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WITH THE PICTURES

Friday and Saturday, Bill Elliot, filmdom's latest cowboy star, shoots his way into trouble and into a Mexican's heart in "Frontiers of '49".

You will go for this one because it has plenty of hard riding, fistcuffs and shootin' galore. Bill Elliot, a major in the U.S. army, is sent to lower California to investigate the conniving goings on by unscrupulous banking interests. The idea is to sell property owned by Mexicans for taxes long before the taxes are due. Elliott, assisted by his trusty aide, Hal Taliaferro, cleans up the town and also nets himself a red hot tamale in the person of Luana de Alcaniz.

Fred Astaire, Ginger Rogers, Edna Mae Oliver, and Walter Brennan head the cast of "The Story of Vernon and Irene Castle', showing at the Alamo Sunday and Monday.

Fred and Ginger are at their best impersonating two of the most popular figures the entertainment world has produced. Song hits the Castles made memorable occur frequently throughout the play. The Astaire-Rogers dancing makes one wonder if the great Castles could possibly have been more brilliant exponents of the art.

Delightful and wholesome comedy, with a well-modulated undertone of satire, "The Great Man Votes', showing Wednesday is deluxe entertainment for the family.

The plot concerns the regeneration of John Barrymore, an intellectual and lovable old sot with a heart of gold, who is raising his two motherless children, accomplished wnen he suddenly finds himself elevated to temporary fame through a political quirk.

For Sale or Trade -- 1934 Model Dodge Pickup. Boyd Yarbrough.

COUNTY COUNCIL MEETS

The Coke County Council of the P. T. A. met August 5th, in the Robert Lee School Auditorium to discuss plans for formation of programs and year books.

Council President, Mrs. H. E. Smith, having charge of the business session, introduced Mrs. C. T. Womack, of San Angelo, who is vice-president of the Sixth District. Mrs Womack discussed year books and pro-

During the meeting there was adopted a resolution of respect for the late Mrs. Ella Carruthers Porter, founder of the Texas Congress.

Accompanying Mrs. Womack were Miss Iola Barron, state child welfare worker, and Mrs. Frank Lossing, president of the Tri-county Council.

Other than Robert Lee members present were Mesdames George Thomas, James Arrott, Otis Smith of Bronte.

Refreshments were served by Robert Lee members.

The next meeting of the council will be held in November.

Rev. and Mrs. Fred DeLashaw and daughter, Sandra, Doris Snead, Nina Gramling, Dale Cowley, Katie Sue Good, and Maxine Yarbrough motored to Brownwood, Tuesday, to attend the annual house party of the Girl's Auxiliary of the W. M. S which was in session at Howard Payne College, Tuesday and Wednesday. While there, they had the privilege of hearing two missionaries home on furlough, Miss Lena Lair, Africa, and Mrs. L. V. Hannah, Nazareth.

For Sale -- Pure Bread Ram. bouillet Bucks, just the right pampered. Reasonable price. H. C. Allen, Robert Lee.

COKE COUNTY BENEFITTED BY FINE RAINS

FARMERS ELATED OVER FINE CROP PROSPECTS

SAN ANGELO PASTOR TO CONDUCT BAPTIST REVIVAL LIONS CLUB NOTES



Rev. Lawrence Hayes, pastor of Parks Heights Baptist Church, ing during the coming revival to bonds. He intends to spend two Mrs. S. G. Danford, was honorbe conducted at the local Baptist days in Austin in order to com- ed with a gift party at the home Church. The revival meeting is to begin Sunday, August 20th.

Rev. Hayes comes to Robert Lee with recommendations and records that lend strongly toand in promoting a great evan- day night, August 13th. gelistic campaign. He has a regelist.

Plans are being completed to at 4 p. m. lend every physical assistance grown, never been kept up and arrangements are being made for and 1:15 p. m. prayer meetings and to meet the needs of all age groups. Plans at this time are to have the eve- EDITH HOME COMING ning services out of doors.

The song service is to be conducted by Rev. Fred DeLashaw, pastor of the local church. The plans include a large choir, as well as a musical program for all of the congregation. The popular old songs that everyone enjoys and everyone can sing will be features of the musical pro-

The public is cordially invited to each of the services. They will be conducted twice daily.

YOUTH DAY SUNDAY At the Baptist Church Everyone Invited.

Mrs. Bruce Clift and Mrs. W. K. Simpson left Monday for Taft, where they will visit Mrs. Clift's daughter, Mrs. Dorothy Davis. Wallace Clift, who has been visiting there, will return home with them,

in another regular semi-monthly 5 inches. Range lands have a meeting. Tuesday evening. The promise of being the best in program for the evening will be this area in several years. Cotfilled with entertainment by out ton and feed crops that were of town visitors that no Lion suffering have a cinch on mak-

It is urgent that every Lion be last years crops.

In Austin

tin, where he will present a re- which began to fall last Thursport on Coke County affairs to day night. the Texas State Highway Department and look into the records to find out where Coke Bridal Shower County now stands.

Judge Wylie believes that Coke County is due aid on both the county and precinct road Danford, daughter of Mr. and plete his business.

The revival conducted at Gifts were received from the

cord of being an understanding 2:30 p. m., and 7:45 p. m. Bro. Smith, Marvin Barnes, J. S. pastor and an inspirational evan- Hawkins is to preach on the Craddock, Sr., Lester Keenan,

Remember the annual homecoming at Edith, Sunday, August 20th. Bring a basket dinner.

Mrs. Julian Batton left Tuesday for Seagraves to visit her sister, Mrs. Daisy Blanchard.

Coke County's drouth stricken areas have been relieved by to-The Lions Club will meet rential rains, ranging from 3 to ing good -- as good or better than

> With a big peach, plum and watermelon crop already made. a new crop of watermelons are coming on.

Surrounding counties were also Judge McNeil Wylie is in Aus- benefitted by the general rains

Mrs. Billy Ratliff, who, before her recent marriage, was Eunice of Mrs. Marvin Barnes, Tuesday evening. Hostesses for the affair were Mrs. Allen Roberts. Mrs. Marvin Barnes and Miss Ada Bell Fish.

ward his ability as an evangelist. Edith Tabernacle by W. E. following: Mesdames Fred Mc-He has a way of winning the con- Hawkins, Jr., of Dallas, contin- Donald, Jr., Freeman Clark, fidence and respect of the people ues with good attendance. Ser- Delbert Vestal, John Bilbo, S. G. and the churches with which he vices will be held all day Friday Danford, Gene Baker, Frank D. come in contact. His ability in with dinner on the ground. Bro. Bryan, W. J. Cumbie, Otto the pulpit makes him a man of Hawkins preaches at the taber- Wojtek, A. M. Page, O. B. rare ability in winning friends nacle every night through Sun- Jacobs, T. A. Richardson, Willis Smith, Bob Patterson, W. C. Sunday services are 11 a. m., McDonald, Allan Roberts, J J.S. streets of Robert Lee, Saturday, Ben Biggs, D. P. Key, George Taylor, Lamont Scott, J. C. Tune in on the Radio Revival, Snead, Jr., Tom Peay, Gerald age for service. Real range possible to the meeting. Special KRLD, 1040 K. C., at 6 a. m. Allen, J. S. Gardner, O. M. Ratliff; Misses Minnie Weathers, Ellie Ditmore, Helen Johnson, Tommy Jo Kerley, Ada Bell Fish, Charline Morrow, Christine Glenn; Messrs, Biggs and Alfred McElrath.

> Supt. George L. Taylor announces that school will open Monday, September 4th.

PUBLIC NOTICE

WHEREAS, the City of Robert Lee, being in dire need of funds, the City Commission has contracted with W. C. McDonald. local attorney, to collect its delinquent taxes, and has vested in said attorney full authority to institute and prosecute such suits for the collection of said delinquent taxes, and to foreclose the Constutional lien against the property, as may be necessary in order to effectuate a collection of said delinquent taxes.

Under the new tax laws, should suit be brought, then the County, State and School District must be joined as parties, and all taxes of every character will have to be paid or the property sold under the hammer according to law.

Our attorney has contracted to bring such suits as are necessary immediately, and after suit is filed, then the court costs will have to be paid by the property owner in addition to the taxes, penalty and interest now due.

> Signed: CITY COMMISSION, Robert Lee, Texas



Mr. Smith Is Somewhat Wrought Up!

He's just finished trying to cull the worthwhile news out of a dozen dailies, and what is really going on in the world is still somewhat vague. That's the reason for his display of temper. Mr. Smith might have saved himself this emotional outburst if he had read the

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appearing each week in this paper. It covers all the important national and world news, interpreted for you by one of the nation's best known news commentators. Read the WEEKLY NEWS REVIEW each week if you want to keep well informed on current events.

WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS BY JOSEPH W. LaBINE

Big Cuts in Lend-Spend Bill Traceable to Lewis Barrage Against Garner, Wage Shifts

(EDITOR'S NOTE-When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of the news analyst and not necessarily of this newspaper.) Released by Western Newspaper Union.

CONGRESS:

Drifting

Time was when C. I. O.'s John L. Lewis and President Roosevelt were close friends. If this was an excuse for anti-Roosevelt sentiment in the rural U. S., such sentiment might have been dispelled the day John Lewis appeared before a hostile house labor committee. In a few choice words he denounced proposed amendments to the 1938 fair labor standards act. In a few more he called Vice President Garner a "labor-baiting, poker-playing, whiskeydrinking, evil old man . . ."

While this denunciation at least won Jack Garner the poker-playing



JOHN LEWIS The effect was stupendous.

and whiskey-drinking vote if he runs for President next year, its actual effect was much greater-indeed, it was stupendous. By denouncing wage-hour amendments Mr. Lewis stepped on rural toes (especially in the South) which wanted processors of agricultural products eliminated from minimum wage requirements. Thus he fanned into a blaze the growing coalition between Republicans and rural Democrats who are coolish toward the New Deal. Cheering Jack Garner in house and senate, this group proceeded to raise havoc with President Roosevelt's pet multi-billion lend-spend program, aimed to hasten recovery.

In the senate a \$2,490,000,000 original proposal lost a \$500,000,000 item for toll highways, bridges and tunnels, another \$350,000,000 for leasing equipment to railroads. In the house the bill was tied in committee. While adjournment hinged on this bill and no other, Senate Majority Leader Alben Barkley had to bite his fingernails and listen to an irrelevant twohour neutrality harangue by North Dakota's Sen. Gerald P. Nye. Finally, after remarking quietly that "there seems to be some sort of an undercurrent that's causing this bill to drift," he dashed from the chamber and yelled at waiting reporters: "I don't know anything about anything!"

Finally passed and sent to the house, the emasculated measure looked something like this: (000,000

mitted)	Original Senate House Bill Bill Committee
	\$750 Omitted.\$500
Farm Tenancy Public Works	350 350 350
Electrification .	500 500 350
Rail Equipment .	100 75 100 500 Omitted, 250
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The price Senator Barkley had to pay for his measure: (1) adoption of the amendment of Virginia's Harry Byrd removing tax exemption on government securities financing the project; (2) offering his own compromise amendment reducing Export-Import bank loans to \$75,000,-000 and providing all loans should be spent in the U.S.

AGRICULTURE:

Subsidies

Last year the U.S. agriculture department placed 118,000,000 bushels of wheat on the world market, losing an average of 27 cents a bushel in subsidies because U. S. prices were above world levels. This year world production will hit a new high and Liverpool prices have reached their lowest levels since 1592. Thus, to compete on the world market and still give farmers a fair price for exported wheat, the U.S. would suffer a subsidy loss of between 45 and 50 cents a bushel.

Offsetting bigger subsidies, however, is smaller domestic production. As Secretary of Agriculture Henry A. Wallace began estimating production, domestic consumption, mier Molotov, who has been shakrequired carryover and export surpluses, the picture looked brighter. cost the treasury between \$45,000,- ing up via the purge route.

000 and \$50,000,000, the U.S. probably will not ask so great a share of the world market when the international wheat conference meets in London. To maintain a carryover of 175,000,000 to 200,000,000 bushels, an export of only 70,000,000 is needed. Thus, compared with the \$31,-860,000 spent on subsidies last year, a 50-cent subsidy this year would cost only \$4,000,000 more.

WHITE HOUSE: Hatch Bill

Passed by both senate and house. the bill of New Mexico's Sen. Carl A. Hatch to "clean up" politics found its way to the President's desk for signing or veto. Its purpose: To remove influence or interference of all federal administrative officials from elections or nominating efforts for President. Its result: Incumbent federal administrations will find their personal payroller machines of little help at nomination or election time. But state machines will wield

Whether he liked it or not, Prestdent Roosevelt told his press conference he favored the bill's "objectives," yet he feared it was unconstitutional because vaguely drawn. For example, what can people legitimately do under its very broad language? Can officeholders attend political rallies or voluntarily contribute to a friend's campaign expenditures? Pending a decision from Attorney General Frank Murphy, the bill awaited presidential action. If not signed or vetoed by August 3, Mr. Hatch's bill would become law. The White House also:

@ Ordered Secretary of State Cordell Hull to move from the second to the fourth floor of the old State, War and Navy building, making room for the six "assistant presidents" appointed under the reorganization bill, men with "a passion for anonymity."

RUSSIA:

In the U.S. an incompetent public official is demoted, or fired at the end of his term. In Soviet Russia, where Foreign Commissar Maxim Litvinov disappeared mysteriously last May 3, public officials may expect a fate ranging from imprisonment or execution to exile in Siberia's wastelands.

Strangely coincidental as July neared its end were two bits of Russian news. In Moscow, Dictator Josef Stalin and his right-hand man,



CONSTANTIN OUMANSKY Purgee?

Premier and Foreign Commissar Vyacheslav Molotov announced in the Official Gazette the names of 79 high military and diplomatic officials who had been "stripped of their decorations," i.e., placed under arrest, for "actions unworthy of order bearers." Biggest shakeup was in the Japanese-pestered Far East, where Gen. Grigorio Shtern (successor to the vanished Marshal Vassily Bluecher) was succeeded by General Popov.

The other bit of news was gathered from such widely separated points as Berlin, Rome, Washington, and Tokyo. In each case Soviet embassies reported their ambassadors missing. Washington's Constantin Oumansky, who sailed from New York July 5 for a "vacation" back home, had not been heard from since he watched Moscow's annual physical culture parade two weeks later. Best guesses held that Preing up the Soviet's diplomatic service ever since he replaced Comrade Although a 100,000,000 export would Litvinov, is doing some more shak-

Star Dust

* A Picture Without Men * Remembered for Another * Right Up Raft's Alley

- By Virginia Vale -

66 THE Women," the movie version of the very successful play of the same name, is going to be something to see. Norma Shearer, Rosalind Russell and Joan Crawford head the cast, which includes those excellent actresses, Phyllis Povah and Florence Nash, and one hundred others, all girls.

Women will want to see the picture, if only to see the clothes—super-special frocks have been whipped up for their benefit. One of Joan Crawford's is black velvet, split to the waistline, and worn over very tight black knickers.

And men will want to see it, both to see some of our best screen actresses trying to outshine each other, and to see what cut-throat



NORMA SHEARER

battles women can get into over

If there were any other cut-throat battles while the picture was being made-little things like arguments over billing, scene-stealing, and things like that—the great public will never know.

Roscoe Karns has played featured roles in more than 100 motion pictures, but is best remembered for one he didn't play, in a series of pictures in which he didn't appear.

For years his friends and his fans have insisted on remembering him as the fight manager in the "Leather Pusher" series, in which Reginald Denny starred. But it was not Karns, but Hayden Stevenson, who played the fight manager. The two men don't even faintly resemble each other.

Karns is mystified, but at last is resigned. Just the other day, when he arrived at the studio to work in "Everything's on Ice," an assistant cameraman hailed him with, "It's been a long time, Roscoe, since we worked in the 'Leather Pushers' together!"

George Raft's performance in the new James Cagney picture, "Each Dawn I Die," won him a new contract and an assignment to do a remake of "The Patent Leather Kid" (in which Richard Barthelmess once made a come-back,) as his first picture. He is to make three a year. The hero of the picture is a prizefighter, which is right up the Raft alley-in his days as a fighter he fought 22 professional bouts, and was knocked out seven times.

Paul Whiteman's band is Alma Mater to nine men who are now leading their own orchestras, Tommy and Jimmy Dorsey, Henry Busse and Ferde Grofe among them. They were with him 10 or 11 years ago. Another member of the band at that time was Bing Crosby, who sang with the band but couldn't play; just sat holding an instrument so that he'd look as if he belonged there. Too bad they can't all be gathered together for one more performance, with the great Whiteman holding the baton.

ODDS AND ENDS-Robert Taylor and Barbara Stanwyck, preparing to take a vacation, were requested by their studio to spend it anywhere but in New York The thing that people seem to remem-about Alec Templeton, the blind piancont, is not his superb ability as pianist and composer, but the fact that until he was nine years old he did not know that he was blind . . . Television's old enough so that two girls are arguing over which one has the right to call herself "The First Lady of Television" . . . With Hedy Lamarr's first film since "Algiers" put on the shelf and the next one having re-make trouble. it's a question whether she's as good an investment as Hollywood thought when she made her film debut here . . . Fannie Brice feels that "Rose of Washington Square" has invaded her rights of privacy, defamed her character, and is an appro-priation of her life story, without permis-

sion. (Released by Western Newspaper Union.)

Floyd Gibbons'

ADVENTURERS' CLUB

HEADLINES FROM THE LIVES OF PEOPLE LIKE YOURSELF!

"Death in the Eeltrap"

TELLO, EVERYBODY:

A fisherman takes his living out of the water, and at times the water is pretty generous. But it's a treacherous element when it wants to be, and there are times when it takes back more than it has given. Sometimes it drives a mighty hard bargain.

Judd O'Rourke, of Hartford, Conn., made his living for eight or nine months by wheedling it from the Saco river in Maine. Judd didn't take any too much from the river. Darned little more than he needed to live on. But when the river came around to collect, it wanted Judd's life in payment for those few months of subsistence.

It was in the spring of 1929 when Judd started to wrest a living from the river. He was digging clams and fishing for eels, down at the mouth of the stream. Eel fishing took quite a bit of equipment. One set line alone cost about eight dollars for material and a day's work putting it together.

A set line is a long rope, with weights on it every 20 feet to keep it down at the bottom of the river, and three or four hundred shorter lines attached to it at intervals. The shorter lines are baited to catch the eels which swim along near the bottom of the stream on their way out to sea with the ebbing tide.

Set Line Anchored by Concrete Blocks.

Judd's set line stretched clear across the river. It was anchored by concrete blocks a few feet out from either shore, and at one end there was a float that told Judd where he could find it when he wanted it. You never take a set line entirely out of the water. When you want to gather your catch, you haul the line up at the buoy and work your way along it in a rowboat, pulling the line up in front of you and letting it fall back in the water

One morning, Judd and his friend, George Croft, were rowing out to some mud flats for bait. On their way, they passed one of Judd's set lines and stopped to see if there was a stray eel or two on it. Judd



George was hauling him down-not up!

caught the line at the buoy, pulled it up, and started working along it toward the other side of the river. He worked along until he was about half way across, and then the line stuck.

Judd figured it was caught on a snag on the river bottom. Try as he would, he couldn't pull it up, so the two men gave up and rowed on to get their bait. But on the way back, Judd began thinking that he didn't want to lose a new eight dollar set line and decided to have a try at diving for it.

The river was only about 14 feet deep at low tide, and all the clothes Judd had on were his boots and a pair of old pants with legs cut off at the knees. He took off his boots, and then tied the boat's anchor rope to his waist and gave the other end to George Croft to hold. That rope was for safety's sake. The waters on the Maine coast are ice cold. even in June, and if Judd got a cramp he wanted George to be able to haul him up.

Judd Finds Where His Line Is Snagged.

Judd dived. He found his line and began working his way toward where it was snagged. He found the place. An old water-logged tree stump, rolled downstream by the current, had lodged on top of it. Judd couldn't budge the stump. His lungs were bursting, so he rose to the surface. The only thing he could do now was to cut the line on each side of the stump and save as much of it as possible. Taking his fishing knife he dived again.

He reached the bottom, cut the line on one side, and then, after rising to the surface for another breath of air, he went down again. But this time, he miscalculated his distance. He reached bottom on the wrong side of the stump and had to work his way around it. "That took a few precious seconds," says Judd, "because now the current was becoming stronger and it was getting increasingly hard to hold my feet on the bottom. But at last I found the line. I cut it quickly, doubled my knees under me and shot toward the surface."

Anchor Rope Caught on Bottom.

But Judd didn't reach the surface. He shot up about five feet, and then stopped with a jerk that took the air out of his lungs. That jerk scared Judd. "The first thing I thought," he says, "was that a large squid had me. To this day I don't know why I should have thought that, for the largest squid I have ever seen weighed only a pound and a half. Then I looked down and saw that it was the anchor rope, tied to my waist, that was holding me. I knew it must be caught on the bottom, so I grasped it and hauled myself downward, hand over hand.

Judd's lungs were aching now. The air was gone out of them, and he knew it would be a long time before he could untangle that rope and get to the surface. Would he make it? Well-he was doing his best. That 10 feet of rope seemed like 500. His heart was beating and his head was spinning. At last he reached the point where the rope was snagged, and then-calamity!

As he reached the snag, the rope suddenly tightened, drawing him up close against the stump. Up in the boat, George Croft had picked that moment to become alarmed and try to haul Judd out of the water. And with the rope caught in the snag, George was hauling him down instead of up-down to his death!

Judd began to struggle. But the rope only pulled him closer to the stump. It was so tight that Judd couldn't possibly free it from the snag, and there weren't many more seconds left in which he'd be able to free it. His lungs were bursting and his stomach felt as if it were turning inside out. He began swallowing water-and at that moment he thought of the knife he had brought down to cut the set line. It was in his belt. He got it out, cut the rope-and that was the last Judd remembered.

When Judd woke up, he was lying in the bottom of the boat, and George was giving him artificial respiration. George had had the scare of his life when the rope suddenly went slack and Judd's body had come to the surface and then started to go down again. He had fished Judd out with a gaff and then worked over him until he brought him around

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The DIM LANTERN

By TEMPLE BAILEY

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"That's the thing for you and Del. He really loves fine stock. And you and he-think of it-riding over the going very fast.

"It sounds heavenly," said Lucy. "Then make it Heaven. Oh, Lucy, Lucy, you lucky girl-you are going to marry the man you love. Live away from the world-share happiness and unhappiness-" She rose from the table restlessly, pushing back her chair, dropping her napkin on the floor. "Do you know how I envy you?"

She went to the window and stood looking out. "And here I sit. day after day, like a prisoner in a tower -and my page sings-that was the beginning of it-and it will be the

"No," Lucy was very serious "you mustn't let it be the end You -you must open the window. Miss Towne.

Edith came back to the table. "Open the window?" Her breath came fast. "Open the window. Oh, little Lucy, how wise you are . .

When Lucy had gone, Alice came in and dressed Edith's hair. She found her lady thoughtful. "Alice, what did they do with my wedding

"We put them all in the second guest-suite," she said; "some of them we left packed in the trunks just as they were, and some of them are hung on racks."

"Where is the wedding dress?" "In a closet in a white linen bag."

"Well, finish my hair and we will go and look at it." As they entered it, the second

guest-suite was heavy with the scent of orange blooms. "How dreadful, Alice," Edith ejaculated. "Why didn't you throw the flowers away?" "Miss Annabel wouldn't let me.

She said you might not want things touched."

"Silly sentimentality." Edith was impatient.

The room was in all the gloom of drawn curtains. The dresses hung on racks, and, encased in white bags, gave a ghostly effect. "They are like rows of tombstones, Alice." "Yes, Miss Towne," said Alice,

dutifully. The maid brought out the wed-

ding dress and laid it on the bed. Edith, surveying it, was stung by the memory of the emotions which had swayed her when she had last worn it. It had seemed to mock her. She had seen her own tense countenance in the mirror, as she had controlled herself before Alice. Then, when the maid had left, she had thrown herself on the bed, and had writhed in an agony of humilia-

And now all her anger was gone. She didn't hate Del. She didn't hate Lucy. She even thought of Uncle Fred with charity. And the wedding gown was, after all, a robe for a princess who married a king. Not a robe for a princess who loved a page. A tender smile softened her

"Alice," she said, suddenly, "wasn't there a little heliotrope dinner frock among my trousseau things?

"Yes, Miss Towne. Informal." Alice hunted in the third row of tombstones until she found it.

"I want long sleeves put in it. Will you tell Hardinger, and have him send a hat to match?"

"Yes, Miss Towne." The heliotrope frock had simple and lovely lines. It floated in sheer beauty from the maid's hands as she held it up. "There isn't a prettier one in the whole lot, Miss

Edith, having dispatched the box with a charming note to Lucy Logan, had a feeling of ecstatic freedom. All the hurt and humiliation of the bridal episode had departed. She didn't care what the world thought of her. Her desertion by Del had been material for a day's gossip-then other things had filled the papers, had been headlined and emphasized. And what difference did it all make?

CHAPTER XI

The day after Christmas. "Baldy, darling: The operation is over, and the doctor gives us hope. That is the best I can tell you. I haven't been allowed to see Judy, though they have let Bob have

Evans and Edith and Mr. Towne. Baldy, Mr. Towne wants to marry me. I haven't told you before. It is rather like a dream and I'm not going to think about it. I don't love country-planning your gardens- him, and so, of course, that settles having a baby or two." Edith was it. But he says he can make me, and, Baldy, sometimes I wish that he could. It would be such a heavenly thing for the whole family. Of course that isn't the way to look at it, but I believe Judy wants it. She believes in love in a cottage, but she says that love in a palace might be equally satisfying, with fewer things to worry about.

"Somehow that doesn't fit in with the things I've dreamed. But dreams, of course, aren't every

"I had to tell you, dear old boy Because we've never kept things from each other. And you've been o perfectly frank about Edith. Are things a bit blue in that direction? Your letter sounded like it.

"Be good to yourself, old dear, and love me more than ever."

Jane signed her name and stood up, stretching her arms above her head. It was late and she was very tired. A great storm was shaking the windows. The wind from the lake beat against the walls with the boom of guns.

She walked the floor, a tense little figure, fighting against fear. The storm had become a whistling pandemonium. She gave a cry of relief when the door opened and her brother-in-law entered.

"I'm half-frozen, Janey. It was a fight to get through. The cars



"Can't you trust the maids?"

are stopped on all the surface

lines. "How is Judy?"

"Holding her own. And by the way, Janey, that friend of yours, Towne, sent another bunch of roses. Pretty fine, I call it. She's no end pleased."

"It's nice of him."

"Gee, I wish I had his money." "Money isn't everything, Bobby." "It means a lot at a time like this." His face wore a worried

frown. Jane knew that Judy's hos-

pital expenses were appalling, and bills were piling up. "I work like a slave," Bob said, ruefully, "and we've never been in

debt before." "When Judy is well, things will seem brighter, Bob." She laid her

hand on his arm. He looked up at her and there was fear in his eyes. "Jane, she must get well. I can't face losing her."

"We mustn't think of that. And now come on out in the kitchen and I'll make you some coffee." Jane was always practical. She knew that, warmed and fed, he

would see things differently. Yet in spite of her philosophy, Jane lay awake a long time that night. And later her dreams were of Judy-of Judy, and a gray and dreadful phantom which pur-

sued . . The next day she went to the hospital and took Junior with her. When he saw his mother in bed. Junior asked, "Do you like it, Moth-

er-dear?" "Like what, darling?"

"Sleeping in the daytime?" a peep at her, and she smiled.

"Give my love to everybody. I have had Christmas letters from me? I think about her in the night."

"I don't always sleep." She looked like a king.

"Yes, I am tired. An me? I think about her in the night."

Jane knew what Judy's heart | wanted. "She does miss you. I know it when she turns away from with the first course, interrupted me. Perhaps I oughtn't to tell you. But I thought you'd rather know."

"I do want to know," said Judy, feverishly. "I don't want them to forget. Jane, you mustn't ever let them-forget.'

Jane felt as if she had been struck a stunning blow. She was, for a moment, in the midst of a dizzy universe, in which only one thing was clear. Judy wasn't sure of getting well!

Judy, with her brown eyes wistful, went on: "Junior, do you want Mother back in your own nice house?'

"Will you make cookies?" "Yes, darling."

"Then I want you back. Aunt Janey made cookies, and she didn't know about the raisins."

"Mother knows how to give cookie-men raisin eyes. Mothers know a lot of things that aunties don't,

"Well, I wish you'd come back." He stood by the side of the bed. "I'd like to sleep with you tonight.

May I, Mother-dear?" "Not tonight, darling. But you may when I come home."

But days passed and weeks, and Judy did not come home. And the first of February found her still in that narrow hospital bed. And it was in February that Frederick Chicago. "I shall have only a day, but I must see you."

The next time she went to the hospital, she told Judy of his expected arrival. "Tomorrow."

"Oh, Jane, how delightful." "Is it? i'm not sure, Judy."

"It would be perfect if you'd accept him, Jane.

"But I'm not in love with him." "Bob and I were talking about it," Judy's voice was almost painfully eager, "of how splendid it would be for-all of us."

For all of us. Judy and Bob and the babies! It was the first time that Jane had thought of her marriage with Towne as a way out for Judy and Bob . . .

From his hotel at the moment of arrival, Towne called Jane up. "Are you glad I'm here?" "Of course."

"Don't say it that way. "How shall I say it?"

"As if you meant it. Do you know what a frigid little thing you are? Your letters were like frosted cakes.

She laughed. "They were the best I could do."

"I don't believe it. But I am not going to talk of that now. When can I come and see you? And how much time have you to spare for me?'

"Not much. I can't leave the babies.'

"Your sister's children. Can't you trust the maids?"

"Maids? Listen to the man! We haven't any."

"You don't mean to tell me that you are doing the housework." "Yes, why not? I am strong and

well, and the kiddies are adorable.' "We are going to change that. I'll bring a trained nurse up with me."

"Please don't be a tyrant."
"Tut-tut, little girl," she heard his big laugh over the telephone, "I'll bring the nurse and someone to help her, and a load of toys to keep the kiddies quiet. When I want a thing, Jane, I usually get it.'

He and the nurse arrived together. A competent houseworker was to follow in a cab. Jane protested. "It seems dreadfully high-handed.'

They were alone in the livingroom. Miss Martin had, at once, carried the kiddies off to unpack the

are you going to do about it? You can't put me out." "But I can refuse to go with you"

-there was the crisp note in her voice which always stirred him. "But you won't do that," Jane." He held out his hand to her, drew her a little towards him.

She released herself, flushing, "I am not quite sure what I ought to

"Why think of 'oughts'? We will just play a bit together, Jane. That's all. And you're such a tired little girl, aren't you?' His sympathy was comforting. Ev-

erybody leaned on Jane. It was delightful to shift her burdens to this strong man who gave his commands "Yes, I am tired. And if the ba-

ing French restaurant. The waiter, them. When he once more disappeared, Frederick persisted. "I'm going away tomorrow. Won't you give me my answer tonight? After lunch I'll take you home and you can rest a bit, and then I'll come for you and we'll dine together and see a play." She tried to protest, but he plead-

Soon they were dining in a charm-

ed. "This is my day. Don't spoil it, Jane."

It was nearly three o'clock when they left the table, and they had a long drive before them. Darkness had descended when they reached the house. It was still snowing.

Bob was upstairs, walking around the little room like a man in a

"I can't tell you," he confided to Jane after Frederick had left, "how queer I felt when I came in and found Miss Martin with the babies, and that stately old woman in the kitchen. And everything going like clockwork. Miss Martin explained, and — well, Towne just waves a wand, doesn't he, Janey, and makes things happen?"

"I don't know that I ought to let him do so much," Jane said.

"Oh, why not, Janey? Just take the good the gods provide. .

Before Frederick Towne reached his hotel he passed a shop whose windows were lighted against the Towne wrote that he was coming to early darkness. In one of the windows, flanked by slippers and stockings and a fan to match, was a French gown, all silver and faint blue, a shining wisp of a thing in lace and satin. Towne stopped the car, went in and bought the gown with its matching accessories. He carried to big box with him to his hotel. Resting a bit before dinner he permitted himself to dream of Jane in that gown, the pearls that he would give her against the white of her slender throat, the slim bareness of her arms, the swirl of a silver lace about her ankles-the swing of the boyish figure in its sheath of blue.

He wondered if he offered it to Jane, would she accept? He knew she wouldn't. Adelaide would have made no bones about it. There had been a lovely thing in black velvet he had given her, too, a wrap to

him, full of radiant promise. He rels .- Voltaire. knew Jane's strength but he was ready for conquest.

His telephone rang. And Jane spoke to him.

"Mr. Towne," she said, "I can't dine with you. But can you come over later? Judy is desperately ill. I'll tell you more about it when I see you.

Bob had cried when the news came from the hospital. It had been dreadful. Jane had never seen a man cry. They had been hard sobs, with broken apologies between. "I'm a fool to act like this . .

Jane had tried to say things, then had sat silent and uncomfortable while Bob fought for self-control.

Miss Martin had gone home before the message arrived. Bob was told that he could not see his wife. But the surgeon would be glad to

talk to him, at eight. "And I know what he'll say," Bob had said to Jane drearily, "that if I can get that specialist up from Hot Springs, he may be able to diagnose the trouble. But how am I going to get the money, Janey? It will cost a thousand dollars to rush him here and pay his fee. And my income has practically stopped. With all these labor troubles-there's no building. And Judy's nurses cost twelve dollars a day-and her room five. Oh, poor people haven't any Frederick laughed. "Well, what right to be sick, Janey. There isn't any place for them."

Jane's face was pale and looked pinched. "There's the check Baldy sent me for Christmas, fifty dollars.

"Dear girl, it wouldn't be a drop in the bucket."

(TO BE CONTINUED)

Emma Lazarus Emma Lazarus was a famous

Jewish poet and social worker born in New York city. Her first volume of poetry was published when she was only 18. Subsequently she wrote a novel called "Alide" based on the life of Goethe. She aided in providing work and education for large numbers of Russian Jews who fled to America. Her sonnet to the Statue of Liberty was placed inside the base of the monument in 1886.

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A few yards farther on they came to open ground. He stopped again, pointing once more.

"That," he said, "is where I want you and me to be buried some time."



PRACTICAL PATRIOTISM

YOU cannot build an ideal state by simply passing laws to regulate life's activities. Making people dependent upon the state is not building the state or the individual. To make man self-sustaining, adventuresome, a builder reaching out to find self and his Maker, that is practical patriotism.' U. S. Senator Alexander Wiley.

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The Youngs

No fairy Tale

We have all noticed the brilliance of the star in our heavens which scientists tell us is the body Mars. We are aware of its proximity to this sphere of ours and know that July 27th found Mars 36 million miles away. This is the closest the planent has been in fifteen years. The fact that a large dark spot is probably fresh vegetation covering an area about the size of the U.S. brings the feeling that the stories and pictures of probable Martians and their peculiar mode of living, their advanced ideas and customs, amazing dress and abodes, may well be realities. The 36 million miles is a far call. but with progress in scientific equipment we are mabe more aware of facts concerning this planet. Perhaps the future will give us more positive evidence of life and habitation. It may be that as this editor writes, a Martian housewife is canning raspberries, a Martian husband threshing his wheat. We consider ourselves an important MITH WITH MININI WITH MI n ation due to our prominence in !!! the eyes of other countries. Yet !!! we may be small potatoes if our !!! astronomers could give us the whole truth of Mars. There is !!! one thing of which we can be certain in regard to life on an other planet, and that is you won't find a fellow on a street in Mars who knows a fellow that knew a friend of yours that used to live in Kobert Lee.

American Womanhood



NEW YORK-A statue representing "American Womanhood," created by Gaetano Cecere for the facade of the Home Furnishings Building at the New York World's Fair 1939.

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Parents who do not have registration certification of the birth of their child are advised to contact their local registrar of vital statistics with whom the certificate was originally filed.

In many Texas school districts, a notification of birth certificae is required to prove the child is old enough to enter school. As the Vital Statistics Department will be called upon to answer numerous requests for school certificates, securing this record early will speed up the process of securing the needed forms before school opens.

Acquiring a record of birth is not only an important part of the task or getting the child ready for school but is an essential item in the larger job of preparing the child for the future The time will come when he will need a record of his birth. Proper registration now will prevent difficulty later on in his life.

In addition to its importance at the time of admission to school, birth registration may be necessary for obtaining a work permit, an automobile driver's permit, the right to vote and the right to marry; for proof of parentage, inheritance of property, settlement of insurance and in establishing identity.

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school.

It is harvest time in Europe. And so for the moment, there are no new major crises. Men who are needed to bring in the harvest cannot be set to marching and fighting.

Most experts think Hitler will provoke anothr major crisi in his "war of nerves" when the harvest is over, about the end of this month. Object will be to win Danzig and the Corridor. What will happen then is any man's guess.

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"If, in order to combat the notion that American young people need to look for guidance to that dictatorial regime which is the embodiment of Communism, it is felt necessary to set up counterorganizations among youth, let such organizations have the sponsorship of leaders whose devotion to America institutions has been



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Rev. J. D. Coleman, pastor of the Rewena Baptist Church, and former pastor of the local church, has received national literary recognition. One of his poems, "The Evening Star", has been accepted for publication in the "World's Fair Anthology of 1939." Rev. Coleman has been writing poetry for years, for his own pleasureand self expression.

Winston Gardner, editor of the Kilgore Herald, and Miss June Heffington, society editor of the same paper, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Gardner, last week-end.

Ratliff has lots other things to eat besides the best Hamburgers in 4 counties around.

There is usually some sort of the custody, welfare or earnings The most recent is that the father out any federal aid. takes to court a demand that Dr. Dafoe make an accounting of all money earned through advertisers who obtained the privilege of using the names of the children and also that of Dr. Dafoe. It's a dirty shame a good man These youngsters have made so. Perhaps there is a lot of spends years in learning and money and will continue to do shaping his life so he can be so as long as advertisers feel they of some good to our country and are "good copy". But will their low down scum comes along and lives continue to hold arguments

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glamour in the surrounding of public attention and universal interest. But does this extraordinary existence line-up favora- service will be discontinued. bly with the local Robert Lee child's upbringing, where his dorsing soap or baby powder?

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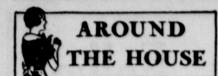
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NEW YORK (Special)—The King of England is pictured as he inscribes the royal autograph, "George VI R.I," in the guest book reserved for the names of visiting rulers in Perylon Hall at the New York World's Fair. His Queen, who a moment later signed the guest book, "Elizabeth R," is pictured seated beside him.

At the King's right stands Grover Whalen, president of the Fair corporation and official host to their majesties during their visit to the exposition. Standing at the Queen's left are Mrs. Grover Whalen and Governor Herbert Lehman. Mayor LaGuardia is seen at the extreme right of the



Beaten Egg Whites. - Never leave egg whites after they have been beaten still. If let stand they will flatten and will not beat up again.

Keeping Mayonnaise. - Mayonnaise should be stored in covered jars on the upper shelf of the refrigerator, since it is likely to separate if it is kept in the coldest section.

Lasting Paper Dolls .- Children like to play with paper dolls. Try pasting them on coarse muslin and they will last much longer.

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By RUTH WYETH SPEARS

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The mat is made of heavy white cotton cable cord such as you buy at the notion counter for seams and trimmings.

Follow the directions in the sketch, making the circles in



pairs, using No. 40 cotton thread to sew them. Braid three cords together and then sew the braided strip around and around to make the center of the mat. Sew a row of the circles to the edge of this center part; then add another braided row, being careful to "ease in" the inside edge just enough to keep the mat flat. Continue adding alternate rows of circles and braiding until the mat is size desired. To join the ends of the braided rows, pull one end through the braiding to the wrong side of the mat; then trim the ends and sew them flat.

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Public's Desire

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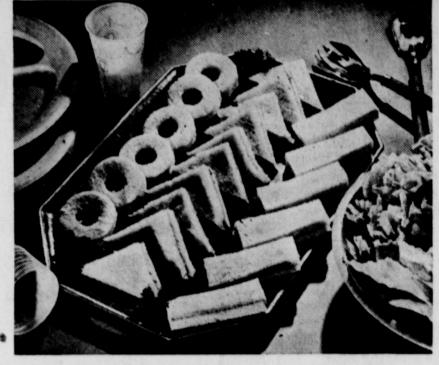


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SANDWICHES MAINSTAYS OF SUMMER MENUS (See Recipe Below)



'Make Mine a Ham on Rye'

Sandwiches in all their delightful variety are the mainstays of summer menus. Grilled sandwiches make a "one-dish meal" for lunch or supper; substantial sandwiches with hearty fillings make a satisfy-

ing picnic lunch; and dainty "tea sandwiches," served with a frosted beverage, are perfect for a party. But it keeps a woman's wits

working overtime to provide sandwiches that are

new and different! And new and different they must be, if they're to retain the appetite appeal which makes them popular.

Success With Sandwiches.

1. Use bread that is a day old. Cream the butter-don't melt it. Whatever the filling, use plenty of it.

4. Keep sandwiches moist for several hours by wrapping them in wax paper or in a clean cloth wrung out of hot water.

5. Remember to use a variety in breads, as well as fillings-whole wheat, rye, graham, oatmeal, brown bread, raisin bread, nut bread and orange bread all make delicious sandwiches.

6. Use left-over sandwiches for next day's lunch or supper by "french toasting" them-merely dip the sandwiches in beaten egg, pan fry them on both sides, and serve hot with a garnish of watercress or sweet pickle.

Sandwich Spread.

2 teaspoons dry mustard 1/4 cup sugar 34 teaspoon salt 1/4 cup milk

2 eggs (slightly beaten) 1/4 cup vinegar

2 teaspoons lemon juice 6 tablespoons soft

butter 1 3-ounce package cream cheese

1/4 cup pimiento (chopped) 1/4 cup olives (chopped) 2 tablespoons pickle (chopped)

tablespoon green pepper (chopped)

In a double boiler place the mustard, sugar, salt and milk. Blend in eggs and vinegar, and cook, stirring constantly, until thickened. Remove from flame, and add remaining ingredients. Store in refrigerator until using.

Hot Peanut Butter Sandwiches.

Toast 5 slices of bread on one side only. Then spread untoasted side with ½ cup peanut butter, and then with ¼ cup chili sauce. Top with slices of bacon and broil slowly until bacon is slightly browsed and crisp. Serve with gherkin pickle

Savory Sandwich Filling.

1 pound American cheese. 1/4 pound dried beef

1 cup condensed tomato soup Run cheese and beef through food chopper, then moisten with the tomato soup. You will find that this filling will keep indefinitely it stored in the refrigerator.

Banana Butter Filling. (Makes 1 cup filling) 1 ripe banana

½ cup peanut butter 1/4 cup dates (cut fine)

1 teaspoon lemon juice Mash banana with a fork and thoroughly blend in remaining ingredi-

> Raisin Orange Filling for Sandwiches.

(Makes 8-10 sandwiches) cups raisins

2 teaspoons grated orange rind 4 tablespoons orange juice Grind the raisins, add orange rind and juice and blend well. Use with

white or whole wheat bread. Mayonnaise Sandwich Loaf. 1 loaf bread

1 head lettuce ½ cup boned chicken

1/2 cup mayonnaise dressing 3 slices broiled bacon medium sized tomato

34 package cream cheese 1 tablespoon prepared mustard Ripe olives

Remove crusts and slice a medium sized loaf of bread lengthwise in three long

slices. Place crisp lettuce leaves on the slice and add a layer of boned chicken. Spread a second slice of bread with mayonnaise and place dressing side

down, on the chicken. Add crisp broiled bacon and thin sliced tomatoes as the sandwich filling on this second layer. Spread tomatoes with mayonnaise dressing and top with third long slice of bread. Mix 3 to 4 packages softened cream cheese with one tablespoon prepared mustard and frost the loaf. Garnish with ripe olives and parsley. Slice as for any ordinary loaf of bread. Serve on individual plates.

If you're looking for suggestions for easy, inexpensive meals be sure to read this column next week. In it Eleanor Howe will give you practical tested recipes for one dish "macaroni meals"— recipes that are suitable for family menus, for camp cookery, and even for an informal buffet sup-

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WORTH REMEMBERING

Brown paper moistened in vinegar will polish tins until they shine like silver.

Save all paraffin as you remove it from your preserves and jelly. A man's pipe cleaner makes an excellent device for cleaning the

spout of the coffee or tea pot. Emptying a cream whipper and bowl is wasteful unless one takes time to scrape them carefully.

IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL CUNDAY CHOOL Lesson

By HAROLD L. LUNDQUIST, D. D. Dean of The Moody Bible Institute of Chicago. (Released by Western Newspaper Union.)

Lesson for August 13

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ELISHA: A LIFE OF HELPFULNESS

LESSON TEXT-II Kings 5:1-10, 14.
GOLDEN TEXT-Be ye kind one to another.—Ephesians 4:32.

"Loving kindness and tender mercies" (Ps. 103:4) are among the glorious attributes of our God, and consequently characteristic of those who love and serve Him. The world has all but forgotten these virtues, for in its brutal determination to achieve results there is only an outward veneer of courtesy and consideration which extends itself primarily to those from whom some advantage may be obtained or who are highly regarded because of their wealth or position. The poor and needy, the aged and afflicted are quickly brushed aside as unfortunate hindrances in the path of progress.

In all times God's people have been those most considerate of others. It is they who have given time and effort and means to help those in need. The life of Elisha is well characterized as a life of helpfulness. It is surprising to find how many of his miracles were for the purpose of helping others. God's servants are called to be leaders and to be preachers, but they are nonetheless called to carry on a life of helpful service. Elisha's experience with Naaman suggests how we may exercise such a ministry. Without seeking to designate verses in the text, shall we observe that we must

I. Find the One in Need.

It is not always that the one with the deepest need makes himself known. In fact, it is commonly true that those who have the greatest need and are possibly the most worthy of help keep their sorrows to themselves. Certainly it is true that those afflicted with the leprosy of sin do not often come to church. We must go out and seek them.

One of the weaknesses of many churches today is that they go through their regular services, which may include preaching the gospel, and then they lament the fact that sinners do not come to the services to hear and be saved. Let us be reminded that it is our business to go out into the highways and the byways to find those in need. Naaman's experience illustrates how the simple word of a little slave girl was instrumental in bringing the leper in touch with the man of God. Had she failed in her responsibility. the prophet would have missed his opportunity to minister.

II. Locate and Diagnose the Condition.

Naaman knew that he had leprosy, but he did not know that he had a blight of soul called pride. The prophet, acting under the guidance and control of God, struck right at the heart of things when he directed Naaman to crush his pride and to show his faith by obeying God's command to wash seven times in the

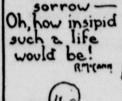
The story has many important applications. Let us be sure that in our efforts to help people physically or socially, we get through to their real need, the need of Christ. Let us also be careful not to modify or change God's requirement. There is one way of salvation-through faith in Christ; there is no other remedy for sin. A man "must be born again" or "he cannot enter the kingdom of God" (see John 3: 3-7). If men are too proud to go that way, they cannot be saved. Observe also that there was no respect of persons on the part of Elisha. Naaman was a great and distinguished man, ready to bestow rich gifts, but the man of God had no interest in those things. He wanted only to give God's message.

III. Apply the Remedy.

One would be quick to condemn the trained physician who, having found his patient and having given his attention to his need, made a careful and accurate diagnosis and then sent him away without applying the cure which was in his possession. As the servants of Christ the great Physician, engaged in the cure of souls, we need to be equally wise. It is commendable to engage in a discussion of the problems of needy men and women, expressing our heart interest in that need. It is desirable that we clarify our knowledge of their need and accurately understand the truth of the gospel which meets that need. However, all of these things are quite meaningless unless they result in the bringing of the gospel to bear on the lives of the unconverted.

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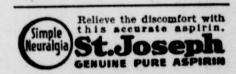
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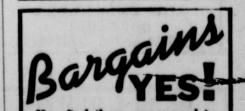


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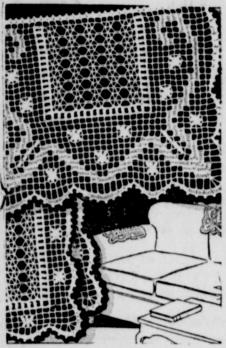
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Lewis' Violent Blast at Garner Wrecks Influence as Labor Leader

Resentment Spreads Quickly and Things Begin to Happen; Reaction in House Labor Committee Is Immediate; Strengthens Political Position of Vice President.

> By WILLIAM BRUCKART WNU Service, National Press Bldg., Washington, D. C.

so many instances in history where one act or one expression, or one omission, has changed the course of events that it is necessary here to make mention only that such things happen. Everyone has seen them. In only a few instances, however, have those on the scene been able to make a guess as to the farreaching consequences. On the other hand, a number can be recalled which obviously were going to raise cain from the start. It is one of the latter type about which I write

When John L. Lewis burst forth with angry violence and referred to Vice President Garner as "a labor-baiting, poker-playing, whiskeydrinking, old man," he wrote "finis" for his long career as a labor leader. Even with his ability to shake his bushy hair and wrinkle his beetled eyebrows and evolve the most biting of all language into a description of his enemies, even with this capacity and a million or so workers paying him dues, John Lewis is through as a political influence in behalf of organized labor.

It is not meant here that Lewis will pot continue to shout and tear his hair and accuse everyone of being unfair to organized labor; he still has his vicious tongue, and he is still president of the Congress of Industrial Organizations. As long as he has that title he can go places and make speeches and drive home threats and yell "bloody murder," and, of course, he will get newspapers to print his statements. What I am saying is, however, that Lewis has created such resentment around the capitol building as seldom has been seen, and instead of having weasel congressmen obey his dictates, their greetings to him hereafter are likely to be of the thumbto-nose variety.

Reaction Comes Quickly In House Labor Committee

As an illustration of how these things react, mention may be made that immediately after the Lewis eruption of political lava, the house labor committee decided to go forward with legislation amending the federal wages and hours law amendments to which Lewis was violently opposed. True, there was no member of the committee had the guts to give Lewis a call-down in the hearing, but they did vote to send the legislation to the floor for debate and, in effect, tell Lewis to take his marbles and go home.

It was the second time that Lewis has pulled stupid boners, actions so dumb that they seem inexplainable when they come from a man who has had the build-up given Lewis as a labor leader and politician. It will be recalled how, a year ago, Lewis walked into the office of Speaker Bankhead of the house, and announced what the house must do about some labor legislation. Mr. Bankhead, a thoroughly level-headed Democrat from the deep South, fixed things right up for the labor leader-to make sure that Lewis would lose out. One would think that Lewis would have learned his lesson from the dictatorial arrogance he displayed on that occasion, but he came back for more.

Perhaps, the circumstances of the Lewis statement should be related to give a clear picture of the consequences that seem certain to flow from his personal attack on Mr. Garner. The house committee invited Lewis to appear as a witness to give the C. I. O. views on the amendments that were proposed. Lewis spent a few minutes in discussing the text of the amendments and then launched into a sourpuss tirade about the Democratic party. He asserted that the party, after having accepted labor's gifts-C. I. O. having supported President Roosevelt with money and men in both presidential campaigns-had now turned out as a traitor. He argued that he never had looked for help from most of the Republicans but had believed the Democrats would stick by him and his dues-paying workers.

But through the last year or more, however, Lewis found someone in the Democratic party who was "searching for the heart of labor" and that individual, he shouted in red-faced anger, is "a labor-baiting, poker-playing, whiskey-drinking, evil old man, named Garner." The vice

WASHINGTON .- There have been | president was the "genesis" of a great campaign against labor, so Lewis declared.

News Travels Rapidly and Then Things Begin to Happen

Well, I have witnessed fast traveling of news around the halls of the Capitol many times, but I never have known word to get from office to office and to the far corners of every building any faster than the Lewis statement. And things began to happen.

Before the afternoon was over, the Texas delegation had met and had taken a resolution condemning Lewis and expressing the "deep resentment and indignation" at his "bitter, personal attack" upon the vice president. There was talk around the house and senate later about a proposition to bar Lewis from any further appearance before congressional committee hearings but that faded away. Nevertheless, my guess at this stage is that if and when Lewis does appear before any congressional committee again, he will be subjected to a grilling that will tan him to a deep brown.

Now, thus far, this column has dealt only with Lewis. There is more.

Wherever politicians gathered around Washington during the week following the intemperate action by Lewis, one could not fail to hear conjecture as to its effect upon the movement to make the vice president the Democratic presidential nominee next year. The feeling was almost unanimous that "Cactus Jack" could have had no better break, politically.

Factions of Democratic Party Split Further Asunder

The influence of the Lewis statement does not stop there, however, for there is a definite cleavage in the ranks of the majority party already. It is to be remembered in this connection that the backbone of the Democratic party has been the "solid South." The South, genand has maintained traditions which have served its people well. That viewpoint is quite contrary to the New Deal and to the President's advisors of this month. Nor have the President's advisors enjoyed the knowledge that a lot of Mr. Garner's friends have been pushing him very hard for the party nomination in 1940. Naturally, these folks around the White House are the leaders in the plan to have President Roosevelt seek a precedent-breaking third term. They do not like to see a man become too popular or who might offer real resistance to a Roosevelt

nomination. From these facts, it becomes more or less obvious that the Lewis attack on Mr. Garner constitutes something of a bombshell in splitting the two factions of the Democratic party further asunder. With the Lewis record of support of everything new dealish, it can not fail to convince voters of the brand of Garner democracy.

There is still a further phase or sphere of influence to be mentioned. Mr. Garner has long been known as a conservative Democrat and he has long been powerful in the councils of his party. To enter upon an assumption, then, that he may be the Democratic nominee next year, where does that leave the Republicans? Republican leadership has been steering to the right, to the conservative side, as far as they have shown their hand. The question to be asked after that statement is, where does that leave the New Dealers?

Lewis Does More Harm to Labor Than Any Other Man

One could follow these questions on down into the state political situations and a merry time would be had by all. I have no guess as to which way the thing will come out. Probably Mr. Garner will not be the Democratic nominee at all. But these conjectures I have been making have been thrown more as proof of the assertion that Lewis demonstrated his lack of political ability than for any other reason. And in making that statement, I still entertain a belief that Lewis has done more harm to organized labor's cause than any other one man in America.

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FARM Topics

MILK STILL RATES AS PERFECT FOOD

Nutrition Studies Disclose High Vitamin Content.

By DR. MORRIS FISHBEIN

In the last quarter century the field of nutrition has advanced more than in all the previous centuries of mankind. In that advance milk has held its place as the most nearly perfect food. From the point of view of protein and of fat, of mineral salts and of vitamins, it stands supreme. True, milk is somewhat deficient in vitamin C, in vitamin D, and in iron, but these values are easily supplied and no other food gives as much as milk for the money.

If there is any other highly important fact which our studies have revealed, it is that ordinarily we do not consume as much milk as we should, being led frequently by improper advice to other foods not nearly as efficient in human nutrition. Yet one-fifth of the food budget of the average American family is used for milk and milk products.

So important is milk for the human being that the health section of the League of Nations has recently made available a study of this product by a committee with representatives from Denmark, Holland, England, and France. It may surprise many Americans to relize that the milk supply in most foreign countries does not approximate in its general safety the average milk supply of the United States.

In many countries it has been customary to gloss over the unsatisfactory contents of the milk supply with the assurance that the benefits to health resulting from increased consumption will outweigh the danger of drinking milk that is not hygienic. In this country we know that the development of a good milk supply begins back on the farm with the cows and the quality of feed given to the cows,

Farmers Should Study

Tractor Operating Cost

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> An example will help to make this point clear. A 14-inch moldboard plow at a certain depth will have a draft of 600 pounds. A oneway plow 14 inches wide would require a pull of about 250 pounds, while that width of spike-tooth harrow has a draft of only slightly more than 50 pounds.

> Such a variation is true of all field implements and to load a tractor of a certain size economically, the operator must know the approximate draft of each tool.

> Tractor engineers and farm management experts agree that each tractor owner should make a study of his machine to determine what will be an economical load, and then eliminate as much as possible the application of hitches with lower draft requirements. Manufacturers of tractors can furnish approximate figures on draft for each machine.

Milk for Diet

Although milk is considered by scientists as nature's "most nearly" perfect food, it can supply the nutritive requirements of a mature body for a long period of time without other supplement. The proof of this is well illustrated in the case of John Flaherty, a tailor in Niles, Ohio, whose diet for the past 20 years consisted only of milk. Mr. Flaherty recently died at the ripe old age of 75 years. He began the "all milk" diet in 1917 as a result of a stricture of the esophagus, which he contributed to an overdose of serum in inoculation during the war. From 1917 until his death he drank only a quart of milk a day.

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