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Band Parents Organize

The parents of the Band members met this week and formed an organization in which they intend to aid and boost the band in all its undertakings. Mr. Mark Chumley was elected president, Mrs. Willis Smith, vice president; Mrs. Drue Scoggins Sec. and treas. Mrs. F. C. Clark publicity chairman. Under the able leadership of Mr. Harrill the band is one of which our town should be proud. We ask the cooperation of everybody in helping to promote all efforts of the band.

The first project is to buy new suits for the members of the band. If you are interested in the band come to all the concerts and other features the band is sponsoring. So boost your band, because the band boosts your town.

Funeral for Mrs. B.A. Boykin

Mrs. B. A. Boykin a Coke County pioneer, died in Amarillo October 7th. Funeral services were held at graveside in the Miles Cemetery Sunday 3 o'clock where she was laid to rest. Survivors included our fellow townsman Ben Boykin, a son.

W.S.C.S.

The Methodist WSCS will observe their "Week of Prayer" program at the church Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock. All members of the society and ladies of the church are urged to be present.

FOR SALE

185 mixed lambs, 40 ewes, 6 bucks.

See A. N. Counts

P. T. A.

The P. T. A. met in the music room. Meeting opened with song "America" led by Mr. Jackson. Minutes of previous meeting read and approved, Mrs. Malone gave treasurer's report.

Reading of comm. Miss Fisher. The different committees gave their reports, Mr. Harrill asked money for band.

It was voted unanimous to have Amateur show Oct. 31.

Green Mountain School

Do you want to have a spooking good time "Hallowe'en"?

Come to Green Mountain School Friday night Oct 31. The PTA is making plans for one of the best carnivals it has ever staged.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Scholer will be in charge of the Bingo tables assisted by D. O. Neal.

There will be plenty of crunchy fresh popcorn sold by Mmes. L. E. Smith, Homar Carwile and C. C. Millican. Good home made candy will be sold by Mrs. Sam Powell and Mrs. Dave King. The Spooks room by Mrs. Eddie Cowley, Mrs. Wes Fields, and Luthur Sparks and L. G. Campbell.

The fish pond will be in charge by Mmes. Ralph Garvin and L. G. Campbell.

A cup of coffee will be given free with the purchase of a piece of pie, will be served by Mmes. W. M. Millican, Jett Hood, Elbert Davidson, Luthur Sparks. The Cake Walk directed by Mmes. Joe Garvin, L. E. White, and Mrs. Shelton.

Car Owner Without Certificate Title Subject to Fine

Persons who operate motor vehicles after January 1 1942, without a certificate of title are subject to a heavy fine so the county tax officers urges all motorists to make applications immediately.

This includes all motor vehicles except those purchased prior to Jan. 1 1936, ownership of which has not been changed.

Photostatic copy of the certificate of title must be presented before a 1942 licence plate can be issued. Licenses must be purchased before April 1, 1942.

The tax offices are accepting applications now for certificates of title.

Roun' Edith

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Duncan took their daughter Helen, to Austin Thursday of last week to enter school.

Jack Baker and two of his army friends visited Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Porter from Brownwood Camp. They reported they had all the fried chicken they could eat once in life.

Ranchmen in this part of Coke County have had quite a time this spring and summer with stomach worms among sheep, and have knocked all out of a vacation.

Mrs. J. E. Garvin has returned from San Angelo Clinic where she suffered a heart attack several days ago.

Howard Millican from Keefer field, Biloxi Miss., on a ten days furlough visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. Will Millican and other relatives and friends, also visited in San Angelo. He returned to his work first of last week.

Mrs. Lake Smith received word from Tenell who is still stationed at Fort Bliss.

Buster Bursin had a horse to fall on him and tore some ribs loose.

The Green Mountain Rouser had their monthly party and supper sponsored by Mr. and Mrs. Chris Millican. Our next one will be held on the Lake Smith Creek, sponsored by Mr and Mrs. Campbell. Pie and coffee will be served by all.

The Woman's Auxillary of the Pecan Baptist Church met with Mrs. Taylor Shelton Oct. 18th. Bro. J. H. Hallford taught an interesting lesson on the 19th and 20th chapters of Revelations with 9 present.

Mrs. Paul Hoglund and children left Saturday for Lubbock to join Mr. Hoglund where he has work.

Mr. and Mrs. Delmer Sheppard attended funeral services of Bud Boykin's mother Sunday afternoon at Miles.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Duncan were called to Robert Lee Sunday on account of the serious illness of his mother.

Buford Peas of Lubbock spent the week end with home folks.

A. B. Sheppard and family visited in Abilene Sunday.

P. T. A. Sponsors Amateur Hour

To replace the traditional Mal-lowe'en Carnival, the P. T. A. is sponsoring an Amateur Hour at 8 p. m. Oct. 31. If you can do any act, stunt, imitation, or any musical number, turn your name into the program committee, Mrs. R. V. Stark, Mrs. G. C. Allen, or Mrs. Blaylock. Even if you think it isn't very good, someone else might think it just fine.

If you want to see our band dressed in good looking new uniforms, you be present at this program tell all your friends about, lets advertise this and have a packed house for the performance.

By way of information you probably didn't know we had a grocery clerk that could preach, or that we had an "Alfalpa" that could sing and whistle, all he needs is the rest of "Our Gang". Admission will be 10c, 20c.

Local Items

Mrs. Cortez Russell and Mrs. Bruce Clift left Tuesday morning for San Antonio, Taft, Corpus Christi, and other points for a ten days visit with relatives.

Business on the upgrade, Judge Arnold is adding on to his office building, later he is aiming to have his home place remodeled.

The editor and wife spent the week end in Miles visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Clark of San Angelo visited her mother, Mrs. Lee Hurley and other relatives last week end.

Mrs. Powers of Paducah is visiting in Robert Lee.

There were 28 that attended the Associational Zone meeting of the Baptist Training Union at Miles Tuesday night.



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"TALL, DARK and HANDSOME"

Also Comedy

WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

By Edward C. Wayne

Methods of Providing Aid to Russia Before Nazis Win Complete Victory Is Big Problem for U. S. and Britain; Japanese Move Again in Indo-China

(EDITOR'S NOTE—When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of the news analyst and not necessarily of this newspaper.)
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Disconsolate Russian prisoners are shown marching through an unnamed town on their way to a prison camp behind the German lines, reads the caption accompanying this picture from Berlin. The caption further states that this is a part of the huge bag of prisoners taken on the far-flung Russian front.

RUSSIANS: Deep Trouble

As the Nazi blitz moved into high gear on the central and south fronts of the great battle of the east front, the question began to be seriously asked whether Russia, like France, Greece and so many other nations, was going to be forced out of the war as a combatant, wiling before the heat and ferocity of the Nazi war machine.

Indeed, when the German spearheads had been announced 65 miles away from Moscow, the stories of peace and truce offers began to come over the cables, and one of them even declared that Stalin was considering an armistice.

However, these rumors were promptly denied from Berlin, Italy, London and Moscow, the Axis denials stating that objectives were far from being reached, and London and Moscow sources declaring the Russians were still able to fight.

Be that as it may, it was obvious that the crisis was being reached, and that once again the great manpower of Russia must decide if it were better to give in to the Nazi, or to battle it out as the Chinese did against the Japs.

Few believed that Germany or any group of European powers could finally defeat Russia with the backing of England and the United States, provided Russia were willing to fight the sort of rear-guard action that China used with such success.

But whether the willingness was there, or the philosophical temperament needed for such a defense was a question.

Harriman, American envoy to the U. S. mission to Moscow, answered it this way:

"I believe the leaders of Russia will lead the people to fight on." Beaverbrook felt the same way.

MATERIAL AID: But How?

The Soviet crisis left the lease-lend ideas of Britain and this country very much "out on a limb."

That both countries were dispatching aid was apparent. But how much and how long were difficult problems.

"Barkis was willin'," but the Iranian railway from the head of the Persian gulf to the shores of the Caspian sea, thence into boats and again to Russian railways and roads in the Caucasus seemed the only practicable route.

Britain had material to give and was giving it—not only planes but squadrons and pilots and gunners. Much of this was of the heavier types which could be flown direct to the scene of service, put into action and, if surviving an eventual Russian defeat, presumably could be saved.

But much of it, such as tanks and guns, had to be shipped in. The British took the attitude that they were not only willing to give of their own store, but of the American lease-lend store. They said, in effect:

"We get it from the United States this way, and we shall do for Russia what the United States is doing for us."

Britain felt that the Americans should give what they could, but the task they wanted this country to take over, the keeping of Soviet's "Burma road" open seemed a task that it was a little dubious how we could accomplish.

NAVY: Takes Prisoners

The United States came its closest to actual participation in the war when the navy announced that it had taken prisoner about 20 "Nazis," whether actual German citizens or Norwegians under German domination was not immediately clear.

The American naval patrol, including Iceland and Greenland in its orbit, was searching the coastline of the latter island for an alleged German submarine base when it came upon a small Norwegian vessel.

The ship was stopped, questions were put to its crew and the vessel was thoroughly searched. Not only did the navy announce that it was determined that the men were Nazi agents under the direction of the Gestapo, but the questioning led to the finding of a radio station set up on the mainland of Greenland.

This station, apparently, was being set up by the Germans, the report had stated, for the purpose of broadcasting weather information to the Nazis.

The purpose might have been for the flights of planes that had been "strafing" shipping in the north Atlantic; it might have been for guidance of submarines; it might have been to give locations of lease-lend ships to surface raiders, planes or U-boats.

At all events ship, crew and radio station were all taken over by the navy, which announced that all were on their way to the United States.

It had been the first move of this type since President Roosevelt had issued the "shoot on sight" order.

JAPAN: Moves Again

Considerable alarm about the Pacific situation was caused when Tokyo made another move associated with her expansion into Indo-China.

The Japanese demanded control of the Indo Chinese railway system. They also had demanded the right to control customs collections and postal censorship.

At the same time the Japanese demanded the arsenal at Saigon, and this was considered highly significant because at this arsenal the French had set up what was regarded as the most powerful radio direction-finding outfits in the Orient.

The Japanese armed forces in Indo China were continuing their maneuvers along the Thailand frontier, back of which, and in Malaya, there were heavy concentrations of British troops.

The Saigon moves, the British said, were being closely watched, because of the likelihood that if any plane attacks were to be made against Singapore or Manila, Saigon would be the proper hopping-off spot.

VIERECK: Revelations

What many believed to be true, that Nazi agents in the United States were using the non-interventionists, the isolationists and other enemies of the President's foreign policy for their own ends was declared to be a fact by George Sylvester Viereck, author, poet and registered Nazi agent.

Viereck was being tried in Washington on charges that he had not told the state department the whole story about his activities.

Washington Digest

U. S. Farm Aid to Britain Likely to Pay Dividends



Better Home-Consumption Market for American Farmer Is Cited as Post-War Period Goal; British Expected to Co-operate.

By BAUKHAGE

National Farm and Home Hour Commentator.

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After sitting down for an hour with the undersecretary of agriculture, Paul H. Appleby, on a quiet Saturday afternoon when only defense workers and newsmen have to labor, I walked back through the park with a feeling that perhaps some of the lease-lend bread which America is casting across the water might come back buttered, and even with jam on it.

Undersecretary Appleby was fresh off the Clipper from Europe where he and AAA Administrator Rudolph M. Evans had been talking food with the British.

Three things came out of my queries of the undersecretary as to his experiences.

First: Thanks to the United States, the British have passed what looked like a crisis in their food supply.

Second: The American farmer is going to get a little extra gravy for the extra sweating he is going to do to produce more "food for freedom."

Third: (and this is what I meant by the butter and jam on the lease-lend bread) Appleby believes, and he told the British so, that the United States has a post-war goal in its extra-production efforts. That goal is to build up a better home-consumption market for the American farmer—and all farmers—and the British are expected to co-operate.

As to the first point, Mr. Appleby was chary about giving out facts and figures. He did assure me, however, that quantitatively the United States is now delivering at British ports an amount of food sufficient to take care of the basic needs of the population, civil and military. That means there are enough ships to handle and deliver, taking sinkings into consideration, this minimum tonnage. So if the present amount of tonnage is limited and the type of food required for a balanced diet is raised in the United States, this islands will not starve. Although the British will be getting on with a lot less than they are used to, they will have enough of the right kind of food to do the job they are expected to do.

Complaining 'Wasn't Done'

According to Appleby, even when the pinch was at its worst early last spring, popular opinion in England was such that morale was not affected seriously. Complaining simply "wasn't done," as the English say. In other words, if somebody sounded off about what he was not getting to eat in a public place, he would be reproved in short order by his listeners.

The British food ministry and the department of agriculture officials now understand each other, according to Appleby, and each is satisfied as to the other's efforts, and those efforts have been co-ordinated.

Specifically, Undersecretary Appleby and Administrator Evans received suggestions as to improved packaging—for instance, minor changes in the content of a canned product, the kind of cartons that best protected a certain commodity. You see many of these products, in fact most of them, the United States had never exported at all before and American officials did not have experience in the best packaging methods. For instance, there were lessons in packaging and labeling to be learned about cheese.

The Americans suggested to the British that it would be easier to arouse the sympathy and co-operation of people in this country if they knew just what this food was being used for—say, one thing for school children, another for babies, something else for workers.

The British showed a break-down in the statistics was impossible because of exceedingly abnormal conditions of transportation. There is, for instance, uncertainty as to where a given ship is going to land, what railroad will be available for shipments. Then, too, there are many difficulties of administration which make it impossible to channel special shipments to special points or assign them to special groups.

Distribution Control

Another thing the Americans examined thoroughly was the control by the government of distribution of the products. All food belongs

to the British government which turns meat over directly to the retailer and the other material to the wholesaler. The Americans say they were convinced that no profiteering exists in this procedure.

Although we have been able to bring lease-lend shipments up to 8 per cent of British food consumption in tonnage, and 20 per cent in value, that does not mean that our problem as far as production goes is solved. It is easy to provide a lot of things the British do not need, and hard to get some of the things they need most. For example: The British wanted 30 per cent of our whole navy bean crop. Navy beans were encouraged and American farmers produced 35 per cent more navy beans than normal. But a cow can't act that quickly when you ask for more calves, and when you get the calves it takes them longer to produce a quart of milk than it does for a garden to sprout a bean.

Cheese is another product that does not leap out of the ground. In some places you have to plant, not only the cow to produce the milk but you have to produce a factory to process the milk into cheese.

Now, as to point No. 2: What the American farmer is going to get out of all this. Mr. Appleby—expressing, I take it, the opinion of the department of agriculture and the government—feels very definitely that the American farmer must have a profit motive to bring about this extra production and likewise a profit when he has produced it.

What About 6 Per Cent?

"Mr. Morgenthau," I said, "believes that business ought to be allowed to make only 6 per cent on its investment in the emergency."

"Well," said Mr. Appleby, "if the farmer got 6 per cent and wages for his own labor and management, I think he'd be satisfied. Anybody ought to be satisfied with that in time of crisis."

And this factor—giving the farmer some assurance that his plant expansion, as they call it in industry, necessary to produce the things Britain needs, will not be a white elephant when the war is over. I mentioned—namely, the attempt to assure some universal benefit out of the whole lease-lend food effort—a benefit deriving from increased consumption in peace-time which the farmer as well as the rest of the nation would share.

The farmer does not want to have a new lot of surpluses on his hands when the war is over. He and the department of agriculture want to understand that the new production they are now building can be domestically consumed after the war is over.

Such consumption seems a long way off but it is a star worth following—once there were three wise men who had the faith to follow a star.

'Deep Satisfaction'

The other day a friend of mine went into a famous Washington restaurant. When he was seated a tall man strode in and took his seat alone in a corner. He is a well-known figure in Washington and my friend watched him. He took out the evening paper, opened it with a flourish and began to leaf through it. Suddenly his face lit up with a smile of deep satisfaction. He folded the paper carefully, set it up against the water carafe and began to read. His smile spread.

My friend wondered what he was reading and since he had a copy of the same paper and could see the lower half of the page the tall one was reading with such gratification my friend turned to that page in his own paper.

It bore a large picture of John Llewellyn Lewis, president of the United Mine Workers of America and former head of the C. I. O.

The tall man looking at it was John Llewellyn Lewis, president of the United Mine Workers of America and former head of the C. I. O.

De gustibus non est disputandum. The brilliant editor of the Farm Journal, Wheeler McMillen, says he doesn't like parsley. I enjoy the rabbit food myself. But I liked the corn-covered cover of his October issue so well that I pasted it right up next to my map of Europe to take my mind off the war.

JUST

Should Work
"I've got a new invention and there's a fortune in it."
"What is it?"
"An alarm clock that gives off the smell of bacon and eggs and coffee, instead of ringing a bell."

If meat keeps on going up, hash is going to be more of a mystery than ever.

Well, Ain't It?
"Can anyone tell me what a mandate is?" asked the teacher.
"An appointment with your boy friend," replied Elizabeth.



Meaning of Luck
Luck means the hardships and privations which you have not hesitated to endure, the long nights you have devoted to work. Luck means the appointments you have never failed to keep; the trains you have never failed to catch.—Max O'Rell.

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DOAN'S PILLS



THE STORY SO FAR: Ellen Carey seems interested in two men, Jeff Brand, a dashing rustler, and Calhoun Terry, ranch manager. Four rustlers had been mysteriously killed and while suspicion fastens on Terry and the big

CHAPTER XXX

Terry and Richards came into Round Top after dark. As they rode along the railroad tracks they became aware of unusual activity in the town. In the shadow of a loading chute they drew up. A man with a rifle in his hands cantered past. He shouted at them, "We aim to get a second troop of the boys off inside of an hour." He did not wait for an answer.

"This town has gone wild," Larry said. "I reckon maybe we'd better scout around here a little before we show ourselves. We're not exactly popular."

Cautiously they advanced toward the town square. A light gleamed from the back window of the Gazette office.

Calhoun Terry tapped on the window and Horace Garvey slewed round his parchment-like face.

"Who is it? What you want?" he snapped.

The Diamond Reverse B manager tapped again. He did not want to shout his name aloud. Garvey grunted impatiently. He peered out of the window.

"Don't you know I keep this back door locked with piles of paper in front of it?" he called out. "Who is it anyhow? Go round to the front door."

Calhoun's face came out of the darkness close to the window.

"Goddemighty!" Garvey exploded. "Haven't you got any sense at all?"

He began to haul bundles of paper from in front of the door. Presently he opened to let them in and led the way to a dark corner back of a press.

"What's the idea of coming to Round Top after your friends have pulled such a crazy outrage as this invasion?" he demanded.

Larry told the story of their adventures for the day. Garvey's eyes gleamed. "Good for you," he said. "Since you have broken with Ellison and his crowd it ought to fix you up with your old friends, as soon as I can get the Gazette out with the story. They will be glad to shake hands and make up. But I think you boys had better get out of town as soon as you can. Folks don't yet know your new position."

"We came in to see a cattleman about buying a bull for the new firm of Richards & Terry," said Terry. "Probably he has been waiting for us all day at the Holden House. We wouldn't think of going without a confab with him."

"Well, I'll bring him down here. I'll not have you crossing the courthouse square. Some fool would probably take a crack at you."

Terry discussed the matter of sending telegrams to Washington to induce the President to order troops from Fort Garfield. Garvey admitted that he thought it would be a good idea. Before morning, he told them, four or five hundred armed men would have left town to engage the invaders, and as many more would pour in from the ranch country to join them.

"I'll sign with you," Garvey said. Inside of thirty minutes the appeals for troops were on the way to Washington, and the story was spreading through the town that Calhoun Terry had wired the President to send government troops to fight with the big outfits and their hired Texans against the settlers.

Garvey brought the cattleman to the office from the hotel, and inside of five minutes of his arrival Terry and his new partner were the owners of an imported pedigreed Hereford bull. The editor hovered over them while the bargain was being struck, like an anxious hen with one chick.

"All right," he sputtered. "Now you've made your deal it's time to get out of town, Calhoun."

But they had waited too long. An irruption of angry citizens poured into the office through the front door to ask Garvey what he meant by signing a telegram requesting that troops be sent to help the invaders.

"It had Lane Carey's name on it too, and that scoundrel Terry's," Lee Hart yelled.

Horace Garvey felt goose pimples run down his back. The Diamond Reverse B men were in the shadowed semi-darkness back of a press. They had slipped out of sight as the first of the group showed in the doorway. But at any moment they might be discovered.

"You're getting this all wrong,

INSTALLMENT FIFTEEN

ranchers, it turns out to have been the work of Jack Turley, a spy for the big ranchers about whom Terry had known nothing. Terry also protested, bringing in an army of Texas ex-peace officers to march upon the rustlers and

Lee, the harassed editor insisted, his voice shrill with excitement. "Maybe you don't know that Cal saved Jeff Brand's life today when these Texans had him lying wounded on the ground."

"Who told you that fairy tale?" demanded a rough, unkempt nester who had a Winchester in his hands. "Why—ask any of the boys who came down from Black Butte with Jeff."

"Who? Which one? Put a name to him."

Garvey felt the sweat drops standing on his forehead. He did not know who had brought Brand to town.

"I didn't get it direct," he admitted weakly. "But I've heard talk, same as some of you must have done."

"Sure we've heard talk. We've heard these hired killers have rubbed out eight or ten of our friends and that you are trying to get the troops in to side with Ellison's men now they are getting in a jam."

"Not to side with them," Garvey explained desperately. "To stop a war where dozens of you boys will be killed. I'm not throwing you down but trying to stop a terrible slaughter. Can't you see where you are heading for if you don't keep cool? We don't want—"

"Cut it," interrupted Hart harshly. "We don't want any more guff



"Read nothing," Hart snarled.

from you. Howcome you to sign Terry's name on that telegram? Talk, fellow."

The nester with the Winchester in his hands craned a long scrawny neck forward. "Someone hiding in the back of the room," he announced. The rifle leaped to his shoulder. "Come outa there with yore hands up, whoever you are."

Terry and Richards came out, not with their hands up.

The Diamond Reverse B manager answered the question Hart had put.

"My name was on that telegram because I'm the man who sent it," he said quietly.

CHAPTER XXXI

There was a shift in the half-circle of men who fixed their attention on Terry and Richards. Lee Hart had been in the foreground, crowding the editor with snarling questions. Now he was back of the big nester with the Winchester. Over the shoulder of his shield he flung a triumphant shout at his enemy.

"Got you at last, you damn fool!" Looking round on the grim faces of these men, all armed, most of them ready to start out on a long ride to exterminate their foes, Terry guessed that never in his turbulent life had he been in more deadly peril.

"Larry and Horace are not in this," he said quietly. "Garvey has not thrown you down. He's on your side still. Larry is a hired rider. He is not responsible for what the Diamond Reverse B has done. I'm the manager."

"If Larry Richards claims he's not on yore side he keeps mighty bad company," jeered a red-headed rustler.

"I'm not claiming it, Red," Larry cut in coolly. "My chips are on the table alongside those of Cal."

kill them without trial. Terry and his foreman, Larry, are attacked by the "army," being mistaken for rustlers, and they rush to cover in a small cabin. There, too, Jeff goes thinking to aid fellow rustlers. Jeff is wounded.

Shrilly Garvey begged a chance to talk. "For God's sake, don't make a mistake, boys!" he cried. "Listen to me. Calhoun Terry is our friend. Take time to find out—"

"He's your friend, but not ours," Hart interrupted savagely. "We don't need any more time. I say, right now."

A man had walked in the front door and joined the group. He was Sheriff Hart. One sweeping glance was enough for him to size up the situation.

"Don't push on the reins, Lee," he said evenly. "These two men are my prisoners."

"How do you mean yore prisoners?" his brother blustered. "Ellison's warriors aren't taking any prisoners. That goes with us too."

The hard, unwinking eyes in the long-jawed, bony face of the sheriff looked almost contemptuously at his older brother. "Come out from back of Houck if you have anything to say, though it won't be important anyhow. I'm the law, and I'm arresting these men. Don't any of you get the wrong idea about that."

"What are you arresting us for doing?" he asked. It did not matter what pretext was offered by the officer, but as a matter of form Calhoun made a protest. "We're peaceable citizens going about our lawful business."

"For conspiring to bring about an armed insurrection in the territory," the officer answered.

"Hmp! We came here to buy a registered bull from Mr. Murdoch here," Larry said. "We have done bought it. Now we're ready to leave and go back to the ranch. Looks to me like these gents who were working themselves up to bump us off when you sashayed in are doing the insuring."

"No use littering up the jail with them," Lee Hart urged. "I say hang them to a telegraph pole."

The sheriff drew a revolver. "I know all of you boys," he said quietly. "I'd hate to have to kill any of you, and I don't want to be killed myself. But I'm going to take these men to jail. If anybody interferes there will be trouble."

The cowboy Red threw in the hand for his group. "All right, Nate. If you want these fellows, take 'em. But be sure you don't let 'em go. We'll be hearing from the hills soon as to whether any of our friends have been murdered. And if they have, hell and high water can't keep us from busting into yore calaboose and hanging these birds high as Haman."

Red and his allies followed the arrested men to the jail, to make sure the sheriff did not release them. They posted a guard at both the rear and front doors. The leaders adjourned to the Crystal Palace and the Red Triangle to drum up sentiment in favor of a lynching.

Calhoun put the matter bluntly to the sheriff.

"Getting down to cases, Hart, what is your idea in locking us up?" he asked. "Are you holding us here till your friends are ready to lynch us?"

"I'm holding you here for your own safety. If I turned you loose you would never get out of town alive. You wouldn't get fifty yards from the jail door."

Larry tossed a question at Hart. "Let's know where we're at, sheriff. Is it yore intention to ask us to give up our guns and wait in a cell for these galoots outside to break in and send us west? Because we have other views."

Nate Hart was a harassed man. "I didn't get you in this jam, Larry," he said. "You didn't have to come here and drop a match in a barrel of powder. I'm trying to save you, but I'll tell you straight that if any bad news comes to town the boys will attack the jail. It's only a flimsy shack. You know that. I aim to protect you if I can, and if it comes to a showdown I'll give you back your guns to help me stand them off. More than that I can't promise."

He added after a moment, "If I could get a chance to let you slip away I would."

"Since we're not prisoners you'd better let us keep our guns," Larry suggested. "You might be where you couldn't get them back to us when we have to have them."

The sheriff recognized the force of the argument. "All right," he said. "Keep them. I don't need to tell you if you begin shooting you are sunk."

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IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL Lesson

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Lesson for October 26

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CIVIC RESPONSIBILITY REGARDING BEVERAGE ALCOHOL

LESSON TEXT—Deuteronomy 5:32, 33; 11:26-28; Isaiah 28:1-6; Habakkuk 2:12. GOLDEN TEXT—Righteousness exalteth a nation; but sin is a reproach to any people.—Proverbs 14:34.

Legal approval of the sale of alcoholic beverages has largely taken the matter out of the hands of the home and the church and has made liquor a civic problem. That, of course, does not provide us with a convenient excuse for evading our personal responsibility, for the nation is made up of you and me, of your home and mine, of your church and mine. We must share the nation's responsibility gladly and actively if we are to be worthy of our citizenship. Especially is that true of the Christian, for he sees the spiritual and moral implications of the matter, and he also knows what to do about it.

I. "Righteousness Exalteth a Nation; but Sin is a Reproach to Any People" (Deut. 5:32-33; 11:26-28).

That may sound a bit old-fashioned and it may appear that men have abrogated that principle, but if we wait a bit we shall see that it still works.

1. Righteousness Brings Blessing (Deut. 5:32, 33; 11:26, 27). In this callous and indifferent generation we need to repeat with emphasis the fact that there is laid down in the very constitution of the universe a moral distinction between right and wrong. Right is always right and wrong is always wrong.

The book of Deuteronomy presents the fundamental laws of God. In this fifth chapter there is a review of many of these laws and a practical appeal for obedience. It is pointed out that the way of liberty in the walk of life is to turn neither to the extreme of legal bondage nor to the opposite extreme of human license, but to "walk in all the ways which the Lord your God hath commanded you." Walking in His ways brings all the blessings of Deuteronomy 5:33, a promise which is repeated in 11:27.

2. Unrighteousness Brings Judgment (Deut. 11:28). Turning aside from God's ways must bring upon man His curse. It is no light matter to be under God's disapproval. We who know how much the approval or disapproval of frail human beings around us may mean, should consider what it means in the life of a man (or of a nation) to have the eternal, omnipresent and omnipotent God against him.

Then what about a people which countenances the manufacture and the sale of intoxicants, which they well know bring about wickedness and vice which can only call for the judgment of God.

II. Civic Greatness Cannot Be Built on Sin and Oppression (Isa. 28:1-6; Hab. 2:12).

Yes, that sounds old-fashioned too! The theory of today seems to be that the road to greatness is by way of disregard of God's laws, and by the application of the mailed fist of cruel conquest. But let us remember that others have tried the same violation of God's law, and let us recall what happened to them. Did you ever hear of Napoleon?—of Alexander the Great?—of the "glory that was Greece"?—and the world conquering power of ancient Rome?

1. Drunkenness and National Decay Go Together (Isa. 28:1-6). The leaders of Israel (Ephraim) lingered long over their wine bowls as they spoke with pride of their nation, and especially of Samaria, its crown. It was a city beautifully situated on a hillside surrounded by a fertile terraced hillside. Does not that all have a vaguely familiar sound? A great nation of our day which now lies in bondage to its neighbor dictator not long ago spoke with pride of its attainments and its security, while (according to the testimony of its own leaders) the use of intoxicants went on apace, even in the army.

2. Permanent Power Cannot Be Built on Oppression (Hab. 2:12). Here again history reveals the correctness of Scripture. Many a nation has sought to find its "place in the sun" by building with the blood of its vanquished enemies. It has never worked, and it will fail now just as it has in the past.

What about the city, state, or nation that attempts to promote its own growth out of the taxes on liquor and its sale?

Gems of Thought

NATURE hath given men one tongue but two ears, that we may hear from others twice as much as we speak.—Epicurus.

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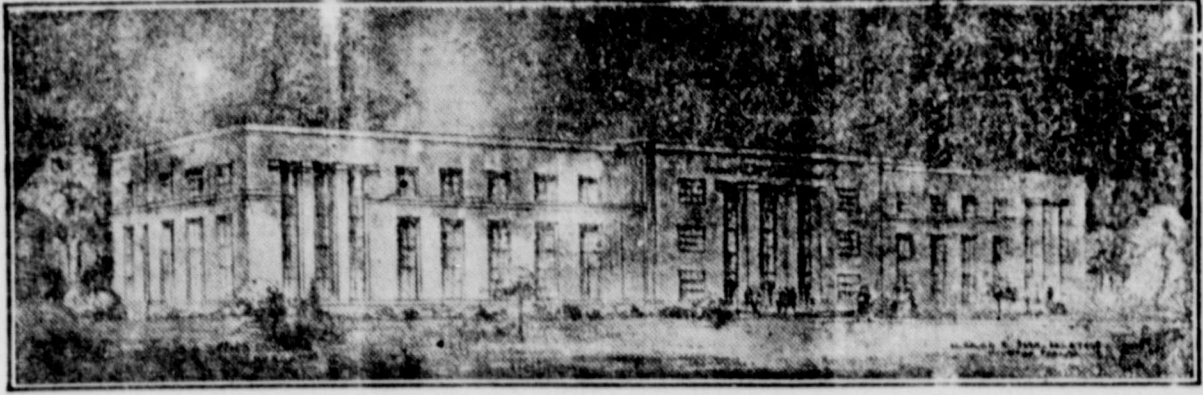
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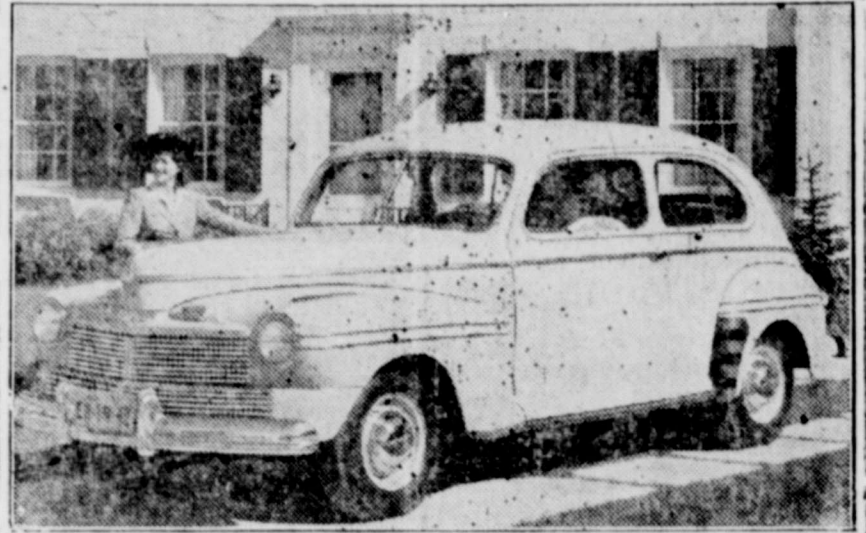
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WHAT with wrangles over length of service for selectees, newspaper debates over the likelihood of the country entering the war and one thing or another, comparatively little is said about the way selectees are being treated in their new life. Grumbles are heard but the other side of the picture is, for some reason or other, fairly submerged.

Gerold Frank did some research on the subject and reports his findings in the October issue of *Cosmopolitan Magazine*. A while back, the people responsible for the upkeep of morale in the camps were despondent over the attitude on the part of a lot of civilians that soldiers were necessary evils but nice girls had better cross to the other side of the street. No more. The United Service Organization, aided by civilian groups formed of people from towns near which camps are situated, combined with the Army officers in charge of morale building, are turning life into a lively affair for the boys.

All over the country, U.S.O. workers are reporting, boys are being entertained in Elks Clubs, in civilians' homes, in hired halls, everywhere. Debutantes, sorority girls, home girls are doing their bit to cheer up the lads. And, incidentally, the lads' mothers needn't worry about the girls. These young hostesses are chosen with as much care as any boy's mother would use. A lot of the boys are learning social graces they would never have learned in civilian life, a lot of girls are learning that pretty fine boys are in the U.S. Army. There's even a psychological gain. Ugly duckling girls are blooming into swans under the attention of more requests for dates than she has time to handle.

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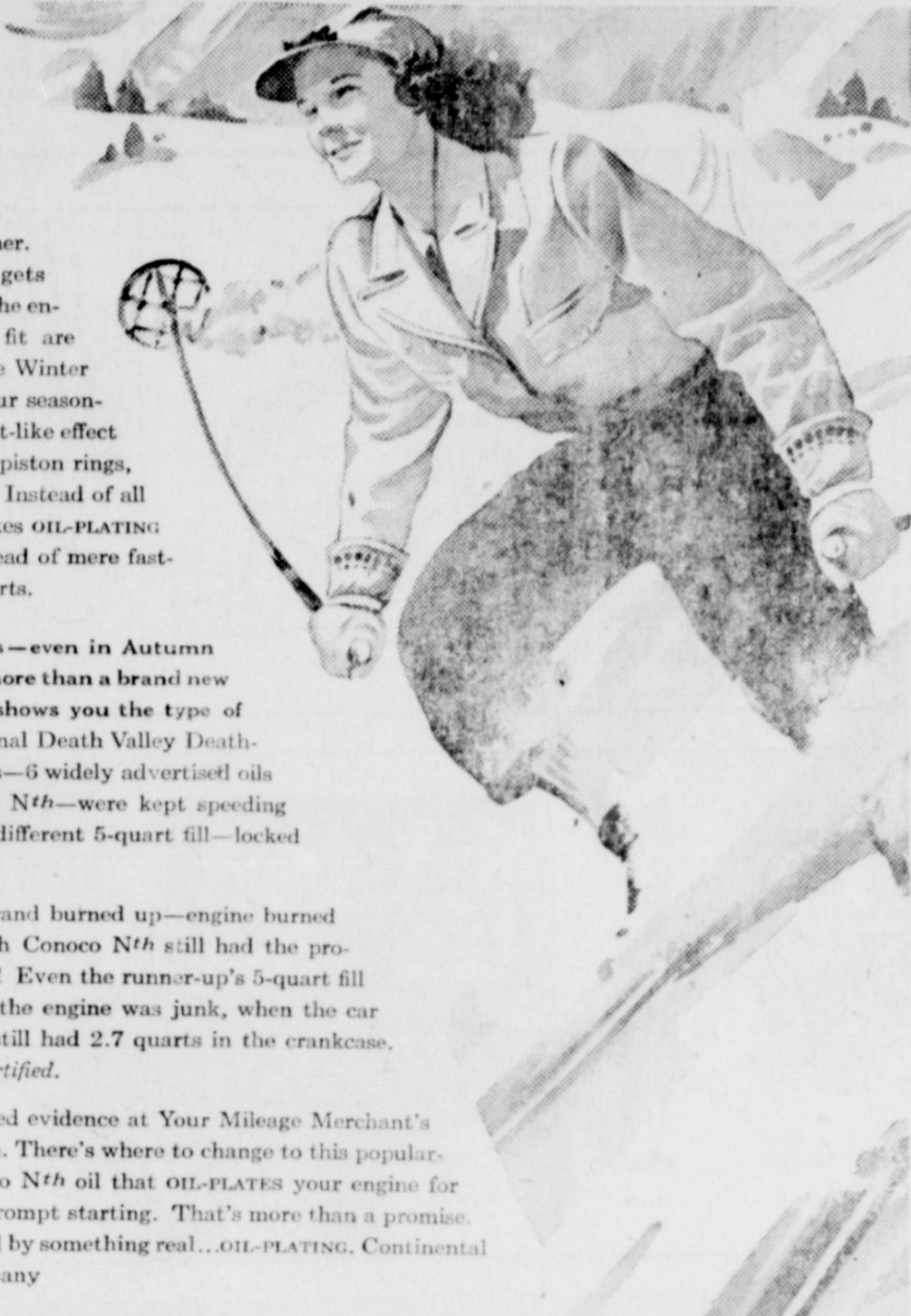
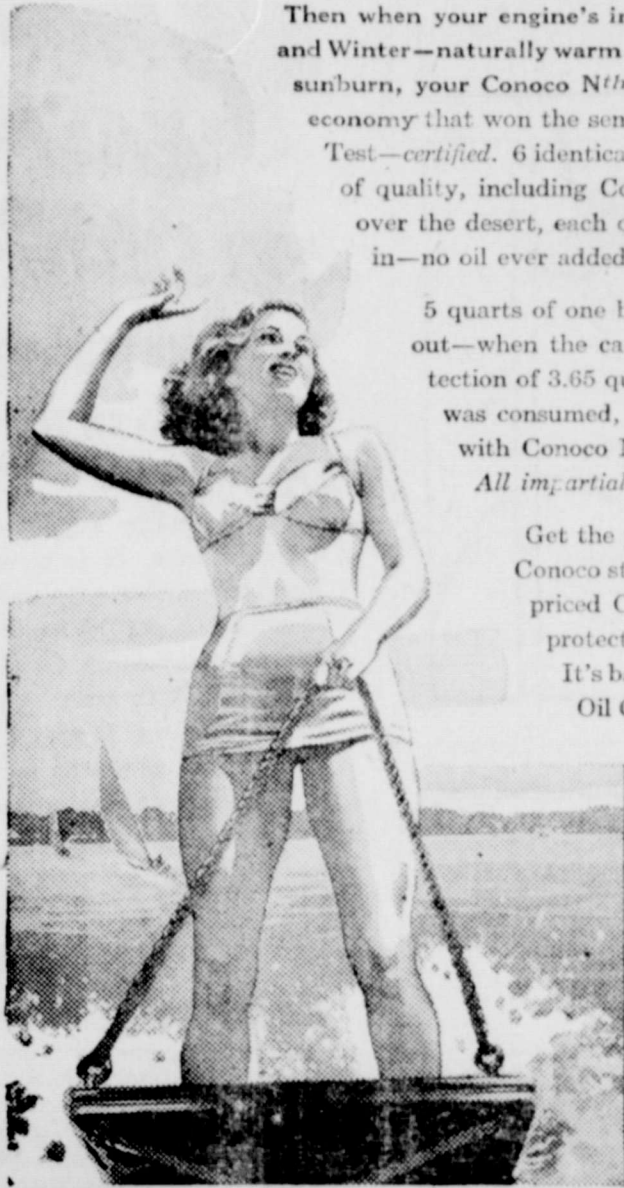
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By JERRY LINK



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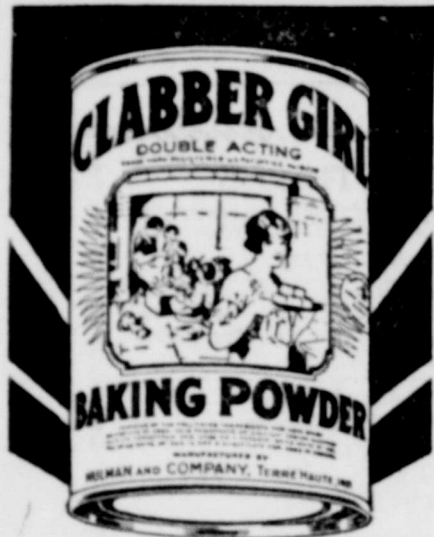
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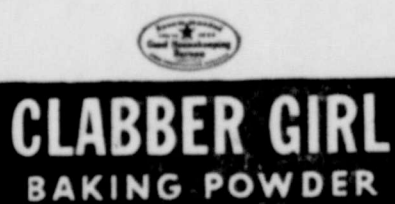
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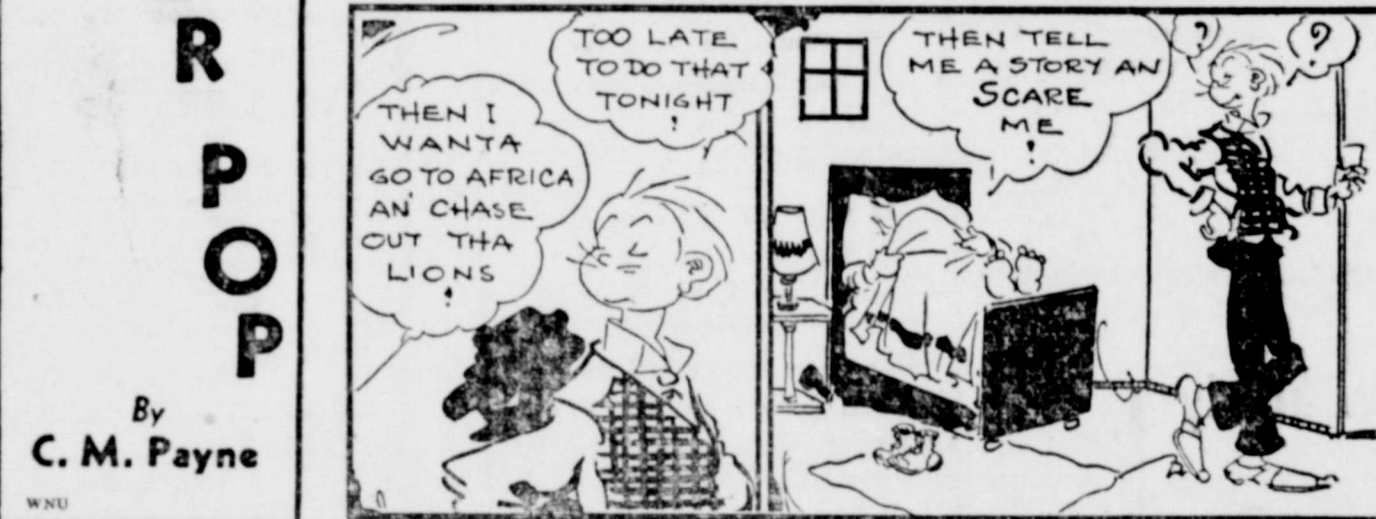
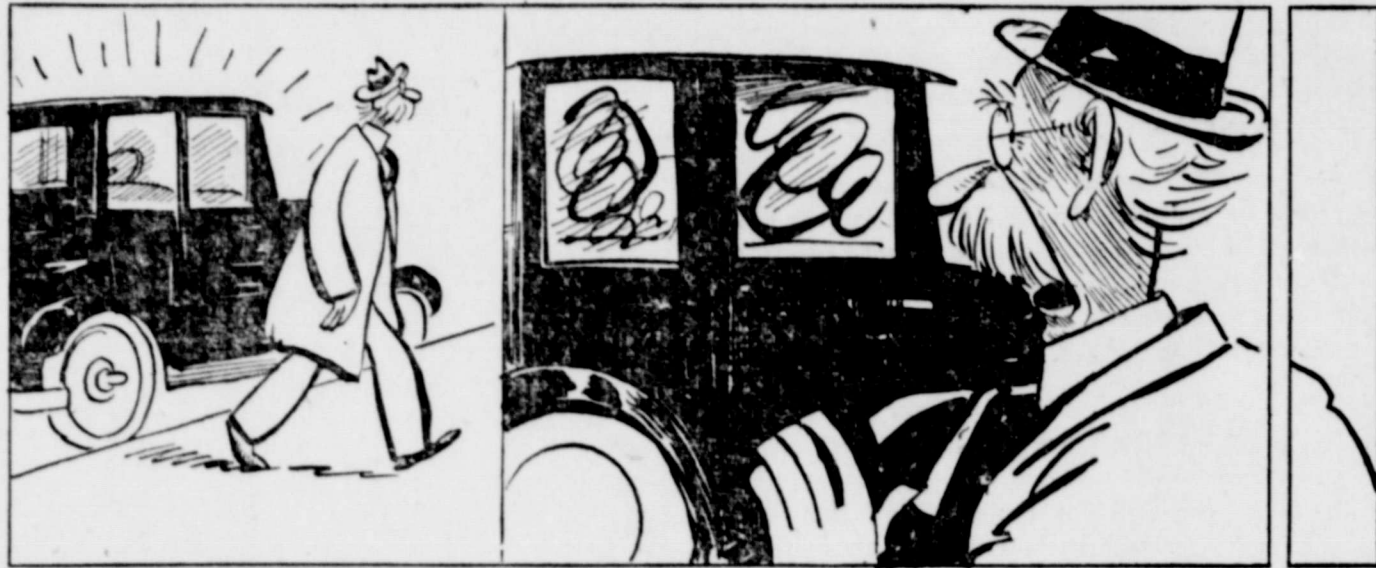
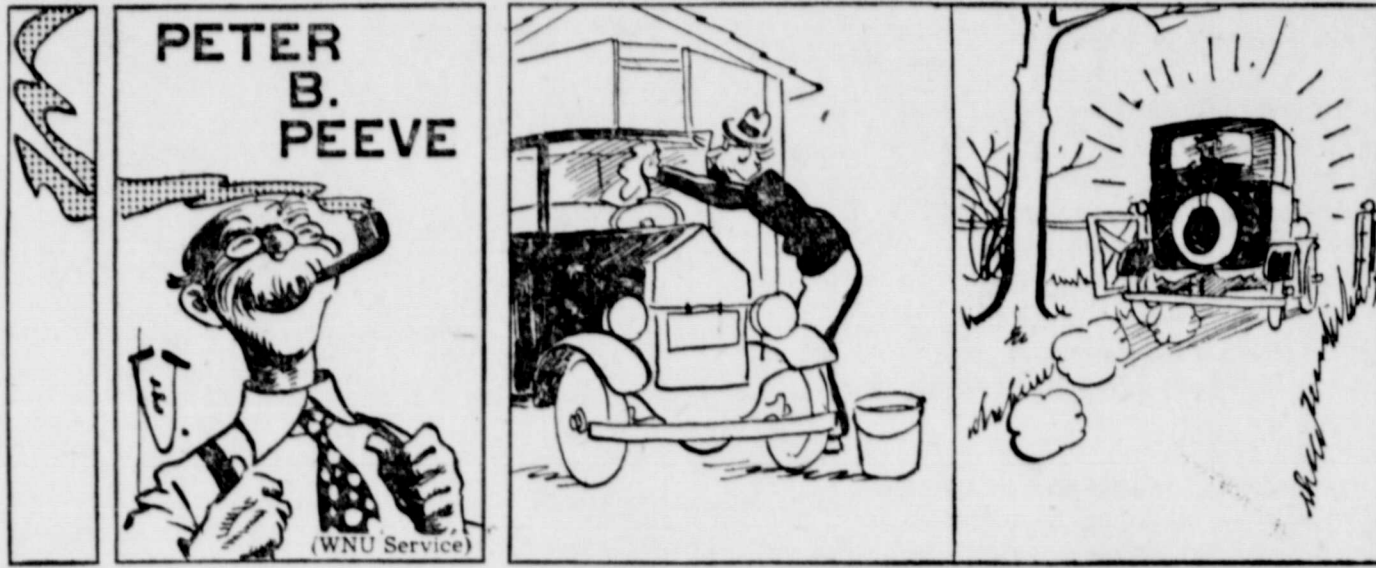
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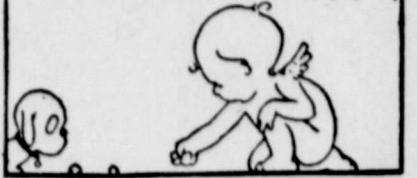
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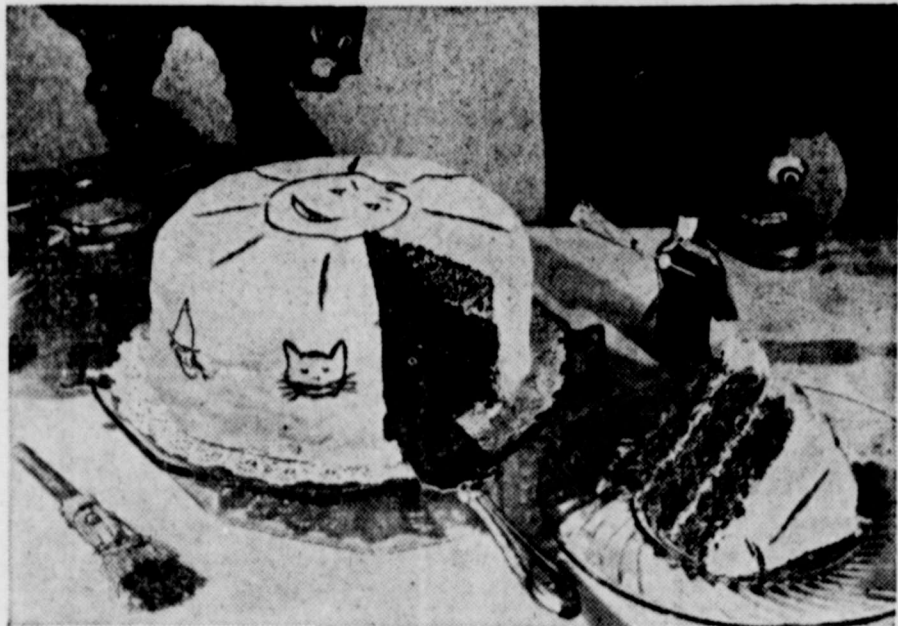
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Household News

by Lynn Chambers



HALLOWEEN TRICKS FOR OCTOBER'S FAVORITE PARTY
(See Recipes Below)

WITCHES' NIGHT OUT

Spooks and fun while the goblins, black cats and ghosts make merry— isn't that an inspiration to have one grand, merry party before the winter sets in? Come, let's plan stew and brew a and set the witches' cauldron boiling and bubbling!

You'll need hearty sandwiches, plentiful and hot since the weather's slightly nipped with frost. Of course you'll have cider and doughnuts because they're wedded together and traditional. To top it off, have a witches' cake, a chocolaty, honest - to - goodness devil's food, moist and crumbly, and perhaps one of those pumpkin shaped molds of ice cream, or at least orange ice, to carry out October's orange and black color scheme.

The party starts as soon as the invitations are sent out. These can be pumpkin, black cat or cauldron shaped, made double with the invitation written on the inside. Send them early so your guests won't make other plans. The more, the merrier.

Twirl some streamers of orange and black crepe paper around the room, bring out the frayed straw hats, checked shirts, and grandmother's costumes from that trunk in the attic. All set? Here we go:

*Sandwiches.

These can be made on the buffet or at the table if you have a sandwich toaster. If made in the kitchen use the broiler. Have assorted bread, butter, place cheese on first layer, then another slice of buttered bread, then a slice of ham, and top with a slice of bread. Toast, cut in three, and fasten with toothpicks.

To bewitch your family and guests completely serve them a cake with that agreeable melt - in - your - mouth quality. Measure the ingredients carefully so you'll attain that feathery lightness so essential to a good cake. After the icing is spread on the cake, make decorations with melted chocolate.



LYNN SAYS:

A Halloween party can be a success without the least fuss. First of all, decorations and table settings don't have to be letter perfect, for you can have the most fun in the midst of the basement or barn decorated with sheaves of cornstalk, pumpkin faces, rakes, hoes and goblins made of sheets.

For your table use a large piece of burlap or cotton sacks sewed together and dyed scarlet or gold. A centerpiece of pumpkin with candles inside the hollow or fruit and burnished autumn leaves will bring cheers.

Write fortunes and place them in apples or nuts. Play pin the tail on the cat. Bob for apples. Have target practice with bean shooters. Dance the Virginia Reel and other square dances if your floor can stand it—all amid plenty of black and orange crepe paper. Halloween's the time for all this noisy fun.

THIS WEEK'S MENU

- Halloween Refreshments**
 *Hot Cheese and Ham Sandwiches, Club Style
 Cider Doughnuts Coffee
 Apples Nuts Grapes
 *Witches' Cake
 Orange Ice Cream
 *Recipe Given

- *Witches' Cake.**
 (Devil's Food)
 2 cups sifted cake flour
 2 teaspoons double acting baking powder
 1/2 teaspoon soda
 1/4 teaspoon salt
 1/2 cup butter or shortening
 1 cup sugar
 2 egg yolks, well beaten
 3 squares unsweetened chocolate, melted
 1 1/4 cups milk
 1 teaspoon vanilla
 2 egg whites, stiffly beaten

Sift flour once, measure, add baking powder, salt and soda. Sift together three times. Cream butter thoroughly, add sugar, and cream together until light. Add egg yolks, beat well, then chocolate and blend well. Add flour alternately with milk and beat well each time. Beat until smooth, add vanilla, and fold in egg whites. Bake in two greased 9-inch layer pans in a moderate (350 degrees) oven. Ice with:

Seven Minute Frosting.

- 2 egg whites
 1 3/4 cups sugar
 4 tablespoons water
 1 1/2 teaspoons vanilla
 1/2 teaspoon cream of tartar

Put egg whites, water, sugar, in top of double boiler and set over boiling water. Beat constantly for seven minutes with rotary beater then remove from fire. Add vanilla and cream of tartar and beat until of consistency to spread. Marshmallows (about 12 to 15) cut in pieces may be added.

Speaking of luscious cakes, there's another type of cake which will be just as much of a success either at your Halloween party or cake sale. As different from a chocolate cake as night from day, is this light, tender Silver Moon cake. Its velvety texture is no trick if you use a good shortening and cream it well:

Silver Moon Cake.

- 1/2 cup shortening
 1 1/4 cups granulated sugar
 2 cups sifted cake flour
 2 1/2 teaspoons baking powder
 1/2 teaspoon salt
 1 teaspoon almond extract
 1/2 cup milk
 5 egg whites

Cream shortening and sugar until light, then add milk and sifted dry ingredients alternately, beating after each addition until smooth. Fold in stiffly beaten whites and flavoring last. Bake in three layers in a moderate (375 degrees) oven, 25 minutes. Frost with a butter frosting:

Uncooked Butter Icing.

- 1/4 cup butter
 2 cups powdered sugar
 3 tablespoons hot milk
 1 teaspoon lemon or almond flavoring

Cream butter and shortening, add milk and blend until smooth. Add flavoring. For variation, add 2 1/2 squares semi-sweet chocolate melted before blending in milk. Flavor chocolate icing with vanilla.

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This Far-Seeing Father Was Taking No Chances

As Smith and Jones were waiting at the bus stop, a passer-by stopped and asked Jones the time. Jones did not reply.

After the stranger had passed on, Smith asked:

"Why didn't you answer him?"
 "Well, it's this way," Jones replied. "If I'd told him the time, he might have got chatting, and in the end I might have asked him home to supper."

"There he might have met my daughter and they might have fallen in love. Finally they might have got married."

"And let me tell you, I don't want a fellow for my son-in-law who can't afford to buy a watch."

ASK ME ANOTHER?

A quiz with answers offering information on various subjects

The Questions

1. In whose honor was the Pantheon in Rome erected?
2. The Civil war battle of Antietam was named after what?
3. Who wrote the classic series of papers called the Federalist?
4. The prime meridian passes through what city?
5. In Shakespeare's "Merchant of Venice" what is the name of the merchant?
6. What dirigible made the first transatlantic flight?
7. How many figures make up

the Mount Rushmore memorial in South Dakota?

The Answers

1. All the gods.
2. A stream.
3. Alexander Hamilton.
4. Greenwich, England, in which is situated the Royal observatory, from the meridian of which geographers and navigators of nearly all nations count their longitude.
5. Antonio.
6. Graf Zeppelin (Oct., 1928).
7. Four (Washington, Jefferson, Lincoln and Theodore Roosevelt).

THINGS for You TO MAKE



BUTTERFLIES of print, potted flowers—20 such blocks make a beautiful quilt. Partial piecing is augmented by applique; strips and squares outline the diagonal

Invented Halftone

The process of reproducing the tones of a photograph by means of dotted or checkered spots was invented in 1880 by Stephen Henry Horgan, an American photographer, says Pathfinder. The first halftone ever printed appeared in the New York Daily Graphic in 1880. But Horgan's process was not immediately accepted. In fact, he was fired as art director of the New York Herald in 1893 when he suggested using halftones to publisher James Gordon Bennett.

The values of half-tones are achieved by interposing a screen between the original photograph and the plate to be etched. Mr. Horgan also experimented with transmitting photographs by wire, inventing a method in 1879.

As might be expected since Camel cigarettes are America's favorite, the induction into service of thousands of selectees and volunteers has only emphasized the service man's preference for Camels. Actual sales records from service stores show Camel is the favorite with men in the Army, Navy, Marine Corps, and Coast Guard. Prince Albert is another big favorite with men in camp or on ships. Since service men have indicated in all surveys to date that tobacco ranks first in the gift line-up with them, it is natural that local tobacco dealers are featuring cartons of Camels and pound tins of Prince Albert as ideal gifts for the men in the service from the folks back home.—Adv.

CHOICE OF MILLIONS

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Arm Properly

One should never put on one's best trousers to go out to fight for freedom.—Ibsen.

DO THEY YOO HOO AT YOU?

Healthy, nice-looking girls rate that attention! Scrawny girls are seldom attractive. You can't put on curves if you haven't the appetite for proper foods. VINOL with its Vitamin B1 and Iron encourages appetite. Your druggist has pleasant-tasting VINOL.

Rumor's Power

Rumor has a hundred tongues, a hundred mouths, a voice of iron.—Vergil.

Meal-in-a-Minute

Van Camp's
PORK and BEANS

Feast-for-the-Least

Muck-Rakers
The men with the muck-rake are often indispensable to the well-being of society, but only if they know when to stop raking the muck.—Theodore Roosevelt.

MEET GREET and EAT
at A-H-A HOTELS

AND FOR A FRESH START STOP AT A HOTEL

AMERICAN HOTEL ASSOCIATION

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Wit, like money, bears an extra value when rung down immediately if it is wanted. Men pay severely who require credit.—Douglas Jerrold.

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IN THE MARINES
IN THE COAST GUARD**

Actual Sales Records in Post Exchanges, Sales Commissaries, Ship's Stores, Ship's Service Stores, and Canteens show the favorite cigarette is CAMEL

THE CIGARETTE OF COSTLIER TOBACCOS

CHANGE TO M SYSTEM AND POCKET THE CHANGE!

Specials For Friday and Saturday

Del Monte Pineapple Juice giant 46 oz. can	25c, 12 oz.	3 25c
Hominy MARSHALL Large 2 1/2, 3		25c
CORN, DX cream style		3 25c
Green Beans, Hyde Park cut		
Tomatoes, Curtis Brand No. 2		
Old Virginia Apple Jelly Tall 12 oz. glass		10c
Salad Dressing or Sandwich Spread	Frankie's FARM Full qt.	25c
SALMON Genuine Alaska Pink No. 1 Tall Can		20c
Pop Korn MORZIP Guaranteed to pop 10 oz.		10c
PEAS Mission Brand Full No. 2 Can, 2 For		25c
Shredded Ralston Bite Size Large pkg. 2		25c
Blackeyed Peas With Snaps Comanche Chief No. 300' 3		25c
Baking Powder Clabber Girl Large 25 oz. Can		19c
COCOA our Mother's 2 lb.		19c
Tamales Casa Grande Tall Can		10c
SUNBRITE Cleanser 3		14c
FLOUR Queen of The WEST 24 lb. sack	75c, 48 lb. sk.	\$1.39
FLOUR ROYAL OWL -make your own Guarantee-24 lbs.	89c 48	\$1.69
RED & GOLD COFFEE 2 lbs.		35c
EVAPORATED PEACHES 1 lb.	17c	2 lb 33c
" APPLES 1 lb.	17c	2 lb 33c
Colorado Potatoes 10 lbs.		17c
YELLOW Onions 2 lbs.		05c
CRANBERRIES lb.		19c
CELERY stalk		09c
Texas Grape Fruit 96's 3		10c
" Oranges 344's Doz.		10c
CINNAMON ROLLS package		05c
Two Layer CARAMEL CAKE each		23c

DRUG SPECIALS

Cough Drops Luden's, Beechnut, Penetro or Smith's 3		10c
Four Way Cold Tablets, 15c size	for	10c
Bromo Quinine Cold Tablets 35c size	for	19c
Vick's Vapo-Rub, 35c size	for	23c
Baume Bengay 75c, size	for	49c
Gillette Blue Blades, 2, 25c pek	Value	39c
" Shaving Cream 25c size	For	75c

MARKET

Corn King Bacon sliced	lb	29c
Pure Pork Sausage	lb	23c
Pork Steak nice and lean	lb	23c
Calf Brains fine with eggs	lb	10c
Bologna Sausage sliced	2 lbs	29c
Creamery Butter fresh churned		39c
Tobasco Catsup Makes Meat taste better	bottle	18c
Brick Chili Mexican style	lb	23c
Chuck Roast extra tender	lb	21c

Advice of Dr. Cox

Bad as speedy eating may be in the case of adults, grown ups only have themselves or the trend of the times to blame. However the proposition is different when children are concerned. Youngsters are prone to swallow hastily anything. Chewing to them is a secondary process, and therefore must be definitely encouraged. When the time has arrived for the use of hard food (and that time is at the beginning of the teething period) the baby should be given dry toast, sweetbread, or a bread crust. The masticating function must be encouraged daily, if sound teeth and sturdy supporting tissue are to be formed. Moreover, emphasis on adequate mastication should be maintained throughout childhood both for proper growth and general health.

In short, everyone should realize that whether young or adult speedy eating with its inevitable accompaniment of insufficient mastication is a practice which can give rise to conditions that in varying degrees deprive one of maximum health and sometimes even greater penalties.

Baptist W. M. S.

The Society met with 10 members present at the church Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Bob Roberts gave the devotional, Mrs. Gramling conducted the Bible Study, but first gave some high lights in the life of Jeremiah, from which we studied. Miss Naomi Brown discussed "Things We Should Know" and Mrs. J. N. Adams led the closing prayer.

Next Monday at 3 p. m. the society will meet with Mrs. J. N. Adams in the Mission program with Mrs. Henley in charge.

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EL VALLE GARDEN CLUB

Met in the home of Mrs. G. C. Allen Oct. 22nd.

Twelve members answered roll call giving the name of their favorite rose. Mrs. Clark gave Care and Feeding of Roses; Mrs. D.P. Walling The Art of Flower Arrangement; Games, Mrs. B. A. Austin.

Visitors present were: Mmes. Harrill, Dodson, Kate Vaughn of Lubbock, Wilson of Beaumont, and Miss Minnie Weathers.

Lost Strayed or Stolen

Border Shepperd dog, black short haired, named Shep, 18 months old.

Phone 4503 Bronte.

Those who have renewed and subscribed for the Observer since last issue are: John Gunnels, Raymond McCutchen, G. C. Casey and A. N. Counts.

FOR SALE

30 bucks, mixed ages. Will be at A. E. Lathans Saturday Also any amount of any ages. Raymond McCutchen.

H. D. FISH

Specials for Fridays and Saturdays

New Port Cut Beans No. 2 3 For	25c
Val Vita Peach Can No. 2 1/2	15c
Maxwell House Coffee 3 lb	90c
Prepared Mustard Qt.	14c
Dill Pickles Qt.	14c
Tomato Juice 23 oz.	11c
Old Man River SYRUP 1/2 Gal.	33c
Toilet Tissue 3 rolls	14c
Crystal Wedding Oats Lg.	25c
Good Peaches per. lb.	09c
Primrose Preserves 2 lb. Jar	39c
Hy-Lo Large box	18c
Gold Bar PRUNES In Syrup No. 2 1/2 can	16c

RED & WHITE

Specials For Friday and Saturday

H&H Coffee Large Glass Jar	73c
Family Style TUNA Can	15c
Franco American Macaroni Spaghetti No. 2	09c
Red & White GRAPE Juice Pt.	15c
Red & White GRAPE Juice Qt.	25c
Chuck Wagon Chili BEANS 3 Cans For	25c
Red & White Cleanser 8 Cans For	13c
Sky-Hi Cat & Dog Food 2 cans For	09c
Sailor Broomsea	39c
46 oz. Tomato Juice	25c
46 oz. Pineapple "	29c
B&M Cut Pickles SOUR or Dill 2 Jars	25c
Miti-Good FLOUR 24 lb. sk.	83c
Jet Oil Shoe Polish bottle	09c
Del Monte Preserves 4 1/2 lb. Can	63c

PRODUCE

ORANGES each	01c
Mesh bag Spuds 10 lbs.	29c
Texas Grapefruit 3 For	10c
Y A M S LB.	03c
FANCY DEL. APPLES DOZ.	33c
MARKET	
Rid or Brisket Roast 2 lbs for	35c
No. 1 Salt Pork 2 lbs for	35c
No. Seven 7 Steak 1 lb for	23c
Fleischmann's yeast 1 cake	3c
Oxford Bacon 1 lb	25c
Frankfurters 1 lb	23c