

# PENASCO VALLEY NEWS

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### Hope School News Items

School will be dismissed Thursday and Friday of next week for Thanksgiving vacation.

The Hope Yellowjacket will journey to Hagerman next Wednesday night to tangle with the Hagerman Bobcats. The Dexter Demons will come to Hope on Friday, November 30, to battle the Yellowjackets. The strength of the Demons is not known as they have not opened their season.

Mr. Moore will scout the Hagerman-Lake Arthur game at Hagerman this Friday night.

The juniors are busy selecting a class play to be given in the near future.

Some special Xmas films have been ordered and will be shown along with the regular show on December 19th.

Movies for Wed. Nov. 21—"Shadow Strikes"—Sport Spellbinders—Noah Knew His Ark."

### LOCALS

Pvt. Benny Hanna has been home on a 3 day furlough from Fort Sill, Oklahoma. He looks fine, army life must agree with him.

James Potter had his car partially destroyed by fire last week caused by the explosion of a gasoline lantern.

The streets in Hope have been improved the past week which is much appreciated.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Martin Kincaid Monday night at the Municipal Hospital a 7½ lb. baby boy, David Hugh. Mother and child are doing nicely.

### LOST

Lost a pair of glasses in Dr. Stone case with Dr. Boellner cleaner on inside in blue denim jumper, on the road to Crow Flat. Reward for their return to Buck Wilburn, Box 242, Hope, New Mexico.

### PINON NEWS

Hunters, Hunters, Hunters. Folks say there are twice as many as there was last year. Some are having good luck and some aren't, as usual.

Mrs. Dan Smith had the misfortune of falling down some rock steps last Thursday and bruised herself considerably, but fortunately there were no bones broken.

Mrs. Ethel Fowler and children and Miss Jeanette Terry spent the week end in the Glenn Stevenson home. Bobbie brought back a deer.

A shower was given in the Anna Harrell home Sunday evening for Mrs. Tom Dean. She received many nice and useful gifts.

Sammy Hands is home on a furlough.

Mr. and Mrs. Tharon Jay and children and others from Carlsbad attended church services at Pinon Sunday.

Lee Ancell is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Stevenson, during hunting season.

We are glad to hear that Alma Tidwell is better. She has been in the hospital in Artesia.

Mrs. Clarence Stevenson was on the sick list last week.

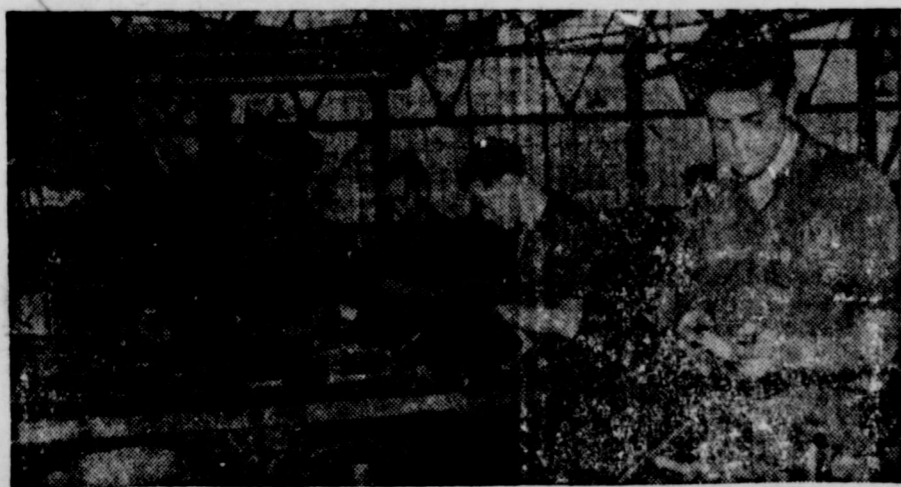
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gentry were Alamogordo visitors Monday.

Harold Parrish spent the week end with Loda Kimmons.

War Bond Dollars Are **DOUBLE DUTY DOLLARS**

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### Working Toward Stability



ARE THESE VETERANS—Disabled veterans, mere youth, who were wounded are shown being given shop training so that they may make their own way in civilian life. Training is paid for by the Veterans' Administration through Federal funds such as Victory Loan Bond dollars. Every Victory Loan Bond helps some disabled vet! Veterans' Administration photo.



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**HEALTHIEST ARMY** — Maj. Gen. Norman T. Kirk, Surgeon General of the Army since 1943, entered the Medical Corps a First Lieutenant in 1912 and advanced to the grade of Colonel by 1939. He served with Field Hospital No. 3 in Vera Cruz in 1914 and had two tours of duty as Chief of the Surgical Service at Sternberg General Hospital, Manila, P. I. From 1936 to 1941 he served as Chief of the Surgical Service at Letterman General Hospital in San Francisco, and later held the same post at Walter Reed General Hospital in Washington, D. C. In 1942 he was assigned as Commanding Officer of Percy Jones General Hospital at Battle Creek, Michigan, and appointed to the rank of Brigadier General in 1943. That same year he was appointed Surgeon General with the rank of Major General.

Gen. Kirk is a native of Maryland and received his medical degree from the University of Maryland.

Recently Gen. Kirk was awarded the Distinguished Service Medal.

### Editorial Comment

The probabilities are that it will be almost another year before most men now in the military service will return home. New draftees will be sent to the occupied conquered areas in Europe and Japan to complete the final restorations.

Congress has set aside 25 million dollars to lend to veterans returning from the war, for buying farms. Any veteran who has had experience in farming or can show that he has ability to operate a suitable farm is held eligible to apply for one of these loans. Loans to veterans are subject to approval of committees of local farmers.

The total population of the U. S. is now estimated at 139,000,000 and growing at such a pace that it will hug 149,000,000 in 1950. The reason? Babies—2,800,000 each for the years of 1944 and 1945, with prospects for higher schedules. Which makes us wonder what would happen if the stork would go on a strike.

We are accustomed to accepting as a fact the oft-repeated statement that lumbering in the mid-west is a thing of the past. In view of this it might surprise some of us to hear that down on the farms of thickly settled southern Michigan 500 small mills, scattered thru the rich country between Lake Michigan and Huron, 75 million board feet of lumber are

cut every year. And this is merely a by-product. It is grown as a crop and cut year by year as it matures.

We made a trip out to the Hope Retard Dam the other day and found that considerable of the mud had washed out in the last two years. Also that someone had been out and cemented up the cracks in the concrete made by the flood of 1941. That shows that some person or persons are still taking an interest in the Dam. We just wonder if the government would undertake to clean the mud and logs away from above the dam? Even the way it is this Dam has been a big help to the Penasco Valley in the past.

### Disastrous Fire

Fire from some unknown cause destroyed the Mark Fisher home Wednesday night. A few pieces of furniture were saved, otherwise all was lost.

A shower for Mr. and Mrs. John Neel was given in the gym Wednesday afternoon. Many beautiful presents were received.

Mrs. Tom Harrison has returned from a trip to the coast where she met her son Curtis who is in the Navy. Curtis returned home with her. Mrs. Harrison also visited her daughters.

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### FAMOUS U. S. ARMY DIVISIONS

#### 8th INFANTRY DIVISION



Golden Arrow

THE GOLDEN ARROW DIVISION is composed of Regular Army units, several of which have an interesting place in American military history. The 13th Infantry Regiment was formed in 1793 and the 28th Infantry dates back to 1901. The 121st Infantry, known as "The Old Gray Bonnet Regiment" stemmed from the Georgia militia. After serving in the Army of Occupation in Germany in 1918-19 in the World War the Division was disbanded and later reconstituted as an inactive unit. It was reactivated in 1940 and in December, 1943, embarked for the European Theater for long training near Belfast, Ireland. On July 8, 1944, it jumped off for its first attack in

Normandy as a component of the First Army, and from then till the end of the war was in the thick of the fighting.

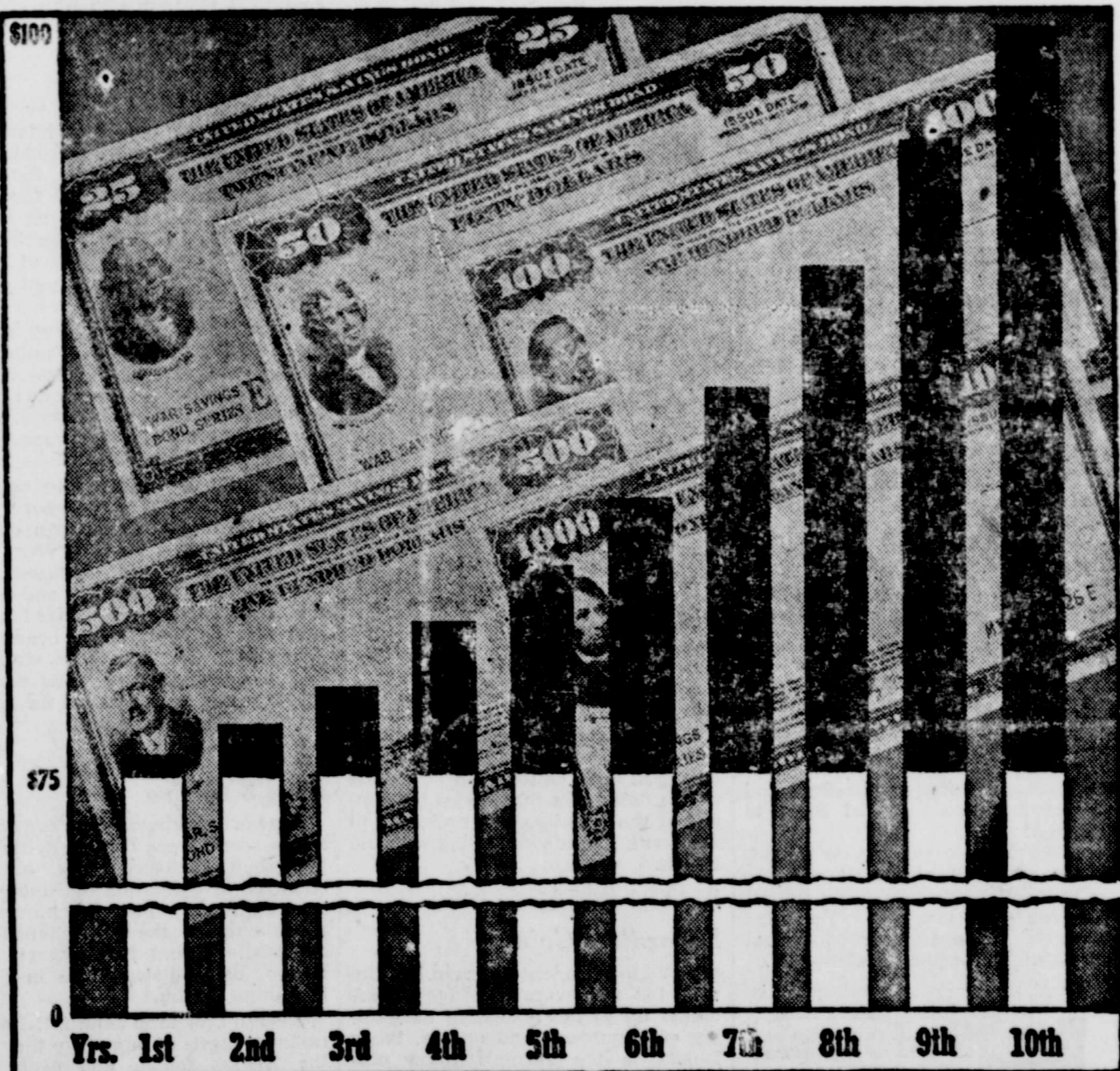
At first its progress was slow in Normandy, facing strong enemy counterattacks. On August 8, 1944, it took Rennes, France, and started moving toward Brest. The territory here was stubbornly defended with the aid of pillboxes and effective artillery concentrations. One battalion was cut off for three days and blood plasma was dropped to the men by plane. For a month the 8th battled forward in Brittany and on September 18, on the Crozon peninsula, the German commander surrendered his troops. The Division then smashed across France and into Luxembourg. On February 23, 1945, it crossed the Ruhr river, but behind that achievement was the gallantry of the men who had paved the way in the green hell of the Hurtgen Forest early in the winter. In March the Division tramped into Cologne and the following month pushed deep into the vitals of the Reich.

The Golden Arrow Division closed its 10-month European campaign in a spectacular manner by establishing a bridgehead across the Elbe river in northern Germany, capturing 244,000 prisoners in a swift 25-mile drive, linking with the Russian forces from the east. During these 10 months the 8th captured 316,000 prisoners—the equivalent of 21 American divisions. When the war ended it was in the vicinity of Schwerin, Germany.

Beside the Infantry units mentioned above the Division contained the 43d, 45th, 56th and 28th Field Artillery Battalions. The Third Battalion of the 28th Infantry received the Distinguished Unit Citation for service near Bergstein, Germany. Isolated from adjacent units, the Battalion repelled repeated counterattacks, and killed, wounded or captured 800 Germans.

The shoulder patch is an upward-pointing arrow piercing a silver figure 8 on a blue shield.

### HOW WAR BONDS GROW IN VALUE YEARLY



Yrs.	Increase In Value	Total Value	% of Worth Before
1	\$ 5.00	\$ 755	.67%
2	10.00	765	1.32
3	15.00	780	1.96
4	20.00	800	2.56
5	20.00	820	2.50
6	20.00	840	2.44
7	40.00	880	4.76
8	40.00	920	4.55
9	40.00	960	4.35
10	40.00	1,000	4.17

IT'S SURPRISING—how War Bonds grow in value each year. If held until maturity they earn 3 3/8 per cent and they have a yearly added value. The chart tells its own story for a \$100 Series E Bond. The scale to the left shows how a \$1,000 Series E Bond grows. The chart shows that the increase in value is greatest in the later years of the bond's life. Note how the rate of interest goes up in the second three years of the bond's life. Study the increase in the \$1,000 bond. Holders of bonds the last few years, considering the above, would literally be throwing money away to cash them prior to maturity. The New York Stock Exchange in the more than 150 years of its existence has never recommended other bonds than those of the United States.

**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. To them it was a great experience.

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:  
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**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 analysis 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 especial 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.

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 smaller 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. Indication 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.

**Names Properly Applied To Residents of States**

These are names used to denote residents of the various states of the Union: Alabamian, Arizonian, Arkansan, Californian, Coloradoan or Coloradan, Dakotan, Delawarean, Floridian, Georgian, Idahoan, Illinoian or Illinoisian, Indianian, Iowan, Jerseyan, Kansan, Kentuckian, Louisianian, Marylander, Michigander (colloquial), Mississippian, Missourian, Montanan, Nebraskan, Nevadan, New Mexican, New Yorker, Oklahoman, Oregonian, Pennsylvanian, Rhode Islander, Tennessean, Texan, Vermonter, Virginian and Washingtonian.

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## Kathleen Norris Says: When the 'Dead' Man Comes Home

Bell Syndicate.—WNU Features.



"It breaks my heart to leave a lovely home and circle of loved friends here in Connecticut, and take up life again with a man whose nervous tempers I know only too well."

By KATHLEEN NORRIS

"MY HUSBAND was reported dead," writes Elaine Foster, from Bridgeport, Conn. "He was a marine at Bataan, officially declared killed in that terrible first rush. Instead, he had been sent on a scouting expedition, in which two men were killed, and he was taken prisoner.

"One year afterward I married again, this time far more happily than the first time. My first marriage had been at 18; it lasted seven years, during all of which time I knew we had made a mistake. We were both young and hot-tempered, and hard times and the illnesses of our little boy kept our nerves on the rack.

"This second marriage to a man I will call David, is a much more stable affair. He is 40, I am 27; I look up to him as a guide, philosopher and friend, as well as love him with all my heart. My small boy is devoted to him.

### Broken Mind and Body.

"Harry, to call my first husband that, has come home injured in soul and body. He is lame, and although capable of doing any clerical work, his one idea is to go out to a horse ranch his cousin and uncle run in Montana, and live there. He wants me to go with him, and whether I go or not, he will claim Roy. I intend to fight for at least part time custody of my child, and it would break my heart to leave a lovely home and a circle of loved friends here in Connecticut, and take up life again with a man whose nervous tempers I know only too well. Have you any advice to give in these troubled circumstances? The shock of Harry's return cost me my expected baby, and I am in for some weeks of rest. During that time I want to think out the right thing to do, and your advice will help me."

My dear Elaine, I cannot help you, because these circumstances really come under a theological head; you are married to Harry, and for you there can be no other marriage. Your choice therefore is either to take your son and go off somewhere to make a life for yourself, not seeing David again, or to accompany Harry to Montana, and build a new life there, and if you are really as spiritually strong as you indicate in the more intimate part of your letter, you will find happiness somewhere along the road, if you follow that course.

This tragedy of the returning dead man is frequent in this war because of the enormity of the operations on a dozen fronts, and the fearful destructive power of modern munitions. In one case in my own family a young naval officer was imprisoned in a camp for two years with no opportunity to communicate with his family, then reported lost on the prison ship our own men bombed, and finally lost to sight for months. He is on his way home safe and sound now.

Another case is that of a friend's child who supposedly went down with a lost destroyer. This boy swam and floated five miles, scrambled up a beach, met friendly natives, lived with them doing underground work for more than a year, and is also on

### AGONIZING DILEMMA

Fortunately, few women have to face the agonizing dilemma that confronts the soldier's wife whose letter appears in this issue. Elaine heard from official sources that her husband, Harry, had been killed at Bataan. A year later she married again, this time more happily. The first marriage, in fact, was heading for the rocks when the war came, and the separation temporarily solved the problem.

But Harry was not killed. He is back now after years in a Jap prison camp, lame, irritable and unable to readjust himself. He wants to go West and live on his cousin's horse ranch, taking his wife Elaine, and their little boy.

This move is most distasteful to Elaine. She is happy with her second "husband," who is in many ways superior to Harry, in her eyes. She likes the new circle of friends she has acquired. All this she would have to give up if she goes with Harry. Nevertheless, as Miss Norris points out, Harry is still her husband—her only husband. This second man, David, is a victim of tragic circumstances. Elaine's duty is to stand by Harry the rest of her life, says Miss Norris.

his way home. His wife, a pretty girl of 21, was within two weeks of a second marriage when his message came.

### Shattered and Puzzled.

To adjust all these broken ends of life into a perfect whole and begin living normally again is more than some of these young persons can manage. They are shattered and puzzled by different claims and obligations, and don't know where to start in straightening things out. Infinite patience with the returning men, and a quiet, sane study of each problem is the only way through the terrible aftermath of war.

But in the first case I quote, it seems to me Elaine has one very real compensation in sight. To get out into the mountains of Montana will be the best possible thing for her little boy. He won't have to be anguished, as so many thousand children are, by being torn between the claims of father and mother. Perhaps in his improvement and his happiness she will find happiness for herself.

Another great compensation will be in the feeling she will have, that while it is not a conspicuous service to her country, it is a very real one, to try to make up to at least one wounded veteran the youth and health that the war has drained away. If every man coming back had a wife, a son, and a prospect of roughing it on a Montana horse ranch for a year or two, the greatest problem that America has to meet would be solved. If Elaine faces this hard change courageously, the prayers that she is praying for her light will be answered—full measure, pressed down and running over.

### It Seems Someone Was Being Politely Snubbed

Arturo Toscanini was strolling along a street one day when a woman rushed up to him breathlessly and cried:

"Maestro, would you add your name to my autograph album?" "Mine?" asked the conductor, looking flattered and incredulous. "You are . . . you are Toscanini," the woman began to hesitate and fumble.

"Madam, do you think I look like him?" inquired the conductor. "At the distance, I thought you did, but now I can see there's no resemblance at all," said the autograph hunter, withdrawing her album.

Toscanini continued his stroll.

## ASK ME ? ANOTHER ?

A quiz with answers offering information on various subjects

### The Questions

1. Has the definition "light" or "heavy" cruiser anything to do with its size or tonnage?
2. A person at the North pole is how many miles nearer the center of the earth than if he were at the equator?
3. How many men were involved in the six years of war in Europe?
4. What island is called the Pearl of the Antilles?
5. Is it cole slaw or cold slaw?

6. For how long are federal judges appointed?
7. Anahuac is an ancient name for what country?

### The Answers

1. No. It refers to the size of its main guns.
2. Thirteen miles nearer.
3. Twenty-seven million of which 16 million were Allies.
4. Cuba.
5. Cole slaw.
6. For life.
7. Mexico.

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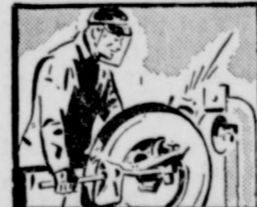
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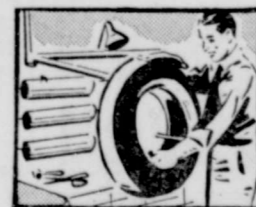
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By VIRGINIA VALE  
THERE'S a line of dialogue in the script for International's "The Stranger," where Loretta Young confides to Orson Welles that she's a victim of acrophobia. That word threw everyone in the cast but Welles. "It's a fear of high places," said he. "I know because I used to have it myself. I cured myself by mountain climbing in the Alps; picked out the sheerest drops I could find and stared over the edge." But—for "The Stranger" they built the highest set ever erected in Hollywood, a 13-story church spire; Edward G. Robinson, Loretta and Welles do a dramatic scene part way up it. And who was it who had an attack of acrophobia? Why Orson Welles!

Robert Benchley appears in Hollywood Victory Caravan, the all-star featurette sponsored by the war activities committee, Hollywood div-



ROBERT BENCHLEY

ision, acting for the U. S. treasury department, for the Victory Loan drive. Benchley appears with a stellar cast of 20 other notables, in the screen world.

Penny Singleton was sort of worried about her role in "Young Widow"; after seven years of playing the comic-strip "Blondie" on the screen—her contract with Columbia Pictures calls for her to do three "Blondie" pictures a year—she was afraid she'd suddenly go cavorting around the way she does as "Dagwood's" spouse. There's a screwball comedienne in "Young Widow," but Marie Wilson plays her. Penny had wanted to play a different role, and Hunt Stromberg, who brought her to the screen eight years ago in "After the Thin Man," gave her what she wanted; she plays a perfectly normal person, the wise, understanding friend of the heroine, Jane Russell.

Boris Karloff has been establishing a broadcasting record since he left Hollywood following completion of his role in RKO's "Bedlam." Nine programs in sixteen days, including three appearances on "Inner Sanctum" have kept him busy.

Sitting through a Jap-made movie is the last word in agony, according to Tom Neal, who plays the title role in "First Yank into Tokyo." Neal, cast as an American serviceman who undergoes facial surgery, so that he can pretend to be a Jap sergeant, for intelligence purposes, had to sit through "Kimona" 21 times, studying the performance of the Japanese star of the picture.

Constance Moore, "Gloria Dean" on "Hollywood Mystery Time," has a four-year-old daughter, Gina, who's pretty smart. Connie was telling a friend she was "sans cook and sans nurse." Gina looked up and inquired "Are they related to Sans Claus?"

There's a lot of kidding in the script of the Burns and Allen show about Georges singing voice. What very few people know is that Gracie's long-suffering spouse actually began his theatrical career as one of "The PeeWee Quartet," at the age of 12.

Howard Barlow has no piano in his "Harvest of Stars" orchestra; instead, beautiful Elaine Vito plays the harp. Motion picture companies have tried to tempt her to try her luck on the screen, but she prefers New York, where she plays in Toscanini's orchestra. She is also playing in Alex Stordahl's, while Frank Sinatra is broadcasting from New York. So why bother with Hollywood?

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By HAROLD L. LUNDQUIST, D. D.  
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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 16:13.

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?

**AROUND the HOUSE** Items of Interest to the Housewife

To make thickening for gravy, put the flour and water into a wide-mouthed jar, with a screw top, and shake well.

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.

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.

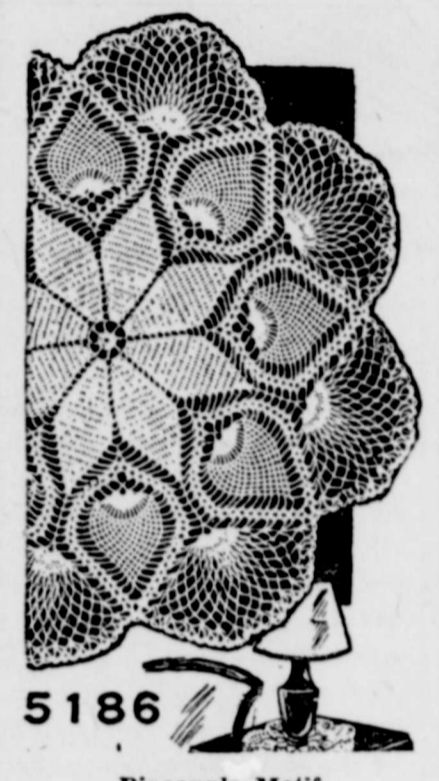
A whetstone does its best work when it is as level as new. When stones are either worn or slightly gouged, level them by grinding on a level concrete surface, using some pressure and a circular motion. Use plenty of soft water.

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# A Bell for Adano

By John Hersey

**THE STORY THUS FAR:** The American troops arrived in Adano, with Major Joppolo, the Amgot officer in charge. Sergeant Borth was in charge of security. The Major was determined to hold the confidence of the people and to replace their bell stolen by the Nazis. Despite orders issued by General Marvin, barring carts from the city, Joppolo recalled the order, to permit food and water to enter the city. Lord Runcin, high British official on the Amgot, called upon Major Joppolo, and after receiving reports on the work done at Adano, expressed himself as well satisfied with the progress made. The Major was naturally pleased. Lord Runcin told the Major how he might get a bell.

## CHAPTER XVI

I found that your barbarians had smashed my terra cotta head, it was done by the Florentine Camilliani in the sixteenth century. What value can you place on that? They tore my Venus; it was by Giorgione. What is the price of that? They smashed the glasses in which my mother drank her bridal toasts in Venice. How many lira do you think they were worth to me?"

Quattrocchi began to cry, and became incoherent.

Major Joppolo was furious. He called up Captain Purvis and said: "Purvis, what's the matter with your men? Did you know they'd been behaving like a bunch of wild men in their billet? This fellow was good enough to let them use his house and some of the stuff in it, why the hell did they have to abuse it? I want you to find out who busted up the stuff down at your billet and have them in your office in fifteen minutes." And he hung up without waiting for the astonished Captain to take a deep breath.

Major Joppolo walked around to the other side of his desk and patted the sobbing Quattrocchi on the shoulder. He said: "Come, Quattrocchi, let's go down to your house and see exactly what they did."

So the two men walked down the street to the beautiful house. Quattrocchi led the Major through the rooms on the second floor and showed him the broken things.

Major Joppolo was terribly depressed by what he saw. "There is no excuse for it," he said softly to Quattrocchi, who was beyond fury.

Major Joppolo took Quattrocchi up to the M.P. headquarters. Captain Purvis had Chuck, Bill and Polack there. As soon as the Major came in, the three boys stood at attention.

"At ease," Major Joppolo said, "but listen."

The three boys stood at ease. "You fellows ought to be sent home to the States," he said. "What kind of an example do you think you men are for the people here? How do you think we'll ever persuade them that we're decent people if you behave like we all live in the woods and have shaggy fur?"

Polack said: "We didn't mean no hurt, Major."

The Major said: "Your intentions don't make the slightest bit of difference. It's the result that matters."

Polack said: "We was doin' it for you, Major."

"What do you mean, doing it for me? How could you think I would want you to do anything like that?"

Polack said: "We was lookin' for a present for you, sir." Polack thought that if the Major stacked up to all the boasting Chuck Schultz had done about him the night before, he ought to be able to talk their way out of this fix.

The Major said: "Why would you want to get me a present? I've never seen you before."

Polack said: "We're just enlisted men. We seen you before."

Major Joppolo said: "I still want to know how you thought you were getting me a present, and why you were."

Polack said: "It was goin' to be a goin'-away present."

The Major said: "Who's going away?"

Polack said: "Well, Corporal Schultz here said—"

Chuck Schultz said: "You let me handle this, Polack."

Major Joppolo turned on Corporal Schultz: "Say, what is this all about anyway?"

Chuck Schultz saw that there was no way out. He said: "There wasn't no excuse for what we done, Major. We was very drunk. I think Polack here's still a little drunk."

Polack raised a threatening fist and said: "Why you . . ."

Major Joppolo said: "What's all this about a present?"

Chuck said: "Sir, we just got some kind of a drunk idea that you was about the best officer we ever seen, and we figured we wanted to give you a present. We thought maybe we could find a present for you in the house. We knew you was Italian, more or less, and we thought

you'd like something Italian from the house. That's all there was to it."

Major Joppolo said, and his voice was much softer: "I'm not Italian, boys. I'm American, and sometimes I'm not as proud of it as I'd like to be."

Then the Major turned to Quattrocchi, and he said in Italian: "I hardly know what to tell you. I know that no apologies and no payment can ever return what you have lost. I wish to tell you that these men who committed the crime are sorry for what they did, now that they realize how cruel they were to you. I wish to tell you, Quattrocchi, that I feel less proud of being an American than I did yesterday. These men will be punished justly and severely for what they have done. I want you to file a claim for payment for what was destroyed, and I wouldn't blame you for doubling the prices. That's all I can say, Quattrocchi."

Quattrocchi said: "I don't know about most Americans, but I know I can always get justice from you, Mister Major."

The Major said: "Good day, Quattrocchi."



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Quattrocchi. From now on your house will be kept nicely, I can promise you that."

Quattrocchi left. The Major turned to the three boys. He said: "I don't know whether you realize yet what you've done to this Italian. It's as if you had cut his arm off. He loved those things you busted up. Now I just told him that you three would be punished severely—as severely as you have hurt him." The three boys stiffened up a little.

The Major said: "I'm going to make this your punishment: to have this man's unhappiness on your conscience, and from now on to keep his house as clean as if everything in it belonged to your own mother. That's all. You're dismissed."

Chuck said: "Yes sir, thank you, sir."

Polack said: "Thank you, sir."

Bill said: "Thank you, sir. We'll take care of the house."

Polack said: "Yes sir, we sure will."

As soon as they were outside, Chuck said: "What'd I tell you about that guy?"

Polack said: "That's the best guy I ever seen in this Army."

Bill said: "The thing that got me down was what he said about my mother. Mom was always so proud of her glass. Cut glass it was. I feel like I busted it last night."

Having weathered eighty-two winters, Cacopardo was not the least cooled in his desire to help the Americans by General Marvin's behavior.

Every two or three days he would send a note to Major Joppolo. Many were silly suggestions. Many were about things Major Joppolo had already done. But one day he sent a note which caught Major Joppolo's interest.

The thing which interested Major Joppolo in this note was the fact that old Cacopardo blamed the black market on Fascist graft. Now Major Joppolo was acutely aware of the black market. He had intended for some time to investigate it. Now he did, and what he found was disturbing.

The black market was not the fault of corrupt Fascists. It was not even the fault of the merchants who jacked their prices out of all bounds. It was the fault of the invaders. Demonstrably, it was the fault of the Americans.

There were two reasons why the Americans gave Adano its black market, and the inflation which inevitably went with it. One reason was American generosity. Apparently the Italians thought the Americans were coming to their soil armed mainly with cigarettes and candies, for every grown person asked for cigarettes and every child shouted in the streets for candies. And the Americans gave what was begged. They also gave C Rations, both cans which they had opened and had been unable to finish, and unopened cans. When they bought anything, they figured the price by their heart. And the second thing was that when they bought anything, and could not find an Italian-speaking pal to dicker for them, they just paid what they figured they would have paid in the United States.

He traced the black market in wine to the house of Carmelina, wife of the lazy Fatta. The very first person who bought wine from Carmelina, on the very first night of the invasion, was Corporal Chuck Schultz. Carmelina's story to the Major was that the Corporal had just handed her a dollar and walked away. Schultz's story was that the Italian lady had haggled and shouted and threatened to call the police. In any case, Schultz paid a dollar. The regular price for that grade of wine before the invasion had been twenty lira, or twenty cents.

To stop, or at least to curb, the black market, Major Joppolo did three things: he put the town out of bounds to American soldiers, who from then on could enter only on business; he had the Carabinieri stop all foodstuffs from leaving the town; and he fined anyone caught selling over-price or under-measure three thousand lira—a lifetime's savings for a poor Italian peasant.

Sergeant Trapani's having addressed the purple slip reporting the countermand order on the carts to the wrong person did not help much. As soon as the wrong person opened up the envelope and read the slip, he forwarded it to the right person.

The right person was Lieut. Col. W. W. Norris, G-One Officer of the 49th Division. The wrong person put the purple slip on his desk. Col. Norris, who was burdened down with much too much paper work, did not even read it all the way through. He just read the first part, about General Marvin's issuing the order that carts should be stopped on the outskirts of Adano.

Then he wrote in pencil on the upper left hand corner of the slip: "Usual copies for Division files. One extra copy to be sent to Colonel Middleton marked 'For General Marvin's Information.'" And then he tossed the slip in his outgoing basket.

It happens that Col. Norris had an assistant, one Lieutenant Butters, who was very inquisitive. He annoyed the Colonel often by reading over his shoulder. He always wanted to know what the Battle Order was the moment it was drawn up, before it even went to regimental commanders.

The only advantage of Lieutenant Butters' curiosity was that he usually read Colonel Norris's mail more carefully than either Colonel Norris or his Technical Sergeant.

The morning after the Technical Sergeant put the purple slip and the four copies into the Colonel's incoming basket, Lieutenant Butters got up bright and early, dressed, shaved out of his helmet, and before breakfast went to Colonel Norris's desk and went through his incoming basket.

When he came to the purple slip and the four copies, he took the papers out of the pile, read until he had finished, put the pile back into the incoming basket, and then tucked the purple slip and the four copies into a portfolio on his own desk.

Later in the day, when the Colonel was out to a conference, Lieutenant Butters took out the purple slip and the four copies. He called the Technical Sergeant over to his desk.

"Did you see these?" the Lieutenant asked.

The Technical Sergeant, who was afraid he had made a mistake in typing, said merely: "Yes, sir."

"Well, that Major was right," the Lieutenant said.

The Technical Sergeant, who hadn't the faintest idea what the purple slip was about, said: "He was?"

(TO BE CONTINUED)

# Smile Awhile

**Ain't Love Grand!**  
He—Every time I kiss you it makes me a better man.  
She—Well, you don't have to try to get a halo in one evening.

**Polygamy would never work in this country. Think of six wives to a kitchenette!**

**Well, After All!**  
Father—Young man, what do you mean by bringing Dorothy home at six in the morning?  
Charlie—Well, my gosh! I have to be at work by seven.

**Higher Mathematics**  
Teacher—If John had four apples, Harry had six apples and Tom had nine apples, how many apples would they have all together?  
Jasper—Could you make that onions?  
Teacher—What's the difference?  
Jasper—I know my onions.

**Butting into other people's business isn't the best way to use your head.**

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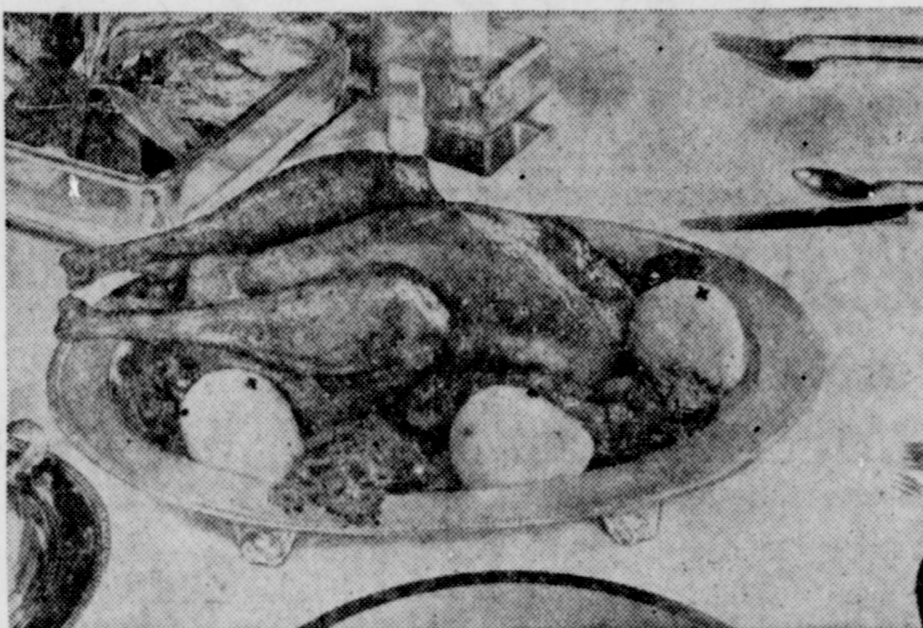
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It's Roast Turkey Time Again! (See Recipe Below)

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The first peacetime Thanksgiving in America for several years can really be a thankful one. It sees loved ones coming home to be with their families once more. The family cupboards, though bare in almost every other country, are full here. Yes, it can really be a thankful Thanksgiving.

Thanksgiving is a very "homey" sort of holiday. Families and neighbors gather and share their year's harvest. One of the nicest centerpiece for a Thanksgiving table is made of fruit. There are rosy-cheeked apples, golden-hued pears, flaming oranges, all woven with strings of cranberry and clusters of grapes. Yes, pretty, and good to eat, too!

An easy way to serve is to have cups of chilled cider in the living room before the serious business of dinner begins. Don't forget to pass crackers, salted nuts, and relishes with the first course. Or, if the weather is a mite chilly, try hot cups of tomato juice, spiced up with a bit of lemon juice. These will help break the ice and bring the folks to the table in a jovial mood.

**How to Prepare Turkey.** Singe the bird by holding over a flame. Remove pin feathers with knife or tweezers. Remove oil bag from tail.

If internal organs have not been removed by the butcher, make an opening carefully under one of the legs, or at the vent, and remove them carefully, taking care that the gall bladder which lies near the liver is not broken. The intestines, gizzard and liver should all be removed together.

The lungs and kidneys which lie near the backbone must also be removed. Clean the gizzard by cutting through to the inner coat, half way around, take off the outer coat and remove the bag which is inside.

The giblets, which are the gizzard, liver and heart, should be washed carefully, placed in cold water, heated quickly and cooked until tender.

Wash the bird thoroughly inside and out, and rub the body cavity with

**LYNN SAYS**

Let's make good piecrust: Excellent pastry is the result achieved from careful measurements and little handling. A good, standard proportion is 1 cup flour, 1/2 cup fat, and 1/4 teaspoon salt. For double this recipe, not more than 1/4 cup of cold water should be used.

All ingredients should be well chilled before working. This is especially important when the fat is being worked into the flour. In this case the fat does not melt, but is rather coated with the flour, and the method makes for flakier pastry.

If too much water is added, the manipulation necessary to shape the dough and roll it out develops the gluten. This makes a sticky dough and tough crust. If too little water is added, the crust is crumbly rather than flaky because there is not enough moisture to bind the crust.

**LYNN CHAMBERS' MENU IDEA**

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French Dressing

Pumpkin Pie with Whipped Cream

Beverage Mints

salt before stuffing. Fill lightly with dressing.

To truss the fowl (this is done after stuffing) tie end of skin of neck with string, leaving two long ends to pull it over the back. Turn wings back and legs to front, close to body. Draw string up, on each side over legs, cross it and tie legs down under and around the tail.

**Making the Dressing.** Dressings may be of any type to suit the individual taste, but they should be packed into the body cavity lightly. Allow one cup of stuffing for each pound of turkey or chicken.

**Bread Stuffing.** (Makes 3 cups)  
4 cups dry bread cubes  
3 tablespoons chopped onion  
1 teaspoon salt  
1/4 teaspoon pepper  
Sage or poultry dressing  
1/2 cup melted fat  
Hot water or stock to moisten

Combine bread, onion and seasonings. Add fat and sufficient liquid to moisten (about 2/3 cup).

Oyster Dressing: Add 1/2 to 1 pint drained, chopped oysters, uncooked or heated in the fat of the above recipe.

Raisin Stuffing: Add 1/2 cup seedless raisins.

Celery Stuffing: 1 1/2 cups celery, chopped, should be added.

**Roasting Time.** For a turkey weighing eight to ten pounds, use a 325-degree oven and roast the bird, uncovered, for 3 to 3 1/2 hours. For a 10 to 14 pound bird, use a 325-degree oven and allow 3 1/2 to 4 hours. For a larger bird, 14 to 18 pounds, use a 300-degree oven and allow 4 to 4 1/2 hours.

**Brussels Sprouts.** Clean the sprouts and soak for 10 to 15 minutes in cold, salted water. Boil with a small amount of water until just barely tender and then add melted butter and salt and pepper. Cooked, chopped chestnuts may also be added before serving, if desired.

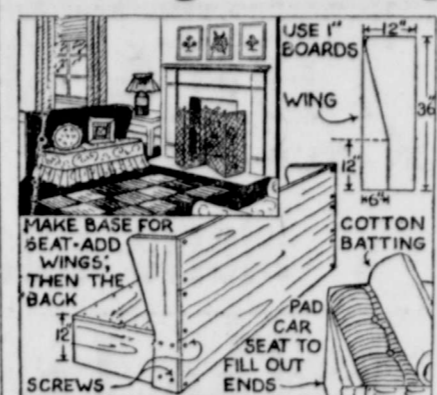
There's nothing quite like a good pumpkin pie to finish off this dinner of dinners. Now that whipped cream is back again, the pie can come to the table, topped with glorious swirls of that luscious delicacy. Or, if you prefer, make a meringue and flavor it with maple syrup and then spread on the pie and brown before serving.

**Pumpkin Pie.**  
2 cups cooked or canned pumpkin  
1 cup brown sugar  
1 teaspoon cinnamon  
1/2 cup cream  
1/2 teaspoon ginger  
1/2 teaspoon salt  
3 eggs  
2 cups milk

Mix all ingredients together in the order given. Bake in a deep dish pie plate which has been lined with pastry. When cool, top with sweetened, whipped cream and sprinkle with chopped pecans.

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