 10 years ago originated a new treatment for prostatic cancer which has kept more than 25 per cent of the victims alive and well for more than eight years.

DISCUSSING the new test, he said that tests on almost 300 individuals—equally divided into cancer patients, apparently healthy persons, and patients with non-cancerous diseases—proved positive for all cancer cases, negative for all normal persons and negative for all other tested, except those with lung tuberculosis and massive acute infections.

KIWI: Rare Chick

Nature lovers in New Zealand rejoiced. A sturdy male kiwi chick was hatched at the Hawke's Bay game farm, bringing to six the only known existing family of this nocturnal, flightless bird which was thought to be extinct until a few years ago. The male bird spent 81 days on the latest egg before the newcomer burst through the thick shell.

The Washington MERRY-GO-ROUND DREW PEARSON

Recess Is Refresher

DESPITE TALK about the boys "needing a rest," the real story behind the 10-day Easter recess of the house was that Speaker Sam Rayburn and majority leader John McCormack sent their charges home for a "refresher" course.

Rayburn and McCormack were chiefly concerned over another G. O. P. Dixie coalition against repeal of the Taft-Hartley labor law, and they thought some elbow-rubbing with the folks at home might be the best preventive. The strategy applies to Republicans from industrial districts as well as Democrats.

Meantime, local AFL and CIO leaders were planning to give the returning politicians a stiff workout during the 10-day "vacation."

Rayburn and McCormack are keenly aware that the Taft-Hartley vote will be a crucial test they can't afford to lose, if they are to keep northern city Democrats in line on other administration measures. Ever since the G. O. P. Dixie coalition against rent control, there has been talk of a northern "revolt," or a coalition-in-reverse, in which northern Democrats would gang up with Republicans to block southern farm bills.

Rumbles of Revolt

At a dinner meeting with North and South freshmen Democrats last week, Rayburn and McCormack heard increasing rumbles of "retaliation" against southern coalitionists. This wasn't all cloakroom whispers. Quite a number of big-city Democrats, who believe in carrying out Truman campaign promises, have spoken out openly.

Among them are freshmen Democrats Anthony Tauriello of Buffalo, N. Y., and Earl Wagner of Cincinnati, who angrily told McCormack the time had come to "stop appeasing and start hitting back" at southern opponents of the Fair Deal program.

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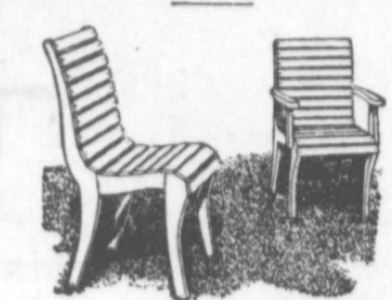
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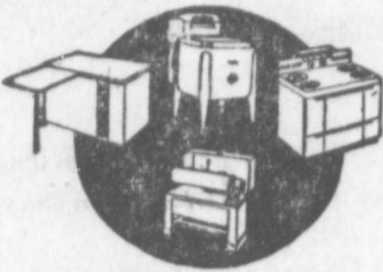
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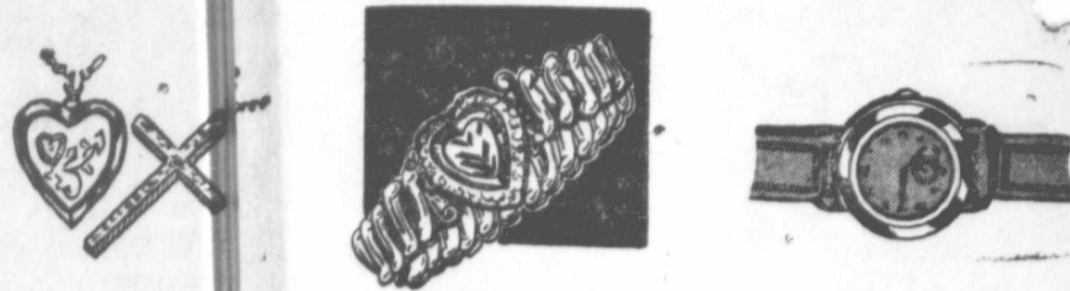
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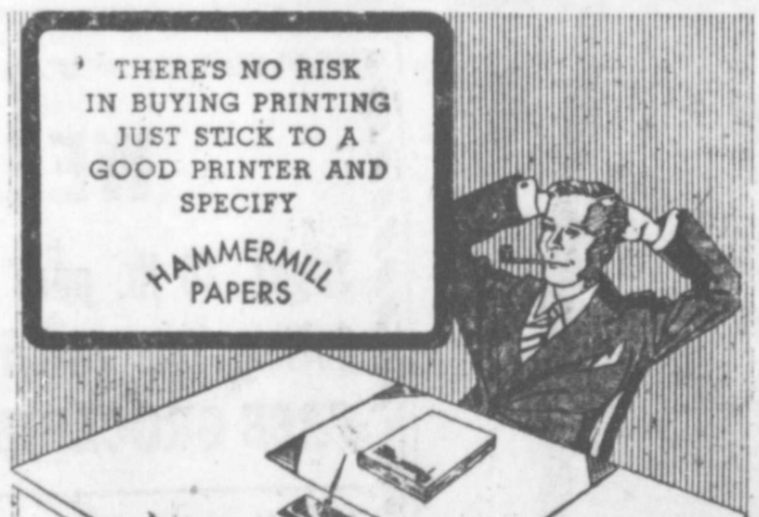
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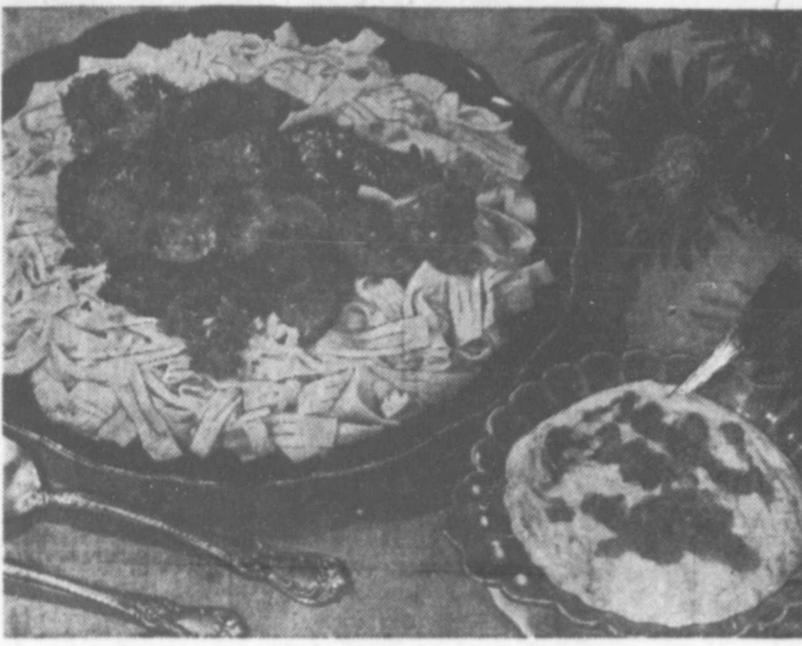
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HOUSEHOLD MEMOS... by Lynn Chambers



Select Seasoning to Suit Meat (See Recipes Below)

Meat Tricks

THE FIELD of seasonings, especially as applied to meat cookery, is a wide and interesting one. If you want to have fun with cooking, and serve the family foods with fine flavor, follow some of the tips given here; then, go further and do some experimenting on your own.

Certain seasonings are ideal for different cuts of meat. For mild cuts of meat such as veal and lamb, the seasoning may be a little sharper than those used for beef. Spicy seasonings are favored for pork.

SOUR CREAM has long been a favorite with veal. When combined with a dill pickle relish and served with steaming hot egg noodles, veal can indeed be a treat.

Veal in Dill Sour Cream (Serves 4)

- 1 tablespoon salt
- 3 quarts boiling water
- 6 ounces egg noodles
- 1 pound veal, cut thin, from leg
- 4 tablespoons butter or substitute
- 1 tablespoon flour
- ½ teaspoon salt
- ¼ teaspoon pepper
- 4 tablespoons dill pickle relish
- 1½ cups sour cream

To cook egg noodles, add salt to boiling water and gradually add egg noodles. Do not let water stop boiling. Stir occasionally with a pancake turner. Boil rapidly about nine minutes, until tender. Drain thoroughly.

Have butcher cut veal ½-inch thick. Dredge in flour and sprinkle with salt and pepper. Melt butter in skillet; add veal and saute until golden brown. Cover and cook until tender. Remove from pan; keep warm in oven. Add two teaspoons flour to the drippings, blend well. Gradually stir in sour cream, pickle relish, salt and pepper. To serve, arrange veal in center of platter and surround with buttered egg noodles.

LAMB BREAST is among the more economical cuts of meat, but it's a real favorite when prepared with barbecue sauce:

Barbecued Lamb Breast (Serves 4)

- 2 pounds lamb breast
- 1 medium onion, sliced
- ½ cup chili sauce
- 1 teaspoon salt
- Pepper
- ¼ teaspoon red pepper
- 1 tablespoon vinegar
- 2 tablespoons brown sugar
- 1 cup water

Cut lamb into five pieces. Season with salt and pepper. Place in hot skillet and let fatty sides brown. Mix remaining ingredients and pour over lamb. Cover and simmer for one and one-half hours. Remove cover and cook for 20 minutes longer, until sauce is absorbed.

Vegetables, cloves, bay leaves

LYNN SAYS: Know these Facts About Cooking

When brown sugar hardens, place in the refrigerator until the sugar softens. If the sugar is very hard, wrap a damp towel around it before refrigerating.

If you add barley to soup or stew, the mixture will thicken naturally without the addition of flour and water.

Beat cocoa with an egg beater to prevent scum from forming on its top.

LYNN CHAMBERS' MENU

- *Stuffed Shoulder of Pork
- Buttered Asparagus
- Browned Potatoes
- Spiced Pear Salad
- Bread Butter Beverage
- Pineapple-Strawberry Sundae
- Sugar Cookies
- *Recipe Given

and tomatoes add wonderful flavor to round steak. A low temperature is used in baking so the meat will be properly tender.

Tomato Steak (Serves 6-8)

- 3 pounds round steak, cut 2 inches thick
- 3 tablespoons fat
- 1 pint tomatoes
- 2 carrots
- 1 large onion
- 1 turnip
- 2 cloves
- 3 bay leaves
- 2 teaspoons salt
- ½ teaspoon pepper
- 2 tablespoons flour
- 2 tablespoons water

Score the steak by slashing with a sharp knife. Sear in heated fat in skillet. Prepare vegetable and put through coarse knife of the food chopper. Add them as well as the other seasonings to the meat. Cover carefully and bake in a slow (275°) oven for three hours or until tender. Remove meat from liquid. Combine flour and water. Add a little of the hot liquid to this, then add to remaining liquid. Boil together until thickened, then pour over meat and serve.

Apples and raisins are tucked into a sage-seasoned dressing for roast pork.

- *Stuffed Shoulder of Pork
- 1 4-5 pound pork shoulder
- 1 cup bread crumbs
- ½ cup raisins
- 1 egg, beaten
- 2 tablespoons butter
- ½ teaspoon salt
- Dash of pepper
- 1 grated onion

Have the butcher cut a pocket in a shoulder of pork, from which the blade has been removed. Make the dressing as follows: Mix ingredients in order given and fill the pocket. Skewer or tie with coarse string. Rub the roasting pan lightly with a clove of garlic, if desired, and dust the pork shoulder with salt and pepper and paprika. Place in a 350° oven and cook two and one-half to three hours.

LIVER HAS little fat of its own, so bacon and pork are used with it to provide juices for cooking it. Here's an unusual way to prepare liver that's certain to be a favorite:

Liver Rolls

Have desired number of slices of calves' or beef liver cut in one-fourth inch slices. Sprinkle with fine bread crumbs and spread with a mixture of sauteed onions, celery and chopped parsley. In the center



of each slice, place a finger-length piece of salt pork. Roll each slice tightly and tie or skewer together. Dust with salt and pepper and roll in flour. Place in a baking pan to which a small amount of water mixed with bacon drippings has been added.

To keep yolks from which the whites have been used, place in a cup of water to prevent a hard crust from forming. Store in the refrigerator.

Never beat muffin or pancake mixtures too thoroughly. Slight lumps should be left in the batter so the finished product will be really tender.

When heating iced rolls place in the oven in a paper sack or in a heavy skillet on top of the range. Do not sprinkle with water since this may melt the icing.

Star Dust

STAGE SCREEN RADIO

By INEZ GERHARD

WHEN Eagle-Lion films decided to hold the premiere of "Tulsa" in Tulsa, Okla., they had no idea that Oklahomans would cooperate so magnificently. Gov. Roy Turner proclaimed a holiday and royally entertained members of the press whom Eagle-Lion flew from both coasts for the occasion. Walter Wanger brought "Tulsa's" stars—Susan Hayward, Robert Preston,



Susan Hayward

Chill Wills and Jess Barker, to town; 50 mayors from all over the state were on hand to join in the festivities, which lasted for a day and a half. As for the picture, it is fine entertainment, with an oil-well fire that sets an all-time high for similar screen spectacles.

Two top Warners stars began their careers similarly, by dying. Errol Flynn did it in "The Case of the Curious Bride," has been killing other people in films ever since. Zachary Scott died in his first film, "The Mask of Dimitrios," has been the victim in eight out of 11 pictures since then, gets driven to suicide in his latest, "Flamingo Road."

Reuniting Fred Astaire and Ginger Rogers for their 10th picture in M-G-M's "The Barkleys of Broadway" proved so successful that they will co-star in another musical, as yet untitled, which is now being written for them.

Bill Conrad, the "voice" of CBS' "Escape" series, is a fine actor, but looks like something out of a grab bag; usually wears a sack-like pair of slacks, a T-shirt, sneakers and an old leather jacket. He wears that array on "Suspense," also when reporting to the picture studios; he was in "The Killers," "Body and Soul," "To the Victors" and "Sorry, Wrong Number."

As the wife of a third-rate pugilist (Robert Ryan), Audrey Totter had to look cheaply dressed in "The Set-Up," but none of the Hollywood shops had the right clothes. The wardrobe department came up at last with a suit worn by Joan Fontaine when skirts were knee-length; the hem was let down and the old hem-line still showed, marking the split out of date and made over.

Leading players on daytime serials sometimes go for years without a real vacation. But the cast of "Portia Faces Life" will get a break this year; the show will be recorded for three weeks in the summer.

One of the oldest allergies on the Warner lot is Ronald Reagan's; he positively dreads being kissed on the ear. He vows that when Osa Massen did it in "Night Unto Night" he felt exactly as if he had been hit on the head with a heavy mallet. Humphrey Bogart has an allergy, too; it's bananas.

Jeff Chandler, "Michael Shayne" on Mutual's "Michael Shayne, Detective," makes his screen debut in "Sword in Desert." Universal-International executives were so pleased with his work they gave him a long-term contract.

ODDS AND ENDS . . . Corinne Calvert has 89 men casting glances at her in "Rope of Sand," several more showing her more personal attention . . . Wendell Corey's two children, Robin, 4, and Jonathan, 2, make their screen debut with their father and Barbara Stanwyck in "File on Thelma Jordan," playing his children . . . Arlene Whelan, of "Dear Wife," will visit Hollywood for picture-making only twice a year . . . A new club has been formed in Hollywood—Anonymous Anonymous; it is dedicated to stopping cinema celebs from wearing dark glasses, except when necessary.

Jane Wyman's trip to England to make "Stage Fright" for Albert Hitchcock will be her first trip outside the United States. She will make the most of it, and tour the continent before returning to Hollywood in September.

Jean Surn made an experiment listed herself at casting agencies as three different girls, a blonde, a brunette and a redhead; dyed her hair as required. She made \$770 in one year as a brunette, \$360 as a blonde, and \$33 as a redhead.

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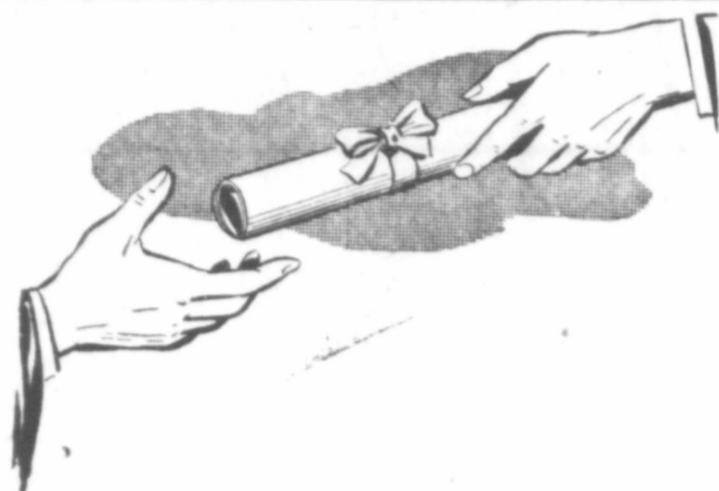
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