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Judge Eugene Cartlege Robert Lee Founder Is Buried In San Angelo

Friends gathered Sunday afternoon in Fairmount Cemetery for graveside services for Judge Eugene Cartledge 84, the last surviving stockholder of the First National Bank in San Angelo and founder of Robert Lee, county seat of Coke county.

When it was proposed to organize the county Mr Cartredge was operating the Austin Land & Cattle Co., and he wanted the county seat named after the great confederate commander.

An election was held and "the nesters" as Mr, Cartledge referred to them, voted the county seat at Hayrick. Mr Cartledge contested the election on the grounds that it was more than nine miles from the center of the county. The Hayrick enthusiasts started to erect a courthouse, Mr Cartledge and the other people near Robert Lee got out an injunction.

Judge J W, Timmons, pioneer judge in this district ruled out his injunction. But by that time another election was due. Mr. Cartledge got out a candidate for county judge on the platform that if elected he would call anelection for the relocation of the county seat. The judge won. The election was held and Robert Lee became the county seat of Coke County.

Norma Wojtek has finished her course in an air craft school in Dallas and is at home visiting.

PATRIOTIC RALLY

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

ROBERT LEE, TEXAS Feb. 27, 1942, 8: P. M.

W. B. Clift, Chairman Coke County Defense Master of Ceremonies.

Robert Lee High School Band. Music

Audience. America

Rev. Taylor Henley. Invocation

Led by A. M. Jackson. Song Service Band

Bond, Stamps, and USO Campaign E. S. Mayer, Chairman of 17th Congressional District on Defense.

Senator Penrose B. Metcalf, Address

Rev. John L. Brown. Benediction

Auction Brings \$650

National Anthem

The Coke County Livestock Show in Robert Lee realized a net of approximately \$650 from a livestock auction here Saturday The money will finance the \$300 in premiums and the ribbons for the 4-H Club and FFA boys' stock show to be held here Saturday, Feb. 28.

The money also gives a start Tournament

Fisher Denounces **Pensions For** Congressmen

District Attorney O. C. Fisher of San Angelo, who is a candidate for Congress from the 21st district is unalterably opposed to pensions for Congressmen, according to a news report from there.

"Congressmen receive a liberal salary of \$10,000 per year". Fisher pointed out. We are now in a life and death struggle when Harmon, was rushed to a San not one cent of public money should be diverted for wholly unworthy and unnecessary purposes such as pensions for Congressmen The pension Act passed the House of representatives without a dissenting vote.

"There is no conceivable excus? for Congressional pensions that didn't exist months and years 1942. ago", he continued. And even if ces or postponed until after it principal and football coach. had ended".

The new Pension law was recently enacted after it passed the Bob L. Davis of Austin visited Senate with some op osition and iting relatives. went through the House of Representatives on January 21st with out subjection. Mr. Fisher expressed the hope that Congress would soon respond to public demand and repeal the Act.

W. S. C. S.

The WSCS met in the home of Eola won the championship Mrs. J. S. Gardner in the study Sunday in Lubbock. over Millersview in finals 28 to 3 of their mission book, with Mrs. | Mrs. Erie Conger is in Uvalde Marvin Simpson as teacher, Mon visiting relatives. day afternoon at 3 p. m.

After the business session, adjourned to meet with Mrs. Bruce Clift next Monday at 3 p. m.

Baptist W. M. S.

The Baptist Ladies met at the church Monday in an all-day meeting studying their Home Mission Book.

Two chapters were given then monthly Missionary program was presented with hearts, Mrs. Hen- Mrs. Noel Percifull and family. ley as leader, Misses Lorene Fikes, Bryce Stewart and Mrs. J. C. Snead taking part on program. Mrs. Gramling brought the devotional.

The mission book was finished taught by Miss Naomi Brown. Next Monday will meet at 4 pm with Mrs. W. J. Cumbie.

Pay your water bill by 10th of each month or have your service discontinued.

City Commission

Locals

Mrs. Dorothy Harrill left for Childress Sunday, to visit rela-

Joe Donn Dickey who was reported missing in the Pearl Harbo catastrophe was in Robert Lee last week. He reported he had been honorably discharged on account of injury to his hearing.

Mrs. McMinn of Corpus Christi who was visiting in the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Angelo Hospital Friday night for Apendecomy.

Thirty-fourth Annuel Convention of the Mid-Texas Education District 11, March, will be held in San Angelo

Tom Green County ginned 17,729 bales of cotton during1941

B. F. Kirk was re elected suptthis proposel had merit, it either erintend of Bronte High School should have been voted upon for the next session, and W. W. prior to the present national cri- Mullins was also re-elected as

> Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Modgling and son Elmer Lynn, spent the week end in Banderia, Texas vis-

> Miss Evelyn Crowell left for San Antonio Monday morning where she had accepted a position as stenegraph, with the war department in the Duncan Flying Field.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Scott, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Craddock, and Mr and Mrs. W. J. Cumbie spent

Remember and bring your old papers and mazazines to the ice house, just waiting for a truct

Among the students making the honor roll at John Tarlton Agricultural College for the first semester of 1941-42 were Floyd Merl Ward of Valley View, and Claud Ditmore of Tennyson.

Mrs. J. J. Slaughter returned lunch was served. At 1:30 the home Sunday from California, where she visited her daughter.

> Fay Gunnels left Monday for Goodfellow Field to accept a position as typist.

Mrs Fred McDonald and child ren returned home Monday from Eden where she had been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. V.

Mrs. Alice Neely of San Angelo Mr. and Mrs. Miller Crockett of Brownwood were visitors in the home of H. D. Fish. Mrs. Crocket is a daughter of Mr. Fish. Later, all motered to Winters and Ovalo to visit, last Sunday.

on needed show ground facilities.

his parents Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Davis, last Sunday.

Visit Home

Bob is working in the Accounting Department of the Texas Unemployment Compensation Commission at Austin.

Girls Volley Ball

Mason took the consolation title 20 to 11 over Robert Lee

Defense Protection

The following names are suggested for a volunteer fire depart ment under the defense program (Watch for a School Program)

Hubert Buchanan

Buster Bradley Frank Cowley Clarence Mitchell Sam Williams Glen Simpson Drew Scoggins Delbert Vestal Clyde Gartman C. S. Brown Shelton Anderson Bill Ratliff Ray Braswell Paul Good Emory Davis Marvin Barnes W. O. Eubanks Sam Jay Bose McDonald V. H. Simpson

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CITY CAFE In Robert Lee

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PAUL GOOD Deputy

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ROBERT LEE TEXAS

Friday, Saturday and Sunday Feb. 27-28, Mar 1 BOB HOPE-DOROTHY LAMOUR IN

"CAUGHT IN THE DRAFT"

He got into the Army accidently, and Its bard to tell which took a worse beating, Bob or the Army.

Wednesday only Money Nite Mar. 4

FRED MCMURRY - MADELENE CARROLL In "ONE NIGHT IN LISBON" Also Comey

TEXAS THEATRE

BRONTE TE AS

Friday and Saturday Feb. 27-28

WILLIAM BOYD-ANDY CLYDE -RUSSELL HAYDEN

"DOOMED CARAVAN"

Comedy and News

Tuesday only Money Nite Mar. 3 FRED McMURRY-MADELENE CARROLL IN "ONE NIGHT IN LISBON"

Also Comedy

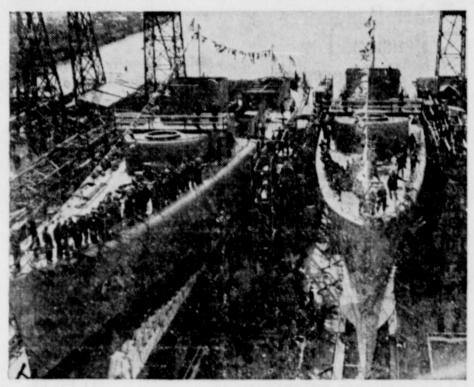
WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

By Edward C. Wayne

U. S. War Production Gains Momentum; Churchill Government Under Fire as Prime Minister Admits 'Heavy and Far-Reaching Defeat' in Singapore

(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.)



Five months ahead of schedule, the twin destroyers, U.S.S. Butler (right) and the U.S.S. Gherardi, slide down the ways into the Delaware river at Philadelphia. The launching preceded by four days the completion of the 35,000-ton battleship Alabama at Portsmouth, Va. Secretary of the Navy Knox hailed the launching of the Alabama-nine months ahead of schedule-as the end of the "defense era" and the beginning of the "war era."

JOHORE:

of Singapore.

the causeway.

And Singapore

The story of the Johore causeway,

that granite pathway which con-

nects Singapore with the mainland,

was being pieced together from Brit-

ish admissions and Japanese claims,

and was believed a major factor in

the black military page in Britain's

book that was the Malaya campaign.

believed clipped down to some 30,-

000-odd fighting men during the re-

treat down Malaya, was moved over

the causeway to carry on the siege

Stories at the time related how

the intrepid engineers remained un-

til the last to blow up and destroy

break in the causeway which the

little men from Nippon repaired by

night, and then swarmed across to

A second time, nearly a week lat-

And once more the Japs made

The Japanese admitted "obstinate

resistance," and "counter-attacks,"

but even the most sanguine British

commentators considered the odds

Cecil Brown, radio broadcaster

and war commentator from Singa-

pore, had flown 2,900 miles from

the besieged stronghold to Sydney,

Australia to tell the world the rea-

son for the blackly gloomy battle

Significant of the bitterness of

Australia toward the British conduct

of the Far Eastern preparations was

the fact that Brown, barred from

broadcasting at all over the Singa-

pore radio because he wouldn't paint

a rosy picture of things, was freely

permitted to talk when he got on

His story was not pretty. It start-

ed way back in Penang, when the

British, he said, evacuated only the

white, leaving the natives to fend

for themselves. When this informa-

tion filtered through to the main-

land, the British had plenty of trou-

bles with the natives there, said

earth policy, declaring that far from

destroying everything, the retreat-

ing British had left one important

air field so little damaged that

the Japs were using it themselves

Singapore was being bravely de-

two days after the British left it.

fended while he had been speaking.

He paid high tribute to the valor

and fighting qualities of the British

Britain's Pearl Harbor-a story of

complacency, of unreadiness, of not

added that Churchill's policy has

been marked by indefensible com-

placency, unpreparedness and in-

The Bombay (India) Chronicle

But Singapore, he hinted, was

Then he took up the scorched

the repairs and sent trucks and men

on to the attack on the island.

er, British artillery tore the cause-

drive the British back.

way in two again.

utterly prohibitive.

BROWN:

of Malaya.

defenders.

heeding warnings.

competence.

Australian territory

And Censors

The entire British defending army,

MATERIAL:

Rushed to Fronts

America was launching a warship every day and rushing men and material of warfare to all fronts as the determined national effort to win the war with superior military power gained momentum even as the black news from the Southwest Pacific and other areas continued to make American spirits even grim-

Stories from the fronts of one major setback or another vied for headline space with great stories of heroism from those same fronts of the men who were carrying the Stars and Stripes into action.

One week-end's schedule, on the home front, saw a 6,000-ton cruiser launched on Saturday, a destroyer on Sunday, and a 35,000-ton battleship on Monday

Naval authorities pointed out that a launching a day would soon be followed by the placing of a warship a day in commission.

At the same time, from half a dozen ports of embarkation, trainloads of tanks, guns and munitions of war were going into black-hulled merchant ships, to be convoyed to the scenes of action.

Coincidentally, President Roosevelt, in his White House office was conferring long hours with 11 military and naval experts of the world, putting teeth into the war effort.

Back of it all, from coast to coast, men in the newest registration were being called to the colors, to raise our army of 1,700,000 men to 3,600,-000 or even more.

From the Ford plant in Detroit had come the first airplane engines produced after nearly a year of 'tooling up" for this eventuality. Benson Ford and other engineers came to an eastern plane factory for the first air tests.

The test pilots soared aloft. In a few hours they were back. "Phenomenal" was the word they used about the performance.

The Ford engineers assured the factory heads that they would not want for engines for their ships from now on.

BLACK:

News of War

Much of the news of the war was gloomy. The fall of Singapore gave Churchill his biggest headache since the fall of France. The prime minister admitted this "heavy and farreaching defeat" in a broadcast to the world. Reverses in Libya and the escape of the Scharnhorst. Gneisenau and Prince Eugen from Brest heightened the gloom.

Why, screamed the British press. Why, echoed the "man in the street" throughout England. Why, re-echoed the commentators in the United

It was a triple-barreled question concerning the German warships. Why was not the British fleet capable of bottling up these ships? Why had 66 bombing attacks failed to damage them? Why had the British come out of the channel sea and air battle with 42 planes down against 18 for the Germans, and with their quarries sailing safely off to the Heligoland Bight?

Is a Tough Job for U. S

Enemy Must Be Kept From 'Breaking Through' While United Nations Build Up Overwhelming Superiority.

From Defense to Offense

By BAUKHAGE News Analyst and Commentator.

making.

Axis. Now virtually all of the sup-

ply of this essential material is cut

off except what the United States

can spare from the terrific demands

our shipyards and arsenals are

But without steel, Argentina's

wheels would cease to run, public utilities would disintegrate, the coun-

try would be an easy prey to any subversive influence. And so, with

a finely sharpened pencil, the experts

in the BEW find some steel, recom-

mend to the War Production board

that it be spared for the Argentine.

ber. There are plenty of rubber

trees in South America. We can

make some synthetic rubber in our

laboratories, but we need natural

rubber to mix with it. It takes

more than money to get rubber out

of those trees deep in the jungles

And imagination has been used.

Imagination to realize that in order

to get the labor to harvest the rub-

ber, the half-starved, sickly Indi-

ans who provide this labor must be

given better food, healthier sur-

roundings, conditions which will

make them and others want to work

to earn the money. The things which

And so, hundreds of mosquito chas-

ers are already working to remove

the malarial mosquito that makes

life hazardous in the rubber jungles.

Experts to help start dairy farms to

provide vitamin-giving milk to build

up the weakened bodies, are being

-Buy Defense Bonds-

The war has created many serious

But one situation which few have

noticed and which threatened for a

time a minor revolution, I think I

can predict, will shortly be greatly ameliorated. This is the tale (and

War required certain building op-

erations on the White House grounds.

Among other things-the only one

which I can discuss freely because

of the censorship-was the construc-

tion of a little building which looked

like a soft drink stand where the

shivering detectives who help the ex-

tra police who guard the great iron

gate to the presidential grounds, can

warm themselves. But there were

other more expansive undertakings.

This construction considerably ham-

pered the activities of White House

One of the oldest retainers on this

ancient estate is a trusted friend of

mine, head of a rather flighty clan,

but himself a very responsible patri-

arch who has given me many an

He is the Old Gray Squirrel who

He, with most of his clan was vir-

tually dispossessed while the con-

struction work I mentioned (or rath-

er I am not allowed to mention) went

on. Another old resident who lives

or rather pursues his business just

outside the White House fence and

with whom the Old Gray Squirrel

has a very close working arrange-

ment, had to move too. He is Steve.

Steve runs a peanut stand. You may

Steve moved across Pennsylvania

Then trouble began. For the Old

Gray Squirrel is a snob. He doesn't

mix with common squirrels and La-

fayette park is full of them. They

don't understand White House pro-

tocol. They would push up to the

head of the line and try to steal pea-

nuts from the donor's hand right out

of the Old Gray Squirrel's mouth.

would be committed. Mayhem was.

In fact, one of the Lafayette crowds

has lost his brush, a clean but un-

dignified operation although too close

the White House lawn have gone

now. Soon Steve will take up his

ancient post. Already the Old Gray

Squirrel is scurrying back and forth

across Pennsylvania avenue remov-

ing the nuts he had carefully in-

more exclusive burial place. Revo-

But fortunately the workmen on

For some days I thought murder

avenue to Lafayette park. The Old

Gray Squirrel and his family fol-

visitors. Also White House resi-

social conditions in Washington.

dispatched to South America.

'Social' Conditions

In Washington

it's a bushy one).

dents.

important story

lives in the Elm.

see the connection.

This made trouble

for comfort or beauty.

they can buy with the wages they

earn must be made available.

of the Amazon.

Another example: We need rub-

WNU Service, 1343 H Street, N-W, other 94 per cent came from the Washington, D. C.

"Mr. President, there has been a good deal of comment lately to the effect that the American people are complacent about the way the war is going. Have you any comment,

There was quiet in the oval office. The hundred or so men and the three or four women representing newspapers, press associations, radio networks and radio stations were quiet. The President leaned back, put his cigarette with its long holder in his mouth and let his eyes wander upward toward the great seal of the United States on the ceiling of his office in the White

It was the day when the startling news that Singapore, the Gibraltar of the East, for the first time had felt the boot of the invader within its bastioned confines. We all realized that any comment the President might make would indirectly reflect the seriousness of the whole Far Eastern situation.

At last he answered, speaking slowly-choosing his words-and clearly, so that the rapidly moving pencils could get each word.

I cannot quote him directly because that is forbidden. He answered that the complacency charge was partly just-but that every day the people were becoming more realistic in their thinking. He said that they had begun to realize that this is a world-encircling war.

Machinery of Defense Must Be Built Up

And so we were told from the highest source that we had learned already from the military who do not mince words, who do not indulge in wishful thinking - that America must be content to accept reverses, must humbly accept the role of defense on all fronts until we have built the machinery of offense.

It so happened that on the very The Japs declared the British only | day on which I heard the President "breached it" - making a brief speak these words I visited a tiny room in a cheap apartment house made over into offices. A busy beehive, the lobby was crowded with men with brief cases. I was reminded of the hectic days of 1933 when the Blue Eagle was spreading its wings, when American business was getting its first taste of regulation at the hands of the NRA. Then the emergency had forced even the most individualistic to toss aside the demands of rugged individualism.

Today in the face of another emergency, business was once more facing strict regulation. The men I saw in the lobby of this shabby building were exporters seeking licenses from the Board of Economic Warfare-for not a dollar's worth of goods can leave this country now if the BEW doesn't want it to.

But this is only one small function of the board. It has a hundred facets. And unlike our armies and our navy today it is waging offensive warfare.

It has launched a great offensive

on the economic front. To look over the board's activities in a single day you might see listed projects to build a railroad in a foreign country, to weigh to the last ounce some strategic material that a foreign country produces, to survey in accurate figures just how much of a certain product may be spared from America's own supply to turn over to another country in return for some valuable commodity or service that we need to further our war effort. Or, again, there might be a project to block the sources from which one of the enemy powers is replenishing its own supply.

Argentina-An Example

For example: The United States needs the co-operation of Argentina, a country upon which the Nazis have lavished every favor possible, upon which they have used to the limit the persuasive power and dire threats of Herr Goebbels. The purpose is to keep a close relationship between the man who pulls the strings in Buenos Aires and the men who direct the destinies of the

Before war made an omelet of the world's trade, Argentina bought terred in the park to a safer and from America 6 per cent of all the steel she imported. Much of the lution has been averted.

Washington Digest George-I'm going to have a hard time meeting expenses these days. How about you? Joe-Not at all. I meet 'em at

every turn. A reformer wants to let his conscience be your guide.

Pot Luck

Missionary-Poor man! So you know nothing of religion? Cannibal-Oh, yes, we got a taste of it when the last missionary was here.

HIS SENTIMENTS



Housewife-It's no disgrace to work for a living.

Tramp-That's wot I tol' my wife before she threw me out.

Per Directions

The two commercial travelers were discussing the careless manner in which trunks and suitcases are handled by some railway com-

"I had a very cute idea for preventing that once," said one of them, smiling reminiscently. "I labeled each of my bags, 'With Care-China.

"And did that have any effect?" "Well, I don't know; you see, they shipped the whole darned lot to Hong Kong.'

EASY-GRIP BOTTLE LARGE 10:25

Model Plane Maneuvers

Through radio-controlled equipment, model airplanes, weighing as little as five pounds, have been put through such maneuvers as takeoffs, spot landings, flights to an objective and return, figure eights, power dives, spins, loops and smoke writing.

DON'T WORRY MOTHER!

If your boy or girl just won't eat. If health cause daily arguments. Maybe their appetite needs encouragement. Vitamin B1 and Iron in pleasant-tasting VINOL helps promote appetite. Ask your druggist for VINOL.

Cost of Business Letter

Considering the stenographer's salary and the cost of stationery, stamps and other overhead, the average investment in a business letter is about 60 cents.

To relieve painful callouses, burn ing or tenderness on bottom of feet and remove callouses—get these thin, soothing, cushioning pads. JEScholl's Zino-pad

Best Medics

The best doctors in the world are Dr. Diet, Dr. Quiet and Dr. Merryman.-Jonathan Swift.

Acid Indigestion

What many Doctors do for it

Great Wealth He who owns land, owns up to the sky .- Law Maxim.

MORE FOR YOUR M

 Read the advertisements. They are more than a selling aid for business. They form an educational system which is making Americans the besteducated buyers in the world. The advertisements are part of an economic system which s giving Americans more or their money every day.

Oldest Inn

The Walloomsac Inn in Bennington, Vt., holds the American record for the longest continuous hotel service, says Collier's. This historic tavern, which once had as guests such colonial patriots as Gen. John Stark and Ethan Allen, has never closed its doors since it was established in 1764.

Long-Distance Runner

One of the greatest cross-country runners was Mensen Ernst, a Norwegian who was at the peak of his fame in the 1830s. Once he ran from Constantinople to Calcutta and back, a distance of 5,625 miles, in 59 days.

NIGHT"

to colds' miseries. Slip away from achey muscles, sniffles, into sleep. Here's double help that acts almost instantly. Rub with Penetro. 25c. PENETRO
Use as directed.

Do You Like Jingle Contests?

Raleigh Cigarettes are now running another series of weekly contests for those who can supply the best last line to a jingle. Over 100 liberal prizes each week. Watch this paper for details .- Adv.

Pull the Trigger on Lazy Bowels, with Ease for Stomacn, too

When constipation brings on acid indigestion, stomach upset, bloating, dizzy spells, gas, coated tongue, sour taste and bad breath, your stomach is probably bad breath, your stomach is probably crying the blues" because your bowels don't move. It calls for Laxative-Senna to pull the trigger on those lazy bowels, combined with Syrup Pepsin for perfect ease to your stomach in taking. For years, many Doctors have given pepsin preparations in their prescriptions to make medicine more agreeable to a touchy stomach. So be sure your laxative contains Syrup Pepsin. Insist on Dr. Caldwell's Laxative Senna combined with Syrup Pepsin. See how wonderfully the Laxative Senna wakes up lazy nerves and muscles to bring releasing releasing to bring releasing releasing to the story releasing to the senia wakes up lazy herves and inuscles in your intestines to bring welcome relief from constipation. And the good old Syrup Pepsin makes this laxative so comfortable and easy on your stomach. Even finicky children love the taste of this pleasant family laxative. Buy Dr. Caldwell's Laxative Senna at your druggist well's Laxative Senna at your druggist today. Try one laxative combined with Syrup Pepsin for ease to your stomach, too.

Flightless Duck

The steamer duck, Tachyeres cinereus, found off the southern coast of South America and so named because, when swimming, it churns the water like a sidewheel steamboat, loses its power of flight after reaching maturity.



All in Hope

He who has Health has Hope, and he who has Hope has Everything.-Arabian Proverb.

Relieves distress from MONTHLY

Tablets (with added iron) not only help relieve cramps, headache backache but also weak, cranky nervous feelings-due to monthly functional disturbances.

Taken regularly – Lydia Pink-ham's Tablets help build up resistance against distress of "difficult days." They also help build up red blood. Follow label directions.

WNU-L

Watch Your Kidneys/

Help Them Cleanse the Blood

of Harmful Body Waste Your kidneys are constantly filtering waste matter from the blood stream. But kidneys sometimes lag in their work—do not act as Nature intended—fail to remove impurities that, if retained, may poison the system and upset the whole body machinery.

poison the system and upset the whole body machinery.

Symptoms may be nagging backache, persistent headache, attacks of dizziness, getting up nights, swelling, puffiness under the eyes—a feeling of nervous anxiety and loss of pep and strength.

Other signs of kidney or bladder disorder are sometimes burning, scanty or too frequent urination.

rhere should be no doubt that prompted them is wiser than neglect. Use oan's Pills. Doun's have been winning w friends for more than forty years, hey have a nation-wide reputation, a recommended by grateful people the untry over. Ask your neighbor!



Installment Fourteen

When Virgie Blake returned after ner illness, she made prompt discovery of Larry's return and plied Jacqueline with eager questions. Receiving little information or encouragement, she had not reverted to the subject again.

But today, when Jacqueline saw her bearing down excitedly on the office, she knew instinctively what her friend was going to talk about and prepared to meet it with a show of indifference.

Virgie closed the door behind her and bent over the desk. Her black eyes were wide, her red lips parted. "My dear!" she burst out in a stage whisper. "Guess what?"

"I'm sure I don't know," Jacqueline ventured casually. "Mrs. Cutter's here!"

This was too much for Jacqueine's composure. Her own eyes widened. She gave a little gasp.

"Mrs. Cutter . . . the old ball and chain herself! And, of all things She's a dizzy blonde! You could have knocked me over!"

"But . . . but how do you know?" Larry's wife managed with a supreme effort.

"Listen, dearie. I saw them just now on the mezzanine. And that isn't all. I got in on an old-time family battle! Was she telling him where to head in? I'll say she was. I heard her tell him she was fed up with everything. She looked it, too! Can you feature it?"

"Not quite," was the truthful an-

" Virgie straightened up. She wished that she might add more details, but none suggested themselves. Then she noticed Jacqueline sitting motionless, eyes downcast, staring at her typewriter. "Jack," Virgie began in a low

voice, "that didn't hit you, did it?" "Of course not." The stenographer's hand fumbled in the open desk for a sheet of paper. Mechanically she inserted it into the machine. If only Virgie would leave

Instead, Miss Blake's hand came out and rested lightly on a small shoulder.

"Sorry, dear. That's me every time. Forget it." "It's all right." Jacqueline's smile

proved it. As Virgie left the office, the stenographer's fingers tapped swiftly on the keys, faltered. Her hands dropped into her lap. The words she

had written were blurred. Virgie was wrong. She had to be, unless . . . Oh, no. She was wrong! That couldn't have been Larry's wife.

"I'm Larry's wife," Jacqueline found herself whispering. She could not have told why, but she knew that she was clinging to that. Clinging desperately. For the first time. But . . . there was an insistent pounding in her ears. Larry's own words. "You're the only woman. Only woman . . . Only woman."

But she wasn't the only woman. Jacqueline shivered slightly. There was another woman. With Larry now. Come to find him, to quarrel with him . . . in public. "A dizzy blonde.

When Larry Cutter stopped at Jacqueline's office door the next afternoon, it needed but one glance from those dark blue eyes to confirm his

worst fears. That cigar woman had seen and reported. No telling what kind of story she had concocted. And the worst of it was, he could not utter a word in his own defense. Nothing to do but take it. He swallowed an oath and walked into the little room with as genuine a smile as he could

"Well, Miss Anthony, I'm checking out." He felt that the expression was singularly appropriate. "Bag

and baggage. Jacqueline looked at him and said

nothing. "Jack . . ." he exclaimed impulsively, then got himself in hand. "I guess there's nothing to say this

time . . . except good-by." "Good-by, Mr. Cutter." Larry hesitated, then turned on

his heel and left. Jacqueline never knew how she managed to get through the balance of the afternoon. There was but one thing she wanted . . . a chance to go home. To throw herself down on the

bed and let the tears come. Jacqueline was terribly anxious to leave the office that night, but just as she was preparing to go, Lieutenant Staples walked in the door. He helped himself to a seat and grinned

amiably at his hostess. "Want to hear a good joke, Miss Anthony?"

"I'd love to." Jacqueline placed her hand to her lips to assure herself that the smile was still there.

"This one's on me. You know that fellow Cutter we were talking about one day?"

"Oh, yes." "Well, early this afternoon I wandered into the bar here. I had another guy on my mind, another racket entirely. I was sizing up the mob along the mahogany when somebody taps me on the shoulder. It was young Cutter."

"Was it?" "No less. He gives me a pleasant smile. 'Looking for me, were you?' he asks. I tried to act dumber than usual and tells him he's got the wrong number. I don't know him. 'Says you,' he laughs. 'You been tagging after me pretty steady, Lieutenant. So I thought maybe I could save you some trouble. I'm pulling out today for good. You might pass the word along anywhere it'll do you some good.' Cool, wasn't

"And all the time, I thought I was doin' a nice job of playin' shadow." Jacqueline nodded vacantly. Her heart skipped a beat as Staples paused.

"That sure was a good one on me," the detective continued. "I knew you'd get a smile out of it, too. Well, I guess he's gone, all right. So's my weekly retainer. They told me at the garage he'd been in there asking questions about the roads to



Jacqueline was thinking of the movie she went to see . . . on her wedding day.

the Windy City. But I'm not interested. Well, so long." Jacqueline found herself breathing

After her coveted spell of weeping, she forced herself to take stock of the situation. For once there was no momentous decision to make. Larry was gone. Vince was gone. She was back where she had started.

Perhaps fate had played enough

with her. The days dragged along wearily, each one bringing the same routine. There was but one bright spot . business seemed to be picking up. If the spurt lasted, there was a hope for Jacqueline that it would not be too long before she could square her final account with Larry.

Not quite the final one, either, She dreaded that. Not because of the idea of that last, and legal, separation, but the certainty that it could not be accomplished without the usual legal formalities and publicity. The neighbor state might let people into wedlock without any fanfare of trumpets, but it was too much to hope that the dissolving process would be like that. What would it be? Charges of desertion, incompatability . . . or worse? Time enough to worry over that.

The unknown blonde, perhaps. Vince wrote occasionally from the farm. His letters were like himself,

vague and erratic. Jacqueline was given to understand that he was feeling very well now, and was hard at work. His enthusiasm in the new invention had not lagged, apparently. He said nothing about working for Larry, save that the latter had insisted he learn how to drive the roadster. Vince liked that. He was becoming an accomplished chauffeur.

And then, one September day, Vincent Anthony strolled into the lobby of the Raynear.

Jacqueline scarcely recognized her father when she discovered him smiling at her from the doorway. He looked so much better than when she last saw him. His grizzly hair and small moustache were neatly trimmed. He wore a natty blue suit and carried a gray hat, obviously new, in his hand. A healthy tan browned his cheeks.

"Why, Vince! Come in!" his daughter laughed . . . for the first time in weeks, it seemed to her. "I scarcely know you."

Vince grinned almost sheepishly and helped himself to a chair.

"I've been fixing up a little," he admitted. "About time." "But where did you come from?

I'm so thrilled I hardly know what to say." "I came down from the farm,"

Vince admitted. "Oh." Jacqueline's smile faded.

It brought everything back. "Yes, I had to come down on business for Larry."

"How is . . . Larry?" She had to ask that.

"I don't know. He's been sticking pretty close to the place, but he don't act the way he used to. He's got something on his mind . . . always brooding. He worries me. I bet he's lost about fifteen pounds. Maybe you've noticed it."

"I haven't seen him, Vince." "No? I rather figured he'd been down here on some of his trips. Though he didn't say so, and I never asked. Did you have a quarrel with him, Skipper?"

"Of course not." "I didn't know. He's coming down here late tonight sometime. I'm go-

ing to meet him." "But you're not going right back, are you?'

"Not sure." Vince looked uncomfortable. He acted as if he had said rather more than he intended.

"Then you'll have dinner with me. We'll eat down in the cafeteria so we won't have to waste time getting a meal.

After he had gone Jacqueline realized for the first time how she had missed him. It seemed so good to see him again. And he looked so well. If only he wouldn't insist upon talking about Larry too much. It still hurt . . . almost like seeing

And Larry was coming to the city tonight!

CHAPTER XII

The news that Larry was returning to the city that night left Jacqueline vaguely uneasy. What was he ing to do . . . and Vince?

She would try to find out something about that before the evening was over. Enough to assure herself that everything was all right as far as Vince was concerned.

It was nearly dinnertime before Vince returned to the hotel. He was in a talkative mood, but Jacqueline could not escape from a growing conviction that he was attempting to keep their conversation in his own hands to a great extent. Several times she referred to his trip down to the city and, very promptly,

he changed the topic. Vince was more than willing to speak of his invention. But with an air of delighted secrecy.

"Shall we walk out to the apartment?" she asked when they had finished their dinner. "It is not very

Vince hesitated. "I don't know, We've got plenty of time. What do you say to a movie?"

"Whatever you like, dear." Jacqueline was thinking of the movie she went to see . . . on her wedding day. She had wanted to go then to avoid conversation with Larry. She wondered if Vince, possibly, was not using the same device. Perhaps not.

But her vague discomfort increased when her father selected a film of the gangster type.

There was a time when Jacqueline herself would have absorbed such perils with shameless interest, but not tonight. She and Vince might have traded places, in a way, He seemed so utterly irresponsible now, in need of guidance. And she never had felt so old.

Later, in the Courtland street apartment, Vince's glances wandered to the little clock on the mantelpiece.

Finally, when he buttoned his coat with a suggestive air, the girl could endure her suspense no longer. She must learn something about this night's excursion before she allowed Vince to get away from her.

"What time is your appointment with Larry?" she asked, trying to make the tone of her voice casual "Oh . . . late."

"How late?"

"Well, I don't have to meet him until about twelve. But I thought I'd start a little early, you know.' "Where are you going to meet

him?" "In a little restaurant where he eats sometimes." Vince was becoming more and more uncomfortable under this direct examination.

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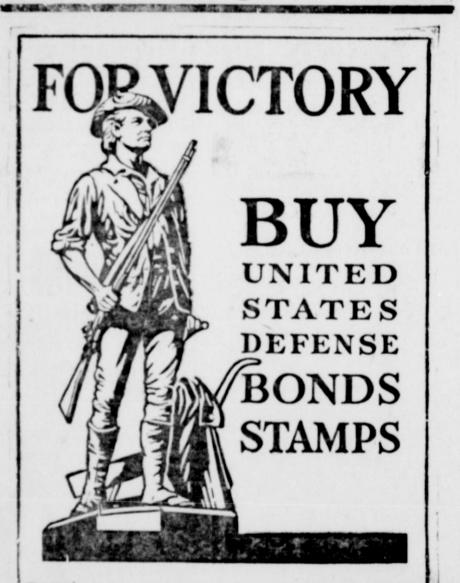
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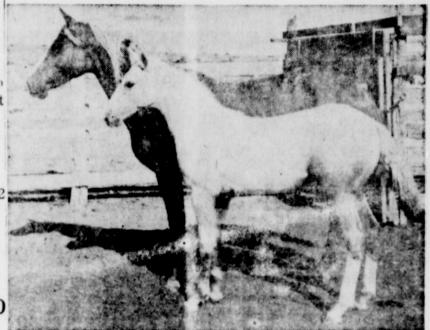
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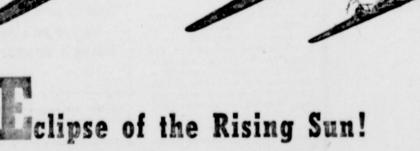
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Who Wouldn't Come to a Dinner Like This? (See Recipes Below)

Accent on Dinner

Dinner is the master meal of the day and as such requires the most mas-

terful stroke the homemaker can apply. With time unlimited, this master stroke is not so hard to bring into play, but with days like these which are filled to the utmost with activi-

ty of all kinds, time-saving hints and ideas for din-

ner are important. Today I'm discussing a dinner that is equally adaptable for either a family or company dinner. It's one of those meals that you won't forget because it's always bound to be successful from the point of view of appetite appeal, ease in serving and ease in cooking. Tuck these ideas where they won't gather dust, for they'll gather fame more easily.

*Lamb Roast.

(Serves 8 to 10) 5 to 6 pound leg of lamb Garlic clove or slice of onion Salt and pepper

Have a leg of lamb boned and tied. Wipe with a damp cloth but do not remove fell, the parchmentlike covering over the meat. Rub garlic or onion (or onion salt, if you have neither of those) over the meat, then rub salt and pepper. Bake in a slow (300-degree) oven, allowing 30 to 35 minutes to the If a heat resistant glass platter is used, the lamb may be served from that.

*Franconia Potatoes. (Serves 8 to 10) 8 to 10 medium-sized potatoes

2 tablespoons chopped parsley Cook potatoes in boiling salted water for 15 minutes. Drain and

4 tablespoons butter

place in the oven around the meat to finish roasting, about 40 minutes. Pour melted butter and chopped parsley over potatoes when done. Arrange with whole, cooked carrots on platter and serve. A hot bread on a cool evening



adds plenty of staccato to the menu, and I would advise serving it often. This one is especially appropriate for the menu today because your oven will be hot and

you can bake it before you put in the meat.

Lynn Says:

Trying to tackle the winter vegetable problem? Here's a parade of suggestions that will prop up your meals:

Baked squash with small white onions baked in the hollow. A bit of cream sauce added just before serving to the onions will also perk up this dish. Sprinkle with paprika for color.

Carrots: glaze these with brown sugar and butter when baking. For cooked carrots add a bit of tartness with lemon juice. Serve canned or cooked lima beans with this smart mustard sauce: 4 tablespoons butter mixed with 1/2 teaspoon sugar, 1 teaspoon ground mustard and 2 tablespoons lemon juice.

Beets like to be teamed up with a Harvard sauce. Thicken the beet liquid with cornstarch and add a bit of grated orange rind and juice for delightful vari-

ation. Turnips: cook and mash. Season with butter, salt and pepper and a dash of nutmeg.

This Week's Menu

Mixed Fruit Juices *Lamb Roast *Franconia Potatoes Carrots Fruit Salad Spice Bread Butter *Caramel Crumb Custard Recipe Given.

*Spice Bread.

(Makes 1 quart loaf pan) 21/2 cups flour

4 teaspoons baking powder 1/2 teaspoon salt

½ cup sugar

34 teaspoon cinnamon 1/4 teaspoon nutmeg

1/4 teaspoon ground cloves

1/4 teaspoon ginger 1 cup currants

2 eggs

1 cup milk 1/4 cup shortening

Sift flour before measuring. Then sift together flour, baking powder, salt, sugar, cinnamon, nutmeg. cloves and ginger. Wash and drain currants; mix into dry ingredients. Add well beaten eggs, milk and melted shortening to dry ingredients. Stir only until just well combined. Pour into a greased loaf pan. Bake in a moderate (350-degree) oven for about one hour.

Caramel flavoring flirts with custard in this dessert idea. But what's especially nice

about this one is that you can bake it along with the bread since both require the same oven tempera-

ture. Custard's best baked in individual cups and the custard unmolded onto the dessert plates when ready to serve:

*Caramel Crumb Custard. (Serves 8)

1/2 cup sugar

14 cup boiling water

3 eggs

1 cup sugar

1/s teaspoon salt 1 cup milk

3 tablespoons melted butter 1 cup coarse dry bread crumbs

(crusts removed)

1/4 cup caramel syrup

Make a caramel syrup by melting 1/2 cup sugar in a skillet, very slowly, and allowing to cook until a golden brown. Remove from heat and add boiling water slowly. Return to heat for 10 minutes or until completely dissolved. Separate eggs and beat yolks until lemon colored. Gradually beat in I cup sugar, salt, syrup, milk and butter. Add bread crumbs and fold in stiffly beaten whites. Pour into eight glass custard cups. Place in a pan of hot water and bake in a moderate oven (350-degree) about 40 minutes. Serve warm with whipped cream.

Speaking of planning menus that seem to fit both company and family dinner occasions I thought you might like a few suggestions.

Menu I.

Consomme With Lemon Slice Lamb Steaks With Gravy Spinach Ring With Browned Potato Balls Apricot and Cream Cheese Salad Orange Rolls

Baked Alaska Menu II.

Tomato Soup

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6. What sainted woman is said

to have given her kerchief to Christ as he carried his cross to Golgotha?

7. The Philippines are named for the king of what country?

The Answers

1. Because it was formerly used to make and sharpen quills for pens. The lithosphere.

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THE PARABLES BY THE SEA

LESSON TEXT-Mark 4:26-32; Matthew GOLDEN TEXT-Never man spake like this man.-John 7:46

Parables as a means of conveying truth reached perfection in the hands of the Master Teacher, Jesus. Taking short stories of well-known events or facts from daily life, He presented profound truth in the most simple and attractive form.

Except for the parable of the four kinds of seed which He interpreted (Matt. 13:18-23), He left it to His listeners to make their own application. This has led to some difference of opinion, but in general the parables are received as excellent and helpful portions of God's

I. Normal Growth Is Blessed (Mark 4:26-29).

God is patient. He awaits the normal, healthy, steady growth of the seed. Man is so impatient he must have forced growth, artificial stimulation, and even artificial ripening of the fruit.

The same attitude enters into his care of his children. They must get ahead in school beyond their years. They must get out and make a living long years before they have learned to make a life. Why not let them mature in the orderly, Godgiven way?

The same is true in the work of the church. There must be immediate "tangible" results or he will not give his support. Anyone with judgment knows that spiritual life takes time to develop, and that spiritual results cannot be judged by physical or tangible standards.

Seedtime, growing time, normal ripening, then harvest - that is God's order and it is a good one.

II. Abnormal Growth Is Dangerous (Mark 4:30-32).

Normally the mustard tree is a small plant, and when it grew into a great tree something abnormal had taken place. Birds (which always denote something unclean in Scripture) came to lodge in its branches.

Just so, Christianity was never intended to be made up of a nominally Christian world empire in which ungodly men (the dark birds of the evil one, Matt. 13:19) should find comfortable lodgment. Unfortunately, that is just what happened to Christianity in the so-called conquest of the Roman empire at the time of Constantine. The results were disastrous. The same principle is evident today in the control of much of the church by worldly men.

III. Redemption Is Costly (Matt. 13:44-46)

While it is true that our redemption is worth more than anything else in all the world and that the Christian would gladly set aside (or would he?) everything for Christ's sake, yet that does not fulfill the thought of this parable. After all, what has a sinner (whose own righteousness is described in Scripture as "filthy rags") to sell in order to obtain redemption? And is it for safe? (See Eph. 2:8.)

Obviously we here have the Saviour with His all-seeing eye and loving heart noting in fallen humanity the pearl of great price, His own Church. He then gives up all the glory He had with the Father, comes to the earth, and even becomes sin for us that He may bring us to God.

IV. Judgment Is Certain (Matt. 13:47-50).

All kinds of fish were in the net, and until the cord was drawn and the net emptied they looked much alike and enjoyed much the same standing as "citizens" of the sea. But when they faced the fisherman there was a quick division, and a final judgment upon the bad ones.

It is true that in God's kingdom (as it is now manifested in "mystery" in the Church) there are many who have come in by false profession, through carelessness of pastors or church officials, etc. They go through the motions, they look and act much like Christians (although even here they create questions in the minds of true followers of Christ). The day is coming, however, when they shall stand in judgment before the Christ whom they profess to love and follow. How terrible shall be their doom!

They need not wait in fear for that day. They may now, today, make right their relationship with God.

Lincoln Inscription

The inscription in the Lincoln Memorial in Washington, D. C.,

In This Temple As in the Hearts of the American People For Whom He Saved the Union The Memory of Abraham Lincoln Is Enshrined Forever

It was written by Royal Cortissoz, author and art critic. Now 72, Mr. Cortissoz is celebrating his 50th year as art critic for the New York Herald Tribune. Mr. Cortissoz, who was born in Brooklyn, N. Y., left school at 14 to take a job with an architectural firm. But though his formal education ended, he continued his self-education, and literary criticism for newspapers. | courages rot.



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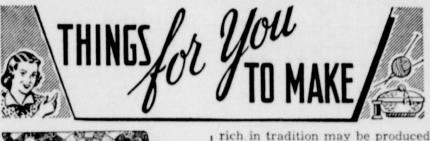
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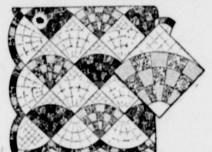
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Potatoes that are to be French fried should stand in cold water

Store mayonnaise in a cool but Put some raisins in cranberry not too cold place in the refrigapt to separate.

Here is a new way to use mincemeat. Spread a one-inch layer of mincemeat on a sheet of rich biscuit dough. Roll it and quickly around exposed wood at the foun- fit it into a greased loaf pan. Bake 30 minutes and serve with lemon





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Gluttonous Cattle

Nails, wire, knife blades, door hooks and many other objects are found in the stemachs of approximately 20 per cent of all cattle slaughtered in the United States. Although these foreign bodies usually do not cause any visible harm, the animal deaths that result from swallowing them cost the livestock industry more than \$500,000 a year.

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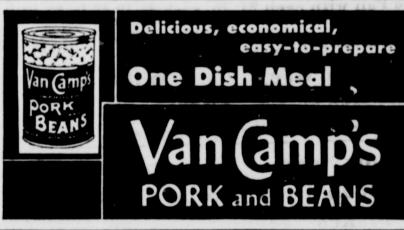
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For Us to Plant

Nature has given us the seeds self.-Seneca.

Do With Might

Whatsoever thy hand findeth to of knowledge, not knowledge it- do, do it with thy might.-Ecclesiastes.



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Specials For Friday and Saturday

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Pudding Frank's Plum' Fig & Date Very Delicious 12 oz. can	10c
Blackberries Louisiana fine for Pies full No. 2 can	10c
PEARS Rosedale California Bartlett Large No. 2½ can	23c
Peaches Libby's sliced or halves Large No. 21/2 size can	19c
PEAS Tendersweet Choice Quality Full No 2 can, 2 For	25c
CORN Tendersweet Choice Quality Pure cream style No. 2 can, 2	23c
SPINACH Libby's California No 1 Tall can 2 For	25c
BEANS Whitson's Mexican style No. 1 Tall can, 3 For	20c
Carnation Milk 6 small or 3 large	25c
Pineapple Juice Tropic Gold Giant 46 oz.	23e
Tomato Juice Libby's Giant 46 oz. can	19c
FIGARO Old Smoky Sugar Cure Salt 10 lb. pail	69e
Apple Juice Morton's House No. 300 Tall Can 2 for	,19c
OATS National 3 Minute Large round family size	21c
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Beets South Texas, fresh 3 bunches 10c Carrots, South Texas fresh crisp 3 bch 10c Cabbage South Texas, firm heads 1b 2½c New Potatoes, S. Texas B size 3 lbs 10c Rhubarb, Cherry Red 1b 4½c Alvacodas, Calif. every one stamped 5c Grape Fruit, Texas Marsh Seedless doz. 20c Texas Oranges dozen 10c

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Texas Oranges dozen	10c
MARKET .	
Weiners Small lb	25c
Pure Lard 100 Percent lb	29c
Slice Bacon Rineone lb	290
Salt Pork Good Grade Ib	210
Steak Baby Beef Seven Cut Ib	270
Treet Spice Ham Flavor 12 oz can	290
Grown Meat Good Lean lb	220
Beef Roast Seven Cut 1b	250



PENROSE B. METCALFE
Will be the main Speaker at the
Patriotic Rally Friday night at
Baptist Church. Every one urged
to attend.

Dangerous Disease

Doctor Geo. W. Cox State Health Officer, said the death rate from whooping cough in the United States increased in 1941, almost 33% over the rate for 1940

"The only source from which whooping cough may be contacted is another case of whooping cough".

Dr. Cox stressed the fact that children who have whooping cough must not attend school or come in contact with other children, until three weeks after the appearence of typical signs of the disease.

Mr. and Mrs. C.B. Underwood teachers in the Silver school are the proud parents of twins, a boy and a girl, born in a San Angelo hospital, Friday Feb. 20.

Observer Readers

Since our last issue these names have been marked up on our list R. L. Page,
Carl Hurley,
Bob Patterson

Bob Patterson
Claud Dean
W. F. Denman,
Mrs. T. E. Puett.

Notice

The Runnels Associational Training Union will be held at Drasco Baptist Church Tuesday night March 3rd.

Red Cross Meeting

The Red Cross First Aid, had a meetint last Tuesday afternoon at the Court House and decided to have the class meetings from 2:30 to 4:30 p.m., beginning next Tuesday.



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Oxford Bacon Not Sliced lb	27c
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Cloverbloom Cheese 1/2 lb box	21c
Weiners lb	25c
Loin or T.Bone Steak b	32c
7 Roast 1b	25c
Rib or Brisket Roast lb	21c