

# PENASCO VALLEY NEWS

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# Yell'jackets Defeat N.M.M.I. 34 to 33

## The Hope Boys Are Playing in Alamogordo This Week End.

The basketball news has been most gratifying the past week. Last Friday the Yellowjackets defeated Lake Arthur in two games. The "B" team won 16 to 14 and the "A" team 49 to 31.

Monday night saw the Hope Yellowjackets march steadily to victory over the Institute Colts. After two minutes of the first quarter we were never trailing. Score 34 to 33. R. Kincaid scored 15 points, A. Kincaid 4 points, Robert Forrister 12 points, Donald Lee Potter 2 points, and Alfred Dee Wilburn 1 point. This game tests the stuff of which men are made. Both teams played a fast, clean game, so fast that they ran over the referee. At the start it looked as if the Institute Colts were going to tie the game up before Hope even got started. The Colts made a basket quickly, followed by another basket, result four points. Then Robert Kincaid made two baskets and Robert Forrister one basket, result, Colts four points and Hope six points. At the end of the half the score was Hope 16, Colts 12. The last half of the game was fast and furious. First one side and then the other was making sensational plays that made the spectators gasp for breath. When the whistle blew for the end of the game Hope was leading by one point. Score Hope 34, Colts 33. It was a closely contested game. Hope handled the ball more than their share the first half but showed signs of tiring against the new men and driving attacks of the Colts. I believe these five Hope boys can handle any five I've seen during the last several years. It was a great game played by two great teams. It will be a game long to be remembered by fans of the Hope school.

Next Friday, Jan. 21, (today) we leave for Alamogordo to take part in a basketball tournament. We are most grateful to Mr. Wilburn and Mr. Kincaid for taking our boys over to Alamogordo. We are leaving about 9 a. m., in order to take the boys there in time to eat and rest. We are going over there to win and we can't afford to sacrifice the things which help condition a team. Friday night we play Cloudcroft; if we win this game we play Weed Saturday afternoon, and if we are fortunate in winning this game we play the winner of the upper bracket Saturday night. The upper bracket is composed of teams from Alamogordo, Tularosa, Hondo and Carrizozo. All these have good teams, but we believe the Yellowjackets can and will win. And then after a week's rest comes a game with Hagerman and Cloudcroft. And then the district tournament at Roswell. But more about that tournament later on.

A "thank you" for the Trimble's treat tonight. There are so many gracious people here. A simple little expression often comes to my mind, "By their fruits ye shall know them."

I want to see this the best team, the best school and the best town. Every little thing you or I do is building character and pride. It means a great future. Let's all forget the petty things and all concentrate on progress for any or all who can profit by our help.

A winner never quits and a quitter never wins. Watch for our tournament progress in next week's News. We owe The News a great deal for their faithful support and publicity. Personally, I am more than grateful. A good work will never go unrewarded. We invite you to see us through the Alamogordo tournament. In unity there is strength.—Coach Evans.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wood from Albuquerque were here over the week end visiting his brother, Bob Wood. They also attended the dance Saturday night. George Wood was a former resident of Hope.

## Report On The March Of Dimes Dance

INCOME	
Dance proceeds	\$264.49
Contributions	4.00
Grades 1, 2, 3	2.83
Grades 4, 5, 6	3.44
Grades 7, 8	3.22
High school	.86
Jars in town	10.53
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$289.37</b>
EXPENSES	
Artesia Advocate	\$ 1.53
Ribbons and spangles	2.34
Cleaning gym	3.50
Penasco Valley News	6.42
Music	60.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 73.79</b>

\$289.37 less \$73.79 leaves \$215.58 to be turned over to Mr. Felts, the county chairman. The 20 per cent tax will be deducted by Mr. Felts and sent to the Internal Revenue department at Albuquerque.

Superintendent Moore wishes to thank all those who assisted him in making the President's Ball a success.

## School News

**HONOR ROLL**  
"B" average for first semester.  
Seniors—Howard Forister, Madie Wasson.

Juniors—Delma Joy, Glenna Lee Stevenson, Jeanette Terry, Ruth Ellen Newbill.

Sophomores—Elta Chalk, Christine Clements, Zona Pearl Jones, Betty Zane Teague, Wilma Jo Young.

Freshmen—Dorane Teague.

We are glad to welcome Lucille Hambright, a senior, to our school. This makes 16 graduating seniors.

**Fourth, Fifth and Sixth Grade News**

We got our report cards Friday. Our pictures we took three weeks ago came in Monday.

We lost one pupils Tuesday. Clea Milam moved to Artesia.

We are nearly through with our reading and geography books. Health and history will take their places.

We are all busy making Valentines. Edward Madron is visiting friends and relatives in the mountains.

**First, Second and Third Grades**

Edward Milam has moved to Artesia, we are sorry to lose this first grade boy. One of our room mothers, Mrs. Babers, is in the hospital at Artesia. We hope she will soon be with us again. Our doll, Betsy Lee, is still with us. The girls have been sewing for her and the boys have made coat hangers and furniture. Roy Trimble made a rocking chair and Tommy Green a table. Don Harris made a bed and Johnny Wood, a fourth grade boy, has made a bed. Poky is still asleep in the sand. We wonder if our room mothers know that Valentine's Day will soon be here?

## Who Is Qualified To Vote At School Election

Any person who, at the time of the election, is a qualified elector under the laws of the state for county offices (state residence one year, county residence six months) and who has actually resided within the school district 30 days last preceding the date of election, shall be deemed a qualified elector and voter, according to the law.

## New Line of Upholstering

Slip Covers and Drapery Materials, Now for your Home Decorating Needs. The Best Workmanship and Prices For Everyone. We also do Furniture Repair and Refinishing on Home and Office Equipment.

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Prop.  
Phone 461-J pd. adv.

## What Some Of The Students Think

As time for school board election draws near we hear much talk from the adults about the school, some good, some bad, so as students, we decided now would be a good time to let people know how we feel. The last year and a half this school has been a wonderful place to be. We love it and we love our superintendent, Mr. Moore. Through tireless effort and hard work by the board and Mr. Moore, we now have equipment and material for play and work that we have not had before. The Home Ec. department is becoming quite modern because of much needed equipment that has been acquired. The shop is producing at present beautiful cedar chests, made by the boys. We have new books that are a help and an inspiration. I believe we appreciate the heating system as much as anything else. We hope every adult will stand behind Mr. Moore and his board and the school, for the good of the school and not for what he or she may gain.

Yours for Mr. Moore and more school years as the past one and one-half years have been.  
Signed: Zone Pearl and Betty Zane

## EDITORIAL

We put on our new 1947 license plates last week. We hope the paint stays on better than the plates of 1946. If it don't, we will take the matter up with Howell Gage, warden of the state penitentiary.

Tuesday, Feb. 4, is the school election, at which time two school board members are elected for two six-year terms. Everyone should vote and you don't have to be registered. Vote for the candidates that will keep the Hope schools growing and improving as time goes by. You all know what we had up until two years ago. Well, let's not go back to conditions that prevailed then. Therefore, let's all go and vote, and vote for the candidates that believe in building up your school—not tearing it down.

House Bill No. 4, introduced by Reginaldo Espinosa reads as follows: Sec. 1. That all ex-soldiers, ex-sailors, and ex-marines, or other persons serving in the armed forces of World War II be, and they hereby are, permitted to obtain their personal passenger car state license plates free of cost, provided, however, such person so serving in the said forces has lost one or both legs.

If this becomes a law such generosity on the part of the State Legislature should never be forgotten. How about if an ex-service man has lost one arm or both arms? I suppose he would have to pay for his license plates. Or how about the boy who has lost one eye or both eyes?

The March of Dimes Dance held Saturday night, Jan. 25, was well attended. The junior class served pop, coffee, sand sandwiches and took in around \$80. The music was excellent, it could not have been improved upon. Mark Fisher on the bass violin, Bill Bates on the violin, and George Fisher on the guitar dished up a brand of music that is hard to beat. A person could have imagined that Johnny Willis and his orchestra from Oklahoma City furnished the music. And the beautiful women that were present and the ultra-modern gowns that were worn, if we had known before what a society affair it was going to be, we would have had the society reporter from the Fort Worth Star-Telegram come and write it up like it should be written.

## Uncle Sam Says



Ponder these facts, niece and nephew. In 1937 many Americans bought the Series C Savings Bond, similar in every respect to the present Series E bond which millions of you are now buying regularly through payroll savings or at your bank or post office.

During 1947 the Treasury Department will hand over \$4 for every \$3 these wise Americans laid away 10 years ago. The total payoff in interest is a staggering sum—over \$100,000,000. Nearly 75 per cent of all buyers of Series C bonds held on to them for the full 10 years. You have the opportunity now to join your fellow Americans who will share in the Treasury Department's 1957 payoff of an extra dollar for every \$3 you invest now in Savings Bonds.  
U. S. Treasury Department

## LOCALS

"THE FOREVER AMBER" Love Life of Artie Shaw and Kathleen Winsor, The Forever Amber Author. By William Engle. Read This Fascinating Story in The American Weekly, The Magazine Distributed With Next Sunday's Los Angeles Examiner.

Mr. and Mrs. George Teel left for Corsicana, Tex., Monday where they will visit Mrs. Teel's mother.

## TO THE PEOPLE OF HOPE

Vote for Leonard Akers and Alvin Kincaid on the 4th of February for School Board members. They are both reliable men. Let us represent the other churches in our school. Thanks to all the good people of Hope for their good support in the school. Yours for better schools. Jess Musgrave. 2t—adv.

Ad Bain was in Artesia Monday on business.

J. W. and Garland Mellard were in Artesia Monday on business. Garland has just purchased the City Service Station from W. B. Durham and Phillip Reed.

Mrs. A. A. Smith was in from the South Taylor ranch over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Buckner and children were up from Carlsbad and attended the dance Saturday night.

Mrs. Altman went to Roswell Monday on business.

Dwight Lee, sheriff, and Deputies Fred Price and Buster Mulcock were in Hope Wednesday on business.

John Teel was in Artesia Monday interviewing the tobacco man.

Mr. and Mrs. James Robertson have moved to Artesia. Mr. Robertson will be employed with the Ferguson-Steere Oil Co. The people of Hope are sorry to lose Mr. and Mrs. Robertson.

Bryant Williams was in Artesia Monday on business.

Joe Clements was seen on the streets of Hope Monday.

Leonard Akers went to Weed Saturday and returned Sunday.

J. P. Menefee went to El Paso last week on business.

Jess Musgrave is in California transacting business.

For a continuation of good schools in Hope vote for Leonard Akers for school board member next Tuesday, Feb. 4. —pd. adv.

Mr. and Mrs. Cot Schwalbe returned Saturday from a trip to Fort Stockton and San Angelo, Tex., where they visited friends and relatives.

Mrs. Charles Cope was in the hospital at Carlsbad.

Mrs. Ben Babers was taken back to the hospital at Artesia Saturday.

Mrs. George Wright of Corpus Christi, Tex., Mrs. Hubert LaRose of Houston, Tex., J. F. Mohan of Faribault, Minn., and Bernard Schmidt, of Faribault, Minn., were here this week visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Rood and Mr. and Mrs. John Hardin.

The Fisher-Bates orchestra will play for the March of Dimes dance at Dunken Saturday night.

Let's go to the polls next Tuesday and vote for Leonard Akers for school board member. He is progressive and believes in the upbuilding of the schools in Hope. —pd. adv.

"CHAMPION OF LIBERTY." How Morrill Goddard and Joseph Pulitzer saved the Statue of Liberty for Posterity. By Jack Stone. Read This Story in The American Weekly, The Magazine Distributed With Next Sunday's Los Angeles Examiner.

Pete and Mary Jackson left Sunday for California, where they will stay a while before going to their home in Oregon.

Henry S. Thompson of Steamboat Springs, Colo., arrived here Tuesday to make an extended visit with his son, Jimmy Thompson.

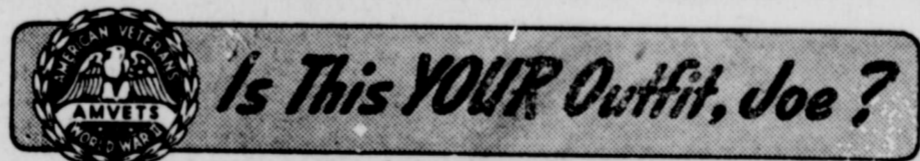
For Sale—One 24,000 B.T.U. circulating gas heater. Can be seen at The News office at Hope. Adv.

## Regular Advertising Pays Dividends

For Six Year Term as School Board Member

Lenard Akers

Tuesday, Feb. 4, 1947



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## FIRST MARINE DIVISION

The First Marine Division was not only the first Marine force of division strength, it was the first American division to go into battle action in World War II, opening its offensive August 7, 1942, in the Pacific at Guadalcanal, Tulagi, Florida, Tanabogo and Gavutu Islands in the Solomons.

Then in September, 1944, it leap-frogged to the Palau Islands in the Central Pacific, and then these men who began American hostilities at Guadalcanal, took part in the last battle of the war in the Pacific, landing at Okinawa, April 1, 1945.

The First Marine Division was composed of Headquarters Company, 1st Service Company, 1st AAMG Battery, 1st Chemical Co., 1st Scout Co., 1st Guard Co., 1st Signal Co., 3rd Tank Co., 1st Transport Co., 1st Marines, 5th Marines, 8th Marines and 11th Marines.

In February, 1941, the 1st Division was activated, growing from a nucleus of the 5th Marines, one of the two Marine regiments decorated with the French fourragers in World War I. In the Solomons the division was under command of Major General A. A. Vandegrift, now a 4-star general and commandant of the Marine Corps. On December 26, 1943, this division invaded Cape Gloucester, New Britain, under the late Major General William H. Rupertus.

At Peleliu, September 15, 1944, some of the most bitter fighting of the Pacific developed. On November 2, 1944, Maj. Gen. Pedro A. del Valle took command when the Division landed on Okinawa. After days of fierce fighting, the division stormed and took the almost impregnable Shuri Castle, headquarters of the Jap 32nd Army.

WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

British, French Form New Bond; GOP Chiefs Push Tax Reduction; Ford Takes Price Leadership

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Governor Ellis Arnall (at left) faces Herman Talmadge (at right) in executive office in Atlanta, Ga., as latter claims post left open by death of his father. (See GEORGIA.)

ALLIANCE:  
 Britain-France

Traditional allies against Germany, Great Britain and France renewed their old bond in London by agreeing to a treaty of alliance to guard against a rebirth of an aggressive reich.

Though the alliance ostensibly was directed against Germany, observers saw in the pact a strengthening of the western European powers against the expanded influence of Russia on the continent. With Britain and France serving as a core, smaller nations like Holland and Belgium might adhere to the western bloc to check the threat of communism.

In concluding their alliance, Britain and France agreed to work for the orderly development of western European economy to promote mutual prosperity and at the same time prevent establishment of a strong industrial base for war in Germany. Emphasis was placed on harmonizing the British and French economies to remove trade conflicts and harnessing essential German industry, like coal, to the needs of neighboring countries.

CONGRESS:  
 Tax-Minded

Standing pat on their determination to scale personal income taxes and trim the 1947-'48 budget of unnecessary frills, GOP house leaders massed to push through a 20 per cent cut proposed by Representative Knutson (Rep., Minn.).



Knutson  
 Taber

With the Republicans cautious about paring military expenditures because of the unsettled world situation, President Truman's budget did not leave too much room for tinkering. As a result, GOP leaders planned to concentrate on the income cut estimated at 3 1/2 billion dollars and continue the current high excise levies on liquor, furs, jewelry and other items.

Representative Taber (Rep., N. Y.), chairman of the house appropriations committee, asserted the budget could be reduced at least 3 to 4 billion dollars, still assuring essential expenditures and allowing for a payment on the national debt. Such a cut would bring the budget in line with the decrease in revenue resulting from the 20 per cent tax slash.

FORD:  
 Production Lead

Declaring that the high standard of American living was based upon mass production, Ford Motor company slashed the price of nine models from \$15 to \$50 to stimulate a cautious buyers' market.

Thus did Henry Ford II, youthful president of the famed auto company, steal a march on organized labor on the eve of negotiations for new contracts and set the pace for industry generally. As labor was to clamor for higher wages, Ford in-

ferred that they could be paid out of increasing production of goods, with workers sharing the rising profits.

With prices away up and buyers hesitant to pay for inflated values, American industry stands at the crossroads, Ford said. Bring prices within reach of the average consumer through mass production and the U. S. may well avoid a business recession, he declared. With employee efficiency on the rise, Ford revealed that his company is turning out about 4,000 units a day, exclusive of buses and tractors.

FOOD:  
 Full Larder

Sugar, cooking and salad oils and many processed foods containing these ingredients may be in short supply in 1947 but otherwise Americans are assured of a full larder this year, the National Grocers Bulletin reported.

A roundup of the food industry resulted in these predictions:

**MEAT:** Per capita supplies should include 68 1/2 pounds of pork, 68 pounds of beef, 9 pounds of veal and 5 1/2 pounds of lamb and mutton.

**POULTRY:** The number of farm-raised poultry promises to be up 5 to 7 per cent and commercial broiler production up 15 per cent. With exports lower, there should be sufficient eggs despite an 8 per cent drop in production.

**DAIRY PRODUCTS:** Despite somewhat smaller milk output, supplies of dairy products should be adequate to meet demands.

**FRESH VEGETABLES:** Plenty at lower prices.

**FRUITS:** Record volume.

**GRAIN FOODS:** Bumper grain crops assure ample stocks of flour, hot and cold cereals, spaghetti and corn sirup.

**CANNED FOODS:** Production is expected to reach record figure of 600 million standard cases compared with 514 million in 1945.

Even the sugar situation will not be so bad, the Bulletin said. At 35 pounds the per capita supply of sugar will be at least 10 pounds more than in 1946, and use of substitute sweetening agents will help increase production of prepared desserts, cake mixes, chocolate and cocoa, condensed milk, jams and jellies.

GEORGIA:  
 Chip Off Old Block

With "Old Gene" gone, "Young Herman" kept alive the fiery Talmadge tradition in Georgia politics.

When his father died before he could be inaugurated, young Talmadge mustered sufficient support in the legislature to have himself named governor; then, defying incumbent-Governor Arnall, who held his election illegal, he set up his own offices in the state capitol.

Meeting young Talmadge's bold challenge, Arnall carried the issue to the state supreme court, dominated by his own appointees. But again Herman struck back by threatening to ignore an adverse court decision on the grounds that the constitution empowered the legislature to elect a governor and a denial of the right represented judicial encroachment upon the legislative branch of government.

Amid the hub-bub, one sure fact emerged: Young Talmadge had demonstrated political leadership and was a power to be reckoned with in Georgia politics.

Washington Digest

Korea a Sore Spot in Far Eastern Politics

By BAUKHAGE  
 News Analyst and Commentator.

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

WASHINGTON. — "Reveal the secret clauses in the Yalta agree-

ment and the American people will demand a free and independent Korea." That is what you hear from the earnest group of Koreans and Americans who will be waving a tearful farewell to their beloved leader and friend—the venerable Dr. Syngman Rhee—as he departs for "the land of the morning calm" for the second time since his exile 40 years ago. Dr. Rhee's followers consider him the legitimate head of the provisional Korean government set up by those leaders fortunate enough to escape when Japan dealt Korea its final, crushing blow in 1905.



Baukhage

Presidents of the United States since Theodore Roosevelt's time, state department and other government officials have been consistently sympathetic and stubbornly uncooperative with the effort of this unflagging patriot to obtain recognition of his country. They did not frown on his return to Korea when it was "liberated" by the defeat of Japan. They put no obstacles in the way of his choice as head of the group which set up a provisional government of Korea. They permitted that group to send an observer to the U. N. but when Dr. Rhee returned from Korea in December of last year his efforts to make his voice heard before the international body were blocked by the state department ukase, "No official standing."

Today Korea is a nation bisected by the 38th parallel. The North, under Russian control, is separated by the Asiatic model of the Iron Curtain and no real Korean government exists in the Southern half, followed their activities so closely through all these years. Then Dr. Rhee went on to explain that with cooperation of the military government, at least five attempts had been made to set up a national government; that each time the Communists had blocked it by refusing to join and because of the directives under which the military government was forced to operate—no government was permitted in which the Communists did not participate.

"They (the Communists) claim they have 20,000 members in the southern area—what right have 20,000, if there are that many (which I doubt), to interfere with the rights of 18 million Koreans in the southern zone?" asks Dr. Rhee.

In the secret agreement at Yalta, Dr. Rhee asserts: "President Roosevelt agreed that Manchuria and Northern Korea be placed in the zone of the Soviets. This was contrary to the spirit of the Atlantic Charter and the other agreements up to that time. When the American people realize this, I am sure sentiment will develop that will make it possible for Korea to become a nation again. I am going back to Korea with that hope."

Senate Bathed in Mutual Admiration

There is a distinctive brand of political humor often buried in that remarkable and largely unread (and frequently turgid) document, the Congressional Record.

The Republican recommendation that senators meet in formal session only three times a week, Monday, Wednesday and Friday, devoting the other two days to committee work recently touched off a typical exchange between Republicans and Democrats on the senate floor. Both parties conjured lightly with the names of founding fathers.

Majority Leader Wallace White of Maine began by opining that an exception to the Monday-Wednesday-Friday rule should perhaps be made for Lincoln's birthday (which falls on Wednesday this year) so that Republican senators could, as he put it, "have opportunity to go to their homes and elsewhere to make their customary, and I think, proper, speeches on Lincoln's birthday." He added that provision, too, might be made for Washington's birthday.



Syngman Rhee  
 Wants to Tell Secrets

Senator White then recalled that the Democrats usually have either a Jackson Day or Jefferson Day dinner, for which they might want to be excused from the senate.

Minority Leader Barkley was agreeable. Said he: "So far as Lincoln Day absenteeism is concerned, we have no objection to any deviation from this program (the MWF rule) that would permit our friends to get back to Lincoln."

The Record records as follows: Mr. Barkley: I think the closer the party gets back to Lincoln the nearer it will come to Jefferson. I think there will be no difficulty about arranging for Washington's birthday and for Lincoln's birthday. So far as Jackson is concerned, the Democrats have always celebrated Jackson Day on the 8th of January, today, which is the day of the Battle of New Orleans.

Mr. White: I think the senator from Kentucky is celebrating it now.

Mr. Barkley: But in April I think it is planned to have a number of Jefferson Day celebrations throughout the country and I am sure that Jefferson and Lincoln will all be maintained upon an equal footing.

Mr. Tobey: I'd like to say for the benefit of my friend the senator from Kentucky that I hope his statement which I shall designate as Exhibit A, is evidence that the great party to which he belongs, of which he has been majority leader in the senate for so many years, and so successfully will be bound to return to the principles and teachings and tenets of Thomas Jefferson.

Mr. Barkley: I will say to the senator that we have never departed from them, because Jefferson was the outstanding liberal of his day, and we have always adhered to the liberal policies which were advocated by the original liberal, Thomas Jefferson, which were not altogether dissimilar to the liberality of the founder of the Republican party, Abraham Lincoln.

Gems of Thought

IF YOU ever expect to get anywhere, start today right from where you are. Those who wait a more favorable sign seldom get started.

Speak that cheering word. Bring just one ray of sunshine into a life beset with gloom and you have done something really worth while.

An honest man is the noblest work of God.—Pope.

We are so much accustomed to disguise ourselves to others that at length we disguise ourselves to ourselves.—Rochefoucauld.

Don't leave a thing half done unless you discover it isn't worth doing.

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MISCELLANEOUS

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REAL ESTATE—MISC.

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"COLD BUG" GOT HIM?

HELP EASE ACHING CHEST MUSCLES RUB ON MENTHOLATUM quick!

WNU—M 05—47

That Nagging Backache

May Warn of Disordered Kidney Action

Modern life with its hurry and worry, irregular habits, improper eating and drinking—its risk of exposure and infection—throws heavy strain on the work of the kidneys. They are apt to become over-taxed and fail to filter excess acid and other impurities from the life-giving blood.

You may suffer nagging backache, headache, dizziness, getting up nights, leg pains, swelling—feel constantly tired, nervous, all worn out. Other signs of kidney or bladder disorder are sometimes burning, scanty or too frequent urination.

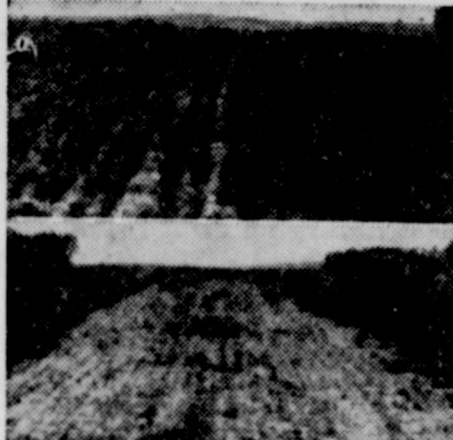
Try Doan's Pills. Doan's help the kidneys to pass off harmful excess body waste. They have had more than half a century of public approval. Are recommended by grateful users everywhere. Ask your neighbor!

DOAN'S PILLS



### Alfalfa Benefited By Superphosphate Provides Protection Against Winter Kill

Low 45 per cent superphosphate drilled with alfalfa seed at the rate of 100 pounds per acre not only stimulates growth of the seedlings but



Unfertilized strip, left upper photo, indicates sparse growth. Right the fertilized patch. Photo taken in October. Lower photo shows the result of winter to the unfertilized strip in center, compared to fertilized on both sides.

also gives marked protection against winter-killing was described by Prof. H. E. Myers, agronomist at Kansas State college.

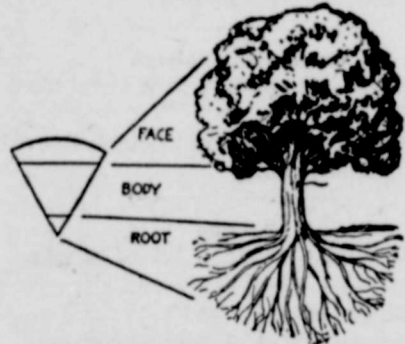
The beneficial effects of the fertilizer treatment are illustrated in the accompanying photographs taken in an alfalfa field in Kansas.

The alfalfa was seeded August 15 and 16. The fertilizer was placed in the same row with the seed. The last two rounds were drilled without fertilizer.

As shown above, there is an almost complete absence of plants in the center unfertilized strip as the result of winter-killing. The crowns of the unfertilized plants were about three inches above the soil surface by spring. The fertilized plants remained in place, thrifty and undamaged.

### Strength of Wood

"I have always compared a weld with that of a tree because of its substantial and mutual characteristics," says Frank J. Balistreri, Milwaukee, Wis.



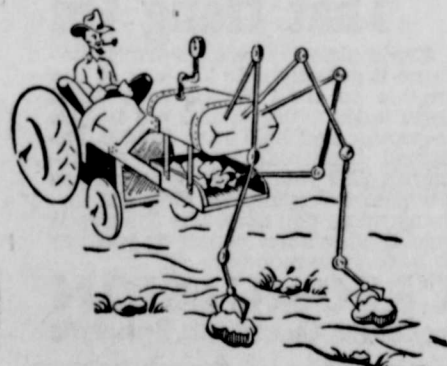
Face, body and root are important in electric welding. Drawing—courtesy Lincoln Electric Co.

The strength of the weld (electric arc welding) is started from the root; it is the foundation of the weld.

### Harvest Connecticut's Big Annual Rock Crop

A machine that will harvest the Connecticut farmer's biggest and most productive crop recently was demonstrated under supervision of University of Connecticut.

The crop—stones—will be picked up by the new tractor driven stone



It is not recommended that farmers try to build a stonepicker according to the artist's idea.

picking machine. Equipped with a hydraulic lift, this machine will gather stones of any size.

The machine will be a revelation to gardeners and farmers with aching backs. It is also possible that the artist's drawing will be a revelation to the manufacturer of the stone picker.

### 'DON'T GET UPSET'

## Soaring Winter Accident Toll Sparks Plea for Safe Driving

WNU Features.

CHICAGO.—When pelting snow and treacherous ice clog the highways, "don't get upset." That is the plea of National Safety council in its campaign to reduce the hazards of winter driving.

On an average, two-thirds of the cold weather mishaps last winter occurred on snowy or icy roads, it is revealed in a special study of winter traffic accidents recently completed by four typical snow-belt states in co-operation with the safety council. States making the special accident analysis were Connecticut, Indiana, Minnesota and Wisconsin.

This fact, combined with the knowledge that traffic death rates in the northern half of the United States increase from 24 to 53 per cent in winter as compared with summer, prove the need for greater driver caution in winter months, the council said.

#### Mishaps Increase.

Inadequate traction and poor visibility are the special hazards which send winter accident rates soaring, according to Prof. Ralph A. Moyer of Iowa State college, chairman of the council's committee on winter driving hazards.

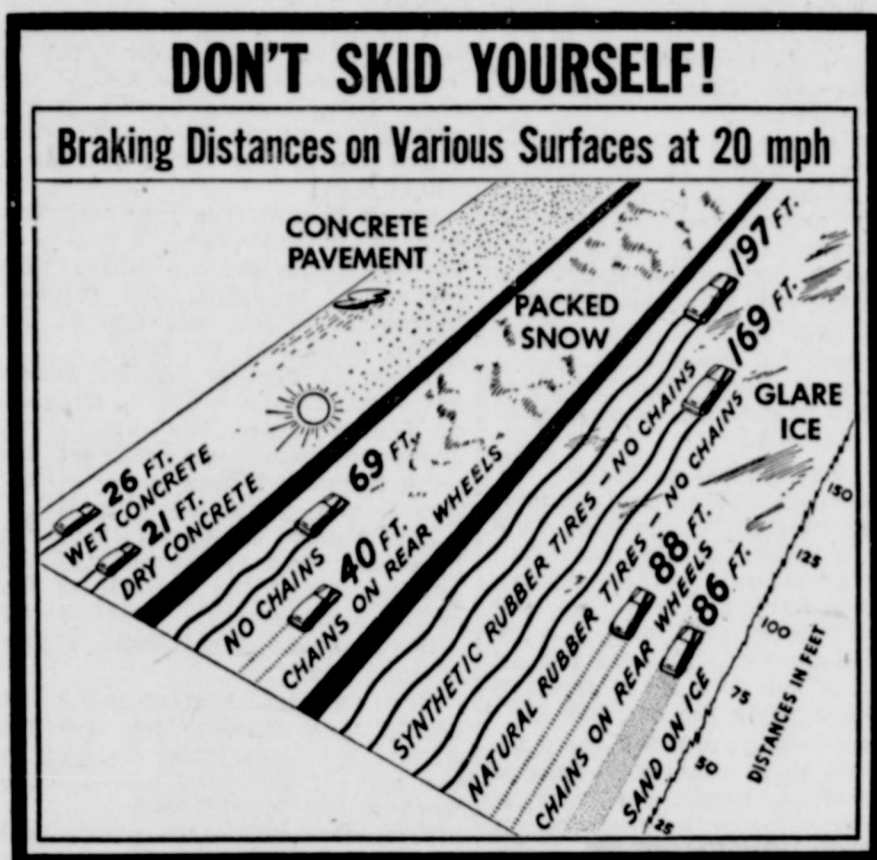
Moyer recommends that vehicles which must be operated under severe snow and ice conditions be

equipped with tire chains and devices to aid visibility, such as windshield wipers, defrosters or frost shields and good lighting equipment.

"Modern methods of distribution, vital to our economy, require that commercial vehicles and many passenger cars operate in all kinds of weather," he said, "and the amount of such traffic is increasing. The greater the number of vehicles on the road the more need there is for improved winter road maintenance, safety equipment for the vehicles, and extra care on the part of drivers."

#### Lists Driving Rules.

He urged drivers to follow these rules, which are based on actual winter driving tests on frozen Michigan lakes:



1. When starting out, get the "feel" of the road by lightly applying brakes while driving slowly and when no other vehicles are near.
2. Reduce your speed so that you can stop in time in an emergency. Ice may be found on bridges or on shaded sections of an otherwise clear road surface.
3. Don't jam on your brakes suddenly. Apply them lightly and intermittently to avoid a skid.
4. Keep windshield clear of snow and ice outside, fog and frost inside.
5. Use tire chains on ice and snow. They may reduce brak-

- ing distance as much as 40 or 50 per cent and provide needed "go" traction.
6. Synthetic rubber tires, equal or better than natural rubber in many respects, do not provide quite as much stop-and-go traction on snow or ice.
7. Remember days are short. Plan your trip for as much daylight driving as possible.
8. Deflating or "softening" tires will not add to your safety, and it will cause excessive tire wear.
9. Beware of carbon monoxide gas. Never warm up a car in a closed garage, and check exhaust system, floor boards and manifold-type heaters for leaks.

### Majority of War Veterans Finding Jobs or in School

WASHINGTON.—Of the 13,030,000 men veterans discharged during the last 16 months, only 700,000 are listed as unemployed, according to a labor department survey of veterans' status. An additional 550,000 are listed as on vacation, unable to work or retired.

Nearly 12 million of the veterans now are employed, in training, or in school or college, the survey discloses. Of this number, 1,100,000 men veterans of World War II are enrolled in educational institutions.

Two major tasks for the future are emphasized in the report. The first is to find better jobs for many veterans who have demonstrated a desire for jobs with advancement. The other is to find jobs for the student veterans as they are graduated.

### Woman Has Studied All School's Courses

PITTSBURGH, PA.—School bells still ring for Mrs. Margaret Dick, 62. When she moved to Pittsburgh from New Jersey 29 years ago, Mrs. Dick longed for new friends and, at her husband's suggestion, she enrolled in night school.

A student ever since, Mrs. Dick has exhausted the curricula of two night schools. She has studied book-keeping, chemistry, dressmaking, cooking, public speaking, millinery and commercial law.

### Talk About Your Operation? Now Movie Shows It

NEW ORLEANS, LA.—No longer do you need to grope for words to describe your latest operation. Just have it photographed—even in technical, if you like.

W. Branks Stewart of New Orleans earns his living photographing operations. He'll do movies, stills or even paintings of your appendix.

Of course, Stewart does most of his work for doctors and for Louisiana State university medical school, where he works. If a surgeon finds something different in an operative case, he places a hurry call for Stewart, who photographs or sketches the operation. Sometimes doctors want new techniques recorded by the movie camera.

Stewart has all types of weird looking equipment to do his work. One of the special cameras takes a stereoscopic picture of the human eye. Another is a photomicrography instrument which takes pictures through a microscope.

### Real Salesman

ROBINSON, ILL.—Marley Harrison reversed the usual procedure when he left the hospital after an operation and presented it with a bill. An appliance dealer, he used the time while he was recuperating to talk the staff into buying a deep freeze unit.



FUN AND SAFETY COMBINED . . . More than 300 young bicycle riders of Wilmington, N. C., turned out recently for the town's first "cyclocade"—ostensibly a wheeled outing, actually a sugar-coated lesson in safety. Parades, races and stunts, like the free-for-all pictured above, were held in the city stadium, but the events were interspersed with graphic demonstrations of the dangers in riding bikes. Wilmington police and safety leaders planned the cyclocade as part of a long-range program to slash increasing bike-auto accidents.

### IN THESE U. S.

## Unique Club In 'Big House' Helps Needy

ATLANTA, GA.—Ranking as one of the nation's most unique welfare organizations is the Atlanta Welfare club, operated by prisoners at the federal penitentiary here.

The club collects nearly \$150 a month from inmates of the prison, distributing it to needy cases on the "outside." Nearly 1,000 individuals have been helped since the club was formed. The amount of aid varies, one case requiring as little as \$2.50; another, \$50 outright and additional help over several months.

An inmate's desire to help a destitute mother whose son had been killed overseas led to formation of the unique club. The mother was devoid of money until the insurance policy was settled. When the prisoner asked Warden Joseph W. Sanford for permission to send \$10 to the mother, the story soon spread through the big institution and the prisoners determined to form the club as a means of aiding other worthy cases.

Eugene Goodwyn, chief parole officer, was selected by the prisoners to handle the accounting and other business matters. Miss Martha Denison, home service supervisor of the Atlanta Red Cross chapter, was delegated to find the needy cases.

From the small pay they receive in prison industries, the inmates have collected more than \$5,000 in a little more than three years.

## Thief Sends \$100 Easing Conscience Before Marriage

CLARKSBURG, W. VA.—Because he wanted to get married, a restless former soldier sent \$100 to three Clarksburg residents to clear his conscience of a \$40 theft committed here last September. The burglary of a local restaurant had remained unsolved until the letters were received from the soldier, who insisted on remaining anonymous.

In nearly identical penciled notes the soldier sent \$60 to Frank H. Johnson, restaurant manager (the extra \$20 was "interest"), \$20 to W. C. Robertson, cashier of the restaurant, who was struck on the head during the robbery, "to pay your bill," and another \$20 to Robert F. Hickman, city editor of the Clarksburg Exponent, "to pay for borrowing your car."

Explaining his actions, the writer said: "A returned soldier became restless, awful restless. He needed excitement, to hear bullets and shells whistle. . . . He realized his mistake and he settled down. But his conscience bothered him.

"Mister, I'm trying to correct that before I marry. I can't get married and have that hanging over my head."

## Million Pencils Is Collector's Goal

CHICAGO.—Add to your list of hobbies the pencil collector. William Hausman, 49, already has 25,000 of them and hopes to build his collection up to a million.

Hausman has pencils that look like guns, clothespins and flashlights. They vary in size from a quarter of an inch to 12 feet long.

"And they all write," Hausman avers. "It doesn't count unless they write."

## "Off We Go" AVIATION NOTES

### AIRPORT CHATTER

An abandoned government building project, the former civilian conservation corps camp at Millford, Iowa, has been transformed into one of the largest private airports in the state. Stanley Fuller, who has been connected with aviation in northwest Iowa since 1918, bought the camp and buildings and an additional 107 acres. He built two runways, 2,640 and 3,660 feet long, converted some of the buildings into airport use and plans to build additional multiple-unit hangars. . . . Five Hefner, Tex., men banded together to purchase a 100 horsepower, two passenger Super Cruiser. The new ship brings to 12 the number of planes permanently hangared at Hefner. . . . Miller Lewis, 62-year-old full-blooded Seminole Indian from Seminole, Okla., ranks as the first member of his tribe to take an airplane ride. Following a recent hop at the Seminole municipal airport, Miller said, "It's hokay." . . . Something new in homes—front door on the highway and back door on an air strip—is claimed by Mr. and Mrs. Postelle Cooper of Deming, N. M. A hangar is built right into the house. A driveway connects the front door with the highway while the back door opens on a half-mile air strip from which Cooper, banker and insurance executive, flies to his appointments.

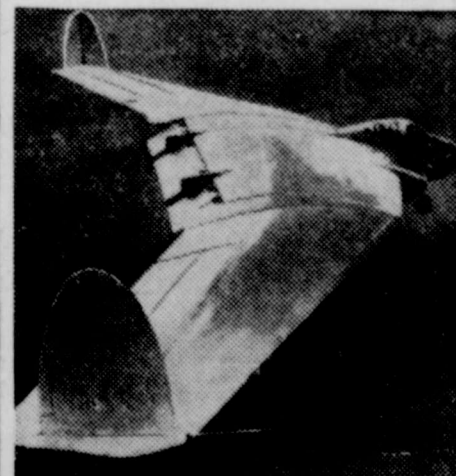
More than 44,000 persons, or approximately one out of every five employees in the aviation industry, are veterans of the army, navy, marines or merchant marine, Aircraft Industries association reveals. The 44,000 figure, taken from a recent survey of 14 major aircraft companies, includes more than 1,400 disabled or physically handicapped veterans now working in the industry.

REPRODUCE WEATHER  
An army air force's testing laboratory is being built at Wright field, Dayton, Ohio, which will be able to reproduce the worst type of inclement weather encountered in any part of the world. When completed, the laboratory will be the country's most modern environmental testing facility.  
The test branch of the air materiel command's equipment laboratory is charged with development and testing of more than 1,000 aircraft accessories, each of which must be capable of operating under any conceivable weather condition.

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**Ain't It So?**

Discretion generally comes to a person after he is too old for it to do him any good.

The old narrow trails, where two cars could barely pass without bumping, have been replaced by 50-foot highways where six or eight cars can pile up at one time.

It's all right to put your best foot forward, but you won't go far if you don't follow with the other one.

Man is that foolish creature who shortens his life by working too hard to acquire things that further shorten his life.



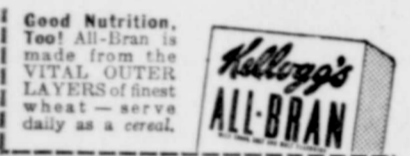
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**Veterans' SERVICE BUREAU**

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**Veterans' Dental Care**

Dental service provided for veterans with service-connected disabilities by Veterans' administration amounted to approximately \$1,950,000 as of November 30, and of this amount \$1,759,000 was paid to participating dentists on a fee basis. Applications for treatments increased to 207,000 at the end of November.

Home town dental care for these veterans with service-connected disabilities now is available in all the 48 states, according to VA, and the fee schedule for participating dentists was set by VA in cooperation with American Dental association. Each state contract was negotiated separately by the state dental society and the VA branch offices having jurisdiction over that state and participating dentists are nominated by the state society and approved by VA branch offices.

As of December 4, there were 99,055 veterans in VA hospitals; 600,000 veterans have applied for G.I. loans amounting to almost \$3,000,000,000; approximately 5,675,000 National Service Life Insurance policies were in force as of November 30 and their total insurance value was approximately \$35,000,000,000.

**Questions and Answers**

Q. Can a World War I widow get a pension for an adopted baby? This is a grandchild of the World War I veteran. He has been dead 18 months and his widow adopted their grandchild and can she get a pension for it too?—Widow, Dalton, Ga.

A. If the child is legally adopted, such children come under the same status as other dependent children and, if the child is a minor, he should be eligible for pension.

Q. My son was drafted in the army January 25, 1944. He took out an \$18.75 war bond each month and had them made out to me. I received them regularly up until December, 1945, and haven't received one since. The boy is still in Japan. I would like to know what to do about it.—Mother, Livingston, Ky.

A. If the money is still being deducted from his pay for the purchase of the bonds, you should continue to receive them. Since you are not, write to the Central Field fiscal office, U. S. army, Chief of Finance, 4300 Goodfellow blvd., St. Louis 2, Mo., giving your son's full name, serial number and where, if you know, he authorized the money to be deducted from his pay.

Q. I was discharged from the WAVES on October 17, 1945. I had quite a lot of dental work done February and March of 1946. Now I have been told by an ex-soldier that the government paid for his dental work because he had it done before he was discharged. My question is whether I am eligible for this. I have been discharged for over a year, but the work was done and the bill paid by myself just a few months after I was discharged. The dental work was necessary and urgent as the x-rays will testify.—Mrs. R. E. H., Melstone, Mont.

A. Veterans with service-connected disabilities are eligible for free dental work from Veterans' administration. Both the army and navy provided dental care and treatment for members of the armed forces. However, if you obtained your dental work after your discharge, I do not believe you are eligible for reimbursement by the government if you have no service-connected disability.

Q. I have a husband in Manila and he said he would give me a divorce. When I sent him the papers he refused to sign them and he hasn't supported me since. Can I get a divorce without sending him the papers?—M. D. K., Adolphus, Ky.

A. You should consult an attorney.

Q. I want to know if my husband can get a divorce while in the army and where can I get this information or the papers concerning this?—Mrs. J. L. H., St. Louis, Mo.

A. Your husband has the same legal rights in the army as he has as a civilian. Should such a case be filed, you will be notified in the manner prescribed by the law.

**U. S. Documents To Tour Nation**

Exhibit Is Planned as Wide Drive Against Alien Ideologists.

WASHINGTON.—Attorney General Clark announced that a priceless collection of original American documents will be taken in a swing across the country early in the new year on a special train in a nationwide drive against alien ideologists.

"Liberty on Wheels," an exhibition of such landmarks in American history as the official copy of the Bill of Rights, will tour the 48 states in a specially constructed fireproof train.

The purpose, Clark said, is to "reaffirm in the minds and hearts of the American people an understanding and appreciation of the basic principles of our government and in this way to combat alien ideologies."

History Landmarks. The attorney general said the exhibition "will give millions of Americans an opportunity to view such monumental landmarks in our history as the Bill of Rights, the Emancipation Proclamation, the original of the Gettysburg Address, and the notes in his own handwriting of Patrick Henry's immortal speech in which he said, 'Give me liberty or give me death.'"

Other documents include notes of proceedings leading to the Declaration of Independence in Thomas Jefferson's handwriting, and James Madison's manuscript notes of debates in the federal convention discussing the need for a Bill of Rights.

Clark said the train will visit all large cities and many small ones in "the longest tour in the history of American railroading, lasting probably a full year."

Newspapers to Help. Newspapers will sponsor community programs emphasizing the basic principles of the American form of government. Radio stations and the national networks will dramatize these principles in a series of programs. Motion picture companies will turn out a group of short films along the same line.

After a meeting of Clark and leaders of the three fields a committee was named to handle the press-radio-movie phase of the program. It was headed by Col. T. A. McNerny, personal assistant to Clark and director of public information for the justice department.

Clark said the project is "officially sponsored by the federal government" and added:

"We hope it will be just a springboard for a national and local crusade to reemphasize the concept of American democracy. It is our hope that every governor and every mayor in the nation will sponsor activities in his state and city which will get the maximum number of Americans to become conscious of the ideals of their country."

McNerny said the cost of the exhibition trip will be borne by interested private individuals and patriotic organizations, but declined to reveal their names.

**New Submarine Unveiled by U. S. Navy; It Is a Jeep!**

ANNAPOLIS, MD. — The Reluctant Turtle, a submarine jeep, was unveiled by the navy.

Experts said the depth to which it may submerge "seems to be limited only to the length of the neck of the driver, whose head must stick out of the water."

Hitting the water at 18 miles an hour, in a demonstration for newspaper men, the Turtle threw a spray 20 feet into the air and slowed to a walk. Then, using four wheel power, it churned on and the wheels submerged. Finally even the windshield disappeared. It rode the waves like a duck. The demonstration lasted more than an hour.

The Turtle is an ordinary jeep equipped with a "submarine" kit that costs about \$1,000.

Marine and navy men at the demonstration said the jeep might have saved lives and equipment in wartime beach invasions.

**Alaska Villagers Puzzled At Monster Washed Ashore**

ANCHORAGE, ALASKA. — Villagers at nearby Homer debated whether the monster washed ashore on Cooks inlet was of prehistoric origin.

The mammoth creature, which resembles a huge lizard, is 18 feet, 10 inches long. According to the villagers, it has crocodile-shaped jaws and its bony head measures 3 1/2 feet long and 2 feet, 3 inches wide. Its body is covered with hair-like fur and its teeth are 4 inches long and an inch thick.

**IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL Lesson**

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**Lesson for February 2**

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**JESUS THE GIVER OF LIFE**

LESSON TEXT—John 4:46-51; 5:2-9; 11:11-13.

MEMORY SELECTION—I am the resurrection, and the life: he that believeth in me, though he were dead, yet shall he live.—John 11:25.

The miracles of God, through his servants and the Lord Jesus Christ, are not mere marvels or wonders. They are not for the advancement of the cause of any man or for personal glory. They are the mighty signs of an omnipotent God wrought for the good of men, for their spiritual enlightenment and as a testimony to the one true God. Jesus is the giver of life; first and most important, of spiritual life, but also of physical life and health.

I. A Sick Boy Made Well (John 4:46-51).

A nobleman's son was sick. Ah, yes, affliction and sorrow come to the home of the rich as well as the poor. Death comes to the young as well as the old. In fact, the first grave dug in this world was for a young man.

But it is also true that affliction may be, in God's hand, a means of blessing. This son's sickness sent his father to Jesus, and resulted ultimately in the salvation of the entire household (v. 53).

There is another helpful lesson here—our Lord's Word is as good as his presence. The man asked Jesus to come, but he sent his word instead. It was accepted, believed, and completely effective.

How blessed for us who may not have the physical presence of the Lord to recall the potency of his Word. When he says it, believe it!

II. A Lame Man Made Whole (John 5:2-9).

Back in Jerusalem at the Feast of Purim, a time of joy and gift giving, our Lord found his way to the pool of Bethesda where there were misery and disease.

"Impotent folk"—the words well describe not only those who lay helpless about the pool of Bethesda, but they fit us as well. Oh, yes, we are strong, capable, fearless, but only until we meet some great elemental problem. Then we see that we are indeed "a great multitude of impotent folk." The silent fog can paralyze a nation. Death, sickness—who can stay their hand?

Long familiarity with his weakness had bred in the man with the infirmity a sense of despair. Such an attitude invites defeat. It is unbefitting to a Christian. Let us not forget in the darkest hour to "keep looking up."

Jesus told the man to "rise and walk"—the very thing he could not do for his 38 years of life. But when the Son of God speaks to us he gives the power to respond to his command.

III. A Dead Friend Made Alive (John 11:11-13).

The fact that Jesus is our Friend and our Saviour does not exempt us from human sorrow, but it does assure us of the needed grace to bear the trial and to trust him even in life's darkest hour.

Lazarus, the friend of Jesus, was sick. The home in which Jesus had found rest and fellowship was in deep trouble. Jesus was no longer in Judea. In haste, word is sent to him of his friend's illness. But he did not come.

Why does he delay? Such is the heart cry of thousands today who call on him in their hour of trouble. The purposes of God are beyond our ability fully to understand. We need only to trust him and abide his time.

Notice that his failure to respond at once to the message of Lazarus' sisters did not mean that he had deserted them (11:4-6). Nor did it mean that he had denied them his help (v. 7). Lazarus may have been dead before the word reached him. He may also have delayed in order that there might be no question about the resurrection miracle. And he may have tarried in order that their faith might be strengthened.

Above all, do not fail to notice that he came. He always does. Jesus has never failed any child of his. The time and the manner of his answer to our prayers may not conform to our opinion of what should have been done, but let us remember that we know only in part. He knows all. Let us trust him. In his darkest hour Job said: "Though he slay me, yet will I trust in him" (Job 13:15).

**Quitting Was Good**

After a few rounds in the ring the fourth rate prize fighter was thoroughly beaten and ready to give up.

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Encouraged, the bruiser went back in. And at the end of the seventh round, bloody and wobbly, he was catapulted half way out of the ring by his opponent. "Am I still winning?" he asked his manager.

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Pastor (surprised)—I couldn't, my child. But why do you ask?

Little Girl—Oh, because dad said you were so long-winded.

**Gotta Eat, Though**

"Does your husband kick about his meals?"

"No. What he kicks about is having to get them."

**Twisted**

"My uncle made a lot of money in crooked dough."

"Black market, eh?"

"Oh, no. He's a pretzel baker."

**A Luxury**

"Well, young man, how do you like your new little sister?"

"Okay, I guess, but there's a lot of things we needed worse."

**Unknown**

Jane—Who was the fellow who just kissed you?

Mary—I don't know. I never speak to strangers.

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Duke McCale, private detective, is investigating the murder of Curt Vallaincourt, who was about to marry Veronica Bigelow, heiress to thirty million dollars. McCale obtains some important clues by questioning Shari Lynn, Vallaincourt's former wife, and Veronica's relatives. Sybil, Veronica's mother, admits she was one of the women seen hurrying away from the murder scene. Karen, wife of Stephen, Veronica's brother, relates some history about Vallaincourt, and how she had to buy back some letters of hers which were being held by Shari Lynn. Stephen saw this transaction at Shari's night club. McCale surmises that the letters must have been old ones.

## CHAPTER XIII

"Yes. He accused me late that night, but I'd destroyed the letters, Mr. McCale, and I managed to convince him that I had done an errand for Vicky."

"Ummm. Quick thinking. There are some letters of Victoria's around somewhere, you know."

"Really?" She was disinterested, completely. "Well?"

"Those are the things I know." He raised an eyebrow, looked at her intensely, and his voice grew hard. "But this is what I surmise. Let's say it is a hunch I have, so great that it wants only confirmation from you."

The woman before him might have been carved of ice, but McCale went on.

"The design or plan was to bring Vallaincourt, the irresistible, the magnet, to attract Veronica. He was to marry her and get control of the money, or at least salt away a large portion of it for himself. Then, perhaps, a divorce, and back to Victoria. It probably was Victoria's idea. Then everything would be soft for the foster-Bigelows. They could have their fun, have millions to play with, and no interference from a disapproving brother-in-law, like, for instance, Christopher Storm."

An amused murmur came from her set lips.

"I don't think that you necessarily were a party to the scheme. I suppose you knew about it, but were just too disgusted with your own life to care." He scowled. "But the rest of them. What a rotten deal to put over on a fine old lady and a sensitive young girl!" His repugnance to the idea was clearly apparent in his face.

"However." He sat up straight, putting the tips of his fingers together. "Something went wrong somewhere. I rather suspect it was Shari Lynn. Curt probably had to promise her would come back with the spoils in order to get her to divorce him. He also had to make the same promise to Victoria. What a mess when someone, Victoria, no doubt, found the scrap of burned letter in the fireplace. That put the screws in the works. No wonder, in her rage, she took it to Miss Adelaide, sending her searching all over the town for an honest detective."

He was silent for a moment, staring moodily at the disdainful Karen. "These things I surmise," he reiterated. "Now, what can you tell me?"

"I don't need to tell you anything. You are very acute." Her voice was smooth, flat.

"Thank you." He bowed as though to the Snow Maiden herself. "Except perhaps—"

"Except," she cut it curtly, "it was Veronica who found the piece of letter." She smiled ironically. "Lord," he reeled as from a blow, "how you all gang up on Veronica." She moved toward the door. "Christopher, the Galahad, the irreproachable, is upstairs, if you wish to question him." Her voice dripped ice.

"By all means."

When Christopher Storm bounded in with his quick, virile stride, McCale turned hurriedly.

### Another Death in The Strange Cast

"I'm in a hell of a hurry, Storm. You can answer just one question, if you will."

"Gladly." He faced McCale with open, candid eyes.

"How did you happen to give The Nest to the bride and groom?"

For a moment Storm looked rattled, as if the question were far from what he had expected. Then he explained.

"You see, McCale," he said, "I'm an architect. The Nest was a little house for newlyweds. Well, Veronica and I had worked on it together. We were practically engaged and we thought when we did marry, it would be just the place for us." His eyes were far away.

"Exactly," McCale said. "I understand that."

"Then Curt came along." His voice was bitter.

"Then it was a gesture? A definite, backhanded slap—" "Not at all. I never would have done a thing like that. I'd had it in for Curt, all right, but after I had a talk with him, just the day before his death, he convinced me he really was in love—that he wanted to make Veronica happy. I—well, in a great big sentimental glow, I decided to deed them The Nest. That's all."

McCale studied him. He said finally, "Yes. That's just about what I'd expect you to do."

The telephone at his elbow rang and he made a motion for Storm to answer it. The young man spoke a few words, then turned to McCale.

"For you."

"McCale here," he said, wondering who could be calling him there. It was Ann. She sounded frightened, urgent.

"Is it all right for me to spill?" she asked.

"Go ahead."

"Duke, I'm down at the drugstore under Shari Lynn's hotel. I went there an hour ago and could not raise her. I thought she was still asleep. I came back just now. The police are there—your friend Donlevy, and the homicide squad. The bellhops won't say a word, but, Duke—Duke—does that mean—?"

"Hold everything," McCale said.

Ignoring Christopher Storm, he made a grab for his hat.

Shari Lynn lay on her back, a weird, tragic figure in death. Her head was half under the table, as she had fallen, but not too far under to hide the staring eyes and the look of surprise and terror on her face. The patent artifice of her



"A little more of the same mess, eh, my friend?" said Donlevy.

dyed hair accentuated more than ever her age and dissipation.

McCale's eyes were grim as he noted the neat round hole in her chest, the pool of dark blood that had spilled down her side, saturating her gown, soaking the carpet.

His eyes swiveled around and away from this horrid grotesquerie to encounter two calm gray ones which contemplated him from the extreme opposite corner of the room. Ann Marriot, trim and unruffled in her gray tweeds, sat astride a small theatrical trunk. She was holding the hand of Veronica Bigelow, who sagged, white and haggard looking, in a straight-backed chair. He went over to them, feeling rather than seeing a rising anger in Ann.

### Somebody Stole A Picture

She greeted him with a torrent of words spoken loud enough for everyone in the room to hear.

"This is intolerable, Duke," she exclaimed, biting her lip. "I can't stand it much longer."

"Why did you come back here, then, after you called me?"

"Well, I saw two officers escort Miss Bigelow—Veronica here—into the lobby. I thought: 'Good Lord, what are they up to with that poor girl now?' So I came on up in the same elevator."

She turned to Veronica. "Are you feeling better, Miss Bigelow? Mr. McCale is going to get us out of here."

"I'll do what I can," he said, and there was a genuine concern in him that came as a real surprise. He heard a soft tread behind him and turned to face the lieutenant.

"Johnny-on-the-spot as usual, I see." There was a shadow of a smile on Donlevy's lips. "Sorry I had to detain Miss Marriot, but she rather arranged her own entrance, so to speak, together with one of my over-zealous squad."

"Surely you're through with her now?" McCale was devastatingly formal.

"Quite, quite. She could have gone a half hour ago, but when I learned she had phoned you, I thought—that is—Miss Bigelow was a bit under the weather." He disregarded Veronica studiously, his manner to her hard, restrained.

So that's the way the wind blows, McCale thought, and said to Ann, "You run along now. Wait for me at the office." He looked at his watch.

Then he added pointedly to Donlevy, though he faced Ann, "I'll see that Miss Bigelow gets home safely, unless, of course"—he turned steely eyes to the lieutenant—"unless you are not willing to remand her in my custody."

"Oh, quite all right," Donlevy said. A cynical grin masked his thoughts. He turned away, drawing McCale with him.

Ann murmured a few cheery words to the girl and went out.

At the window, Donlevy spoke with an impatient gesture which took in the whole room. "A little more of the same mess," he said. "Eh, my friend?"

McCale sighed. "Looks like it," he said bitterly. "The worst part of it all is that if I'd had my wits about me, it might have been prevented."

"What?"

"I was here in this room talking with Miss Lynn about two this morning. I'm convinced by what she said that she knew something. When I came in I had the feeling that she expected someone else."

"A little blackmail, what?" Donlevy's eyes showed their intent interest.

"Yes." McCale began to prow around the room. Everything seemed just the same as it had been.

He stopped before the collection of snapshots and photographs he had noticed on the wall the night before. He pointed to a space.

"Someone has removed a picture," he exclaimed.

Donlevy came right over. "I noticed that. But whose picture—that we'll probably never know. You didn't by any chance—"

"No. I looked them over last night, but didn't recognize anyone. What about the rest of the place?"

"Oh, the whole joint has been searched. Bedroom torn apart. What they were looking for is probably gone."

McCale let his voice drop to a murmur. "Then why in God's name are you determined to pin it on that girl over there?" He indicated Veronica. "Surely—"

Donlevy shrugged. "The motive, my friend. The motive always comes back to that. The motive has piled up in the last twenty-four hours."

McCale sounded sullen. He knew only too well how it had piled up. "You satisfied?"

Donlevy wrinkled his brow. "Come now," he said. "You're too romantic, Duke. I've got to be convinced. Besides, some of our cleverest murderers are pretty young women of good American family and background. Then, too, my investigating staff, the D.A.—they're all satisfied. Everyone except you."

He smiled. He was very sure of himself and confident.

"Yes, I know. I seem to be unique. You're not arresting her?"

"We can wait for the inquest, I think. And you—?"

"I want the truth, of course." McCale showed his teeth in a dangerous smile. "I'm going on with the investigation, as you know."

Beside McCale, Veronica Bigelow lay back against the seat of the cab, silent. She seemed to have grown up overnight, and the growing had been too sudden, too awful.

### Curt Had Planned A Double Cross

McCale spoke to her gently. "I want to help you, Miss Bigelow. Really I do. But first you've got to believe in me. I must probe deeper than the police—maybe hurt you more—but your Aunt Adelaide expects a miracle from me, and so—"

"I know." She opened her eyes. "A few more questions can't matter now. Go ahead."

"I'm taking it for granted that you were nowhere near your home yesterday afternoon at the time of the murder. Right?"

"I wasn't, Mr. McCale." She was intense, earnest. "I can't say where I was at the exact moment, but I didn't kill Curt. I couldn't have. I couldn't kill anybody, least of all Curt."

"Did you love him?"

Her eyes grew big as the question startled her into a consideration of the fact as it was.

"I—of course—I suppose I did." She fumbled for words. "It was like going round and round in a great surge of something—something exciting—whenever he was near me, whenever I thought of him. But it's now—now that I know that it's over, that he's gone forever—dead—that I wonder if it was love. I'm so empty."

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*Joe Marsh*

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**SCHOOL BOARD ELECTION PROCLAMATION**

**TO THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF THE HOPE MUNICIPAL SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 8.**

I, Irving Cox, President of the Hope Municipal School Board District No. 8, by direction of the Board of Education of said school district, and as provided by law, do hereby proclaim and declare that an election will be held on the first Tuesday in February, 1947, being February 4, between the hours of 9 o'clock A. M. and 6 o'clock P. M. in the Home Economics room of the school building. Two members of the Board of Education shall be elected at large from said school district by the qualified voters thereof, for 6 year terms, to fill the expired terms of Alvin Kincaid and Irving Cox.

The following persons have been appointed as Judges and Clerks of election by the Board of Education for the purpose of holding and conducting said election, as provided by law:

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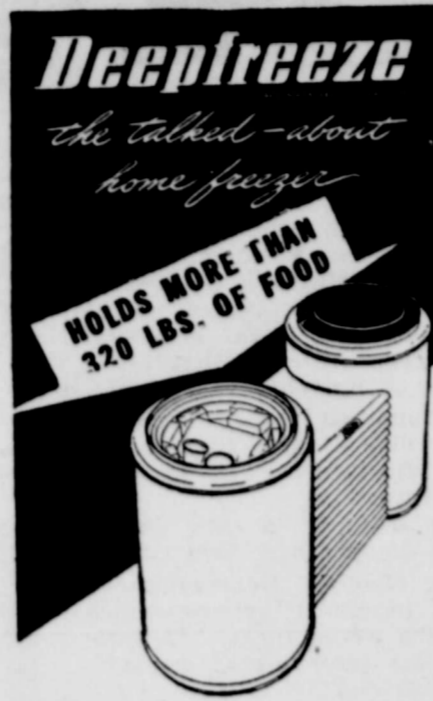
Teel, Mrs. J. W. Mellard.  
Clerks: Mrs. D. C. Carson, Mrs. Bonnie Altman.

All qualified electors within the Hope Municipal School District No. 8, shall be entitled to vote at said election at the place designated above. The election will be held, conducted, returned and canvassed by the Board of Education of Hope School District No. 8. No registration shall be required.

In witness thereof, I have hereunto set my hand as President of the Board of Education of Hope Municipal School, District No. 8, and cause the Clerk of said Board to fix the seal of said District hereto, this 14th day of January, 1947.

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### Brisk Winter Days Stimulate Appetite For Substantial Food



A fluffy, golden browned casserole is ideal supper fare for cold nights. This one combines protein foods such as dried beef and eggs with the vegetable, which is whole kernel corn.

### Make Hearty Meals

When the family comes tramping home on cold nights with the appetites of woodsmen, many a homemaker is put to the acid test of really filling them up with plenty of hearty, nourishing food. Sometimes appetites seem endless, especially when the food is not suited to weather or to work and play, but there's an answer to all this.

Hearty foods solve the puzzle best, so bring out the stews so rich in vegetables and inexpensive cuts of meat, casseroles with sauces and gravy and top them off with hunger-satisfying desserts. Don't forget the vegetables and fruits as these are an important cog in balancing the meal and rounding it out.

Another easy trick to take the edge off sharp appetites is to serve a piping hot soup of some kind just before dinner. This may be light or hearty depending upon the type of family you have. This, too, is economical because you can use bones from roasts or the carcass of a fowl from dinner and toss in some vegetables, and have enough soup for several days.

A soup is nice to serve before the following casserole. Top it off with a fruit salad and an easy-to-make pudding dessert, and you have the meal complete.

**Corn-Chipped Beef Souffle.** (Serves 6)  
4 tablespoons butter  
¼ cup flour  
1 cup milk  
4 eggs, separated  
1 cup whole kernel corn  
1 cup shredded chipped beef (about 3 ounces)

Melt butter, blend in flour and add milk. Cook over direct heat, stirring constantly until sauce thickens and boils. Stir hot sauce into well beaten egg yolks, add corn and shredded beef. Fold in stiffly beaten egg whites, lightly but thoroughly. Turn into a six-cup casserole and bake in a moderate (325-350-degree) oven for one hour until a knife inserted comes out clean.

**Salmon-Lima Bean Casserole.** (Serves 6)  
2 tablespoons diced onion  
2 tablespoons fat  
4 tablespoons flour  
2 cups milk  
1 teaspoon salt  
1 tall can salmon  
2 cups green lima beans, cooked  
2 slices bread  
2 teaspoons butter

Cook onion in fat until golden brown and tender. Add flour and blend. Stir in milk and salt. Cook, stirring constantly until thick and smooth. Alternate layers of flaked salmon, lima beans (which have been drained) and

white sauce in a greased casserole, ending with white sauce. Butter bread and cut in cubes. Sprinkle over top of casserole and bake in a moderate oven for 35 minutes or until golden brown.

**LYNN CHAMBERS' MENU**  
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\*Lamb Stew with Parsley Dumplings  
Waldorf Salad Rye Bread Toast  
\*Hasty Pudding Beverage  
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### \*Lamb Stew, Parsley Dumplings. (Serves 6)

Buy 2½ pounds lamb shoulder, chuck or shank. Cut the meat in one-inch cubes, dredge with flour and brown in hot fat. Season with salt and pepper and cover tightly after adding two cups of broth or water. Simmer slowly for 30 minutes and then add whole small sliced onions or sliced onion rings, sliced carrots, diced potatoes and 1½ cups drained peas. Cover tightly and cook until vegetables are tender, about 45 minutes, adding more water or stock if necessary.

To make parsley dumplings, sift 2 cups of flour with 1 teaspoon salt, 4 teaspoons baking powder and ¼ teaspoon pepper. Add 1 well beaten egg, 3 tablespoons melted butter and ½ cup milk. Mix to a moist stiff batter and add 3 tablespoons minced parsley. Drop by spoonfuls onto stew, cover closely and cook without lifting cover for 18 minutes.

Remove dumplings to platter and arrange with meat and vegetables. Thicken gravy in pan with flour-water paste. Add a dash of Worcestershire sauce and pour over stew. Serve at once.

How do you plan your desserts? Well, naturally you want them to go with your main dish, but consider their planning from another point of view also. If you're using the oven, have a baked dessert to utilize heat to the fullest. If you're cooking a top-of-the-stove meal, make a refrigerator dessert so as not to use the oven for just one thing.

### American Pudding. (Serves 6)

¼ cup flour  
1 teaspoon baking powder  
4 tablespoons shortening  
½ cup sugar  
½ cup milk  
4 tablespoons currants  
1½ teaspoons grated lemon rind  
1½ cup boiling water  
½ cup honey  
½ teaspoon salt

Sift flour, measure, then sift with baking powder. Cream one half of shortening, add sugar. Add milk and flour, alternately beating until smooth after each addition. Add currants and lemon rind. Turn into greased baking dish. Combine remaining shortening, honey, water and salt and pour over batter. Bake in a moderate (350-degree) oven for 40 to 45 minutes. Serve warm with cream.

This next recipe is truly a hasty pudding. It's quickly made and delicious, too, now that whipped cream and marshmallows, absent so long from our grocery shelves, are back with us again.



Make the most of your lamb stew by serving it in your prettiest deep platter with vegetables, parsley-flecked dumplings and tender morsels of lamb riding on top of the savory gravy.

### \*Hasty Pudding. (Serves 6)

To one cup of whipped cream, add 1 cup brown sugar and 1 teaspoon vanilla extract. Blend thoroughly. Add 15 graham crackers which have been broken into small pieces; 4 bananas, quartered and sifted, and 16 marshmallows which have been snipped with scissors into small pieces. Mix lightly and chill well before serving.

This hasty pudding can be dressed up beautifully for a company dinner in tall glasses and topped with a garnish of whipped cream and a dab of red jelly or jam or a cherry.

## AROUND THE HOUSE

When wiping windows, use vertical strokes on the inside and horizontal strokes on the outside. This enables you to see at a glance which side must be wiped again.

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