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Demonstration Next Tuesday

A Grub Control Demonstration is to be staged at the Frank Perci-full ranch, next Tuesday, Nov. 20, County Agent Hicks informs The Observer.

On this occasion the high pressure spray recently purchased by livestock owners, will be used and may be seen in operation. To be shown also are animals which have been previously treated for grubs.

The demonstration will be an all day affair, from 10 a. m. to 4 p. m. A Coke county barbecue lunch will be served. Representatives from the Extension Service will be present.

Livestock owners should attend this demonstration and see what fine results can be had from spraying. Cattle grubs for years have been costing growers of the state huge sums annually, and with the spray method this loss can be sidetracked.

Pie Supper

A big pie supper at the high school lunch room Tuesday night, Nov. 20. All are invited. The proceeds go to the Garden Club. Don't miss this one.

Coming For Thanksgiving

Martha Smith, Armilda Looney and Jamie Bilbo will arrive in Robert Lee Wednesday night, Nov. 21, to spend the Thanksgiving holidays at home. They have been attending school at Sul Ross College in Alpine.

Martha Smith is majoring in art. She is a member of Sigma Rho Chi house sorority.

Armilda Looney, Home Economics major, is also a member of Sigma Rho Chi.

Jamie Bilbo, a journalism major, is vice-president of the Press Club, a member of Sachers (a literary society), and Sigma Rho Chi member.

Sgt. Wayne Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Smith, spent the weekend with home folks, while on delay en route to Georgia where his unit is stationed.

Sunday guests of Mrs. W. H. Bell were Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Garrett of Big Spring. Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Lowrey of Ballinger, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Brown and Mrs. Sonny Schertz, of San Angelo.

New Chevrolet A Beauty

The new Stylemaster 1946 Chevrolet, now on display at the H. & C. Motor Company salesroom, is winning praise of all who see this fine new model. Of classy design, the car is topped off with a new, distinctive radiator grille, and is amply supplied with chrome plating.

The 1946 Chevrolets will maintain their popularity, as in former years. Messrs. Ford Hallmark and Turney Casey, dealers, will be glad to have you call and see the new model.

The Observer now has on display six lovely assortments of fine Christmas Greeting Cards—your name printed on each—four price ranges to suit all.

Freeman Clark and Dr. Griffith, loaded up their bed rolls, coffee pot and rifles Thursday morning and lit out for the tall uncut on their annual deer hunt.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Millican were down from their Edith ranch Tuesday.

County Council Elects Officers

Officers for the coming year were elected when the Coke County Home Demonstration Council met Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Lowell Roane of Robert Lee was elected chairman; Mrs. Raymond Schooler of Edith, vice chairman, and Mrs. Maxine McDonald, Bronte, secretary-treasurer. The club delegates and presidents of 12 clubs were represented.

The council is sponsoring a Silver Tea and Achievement Events on Dec. 5 from two until six o'clock in the afternoon, in the home of Mrs. Willis Smith.

Following are the committees; Refreshment: Mesdames Otis Smith, Betty Glenn, Tom Schooler; invitations: Mesdames Victor McCabe, Olive Keeney, Maxine McDonald; decoration: Mesdames Bruce Clift, B. A. Austin, Lowell Roane; program: Mesdames J. C. Harwell, C. S. Brown, H. A. Springer; exhibits: Mesdames J. R. Johnson, Maxine McDonald, A. N. Counts.

Now In Arkansas

Geo. Powers, who recently left the land of milk and honey and strayed off to the Wilderness of Arkansas, writes us to change his Observer to DeQueen. We wish George all kinds of good luck, but knowing somewhat of the deep winter snows in that lonesome land, to say nothing of chills, alligators, skeeters and razorback hawks, we bask in the fond, certain hope that along about next spring he will be on his way back to the Promised Land of Coke.

Victor Simpson's new welding and blacksmith shop is now in operation. Mr. Simpson makes a specialty of horse shoeing.

In last Friday's game, the Robert Lee Steers beat the Paint Rock football team, 47 to 0. This Friday our lads will go up against the Eldorado team here

To the People of this Community

Thanksgiving is in the air. The spirit of the Good Provider hugs you warmly. What better time or reason to buy another extra Victory Bond,

the good provider of the future? As you sit around the festive table this year, first year of world peace since 1939, remember the millions of men and women still in uniform in strange lands. In Germany about 2,500,000 Americans will be separated on this family holiday from fathers, mothers, brothers, sisters, wives, sweethearts and children. Every extra Victory Bond is a link between home and the Tokyo or Berlin patrol.

There's self-interest in your purchase of any extra bond today but there's service to your country too. You have most to gain by ownership of as many Victory Bonds as you can possibly buy. You guarantee yourself a better chance for personal peace and prosperity. You also help your government to pay the war costs and return home of men and women who will be badly missed Thanksgiving Day in your own home and your neighbor's home.

THE EDITOR



Flower Show Is Largely Attended

The annual Flower Show of the El Valle Garden Club of this city was held at the F. C. Clark home Wednesday, and throngs of visitors viewed the pretty displays throughout the entire day. The attendance at this year's show was exceptionally large, and all were delighted. The club, of which Mrs. Cumbie Ivey is president, has had considerable growth this year, a number of new members being added.

In next week's issue, The Observer will publish the list of winners in Wednesday's splendid event.

Sid Cavitt Passes

Sid Cavitt, pioneer West Texas rancher, died in a San Angelo hospital Monday after a short illness. Funeral services were held Tuesday.

Place your order now with The Observer for your printed Christmas Cards. Orders are piling in.

Mrs. K. E. Clark of Elgin and Mrs. Victor Williams of Goldthwaite were Tuesday night guests in the home of their brother, R. S. Crum.

Coke County is lagging badly in the War Fund drive. Our quota is \$1903. A little over \$300 thus far contributed. Is this a record we can be proud of? The campaign closes in a few days. Mail your offering at once.

Paul Good and S. E. Adams were San Angelo visitors Tuesday.

Finis Harmon was among Wednesday's business visitors.

Home Lad Helps To Win Honors

Held in preparation for the Navy Day maneuvers, last week's Camp Decatur drill contest was one of the best seen in many a day. Co. 460, led by B. Z. Blanchard, Sp. (A)2c, carved a mark of 3.82 to take top honors in the Senior division.

Ray Eugene Rives A-S, son of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Rives, is a member of Co. 460.

Deer Season Opens

The deer season opens today, and lots of the boys all over Texas are out after venison. Lots of fun to draw a bead on a big old 10-pointer, pull the trigger and see him drop. But the fun vanishes when it dawns on you that you're five miles from camp and that you have to wag that carcass uphill and downhill through catclaw brush, prickly pear, cactus, and what else.

Girls 4-H Club News

The Green Mountain Club met Friday Nov. 2, at the Green Mountain school house. Miss Fay Crosslin, gave a demonstration on how to make purses. Ten girls and their sponsor, Mrs. J. Jameson, were present.

Gary, son of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Simpson underwent an appendectomy in a San Angelo hospital Saturday.

TODAY'S BEST NEWS

Why call ye me Lord, Lord, and do not the things which I say?— Luke 6:46.

So Much Fashion—So Much Quality—Economically Priced Dresses At Barbee's

Color galore in your favorite styles. Peerless Casuals, one piece strutter cloth, high neck, wing sleeves, 12 to 20...\$9.95 For the teen-ager, Lil' Alice in black and white check...\$10.95 Softly draped dresses of rayon crepe, \$10.95 and\$19.95

Piece Goods

Lots of piece goods just received including Aralac Flannels, Cavalry Twills, Gabardines, Spun Rayons, Bingo, Strutter cloth, Black Taffeta, Satin, at 98c to \$1.68 yd. Pretty Woolen Plaids, 100 per cent wool...\$4.38 to \$4.95 yd.

8 South Chadbourne SAN ANGELO

BARBEE'S

Knit A Sweater, Buy Extra Bond



This smooth sweater features a ribbed stitch, high neckline and buttoned-down-the-front simplicity. Knitting your own sweaters means more style, finer fit and better wool at a savings to help buy a Victory Bond. Needlework counters have designs.

U. S. Treasury Department



TURKEY

Saturday, Nov. 17 we will give a nice, fat turkey to some customer. You may be the lucky one. Ask for particulars.

Now In Stock: Men's Gabardine Shirts and Pants—Dickie Brand Best Yet!

Shop at our store

Cumbie & Roach

Quality Merchandise



DON'T KICK THE DOG out of the way just because you're in a hurry to get to our store—the bargains will be here when you arrive. We have plenty of Syrup, Canned Goods, Irish Potatoes, Flour, Washing Powder, Evaporated Fruits, Pecans, Freshest Eggs, and the Tenderest Meats in town. We close at 9—but if U figure on coming to town later phone us and we will be here.

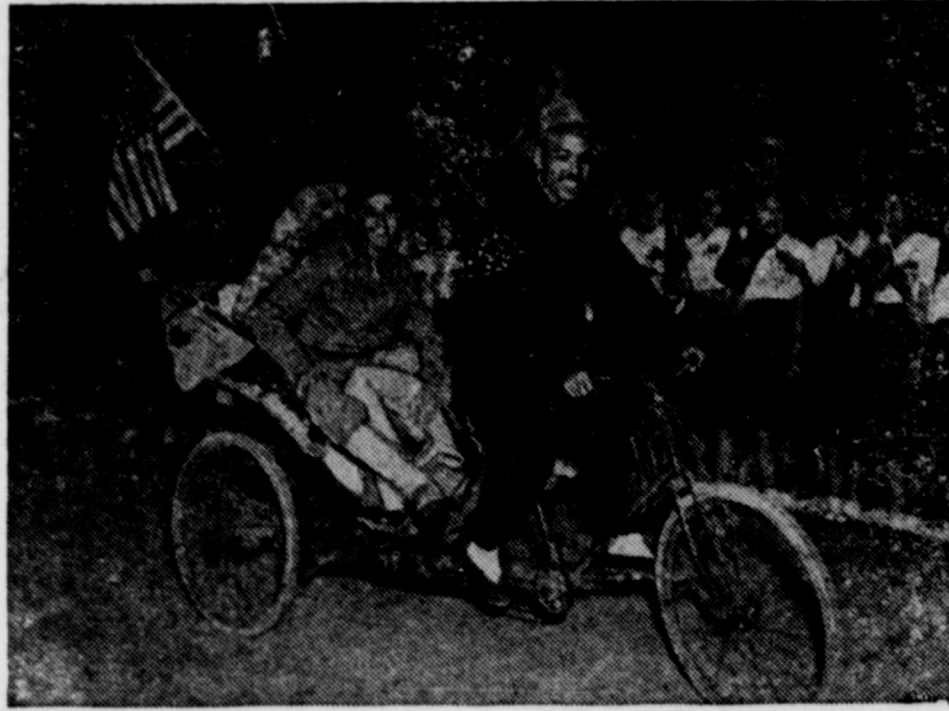
Earl Roberts Grocery

Home Owned—Home Operated
You'll get back if we fill your car tank with Sinclair gas.

WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

Crises in China and Indies Threaten Peace in Far East; Foresee Substantial Wage Gains

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



Given noisy welcome by populace, marines arrive in Tientsin, China, to occupy port after Jap surrender. As crowds cheer, this leatherneck enjoys spin in bicycle rickshaw.

FOREIGN POLICY: Regional Security

Though Japan has laid down her arms, peace has not yet come to the Pacific, what with Chinese nationalists and communists at swords points and Indonesians seeking their independence from Dutch rule.

U. S. troops stood in the middle as Chinese nationalists squared off against the communists, with marines guarding the vital coal mines and rail route around the shipping port of Chinwangtao in the troublesome northern zone.

Heretofore, the communists have considered this territory their special domain, and until Chiang Kai-shek's troops set foot upon it after disembarking from U. S. vessels, no nationalist forces had ever challenged Red control there. While the communists withdrew in the face of nationalist landings at Chinwangtao, they remained active to the west, cutting rail routes over which Chiang could deploy his armies.

With the U. S. supporting the nationalists and the Russians having recently promised to keep hands off of Chinese politics, Chiang has enjoyed every advantage in his effort to extend his domination over the country. While his representatives have haggled with the Reds over terms in Chungking, Chiang has cleverly pressed his edge in the north.

Meanwhile, natives of the East Indies, led by President Soekarno of their recently established republic, looked to conferences with Allied authorities to clear their claims for independence. Strongly organized early this year when the fortunes of their Jap conquerors began falling, the Indonesians presently represent a formidable trouble-making force hoping to browbeat the Dutch into terms.



President Soekarno

The Mr. Big of the independence movement, Soekarno was kept busy trying to quell Indonesian hot-heads whose outbreaks threatened his control of the situation and promised to weaken his hands in dealing with the Dutch.

WAGE POLICY: Labor Sees Gain

Though President Truman left the way for reconversion wage settlements up to the collective bargaining of employers and unions, labor looked to the administration program to pave the way for substantial pay increases within the stabilization structure.

By appealing for maintenance of high wartime "take-home" pay, and declaring business well able to absorb the added costs, or eligible for moderate price increases, Mr. Truman was seen to apply pressure on management at a time when attention is being focused on the all-important wage negotiations in the automobile, oil and steel industries.

In enunciating his reconversion wage policy to a radio audience estimated at 32,000,000, the President did so only after administration consultations with both big business and labor leaders. As a result of one of these conferences with Henry Ford II, government officials expressed confidence a satisfactory settlement could be arranged in the

company's plants, setting an industry-wide pattern.

While the President said industry generally was capable of extending wage increases because of overtime elimination, greater productivity per worker, tax credits for lower earnings and abolition of the excess profits levy, he promised that price boosts would be granted after a trial period if the added costs resulted in operating losses.

Meantime, price rises would be considered in cases where industries raised wages to a full 28 per cent to cover added living costs since January, 1941; boosted pay to iron out differences in plants in the same industries or localities, or paid more to attract workers to essential enterprises to speed up reconversion.

With the government's wage policy established, representatives of management and labor met in Washington, D. C., to establish machinery for settling differences.

AGRICULTURE: 1946 Prospects

Though the government intends no leveling off of over-all production next year and demand for food should remain high, real farm income may drop as much as 15 per cent during 1946 in reflecting increases in some prices of what farmers buy, the department of agriculture predicted.

Despite a 15 per cent drop in real income—that is, what income will actually buy in goods, etc.—it will still remain double the prewar average, the department reported. However, any kind of a decrease would be the first since 1935.

Predictions of a drop in real income for 1946 followed reports that the government would soon outline production goals for next year, asking for maintenance of present livestock and hog marketings and wheat and corn acreage; increased plantings of cotton and sugar beets, and sharp cuts for eggs and chickens and oil bearing crops. Milk and potatoes would be scheduled for small reductions.

FUEHRER'S END: Died With Eva

Answering repeated rumors of Hitler's escape from Berlin, British intelligence declared that an exhaustive investigation had indicated that the fuhrer had shot himself in the bunker of the reichchancellery on April 30 and his consort, Eva Braun, had followed him in death by taking poison.

Though broken in health, Hitler remained alert in mind to the end, the British found, and even held hopes for a successful defense of Berlin after his decision to remain in the capital on April 22 and abandon plans for a last-ditch stand in the Bavarian mountain redoubt. When the Russians continued to hammer forward, however, hope faded and Hitler and his mistress were married on April 29, climaxing a long, secret relationship.

Bidding his personal followers in the reichchancellery goodbye the next day, Hitler then shot himself through the mouth while his mate took poison, the British said. Per the fuhrer's last orders, Propaganda Minister Goebbels and Deputy Leader Bormann then saturated the bodies with gasoline and burned them beyond recognition. It is also believed that the remains may have been further broken up and then buried.

Warn of Traffic Hazards

As chairman of the National Safety council's committee on winter driving hazards, made up of 30 experts in fields of traffic and transportation, Prof. Ralph A. Moyer of Iowa State college warned that the coming snow and ice season may cause one of the worst "traffic accident winters" in history.

With a study of recent years showing traffic accident death rates for 36 northern states 24 to 53 per cent higher in the winter than in the summer months, Moyer said, the combination of more and older cars, more gas, and more "restraint weary" drivers may result in the worst season in history. Drivers in snow belt states must consider dangerous road conditions and should immediately check their brakes, tire chains, windshield wipers, defrosters, and headlights.

Concerning future auto and truck models, Professor Moyer said manufacturers are giving more consideration to safety and practical fender styling for easier installation of anti-skid chains without impairing streamlining. New windshield and window designs, defrosters and headlights also improve winter visibility.

GERMANY: Foresee Trouble

Because of widespread unemployment, food and fuel shortages and murder and looting by displaced persons, serious outbreaks may occur in Germany over the winter, General Dwight D. Eisenhower reported.

Eisenhower's statement followed disclosure of a survey that the Germans generally had praise for the occupation of the British, were irked by seeming American indifference to conditions and fostered a deep hatred for the Russians. The statement also came on top of demands in some circles that the Allies lay down a clear-cut economic policy for Germany so that normal activity may be restored to relieve the widespread chaos.

German youths and returned soldiers presently constitute the largest trouble-making element, Eisenhower said, with much of their ire directed against frauleins fraternizing with Allied troops and displaced persons. Such discontent could well lead to organized resistance against occupation forces, Eisenhower warned.

On Road to Life



As a result of latest medical wonder, 7-month-old Sandra Evans of Los Angeles, Calif., may soon be cured of formerly fatal cystic pancreatic disease, doctors say. Whereas tiny Sandra was not expected to live beyond half-year, physicians predicted complete recovery after treatment under plexi-glass, requiring inhalation of vaporized penicillin diluted in saline solution.

JAP NAVY: Remnants Doomed

Once proud possessor of the imperial fleet, Japan will be reduced to zero as a sea power following Allied plans for the destruction of Nippon's remaining capital ships and the division of the smaller craft and auxiliaries.

Because differences in design prevent their efficient use by the U. S., Britain, Russia and China, one battleship, four cruisers, four aircraft carriers and 51 submarines will be sent to the bottom, with the battleship expected to serve as a target for an atomic bombing test. Indicative of the differences of bigger Jap warships, space between decks is 6 inches shorter than in other navies, thus cramping their use by taller people.

Some 38 destroyers built according to usable specifications will be divided among the Big Four along with coastal and auxiliary vessels. In constructing their destroyers, it was learned, the wily Nipponese solicited plans from shipbuilders, copied them and then returned them as unsatisfactory, escaping payment for their use.

Seemed the Ultimate in Landlubber's Paradise

A group of bluejackets were discussing their dislike for ships, boats and all bodies of water, salt or fresh. They spoke of their personal postwar plans, and each tried to outdo the others in his vows to obliterate every vestige of the navy from memory. At last one boy voiced a plan that seemed to top them all.

"After the war I'm going to put a pair of oars on my shoulder and start walking inland," he said. "And the first place I come to where people ask, 'What are those things?'—that's where I'm going to live!"

THE CHEERFUL CHERUB

I wouldn't be a subway train And never get to see the sun. I'd be an elevated train— I think they have a lot more fun.



WNU Features.

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If you are run down—because you're not getting all the A & D Vitamins you need—start taking Scott's Emulsion to promptly help bring back energy and stamina and build resistance. Good-tasting Scott's is rich in natural A & D Vitamins and energy-building, natural oil. Buy today! All drugists.



SCOTT'S EMULSION YEAR-ROUND TONIC

NOW IRONING IS A JOY, NOT A JOB

IUKA, MISSISSIPPI.—Mrs. Florence Solomon has discovered a wonderful relief for "ironing day blues." Here is what she said about it to Faultless Starch recently:

"I used to dread ironing day so much, but after I began using Faultless Starch, ironing is a pleasure instead of a dread."

Do you dread ironing day, too? If you have to iron with a "sticky" iron, no wonder! Your arms get tired, your back aches, your neck aches, your legs ache. It's mighty hard work to iron when the iron sticks at the end of each stroke.

But you don't HAVE to iron with a "sticky" iron. Just change to Faultless Starch and iron with a smooth, slick iron that just flies along!

AMAZING EASY IRONING There's a simple reason why Faultless Starch makes ironing easy. You see, it is made a special way. One of the special things about Faultless Starch is that it contains ironing-aids, already mixed in, that make it easy to do smooth, beautiful ironing. No more "sticky" iron!

EASY TO MAKE THIS STARCH But that isn't all. You know how busy you are on washday. Then you have to stop and take out ten or fifteen minutes to make hot starch. But not when you use Faultless Starch! You make Faultless Starch in barely a minute—NO COOKING! Just cream it with a little cool water, add boiling water while stirring and presto! you're through! Start to starch! You deserve the wonderful advantages of Faultless Starch. NO COOKING! NO "STICKY" IRON! So ask your grocer for Faultless Starch. Give all your wash that absolutely faultless look!—Adv.

Advertisement for 'NR TO-NIGHT' laxative, described as 'tomorrow alright' and 'all-vegetable laxative'.

Read the Ads

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.

DOAN'S PILLS

SNAPPY FACTS about RUBBER



The 24 million American passenger automobiles that survived the war need 50 million new tires, according to Government estimates.

New passenger tires will continue to be all-synthetic for some time to come.

It takes 450 rubber trees and two men a year, working full time, to produce a ton of natural rubber.

The work of inscribing names on headstones has been made easier by development of a rubber sandblast stencil sheet.

The first commercial application of B. F. Goodrich Company's "Toralastic" rubber spring is in 1,000 twin-coach buses to be produced this year.

By Ross Manning

Advertisement for B.F. Goodrich tires, featuring the slogan 'Move miles with B.F. Goodrich FIRST IN RUBBER'.

DON'T BE A SLAVE TO CONSTIPATION

Do As Millions Do—Eat KELLOGG'S ALL-BRAN For Lasting Relief

Constipated? Using harsh laxative drugs? Millions have solved the problem of constipation due to lack of bulk in the diet. They eat a daily dish of KELLOGG'S ALL-BRAN, and drink plenty of water for regular elimination!

ALL-BRAN'S not a purgative. Provides gentle bulk to aid normal, natural elimination. It's a great, naturally regulating food.

Even Richer in Nutrition Than Whole Wheat! Because it's made from the vital outer layers of wheat, in which whole-wheat protective food elements are concentrated. One ounce of KELLOGG'S ALL-BRAN provides more than 1/3 your daily iron need—to help make good, red blood. Calcium and phosphorus—to help build bones and teeth. Whole-grain vitamins—to help guard against deficiencies. Protein—to help build body tissue essential for growth.

Get ALL-BRAN at your grocer's. Made by Kellogg's of Battle Creek and Omaha.

Advertisement for '666 COLD PREPARATIONS' including liquid, tablets, salve, and nose drops.

WOMEN '38 to '52' are you embarrassed by HOT FLASHES?

If you suffer from hot flashes, feel weak, nervous, highstrung, a bit blue at times—due to the functional "middle-age" period peculiar to women—try this great medicine—Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to relieve such symptoms. Pinkham's Compound HELPS NATURE. It's one of the best known medicines for this purpose. Follow label directions.

Stop
Shop
Save



Corn Flakes
Kellogg's
11 ounce pkg. **9c**

Cocoamalt, 1-lb. can 39c

Chili Sauce, Libby's, 12 ounces 25c
PEAS, Bagley, Garden Run, No. 2 can 15c
PEACH HALVES, Libby, No. 2½ size can 27c
PEAR HALVES, Libby's, No. 2½ size can 37c
APRICOT HALVES, Libby's, No. 2½ can 29c
FRUIT COCKTAIL, Libby, No. 2½ size can 33c
PEACHES, Y. C., Libby, sliced, No. 2 can 27c
CHERRIES, R. A., Libby, No. 2½ glass 43c
Amaryllis Flour - 25 pound sack 1.15

You'll Always Find Dollar Stretchers At M - System Stores

Dates, Board Pack 14oz. pkg. 62c

Apples, extra choice ^{1 pound} cello 49c

Dates, All Purpose ^{16 oz.} pkg. 53c

Raisins, Fruit Cake, 15-oz. 19c

Figs, fancy, 1 lb. cello pkg. 37c

Prunes, large, 30-40, 1 lb. cello 17c—2 lb. cello 33c

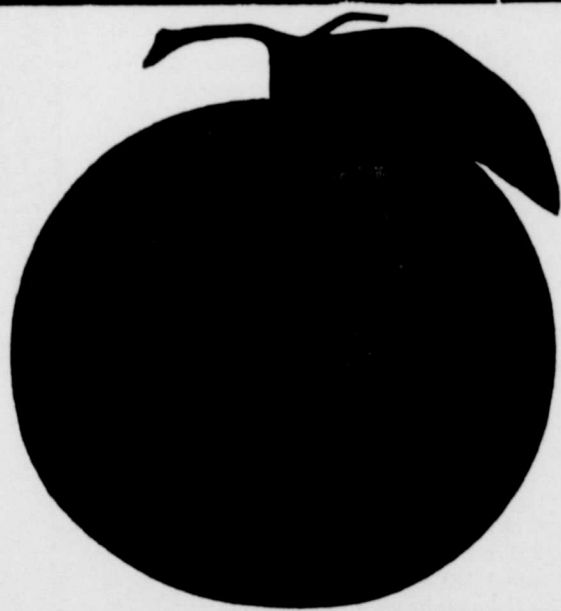
Rice, Extra Fancy Longrain, 1 lb. 17c—2 lb. cello 33c



PEACHES, extra choice, 1 pound cello bag 35c
POPCORN 1 lb. cello bag 15c—2 lb. cello 29c
OATS, 3 Minute, large size 26c—small 12c
COFFEE, Chase & Sanborn, 1 lb. glass 32c
CORN, Nation's Pride - 12 ounce can 14c
MILK, Armour's, large can 9c; small, 2 for 9c
SOAP, Palmolive Bath 10c—Regular size 7c



APPLES 12½c
Washington box
Delicious, pound



Peanuts, New Crop Jumbo Red, Roasted—12-ounce cello bag 27c

Celery, California Pascal, fine for eating. Large assortment.

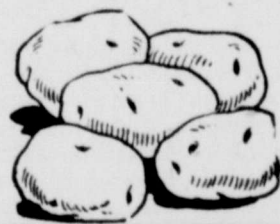
Carrots, fine flavor, bunch 6½c



Cabbage - 3½c
New Mexico, firm heads, lb.

CAULIFLOWER, California - pound - 19c

Potatoes U. S. No. 1 Idaho Russets, the world famous potatoes per pound 4½c
10-pound mesh bag 49c

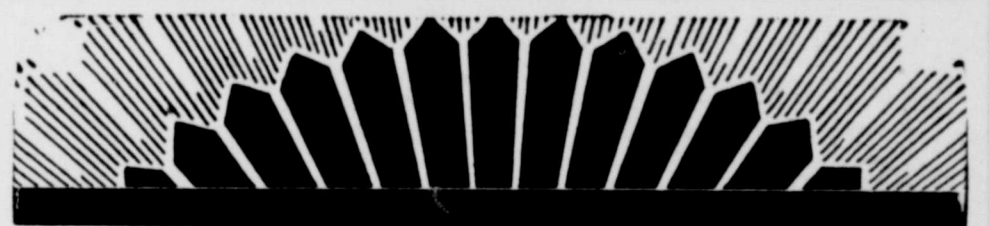


Rhubarb, Calif. Cherry Red, pound 10c

Texas Oranges, Thin Skin, 10-pound mesh bag 55c

Grapefruit, Texas Marsh Seedless, med. size, doz. 49c


Pink Grapefruit, Ruby Red, Plenty to Select From



CHOICE MEATS

T-Bone Steak, lb. 38c

7-Bone Roast, lb. 28c

 Pork Chops, center, lb. 36c
Lunch Meat 29c

Red Bud Oleo, - lb. 19c

Fresh Ground Meat, pound 25c

Summer Sausage, pound 35c

LEMONS - Calif. 23c
SUNKIST, med. size, dozen



SYSTEM STORES



Bring Us Your Cream and Eggs—Top Prices

Johnny Found Soda Pop To Be Highly Potent Stuff

A story is being told about a couple of moonshiners who came out of the mountains of Kentucky to ride on a train for the first time.

Before they got on the train they saw some folks drinking soda pop. Being thirsty, they decided to buy a couple of bottles of the beverage.

When the train started, one of them pried the cap off the bottle and started to drink the contents just as the train entered a tunnel.

"How is it, Johnny, how is it?" inquired the other.

To which Johnny replied:

"Don't touch it! Don't touch it! It's made me blind already!"

CLASSIFIED DEPARTMENT

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WANTED—MEN WHO CAN Nail frames and shelving Assemble plain cabinets Operate ordinary power saws and jointers.

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SALESMEN call on business, professional men with quick, easy seller they all need. Workers earn big money. National Tax Service, 111 W. Jackson, Chicago 4, Ill.

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BUTTONHOLE WORKER — Brand new, \$10.75. Instructions for SINGER SEWING MACHINES. Specify side or back attachment screw. Send \$1.00 to Federal Mfg. Co., Box 7506, Philadelphia 1, Pa.

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HOLIDAY GIFT PACKAGES. Marshseedless Grapefruit, Oranges, Pink Grapefruit or mixed. \$4.90 bus. \$2.90 half bus. Tangerines half bus. \$3.50. Prepaid express. G. L. Stroman, Route 1, Box 153, Mission, Texas.

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CREOMULSION for Coughs, Chest Colds, Bronchitis

PERSONALIZE YOUR LINENS. Make your pillowcases, towels, sheets or cloths "conversational pieces" that reflect your own artistic personality.

IS GETTING UP NIGHTS GETTING YOU DOWN?

Thousands say famous doctor's discovery gives blessed relief from irritation of the bladder caused by excess acidity in the urine

Why suffer needlessly from backaches, run-down feeling from excess acidity in the urine? Just try DR. KILMER'S SWAMP ROOT, the renowned herbal medicine.

Washington Digest

Fundamentals Needed In Postwar Education

Courses Must Be Centered Around Core of Subjects Stressing Human Relations; Physical Build-up Also Important.

By BAUKHAGE News Analyst and Commentator.

WNU Service, 1616 Eye Street, N.W., Washington, D. C.

(This is the second of two articles on the "new reconversion," this one in education.)

In a previous column I laid before you the vital need of reconverting our educational system if America is going to meet the challenge of other ideologies to the faith in our democratic institutions.

I took you into the office of Commissioner of Education John Studebaker who pointed out to me how reconverting educationally is as important as reconverting industrially if we are going to meet the problems of the day.

When you talk about making this core available to all, that is not the complete picture. Men like Doctor Studebaker would have this group of basic studies required of all student, not just made available to them.

Too many students have been coming out of our institutions of learning without a basic concept of what our democracy is all about, say the educators who are crying for reconversion.

Education Vital Force in State

It is a well-known fact that before the Nazis ever dreamed of world conquest they first restrained by force, those who were too old or too wise to accept Nazi indoctrination.

Democracy and Christian principles once instilled can produce just as strong a loyalty, just as enduring a faith, but there is a minimum of instruction in their true meaning that must be made available to everyone—more than that, that should be required study of everyone who would be a good citizen.

And so Doctor Studebaker presents the idea of a "core" around which can be built an understanding of the whole democratic system; how its parts can be fitted into one another and into a world which must either be closely integrated or explosively antagonistic.

There is not space here to consider the details of the composition of this core. Two examples of the type of studies which Doctor Studebaker feels are essential, and which must be taught much more comprehensively and for a longer period than they are now, was given in the first article.



Showing Something New, Something Old



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Household Hints

A whetstone does its best work when it is as level as new. When stones are either worn or slightly gouged, level them by grinding on a level concrete surface, using some pressure and a circular motion. Use plenty of soft water.

To waterproof rope so it will last longer, treat it with a tar and tallow mixture. Add 20 per cent tallow to the tar and melt both materials so they will spread over the rope easily, using an old paintbrush. The rope will also be more pliable.

To wash galoshes put in washer after washing is finished and wash them about five minutes. Rinse well and put to dry in a warm but not hot place. They will be as clean and nice as when new.

If you try to keep tin shiny you won't have a shine or the tin. The thin coating comes off and leaves the metal open to rust.

When storing empty fruit jars, replace lids to keep tops of jars smooth and free from nicks.

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Man Hunted for 15 Years Is 'Glad' To Stand Trial

Modern Jean Valjean, Under Indictment for Murder, Gives Self Up.

NORWALK, OHIO. — Charles Mitchell, alias Colergo Micciuli, has decided that a man just can't live with a troubled conscience.

This modern Jean Valjean, under an indictment for first-degree murder for 15 years, voluntarily surrendered to authorities recently in order, he said, to stand trial and clear his name in the fatal shooting of Mrs. John Rupino at nearby Bellevue on Christmas day, 1926.

Mitchell, a former railway section worker and resident of Bellevue at the time of the shooting, visited relatives in that city recently and while there gave himself up to K. P. Fox, Bellevue lawyer.

Fox brought Mitchell to Norwalk where the latter pleaded not guilty when arraigned before Common Pleas Judge Edgar G. Martin.

Almost Forgotten.

The case had been almost forgotten by the residents of Bellevue, city of 6,100 on the Huron-Sandusky county line west of here, when Mitchell surrendered after his long torment of conscience.

Records disclosed that the shooting followed a series of quarrels. Officials, declared that Mitchell, along with Mr. and Mrs. John Rupino and others, were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Biaggio Castrovino on the evening before Christmas, 1926. It was at this time that bitter words were heard.

On the following day, Mitchell, intending to apologize for what he had said in the altercation, went to the Rupino home, according to his account. His good will call led to another quarrel and a fight, in which he asserted that he was knocked down and given a black eye.

He then left the house but later returned; the argument was resumed, a gun was drawn and three bullets struck Mrs. Rupino. She died a week later in Bellevue hospital.

His Version Different.

Mitchell was accused of carrying a gun and firing the fatal shots but his version of the story was that Mrs. Rupino threatened him with the revolver and that she was shot in the struggle when he tried to wrest it from her grasp.

A Huron county grand jury returned a first-degree murder indictment against Mitchell and county commissioners later posted a \$200 reward for his capture.

The prosecutor in charge of the grand jury at the time of Mitchell's indictment was E. G. Martin, the judge before whom he was arraigned.

In his cell in the Huron county jail, Mitchell appeared to be more relieved than apprehensive at the prospect of going on trial.

He admitted that, after 15 years as a fugitive, he was glad of the opportunity to get the case cleared up and said he was confident he would win acquittal.

Mitchell, a small man, weighing about 130 pounds, is 55.

After the shooting, he said, he roamed about Ohio, doing odd jobs for a few years, finally coming to a stop in Youngstown several years ago after getting a job in a dry cleaning establishment. In that time he never had met any former friends or associates he had known in Bellevue.

Tuberculosis Deaths in Reich and Britain Soar

PHILADELPHIA. — Tuberculosis deaths in both England and Germany have greatly increased since the start of the war, according to Dr. Bruce H. Douglas, president of the National Tuberculosis association. Dr. Douglas estimated that the rate of increase was about 13 per cent among men and 7 per cent among the women of Great Britain.

The Mayor Of Edith Says



After all, horseshoe sense is just stable thinking.

Nearly Frozen, Woman Tells of Four-Day Plight

Abandons Stalled Car and Suffers Agonies Until Rescued by Posse.

WINSLOW, ARIZ.—Mrs. Frances Bigus, 63, of Chicago, told how she had tramped for four days over snow drifts and rocks in the rugged Mongollom Rim country after she had abandoned her stalled automobile.

Part of the time she walked barefoot in spite of the cold. Once she fell into the cold waters of a creek. Lightly clad, she kept walking as much as she could to avoid freezing.

A sheriff's posse had searched for Mrs. Bigus for three days before she was found in a cabin near Lost Eden by Jack Dillingham, a ranch caretaker. She had been walking in circles, covering perhaps 60 miles, in the rough, sparsely populated country.

Mrs. Bigus was en route from her Melrose Park, Ill., home to Mexico City on a vacation trip, accompanied by her daughter, Ann Bigus, 30, and her sister, Miss Bess Pruzinski, 40. They set out for Roosevelt dam on a side trip and their automobile stalled in a snowdrift.

Daughter Is Safe.

Miss Bigus started for help and reached safety. Miss Pruzinski followed her later. Then Mrs. Bigus tried to follow and became lost. She was gone when the posse sent by her daughter found the car.

After being found 21 miles from the automobile, Mrs. Bigus was brought to the Winslow hospital to rest.

She told this story from her hospital bed:

"I will get well," she said. "I don't feel sick, but my feet hurt. If I get a good rest I will feel fresh tomorrow."

"After my sister left the stalled car, I decided to start after her. A few minutes later I found I couldn't catch her and then I knew I was lost. I started shouting, but no one could hear me. All night I walked, fearing if I stopped I would freeze to death."

"On the second day I fell into a creek in a canyon when attempting to cross it on rocks. I got wet to my waist and lay down in the sun to let my clothing dry."

Stockings Wear Down.

"My feet became badly swollen and I took off my shoes, carrying them over my shoulder. When my stockings wore out I tried to cover my feet by pulling down the stockings."

"I tried to find boards to tie to my feet, but couldn't. Miles and miles I must have walked, sleeping at night against piles of rocks or logs, filling in the bed with pine needles and branches. I let down my long, gray hair to keep my face warm."

"I even took off my girdle and used it to wrap my feet. All I had on was a polka dot silk dress and red sweater. Sometimes I imagined I saw a house or a town or people, but each time it proved to be only a mirage in the snow."

"I shouted until I was hoarse. There were two snowstorms and the wind was biting cold. I lost all track of time."

"Yesterday morning I saw a cabin in the distance. I hurried toward it, knocked on the door, but nobody answered. So I broke open the door and walked in."

After her rescue she said, "everyone has been wonderful to me."

Mrs. Bigus said she had followed drift fences and canyons sometimes patches of road from which the snow had blown, to keep from freezing by staying in motion.

The Mongollom Rim country overlooks the Tonto Basin, made famous by the novels of Zane Grey.

High School Boy Sues Parents for Support

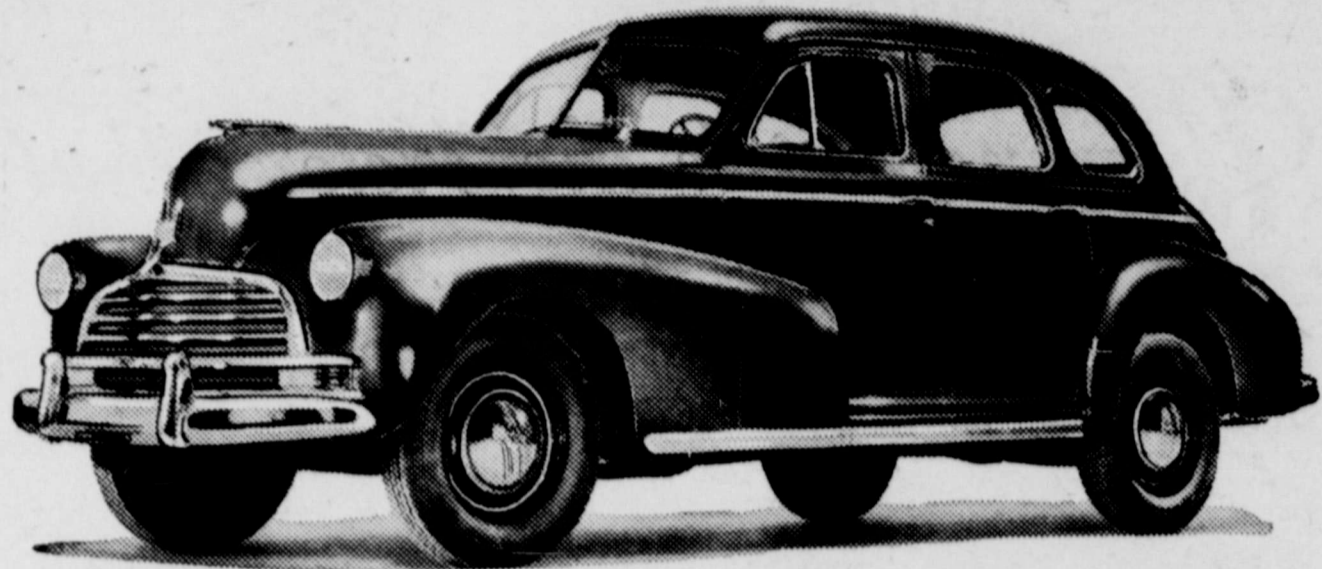
LOS ANGELES. — A 16-year-old boy, charging that he was forced to depend on the charity of friends for food and shelter, has sued his parents, seeking to compel them to pay him \$75 a month for his support and education.

He is William Jay Lindburg of nearby Huntington Park, who also asks that he be declared independent of the control of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver F. Lindburg, who are estranged.

The youth said he has lost confidence in his parents, who have been cited in the suit to show cause why they should not support him.

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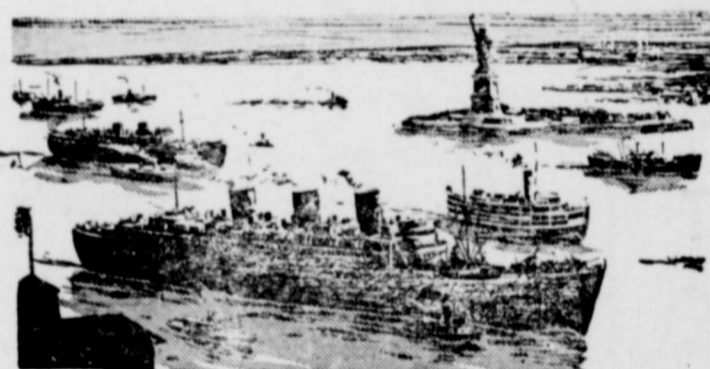


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THE STORY THUS FAR: Lt. Andy Blake and his wife, Arab, discovered evidence of a spy ring headed by a Mr. Jones. They went to Andy's home, knowing that Jones would follow. Renee, Jones' agent, came through the window and was captured by Andy and Arab. Arab in trying to escape, was captured by Jones. When Jones broke into the cellar he took Renee, but left Andy, believing him dead. Andy went to his superior and reported all the facts. He then rushed to a service station, friendly to Jones, tied up the operator. Before he could get away a car with friends of Jones drove up. They made Andy get in with them. He had got word through to Intelligence, but not in time.

CHAPTER XIV

"Keep the change," I said, handing the coins back to her and gripping her hand hard. Her mouth closed limply. She looked at me in wonder but didn't speak. I had almost been spraining my eyes trying to give her a warning.

We went back to the car, and the driver said, "Got dough, have you? What else you got in your pockets?" They gave me a fast cleaning, found a ten-dollar bill, a quarter, my pencil, a watch and a handkerchief. They let me keep the handkerchief. There was nothing suspicious for them to find. My dog tags were in a corner of the garage back near Washington, and my A.G.O. card was in my blouse also back in the garage.

We headed north, circled Camden, and swung east. Route signs announced: Lakehurst, Toms River, Lakewood, Barnegat, Manahawkin, Beach Haven. It didn't pay for me to make quick moves now. When I reached suddenly for my handkerchief to catch a sneeze, a big hand locked my wrist. The guy was fast. I sneezed and told him what I wanted and he released his grip. A half-hour later the same move brought me a clip on the jaw and a growled order to sit still. They were getting jumpy as they neared the hangout.

Two miles farther on we swung over to the bay, and stopped. There was nothing interesting to be seen except a small shack and a dock that weaved tipsily out into the bay. The driver patted a tune on the horn. A man came out of the shack, peered doubtfully at us.

"Take a good look, Pop," the driver snarled. "You better make sure I got the same number of whiskers I had last time or I might be a different guy."

"I know you," the man said, "and I know your friend back there, but I don't know that feller in the corner of the back seat."

"He's our business, Pop," the driver snarled. "You better make sure I got the same number of whiskers I had last time or I might be a different guy."

"We got a reason. Where's the garvey?"

"It ain't here. Nobody was lookin' for you to come."

"So it ain't here. So nobody was lookin' for us to come. Get it back here!"

"Now, wait a minute," the man said. "This ain't rum-runnin' in twenty-nine. They's patrols on the beach and maybe a cutter lyin' off the inlet. You diddle around with flashlights and you'll be combin' thirty-caliber slugs outta your hair. It ain't healthy to signal at night."

"What are we supposed to do, swim? I couldn't make it across a bathtub."

"I got a rowboat. But it's two miles even if you could row straight, which you can't. The way the tide's takin' out you'd have to detour the inlet. You better lay over to morning."

"We got business that won't wait." "Can you handle a sailboat?" "You mean one of them laundry-on-a-raft things?" "I don't guess you can."

I cleared my throat, and said, "I can."

The caretaker and driver looked at me, whispered together for a moment. Then the caretaker said, "What's a centerboard?"

"Centerboard?" I repeated. "That's a keel you can drop to keep a shallow-draft boat from being shoved sideways by the wind. You raise it when you're going over shoals."

"I guess he can sail a boat," the caretaker said. We left the car and walked out along the rickety wharf. An eighteen-foot oversize sneakbox was moored at the end. They ordered me to get it ready, and sat on the dock watching suspiciously while I made sail and fitted rudder and tiller into place. Then the two big men climbed in and huddled down inside the tiny cockpit, leaving the caretaker on the pier. Starlight gleamed on blue steel in their hands. They couldn't have looked much more worried if I had been playing with a bomb.

pared to cast us off. "Wait a minute," I said. "What happens if the Coast Guard spots us?"

"Nobody'll bother you in the bay," he said. "Just don't go outside."

"He won't," one of my pals said. The caretaker shoved us off. I brought in the sheet rope until the sail filled and tugged at my arm. Water chuckled under the hull. We slid out of the tiny cove. The figure of the caretaker, back on the dock, got fuzzy at the edges and faded. I took a deep breath. I felt good for the first time in twenty-four hours. Things were looking up. In a short time I would know the location of the hangout and maybe where to find Arab, and now I wasn't jammed helplessly in a corner of a car. This time it was my party. Lots of interesting things can happen in sailboats.

The man yelled, "Get this thing back on the road!"

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The water was cold but not numbing. I peeled off my shirt. The island where we had been heading seemed to be about a quarter mile away. I angled toward it with a quiet side stroke, going with the tide instead of trying to fight it. I would miss the inlet side of the island, but with luck there would be a return eddy to help me make the ocean side of the beach.

It took less time than I had estimated. The tide set toward the island after boiling through the inlet narrows. And my angled course helped. In a way, I used some of the force of the tide just as the boat had used the wind. I was still fairly fresh when I got into the pound and drag of the breakers. Fresh enough to take a few bruising somersaults and struggle out of the undertow onto a hard-packed beach.

I didn't take time to rest there. The beach was empty. Too empty. There wasn't even much driftwood. The house was only a hundred yards away, and a big dark blob on the beach might make an observer curious. I stumbled across the beach and up a dune. I flattened to the sand, gasping. The breeze chilled my body and the sharp beach grass stung my face, but gradually a little strength seeped back into my arms and legs. I sat up to study the situation.

A hundred years ago, perhaps, a sand bar had started at the bottom and worked its way up in the world. Not very far up, however. From north to south it was only a few hundred yards long. You could cross its widest part with two or three throws of a clam shell even allowing for the way clam shells curve. Low dunes, protected by a double row of piling stuffed with brush, formed its backbone.

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The place might once have been a sportsmen's club, in the days before civilization caught up with the ducks and strippers and big tide-running weakfish. Judging from what I had heard earlier, the house had been a drop for rum-runners in the twenties. Apparently the ambitious sand bar hadn't done so well recently. It might have moved in better company if it had stayed on the bottom.

I hadn't the slightest idea what to do. My resources consisted of a pair of pinks, wet; one undershirt, wet; one pair of shorts, wet, and one handkerchief, wet. I began to realize what an unusually helpless guy had been carrying the name of Andrew Blake around for thirty-odd years. I wasn't a good enough swimmer to make the mile-wide crossing back to the main island. Of course I could send signals. All I had to do was to spot a Coast Guard cutter and find a flashlight and locate somebody who would give me lessons in international code.

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"There's a dock on the bay side." "How do you boys get away with it?" I said. "Don't nobody ask what you're doin' this time of year?"

One of them grunted, "We're supposed to be fishing. For striped bass. A month ago the chief made me stand on the beach all day with a lousy pole and hunk of string."

I said innocently, "If you two guys would sit up here with me we wouldn't tilt so much."

"Not me. That boom's too much like a blackjack when it comes over."

"Maybe you're right," I said. Under cover of the darkness I looped the sheet rope around a cleat beside me. It was time to give them a final lesson in sailing. A lesson on the danger of jibing a sailboat when the sheet rope can't run free. In a jibe, you turn the stern into the wind instead of the bow, and the boom thunders across with the full leverage of the wind behind it.

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The big men ducked their heads. They didn't see that the stern was creeping into the wind instead of the bow . . . and probably it wouldn't have meant anything to them, anyway. We were running before the wind now. Water hissed past. The rudder got sluggish. I jammed it hard over. A little more . . . a little . . . more . . .

The taut sail crumpled for an instant. Then it belled the other way, flitted across the boat like the beat of a giant wing. I dodged the battle-axe sweep of the boom. In the next split second the sheet rope snubbed the boom up short. The sail flapped tight, bellowing like a gun fired in a barrel. The power behind it switched to cleat and mast and hull. Wood shrieked and cracked. I half started a dive overside when the boat reared and flipped me out sprawling.

For a few seconds everything was scrambled. Water slapped half the air out of my lungs. I went down, fighting the drag of sweater and pants and shoes. Sparks were flickering in my head before I clawed back to the surface. I gulped air twice, let myself go under and wrestled out of the sweater. It wasn't so hard to climb to the surface this time. After a few breaths I curled under to work on my shoes. The laces turned into angry little snakes, but I finally managed to loosen them and to kick off the shoes. Then I relaxed, treading water, and let the tide carry me along.

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I hadn't the slightest idea what to do. My resources consisted of a pair of pinks, wet; one undershirt, wet; one pair of shorts, wet, and one handkerchief, wet. I began to realize what an unusually helpless guy had been carrying the name of Andrew Blake around for thirty-odd years. I wasn't a good enough swimmer to make the mile-wide crossing back to the main island. Of course I could send signals. All I had to do was to spot a Coast Guard cutter and find a flashlight and locate somebody who would give me lessons in international code.

"There's a dock on the bay side." "How do you boys get away with it?" I said. "Don't nobody ask what you're doin' this time of year?"

One of them grunted, "We're supposed to be fishing. For striped bass. A month ago the chief made me stand on the beach all day with a lousy pole and hunk of string."

I said innocently, "If you two guys would sit up here with me we wouldn't tilt so much."

"Not me. That boom's too much like a blackjack when it comes over."

"Maybe you're right," I said. Under cover of the darkness I looped the sheet rope around a cleat beside me. It was time to give them a final lesson in sailing. A lesson on the danger of jibing a sailboat when the sheet rope can't run free. In a jibe, you turn the stern into the wind instead of the bow, and the boom thunders across with the full leverage of the wind behind it.

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Jibing is a racing trick and nothing to fool with even in a mild breeze. "Going about," I droned. "Hard-a-lee!"

The big men ducked their heads. They didn't see that the stern was creeping into the wind instead of the bow . . . and probably it wouldn't have meant anything to them, anyway. We were running before the wind now. Water hissed past. The rudder got sluggish. I jammed it hard over. A little more . . . a little . . . more . . .

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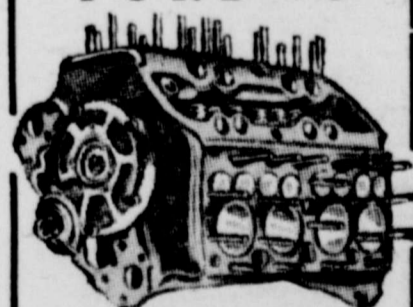
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Early Day Items From Files Of The Coke County Rustler, May 9, 1896

The Shah of Persia was assassinated at Teheran May 1.

Wool is selling at 5 1-2c a pound at Colorado City.

A. B. Robertson of Colorado has sold to J. T. Davis of Waco his entire land interest in this county, 9425 acres at \$1 per acre. This land is the greater portion of the McKenzie pasture and is one of the best tracts in Sterling county. —Sterling City News.

Charley Bird of Sanco passed through last Friday on his way to Bosque county where he has relatives.

Jim Burroughs moved into the B. F. Montgomery residence yesterday.

M. H. Davis added a gallery and otherwise improved his residence this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Buchanan's little daughter, Ethel took the measles Tuesday.

Dr. Tolliver bought the B. F. Montgomery stock of groceries this week.

R. P. Perry has rented the livery stable to Ed Good.

G. W. Webb has rented the B.

F. Montgomery business house south of the post office and will put in a stock of groceries.

John Knight says he has not slept good of late for studying about what to do about that immense crop of corn he is raising.

G. C. Lasswell of Sanco was trading in town Tuesday.

Billy Collyns bought of Wm. Childress and Walter Harris 820 head of cattle at the following prices: Yearling heifers, \$6; 2 year old heifers, \$9; steer yearlings, \$10; cows, \$13. He bought from O'Daoiel Bros., Bronte, 400 yearlings at \$10.50.

The Silver mail carrier, J. W. Tunnell informs us quite a good rain fell Saturday from Sanco to Silver. At Silver there was a heavy hail storm.

Those in town who have measles or whooping cough are said to be doing well.

Thursday evening a committee composed J. W. Reed, J. E. Stewart and Ed Mobley received bids for the building of the M. E. Church South at Robert Lee. Only two bids were received. They were from J. H. Burroughs, and J. W. Tunnell and J. A. Green. Both bids were a tie, and the committee thought both bids were too high, rejecting both. Bids will be received again Monday night. By request we do not give the amount of bids submitted.

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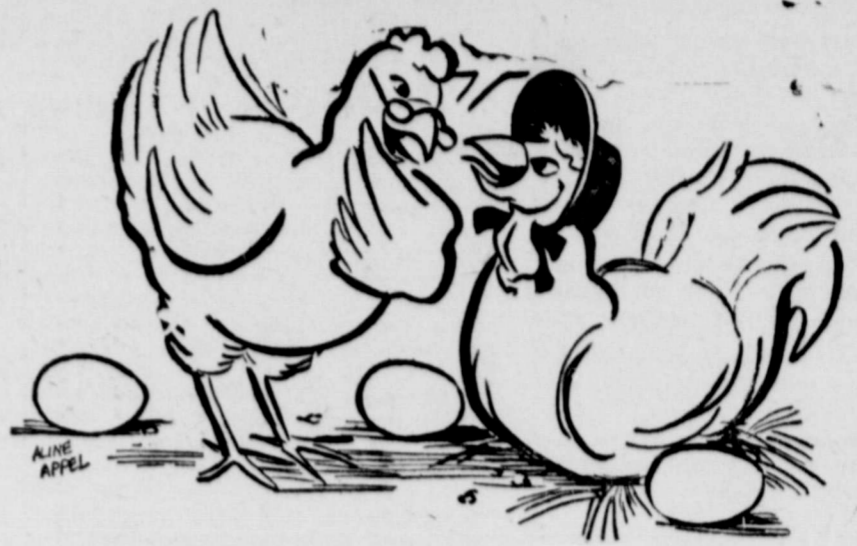
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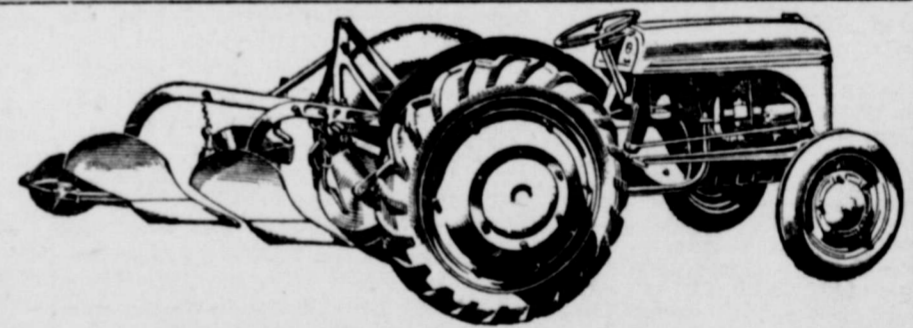
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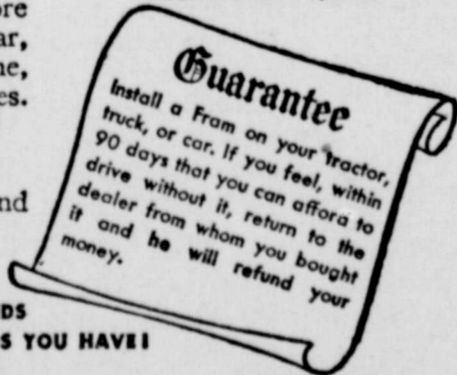
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Lesson for November 18

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THE OUTREACH OF THE CHURCH

LESSON TEXT: Acts 11:21-30; 12:24, 25, 13:1-4.
GOLDEN TEXT: And He said unto them, Go ye into all the world, and preach the gospel to every creature.—Mark 16:15.

A church that is spiritually alive will be missionary-minded. What seemed like unfortunate persecution of the early Church (Acts 8:4; 11:19) proved to be a blessing, for like flying embers from a beaten fire, these believers lighted many new fires as they were scattered abroad. The ministry by Philip in Samaria was paralleled by that of others in Phenice, Cyprus, and now in Antioch. That great city was not far from Jerusalem, but it was far from God. A mighty city, rich in trade, it was also deep in all kinds of sin. But there it pleased God to establish a great center of Christian testimony. God loves to do new things (see, for example, II Cor. 5:17; Isa. 43:19; Ps. 33:3; Rev. 21:5).

I. A New Fellowship (11:21-25).

The Antioch church was a living witness. "The hand of the Lord was with them"; little wonder that "a great number believed and were turned to the Lord." Your church and mine might learn much from the church at Antioch.

When the church at Jerusalem heard the good news, they sent Barnabas to help the new converts and to establish fellowship.

He was the ideal man to send, for "he was a good man." It is far more important that a man be good than that he be brilliant if he is to edify young converts. He was 'full of the Holy Ghost.' He was also 'full of faith,' and without that no man need undertake the work of instructing and developing young converts. He was free from the love of gold (4:36, 37).

"He was free from personal ambition and jealousy in his work (vv. 25, 26). He was very sharp-eyed to see the sincerity and promise of a young convert (9:27)."

Into this new fellowship of life and service the gracious and generous Barnabas brought a new evangelist—Saul, God's prepared man for this hour.

II. A New Name (11:26-30).

Christian, the beautiful name of those who follow Christ, was first used at Antioch. It may have held a measure of contempt (see Acts 26:28; I Pet. 4:16), but it was a remarkably suitable name for those who had come out of paganism now to live, amid their old surroundings, a new life, a separated life, the Christ life.

This name "combines Jewish thought with Greek and Latin language, and thus, like the inscription on the cross, bears witness to the universality of Christianity as a religion for the whole world. The idea of 'Christ' (Messiah) is Jewish; the substantive 'Christ' (Christos) is Greek, and the adjectival termination 'ian' (-ianus) is Latin. . . .

Those believers at Antioch not only bore the name, they practiced the life of Christ. They gave of their means, "every man according to his abilities," to meet the need of their new-found Jewish brethren in Judea.

III. A New Vision (12:24, 25; 13:1-4).

Little wonder that in such a church "the word of God grew and multiplied" (cf. 11:21). But the believers were not content to settle back at ease and enjoy that fellowship. Their precious church was simply the center from which they reached out to the heathen world around them.

Every army must have a home base. Just so, the army of the Lord looks to the home church, the local gathering of God's people. An army would fail if those at the base of its action were asleep, or so interested in the pleasures of this world, or so indifferent to their responsibility, that they would not work hard in support of the active army. So the cause of Christian missions cannot go ahead if it must depend on a home church which is spiritually asleep, indolent, indifferent, and worldly-minded.

The church at Antioch prayed and fasted. It ministered the Word of God. It was responsive to the guidance of the Holy Spirit and ready to sacrifice by giving its leaders to the missionary cause. Is your church that kind of church?

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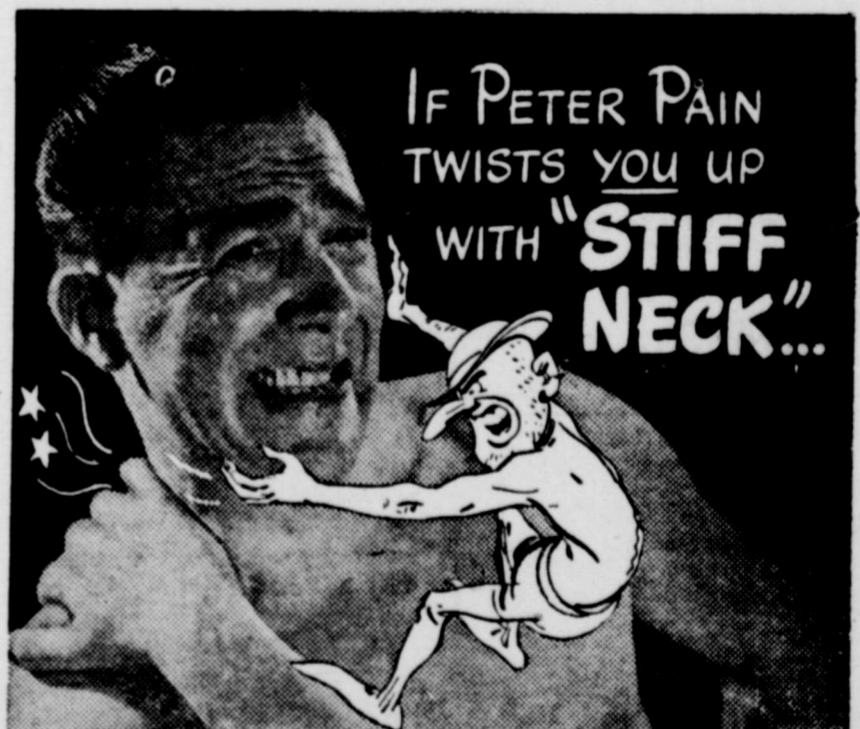
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Mr. and Mrs. Jewell Moore were here from Colorado City Monday, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ramage.

Armistice Day was duly observed in Robert Lee Monday, practically all of the business houses being closed.

Sam Williams, with the U. S. army, is here on furlough for a visit with his mother, Mrs. Mabel Williams.

R. D. Ross is home on furlough from Camp Cook, Neb., for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Ross.

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Marvin Stewart was among Tuesday's visitors in town.

Here last week for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Grant Davis was their nephew, Chief Boatswain Mate George S. Lewis, recruiting officer with the U. S. Coast Guard office in Dallas. He has been in service 19 years and reports that men 17 to 25 are now eligible for enlistment. The new policy also includes a two year enlistment.

While serving, one has the chance to choose from a wide range of trades to learn that may be used to advantage after leaving the service.

Ronnie, little son of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Baker, Saturday suffered an appendicitis attack, but is now improved.

Commissioners Court was in regular session Monday. Routine matters occupied the attention of the county solons.

Elder A. D. Woods will preach at the Primitive Baptist church Friday night, Nov. 23. Everyone invited.

Robt. Ramage, popular M System salesman, is among our new subscribers this week.

Mrs. A. E. Latham was the guest of friends in San Angelo Sunday and Monday.

Chisholm Brown has his bedroll ready, his long range 30-06 tuned up, and will sally forth for the Marfa country Saturday at dawn on his annual search for black tail deer. His brother Nathaniel will accompany him.

George Martin, former popular citizen of Grandoldcoke, but now residing at Thermopolis, Wyo., will henceforth read The Observer each week through the thoughtfulness of his sister, Mrs. G. C. Casey, thereby keeping posted as to the activities of folks here in the Promised Land.

Felix Puett, old home boy, writes us to change his Observer address from San Diego to San Bernardino, Calif. Felix now holds a position as fireman with the Santa Fe.

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Court House News

Coke county deed records reveal that Leo Radde, Divide, has bought his brother Sam's interest in NW 1-4 of Sec. 224, and 580 acres in Sec. 193.

Earl Roberts conveys to Marvin Smith, Lot 7, Block 73, Robert Lee.

F. C. Clark et al, conveyed to R. R. Ash, Bronte, the former G. D. P. Clark place, 323 acres, 6 miles north of Bronte. Consideration \$12,692.00.

C. B. Ott conveys to Looney Lumber Co. part of Lots 1, 2, 3, Block 22, Robert Lee. Consideration \$4500.

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