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Gift Horse

BEFORE we break into buzzahs for the enlightened pa-
 triotism of the United Auto Workers, because of the
 pay concessions they have voted, let's consider the record.
 Exactly what is it that is to be given up—and what does
 the U. A. W. propose to retain? What is the background
 against which the proffer was made?

The union is willing that its members should work 40
 hours a week for the regular pay scale. If, in the effort to
 keep our national plant and equipment producing to
 capacity, this 40-hour basic week must include Sundays
 or holidays, the union will not require six days' pay for
 five days' work. That is concession Number One.

But if overtime actually is worked, the agreement does
 not waive penalty scales, ordinarily at time and a half.
 Rather, it is left that pay for all work over 40 hours a
 week shall be in government bonds.

STRIPPED of all extraneous, this means that the union
 will contract that its members shall purchase govern-
 ment bonds with everything they earn through overtime
 work on war production.

That is a fine, patriotic gesture, worthy of emulation
 by anybody whose income is above the subsistence level.
 For it the delegates representing 534,000 workers deserve
 congratulations, when and if the plan becomes effective.

To the extent that the treasury expects to have difficul-
 ty in marketing enough bonds to finance this war, the U.
 A. W. proposal is valuable. But only to that extent. For
 the effectuation of the plan is not going to save the United
 States a single dollar in the purchase of the materiel of war.

Exactly as many billions will be borrowed, to pay for
 the war, whether the bonds are bought by the U. A. W.
 membership with their overtime pay or by willing sub-
 scribers who know how badly their dollars are needed,
 and don't object to an interest rate rather liberal in these
 days.

It's always good weather when good fellows get to-
 gether—but there's often a storm when they get home.

An eastern doctor would like to have face-lifting ban-
 ned. Wouldn't the ladies' faces fall if that happened?

Spend all your time blowing bubbles and you'll be a
 bust yourself.

The one thing worse than a car that won't start is one
 that won't stop—in time!

Healthful exercise is what a man gets on a golf course
 that he can't possibly get from beating a carpet.

Science has gone far—but the doggone stairs still creak
 at 2:30 a. m.

CIVILIAN DEFENSE GROUP

HORIZONTAL

15 Depicted is
 insignia of the
 U. S. Civilian
 Defense

16 They remove
 bombs that
 — to
 explode.

14 Vex.

15 Tamarisk
 fruit tree.

16 Singing voice.

17 Church part.

18 Exists.

19 Foot (abbr.).

20 Accomplishes.

21 Buried.

22 Carpenter's
 tool (pl.).

23 Symbol for
 selenium.

26 Native of
 (suffix).

29 Compass point

30 Pig pen.

32 At sea.

34 Terriment.

35 Attorney
 (abbr.).

37 Exclamation.

Answer to Previous Puzzle

39 Parent.

40 Uneven.

43 They are part
 of the regular
 — force.

46 Required.

49 Summit.

50 Symbol for
 xenon.

52 Any.

53 Festival.

54 Smooth.

55 Habituate.

57 Enthusiastic
 ardor.

58 Scent.

59 Dogma.

60 Corded fabrics

VERTICAL

1 Mischievous
 child.

2 Part of the
 sting of an
 insect.

3 Fail to hit.

4 Felicitate.

5 Uttered.

6 Quarts (abbr.)
 omission.

7 Prefix.

8 American
 Expeditionary
 Force (abbr.).

9 Delay.

10 Small flat
 loaf.

11 Genus of
 plants.

12 Repeat.

13 Opposed to
 gain.

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24 Indian.

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30 Cunning.

31 Affirmative.

33 Condensed.

36 Mosaic.

37 Head covering.

38 Poem.

39 One who
 mixes.

41 Postpone.

42 Tap again.

43 Pole (Sp.).

44 Light cotton
 fabric.

45 Egress.

47 Mark for
 omission.

48 Lairs.

51 Compass point

52 Land measure

56 One (Fr.).

THIS CURIOUS WORLD By William Ferguson

HOMING PIGEONS,
 DURING THE
FIRST
WORLD WAR,
 DELIVERED
SURELY
 A HIGH-PER-
 CENTAGE OF
 THEIR
 MESSAGES
 THAN DID
HUMAN
RUNNERS
 OR THE
TELEPHONE
SERVICE.

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INDIANS!
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 OWN FROM ROOTS
 OF THE
DESERT
YUCCA.

SYNTAX
 IS NOT A TALK ON SING!
 SAY E. E. WILSON, JR.,
 LEXINGTON, MISSOURI.

Return of the Native



Bible Student Has Found A Passage On Tire Rationing

Authority cited for the inevitability tire conservation is the 18th verse, 3rd chapter of Isaiah, reading:

"In that day the lord will take away the bravery of their tinkling ornaments about their feet and their cast and their round tires, like the moon."

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THE PAY OFF

NEW YORK—Lou Boudreau has this slogan posted in the Cleveland clubhouse: "Have a passion to score, desire to win." The Indians' boy manager has put a limit on card games. The Tribe at any time expects regulations prohibiting laughing after a loss, secrets, and hot dogs, peanuts and smoking while the side is at bat. Reading and lecturing in the bullpen are certain to be barred.

"First thing we know" remarks one of the elder players, "Boudreau will have rules against failing to hit with men on base, making an error and being caught off base."

SECRETS have turned out to be injurious to a ball club.

There was the case of one of the many Cleveland managers of the past warning his men about keeping signs to themselves. There came an afternoon when an Indian who broke for second on a foul ball was asked by a colleague occupying that station what the sign was for a steal. Carrying out orders to the letter, the man on first base refused to tell him. The manager flashed the double steal sign, only to see a lively Indian slide into a stationary one.

"Didn't you get the sign?" stormed the manager to the first runner.

"No, I forgot what it was, and he wouldn't tell me," replied the one who pulled the skull.

"From now on," shouted the manager, "there will be no secrets on this ball club."

SCHOLARLY Moe Berg's dissertations on geography and other subjects in the Red Sox bullpen became a menace.

Nobody would sit on the bench. They all wanted to be in the bullpen. There came the day when Joe Cronin wigwagged for Jack Wilson, and the big right-hander took his time about getting in the box.

"How did you come—via the Panama Canal?" raged Manager Cronin.

"No," said Pitcher Wilson, slowly, "Professor Berg has the class in Russia today, and I had to get a passport."

There is one thing in Boudreau's favor. He has no one on his squad as erudite as Professor Berg.

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INFANTRYMAN A BRONC PEELER
 By United Press
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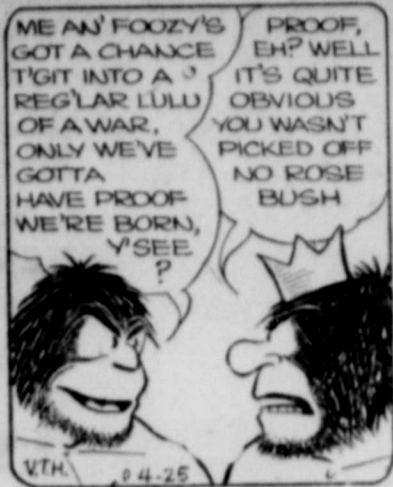
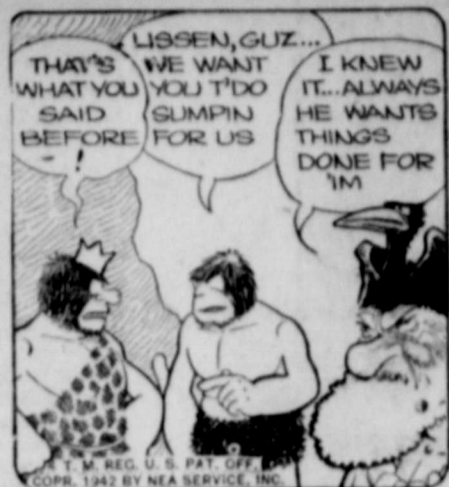
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U. Of T. Law School Now Streamlined

AUSTIN.—The University of Texas Law School this summer will join the growing list of law schools that "streamline" their operations so students may graduate more quickly. Ordinarily, a student at the Texas law school takes three years of college pre-law work and three years in the law school itself—a total of six years. Under a new plan which will go into effect this summer, students with "C" average in 66 hours (two years) of pre-law courses will be admitted to the law school. Summer law school terms have been lengthened a total of two weeks, to provide 14 weeks of summer instruction which will permit a student to enter law school this June and obtain his law degree in June, 1944, cutting a year from the regular time. Harvard, Columbia and other law schools have adopted similar programs, it was said. All departments in the University of Texas are being speeded up, until it is now possible for a student to finish the regular, four-year course

toward a degree in two years and eight months, including summer school.

Even With Less Driving Car Needs

Even if you are driving less by doubling up with your neighbors, you shouldn't skip giving your car a regular check-up. There are a few things you should do every 5,000 miles—normally about seven or eight months of driving for most of us—to make your car last longer, according to the OPA Consumer Division. Have the distributor points checked for cleaning and adjustment. A distributor that has badly adjusted, dirty, or worn points, won't give a good "hot" spark. This makes your engine start hard, run irregularly, and waste gasoline. Have your air cleaner cleaned every 5,000 miles, often if you drive on sandy or dusty roads. Your car's air cleaner, attached to the carburetor, filters air and keeps out particles of dust and metal which might wear the engine more rapidly.

Have your spark plugs cleaned. Dirty and improperly adjusted spark plugs over work the battery and waste gasoline. The plugs need to be replaced unless the insulator—the white porcelain jacket—has been cracked or broken, or unless the points have been so badly corroded that they cannot be properly adjusted.

You can have your spark plugs cleaned and adjusted for a small fee at most service stations, but, if someone in your family likes to putter with the car, he can follow

SERIAL STORY MEXICAN MASQUERADE

BY CECIL CARNES. EXPLOSION! CHAPTER XVII. "IT'S German!" Allan gasped, staring at the swastika on the fuselage of the plane that had machine-gunned Escobar's rurales on shore. He, the officer and Kay had come to their feet to watch events from the doorway of the house. Escobar's face was set and grim. "Yes," he said. "Now I comprehend certain hints I have had from Asia. It is Germany working with this Japanese front! And Asia is the Nazi agent, which accounts for her authority over Watanabe!" He added after a moment: "I fear, senator, we have lost the last trick." "Colonel! Allan! See!" Kay was pointing excitedly to the land pier. "Isn't that Pierre getting into a launch?" "Yes," confirmed Escobar sourly. "The—Vichy-livered Frenchman is going out to greet his German pals!" Apparently De Fontanelle was doing exactly that. His launch was putt-putting toward the piers, he seated in the stern. A panel slid back in the side of the bomber and several heads stuck out, their owners staring at the approaching visitor. When the launch was 20 yards from its goal, a harsh challenge rang out. De Fontanelle stopped his engine promptly and curved away till his craft was floating parallel with the bomber. He stood up, but his back was turned to the plane and he seemed to be looking at the three persons grouped in the doorway of the prison bungalow. He threw up his head to shout, and the words came to them clarion-clear across the water. "Vive la France!" He turned like lightning to face the plane. His right arm went back, then snapped forward. Some object he had been holding—it looked like a small stick—went hurtling through the air to strike the bomber square amidships. There was a great sheet of red flame, a cloud of greasy black smoke, before the crash of the explosion reached the bungalow. When the smoke rolled away, there was no plane, no launch—no Pierre. "That was the stolen brick!" thought Allan. From beside him, he heard the swish of metal upon metal. He turned his head. Escobar had drawn his long machete from his scabbard. Facing the spot where Pierre had vanished, he was standing very still, very erect, the hilt of his bright sword raised to the visor of his cap. A moment he held the pose, a statue in khaki; then he relaxed and sent the ma-

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By Hamlin

OUT OUR WAY

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Baylor Group To Present Macbeth Here On May 6th

A colorful production of Shakespeare's Macbeth by Baylor Theater Touring Company comes to Ranger, May 6, according to an announcement yesterday by Mrs. Hal Hunter, sponsor of the Maquers, dramatic club of Ranger Junior College, which will sponsor the production. The touring version of the same play which attracted audiences to Waco from all over the Southwest will be presented in the Recreation Building at 8:30 p. m. Student tickets will be 25 cents, adult 50 cents. The Bard of Avon's classic tragedy has been interpreted in a modern vein, giving free rein to its driving power and modern significance. The story of Macbeth parallels the rise of many modern dictators who have killed to gain their power and have been forced to kill to maintain it. The witches and their weird flowing dances open the play, and from this mysterious opening, the play never slackens its pace. Macbeth's rise to power as he is engulfed in the consequences of his deed is climaxed in a hard-fought battle scene involving actual combat with swords, daggers, spears and staves. Baylor University's touring company is the first collegiate group of its kind in the Southwest. Sponsored in part by Rockefeller Foundation the group of 14 is producing Macbeth and two religious dramas in 35 cities in Texas in addition to productions of Born in Texas in six army camps over the state.

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Golf Matches At Breckenridge Are Postponed A Week A. N. Larson, president of the Ranger Country Club, stated Saturday afternoon, after telephone conversations with officials of the Breckenridge Country Club, that the matches scheduled for today would be postponed one week. The postponement was caused by work being done on the Breckenridge course, and rains that have fallen during the past week, which made the portions of the course under reconstruction too muddy to be used.

Monthly Singing To Be Held At Church The regular monthly singing will be held this afternoon at the First Christian Church, it was announced Saturday by Rev. H. B. Johnson, pastor of the church. Some of the leading singers of this part of the country are expected to be present at the session, which will be held at the church beginning at 2 o'clock. The public is invited to attend.

Society Notes

Royal Neighbors to Meet
The regular meeting of the Carnation Camp No. 9050 of the Royal Neighbors of America will be held Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock in the I.O.O.F. Hall. An initiation will be held with eight from Eastland to be initiated. Members are requested to wear short white dresses.

Hodge PTA to Meet
The Hodge Oak Park PTA will meet Tuesday, April 28, at 8:45 in the school. The speaker for the afternoon will be Dr. A. W. Brazda. His subject will be "Mental Health."

Mr. and Mrs. Joe D. Stevens announce the birth of a baby boy Saturday morning at the West Texas Hospital. The baby has been named Richard Eugene.

Mrs. Polly Burk of Breckenridge is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Van Bibber.

Mrs. M. H. Hagaman left today for Fort Worth to attend the annual meeting of the General

Federation of Women's Clubs.

Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Stone have as their guest, Mr. Stone's mother, Mrs. Stone of Selma.

Roger Carey who has been a patient in the West Texas Hospital has been removed to her home in Caddo.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Stevenson, formerly of Ranger, are the guests of Mrs. Stevenson's sister, Mrs. Tom Rawls.

Fred Driehofer of Amarillo, and Miss Mary Jane Driehofer of Wichita Falls are here because of the illness of their mother, Mrs. J. E. Driehofer.

J. E. Meroney returned to Camp Wallace today after a brief visit with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Crabb announce the birth of a baby girl, Friday at the City-County Hospital. The baby has been named Barbara Anne.

CHURCHES

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. David M. Phillips, pastor
SUNDAY:
Sunday School, 9:45 a. m. T. J. Anderson, Supt.
Morning Worship, 11 a. m. Sermon by Dr. J. R. Hickerson.
Training Union, 7:15 p. m. Joe N. Graham, director.
Evening Worship, 8:15 p. m. Sermon by Dr. J. R. Hickerson.
MONDAY:
The W. M. U. meets at the church Monday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock for a Royal Service program. The subject of the program is "Purity."
Pre-Prayer services are held each evening at the church at 7:50.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
H. B. Johnson, Pastor
Church School, 10 a. m. with Lawrence Bryan supt.
Golden Rule Bible Class, taught by the pastor.
Communion, 11 a. m.
Preaching, by the pastor, 11:15 a. m.
Christian Endeavor will meet at 7:15 p. m., conducted by Mrs. Simon. All the young people of the church should be in this meeting. Glad to note the increased interest in these young folks meetings.
Preaching, 8:15 p. m., by the pastor.
The Study Club will meet Monday afternoon at the church. Come and worship with us today.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
Wesley Mickey, Preacher
SUNDAY:
Bible Study, 9:45 a. m.
Preaching and Communion, 10:50 a. m. Sermon subject, "Knowing God."
Young People's Meeting, 7:45 p. m.
Evening Service, 8:30 p. m. Sermon subject, "The Church as the Body."
MONDAY:
Ladies Bible Class, 3 p. m.
WEDNESDAY:
Prayer Meeting, 8:30 p. m.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
E. N. Seartiff, Pastor
SUNDAY:
Church School, 9:45. Dr. G. C. Roswell, supt.
Morning Worship, 10:55. Sermon by pastor.
Evening Worship, 8:00. Sermon by pastor.
MONDAY:
The Society of Christian Service meets at 3 p. m.
WEDNESDAY:
The Young People's Choir and Orchestra meets at 7 p. m.
There will be no Mid-Week Service because of the Revival meeting at the First Baptist church.
THURSDAY:
The Senior Choir will meet at 7:30. The choir director is anxious to have every member present.

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Statewide Spring Housecleaning To Get Salvage For War Production Is Urged By A Salvage Committee

AUSTIN, Tex. A state-wide spring housecleaning for materials that can be salvaged for war production was called for today by George B. Butler, executive secretary of the Texas Salvage Committee.

"Great quantities of the things we need would be brought to light by the concerted spring housecleaning," Mr. Butler suggested. "Housecleaning in the average home generally uncovers things that are considered worthless or to old for further use. In the past, these collections often have cluttered up attics, cellars and backyards, so they have been destroyed or lost to further use by being carried away by municipal refuse collectors."

This year, he emphasized, the need for the return of waste materials into new production "should be plain to all of us." "Old metal ornaments, obsolete plumbing and heating equipment, broken tools—these can become parts of guns, planes and tanks," Mr. Butler pointed out. "Old tires, old hot water bottles and bath mats can go into the production of reclaimed rubber which is needed so critically to replace our lost supply of crude rubber from the Far East. Old rags can be made into wiping rags for use in war plants, and waste paper is in demand for conversion into cartons for the shipment of munitions and canned foods for our men in the field."

"The Texas Salvage Committee, through its local committees in the 254 counties of the state, already has stimulated the flow of household waste materials to a tremendous degree. Mr. Butler said, but he added: "I am sure that a state-wide, concerted house cleaning will bring to light additional vast quantities of the things we need. Here—and now—is an opportunity for every family in Texas to make an important and direct contribution to our all-out war effort."

Through the local salvage committees, he said the public has been advised to sell waste material to local dealers, or to give the collections to any one of a number of charitable organizations that are active in the salvage program. In rural areas, the Department of Agriculture is cooperating through its County War Boards, and in rural sections where collection facilities are not available, the Works Progress Administration trucks and labor are being utilized.

"Business men can lend important support to this spring housecleaning drive, too," Mr. Butler said. "Shops, plants, and factories already are cooperating in the Salvage for Victory program, but we urge them to make a special effort to increase the movement of obsolete and similar waste materials."

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Feed Is Not Feed

(Taken from The Poultry Item for October, 1940)

Dr. R. M. Bethke of the Ohio State Experiment Station and other nutrition authorities have pointed out that:

"Science has shown time and again that 'feed is not feed' and that 100 lbs. of one feed is not necessarily equal to 100 lbs. of another feed having the same general chemical analysis. One feed might be worth twice as much as the other, even though both feeds contained the same percentage of total fibre, protein, fat and minerals. This difference in feeding value is commonly referred to as 'quality'."

"There is the old saying that a chain is only as strong as its weakest link . . . and no food can be any better than the quality of the ingredients in its makeup."

"It requires knowledge and intelligence to manufacture a high-quality feed that will do the job for which it is intended."

"Unfortunately, the analysis tag on a bag of feed showing amount of protein, fat, fibre and minerals contained in a feed, tells an incomplete story. Two bags of feed made by different manufacturers may carry the same general chemical analysis as to protein, fat, fibre and minerals, but show tremendous difference when used in the poultry house or in the feed lot. This is because feed-stuffs vary in their nutritional quality."

Tests have proven that two samples of alfalfa meal may look alike and have the same general chemical analysis; but one may have a much higher carotene (Vitamin A) content than the other. Also two samples of dried milk may be identical in appearance and general chemical analysis, and one may contain twice as much riboflavin (Vitamin G) as the other. Then too . . . two samples of most scraps may, to the eye, appear to be identical, but one may carry a much higher percentage of free fatty acids than the other. The one that has the lowest percentage of free fatty acids is of far greater value from a feeding standpoint."

Yes . . . striking differences can and do occur in many ingredients used in livestock and poultry feeds. For some time nutrition authorities believed that there were other nutritional factors in feed much more important than the formula and chemical analysis. However, heretofore there has been little proof of this belief.

Significant tests and research studies have been carried on recently by several feed manufacturers to check the differences that may occur in mixed feeds made from the same formula, but with different quality ingredients. In these research studies the makeup of the feeds for each class of poultry or livestock was the same, and the finished feeds for each test had the same general chemical analysis.

All this research and testing proved that "feed is not feed" and that quality and mixing—not feed formula alone—are of major importance to the feeder.

High-quality feeds are not manufactured "by guess and by golly"—nor "with a formula and a prayer." It takes planning, research and testing to make high-quality feeds that produce the kind of results that the better poultrymen are getting—must get—to show profits.

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